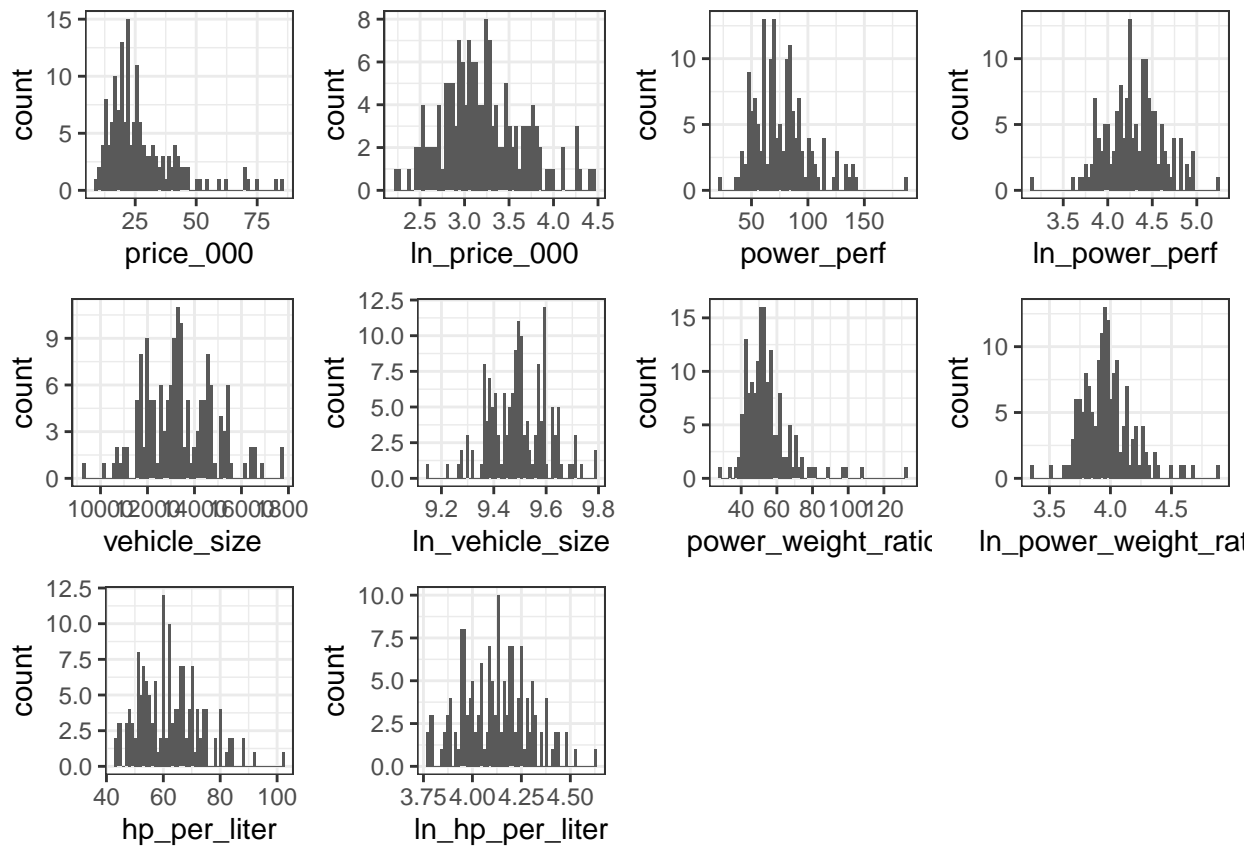
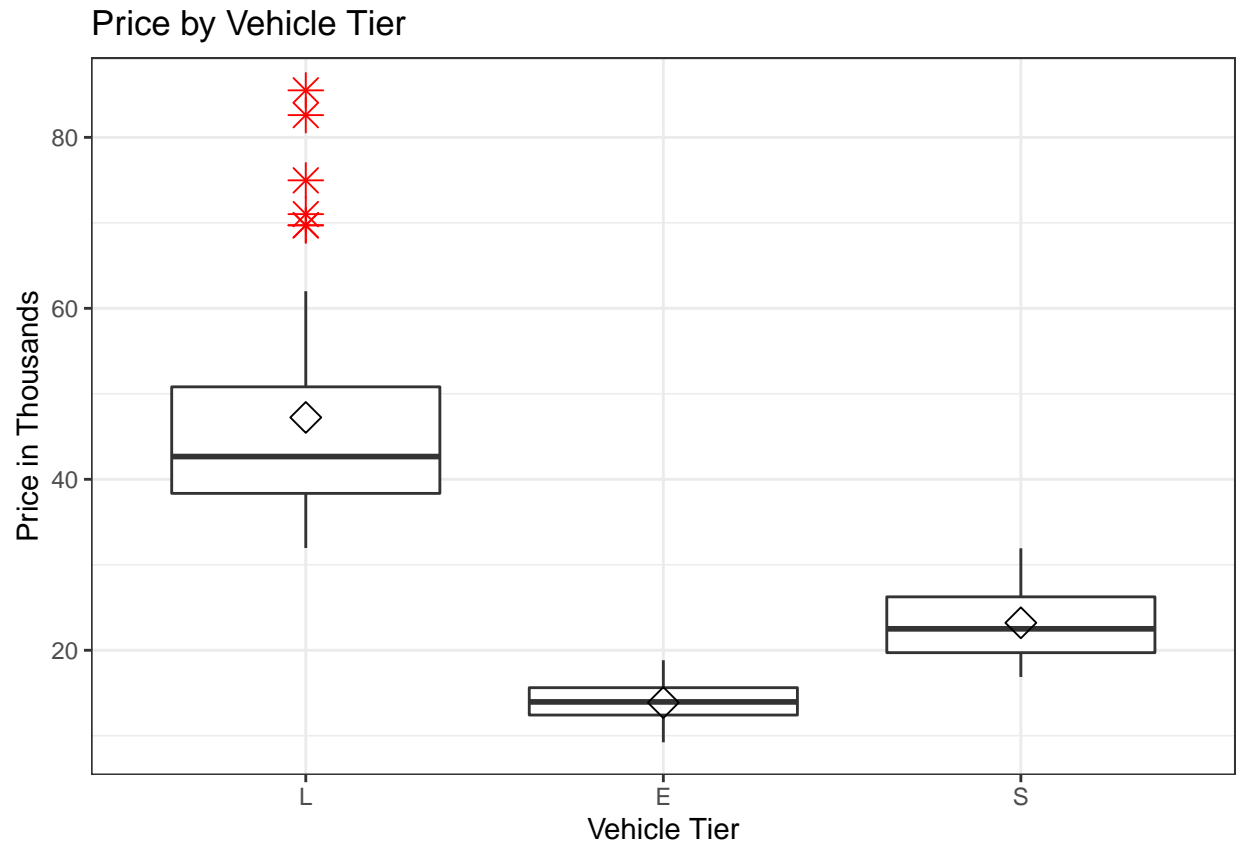


Car Price Estimating Model

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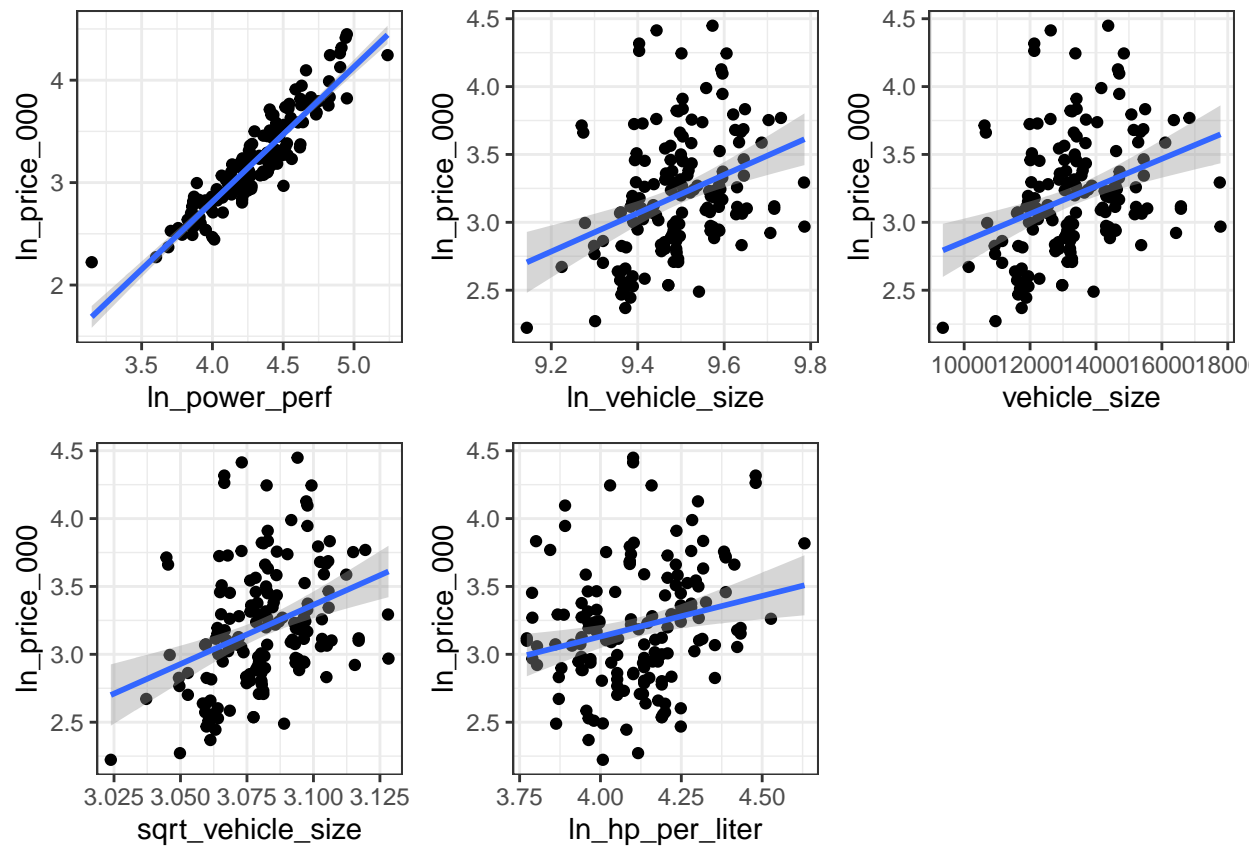


Figure 1: Car Price and Power Performance Plot by Vehicle Tier

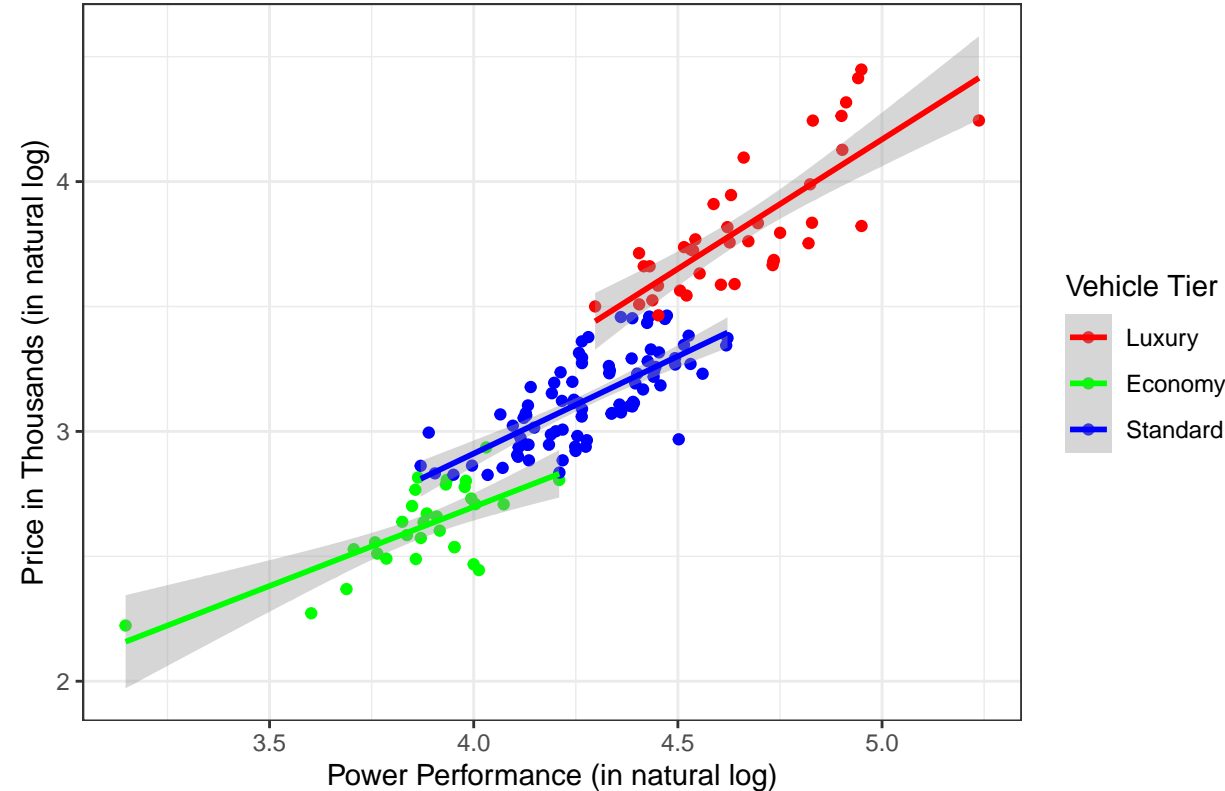
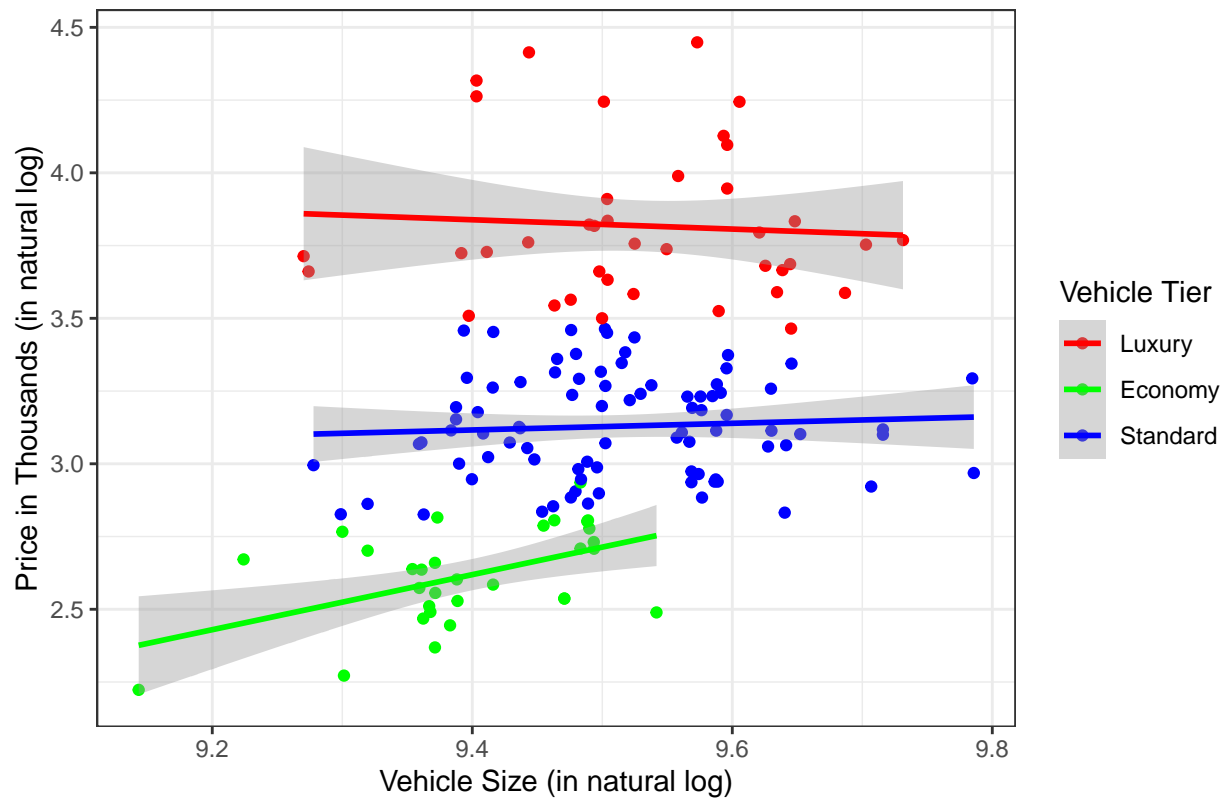
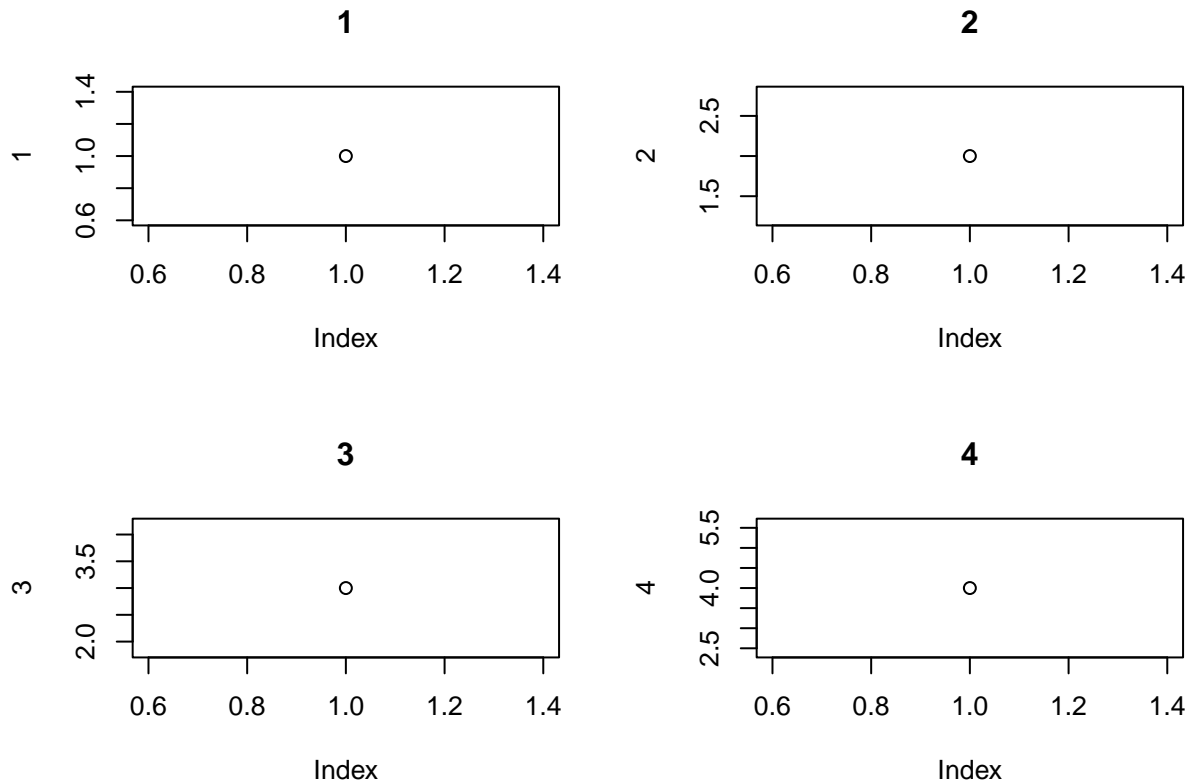


Figure 2: Car Price and Vehicle Size Plot by Vehicle Tier



```
## Proposed Second Model
layout(matrix(c(1, 2, 3, 4), nrow = 2, ncol = 2, byrow = TRUE))
plot(1, main = 1)
plot(2, main = 2)
plot(3, main = 3)
plot(4, main = 4)
```



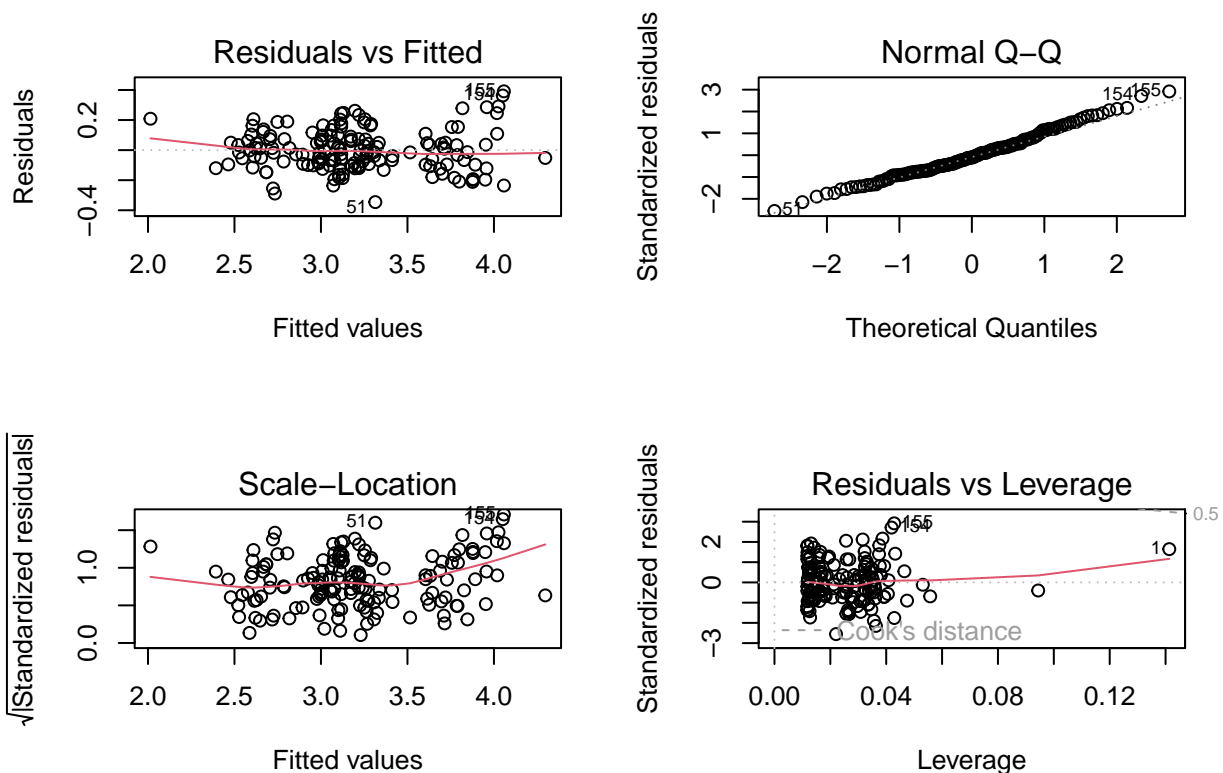
```
car_base_size <- car_sales %>% lm(ln_price_000 ~ ln_power_perf + vehicle_tier, data = .)
car_base_size_se <- car_base_size %>%
  vcovHC(type = "HC1") %>%
  diag() %>%
  sqrt()
stargazer(car_base_size, type = "text", se = list(car_base_size_se))
```

```
##
## =====
##               Dependent variable:
##               -----
##               ln_price_000
## -----
## ln_power_perf      0.831***
##                   (0.068)
##
## vehicle_tierE      -0.545***
##                   (0.053)
##
## vehicle_tierS      -0.371***
##                   (0.033)
##
## Constant           -0.057
##                   (0.305)
## -----
```

```
## Observations            155
## R2                      0.912
## Adjusted R2             0.910
## Residual Std. Error    0.137 (df = 151)
## F Statistic            519.058*** (df = 3; 151)
## =====
## Note:                   *p<0.1; **p<0.05; ***p<0.01
coeftest(car_base_size, vconv = vcovHC(type = "HC1"))

##
## t test of coefficients:
##
##           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -0.056931  0.291350  -0.1954  0.8453
## ln_power_perf  0.831288  0.062327  13.3375 < 2.2e-16 ***
## vehicle_tierE -0.545152  0.059163  -9.2144 2.511e-16 ***
## vehicle_tierS -0.371459  0.035598 -10.4348 < 2.2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

plot(car_base_size)
```



```
lmtest::bptest(car_base_size)

##
## studentized Breusch-Pagan test
##
```



```
## data: car_base_size
## BP = 16.807, df = 3, p-value = 0.0007742
ols_vif_tol(car_base_size)
```

```
##      Variables Tolerance      VIF
## 1 ln_power_perf 0.3091439 3.234740
## 2 vehicle_tierE 0.2158614 4.632602
## 3 vehicle_tierS 0.3852018 2.596042
```

Table 1: Estimated Car Price Linear Regression Models

	Output Variable: Price in Thousands of Dollars (in natural log)		
	(1)	(2)	(3)
Power Performance Ratio (in natural log)	1.318*** (0.061)	0.831*** (0.068)	0.831*** (0.068)
Vehicle Tier-Economy		−0.545*** (0.053)	−0.545*** (0.053)
Vehicle Tier-Mid		−0.371*** (0.033)	−0.371*** (0.033)
Constant	−2.458*** (0.259)	−0.057 (0.305)	−0.057 (0.305)
Observations	155	155	155
R ²	0.846	0.912	0.912
Adjusted R ²	0.845	0.910	0.910
Residual Std. Error	0.179 (df = 153)	0.137 (df = 151)	0.137 (df = 151)
F Statistic	841.934*** (df = 1; 153)	519.058*** (df = 3; 151)	519.058*** (df = 3; 151)
<i>Note:</i>	*p<0.05; **p<0.01; ***p<0.001 HC ₁ robust standard errors in parentheses. Luxury Vehicles are the base Tier		