

# FinalAnalysis

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```
#import global libraries:  
library(lmtest)
```

```
## Loading required package: zoo
```

```
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'zoo'
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
```

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##
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```
##      as.Date, as.Date.numeric
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
```

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##
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```
##      filter, lag
```

```
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
```

```
##
```

```
##      intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

```
library(ggplot2)
```

```
library(gridExtra)
```

```
##
```

```
## Attaching package: 'gridExtra'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
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```
##
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```
##      combine
```

```
library(corrplot)
```

```
## corrplot 0.92 loaded
```

```
library(MASS)
```

```
##
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```
## Attaching package: 'MASS'
```

```
## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
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##
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```
##      select
```

```
library(faraway)
```

```
library(caret)
```

```
## Loading required package: lattice
```

```
##
## Attaching package: 'lattice'

## The following object is masked from 'package:faraway':
##
##      melanoma
library(gbm)

## Loaded gbm 2.1.8.1
library(tidyr)
library(glmnet)

## Loading required package: Matrix

##
## Attaching package: 'Matrix'

## The following objects are masked from 'package:tidyr':
##
##      expand, pack, unpack

## Loaded glmnet 4.1-8
library(randomForest)

## randomForest 4.7-1.1

## Type rfNews() to see new features/changes/bug fixes.

##
## Attaching package: 'randomForest'

## The following object is masked from 'package:gridExtra':
##
##      combine

## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
##      margin

## The following object is masked from 'package:dplyr':
##
##      combine
set.seed(123)#set random seed

#load data from given file path
file_path <- "Life Expectancy Data.csv"
Data <- read.csv(file_path)

#display the structure of data, and check if there's empty cells
str(Data)

## 'data.frame':   2938 obs. of  22 variables:
##  $ Country      : chr  "Afghanistan" "Afghanistan" "Afghanistan" "Afghanistan" ...
##  $ Year          : int   2015 2014 2013 2012 2011 2010 2009 2008 2007 2006 ...
##  $ Status        : chr  "Developing" "Developing" "Developing" "Developing" ...
##  $ Life.expectancy : num   65 59.9 59.9 59.5 59.2 58.8 58.6 58.1 57.5 57.3 ...
##  $ Adult.Mortality : int   263 271 268 272 275 279 281 287 295 295 ...
##  $ infant.deaths  : int    62 64 66 69 71 74 77 80 82 84 ...
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## $ Alcohol : num 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.01 0.03 0.02 0.03 ...
## $ percentage.expenditure : num 71.3 73.5 73.2 78.2 7.1 ...
## $ Hepatitis.B : int 65 62 64 67 68 66 63 64 63 64 ...
## $ Measles : int 1154 492 430 2787 3013 1989 2861 1599 1141 1990 ...
## $ BMI : num 19.1 18.6 18.1 17.6 17.2 16.7 16.2 15.7 15.2 14.7 ...
## $ under.five.deaths : int 83 86 89 93 97 102 106 110 113 116 ...
## $ Polio : int 6 58 62 67 68 66 63 64 63 58 ...
## $ Total.expenditure : num 8.16 8.18 8.13 8.52 7.87 9.2 9.42 8.33 6.73 7.43 ...
## $ Diphtheria : int 65 62 64 67 68 66 63 64 63 58 ...
## $ HIV.AIDS : num 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.1 ...
## $ GDP : num 584.3 612.7 631.7 670 63.5 ...
## $ Population : num 33736494 327582 31731688 3696958 2978599 ...
## $ thinness..1.19.years : num 17.2 17.5 17.7 17.9 18.2 18.4 18.6 18.8 19 19.2 ...
## $ thinness.5.9.years : num 17.3 17.5 17.7 18 18.2 18.4 18.7 18.9 19.1 19.3 ...
## $ Income.composition.of.resources : num 0.479 0.476 0.47 0.463 0.454 0.448 0.434 0.433 0.415 0.405
## $ Schooling : num 10.1 10 9.9 9.8 9.5 9.2 8.9 8.7 8.4 8.1 ...
```

```
colSums(is.na(Data))
```

```
## Country Year
## 0 0
## Status Life.expectancy
## 0 10
## Adult.Mortality infant.deaths
## 10 0
## Alcohol percentage.expenditure
## 194 0
## Hepatitis.B Measles
## 553 0
## BMI under.five.deaths
## 34 0
## Polio Total.expenditure
## 19 226
## Diphtheria HIV.AIDS
## 19 0
## GDP Population
## 448 652
## thinness..1.19.years thinness.5.9.years
## 34 34
## Income.composition.of.resources Schooling
## 167 163
```

```
#data cleaning: for columns with more than 200 null values, fill empty cells with median of this column
```

```
Data$'GDP' <- ifelse(is.na(Data$'GDP'),
                    median(Data$'GDP', na.rm = TRUE), Data$'GDP')
Data$'Population' <- ifelse(is.na(Data$'Population'),
                            median(Data$'Population', na.rm = TRUE), Data$'Population')
Data$'Total.expenditure' <- ifelse(is.na(Data$'Total.expenditure'),
                                    median(Data$'Total.expenditure', na.rm = TRUE), Data$'Total.expenditure')
Data$'Hepatitis B' <- ifelse(is.na(Data$'Hepatitis.B'),
                             median(Data$'Hepatitis.B', na.rm = TRUE), Data$'Hepatitis.B')
```

```
#for status - developed/undeveloped, replace them with 0 and 1
```

```
Data$'Status' <- ifelse(Data$'Status' == "Developed", 1, 0)
```

```
#remove other rows with empty cells
```

```
Data <- na.omit(Data)
```

```
Data <- unique(Data)
```

```
colSums(is.na(Data))
```

```
##           Country           Year
##           0           0
##           Status       Life.expectancy
##           0           0
##           Adult.Mortality infant.deaths
##           0           0
##           Alcohol       percentage.expenditure
##           0           0
##           Hepatitis.B       Measles
##           0           0
##           BMI           under.five.deaths
##           0           0
##           Polio         Total.expenditure
##           0           0
##           Diphtheria       HIV.AIDS
##           0           0
##           GDP           Population
##           0           0
##           thinness..1.19.years thinness.5.9.years
##           0           0
## Income.composition.of.resources       Schooling
##           0           0
##           Hepatitis B
##           0
```

```
nrow(Data)
```

```
## [1] 2088
```

```
#choose random 1000 observations for this analysis
```

```
Data <- sample_n(Data, 1000)
```

```
nrow(Data)
```

```
## [1] 1000
```

```
#summarize data and display first few rows
```

```
summary(Data)
```

```
## Country           Year           Status       Life.expectancy
## Length:1000      Min.   :2000      Min.   :0.000      Min.   :44.00
## Class :character 1st Qu.:2004      1st Qu.:0.000      1st Qu.:65.47
## Mode  :character Median :2008      Median :0.000      Median :72.30
##           Mean   :2008      Mean   :0.134      Mean   :69.98
##           3rd Qu.:2011      3rd Qu.:0.000      3rd Qu.:75.00
##           Max.   :2015      Max.   :1.000      Max.   :89.00
## Adult.Mortality infant.deaths       Alcohol       percentage.expenditure
## Min.   : 1.0      Min.   : 0.00      Min.   : 0.010      Min.   : 0.00
## 1st Qu.: 79.0      1st Qu.: 0.00      1st Qu.: 0.640      1st Qu.: 18.27
## Median :143.0      Median : 3.00      Median : 3.075      Median : 100.85
## Mean   :160.4      Mean   : 26.70      Mean   : 4.326      Mean   : 688.66
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```
## 3rd Qu.:217.0 3rd Qu.: 16.25 3rd Qu.: 7.213 3rd Qu.: 512.78
## Max. :723.0 Max. :1500.00 Max. :17.870 Max. :18961.35
## Hepatitis.B Measles BMI under.five.deaths
## Min. : 2.00 Min. : 0.0 Min. : 1.40 Min. : 0.00
## 1st Qu.:77.00 1st Qu.: 0.0 1st Qu.:21.27 1st Qu.: 1.00
## Median :92.00 Median : 12.0 Median :45.30 Median : 3.00
## Mean :80.95 Mean : 2220.6 Mean :39.28 Mean : 35.98
## 3rd Qu.:96.25 3rd Qu.: 279.2 3rd Qu.:56.33 3rd Qu.: 20.00
## Max. :99.00 Max. :124219.0 Max. :76.70 Max. :2000.00
## Polio Total.expenditure Diphtheria HIV.AIDS
## Min. : 3.00 Min. : 0.740 Min. : 4.00 Min. : 0.10
## 1st Qu.:83.00 1st Qu.: 4.200 1st Qu.:83.00 1st Qu.: 0.10
## Median :94.00 Median : 5.660 Median :94.00 Median : 0.10
## Mean :84.92 Mean : 5.759 Mean :85.38 Mean : 1.76
## 3rd Qu.:97.00 3rd Qu.: 7.190 3rd Qu.:97.00 3rd Qu.: 0.40
## Max. :99.00 Max. :14.390 Max. :99.00 Max. :50.60
## GDP Population thinness..1.19.years
## Min. : 5.67 Min. :3.600e+01 Min. : 0.100
## 1st Qu.: 596.78 1st Qu.:3.684e+05 1st Qu.: 1.800
## Median : 1766.95 Median :1.387e+06 Median : 3.450
## Mean : 6227.53 Mean :1.260e+07 Mean : 4.909
## 3rd Qu.: 4772.94 3rd Qu.:4.410e+06 3rd Qu.: 7.000
## Max. :115761.58 Max. :1.294e+09 Max. :27.200
## thinness.5.9.years Income.composition.of.resources Schooling
## Min. : 0.10 Min. :0.0000 Min. : 0.0
## 1st Qu.: 1.80 1st Qu.:0.5450 1st Qu.:10.6
## Median : 3.40 Median :0.6770 Median :12.3
## Mean : 4.92 Mean :0.6413 Mean :12.2
## 3rd Qu.: 6.90 3rd Qu.:0.7622 3rd Qu.:14.0
## Max. :28.10 Max. :0.9360 Max. :20.6
## Hepatitis B
## Min. : 2.00
## 1st Qu.:77.00
## Median :92.00
## Mean :80.95
## 3rd Qu.:96.25
## Max. :99.00
```

```
head(Data)
```

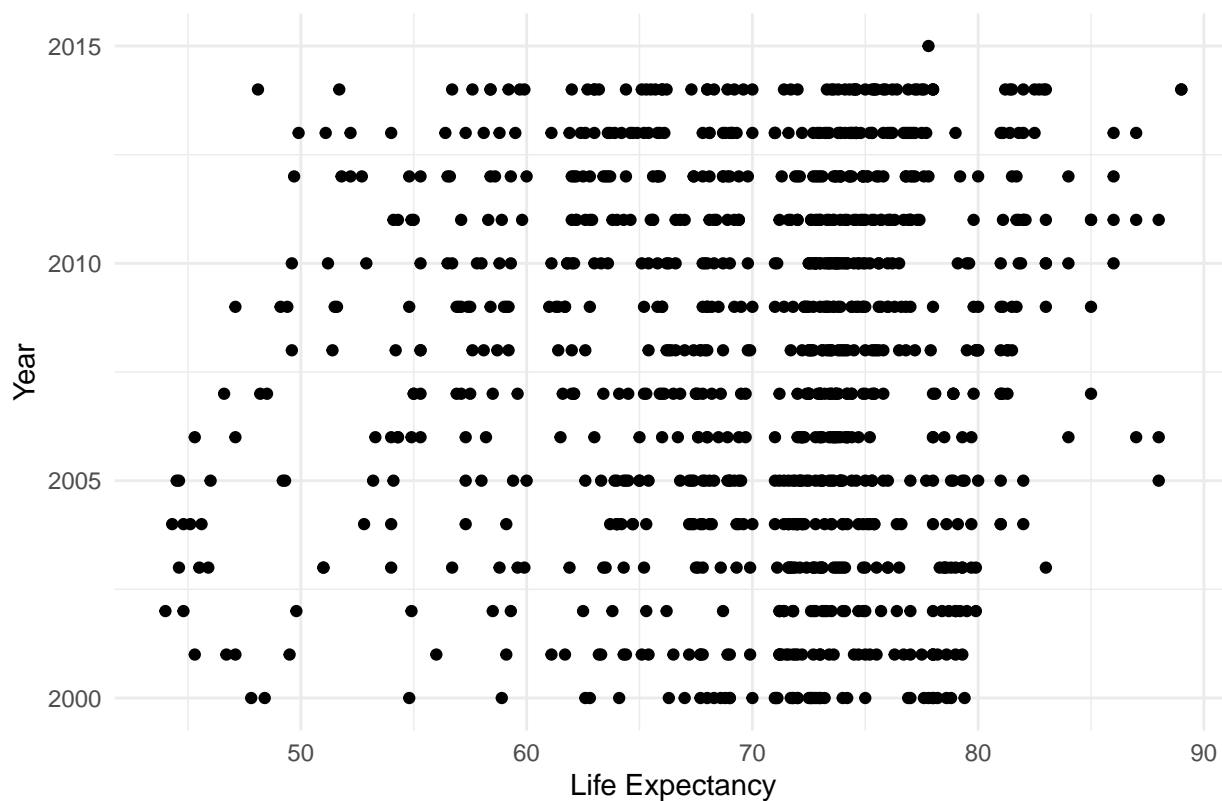
```
## Country Year Status Life.expectancy
## 1 Cyprus 2012 1 80.0
## 2 Belarus 2010 0 73.0
## 3 The former Yugoslav republic of Macedonia 2013 0 75.3
## 4 Malawi 2004 0 45.1
## 5 Micronesia (Federated States of) 2000 0 67.0
## 6 Mongolia 2000 0 62.8
## Adult.Mortality infant.deaths Alcohol percentage.expenditure Hepatitis.B
## 1 56 0 10.55 2159.756205 96
## 2 222 0 14.44 8.494095 96
## 3 14 0 1.03 0.000000 97
## 4 615 40 1.11 58.135833 89
## 5 185 0 2.23 0.000000 87
## 6 274 2 2.79 56.431387 93
## Measles BMI under.five.deaths Polio Total.expenditure Diphtheria HIV.AIDS
```

```
## 1      1 58.7      0 99      7.44      99      0.1
## 2      1 59.3      1 99      5.55      98      0.1
## 3      4 59.1      0 98      6.70      98      0.1
## 4     1116 15.5     65 94      7.82      89     23.4
## 5      0 61.5      0 85      7.88      85      0.1
## 6     925 38.5      3 94      4.92      94      0.1
##      GDP Population thinness..1.19.years thinness.5.9.years
## 1 28951.15556     113562      0.9      1.0
## 2   63.38877     949583      2.0      2.2
## 3  1766.94760    1386542      2.2      2.2
## 4   274.22563    1267638      7.5      7.4
## 5  1766.94760    1386542      0.3      0.3
## 6   474.21334    2397436      2.6      2.6
##      Income.composition.of.resources Schooling Hepatitis B
## 1      0.850      13.8      96
## 2      0.780      15.5      96
## 3      0.741      12.9      97
## 4      0.366      10.0      89
## 5      0.000       0.0      87
## 6      0.582       8.9      93

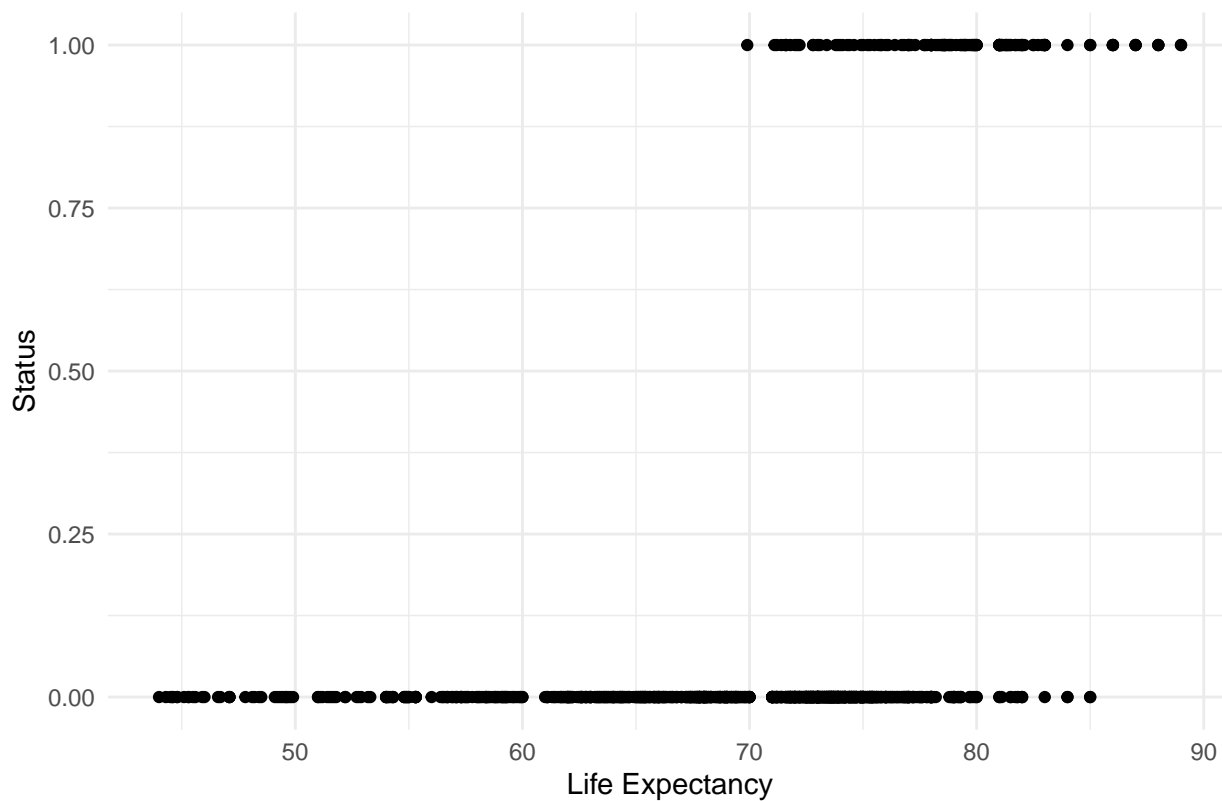
#visualize data:
#numeric predictors
numeric_columns <- names(Data[, sapply(Data, is.numeric) & names(Data) != "Life.expectancy"])

#plot relationship btw predictors and Life expectancy
plots <- lapply(numeric_columns, function(col) {
  print(ggplot(Data, aes(x = Life.expectancy, y = !!sym(col))) +
    geom_point() + xlab("Life Expectancy") + ylab(col) +
    ggtitle(paste("Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs", col)) +
    theme_minimal())
})
```

### Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Year



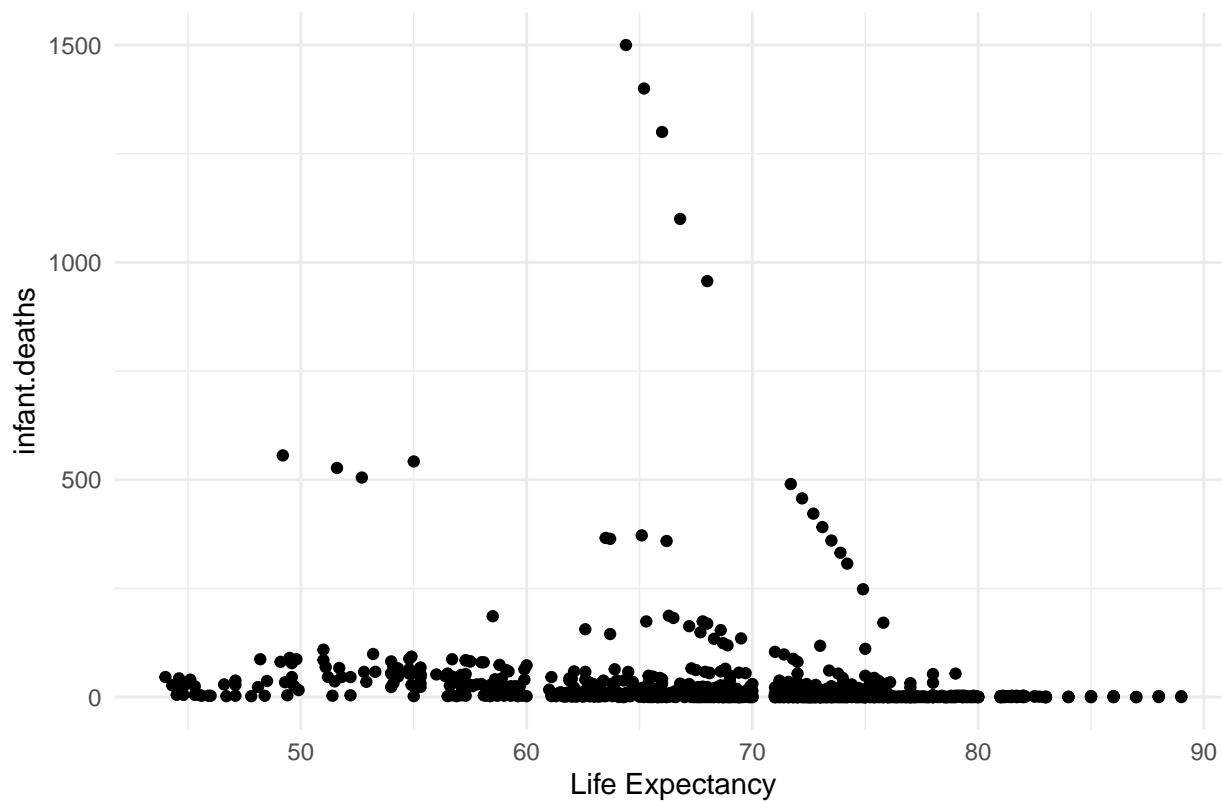
### Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Status



Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Adult.Mortality

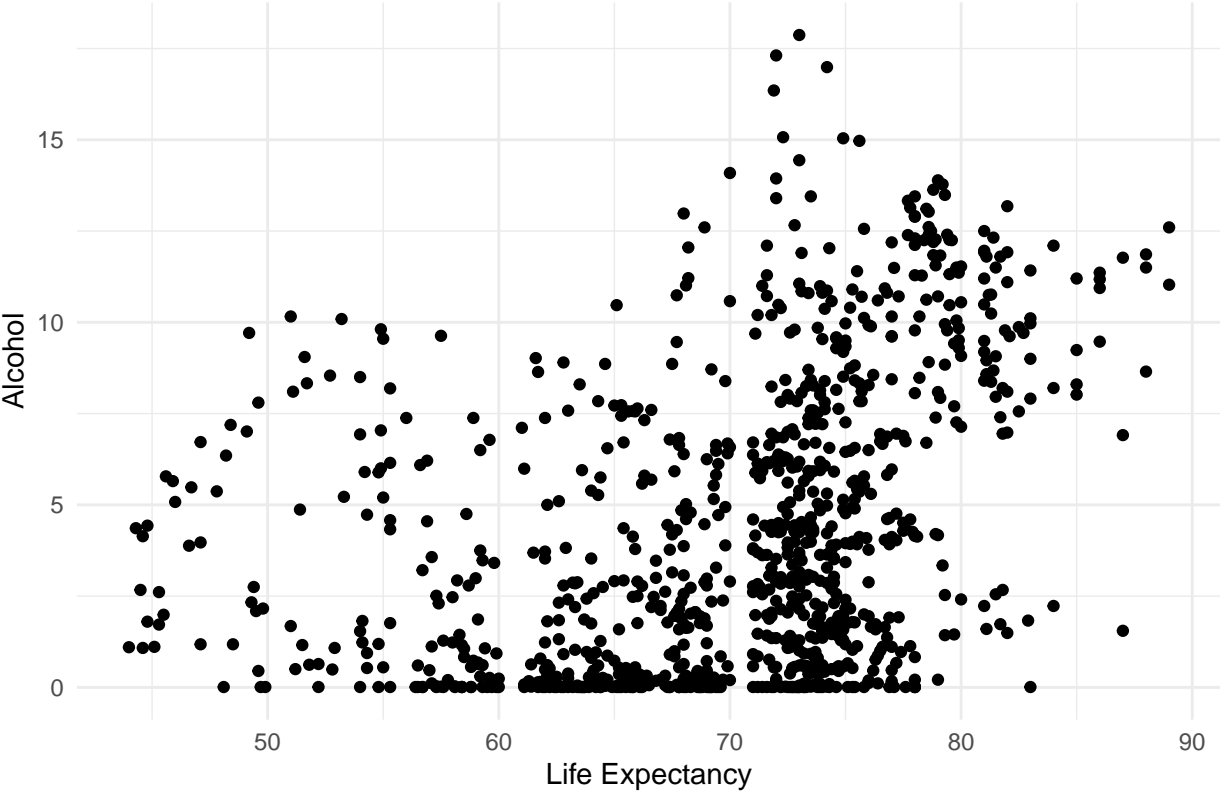


Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs infant.deaths

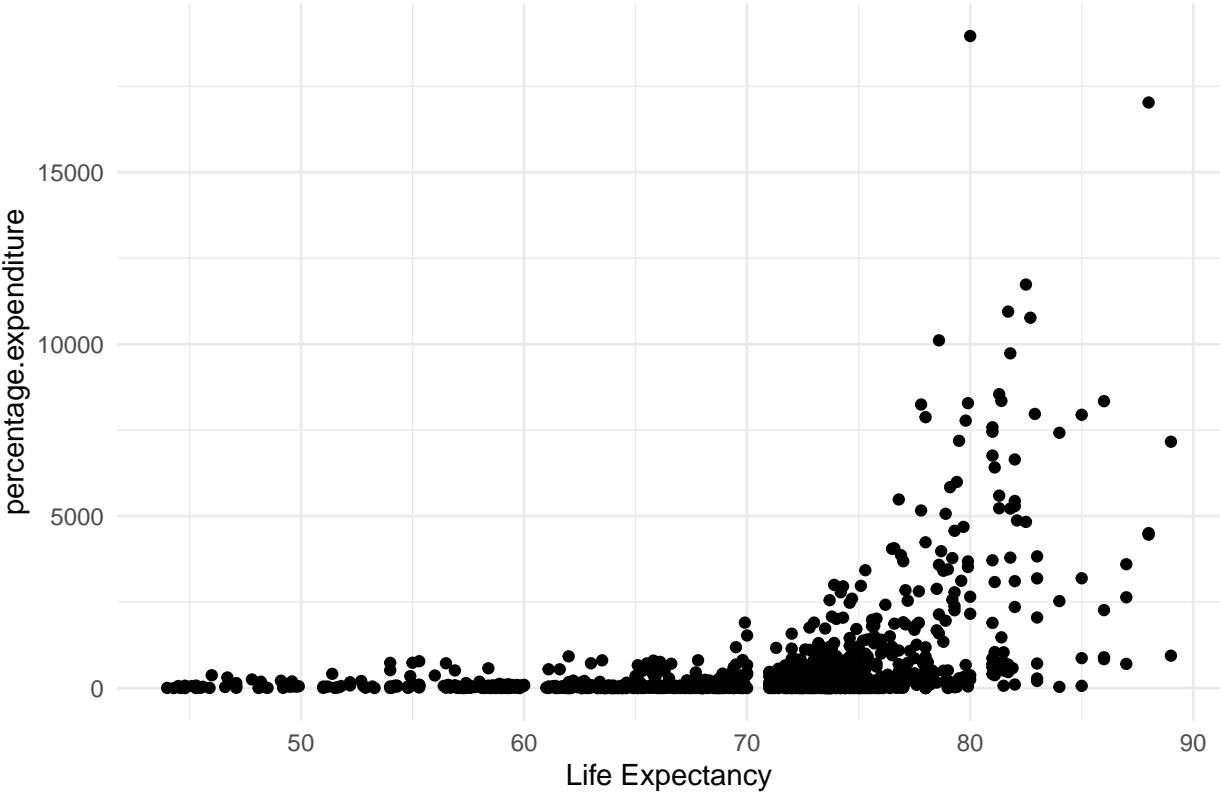




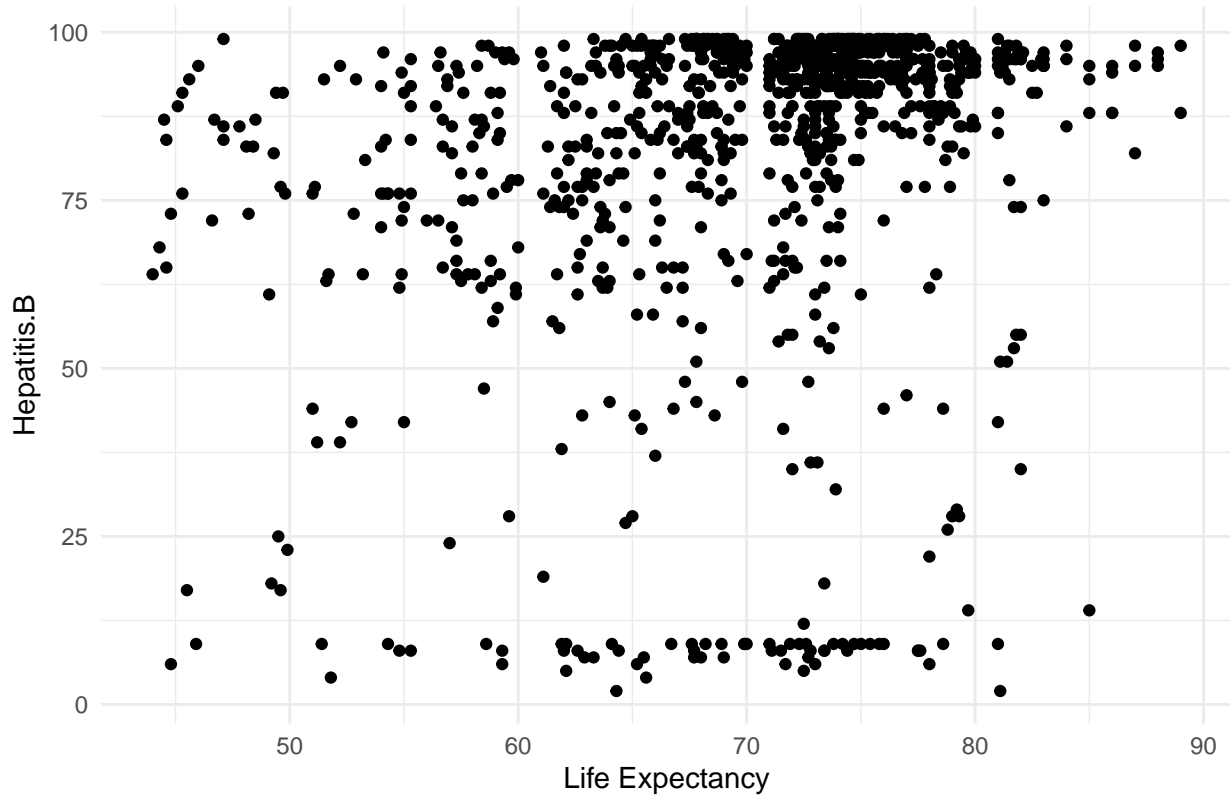
Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Alcohol



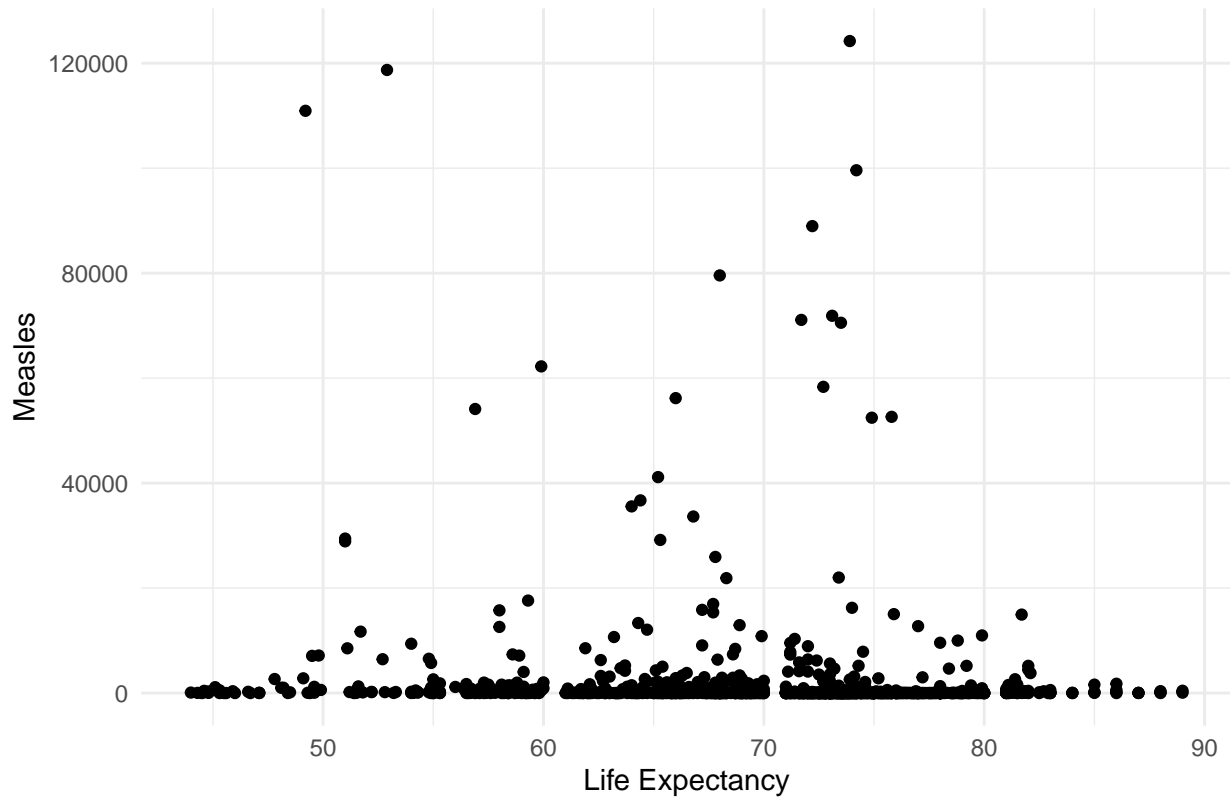
Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs percentage.expenditure

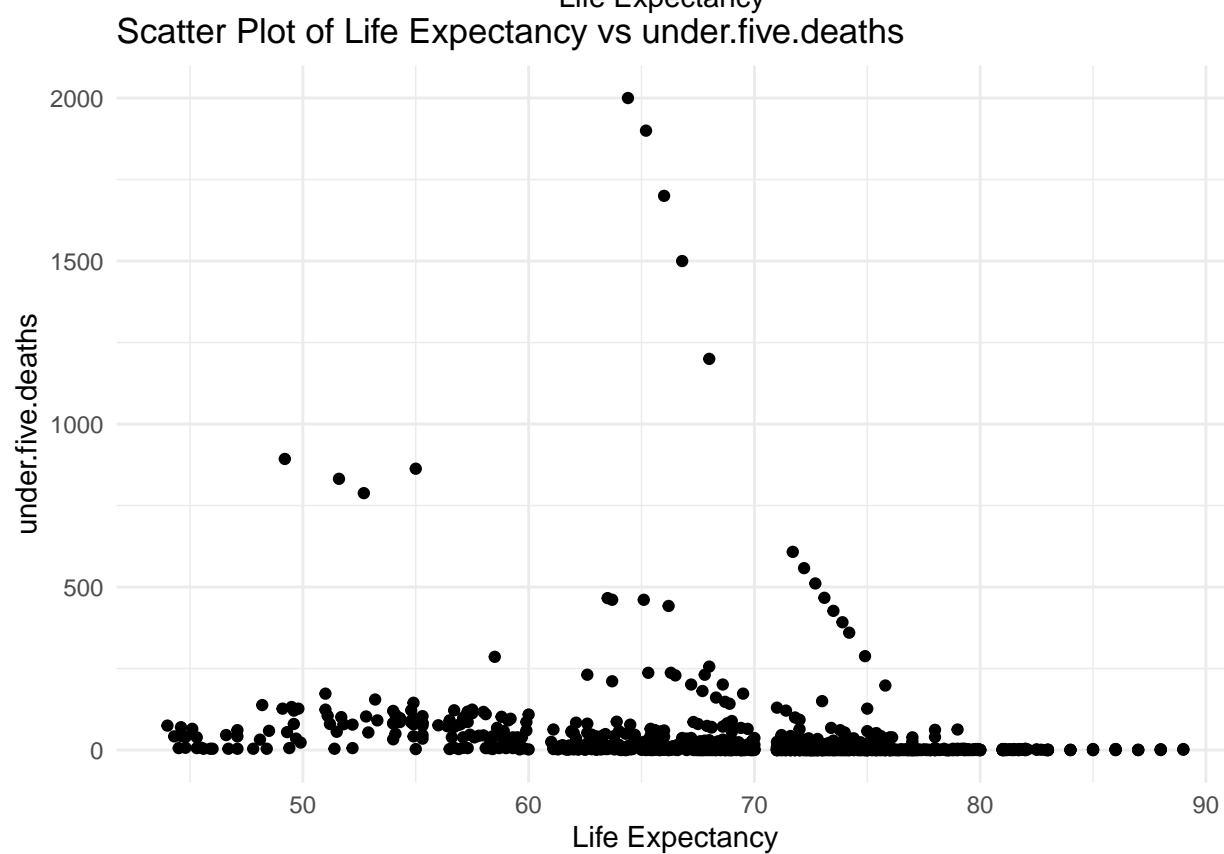
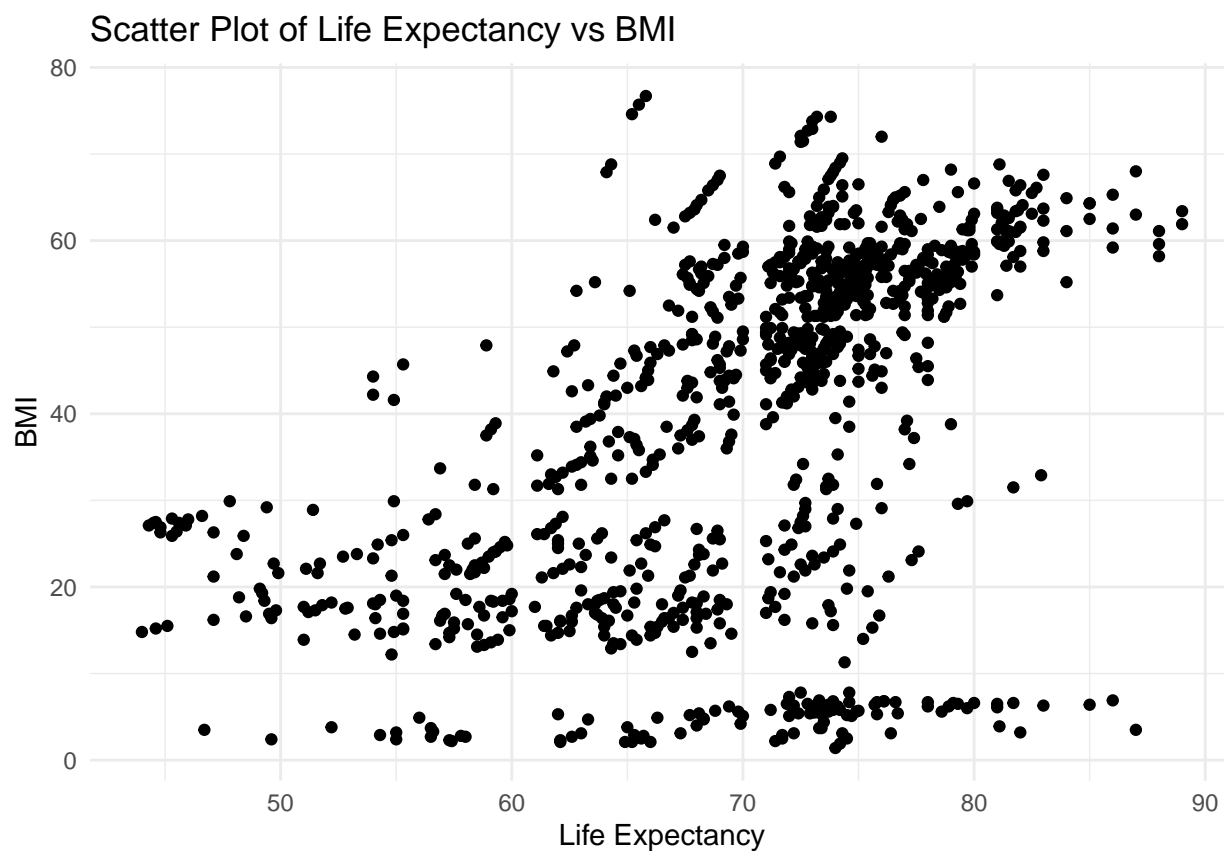


Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Hepatitis.B

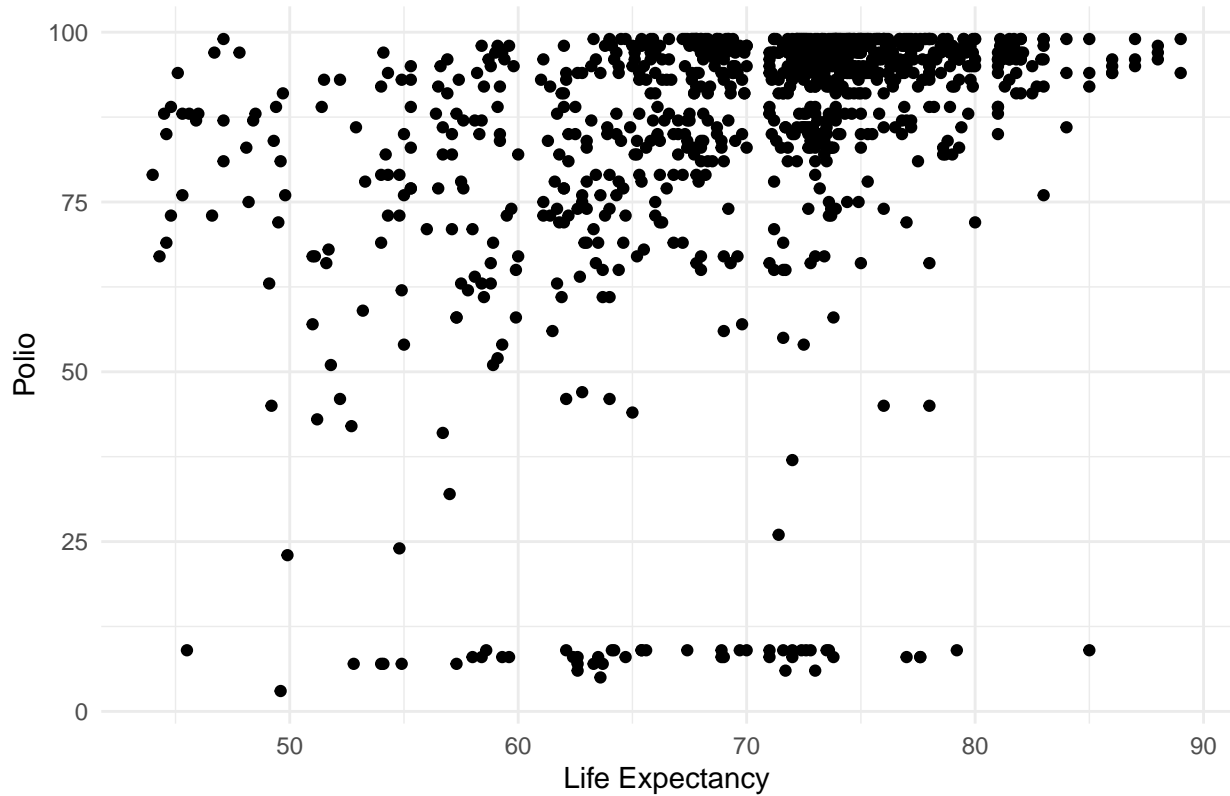


Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Measles

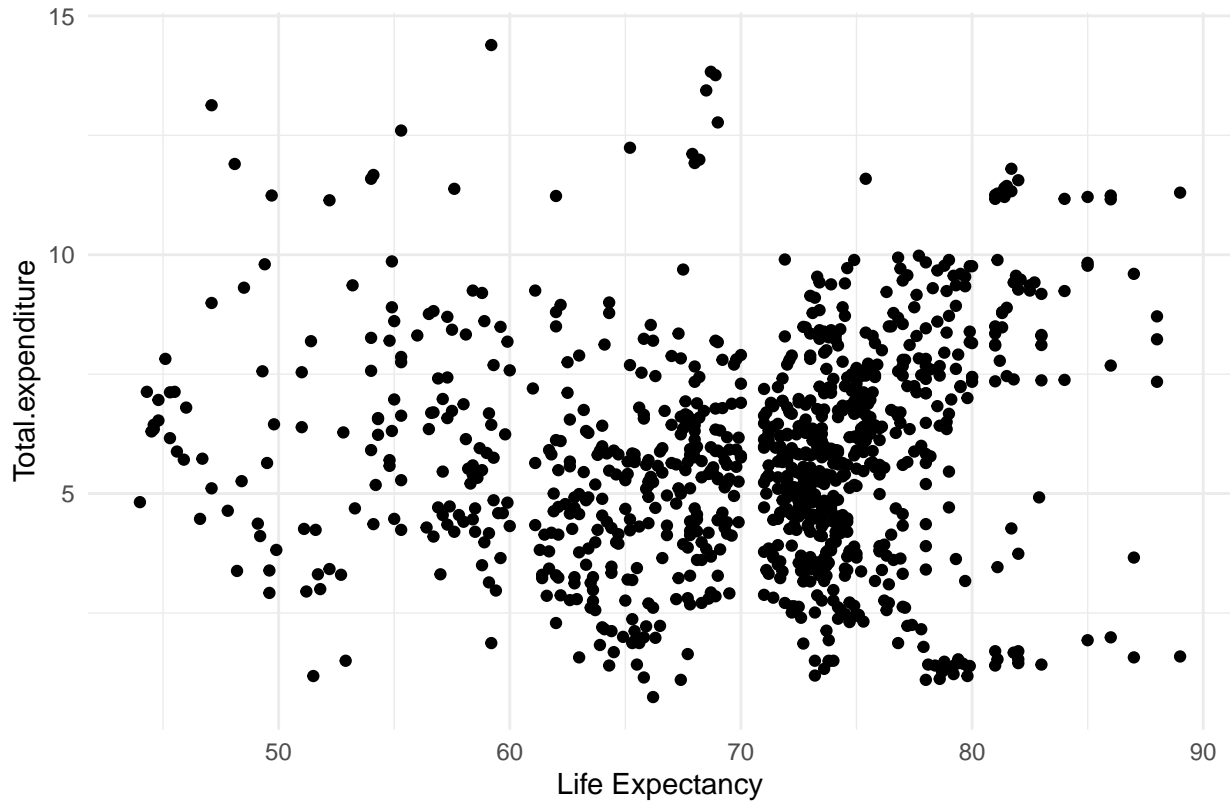




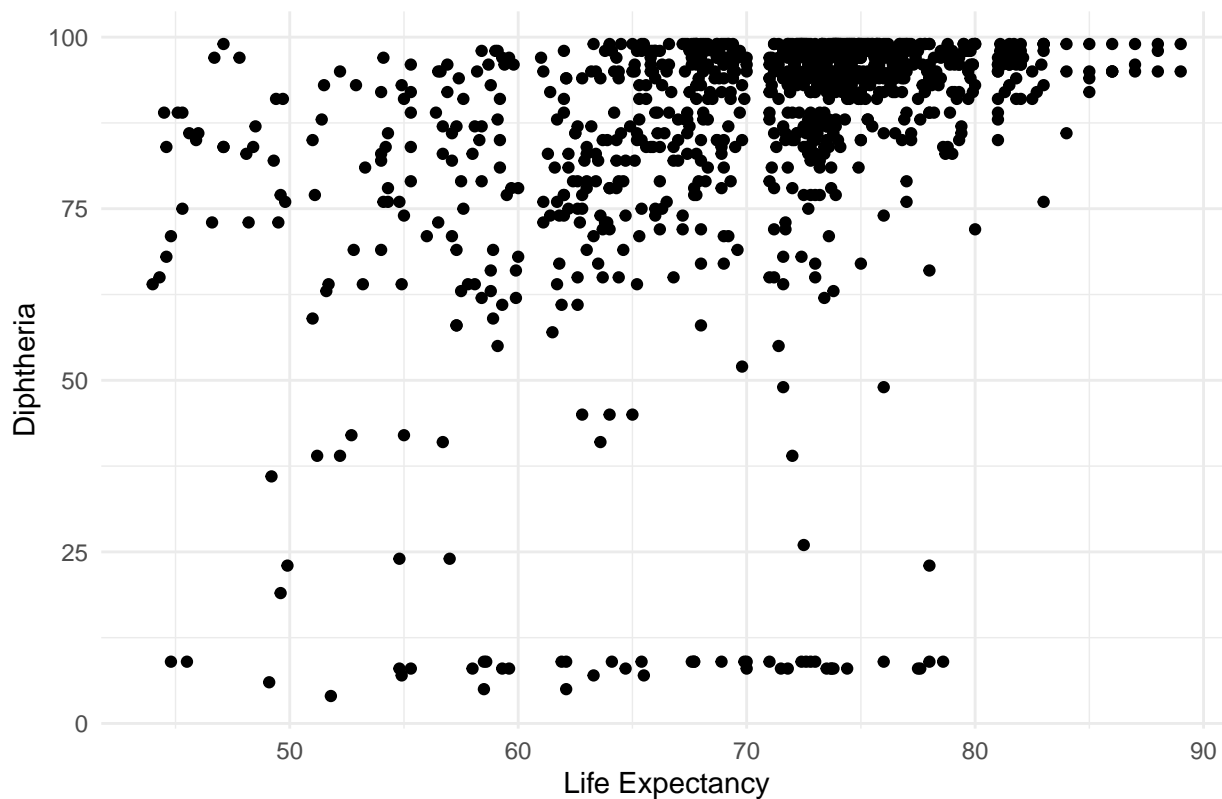
Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Polio



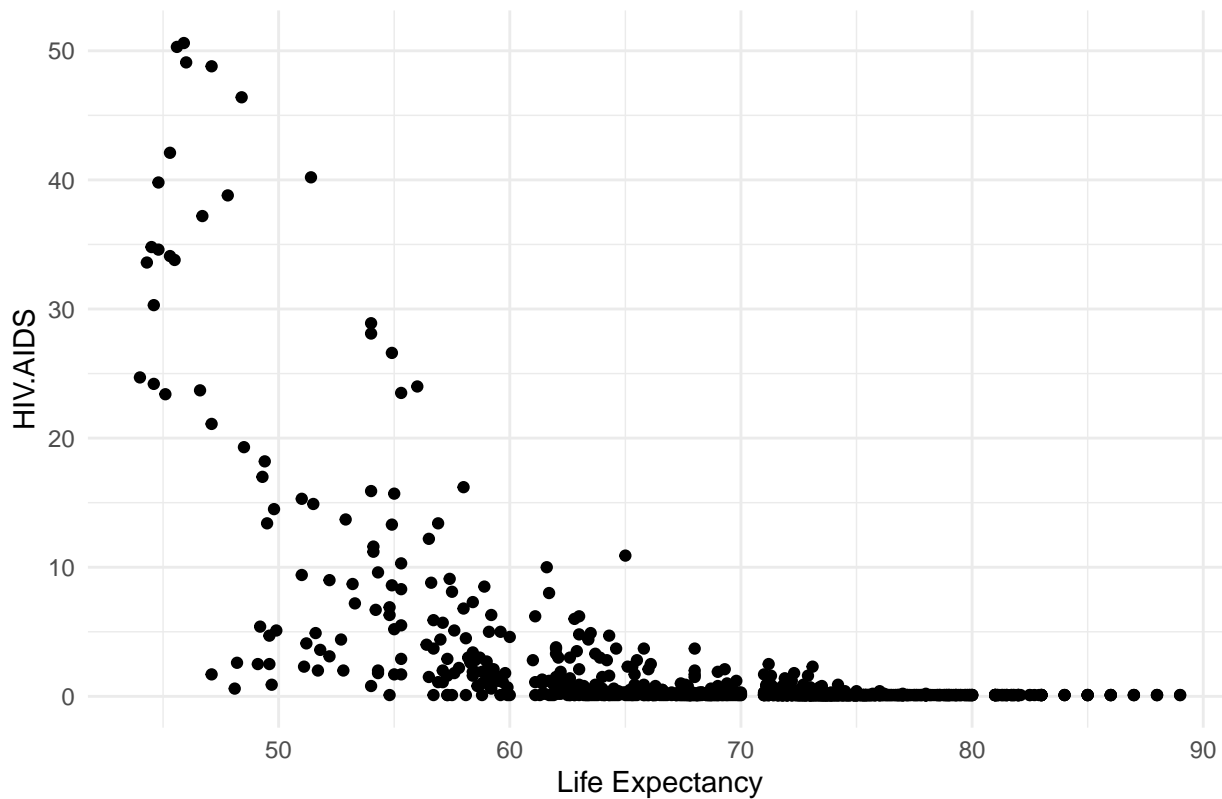
Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Total.expenditure

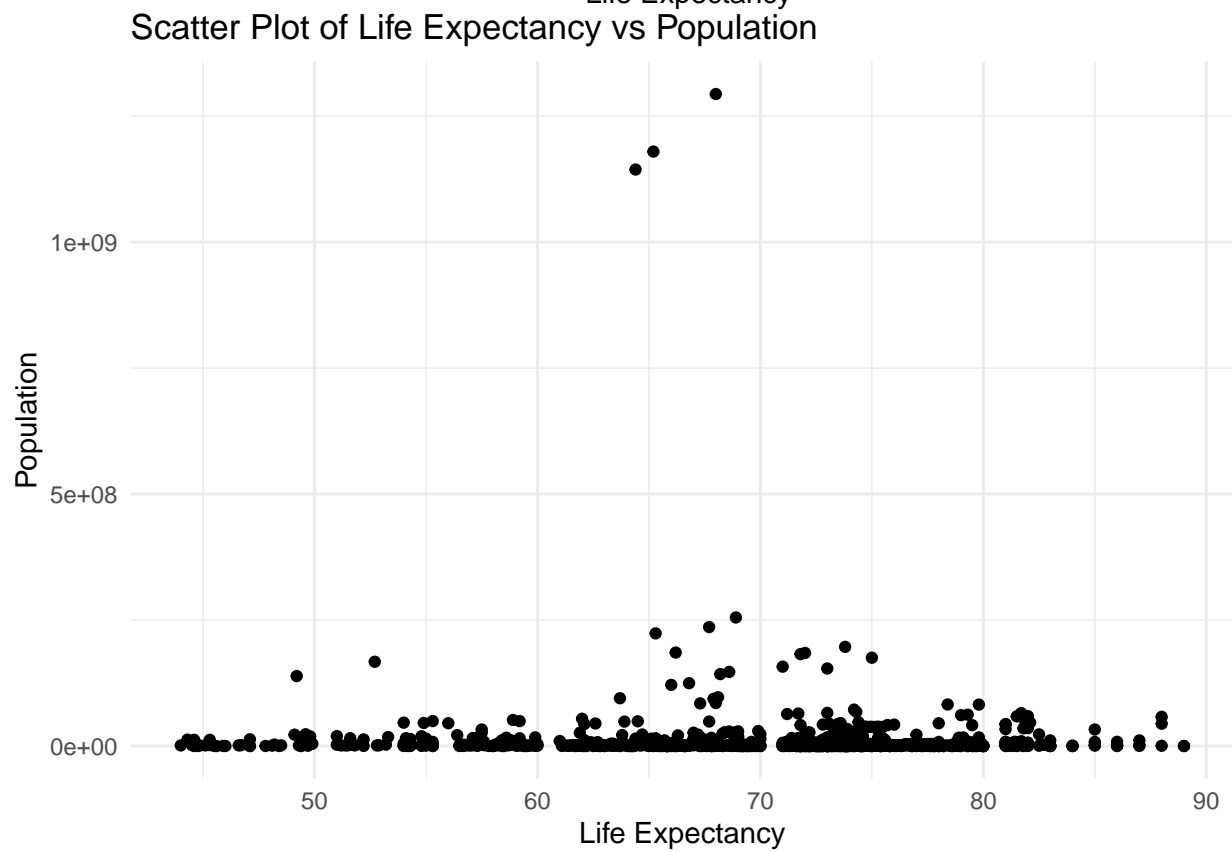
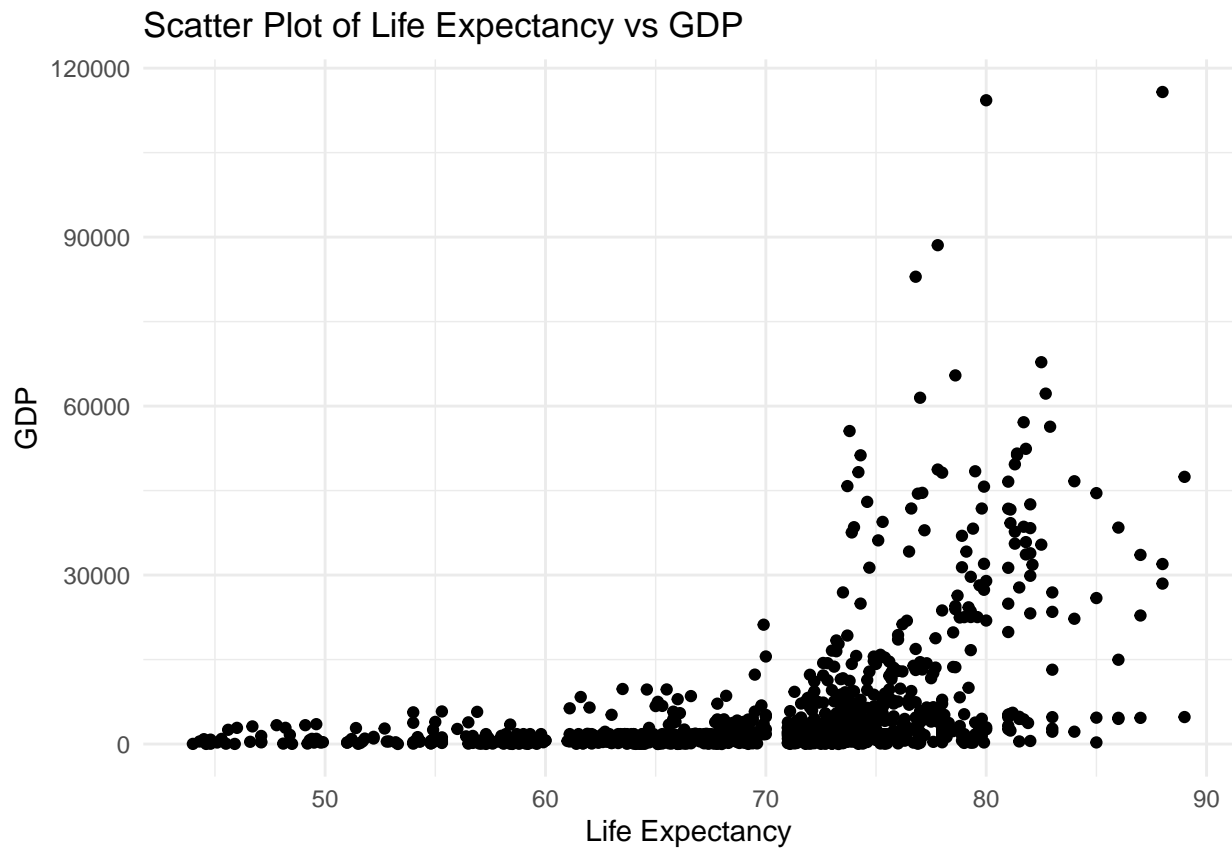


Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Diphtheria

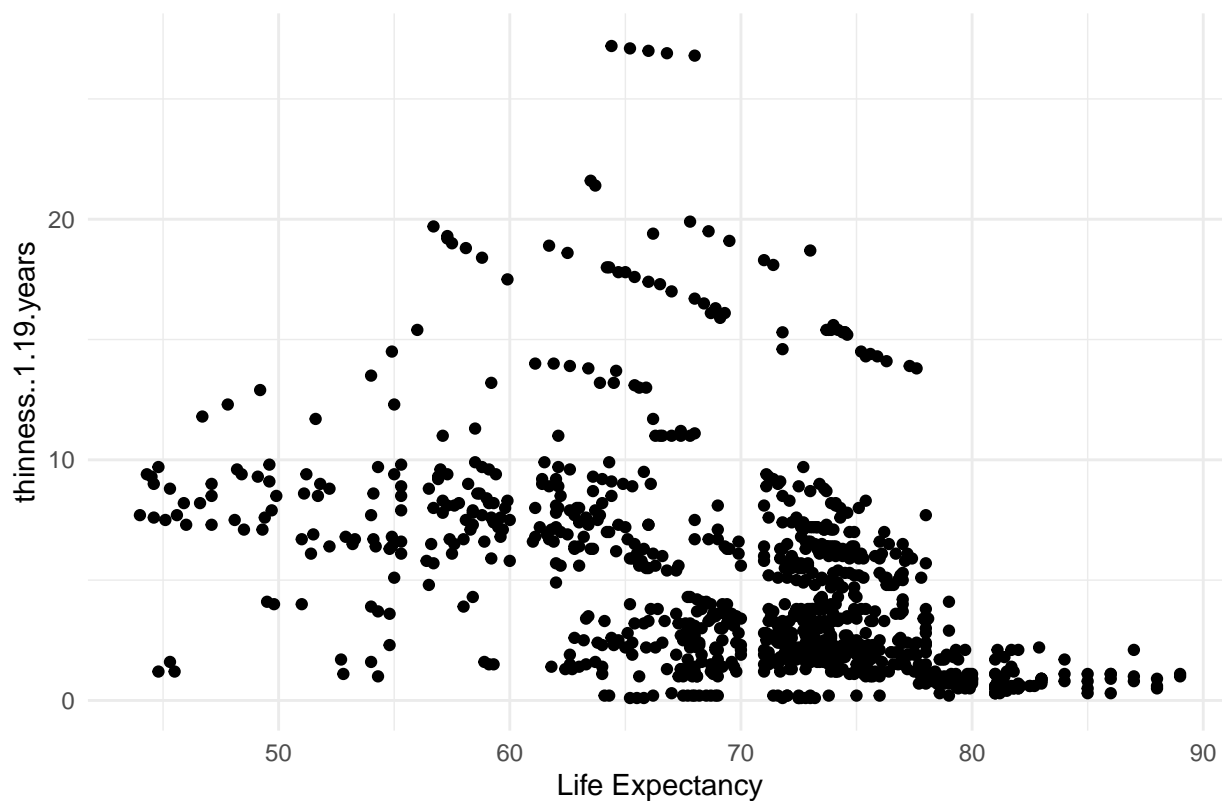


Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs HIV.AIDS

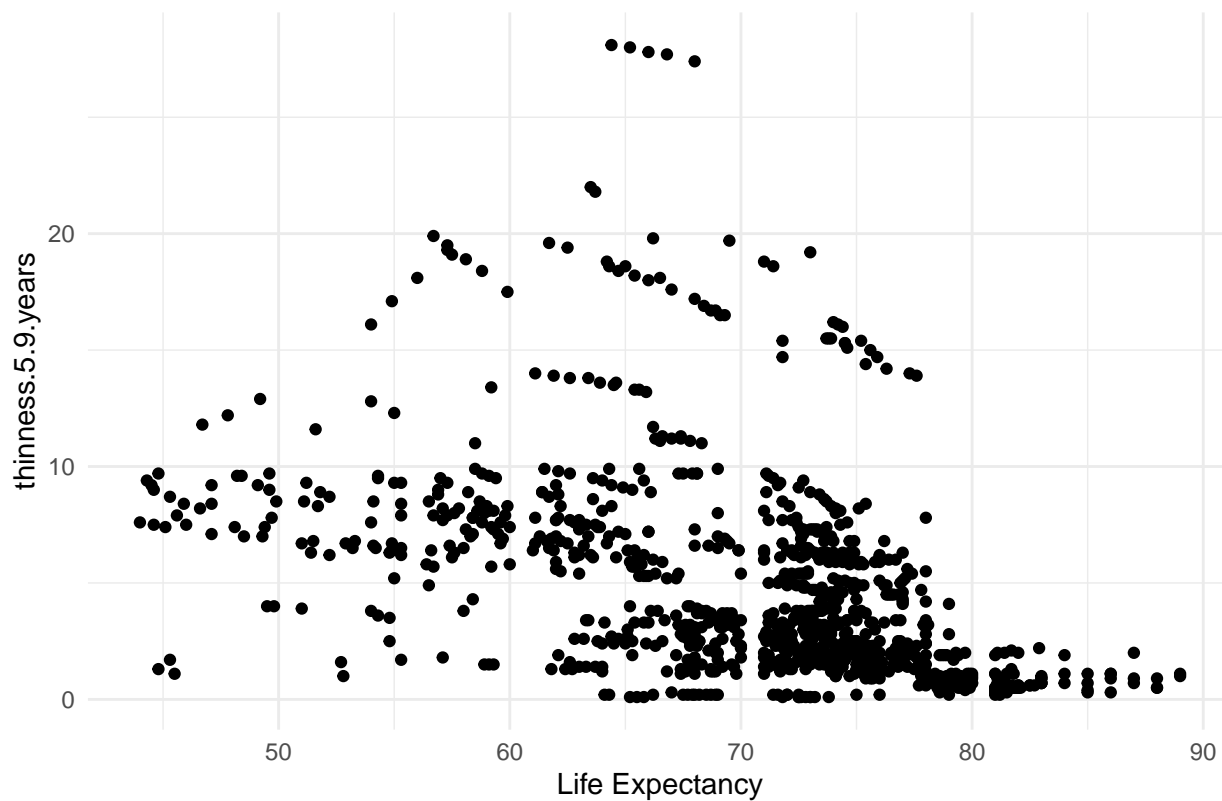




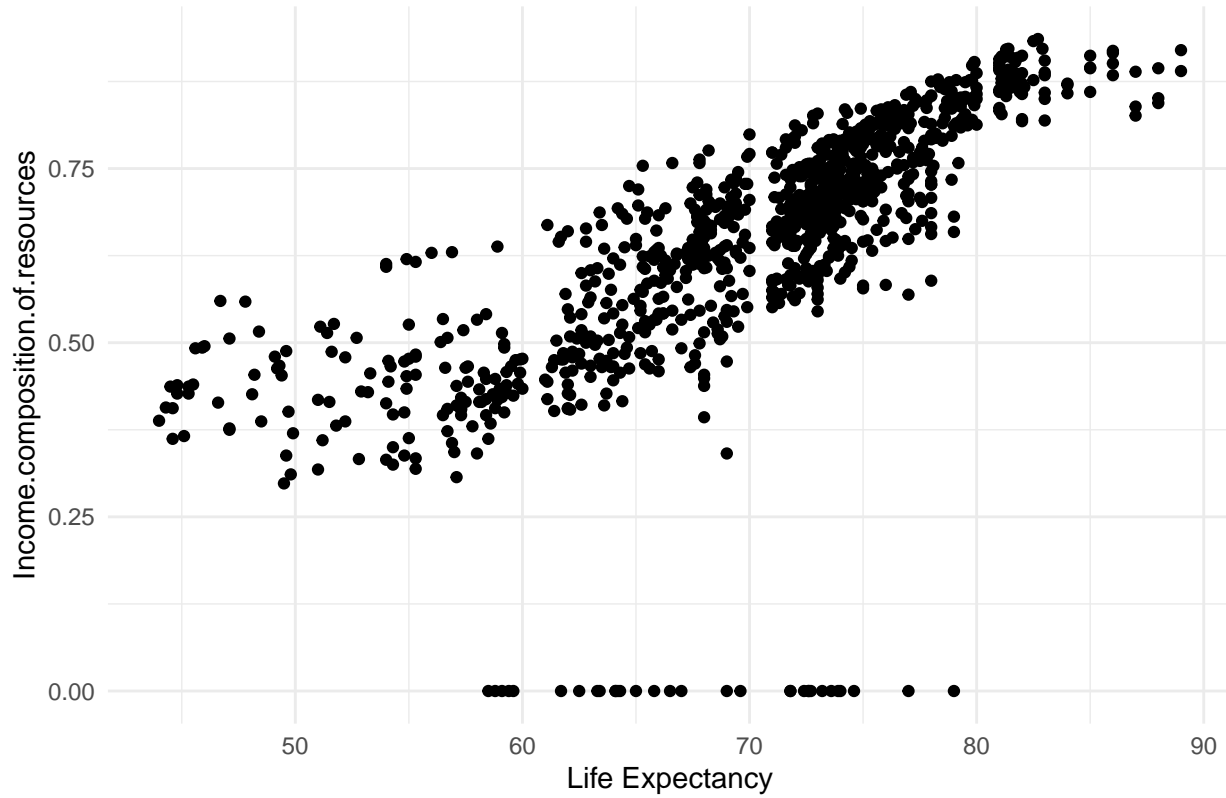
Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs thinness..1.19.years



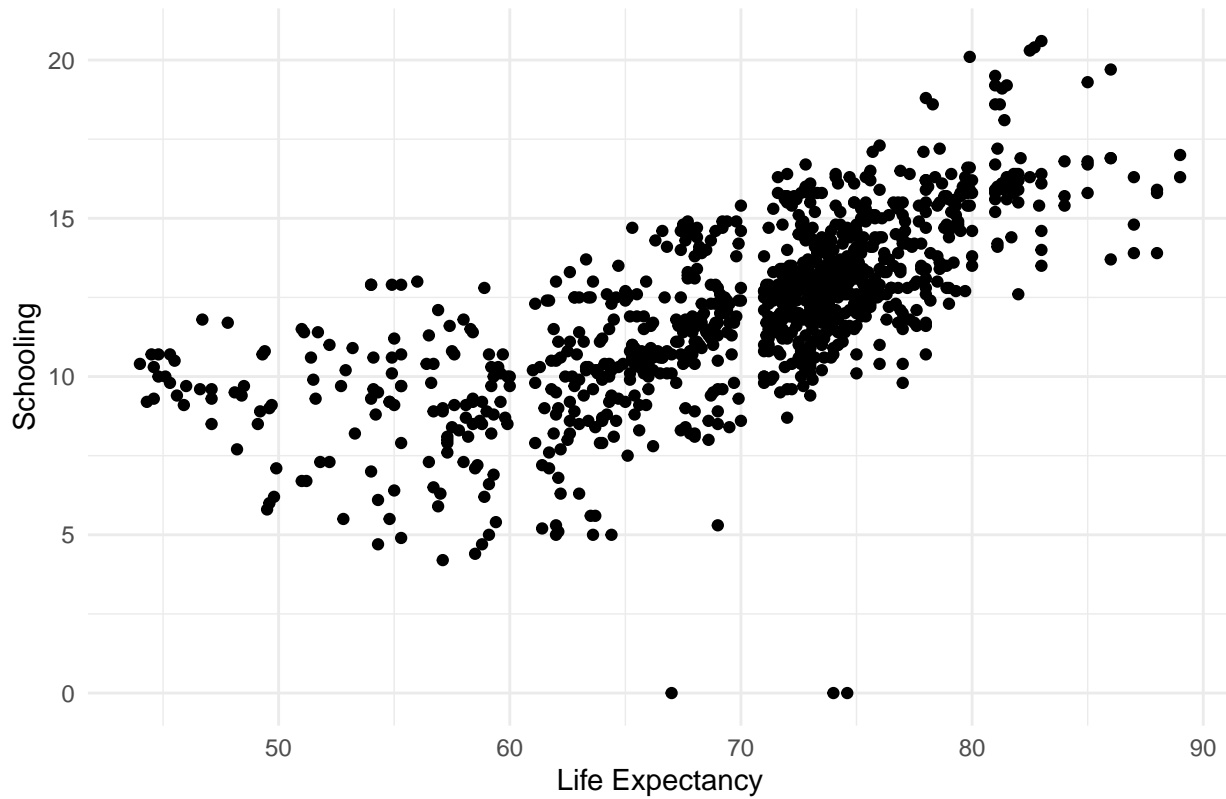
Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs thinness.5.9.years



Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Income.composition.of.resources

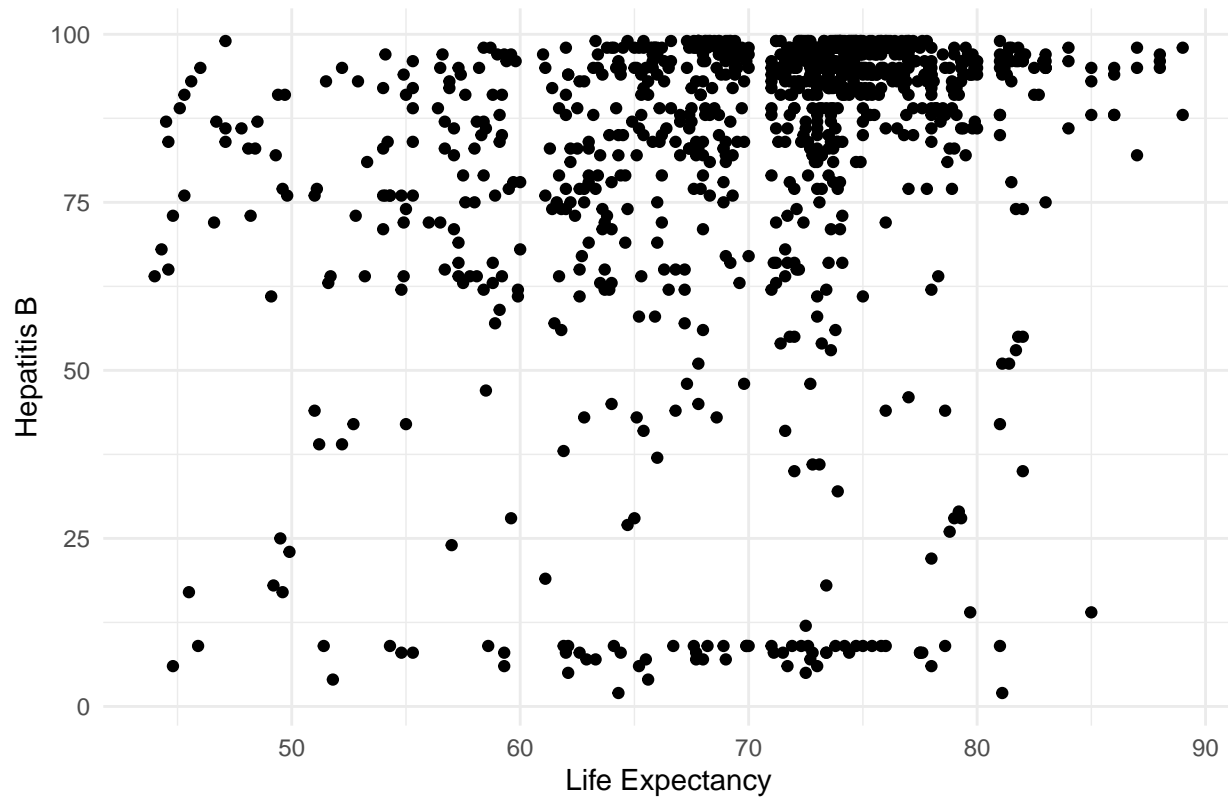


Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Schooling

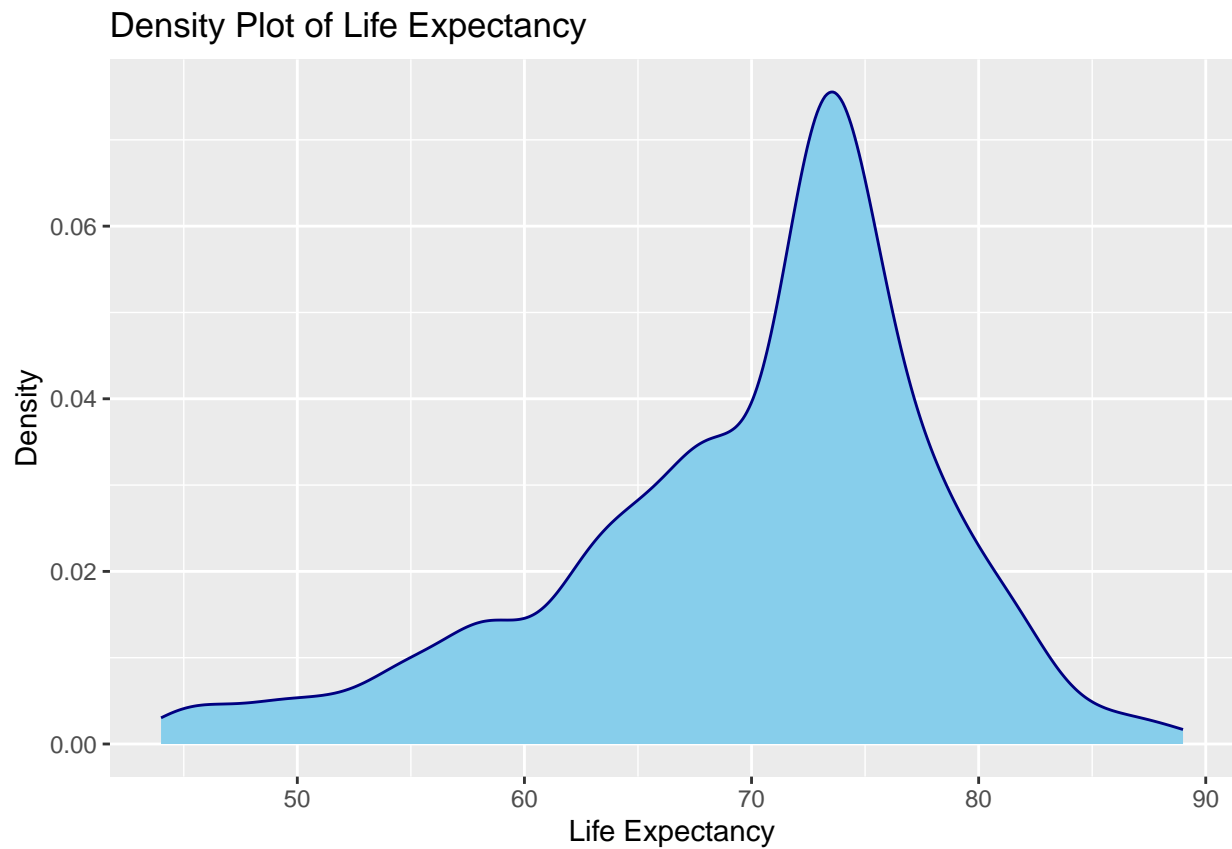




Scatter Plot of Life Expectancy vs Hepatitis B

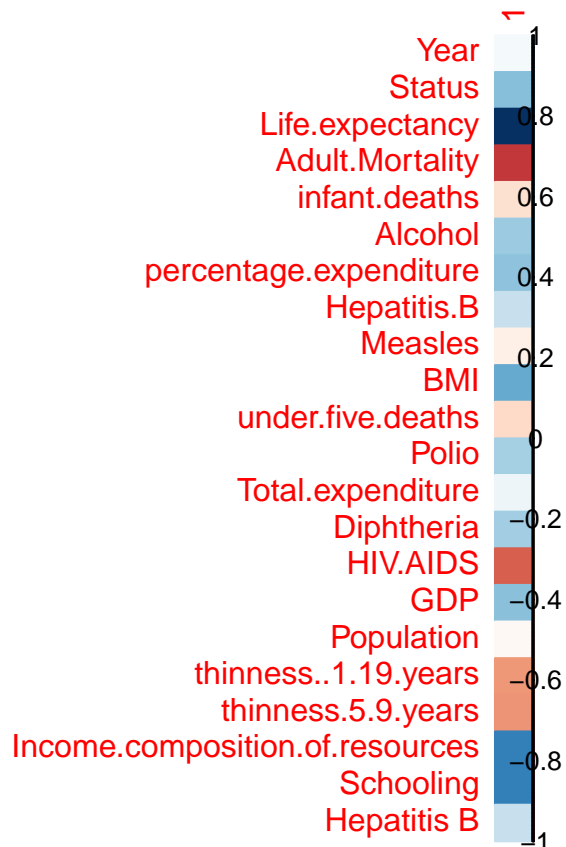


```
#density plot of life expectancy  
ggplot(Data, aes(x = Life.expectancy)) +  
  geom_density(fill = "skyblue", color = "navy") +  
  labs(title = "Density Plot of Life Expectancy",  
        x = "Life Expectancy",  
        y = "Density")
```



*#from prev plot we can see some predictors has a significant relationship with life.expectancy, pick the*  
*#Correlation*

```
correlation_with_life_expec <- cor(Data[, sapply(Data, is.numeric)],  
                                   Data$`Life.expectancy`,  
                                   use = "complete.obs")  
corrplot(correlation_with_life_expec, method = "color")
```



```
print(correlation_with_life_expec)
```

```
##          [,1]
## Year      0.04650044
## Status    0.42964462
## Life.expectancy 1.00000000
## Adult.Mortality -0.70801802
## infant.deaths -0.16822601
## Alcohol      0.36031347
## percentage.expenditure 0.40211144
## Hepatitis.B  0.22934594
## Measles     -0.08725120
## BMI         0.50551468
## under.five.deaths -0.19146114
## Polio       0.33442369
## Total.expenditure 0.07107883
## Diphtheria   0.34921733
## HIV.AIDS    -0.59698455
## GDP         0.41993874
## Population  -0.03040113
## thinness..1.19.years -0.43938934
## thinness.5.9.years -0.44125295
## Income.composition.of.resources 0.68606730
## Schooling    0.68846525
## Hepatitis B  0.22934594
```

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#select predictors with correlation abs value greater than 0.4
selected_columns <- names(correlation_with_life_expec[abs(correlation_with_life_expec[, 1]) > 0.4, 1])
print(selected_columns)

## [1] "Status" "Life.expectancy"
## [3] "Adult.Mortality" "percentage.expenditure"
## [5] "BMI" "HIV.AIDS"
## [7] "GDP" "thinness..1.19.years"
## [9] "thinness.5.9.years" "Income.composition.of.resources"
## [11] "Schooling"

#split train/test set, only remove unused columns
Data <- Data[, c(selected_columns)]
head(Data)

## Status Life.expectancy Adult.Mortality percentage.expenditure BMI HIV.AIDS
## 1 1 80.0 56 2159.756205 58.7 0.1
## 2 0 73.0 222 8.494095 59.3 0.1
## 3 0 75.3 14 0.000000 59.1 0.1
## 4 0 45.1 615 58.135833 15.5 23.4
## 5 0 67.0 185 0.000000 61.5 0.1
## 6 0 62.8 274 56.431387 38.5 0.1
## GDP thinness..1.19.years thinness.5.9.years
## 1 28951.15556 0.9 1.0
## 2 63.38877 2.0 2.2
## 3 1766.94760 2.2 2.2
## 4 274.22563 7.5 7.4
## 5 1766.94760 0.3 0.3
## 6 474.21334 2.6 2.6
## Income.composition.of.resources Schooling
## 1 0.850 13.8
## 2 0.780 15.5
## 3 0.741 12.9
## 4 0.366 10.0
## 5 0.000 0.0
## 6 0.582 8.9

train_indices <- sample(1:nrow(Data), 0.8 * nrow(Data))
train_data <- Data[train_indices, ]
test_data <- Data[-train_indices, ]

#write two helper function that helps evaluating our model:
#use prediction vs observation, MSE and R2 as main evaluator.
evaluate_model <- function(model) {
  #evaluation based on train set
  print(summary(model))
  print(anova(model))

  #residual plot
  plot(fitted(model), resid(model), col = "grey", pch = 20,
       xlab = "Fitted", ylab = "Residuals",
       main = paste("Residual Plot -", deparse(substitute(model))))
  abline(h = 0, col = "darkorange", lwd = 2)

  #BP test

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print(bptest(model))

#Normal Q-Q Plot
qqnorm(resid(model), main = paste("Normal QQ Plot -", deparse(substitute(model))), col = "darkgrey")
qqline(resid(model), col = "dodgerblue", lwd = 2)

#SW normality test
print(shapiro.test(resid(model)))

#MSE and R2
mse <- mean(resid(model)^2)
cat("Train Set MSE:", mse, "\n")
r_squared <- summary(model)$r.squared
cat("Train R-squared:", r_squared, "\n")
}

#evaluation for test set
evaluate_test <- function(model, test_data) {
  #predictions
  predictions <- predict(model, newdata = test_data)
  y = test_data$Life.expectancy
  y_hat = predictions
  SST = sum((y - mean(y)) ^ 2)
  SSR = sum((y_hat - mean(y)) ^ 2)
  SSE = sum((y - y_hat) ^ 2)
  R2 <- 1 - (SSE / SST)

  #calculate residual
  residuals <- test_data$Life.expectancy - predictions

  #MSE calculation
  mse <- mean(residuals^2, na.rm = TRUE)

  plot(test_data$Life.expectancy, y_hat, col = "blue", pch = 20,
       xlab = "Observed Life Expectancy", ylab = "Predicted Life Expectancy",
       main = "Test Set - Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy")
  abline(0, 1, col = "red", lwd = 2)

  #Print results
  cat("Test Set MSE:", mse, "\n")
  cat("Test R-squared:", R2, "\n")
}

#fit my first model - a multiple linear regression model with all predictors
model_base <- lm(Life.expectancy ~ ., data = train_data)
evaluate_model(model_base)

```

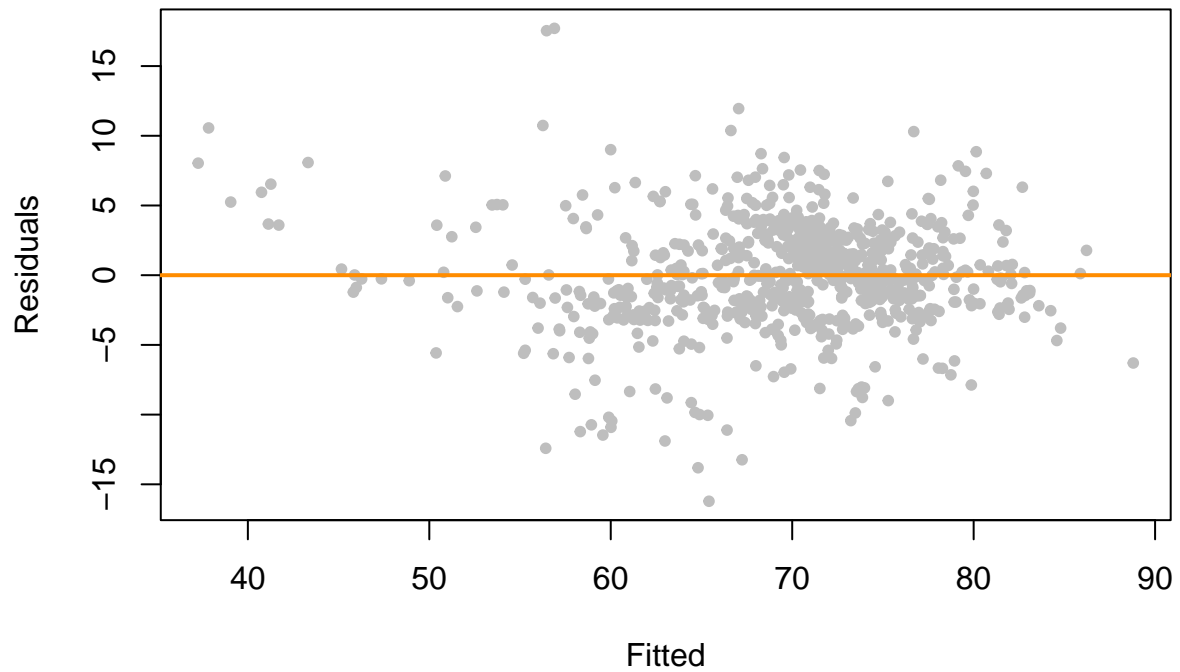
```

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Life.expectancy ~ ., data = train_data)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -16.2138  -2.0071  -0.0484   2.3017  17.7066

```

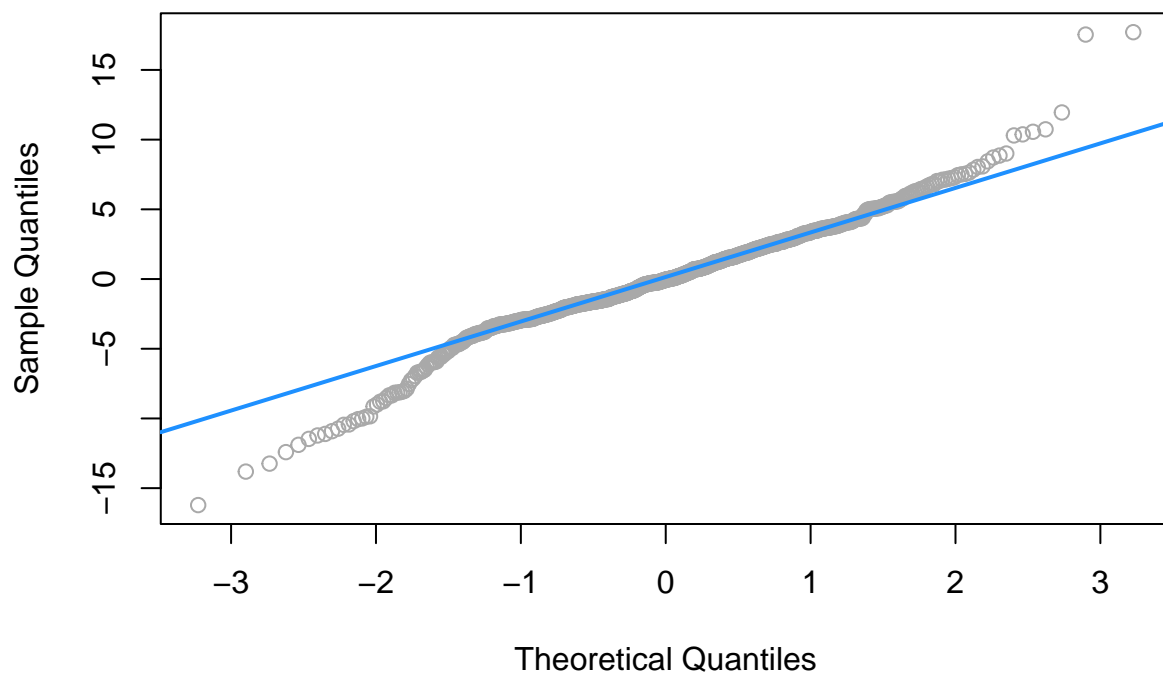
```
##
## Coefficients:
##               Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)    5.809e+01  9.378e-01  61.943 < 2e-16 ***
## Status         8.235e-01  4.952e-01   1.663 0.096700 .
## Adult.Mortality -1.937e-02  1.451e-03 -13.344 < 2e-16 ***
## percentage.expenditure 3.792e-04  2.050e-04   1.850 0.064704 .
## BMI            2.905e-02  8.751e-03   3.320 0.000942 ***
## HIV.AIDS       -4.546e-01  2.599e-02 -17.493 < 2e-16 ***
## GDP            2.458e-05  2.749e-05   0.894 0.371517
## thinness..1.19.years -2.276e-02  1.018e-01  -0.224 0.823060
## thinness.5.9.years  -7.571e-02  9.992e-02  -0.758 0.448843
## Income.composition.of.resources 7.641e+00  1.190e+00  6.422 2.32e-10 ***
## Schooling       7.893e-01  8.108e-02   9.736 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.792 on 789 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.794, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7914
## F-statistic: 304.1 on 10 and 789 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
##
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Life.expectancy
##               Df Sum Sq Mean Sq  F value    Pr(>F)
## Status         1  9792.6   9792.6  681.0483 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Adult.Mortality 1 19647.9 19647.9 1366.4573 < 2.2e-16 ***
## percentage.expenditure 1 1543.0 1543.0 107.3094 < 2.2e-16 ***
## BMI            1  2828.7  2828.7  196.7254 < 2.2e-16 ***
## HIV.AIDS       1  4504.1  4504.1  313.2473 < 2.2e-16 ***
## GDP            1    81.8    81.8    5.6856  0.01734 *
## thinness..1.19.years 1   515.3   515.3   35.8379 3.254e-09 ***
## thinness.5.9.years  1     3.4     3.4    0.2338  0.62882
## Income.composition.of.resources 1 3440.4 3440.4 239.2687 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Schooling       1 1362.9 1362.9  94.7845 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Residuals      789 11344.8   14.4
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

**Residual Plot – model\_base**



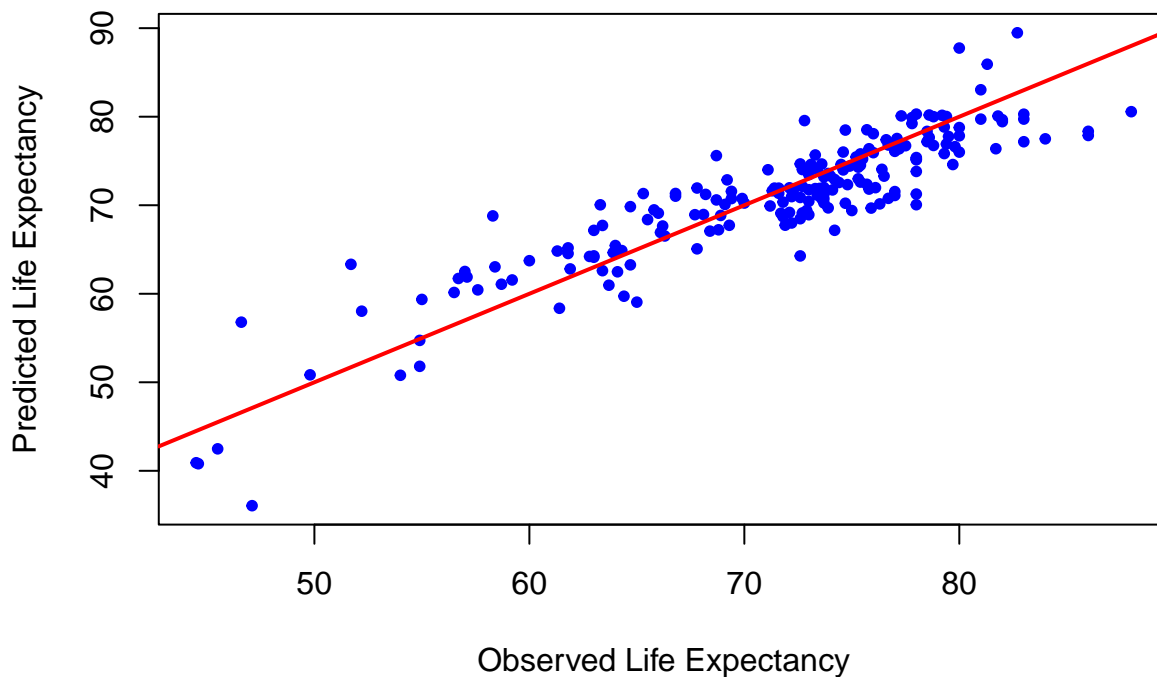
```
##  
## studentized Breusch-Pagan test  
##  
## data: model  
## BP = 121.11, df = 10, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

**Normal QQ Plot – model\_base**



```
##
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test
##
## data: resid(model)
## W = 0.97074, p-value = 1.418e-11
##
## Train Set MSE: 14.18098
## Train R-squared: 0.7939732
#calculate SST etc and R2 for test set
evaluate_test(model_base, test_data)
```

## Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
## Test Set MSE: 13.20732
## Test R-squared: 0.8091199
#the anova test shows there exist issue with predictors, so we do a VIF test
vif_value <- car::vif(model_base)
print(vif_value)
```

```
##              Status              Adult.Mortality
##              1.492273              1.627661
## percentage.expenditure              BMI
##              5.812907              1.700131
##              HIV.AIDS              GDP
##              1.348801              5.727922
## thinness..1.19.years thinness.5.9.years
##              11.565617              11.517557
## Income.composition.of.resources      Schooling
##              2.636653              2.785809
```

```
#hypothesis test for linearity between thiness 1.19 and thinness 5.9
#H0: non exist, H1: exist - p = 2.2e-16 < 0.05
```



```
colinear_model <- lm(thinness..1.19.years ~ thinness.5.9.years, data = train_data)
summary(colinear_model)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = thinness..1.19.years ~ thinness.5.9.years, data = train_data)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -10.6900  -0.1722  -0.0291   0.2536  17.2649
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      0.26171    0.06997   3.74 0.000197 ***
## thinness.5.9.years 0.93971    0.01033  90.92 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.331 on 798 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.912, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9119
## F-statistic: 8267 on 1 and 798 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

*#based on interpretation above, build next model, removing thinness 5.9*

```
model_VIF_reduced <- lm(Life.expectancy ~ Adult.Mortality + BMI + HIV.AIDS + GDP + thinness..1.19.years
                        Income.composition.of.resources + Schooling, data = train_data)
```

```
vif_value2 <- car::vif(model_VIF_reduced)
print(vif_value2)
```

```
##              Adult.Mortality              BMI
##              1.617241              1.676392
##              HIV.AIDS              GDP
##              1.346659              1.256854
## thinness..1.19.years Income.composition.of.resources
##              1.511341              2.622933
##              Schooling
##              2.662509
```

*#this passes VIF test, so we*

```
train_data <- train_data[, !colnames(train_data) %in% c('thinness.5.9.years')]
test_data <- test_data[, !colnames(test_data) %in% c('thinness.5.9.years')]
head(train_data)
```

```
##      Status Life.expectancy Adult.Mortality percentage.expenditure BMI HIV.AIDS
## 962      0          58.9          413          123.75334 47.9      8.5
## 918      0          65.2           28          162.29037 74.6      0.1
## 145      0          74.1          126          43.08717 51.8      0.1
## 645      0          68.3          183          119.45712 4.7       0.2
## 627      1          81.7           57          10947.02327 58.1      0.1
## 335      0          74.0           86          2009.57560 68.4      0.1
##
##      GDP thinness..1.19.years Income.composition.of.resources Schooling
## 962  849.9542              6.6              0.638      12.8
## 918 1297.2851              0.1              0.576      11.9
## 145  495.2549              6.0              0.697      12.6
## 645 1377.8214              3.0              0.657      11.9
```

```
## 627 57134.7770          1.4          0.903      15.8
## 335 38497.6170          3.3          0.790      13.5
```

```
head(test_data)
```

```
##      Status Life.expectancy Adult.Mortality percentage.expenditure BMI HIV.AIDS
## 2      0          73.0          222          8.494095 59.3      0.1
## 3      0          75.3          14          0.000000 59.1      0.1
## 8      0          82.0          94          5291.234786 57.0      0.1
## 15     0          75.0          153          345.339056 47.4      0.1
## 21     0          65.8          21          11.136087 26.2      0.9
## 24     0          72.6          122          4.409153 28.2      0.3
##      GDP thinness..1.19.years Income.composition.of.resources Schooling
## 2      63.38877          2.0          0.780      15.5
## 3      1766.94760          2.2          0.741      12.9
## 8      33874.74255          0.6          0.857      15.5
## 15     2697.96137          1.5          0.582      10.7
## 21     199.57146          6.3          0.533      10.1
## 24     367.42945          7.3          0.632      13.1
```

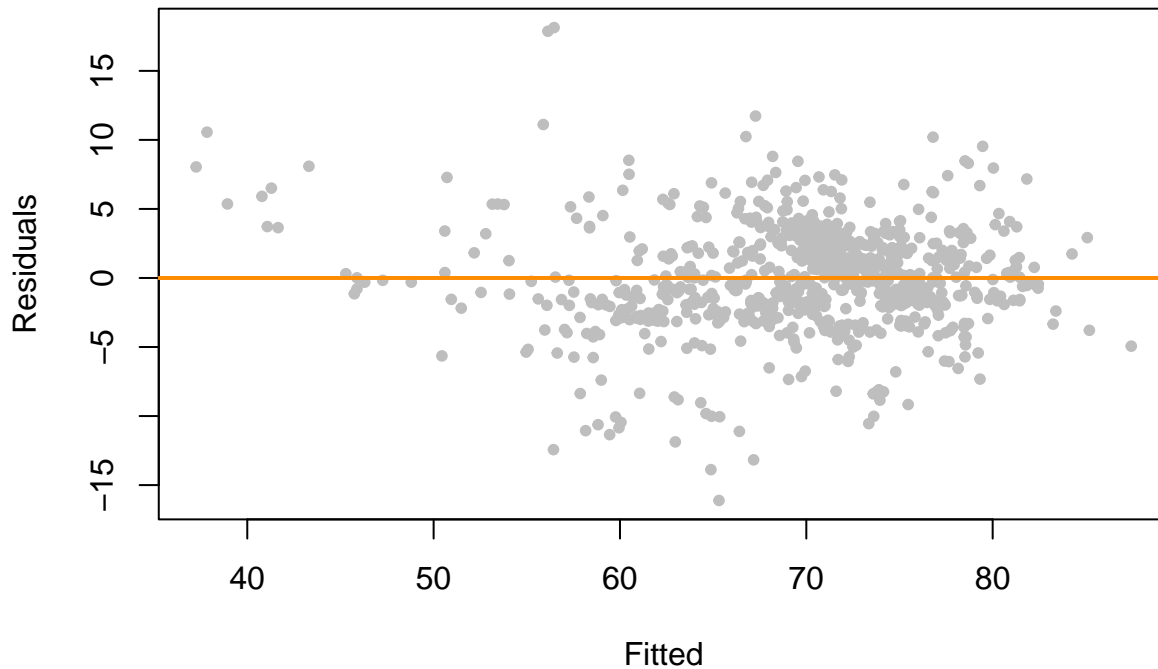
```
#evaluate this model:
```

```
evaluate_model(model_VIF_reduced)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Life.expectancy ~ Adult.Mortality + BMI + HIV.AIDS +
##      GDP + thinness..1.19.years + Income.composition.of.resources +
##      Schooling, data = train_data)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -16.1132  -1.9794  -0.0096   2.2351  18.1348
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)    5.773e+01  9.294e-01  62.113 < 2e-16 ***
## Adult.Mortality -1.951e-02  1.452e-03 -13.443 < 2e-16 ***
## BMI            2.778e-02  8.719e-03   3.186  0.00150 **
## HIV.AIDS       -4.533e-01  2.606e-02 -17.396 < 2e-16 ***
## GDP            7.654e-05  1.292e-05   5.924  4.70e-09 ***
## thinness..1.19.years -1.059e-01  3.691e-02 -2.870  0.00421 **
## Income.composition.of.resources 7.627e+00  1.191e+00  6.405  2.57e-10 ***
## Schooling      8.317e-01  7.953e-02  10.458 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.805 on 792 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7918, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7899
## F-statistic: 430.2 on 7 and 792 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
##
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Life.expectancy
##              Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value    Pr(>F)
## Adult.Mortality  1 26244.3 26244.3 1812.834 < 2.2e-16 ***
## BMI              1  4478.3  4478.3  309.343 < 2.2e-16 ***
```

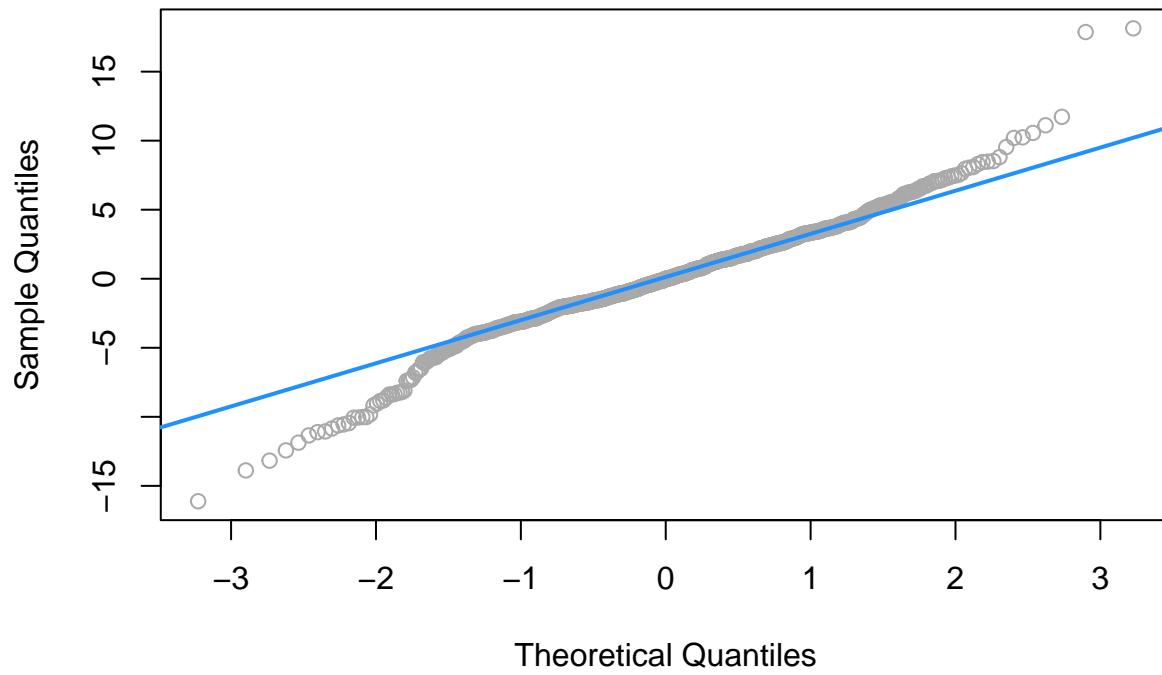
```
## HIV.AIDS          1  4056.4  4056.4  280.197 < 2.2e-16 ***
## GDP               1  2422.9  2422.9  167.363 < 2.2e-16 ***
## thinness..1.19.years 1   812.4   812.4   56.119 1.824e-13 ***
## Income.composition.of.resources 1 4001.3 4001.3 276.393 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Schooling         1  1583.3  1583.3  109.365 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Residuals        792 11465.7   14.5
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

### Residual Plot – model\_VIF\_reduced



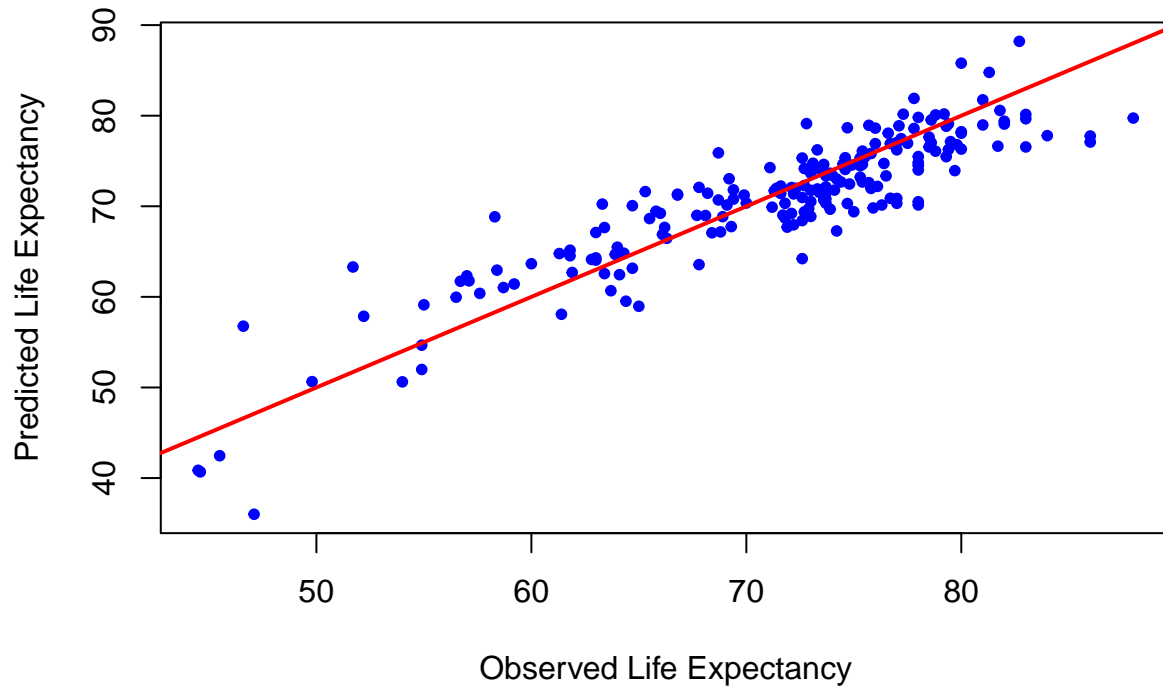
```
##
## studentized Breusch-Pagan test
##
## data: model
## BP = 111.86, df = 7, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

### Normal QQ Plot – model\_VIF\_reduced



```
##  
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test  
##  
## data: resid(model)  
## W = 0.9716, p-value = 2.334e-11  
##  
## Train Set MSE: 14.33215  
## Train R-squared: 0.791777  
evaluate_test(model_VIF_reduced, test_data)
```

## Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy

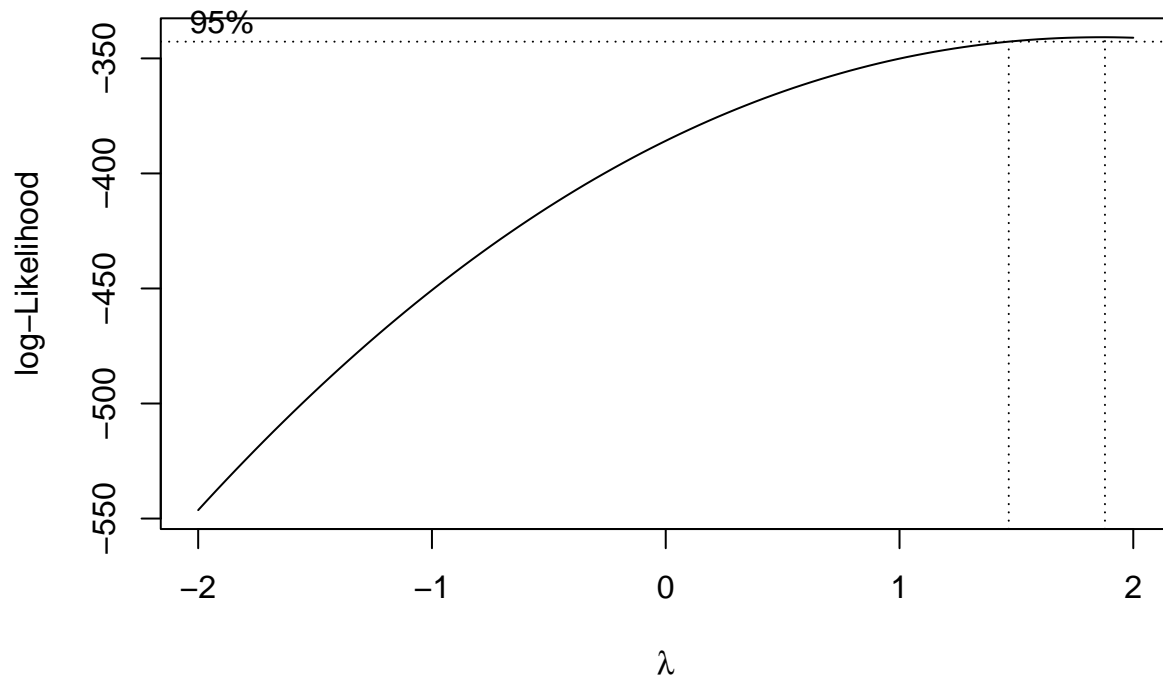


```
## Test Set MSE: 13.54154
```

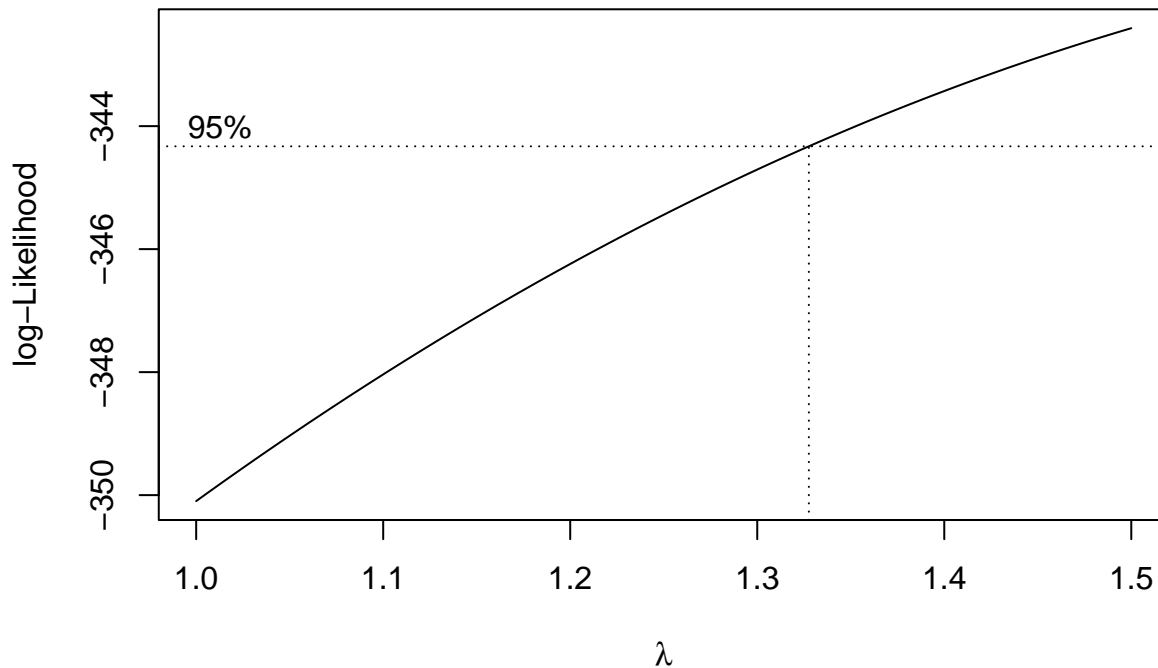
```
## Test R-squared: 0.8042896
```

```
#do a box plot to see if we should shift y values:
```

```
boxcox_result <- boxcox(model_VIF_reduced, plotit = TRUE)
```



```
boxcox(model_VIF_reduced, lambda <- seq(1, 1.5, by = 0.05), plotit = TRUE)
```



```
#from the plot, use l = 0.5
model_y_shift <- lm((((Life.expectancy ^ 1.3) - 1) / 1.3) ~ ., data = train_data)
evaluate_model(model_y_shift)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = (((Life.expectancy^1.3) - 1)/1.3) ~ ., data = train_data)
##
## Residuals:
```

|  | Min     | 1Q     | Median | 3Q    | Max    |
|--|---------|--------|--------|-------|--------|
|  | -55.232 | -7.225 | -0.285 | 8.256 | 62.546 |

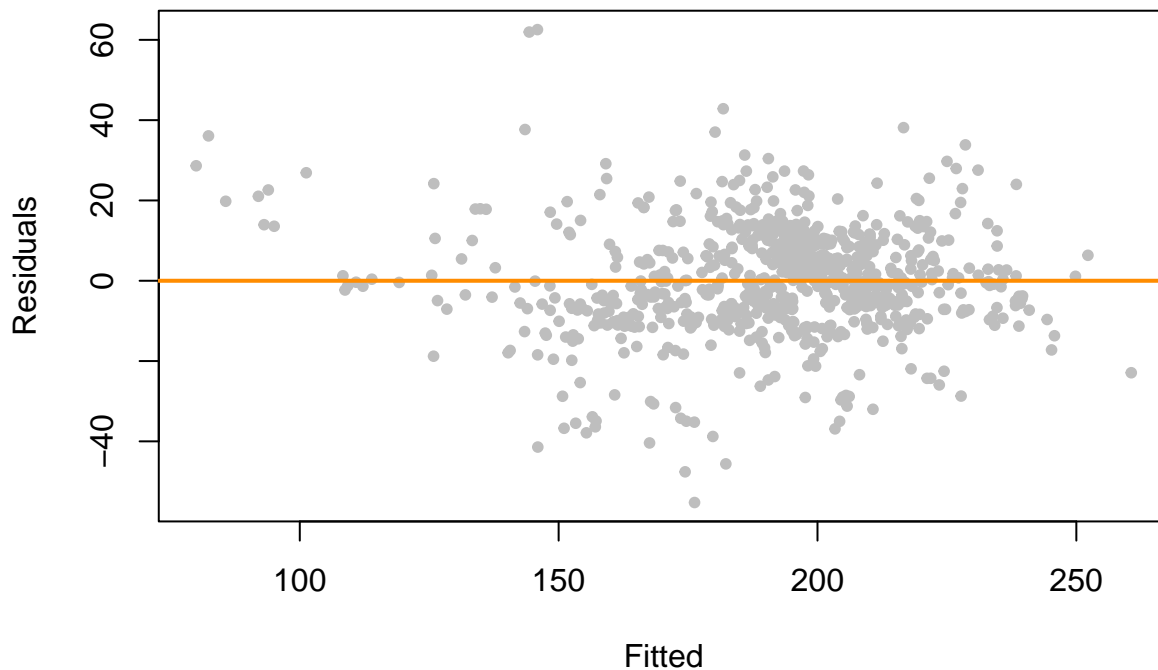
```
##
## Coefficients:
```

|                                 | Estimate   | Std. Error | t value | Pr(> t )     |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|---------|--------------|
| (Intercept)                     | 1.498e+02  | 3.309e+00  | 45.277  | < 2e-16 ***  |
| Status                          | 3.524e+00  | 1.749e+00  | 2.014   | 0.044327 *   |
| Adult.Mortality                 | -6.795e-02 | 5.128e-03  | -13.251 | < 2e-16 ***  |
| percentage.expenditure          | 1.457e-03  | 7.243e-04  | 2.011   | 0.044619 *   |
| BMI                             | 1.033e-01  | 3.080e-02  | 3.354   | 0.000834 *** |
| HIV.AIDS                        | -1.527e+00 | 9.181e-02  | -16.629 | < 2e-16 ***  |
| GDP                             | 8.983e-05  | 9.712e-05  | 0.925   | 0.355308     |
| thinness..1.19.years            | -3.401e-01 | 1.309e-01  | -2.599  | 0.009514 **  |
| Income.composition.of.resources | 2.688e+01  | 4.204e+00  | 6.393   | 2.78e-10 *** |
| Schooling                       | 2.795e+00  | 2.865e-01  | 9.757   | < 2e-16 ***  |

```
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 13.4 on 790 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7915, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7891
## F-statistic: 333.2 on 9 and 790 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
##
```

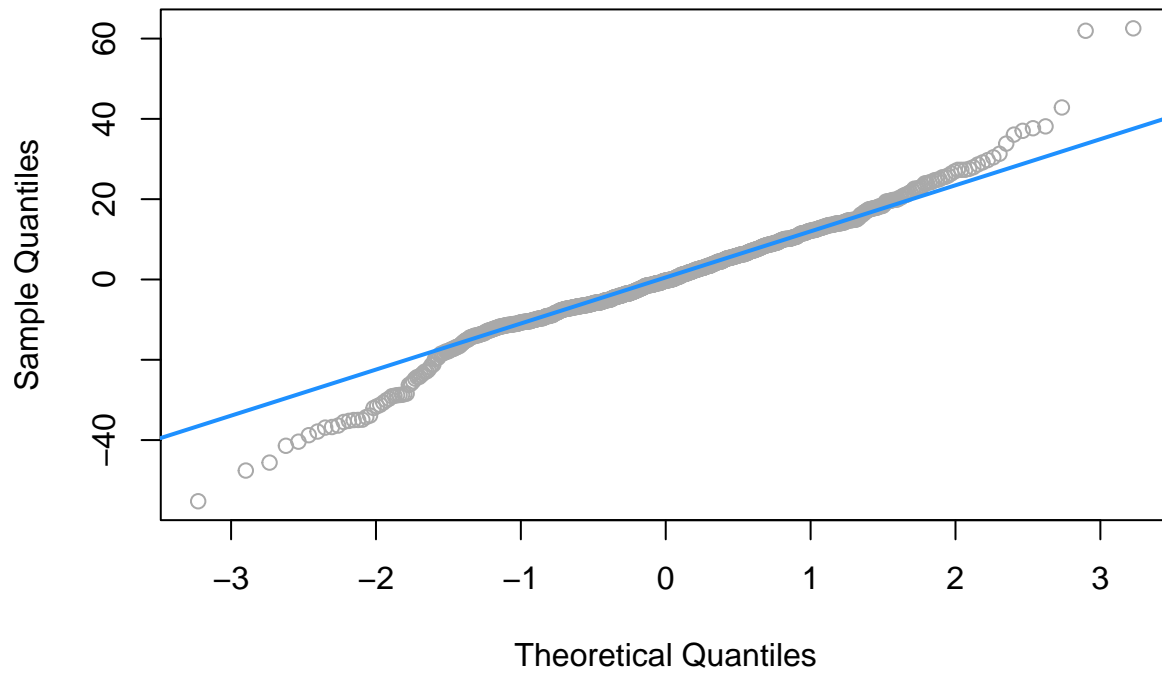
```
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: (((Life.expectancy^1.3) - 1)/1.3)
##
##           Df Sum Sq Mean Sq  F value    Pr(>F)
## Status      1 126740   126740   705.9649 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Adult.Mortality 1 237693   237693 1323.9894 < 2.2e-16 ***
## percentage.expenditure 1 20822    20822  115.9819 < 2.2e-16 ***
## BMI          1  34909    34909   194.4498 < 2.2e-16 ***
## HIV.AIDS     1  50714    50714   282.4858 < 2.2e-16 ***
## GDP          1   1033     1033    5.7543   0.01668 *
## thinness..1.19.years 1   6538     6538   36.4185 2.446e-09 ***
## Income.composition.of.resources 1 42852   42852  238.6912 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Schooling    1 17091    17091   95.1981 < 2.2e-16 ***
## Residuals    790 141827     180
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

### Residual Plot – model\_y\_shift



```
##
## studentized Breusch-Pagan test
##
## data: model
## BP = 117.28, df = 9, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

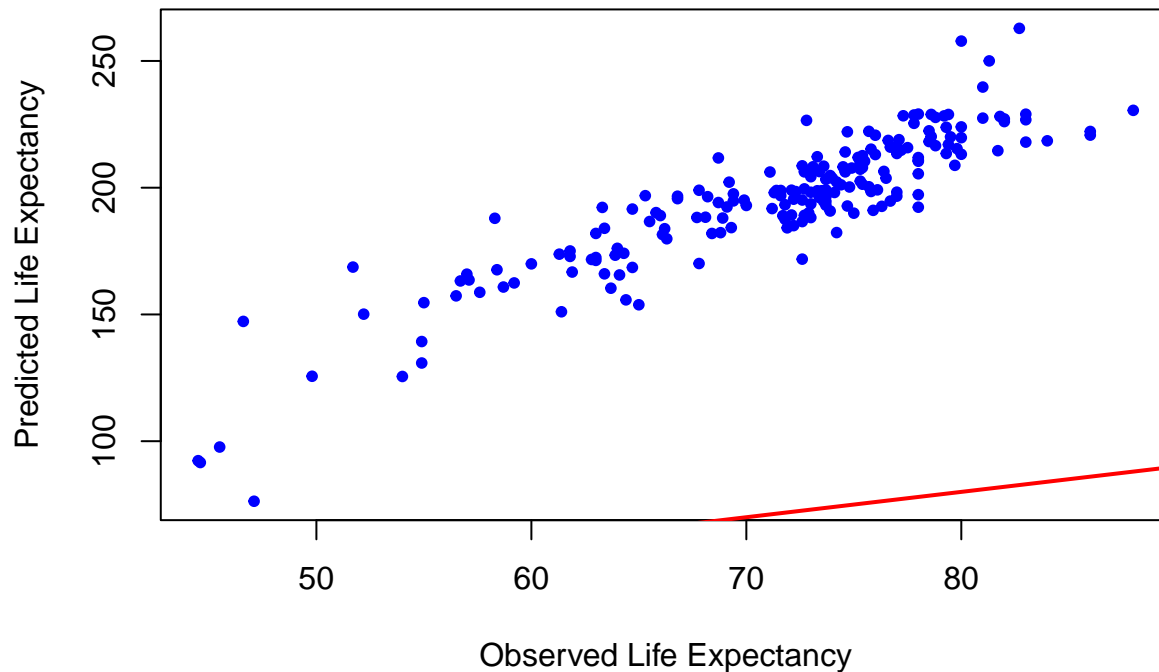
## Normal QQ Plot – model\_y\_shift



```
##  
##  Shapiro-Wilk normality test  
##  
## data:  resid(model)  
## W = 0.97474, p-value = 1.549e-10  
##  
## Train Set MSE: 177.2838  
## Train R-squared: 0.7914981  
evaluate_test(model_y_shift, test_data)
```



## Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
## Test Set MSE: 15761.39
## Test R-squared: -226.7931
```

*#from the catastrofic result we can see that including 1.3 shift is not a good idea.  
#here comes our next model with multiplying categorical variable*

```
model_categorical <- lm(Life.expectancy ~ Status + Adult.Mortality + BMI + HIV.AIDS + GDP + thinness..1.19.years +
  + Income.composition.of.resources + Schooling + I(Adult.Mortality*Status) + I(BMI*Status) + I(HIV.AIDS*Status) + I(GDP*Status) + I(thinness..1.19.years*Status) + I(Income.composition.of.resources*Status) + I(Schooling*Status),
  data = train_data)

evaluate_model(model_categorical)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = Life.expectancy ~ Status + Adult.Mortality + BMI +
##     HIV.AIDS + GDP + thinness..1.19.years + Income.composition.of.resources +
##     Schooling + I(Adult.Mortality * Status) + I(BMI * Status) +
##     I(HIV.AIDS * Status) + I(GDP * Status) + I(thinness..1.19.years *
##     Status) + I(Income.composition.of.resources * Status) + I(Schooling *
##     Status), data = train_data)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -16.2685  -1.9277  -0.1131   2.1881  18.0149
##
## Coefficients: (1 not defined because of singularities)
##              Estimate Std. Error t value
## (Intercept)   5.755e+01  9.483e-01  60.685
## Status       -1.683e+01  9.852e+00  -1.708
```

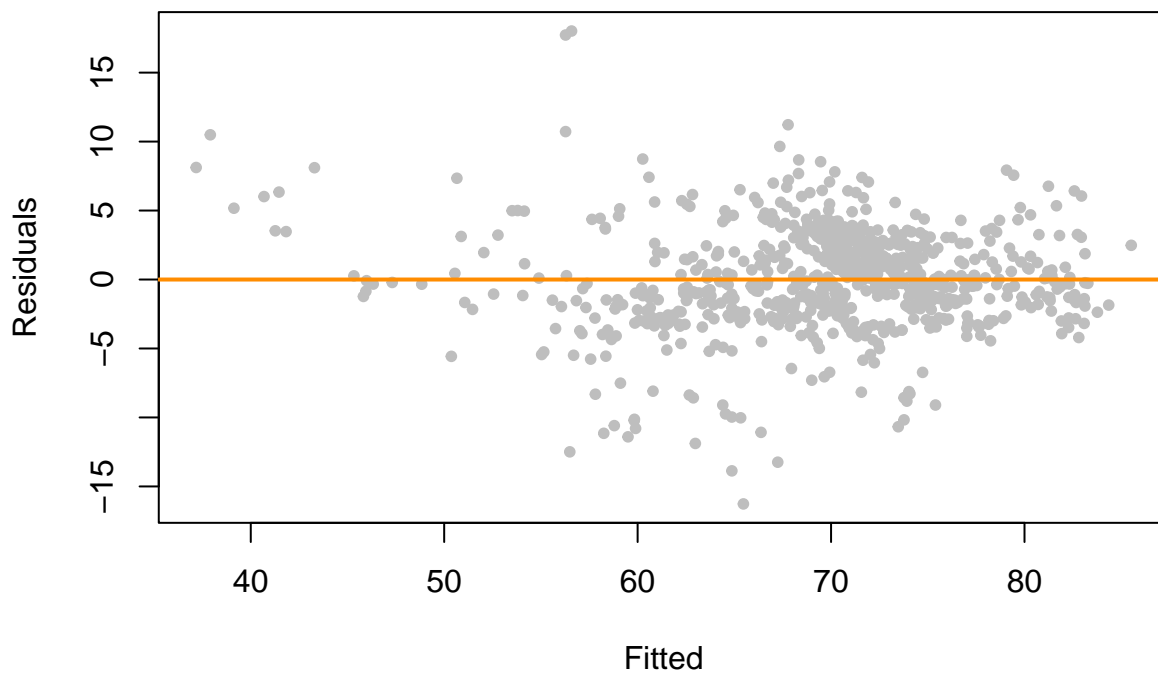
```

## Adult.Mortality      -1.952e-02  1.438e-03 -13.578
## BMI                  3.748e-02  9.304e-03  4.029
## HIV.AIDS            -4.523e-01  2.544e-02 -17.777
## GDP                  5.758e-05  1.843e-05  3.123
## thinness..1.19.years -7.252e-02  3.668e-02 -1.977
## Income.composition.of.resources 6.645e+00 1.181e+00 5.627
## Schooling            8.508e-01  8.360e-02 10.177
## I(Adult.Mortality * Status) 1.846e-02 8.592e-03 2.148
## I(BMI * Status)       -4.749e-02  2.417e-02 -1.965
## I(HIV.AIDS * Status)      NA          NA      NA
## I(GDP * Status)       -3.722e-05  2.892e-05 -1.287
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) -1.758e+00 6.179e-01 -2.845
## I(Income.composition.of.resources * Status) 5.058e+01 1.335e+01 3.788
## I(Schooling * Status)  -1.308e+00 3.049e-01 -4.289
## Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)          < 2e-16 ***
## Status                0.088005 .
## Adult.Mortality       < 2e-16 ***
## BMI                   6.15e-05 ***
## HIV.AIDS              < 2e-16 ***
## GDP                   0.001855 **
## thinness..1.19.years 0.048399 *
## Income.composition.of.resources 2.55e-08 ***
## Schooling             < 2e-16 ***
## I(Adult.Mortality * Status) 0.031995 *
## I(BMI * Status)       0.049738 *
## I(HIV.AIDS * Status)      NA
## I(GDP * Status)       0.198520
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) 0.004562 **
## I(Income.composition.of.resources * Status) 0.000163 ***
## I(Schooling * Status)   2.02e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.7 on 785 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.8049, Adjusted R-squared:  0.8014
## F-statistic: 231.3 on 14 and 785 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
##
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Life.expectancy
##
##              Df  Sum Sq Mean Sq  F value
## Status        1  9792.6  9792.6  715.4108
## Adult.Mortality 1 19647.9 19647.9 1435.4024
## BMI            1  3331.0  3331.0  243.3494
## HIV.AIDS       1  4339.4  4339.4  317.0206
## GDP            1  1212.3  1212.3   88.5671
## thinness..1.19.years 1  533.2   533.2   38.9557
## Income.composition.of.resources 1 3411.0 3411.0  249.1967
## Schooling      1 1395.2 1395.2 101.9294
## I(Adult.Mortality * Status) 1   17.1   17.1   1.2465
## I(BMI * Status) 1   42.2   42.2   3.0796
## I(GDP * Status) 1   14.6   14.6   1.0641
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) 1  302.1  302.1  22.0693

```

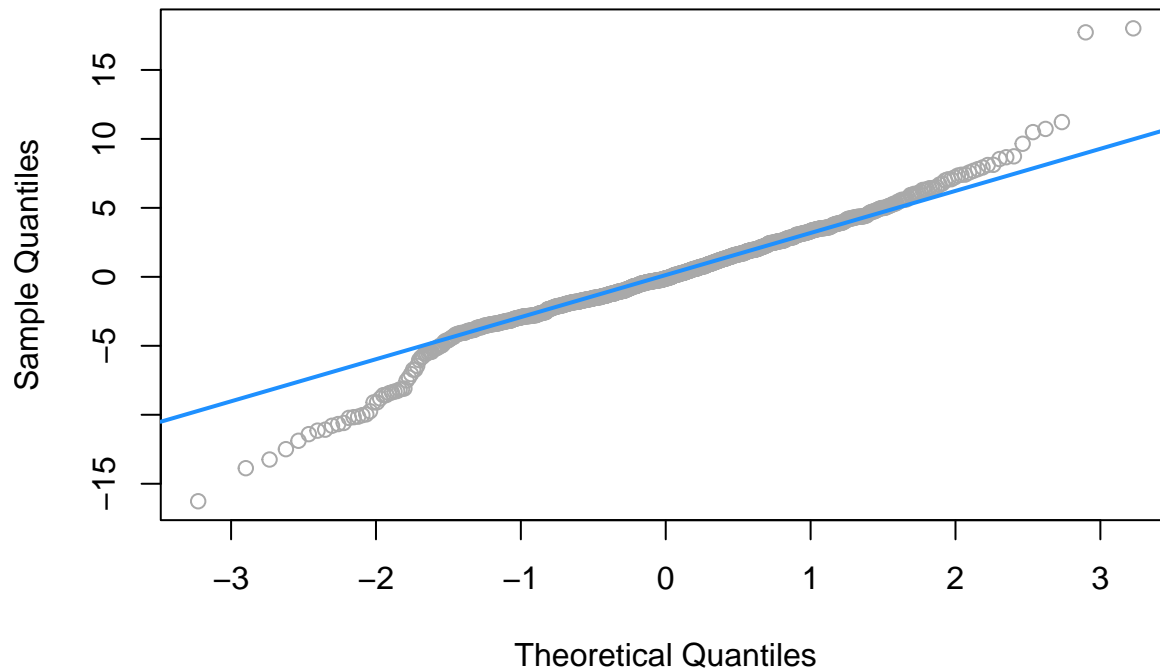
```
## I(Income.composition.of.resources * Status) 1 29.2 29.2 2.1344
## I(Schooling * Status) 1 251.8 251.8 18.3956
## Residuals 785 10745.1 13.7
## Pr(>F)
## Status < 2.2e-16 ***
## Adult.Mortality < 2.2e-16 ***
## BMI < 2.2e-16 ***
## HIV.AIDS < 2.2e-16 ***
## GDP < 2.2e-16 ***
## thinness..1.19.years 7.090e-10 ***
## Income.composition.of.resources < 2.2e-16 ***
## Schooling < 2.2e-16 ***
## I(Adult.Mortality * Status) 0.26455
## I(BMI * Status) 0.07967 .
## I(GDP * Status) 0.30260
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) 3.104e-06 ***
## I(Income.composition.of.resources * Status) 0.14443
## I(Schooling * Status) 2.018e-05 ***
## Residuals
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

### Residual Plot – model\_categorial



```
##
## studentized Breusch-Pagan test
##
## data: model
## BP = 127.42, df = 14, p-value < 2.2e-16
```

## Normal QQ Plot – model\_categorial

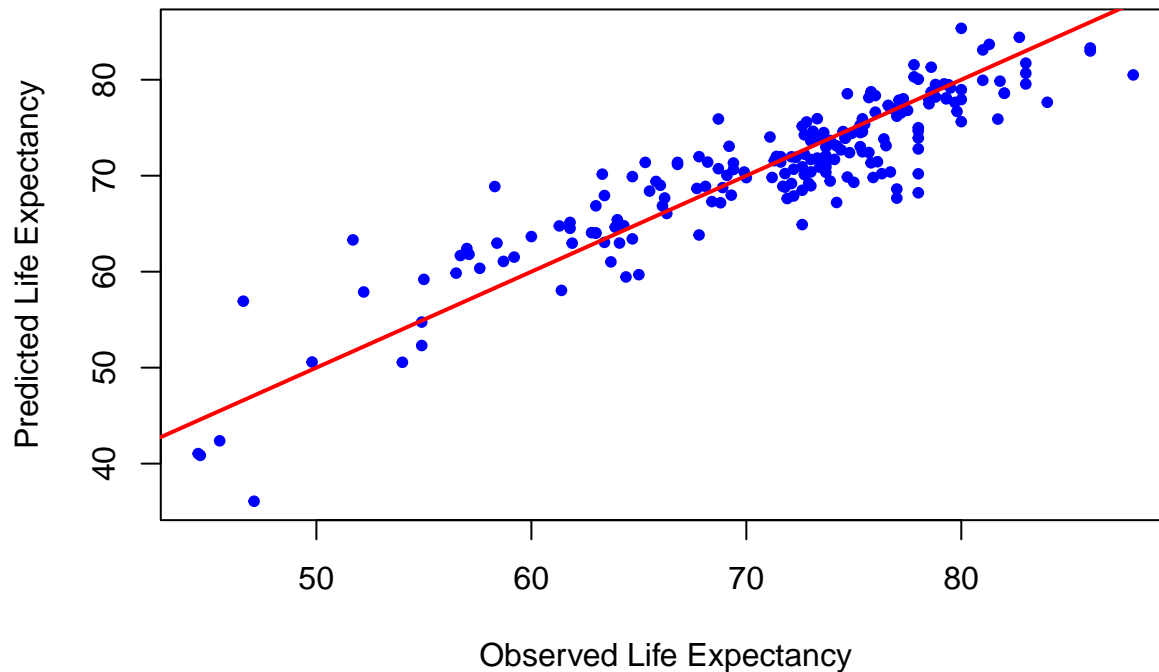


```
##  
## Shapiro-Wilk normality test  
##  
## data: resid(model)  
## W = 0.96504, p-value = 6.644e-13  
##  
## Train Set MSE: 13.43141  
## Train R-squared: 0.8048633
```

```
evaluate_test(model_categorial, test_data)
```

```
## Warning in predict.lm(model, newdata = test_data): prediction from  
## rank-deficient fit; attr(*, "non-estim") has doubtful cases
```

## Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
## Test Set MSE: 12.68117
## Test R-squared: 0.8167241
```

```
#anova(model_categorical)
```

```
#model quadratic: removed predictors with high anova pr, and added quadratic form
```

```
model_quadratic <- lm(Life.expectancy ~ Status + Adult.Mortality + BMI + HIV.AIDS + GDP
+ thinness..1.19.years + Income.composition.of.resources + Schooling + I(Adult.Mo.
+ I(BMI^2) + I(HIV.AIDS^2) + I(GDP^2) + I(thinness..1.19.years^2)
+ I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) + I(Schooling^2) + I(thinness..1.19.years*
+ I(Schooling*Status), data = train_data)
evaluate_model(model_quadratic)
```

```
##
```

```
## Call:
```

```
## lm(formula = Life.expectancy ~ Status + Adult.Mortality + BMI +
## HIV.AIDS + GDP + thinness..1.19.years + Income.composition.of.resources +
## Schooling + I(Adult.Mortality^2) + I(BMI^2) + I(HIV.AIDS^2) +
## I(GDP^2) + I(thinness..1.19.years^2) + I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) +
## I(Schooling^2) + I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) + I(Schooling *
## Status), data = train_data)
##
```

```
## Residuals:
```

```
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -12.2427  -1.8701  -0.1095   1.9015  11.5569
##
```

```
## Coefficients:
```

```
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  6.471e+01  1.473e+00  43.925  < 2e-16 ***
## Status      7.676e+00  4.260e+00   1.802  0.071957 .
```

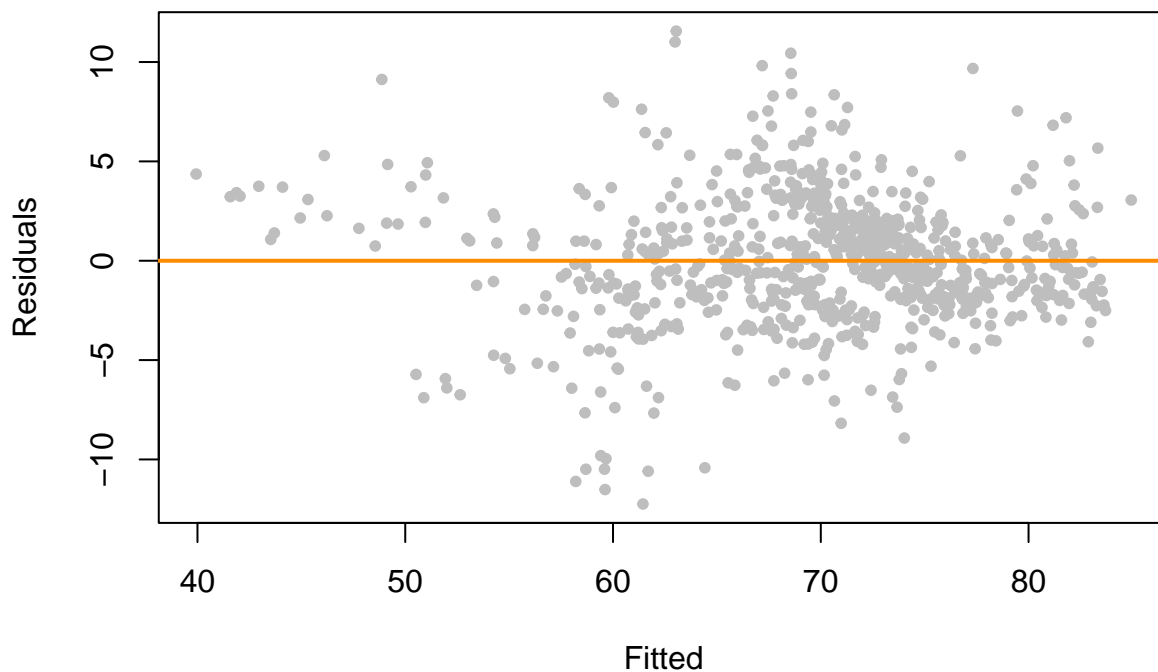
```

## Adult.Mortality          -9.801e-03  2.886e-03  -3.396  0.000719 ***
## BMI                      4.457e-02  2.672e-02   1.668  0.095728 .
## HIV.AIDS                 -8.328e-01  8.242e-02 -10.104  < 2e-16 ***
## GDP                      -1.944e-05  2.617e-05  -0.743  0.457787
## thinness..1.19.years    -2.240e-01  8.077e-02  -2.773  0.005689 **
## Income.composition.of.resources -2.798e+01  3.100e+00  -9.026  < 2e-16 ***
## Schooling                7.659e-01  2.739e-01   2.797  0.005289 **
## I(Adult.Mortality^2)     -5.313e-06  6.372e-06  -0.834  0.404634
## I(BMI^2)                 -5.798e-04  3.851e-04  -1.505  0.132638
## I(HIV.AIDS^2)            1.101e-02  1.769e-03   6.223  7.94e-10 ***
## I(GDP^2)                 2.746e-10  3.675e-10   0.747  0.455136
## I(thinness..1.19.years^2) 7.679e-03  3.710e-03   2.070  0.038781 *
## I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) 4.683e+01  3.881e+00  12.065  < 2e-16 ***
## I(Schooling^2)          -2.497e-02  1.349e-02  -1.851  0.064527 .
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) -1.915e+00  4.678e-01  -4.095  4.67e-05 ***
## I(Schooling * Status)    -3.568e-01  2.604e-01  -1.370  0.171000
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 3.265 on 782 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.8486, Adjusted R-squared:  0.8453
## F-statistic: 257.9 on 17 and 782 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
##
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: Life.expectancy
##
##              Df    Sum Sq Mean Sq    F value    Pr(>F)
## Status              1    9792.6   9792.6   918.7770 < 2.2e-16
## Adult.Mortality     1   19647.9  19647.9  1843.4368 < 2.2e-16
## BMI                  1    3331.0   3331.0   312.5251 < 2.2e-16
## HIV.AIDS             1    4339.4   4339.4   407.1384 < 2.2e-16
## GDP                  1    1212.3   1212.3   113.7437 < 2.2e-16
## thinness..1.19.years 1     533.2    533.2    50.0295 3.365e-12
## Income.composition.of.resources 1    3411.0   3411.0   320.0346 < 2.2e-16
## Schooling            1    1395.2   1395.2   130.9043 < 2.2e-16
## I(Adult.Mortality^2) 1      98.4     98.4     9.2322 0.0024571
## I(BMI^2)              1       0.1      0.1     0.0070 0.9332869
## I(HIV.AIDS^2)         1    815.4   815.4    76.5014 < 2.2e-16
## I(GDP^2)              1     17.5    17.5     1.6403 0.2006589
## I(thinness..1.19.years^2) 1     63.1    63.1     5.9208 0.0151864
## I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) 1    1824.3   1824.3   171.1583 < 2.2e-16
## I(Schooling^2)        1      69.5     69.5     6.5172 0.0108726
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) 1    159.1   159.1    14.9246 0.0001212
## I(Schooling * Status) 1      20.0    20.0     1.8776 0.1709996
## Residuals           782   8334.8    10.7
##
## Status ***
## Adult.Mortality ***
## BMI ***
## HIV.AIDS ***
## GDP ***
## thinness..1.19.years ***
## Income.composition.of.resources ***
## Schooling ***

```

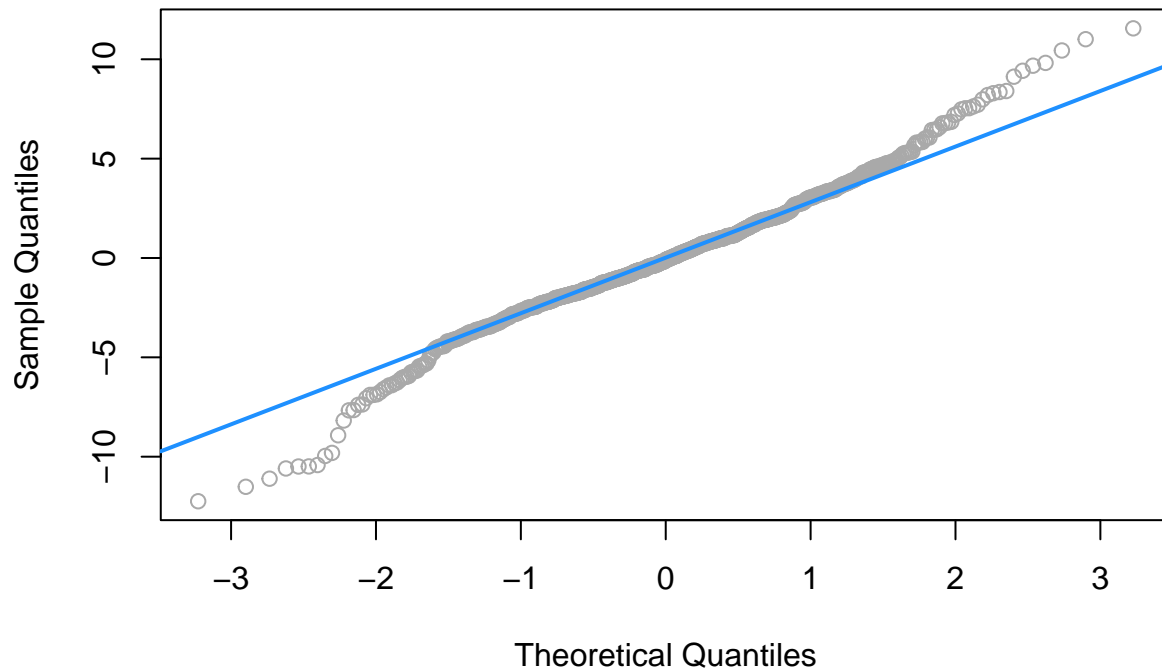
```
## I(Adult.Mortality^2)          **
## I(BMI^2)                      ***
## I(HIV.AIDS^2)                 ***
## I(GDP^2)                      *
## I(thinness..1.19.years^2)    *
## I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) ***
## I(Schooling^2)                *
## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status) ***
## I(Schooling * Status)
## Residuals
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

**Residual Plot – model\_quadratic**



```
##
## studentized Breusch-Pagan test
##
## data:  model
## BP = 100.11, df = 17, p-value = 8.502e-14
```

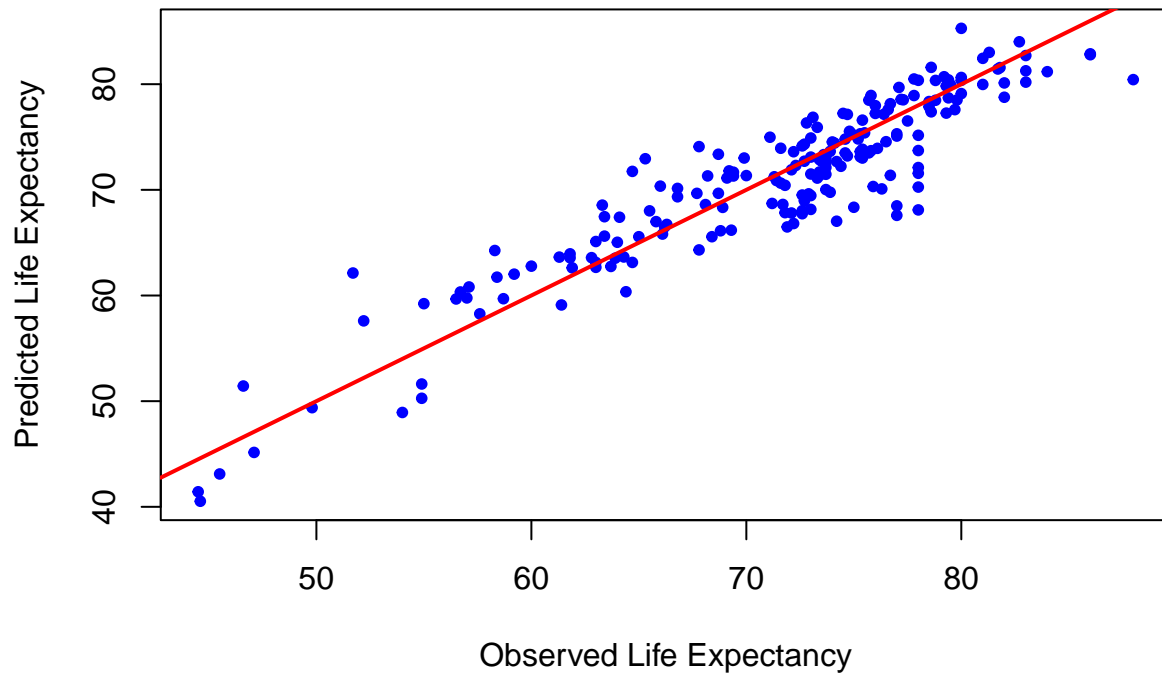
## Normal QQ Plot – model\_quadratic



```
##  
##  Shapiro-Wilk normality test  
##  
## data:  resid(model)  
## W = 0.98262, p-value = 3.804e-08  
##  
## Train Set MSE: 10.41847  
## Train R-squared: 0.8486364  
evaluate_test(model_quadratic, test_data)
```



## Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
## Test Set MSE: 10.21839
```

```
## Test R-squared: 0.8523176
```

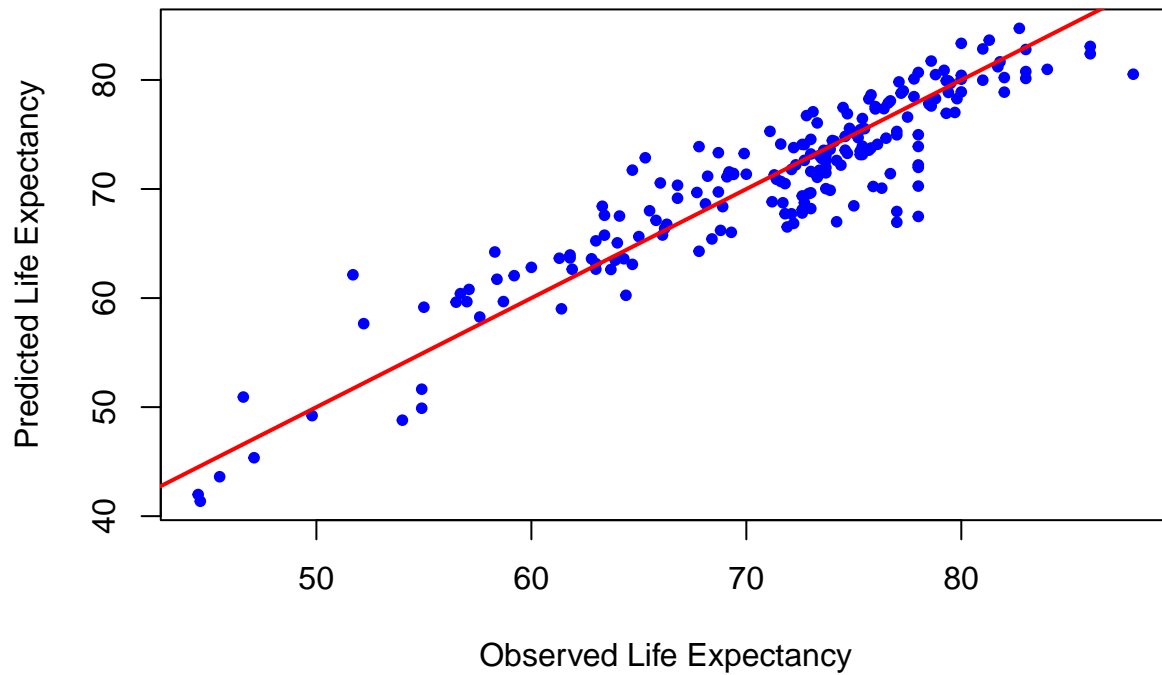
```
#use this as full model, do a AIC and BIC backward selection:
```

```
model_AIC <- step(model_quadratic, direction = "backward", trace = 0)
```

```
model_BIC <- step(model_quadratic, direction = "backward", k = log(nrow(train_data)), trace = 0)
```

```
evaluate_test(model_AIC, test_data)
```

### Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy

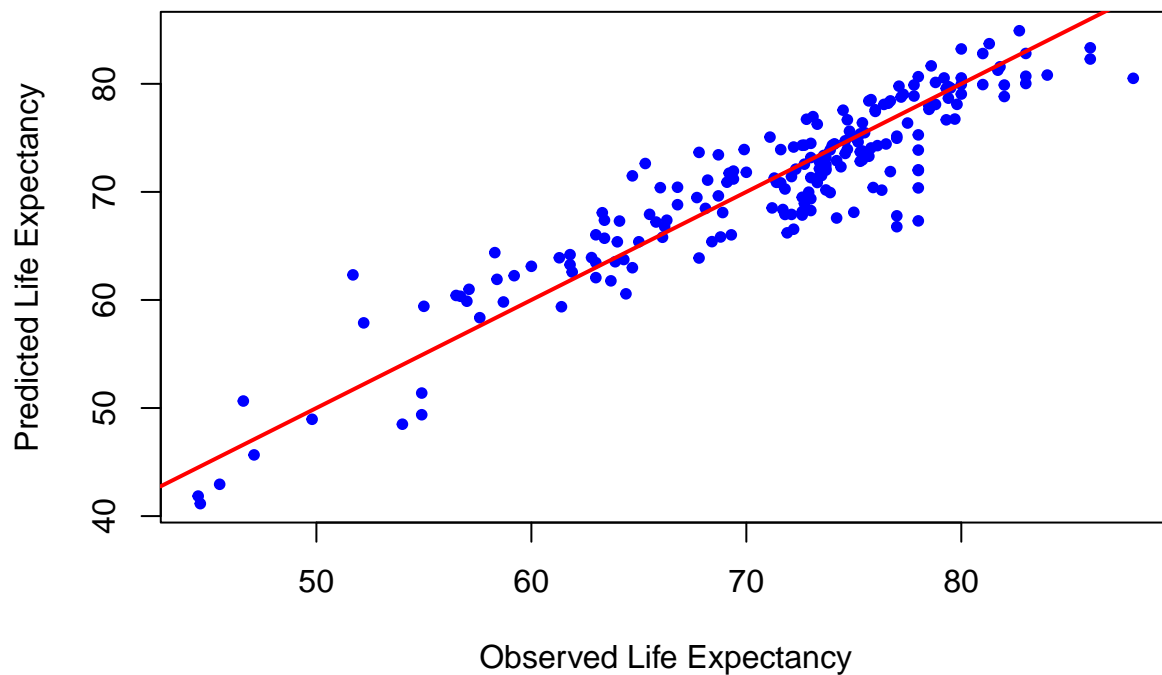


```
## Test Set MSE: 10.30219
```

```
## Test R-squared: 0.8511065
```

```
evaluate_test(model_BIC, test_data)
```

### Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
## Test Set MSE: 10.51515
```

```

## Test R-squared: 0.8480288
#compare the number of predictor used
num_predictors_AIC <- sum(!is.na(coef(model_AIC)))
cat("Number of predictors in AIC-selected model:", num_predictors_AIC, "\n")

## Number of predictors in AIC-selected model: 14

num_predictors_BIC <- sum(!is.na(coef(model_BIC)))
cat("Number of predictors in BIC-selected model:", num_predictors_BIC, "\n")

## Number of predictors in BIC-selected model: 11

#extract predictors and train variable
X <- model.matrix(model_quadratic)[, -1]
y <- train_data$Life.expectancy

#array of lambda to try
lambda_values <- 10^seq(10, -2, length = 100)

#ridge regression with cross validation
ridge_cv_model <- cv.glmnet(X, y, alpha = 0, lambda = lambda_values)

#get best lambda
best_lambda <- ridge_cv_model$lambda.min
cat("Best Lambda:", best_lambda, "\n")

## Best Lambda: 0.01

#construct a ridge model with best lambda from CV,
#train model
model_ridge <- glmnet(X, y, alpha = 0, lambda = best_lambda)

#format corresponding test dataset
X_test <- model.matrix(model_quadratic, data = test_data)[, -1]
y_test <- test_data$Life.expectancy

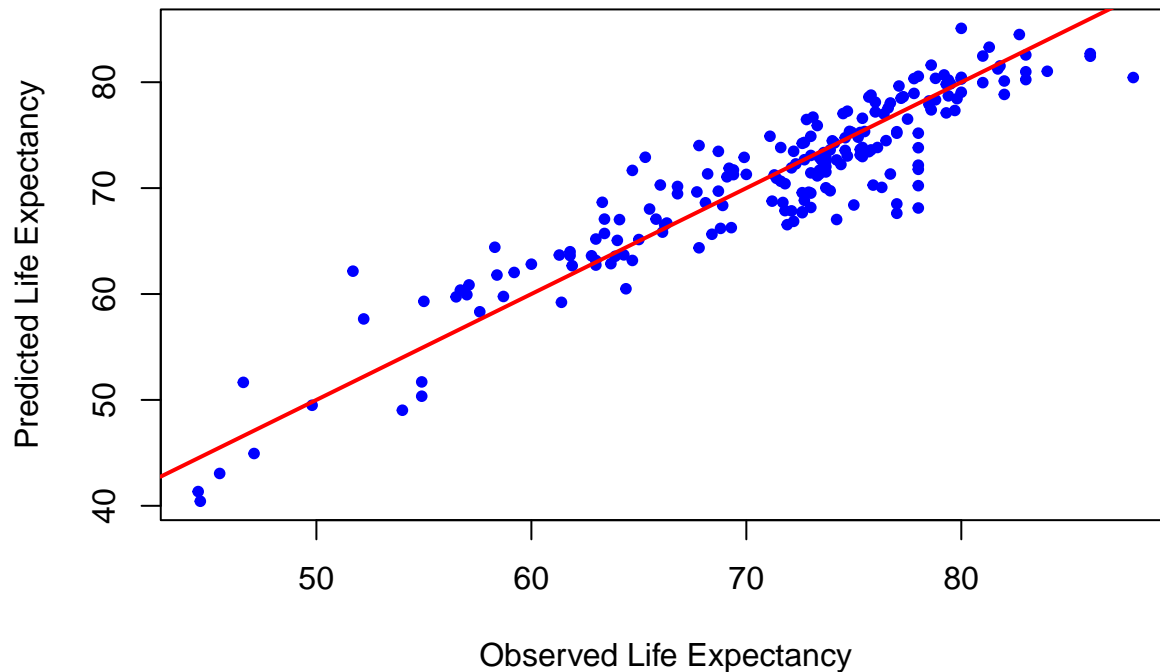
#prediction
y_hat <- predict(model_ridge, s = best_lambda, newx = X_test)

R2 <- 1 - sum((y_test - y_hat)^2) / sum((y_test - mean(y_test))^2)
MSE <- mean((y_test - y_hat)^2)

plot(y_test, y_hat, col = "blue", pch = 20,
     xlab = "Observed Life Expectancy", ylab = "Predicted Life Expectancy",
     main = "Test Set - Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy")
abline(0, 1, col = "red", lwd = 2)

```

## Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
cat("Ridge Test Set MSE:", MSE, "\n")
```

```
## Ridge Test Set MSE: 10.23504
```

```
cat("Ridge Test Set R-squared:", R2, "\n")
```

```
## Ridge Test Set R-squared: 0.8520771
```

```
#create boosting model with 100 trees
```

```
model_boost <- gbm(Life.expectancy ~ ., data = train_data, distribution = "gaussian", n.trees = 100, in
```

```
#evaluate model on test set
```

```
y <- test_data$Life.expectancy
```

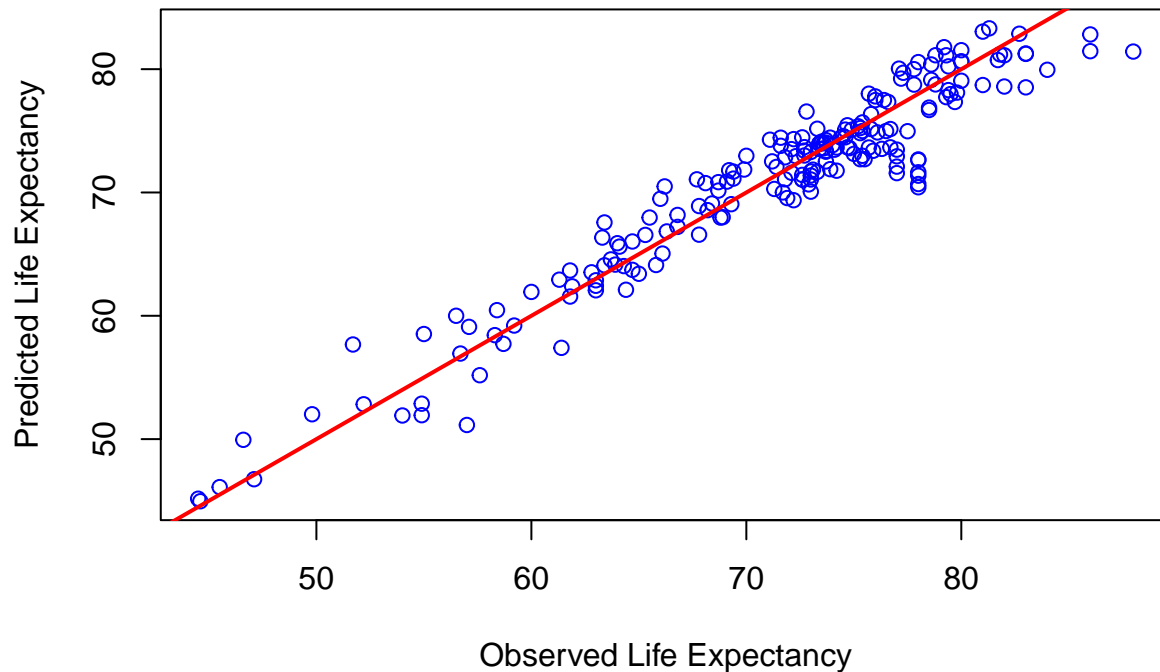
```
y_hat <- predict(model_boost, newdata = test_data)
```

```
## Using 100 trees...
```

```
# Plot observed vs. predicted values
```

```
plot(y, y_hat, col = "blue",  
      xlab = "Observed Life Expectancy", ylab = "Predicted Life Expectancy",  
      main = "Boosting Test Set - Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy")  
abline(0, 1, col = "red", lwd = 2)
```

## Boosting Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



*#MSE*

```
MSE <- mean((y - y_hat)^2)
cat("Boosting Test Set MSE:", MSE, "\n")
```

```
## Boosting Test Set MSE: 5.389733
```

*#R2*

```
R2 <- 1 - (sum((y - y_hat)^2) / sum((y - mean(y_hat))^2))
cat("Boosting Test Set R-Squared:", R2, "\n")
```

```
## Boosting Test Set R-Squared: 0.9221696
```

*#bagging model*

```
model_bagging <- randomForest(Life.expectancy ~ Status + Adult.Mortality + BMI + HIV.AIDS + GDP
+ thinness..1.19.years + Income.composition.of.resources + Schooling + I(Adult.Mortality)
+ I(BMI^2) + I(HIV.AIDS^2) + I(GDP^2) + I(thinness..1.19.years^2)
+ I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) + I(Schooling^2) + I(thinness..1.19.years*Income.composition.of.resources)
+ I(Schooling*Status), data = train_data,
mtry = 20, importance = TRUE, ntree = 150, oob = TRUE)
```

```
## Warning in randomForest.default(m, y, ...): invalid mtry: reset to within valid
## range
```

*# Evaluate the bagging model*

```
summary(model_bagging)
```

```
##           Length Class  Mode
## call           7    -none- call
## type           1    -none- character
## predicted      800    -none- numeric
## mse           150    -none- numeric
```

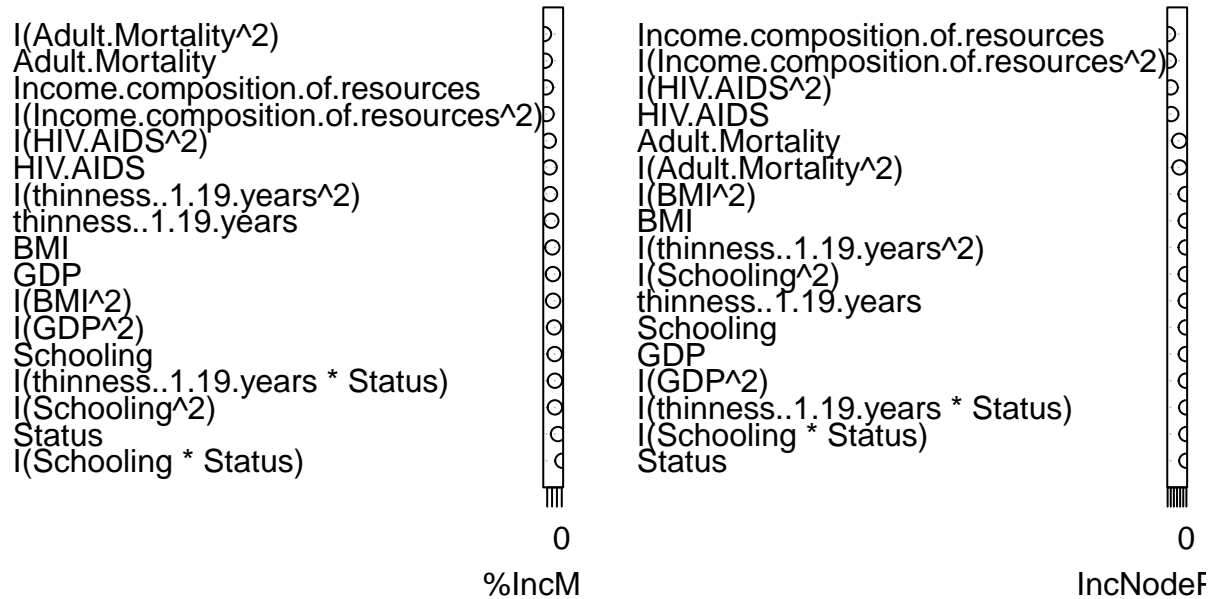
```
## rsq          150    -none- numeric
## oob.times    800    -none- numeric
## importance   34     -none- numeric
## importanceSD  17     -none- numeric
## localImportance 0     -none- NULL
## proximity    0     -none- NULL
## ntree        1     -none- numeric
## mtry         1     -none- numeric
## forest       11     -none- list
## coefs        0     -none- NULL
## y            800    -none- numeric
## test         0     -none- NULL
## inbag        0     -none- NULL
## terms        3     terms  call
```

```
# 1st col: OOB sample error based (i.e. prediction accuracy based)
# 2nd col: SSE based
importance(model_bagging)
```

| ##                                      | %IncMSE    | IncNodePurity |
|---|------------|---------------|
| ## Status                               | 3.9009500  | 8.599175      |
| ## Adult.Mortality                      | 17.3691042 | 4556.000097   |
| ## BMI                                  | 9.7360829  | 442.756585    |
| ## HIV.AIDS                             | 12.5008563 | 9696.647447   |
| ## GDP                                  | 9.0973260  | 380.259694    |
| ## thinness..1.19.years                 | 10.7687782 | 406.694868    |
| ## Income.composition.of.resources      | 16.3427463 | 11759.208603  |
| ## Schooling                            | 7.3307657  | 392.813607    |
| ## I(Adult.Mortality^2)                 | 18.2891780 | 4395.600469   |
| ## I(BMI^2)                             | 8.8944010  | 471.374966    |
| ## I(HIV.AIDS^2)                        | 13.3002806 | 10066.424374  |
| ## I(GDP^2)                             | 7.9712462  | 361.732254    |
| ## I(thinness..1.19.years^2)            | 12.0550879 | 429.972167    |
| ## I(Income.composition.of.resources^2) | 15.6734661 | 11262.174880  |
| ## I(Schooling^2)                       | 7.0918014  | 429.196442    |
| ## I(thinness..1.19.years * Status)     | 7.1127263  | 93.826994     |
| ## I(Schooling * Status)                | -0.6490934 | 30.645217     |

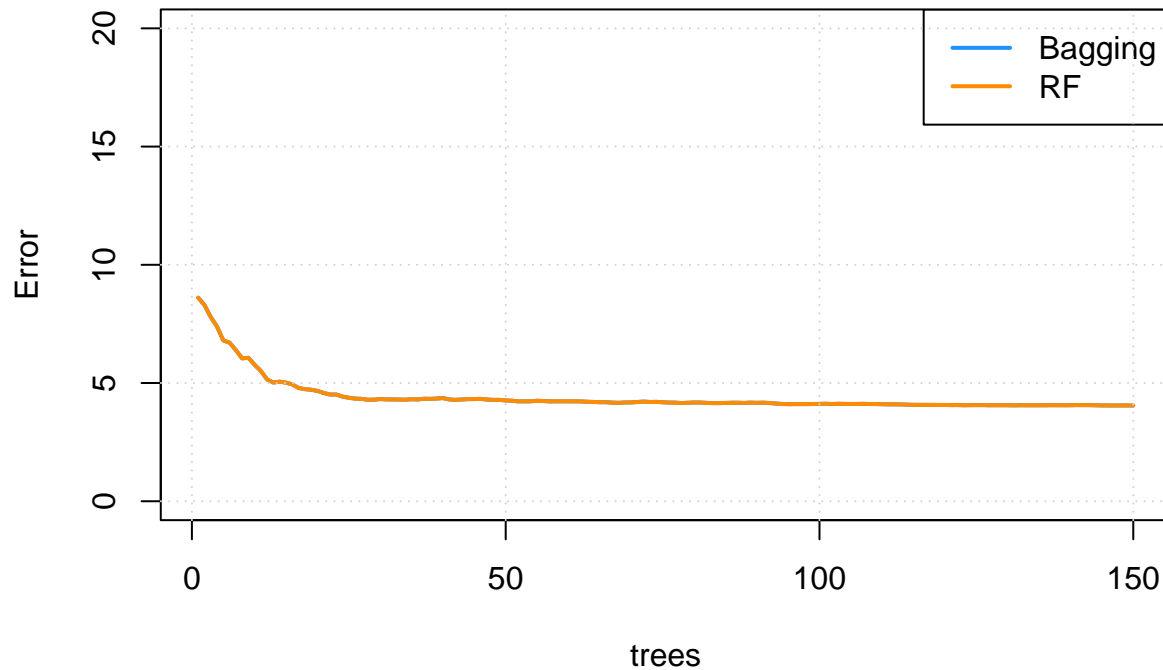
```
varImpPlot(model_bagging)
```

## model\_bagging



```
#see how oob error decreases as we put more trees.
plot(model_bagging, col = "dodgerblue", lwd = 2,
     main = "OOB Error vs Number of Trees", ylim=c(-0,20))
plot(model_bagging, add=TRUE,col = "darkorange", lwd = 2,
     main = "Bagged Trees: Error vs Number of Trees", xlim=c(0,10))
legend("topright",c("Bagging","RF"),col=c("dodgerblue","darkorange"),lwd=2)
grid()
```

## OOB Error vs Number of Trees

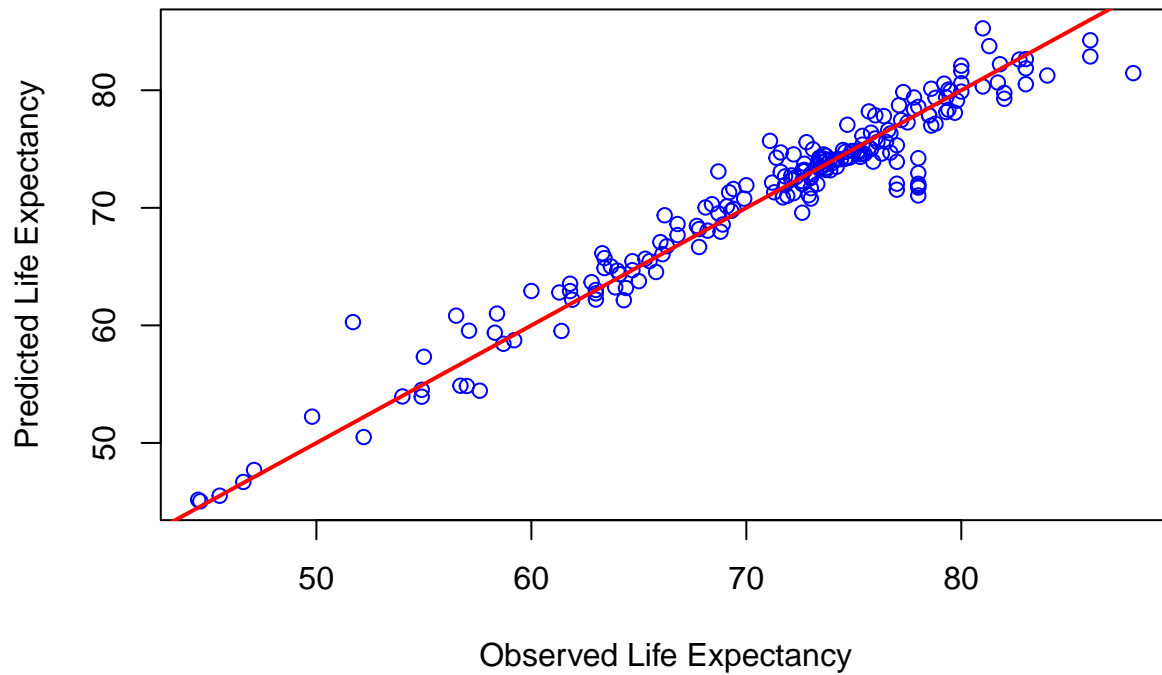


```
y <- test_data$Life.expectancy
y_hat <- predict(model_bagging, newdata = test_data)

# Plot observed vs. predicted values
plot(y, y_hat, col = "blue",
      xlab = "Observed Life Expectancy", ylab = "Predicted Life Expectancy",
      main = "Bagging Test Set - Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy")
abline(0, 1, col = "red", lwd = 2)
```



## Bagging Test Set – Observed vs. Predicted Life Expectancy



```
#MSE
MSE <- mean((y - y_hat)^2)
cat("Bagging Test Set MSE:", MSE, "\n")

## Bagging Test Set MSE: 3.945235

#R2
R2 <- 1 - (sum((y - y_hat)^2) / sum((y - mean(y_hat))^2))
cat("Bagging Test Set R-Squared:", R2, "\n")

## Bagging Test Set R-Squared: 0.9429815
```