### Methods II: Homework 1

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#### 1. Consider transforming covariates and the outcome.

#### a. Is categorization necessary for BMI?

The quadratic BMI term is significant, and the VIF values for the polynomials are large. This just shows that there is indeed a quadratic relationship and that the polynomial terms are collinear (as we were told in the question). When this is the case, it's correct to make the variable categorical as long as doing so makes scientific sense. In the case of BMI, it does make sense to split people into categorical groups like underweight, normal, and overweight. This removes the collinearity concern, and the model is still easily interpretable.

#### b. Should the number of previous marathons run be dichotomized?

The number of previous marathons is very skewed, which violates the assumption of normality. So, dichotomizing this variable at the median is a good idea.

#### c. Is there a quadratic relationship between weight change and sodium levels?

There does appear to be a quadratic relationship between weight change and sodium levels (p = 0.00483). However, the VIF isn't too high, so I don't think it's necessary to make it a categorical variable.

## d. Should fluid frequency be treated as a continuous variable or 2 indicator variables?

The levels of fluidfr3 are 1 = every one mile, 2 = every two miles, and 3 = every third mile or more. I don't see how this could be treated as a continuous variable, so I think it's best to keep it as a categorical variable (indicator functions). You could maybe use total water intake as a continuous variable if that information was available, but this data can't be treated as continuous because it's collected categorically.

# e. The authors only used weight change and excluded the self-reported variables from the multivariable analysis. Is this an issue?

I think this approach sort of makes sense. Weight difference is probably the best measure of fluid loss/intake (assuming they're consuming a negligible amount of solid food), and the other three variables are reporting similar information. When this is the case, dropping the self-reported variables makes sense as they're most likely the least accurate. My main concern would be if one of those variables is really reporting different information, and by excluding them you're actually losing valuable data. I don't think that's the case here, but it's worth considering any time you drop a variable.

# f. Only running time was used in the multivariable model and not training pace since it is self-reported. Is this an issue?

I'm more comfortable with this than the previous question, since you're only looking at two variables, and they pretty clearly tell you the same information. If you ran the whole marathon quickly, it seems safe to assume that your training pace was also fast. And since it's self reported (and possibly hard to measure accurately on your own), you have to worry about inaccuracy or people intentionally overestimating how quickly they run. If the variable is likely inaccurate and you have a more accurate variable that gives you the same information, I think it's fine to the less accurate one.

#### g. Should the outcome sodium levels be log transformed?

Log transforming the outcome clearly doesn't change much (the log transformed outcome is still not normally distributed, and the histograms look very similar). So, I would keep the outcome as it is, especially since it's generally best to avoid transforming the outcome if possible.

#### 2. Run the single variable analyses.

## a. Which variables are associated with sodium levels at the 0.05 level of significance?

Based on the univariate output, female, lwobup01, fluidfr3, wtdiff (quadratic relationship), runtime, trainpse, and bmiC are significantly associated with sodium. So sex, whether you use anti-inflammatory medications, fluid intake frequency, weight change during the marathon, how quickly you run the marathon, your training pace, and BMI category are all associated with sodium levels.

## b. How do these univariate analyses compare to the original paper where sodium levels were dichotomous?

The paper concluded that "considerable weight gain while running, a long racing time, and bodymass index extremes were associated with hyponatremia, whereas female sex, composition of fluids ingested, and use of nonsteroidal anti-inflammatory drugs were not." So our analyses agree that weight change and running time are associated with sodium. However, we also found that sex and use of NSAIDs were significant.

### 3. Multivariable analyses with stepwise regression based on AIC

#### a. What predictors are included in the final model?

Using both forward and backward stepwise regression based in AIC, change in weight and anti-inflammatory usage are both associated with sodium level, and so is BMI category.

#### b. What are some issues with this approach?

There are a couple of problems with this method. First, it's possible that some variables are significant in a multiple regression model, but are not significant when tested on their own. Second, it doesn't take polynomial associations (e.g. BMI) or collinearity into account. Lastly, this way of approaching things doesn't really think about the scientific question. All of the variables in this data set make sense to test, but many

data sets include lots of variables that don't make sense with the question at hand, so just using this approach without thinking can end up including nonsensical variables in the model.

#### 4. Partial F test with all covariates with a p-value less than 0.1

#### a. What predictors are included in the final model?

The full model includes every variable in the data set, with BMI treated as categorical based on the results in problem 1. According to the t-tests from the full model, it's worth doing a partial F test on wtdiff and wtdiff^2, howmany, BMI category, and lwobup01 (in that order, from lowest p value to highest). Adding howmany or bmiC to the model with only weight change did not make a significant difference, but the addition of lwobup01 did. Comparing the final reduced model (NSAID use and weight change) to the full model shows that adding all the other variables doesn't make a difference in model fit.

So, the only variables included after partial F tests are NSAID use and weight difference.

#### b. What are the results of the F test?

The reduced model is not significantly different from the full model, but it includes NSAIDs, which wouldn't be the case just going off the t-test summary results with alpha < 0.05.

### 5. Why do you think that there are more significant covariates in the final model for a binary outcome than there are for a continuous outcome?

By turning the outcome into a categorical variable, you're throwing out a lot of information, and this inceases the risk of a false positive. You lose a lot of statistical power by dichotomizing a variable, which makes some sense if you think about it as a reduction in sample size. It's not very intuitive that loss of power would increase false positives, since you'd expect it to increase false negatives instead, but this does happen (Altman, D. G. and P. Royston (2006). "The cost of dichotomising continuous variables." BMJ 332(7549): 1080).

#### Code

```
# Load libraries
library(car)
## Loading required package: carData
library(nortest)
library(MASS)
# Read in data
hyponat <- read.table("/Users/timvigers/Documents/School/UC Denver/Biostatistics/Biostatistical Methods
                      sep = " ",header = T)
1a
polymod <- lm(sodium ~ bmi + I(bmi^2),data = hyponat)</pre>
summary(polymod)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sodium ~ bmi + I(bmi^2), data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
##
                  1Q
                     Median
                                    3Q
       Min
                                            Max
## -26.4019 -2.8199 0.1535 3.0960 15.2932
##
## Coefficients:
##
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 85.94424 13.62912 6.306 8.24e-10 ***
                          1.14186
                                   4.000 7.66e-05 ***
               4.56748
## bmi
## I(bmi^2)
              -0.09440
                           0.02371 -3.981 8.26e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.78 on 367 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.04179,
                                   Adjusted R-squared: 0.03657
## F-statistic: 8.003 on 2 and 367 DF, p-value: 0.0003964
vif(polymod)
        bmi I(bmi^2)
## 155.9472 155.9472
hyponat$bmiC <- cut(hyponat$bmi,c(0,20,25,Inf))</pre>
category <- lm(sodium ~ bmiC, data = hyponat)</pre>
summary(category)
##
## lm(formula = sodium ~ bmiC, data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
       Min
                     Median
                                    3Q
                                            Max
                  1Q
```

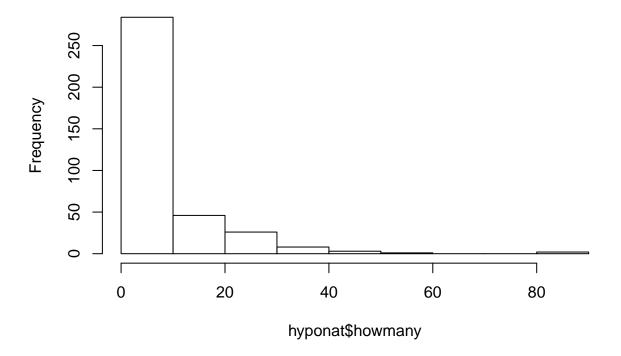
## -26.8314 -2.8314 0.1686 3.1686 15.1686

```
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 138.2973
                            0.7921 174.604 < 2e-16 ***
                                     2.990 0.00298 **
## bmiC(20,25]
                 2.5341
                            0.8476
## bmiC(25, Inf]
                 1.5617
                            0.9617
                                     1.624 0.10528
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.818 on 367 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.02669,
                                   Adjusted R-squared: 0.02139
## F-statistic: 5.032 on 2 and 367 DF, p-value: 0.006984
```

#### 1b

hist(hyponat\$howmany)

### Histogram of hyponat\$howmany



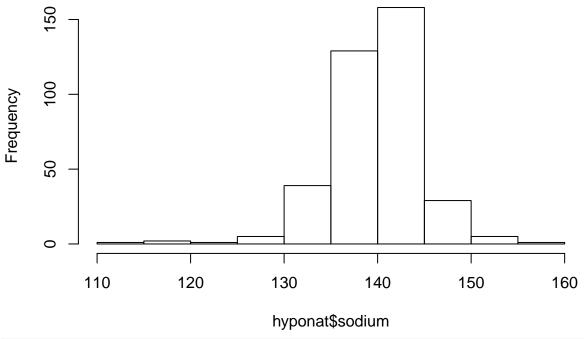
#### 1c

```
fit <- lm(sodium ~ poly(wtdiff,2), data = hyponat)
summary(fit)

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sodium ~ poly(wtdiff, 2), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:</pre>
```

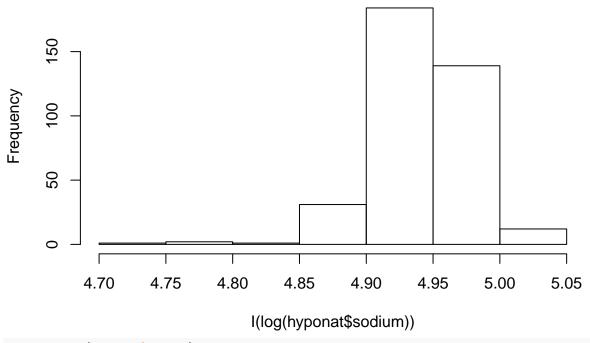
```
Median
                 1Q
## -24.0835 -2.4685
                       0.3256 2.6527 14.2696
##
## Coefficients:
                    Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                     140.373
                                0.224 626.688 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## poly(wtdiff, 2)1 -42.313
                                 4.309 -9.821 < 2e-16 ***
## poly(wtdiff, 2)2 -12.216
                                 4.309 -2.835 0.00483 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.309 on 367 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2216, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2174
## F-statistic: 52.24 on 2 and 367 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
weightmod <- lm(sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2),data = hyponat)</pre>
vif(weightmod)
##
        wtdiff I(wtdiff^2)
##
                 1.255001
      1.255001
1d
hyponat$fluidfr3 <- as.factor(hyponat$fluidfr3)</pre>
catmod <- lm(sodium ~ fluidfr3, data = hyponat)</pre>
summary(catmod)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sodium ~ fluidfr3, data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
       Min
                  1Q
                     Median
                                    3Q
                                            Max
## -26.7480 -2.7368
                      0.2632
                               3.2520 15.2632
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 139.7368
                            0.3316 421.356 < 2e-16 ***
                                     1.875 0.061645 .
## fluidfr32
                 1.0112
                            0.5394
                            0.8866
                                     3.548 0.000439 ***
## fluidfr33
                 3.1455
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.794 on 367 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.03617,
                                   Adjusted R-squared: 0.03091
## F-statistic: 6.885 on 2 and 367 DF, p-value: 0.00116
1g
hist(hyponat$sodium)
```

### Histogram of hyponat\$sodium



hist(I(log(hyponat\$sodium)))

## Histogram of I(log(hyponat\$sodium))



lillie.test(hyponat\$sodium)

##

```
## Lilliefors (Kolmogorov-Smirnov) normality test
##
## data: hyponat$sodium
## D = 0.10252, p-value = 5.076e-10
lillie.test(I(log(hyponat$sodium)))
##
##
   Lilliefors (Kolmogorov-Smirnov) normality test
## data: I(log(hyponat$sodium))
## D = 0.11078, p-value = 8.407e-12
2
vars <- colnames(hyponat)[-c(which(colnames(hyponat)=="sodium"))]</pre>
univar <- lapply(vars, function(x){
  summary(lm(as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ",x)), data = hyponat))
})
univar
## [[1]]
##
## lm(formula = as.formula(pasteO("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
       Min
                 10 Median
                                    30
                                            Max
## -25.1339 -2.1339 -0.0206
                                2.9794 14.9794
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 141.0206
                          0.3075 458.603 < 2e-16 ***
## female
               -1.8867
                            0.5249 -3.595 0.000369 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.793 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.03392,
                                   Adjusted R-squared: 0.0313
## F-statistic: 12.92 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.000369
##
## [[2]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
       Min
                 1Q
                     Median
                                    3Q
                                            Max
## -26.5557 -2.4258
                     0.4443 3.3860 15.5432
##
## Coefficients:
##
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 140.58045
                           0.31964 439.812 <2e-16 ***
```

```
-0.02474
                          0.02327 -1.063
                                              0.288
## howmany
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.869 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.003062, Adjusted R-squared:
## F-statistic: 1.13 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.2884
##
##
## [[3]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                   ЗQ
                                           Max
## -26.2152 -2.3795
                      0.4178
                               3.1970 15.6206
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 139.64576
                           1.07859 129.471
                                             <2e-16 ***
                0.01898
                           0.02736
                                   0.694
                                              0.488
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.874 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.001306, Adjusted R-squared:
## F-statistic: 0.4811 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.4883
##
##
## [[4]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(pasteO("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                   30
## -25.7711 -2.0888
                      0.2289
                               2.9112 16.2289
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 141.0888
                           0.3717 379.563 < 2e-16 ***
                           0.5043 -2.613 0.00935 **
## lwobup01
               -1.3176
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.832 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.01821,
                                   Adjusted R-squared: 0.01554
## F-statistic: 6.826 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.009353
##
## [[5]]
##
## Call:
```

```
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                                   3Q
                 1Q
                      Median
                                           Max
## -26.2390 -2.2390
                      0.2551
                               3.1316 15.2551
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 140.7449
                            0.4921 285.997
                                            <2e-16 ***
               -0.5059
## wateld01
                            0.5740 -0.881
                                             0.379
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.872 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.002107,
                                  Adjusted R-squared:
## F-statistic: 0.777 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.3786
##
##
## [[6]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                  1Q
                      Median
                                    3Q
                                            Max
## -26.4699 -2.4699
                      0.5301
                               3.4571 16.2381
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 140.4699
                           0.2602 539.873
                                            <2e-16 ***
## urinat3p
               -1.7080
                            1.0922 -1.564
                                             0.119
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.861 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.006602,
                                   Adjusted R-squared:
## F-statistic: 2.446 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.1187
##
##
## [[7]]
##
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                    3Q
                                            Max
                      0.2632
## -26.7480 -2.7368
                               3.2520 15.2632
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 139.7368
                            0.3316 421.356 < 2e-16 ***
                            0.5394
## fluidfr32
                1.0112
                                   1.875 0.061645 .
## fluidfr33
                3.1455
                           0.8866
                                    3.548 0.000439 ***
## ---
```

```
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.794 on 367 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.03617, Adjusted R-squared: 0.03091
## F-statistic: 6.885 on 2 and 367 DF, p-value: 0.00116
##
## [[8]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(pasteO("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
## Residuals:
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                   3Q
                                           Max
## -24.1017 -2.5612
                      0.3042
                               2.5762 14.5866
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 139.4968
                           0.2434 573.117
                                            <2e-16 ***
               -1.4092
                           0.1449 - 9.728
                                            <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.35 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2046, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2024
## F-statistic: 94.64 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
##
## [[9]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
                 10
                      Median
                                   3Q
       Min
## -26.7264 -2.5159
                      0.1344
                               2.7186 16.6333
##
## Coefficients:
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 144.802143
                         1.420510 101.937 < 2e-16 ***
              -0.019501
                          0.006157 -3.168 0.00167 **
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.812 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.02654, Adjusted R-squared: 0.0239
## F-statistic: 10.03 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.001666
##
## [[10]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
```

```
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                 10
                     Median
                                   30
                                           Max
                      0.1256 2.8313 16.0718
## -26.4851 -2.4851
##
## Coefficients:
##
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 146.712879
                           1.968890 74.516 < 2e-16 ***
                          0.003997 -3.246 0.00128 **
## trainpse
               -0.012975
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.809 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.02784,
                                  Adjusted R-squared: 0.0252
## F-statistic: 10.54 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.001276
##
##
## [[11]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
               1Q Median
                               ЗQ
                                      Max
## -26.310 -2.382
                   0.535
                            3.271 15.668
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 139.54400
                           2.16471 64.463
                                             <2e-16 ***
## bmi
                0.03596
                           0.09326
                                   0.386
                                                0.7
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.876 on 368 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.0004039, Adjusted R-squared: -0.002312
## F-statistic: 0.1487 on 1 and 368 DF, p-value: 0.7
##
##
## [[12]]
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ", x)), data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
                 1Q
                      Median
       Min
                                   3Q
                                           Max
## -26.8314 -2.8314
                      0.1686
                               3.1686 15.1686
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 138.2973
                            0.7921 174.604 < 2e-16 ***
## bmiC(20,25]
                 2.5341
                            0.8476
                                   2.990 0.00298 **
## bmiC(25, Inf]
                            0.9617
                                     1.624 0.10528
                 1.5617
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
```

```
## Residual standard error: 4.818 on 367 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.02669,
                               Adjusted R-squared: 0.02139
## F-statistic: 5.032 on 2 and 367 DF, p-value: 0.006984
3
sigvars <- c("female","lwobup01","fluidfr3","wtdiff","runtime","trainpse",</pre>
           "bmiC")
sigvars <- paste(sigvars,collapse = " + ")</pre>
formula <- as.formula(paste0("sodium ~ ",sigvars))</pre>
stepwise <- stepAIC(lm(formula, data = hyponat), direction = "both", trace = 0)</pre>
stepwise
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sodium ~ lwobup01 + wtdiff + bmiC, data = hyponat)
## Coefficients:
                                        bmiC(20,25] bmiC(25,Inf]
##
   (Intercept)
                  lwobup01
                                wtdiff
##
      138.7320
                  -0.7481
                               -1.3379
                                             1.4928
                                                         0.8858
4
full <- lm(sodium ~ female + howmany + age + lwobup01 + wateld01 + urinat3p +
           fluidfr3 + wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + runtime + trainpse + bmiC,
         data = hyponat)
summary(full)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = sodium ~ female + howmany + age + lwobup01 + wateld01 +
      urinat3p + fluidfr3 + wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + runtime + trainpse +
##
##
      bmiC, data = hyponat)
##
## Residuals:
      Min
##
                1Q
                    Median
                                3Q
                                       Max
                    0.2409
                            2.3753 14.1964
## -24.3441 -2.5874
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 138.833735 2.246844 61.791 < 2e-16 ***
              -0.621160 0.610655 -1.017 0.30975
## female
              ## howmany
## age
               0.040363 0.029769 1.356 0.17600
              -0.810281 0.459619 -1.763 0.07877
## lwobup01
               ## wateld01
               0.121662 1.037233
                                  0.117 0.90669
## urinat3p
## fluidfr32
               0.690845 0.489442
                                  1.411 0.15898
               ## fluidfr33
## wtdiff
              ## I(wtdiff^2)
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-0.011083 0.009747 -1.137 0.25627

## runtime

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0.004383 0.006085
## trainpse
                                     0.720 0.47179
## bmiC(20,25] 1.419791 0.783197 1.813 0.07070 .
## bmiC(25, Inf] 0.826146 0.980647 0.842 0.40010
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 4.255 on 355 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.2657, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2368
## F-statistic: 9.176 on 14 and 355 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
mod1 <- lm(sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2),data = hyponat)</pre>
mod2 <- lm(sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + howmany,data = hyponat)</pre>
anova(mod1,mod2)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Model 1: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2)
## Model 2: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + howmany
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                  F Pr(>F)
## 1
       367 6812.9
## 2
       366 6764.7 1
                        48.169 2.6061 0.1073
mod3 <- lm(sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + bmiC,data = hyponat)</pre>
anova(mod1,mod3)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Model 1: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2)
## Model 2: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + bmiC
## Res.Df
              RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
## 1
       367 6812.9
## 2
       365 6718.1 2 94.773 2.5745 0.07757 .
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
mod4 <- lm(sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + lwobup01,data = hyponat)</pre>
anova(mod1,mod4)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Model 1: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2)
## Model 2: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + lwobup01
## Res.Df
            RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                  F Pr(>F)
       367 6812.9
## 1
       366 6741.3 1
                        71.6 3.8873 0.0494 *
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(mod4,full)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Model 1: sodium ~ wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + lwobup01
## Model 2: sodium ~ female + howmany + age + lwobup01 + wateld01 + urinat3p +
      fluidfr3 + wtdiff + I(wtdiff^2) + runtime + trainpse + bmiC
##
              RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                  F Pr(>F)
   Res.Df
## 1
       366 6741.3
```

#### **##** 2 355 6426.8 11 314.51 1.5794 0.1028