

Assignment_06 - STAT 689

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```
# import third-party modules
library("HRW")
library("tidyverse")
library("mgcv")
library("nlme")
```

Read in our data

```
fram <- read.csv("/Users/panders2/Documents/schools/tamu/stat_689/homework/semiparametric-regression/hw
names(fram) <- tolower(names(fram))
dim(fram)
```

```
## [1] 1615 10
```

Create new variables for the systolic blood pressure readings and the two cholesterol measurements.

```
# systolic blood pressure first
fram$lsbp <- log(((fram$sbp21 + fram$sbp22 + fram$sbp31 + fram$sbp32) / 4) - 50)
# cholesterol measurements second
fram$lcholest <- log((fram$cholest2 + fram$cholest3) / 2)
```

Keep only the variables that we will be working with directly and make sure everything seems reasonable.

```
fram2 <- fram %>%
  dplyr::select(chd, age, smoker, lsbp, lcholest)
head(fram2)
```

```
##   chd age smoker    lsbp lcholest
## 1   0  56      0 4.317488 5.654242
## 2   0  38      1 4.241327 5.451038
## 3   0  54      1 4.347047 5.654242
## 4   0  42      1 4.185860 5.541264
## 5   0  47      1 4.454347 5.583496
## 6   0  43      1 4.269697 5.298317
```

Question 1

Fit a multiple linear regression of LSBP on lcholest and smoker via “lm” function. Produce a estimates, standard errors, and p-values.

```
# fit model
lin_mod <- lm(lsbp ~ smoker + lcholest
              , data=fram2
              )
# produce summary
summary(lin_mod)
```

```
##
## Call:
```

```
## lm(formula = lsbp ~ smoker + lcholest, data = fram2)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -0.79148 -0.14009 -0.02043  0.10915  0.93289
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   3.55569    0.17029  20.880 < 2e-16 ***
## smoker        -0.03796    0.01251  -3.034  0.00246 **
## lcholest       0.15540    0.03140   4.949 8.22e-07 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.2107 on 1612 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.02036,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.01915
## F-statistic: 16.75 on 2 and 1612 DF,  p-value: 6.299e-08
```

Question 2

Conduct web research on whether smokers have higher or lower blood pressure on average compared to non-smokers.

WebMD indicates that individuals who smoke tend to have higher blood pressure than those who do not. This is not consistent with my findings from Question 1, which indicate that participants who smoke have lower blood pressure than those who do not, conditional on our transformed cholesterol variable. There is nothing in the documentation to indicate that smoker is not encoded with '1' as the positive class. This is suspicious, and suggests that we need to check our data or revisit our model specification.

Question 3

The model produces the expectation of LSBP given smoking status *conditional on* cholesterol.

Question 4

Recreate the same model as in Question 1, but add in an interaction amongst the independent variables.

```
lin_mod2 <- lm(lsbp ~ smoker + lcholest + smoker:lcholest
              , data=fram2
              )
summary(lin_mod2)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = lsbp ~ smoker + lcholest + smoker:lcholest, data = fram2)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -0.79151 -0.14039 -0.02046  0.10916  0.93280
```

```
##
## Coefficients:
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   3.55075    0.33525  10.591  <2e-16 ***
## smoker        -0.03130    0.38907  -0.080   0.9359
## lcholest       0.15632    0.06191   2.525   0.0117 *
## smoker:lcholest -0.00123    0.07184  -0.017   0.9863
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.2108 on 1611 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.02036,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.01854
## F-statistic: 11.16 on 3 and 1611 DF,  p-value: 2.993e-07
```

The smoking indicator is still negatively associated with our blood pressure variable, but is no longer significant in the presence of the interaction term.

Question 5

Run a semiparametric ANCOVA with mgcv, the semiparametric version of an ANCOVA without an interaction.

```
semi_mod <- mgcv::gam(lsbp ~ factor(smoker) +
                      s(lcholest, k=23, bs="cr")
                      , data=fram2
                      , method="REML"
                      )
summary(semi_mod)

##
## Family: gaussian
## Link function: identity
##
## Formula:
## lsbp ~ factor(smoker) + s(lcholest, k = 23, bs = "cr")
##
## Parametric coefficients:
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)   4.39713    0.01100 399.735  < 2e-16 ***
## factor(smoker)1 -0.03799    0.01251  -3.036   0.00244 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Approximate significance of smooth terms:
##           edf Ref.df      F p-value
## s(lcholest) 1.064  1.126 22.27 1.73e-06 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## R-sq.(adj) =  0.0192    Deviance explained = 2.04%
## -REML = -214.85    Scale est. = 0.044402    n = 1615
```

Question 6

For the data in part 5, display a plot of the two lines, but without the data

first, generate the data required for plotting

```
x_var <- seq(from=min(fram2$lcholest)
             , to=max(fram2$lcholest)
             , len=1000
             )
f_hat_smoker <- predict(semi_mod
                       , newdata=data.frame(
                         smoker=rep('0', 1000)
                         , lcholest=x_var
                       )
                       )

f_hat_nosmoke <- predict(semi_mod
                       , newdata=data.frame(
                         smoker=rep('1', 1000)
                         , lcholest=x_var
                       )
                       )

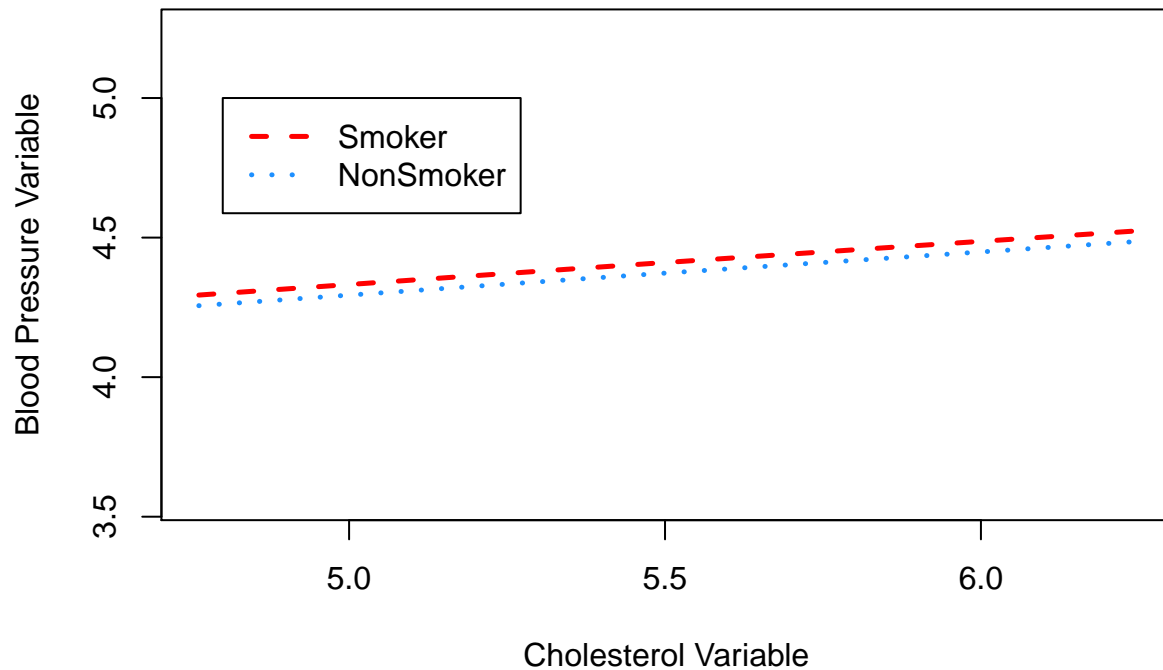
lineColors <- c("red", "dodgerblue")

plot(fram2$lcholest, fram2$lsbp, type="n"
     , xlab="Cholesterol Variable"
     , ylab = "Blood Pressure Variable"
     , main="Blood Presure by Cholesterol ANCOVA comparison"
     )

lines(x_var, f_hat_smoker, lty=2, lwd=2.5, col=lineColors[1])
lines(x_var, f_hat_nosmoke, lty=3, lwd=2.5, col=lineColors[2])

legend(4.8, 5
      , c("Smoker", "NonSmoker")
      , lty=c(2,3)
      , lwd=rep(2.5, 2)
      , col=c(lineColors[1], lineColors[2])
      )
```

Blood Pressure by Cholesterol ANCOVA comparison



Question 7

Skipping for now

```
# form confidence intervals for the regression lines
conf_int_smoke <- predict(semi_mod, newdata=data.frame(
  smoker=rep('1', 1000)
  , lcholest=x_var
  )
  , interval="confidence"
  , level=0.95
)
```

```
# the key is the polygon command in hw02
#https://stackoverflow.com/questions/14069629/plotting-confidence-intervals
glimpse(conf_int_smoke)
```

```
## num [1:1000(1d)] 4.26 4.26 4.26 4.26 4.26 ...
## - attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 1
## ..$ : chr [1:1000] "1" "2" "3" "4" ...
```

```
conf_int_smoke
```

```
##      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8
## 4.256062 4.256298 4.256534 4.256769 4.257005 4.257241 4.257476 4.257712
##      9     10     11     12     13     14     15     16
## 4.257948 4.258183 4.258419 4.258654 4.258890 4.259126 4.259361 4.259597
##     17     18     19     20     21     22     23     24
## 4.259833 4.260068 4.260304 4.260540 4.260775 4.261011 4.261247 4.261482
```

##	25	26	27	28	29	30	31	32
##	4.261718	4.261953	4.262189	4.262425	4.262660	4.262896	4.263132	4.263367
##	33	34	35	36	37	38	39	40
##	4.263603	4.263839	4.264074	4.264310	4.264545	4.264781	4.265017	4.265252
##	41	42	43	44	45	46	47	48
##	4.265488	4.265724	4.265959	4.266195	4.266431	4.266666	4.266902	4.267137
##	49	50	51	52	53	54	55	56
##	4.267373	4.267609	4.267844	4.268080	4.268316	4.268551	4.268787	4.269022
##	57	58	59	60	61	62	63	64
##	4.269258	4.269494	4.269729	4.269965	4.270201	4.270436	4.270672	4.270908
##	65	66	67	68	69	70	71	72
##	4.271143	4.271379	4.271614	4.271850	4.272086	4.272321	4.272557	4.272792
##	73	74	75	76	77	78	79	80
##	4.273028	4.273264	4.273499	4.273735	4.273971	4.274206	4.274442	4.274677
##	81	82	83	84	85	86	87	88
##	4.274913	4.275149	4.275384	4.275620	4.275855	4.276091	4.276327	4.276562
##	89	90	91	92	93	94	95	96
##	4.276798	4.277033	4.277269	4.277505	4.277740	4.277976	4.278212	4.278447
##	97	98	99	100	101	102	103	104
##	4.278683	4.278918	4.279154	4.279390	4.279625	4.279861	4.280096	4.280332
##	105	106	107	108	109	110	111	112
##	4.280567	4.280803	4.281039	4.281274	4.281510	4.281745	4.281981	4.282217
##	113	114	115	116	117	118	119	120
##	4.282452	4.282688	4.282923	4.283159	4.283395	4.283630	4.283866	4.284101
##	121	122	123	124	125	126	127	128
##	4.284337	4.284572	4.284808	4.285044	4.285279	4.285515	4.285750	4.285986
##	129	130	131	132	133	134	135	136
##	4.286221	4.286457	4.286693	4.286928	4.287164	4.287399	4.287635	4.287870
##	137	138	139	140	141	142	143	144
##	4.288106	4.288341	4.288577	4.288813	4.289048	4.289284	4.289519	4.289755
##	145	146	147	148	149	150	151	152
##	4.289990	4.290226	4.290461	4.290697	4.290932	4.291168	4.291404	4.291639
##	153	154	155	156	157	158	159	160
##	4.291875	4.292110	4.292346	4.292581	4.292817	4.293052	4.293288	4.293523
##	161	162	163	164	165	166	167	168
##	4.293759	4.293994	4.294230	4.294465	4.294701	4.294936	4.295172	4.295407
##	169	170	171	172	173	174	175	176
##	4.295643	4.295878	4.296114	4.296349	4.296585	4.296821	4.297056	4.297292
##	177	178	179	180	181	182	183	184
##	4.297527	4.297763	4.297998	4.298233	4.298469	4.298704	4.298940	4.299175
##	185	186	187	188	189	190	191	192
##	4.299411	4.299646	4.299882	4.300117	4.300353	4.300588	4.300824	4.301059
##	193	194	195	196	197	198	199	200
##	4.301295	4.301530	4.301766	4.302001	4.302237	4.302472	4.302708	4.302943
##	201	202	203	204	205	206	207	208
##	4.303178	4.303414	4.303649	4.303885	4.304120	4.304356	4.304591	4.304827
##	209	210	211	212	213	214	215	216
##	4.305062	4.305297	4.305533	4.305768	4.306004	4.306239	4.306474	4.306710
##	217	218	219	220	221	222	223	224
##	4.306945	4.307180	4.307416	4.307651	4.307886	4.308122	4.308357	4.308592
##	225	226	227	228	229	230	231	232
##	4.308828	4.309063	4.309298	4.309533	4.309769	4.310004	4.310239	4.310474
##	233	234	235	236	237	238	239	240
##	4.310710	4.310945	4.311180	4.311415	4.311650	4.311885	4.312121	4.312356

##	241	242	243	244	245	246	247	248
##	4.312591	4.312826	4.313061	4.313296	4.313531	4.313766	4.314001	4.314236
##	249	250	251	252	253	254	255	256
##	4.314471	4.314706	4.314941	4.315176	4.315411	4.315646	4.315881	4.316115
##	257	258	259	260	261	262	263	264
##	4.316350	4.316585	4.316820	4.317055	4.317290	4.317525	4.317759	4.317994
##	265	266	267	268	269	270	271	272
##	4.318229	4.318464	4.318698	4.318933	4.319168	4.319403	4.319637	4.319872
##	273	274	275	276	277	278	279	280
##	4.320107	4.320341	4.320576	4.320811	4.321045	4.321280	4.321514	4.321749
##	281	282	283	284	285	286	287	288
##	4.321983	4.322218	4.322453	4.322687	4.322922	4.323156	4.323391	4.323625
##	289	290	291	292	293	294	295	296
##	4.323860	4.324094	4.324329	4.324563	4.324797	4.325032	4.325266	4.325501
##	297	298	299	300	301	302	303	304
##	4.325735	4.325970	4.326204	4.326438	4.326673	4.326907	4.327141	4.327376
##	305	306	307	308	309	310	311	312
##	4.327610	4.327844	4.328079	4.328313	4.328547	4.328782	4.329016	4.329250
##	313	314	315	316	317	318	319	320
##	4.329484	4.329719	4.329953	4.330187	4.330421	4.330656	4.330890	4.331124
##	321	322	323	324	325	326	327	328
##	4.331358	4.331592	4.331826	4.332061	4.332295	4.332529	4.332763	4.332997
##	329	330	331	332	333	334	335	336
##	4.333231	4.333465	4.333700	4.333934	4.334168	4.334402	4.334636	4.334870
##	337	338	339	340	341	342	343	344
##	4.335104	4.335338	4.335572	4.335806	4.336040	4.336274	4.336508	4.336742
##	345	346	347	348	349	350	351	352
##	4.336976	4.337210	4.337443	4.337677	4.337911	4.338145	4.338379	4.338613
##	353	354	355	356	357	358	359	360
##	4.338846	4.339080	4.339314	4.339548	4.339781	4.340015	4.340249	4.340482
##	361	362	363	364	365	366	367	368
##	4.340716	4.340950	4.341183	4.341417	4.341650	4.341884	4.342117	4.342351
##	369	370	371	372	373	374	375	376
##	4.342584	4.342818	4.343051	4.343284	4.343518	4.343751	4.343984	4.344218
##	377	378	379	380	381	382	383	384
##	4.344451	4.344684	4.344917	4.345150	4.345383	4.345616	4.345849	4.346082
##	385	386	387	388	389	390	391	392
##	4.346315	4.346548	4.346781	4.347014	4.347247	4.347480	4.347713	4.347946
##	393	394	395	396	397	398	399	400
##	4.348178	4.348411	4.348644	4.348876	4.349109	4.349342	4.349574	4.349807
##	401	402	403	404	405	406	407	408
##	4.350039	4.350272	4.350504	4.350736	4.350969	4.351201	4.351433	4.351666
##	409	410	411	412	413	414	415	416
##	4.351898	4.352130	4.352362	4.352594	4.352826	4.353058	4.353290	4.353522
##	417	418	419	420	421	422	423	424
##	4.353754	4.353986	4.354218	4.354450	4.354682	4.354913	4.355145	4.355377
##	425	426	427	428	429	430	431	432
##	4.355608	4.355840	4.356071	4.356303	4.356534	4.356766	4.356997	4.357228
##	433	434	435	436	437	438	439	440
##	4.357460	4.357691	4.357922	4.358153	4.358384	4.358615	4.358846	4.359077
##	441	442	443	444	445	446	447	448
##	4.359308	4.359539	4.359770	4.360001	4.360232	4.360462	4.360693	4.360924
##	449	450	451	452	453	454	455	456
##	4.361154	4.361385	4.361615	4.361845	4.362076	4.362306	4.362536	4.362767

##	457	458	459	460	461	462	463	464
##	4.362997	4.363227	4.363457	4.363687	4.363917	4.364147	4.364377	4.364607
##	465	466	467	468	469	470	471	472
##	4.364836	4.365066	4.365296	4.365525	4.365755	4.365984	4.366214	4.366443
##	473	474	475	476	477	478	479	480
##	4.366673	4.366902	4.367131	4.367360	4.367589	4.367818	4.368047	4.368276
##	481	482	483	484	485	486	487	488
##	4.368505	4.368734	4.368963	4.369192	4.369420	4.369649	4.369878	4.370106
##	489	490	491	492	493	494	495	496
##	4.370335	4.370563	4.370791	4.371020	4.371248	4.371476	4.371704	4.371932
##	497	498	499	500	501	502	503	504
##	4.372160	4.372388	4.372616	4.372844	4.373072	4.373300	4.373527	4.373755
##	505	506	507	508	509	510	511	512
##	4.373983	4.374210	4.374438	4.374665	4.374893	4.375120	4.375347	4.375575
##	513	514	515	516	517	518	519	520
##	4.375802	4.376029	4.376256	4.376483	4.376711	4.376938	4.377165	4.377392
##	521	522	523	524	525	526	527	528
##	4.377619	4.377845	4.378072	4.378299	4.378526	4.378753	4.378979	4.379206
##	529	530	531	532	533	534	535	536
##	4.379433	4.379659	4.379886	4.380112	4.380339	4.380565	4.380792	4.381018
##	537	538	539	540	541	542	543	544
##	4.381244	4.381471	4.381697	4.381923	4.382150	4.382376	4.382602	4.382828
##	545	546	547	548	549	550	551	552
##	4.383054	4.383280	4.383507	4.383733	4.383959	4.384185	4.384411	4.384637
##	553	554	555	556	557	558	559	560
##	4.384862	4.385088	4.385314	4.385540	4.385766	4.385992	4.386217	4.386443
##	561	562	563	564	565	566	567	568
##	4.386669	4.386895	4.387120	4.387346	4.387572	4.387797	4.388023	4.388248
##	569	570	571	572	573	574	575	576
##	4.388474	4.388700	4.388925	4.389151	4.389376	4.389602	4.389827	4.390053
##	577	578	579	580	581	582	583	584
##	4.390278	4.390503	4.390729	4.390954	4.391180	4.391405	4.391630	4.391856
##	585	586	587	588	589	590	591	592
##	4.392081	4.392306	4.392531	4.392757	4.392982	4.393207	4.393432	4.393658
##	593	594	595	596	597	598	599	600
##	4.393883	4.394108	4.394333	4.394559	4.394784	4.395009	4.395234	4.395459
##	601	602	603	604	605	606	607	608
##	4.395684	4.395909	4.396135	4.396360	4.396585	4.396810	4.397035	4.397260
##	609	610	611	612	613	614	615	616
##	4.397485	4.397710	4.397935	4.398160	4.398385	4.398610	4.398836	4.399061
##	617	618	619	620	621	622	623	624
##	4.399286	4.399511	4.399736	4.399961	4.400186	4.400411	4.400636	4.400861
##	625	626	627	628	629	630	631	632
##	4.401086	4.401311	4.401536	4.401761	4.401985	4.402210	4.402435	4.402660
##	633	634	635	636	637	638	639	640
##	4.402885	4.403110	4.403335	4.403560	4.403785	4.404010	4.404235	4.404460
##	641	642	643	644	645	646	647	648
##	4.404685	4.404910	4.405134	4.405359	4.405584	4.405809	4.406034	4.406259
##	649	650	651	652	653	654	655	656
##	4.406484	4.406708	4.406933	4.407158	4.407383	4.407608	4.407833	4.408058
##	657	658	659	660	661	662	663	664
##	4.408282	4.408507	4.408732	4.408957	4.409182	4.409407	4.409631	4.409856
##	665	666	667	668	669	670	671	672
##	4.410081	4.410306	4.410531	4.410755	4.410980	4.411205	4.411430	4.411655

##	673	674	675	676	677	678	679	680
##	4.411879	4.412104	4.412329	4.412554	4.412779	4.413003	4.413228	4.413453
##	681	682	683	684	685	686	687	688
##	4.413678	4.413902	4.414127	4.414352	4.414577	4.414801	4.415026	4.415251
##	689	690	691	692	693	694	695	696
##	4.415476	4.415700	4.415925	4.416150	4.416375	4.416599	4.416824	4.417049
##	697	698	699	700	701	702	703	704
##	4.417274	4.417498	4.417723	4.417948	4.418173	4.418397	4.418622	4.418847
##	705	706	707	708	709	710	711	712
##	4.419072	4.419296	4.419521	4.419746	4.419970	4.420195	4.420420	4.420644
##	713	714	715	716	717	718	719	720
##	4.420869	4.421094	4.421319	4.421543	4.421768	4.421993	4.422217	4.422442
##	721	722	723	724	725	726	727	728
##	4.422667	4.422891	4.423116	4.423341	4.423565	4.423790	4.424015	4.424239
##	729	730	731	732	733	734	735	736
##	4.424464	4.424689	4.424913	4.425138	4.425363	4.425587	4.425812	4.426036
##	737	738	739	740	741	742	743	744
##	4.426261	4.426486	4.426710	4.426935	4.427160	4.427384	4.427609	4.427833
##	745	746	747	748	749	750	751	752
##	4.428058	4.428283	4.428507	4.428732	4.428957	4.429181	4.429406	4.429630
##	753	754	755	756	757	758	759	760
##	4.429855	4.430080	4.430304	4.430529	4.430753	4.430978	4.431203	4.431427
##	761	762	763	764	765	766	767	768
##	4.431652	4.431876	4.432101	4.432325	4.432550	4.432775	4.432999	4.433224
##	769	770	771	772	773	774	775	776
##	4.433448	4.433673	4.433897	4.434122	4.434346	4.434571	4.434796	4.435020
##	777	778	779	780	781	782	783	784
##	4.435245	4.435469	4.435694	4.435918	4.436143	4.436367	4.436592	4.436816
##	785	786	787	788	789	790	791	792
##	4.437041	4.437266	4.437490	4.437715	4.437939	4.438164	4.438388	4.438613
##	793	794	795	796	797	798	799	800
##	4.438837	4.439062	4.439286	4.439511	4.439735	4.439960	4.440184	4.440409
##	801	802	803	804	805	806	807	808
##	4.440633	4.440858	4.441082	4.441307	4.441531	4.441756	4.441980	4.442205
##	809	810	811	812	813	814	815	816
##	4.442429	4.442654	4.442878	4.443103	4.443327	4.443552	4.443776	4.444001
##	817	818	819	820	821	822	823	824
##	4.444225	4.444449	4.444674	4.444898	4.445123	4.445347	4.445572	4.445796
##	825	826	827	828	829	830	831	832
##	4.446021	4.446245	4.446470	4.446694	4.446919	4.447143	4.447367	4.447592
##	833	834	835	836	837	838	839	840
##	4.447816	4.448041	4.448265	4.448490	4.448714	4.448939	4.449163	4.449387
##	841	842	843	844	845	846	847	848
##	4.449612	4.449836	4.450061	4.450285	4.450510	4.450734	4.450958	4.451183
##	849	850	851	852	853	854	855	856
##	4.451407	4.451632	4.451856	4.452081	4.452305	4.452529	4.452754	4.452978
##	857	858	859	860	861	862	863	864
##	4.453203	4.453427	4.453651	4.453876	4.454100	4.454325	4.454549	4.454774
##	865	866	867	868	869	870	871	872
##	4.454998	4.455222	4.455447	4.455671	4.455896	4.456120	4.456344	4.456569
##	873	874	875	876	877	878	879	880
##	4.456793	4.457018	4.457242	4.457466	4.457691	4.457915	4.458139	4.458364
##	881	882	883	884	885	886	887	888
##	4.458588	4.458813	4.459037	4.459261	4.459486	4.459710	4.459935	4.460159

```
##      889      890      891      892      893      894      895      896
## 4.460383 4.460608 4.460832 4.461056 4.461281 4.461505 4.461730 4.461954
##      897      898      899      900      901      902      903      904
## 4.462178 4.462403 4.462627 4.462851 4.463076 4.463300 4.463524 4.463749
##      905      906      907      908      909      910      911      912
## 4.463973 4.464198 4.464422 4.464646 4.464871 4.465095 4.465319 4.465544
##      913      914      915      916      917      918      919      920
## 4.465768 4.465992 4.466217 4.466441 4.466665 4.466890 4.467114 4.467338
##      921      922      923      924      925      926      927      928
## 4.467563 4.467787 4.468012 4.468236 4.468460 4.468685 4.468909 4.469133
##      929      930      931      932      933      934      935      936
## 4.469358 4.469582 4.469806 4.470031 4.470255 4.470479 4.470704 4.470928
##      937      938      939      940      941      942      943      944
## 4.471152 4.471377 4.471601 4.471825 4.472050 4.472274 4.472498 4.472723
##      945      946      947      948      949      950      951      952
## 4.472947 4.473171 4.473396 4.473620 4.473844 4.474069 4.474293 4.474517
##      953      954      955      956      957      958      959      960
## 4.474742 4.474966 4.475190 4.475415 4.475639 4.475863 4.476088 4.476312
##      961      962      963      964      965      966      967      968
## 4.476536 4.476761 4.476985 4.477209 4.477434 4.477658 4.477882 4.478107
##      969      970      971      972      973      974      975      976
## 4.478331 4.478555 4.478780 4.479004 4.479228 4.479452 4.479677 4.479901
##      977      978      979      980      981      982      983      984
## 4.480125 4.480350 4.480574 4.480798 4.481023 4.481247 4.481471 4.481696
##      985      986      987      988      989      990      991      992
## 4.481920 4.482144 4.482369 4.482593 4.482817 4.483042 4.483266 4.483490
##      993      994      995      996      997      998      999      1000
## 4.483715 4.483939 4.484163 4.484388 4.484612 4.484836 4.485060 4.485285
```

Question 8

Run the semiparametric version of ANCOVA but with an interaction.

```
semi_mod2 <- mgcv::gam(lsbp ~ factor(smoker)*lcholest +
                        s(lcholest, k=23, bs="cr")
                        , data=fram2
                        , method="REML"
                        )
summary(semi_mod2)

##
## Family: gaussian
## Link function: identity
##
## Formula:
## lsbp ~ factor(smoker) * lcholest + s(lcholest, k = 23, bs = "cr")
##
## Parametric coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)    0.3664545  0.0218837   16.746  <2e-16 ***
## factor(smoker)1 -0.0330055  0.3891394   -0.085    0.932
## lcholest        0.7444406  0.0044560  167.063  <2e-16 ***
## factor(smoker)1:lcholest -0.0009226  0.0718517   -0.013    0.990
```

```
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Approximate significance of smooth terms:
##              edf Ref.df      F p-value
## s(lcholest) 1.015  1.091 94.01  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Rank: 25/26
## R-sq.(adj) =  0.0186   Deviance explained = 2.05%
## GCV = 0.044542   Scale est. = 0.044429   n = 1615
```

From the above results, it does not appear that there is any sort of interaction present, as the p-value on the interaction term between *smoker* and *lcholest* is not significant.

Question 9

Display the fits of the above regressions, but without the data points.

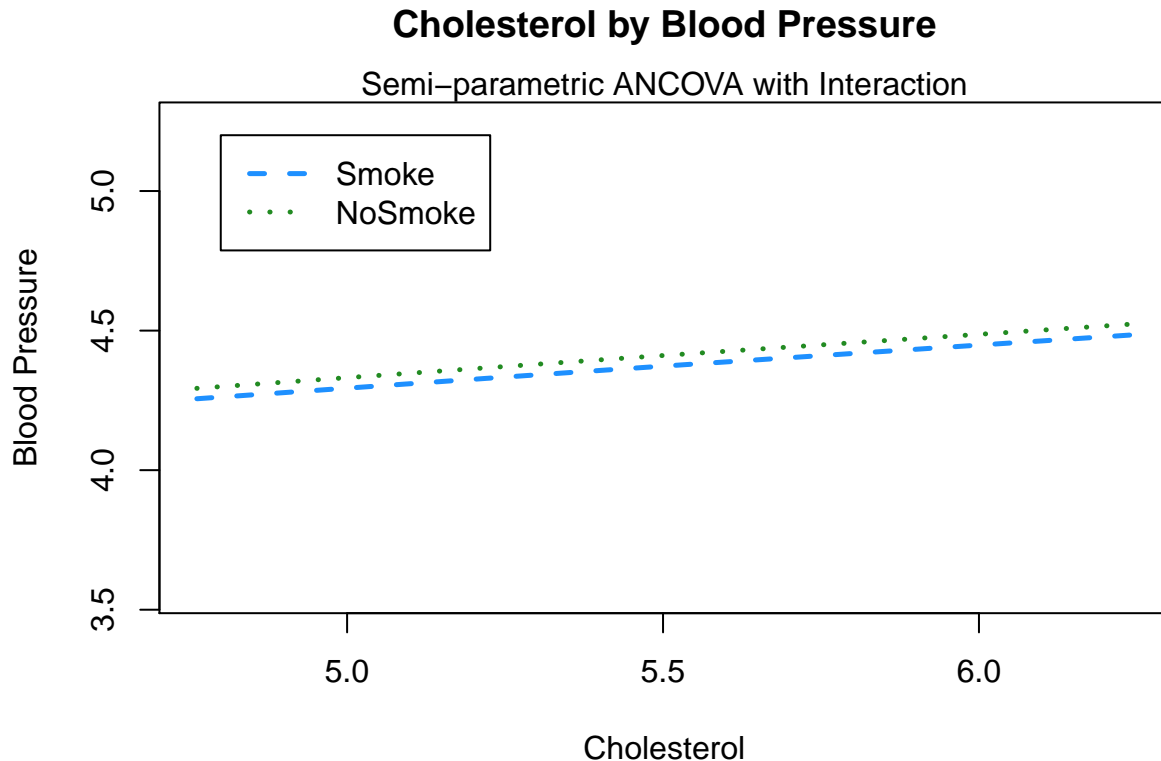
```
ele_num <- 1000
x_vec <- seq(from=min(fram2$lcholest), to=max(fram2$lcholest), len=ele_num)
fHat_smoke <- predict(semi_mod2, newdata=data.frame(
  lcholest=x_vec
  , smoker=rep('1', ele_num)
))

fHat_nosmoke <- predict(semi_mod2, newdata=data.frame(
  lcholest=x_vec
  , smoker=rep('0', ele_num)
))

plot(fram2$lcholest, fram2$lsbp, type='n'
  , xlab="Cholesterol"
  , ylab="Blood Pressure"
  , main="Cholesterol by Blood Pressure"
)
mtext("Semi-parametric ANCOVA with Interaction")

col_vec <- c("dodgerblue", "forestgreen")
lines(x_vec, fHat_smoke, col=col_vec[1], lwd=2.5, lty=2)
lines(x_vec, fHat_nosmoke, col=col_vec[2], lwd=2.5, lty=3)

legend(4.8, 5.2, c("Smoke", "NoSmoke")
  , col=col_vec
  , lwd=rep(2.5, 2)
  , lty=c(2,3)
)
```



Question 10

What does the interaction mean in the case when the factors are binary?

When we have a binary factor for our ANCOVA model, this indicates that the interaction term's coefficient is reflecting what happens to our outcome variable for that factor's non-reference class only.

Question 11

Run an analysis of whether our two regression lines are significantly different.

```
# First, fit the null model
contrast_mod1 <- mgcv::gam(lsbp ~ s(lcholest), data=fram2)

# indicator of the smoke variable taking positive class
smoke_ind <- as.numeric(fram2$smoker==1)
# now, fit the alternative model
contrast_mod2 <- mgcv::gam(lsbp ~ s(lcholest, smoke_ind), data=fram2)

anova(contrast_mod1, contrast_mod2, test="F")

## Analysis of Deviance Table
##
## Model 1: lsbp ~ s(lcholest)
## Model 2: lsbp ~ s(lcholest, smoke_ind)
##   Resid. Df Resid. Dev Df Deviance    F    Pr(>F)
## 1      1613      71.988
```

```
## 2      1612      71.579  1  0.40861 9.2021 0.002456 **
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

It appears that there is a significant difference between the two fits, for smoker and non-smoker.

Question 12

Run native code using lme to fit LSBP vs. age.

```
x <- fram2$lcholest
y <- fram2$lsbp
numIntKnots <- 23
intKnots <- quantile(unique(x), seq(0, 1, length=numIntKnots+2))[-c(1, numIntKnots+2)]
a <- 1.01 * min(x) - 0.01*max(x)
b <- 1.01 * max(x) - 0.01*min(x)
Z <- HRW::ZOSull(x, range.x=c(a, b), intKnots=intKnots)
dummyID <- factor(rep(1, length(x)))
mm_fit <- nlme::lme(y ~ x, random=list(dummyID=pdIdent(~ -1+Z)))
```

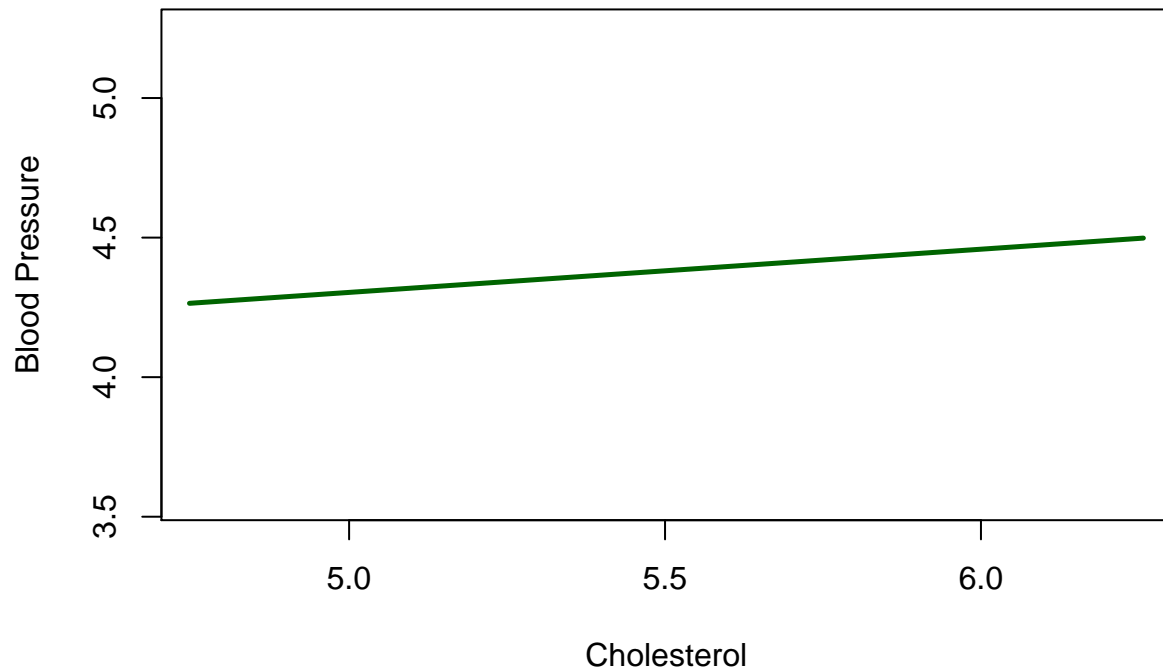
Question 13

Display the fit without data points. Also provide a confidence band.

```
# extract our model coefficient
betaHat <- mm_fit$coefficients$fixed
uHat <- unlist(mm_fit$coefficients$random)
ng <- 1001
xg <- seq(a, b, length.out=ng)
Xg <- cbind(rep(1, ng), xg)
Zg <- HRW::ZOSull(xg, range.x=c(a,b), intKnots=intKnots)
fHatg <- as.vector(Xg %*% betaHat + Zg %*% uHat)
plot(x, y, type='n'
     , xlab="Cholesterol"
     , ylab="Blood Pressure"
     , main='Blood Pressure by Cholesterol Mixed Model Fit'
     )

lines(xg, fHatg, col="darkgreen", lwd=2.5)
```

Blood Pressure by Cholesterol Mixed Model Fit



Question 14

Is the fit of our model statistically significant?

```
anova(mm_fit)
```

```
##           numDF denDF  F-value p-value
## (Intercept)     1  1613 690343.1 <.0001
## x               1  1613    24.2 <.0001
```

The F-test indicates that the fit of our model is significant.

Question 15

Test whether the fit is linear or quadratic vs. the need to do a semiparametric fit.

```
mm_fit2 <- nlme::lme(y ~ x + x**2, random=list(dummyID=pdIdent(~ -1+Z)))
summary(mm_fit2)
```

```
## Linear mixed-effects model fit by REML
## Data: NULL
##           AIC          BIC    logLik
##   -418.6971 -397.1536  213.3485
##
## Random effects:
## Formula: ~-1 + Z | dummyID
## Structure: Multiple of an Identity
##           Z1           Z2           Z3           Z4           Z5
```

```

## StdDev: 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356
##           Z6           Z7           Z8           Z9           Z10
## StdDev: 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356
##           Z11           Z12           Z13           Z14           Z15
## StdDev: 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356
##           Z16           Z17           Z18           Z19           Z20
## StdDev: 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356
##           Z21           Z22           Z23           Z24           Z25
## StdDev: 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356 0.0002778356
##           Residual
## StdDev: 0.2112576
##
## Fixed effects: y ~ x + x^2
##           Value Std.Error   DF   t-value p-value
## (Intercept) 3.529742 0.17050870 1613 20.701240      0
## x           0.154779 0.03147687 1613  4.917213      0
## Correlation:
##   (Intr)
## x -1
##
## Standardized Within-Group Residuals:
##           Min           Q1           Med           Q3           Max
## -3.7875892 -0.6517280 -0.1098031  0.5482766  4.3742402
##
## Number of Observations: 1615
## Number of Groups: 1

```