

# Estimating the conditional variance by local linear regression

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## Aircraft Data

Calling library `sm`.

```
library(sm)
library(latex2exp)
library(dplyr)
library(KernSmooth)
```

Reading the data and taking logarithms.

```
dt<-aircraft %>%
  select(Yr,Weight) %>%
  mutate(lgWeight=log(Weight)) %>%
  arrange(Yr)
attach(dt)
```

## Estimating the conditional variance

```
locpolreg <- function(x,
                      y,
                      h,
                      q=1,
                      r=0,
                      tg=NULL,
                      type.kernel="normal",
                      nosubplot=FALSE,
                      doing.plot=TRUE, ...){
  if (is.null(tg)){tg<-x}
  aux <- sort(tg,index.return=T)
  sorted.tg <- tg[aux$ix]
  sorted.tg.ix <- aux$ix

  n <- length(x);
  m <- length(tg);
  mtgr <- numeric(m);
  S <- matrix(0,nrow=m,ncol=n)

  for (i in seq(1,m)){
    #estima un kernel normal para cada x
    aux <- kernel((x-tg[i])/h,type=type.kernel);
    #valores positivos
    Ih <- (aux>0);
    #numero de valores positivos (aunque en un kernel normal siempre lo son todos)
    ni <- sum(Ih);
```

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#diferencia entre los
xh <- x[Ih]-tg[i];

Dq <- matrix(1,nrow=ni,ncol=q+1);
if (q>0){for (j in 1:q) Dq[,j+1] <- xh^j}
Wx <- kernel(xh/h,type=type.kernel)/h;
Wm <- Wx%%ones(1,q+1);
Dqq <- Wm*Dq;
Si <- solve(t(Dq)%%Dqq)%%t(Dqq);
beta <- Si%%y[Ih];
#Estimated values of the r-th derivative of the regression function at points in vector tg
mtgr[i] <- factorial(r)*beta[r+1];
#The Ssmoothing matrix
S[i,Ih] <- Si[r+1,]
}

if (doing.plot){
  if (r==0){
    if (nosubplot) par(mfrow=c(1,1))
    plot(x,y,col="grey",...)
    lines(sorted.tg,mtgr[sorted.tg.ix],col=1,lwd=2)
  }
  else{
    par(mfrow=c(2,1))
    aux <- locpolreg(x,y,h,q,0,tg,nosubplot=F,type.kernel,...)
    plot(sorted.tg,mtgr[sorted.tg.ix],type="n",
         xlab="x",ylab="Estimated derivative")
    abline(h=0,col=4)
    lines(sorted.tg,mtgr[sorted.tg.ix],col=1,lwd=2)
  }
}
return(list(mtgr=mtgr,S=S))
}

epan <- function(x){pmax(.75*(x+1)*(1-x))}
kernel <- function(x,type=c("normal","epan","rs.epan","unif")){
  switch(type[1],
    epan = pmax(.75*(x+1)*(1-x),0),
    rs.epan = pmax(.75*(x/sqrt(5)+1)*(1-x/sqrt(5))/sqrt(5),0),
    unif = as.numeric( (abs(x)<=1) )/2,
    dnorm(x))
}
ones <- function(n,m){matrix(1,nrow=n,ncol=m)}

h.cv.gcv <- function(x,y,h.v = exp(seq(log(diff(range(x)))/20,
                                         log(diff(range(x))/4),l=10)),
                    p=1,type.kernel="normal"){
  n <- length(x)
  cv <- h.v*0
  gcv <- h.v*0
  for (i in (1:length(h.v))){

```

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h <- h.v[i]
aux <- locpolreg(x=x,y=y,h=h,p=p,tg=x,
                 type.kernel=type.kernel, doing.plot=FALSE)

S <- aux$S
h.y <- aux$mtgr
hii <- diag(S)
av.hii <- mean(hii)
cv[i] <- sum(((y-h.y)/(1-hii))^2)/n
gcv[i] <- sum(((y-h.y)/(1-av.hii))^2)/n
}
return(list(h.v=h.v,cv=cv,gcv=gcv))
}

out.cv.gcv<-h.cv.gcv(x=Yr,
                     y=lgWeight)

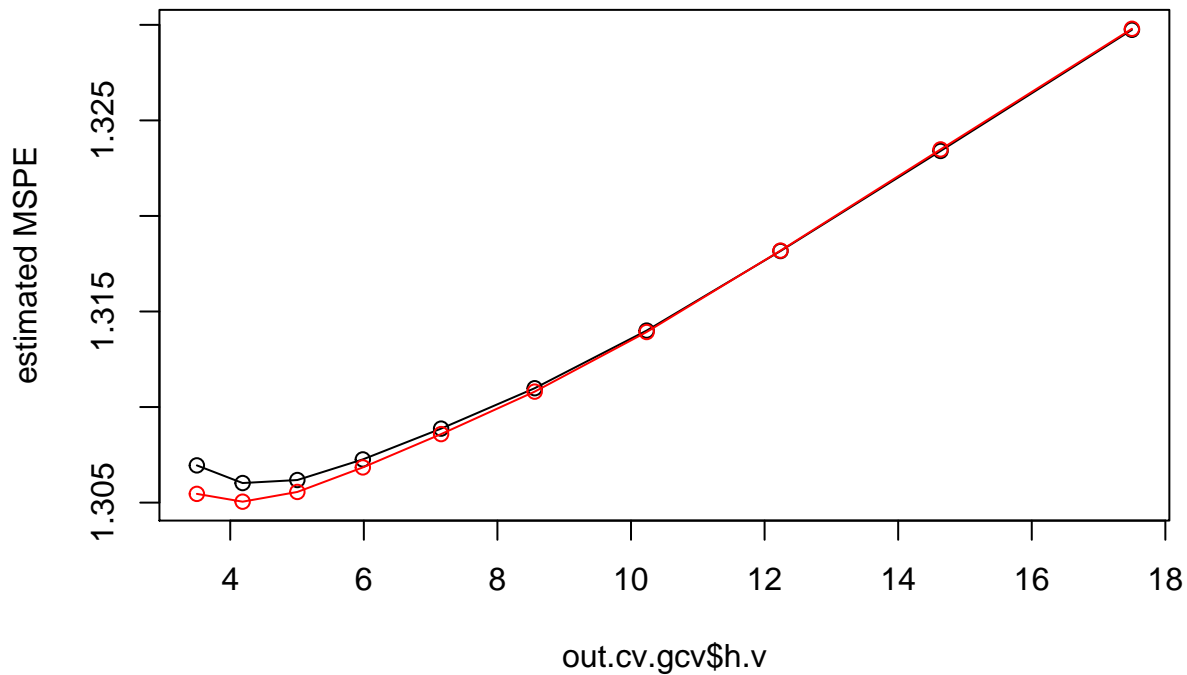
y.max <- max(c(out.cv.gcv$cv,out.cv.gcv$gcv))
y.min <- min(c(out.cv.gcv$cv,out.cv.gcv$gcv))

plot(out.cv.gcv$h.v,out.cv.gcv$cv,ylim=c(y.min,y.max),ylab="estimated MSPE",
     main="Estimated MSPE by cv")
lines(out.cv.gcv$h.v,out.cv.gcv$cv)

points(out.cv.gcv$h.v,out.cv.gcv$gcv,col=2)
lines(out.cv.gcv$h.v,out.cv.gcv$gcv,col=2)

```

### Estimated MSPE by cv



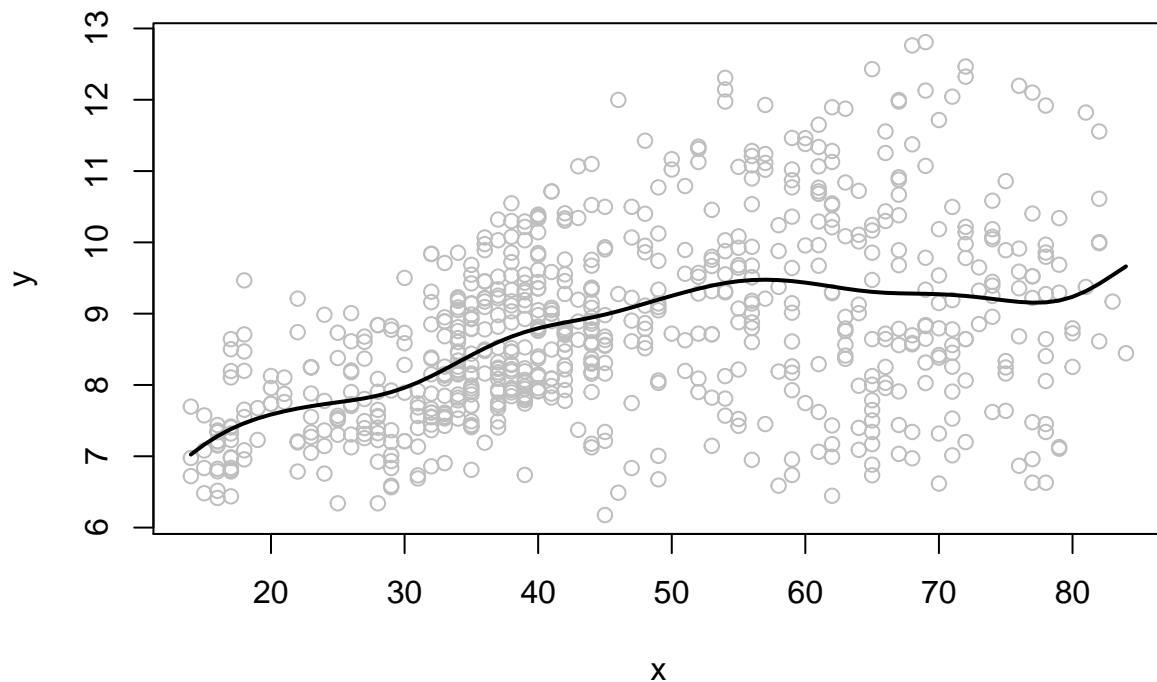
```
opt.h.cv <- out.cv.gcv$h.v[which.min(out.cv.gcv$gcv)]
```

```
print(opt.h.cv)
```

```
## [1] 4.185346
```

1. Fit a nonparametric regression to data  $(x_i, y_i)$  and save the estimated values  $m(x_i)$ . -FIRST TIME-

```
lpr1<-locpolreg(x=Yr,  
               y=lgWeight,  
               opt.h.cv,  
               doing.plot = TRUE)
```

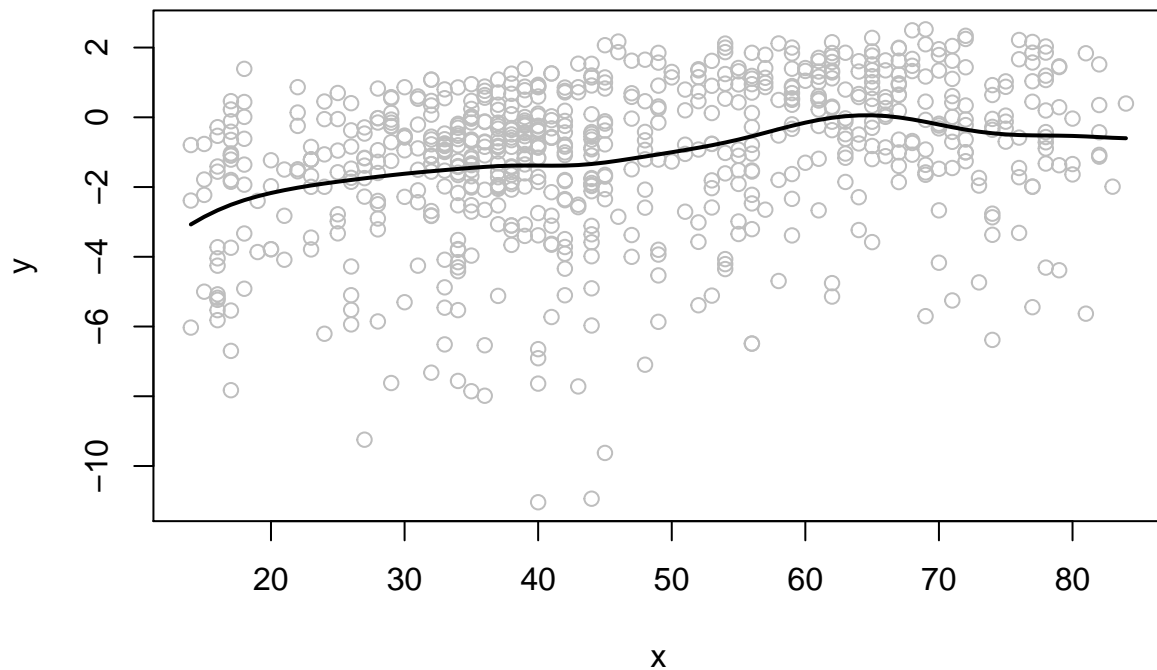


2. Transform the estimated residuals -FIRST TIME-

```
mtgr<-lpr1$mtgr #a mtgr guardem l'estimaci? de la variable y  
resmtgr<-lgWeight-mtgr #residus  
z= log(resmtgr^2) #transformaci? dels residus
```

3. Fit a nonparametric regression to data  $(x_i, z_i)$  and call the estimated function  $q(x)$ . Observe that  $q(x)$  is an estimate of  $\log \text{var}(x)$  -FIRST TIME-

```
lpr3<-locpolreg(x=Yr,  
               y=z,  
               opt.h.cv)
```

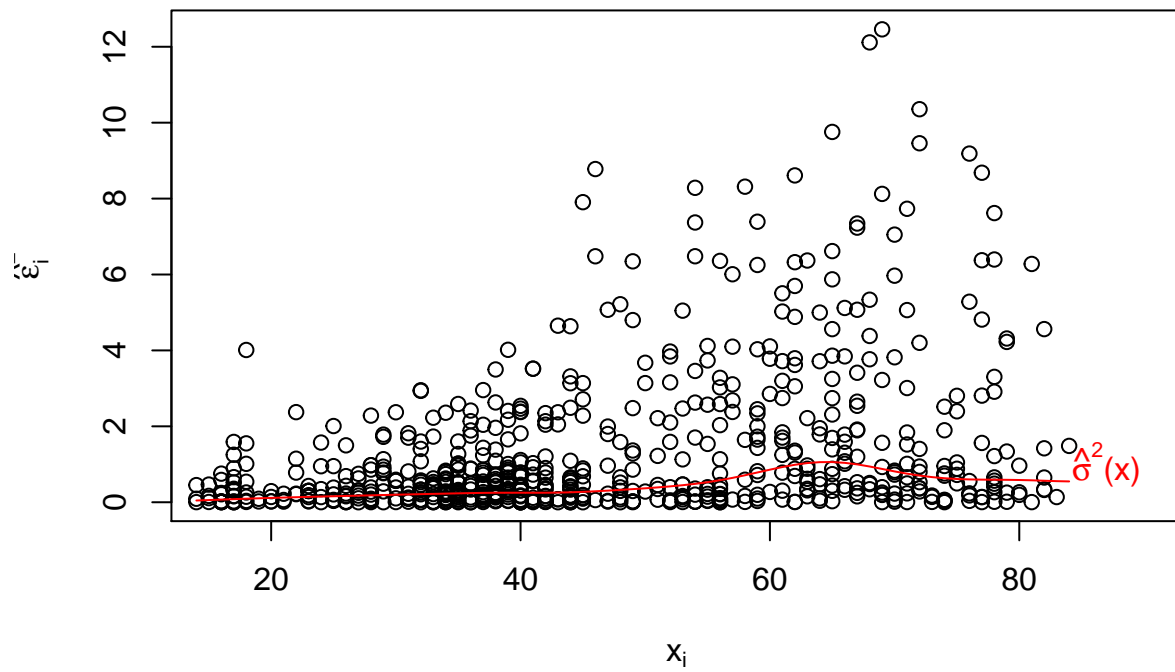


4.Estimate  $\text{var}(x)$  -FIRST TIME-

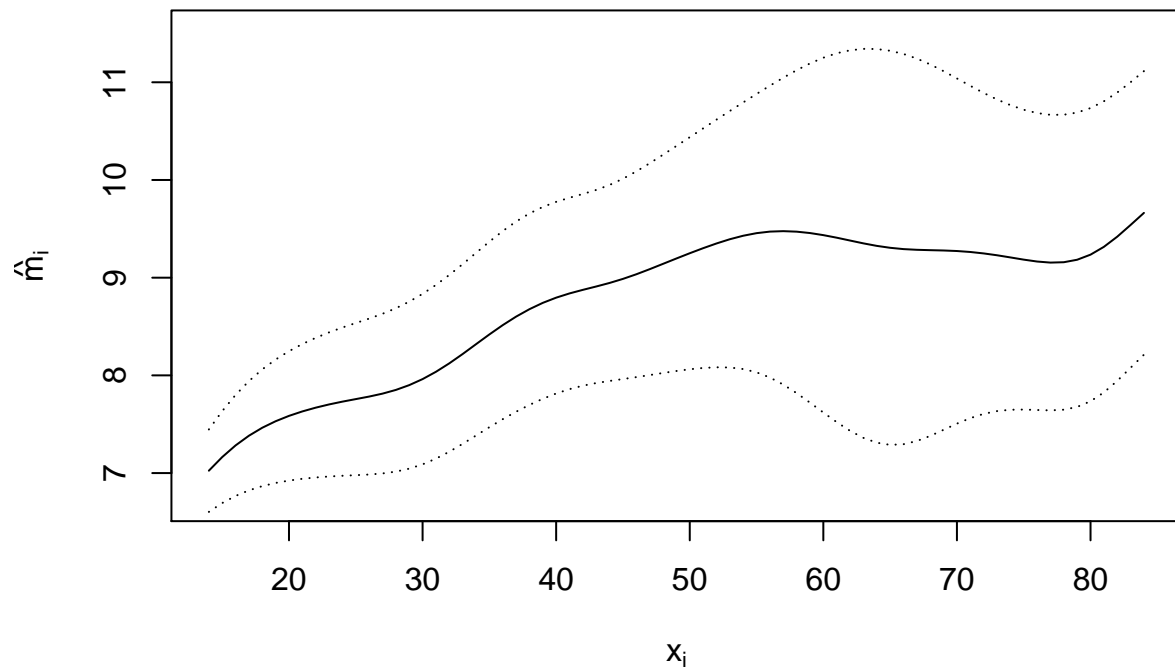
```
Vx<-exp(lpr3$mtgr)
```

Draw a graphic of  $\text{resmtgr}^2$  against  $x_i$  and superimpose the estimated function  $\text{var}(x)$ . Lastly draw the function  $m(x)$  and superimpose the bands  $m(x) \pm 1.96\text{var}(x)$  -FIRST TIME-

```
plot(Yr, (resmtgr*resmtgr),
     ylab=expression(hat(epsilon)[i]^2),
     xlab=expression(x[i]),
     xlim=c(15,90))
lines(Yr,Vx, col='red')
text(87,1,
     expression(paste(hat(sigma)^2, "(x)")),
     col="red")
```



```
plot(Yr, lpr1$mtgr,type="l",
     ylim = c(min(lpr1$mtgr+1.96*sqrt(Vx))*0.9,
               max(lpr1$mtgr+1.96*sqrt(Vx)*1.1)),
     xlab=expression(x[i]),
     ylab=expression(hat(m)[i]))
lines(Yr,lpr1$mtgr+1.96*sqrt(Vx),lty=3)
lines(Yr,lpr1$mtgr-1.96*sqrt(Vx),lty=3)
```

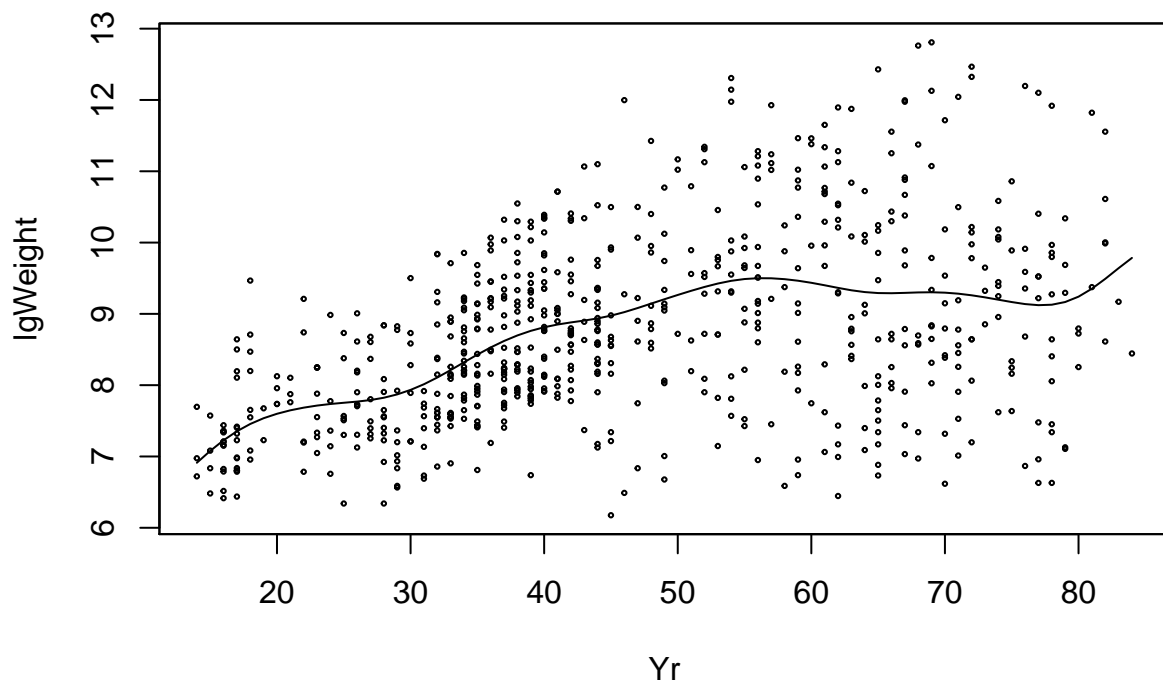


1. Fit a nonparametric regression to data  $(x_i, y_i)$  and save the estimated values  $m(x_i)$ . -SECOND TIME-  
`opt.h.cv<-(h.select(x=Yr, y=lgWeight, method="cv"))`

```
print(dpill(x=Yr,
            y=lgWeight,
            gridsize=101,
            range.x=range(Yr)))
```

```
## [1] 5.433481
```

```
sm.options(eval.points=Yr)
res<-sm.regression(x=Yr,y=lgWeight,h=opt.h.cv)
```



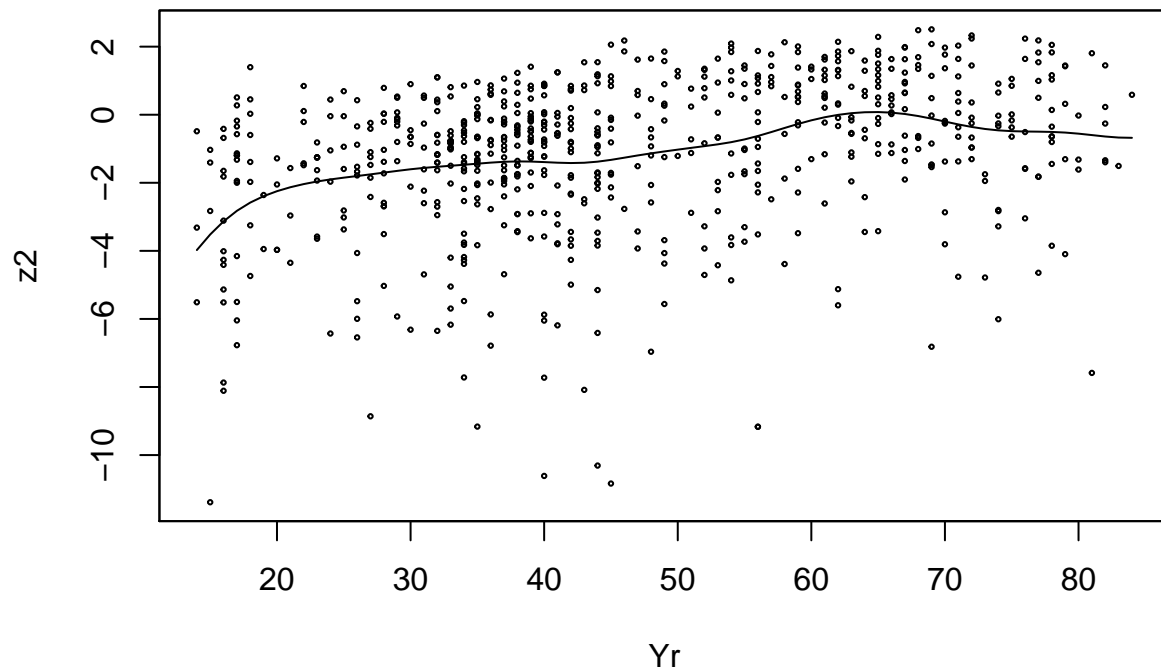
2.Transform the estimated residuals -SECOND TIME-

```
res2<-lgWeight-res$estimate #residus
z2= log(res2^2) #transformació dels residus
```

3.Fit a nonparametric regression to data  $(x_i, z_i)$  and call the estimated function  $q(x)$ . Observe that  $q(x)$  is an estimate of  $\log \text{var}(x)$  -SECOND TIME-

```
sm.options(eval.points=Yr)
res3<-sm.regression(x=Yr,y=z2,h=opt.h.cv)
```



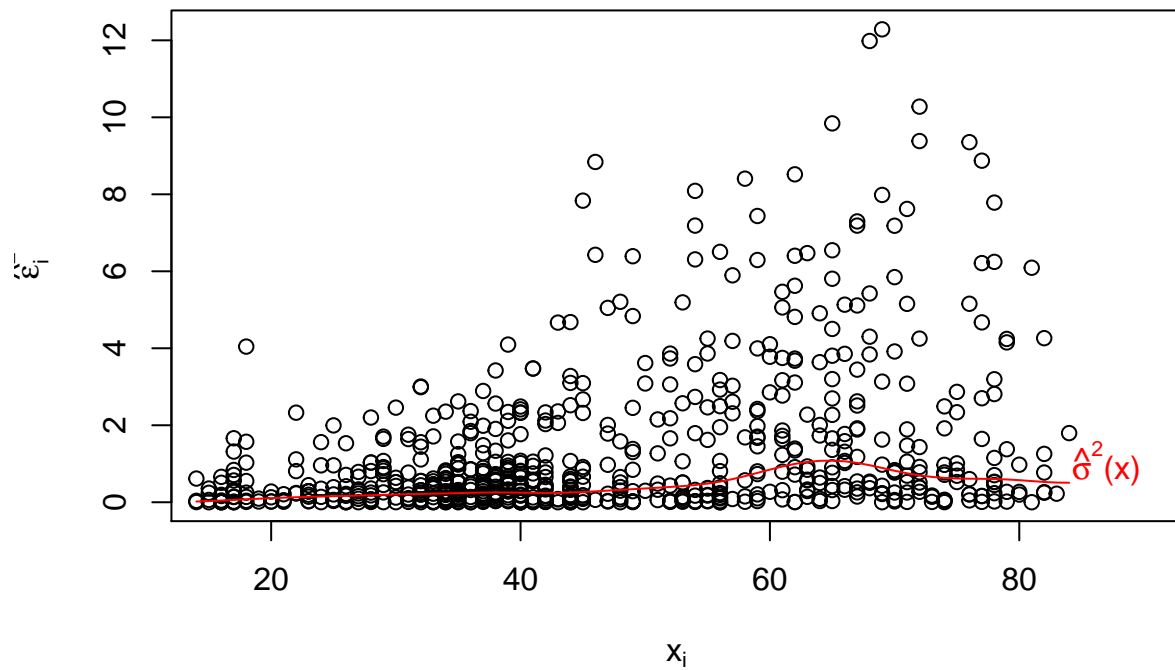


4.Estimate  $\text{var}(x)$  -SECOND TIME-

```
Vx2<-exp(res3$estimate)
```

Draw a graphic of  $\text{resmtgr}^2$  against  $x_i$  and superimpose the estimated function  $\text{var}(x)$ . Lastly draw the function  $m(x)$  and superimpose the bands  $m(x) \pm 1.96\text{var}(x)$  -SECOND TIME-

```
plot(Yr, (res2*res2),
     ylab=expression(hat(epsilon)[i]^2),
     xlab=expression(x[i]),
     xlim=c(15,90))
lines(Yr,Vx2, col='red')
text(87,1,
     expression(paste(hat(sigma)^2, "(x)")),
     col="red")
```



```
plot(Yr, res$estimate, type="l",
     ylim = c(min(res$estimate+1.96*sqrt(Vx2))*0.9,
               max(res$estimate+1.96*sqrt(Vx2)*1.1)),
     xlab=expression(x[i]),
     ylab=expression(hat(m)[i]))
lines(Yr, res$estimate+1.96*sqrt(Vx2), lty=3)
lines(Yr, res$estimate-1.96*sqrt(Vx2), lty=3)
```

