Stat 215A - Week 6

Some slides thanks to Rebecca Barter

Lab 2 check in

Any questions?

To do today

Lowess

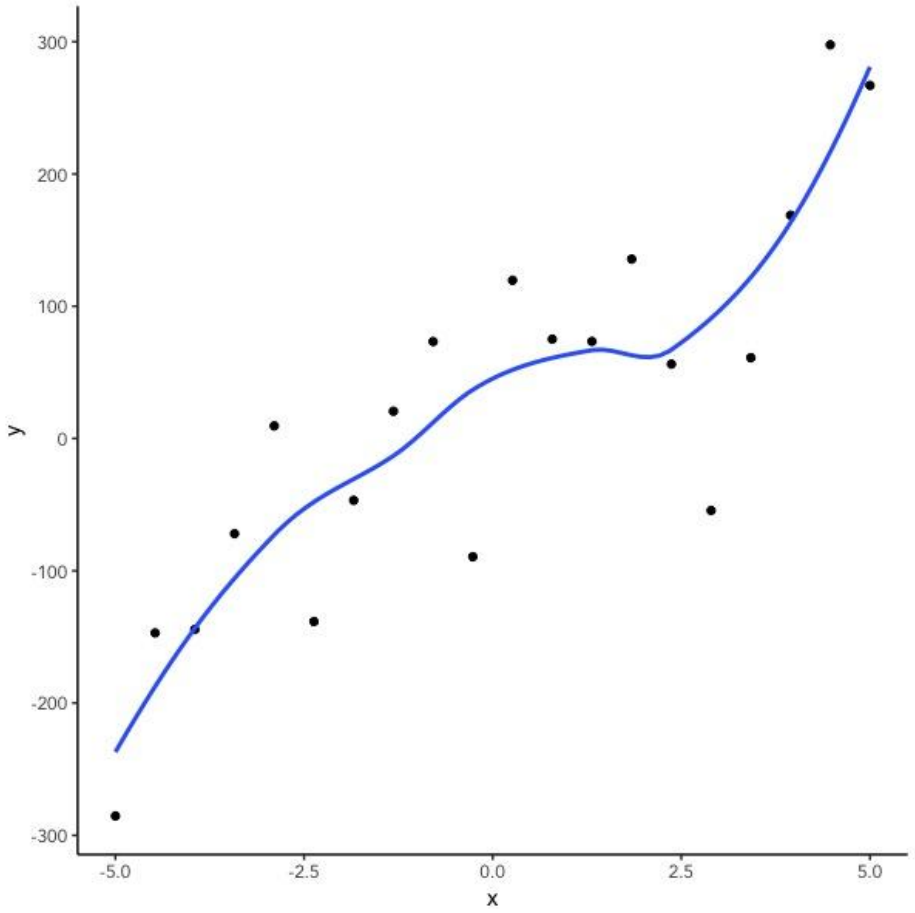
Independent component analysis

Multidimensional scaling

Lo(w)ess - locally weighted scatterplot smoothing

Lowess

Local linear fit in this example, but can fit higher order polynomials



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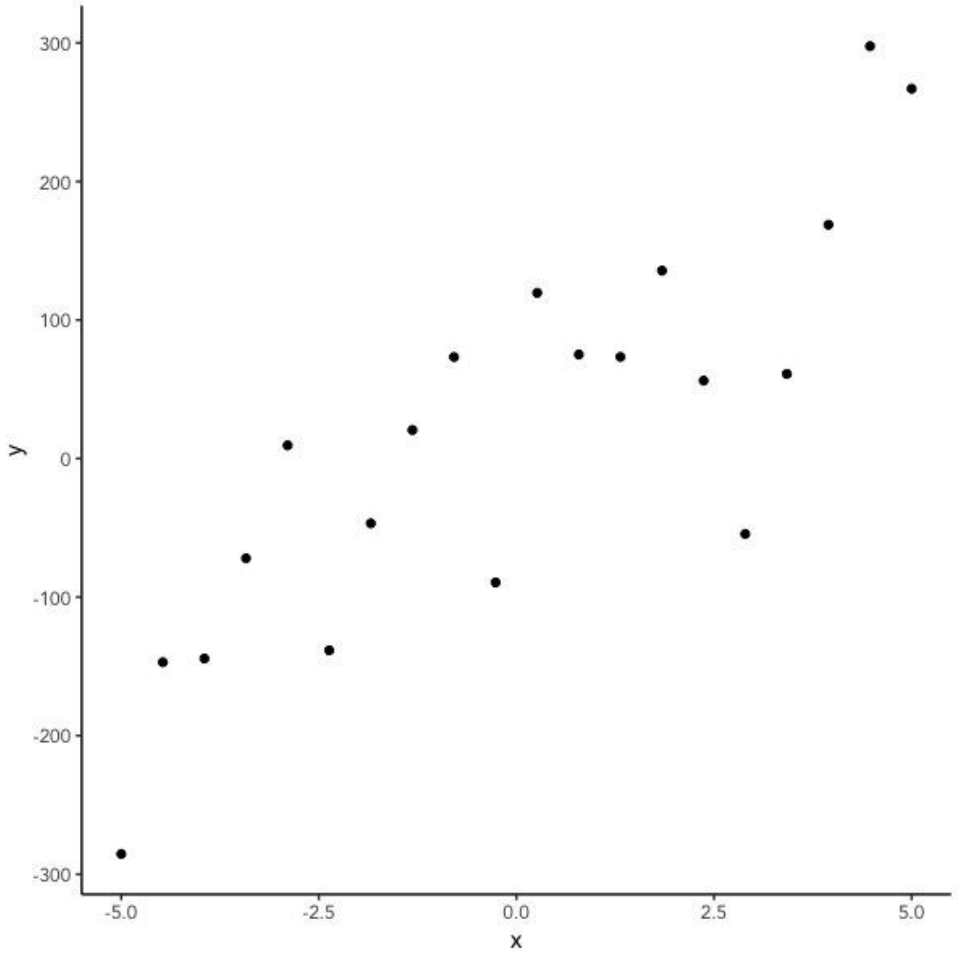

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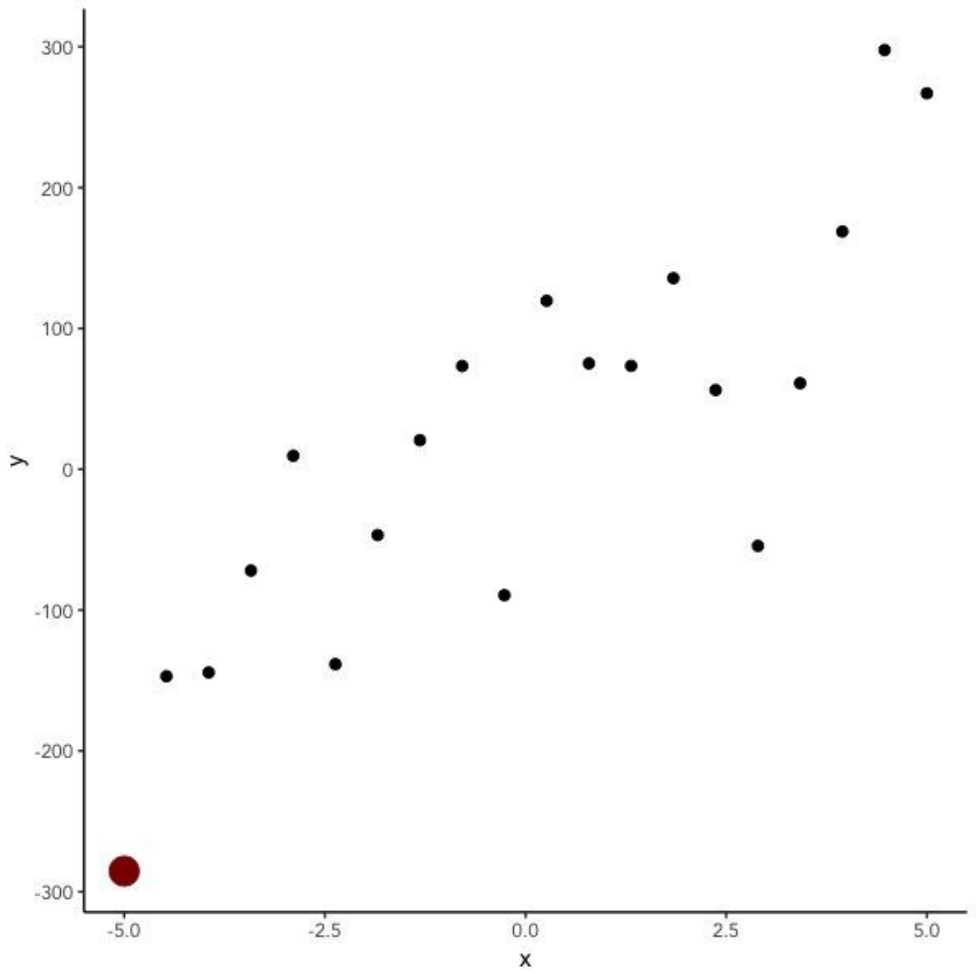

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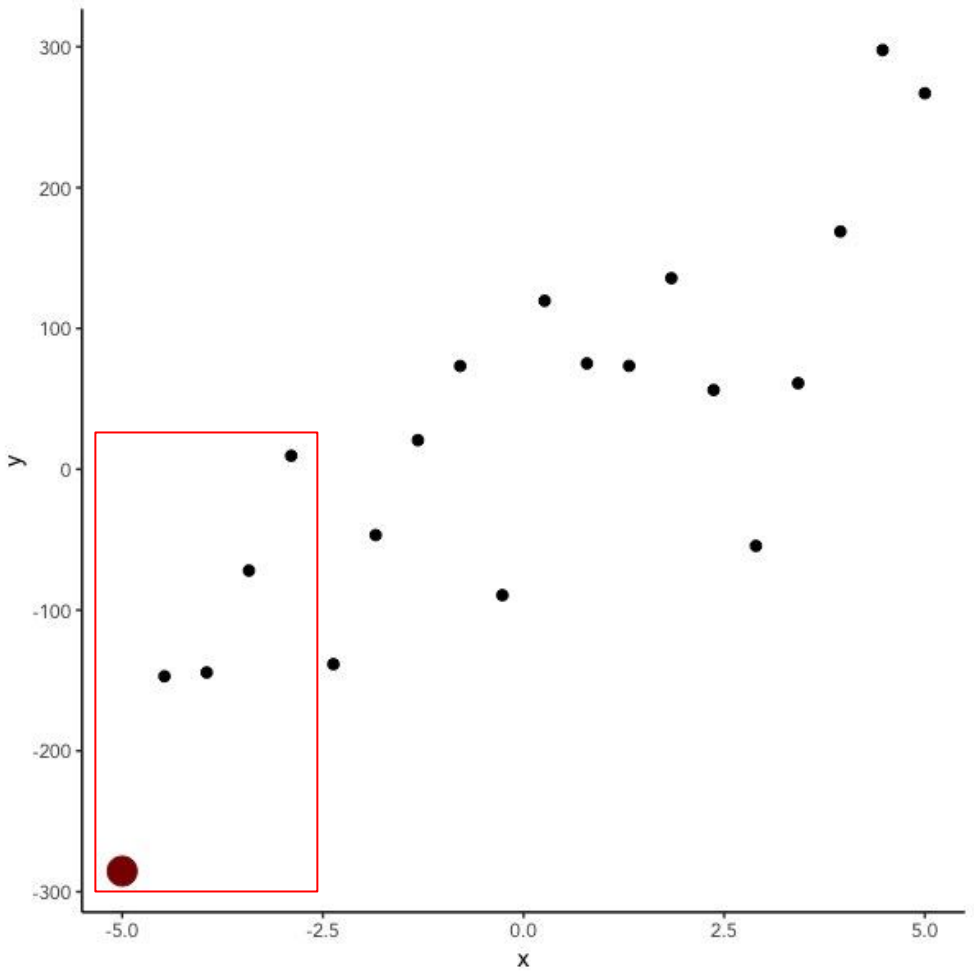
Identify neighborhood to fit the polynomial.

Here span = 5



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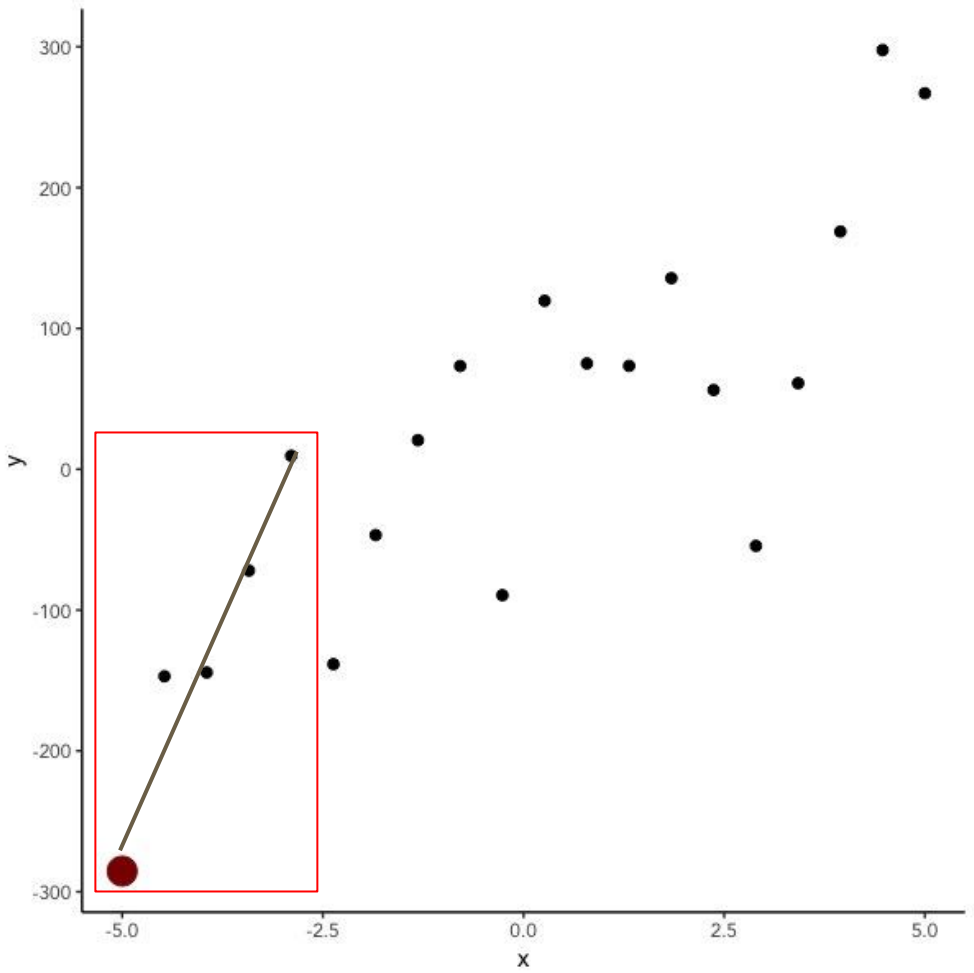
Fit a weighted least squares line within the neighborhood



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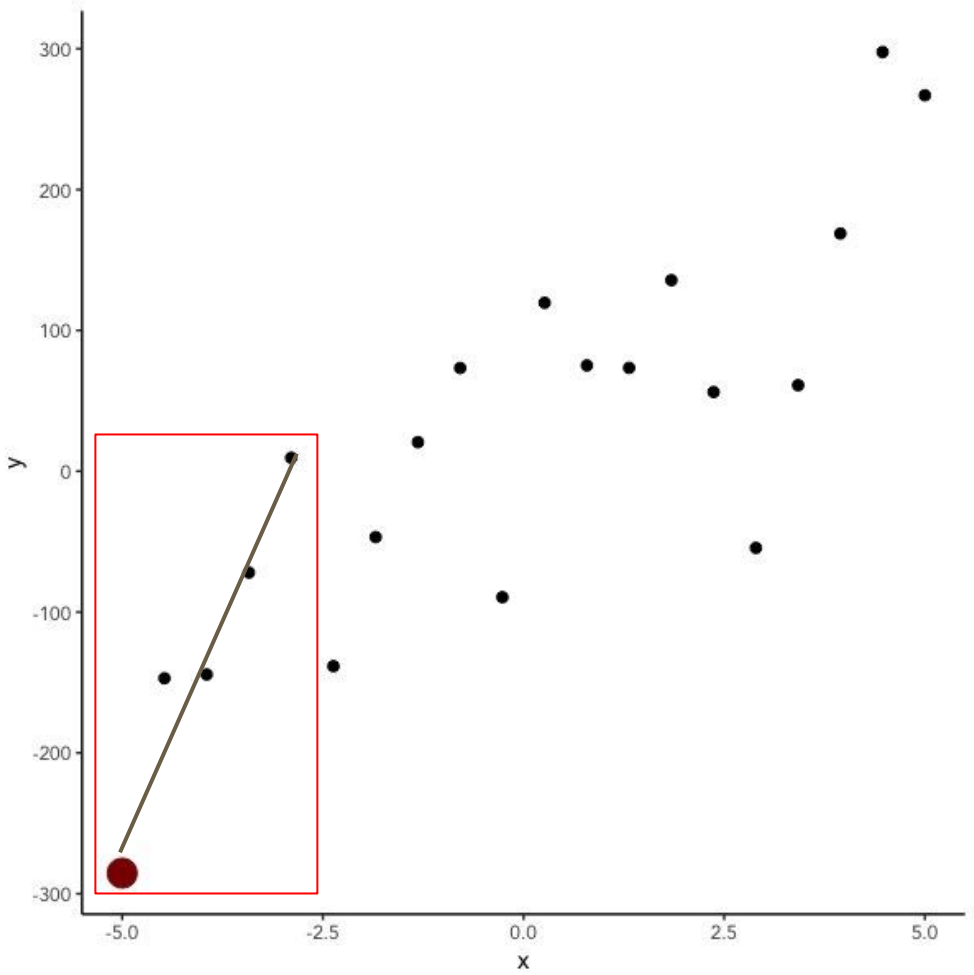
Fit a weighted least squares line within the neighborhood

Higher weight given to points near the focal point (red)



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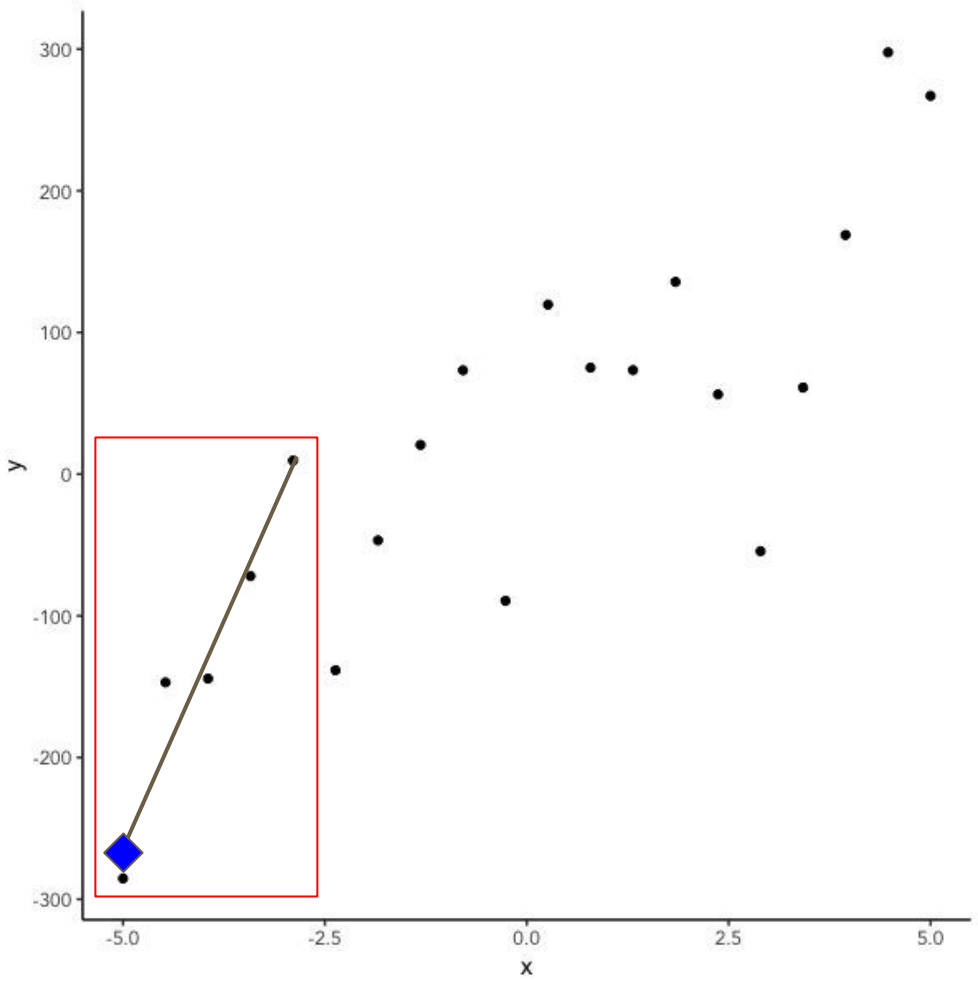
The first point of the regression lines is the fitted focal point (blue diamond)



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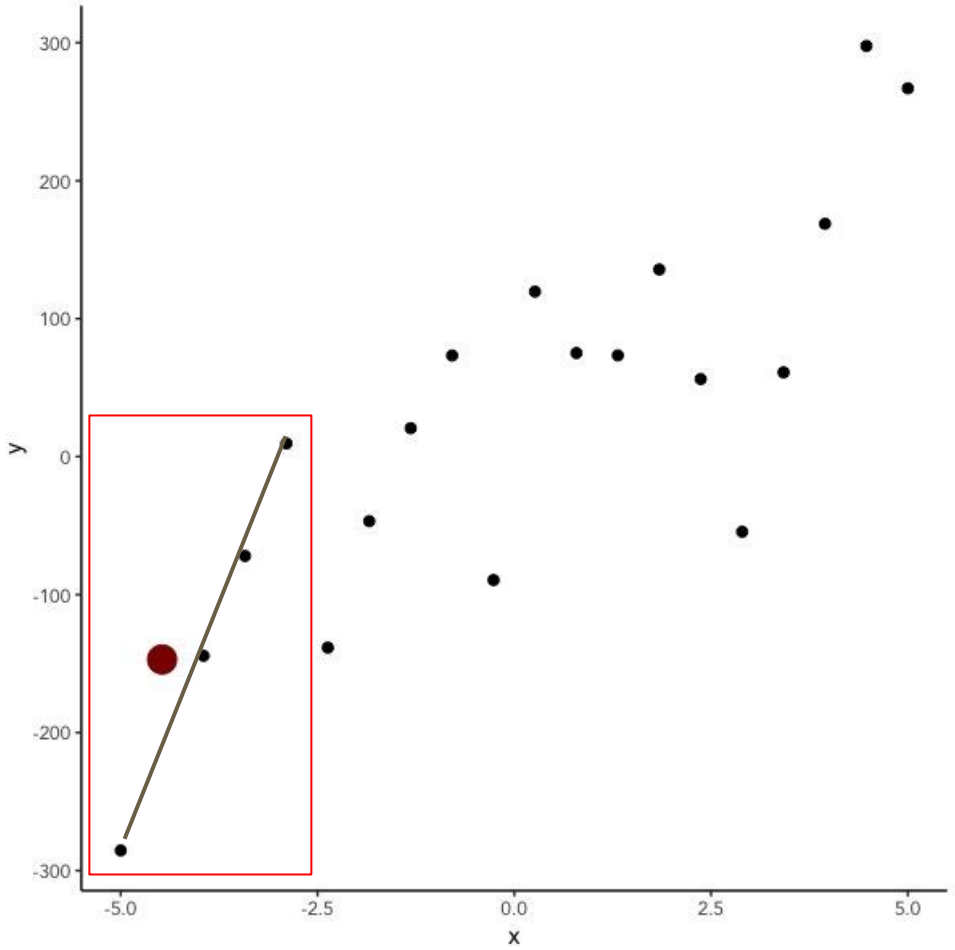
Move onto the new focal point and fit a different weighted regression line



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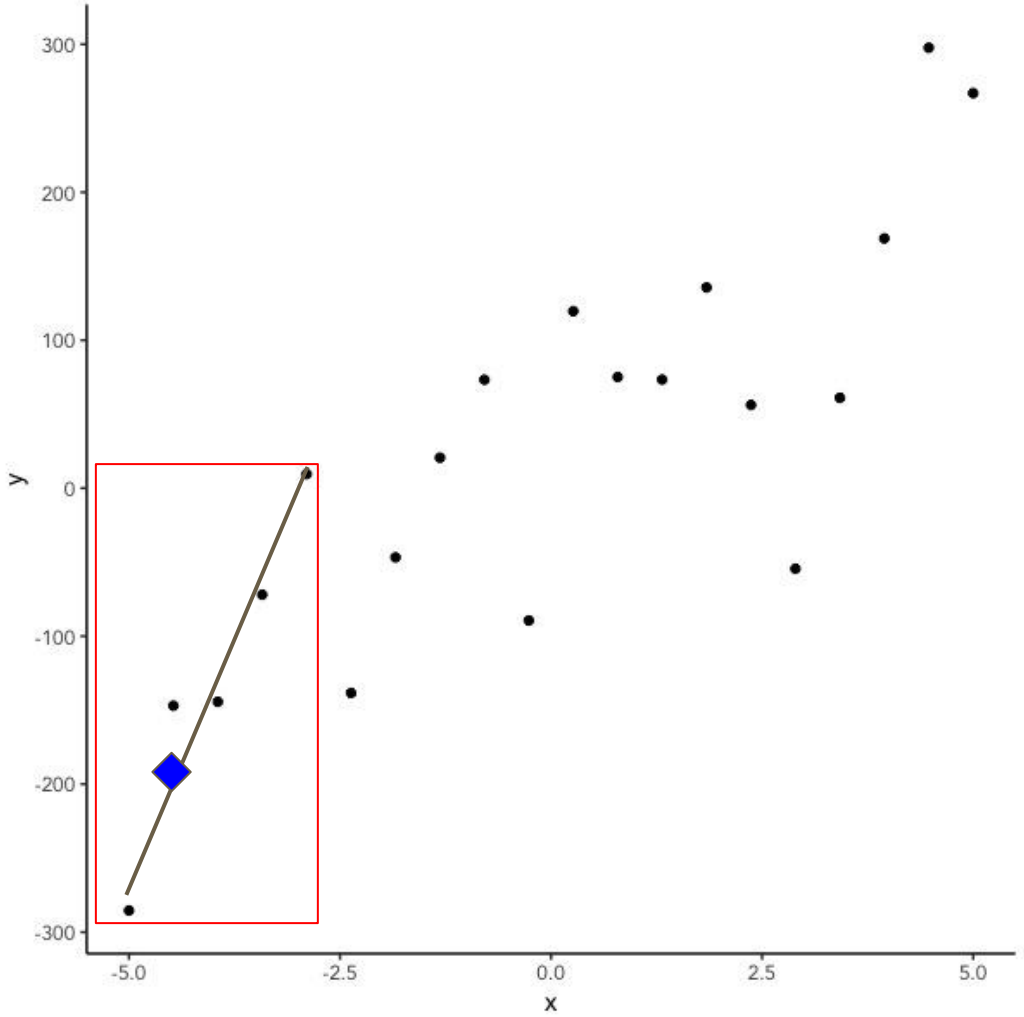
Fit a new local regression line



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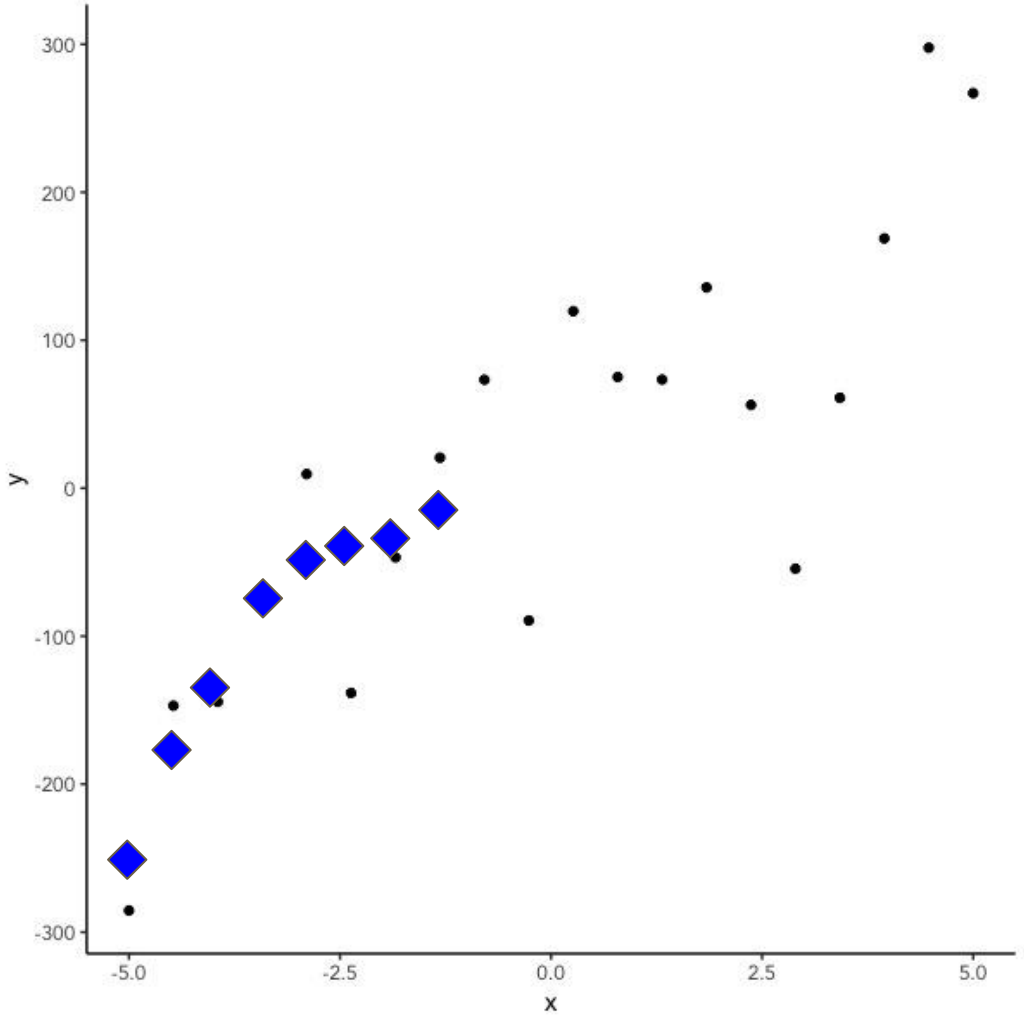
So on and so forth...



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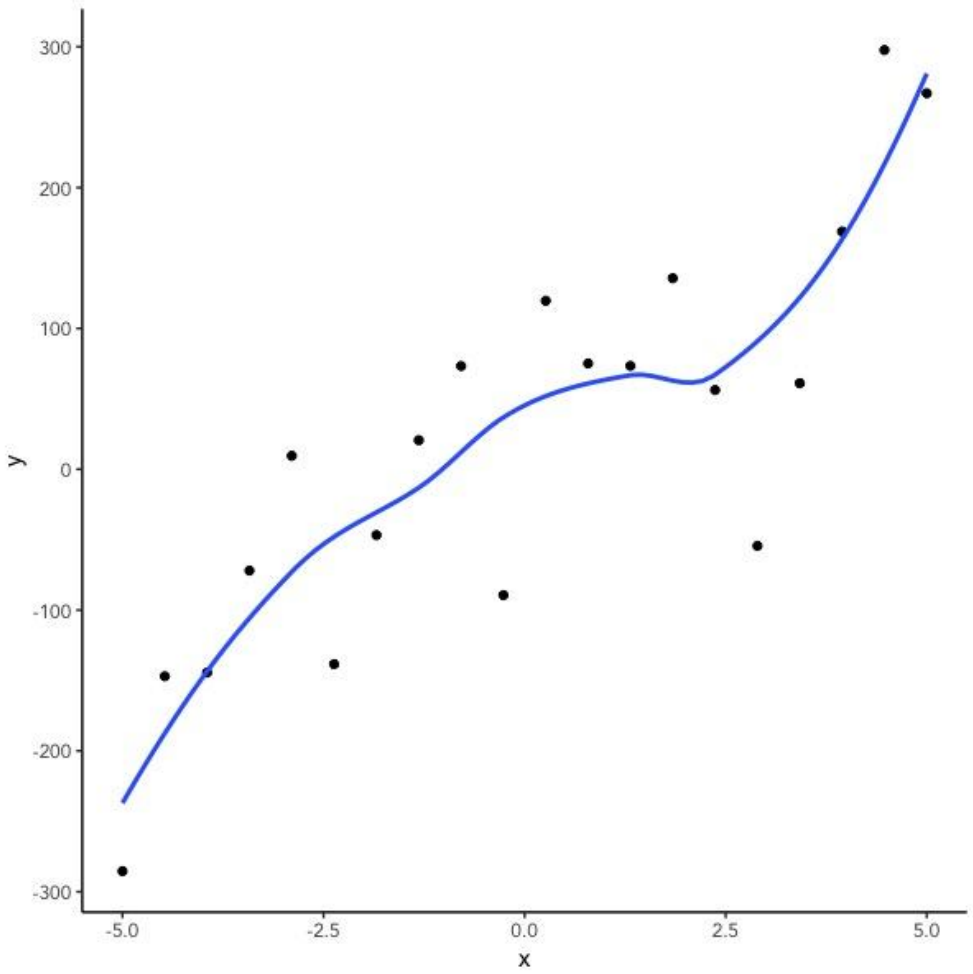


Loess - locally weighted scatterplot smoothing

Parameters to choose

- The **span/bandwidth**: size of the neighborhood.
- The **degree** of the local polynomial (previous slide degree = 1).
- The **weights** for the weight least squares.

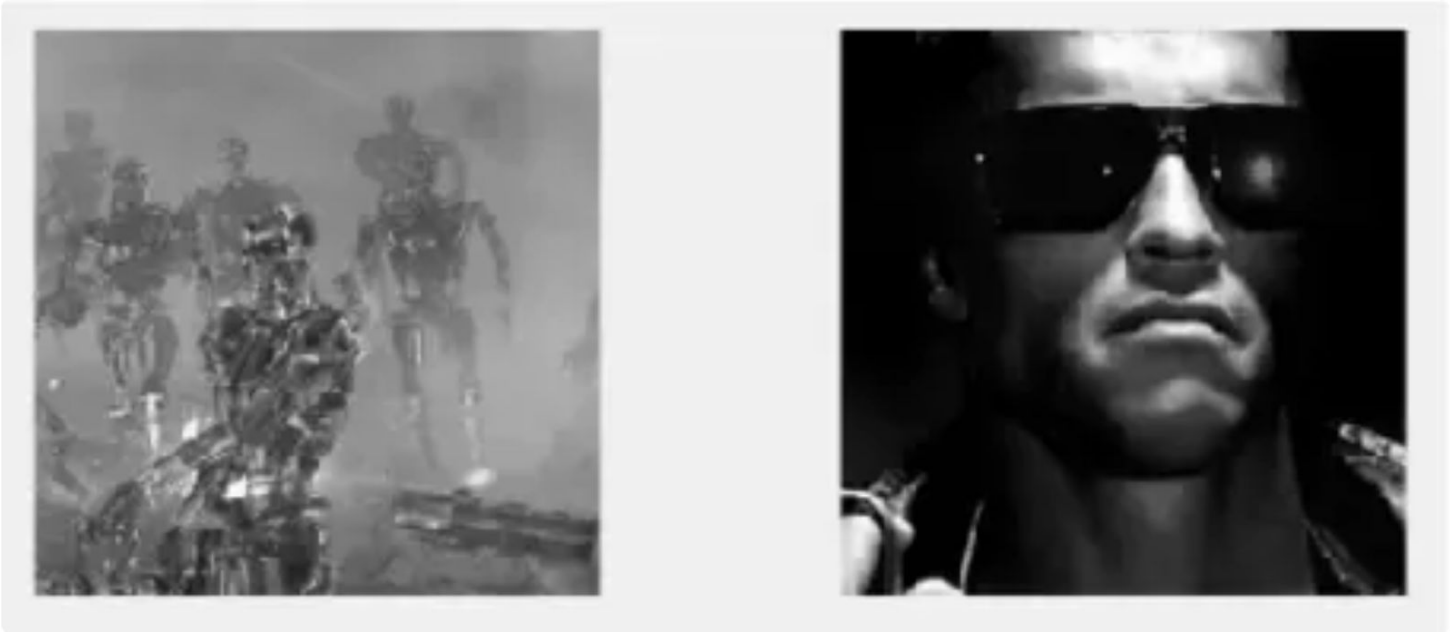
Independent Component Analysis

Independent component analysis

Classic goal: separate the underlying speech signals each corresponding to an individual at a cocktail party

http://tarynwilliford.com/wp-content/uploads/2010/12/RetroCocktailParty.jpg

Independent component analysis: example



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Goal of ICA

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Independent component analysis

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Goal of ICA

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Independent component analysis

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- The **first few components** are most important

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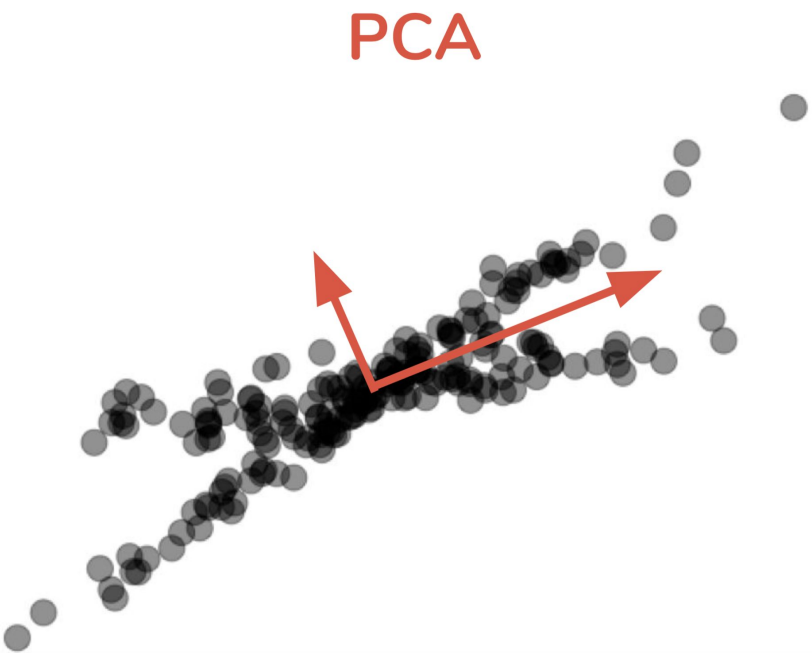
- ICA removes correlations and higher order dependence
- **All components** are equally important

Independent component analysis



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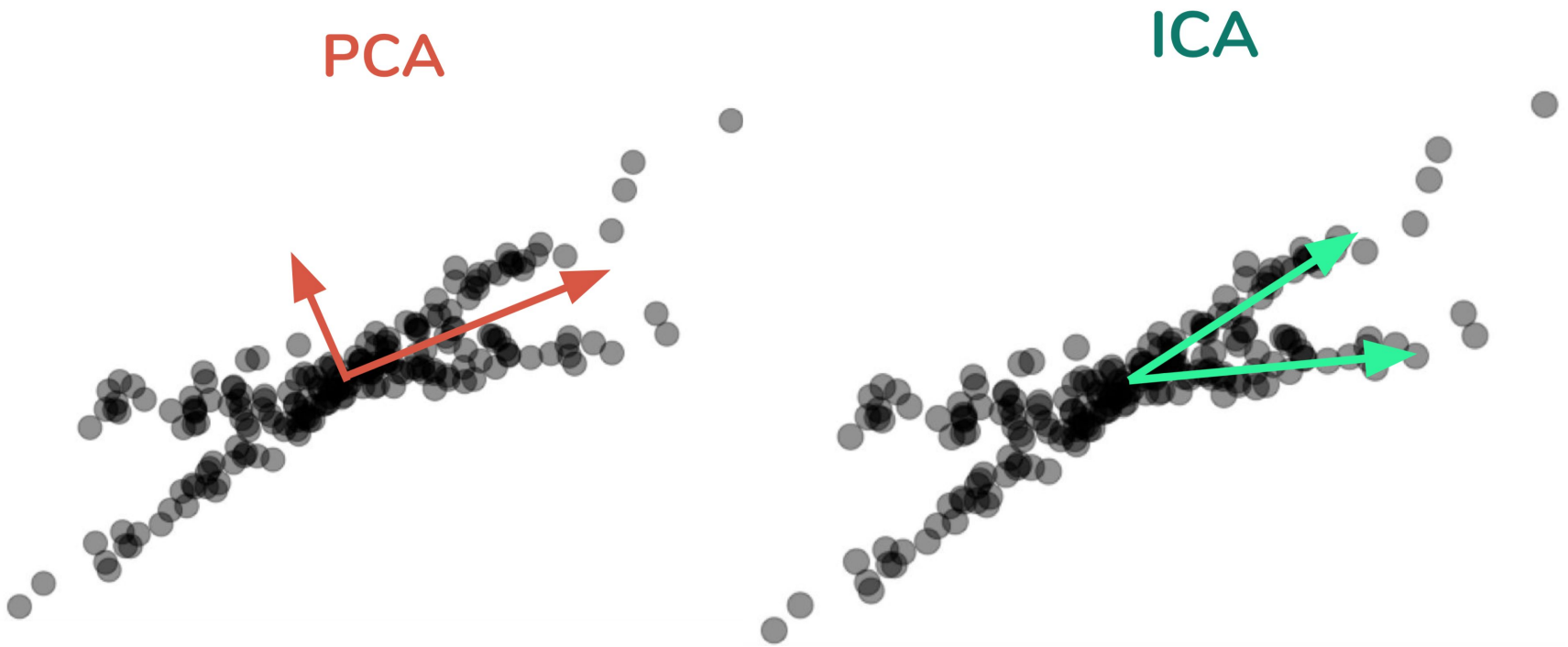

Multidimensional scaling (MDS)

Multidimensional scaling

Suppose you knew the **distances** between all major US cities

Could you figure out the coordinate locations of each city?

Given a distance matrix, MDS tries to recover low-dimensional coordinates such that the distances are preserved

Multidimensional scaling

X	Boston	NYC	DC	Miami	Chicago	Seattle	San.Francisco	Los.Angles	Denver
Boston	0	206	429	1504	963	2976	3095	2979	1949
NYC	206	0	223	1308	802	2815	2934	2786	1771
DC	429	223	0	1075	671	2684	2799	2631	1616
Miami	1504	1308	1075	0	1329	2373	3053	2687	2037
Chicago	963	802	671	1329	0	2013	2142	2054	996
Seattle	2976	2815	2684	2373	2013	0	808	1131	1307
San Francisco	3095	2934	2799	3053	2142	808	0	379	1235
Los Angles	2979	2786	2631	2687	2054	1131	379	0	1059
Denver	1949	1771	1616	2037	996	1307	1235	1059	0

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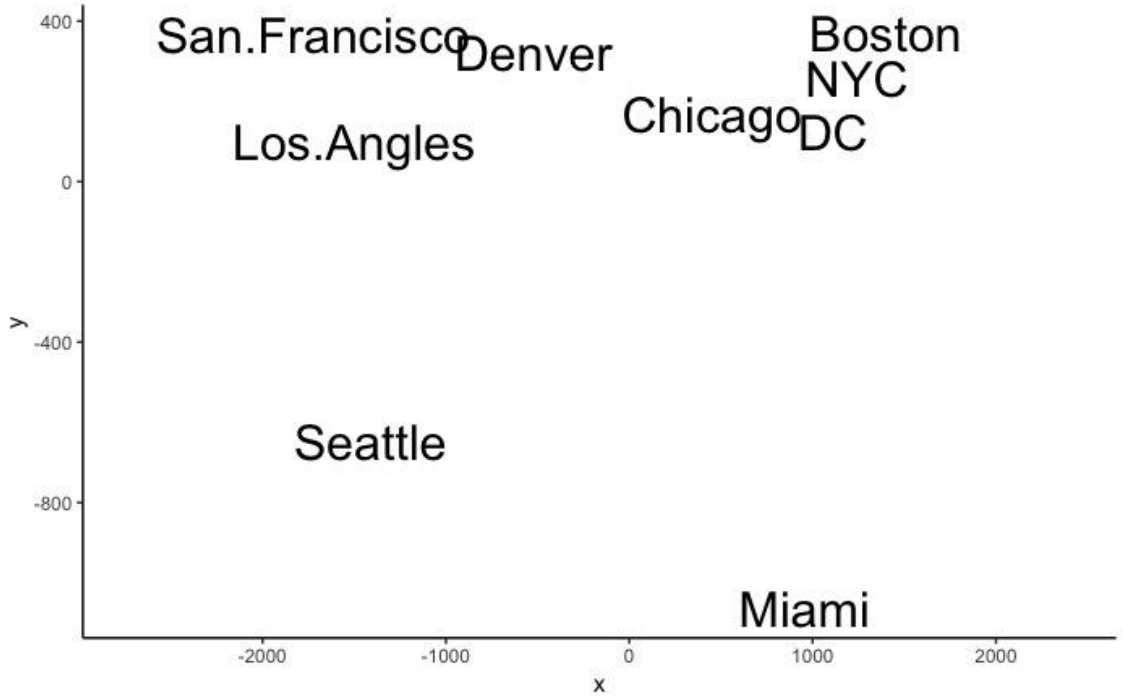

Multidimensional scaling

MDS moves objects around in the space defined (e.g. R^2) and checks how well the distances between the objects can be reproduced by the new configuration.

It wants to minimize goodness-of-fit measure call stress

$$stress = \sqrt{\frac{\sum \left(d_{ij} - \hat{d}_{ij} \right)^2}{\sum d_{ij}^{\,2}}}$$

Multidimensional scaling: algorithm

Double centering means subtracting the mean from each row and column

Steps of a Classical MDS algorithm:

Classical MDS uses the fact that the coordinate matrix can be derived by eigenvalue decomposition from $B = XX'$. And the matrix B can be computed from proximity matrix D by using double centering.[2]

1. Set up the squared proximity matrix $D^{(2)} = [d_{ij}^2]$
2. Apply double centering: $B = -\frac{1}{2} J D^{(2)} J$ using the centering matrix $J = I - \frac{1}{n} 11'$, where n is the number of objects.
3. Determine the m largest eigenvalues $\lambda_1, \lambda_2, \ldots, \lambda_m$ and corresponding eigenvectors $e_1, e_2, \ldots, e_m$ of B (where m is the number of dimensions desired for the output).
4. Now, $X = E_m \Lambda_m^{1/2}$, where E_m is the matrix of m eigenvectors and Λ_m is the diagonal matrix of m eigenvalues of B.

Classical MDS assumes Euclidean distances. So this is not applicable for direct dissimilarity ratings.

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Multidimensional_scaling

Exercise: implement MDS (mds.Rmd)