Rice Example: Multiple Regression and the car() package

Multiple regression extends the simple linear regression model to include multiple predictor variables. In this example, we consider the yield (response) versus height and tillers (predictors) for n = 8 varieties of rice.

We go beyond the basic model fitting using lm() to illustrate several topics:

- 1. Predicted values, confidence intervals and prediction intervals using the predict() function.
- 2. Additional hypothesis tests using lht() from the car package. Comparing a reduced versus full model using anova().
- 3. When there are two or more predictors, anova() is different from Anova() from the car package. We are generally interested in the Anova results! Anova() gives the unique (or marginal) ANOVA table (which does not depend on the order the predictors are listed). anova() gives the sequential ANOVA table (which depends on the order the predictors are listed).

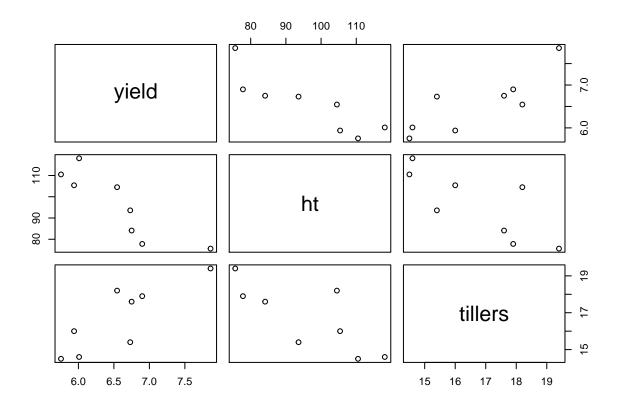
```
library(GGally)
library(scatterplot3d)
library(car)
Rice <- read.csv("C:/hess/STAT512/RNotes/MultReg1/MR1_Rice.csv")</pre>
Rice
##
     yield
              ht tillers
## 1 5.755 110.5
                    14.5
## 2 5.939 105.4
                    16.0
## 3 6.010 118.1
                    14.6
## 4 6.545 104.5
## 5 6.730 93.6
                    15.4
## 6 6.750 84.1
## 7 6.899 77.8
                    17.9
## 8 7.862 75.6
                    19.4
```

Pairwise correlations and plots

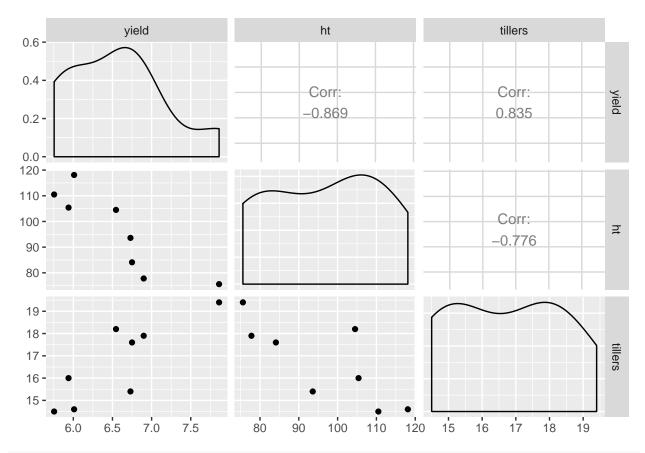
The cor function is handy for computing pairwise correlations. But in order to get a formal test of correlation, we need to use cor.test().

```
cor(Rice)
##
                                    tillers
                yield
                              ht
            1.0000000 -0.8687070 0.8349761
## yield
           -0.8687070 1.0000000 -0.7762814
## tillers 0.8349761 -0.7762814 1.0000000
with(cor.test(yield, ht), data=Rice)
##
##
   Pearson's product-moment correlation
##
## data: yield and ht
## t = -4.2959, df = 6, p-value = 0.005116
## alternative hypothesis: true correlation is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
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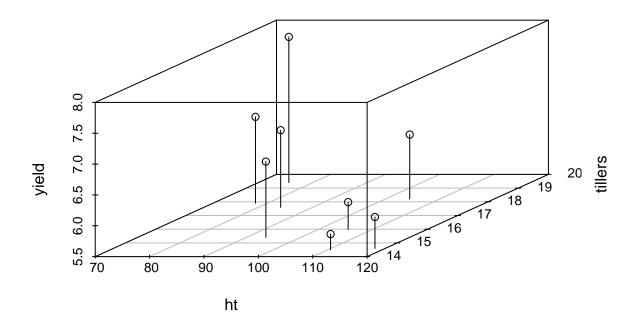
```
## -0.9759487 -0.4229363
## sample estimates:
## cor
## -0.868707
pairs(Rice)
```



ggpairs(Rice)



3-D plot of ht, tillers vs. yield



Simple Linear Regression

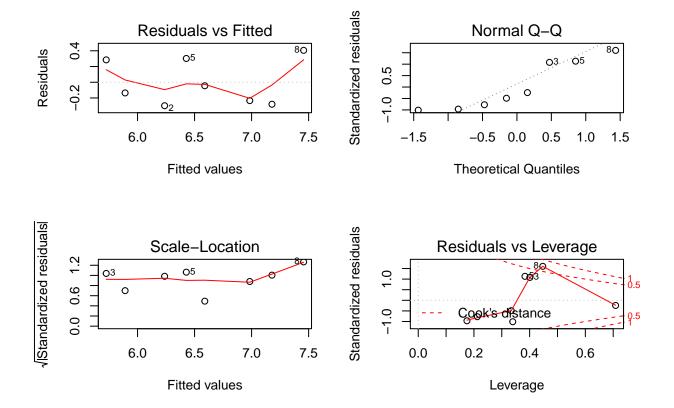
Models 1 and 2 are the simple linear regressions (including just one predictor each).

```
Model1 <- lm(yield ~ ht, data = Rice)
summary(Model1)
##</pre>
```

```
## Call:
## lm(formula = yield ~ ht, data = Rice)
##
## Residuals:
##
       Min
                 1Q
                      Median
                                   ЗQ
                                           Max
## -0.34626 -0.27605 -0.09448 0.27023 0.53495
##
## Coefficients:
##
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                          0.842265
                                    12.036
## (Intercept) 10.137455
                                              2e-05 ***
## ht
               -0.037175
                          0.008653
                                    -4.296 0.00512 **
##
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 0.3624 on 6 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.7547, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7138
## F-statistic: 18.46 on 1 and 6 DF, p-value: 0.005116
```

```
Model2 <- lm(yield ~ tillers, data = Rice)
summary(Model2)
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = yield ~ tillers, data = Rice)
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
                1Q Median
                                3Q
                                       Max
## -0.4820 -0.1935 -0.0628 0.1912 0.5724
##
## Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 1.37548
                           1.40249
                                     0.981 0.36460
                0.31053
                           0.08355
                                     3.717 0.00989 **
## tillers
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.4026 on 6 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.6972, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6467
## F-statistic: 13.81 on 1 and 6 DF, p-value: 0.009891
Multiple Regression
Model3 is the multiple regression model, including both ht and tillers.
Model3 <- lm(yield ~ ht + tillers, data = Rice)
summary(Model3)
##
## lm(formula = yield ~ ht + tillers, data = Rice)
```

```
##
## Residuals:
##
          1
## -0.13596 -0.29855 0.28449 -0.04461 0.30241 -0.23388 -0.27959 0.40569
##
## Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
## (Intercept) 6.33560
                          2.94293
                                    2.153
                                            0.0839
## ht
              -0.02375
                          0.01290 - 1.842
                                            0.1249
## tillers
               0.15031
                          0.11207
                                    1.341
                                            0.2375
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
## Residual standard error: 0.3404 on 5 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.8196, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7474
## F-statistic: 11.36 on 2 and 5 DF, p-value: 0.01383
par(mfrow = c(2, 2))
plot(Model3)
```



Confidence Intervals and Prediction Intervals

```
confint(Model3)
##
                      2.5 %
                                  97.5 %
## (Intercept) -1.22944837 13.900641358
## ht
               -0.05689702
                            0.009400813
## tillers
               -0.13777084 0.438396122
NewData <- data.frame(ht = 80, tillers = 17)</pre>
predict(Model3, NewData, interval = "confidence")
          fit
                   lwr
## 1 6.991063 6.425802 7.556324
predict(Model3, NewData, interval = "prediction")
##
          fit
                   lwr
                             upr
## 1 6.991063 5.949278 8.032848
```

Additional Hypothesis Testing

We illustrate the use of using lht() from the car package.

```
\#Test1: B2 = 0.1
c1 \leftarrow c(0, 0, 1)
lht(Model3, c1, rhs = c(0.1))
## Linear hypothesis test
## Hypothesis:
## tillers = 0.1
##
## Model 1: restricted model
## Model 2: yield ~ ht + tillers
## Res.Df
               RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                   F Pr(>F)
## 1
         6 0.60281
## 2
         5 0.57946 1 0.023358 0.2015 0.6723
\#Test2: B1 = B2 = 0
c2 <- matrix(c( 0, 1, 0,</pre>
               0, 0, 1), nrow=2, byrow=TRUE)
lht(Model3, c2, rhs = c(0, 0))
## Linear hypothesis test
## Hypothesis:
## ht = 0
## tillers = 0
## Model 1: restricted model
## Model 2: yield ~ ht + tillers
             RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
## Res.Df
## 1
      7 3.2115
         5 0.5795 2
                        2.6321 11.356 0.01383 *
## 2
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
#Null Model contains no predictors (not usually of interest!)
Model0 <- lm(yield ~ 1, data = Rice)</pre>
anova(Model0, Model3)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: yield ~ 1
## Model 2: yield ~ ht + tillers
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                F Pr(>F)
## 1
         7 3.2115
## 2
         5 0.5795 2 2.6321 11.356 0.01383 *
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
#Test3: B1=B2 or B1-B2 = 0
c3 \leftarrow c(0, 1, -1)
lht(Model3, c3, rhs=c(0))
## Linear hypothesis test
```

```
## Hypothesis:
## ht - tillers = 0
##
## Model 1: restricted model
## Model 2: yield ~ ht + tillers
##
    Res.Df
                RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                       F Pr(>F)
## 1
          6 0.91442
## 2
          5 0.57946 1 0.33497 2.8904 0.1499
#Test4
c4 \leftarrow c(1, 80, 17)
lht(Model3, c4, rhs=c(7))
## Linear hypothesis test
##
## Hypothesis:
## (Intercept) + 80 ht + 17 tillers = 7
## Model 1: restricted model
## Model 2: yield ~ ht + tillers
##
##
    Res.Df
                RSS Df Sum of Sq
                                        F Pr(>F)
## 1
          6 0.57965
          5 0.57946 1 0.00019142 0.0017 0.9692
## 2
```

anova vs Anova

When there is just a single predictor, there is no difference between anova() and Anova(). But when there are now two predictors, there is a difference between anova() and Anova() from the car package. In general, we will be using Anova(). anova() can be used to compare a reduced vs full model.

```
anova(Model1)
```

```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: yield
##
            Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value
                                         Pr(>F)
             1 2.42357 2.42357 18.455 0.005116 **
## ht
## Residuals 6 0.78794 0.13132
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Anova(Model1, type = 3)
## Anova Table (Type III tests)
##
## Response: yield
               Sum Sq Df F value
                                    Pr(>F)
## (Intercept) 19.0239 1 144.864 1.996e-05 ***
               2.4236 1 18.455 0.005116 **
## ht
## Residuals
               0.7879 6
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

```
anova(Model3)
## Analysis of Variance Table
## Response: yield
           Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
## ht 1 2.42357 2.42357 20.9125 0.005985 **
## tillers 1 0.20848 0.20848 1.7989 0.237538
## Residuals 5 0.57946 0.11589
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Anova(Model3, type = 3)
## Anova Table (Type III tests)
## Response: yield
              Sum Sq Df F value Pr(>F)
## (Intercept) 0.53711 1 4.6346 0.08395 .
## ht 0.39304 1 3.3914 0.12489
## tillers 0.20848 1 1.7989 0.23754
## Residuals 0.57946 5
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(Model2, Model3)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: yield ~ tillers
## Model 2: yield ~ ht + tillers
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq
## 1 6 0.97249
## 2
       5 0.57946 1 0.39304 3.3914 0.1249
```