

# Quantitative Research Methods: history 3

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## 1 history 3 for QRM

### 1.1 import data and attach

use Demographics.xls

```
#soma=read.table("clipboard",header=TRUE)
soma=read.csv("/Users/sn0wfree/Dropbox/PhD(1st)/BST 215Quantitative Research Methods term 1/r code/Demo
#head(soma) # WRONG. Capital A.
head(soma)
```

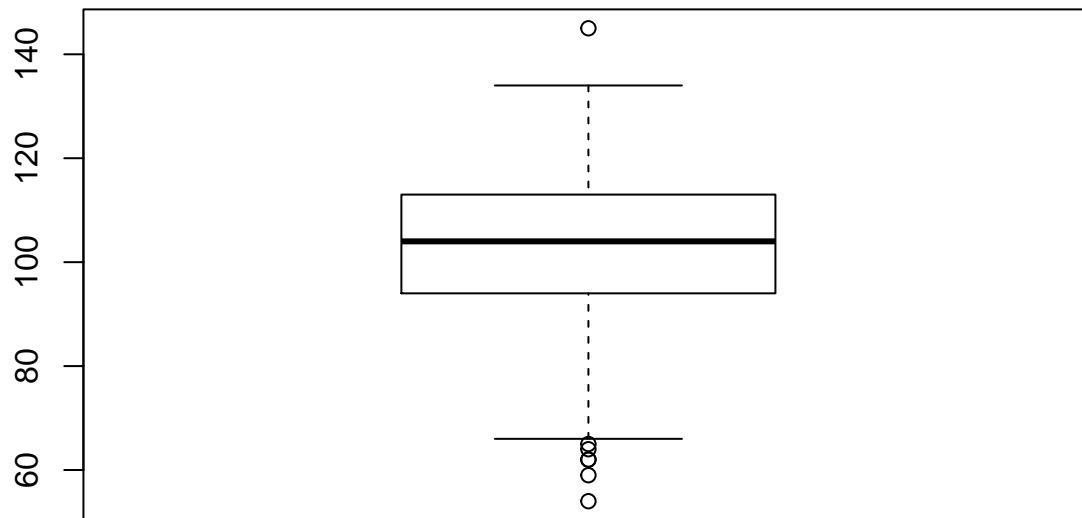
```
##   wage hours  IQ educ exper tenure age married south urban sibs brthord
## 1   866    40  85  12    11     12  30         1     1     0     8     5
## 2   926    55  64  12    18     0  38         1     0     1     4     5
## 3  1400    40  92  12    15     5  36         1     1     1     2     1
## 4   400    50  68  12     4     9  31         1     1     1     6     1
## 5   950    40  96  12    14     2  35         1     0     1     1     1
## 6   560    49 112  16    13     2  32         1     1     0     3     1
##   meduc feduc
## 1     6     0
## 2     0     2
## 3     6     2
## 4     6     2
## 5     8     2
## 6     8     2
```

```
attach(soma)
```

### 1.2 plot

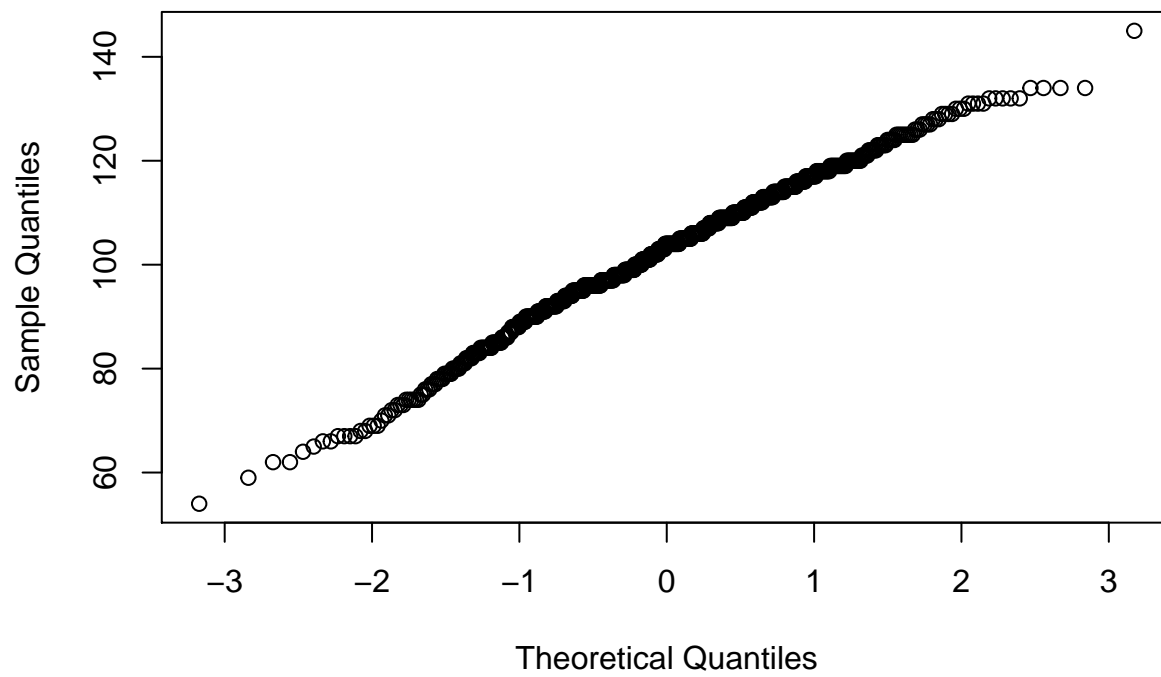
- boxplot and qqnorm for IQ & educ

```
boxplot(IQ)
```

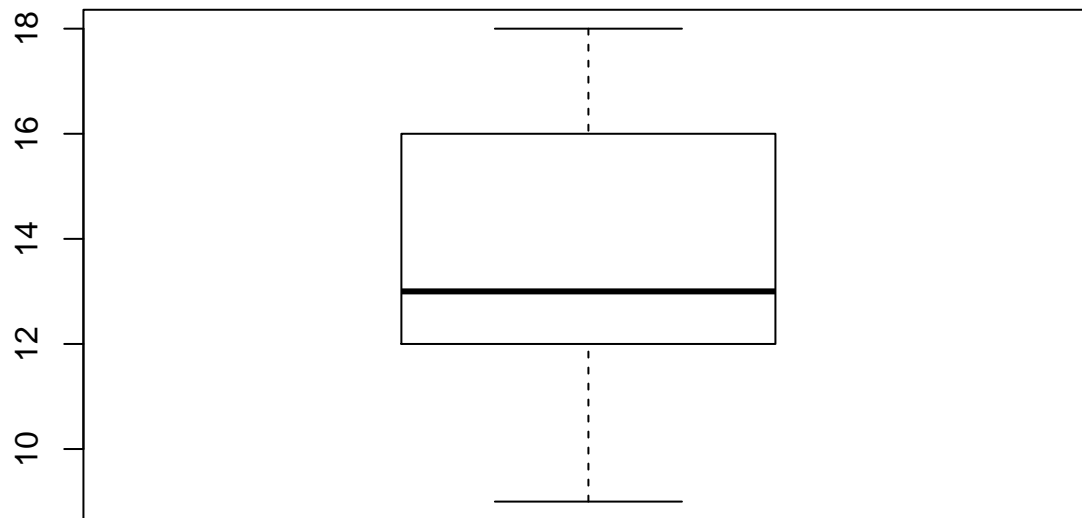


```
qqnorm(IQ)
```

**Normal Q-Q Plot**

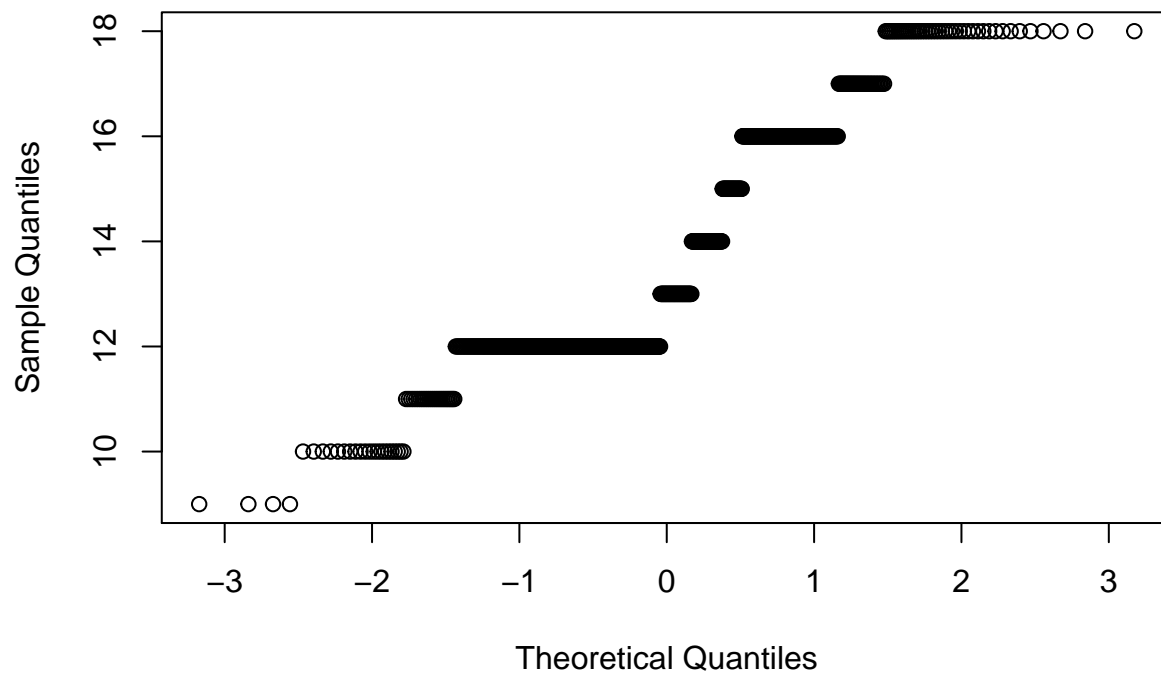


```
boxplot(educ)
```

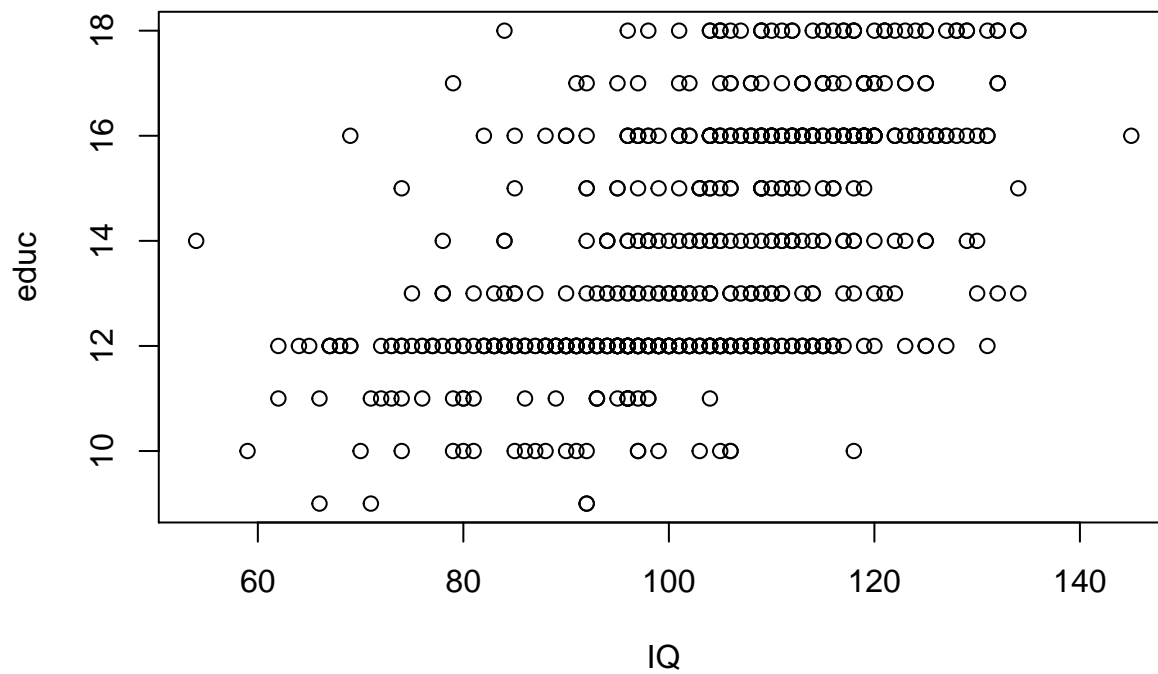


```
qqnorm(educ)
```

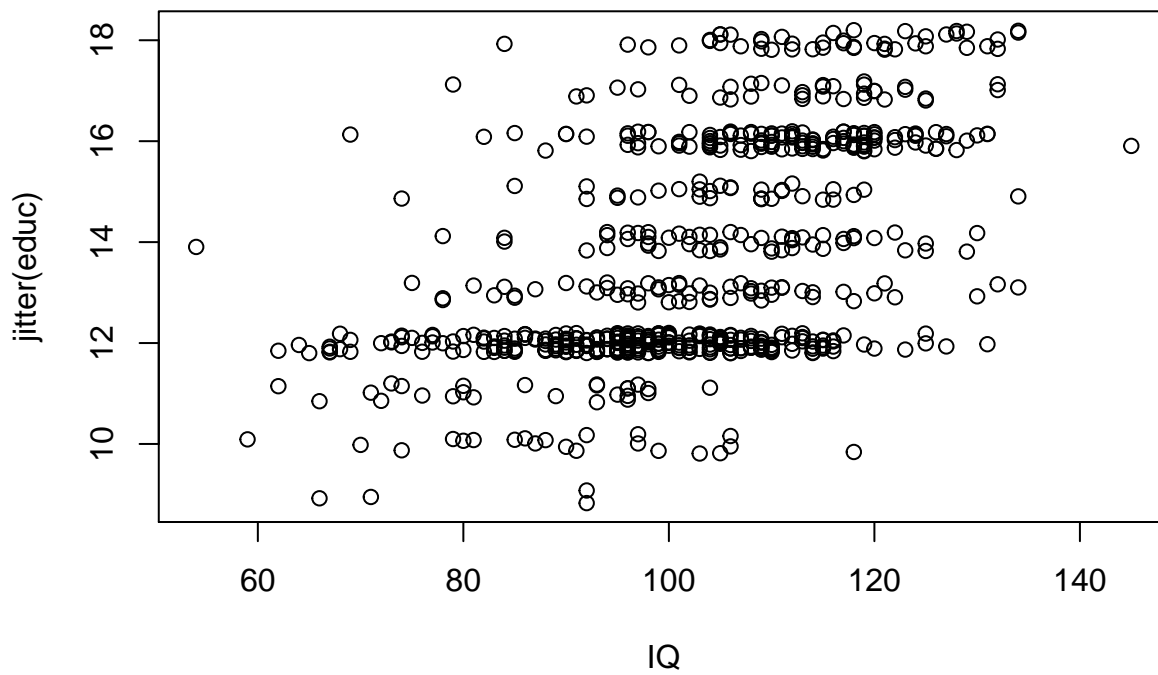
**Normal Q-Q Plot**



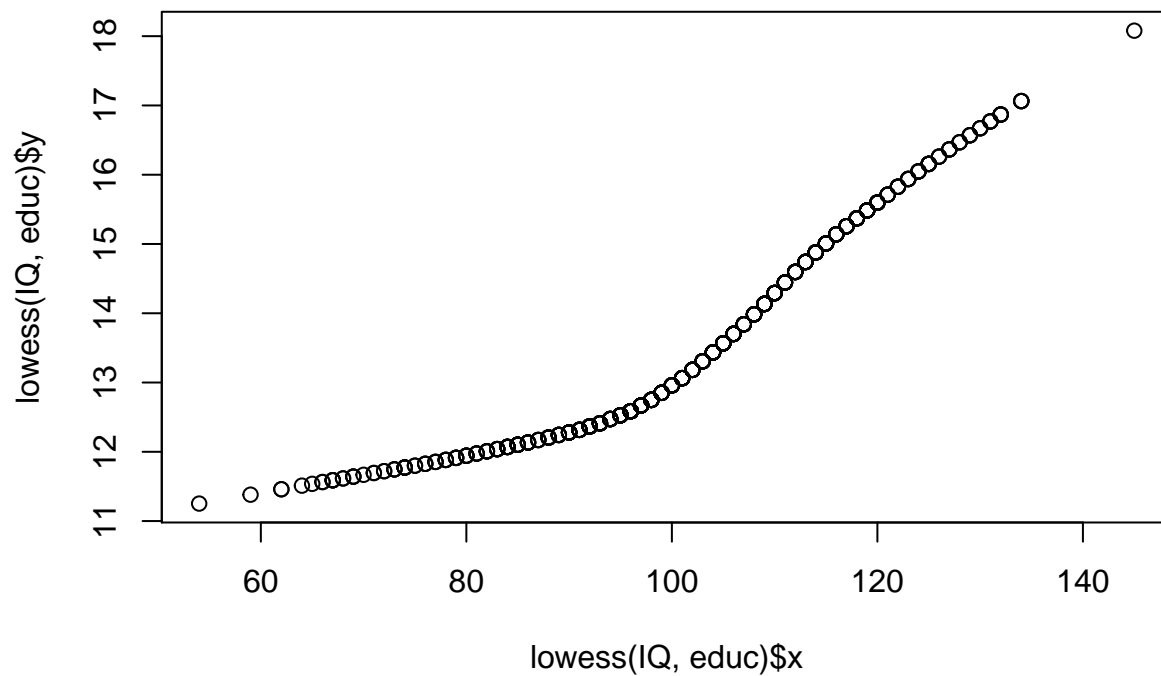
```
plot(IQ,educ)
```



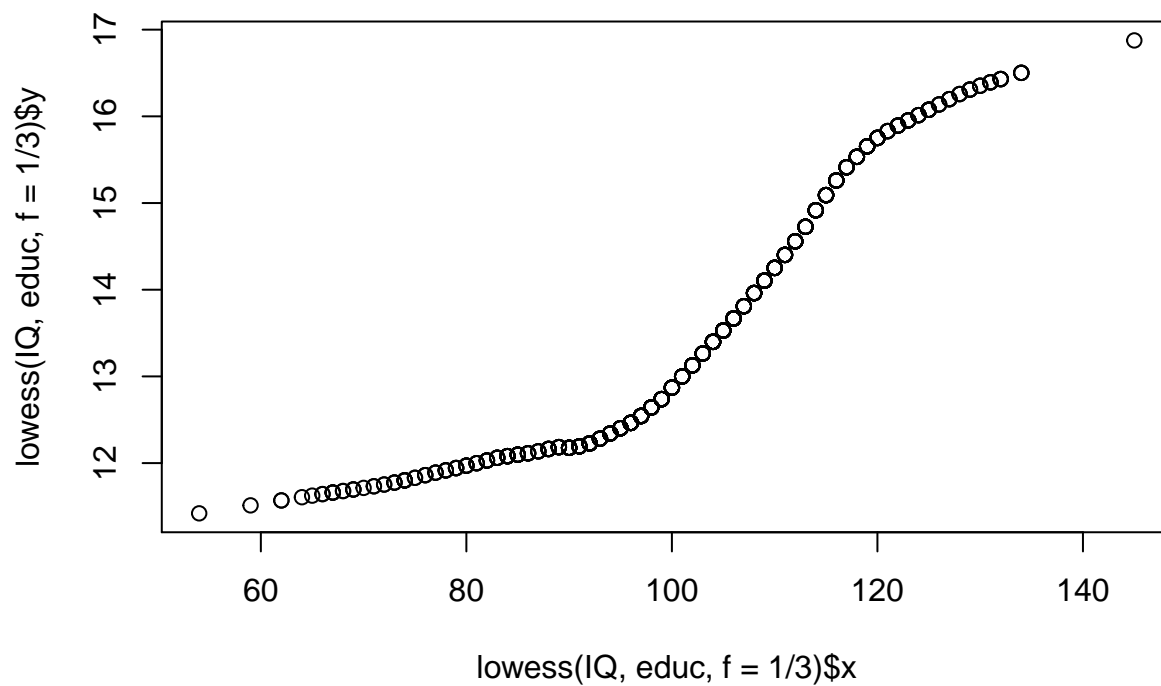
```
plot(IQ,jitter(educ))
```



```
plot(lowess(IQ,educ))
```



```
plot(lowess(IQ,educ,f=1/3)) # for a more fine-grained smooth
```



### 1.3 cor.test

```
cor.test(IQ,educ)
```

```
##
```

```
## Pearson's product-moment correlation
##
## data: IQ and educ
## t = 16.645, df = 661, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: true correlation is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 0.4874928 0.5949860
## sample estimates:
## cor
## 0.5434635
```