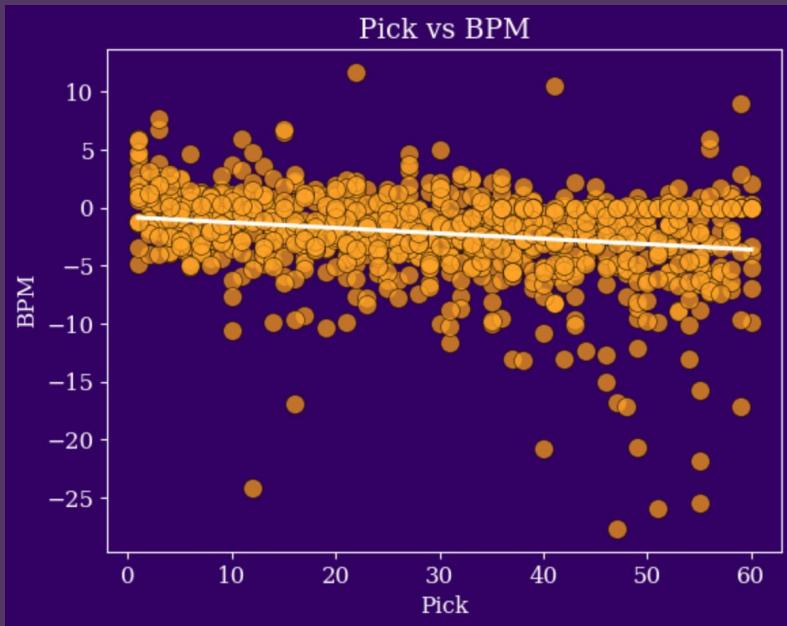


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Box score plus minus estimates points contributed per 100 possessions

Graphed the average BPM for every player drafted from 2010 to 2025.

The correlation is negative and the residuals are homoscedastic

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Draft pick negatively correlates
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For every later draft pick, BPM
decreases by 0.0468

