# Statistics with Spa Report ows

Lecture 18

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# And what else?

Linear mixed models

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• Combine linear models and variance analysis

## Nested data structure

- Repeated mesures
- Offspring in families

• ...

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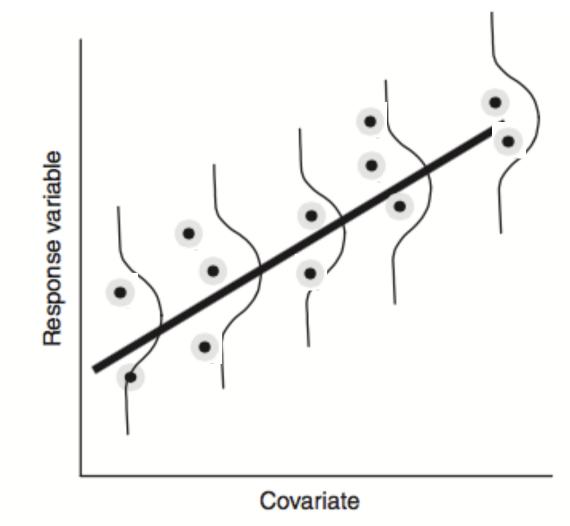
Linear model bit that we know Estimates FIXED intercept, covariates and factors

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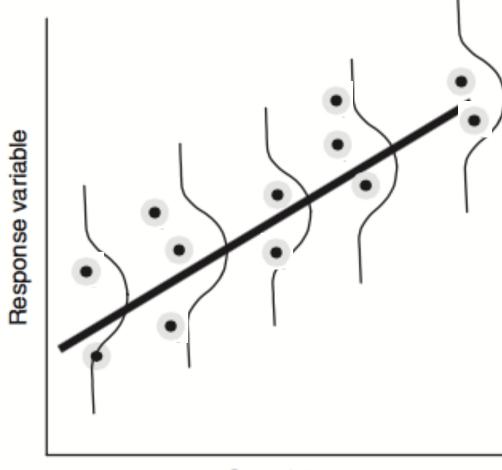
Random factor for a group j (i.e. BirdID)
Estimate variance component AMONG BIRDS

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**Residual variance** 

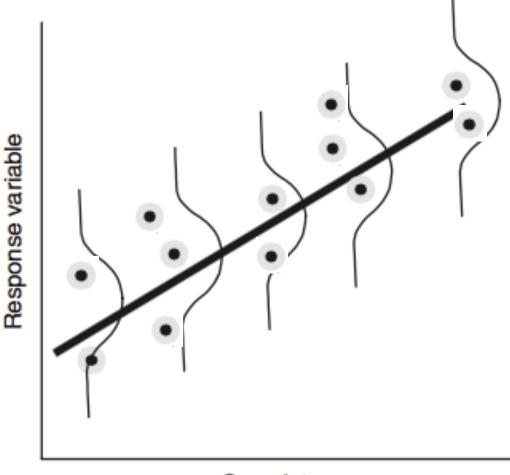


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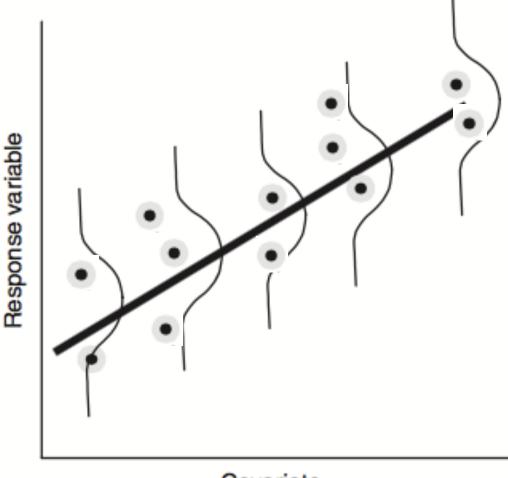
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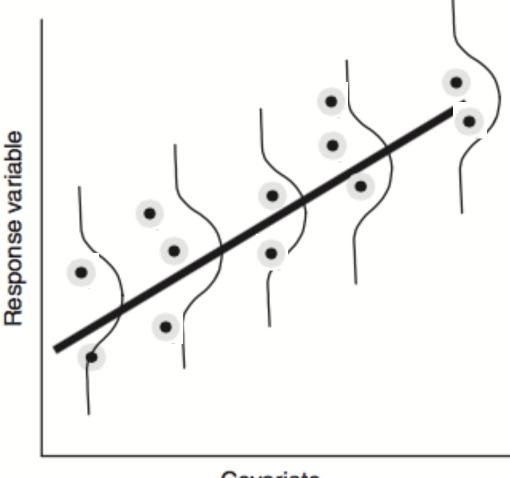
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