Climate Water Loss Experiment - Capture Hydration Analysis

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${ m CEWL} \sim { m Temperature} \ { m at Measurement} \ \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots \ldots$
CEWL ~ VPD at Measurement
CEWL ~ VPD at Capture
CEWL ~ Wind at Capture
CEWL ~ Date
Figure Arrangements

Packages

```
if (!require("tidyverse")) install.packages("tidyverse")
library("tidyverse") # workflow and plots
if (!require("lme4")) install.packages("lme4")
library("lme4") # for LMMs
if (!require("lmerTest")) install.packages("lmerTest")
library("lmerTest") # for p-values
if (!require("UsingR")) install.packages("UsingR")
library("UsingR") # simple.eda model assumption checker
if (!require("ggpubr")) install.packages("ggpubr")
library("ggpubr") # for multi-qqplot fiqs
if (!require("broom.mixed")) install.packages("broom.mixed")
library("broom.mixed") # lmer model export
if (!require("AICcmodavg")) install.packages("AICcmodavg")
library("AICcmodavg") # model selection
if (!require("car")) install.packages("car")
library("car") # VIFs
if (!require("AICcmodavg")) install.packages("AICcmodavg")
library("AICcmodavg") # model selection
if (!require("RColorBrewer")) install.packages("RColorBrewer")
library("RColorBrewer") # color
```

Background and Goals

This data was collected June - August by Master's student Savannah Weaver, advisor Dr. Emily Taylor, and research assistants Tess McIntyre and Taylor Van Rossum. Adult male *Sceloporus occidentalis* were caught across the Cal Poly campus then acclimated to 4 different climate treatments. **This R file analyzes the state and variation of osmotic balance and regulation at the time of capture.** Please refer to the published scientific journal article for full details.

Load Data

```
dat <- read rds("./data/analysis data capture.RDS")</pre>
summary(dat)
   individual_ID
                       mass_g
                                                            SVL_mm
                                   hematocrit_percent
##
    201
           : 1
                  Min.
                        : 8.80
                                   Min.
                                           :27.00
                                                        Min.
                                                               :60.00
##
    202
                  1st Qu.:10.60
                                   1st Qu.:34.25
                                                        1st Qu.:66.00
           : 1
##
  203
             1
                  Median :11.65
                                   Median :39.00
                                                        Median :67.00
    204
              1
                  Mean
                          :11.73
                                   Mean
                                           :38.93
                                                        Mean
                                                               :67.71
##
    205
              1
                  3rd Qu.:12.70
                                   3rd Qu.:43.00
                                                        3rd Qu.:70.00
##
    206
                          :17.40
                                           :52.00
                                                               :77.00
                  Max.
                                   Max.
                                                        Max.
   (Other):132
```

```
##
     capture date
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean CEWL_g_m2h_mean
                                                                      msmt temp C
##
                                  :305.0
    Min.
           :2021-06-16
                          Min.
                                                   Min.
                                                          : 7.152
                                                                     Min.
                                                                            :25.90
                          1st Qu.:334.3
                                                   1st Qu.:17.255
    1st Qu.:2021-06-26
                                                                     1st Qu.:26.72
##
    Median :2021-07-20
                          Median :344.6
                                                   Median :21.030
                                                                     Median :26.96
##
    Mean
           :2021-07-16
                          Mean
                                 :348.3
                                                   Mean
                                                           :20.760
                                                                     Mean
                                                                            :27.20
##
    3rd Qu.:2021-08-08
                          3rd Qu.:361.9
                                                                     3rd Qu.:27.50
                                                   3rd Qu.:24.416
           :2021-08-22
##
    Max.
                          Max.
                                 :395.0
                                                   Max.
                                                           :34.660
                                                                     Max.
                                                                            :29.20
##
##
    msmt_RH_percent cloacal_temp_C
                                        date_time
##
           :25.52
                    Min.
                            :25.00
                                     Min.
                                             :2021-06-16 09:54:00.00
    1st Qu.:45.77
                     1st Qu.:26.00
                                      1st Qu.:2021-06-26 12:59:30.00
##
    Median :47.09
                     Median :26.00
                                     Median :2021-07-20 13:17:00.00
##
    Mean
           :44.08
                    Mean
                            :26.45
                                     Mean
                                             :2021-07-17 06:56:12.60
                     3rd Qu.:27.00
##
    3rd Qu.:48.44
                                     3rd Qu.:2021-08-08 13:39:00.00
##
    Max.
           :53.15
                            :30.00
                                             :2021-08-22 15:19:00.00
                     Max.
                                     Max.
##
##
                       e_s_kPa_m
                                        e_a_kPa_m
                                                        msmt_VPD_kPa
     msmt_temp_K
##
    Min.
           :299.1
                     Min.
                            :3.441
                                             :0.9894
                                                       Min. :1.612
                                     Min.
                                     1st Qu.:1.6913
    1st Qu.:299.9
                     1st Qu.:3.616
##
                                                       1st Qu.:1.846
##
    Median :300.1
                     Median :3.669
                                     Median :1.7342
                                                       Median :1.942
##
    Mean
           :300.3
                     Mean
                            :3.724
                                     Mean
                                             :1.6312
                                                       Mean
                                                               :2.093
    3rd Qu.:300.6
                     3rd Qu.:3.790
                                      3rd Qu.:1.7865
                                                       3rd Qu.:2.053
##
    Max.
           :302.4
                            :4.194
                                             :1.8502
                                                               :3.021
                     Max.
                                     Max.
                                                       Max.
##
##
         SMI
                      capture date time
                                                        hold time sec
##
    Min.
           : 9.122
                      Min.
                             :2021-06-16 08:28:00.00
                                                        Length: 138
    1st Qu.:10.926
                      1st Qu.:2021-06-26 09:44:45.00
                                                        Class : difftime
##
##
    Median :11.687
                      Median :2021-07-20 09:52:00.00
                                                        Mode :numeric
##
    Mean
           :11.690
                             :2021-07-14 14:50:11.13
                      Mean
    3rd Qu.:12.347
                      3rd Qu.:2021-08-08 09:56:45.00
##
    Max.
           :14.263
                      Max.
                             :2021-08-22 13:25:00.00
##
                      NA's
                             :14
##
    hold_time_min
                      hold_time_hr
                                          temp_C_interpol RH_percent_interpol
##
    Length: 138
                      Length: 138
                                          Min. :15.11
                                                          Min.
                                                                : 19.73
##
    Class : difftime
                       Class : difftime
                                          1st Qu.:19.91
                                                           1st Qu.: 59.20
##
    Mode :numeric
                      Mode :numeric
                                          Median :21.91
                                                          Median: 69.33
##
                                          Mean
                                                :23.41
                                                          Mean : 62.27
##
                                          3rd Qu.:23.91
                                                           3rd Qu.: 77.29
##
                                          Max.
                                                 :35.83
                                                           Max.
                                                                  :100.00
                                                                  :14
##
                                          NA's
                                                 :14
                                                           NA's
     VPD kPa int
                      wind_mph_interpol solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
##
##
           :0.0000
                             : 0.100
                                                : 294.7
   \mathtt{Min}.
                      Min.
                                        Min.
                      1st Qu.: 2.025
                                         1st Qu.: 682.9
##
    1st Qu.:0.5420
##
   Median :0.8284
                      Median : 3.100
                                        Median: 759.9
   Mean
           :1.4295
                      Mean
                             : 4.406
                                         Mean
                                                : 762.9
##
    3rd Qu.:1.2321
                      3rd Qu.: 5.880
                                         3rd Qu.: 873.2
##
    Max.
           :4.9400
                      Max.
                             :12.720
                                         Max.
                                                :1007.0
    NA's
                                         NA's
##
           :14
                      NA's
                             :14
                                                :14
mean(dat$hold_time_hr, na.rm=T)
```

Time difference of 2.959005 secs

note IDs I do not have data for (and shouldn't): 254, 284, 304

Check Weather ~ Date Distribution

4: `max(wind_mph_interpol, na.rm = T)`,

7: `min(solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol, na.rm = T)`,
8: `max(solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol, na.rm = T)`

```
dat %>%
  group by(capture date) %>%
  summarise(min(VPD_kPa_int, na.rm = T),
            max(VPD_kPa_int, na.rm = T),
            min(wind_mph_interpol, na.rm = T),
            max(wind_mph_interpol, na.rm = T),
            min(temp_C_interpol, na.rm = T),
            max(temp_C_interpol, na.rm = T),
            min(solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol, na.rm = T),
            max(solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol, na.rm = T))
## # A tibble: 5 x 9
     capture_date min(VPD~1 max(V~2 min(w~3 max(w~4 min(t~5 max(t~6 min(s~7 max(s~8
##
##
     <date>
                       <dbl>
                               <dbl>
                                       <dbl>
                                                <dbl>
                                                        <dbl>
                                                                <dbl>
                                                                         <dbl>
                                                                                 <dbl>
                                        9.1
## 1 2021-06-16
                      2.93
                               4.94
                                                12.7
                                                         27.6
                                                                  35.8
                                                                          295.
                                                                                  962.
## 2 2021-06-26
                      0.481
                               0.924
                                        3.43
                                                 6.42
                                                         19.4
                                                                  22.4
                                                                          598.
                                                                                 1007.
## 3 2021-07-20
                      0.339
                               1.54
                                        2
                                                 4.18
                                                         18.6
                                                                 25.8
                                                                          612.
                                                                                  943.
## 4 2021-08-08
                               1.21
                                                 5.63
                                                                  23.8
                                        0.1
                                                         15.1
                                                                          513.
                                                                                 1007.
                                                                          492.
                                                                                  960.
## 5 2021-08-22
                      0.279
                               0.966
                                        0.1
                                                 3.93
                                                         18.4
                                                                 23.1
## # ... with abbreviated variable names 1: `min(VPD_kPa_int, na.rm = T)`,
       2: `max(VPD_kPa_int, na.rm = T)`, 3: `min(wind_mph_interpol, na.rm = T)`,
```

Temp, wind speed, and VPD were all exceptionally higher for the June 16 capture date compared to the other capture dates. We could either relativize the data, or remove the data for that date. Since I want the models to have intuitive results, I will remove the data for that capture date since it would skew our results.

5: `min(temp_C_interpol, na.rm = T)`, 6: `max(temp_C_interpol, na.rm = T)`,

Clean Data

```
dat_reduced <- dat %>%
  dplyr::filter(capture_date != as.Date("2021-06-16"))
summary(dat_reduced)
```

```
##
    individual ID
                      mass_g
                                 hematocrit_percent
                                                         SVL mm
    227
##
           : 1
                  Min.
                         : 8.8
                                 Min.
                                         :27.00
                                                     Min.
                                                            :60.00
##
    228
             1
                  1st Qu.:10.5
                                 1st Qu.:34.00
                                                     1st Qu.:65.00
##
   229
           :
             1
                  Median:11.6
                                 Median :38.00
                                                     Median :67.00
##
    230
           :
             1
                  Mean
                        :11.7
                                 Mean
                                         :38.33
                                                     Mean
                                                            :67.29
                  3rd Qu.:12.7
    231
##
              1
                                  3rd Qu.:43.00
                                                     3rd Qu.:69.25
##
    232
             1
                  Max.
                         :17.4
                                         :52.00
                                                     Max.
                                                            :77.00
           :
                                 Max.
   (Other):106
##
##
     capture_date
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean CEWL_g_m2h_mean msmt_temp_C
##
           :2021-06-26
                         Min.
                                 :305.0
                                                         :13.90
                                                                   Min.
                                                                          :25.90
                                                  Min.
##
   1st Qu.:2021-06-26
                         1st Qu.:336.0
                                                  1st Qu.:19.23
                                                                   1st Qu.:26.62
   Median :2021-07-20
                         Median :347.2
                                                  Median :22.11
                                                                   Median :26.91
                         Mean
##
  Mean
           :2021-07-23
                                 :350.5
                                                  Mean
                                                         :22.38
                                                                   Mean
                                                                          :26.94
##
    3rd Qu.:2021-08-08
                         3rd Qu.:365.2
                                                  3rd Qu.:25.37
                                                                   3rd Qu.:27.30
##
  Max.
           :2021-08-22
                         Max.
                                 :395.0
                                                  Max. :34.66
                                                                   Max.
                                                                          :27.78
##
##
  msmt_RH_percent cloacal_temp_C
                                       date time
```

```
Min.
           :45.30
                    Min.
                            :25.00
                                             :2021-06-26 12:08:00.00
   1st Qu.:46.18
                    1st Qu.:26.00
                                     1st Qu.:2021-06-26 17:53:00.00
##
   Median :47.71
                    Median :26.00
                                     Median :2021-07-20 14:55:30.00
##
   Mean
           :47.94
                    Mean
                            :26.23
                                     Mean
                                             :2021-07-24 10:07:25.71
##
    3rd Qu.:49.21
                    3rd Qu.:27.00
                                     3rd Qu.:2021-08-08 14:35:30.00
##
           :53.15
                            :28.00
                                             :2021-08-22 15:19:00.00
    Max.
                    Max.
                                     Max.
##
##
     msmt_temp_K
                       e_s_kPa_m
                                        e_a_kPa_m
                                                       msmt_VPD_kPa
##
    Min.
           :299.1
                    Min.
                            :3.441
                                     Min.
                                             :1.672
                                                      Min.
                                                             :1.612
##
    1st Qu.:299.8
                     1st Qu.:3.595
                                      1st Qu.:1.714
                                                      1st Qu.:1.827
   Median :300.1
                    Median :3.658
                                     Median :1.747
                                                      Median :1.903
##
    Mean
           :300.1
                                                             :1.910
                    Mean
                            :3.666
                                     Mean
                                             :1.757
                                                      Mean
##
    3rd Qu.:300.4
                    3rd Qu.:3.744
                                      3rd Qu.:1.795
                                                      3rd Qu.:2.014
##
           :300.9
                                                              :2.098
    Max.
                    Max.
                            :3.854
                                     Max.
                                             :1.850
                                                      Max.
##
##
         SMI
                      capture_date_time
                                                        hold_time_sec
                             :2021-06-26 09:20:00.00
##
    Min.
           : 9.122
                      Min.
                                                        Length:112
    1st Qu.:11.185
                      1st Qu.:2021-06-26 14:23:15.00
                                                        Class : difftime
   Median :11.790
                      Median :2021-07-20 10:29:30.00
                                                        Mode :numeric
##
##
    Mean
           :11.844
                             :2021-07-22 01:59:40.41
##
    3rd Qu.:12.554
                      3rd Qu.:2021-08-08 10:23:00.00
##
           :14.263
                             :2021-08-22 13:25:00.00
   {\tt Max.}
                      Max.
##
                      NA's
                             :14
                      hold time hr
##
   hold_time_min
                                          temp_C_interpol RH_percent_interpol
##
   Length:112
                      Length:112
                                         Min.
                                                :15.11
                                                          Min.
                                                                  : 54.84
    Class : difftime
                       Class : difftime
                                          1st Qu.:19.71
                                                           1st Qu.: 67.82
##
    Mode :numeric
                      Mode :numeric
                                         Median :20.74
                                                          Median: 74.28
##
                                          Mean
                                                 :20.94
                                                          Mean
                                                                  : 73.19
##
                                          3rd Qu.:22.18
                                                           3rd Qu.: 78.00
##
                                         Max.
                                                 :25.79
                                                          Max.
                                                                  :100.00
##
                                          NA's
                                                 :14
                                                           NA's
                                                                  :14
##
     VPD_kPa_int
                      wind_mph_interpol solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
##
   Min.
           :0.0000
                      Min.
                             :0.1000
                                         Min.
                                                : 492.4
                      1st Qu.:0.1083
                                         1st Qu.: 687.0
##
    1st Qu.:0.5170
##
   Median :0.6438
                      Median :2.2000
                                        Median: 765.9
## Mean
           :0.7103
                             :2.6514
                      Mean
                                        Mean
                                                : 773.9
  3rd Qu.:0.8779
                      3rd Qu.:4.6333
                                         3rd Qu.: 855.5
## Max.
           :1.5441
                             :6.4200
                                        Max.
                                                :1007.0
                      Max.
## NA's
           :14
                      NA's
                                         NA's
                                                :14
                             :14
```

LMMs

By Date

Check whether our dependent or weather-predictor variables of interest are significantly different across capture dates.

```
## as.factor(capture_date) 3 240.96 80.319 3.173 0.02718 *
## Residuals
                         108 2733.82 25.313
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(lm(data = dat_reduced,
          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ as.factor(capture_date)))
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                          Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## as.factor(capture_date) 3 23099 7699.7 41.657 < 2.2e-16 ***
                         108 19962
## Residuals
                                     184.8
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(lm(data = dat reduced,
          CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ as.factor(capture_date)))
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: CEWL_g_m2h_mean
                          Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                                       Pr(>F)
## as.factor(capture_date) 3 509.02 169.673 11.477 1.366e-06 ***
                         108 1596.64 14.784
## Residuals
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(lm(data = dat_reduced,
         temp_C_interpol ~ as.factor(capture_date)))
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: temp_C_interpol
                         Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## as.factor(capture_date) 3 44.41 14.8029 4.3126 0.006776 **
## Residuals
                         94 322.65 3.4325
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(lm(data = dat reduced,
          VPD_kPa_int ~ as.factor(capture_date)))
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Response: VPD_kPa_int
                         Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## as.factor(capture_date) 3 0.8854 0.295124 3.4804 0.01897 *
## Residuals
                         94 7.9708 0.084796
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(lm(data = dat_reduced,
          wind_mph_interpol ~ as.factor(capture_date)))
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
```

```
## Response: wind_mph_interpol
##
                          Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                                        Pr(>F)
                           3 305.956
                                      101.98 107.38 < 2.2e-16 ***
## as.factor(capture date)
                              89.276
## Residuals
                          94
                                         0.95
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(lm(data = dat_reduced,
          solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol ~ as.factor(capture_date)))
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
##
                              Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
                          Df
## as.factor(capture_date)
                           3
                               77839
                                        25946 1.8722 0.1396
## Residuals
                          94 1302683
                                        13858
```

Our variables of interest are still significantly different across capture dates, for hct, osml, and CEWL. So, we can include capture date as a random effect. Weather is significantly different across date for 3/4 of the variables, which is to be expected because the dates were spaced out across the season. We are primarily interested in within-day variability, and the ranges of the variables were similar across dates (after June 16 was removed), so this should not be an issue for what we're interested in.

Hematocrit

Models

First, start with a full model, then check for multicollinearity.

```
##
                                       VIF
## VPD_kPa_int
                                434.186709
## temp_C_interpol:VPD_kPa_int 221.430576
## mass g
                                164.858051
## SVL_mm
                                145.805705
## SMI
                                 71.083734
## temp_C_interpol
                                 66.551079
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                                  3.712395
## wind_mph_interpol
                                  1.359344
```

remove VPD*temp interaction:

```
hct_mod2 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                           hematocrit_percent ~
                           # body size
                          mass_g + SVL_mm + SMI +
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol)
hct_mod2_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(hct_mod2)) %>%
  arrange(desc(VIF))
hct_mod2_VIFs
##
                                    VIF
                             158.251131
## mass_g
## SVL mm
                             139.418643
## SMI
                             67.901185
## temp_C_interpol
                             42.314642
## VPD_kPa_int
                             39.100371
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 3.672885
## wind_mph_interpol
                              1.354287
drop mass
hct_mod3 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                           hematocrit_percent ~
                           # body size
                           SVL_mm + SMI +
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int +
                           wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol)
hct_mod3_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(hct_mod3)) %>%
  arrange(desc(VIF))
hct_mod3_VIFs
##
                                   VIF
## temp C interpol
                            42.281327
## VPD kPa int
                            38.942435
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 3.259818
## wind_mph_interpol
                            1.277896
## SMI
                             1.100727
## SVL_mm
                             1.096165
drop temperature:
hct_mod4 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                          hematocrit_percent ~
                           # body size
                           SVL_mm + SMI +
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           VPD_kPa_int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol)
hct_mod4_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(hct_mod4)) %>%
  arrange(desc(VIF))
hct_mod4_VIFs
```

```
##
                                  VIF
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 3.031552
## VPD kPa int
                            2.620763
## wind_mph_interpol
                            1.274442
## SVL mm
                            1.095692
## SMI
                            1.094870
drop1(hct_mod4)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## hematocrit_percent ~ SVL_mm + SMI + VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol +
       solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
##
                             Df Sum of Sq
                                             RSS
                                                    AIC
## <none>
                                          2164.4 315.31
## SVL mm
                             1
                                    0.330 2164.8 313.32
## SMI
                                185.846 2350.3 321.38
                              1
## VPD_kPa_int
                             1
                                   1.992 2166.4 313.40
                                 243.674 2408.1 323.76
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 14.594 2179.1 313.96
VIFs are all below 5 now, so start backwards selection.
Drop SVL first:
hct_mod5 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                          hematocrit_percent ~
                           # body size
                          SMI +
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           VPD kPa int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol)
drop1(hct_mod5)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol +
##
       solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                                             RSS
##
                            Df Sum of Sq
                                                    AIC
## <none>
                                          2164.8 313.32
## SMI
                                 191.896 2356.7 319.64
                             1
## VPD kPa int
                             1
                                  2.065 2166.8 311.41
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1
                                 245.057 2409.8 321.83
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 15.226 2180.0 312.01
Drop VPD:
hct_mod6 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                          hematocrit_percent ~
                           # body size
                          SMI +
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol)
```

```
drop1(hct_mod6)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
##
                             Df Sum of Sq
                                             RSS
                                                     AIC
                                          2166.8 311.41
## <none>
## SMI
                              1
                                 189.962 2356.8 317.65
                                  250.253 2417.1 320.12
## wind mph interpol
                              1
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 18.752 2185.6 310.26
Drop solar:
hct_mod7 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                          hematocrit_percent ~
                           # body size
                           SMI +
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           wind_mph_interpol)
drop1(hct_mod7)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + wind_mph_interpol
                     Df Sum of Sq
                                    RSS
## <none>
                                   2185.6 310.26
## SMI
                           182.35 2367.9 316.11
## wind_mph_interpol 1
                           390.27 2575.9 324.36
Drop SMI:
hct_mod8 <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                          hematocrit_percent ~
                           # weather at the time of capture
                           wind_mph_interpol)
Finally, null model:
hct_mod_null <- lm(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                          hematocrit_percent ~ 1)
Selection
Compare models 4-8 and the null model.
```

```
'(model 7) ~ Wind-C, SMI',
                        '(model 8) ~ Wind-C',
                        'null model')
#calculate AIC of each model
hct_AICc <- data.frame(aictab(cand.set = hct_models,</pre>
                                 modnames = hct_mod_names))
hct_AICc
##
                                          Modnames K
                                                         AICc Delta_AICc
                           (model 7) ~ Wind-C, SMI 4 590.8005
## 4
                                                                0.000000
## 3
                 (model 6) ~ Wind-C, SMI, Solar-C 5 592.1782
                                                                1.377632
## 2
          (model 5) ~ Wind-C, SMI, Solar-C, VPD-C 6 594.3556
                                                                3.555105
## 5
                                (model 8) ~ Wind-C 3 596.4788
                                                                5.678263
## 1 (model 4) ~ Wind-C, SMI, Solar-C, VPD-C, SVL 7 596.6621
                                                                5.861554
## 6
                                        null model 2 689.2480 98.447433
##
         ModelLik
                        AICcWt
                                       LL
                                             Cum.Wt
## 4 1.000000e+00 5.608356e-01 -291.1852 0.5608356
## 3 5.021703e-01 2.816350e-01 -290.7630 0.8424706
## 2 1.690514e-01 9.481006e-02 -290.7163 0.9372806
## 5 5.847644e-02 3.279567e-02 -295.1117 0.9700763
## 1 5.335556e-02 2.992370e-02 -290.7088 1.0000000
## 6 4.191905e-22 2.350970e-22 -342.5689 1.0000000
```

The best model is 7 with wind and SMI as predictors. Model 6 with Wind, SMI, and solar is equally as good.

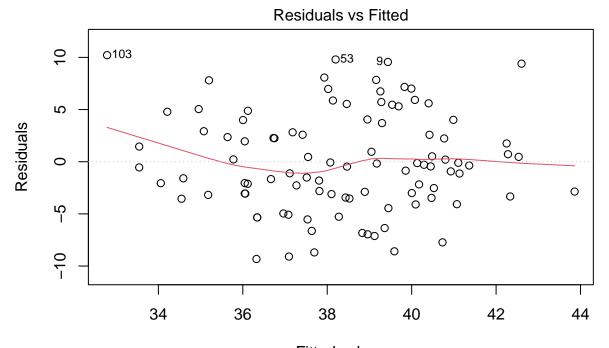
LM Conditions

plot(hct_mod7)

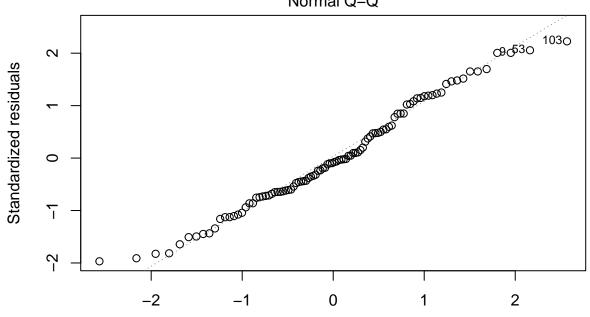
Check that the best model meets the criteria for linear regression and has no collinearity.

```
vif(hct_mod7)

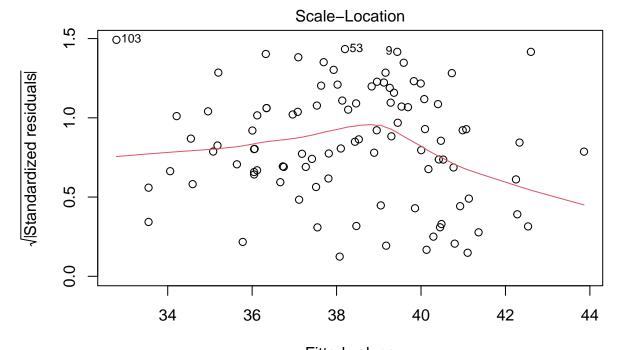
## SMI wind_mph_interpol
## 1.017682 1.017682
```



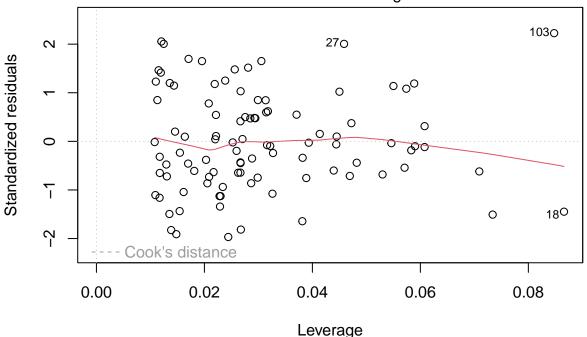
Fitted values
Im(hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + wind_mph_interpol)
Normal Q-Q



Theoretical Quantiles
Im(hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + wind_mph_interpol)

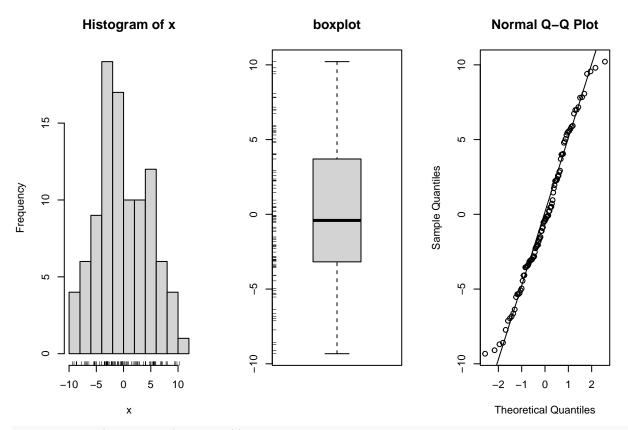


Fitted values
Im(hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + wind_mph_interpol)
Residuals vs Leverage



simple.eda(residuals(hct_mod7))

Im(hematocrit_percent ~ SMI + wind_mph_interpol)



shapiro.test(residuals(hct_mod7))

```
##
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: residuals(hct_mod7)
## W = 0.98052, p-value = 0.155
```

LINE is almost perfect.

Export

Osmolality

Models

Since there are large differences in osmolality by date, but we are interested in what's different within dates, rather than the capture date itself, we will include that as a random effect in the model.

We would also include whether or not a blood sample is hemolyzed as a random effect, but only 11 of the almost 150 samples were hemolyzed, so we will assume that any potential effects will be undetectable and/or overshadowed. We do not have concern about using those points.

First, start with a full model with every probable predictor in it, then check for multicollinearity.

```
##
                                       VIF
## VPD kPa int
                                534.605447
## temp_C_interpol:VPD_kPa_int 240.291835
## mass_g
                                166.612853
## SVL_mm
                                144.058809
## temp_C_interpol
                                108.269259
                                 71.898047
## SMI
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                                  4.898134
## wind_mph_interpol
                                  1.696851
## hematocrit_percent
                                  1.181664
```

VPD and temperature introduce a lot of collinearity, so start by dropping their interaction:

```
## VIF
## mass_g 162.704391
```

```
## SVL mm
                            140.401579
## SMI
                             70.036881
## temp C interpol
                             67.050277
## VPD_kPa_int
                             61.276054
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 4.892261
## wind mph interpol
                             1.612177
## hematocrit_percent
                              1.181520
drop1(osml mod2)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ mass_g + SVL_mm + SMI + hematocrit_percent +
       temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
       (1 | capture_date)
##
##
                            npar
                                    AIC
## <none>
                                 812.13
## mass_g
                               1 811.15
## SVL_mm
                              1 811.58
## SMI
                              1 811.17
## hematocrit_percent
                              1 810.58
## temp_C_interpol
                              1 810.75
## VPD_kPa_int
                             1 810.66
## wind_mph_interpol
                            1 810.13
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                              1 810.79
anova(osml_mod2)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                            npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                               1 578.42 578.42 3.3010
## mass_g
                               1 455.81 455.81 2.6012
## SVL mm
## SMI
                               1 171.43 171.43 0.9783
## hematocrit_percent
                              1 178.94 178.94 1.0212
## temp_C_interpol
                              1 838.94 838.94 4.7877
## VPD kPa int
                               1 110.38 110.38 0.6299
## wind_mph_interpol
                               1 17.17
                                          17.17 0.0980
                               1 97.49
                                          97.49 0.5563
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
Drop SMI next, since it's extremely collinear with mass and SVL but explains less variance.
osml_mod3 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
                          # body size
                          mass_g + SVL_mm +
                          # blood sample traits
                          hematocrit_percent +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          (1|capture_date))
osml_mod3_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(osml_mod3)) %>%
  arrange(desc(VIF))
```

osml_mod3_VIFs

```
##
                                  VIF
## temp_C_interpol
                           66.177503
## VPD kPa int
                            61.093560
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 4.654746
## SVL mm
                             2.758684
## mass g
                             2.738718
## wind mph interpol
                             1.611989
## hematocrit_percent
                             1.181310
drop1(osml_mod3)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ mass_g + SVL_mm + hematocrit_percent +
       temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
##
##
       (1 | capture_date)
##
                            npar
                                    AIC
## <none>
                                 811.17
                               1 809.17
## mass_g
                               1 811.06
## SVL_mm
## hematocrit_percent
                               1 809.64
## temp_C_interpol
                               1 809.62
## VPD_kPa_int
                              1 809.61
## wind_mph_interpol
                               1 809.18
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                               1 810.28
anova(osml_mod3)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                            npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                               1 578.07 578.07 3.3080
                               1 456.36 456.36 2.6115
## SVL mm
## hematocrit_percent
                               1 189.58 189.58 1.0849
## temp C interpol
                               1 776.18 776.18 4.4417
## VPD_kPa_int
                               1 98.26
                                          98.26 0.5623
## wind mph interpol
                               1 24.54
                                          24.54 0.1404
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                               1 166.53 166.53 0.9530
```

Temperature is still introducing a lot of multicollinearity with VPD, but temp has a much higher SS than VPD, so drop VPD:

```
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 4.578723
## temp_C_interpol
                        4.054450
## SVL_mm
                            2.756996
## mass_g
                            2.723423
## wind_mph_interpol
                           1.597632
## hematocrit_percent
                            1.149307
anova(osml mod4)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                            npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                               1 578.09 578.09 3.3294
## SVL_mm
                               1 456.33 456.33 2.6282
                               1 189.53 189.53 1.0916
## hematocrit_percent
## temp_C_interpol
                               1 776.15 776.15 4.4701
## wind mph interpol
                               1 18.96 18.96 0.1092
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                               1 198.94 198.94 1.1458
drop1(osml_mod4)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ mass_g + SVL_mm + hematocrit_percent +
##
       temp_C_interpol + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
       (1 | capture_date)
##
##
                                    AIC
                            npar
## <none>
                                 809.61
                               1 807.61
## mass_g
## SVL mm
                               1 809.45
                               1 807.95
## hematocrit_percent
## temp_C_interpol
                               1 807.62
## wind_mph_interpol
                               1 807.63
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                               1 808.91
Great, VIFs are well-within acceptable ranges. Now we can start backwards model selection.
Start by dropping wind:
osml_mod5 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
                          # body size
                          mass_g + SVL_mm +
                          # blood sample traits
                          hematocrit_percent +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          temp_C_interpol +
                          solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          (1|capture_date))
drop1(osml_mod5)
## Single term deletions
## Model:
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ mass_g + SVL_mm + hematocrit_percent +
```

VIF

##

```
##
      temp_C_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol + (1 | capture_date)
##
                           npar
                                   AIC
                                807.63
## <none>
                              1 805.64
## mass_g
## SVL mm
                              1 807.50
                             1 805.95
## hematocrit_percent
## temp C interpol
                             1 805.64
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                             1 806.96
anova(osml mod5)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                             1 578.20 578.20 3.3648
                              1 456.16 456.16 2.6546
## SVL_mm
## hematocrit_percent
                            1 189.22 189.22 1.1012
## temp C interpol
                             1 776.00 776.00 4.5159
Drop hematocrit:
osml_mod6 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                         # response variable
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
                         # body size
                         mass_g + SVL_mm +
                         # weather at the time of capture
                         temp_C_interpol +
                         solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                         (1|capture_date))
drop1(osml_mod6)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ mass_g + SVL_mm + temp_C_interpol +
##
      solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol + (1 | capture_date)
##
                                  AIC
                           npar
## <none>
                                805.95
## mass_g
                              1 803.96
## SVL_mm
                              1 805.55
## temp_C_interpol
                              1 803.96
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                             1 805.43
anova(osml_mod6)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                             1 578.28 578.28 3.3887
## SVL_mm
                             1 456.04 456.04 2.6724
## temp_C_interpol
                             1 884.15 884.15 5.1811
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                             1 243.89 243.89 1.4292
Drop solar:
osml_mod7 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,
                         # response variable
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
```

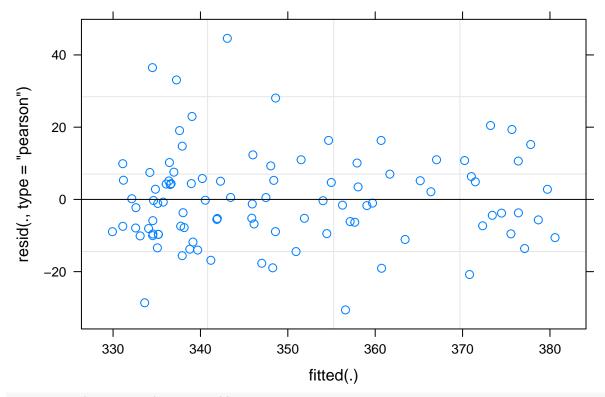
```
# body size
                          mass_g + SVL_mm +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          temp_C_interpol +
                          (1|capture_date))
anova(osml_mod7)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                  npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                      1 578.33 578.33 3.3727
                      1 455.95 455.95 2.6590
## SVL mm
                      1 884.02 884.02 5.1554
## temp_C_interpol
Drop SVL:
osml_mod8 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
                          # body size
                          mass_g +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          temp_C_interpol +
                          (1|capture_date))
anova(osml_mod8)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                   npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                      1 578.56 578.56 3.3217
## temp_C_interpol
                      1 929.39 929.39 5.3359
Drop mass:
osml_mod9 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
                          temp_C_interpol +
                          (1|capture_date))
Lastly, compute null model:
osml_mod_null <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ 1 +
                          (1|capture_date))
```

Selection

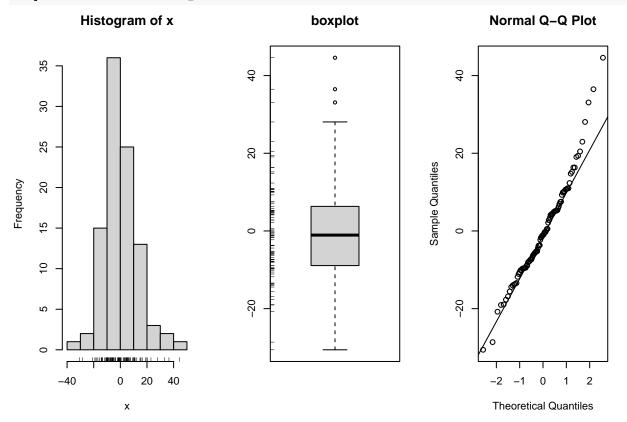
Compare models 4-9 and null.

```
'null model')
#calculate AIC of each model
osml_AICc <- data.frame(aictab(cand.set = osml_models,</pre>
                                 modnames = osml_mod_names))
## Warning in aictab.AIClmerMod(cand.set = osml_models, modnames = osml_mod_names):
## Model selection for fixed effects is only appropriate with ML estimation:
## REML (default) should only be used to select random effects for a constant set of fixed effects
osml_AICc
##
                                                 Modnames K
                                                                AICc Delta_AICc
## 4
                           (model 7) ~ Temp-C, Mass, SVL 6 796.7726
                                                                       0.00000
                                 (model 8) ~ Temp-C, Mass 5 797.7816
## 5
                                                                       1.008955
## 6
                                       (model 9) ~ Temp-C 4 799.7813
                                                                       3.008714
## 3
                  (model 6) ~ Temp-C, Mass, SVL, Solar-C 7 803.3533
                                                                       6.580653
## 1 (model 4) ~ Temp-C, Mass, SVL, Solar-C, Hct, Wind-C 9 805.6466
                                                                       8.873971
## 2
             (model 5) ~ Temp-C, Mass, SVL, Solar-C, Hct 8 806.1201
                                                                       9.347462
## 7
                                               null model 3 916.7643 119.991730
##
         ModelLik
                        AICcWt
                                  Res.LL
                                             Cum.Wt
## 4 1.000000e+00 5.306753e-01 -391.9248 0.5306753
## 5 6.038209e-01 3.204328e-01 -393.5647 0.8511081
## 6 2.221601e-01 1.178949e-01 -395.6756 0.9690029
## 3 3.724168e-02 1.976324e-02 -394.0544 0.9887662
## 1 1.183155e-02 6.278711e-03 -392.8006 0.9950449
## 2 9.337367e-03 4.955110e-03 -394.2510 1.0000000
## 7 8.792793e-27 4.666118e-27 -455.2711 1.0000000
LM Conditions
Check residual plots and VIFs
vif(osml_mod8)
##
            mass_g temp_C_interpol
##
          1.003613
                          1.003613
```

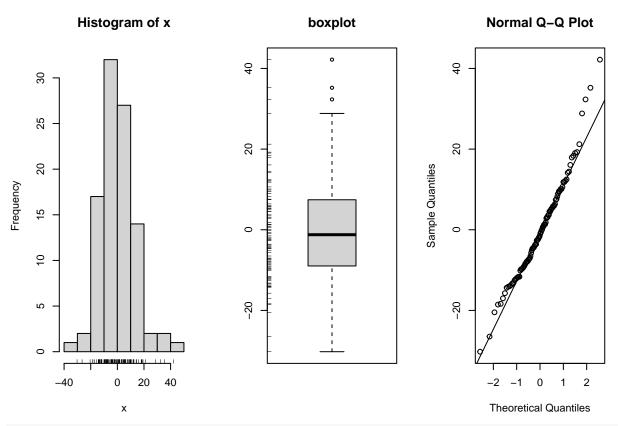
plot(osml_mod8)



simple.eda(residuals(osml_mod8))



```
shapiro.test(residuals(osml_mod8))
##
##
    Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: residuals(osml_mod8)
## W = 0.96742, p-value = 0.01556
vif(osml_mod7)
##
                              SVL_mm temp_C_interpol
             mass_g
                            2.444388
##
          2.441360
                                             1.004961
plot(osml_mod7)
                                     0
      40
                        0
                           0
                                       0
resid(., type = "pearson")
                               0
      20
                                                    0
                                             0
                                                                            0
                       O
                              0
                                                                               00
                                                               0
                                     00
                                                                 0
                                                                             0
                                                  0 0
                                                              8
       0
                                 800
                                                                       80
                                                        0
                                           0
                                                                               0
                                                        0
                                                                        00
                                                   0
                                                                                  0
                                                                              0
                                      00
                                                       0
     -20
                                                                    0
                   0
                                                  0
                330
                             340
                                         350
                                                      360
                                                                   370
                                                                               380
                                             fitted(.)
simple.eda(residuals(osml_mod7))
```



```
shapiro.test(residuals(osml_mod7))
```

```
##
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: residuals(osml_mod7)
## W = 0.97314, p-value = 0.04202
```

(1 | capture_date)

There is no clear pattern in the residuals \sim fitted plot, so linearity seems satisfied. slight fanning, but equal error variance seems fine. Normality seems fine, even though the Shapiro-Wilk normality test is significant. VIFs essentially negligible.

Export

##

First, re-run for p-values:

```
##
     Data: dat_reduced
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 783.8
##
## Scaled residuals:
##
      Min
            1Q Median
                                3Q
                                       Max
## -2.3090 -0.6778 -0.0935 0.5484 3.2214
##
## Random effects:
## Groups
                 Name
                             Variance Std.Dev.
## capture_date (Intercept) 332.8
                                      18.24
## Residual
                                      13.09
                             171.5
## Number of obs: 98, groups: capture_date, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error
                                             df t value Pr(>|t|)
                  255.1285
                               36.1334 90.3787
                                                 7.061 3.29e-10 ***
## (Intercept)
## mass_g
                   -0.1263
                               1.2522 91.0388
                                                -0.101
                                                          0.9199
## SVL_mm
                                                          0.1255
                     0.9678
                                0.6259 91.1381
                                                  1.546
## temp_C_interpol
                   1.6567
                                0.7296 91.5357
                                                  2.271
                                                          0.0255 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##
              (Intr) mass_g SVL_mm
## mass_g
               0.493
## SVL_mm
               -0.839 -0.767
## tmp_C_ntrpl -0.374 -0.010 -0.037
osml_mod8p <- lmerTest::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~
                          # body size
                         mass_g +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          temp_C_interpol +
                          (1|capture_date))
summary(osml_mod8p)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula:
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean ~ mass_g + temp_C_interpol + (1 | capture_date)
##
     Data: dat_reduced
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 787.1
##
## Scaled residuals:
##
      Min
               1Q Median
                                ЗQ
## -2.3183 -0.6595 -0.0811 0.4692 3.3788
##
## Random effects:
                             Variance Std.Dev.
## Groups
                 Name
## capture_date (Intercept) 326.0
                                     18.06
## Residual
                             174.2
                                      13.20
```

```
## Number of obs: 98, groups: capture_date, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
##
                   Estimate Std. Error
                                             df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                   302.0031
                               19.7479
                                        44.8291
                                                  15.293
                                                           <2e-16 ***
                     1.3600
                                        92.0863
                                                   1.681
                                                           0.0962 .
## mass g
                                0.8092
## temp_C_interpol
                     1.6974
                                0.7348
                                        92.5674
                                                   2.310
                                                           0.0231 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##
               (Intr) mass_g
## mass_g
               -0.433
## tmp_C_ntrpl -0.747 -0.060
Save the model output.
#write.csv(broom.mixed::tidy(osml_mod6p),
           "./results_statistics/capture_osml_best_model1.csv")
#write.csv(broom.mixed::tidy(osml_mod7p),
           "./results_statistics/capture_osml_best_model2.csv")
#write.csv(osml_AICc, "./results_statistics/capture_osml_mod_rankings.csv")
```

To report in paper:

The best models to predict the variation in baseline plasma osmolality included SVL, SMI, VPD, and solar radiation at the time of capture as fixed effects. Date was included as a random effect. The final model had acceptable LM conditions. The full model included mass, SVL, SMI, percent hematocrit, and temperature, VPD, wind speed, and solar radiation at the time of capture, with date as a random effect.

CEWL

There are differences in CEWL across dates, and based on cloacal temp, capture temp, capture VPD, capture wind, and capture solar radiation.

Models

Start with the full model of all potential predictor variables. We will again include date as a random effect. Individual ID is not included as a random effect be each lizard only has one set of capture observations.

When we have this many variables, it's extremely important to start with checking for multicollinearity.

```
hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
CEWL mod1 VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(CEWL mod1)) %>%
 arrange(desc(VIF))
CEWL mod1 VIFs
##
                                      VIF
## VPD kPa int
                               591.145170
## temp_C_interpol:VPD_kPa_int 263.841659
## mass_g
                               171.980542
## SVL mm
                               149.295495
## temp_C_interpol
                               112.024099
## SMI
                                74.001162
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                                16.587718
## msmt_temp_C
                                12.171098
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                                 5.079626
## hold_time_hr
                                 3.006195
## wind_mph_interpol
                                 2.349485
## hematocrit_percent
                                 1.216280
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                                 1.186450
## cloacal_temp_C
                                 1.150555
drop1(CEWL_mod1)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
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## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL g m2h mean ~ cloacal temp C + mass g + SVL mm + SMI + osmolality mmol kg mean +
      hematocrit_percent + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa + temp_C_interpol *
       VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
##
      hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
##
                               npar
                                       AIC
                                    515.80
## <none>
## cloacal_temp_C
                                  1 514.18
                                  1 515.34
## mass_g
## SVL_mm
                                  1 515.28
                                  1 515.44
## SMI
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                                 1 521.12
## hematocrit_percent
                                 1 514.09
## msmt temp C
                                 1 527.22
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                                  1 520.63
## wind_mph_interpol
                                  1 517.74
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                                  1 514.03
## hold_time_hr
                                  1 521.61
## temp_C_interpol:VPD_kPa_int
                                  1 513.90
```

Just as for osmolality, VPD and temperature introduce a lot of collinearity. Start with dropping their interaction:

```
CEWL mod2 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat reduced,
                          # response variable
                          CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # essential covariate
                          cloacal_temp_C +
                          # body size
                          mass_g + SVL_mm + SMI +
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + hematocrit_percent +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                          msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                          hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
CEWL_mod2_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(CEWL_mod2)) %>%
   arrange(desc(VIF))
CEWL_mod2_VIFs
```

```
## VIF
## mass_g 166.809922
## SVL_mm 144.677469
```

```
## SMI
                            71.683760
## temp_C_interpol
                           66.121829
                            60.765502
## VPD kPa int
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                            15.019831
## msmt_temp_C
                            11.161314
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 5.052952
## hold time hr
                             2.846373
## wind_mph_interpol
                             2.105251
## hematocrit_percent
                             1.216311
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1.182713
## cloacal_temp_C
                              1.149812
drop1(CEWL_mod2)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
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## rescaling
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## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ cloacal_temp_C + mass_g + SVL_mm + SMI + osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
##
      hematocrit_percent + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa + temp_C_interpol +
##
       VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
##
      hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                            npar
                                    AIC
```

```
## <none>
                               513.90
## cloacal_temp_C
                             1 512.29
## mass_g
                            1 513.35
## SVL_mm
                           1 513.29
## SMI
                            1 513.45
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 519.14
## hematocrit_percent 1 512.20
## msmt_temp_C
                           1 525.69
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                            1 518.91
## temp_C_interpol
                           1 515.64
## VPD_kPa_int
                           1 515.68
                      1 515.76
## wind_mph_interpol
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 512.10
## hold_time_hr
                             1 519.78
anova(CEWL_mod2)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                          npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## cloacal_temp_C
                             1 0.000 0.000 0.0000
## mass_g
                             1 1.589 1.589 0.1903
## SVL_mm
                             1 0.539 0.539 0.0646
                             1 19.988 19.988 2.3937
## SMI
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 148.068 148.068 17.7319
## hematocrit_percent
                           1 1.102
                                       1.102 0.1319
                           1 214.609 214.609 25.7006
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                           1 7.697 7.697 0.9218
## temp_C_interpol
                           1 2.826
                                      2.826 0.3384
## VPD_kPa_int
                           1 34.665 34.665 4.1513
## wind_mph_interpol 1 2.236 2.236 0.2677
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 5.014 5.014 0.6005
## hold_time_hr
                            1 71.685 71.685 8.5846
MUCH better. Drop SVL next:
CEWL_mod3 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                        # response variable
                        CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                        # essential covariate
                        cloacal_temp_C +
                        # body size
                        mass_g + SMI +
                        # blood
                        osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + hematocrit_percent +
                        # microclimate at the time of msmt
                        msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                        # weather at the time of capture
                        temp_C_interpol + VPD_kPa_int +
                        wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                        # time between capture and measurements
                        hold_time_hr +
                        (1|capture_date))
```

Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider ## rescaling

```
CEWL_mod3_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(CEWL_mod3)) %>%
  arrange(desc(VIF))
CEWL_mod3_VIFs
##
                                  VIF
## temp_C_interpol
                          64.855258
## VPD_kPa_int
                            60.436264
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                           14.892342
## msmt_temp_C
                           11.077925
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 4.786136
## hold_time_hr
                            2.814224
## wind_mph_interpol
                           2.095149
## mass_g
                            1.454014
## SMI
                            1.407215
## hematocrit_percent
                          1.214980
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1.160822
## cloacal_temp_C
                             1.145507
drop1(CEWL mod3)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
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## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ cloacal_temp_C + mass_g + SMI + osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
      hematocrit_percent + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa + temp_C_interpol +
```

```
##
       VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
##
      hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                           npar
                                   AIC
                                513.29
## <none>
## cloacal_temp_C
                              1 511.61
                              1 511.39
## mass_g
## SMI
                              1 511.58
                             1 519.37
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
## hematocrit_percent
                              1 511.55
## msmt_temp_C
                             1 524.85
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                             1 518.16
## temp_C_interpol
                              1 514.56
## VPD_kPa_int
                              1 514.83
                             1 514.88
## wind_mph_interpol
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 511.57
## hold_time_hr
                              1 518.87
anova(CEWL_mod3)
```

Analysis of Variance Table

```
npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                        0.000 0.0000
## cloacal_temp_C
                               0.000
                             1
## mass_g
                                1.578
                                        1.578 0.1882
## SMI
                                0.014
                                        0.014 0.0017
                             1
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1 160.255 160.255 19.1170
## hematocrit_percent
                             1 1.027
                                        1.027 0.1225
                             1 214.976 214.976 25.6447
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                            1 8.686 8.686 1.0362
## temp_C_interpol
                            1 1.965
                                       1.965 0.2344
                             1 33.295 33.295 3.9718
## VPD_kPa_int
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1 2.713
                                        2.713 0.3236
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                             1 8.381
                                        8.381 0.9998
## hold_time_hr
                             1 67.190 67.190 8.0152
```

Next drop temperature at the time of capture:

```
CEWL mod4 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat reduced,
                          # response variable
                          CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # essential covariate
                          cloacal_temp_C +
                          # body size
                          mass_g + SMI +
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + hematocrit_percent +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                          msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          VPD_kPa_int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                          hold time hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
```

Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
rescaling

```
CEWL_mod4_VIFs <- data.frame(VIF = car::vif(CEWL_mod4)) %>%
  arrange(desc(VIF))
CEWL_mod4_VIFs
##
                                  VIF
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                          15.782551
## msmt_temp_C
                           11.751231
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 4.366620
## VPD_kPa_int
                            4.079054
## hold_time_hr
                             2.875139
## wind_mph_interpol
                             2.080781
## mass_g
                            1.437998
## SMI
                            1.406587
## hematocrit_percent
                           1.188771
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1.152509
## cloacal temp C
                             1.133914
drop1(CEWL mod4)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
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## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ cloacal_temp_C + mass_g + SMI + osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
       hematocrit_percent + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa + VPD_kPa_int +
##
##
       wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol + hold_time_hr +
##
       (1 | capture date)
##
                                  AIC
                            npar
## <none>
                                 514.56
```

```
1 512.64
## cloacal_temp_C
## mass_g
                             1 513.08
## SMI
                            1 513.09
## msmt VPD kPa
                           1 519.24
## VPD_kPa_int
                            1 512.83
## VPD_Kra_int i 512.00
## wind_mph_interpol 1 515.16
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 515.72
## hold_time_hr
                   1 521.67
anova(CEWL_mod4)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                          npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
##
## cloacal temp C
                           1 0.001 0.001 0.0001
## mass_g
                             1 1.667 1.667 0.1979
## SMI
                             1
                                 0.010 0.010 0.0012
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 159.853 159.853 18.9819
## hematocrit_percent 1 0.962 0.962 0.1142
                            1 213.312 213.312 25.3299
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                            1 8.703 8.703 1.0334
## VPD_kPa_int 1 0.204 0.204 0.0242 ## wind_mph_interpol 1 2.364 2.364 0.2807
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 21.200 21.200 2.5174
                            1 71.162 71.162 8.4501
## hold_time_hr
Drop hct:
CEWL_mod5 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                         # response variable
                         CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                         # essential covariate
                         cloacal_temp_C +
                         # body size
                         mass g + SMI +
                         # blood
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                         # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                         # weather at the time of capture
                         VPD_kPa_int +
                         wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                         # time between capture and measurements
                         hold_time_hr +
                         (1|capture_date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
drop1(CEWL_mod5)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
```

```
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
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## rescaling
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## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL g m2h mean ~ cloacal temp C + mass g + SMI + osmolality mmol kg mean +
      msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa + VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol +
##
      solar rad W sqm interpol + hold time hr + (1 | capture date)
##
##
                          npar
                                  AIC
                                512.62
## <none>
## cloacal_temp_C
                             1 510.73
## mass_g
                             1 511.16
## SMI
                             1 511.29
                          1 521.49
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                            1 523.17
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                            1 517.30
## VPD_kPa_int
                            1 510.89
                       1 513.34
## wind_mph_interpol
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 513.77
## hold_time_hr
                             1 519.68
anova(CEWL_mod5)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## cloacal_temp_C
                                0.001
                                        0.001 0.0002
## mass_g
                                1.670
                                        1.670 0.2006
                             1 0.010 0.010 0.0012
## SMI
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 159.839 159.839 19.1937
## msmt temp C
                            1 214.180 214.180 25.7190
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                            1 8.725
                                        8.725 1.0477
## VPD kPa int
                             1 0.211
                                        0.211 0.0253
## wind_mph_interpol
                           1 2.254 2.254 0.2707
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                           1 21.233 21.233 2.5497
```

next drop cloacal temperature:

hold_time_hr

1 70.706 70.706 8.4905

```
CEWL_mod6 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # body size
                          mass_g + SMI +
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                          msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          VPD_kPa_int +
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                          hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
drop1(CEWL_mod6)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ mass_g + SMI + osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C +
       msmt VPD kPa + VPD kPa int + wind mph interpol + solar rad W sqm interpol +
##
##
       hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                            npar
## <none>
                                 510.73
## mass_g
                               1 509.21
                               1 509.39
## SMI
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1 519.74
## msmt_temp_C
                              1 521.30
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                               1 515.30
```

```
## VPD kPa int
                              1 509.03
## wind_mph_interpol
                              1 511.51
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 512.02
## hold_time_hr
                              1 518.15
anova(CEWL_mod6)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                              1 1.661 1.661 0.2017
                              1 0.010 0.010 0.0012
## SMI
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 159.818 159.818 19.4125
## msmt_temp_C
                            1 212.484 212.484 25.8097
## msmt VPD kPa
                            1 6.653 6.653 0.8081
                            1 0.064 0.064 0.0077
## VPD_kPa_int
## wind_mph_interpol 1 2.563 2.563 0.3114
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 22.027 22.027 2.6756
## hold_time_hr
                            1 72.908 72.908 8.8559
next drop SMI:
CEWL_mod7 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                         # response variable
                         CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                         # body size
                         mass_g +
                         # blood
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                         # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                         # weather at the time of capture
                         VPD_kPa_int +
                         wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                         # time between capture and measurements
                         hold time hr +
                         (1|capture_date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
drop1(CEWL mod7)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL g m2h mean ~ mass g + osmolality mmol kg mean + msmt temp C +
      msmt_VPD_kPa + VPD_kPa_int + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
##
      hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                           npar
## <none>
                                509.39
                              1 507.53
## mass_g
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                              1 517.86
## msmt_temp_C
                              1 520.28
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                              1 514.29
## VPD_kPa_int
                              1 507.57
## wind_mph_interpol
                              1 510.55
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 510.21
## hold_time_hr
                              1 517.17
anova(CEWL_mod7)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## mass_g
                              1 1.632
                                         1.632 0.1983
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1 157.089 157.089 19.0851
## msmt_temp_C
                              1 210.473 210.473 25.5708
## msmt VPD kPa
                              1 6.562
                                          6.562 0.7972
## VPD kPa int
                             1 0.082 0.082 0.0099
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1 2.924
                                          2.924 0.3552
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 17.483 17.483 2.1240
## hold_time_hr
                              1 76.358 76.358 9.2769
next drop VPD at capture:
CEWL_mod8 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                         CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # body size
                         mass_g +
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                         wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                          hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
drop1(CEWL_mod8)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ mass_g + osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C +
##
      msmt_VPD_kPa + wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
      hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                           npar
                                   AIC
## <none>
                                507.57
                              1 505.72
## mass_g
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1 515.88
## msmt temp C
                              1 519.50
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                              1 513.47
## wind mph interpol
                             1 508.86
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                            1 509.42
## hold_time_hr
                              1 516.60
anova(CEWL_mod8)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                         1.636 0.2007
## mass_g
                              1 1.636
                             1 157.067 157.067 19.2669
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1 210.423 210.423 25.8119
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                             1 6.567
                                          6.567 0.8055
                                          2.708 0.3322
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1 2.708
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 5.408
                                         5.408 0.6634
## hold_time_hr
                             1 87.330 87.330 10.7125
9 next drop mass:
CEWL_mod9 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                         CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # blood
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                         wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                         hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
```

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
drop1(CEWL_mod9)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
       wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol + hold_time_hr +
##
       (1 | capture_date)
##
                                   ATC
##
                           npar
## <none>
                                505.72
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                             1 513.90
                              1 517.52
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                              1 511.49
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1 507.08
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                              1 507.56
## hold_time_hr
                              1 515.17
anova(CEWL_mod9)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                           1 146.735 146.735 18.1173
                              1 220.371 220.371 27.2091
## msmt_temp_C
## msmt VPD kPa
                             1 4.813 4.813 0.5943
## wind_mph_interpol
                             1 2.297
                                          2.297 0.2836
                            1 4.934 4.934 0.6092
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                              1 90.671 90.671 11.1951
## hold_time_hr
10 next drop wind:
CEWL_mod10 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                         CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # blood
                         osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                         solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                         hold_time_hr +
```

```
(1|capture_date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
drop1(CEWL_mod10)
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
       solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol + hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                            npar
                                    AIC
                                 507.08
## <none>
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                               1 515.84
## msmt_temp_C
                               1 515.79
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                               1 509.93
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                               1 511.56
## hold_time_hr
                               1 513.28
anova(CEWL_mod10)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                            npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                               1 145.748 145.748 17.9459
## msmt temp C
                               1 219.014 219.014 26.9672
## msmt_VPD_kPa
                                          4.758 0.5858
                               1 4.758
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                            1 6.511
                                           6.511 0.8017
                               1 72.937 72.937 8.9807
## hold_time_hr
drop VPD at msmt
CEWL_mod11 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                          msmt_temp_C +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                          hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
drop1(CEWL_mod11)
## Single term deletions
```

##

```
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
      hold_time_hr + (1 | capture_date)
##
                           npar
## <none>
                                509.93
                              1 520.44
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
## msmt temp C
                              1 517.86
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                            1 511.29
## hold_time_hr
                              1 512.01
anova(CEWL mod11)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                           npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                              1 147.027 147.027 17.0643
## msmt temp C
                              1 220.784 220.784 25.6248
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 1 6.259 6.259 0.7265
## hold_time_hr
                             1 34.659 34.659 4.0226
drop solar:
dat_reduced2 <- dat_reduced %>%
 dplyr::filter(complete.cases(osmolality mmol kg mean, msmt temp C, hold time hr))
CEWL_mod12 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced2,</pre>
                          # response variable
                         CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                         hold_time_hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
drop1(CEWL_mod12)
12
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL g m2h mean ~ osmolality mmol kg mean + msmt temp C + hold time hr +
       (1 | capture_date)
##
                          npar
                                AIC
## <none>
                               511.29
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 525.77
                             1 529.48
## msmt_temp_C
## hold_time_hr
                             1 510.82
anova(CEWL mod12)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                          npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 1 146.819 146.819 16.6920
                             1 220.489 220.489 25.0676
## msmt_temp_C
## hold_time_hr
                            1 13.644 13.644 1.5512
```

drop hold time:

```
CEWL_mod13 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,
                           # response variable
                           CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                           # blood
                           osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                           # microclimate at the time of msmt
                           msmt temp C +
                           (1|capture_date))
drop1(CEWL_mod13)
## Single term deletions
##
## Model:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + (1 |
       capture_date)
##
                                    AIC
                            npar
## <none>
                                 614.84
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                               1 623.51
## msmt_temp_C
                               1 627.42
anova(CEWL_mod13)
## Analysis of Variance Table
                            npar Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                               1 126.26 126.26 10.165
                               1 184.75 184.75 14.873
## msmt_temp_C
drop osml:
CEWL_mod14 <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                           CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                           # microclimate at the time of msmt
                           msmt_temp_C +
                           (1|capture_date))
And finally, null model:
CEWL_mod_null <- lme4::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                           # response variable
                           CEWL_g_m2h_mean \sim 1 +
                           (1|capture date))
```

Selection

compare models 4-14 and the null

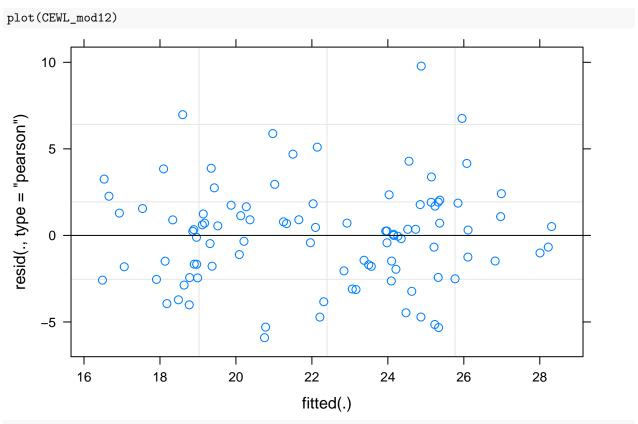
```
'(model 8) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C, Mass',
                       '(model 9) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C',
                       '(model 10) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M',
                       '(model 11) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C',
                      '(model 12) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time',
                      '(model 13) ~ Temp-M, Osml',
                    '(model 14) ~ Temp-M',
                      'null model')
#calculate AIC of each model
CEWL AICc <- data.frame(aictab(cand.set = CEWL models,
                                 modnames = CEWL mod names))
## Warning in aictab.AIClmerMod(cand.set = CEWL_models, modnames = CEWL_mod_names):
## Model selection for fixed effects is only appropriate with ML estimation:
## REML (default) should only be used to select random effects for a constant set of fixed effects
CEWL AICc
##
                                                                                           Modnames
## 7
                                               (model 10) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M
## 6
                                       (model 9) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C
                                                               (model 12) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time
## 9
                          (model 7) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C, Mass, VPD-C
## 4
## 5
                                 (model 8) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C, Mass
                     (model 6) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C, Mass, VPD-C, SMI
## 3
           (model 5) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C, Mass, VPD-C, SMI, Clo-Temp
## 2
## 8
                                                      (model 11) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C
      (model 4) ~ Temp-M, Osml, Hold Time, Solar-C, VPD-M, Wind-C, Mass, VPD-C, SMI, Clo-Temp, Hct
## 1
## 10
                                                                          (model 13) ~ Temp-M, Osml
## 11
                                                                                (model 14) ~ Temp-M
## 12
                                                                                         null model
##
       K
             AICc
                    Delta AICc
                                   ModelLik
                                                  AICcWt
                                                             Res.LL
                                                                       Cum. Wt.
## 7
       8 512.9138
                    0.00000000 1.000000e+00 3.415404e-01 -247.6479 0.3415404
## 6
       9 512.9609
                    0.04708532 9.767323e-01 3.335936e-01 -246.4577 0.6751340
## 9
       6 514.4008
                    1.48707439 4.754293e-01 1.623783e-01 -250.7389 0.8375123
                    2.97089223 2.264013e-01 7.732520e-02 -245.4074 0.9148375
## 4
     11 515.8847
## 5
     10 516.7440
                    3.83018403 1.473283e-01 5.031856e-02 -247.1076 0.9651560
## 3 12 518.1977
                    5.28391185 7.122183e-02 2.432513e-02 -245.2635 0.9894812
## 2 13 520.3973
                    7.48357832 2.371164e-02 8.098484e-03 -245.0320 0.9975797
      7 523.1163
                   10.20250039 6.089129e-03 2.079684e-03 -253.9359 0.9996593
                   13.82065943 9.974289e-04 3.406623e-04 -246.8371 1.0000000
## 1 14 526.7344
## 10 5 617.4886 104.57486082 1.958202e-23 6.688051e-24 -303.4613 1.0000000
## 11 4 619.5792 106.66547486 6.884722e-24 2.351411e-24 -305.6027 1.0000000
## 12 3 632.2994 119.38565830 1.190512e-26 4.066079e-27 -313.0386 1.0000000
The best models are 10, 9, then 12.
```

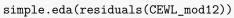
LM Conditions

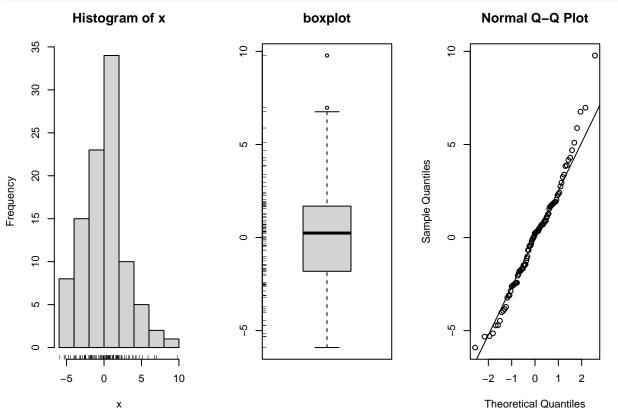
Check that the best model meets the criteria for linear regression and has no collinearity.

```
vif(CEWL_mod12)
```

```
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                                         msmt_temp_C
                                                                 hold_time_hr
##
                   1.012546
                                            1.044161
                                                                     1.055785
```

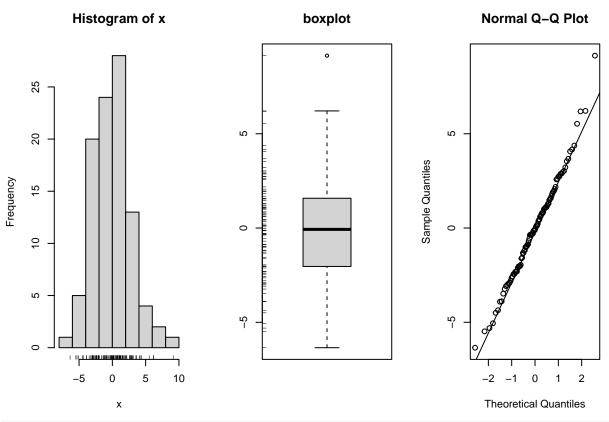






```
shapiro.test(residuals(CEWL_mod12))
##
##
    Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: residuals(CEWL_mod12)
## W = 0.97999, p-value = 0.1411
vif(CEWL_mod10)
                                                                       msmt_VPD_kPa
##
    {\tt osmolality\_mmol\_kg\_mean}
                                             msmt_temp_C
##
                     1.099571
                                               10.426915
                                                                           12.752686
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol
                                            hold_time_hr
                                                2.071252
##
                     2.083057
plot(CEWL_mod10)
                                                                    0
                                 0
                                                                          0
resid(., type = "pearson")
      5
                                                     00
                        0
                                                                0
              0
                   0
                                                                              0
                                                        000
                                                                                0
                       000
                            00
                                                                                  0
      0
                       0
                          0
                                               0
                                                                                     0
                      0
                      0
                              0
                0
                                                                                 0
                                            0
                                             0
                                                              0
     -5
                                       00
                                                                    0
                                                                         0
                                    20
                                                                 25
                                              fitted(.)
```

simple.eda(residuals(CEWL_mod10))



shapiro.test(residuals(CEWL_mod10))

```
##
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: residuals(CEWL_mod10)
## W = 0.9894, p-value = 0.6305
```

There is some slight fanning in the residuals \sim fitted plot, suggesting equal error variance is not perfect, but overall, all LNE conditions appear to be met and VIFs are very low.

Export

First, re-run the best model using lmerTest for p-values.

Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
rescaling

```
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
summary(CEWL_mod10p)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
##
       solar rad W sqm interpol + hold time hr + (1 | capture date)
##
     Data: dat_reduced
## REML criterion at convergence: 495.3
## Scaled residuals:
      Min
              1Q Median
                                      Max
## -2.2268 -0.7131 -0.0253 0.5510 3.2079
## Random effects:
## Groups
                            Variance Std.Dev.
                Name
## capture_date (Intercept) 11.730
                                     3.425
## Residual
                             8.122
                                     2.850
## Number of obs: 98, groups: capture_date, 4
## Fixed effects:
                             Estimate Std. Error
                                                         df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                           -2.657e+02 6.919e+01 3.782e+01 -3.840 0.000455 ***
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 7.691e-02 2.215e-02 9.199e+01 3.472 0.000789 ***
## msmt temp C
                            1.225e+01 3.667e+00 3.398e+01 3.340 0.002045 **
                           -4.194e+01 1.804e+01 2.610e+01 -2.324 0.028155 *
## msmt_VPD_kPa
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 9.237e-03 3.601e-03 9.086e+01 2.565 0.011946 *
                            1.064e+00 3.551e-01 8.194e+01 2.997 0.003610 **
## hold_time_hr
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
##
               (Intr) osm___ msm__C m_VPD_ s__W__
## osmllty_m__ -0.116
## msmt temp C -0.980 -0.007
## msmt_VPD_kP 0.850 0.051 -0.929
## slr_rd_W_s_ -0.095 -0.274  0.189 -0.392
## hold_tim_hr -0.294 -0.074 0.370 -0.540 0.622
## fit warnings:
## Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider rescaling
CEWL mod9p <- lmerTest::lmer(data = dat reduced,
                          # response variable
                         CEWL g m2h mean ~
                         # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
                          # weather at the time of capture
                          wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol +
```

```
# time between capture and measurements
                         hold_time_hr +
                         (1|capture date))
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
## Warning: Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider
## rescaling
summary(CEWL_mod9p)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + msmt_VPD_kPa +
      wind_mph_interpol + solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol + hold_time_hr +
##
       (1 | capture_date)
##
     Data: dat_reduced
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 492.9
##
## Scaled residuals:
##
      Min
           1Q Median
                               3Q
                                      Max
## -2.1898 -0.6676 -0.0043 0.5059 3.2327
##
## Random effects:
## Groups
                Name
                            Variance Std.Dev.
## capture_date (Intercept) 7.425
                                     2.725
                                     2.846
## Residual
                            8.099
## Number of obs: 98, groups: capture_date, 4
## Fixed effects:
##
                             Estimate Std. Error
                                                         df t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)
                           -2.780e+02 6.757e+01 3.074e+01 -4.115 0.000269 ***
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 7.404e-02 2.196e-02 9.048e+01
                                                             3.371 0.001103 **
## msmt_temp_C
                           1.327e+01 3.635e+00 2.893e+01 3.650 0.001028 **
## msmt VPD kPa
                           -5.000e+01 1.846e+01 2.258e+01 -2.709 0.012634 *
## wind_mph_interpol
                            6.472e-01 3.999e-01 6.578e+01 1.618 0.110342
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 7.806e-03 3.637e-03 8.857e+01 2.146 0.034571 *
## hold_time_hr
                            1.318e+00 3.939e-01 7.458e+01 3.346 0.001287 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
              (Intr) osm___ msm__C m_VPD_ wnd_m_ s__W__
## osmllty_m_ -0.076
## msmt_temp_C -0.978 -0.052
## msmt_VPD_kP 0.840 0.098 -0.927
## wnd_mph_ntr -0.245 -0.018  0.308 -0.411
## slr_rd_W_s_ -0.017 -0.279 0.091 -0.252 -0.210
## hold_tim_hr -0.336 -0.094  0.428 -0.608  0.470  0.431
## fit warnings:
## Some predictor variables are on very different scales: consider rescaling
```

```
CEWL_mod12p <- lmerTest::lmer(data = dat_reduced,</pre>
                          # response variable
                          CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~
                          # blood
                          osmolality_mmol_kg_mean +
                          # microclimate at the time of msmt
                         msmt_temp_C +
                          # time between capture and measurements
                          hold time hr +
                          (1|capture_date))
summary(CEWL_mod12p)
## Linear mixed model fit by REML. t-tests use Satterthwaite's method [
## lmerModLmerTest]
## Formula:
## CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean + msmt_temp_C + hold_time_hr +
##
       (1 | capture_date)
      Data: dat_reduced
##
##
## REML criterion at convergence: 501.5
##
## Scaled residuals:
      Min
               1Q Median
                                3Q
                                       Max
## -1.9922 -0.6088 0.0812 0.5665 3.2978
##
## Random effects:
## Groups
                Name
                            Variance Std.Dev.
## capture_date (Intercept) 7.816
                                      2.796
## Residual
                             8.796
                                      2.966
## Number of obs: 98, groups: capture_date, 4
##
## Fixed effects:
                             Estimate Std. Error
                                                         df t value Pr(>|t|)
                                                  91.96036 -4.899 4.11e-06 ***
## (Intercept)
                           -160.08883
                                       32.67718
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean
                                        0.02189
                                                  91.77382
                                                            4.134 7.86e-05 ***
                              0.09049
                                                   90.92988
                                                              4.644 1.15e-05 ***
## msmt_temp_C
                              5.54375
                                         1.19362
                             0.32839
                                        0.26367
                                                  91.53552
## hold_time_hr
                                                             1.245
                                                                       0.216
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Correlation of Fixed Effects:
              (Intr) osm___ msm__C
## osmllty_m__ -0.205
## msmt temp C -0.970 -0.035
## hold_tim_hr 0.150 0.111 -0.205
anova(CEWL_mod10p, type = "1", ddf = "Kenward-Roger")
## Type I Analysis of Variance Table with Kenward-Roger's method
                            Sum Sq Mean Sq NumDF DenDF F value
##
                                                                   Pr(>F)
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 88.474 88.474
                                              1 23.941 10.8938 0.0030143 **
## msmt_temp_C
                            97.809 97.809
                                              1 86.923 12.0432 0.0008115 ***
## msmt VPD kPa
                           19.824 19.824
                                              1 27.753 2.4409 0.1295401
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 11.171 11.171
                                              1 91.295 1.3755 0.2439215
```

```
## hold_time_hr
                           66.273 66.273
                                              1 82.266 8.1602 0.0054202 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(CEWL_mod9p, type = "1", ddf = "Kenward-Roger")
## Type I Analysis of Variance Table with Kenward-Roger's method
##
                           Sum Sq Mean Sq NumDF DenDF F value
                                                                Pr(>F)
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 64.722 64.722
                                              1 12.137 7.9912 0.015118 *
                                   44.571
                                              1 55.237 5.5032 0.022599 *
## msmt_temp_C
                           44.571
## msmt VPD kPa
                            9.805
                                    9.805
                                              1 14.473 1.2106 0.289180
## wind_mph_interpol
                           11.809
                                   11.809
                                              1 60.208 1.4580 0.231967
## solar_rad_W_sqm_interpol 8.186
                                              1 90.903 1.0107 0.317397
                                    8.186
## hold_time_hr
                           79.630 79.630
                                              1 75.092 9.8318 0.002448 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(CEWL_mod12p, type = "1", ddf = "Kenward-Roger")
## Type I Analysis of Variance Table with Kenward-Roger's method
##
                          Sum Sq Mean Sq NumDF DenDF F value
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 103.74 103.74
                                             1 91.079 11.7939 0.0008963 ***
## msmt_temp_C
                          198.40
                                  198.40
                                             1 90.586 22.5558 7.615e-06 ***
## hold_time_hr
                           13.60
                                   13.60
                                             1 91.409 1.5462 0.2168747
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Save the best CEWL model output.
#write.csv(broom.mixed::tidy(CEWL_mod9p),
           "./results_statistics/capture_CEWL_best_model1.csv")
#write.csv(broom.mixed::tidy(CEWL_mod10p),
           "./results_statistics/capture_CEWL_best_model2.csv")
#write.csv(CEWL_AICc,
           "./results statistics/capture CEWL mod rankings.csv")
```

To report in paper:

The best model to predict CEWL included plasma osmolality, temperature and VPD at the time of measurement, and VPD and wind at the time of capture. The final model met all linear regression conditions for linearity, normality, and equal error variance, and there was no multicollinearity.

Group Model Export

```
Cum.Wt = round(Cum.Wt, digits = 2))
write.csv(all_mod_ranks, "./results_statistics/capture_ALL_mod_rankings.csv")
# calculate F & p-values
anova_tables <- data.frame(anova(CEWL_mod12p,</pre>
                              type = "1",
                              ddf = "Kenward-Roger")) %>%
  rbind(data.frame(anova(osml_mod8p,
                              type = "1",
                              ddf = "Kenward-Roger"))) %>%
  rbind(data.frame(anova(hct_mod7p) %>%
                     mutate(NumDF = 1, DenDF = 95) %>%
                     dplyr::select(-Df))) %>%
  mutate(df = paste((NumDF), round(DenDF, 0), sep = ", "),
         Sum.Sq = round(Sum.Sq, 0),
         F.value = round(F.value, 2),
         term = rownames(.)) %>%
  dplyr::select(term,
                seq_sum_of_squares = Sum.Sq,
                F_statistic = F.value,
                p_value = Pr..F.) %>%
  dplyr::filter(term != "Residuals")
# models
all_top_mods <- broom.mixed::tidy(CEWL_mod12p) %>% # chose the least-variable one
  rbind(broom.mixed::tidy(osml_mod8p)) %>% # chose the least-variable one
  rbind((broom.mixed::tidy(hct_mod7p) %>%
           mutate(effect = NA,
                  group = NA,
                  df = NA))) %>%
  mutate(var = c(rep("CEWL", 6),
                 rep("osml", 5),
                 rep("hct", 3)),
         estimate = round(estimate, digits = 2),
         std.error = round(std.error, digits = 2)) %>%
  dplyr::select(var, effect, group, term, estimate, std.error) %>%
  left_join(anova_tables, by = 'term')
write.csv(all_top_mods, "./results_statistics/capture_ALL_best_mods.csv")
```

Figures

Custom Colors

```
lizard_color = "turquoise"
VPD_color = "blue"
temp_color = "gray"
solar_color = "orange"
wind_color = "orange"
date_color = "gray"
```

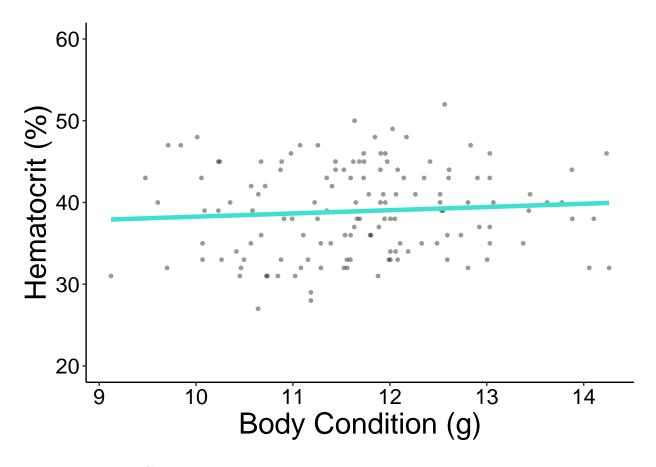
```
osml_color <- c(brewer.pal(11, "Spectral")[c(10)])
```

$Hct \sim SMI$

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = SMI,
     y = hematocrit_percent) +
 geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
 stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              size = 1.6,
              color = lizard_color,
              alpha = 1) +
 theme_classic() +
  xlab("Body Condition (g)") +
 ylab("Hematocrit (%)") +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
 ylim(20,60) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                 family = "sans",
                                 size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_hct_SMI_fig
```

 $\mbox{\tt \#\#}$ Warning: Using `size` aesthetic for lines was deprecated in ggplot2 3.4.0. $\mbox{\tt \#\#}$ i Please use `linewidth` instead.

```
cap_hct_SMI_fig
```



Hct ~ VPD at Capture

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = VPD_kPa_int,
      y = hematocrit_percent,
      color = as.factor(capture_date)) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              #color = VPD_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("VPD at Capture (kPa)") +
  ylab("Hematocrit (%)") +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
 ylim(20,60) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                 family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
```

```
#axis.text.y = element_blank(),
       \#plot.marqin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
      ) -> cap_hct_VPD_fig
cap_hct_VPD_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
   60
Hematocrit (%)
   50
                                    as.factor(capture_date)
                                        2021-06-16
                                         2021-06-26
    40
                                         2021-07-20
                                         2021-08-08
                                        2021-08-22
   30
   20
                 2
                      3
   VPD at Capture (kPa)
```

Hct ~ Wind Speed at Capture

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = wind_mph_interpol,
      y = hematocrit_percent,
      color = as.factor(capture_date))+
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              #color = wind_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("Wind Speed at Capture (mph)") +
  ylab("Hematocrit (%)") +
  #ylab("") +
```

```
\#xlim() +
 ylim(20, 60) +
 theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                         family = "sans",
                         size = 22),
       axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                              family = "sans",
                              size = 16),
       #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
       \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
       ) -> cap_hct_wind_fig
cap_hct_wind_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values ('geom_point()').
    60
Hematocrit (%)
    50
                                        as.factor(capture_date)
                                             2021-06-16
                                             2021-06-26
    40
                                             2021-07-20
                                             2021-08-08
                                             2021-08-22
    30
```

Vind Speed at Capture (mph)

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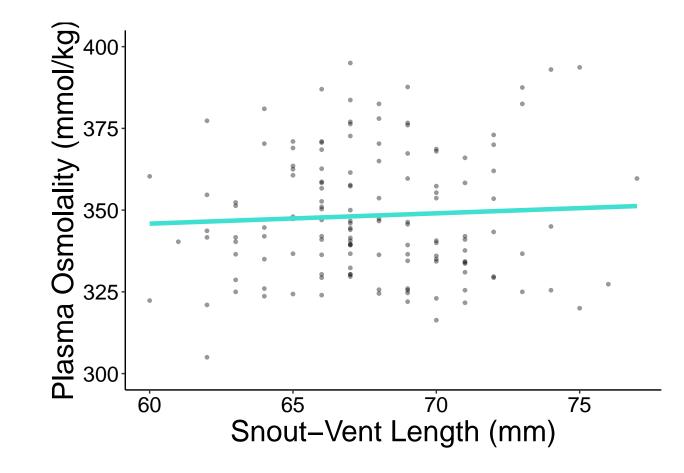
Hct ~ Solar Radiation at Capture

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```
se = F,
             #color = solar_color,
             size = 1.6,
             alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab(bquote('Solar Radiation (W/'*m^2*')')) +
  ylab("Hematocrit (%)") +
  #ylab("") +
  ylim(20, 60) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                         family = "sans",
                          size = 22),
       axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                              family = "sans",
                              size = 16),
       #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
       \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
       ) -> cap_hct_sorad_fig
cap_hct_sorad_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values ('geom_point()').
    60
Hematocrit (%)
                                       as.factor(capture_date)
                                            2021-06-16
                                            2021-06-26
                                            2021-07-20
                                            2021-08-08
                                            2021-08-22
    20
                         800 1000
                  600
           400
   Solar Radiation (W/m<sup>2</sup>)
```

Osmolality $\sim SVL$

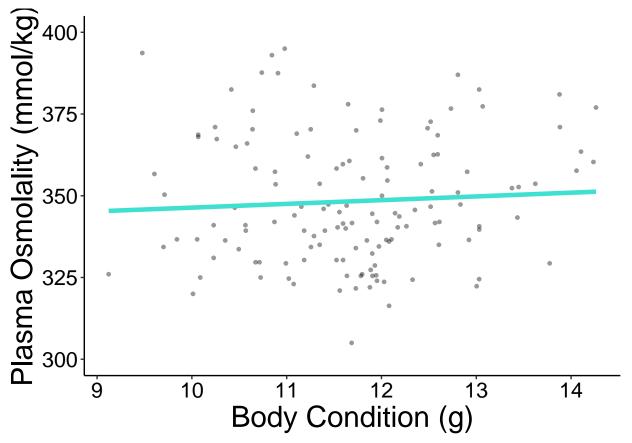
```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = SVL_mm,
     y = osmolality_mmol_kg_mean) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
             method = "lm",
              se = F,
              size = 1.6,
              color = lizard_color,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("Snout-Vent Length (mm)") +
  ylab("Plasma Osmolality (mmol/kg)") +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(300,400) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                 family = "sans",
                                 size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_osml_SVL_fig
cap_osml_SVL_fig
```



Osmolality ~ SMI

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = SMI,
     y = osmolality_mmol_kg_mean) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              size = 1.6,
              color = lizard_color,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("Body Condition (g)") +
  ylab("Plasma Osmolality (mmol/kg)") +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(300,400) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                  family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
```

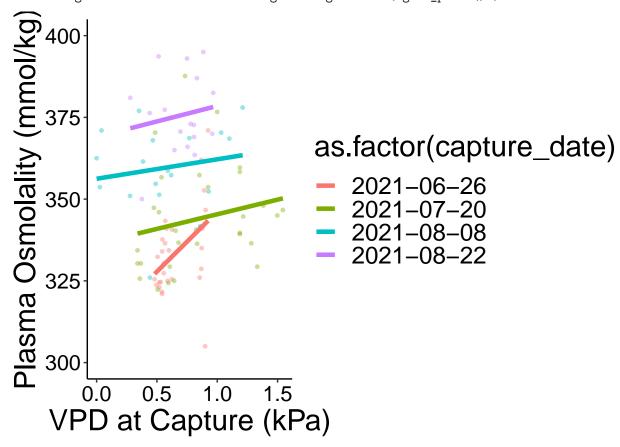
```
#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
) -> cap_osml_SMI_fig
cap_osml_SMI_fig
```



Osmolality \sim VPD at Capture

```
ggplot(dat_reduced) +
  aes(x = VPD_kPa_int,
      y = osmolality_mmol_kg_mean,
      color = as.factor(capture_date)
      ) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              #color = VPD_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("VPD at Capture (kPa)") +
  ylab("Plasma Osmolality (mmol/kg)") +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(300,400) +
```

```
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
```

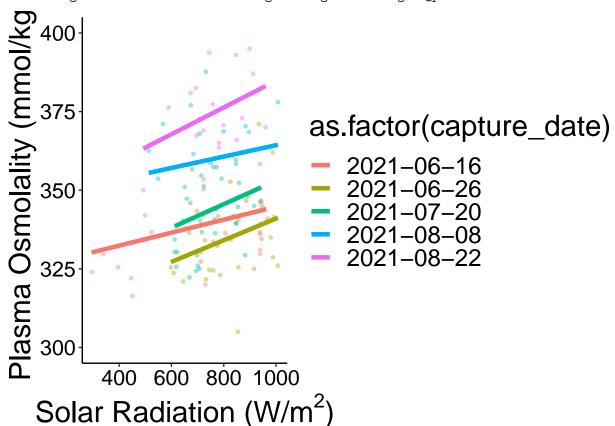


Osmolality ~ Solar Radiation at Capture

```
\#color = solar\_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab(bquote('Solar Radiation (W/'*m^2*')')) +
  ylab("Plasma Osmolality (mmol/kg)") +
  #ylab("") +
  ylim(300,400) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                  family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_osml_sorad_fig
cap_osml_sorad_fig
```

Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).

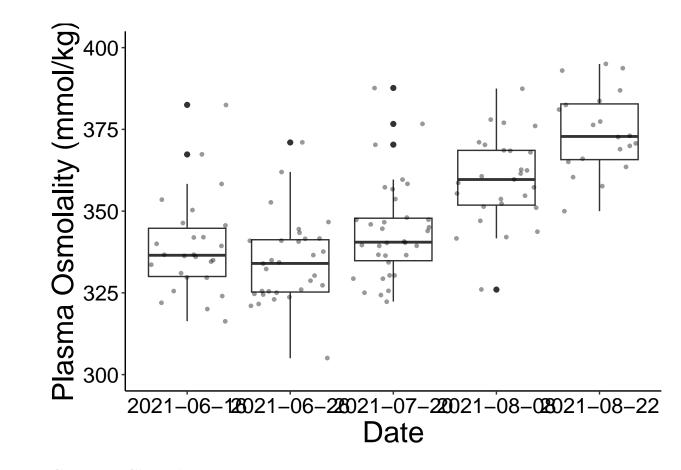
Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).



Osmolality ~ Date

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = as.factor(capture_date),
```

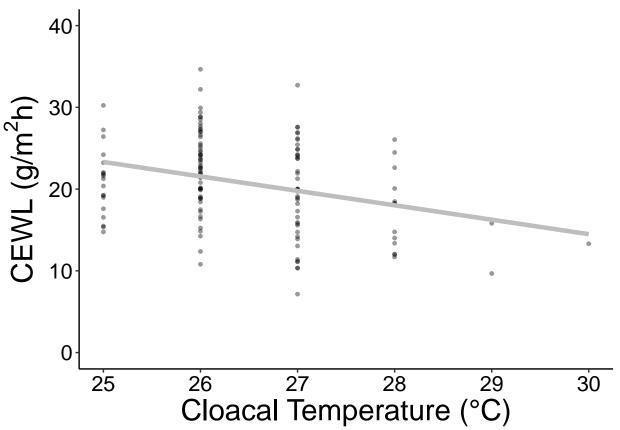
```
y = osmolality_mmol_kg_mean,
     group = as.factor(capture_date)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
  geom_jitter(size = 1,
              alpha = 0.4) +
 theme_classic() +
 xlab("Date") +
 ylab("Plasma Osmolality (mmol/kg)") +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
 ylim(300, 400) +
  #annotate("text", x = , y = ,
          label = "paste(italic(R) ^ 2, \ " = 0.\ ")",
           parse = TRUE,
          size = 6) +
  \#annotate("text", x = , y = ,
           label = "paste(italic(p), \ \ " < 0.0001 \ ")",
           parse = TRUE,
           size = 6) +
 theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
       axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                 family = "sans",
                                 size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_osml_date_fig
cap_osml_date_fig
```



CEWL ~ Cloacal Temperature

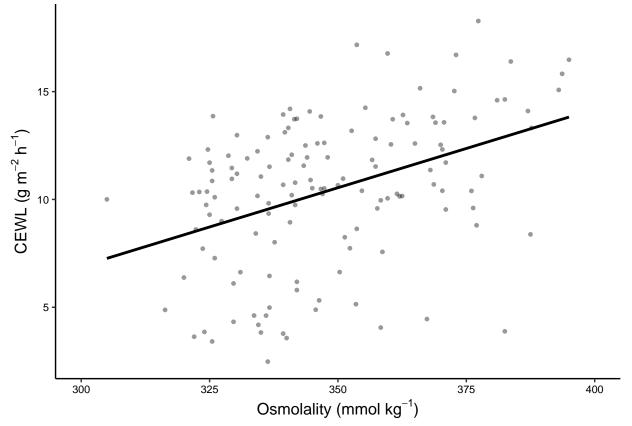
```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = cloacal_temp_C,
      y = CEWL_g_m2h_mean) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              color = temp_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("Cloacal Temperature (°C)") +
  ylab(bquote('CEWL (g/'*m^2*'h)')) +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(0, 40) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                  family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
```

```
#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
) -> cap_CEWL_clotemp_fig
cap_CEWL_clotemp_fig
```



CEWL ~ Plasma Osmolality

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = osmolality_mmol_kg_mean,
                 y = (CEWL_g_m2h_mean/msmt_VPD_kPa),
      #color = as.factor(capture_date)
      ) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              color = "black",
              size = 1,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab(bquote('Osmolality (mmol '*kg^-1*')')) +
  ylab(bquote('CEWL (g '*m^-2*' '*h^-1*')')) +
 xlim(300, 400) +
  #ylim(0, 40) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
```



```
ggsave(filename = "cap_CEWL_osml_fig.pdf",
    plot = cap_CEWL_osml_fig,
    path = "./results_figures",
    device = "pdf",
    dpi = 600,
    units = "mm",
    width = 80, height = 60)
```

Add SLR

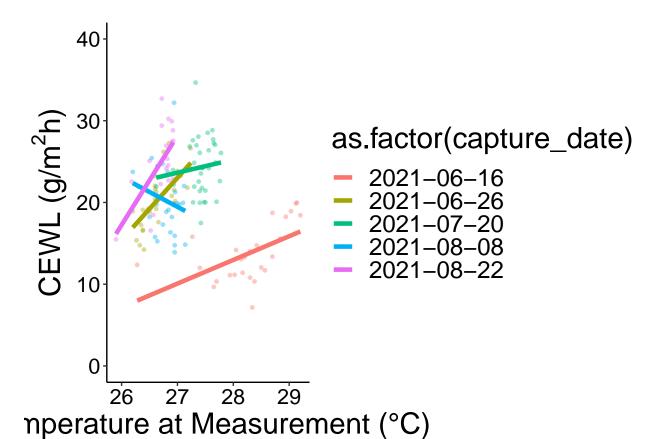
```
CEWL_osml <- lm(data = dat, CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean)
summary(CEWL_osml)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = CEWL_g_m2h_mean ~ osmolality_mmol_kg_mean, data = dat)
##
## Residuals:</pre>
```

```
1Q
                     Median
## -12.5078 -3.4430
                     0.6247 3.5847 13.4066
##
## Coefficients:
                          Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                   7.85574 -1.433 0.154
## (Intercept)
                         -11.26104
## osmolality_mmol_kg_mean 0.09194
                                     0.02252
                                              4.082 7.57e-05 ***
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 5.098 on 136 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.1092, Adjusted R-squared: 0.1026
## F-statistic: 16.67 on 1 and 136 DF, p-value: 7.565e-05
```

CEWL ~ Temperature at Measurement

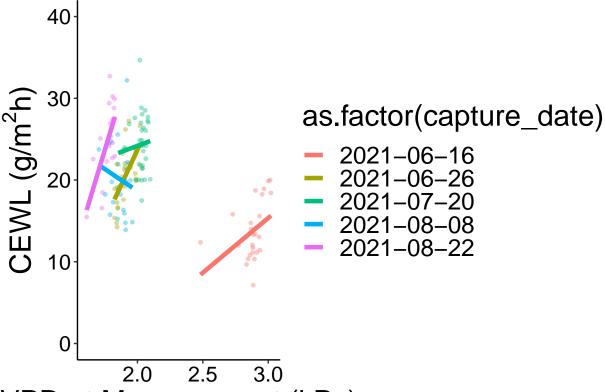
```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = msmt_temp_C,
     y = CEWL_g_m2h_mean,
      color = as.factor(capture_date)) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              #color = temp_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("Temperature at Measurement (°C)") +
  ylab(bquote('CEWL (g/'*m^2*'h)')) +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(0, 40) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                 family = "sans",
                                 size = 16),
        #axis.text.y = element_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_CEWL_temp_fig
cap_CEWL_temp_fig
```



CEWL ~ VPD at Measurement

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = msmt_VPD_kPa,
      y = CEWL_g_m2h_mean,
      color = as.factor(capture_date)) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              #color = VPD color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("VPD at Measurement (kPa)") +
  ylab(bquote('CEWL (g/'*m^2*'h)')) +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(0, 40) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                             family = "sans",
                            size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                  family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
```

```
#axis.text.y = element_blank(),
#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
) -> cap_CEWL_VPDm_fig
cap_CEWL_VPDm_fig
```



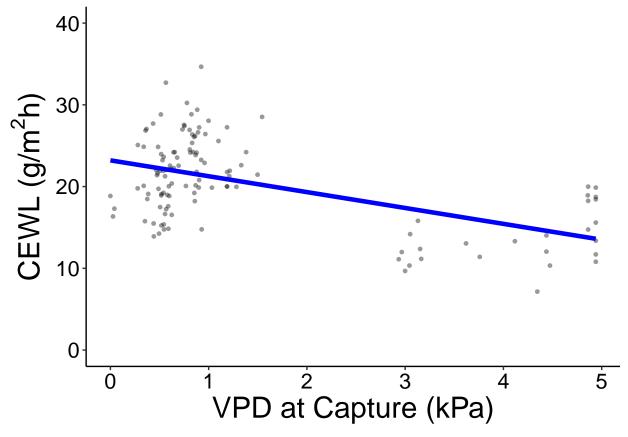
VPD at Measurement (kPa)

CEWL ~ VPD at Capture

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = VPD_kPa_int,
      y = CEWL_g_m2h_mean) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              color = VPD_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("VPD at Capture (kPa)") +
  ylab(bquote('CEWL (g/'*m^2*'h)')) +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(0, 40) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                            family = "sans",
```

```
size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                  family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
        \#axis.text.y = element\_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_CEWL_VPDc_fig
cap_CEWL_VPDc_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
```

Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).

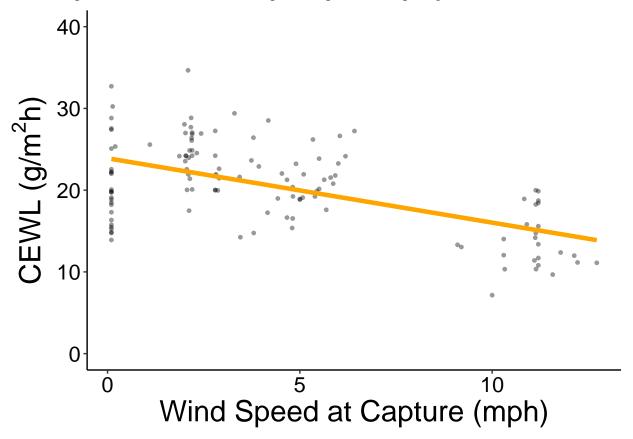


CEWL ~ Wind at Capture

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = wind_mph_interpol,
      y = CEWL_g_m2h_mean) +
  geom_point(size = 1,
             alpha = 0.4) +
  stat_smooth(formula = y ~ x,
              method = "lm",
              se = F,
              color = wind_color,
              size = 1.6,
              alpha = 1) +
  theme_classic() +
```

Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).

Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).



CEWL ~ Date

```
ggplot(dat) +
  aes(x = as.factor(capture_date),
    y = CEWL_g_m2h_mean,
    group = as.factor(capture_date)) +
  geom_boxplot() +
```

```
geom_jitter(size = 1,
              alpha = 0.4) +
  theme_classic() +
  xlab("Date") +
  ylab(bquote('CEWL (g/'*m^2*'h)')) +
  #ylab("") +
  \#xlim() +
  ylim(0, 40) +
  \#annotate("text", x = , y = ,
            label = "paste(italic(R) ^ 2, \ " = 0.\ ")",
            parse = TRUE,
            size = 6) +
  \#annotate("text", x = , y = ,
            label = "paste(italic(p), \ \ " < 0.0001 \ ")",
            parse = TRUE,
            size = 6) +
  theme(text = element_text(color = "black",
                             family = "sans",
                             size = 22),
        axis.text = element_text(color = "black",
                                  family = "sans",
                                  size = 16),
        \#axis.text.y = element\_blank(),
        \#plot.margin = unit(c(0.1,0,0.1,0.45), "cm")
        ) -> cap_CEWL_date_fig
cap_CEWL_date_fig
```

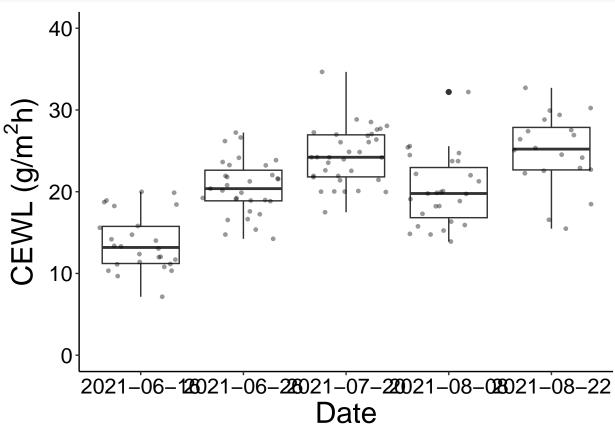


Figure Arrangements

```
# hematocrit
ggarrange(cap_hct_sorad_fig, cap_hct_VPD_fig,
          cap_hct_SMI_fig, cap_hct_wind_fig,
          ncol = 2, nrow = 2,
          legend = "none"
          ) -> cap_hct_multi_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values ('geom point()').
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## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
#cap hct multi fig
# export figure
#ggsave(filename = "cap_hct_multi_fig.jpeg",
       plot = cap_hct_multi_fig,
      path = "./results_figures",
       device = "jpeq",
    # dpi = 1200,
    # width = 12, height = 8)
# osmolality
ggarrange(cap osml sorad fig, cap osml VPD fig,
          cap_osml_SMI_fig, cap_osml_SVL_fig,
          ncol = 2, nrow = 2,
          legend = "none"
          ) -> cap_osml_multi_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
#cap_osml_multi_fiq
# export figure
#ggsave(filename = "cap_osml_multi_fig.jpeg",
      plot = cap\_osml\_multi\_fig,
      path = "./results_figures",
       device = "jpeg",
   # dpi = 1200,
    # width = 12, height = 8)
# CF.WI.
ggarrange(cap_CEWL_VPDm_fig, cap_CEWL_VPDc_fig,
          cap_CEWL_temp_fig, cap_CEWL_wind_fig,
```

```
cap_CEWL_osml_fig, cap_CEWL_clotemp_fig,
         ncol = 2, nrow = 3,
         legend = "none"
          ) -> cap_CEWL_multi_fig
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing non-finite values (`stat_smooth()`).
## Warning: Removed 14 rows containing missing values (`geom_point()`).
#cap_CEWL_multi_fig
# export figure
#ggsave(filename = "cap_CEWL_multi_fig",
       plot = cap_CEWL_multi_fiq,
       path = "./results_figures",
       device = "jpeg",
   # dpi = 1200,
    # width = 12, height = 16)
# date differences
ggarrange(cap_osml_date_fig, cap_CEWL_date_fig,
         ncol = 1, nrow = 2,
         legend = "none"
         ) -> cap_date_diffs_multi_fig
##cap_date_diffs_multi_fig
# export figure
#qqsave(filename = "cap_date_diffs_multi_fiq.jpeq",
       plot = cap_date_diffs_multi_fig,
       path = "./results_figures",
       device = "jpeg",
   # dpi = 1200,
    # width = 6, height = 8)
```