# Chapter 10

# Miscellaneous examples and data tricks

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Reading: Hadley Wickham, "Tidy Data" (Journal of Statistical Software, 2014): http://vita.had.co.nz/papers/tidy-data.pdf
Warning: This chapter is pretty random and rough.
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## 10.1 Tuberculosis

Data: https://github.com/hadley/tidy-data/blob/master/data/tb.csv

Let's explore tuberculosis in the U.S. How do male and female rates compare?

Gather up the counts into one column:

```
library(dplyr)
library(tidyr)
tb.long = tb.US %>% gather(demographic, count, -iso2, -year, na.rm = TRUE)
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Separate sex and age using separate():

```
tb.sep = tb.long %% separate(demographic, c("sex", "age"), sep = 8)
# Get rid of totals
tb.sep = subset(tb.sep, sex != "new_sp")
tb.sep
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## iso2 year sex age count
## 56 US 2006 new_sp_m 04 4
## 57 US 2007 new_sp_m 04 4
## 58 US 2008 new_sp_m 04 4
## 85 US 2006 new_sp_m 514 8
## 86 US 2007 new_sp_m 514 8
## 87 US 2008 new_sp_m 514 7
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# Rename categories
tb.sep$sex[tb.sep$sex == "new sp m"] = "male"
tb.sep$sex[tb.sep$sex == "new_sp_f"] = "female"
tb.sep$sex = factor(tb.sep$sex, levels = c("male", "female"))
tb.sep
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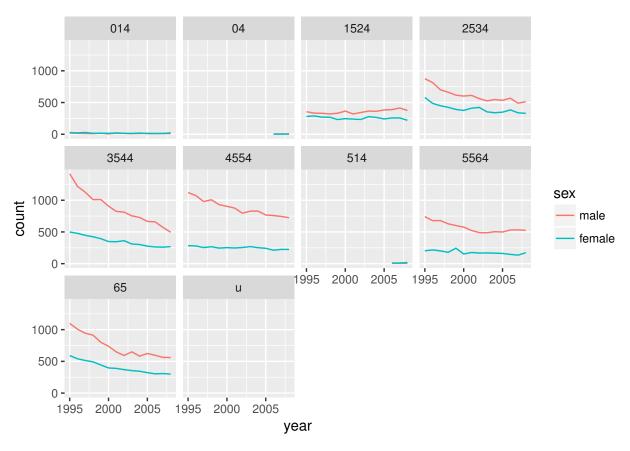
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         US 2000 female 4554
                                253
## 515
         US 2001 female 4554
                                 247
## 516
         US 2002 female 4554
                                 255
## 517
         US 2003 female 4554
                                 269
## 518
         US 2004 female 4554
                                 252
## 519
         US 2005 female 4554
                                 242
## 520
         US 2006 female 4554
                                 212
## 521
         US 2007 female 4554
                                225
## 522
         US 2008 female 4554
                                 224
## 538
         US 1995 female 5564
                                202
## 539
         US 1996 female 5564
                                217
## 540
         US 1997 female 5564
                                 201
## 541
         US 1998 female 5564
                                 179
## 542
         US 1999 female 5564
                                244
## 543
         US 2000 female 5564
                                152
## 544
         US 2001 female 5564
                                176
## 545
         US 2002 female 5564
                                167
## 546
         US 2003 female 5564
                                169
## 547
         US 2004 female 5564
                                166
         US 2005 female 5564
## 548
                                161
## 549
         US 2006 female 5564
                                146
## 550
         US 2007 female 5564
                                135
## 551
         US 2008 female 5564
                                172
## 567
         US 1995 female
                                591
## 568
         US 1996 female
                           65
                                541
## 569
         US 1997 female
                           65
                                514
## 570
         US 1998 female
                           65
                                492
## 571
         US 1999 female
                                444
## 572
         US 2000 female
                                396
                           65
## 573
         US 2001 female
                           65
                                389
## 574
         US 2002 female
                           65
                                370
## 575
         US 2003 female
                                354
## 576
         US 2004 female
                           65
                                344
## 577
         US 2005 female
                           65
                                322
         US 2006 female
## 578
                           65
                                303
## 579
         US 2007 female
                                 308
                           65
## 580
         US 2008 female
                                300
                           65
## 609
         US 2008 female
                            u
                                  0
```

#### Answer the question:

```
library(ggplot2)
ggplot(tb.sep, aes(x = year, y = count, color = sex)) + geom_line() + facet_wrap(~age)
```



In all age groups with non-negligible counts, men have higher TB rates than women.

## 10.2 Baseball

```
# install.packages('Lahman')
library(Lahman)
Batting data:
# Batting = as_tibble(Batting)
dim(Batting)
## [1] 101332
                    22
names(Batting)
                                                                       "G"
    [1] "playerID"
                     "yearID"
                                 "stint"
                                              "teamID"
                                                          "lgID"
    [7] "AB"
                     "R"
                                 "H"
                                              "X2B"
                                                          "X3B"
                                                                       "HR"
   [13] "RBI"
                     "SB"
                                  "CS"
                                              "BB"
                                                          "SO"
                                                                       "IBB"
   [19] "HBP"
                     "SH"
                                 "SF"
                                              "GIDP"
Our goal is to predict a player's 2015 statistics based on 2012 to 2014 statistics. Get 2012–2015 data:
pred.year = 2015
B = subset(Batting, yearID >= pred.year - 3 & yearID <= pred.year)</pre>
```

Add a variable for "plate appearances":

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```
B = transform(B, PA = AB + BB + HBP + SF + SH)
```

Aggregate by year. We'll use ddply() from the plyr library (there are also functions to do this in dplyr but I haven't learned them.)

#### ## [1] 5256 19

#### summary(B)

```
PA
                                                                AB
##
      playerID
                            yearID
##
    Length: 5256
                        Min.
                                :2012
                                        Min.
                                                  0.0
                                                         Min.
##
    Class : character
                        1st Qu.:2013
                                        1st Qu.:
                                                  0.0
                                                         1st Qu.:
                                                                    0
    Mode :character
                        Median:2014
                                        Median: 20.0
                                                         Median: 18
##
                                :2014
                        Mean
                                        Mean
                                                :140.1
                                                         Mean
                                                                 :126
##
                        3rd Qu.:2015
                                        3rd Qu.:225.0
                                                         3rd Qu.:204
##
                        Max.
                                :2015
                                        Max.
                                                :740.0
                                                         Max.
                                                                 :684
##
          R
                            Η
                                             X2B
                                                               ХЗВ
                                0.00
                                                : 0.000
                                                                  : 0.0000
##
    Min.
           :
              0.00
                      Min.
                             :
                                        Min.
                                                          Min.
##
    1st Qu.:
              0.00
                      1st Qu.:
                                0.00
                                        1st Qu.: 0.000
                                                          1st Qu.: 0.0000
##
    Median: 1.00
                      Median: 3.00
                                        Median : 0.000
                                                          Median : 0.0000
          : 15.54
##
    Mean
                      Mean
                             : 31.94
                                        Mean
                                               : 6.252
                                                          Mean
                                                                 : 0.6634
                                        3rd Qu.: 9.000
##
    3rd Qu.: 22.00
                      3rd Qu.: 48.00
                                                          3rd Qu.: 0.0000
                             :225.00
##
    Max.
           :129.00
                                                :55.000
                                                                  :15.0000
                      Max.
                                        Max.
                                                          Max.
##
          HR
                           RBI
                                              SB
                                                                 CS
           : 0.000
##
    Min.
                             :
                                               : 0.000
                                                                  : 0.0000
                      \mathtt{Min}.
                                0.00
                                        Min.
                                                          Min.
##
    1st Qu.: 0.000
                      1st Qu.:
                                0.00
                                        1st Qu.: 0.000
                                                          1st Qu.: 0.0000
    Median : 0.000
                      Median: 1.00
##
                                        Median : 0.000
                                                          Median : 0.0000
    Mean
          : 3.556
                      Mean
                             : 14.78
                                        Mean : 2.129
                                                          Mean
                                                                 : 0.8071
    3rd Qu.: 4.000
##
                      3rd Qu.: 20.00
                                        3rd Qu.: 1.000
                                                          3rd Qu.: 1.0000
##
    Max.
           :53.000
                      Max.
                             :139.00
                                        Max.
                                               :64.000
                                                          Max.
                                                                  :23.0000
##
          BB
                            SO
                                             IBB
                                                                HBP
##
    Min.
           : 0.00
                             :
                                0.00
                                                : 0.0000
                                                                   : 0.000
                      Min.
                                        Min.
                                                           Min.
    1st Qu.:
                      1st Qu.:
##
              0.00
                                0.00
                                        1st Qu.: 0.0000
                                                           1st Qu.: 0.000
##
    Median: 1.00
                      Median: 6.00
                                        Median : 0.0000
                                                           Median : 0.000
##
    Mean
          : 10.93
                      Mean
                             : 28.16
                                        Mean
                                               : 0.7627
                                                           Mean
                                                                 : 1.196
##
    3rd Qu.: 15.00
                      3rd Qu.: 45.00
                                        3rd Qu.: 0.0000
                                                           3rd Qu.: 1.000
##
    Max.
           :143.00
                      Max.
                             :222.00
                                        Max.
                                                :29.0000
                                                           Max.
                                                                   :30.000
##
          SH
                            SF
                                             GIDP
##
    Min.
           : 0.000
                      Min.
                             : 0.000
                                        Min.
                                                : 0.000
                      1st Qu.: 0.000
##
    1st Qu.: 0.000
                                        1st Qu.: 0.000
##
    Median : 0.000
                      Median : 0.000
                                        Median : 0.000
          : 1.028
                             : 0.942
##
    Mean
                      Mean
                                        Mean
                                               : 2.796
    3rd Qu.: 1.000
                      3rd Qu.: 1.000
                                        3rd Qu.: 4.000
##
           :17.000
                      Max.
                             :12.000
                                                :31.000
    Max.
                                        Max.
```

Pick out years:

```
B.short = B[, c(1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 9, 10, 13, 14)]
names(B.short)

## [1] "playerID" "yearID" "PA" "AB" "R" "H"

## [7] "HR" "RBI" "BB" "SO"

B.2012 = B.short[B.short$yearID == 2012, ]

B.2013 = B.short[B.short$yearID == 2013, ]

B.2014 = B.short[B.short$yearID == 2014, ]

B.2015 = B.short[B.short$yearID == 2015, ]
```

Add names to things:

### 10.2.1 Merging things

For easy problems cbind() and rbind() may suffice, but this is harder. Instead, we'll merge() everything:

```
B2 = merge(B.2012, B.2013, by = "playerID")
B3 = merge(B2, B.2014, by = "playerID")
B4 = merge(B3, B.2015, by = "playerID")
```

Only keep the complete cases:

```
B.complete = B4[complete.cases(B4), ]
PAs = (B.complete$PA.1 > 0) * (B.complete$PA.2 > 0) * (B.complete$PA.3 > 0) *
      (B.complete$PA.4 > 0)
B.all = B.complete[PAs == 1, ]
```

What if we wanted to include birth year? (We don't need it here, but age would be the next variable that I'd try to include in a model.) Let's add that in from the Master data frame:

```
birth = Master[, c("playerID", "birthYear")]
B.merged = merge(B.all, birth, by = "playerID")
```

#### 10.2.2 Making a model

Let's predict home runs based on their past three years of home runs:

```
homerun.lm = lm(HR.4 ~ HR.1 + HR.2 + HR.3, data = B.merged)
library(broom)
tidy(homerun.lm)
```

```
## term estimate std.error statistic p.value

## 1 (Intercept) 0.3487871 0.36773423 0.9484760 3.434078e-01

## 2 HR.1 0.0358215 0.04276830 0.8375714 4.027262e-01

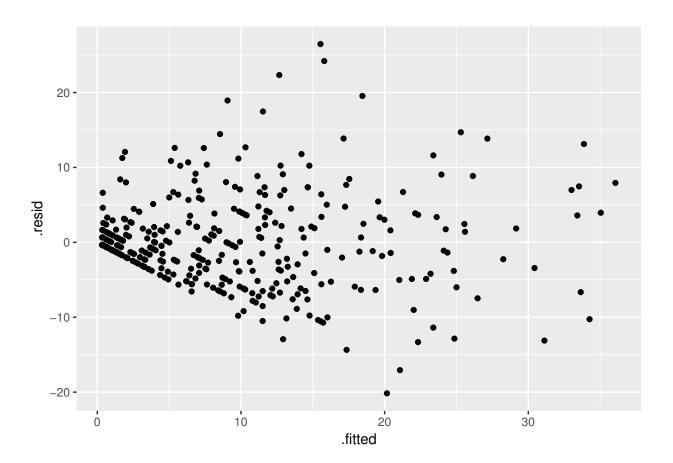
## 3 HR.2 0.2732422 0.05269861 5.1849986 3.300467e-07

## 4 HR.3 0.6869728 0.04902130 14.0137630 3.751616e-37
```

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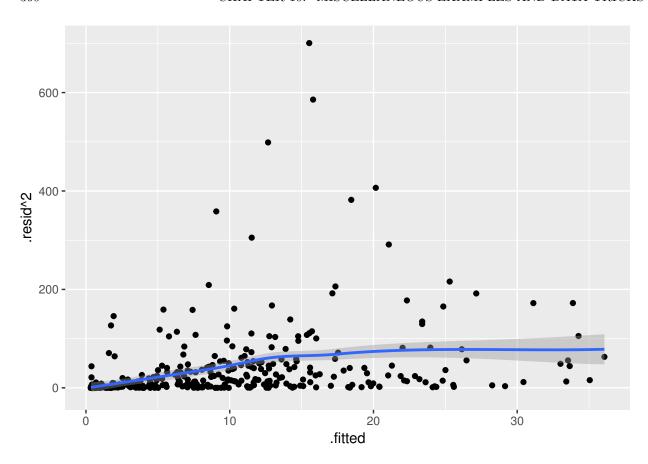
The coefficients get smaller for older years, which makes sense. Look at the residuals:

```
homerun.df = augment(homerun.lm)
ggplot(homerun.df, aes(x = .fitted, y = .resid)) + geom_point()
```



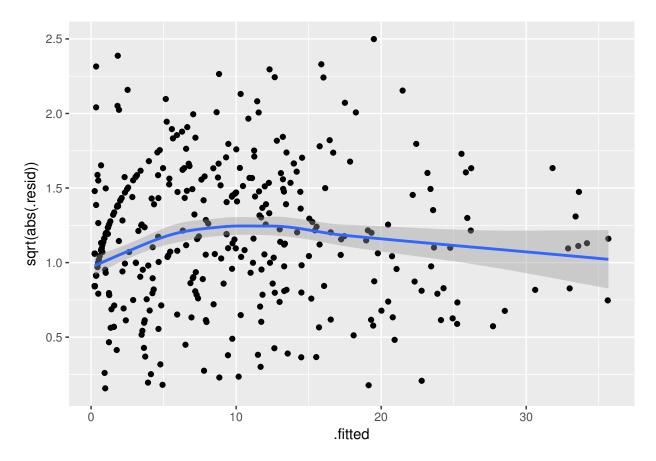
It's heteroskedastic. How do the squared residuals change?

```
homerun.df = augment(homerun.lm)
ggplot(homerun.df, aes(x = .fitted, y = .resid^2)) + geom_point() + geom_smooth(method.args = list(degr
```



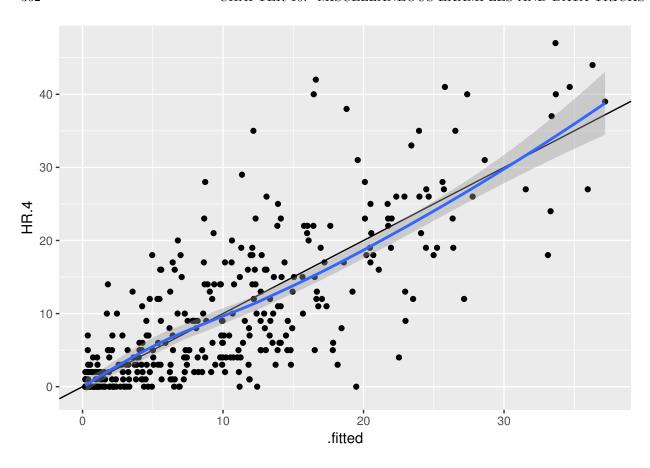
An overdispersed Poisson might work okay. It doesn't make much sense to predict on the log scale, so we fit on the original scale instead.

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The coefficients are a bit different and the standard errors are a bit bigger. The deviance residuals aren't perfect but they could be worse.

Alternatively, try a negative binomial, which can give probabilistic predictions:



# 10.3 Catterplots

These are self-explanatory I think.

```
# library(devtools) install_github('Gibbsdavidl/CatterPlots')
library(CatterPlots)
cat.random = multicat(xs = runif(42), ys = runif(42), cat = 1:11, catcolor = list(c(0, 0, 0, 1)), main = "42 random cats")
```