Statistics with Spa  ows

Lecture 11-b

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Outline

- Linear models – going big
- Categorical and continuous predictors

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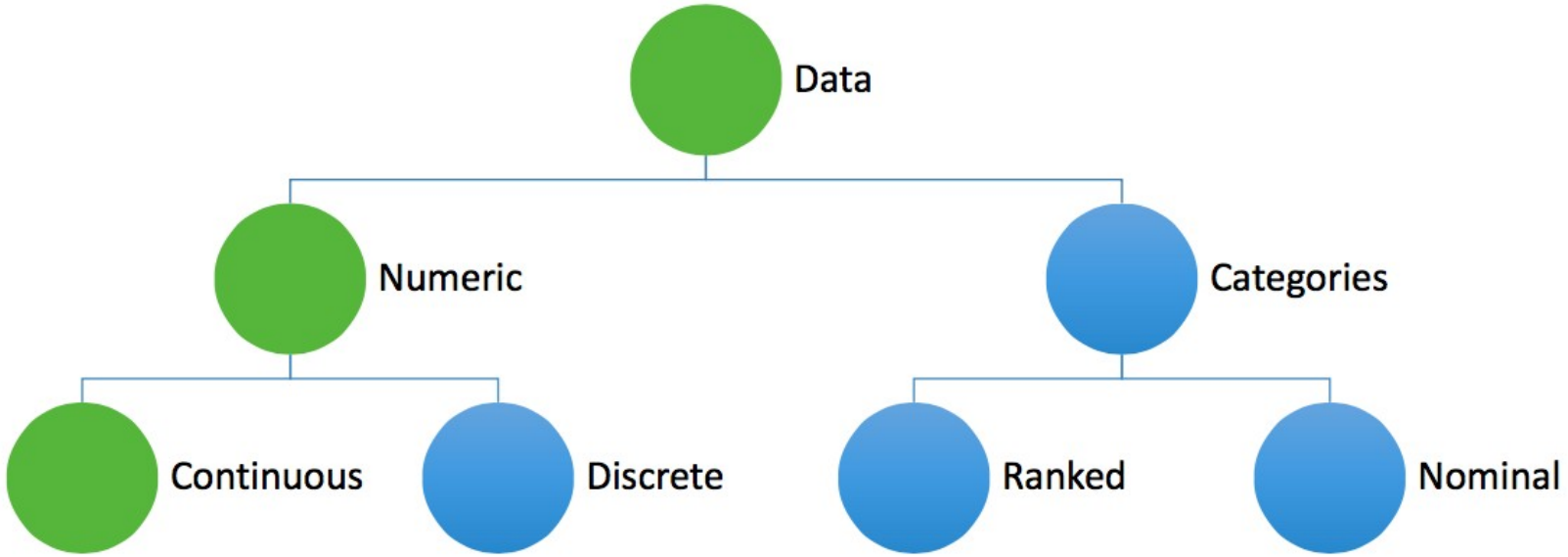
Data types



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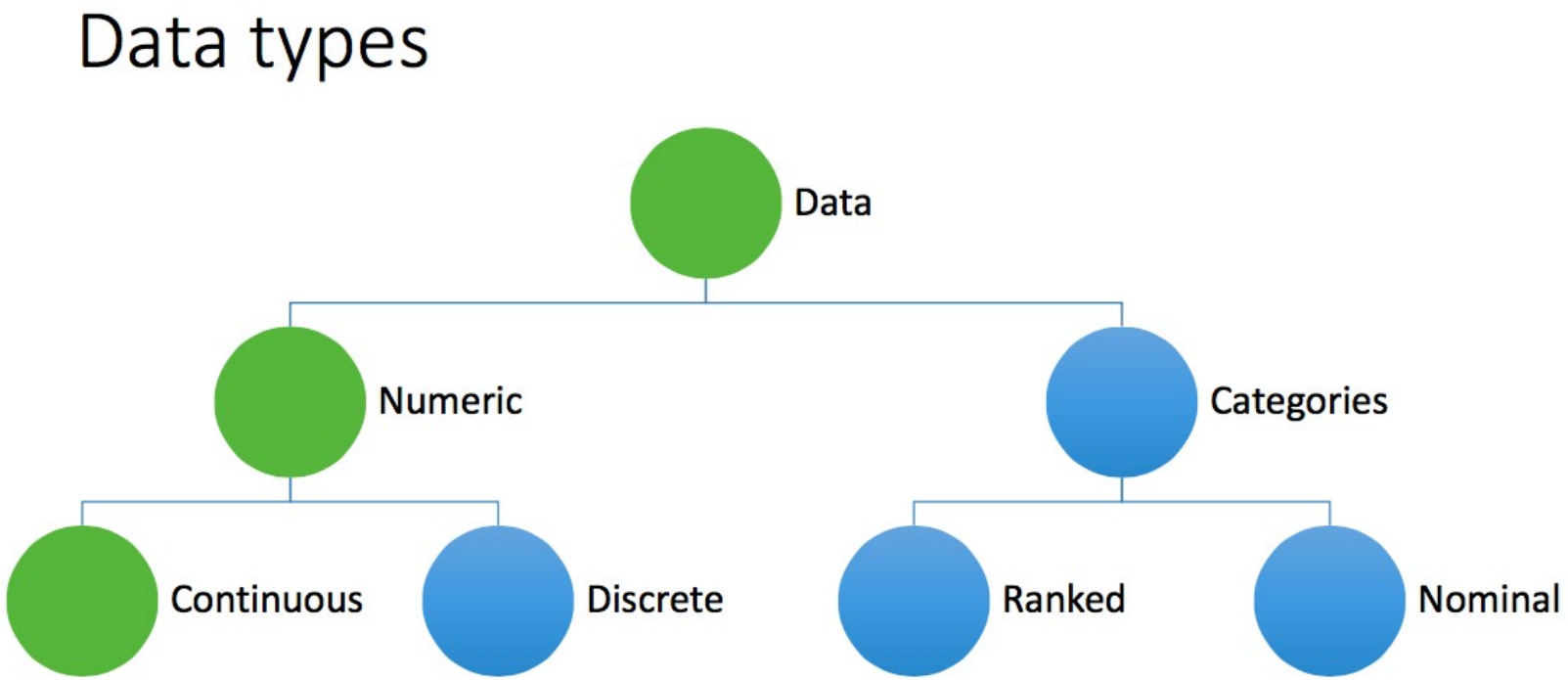

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We can even mix continuous and factorial explanatory variables!

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Let’s try this

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- Sex will be re-coded internally. Females are 0 (and blue).

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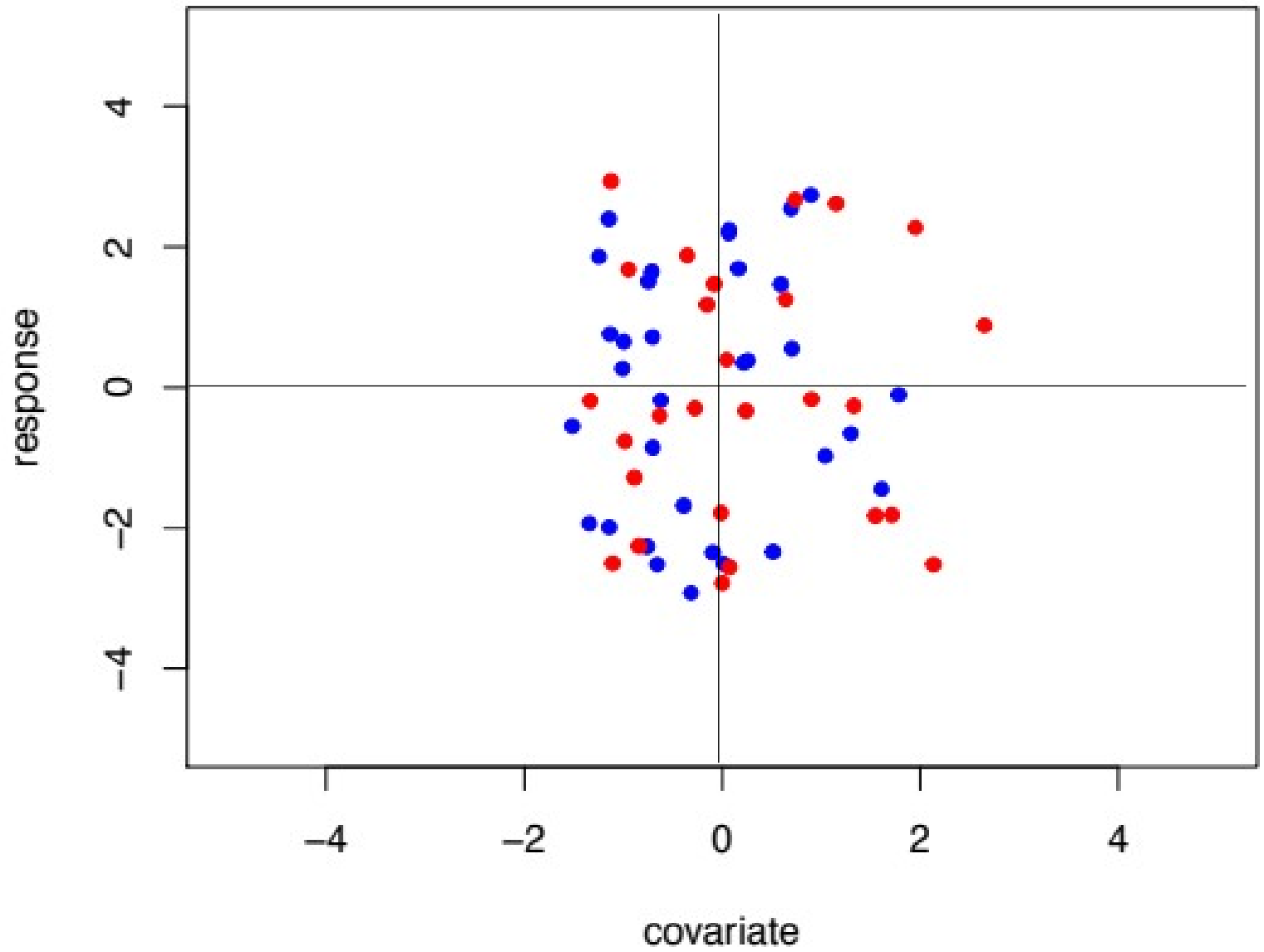

Sex: $y_i = b_0 + b_1 x_{i0} + b_2 x_{i1} + \varepsilon_i$

Female ($x_{i2} = 0$) $y_i = b_0 + b_1 x_{i0} + b_2 0 + \varepsilon_i = b_0 + b_1 x_{i0} + \varepsilon_i$

Male ($x_{i2} = 1$) $y_i = b_0 + b_1 x_{i0} + b_2 1 + \varepsilon_i$

Female ($x_{i2} = 0$) $0 + 0 * x_{i0} + \varepsilon_i$

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Call:
lm(formula = y ~ x + sx)

Residuals:
    Min      1Q  Median      3Q     Max
-2.8702 -1.7023 -0.1178  1.5936  3.1370

Coefficients:
            Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.02613    0.31286  -0.084    0.934
x            0.08222    0.23471   0.350    0.727
sx          -0.08598    0.47224  -0.182    0.856

Residual standard error: 1.784 on 57 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.00238,   Adjusted R-squared:  -0.03262
F-statistic: 0.06799 on 2 and 57 DF,  p-value: 0.9343
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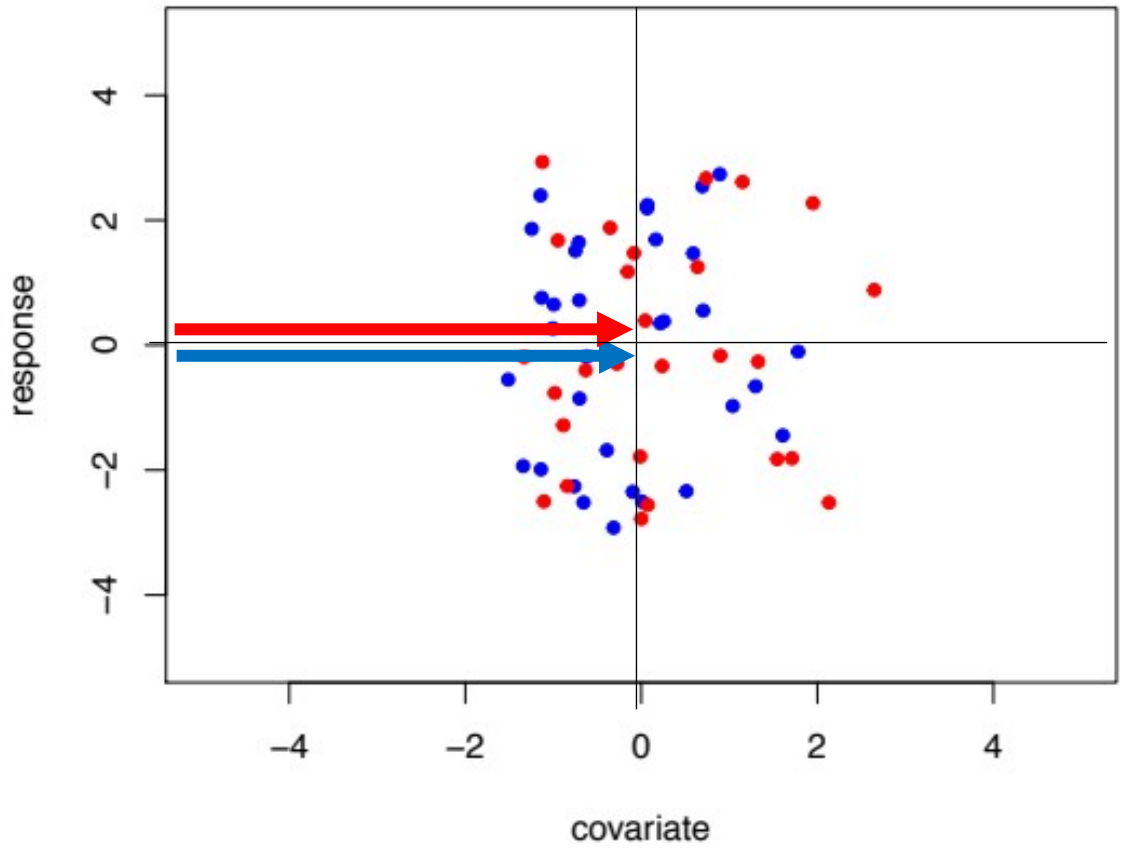

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Female ($x_{i2} = 0$) $y_i = 0 + 0 * x_{i0} + \varepsilon_i$

Male ($x_{i2} = 1$) $y_i = 0 + 0 * x_{i0} + 3.91 + \varepsilon_i$

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sx           3.91402    0.47224   8.288 2.29e-11 ***
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Residual standard error: 1.784 on 57 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.5608,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.5454
F-statistic:  36.4 on 2 and 57 DF,  p-value: 6.524e-11
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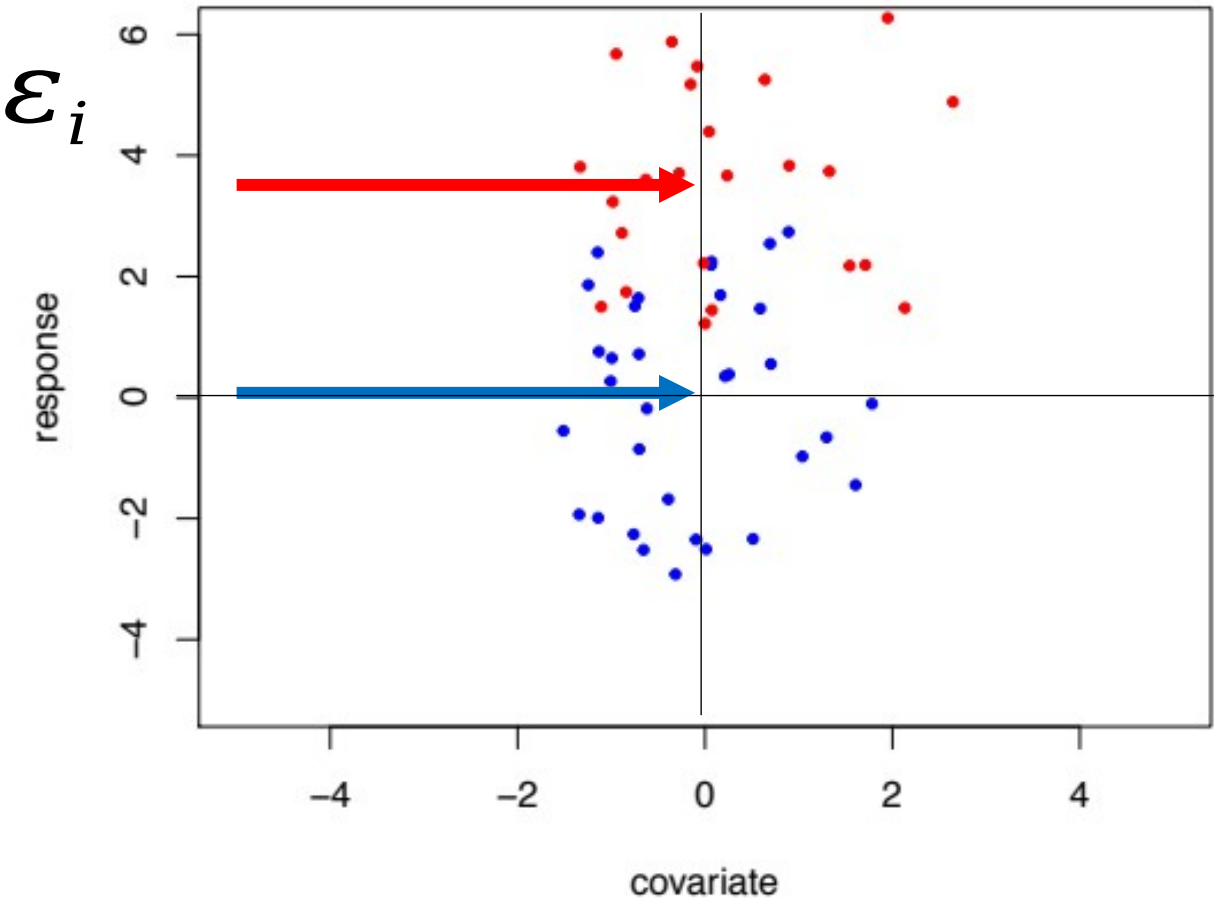

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$$y_i = b_0 + b_1 x_{i0} + b_2 + \varepsilon_i$$

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$$y_i = 0 + 3.08 * x_{i0} + \varepsilon_i$$

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x            3.08222    0.23471  13.132   <2e-16 ***
sx          -0.08598    0.47224  -0.182    0.856
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Residual standard error: 1.784 on 57 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:  0.7579,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.7494
F-statistic: 89.24 on 2 and 57 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
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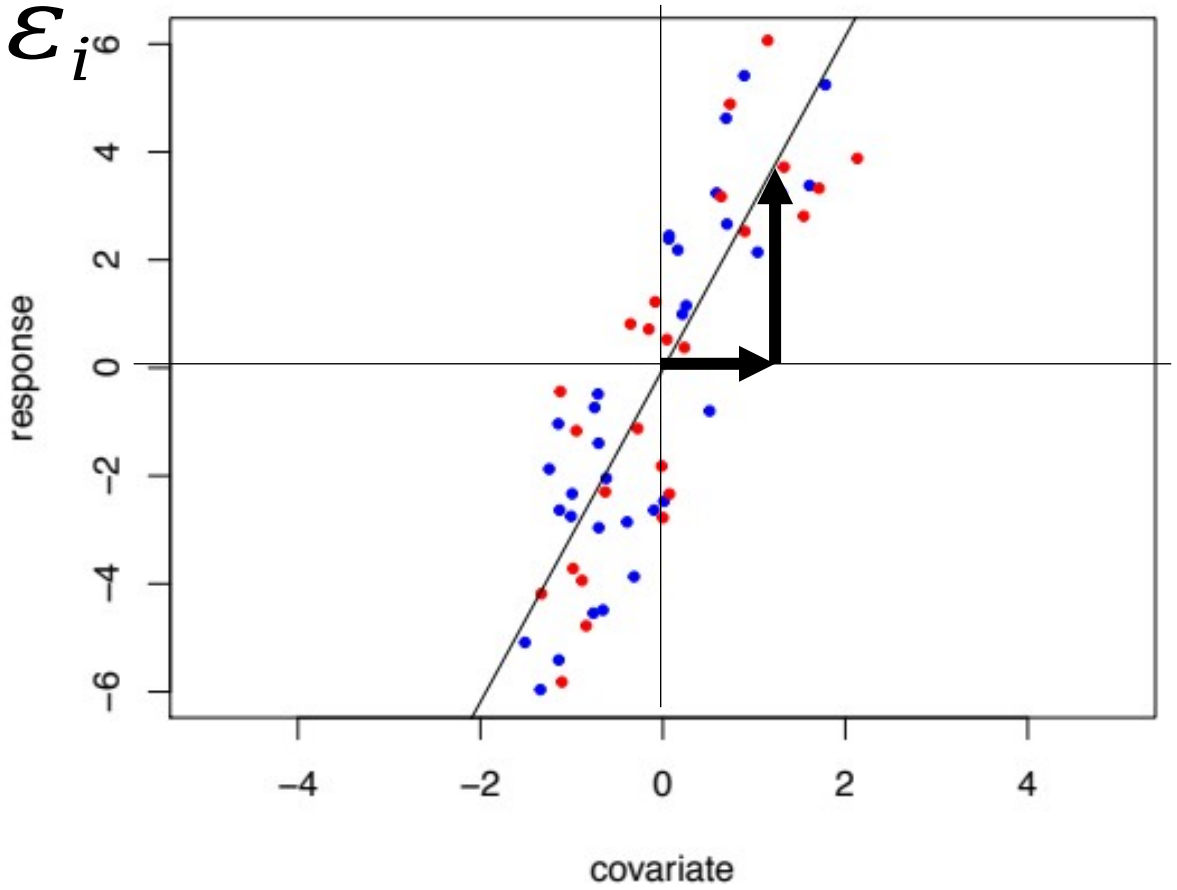

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Residual standard error: 1.784 on 57 degrees of freedom
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F-statistic: 87.96 on 2 and 57 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
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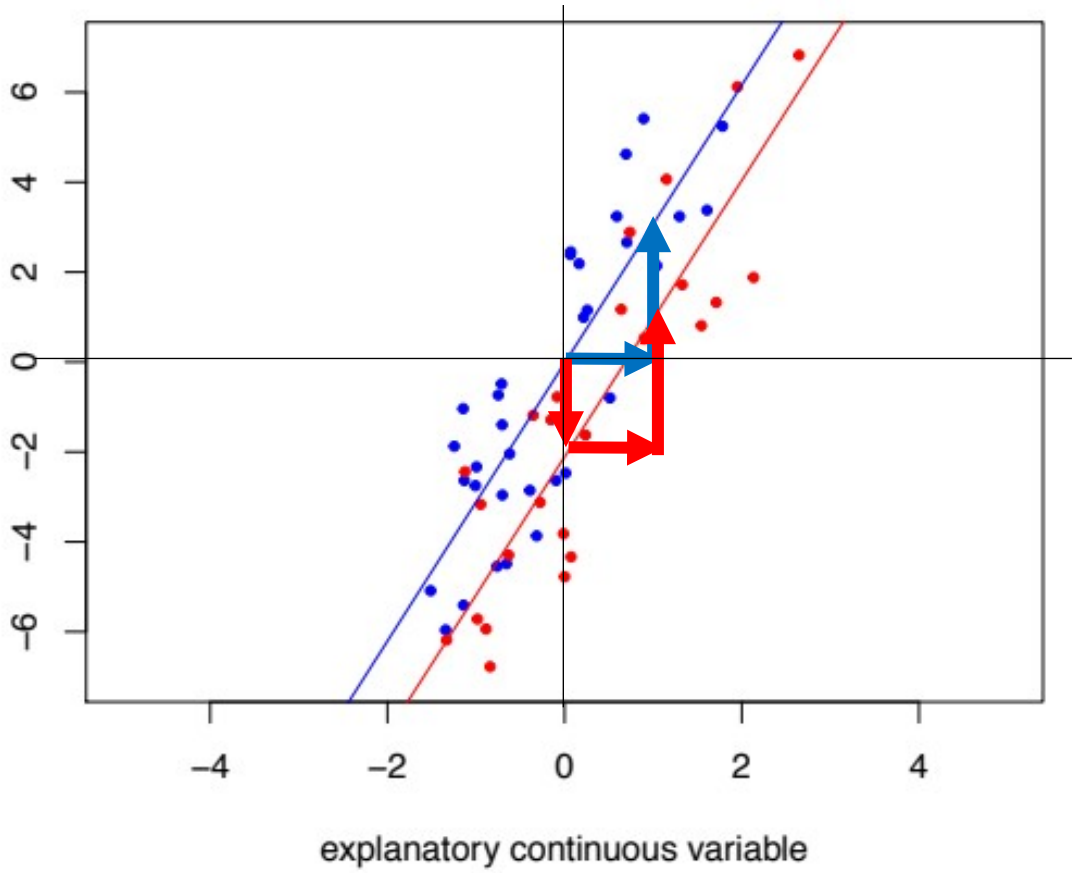
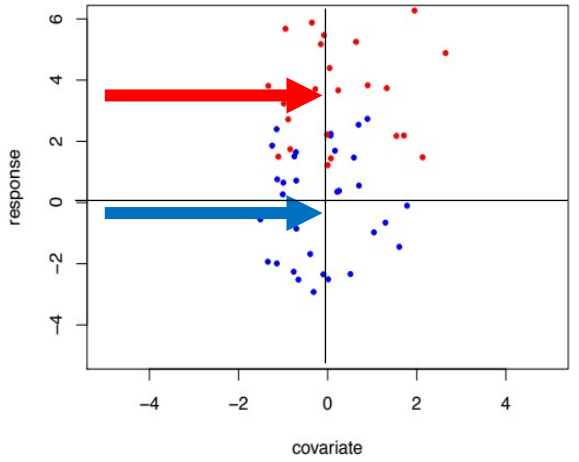
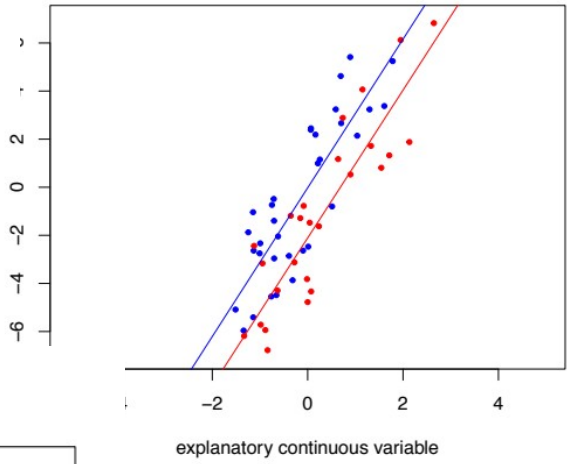
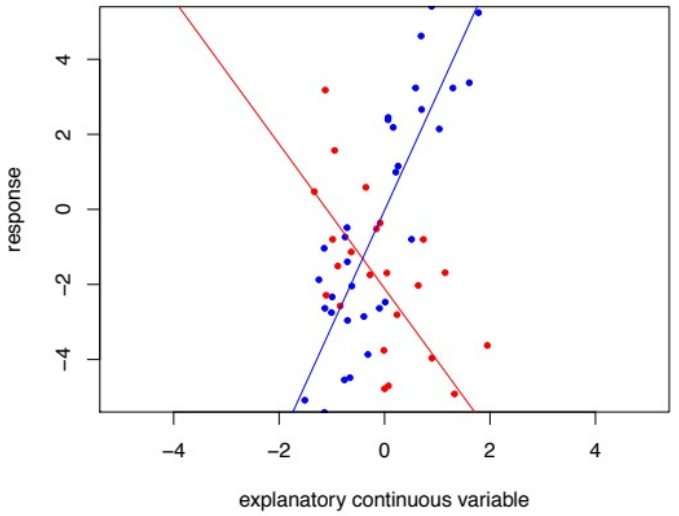


Ok

- We can estimate two different intercepts
- We can estimate one slope and two intercepts
- How can we estimate a separate slope for each sex?







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Interactions of terms:

$$y_i = b_0 + b_1 x_{i0} + b_2 x_{i1} + b_3 x_{i0} x_{i1} + \varepsilon_i$$

- interaction between sex and tarsus
- one more parameter estimate
- one more degree of freedom
- but not more variables

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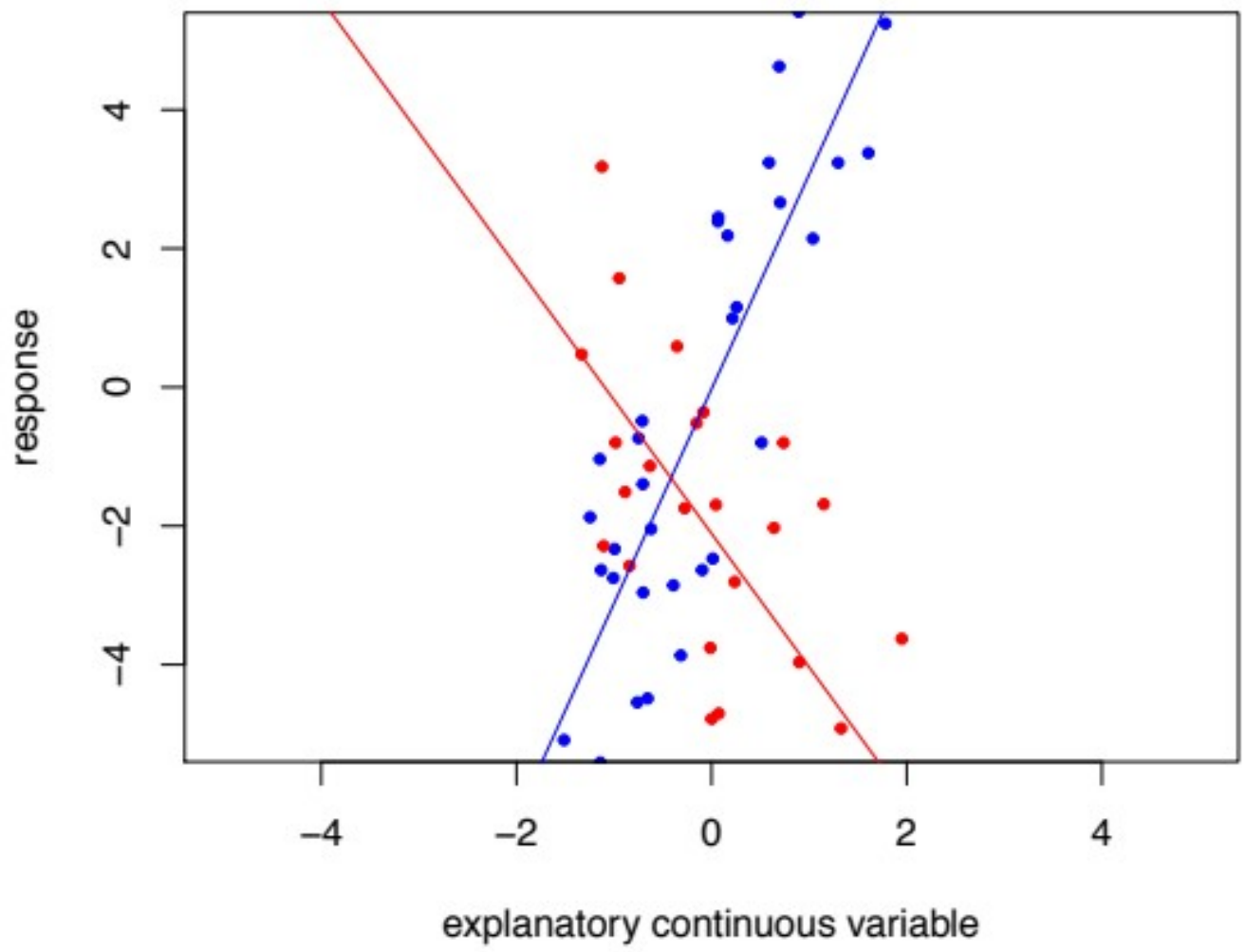

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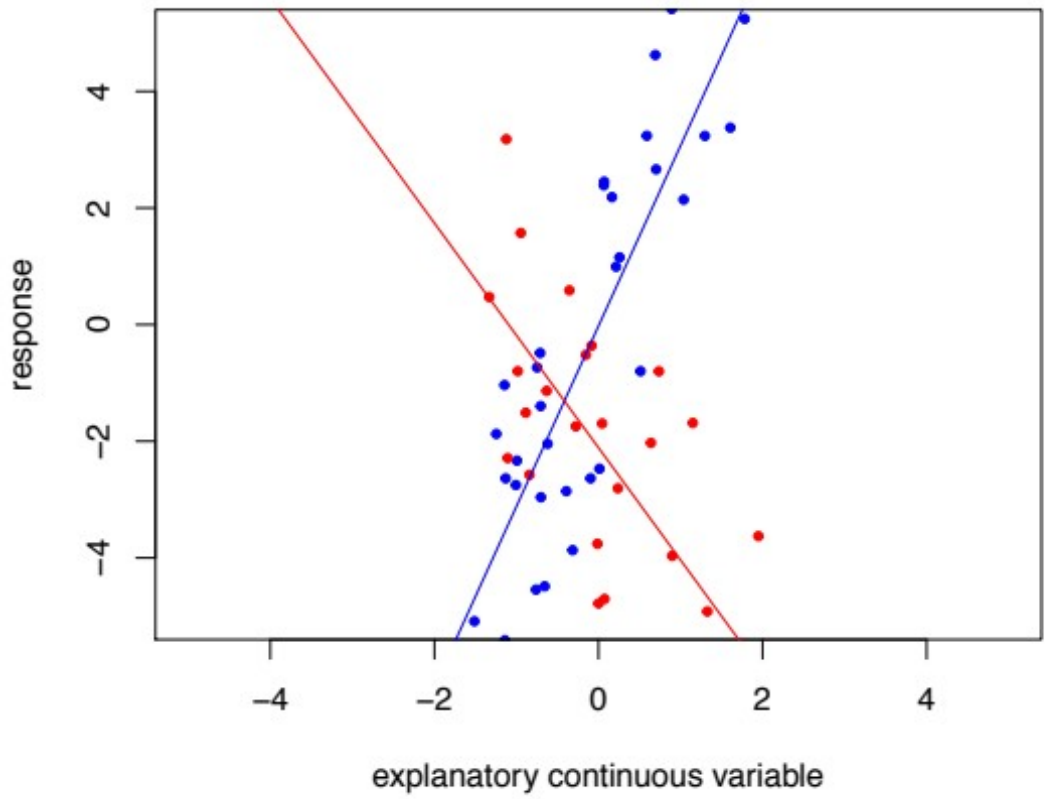

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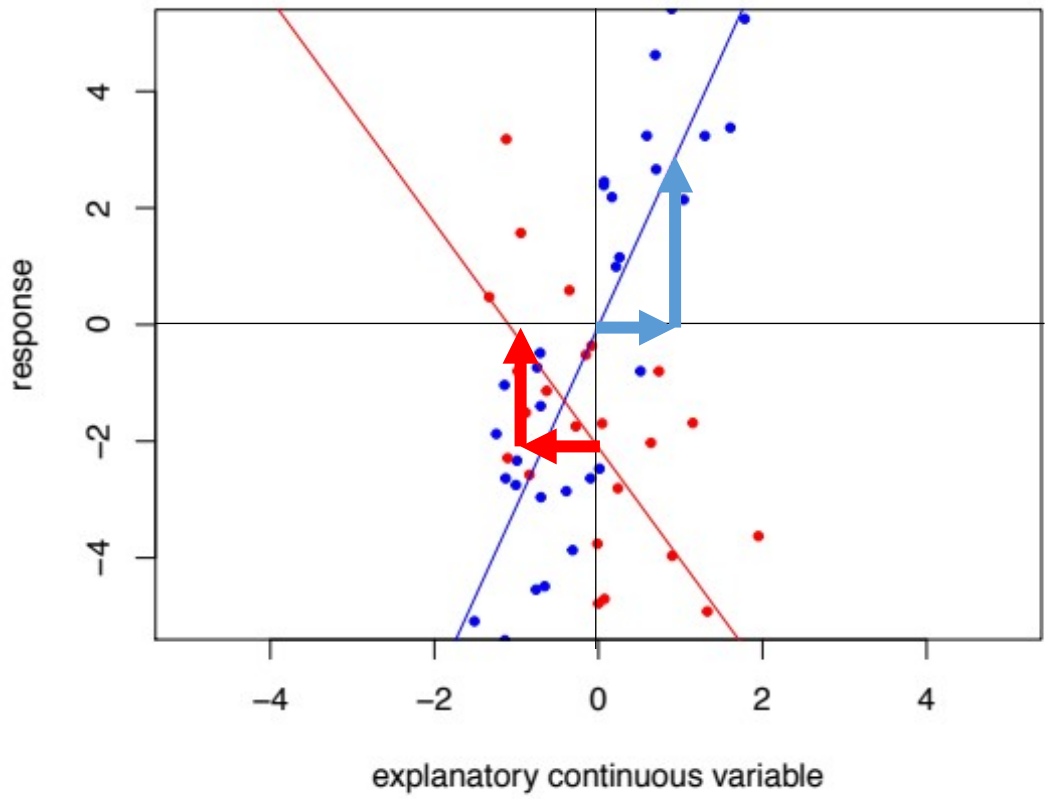

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Let's try this

- Intercept: b_0 reference group, b_2: *difference* of group 1 to reference
- Slope: b_1 slope of reference group, b3 *difference* of slope of group 1 to reference
- Do not interpret estimates by themselves!

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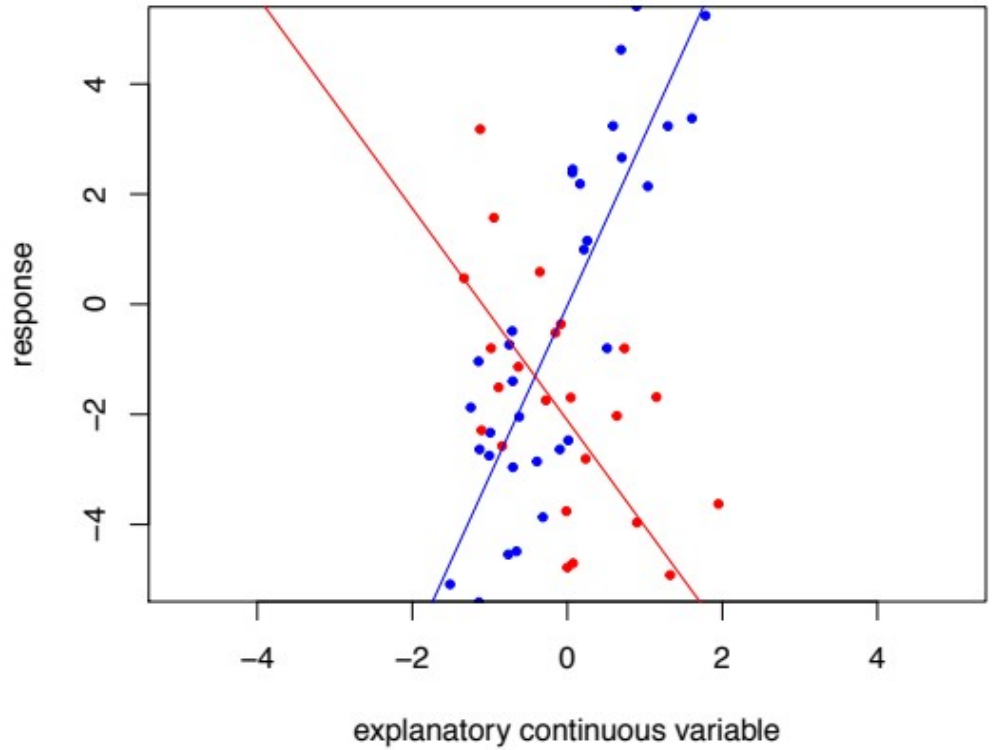

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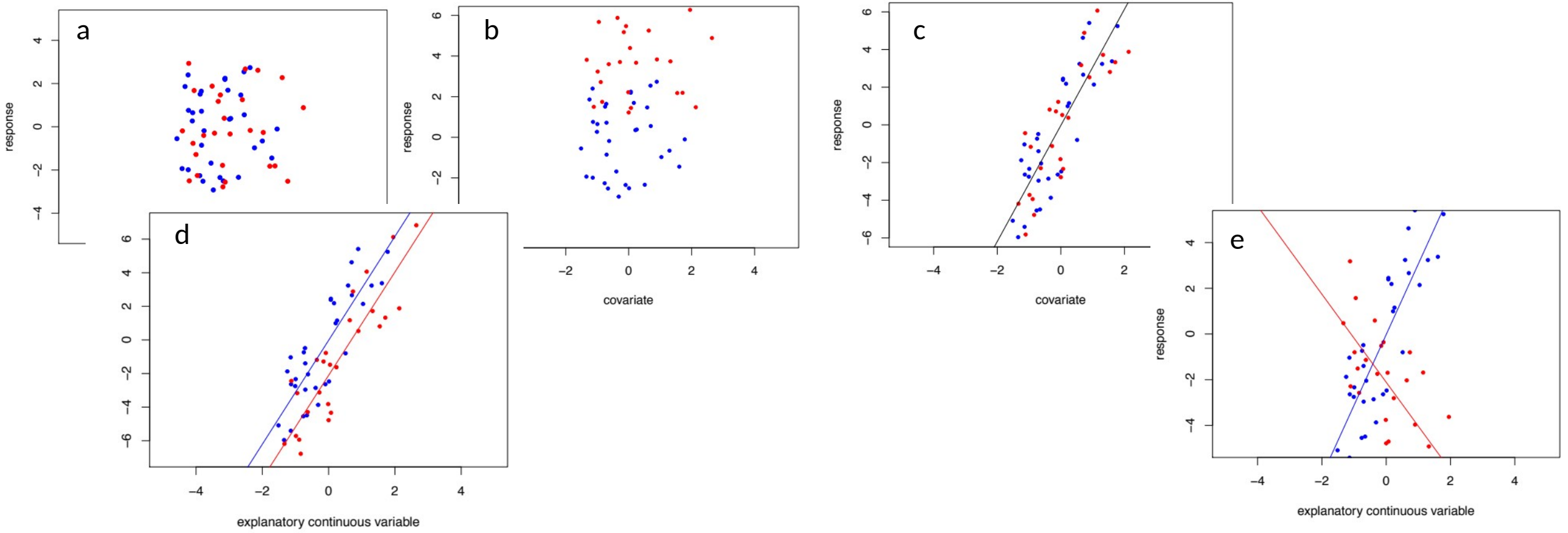
plot	a	b	c	d	e
Intercept					
b_1 (sex)	0	+	0	+	+
b_2 (tarsus)	0	0	+	+	+
b_3 (tarsus x sex)	0	0	0	0	-



What else?

- Interactions between continuous variables and categorical predictors with more than 2 levels
- Multiple continuous predictors
- Interactions between categorical predictors
- → hand outs!

- Avoid (at all costs):
- Interactions between 2 continuous predictors
- 3- or more-way interactions

Take home: categorical predictors:

- Interpreting categorical x continuous predictor interactions
- When interaction terms are present – never interpret the estimates in isolation
- You will need to do some math's to interpret your results