Problem Set 09

Your name and student ID

Today's date

Run this chunk of code to load the autograder package!

Instructions

- Solutions will be released by Wednesday, April 12th.
- This semester, homework assignments are for practice only and will not be turned in for marks.

Helpful hints:

- Every function you need to use was taught during lecture! So you may need to revisit the lecture code to help you along by opening the relevant files on Datahub. Alternatively, you may wish to view the code in the condensed PDFs posted on the course website. Good luck!
- Knit your file early and often to minimize knitting errors! If you copy and paste code for the slides, you are bound to get an error that is hard to diagnose. Typing out the code is the way to smooth knitting! We recommend knitting your file each time after you write a few sentences/add a new code chunk, so you can detect the source of knitting errors more easily. This will save you and the GSIs from frustration!

Section 1: Abstract interpretation

Read the following abstract and answer the questions that follow.

J Asthma. 2018 Oct 11:1-12. doi: 10.1080/02770903.2018.1508471. Impact of scenario based training on asthma first aid knowledge and skills in school staff: an open label, three-arm, parallel-group repeated measures study. Luckie K1, Saini B1, Soo YYB1,2, Kritikos V1,3, Charles Collins JB1, Jane Moles R1.

OBJECTIVE: To test the hypothesis that scenario-based skills training is more effective than knowledge training alone in improving the asthma first aid (AFA) skills of school personnel. Education developed specifically for non-primary caregivers such as school staff is vital to minimize the risk of mortality associated with asthma.

METHODS: Schools were allocated to one of three arms to compare AFA knowledge and AFA skills. Arm 1 underwent conventional asthma training, arm 2 underwent scenario-based training and arm 3 had a combination of the two. Conventional asthma training involved a didactic oral presentation. The scenario-based skills training required the participant to describe and demonstrate how they would manage a child having a severe exacerbation of asthma using equipment provided. Follow-up occurred at 3 weeks post baseline and again between 3-7 months after the first training/education visit.

RESULTS: Nineteen primary schools (204 participants) were recruited. One-way ANOVA and Bonferroni Post-Hoc Tests showed there was a significant difference in AFA skills scores between the study arms who underwent scenario-based training; arms 2 and 3 (91.5% and 91.1%) and arm 1 who underwent conventional asthma training (77.3%) (p<0.001). AFA knowledge improved significantly in all study arms with no differences between study arms. Improvements seen in both AFA knowledge and AFA skills were maintained over time.

CONCLUSIONS: Scenario-based training was superior to conventional didactic asthma training for AFA skills acquisition and overall competency in the administration of AFA and should be included in future asthma training programs.

1. Two methods of hypothesis testing (types of tests) are mentioned in the abstract. What is the null hypothesis for each of these tests?

 H_0 : There is no difference between scenario-based skills training and knowledge training alone in improving the asthma first aid (AFA) skills of school personnel.

 H_0 : There is no difference in the improvement of asthma first aid skills of school personnel after receiving training scenario-based skills training and a combination of didactic and skills training.

2.	There are two outcomes of interest in this study.	For	which	outcome	would	you	${\bf conclude}$
that there is a significant difference between the training groups?							
Th	ere is a significant difference in outcome between arm1 ar	nd arn	ns2 and	3 of the tr	aining g	roups	S.

3. If you were a school administrator, why might you choose the arm 3 training?

Arm 3 showed a significant improvement over just receiving didactic training but it includes some components that are more traditional to other teaching scenarios. The teaching program would not need to be completely overhauled but rather just include skills-based training.

4. List one question you might want to ask about the methods, sample, or results that would help you interpret the findings of this study.

Possible questions could be: 1. What, if any, training had these recruits already experienced? 2. Were the participants randomized to a study arm? 3. What was the difference between arm 2 and arm 3? 4. How was improvement defined in the context of this study?

5. What is another test that could have been considered for these data?

A two sample t test could have been considered to see if there was a difference in average improvement between arm 2 and arm 3.

Section 2: ANOVA and Tukey's HSD

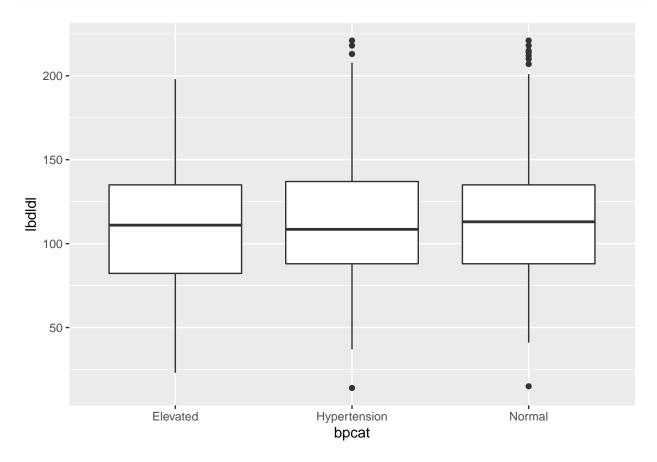
For this question we will use the data from the NHANES survey.

```
## Rows: 2503 Columns: 40
## -- Column specification ------
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (27): agegroup, gender, military, born, citizen, drinkscat, bmicat, sys1...
## dbl (13): ridageyr, drinks, bmxwt, bmxht, bmxbmi, bpxpls, bpxsy1, bpxsy2, bp...
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show_col_types = FALSE' to quiet this message.
## # A tibble: 6 x 40
##
    ridageyr agegroup gender military
                                        born citizen drinks drinkscat bmxwt bmxht
       <dbl> <chr>
                      <chr> <chr>
                                        <chr> <chr>
                                                      <dbl> <chr>
                                                                      <dbl> <dbl>
          72 65+
                                                          0 0
## 1
                      Male
                             History o~ Born~ US cit~
                                                                       88.9 175.
## 2
          73 65+
                      Female No
                                        Born~ US cit~
                                                          0 0
                                                                       52
                                                                             162.
## 3
          61 50-64
                      Female No
                                        Born~ US cit~
                                                                       93.4 162.
                                                          2 11-Jan
                                                        209 96-364
          26 20-34
                      Female No
                                        Born~ US cit~
                                                                       47.1 152.
                                                                       56.8 158
## 5
          33 20-34
                      Female No
                                        No
                                             US cit~
                                                         NA <NA>
## 6
          32 20-34
                      Male
                             No
                                        No
                                             No
                                                        300 96-364
                                                                       79.7 166.
## # ... with 30 more variables: bmxbmi <dbl>, bmicat <chr>, bpxpls <dbl>,
      bpxsy1 <dbl>, bpxsy2 <dbl>, sys1d <chr>, sys2d <chr>, bpxdi1 <dbl>,
      bpxdi2 <dbl>, dias1d <chr>, dias2d <chr>, bpcat <chr>, chest <chr>,
## #
## #
      fs1 <chr>, fs2 <chr>, fs3 <chr>, lbdhdd <dbl>, hdlcat <chr>, highhdl <chr>,
      hi <chr>, asthma <chr>, vwa <chr>, vra <chr>, va <chr>, aspirin <chr>,
## #
      sleep <dbl>, is <chr>, hs <chr>, lbdldl <dbl>, highldl <chr>
## #
```

6. Generate a dataframe of the mean and standard deviations of blood lipid level, lbdldl, by blood pressure group, bpcat.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p6 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
р6
" # END PROMPT
# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
p6 <- nhanes \%% group_by(bpcat) \%%
  summarize(mean = mean(lbdldl), sd = sd(lbdldl))
p6
## # A tibble: 3 x 3
##
   bpcat mean
                          sd
  <chr>
                <dbl> <dbl>
## 1 Elevated 111. 35.0
## 2 Hypertension 113. 35.1
## 3 Normal
            113. 35.1
# END SOLUTION
test_that("p6a", {
  expect_true("data.frame" %in% class(p6))
 print("Checking: p6 is a dataframe")
})
## [1] "Checking: p6 is a dataframe"
## Test passed
test_that("p6b", {
  expect_true(all.equal(p6[[2]], c(111.0524, 113.1113, 113.3995), tolerance = .001))
 print("Checking: correct mean values")
})
## [1] "Checking: correct mean values"
## Test passed
test_that("p6c", {
  expect_true(all.equal(p6[[3]], c(35.00980, 35.09351, 35.11905), tolerance = .001))
 print("Checking: correct sd values")
})
## [1] "Checking: correct sd values"
## Test passed
```

7. Create a box plot to help you visualize these data.



```
# END SOLUTION
```

```
test_that("p7a", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(p7))
  print("Checking: ggplot defined")
})

## [1] "Checking: ggplot defined"

## Test passed

test_that("p7b", {
  expect_true(identical(p7$data, nhanes))
  print("Checking: nhanes data used")
})
```

```
## [1] "Checking: nhanes data used"
## Test passed
test_that("p7c", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p7$mapping$x) == "bpcat")
  print("Checking:blood pressure categories on x axis")
})
## [1] "Checking:blood pressure categories on x axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p7d", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p7$mapping$y) == "lbdldl")
  print("Checking: blood lipid levels on y axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: blood lipid levels on y axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p7e", {
  expect_true("GeomBoxplot" %in% class(p7$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: boxplot created")
})
## [1] "Checking: boxplot created"
## Test passed
```

8. Conduct an ANOVA test followed by Tukey's HSD. Assign the Tukey's HSD test to the variable tukey.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
tukey <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
# p8 <- tidy(tukey) # uncomment this line</pre>
" # END PROMPT
# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
model <- aov(lbdldl~bpcat, data = nhanes)</pre>
tukey <- TukeyHSD(model, conf.level = 0.95)</pre>
p8 <- tidy(tukey)
8q
## # A tibble: 3 x 7
   term contrast
                                 null.value estimate conf.low conf.high adj.p.value
     <chr> <chr>
                                      <dbl>
                                               <dbl>
                                                        <dbl>
                                                                  <dbl>
                                                                              <dbl>
##
## 1 bpcat Hypertension-Elevated
                                        0
                                               2.06
                                                        -4.66
                                                                   8.77
                                                                              0.752
## 2 bpcat Normal-Elevated
                                         0
                                               2.35
                                                                  9.26
                                                       -4.56
                                                                              0.705
## 3 bpcat Normal-Hypertension
                                               0.288
                                                        -5.03
                                                                   5.61
                                                                              0.991
# END SOLUTION
test_that("p8a", {
  expect_true("TukeyHSD" %in% class(tukey))
  print("Checking: TukeyHSD function used")
})
## [1] "Checking: TukeyHSD function used"
## Test passed
test_that("p8b", {
  expect_true(all.equal(tukey$bpcat[1,4], 0.751907, tol = 0.001))
  print("Checking: adjusted p-values")
})
## [1] "Checking: adjusted p-values"
## Test passed
```

9. What are the null and alternative hypotheses for this test?

 H_0 = The average blood lipid level is equal across blood pressure groups.

 H_A = The average blood lipid level is different for at least one of the three blood pressure groups.

10. What can you conclude from your analysis?

Since all of the confidence intervals contain 0 and none of the p-values are significant at an alpha = 0.05 level, we fail to reject the null hypothesis that the average blood lipid level is equal across blood pressure groups.

Section 3: Non-parametric Tests

You are testing students' change in test scores following an intensive tutoring session. You have the following data from a small group of students where each student is tested before and after the tutoring session. Each row represents one student.

Time 1	Time 2
65	77
87	100
77	75
90	89
70	80
84	81
92	91
83	96
85	84
91	89
68	88
72	100
81	81

```
# this code makes a dataframe of the table you see above
test_scores <- tribble(</pre>
  ~time1, ~time2,
  65, 77,
  87, 100,
  77, 75,
  90, 89,
  70, 80,
  84, 81,
  92, 91,
  83, 96,
  85, 84,
  91, 89,
  68, 88,
  72, 100,
  81, 81)
```

11. Calculate the appropriate non-parametric test for these data by hand.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p11 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p11
" # END PROMPT

# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
test_scores <- test_scores %>% mutate(diff = time1 - time2)
n <- nrow(test_scores) - 1 # one obs was dropped as the difference was 0
t <- 21
mu <- (n*(n + 1))/4
mu</pre>
```

```
## [1] 39
sigma \leftarrow sqrt((n*(n+1)*(2*n+1))/24)
sigma
## [1] 12.74755
z.stat \leftarrow (t - mu)/sigma
## [1] -1.412036
p11 <- round(2*pnorm(z.stat),4)</pre>
p11
## [1] 0.1579
# END SOLUTION
test_that("p11", {
  expect_true(all.equal(p11, 0.1579393, tolerance = .001))
 print("Checking: value of p-value")
})
## [1] "Checking: value of p-value"
## Test passed
```

12. Check your work using a function in R. Keep your answer as a decimal rounded to 4 decimal places. Report your p-value and save it to the variable p12.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p12 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p12
" # END PROMPT
# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
wilcox.test(test_scores %% pull(time1),test_scores %>% pull(time2), paired=T, correct=FALSE)
##
##
   Wilcoxon signed rank test
## data: test_scores %>% pull(time1) and test_scores %>% pull(time2)
## V = 21, p-value = 0.157
\ensuremath{\mbox{\#\#}} alternative hypothesis: true location shift is not equal to 0
p12 <- 0.1579
p12
## [1] 0.1579
# END SOLUTION
test_that("p12", {
  expect_true(all.equal(p12, 0.1579393, tol = 0.001))
  print("Checking: value of p-value")
})
## [1] "Checking: value of p-value"
## Test passed
```

Section 4: Voting during the 1992 election

Let's consider some historical data on voting patterns across US counties. This code loads in the dataframe called counties:

load("data/A10_counties.sav")

These data are from the 1992 election and looks at the percent of votes cast (for each county) for the democrat (Bill Clinton), republican (George Bush), and independent presidential nominees (Ross Perot).

Ideally, if you were interested in voting patterns, you might look at the relationship between individual characteristics and whether each individual voted Democrat or Republican. However, data like that is often hard to come by. The counties data provide data on 3141 counties. Use View() to examine these data briefly and read the labels corresponding to the variables. Note that Alaska is not included and that two other counties with populations = 0 have also been excluded.

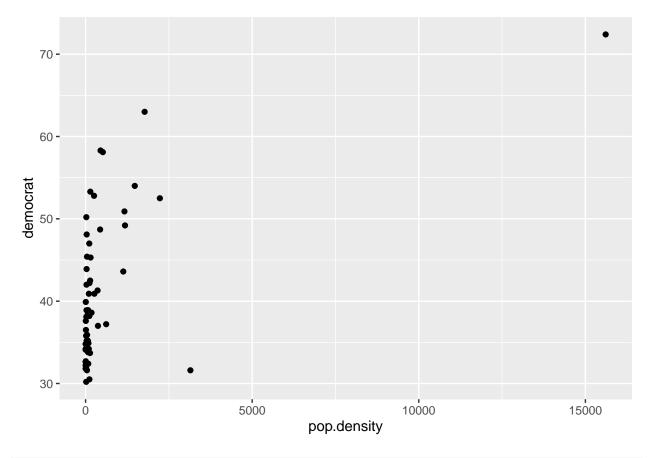
As discussed in class, we have the entire population (not just a sample), so strictly speaking we don't need to perform statistical inference. However, we might pretend this is a sample so that we can apply the techniques of inference and gain competence creating and interpreting a linear model.

13. Make a subset of the original counties dataset called counties_CA that only includes California counties. Then use this new dataset to plot the relationship between the percent of votes cast for the Democratic candidate (democrat) and the population density of the county (pop.density).

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p13 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p13
" # END PROMPT

# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
counties_CA <- counties %>% filter(state == "CA")

p13 <- ggplot(counties_CA, aes(x = pop.density, y = democrat)) +
    geom_point()
p13</pre>
```



```
# END SOLUTION
```

```
test_that("p13a", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(p13))
  print("Checking: ggplot created")
})
```

```
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created"
## Test passed
```

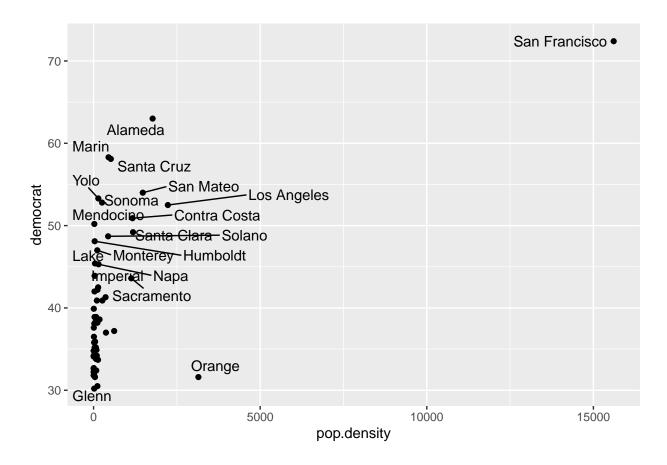
```
test_that("p13b", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p13$mapping$x) == "pop.density")
  print("Checking: pop.density on x-axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: pop.density on x-axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p13c", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p13$mapping$y) == "democrat")
 print("Checking: democrat on y-axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: democrat on y-axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p13d", {
 expect_true("GeomPoint" %in% class(p13$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: scatterplot added")
})
## [1] "Checking: scatterplot added"
## Test passed
```

14. The above plot is difficult to interpret. The distribution of population density is skewed right, with a few counties having much higher densities than the majority of counties. To see which counties these are, we will use <code>geom_text_repel</code> from the library <code>ggrepel</code>. This will label the points with the county names. The template for using this function is: <code>geom_text_repel(aes(label = your_labeling_var))</code>. The labeling variable should be the county names. Create the same plot as in question 1 with this added <code>geom_text_repel()</code> component.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p14 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p14
" # END PROMPT

# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
p14 <- ggplot(counties_CA, aes(x = pop.density, y = democrat)) +
    geom_point() +
    geom_text_repel(aes(label = county))</pre>
```

Warning: ggrepel: 38 unlabeled data points (too many overlaps). Consider
increasing max.overlaps



END SOLUTION

```
test_that("p14a", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(p14))
  print("Checking: ggplot created")
})
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created"
## Test passed
test_that("p14b", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p14$mapping$x) == "pop.density")
  print("Checking: pop.density on x-axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: pop.density on x-axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p14c", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p14$mapping$y) == "democrat")
  print("Checking: democrat on y-axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: democrat on y-axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p14d", {
  expect_true("GeomPoint" %in% class(p14$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: scatterplot added")
})
## [1] "Checking: scatterplot added"
## Test passed
test_that("p14e", {
  expect_true("GeomTextRepel" %in% class(p14$layers[[2]]$geom))
  print("Checking: labels added")
})
## [1] "Checking: labels added"
## Test passed
```

The current issue with these data is that San Francisco has a much higher population density than other counties, and that generally there is a large right skew in the distribution of the population density variable.

If we tried to fit a linear model to these data, it would not fit well because the relationship between population density and the response variable is not linear. However, this is the perfect situation to try transforming the x-variable.

15. Add a new variable to the counties_CA dataset called log_pop_density that is the log of the population density variable. Remake the plot above using this new variable, add a smoothed fitted line, and assign this to p15.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p15 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p15
" # END PROMPT

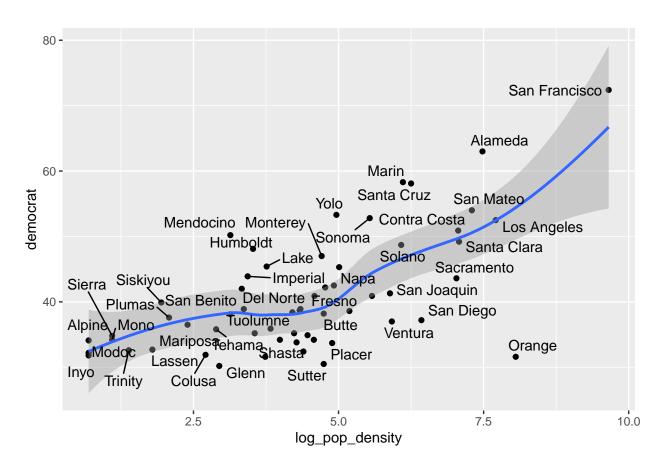
# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT

counties_CA <- counties_CA %>%
    mutate(log_pop_density = log(pop.density))

p15 <- ggplot(counties_CA, aes(x = log_pop_density, y = democrat)) +
    geom_point() +
    geom_smooth() +
    geom_text_repel(aes(label = county))</pre>
```

```
## 'geom_smooth()' using method = 'loess' and formula 'y ~ x'
```

Warning: ggrepel: 15 unlabeled data points (too many overlaps). Consider ## increasing max.overlaps



```
# END SOLUTION
test_that("p15a", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(p15))
  print("Checking: ggplot created")
})
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created"
## Test passed
test_that("p15b", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p15$mapping$x) == "log_pop_density")
  print("Checking: logged pop density on x-axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: logged pop density on x-axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p15c", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(p15$mapping$y) == "democrat")
  print("Checking: democrat on y-axis")
})
## [1] "Checking: democrat on y-axis"
## Test passed
test_that("p15d", {
  expect_true("GeomPoint" %in% class(p15$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: scatterplot added")
})
## [1] "Checking: scatterplot added"
## Test passed
test that ("p15e", {
  expect_true("GeomTextRepel" %in% c(class(p15$layers[[3]]$geom), class(p15$layers[[2]]$geom)))
  print("Checking: labels added")
})
## [1] "Checking: labels added"
## Test passed
```

16. Describe the relationship between the (logged) population density and the response variable in terms of the strength, form, direction, and outliers. Calculate the correlation coefficient and assign this value to p16.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p16 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p16
" # END PROMPT

# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
p16 <- counties_CA %>% summarise(cor = cor(democrat, log_pop_density)) %>% pull(cor)
p16

## [1] 0.6381187

# END SOLUTION

test_that("p16a", {
    expect_true(all.equal(p16, 0.6381187, tol = 0.01))
    print("Checking: Correct correlation coefficient")
})

## [1] "Checking: Correct correlation coefficient"
## Test passed
```

Direction: There is a positive association between logged population density and the % of votes cast for the democratic candidate is

Shape: Roughly linear, or slightly curved. Outliers: No real large outliers, though SF and Orange County are a bit further out from the rest of the points.

Strength: 0.638

The correlation between the variables is 64%, indicating a moderate positive association.

17. Run a linear regression model of the percent votes cast for the democratic candidate as a function of the logged population density. Use the tidy() function to show the slope and intercept estimates. Interpret the relationship between the logged population density and the response variable. Use another function from the broom package show the r-squared value. Assign this value to p5 and interpret its meaning in the context of the problem.

```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
p17 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
p17
" # END PROMPT
# BEGIN SOLUTION NO PROMPT
lm_CA <- lm(formula = democrat ~ log_pop_density, data = counties_CA)</pre>
tidy(lm_CA)
## # A tibble: 2 x 5
##
     term
                     estimate std.error statistic p.value
##
     <chr>
                        <dbl>
                                   <dbl>
                                             <dbl>
                                                       <dbl>
                                   2.22
## 1 (Intercept)
                        28.4
                                             12.8 3.10e-18
## 2 log_pop_density
                         2.88
                                   0.464
                                              6.20 7.12e- 8
model<- glance(lm_CA)</pre>
p17 <- model %>% pull(r.squared)
p17
## [1] 0.4071955
# END SOLUTION
test_that("p17a", {
  expect_true(all.equal(p17, 0.4071955, tol = 0.01))
  print("Checking: Correct r-squared value")
})
## [1] "Checking: Correct r-squared value"
## Test passed
```

A one unit change in the logged population density is associated with a 2.88 (where population density was the 1992 population per square-mile) percentage point increase in the percent of votes cast for the democratic candidate.

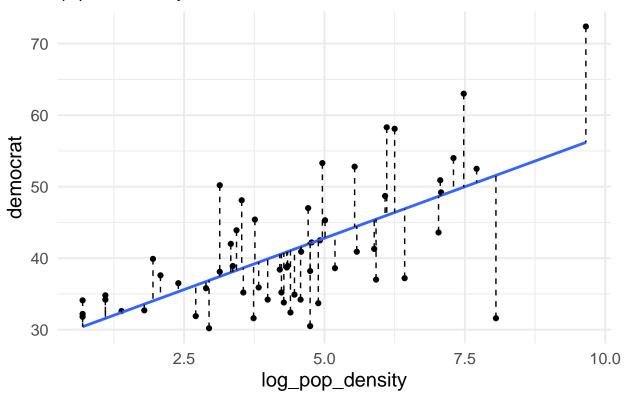
The r-squared is 0.41, implying that 41% of the variation in percentage votes casts is explained by the logged population density.

18. Fit the augmented model and assign this to CA_augment. Then create the 4 plots used to check the assumptions for using linear regression.

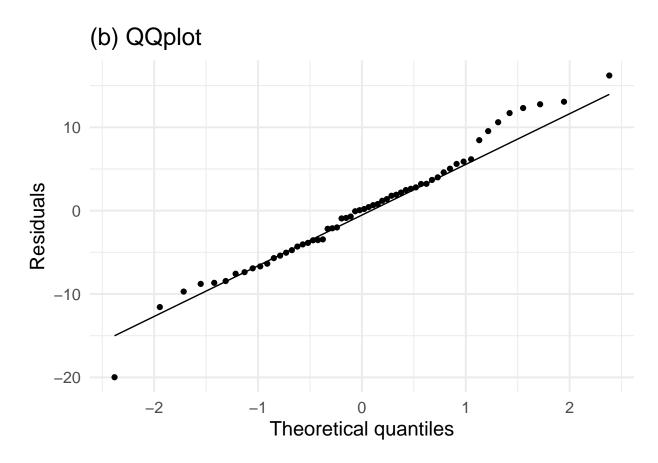
```
. = " # BEGIN PROMPT
CA_augment <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
CA_augment
plot1 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
plot1
plot2 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
plot2
plot3 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
plot3
plot4 <- NULL # YOUR CODE HERE
plot4
" # END PROMPT
# BEGIN SOLUTION
CA_augment <- augment(lm_CA)</pre>
# scatter plot
plot1 \leftarrow ggplot(CA\_augment, aes(y = democrat, x = log\_pop\_density)) +
  geom_point() +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm", se = F) +
  geom_segment(aes(xend = log_pop_density, yend = .fitted), lty = 2) +
  theme_minimal(base_size = 15) +
  labs(title = "(a) Scatter plot")
plot1
```

'geom_smooth()' using formula 'y ~ x'

(a) Scatter plot

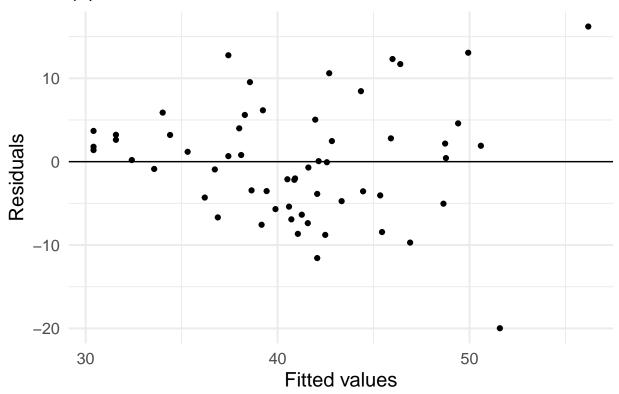


```
# QQ plot
plot2 <- ggplot(CA_augment, aes(sample = .resid)) +
  geom_qq() +
  geom_qq_line() +
  theme_minimal(base_size = 15) +
  labs(y = "Residuals", x = "Theoretical quantiles", title = "(b) QQplot")
plot2</pre>
```



```
## Fitted vs. residuals
plot3 <- ggplot(CA_augment, aes(y = .resid, x = .fitted)) +
   geom_point() +
   theme_minimal(base_size = 15) +
   geom_hline(aes(yintercept = 0)) +
   labs(y = "Residuals", x = "Fitted values", title = "(c) Fitted vs. residuals")
plot3</pre>
```

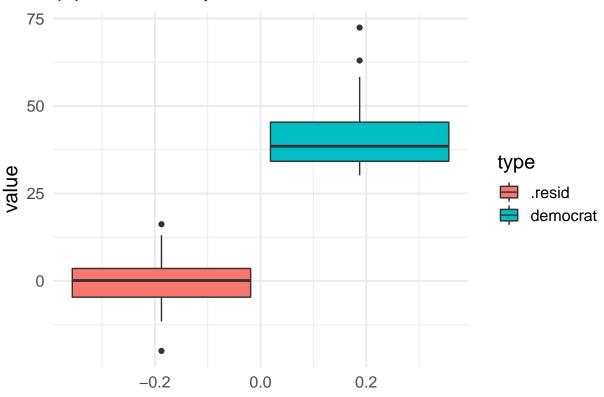
(c) Fitted vs. residuals



```
## Amount explained
bolt_gather <- CA_augment %>% select(democrat, .resid) %>%
  gather(key = "type", value = "value", democrat, .resid)

plot4 <- ggplot(bolt_gather, aes(y = value)) +
  geom_boxplot(aes(fill = type)) +
  theme_minimal(base_size = 15) +
  labs(title = "(d) Amount explained")
plot4</pre>
```

(d) Amount explained



```
# END SOLUTION
```

Test passed

```
test_that("p18a", {
  expect_true(all.equal(CA_augment$.fitted[1], 49.93225, tol = 0.01))
  print("Checking: Correct augmented model")
## [1] "Checking: Correct augmented model"
## Test passed
test_that("p18b", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(plot1))
  print("Checking: ggplot created in plot1")
})
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created in plot1"
## Test passed
test_that("p18c", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(plot1$mapping$x) == "log_pop_density")
  print("Checking: logged pop density on x-axis of plot1")
})
## [1] "Checking: logged pop density on x-axis of plot1"
```

```
test_that("p18d", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(plot1$mapping$y) == "democrat")
  print("Checking: democrat on y-axis of plot1")
})
## [1] "Checking: democrat on y-axis of plot1"
## Test passed
test_that("p18e", {
  expect_true("GeomPoint" %in% class(plot1$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: scatterplot added to plot1")
})
## [1] "Checking: scatterplot added to plot1"
## Test passed
test_that("p18f", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(plot2))
  print("Checking: ggplot created in plot2")
})
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created in plot2"
## Test passed
test_that("p18g", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(plot2$mapping$sample) == ".resid")
  print("Checking: residuals plotted as 'sample' in plot2")
})
## [1] "Checking: residuals plotted as 'sample' in plot2"
## Test passed
test_that("p18h", {
  expect_true("StatQqLine" %in% class(plot2$layers[[2]]$stat))
  print("Checking: qqplot defined for plot2")
})
## [1] "Checking: qqplot defined for plot2"
## Test passed
test_that("p18i", {
  expect_true("GeomPoint" %in% class(plot2$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: scatterplot added to plot2")
})
## [1] "Checking: scatterplot added to plot2"
## Test passed
```

```
test_that("p18j", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(plot3))
  print("Checking: ggplot created in plot3")
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created in plot3"
## Test passed
test_that("p18k", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(plot3$mapping$x) == ".fitted")
  print("Checking: fitted values on x-axis of plot3")
})
## [1] "Checking: fitted values on x-axis of plot3"
## Test passed
test_that("p181", {
  expect_true(rlang::quo_get_expr(plot3$mapping$y) == ".resid")
  print("Checking: residuals on y-axis of plot3")
})
## [1] "Checking: residuals on y-axis of plot3"
## Test passed
test_that("p18m", {
  expect_true("GeomPoint" %in% class(plot3$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: scatterplot added to plot3")
})
## [1] "Checking: scatterplot added to plot3"
## Test passed
test_that("p18n", {
  expect_true("ggplot" %in% class(plot4))
  print("Checking: ggplot created in plot4")
})
## [1] "Checking: ggplot created in plot4"
## Test passed
test_that("p180", {
  expect_true("GeomBoxplot" %in% class(plot4$layers[[1]]$geom))
  print("Checking: boxplot created for plot4")
})
## [1] "Checking: boxplot created for plot4"
## Test passed
```

19. Comment on each of the plots and conclude whether any assumptions appear to be violated. Don't forget to comment on the one assumption that cannot be investigated using plots!

- There is a violation of the assumption that the standard deviation of the response variable are identical for all values of the explantory variable. We see here that as the log population density increases, the residuals become larger.
- The relationship between X and Y is approximately linear, though there is a lot of variation around the line of best fit. (This points to the fact that though population density is predictive of the response variable, there are other factors that are not included in our model that have further predictive power.)
- The QQ plot looks ok. (May be interpreted as a problem with the largest residuals.
- We can't check the assumption that the points are independent using this plot.) Here that corresponds to the counties being independent of one another. This model treats them as independent units. [More sophisticaled models can take the spatial relationships between the counties into account (to account for the fact that counties closer to each other may be more similar.)]