

R Lab 3. Univariate Linear Regression

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> H = read.csv("HOME_SALES.csv")
> attach(H)
> names(H)
[1] "ID"           "SALES_PRICE"   "FINISHED_AREA" "BEDROOMS"
[5] "BATHROOMS"    "GARAGE_SIZE"   "YEAR_BUILT"    "STYLE"
[9] "LOT_SIZE"     "AIR_CONDITIONER" "POOL"         "QUALITY"
[13] "HIGHWAY"
> plot(FINISHED_AREA, SALES_PRICE)
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Familiar stuff so far. Now, we are fitting a regression model that we can use to predict the house sales price based on its area. So, X = area, Y = price.

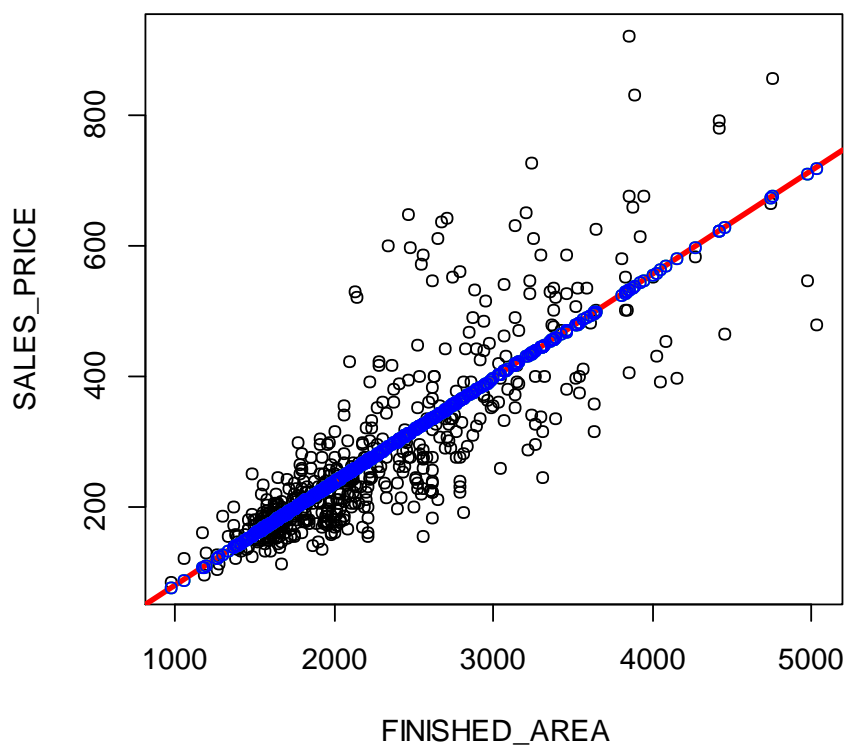
`reg` - conducts regression analysis, estimates regression slope and intercept

`abline` - graphs the sample regression line in **red**

`Yhat` - computes predicted values based on the obtained regression equation

`points` - plots these predicted values in **blue**

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> reg = lm( SALES_PRICE ~ FINISHED_AREA )
> abline(reg,col="red",lwd=3)
> Yhat = predict(reg, x=FINISHED_AREA)
> points(FINISHED_AREA, Yhat, col="blue")
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Prediction. Predict the price for three houses that have the finished area of 2500, 4000, and 6000 square feet.

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> predict(reg, data.frame(FINISHED_AREA=c(2500, 4000, 6000)))
      1      2      3
315.9426 554.3680 872.2684
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Inference. Use “summary” to see results of the regression analysis.

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> summary(reg)
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Call:

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lm(formula = SALES_PRICE ~ FINISHED_AREA)
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Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-239.40	-39.84	-7.64	23.52	388.36

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-81.432946	11.551846	-7.049	5.74e-12 ***
FINISHED_AREA	0.158950	0.004875	32.605	< 2e-16 ***

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Residual standard error: 79.12 on 520 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.6715, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6709

F-statistic: 1063 on 1 and 520 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

Conclusion: the sample regression equation is $\text{Price} = -81.4 + 0.159(\text{area})$. The slope and the intercept are both significant. The area can actually be used as an important factor to predict the sales price. This variable alone explains 67.15% of the total variation of house sales prices.

Analysis of Variance

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> anova(reg)
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Analysis of Variance Table

Response: SALES_PRICE

	Df	Sum Sq	Mean Sq	F value	Pr(>F)
FINISHED_AREA	1	6655486	6655486	1063.1	< 2.2e-16 ***
Residuals	520	3255426	6260		

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