SI 618 Final Report (Part B)

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Motivation

My report tries to answer a research question about online recipes — "Is there really a

relationship amongst the nutrients of these recipes?" We have millions of recipes available

readily over the internet but do not understand the underlying relationships amongst their

nutrients since such information is not instantly available with the recipes. My report focuses on

such relationships to understand the "science" behind the nutrition of these recipes by answering

four critical questions:

1. What is the probability value of a possible linear regression amongst the nutrients?

2. Can we accept/reject the null hypothesis of a one-sided test at some level of significance?

3. Is there any correlation observed while applying a linear model to the nutritional data?

4. What are the findings about the relationships from the estimated linear equations?

Data Sources

I used two sources of data for my analysis so that it could be double-checked with data from two

disparate sources for the purpose of verification.

Dataset 1: Epicurious Website

"Epicurious" is an online food resource providing millions of users with over 33,000 recipes,

menus, ingredients, food preparation tips and expert advice. I am focusing only on the highest

rated recipes related to lunch for my analysis.

URL: http://www.epicurious.com/search/?meal=lunch&sort=highestRated&content=recipe

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Data Format: HTML (parsed using BeautifulSoup in Python)

Important Variables and Their Types:

Recipe: This variable indicates the name of the recipe scraped from "Epicurious". It is a string.

Source: This variable indicates the source of the recipe. It is a string.

Calories: This variable indicates the total calories present in the recipe. It is a floating-point

value and is measured in the unit of "cal".

Protein: This variable indicates the amount of protein present in the recipe. It is a floating-point

value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Carbohydrates: This variable indicates the amount of carbohydrates present in the recipe. It is a

floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Fat: This variable indicates the total fat present in the recipe. It is a floating-point value and is

measured in the unit of "grams".

Saturated Fat: This variable indicates the amount of saturated fat present in the recipe. It is a

floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Cholesterol: This variable indicates the amount of cholesterol present in the recipe. It is a

floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "milligrams".

Fiber: This variable indicates the amount of fiber present in the recipe. It is a floating-point

value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Sodium: This variable indicates the amount of sodium present in the recipe. It is a floating-point

value and is measured in the unit of "milligrams".

Number of recipes obtained from Epicurious = 1,827

These recipes have been published on the internet from over a decade ago.

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Dataset 2: Spoonacular API

The Spoonacular API contains recipe related information for over 365,000 recipes and 86,000

food products, including price and nutrition related data for each recipe. I am extracting one

recipe from Spoonacular per recipe of Epcurious based on the condition of the maximum

commonality of ingredients between each pair of recipe from both the sources.

URL: https://market.mashape.com/spoonacular/recipe-food-nutrition

Data Format: JSON (using Python)

Important Variables and Their Types:

Recipe: This variable indicates the name of the recipe obtained from "Spoonacular API". It is a

string.

Source: This variable indicates the source of the recipe. It is a string.

Calories: This variable indicates the total calories present in the recipe. It is a floating-point

value and is measured in the unit of "cal".

Protein: This variable indicates the amount of protein present in the recipe. It is a floating-point

value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Carbohydrates: This variable indicates the amount of carbohydrates present in the recipe. It is a

floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Fat: This variable indicates the total fat present in the recipe. It is a floating-point value and is

measured in the unit of "grams".

Saturated Fat: This variable indicates the amount of saturated fat present in the recipe. It is a

floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Cholesterol: This variable indicates the amount of cholesterol present in the recipe. It is a

floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "milligrams".

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Fiber: This variable indicates the amount of fiber present in the recipe. It is a floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "grams".

Sodium: This variable indicates the amount of sodium present in the recipe. It is a floating-point value and is measured in the unit of "milligrams".

Number of recipes obtained from Spoonacular = 1,827

These recipes have been published on the internet from over a decade ago.

Method (used for each of the four questions)

I scraped the data from the Epicurious website using BeautifulSoup in Python, extracting the name of the recipe, ingredients and nutritional information from the webpage. While extracting the data, I removed the special characters (mainly # and ,) from the recipe names and ignored those recipes that had no nutritional information. There were around 2,400 recipes out of which 1,827 had their nutritional information available. The nutrients had their units associated with them and daily recommended values (%) that I had to split from the actual integer value (Protein 40 g (80% DV)). I stored these 1,827 recipes in a local cache called "epicurious-cache.txt" as a list of tuples of the form [(recipe-name-n, [(nutrient-1, value-1), ..., (nutrient-n, value-n)], [ingredient-1, ..., ingredient-n]),...]. I then used the Spoonacular API and passed these values into the API using HTTP GET requests with the help of the requests module in Python. The Spoonacular API took the following parameters as input —

X-Mashape-Key: This is the client token used for authentication with the web server.

Accept: This specifies the format in which to retrieve the data from the web server (i.e. application/json, etc).

fillIngredients: This is a Boolean parameter used to indicate that the list of ingredients will be provided by the user.

ingredients: This is a string of comma-separated values of ingredients given as the input.

limitLicense: This is a Boolean parameter used to indicate whether the user should be charged beyond the maximum usage limit of the API (number of requests) based on the plan of the user or the HTTP GET request be aborted.

number: This is an integer parameter used to indicate the number of recipe IDs to retrieve from the web server.

ranking: This is an integer parameter used to indicate the mechanism to be used to retrieve the results. An integer value of 1 indicates that the recipes should be selected on the basis of the maximum ingredient usage (i.e. the maximum number of common ingredients between the "ingredients" parameter and the actual ingredients present in the "Spoonacular" recipe) whereas an integer value of 2 indicates that the recipes should be selected on the basis of the minimum ingredient usage (i.e. the minimum number of common ingredients between the "ingredients" parameter and the actual ingredients present in the "Spoonacular" recipe).

I obtained the recipe ID of a "Spoonacular" recipe during each HTTP GET request as the feedback from the web server and passed this recipe ID as an input to another HTTP GET request to extract the nutritional information about the recipe. The additional parameter used during this HTTP GET request was "includeNutrition", which takes a Boolean value to indicate whether the user wants to retrieve the nutritional information about the recipe. Finally, I got a dictionary in JSON format as the return value from the web server for every recipe ID. I stored all these dictionaries in a local cache called "spoonacular-cache.txt" as a list of dictionaries. I also ensured that I ignored some recipes that had missing calorie values (i.e. 'NA' values) from the final dataset. These recipes were "Mini Chorizo Corn Dogs" and "Steak Rancheros". I also assigned 0.0 values to those nutrients that were missing and ignored recipes with greater than 2000 calories from my analysis. I also did not include "sugar (g)" values from "Spoonacular" because they were completely missing from the "Epicurious" data and I needed at least two datasets to corroborate my results. The final dataset was prepared by combining the "cleaned"

data from both the sources in TSV (tab-separated value) format. The final dataset has 3,655 recipes in total.

I read the dataset into R using the read.table() function —

dt <- read.table("/Users/omkarsunkersett/Desktop/SI618/project/dataset-combined.tsv", header = TRUE, sep = "\t", quote = "")

I divided the data table "dt" into subsets based on two important conditions to improve the statistical significance of the data —

1. **Source:** I used the subset() function in R to split the dataset into smaller data tables called "epicurious" and "spoonacular" based on the "source" attribute of the recipe.

```
epicurious <- subset(dt,dt$Source=='Epicurious')
spoonacular <- subset(dt,dt$Source=='Spoonacular')</pre>
```

2. **Calorie:** I then applied the subset() function to split the "epicurious" and "spoonacular" data tables into smaller sub-tables based on the following conditions:

Epicurious:

- A. **Subgroup 0 250 cal:** epi_g1 <- subset(epicurious, epicurious\$Calories >=0 & epicurious\$Calories <=250)
- B. **Subgroup 250 500 cal:** epi_g2 <- subset(epicurious, epicurious\$Calories >250 & epicurious\$Calories <=500)
- C. **Subgroup 500 750 cal:** epi_g3 <- subset(epicurious, epicurious\$Calories >500 & epicurious\$Calories <=750)
- D. **Subgroup 750 2000 cal:** epi_g4 <- subset(epicurious, epicurious\$Calories >750 & epicurious\$Calories <=2000)

Spoonacular:

- A. **Subgroup 0 250 cal:** spoon_g1 <- subset(spoonacular, spoonacular\$Calories >=0 & spoonacular\$Calories <=250)
- B. **Subgroup 250 500 cal:** spoon_g2 <- subset(spoonacular, spoonacular\$Calories >250 & spoonacular\$Calories <=500)
- C. **Subgroup 500 750 cal:** spoon_g3 <- subset(spoonacular, spoonacular\$Calories >500 & spoonacular\$Calories <=750)
- D. Subgroup 750 2000 cal: spoon_g4 <- subset(spoonacular, spoonacular\$Calories >750 & spoonacular\$Calories <=2000)</p>

Analysis and Results:

To answer the fundamental research question and four key questions, I derived the relationship amongst a given set of nutrients, namely the following pairs —

- 1. Saturated Fat and Cholesterol
- 2. Saturated Fat and Sodium
- 3. Total Fat and Carbohydrates
- 4. Protein and Fiber
- 5. Calories and Significant Nutrients (Total Fat, Carbohydrates, Protein and Fiber)

I performed a one-sided hypothesis test to determine the relationship between the above nutrients.

My hypothesis has been defined as follows —

Null Hypothesis, **Ho** = There is no known relationship amongst the given nutrients of a calorie subgroup.

Alternative Hypothesis, Ha = There is some relationship amongst the given nutrients of a calorie subgroup.

Using the linear model (lm() function) and level of significance () = 5% (i.e. 0.05), I performed my hypothesis test as follows —

Studying the relationship between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol for Epicurious data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
epi_gl_lml <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi_gl)

summary(epi_gl_lml)

ggplot(data = epi_gl, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 0 - 250)") +

theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +

xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +

ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")

##

## Call:

## Im(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi_gl)
```

```
##
## Residuals:
## Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
## -4.605 -1.315 -0.423 1.250 8.145
##
## Coefficients:
##
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
              2.263046  0.118735  19.060  < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2.161 on 438 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.08844, Adjusted R-squared: 0.08636
```

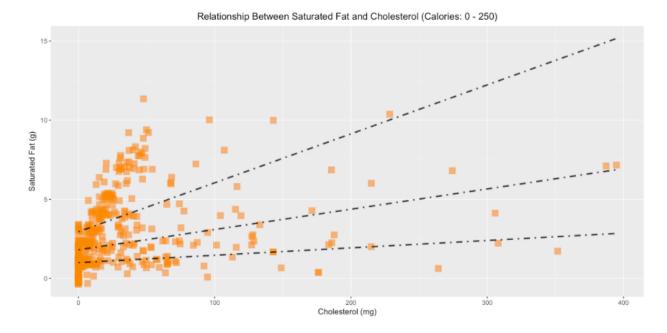
F-statistic: 42.5 on 1 and 438 DF, p-value: 1.952e-10

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 2.263046 + 0.012335 * X + \epsilon$; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.1234g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
epi_g2_lm1 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi_g2)

summary(epi_g2_lm1)

ggplot(data = epi_g2, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g., col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +
```

```
geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi g2)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
            1Q Median
                          3Q
                               Max
## -8.4868 -2.7947 -0.8868 1.7128 20.6710
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                5.27997 0.19909 26.520 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

##

Residual standard error: 3.977 on 672 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.07579, Adjusted R-squared: 0.07441

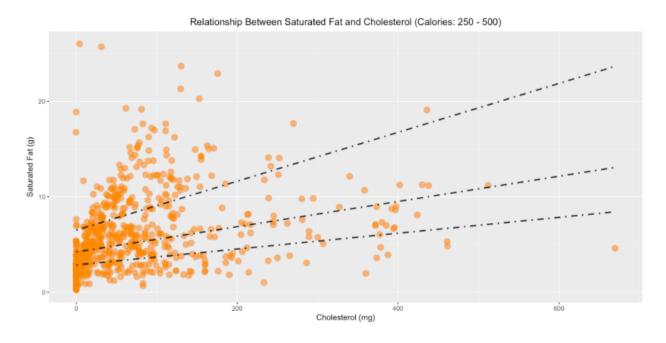
F-statistic: 55.11 on 1 and 672 DF, p-value: 3.466e-13

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 5.27997 + 0.01225 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.1225g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high

triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
epi g3 lm1 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi g3)
summary(epi g3 lm1)
ggplot(data = epi g3, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi g3)
##
```

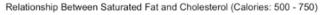
```
## Residuals:
     Min
             1Q Median
##
                            3Q
                                 Max
## -13.965 -4.655 -1.582 3.494 49.351
##
## Coefficients:
##
             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                 9.64866 0.51941 18.576 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## Cholesterol..mg. 0.01307 0.00329 3.971 8.5e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 6.864 on 392 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.03868, Adjusted R-squared: 0.03623
## F-statistic: 15.77 on 1 and 392 DF, p-value: 8.501e-05
```

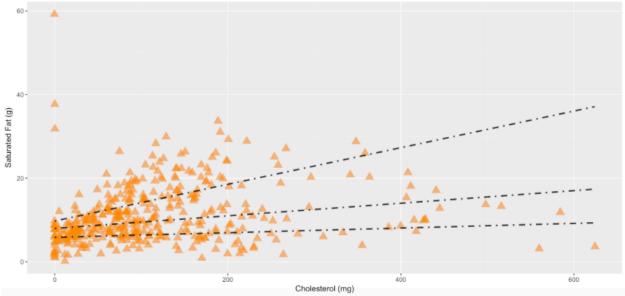
From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 9.64866 + 0.01307 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)





Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.1307g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
epi_g4_lm1 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi_g4)

summary(epi_g4_lm1)

ggplot(data = epi_g4, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g., col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +
```

```
geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = epi g4)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            3Q
                                  Max
## -35.252 -6.515 -1.327 4.736 39.470
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                15.549555  0.912261  17.045  < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## Cholesterol..mg. 0.014694 0.003644 4.032 7.2e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

##

Residual standard error: 9.966 on 270 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.0568, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0533

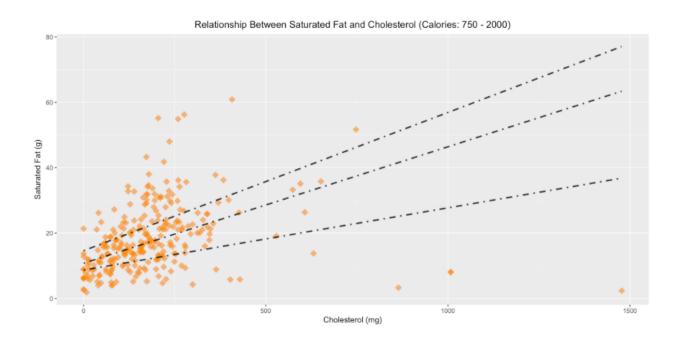
F-statistic: 16.26 on 1 and 270 DF, p-value: 7.196e-05

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 15.549555 + 0.014694 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.1307g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density

lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

Studying the relationship between Saturated Fat and Sodium for Epicurious data

A. Calories Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
epi_g1_lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi_g1)

summary(epi_g1_lm2)

ggplot(data = epi_g1, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 0 - 250)") +

theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +

xlab("Sodium (mg)") +

ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
```

```
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi g1)
##
## Residuals:
     Min
            1Q Median
##
                           3Q Max
## -3.0116 -1.6097 -0.6511 1.3199 8.3988
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 2.5685216 0.1526463 16.827 <2e-16 ***
## Sodium..mg. 0.0002675 0.0003649 0.733 0.464
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2.262 on 438 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.001226, Adjusted R-squared: -0.001054
## F-statistic: 0.5376 on 1 and 438 DF, p-value: 0.4638
```

From the above output, p-value > 0.05 indicates that we have to accept the null hypothesis Ho.

There is no correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium.

B. Calories Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
epi g2 lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi g2)
summary(epi g2 lm2)
ggplot(data = epi g2, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +
 geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi g2)
##
## Residuals:
## Min 1Q Median
                       3Q Max
## -6.894 -2.857 -1.000 1.906 20.186
##
## Coefficients:
```

```
## Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)

## (Intercept) 5.6755810 0.2653128 21.392 <2e-16 ***

## Sodium..mg. 0.0010664 0.0004136 2.578 0.0101 *

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 4.116 on 672 degrees of freedom

## Multiple R-squared: 0.009795, Adjusted R-squared: 0.008322

## F-statistic: 6.647 on 1 and 672 DF, p-value: 0.01014
```

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

There is a slight positive (+) correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium but this is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
epi_g3_lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi_g3)

summary(epi_g3_lm2)

ggplot(data = epi_g3, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g., col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
```

```
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi g3)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                           3Q Max
## -12.123 -4.933 -1.682 3.602 47.990
##
## Coefficients:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 12.2075023 0.6351831 19.219 <2e-16 ***
## Sodium..mg. -0.0012991 0.0006744 -1.926 0.0548.
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 6.968 on 392 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.009376, Adjusted R-squared: 0.006849
```

```
## F-statistic: 3.71 on 1 and 392 DF, p-value: 0.0548
```

From the above output, p-value > 0.05 indicates that we have to accept the null hypothesis Ho.

There is no correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
epi g4 lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi g4)
summary(epi g4 lm2)
ggplot(data = epi g4, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=factor(Saturated.Fat..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = epi g4)
##
## Residuals:
```

```
1Q Median
##
     Min
                           3Q Max
## -19.245 -6.848 -1.890 5.094 43.133
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1.690e+01 1.102e+00 15.328 <2e-16 ***
## Sodium..mg. 1.077e-03 6.968e-04 1.546 0.123
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 10.22 on 270 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.008779, Adjusted R-squared: 0.005108
## F-statistic: 2.391 on 1 and 270 DF, p-value: 0.1232
```

From the above output, p-value > 0.05 indicates that we have to accept the null hypothesis Ho.

There is no correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium.

Studying the relationship between Total Fat and Carbohydrates for Epicurious data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
epi g1 lm3 <- lm(Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi g1)
```

```
summary(epi g1 lm3)
ggplot(data = epi g1, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=factor(Fat..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi g1)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
            1Q Median
                          3Q
                                Max
## -11.2112 -3.5251 0.1945 3.6226 12.8608
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
               ## (Intercept)
```

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

##

Residual standard error: 5.059 on 438 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.05141, Adjusted R-squared: 0.04925

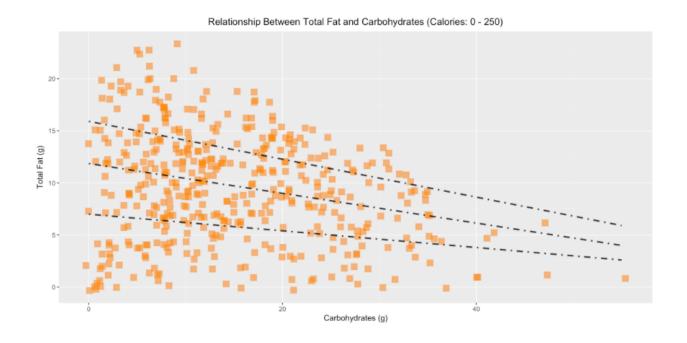
F-statistic: 23.74 on 1 and 438 DF, p-value: 1.545e-06

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 11.21117 - 0.11910 * X + \epsilon$; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)



Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 1.1910g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
epi g2 lm3 <- lm(Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi g2)
summary(epi g2 lm3)
ggplot(data = epi g2, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=factor(Fat..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +
 geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi g2)
##
## Residuals:
```

```
1Q Median
##
     Min
                          3Q
                                Max
## -16.5370 -5.1973 -0.6441 5.1547 26.5021
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
               27.73094 0.52983 52.34 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 7.121 on 672 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2299, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2288
## F-statistic: 200.6 on 1 and 672 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

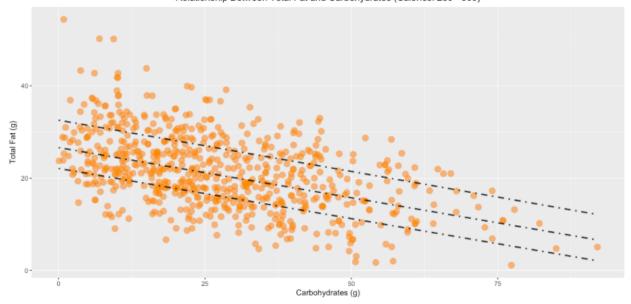
From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 27.73094 - 0.23300 * X + \epsilon$; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)





Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 2.33g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
epi_g3_lm3 <- lm(Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi_g3)

summary(epi_g3_lm3)

ggplot(data = epi_g3, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=factor(Fat..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 500 - 750)") +

theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
```

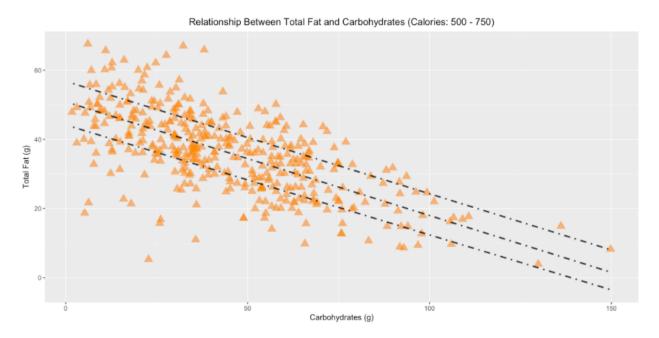
```
xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi g3)
##
## Residuals:
           1Q Median
##
    Min
                        3Q Max
## -37.841 -6.012 0.249 6.189 27.903
##
## Coefficients:
##
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
               ## (Intercept)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 9.086 on 392 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.4298, Adjusted R-squared: 0.4284
## F-statistic: 295.5 on 1 and 392 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

From the above output, p-value ≤ 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 50.1153 - 0.3163 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)



Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 3.163g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
summary(epi g4 lm3)
ggplot(data = epi g4, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=factor(Fat..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = epi g4)
##
## Residuals:
    Min
            1Q Median
                         3Q
                               Max
## -60.042 -18.758 -6.347 12.323 129.644
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                          2.7308 28.809 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
                78.6701
```

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

Residual standard error: 26.94 on 270 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.1088, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1055

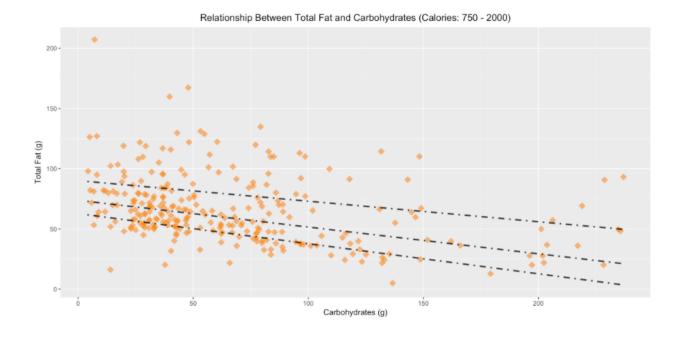
F-statistic: 32.96 on 1 and 270 DF, p-value: 2.522e-08

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 78.6701 - 0.1877 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)



Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 1.877g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

Studying the relationship between Protein and Fiber for Epicurious data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
epi_g1_lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi_g1)

summary(epi_g1_lm4)

ggplot(data = epi_g1, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=factor(Protein..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 0 - 250)") +

theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +

xlab("Fiber (g)") +

ylab("Protein (g)")

##

## Call:

## Im(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi_g1)
```

```
##
## Residuals:
    Min
          1Q Median 3Q Max
## -6.891 -3.955 -1.146 2.918 23.109
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 6.82747 0.41139 16.596 <2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g. 0.06374 0.11521 0.553
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 5.313 on 438 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.0006983, Adjusted R-squared: -0.001583
```

F-statistic: 0.3061 on 1 and 438 DF, p-value: 0.5804

From the above output, p-value > 0.05 indicates that we have to accept the null hypothesis Ho.

There is no correlation observed between protein and fibre. This is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
epi g2 lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi g2)
summary(epi g2 lm4)
ggplot(data = epi g2, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=factor(Protein..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi g2)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            3Q
                                  Max
## -17.763 -7.463 -2.052 5.720 36.970
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
```

There is a slight negative (-) correlation observed between protein and fibre but it is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding. This finding is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
epi_g3_lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi_g3)

summary(epi_g3_lm4)

ggplot(data = epi_g3, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=factor(Protein..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
```

```
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi_g3)
##
## Residuals:
## Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
## -28.33 -9.29 -2.33 6.22 70.67
##
## Coefficients:
         Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## Fiber..g. -0.5201 0.1519 -3.425 0.000681 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 14.11 on 392 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.02905, Adjusted R-squared: 0.02657
```

```
## F-statistic: 11.73 on 1 and 392 DF, p-value: 0.0006807
```

There is a strong negative (-) correlation observed between protein and fibre. This finding is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
epi g4 lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi g4)
summary(epi g4 lm4)
ggplot(data = epi g4, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=factor(Protein..g.))) +
 geom jitter(col="darkorange",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = epi g4)
##
## Residuals:
```

```
1Q Median
##
     Min
                           3Q Max
## -46.688 -17.557 -5.314 9.662 167.011
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 51.0373 2.3877 21.375 <2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g. -0.1747 0.2174 -0.804 0.422
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 28.21 on 270 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.002386, Adjusted R-squared: -0.001308
## F-statistic: 0.6459 on 1 and 270 DF, p-value: 0.4223
```

There is no correlation observed between protein and fibre. This is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

Studying the relationship between Calories and Significant Nutrients for Epicurious data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
epi g1 lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.
+Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi g1)
summary(epi g1 lm5)
ggplot(data = epi g1, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.),
y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +
 geom jitter(size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "red", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
##
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi g1)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             10 Median
                            30
                                  Max
```

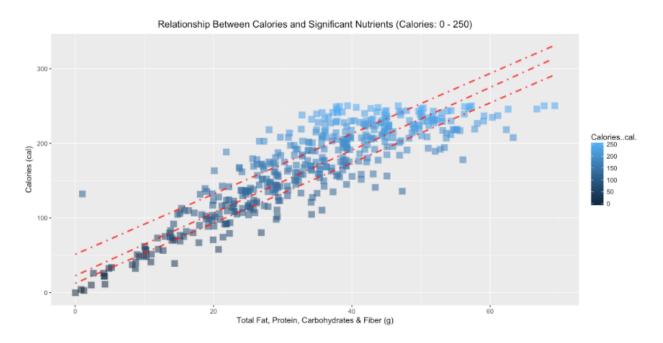
```
## -20.856 -4.714 -0.996 3.133 122.052
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                 6.0133849 1.6070984 3.742 0.000207 ***
               8.4415615 0.1363637 61.905 < 2e-16 ***
## Fat..g.
## Saturated.Fat..g. -0.0289926 0.3096344 -0.094 0.925443
                 4.1123973 0.1238394 33.207 < 2e-16 ***
## Protein..g.
## Carbohydrates..g. 3.9396289 0.0741700 53.116 < 2e-16 ***
               -1.6656174  0.3167455  -5.259  2.29e-07 ***
## Fiber..g.
## Sodium..mg.
                   -0.0008566 0.0019700 -0.435 0.663890
## Cholesterol..mg. 0.0176837 0.0121070 1.461 0.144849
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 11.15 on 432 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9644, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9638
## F-statistic: 1671 on 7 and 432 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 6.0133849 + 8.4415615 * V + 4.1123973 * W + 3.9396289 * X - 1.6656174 * Z + \epsilon$$

Y: Calories (cal), V: Fat (g), W: Protein (g), X: Carbohydrates (g), Z: Fiber (g)



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 148.28 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
epi g2 lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.
+Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi g2)
summary(epi g2 lm5)
ggplot(data = epi g2, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.),
y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +
 geom jitter(size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "red", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
##
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi g2)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            30
                                  Max
## -36.121 -4.308 -0.392 3.439 85.838
```

```
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                 3.551069 1.812241 1.959 0.0505.
## Fat..g.
               8.621328 0.058383 147.670 <2e-16 ***
## Saturated.Fat..g. 0.026141 0.107332 0.244 0.8077
                4.267933 0.043255 98.668 <2e-16 ***
## Protein..g.
## Carbohydrates..g. 3.988671 0.029738 134.125 <2e-16 ***
               -1.576052  0.140624 -11.208  <2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g.
## Sodium..mg.
                   0.001395 \quad 0.001033 \quad 1.351 \quad 0.1771
## Cholesterol..mg. 0.010456 0.004573 2.287 0.0225 *
```

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

##

Residual standard error: 9.329 on 666 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.9844, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9842

F-statistic: 6000 on 7 and 666 DF, p-value: \leq 2.2e-16

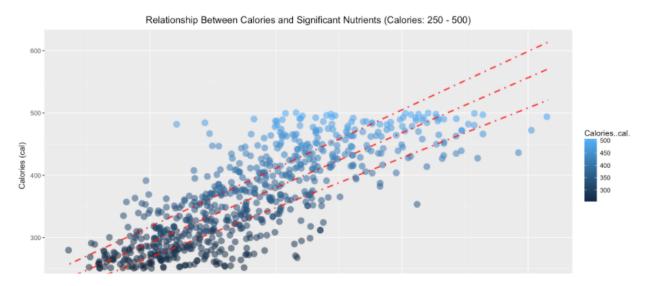
From the above output, p-value ≤ 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 3.551069 + 8.621328 * V + 4.267933 * W + 3.988671 * X - 1.576052 * Z + \epsilon$$

Y: Calories (cal), V: Fat (g), W: Protein (g), X: Carbohydrates (g), Z: Fiber (g)



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 153.02 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

epi_g3_lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g. +Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi_g3)

```
summary(epi g3 lm5)
ggplot(data = epi g3, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.),
y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +
 geom jitter(size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "red",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
##
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi g3)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            3Q
                                  Max
## -52.249 -5.679 -0.564 4.819 75.036
##
## Coefficients:
```

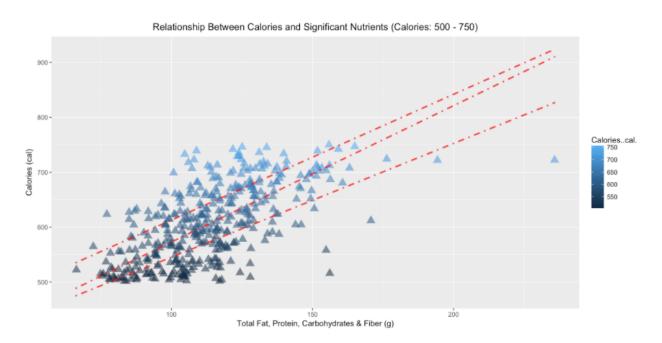
```
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                 15.8377087 6.0430432 2.621 0.00912 **
## (Intercept)
                8.5623806 0.0978442 87.510 < 2e-16 ***
## Fat..g.
## Saturated.Fat..g. -0.0917089 0.1143044 -0.802 0.42286
## Protein..g.
                 4.2231536 0.0643796 65.598 < 2e-16 ***
## Carbohydrates..g. 3.9694182 0.0492100 80.663 < 2e-16 ***
                -1.8394123 0.1741747 -10.561 < 2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g.
                    0.0026466 \ \ 0.0014045 \ \ 1.884 \ \ 0.06026 \ .
## Sodium..mg.
## Cholesterol..mg. -0.0004335 0.0078601 -0.055 0.95605
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 13.12 on 386 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9635, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9628
## F-statistic: 1455 on 7 and 386 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 15.8377087 + 8.5623806 * V + 4.2231536 * W + 3.9694182 * X - 1.8394123 * Z + \epsilon$$

Y: Calories (cal), V: Fat (g), W: Protein (g), X: Carbohydrates (g), Z: Fiber (g)



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 149.16 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

epi_g4_lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g. +Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi_g4)

summary(epi g4 lm5)

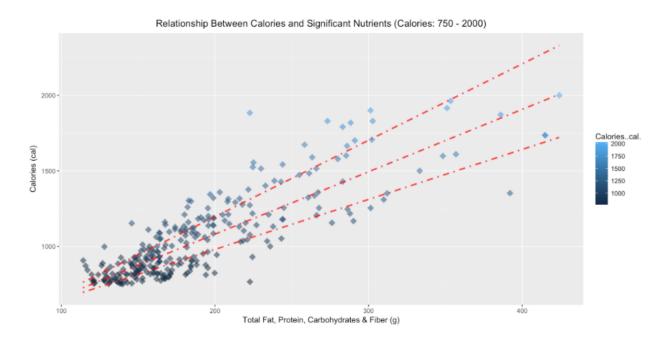
```
ggplot(data = epi g4, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.),
y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +
 geom jitter(size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "red", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = epi g4)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            3Q
                                  Max
## -62.699 -7.508 -1.968 5.689 91.779
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
```

```
## (Intercept)
                 0.414449 4.428075 0.094 0.926
               8.852269 0.049903 177.389 <2e-16 ***
## Fat..g.
## Saturated.Fat..g. 0.131256 0.135946 0.965 0.335
## Protein..g.
                4.406942  0.061130  72.091  <2e-16 ***
## Carbohydrates..g. 4.128899 0.031019 133.109 <2e-16 ***
               -2.536950 0.177095 -14.325 <2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g.
                  -0.002018 0.001482 -1.362 0.174
## Sodium..mg.
## Cholesterol..mg. -0.016485 0.010481 -1.573 0.117
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 18.49 on 264 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9958, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9957
## F-statistic: 9016 on 7 and 264 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 0.414449 + 8.852269 * V + 4.406942 * W + 4.128899 * X - 2.536950 * Z + \epsilon$$



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 149.16 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

Studying the relationship between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol for Spoonacular data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
ggplot(data = spoon_g1, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon g1)
##
## Residuals:
##
    Min
           1Q Median
                        3Q
                             Max
## -4.7420 -1.5932 -0.6282 0.8771 10.9872
##
## Coefficients:
##
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
              ## (Intercept)
```

```
## ---
```

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

##

Residual standard error: 2.393 on 448 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.05466, Adjusted R-squared: 0.05255

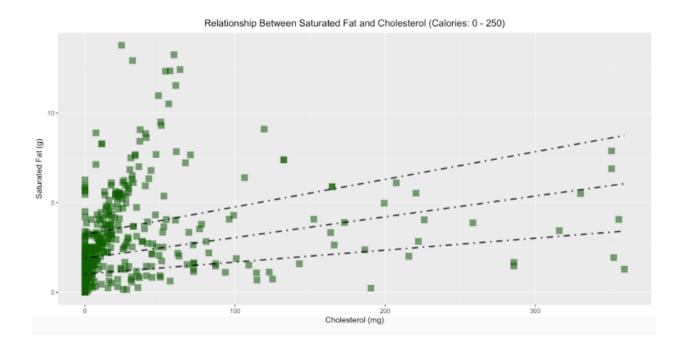
F-statistic: 25.9 on 1 and 448 DF, p-value: 5.295e-07

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 2.568228 + 0.009637 * X + \epsilon$; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.09637g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
spoon_g2_lm1 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon_g2)

summary(spoon_g2_lm1)

ggplot(data = spoon_g2, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +

geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 250 - 500)") +

theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +

xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +

ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")

##

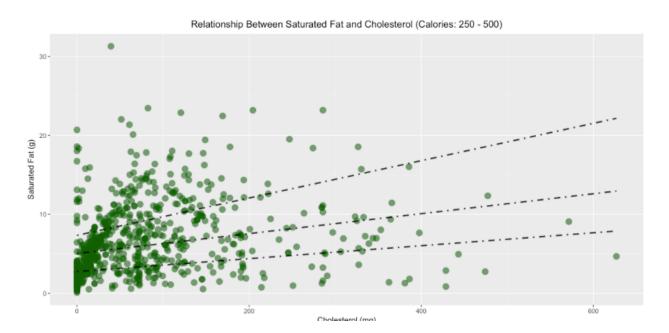
## Call:
```

```
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon g2)
##
## Residuals:
##
    Min
           1Q Median
                         3Q Max
## -9.4927 -3.3130 -0.7575 2.2460 24.9597
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
              5.935490 0.227342 26.108 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.515 on 704 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.04146, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0401
## F-statistic: 30.45 on 1 and 704 DF, p-value: 4.815e-08
```

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 5.935490 + 0.010259 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.10259g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

spoon g3 lm1 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon g3)

```
summary(spoon_g3_lm1)
ggplot(data = spoon g3, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon g3)
##
## Residuals:
##
    Min
            1Q Median
                         3Q
                               Max
## -13.447 -5.154 -1.380 4.294 45.426
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
               ## (Intercept)
```

```
## Cholesterol..mg. 0.006188 0.002605 2.375 0.018 *

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 6.95 on 421 degrees of freedom

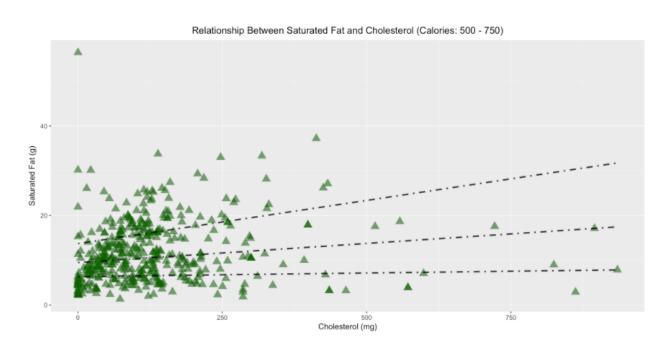
## Multiple R-squared: 0.01322, Adjusted R-squared: 0.01088

## F-statistic: 5.642 on 1 and 421 DF, p-value: 0.01798
```

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 10.994214 + 0.006188 * X + \epsilon$; X: Cholesterol (mg), Y: Saturated Fat (g)



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.06188g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
spoon_g4_lm1 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon_g4)

summary(spoon_g4_lm1)

ggplot(data = spoon_g4, mapping = aes(x=Cholesterol..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +

geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Cholesterol (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +

theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +

xlab("Cholesterol (mg)") +

ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")

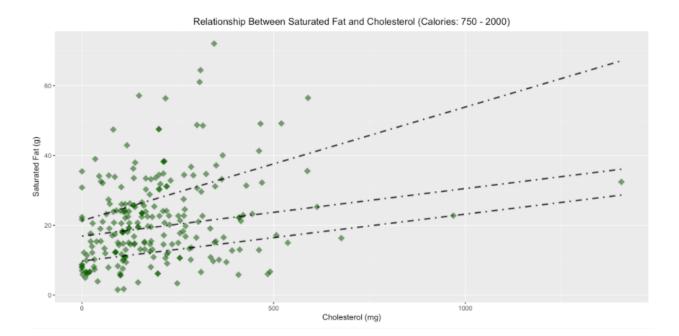
##

## Call:
```

```
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Cholesterol..mg., data = spoon g4)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                           30 Max
## -20.922 -8.982 -1.727 6.082 47.824
##
## Coefficients:
##
             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                17.592968 1.219576 14.425 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## Cholesterol..mg. 0.019270 0.004765 4.044 7.18e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 11.99 on 230 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.06637, Adjusted R-squared: 0.06231
## F-statistic: 16.35 on 1 and 230 DF, p-value: 7.184e-05
```

We observe a strong positive (+) linear correlation between saturated fat and cholesterol.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:



Finding: The saturated fat is estimated to increase by an average of 0.06188g for every 10mg average increase in cholesterol. Saturated fat contains a high proportion of low-density lipoprotein (LDL) cholesterol, which is a leading cause of heart disease whilst a person has high triglycerides (sugar). The average increase in saturated fat is very less for the average increase in cholesterol. This suggests that the proportion of the LDL cholesterol is comparatively lesser than the proportion of high-density lipoprotein (HDL) cholesterol and other cholesterol in the recipes. The HDL cholesterol is the good cholesterol and must be maximized in a person's lipid profile to prevent heart disease, whereas the LDL cholesterol is the culprit and must be minimized.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

Studying the relationship between Saturated Fat and Sodium for Spoonacular data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
spoon g1 lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon g1)
summary(spoon g1 lm2)
ggplot(data = spoon g1, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +
 geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +
 geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon g1)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
            1Q Median
                           3Q
                                Max
## -2.8614 -1.7362 -0.7632 1.0592 10.9260
##
```

```
## Coefficients:

## Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)

## (Intercept) 2.861e+00 1.415e-01 20.224 <2e-16 ***

## Sodium..mg. 8.993e-06 1.745e-04 0.052 0.959

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 2.461 on 448 degrees of freedom

## Multiple R-squared: 5.929e-06, Adjusted R-squared: -0.002226

## F-statistic: 0.002656 on 1 and 448 DF, p-value: 0.9589
```

There is a slight positive (+) correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium but this is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
spoon_g2_lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon_g2)
summary(spoon_g2_lm2)

ggplot(data = spoon_g2, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +

geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +</pre>
```

```
ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon g2)
##
## Residuals:
     Min
             1Q Median
##
                            3Q Max
## -6.7024 -3.5001 -0.8445 2.5141 24.5358
##
## Coefficients:
##
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 6.763e+00 1.743e-01 38.803 <2e-16 ***
## Sodium..mg. 4.319e-06 1.163e-05 0.371 0.71
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.611 on 704 degrees of freedom
```

```
## Multiple R-squared: 0.000196, Adjusted R-squared: -0.001224 ## F-statistic: 0.138 on 1 and 704 DF, p-value: 0.7104
```

There is a slight positive (+) correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium but this is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
spoon g3 lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon g3)
summary(spoon g3 lm2)
ggplot(data = spoon g3, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon g3)
##
```

```
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            30 Max
## -10.385 -5.212 -1.364 4.387 44.613
##
## Coefficients:
##
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 1.197e+01 3.594e-01 33.298 <2e-16 ***
## Sodium..mg. -1.072e-04 7.761e-05 -1.381 0.168
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 6.98 on 421 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.004512, Adjusted R-squared: 0.002147
## F-statistic: 1.908 on 1 and 421 DF, p-value: 0.1679
```

There is a slight negative (-) correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium but this is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
spoon_g4_lm2 <- lm(Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon_g4)
```

```
summary(spoon_g4_lm2)
ggplot(data = spoon g4, mapping = aes(x=Sodium..mg., y=Saturated.Fat..g.,
col=Saturated.Fat..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Saturated Fat and Sodium (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Sodium (mg)") +
 ylab("Saturated Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Saturated.Fat..g. ~ Sodium..mg., data = spoon g4)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
            1Q Median
                          3Q
                                Max
## -20.066 -8.928 -1.838 6.092 50.567
##
## Coefficients:
##
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 21.7043859 0.9964516 21.782 <2e-16 ***
```

```
## Sodium..mg. -0.0001560 0.0002591 -0.602 0.548

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 12.4 on 230 degrees of freedom

## Multiple R-squared: 0.001572, Adjusted R-squared: -0.002769

## F-statistic: 0.3622 on 1 and 230 DF, p-value: 0.5479
```

There is a slight negative (-) correlation observed between saturated fat and sodium but this is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding.

Studying the relationship between Total Fat and Carbohydrates for Spoonacular data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
spoon_g1_lm3 <- lm(Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon_g1)

summary(spoon_g1_lm3)

ggplot(data = spoon_g1, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=Fat..g.)) +

geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
```

```
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon g1)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                           3Q
                                 Max
## -10.3451 -3.7702 -0.3502 3.5271 14.8098
##
## Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
               10.75364  0.44625  24.10 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 5.077 on 448 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.03251, Adjusted R-squared: 0.03035
```

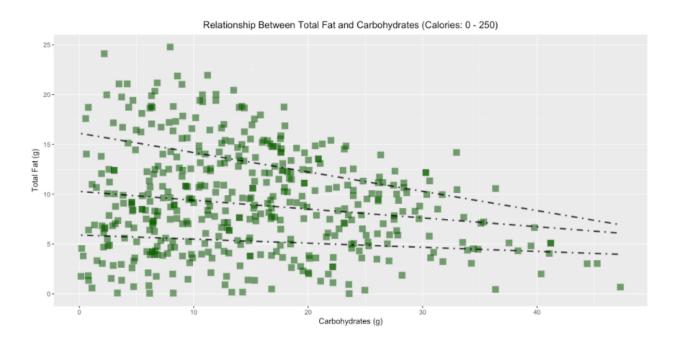
F-statistic: 15.05 on 1 and 448 DF, p-value: 0.0001201

From the above output, p-value < 0.05 indicates that we have to reject the null hypothesis Ho.

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 10.75364 - 0.09867 * X + \epsilon$; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)



Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 0.9867g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
spoon g2 lm3 <- lm(Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon g2)
summary(spoon g2 lm3)
ggplot(data = spoon_g2, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=Fat..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon g2)
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
              1Q Median
                              3Q
                                     Max
## -17.8839 -5.4495 -0.5054 5.1286 19.6028
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
```

```
## (Intercept) 27.34660 0.57535 47.53 <2e-16 ***

## Carbohydrates..g. -0.24281 0.01711 -14.19 <2e-16 ***

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 7.41 on 704 degrees of freedom

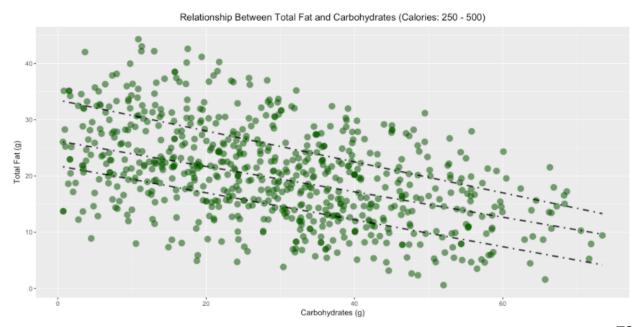
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2224, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2213

## F-statistic: 201.4 on 1 and 704 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 27.34660 - 0.24281 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)



Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 2.4281g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
spoon g3 lm3 < -lm(Fat..g. \sim Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon g3)
summary(spoon g3 lm3)
ggplot(data = spoon g3, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=Fat..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon g3)
##
## Residuals:
```

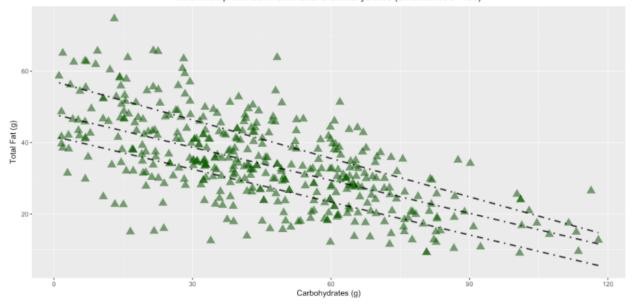
```
1Q Median
##
     Min
                          3Q
                                Max
## -28.4685 -6.5604 -0.0777 6.9043 30.5426
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
               48.82247 0.98462 49.59 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 9.589 on 421 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.3972, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3957
## F-statistic: 277.4 on 1 and 421 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

 $Y = 48.82247 - 0.32089 * X + \epsilon$; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)





Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 3.2089g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
spoon_g4_lm3 <- lm(Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon_g4)

summary(spoon_g4_lm3)

ggplot(data = spoon_g4, mapping = aes(x=Carbohydrates..g., y=Fat..g., col=Fat..g.)) +

geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Total Fat and Carbohydrates (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +

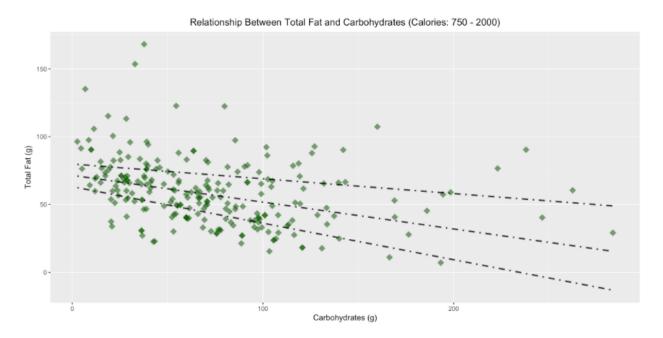
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
```

```
xlab("Carbohydrates (g)") +
 ylab("Total Fat (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Fat..g. ~ Carbohydrates..g., data = spoon g4)
##
## Residuals:
           1Q Median
##
    Min
                         3Q
                              Max
## -41.548 -15.039 -2.005 12.436 103.250
##
## Coefficients:
##
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
               70.96911 2.73371 25.961 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 23.17 on 230 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.1021, Adjusted R-squared: 0.09821
## F-statistic: 26.16 on 1 and 230 DF, p-value: 6.63e-07
```

We observe a strong negative (-) linear correlation between Total Fat and Carbohydrates.

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 70.96911 - 0.16019 * X + \epsilon$$
; X: Fat (g), Y: Carbohydrates (g)



Finding: The total fat is estimated to decrease by an average of 1.6019g for every 10g average increase in carbohydrates. We see that the total fat to carbohydrate ratio of the recipes is well-balanced with the help of this linear relation. This indicates that a recipe having high total fat would likely have low carbohydrates and vice-versa.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

Studying the relationship between Protein and Fiber for Spoonacular data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
spoon g1 lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon g1)
summary(spoon g1 lm4)
ggplot(data = spoon g1, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=Protein..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon g1)
##
## Residuals:
## Min
           1Q Median
                        3Q Max
## -7.502 -3.817 -1.309 2.130 32.856
##
## Coefficients:
```

```
## Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)

## (Intercept) 7.6120 0.4561 16.688 <2e-16 ***

## Fiber..g. -0.2307 0.1309 -1.762 0.0787 .

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 5.731 on 448 degrees of freedom

## Multiple R-squared: 0.006884, Adjusted R-squared: 0.004667

## F-statistic: 3.106 on 1 and 448 DF, p-value: 0.07871
```

There is no correlation observed between protein and fibre. This is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
spoon_g2_lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon_g2)

summary(spoon_g2_lm4)

ggplot(data = spoon_g2, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=factor(Protein..g.))) +

geom_jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +

ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
```

```
theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon_g2)
##
## Residuals:
##
    Min
           1Q Median
                         3Q Max
## -17.308 -7.575 -2.163 6.527 47.566
##
## Coefficients:
         Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## Fiber..g. -0.2871 0.1022 -2.808 0.00512 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 10.1 on 704 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.01108, Adjusted R-squared: 0.009674
```

```
## F-statistic: 7.887 on 1 and 704 DF, p-value: 0.005118
```

There is a slight negative (-) correlation observed between protein and fibre but it is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding. This finding is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
spoon g3 lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon g3)
summary(spoon g3 lm4)
ggplot(data = spoon g3, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=Protein..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black", size=1, linetype=4, alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon g3)
##
## Residuals:
```

```
##
     Min
            1Q Median
                           3Q Max
## -26.446 -10.545 -1.460 8.141 53.009
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 31.6236 1.1130 28.414 <2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g. -0.2976 0.1498 -1.987 0.0476 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 14.34 on 421 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.009287, Adjusted R-squared: 0.006934
## F-statistic: 3.946 on 1 and 421 DF, p-value: 0.04762
```

There is a slight negative (-) correlation observed between protein and fibre but it is not strong. Hence, we can ignore this finding. This finding is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal

spoon g4 lm4 <- lm(Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon g4)

```
summary(spoon g4 lm4)
ggplot(data = spoon g4, mapping = aes(x=Fiber..g., y=Protein..g., col=Protein..g.)) +
 geom jitter(col="darkgreen",size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +
 geom quantile(color = "black",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
 ggtitle("Relationship Between Protein and Fiber (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Protein (g)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Protein..g. ~ Fiber..g., data = spoon g4)
##
## Residuals:
     Min
            1Q Median
                           3Q
                                 Max
## -38.025 -17.359 -5.796 10.195 145.657
##
## Coefficients:
##
          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 51.7924 2.6407 19.613 <2e-16 ***
## Fiber..g. -0.2318 0.2195 -1.056 0.292
```

```
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 27.42 on 230 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.004826, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0004989
## F-statistic: 1.115 on 1 and 230 DF, p-value: 0.292
```

There is no correlation observed between protein and fibre. This is bad because it indicates that the protein to fiber ratio is not well-balanced in most of the recipes. Ideally, protein and fibre should be positively correlated in a healthy meal.

Studying the relationship between Calories and Significant Nutrients for Spoonacular data

A. Calorie Subgroup: 0 - 250 cal:

```
spoon_g1_lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g. +Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon_g1)

summary(spoon_g1_lm5)

ggplot(data = spoon_g1, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.), y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +

geom_jitter(size=4,shape=15,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "red",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
```

```
ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 0 - 250)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon g1)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            30
                                 Max
## -20.062 -3.337 -1.030 1.828 125.909
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                 4.4750109 1.2746567 3.511 0.000493 ***
## (Intercept)
## Fat..g.
                8.5103161 0.1108148 76.798 < 2e-16 ***
## Saturated.Fat..g. 0.0284420 0.2255688 0.126 0.899718
## Protein..g. 4.0520838 0.0923806 43.863 < 2e-16 ***
```

```
## Carbohydrates..g. 3.9330109 0.0557232 70.581 < 2e-16 ***

## Fiber..g. -1.5325848 0.2604110 -5.885 7.86e-09 ***

## Sodium..mg. -0.0003045 0.0006342 -0.480 0.631391

## Cholesterol..mg. 0.0210363 0.0095705 2.198 0.028464 *

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 8.757 on 442 degrees of freedom

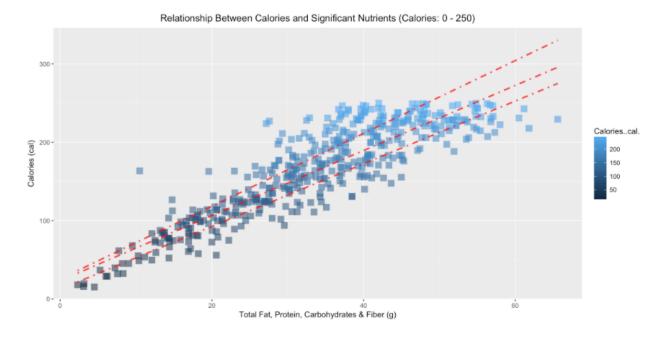
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9773, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9769

## F-statistic: 2718 on 7 and 442 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 4.4750109 + 8.5103161 * V + 4.0520838 * W + 3.9330109 * X - 1.5325848 * Z + \epsilon$$



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 149.63 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

B. Calorie Subgroup: 250 - 500 cal:

```
spoon_g2_lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g. +Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon_g2)

summary(spoon_g2_lm5)

ggplot(data = spoon_g2, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.), y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +

geom_jitter(size=4,shape=16,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "red",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
```

```
ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 250 - 500)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon g2)
##
## Residuals:
     Min
             1Q Median
##
                            3Q
                                 Max
## -40.713 -4.837 -0.394 3.388 52.526
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                 3.785e+00 1.835e+00 2.063 0.0395 *
## (Intercept)
## Fat..g.
                8.629e+00 6.057e-02 142.472 <2e-16 ***
## Saturated.Fat..g. 1.872e-01 1.048e-01 1.787 0.0744.
## Protein..g. 4.247e+00 4.061e-02 104.590 <2e-16 ***
```

```
## Carbohydrates..g. 3.938e+00 2.911e-02 135.301 <2e-16 ***

## Fiber..g. -1.409e+00 1.170e-01 -12.048 <2e-16 ***

## Sodium..mg. 6.479e-06 2.357e-05 0.275 0.7835

## Cholesterol..mg. 1.003e-02 4.662e-03 2.151 0.0319 *

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 9.308 on 698 degrees of freedom

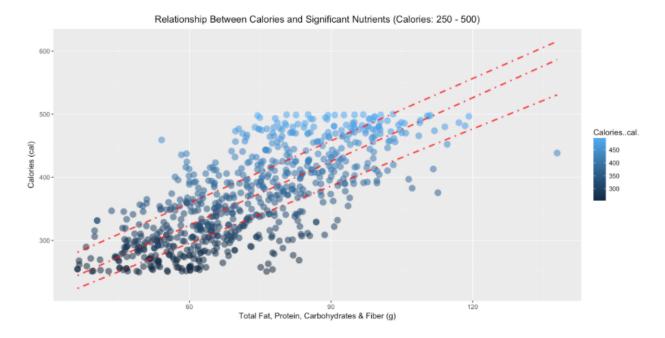
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9837, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9835

## F-statistic: 6015 on 7 and 698 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 3.785e + 00 + 8.629e + 00 * V + 4.247e + 00 * W + 3.938e + 00 * X - 1.409e + 00 * Z + \epsilon$$



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 154.05 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

C. Calorie Subgroup: 500 - 750 cal:

```
spoon_g3_lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g. +Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon_g3)

summary(spoon_g3_lm5)

ggplot(data = spoon_g3, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.), y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +

geom_jitter(size=4,shape=17,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "red",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
```

```
ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 500 - 750)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon g3)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
             1Q Median
                            30
                                 Max
## -36.182 -8.486 -2.634 4.396 120.050
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                 23.5903781 6.6296743 3.558 0.000416 ***
## (Intercept)
## Fat..g.
                8.5151477 0.1145101 74.362 < 2e-16 ***
## Saturated.Fat..g. -0.2701340 0.1492601 -1.810 0.071047.
## Protein..g.
                 4.1499186 0.0728799 56.942 < 2e-16 ***
```

```
## Carbohydrates..g. 3.8955723 0.0536885 72.559 < 2e-16 ***

## Fiber..g. -1.4923789 0.1974398 -7.559 2.63e-13 ***

## Sodium..mg. -0.0002173 0.0001812 -1.199 0.231086

## Cholesterol..mg. 0.0216187 0.0072207 2.994 0.002918 **

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 16.09 on 415 degrees of freedom

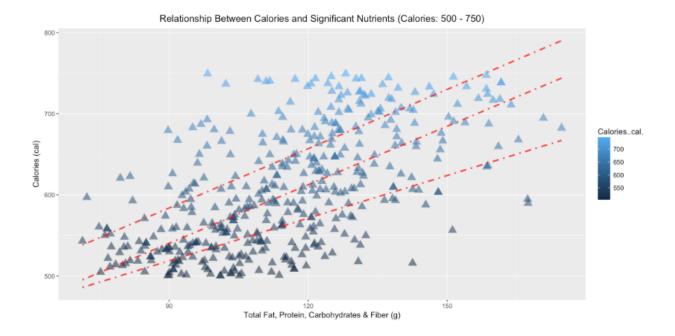
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9506, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9497

## F-statistic: 1140 on 7 and 415 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 23.5903781 + 8.5151477 * V + 4.1499186 * W + 3.8955723 * X - 1.4923789 * Z + \epsilon$$



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 150.68 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.

D. Calorie Subgroup: 750 - 2000 cal:

```
spoon_g4_lm5 <- lm(Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g.+Saturated.Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g. +Fiber..g.+Sodium..mg.+Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon_g4)

summary(spoon_g4_lm5)

ggplot(data = spoon_g4, mapping = aes(x=(Fat..g.+Protein..g.+Carbohydrates..g.+Fiber..g.), y=Calories..cal., col=Calories..cal.)) +

geom_jitter(size=4,shape=18,alpha=0.6) +

geom_quantile(color = "red",size=1,linetype=4,alpha=0.8) +
```

```
ggtitle("Relationship Between Calories and Significant Nutrients (Calories: 750 - 2000)") +
 theme(plot.title = element text(hjust = 0.5)) +
 xlab("Total Fat, Protein, Carbohydrates & Fiber (g)") +
 ylab("Calories (cal)")
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Calories..cal. ~ (Fat..g. + Saturated.Fat..g. +
     Protein..g. + Carbohydrates..g. + Fiber..g. + Sodium..mg. +
##
##
     Cholesterol..mg.), data = spoon g4)
##
## Residuals:
##
     Min
            1Q Median
                           3Q
                                 Max
## -59.927 -11.899 -3.737 5.394 142.559
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                 6.4889974 6.6633707 0.974 0.331
## (Intercept)
## Fat..g.
                8.8638347 0.0990851 89.457 < 2e-16 ***
## Saturated.Fat..g. 0.0647521 0.1923898 0.337 0.737
## Protein..g. 4.1642540 0.0718631 57.947 < 2e-16 ***
```

```
## Carbohydrates..g. 4.0997946 0.0426726 96.076 < 2e-16 ***

## Fiber..g. -2.2085363 0.2572068 -8.587 1.53e-15 ***

## Sodium..mg. -0.0009410 0.0005747 -1.638 0.103

## Cholesterol..mg. 0.0191717 0.0125819 1.524 0.129

## ---

## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 '' 1

##

## Residual standard error: 25.24 on 224 degrees of freedom

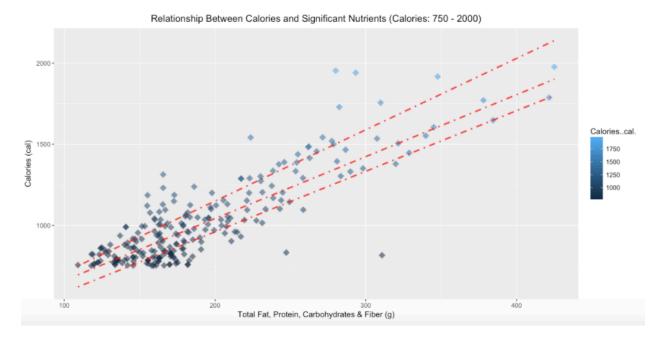
## Multiple R-squared: 0.9914, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9911

## F-statistic: 3682 on 7 and 224 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

There is a strong positive (+) linear relationship between the calories and above significant nutrients (fat, protein, fiber and carbohydrates).

The linear relationship for the above analysis is given by the following equation:

$$Y = 6.4889974 + 8.8638347 * V + 4.1642540 * W + 4.0997946 * X - 2.2085363 * Z + \epsilon$$



Finding: An average increase of 10g in fat, protein, carbohydrates and fiber will likely result in an average increase in calories by 149.19 cal for the given recipes. This relationship can be used to optimize the total calories in the recipes by altering the proportions of their significant nutrients.

Note: The dotted lines indicate the first, second and third quantiles of the data points in the graph.