

# Goodness of fit - $R^2$

$$\hat{y}_i = \hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}x_i$$

$$\rightarrow \sum (y_i - \hat{y}_i + \hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2$$

- Softwares will report a  $R^2$  to you
- What does it mean??
- Gives an idea about what percentage of variability in  $Y$  is explained by the regression equation

- $SST = SSR + SSE$

- $$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{\alpha} - \hat{\beta}x_i)^2$$

To check:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n 2(y_i - \hat{y}_i)(\hat{y}_i - \bar{y}) = 0$$

$\hat{\alpha} + \hat{\beta}x_i$

# Simple Linear Regression - Properties of Estimates of Parameters

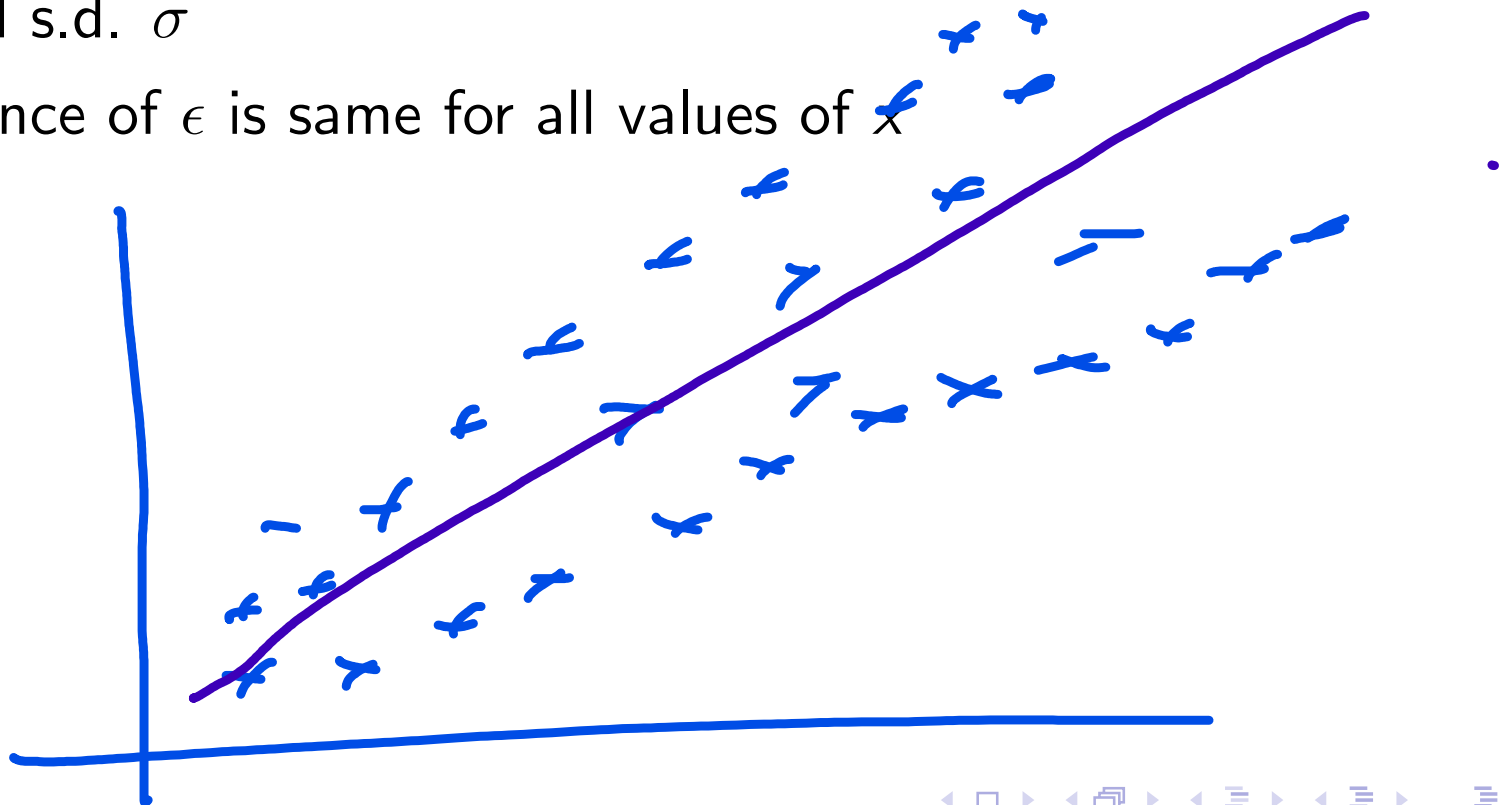
## Simple Linear Regression Model

$$Y = \alpha + \beta X + \epsilon$$

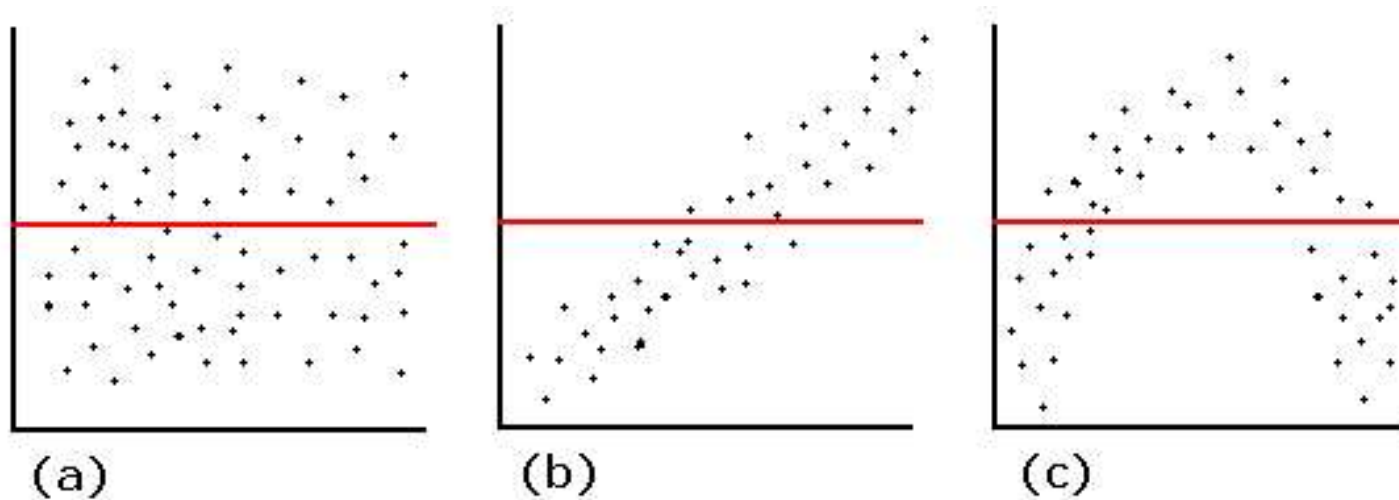
- Sum of residuals is zero
- Residuals are uncorrelated with  $x_i$ 's
- It can also be shown that  $\hat{y}_i$  and  $e_i$  are uncorrelated
- $\sum_{i=1}^n y_i = \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{y}_i$ , since  $y_i = \hat{y}_i + e_i$

# Assumptions of Regression

- $\epsilon$  is a random variable that is normally distributed with mean 0 and s.d.  $\sigma$
- Variance of  $\epsilon$  is same for all values of  $x$



# Examples of Residual Plots



Source - <http://analyticspro.org/2016/03/05/r-tutorial-residual-analysis-for-regression/>

# Multiple Linear Regression

We now have more than 1 independent variables. (say  $k$ )

## Multiple Linear Regression Model

$$Y = \alpha + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_2 + \cdots + \beta_k X_k + \epsilon$$

- Interpretation of  $\beta'$ s??
- How do you obtain  $\alpha$  &  $\beta'$ s??
- Partial Differentiation to obtain  $k + 1$  equations in  $k + 1$  unknowns
- Example

# Some other aspects in Regression

- Adjusted  $R^2$

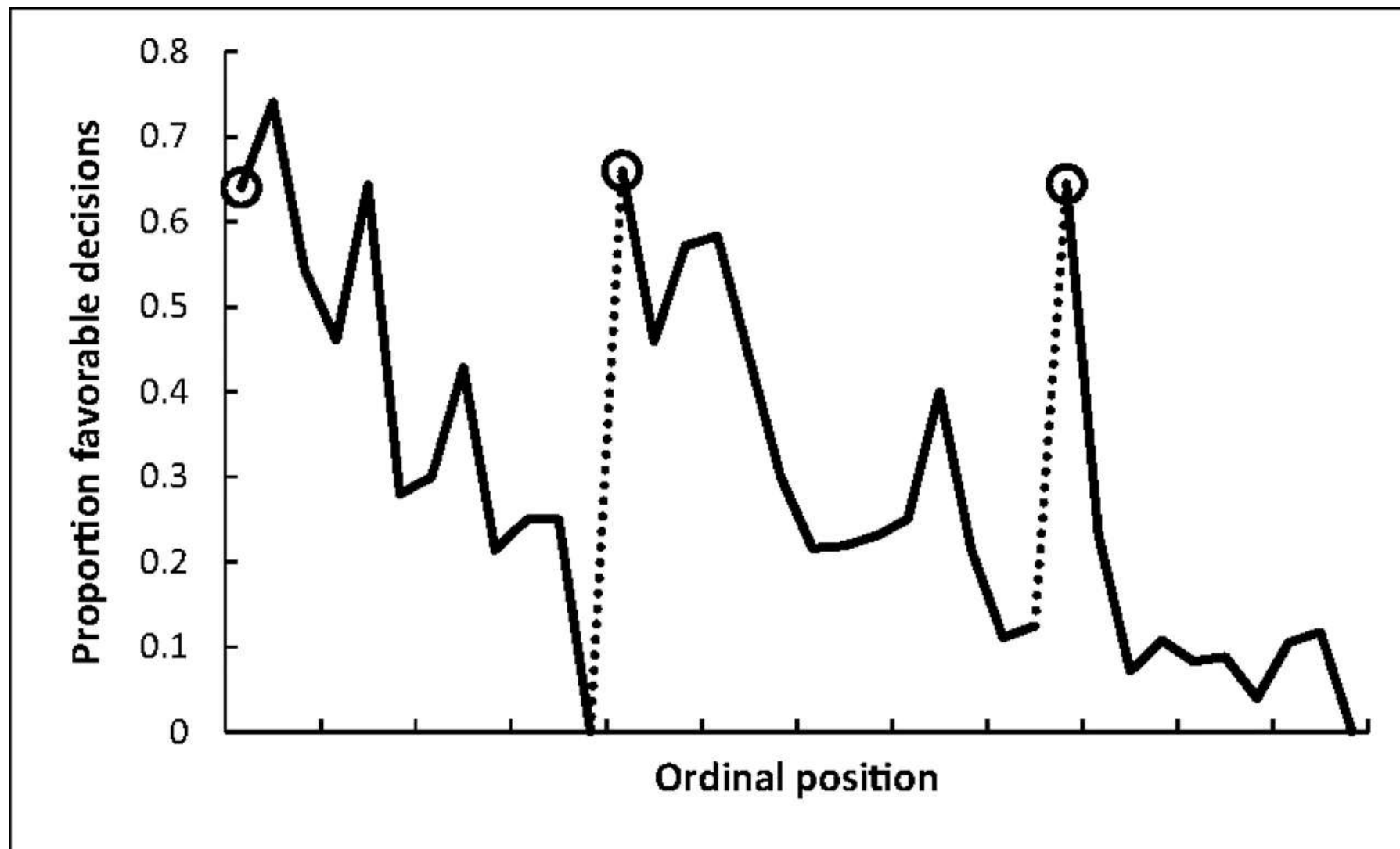
$$R_{adj}^2 = 1 - \left[ \frac{(1 - R^2)(n - 1)}{n - k - 1} \right]$$

- Outliers
- Multi-collinearity

# Example - 1

US Election Result. A model uses 30 measurements of various economic, financial and societal quantities (inflation, GDP, crime rate, etc.) Model correctly predicts the winner of all elections 1928-2020. Can it be used to predict the results for 2024 elections?

## Example - 2



Source - <https://www.pnas.org/doi/full/10.1073/pnas.1110910108/>