

Topic : LMS and LTS
Estimation

LMS Estimator

Rousseeuw (1984) proposed Least Median of Squares (LMS) regression which minimizes the median of the squared residuals instead of minimizing the sum of the squared residuals by OLS

$$\min_{\beta} \operatorname{median}_i (\varepsilon_i^2)$$

In computational aspects, the LMS estimate would be obtained by evaluating subsets of the data points, where the integer h is defined as

$$h = \left\lceil \frac{n}{2} \right\rceil + \left\lceil \frac{(p+1)}{2} \right\rceil$$

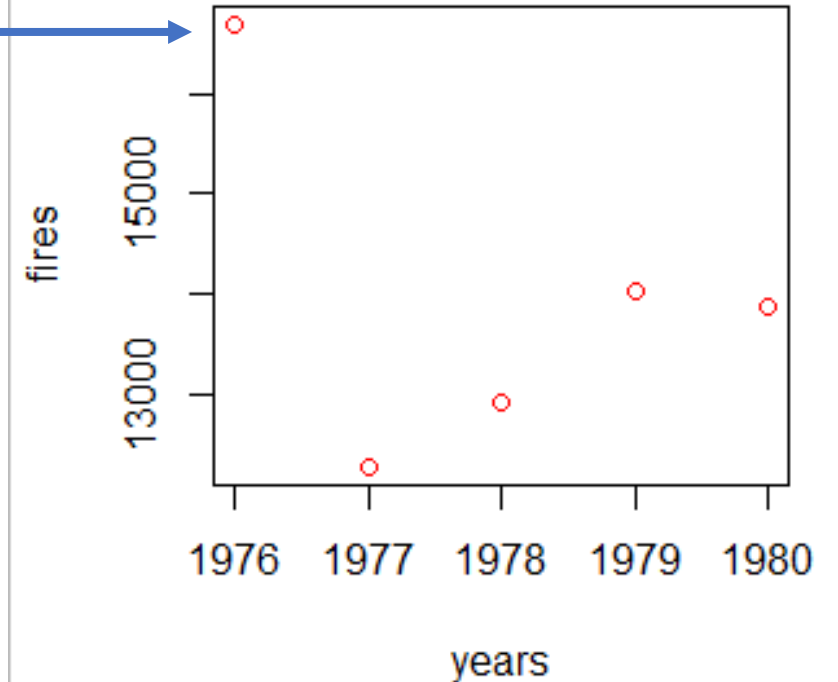
in which n and p denotes the sample size and number of parameters in the model, respectively. The LMS-estimate can be obtained from the subset which provides the smallest median squared residual.

Problem 01.

```
##===== Data=====##  
## Years      Fires  
## 1976      16694  
## 1977      12271  
## 1978      12904  
## 1979      14036  
## 1980      13874
```

Outlier

Plot the Data to check outlier



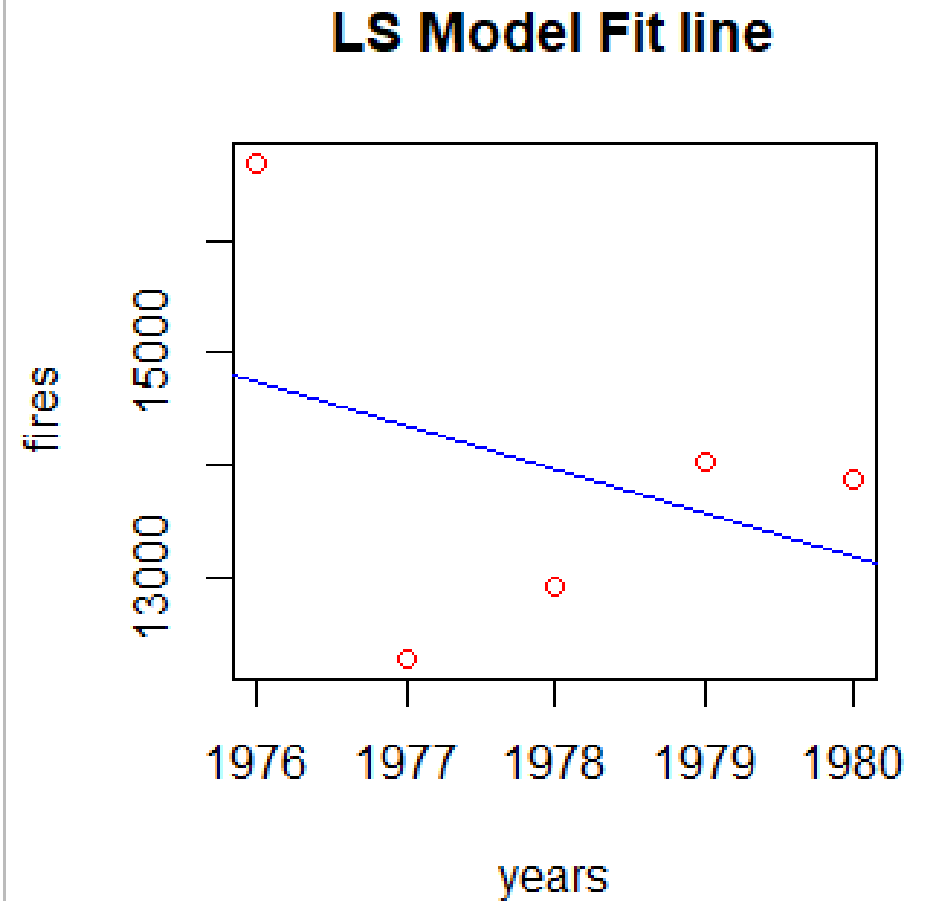
R programming Code :

```
years <- 1976:1980  
fires <- c(16694, 12271, 12904, 14036, 13874)  
plot(years, fires, main="Plot the Data to check outlier", col="red")
```

R programming Code :

```
## First Fit LS model
```

```
plot(years, fires, main="LS Model Fit  
line", col = "red")  
abline( lm ( fires ~ years ), col= 4)
```



Coefficients:
(Intercept) years
780430.8 -387.5

Divided the data sub group (h)

R programming Code :

n=5

p=1

$h = ((n/2)+(p+1)/2) = 3$ # of obs. Each group

Formula

$$h = \left[\frac{n}{2} \right] + \left[\frac{(p+1)}{2} \right]$$

Possible group

$${}^5C_3 = 10$$

R programming Code :

Create a function to collect median square of errors

```
med.er.sq <- function( x, y){  
  new <- data.frame(y, x)  
  model <- lm(y ~ x)  
  errors <- y - predict(model, new)  
  med.er.sqr <- median(errors^2)  
  return (med.er.sqr)  
}
```



Function

R programming Code :

Corresponding Median of errors

```
## medain Erros Squire calculation
```

```
e1 <- med.er.sq(years[c(1,2,3)], fires[c(1,2,3)]) ## 1.line
```

```
e2 <- med.er.sq(years[c(1,2,4)], fires[c(1,2,4)]) ## 2.line
```

```
e3 <- med.er.sq(years[c(1,2,5)], fires[c(1,2,5)]) ## 3.line
```

```
e4 <- med.er.sq(years[c(1,3,4)], fires[c(1,3,4)]) ## 4.line
```

```
e5 <- med.er.sq(years[c(1,3,5)], fires[c(1,3,5)]) ## 5.line
```

```
e6 <- med.er.sq(years[c(1,4,5)], fires[c(1,4,5)]) ## 6.line
```

```
e7 <- med.er.sq(years[c(2,3,4)], fires[c(2,3,4)]) ## 7.line
```

```
e8 <- med.er.sq(years[c(2,3,5)], fires[c(2,3,5)]) ## 8.line
```

```
e9 <- med.er.sq(years[c(2,4,5)], fires[c(2,4,5)]) ## 9.line
```

```
e10 <- med.er.sq(years[c(3,4,5)], fires[c(3,4,5)]) ##10.lines
```

710087.1111

574455.7194

327184.0000

186994.4694

629377.7778

6978.6746

6916.6944

447.0204

22264.9031

46512.1111

```
## Find least median squire of errors
```

```
e <-c(e1, e2, e3, e4, e5, e6, e7, e8, e9, e10)
```

```
summary(e)
```

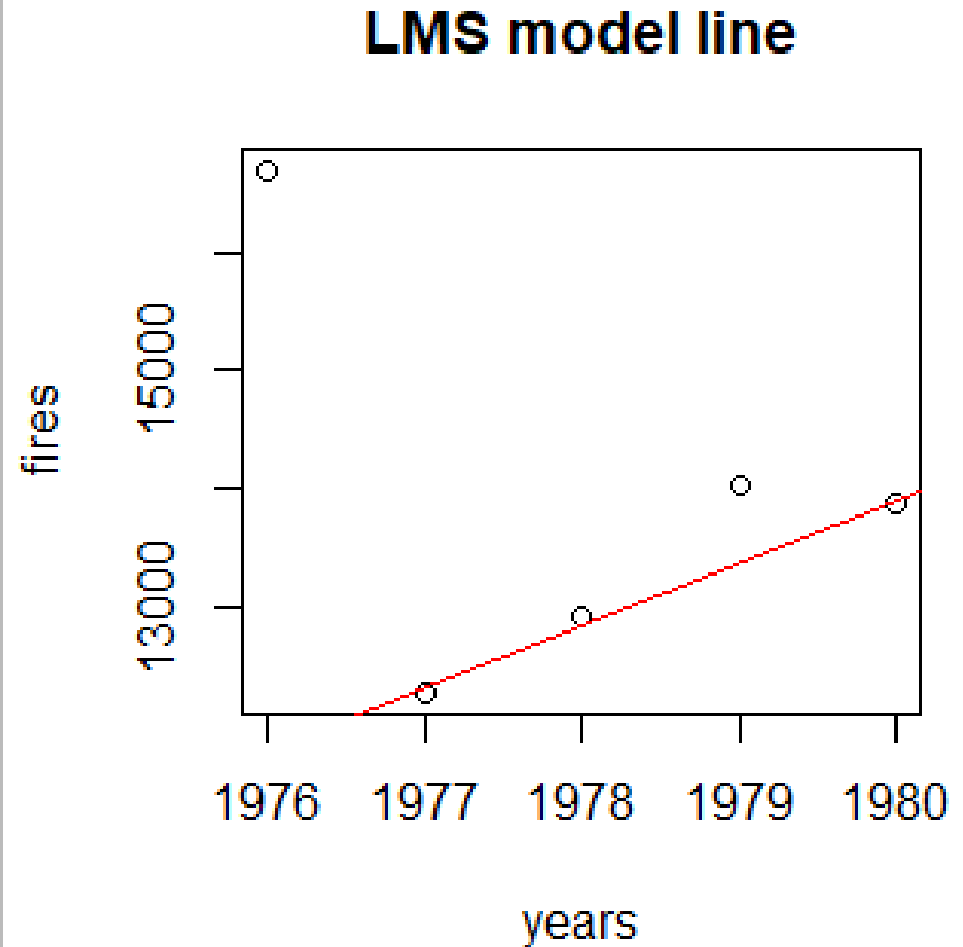
Min.	1st Qu.	Median	Mean	3rd Qu.	Max.
447	10800	116753	251122	512638	710087

R programming Code :

```
## Fitted LMS model  
x <- years[c(2,3,5)]  
y <- fires[c(2,3,5)]  
lms.model <- lm(y ~ x)  
lms.model
```

```
## Graph of LMS
```

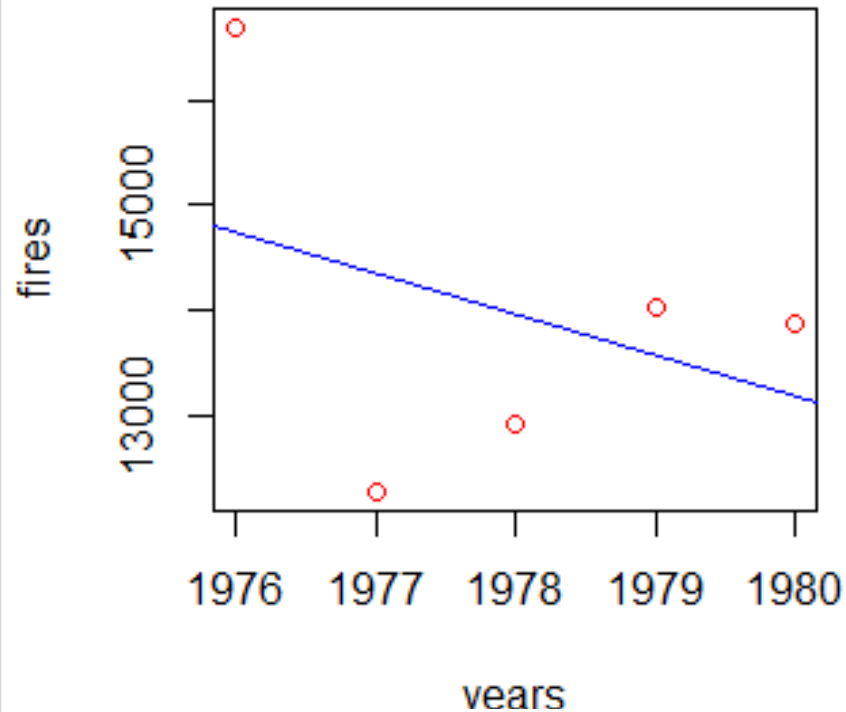
```
plot(years, fires, main= "LMS model line")  
abline(lms.model, col= "red")
```



Coefficients:
(Intercept) x
-1030130.6 527.3

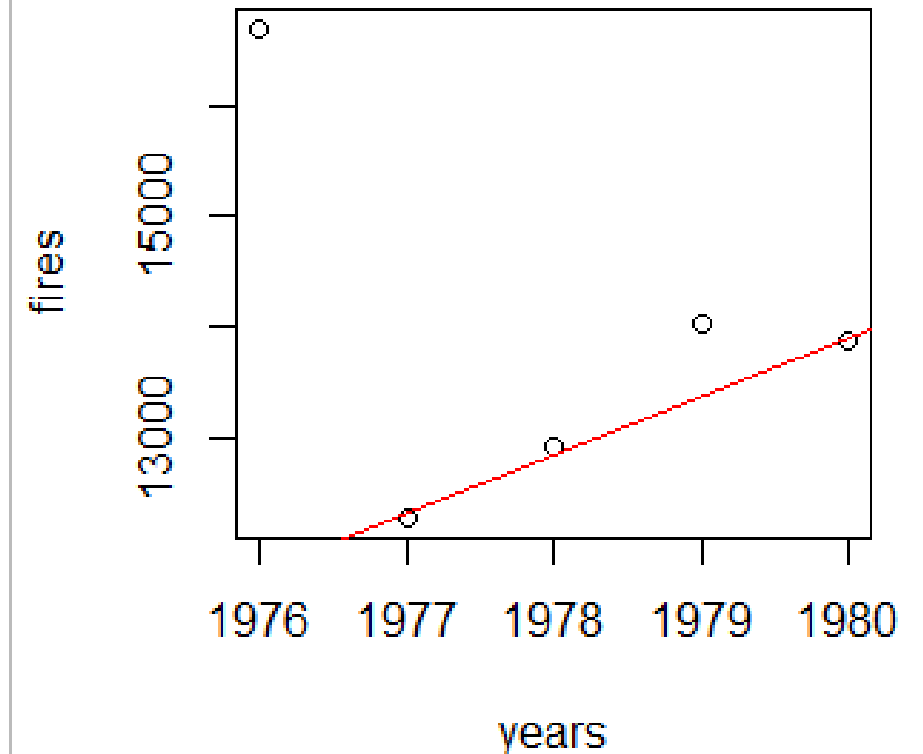
Comparison between LS and LMS

LS Model Fit line



Coefficients:
(Intercept) years
780430.8 -387.5

LMS model line



Coefficients:
(Intercept) x
-1030130.6 527.3

LTS- Estimator

First fit the LS model from the given data then,

Let $\varepsilon_{(1):n}^2 \leq \varepsilon_{(2):n}^2 \leq \dots \leq \varepsilon_{(n):n}^2$ be the ordered squared residuals.

Thus, the objective function of the LTS estimator is given by

$$\min_{\beta} \sum_{i=1}^h \varepsilon_{(i):n}^2$$

Where $h = [(1 - \alpha)n] + [(p + 1) / 2]$

α is the percentage level of trimming.

LTS is the special case of LMS when $\alpha = 50\%$

U.S Air Force Data

Satellite cost vs weight

R programming Code :

```
## U.S Air Force Data
```

```
## Cost and Weight
```

```
cost <- c(2449, 2248, 3545, 789, 1619, 2079, 918, 1231, 3641, 4314, 2628, 3989,  
2308, 376, 5428, 2786, 2497, 5551, 5208, 5438)
```

```
weight <-c(90, 87, 38, 28, 28, 23, 21, 17, 27, 39, 34, 46, 80, 14, 48, 38, 73, 40, 44,  
41)
```

R programming Code :

Graph

```
plot(weight, cost, main = "U.S Air Force Data ")  
abline(lm(cost~weight), col = "red") ## SL fit line
```

create a data frame

```
myData <- data.frame(cost,weight)
```

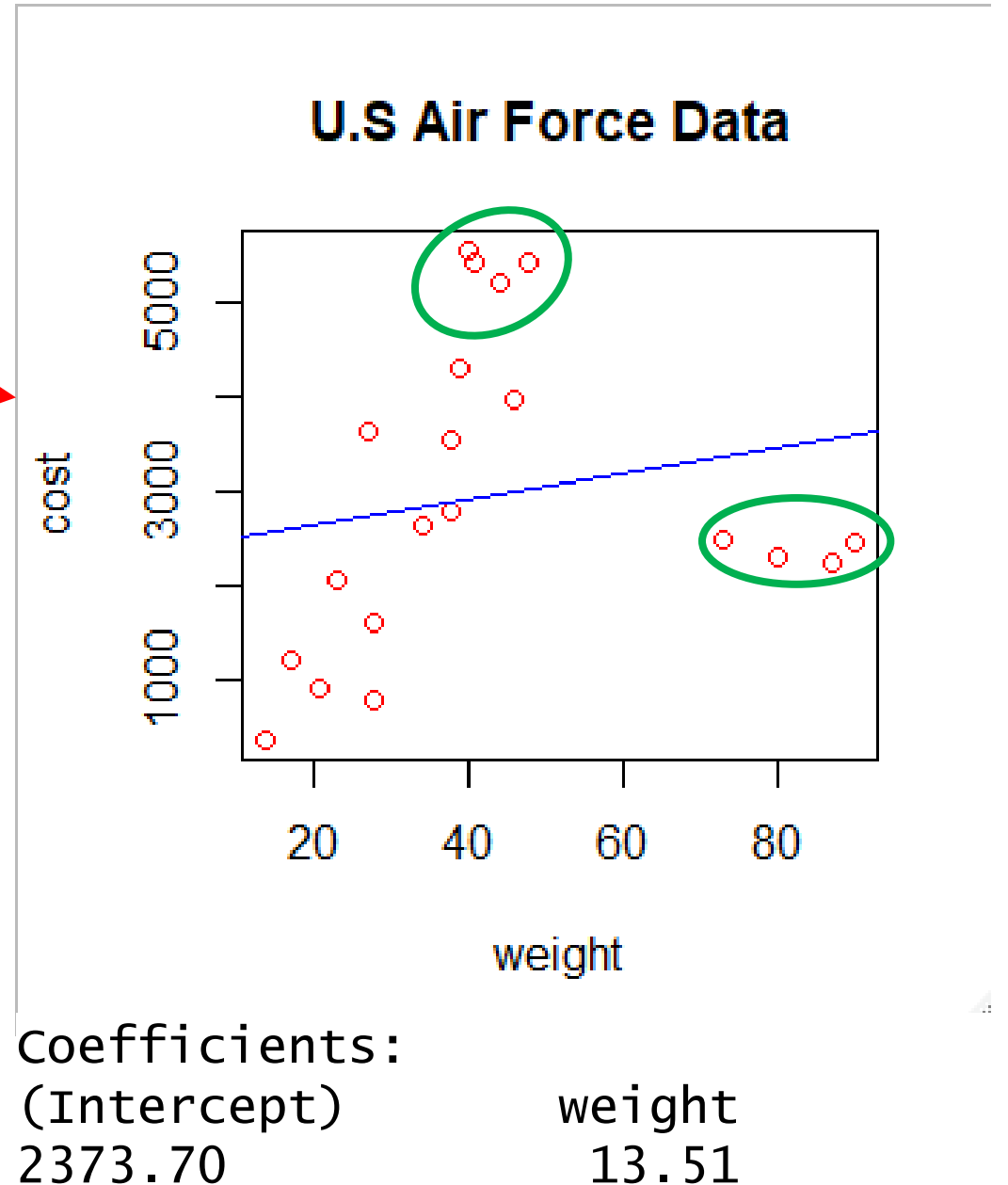
LS model Fit And Take Residuals

```
LS <- lm(cost ~ weight, data= myData)
```

```
errors <- LS$residuals
```

```
myData$residual <- errors
```

```
sort(errors)
```



R programming Code :

```
sort(errors)
```

```
-2186.8992 -1963.0940 -1739.4966 -1372.4410 -1301.4151 -1146.8177 -1140.9569 -1133.0940  
-863.2203 -605.5245 -205.1775 -101.2332 657.7668 902.4199 993.6555 1413.2529  
2239.6833 2405.6276 2510.2250 2636.7390
```

```
## Graph of Residual  
plot(weight, errors, main = "Residual plot")
```

```
## trimmed the data
```

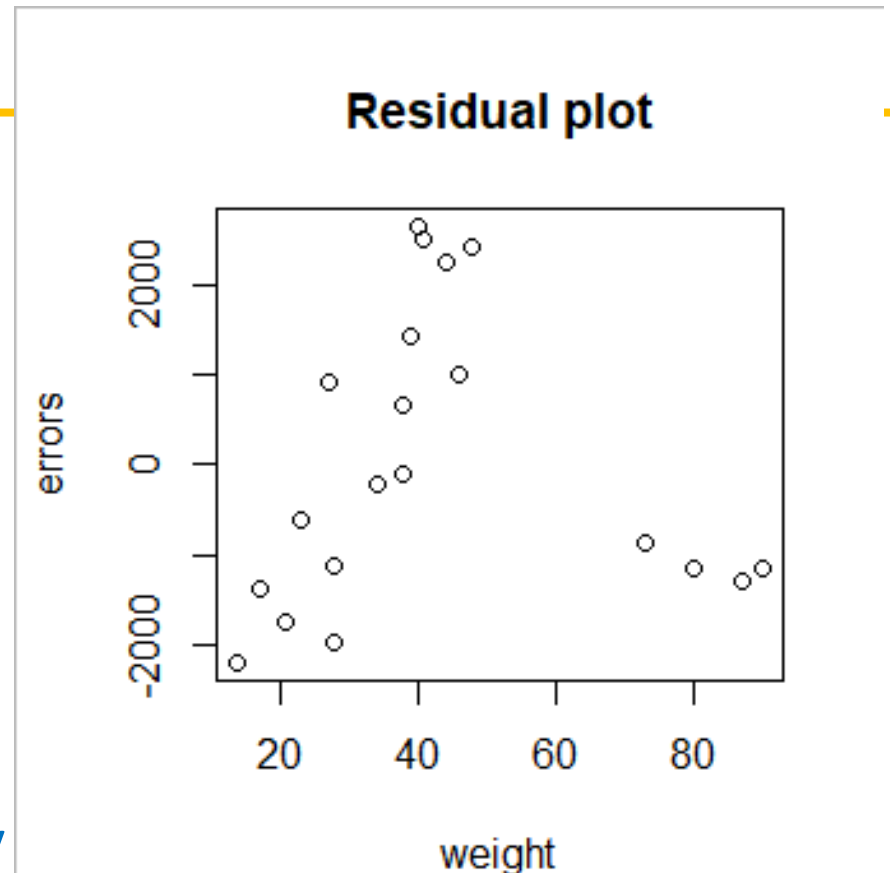
```
n = 20
```

```
p = 1
```

```
alpha = .20    ## 20% data trimmed
```

```
h = ((1-alpha)*n)+((p+1)/2)
```

```
h= 17 ## 3 large residual omit from data respectively
```



R programming Code :

```
## trim data collection
```

```
t1.data <- myData[myData$residual < 2405, ]
```

```
t1.data
```

```
## model fit with trim data
```

```
LTS_model_1 <- lm(cost ~ weight, data = t1.data)
```

	cost	weight	residual
1	2449	90	-1140.9569
2	2248	87	-1301.4151
3	3545	38	657.7668
4	789	28	-1963.0940
5	1619	28	-1133.0940
6	2079	23	-605.5245
7	918	21	-1739.4966
8	1231	17	-1372.4410
9	3641	27	902.4199
10	4314	39	1413.2529
11	2628	34	-205.1775
12	3989	46	993.6555
13	2308	80	-1146.8177
14	376	14	-2186.8992
16	2786	38	-101.2332
17	2497	73	-863.2203
19	5208	44	2239.6833

2405.6276 2510.2250 2636.7390

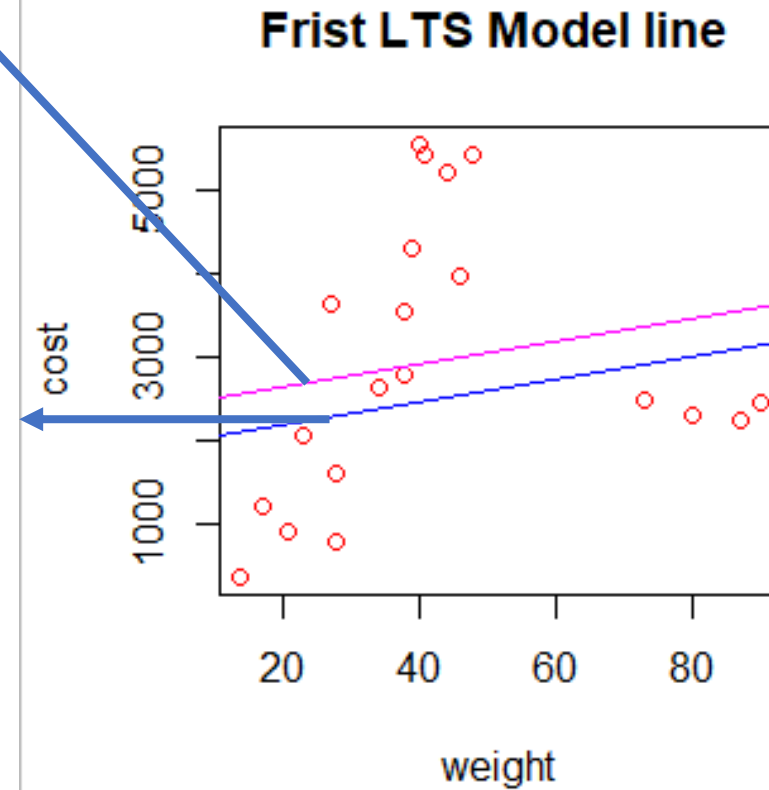
R programming Code :

```
## See the model coefficient  
LTS_model_1  
##Graph  
plot(weight, cost, main = "Frist LTS MOdel line ",  
      col = "red")  
abline(LTS_model_1, col = 4)  
abline(lm(cost~weight), col = 6)
```

Coefficients:
(Intercept) weight
2373.70 13.51

LS

LTS
1



Coefficients:
(Intercept) weight
1933.30 13.42

R programming Code :

```
## again check residual omit h obs.  
t1.data$residual <- LTS_model_1$residuals  
n=17  
alpha = .2  
p=1  
h = ((1-alpha)*n)+((p+1)/2) ## h =14.6 close to 15  
  
# sort Residuals  
sort(t1.data$residual) ## sort residuals and omit 2  
large residuals.
```

```
[1] -1745.2287 -1520.1583 -1297.1935 -930.4993 -853.1473 -699.1825 -692.4179 -690.1583  
[9] -416.2177 -163.0406 238.3005 342.6063 1101.6063 1345.2653 1438.2180 1857.1827  
[17] 2684.0650
```

```
## trim two data  
t2.data <- t1.data[t1.data$residual < 1857, ]
```

R programming Code :

```
LTS_model_2 <- lm(cost ~ weight, data = t2.data )  
## LTS 2 model
```

```
## trimmed three data  
t3.data <- t2.data[t2.data$residual < 1655, ]  
LTS_model_3 <- lm(cost ~ weight, data = t3.data )  
## LTS 3 model  
t3.data$residual <- LTS_model_3$residuals  
sort(t3.data$residual)
```

```
## trimmed four data  
t4.data <- t3.data[t3.data$residual < 1406, ]  
LTS_model_4 <- lm(cost ~ weight, data = t4.data )  
## LTS 4 model  
t4.data$residual <- LTS_model_4$residuals  
sort(t4.data$residual)
```

Coefficients:	
(Intercept)	weight
1610.81	13.88

Coefficients:	
(Intercept)	weight
1235.46	16.48

Coefficients:	
(Intercept)	weight
1043.88	17.64

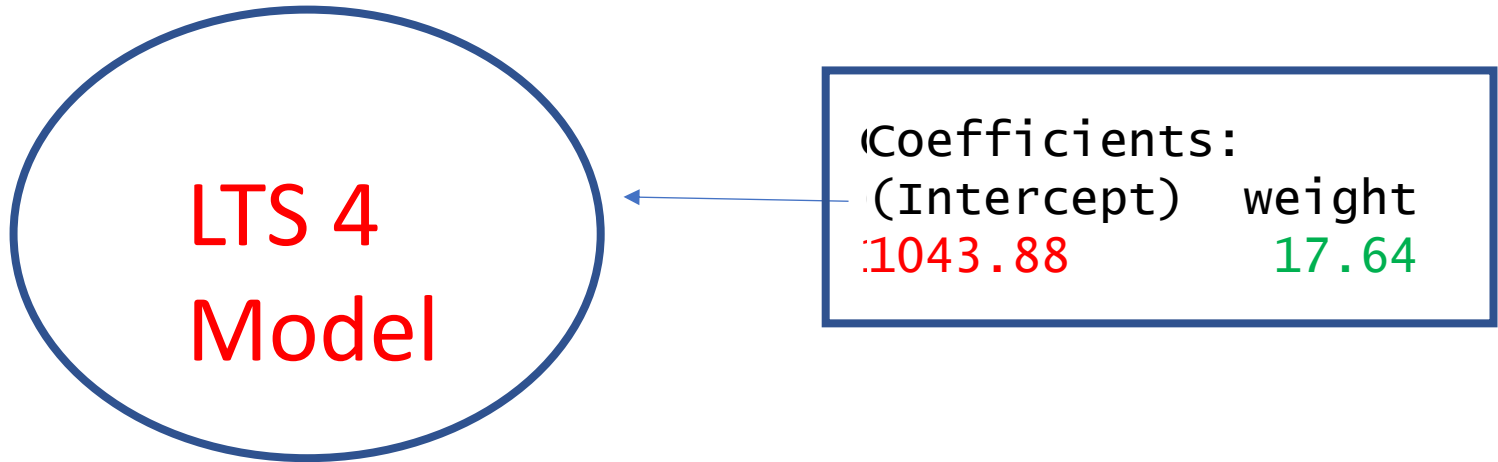
R programming Code :

```
## trim five data  
t5.data <- t4.data[t4.data$residual < 1071.84893, ]  
LTS_model_5 <- lm(cost ~ weight, data = t5.data )  
## LTS 5 model
```

Coefficients:
(Intercept) weight
1043.88 17.64

LTS 4
Model

Coefficients:
(Intercept) weight
1043.88 17.64

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R programming Code :

```
## all model graph  
plot(weight, cost, main = "All  
Model graph ")  
abline(lm(cost~weight))  
abline(LTS_model_1, col= 2)  
abline(LTS_model_2, col= 3)  
abline(LTS_model_3, col= 4)  
abline(LTS_model_4, col= 5)  
abline(LTS_model_5, col= 6)
```

Final LTS estimated is

Coefficients:	
(Intercept)	weight
1043.88	17.64

