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```
crops <- read.table("../data/crops.txt", header = TRUE)
crops_frame <- data.frame(crops)
yes_filter <- data.frame(match = c("yes"))
crops_frame$Related <- c(0, 1)[(crops_frame$Related %in% yes_filter) + 1]
crops_frame$County <- factor(crops_frame$County)
crops_frame$Related <- factor(crops_frame$Related)

county_related_anova <- lm(Crops ~ Related * County, data = crops_frame)
```

This data comes from a sample of farms from three counties in Iowa. We want to know how the factors of the county and whether the farmer is related to the landlord of the farmland is related to the total crop yield of the farms.

Part A

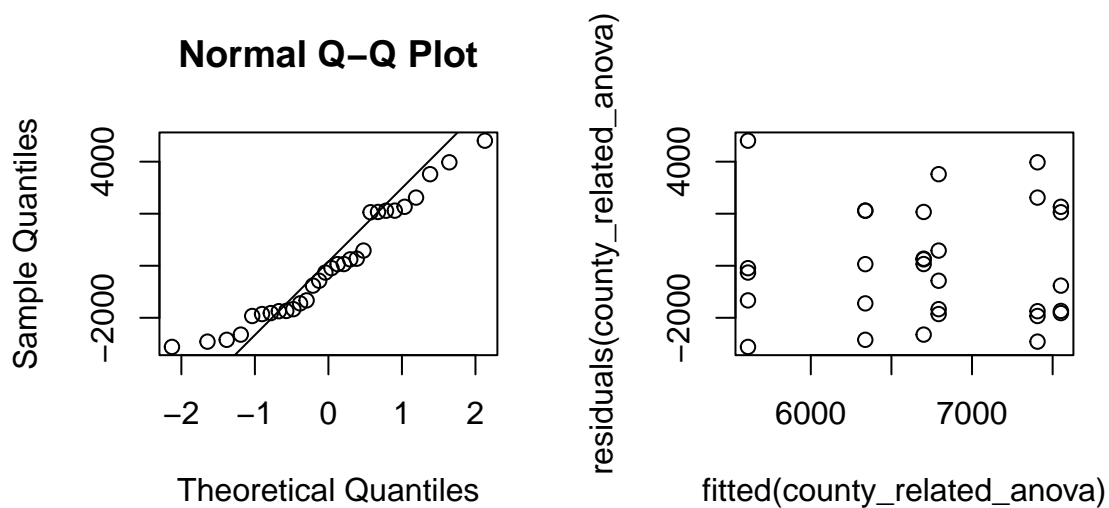
Firstly, we perform a two-way ANOVA on the Count, Related and Crops columns, which gives

```
anova(county_related_anova)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Crops
##          Df      Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## Related    1   2378957 2378957   0.4113 0.5274
## County     2   8841441 4420721   0.7644 0.4766
## Related:County 2   1497573  748786   0.1295 0.8792
## Residuals  24 138805865 5783578
```

The p-value here is given by the `Pr(>F)` column. For the Related and County factors separately, the p-value is not below 0.05, which means that a linear relation between these factors and the crop yield cannot be conclusively established. This is also true for the interaction between County and Related. As the two-way ANOVA assumes the data is normally distributed, we have to assess the normality of the data.

```
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
p1 <- qqnorm(residuals(county_related_anova))
qqline(residuals(county_related_anova))
p2 <- plot(fitted(county_related_anova), residuals(county_related_anova))
```



The left Q-Q plot of the residuals of the ANOVA places the point in roughly a straight line, which implies that this data is normally distributed.

The right plot shows how the spread of the residuals is roughly equal for all values. This implies that the underlying data is normally distributed.

```
summary(county_related_anova)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Crops ~ Related * County, data = crops_frame)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3120.4 -1744.7  -176.9   2064.2  4806.6
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      6700.0     1075.5   6.230 1.94e-06 ***
## Related1         -362.0     1521.0  -0.238   0.814
## County2           93.0     1521.0   0.061   0.952
## County3          851.2     1521.0   0.560   0.581
## Related1:County2  -820.6     2151.0  -0.381   0.706
## Related1:County3   217.0     2151.0   0.101   0.920
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2405 on 24 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.08393,    Adjusted R-squared:  -0.1069
## F-statistic: 0.4398 on 5 and 24 DF,  p-value: 0.8163
```

This summary shows that the average farm in county 1 of which the farmer is not related to the landlord is 6700. The average for a farmer in county 3 would then be

```
6700.0 + 851.0
```

```
## [1] 7551
```