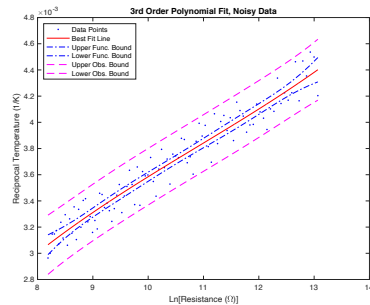


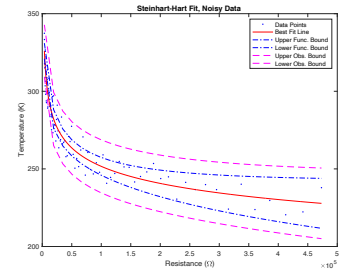
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## Non-Linear Regression Part of: Error Analysis

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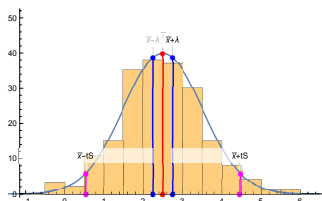
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## Review

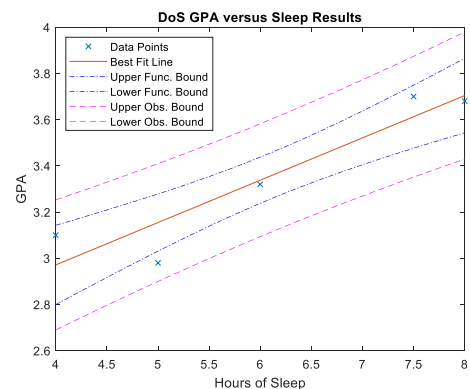
$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N x_i}{N} \approx \mu$$

$$\lambda = tS_{\bar{x}} = \frac{tS}{\sqrt{N}}$$



$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^N (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x}$$



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## General Linear Fit

Linear in parameters,  $a_0, \dots, a_n$

$$F = F(a_0, \dots, a_n, x) = a_0 f_0(x) + a_1 f_1(x) + \dots + a_n f_n(x)$$

Example: Polynomial

$$P_n(x) = a_0 \cdot 1 + a_1 \cdot x + a_2 \cdot x^2 + \dots + a_n \cdot x^n, f_i = x^i$$

Example: Fourier series

$$F_n(t) = a_{-n} \cdot e^{-jn\omega_0 t} + \dots + a_0 \cdot 1 + a_1 \cdot e^{jn\omega_0 t} + \dots + a_n \cdot e^{jn\omega_0 t}, f_i = e^{jn\omega_0 t}$$

Example: Composite

$$F_n(x) = a_0 \cdot 1 + a_1 \cdot x + a_2 \cos(x) + a_3 \ln(x)$$

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## General Nonlinear Fit

In general, not linear in parameters,  $a_0, \dots, a_n$

$$F = F(a_0, \dots, a_n, x)$$

Example: linear in  $a$ , not linear in  $b$ .

$$y = ax^b$$

Example: linear in  $a$ , not linear in  $t_0$  or  $\tau$ .

$$y = ae^{-\frac{t-t_0}{\tau}}$$

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## Least Squares

Data set:  $\{(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), \dots, (x_n, y_n)\}$

Fitting function:  $F = F(a_0, \dots, a_n, x)$

Residuals:  $e_i = y_i - F(a_0, \dots, a_n, x_i)$

Minimize  $SSE = \sum e_i^2$  by varying  $(a_0, \dots, a_n)$

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## MATLAB 'fit'

### Syntax

`[fitobject, gof] = fit(x, y, fitType)`  
 fitType is the function to fit.

Built in functions include:

Polynomials: 'poly1' through 'poly9'

Exponentials: 'exp1'

Fourier Series: 'fourier1' through 'fourier9'

Power expressions: 'power1'

User Defined Function 'fittype'

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**E80**Experimental  
Engineering**Syntax of 'fittype'****Linear Function**`aFittype = fittype(linearModelTerms)`

e.g.,

`ft = fittype({'x','sin(x)','1'})`

generates

$$ft(a,b,c,x) = a*x + b*\sin(x) + c$$

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**E80**Experimental  
Engineering**Syntax of 'fittype'****Nonlinear Function**`aFittype = fittype(expression,Name,Value)`

e.g.,

`g = fittype('a*u+b*exp(c*u)',...  
          'independent','u')`

generates

$$g(a,b,n,u) = a*u+b*\exp(c*u)$$

where u is the independent variable.

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'predint'

```
ci = predint(fitresult,x,level,intopt,simopt)
```




e.g.,

```
p11 = predint(fitresult,x,0.95,'observation','off');
```

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## Steinhart-Hart Fitting of TCS10K5 Data

	<div data-bbox="425 1333 836 1444">  <b>WAVELENGTH ELECTRONICS</b> </div> <div data-bbox="542 1463 656 1493"> <b>TCS10K5</b> </div> <div data-bbox="448 1505 753 1530"> 10 kΩ NTC Cylindrical Head Thermistor </div> <div data-bbox="425 1598 682 1623"> <b>GENERAL DESCRIPTION:</b> </div> <div data-bbox="425 1619 789 1743"> This ±1% thermistor is encapsulated in a polyimide tube, for assemblies where surface mounting or embedding the thermistor is required. Ideal for tight mounting spaces with 38 AWG nickel bifilar leads and a diameter of 0.5 mm by 3 mm. </div> <div data-bbox="425 1759 789 1803"> <b>Thermal Resistance or Dissipation Constant is 0.2 mW / °C.</b> </div> <div data-bbox="425 1818 725 1843"> <b>Thermal Time Constant is 200 mSec.</b> </div> <div data-bbox="938 1396 1084 1518">  </div> <div data-bbox="925 1551 1109 1575"> Graphic enlarged for detail </div> <div data-bbox="837 1593 963 1619"> <b>FEATURES:</b> </div> <div data-bbox="837 1617 1192 1780"> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Low Cost</li> <li>• Ideal for Optical or Thin Surfaces &amp; Small Laser Packages</li> <li>• 1% Tolerance</li> <li>• 3" Long Nickel Bifilar Leads</li> <li>• Isolated Leads Provide Isolation from Metal Housing</li> <li>• RoHS Compliant</li> </ul> </div> <div data-bbox="1105 1325 1198 1346"> August, 2013 </div> <div data-bbox="1136 1467 1198 1530">  </div> <div data-bbox="1203 1316 1232 1596" style="writing-mode: vertical-rl; transform: rotate(180deg);"> TCS10K5 NTC THERMISTOR </div>	
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## Steinhart-Hart Equation

Standard form:

$$T = \frac{1}{A + B \ln(R) + C [\ln(R)]^2 + D [\ln(R)]^3}$$

As power series in  $\ln(R)$ :

$$1/T = A_0 + A_1 \ln(R) + A_2 [\ln(R)]^2 + A_3 [\ln(R)]^3 + \dots$$

Quadratic term,  $C(\ln R)^2$ , usually left out:

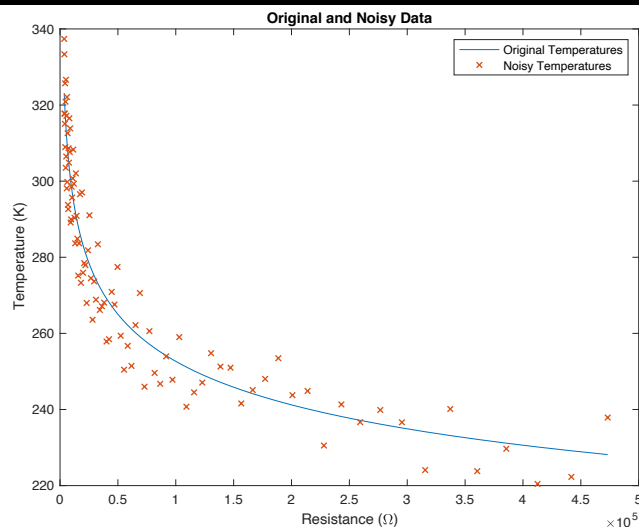
$$T = \frac{1}{A + B \ln(R) + D [\ln(R)]^3}$$

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## Original and Noisy Data

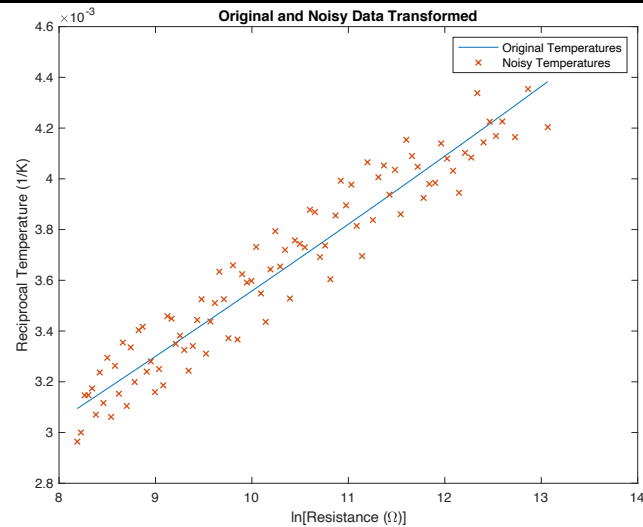


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## Transformed Data

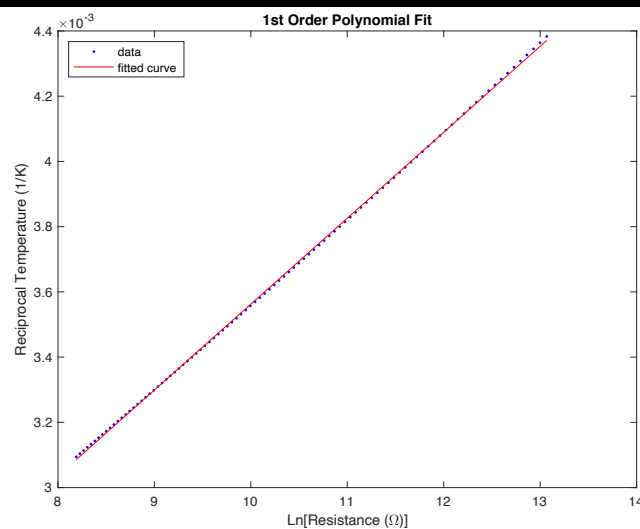


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## Linear (1<sup>st</sup>-Order) Fit

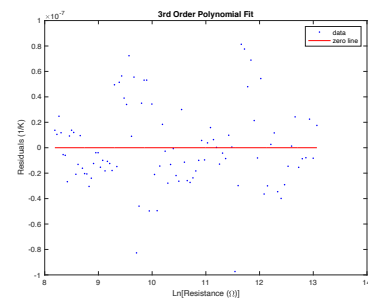
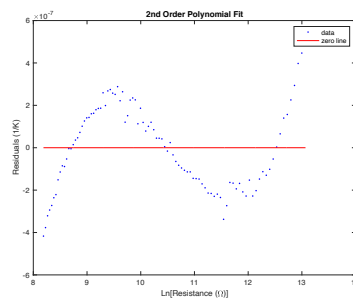
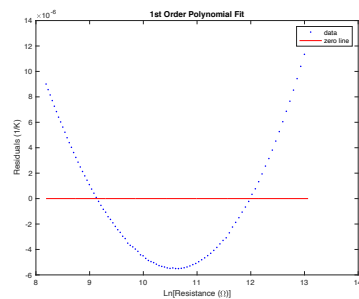


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## Residuals



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Linear model Poly3:

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Coefficients (with 95% confidence bounds):

p1 = 8.634e-08 (8.341e-08, 8.927e-08)

p2 = -3.558e-08 (-1.285e-07, 5.735e-08)

p3 = 0.0002351 (0.0002342, 0.0002361)

p4 = 0.001124 (0.001121, 0.001127)

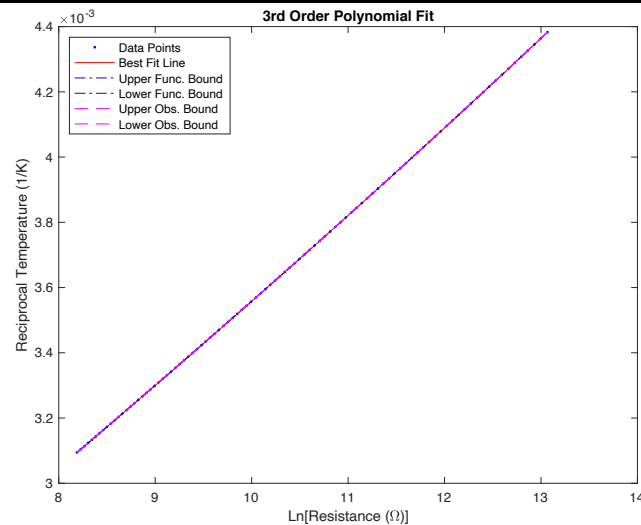
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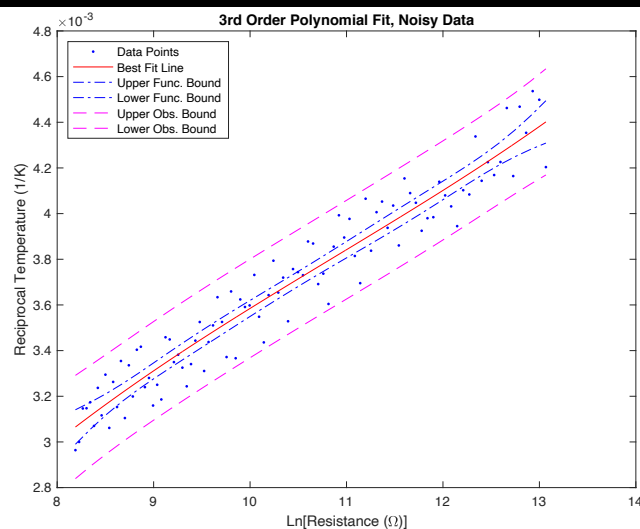
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## Functional &amp; Observational Bounds



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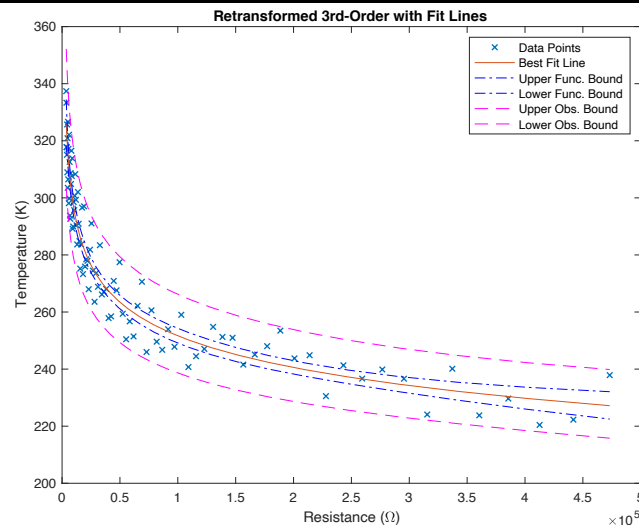
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## Transformed Back



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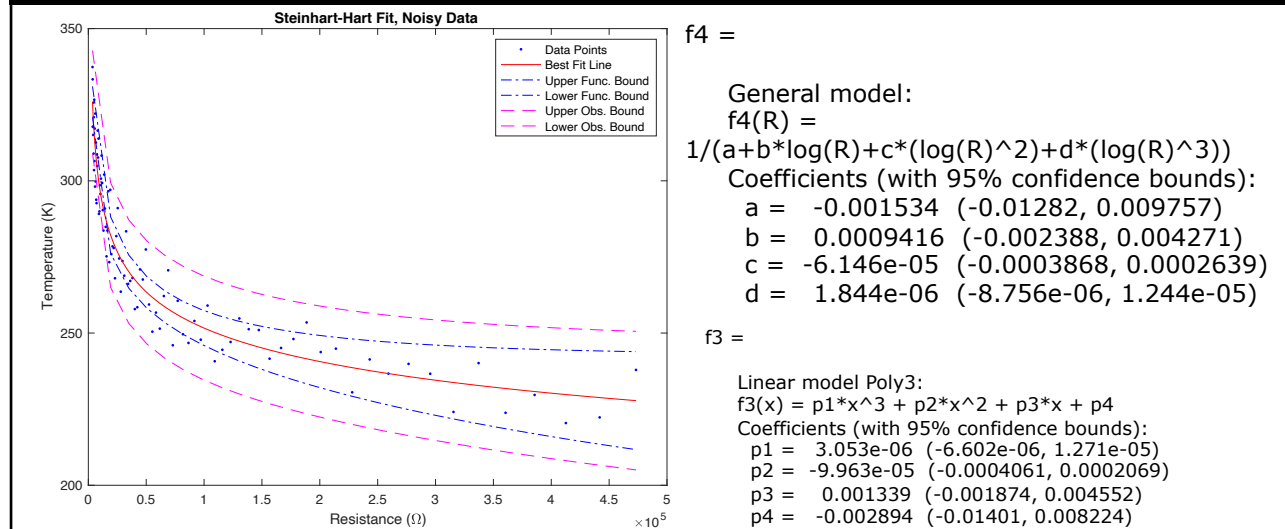
## Nonlinear Fit

```
% First we have to define the function we will fit.
% Things work better if we have starting points for a, b, c, and d. We'll
% use our values from above and 'fitoptions'
fo = fitoptions('Method','NonlinearLeastSquares',...
    'StartPoint',[-0.002894 0.001339 -9.963e-05 3.053e-06]);
ft = fittype('1/(a+b*log(R)+c*(log(R)^2)+d*(log(R)^3))','independent',...
    'R','options',fo);
% Next, we have to get our data into the correct format for 'fit'.
[Xout,Yout] = prepareCurveData(R, TN);
% Now we'll do our fit.
[f4,stat4] = fit(Xout,Yout,ft)
```

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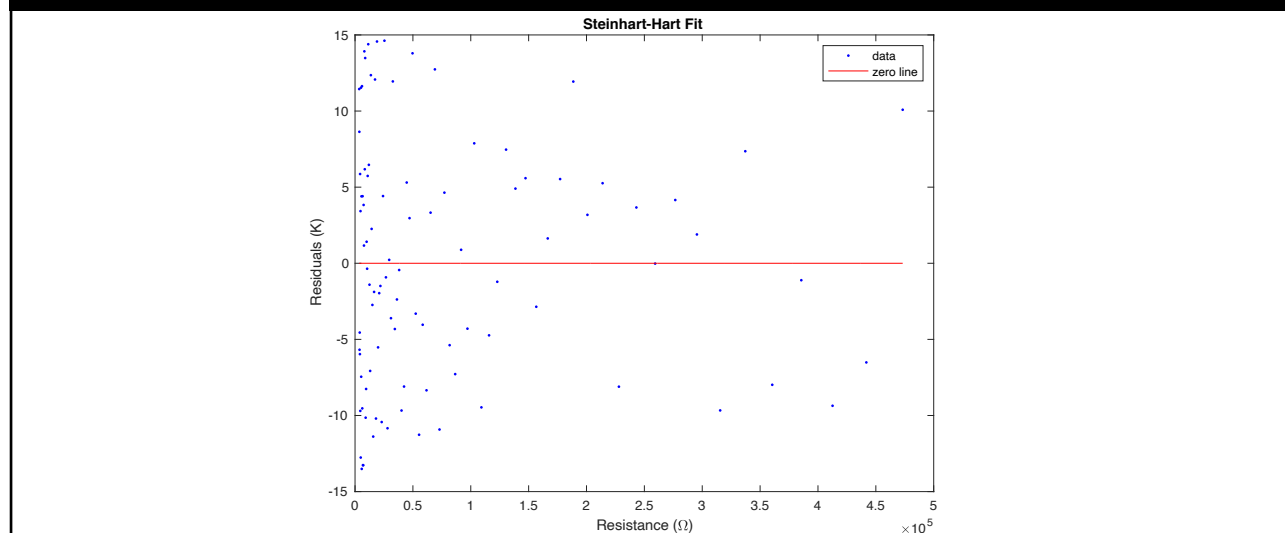
# Steinhart-Hart Nonlinear Fit



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# Steinhart-Hart Residuals



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## Takeaways

1. Nonlinear data fitting uses the same terms with the same meanings as fitting a line does.
2. It's much easier to have the fitting routines do the work for you.
3. Choose the simplest model that has random-looking residuals.
4. When reporting the results of a nonlinear fit, plot the data, the fit, the functional bounds, and possibly the observational bounds, as well as the confidence intervals on the fitted parameters.