

1. The null hypothesis that the given advertisement method does not affect sales.

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We can see that this is likely true for newspaper because it has a high p value, meaning it does not likely affect sales.

2. KNN regression is for quantitative, continuous (takes an average of the neighbors value) KNN classification is for discrete classification problems (assigns the classifier with the highest representation in the pool of neighbors)

3. Assumed equation:

$$Salary = 50 + 20GPA + 0.07IQ + 35 Gender + 0.01GPA * IQ - 10GPA * Gender$$

- a. Part iii is correct. This is because when substituting the known values for the 'gender' attribute, we get that males average:

$50 + 20GPA + 0.07IQ + 0.01GPA * IQ$, while females average:

$85 + 10GPA + 0.07IQ + 0.01GPA \times IQ$. We can combine this to say that males make more if:

$$50 + 20GPA + 0.07IQ + 0.01GPA * IQ > 85 + 10GPA + 0.07IQ + 0.01GPA \times IQ$$

which simplifies to say that males make more if $GPA > 3.5$

- b. $Salary = 50 + 20GPA + 0.07IQ + 35 Gender + 0.01GPA * IQ - 10GPA * Gender$

$$Salary = 50 + 20(4) + 0.07(110) + 35(1) + 0.01(4) * (110) - 10(4) * (1)$$

$$Salary = 137.1$$

- c. False. The coefficient by itself does not give enough information to make this claim. The way to determine this would be to use the p test as alluded to in problem 1.

4.

- a. We would expect the TRAINING rss to be less for the cubic model on average. This is because the higher complexity would be able to overfit to the data, creating variance, but lowering the TRAINING error. Despite the fact that the original data is generated by a linear relationship, the cubic model would likely be able to match the noise a bit better than the linear model. At worst, the cubic model would find the β_2 and β_3 to be 0, making it effectively just an inefficient linear model. Therefore, the cubic model could have a lower RSS, but should never have a higher one, so we can expect it to be lower. Note that this is only true of the TRAINING rss, and test RSS should be expected to be higher in the cubic.
- b. As mentioned above, since the data is generated by a linear function, the cubic model would create bias, and overfit to the training data, causing a higher test rss. We can expect a lower rss on the linear model as it is the same order as the generator function.
- c. As above, with training rss, a higher order model will always have a lower training rss because it can fit the noise in the data better. More complexity = lower training rss.
- d. There is not enough information to tell. If the data is almost linear, then we can expect a linear function to perform better in general, because the cubic will

overfit. However, if the generator function is, for example, on the order of 3 or greater, we can expect a lower test rss from the cubic model.

5.

6. The formula for simple linear regression is $\hat{Y} = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x$ (can't get subscript to work correctly). If we substitute $\hat{\beta}_0$ for the formula in the description, we get $\hat{Y} = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x} + \hat{\beta}_1 x$. Because this is the equation of a line, plugging in a value for x will give us the corresponding y value. If we plug in \bar{x} for x : $\hat{Y} = \bar{Y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x} + \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x} = \bar{Y}$.

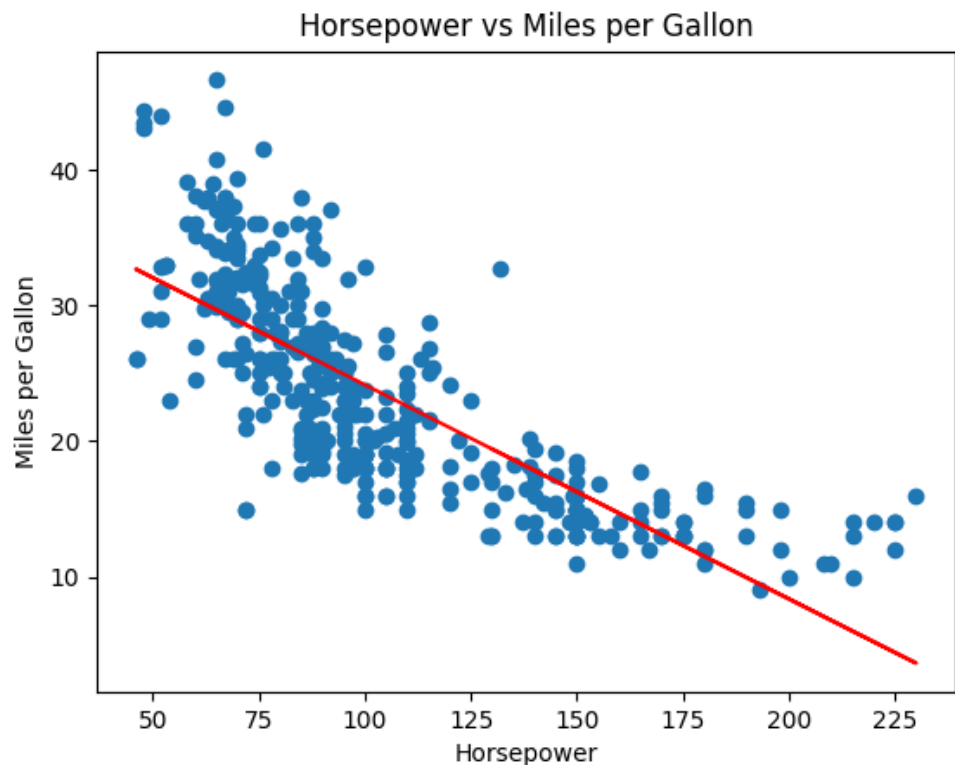
Therefore, the point (\bar{x}, \bar{y}) .

Applied Questions

1.

a.

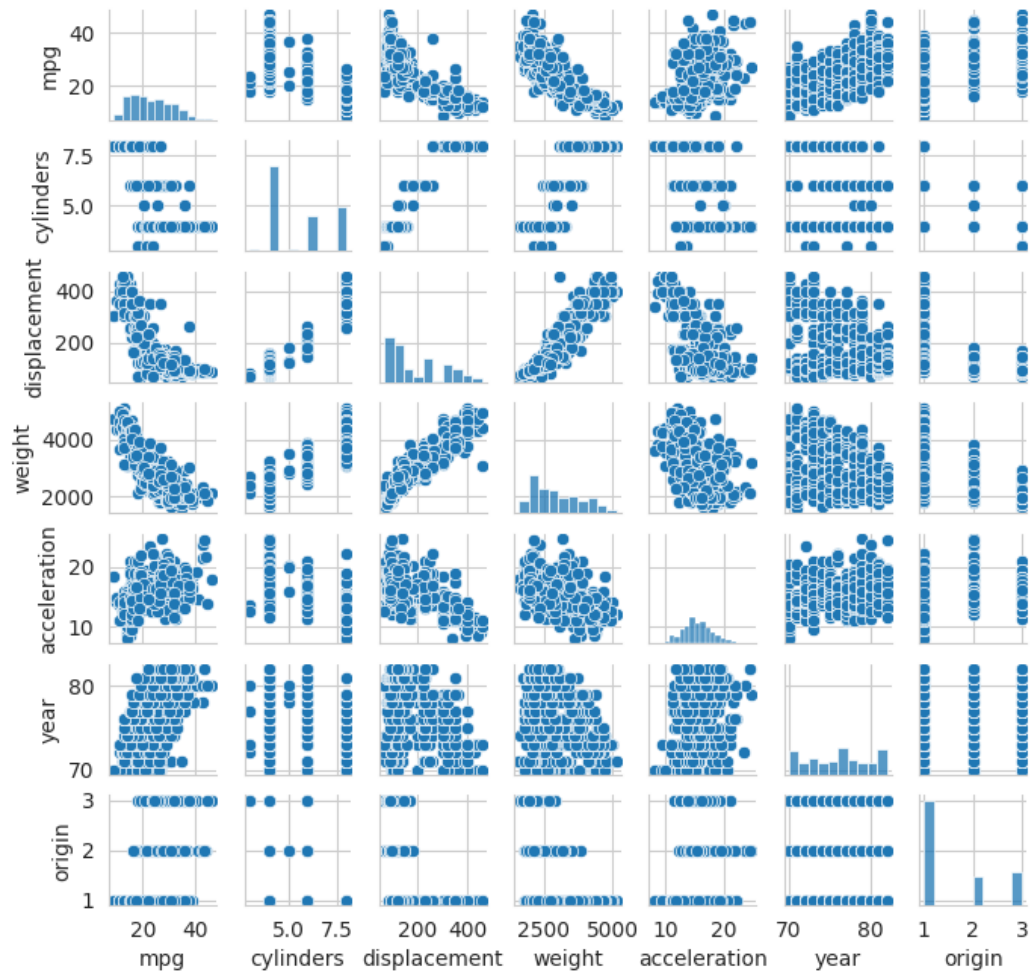
- i. Yes because the R^2 value is 0.6059482578894348
- ii. Somewhat strong, because about 60% of the variation in mpg is predicted by horsepower
- iii. Negative, slope of -0.15784473
- iv. 24.94061135



v.

2.

a. Scatterplot Matrix:



b. Correlation Matrix:

	mpg	cylinders	displacement	weight	acceleration	year	origin
mpg	1	-0.7776175081	-0.8051269467	-0.8322442148	0.4233285369	0.5805409661	0.5652087567
cylinders	-0.7776175081	1	0.9508233008	0.8975273403	-0.5046833793	-0.3456474403	-0.5689315895
displacement	-0.8051269467	0.9508233008	1	0.9329944041	-0.5438004967	-0.3698552067	-0.6145351146
weight	-0.8322442148	0.8975273403	0.9329944041	1	-0.416839202	-0.3091198808	-0.5850053547
acceleration	0.4233285369	-0.5046833793	-0.5438004967	-0.416839202	1	0.2903161133	0.212745808
year	0.5805409661	-0.3456474403	-0.3698552067	-0.3091198808	0.2903161133	1	0.1815277184
origin	0.5652087567	-0.5689315895	-0.6145351146	-0.5850053547	0.212745808	0.1815277184	1

c.

Predicting mpg using cylinders

Intercept: 42.91550535343909

Coefficient: [-3.55807837]

R2 Score: 0.6046889889441245

Predicting mpg using displacement

Intercept: 35.12063593840391

Coefficient: [-0.06005143]

R2 Score: 0.6482294003193044

Predicting mpg using horsepower

Intercept: 39.93586102117047

Coefficient: [-0.15784473]

R2 Score: 0.6059482578894348

Predicting mpg using weight

Intercept: 46.21652454901758

Coefficient: [-0.00764734]

R2 Score: 0.6926304331206254

Predicting mpg using acceleration

Intercept: 4.833249804843799

Coefficient: [1.19762419]

R2 Score: 0.1792070501562546

Predicting mpg using year

Intercept: -70.01167409014336

Coefficient: [1.23003546]

R2 Score: 0.33702781330962295

Predicting mpg using origin

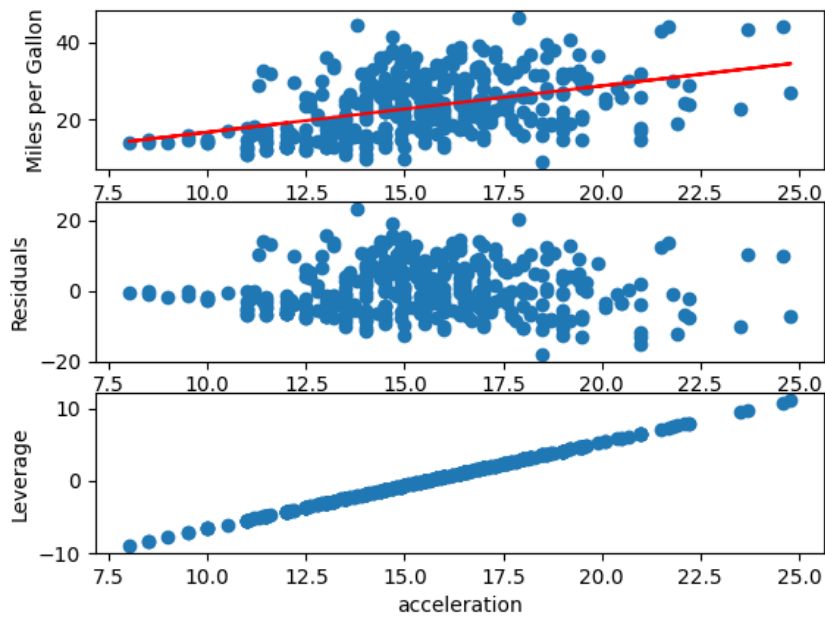
Intercept: 14.81197361541246

Coefficient: [5.47654748]

R2 Score: 0.3194609386689675

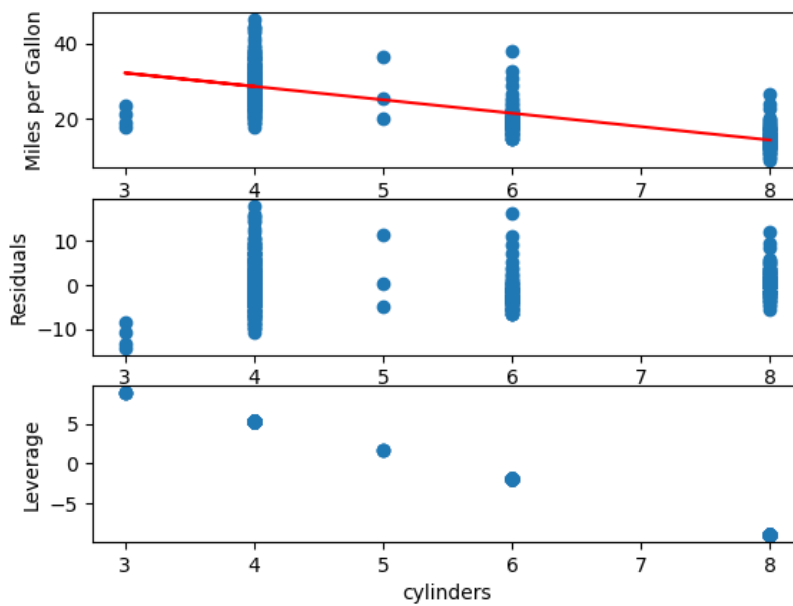
- i. For all values there is a relationship, just some are not very descriptive (such as acceleration)
- ii. Weight, horsepower, displacement, and cylinders are all decent predictors, but weight is the best with a r^2 of 0.69
- iii. The coefficient for year suggests that from 1970 to 1982, the average mpg of the data generally increased. This makes sense as new advancements would allow for more efficient engines and lighter vehicles.

d.



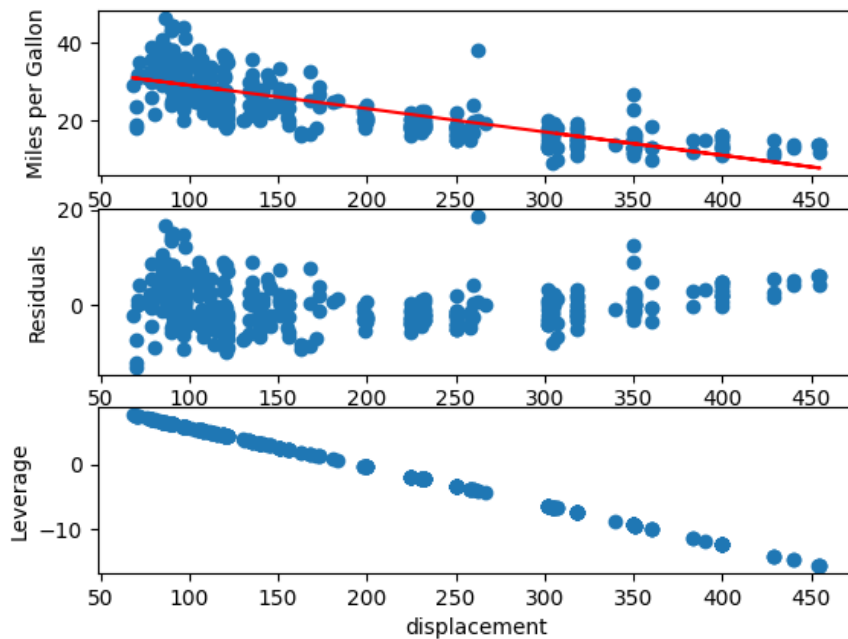
Residuals show that

there is far less variation for lower values of acceleration.

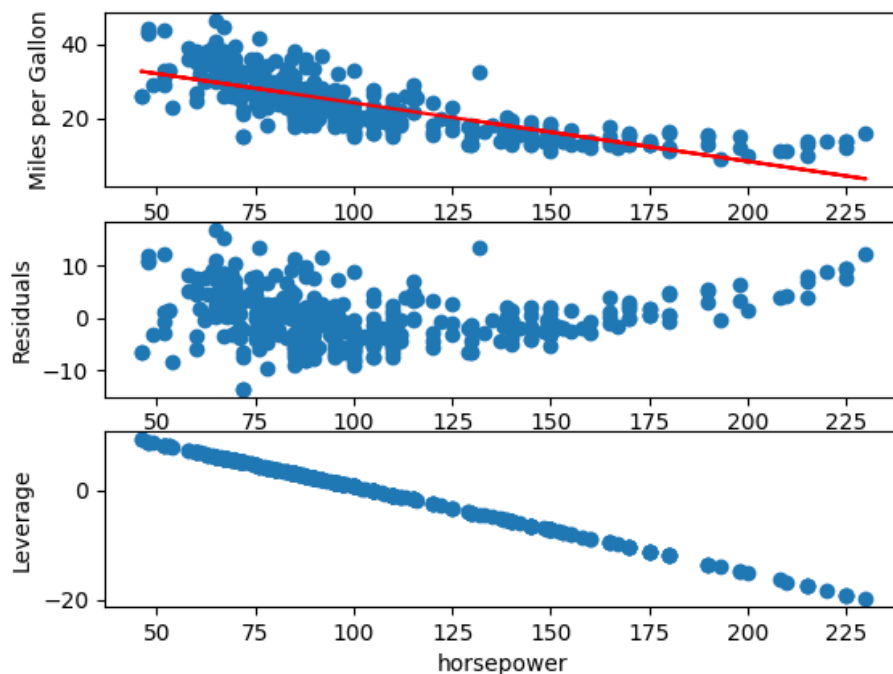


The values at 3

cylinders have a surprising leverage considering that there seem to be few of them. This is not very descriptive due to the large grained value of cylinders not allowing for a lot of variation.

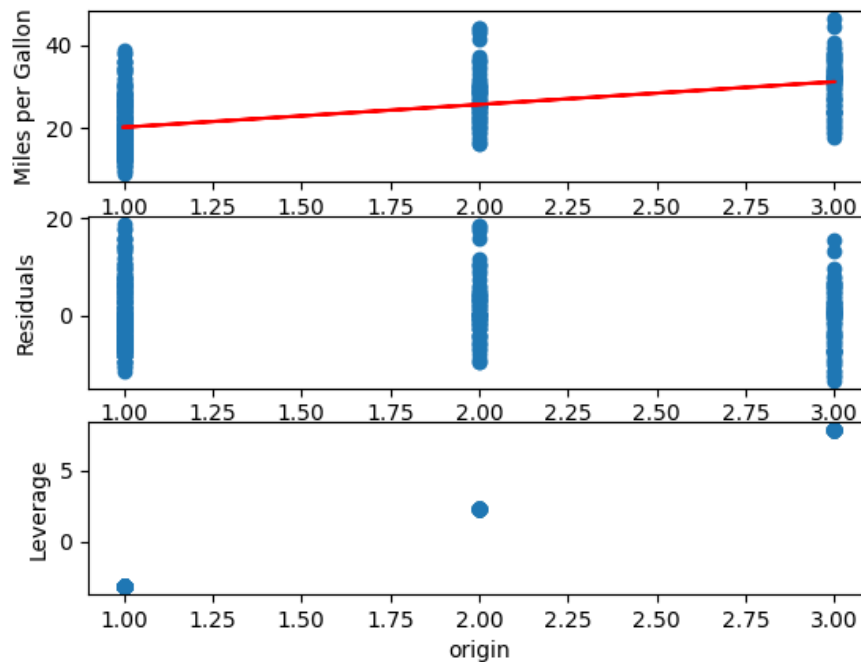


There is a clear outlier at just over 250 displacement that comes in much higher than normal. Variance decreases as displacement increases, but there is also far more data for lower displacement vehicles (as they are much more common).

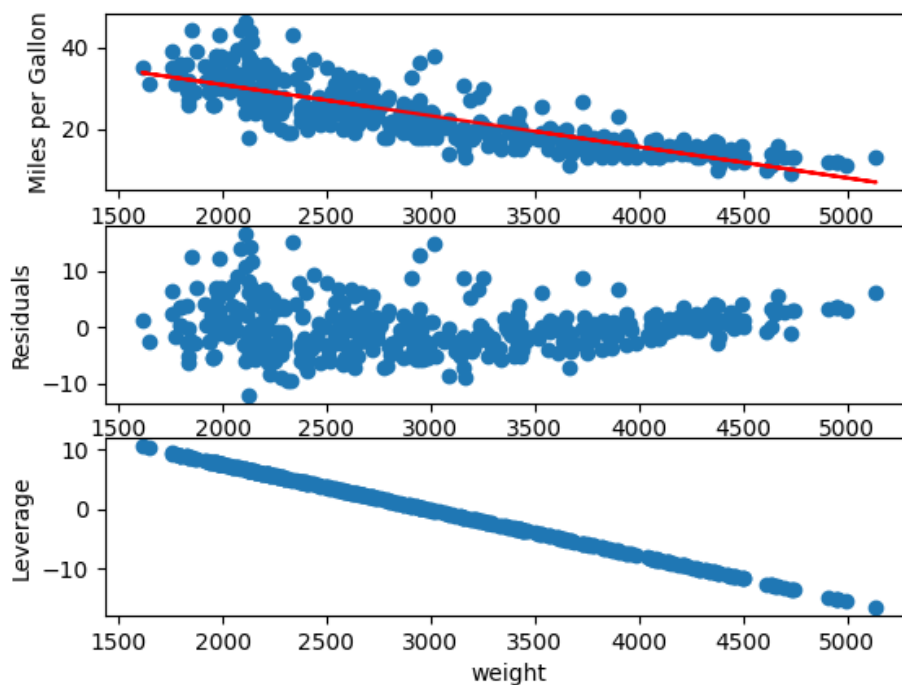


Clearly another decent predictor of mpg. Clearly left skewed like the previous. The residuals show a slight

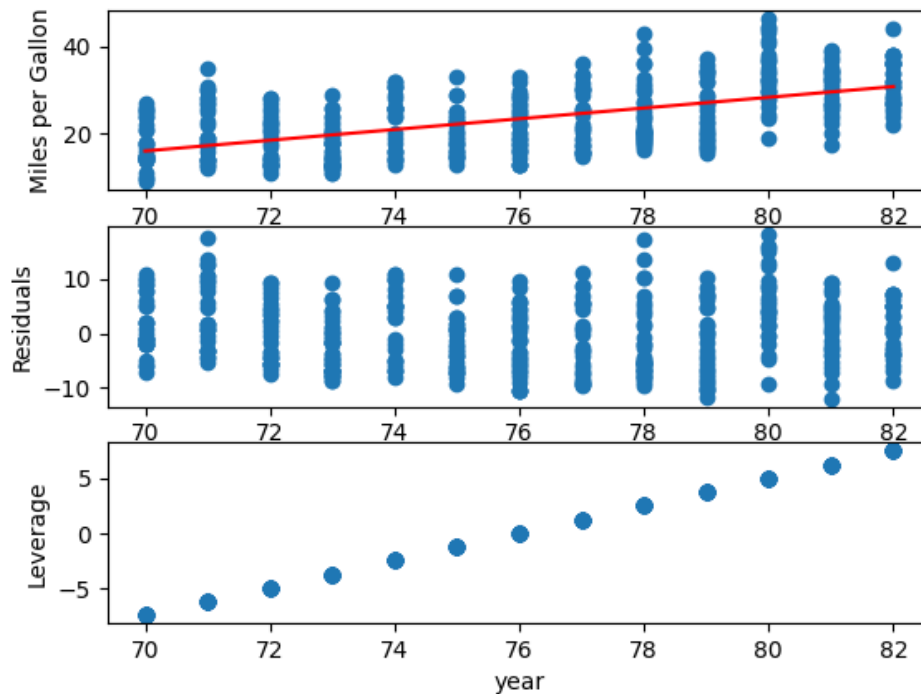
parabolic shape which could imply that introducing a non-linear term could provide better results.



This doesn't mean anything at all, since origin is just an enum for countries. The scatterplot may have some meaning but putting a line to it is not helpful.



Decent fit. Variation decreases as weight increases.



Shows little more than a general trend toward better mpg as time increases. Interesting to note that each year has a similar variance in mpg values.

e.

Predicting mpg using cylinders x cylinders

Intercept: 33.216581988812166

Coefficient: [-0.29748351]

R2 Score: 0.5934472096925252

Predicting mpg using cylinders x displacement

Intercept: 30.989620265007336

Coefficient: [-0.00611767]

R2 Score: 0.6128468289184077

Predicting mpg using cylinders x horsepower

Intercept: 32.49813405356838

Coefficient: [-0.01444064]

R2 Score: 0.6031409605327316

Predicting mpg using cylinders x weight

Intercept: 34.294799210406666

Coefficient: [-0.00061675]

R2 Score: 0.6519639183732271

Predicting mpg using cylinders x acceleration

Intercept: 40.92789254500349

Coefficient: [-0.21146136]

R2 Score: 0.3515194612646172

Predicting mpg using cylinders x year

Intercept: 42.480533737757355

Coefficient: [-0.04602299]

R2 Score: 0.5235641708125532

Predicting mpg using cylinders x origin

Intercept: 19.663640342408446

Coefficient: [0.48200682]

R2 Score: 0.030928157699728898

Predicting mpg using displacement x cylinders

Intercept: 30.989620265007336

Coefficient: [-0.00611767]

R2 Score: 0.6128468289184077

Predicting mpg using displacement x displacement

Intercept: 29.257667934664347

Coefficient: [-0.00011929]

R2 Score: 0.5660372846661386

Predicting mpg using displacement x horsepower

Intercept: 29.889010319034202

Coefficient: [-0.00026942]

R2 Score: 0.5600156104929326

Predicting mpg using displacement x weight

Intercept: 31.263398468891392

Coefficient: [-1.18161003e-05]

R2 Score: 0.6285078407559446

Predicting mpg using displacement x acceleration

Intercept: 36.93353104785503

Coefficient: [-0.004708]

R2 Score: 0.6025228861921829

Predicting mpg using displacement x year

Intercept: 35.29576522247327

Coefficient: [-0.00081002]
R2 Score: 0.617733761954898

Predicting mpg using displacement x origin
Intercept: 33.44015515235274
Coefficient: [-0.03921957]
R2 Score: 0.2065745127912666

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Predicting mpg using horsepower x horsepower
Intercept: 30.465772857016926
Coefficient: [-0.0005665]
R2 Score: 0.5073670089832611

Predicting mpg using horsepower x weight
Intercept: 32.91603270088104
Coefficient: [-2.79140389e-05]
R2 Score: 0.6203603485412151

Predicting mpg using horsepower x acceleration
Intercept: 47.72989725518964
Coefficient: [-0.0156611]
R2 Score: 0.6271509270660596

Predicting mpg using horsepower x year
Intercept: 40.451416248529924
Coefficient: [-0.00215843]
R2 Score: 0.5634336794996258

Predicting mpg using horsepower x origin
Intercept: 23.232932177439157
Coefficient: [0.00141404]
R2 Score: 0.0001339830518214402

Predicting mpg using weight x cylinders

Intercept: 34.294799210406666
Coefficient: [-0.00061675]
R2 Score: 0.6519639183732271

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R2 Score: 0.6203603485412151

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Intercept: 34.46926951055215
Coefficient: [-1.14998452e-06]
R2 Score: 0.650735168904341

Predicting mpg using weight x acceleration
Intercept: 40.53176874235595
Coefficient: [-0.00037716]
R2 Score: 0.3407467995920773

Predicting mpg using weight x year
Intercept: 45.70696643040454
Coefficient: [-9.88190265e-05]
R2 Score: 0.597694315492433

Predicting mpg using weight x origin
Intercept: 20.30400637108656
Coefficient: [0.00073153]
R2 Score: 0.021686269517247836

Predicting mpg using acceleration x cylinders
Intercept: 40.92789254500349
Coefficient: [-0.21146136]
R2 Score: 0.3515194612646172

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Predicting mpg using acceleration x acceleration
Intercept: 14.597504984386502
Coefficient: [0.035518]
R2 Score: 0.16302352249011032

Predicting mpg using acceleration x year
Intercept: 2.561770244902391
Coefficient: [0.01764212]
R2 Score: 0.2730276186569306

Predicting mpg using acceleration x origin
Intercept: 14.938653635570311
Coefficient: [0.34065906]
R2 Score: 0.3913118973914146

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Coefficient: [0.01764212]

R2 Score: 0.2730276186569306

Predicting mpg using year x year

Intercept: -23.65807503688161

Coefficient: [0.00814042]

R2 Score: 0.34135140899954497

Predicting mpg using year x origin

Intercept: 14.485654992443445

Coefficient: [0.07446939]

R2 Score: 0.36379995000204024

Predicting mpg using origin x cylinders

Intercept: 19.663640342408446

Coefficient: [0.48200682]

R2 Score: 0.030928157699728898

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Coefficient: [0.34065906]

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Coefficient: [0.07446939]

R2 Score: 0.36379995000204024

Predicting mpg using origin x origin

Intercept: 19.1925466197405

Coefficient: [1.35775385]

R2 Score: 0.3006914705169893

As you can see, there are some that are significant, but none are better than the best simple model, so this approach is not worth it.

f.

Predicting mpg using log of cylinders

Intercept: 56.605930177297864

Coefficient: [-20.05995044]

R2 Score: 0.6034457474746462

Predicting mpg using log of displacement

Intercept: 85.69058349210749

Coefficient: [-12.1384539]

R2 Score: 0.6863348898210174

Predicting mpg using log of horsepower

Intercept: 108.69970699574486

Coefficient: [-18.58218476]

R2 Score: 0.6683347641192137

Predicting mpg using log of weight

Intercept: 209.9433404696741

Coefficient: [-23.43173838]

R2 Score: 0.7126631343895841

Predicting mpg using log of acceleration

Intercept: -27.834291263755443

Coefficient: [18.80125132]

R2 Score: 0.19000944491763905

Predicting mpg using log of year

Intercept: -377.87302742877563

Coefficient: [92.6985447]

R2 Score: 0.3323743535175887

Predicting mpg using log of origin

Intercept: 20.107449427745856

Coefficient: [9.77178191]

R2 Score: 0.3297926714189251

Predicting mpg using square root of cylinders

Intercept: 62.81122386010685

Coefficient: [-17.02711648]

R2 Score: 0.6058312164839386

Predicting mpg using square root of displacement

Intercept: 47.118389122432674

Coefficient: [-1.75877931]

R2 Score: 0.6745852005048071

Predicting mpg using square root of horsepower

Intercept: 58.705172037217494

Coefficient: [-3.50352375]

R2 Score: 0.6437035832706475

Predicting mpg using square root of weight

Intercept: 69.67217695049604

Coefficient: [-0.85560124]

R2 Score: 0.7057597690908815

Predicting mpg using square root of acceleration

Intercept: -14.177285156676295

Coefficient: [9.58150742]

R2 Score: 0.18548306674505965

Predicting mpg using square root of year

Intercept: -162.7122169137047

Coefficient: [21.3629367]

R2 Score: 0.33474111552905306

Predicting mpg using square root of origin

Intercept: 5.3237428792775745

Coefficient: [14.86174592]

R2 Score: 0.3258151973984553

As you can see, both the log and sqrt of weight have marginally better r^2 values than weight (the previous best). NOTE that x^2 was already done in the previous section and produced no improvement.

3.

a.

Coefficients: Price: -0.0544588491775822, Urban: -0.021916150814141, US:
1.200572697794116

Intercept: 13.043468936764896

- b. With no other data, we can expect the seat to have 13 thousand sales. Price negatively impacts sales, more expensive = less sales at a 1:0.05 ratio. Being in an urban area reduces the number of sales by .02 thousand sales. Being in the US increases sales by 1.2 thousand sales.
- c. $\text{Sales} = -0.0544588491775822\text{Price} + -0.021916150814141\text{Urban} + 1.200572697794116\text{US}$. Where Urban is 1 if urban or 0 otherwise, and US is 1 if US and 0 otherwise
- d. Urban has a high p value, we cannot reject the null hypothesis.

	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
const	13.0435	0.651	20.036	0.000	11.764	14.323
Price	-0.0545	0.005	-10.389	0.000	-0.065	-0.044
Urban	-0.0219	0.272	-0.081	0.936	-0.556	0.512
US	1.2006	0.259	4.635	0.000	0.691	1.710

- e. Coefficients: Price: -0.05447763247978729, US: 1.1996429432266782
Intercept: 13.030792754615764
- f. a) has a R^2 value of 0.23927539218405547, while e) has 0.23926288842678567. They fit almost exactly the same, but both are decent.
- g. 95% confidence interval for Price: [-0.05447763 -0.05447763]
95% confidence interval for US: [1.19964294 1.19964294]



- h. The distribution of the residuals is still quite normal, no major outliers. This would be an expected outcome from a normal distribution.

4.

- a. Predicting crim using zn
Intercept: 4.453693755086385
Coefficient: [-0.07393498]

R2 Score: 0.04018790803211081

Predicting crim using indus

Intercept: -2.0637426063278133

Coefficient: [0.50977633]

R2 Score: 0.16531007043075152

Predicting crim using chas

Intercept: 3.7444468365180477

Coefficient: [-1.89277655]

R2 Score: 0.0031238689633057426

Predicting crim using nox

Intercept: -13.719882309974336

Coefficient: [31.2485312]

R2 Score: 0.17721718179269375

Predicting crim using rm

Intercept: 20.481804177792405

Coefficient: [-2.68405122]

R2 Score: 0.048069116716083604

Predicting crim using age

Intercept: -3.7779063179682684

Coefficient: [0.10778623]

R2 Score: 0.12442145175894637

Predicting crim using dis

Intercept: 9.49926164655728

Coefficient: [-1.55090168]

R2 Score: 0.1441493749253987

Predicting crim using rad

Intercept: -2.2871594483103497

Coefficient: [0.61791093]

R2 Score: 0.39125668674998915

Predicting crim using tax

Intercept: -8.528369093069161

Coefficient: [0.02974225]

R2 Score: 0.3396142433788122

Predicting crim using ptratio

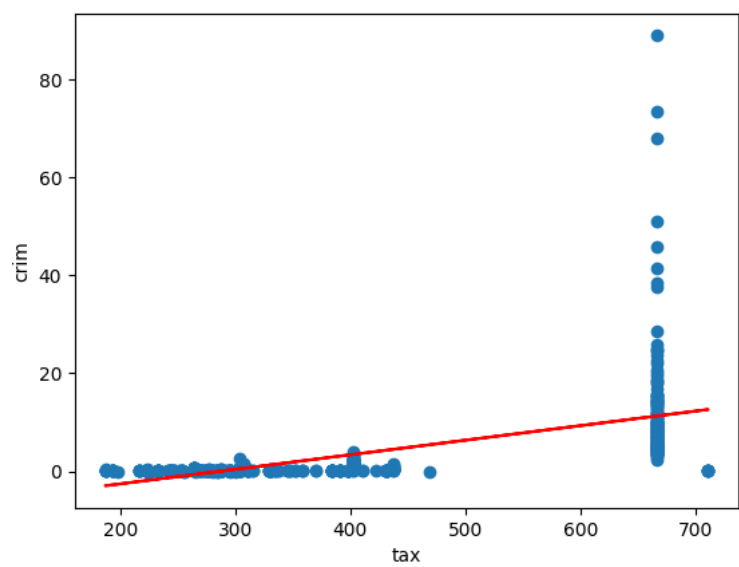
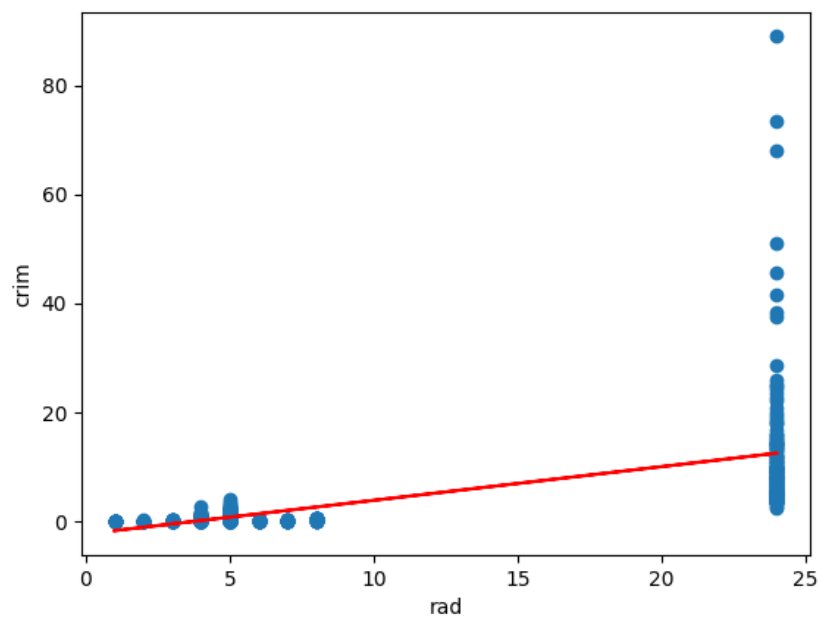
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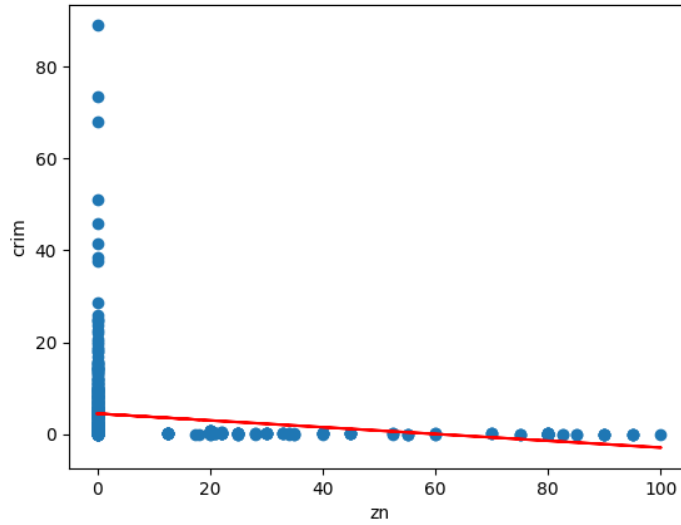
Coefficient: [1.15198279]
R2 Score: 0.0840684389437365

Predicting crim using lstat
Intercept: -3.330538057145062
Coefficient: [0.54880478]
R2 Score: 0.2075909325343357

Predicting crim using medv
Intercept: 11.796535750221913
Coefficient: [-0.36315992]
R2 Score: 0.15078046904975706

The predictors that best capture the variance of the data are tax, rad, and zn (corresponding R^2 values above). Below are their graphs to show why this is the case.





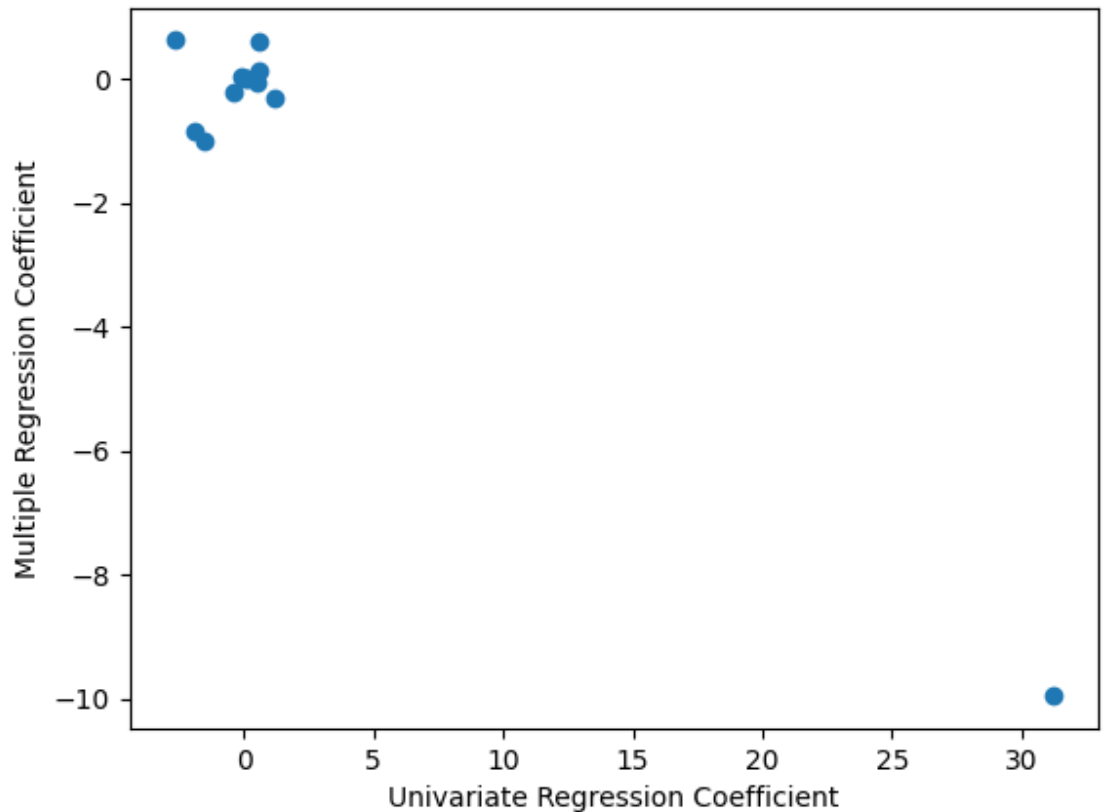
b.

OLS Regression Results						
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Dep. Variable:	crim	R-squared:	0.449			
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared:	0.436			
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	33.52			
Date:	Tue, 15 Nov 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	2.03e-56			
Time:	16:19:17	Log-Likelihood:	-1655.4			
No. Observations:	506	AIC:	3337.			
Df Residuals:	493	BIC:	3392.			
Df Model:	12					
Covariance Type:	nonrobust					
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	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]

const	13.7784	7.082	1.946	0.052	-0.136	27.693
zn	0.0457	0.019	2.433	0.015	0.009	0.083
indus	-0.0584	0.084	-0.698	0.486	-0.223	0.106
chas	-0.8254	1.183	-0.697	0.486	-3.150	1.500
nox	-9.9576	5.290	-1.882	0.060	-20.351	0.436
rm	0.6289	0.607	1.036	0.301	-0.564	1.822
age	-0.0008	0.018	-0.047	0.962	-0.036	0.034
dis	-1.0122	0.282	-3.584	0.000	-1.567	-0.457
rad	0.6125	0.088	6.997	0.000	0.440	0.784
tax	-0.0038	0.005	-0.730	0.466	-0.014	0.006
ptratio	-0.3041	0.186	-1.632	0.103	-0.670	0.062
lstat	0.1388	0.076	1.833	0.067	-0.010	0.288
medv	-0.2201	0.060	-3.678	0.000	-0.338	-0.103
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Omnibus:	663.436	Durbin-Watson:	1.516			
Prob(Omnibus):	0.000	Jarque-Bera (JB):	80856.852			
Skew:	6.579	Prob(JB):	0.00			
Kurtosis:	63.514	Cond. No.	1.24e+04			
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With threshold of $P = 0.01$, the only predictors that we can reject the null hypothesis on are dis, rad, and medv.

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Predicting crim using zn, zn², and zn³

Intercept: 4.846050076279062

Coefficient: [-3.32188415e-01 6.48263365e-03 -3.77579253e-05]

R2 Score: 0.05824197422258326

Predicting crim using indus, indus², and indus³

Intercept: 3.6625682786867575

Coefficient: [-1.96521293 0.2519373 -0.00697601]

R2 Score: 0.2596578579195665

Predicting crim using chas, chas², and chas³

Intercept: 3.790769651062254

Coefficient: [1.23257144e+14 -6.16285720e+13 -6.16285720e+13]

R2 Score: 0.002741838752170711

Predicting crim using nox, nox², and nox³

Intercept: 233.08659066305339
Coefficient: [-1279.37125166 2248.54405256 -1245.70287375]
R2 Score: 0.2969778956287379

Predicting crim using rm, rm^2 , and rm^3
Intercept: 112.62459631863406
Coefficient: [-39.15013634 4.55089591 -0.17447695]
R2 Score: 0.06778606116878627

Predicting crim using age, age^2 , and age^3
Intercept: -2.548763403675663
Coefficient: [2.73653131e-01 -7.22959558e-03 5.74530704e-05]
R2 Score: 0.17423099358657324

Predicting crim using dis, dis^2 , and dis^3
Intercept: 30.047611563456307
Coefficient: [-15.55435349 2.45207217 -0.11859864]
R2 Score: 0.27782477308673637

Predicting crim using rad, rad^2 , and rad^3
Intercept: -0.6055447455773111
Coefficient: [0.51273604 -0.07517736 0.003209]
R2 Score: 0.40003687202422356

Predicting crim using tax, tax^2 , and tax^3
Intercept: 19.183581466940225
Coefficient: [-1.53309613e-01 3.60826646e-04 -2.20371513e-07]
R2 Score: 0.36888207966295994

Predicting crim using ptratio, $ptratio^2$, and $ptratio^3$
Intercept: 477.1840461034031
Coefficient: [-82.36053772 4.63534723 -0.08476032]
R2 Score: 0.11378157744698159

Predicting crim using lstat, $lstat^2$, and $lstat^3$
Intercept: 1.2009655811881563
Coefficient: [-0.44906559 0.05577942 -0.00085737]
R2 Score: 0.21793243242225602

Predicting crim using medv, $medv^2$, and $medv^3$
Intercept: 53.165538094375584
Coefficient: [-5.09483054e+00 1.55496490e-01 -1.49010277e-03]
R2 Score: 0.4202002565634151

As can be seen, medv performed the best when used in a higher order linear regression. However, it still did not outperform the multivariate regression, and only marginally better than the univariate in terms of the R^2 value. There is not evidence to support that this data should be represented with a higher order function.