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## Notes:

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(1) **Data file: Grade Point Average.csv**

20% **Grade point average.** The director of admissions of a small college selected 120 students at random from the new freshman class in a study to determine whether a student's grade point average (GPA) at the end of the freshman year ( $Y$ ) can be predicted from the ACT test score ( $X$ ). The results of the study follow. Assume that first-order regression model (1.1) is appropriate.

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$i$ :	1	2	3	...	118	119	120
$X_i$ :	21	14	28	...	28	16	28
$Y_i$ :	3.897	3.885	3.778	...	3.914	1.860	2.948

- a. Obtain the least squares estimates of  $\beta_0$  and  $\beta_1$ , and state the estimated regression function.
- b. Plot the estimated regression function and the data. Does the estimated regression function appear to fit the data well?
- c. Obtain a point estimate of the mean freshman GPA for students with ACT test score  $X = 30$ .

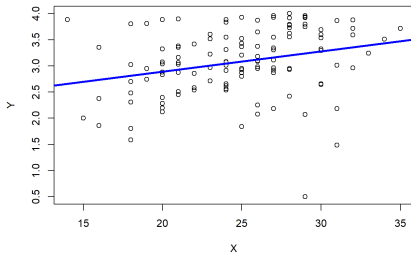
### (1)a

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> lm(Y ~ X, data = GPA)
Call:
lm(formula = Y ~ X, data = GPA)
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Coefficients:
(Intercept)      X
  2.11405      0.03883
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The least squares estimates of  $\beta_0$  is 2.11405 and  $\beta_1$  is 0.03883.  
The estimated regression function is  $\hat{Y} = 2.11405 + 0.03883X$ .

### (1)b



From the above picture, the estimated regression function appear to fit the data well.

(1)c

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> hat_y <- 2.11405 + 0.03883 * 30
> hat_y
[1] 3.27895
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The point estimate of the mean freshman GPA for students with ACT test score  $X=30$  is 3.27895.

(2) **Data file: Grade\_Point\_Average.csv**

20% **Refer to Grade point average**

- a. Set up the ANOVA table.
- b. Conduct an  $F$  test of whether or not  $\beta_1 = 0$ . Control the  $\alpha$  risk at .01. State the alternatives, decision rule, and conclusion.
- c. What is the absolute magnitude of the reduction in the variation of  $Y$  when  $X$  is introduced into the regression model?

(2)a

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> summary.aov(GPA.lm)
      Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
X             1    3.59   3.588    9.24 0.00292 **
Residuals   118   45.82   0.388
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Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
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(2)b

Hypothesis Test:

$H_0: \beta_1 = 0$

$H_1: \beta_1 \neq 0$

Significance level:  $\alpha = 0.01$

Decision: From (a), the p-value of F test is  $0.00292 < \alpha = 0.01$ , reject  $H_0$ .

Conclusion: X and Y has a linear association.

(2)c

Call:

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lm(formula = Y ~ X, data = GPA)
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Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-2.74004	-0.33827	0.04062	0.44064	1.22737

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )	
(Intercept)	2.11405	0.32089	6.588	1.3e-09	***
X	0.03883	0.01277	3.040	0.00292	**

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Residual standard error: 0.6231 on 118 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.07262, Adjusted R-squared: 0.06476

F-statistic: 9.24 on 1 and 118 DF, p-value: 0.002917

The absolute magnitude of the reduction in the variation of Y when X is introduced into the regression model is 3.588 which is obtained by SSR.

(3) Data file: [Grade\\_Point\\_Average\\_X.csv](#)

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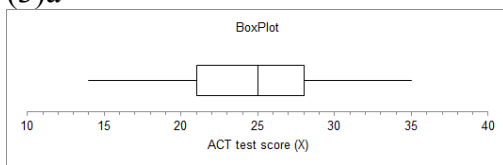
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Refer to **Grade point average**

- Prepare a box plot for the ACT scores  $X_i$ . Are there any noteworthy features in this plot?
- Prepare a dot plot of the residuals. What information does this plot provide?
- Plot the residual  $e_i$  against the fitted values  $\hat{Y}_i$ . What departures from regression model (2.1) can be studied from this plot? What are your findings?
- Prepare a normal probability plot of the residuals. Also obtain the coefficient of correlation between the ordered residuals and their expected values under normality. Test the reasonableness of the normality assumption here using Table B.6 and  $\alpha = .05$ . What do you conclude?
- Conduct the Brown-Forsythe test to determine whether or not the error variance varies with the level of  $X$ . Divide the data into the two groups,  $X < 26$ ,  $X \geq 26$ , and use  $\alpha = .01$ . State the decision rule and conclusion. Does your conclusion support your preliminary findings in part (c)?
- Information is given below for each student on two variables not included in the model, namely, intelligence test score ( $X_2$ ) and high school class rank percentile ( $X_3$ ). (Note that larger class rank percentiles indicate higher standing in the class, e.g., 1% is near the bottom of the class and 99% is near the top of the class.) Plot the residuals against  $X_2$  and  $X_3$  on separate graphs to ascertain whether the model can be improved by including either of these variables. What do you conclude?

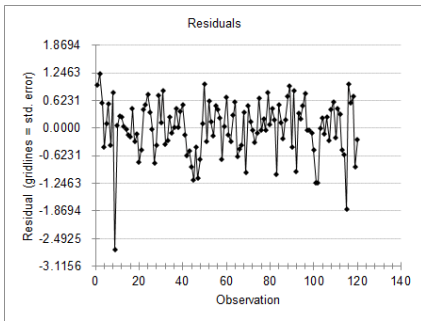
$i$ :	1	2	3	...	118	119	120
$X_2$ :	122	132	119	...	140	111	110
$X_3$ :	99	71	75	...	97	65	85

(3)a



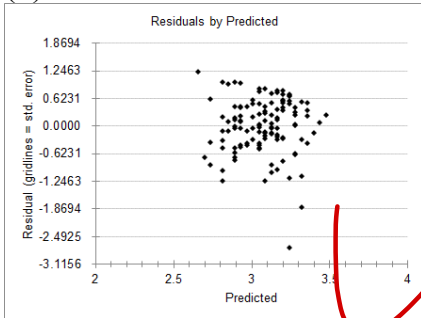
The median ACT score is 25. The minimum score is 14 and the maximum score is 35.

(3)b



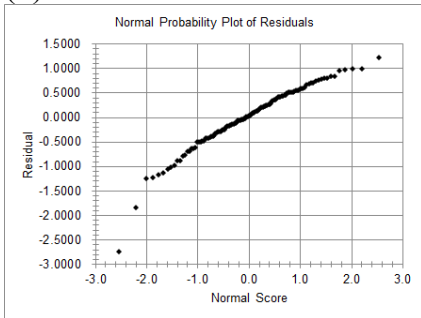
The residual plot shows a random pattern.

(3)c



The point closer to the x-axis can be visualised as a departure point. The residual plot shows the close fit of the data.

(3)d



(4) Data file: Solution\_concentration.csv

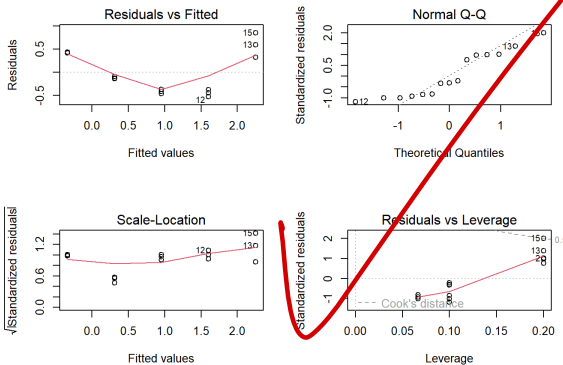
30% **Solution concentration.** A chemist studied the concentration of a solution ( $Y$ ) over time ( $X$ ). Fifteen identical solutions were prepared. The 15 solutions were randomly divided into five sets of three, and the five sets were measured, respectively, after 1, 3, 5, 7, and 9 hours. The results follow.

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$i$ :	1	2	3	...	13	14	15
$X_i$ :	9	9	9	...	1	1	1
$Y_i$ :	.07	.09	.08	...	2.84	2.57	3.10

- Prepare a scatter plot of the data. What transformation of  $Y$  might you try, using the prototype patterns in Figure 3.15 to achieve constant variance and linearity?
- Use the Box-Cox procedure and standardization (3.36) to find an appropriate power transformation. Evaluate  $SSE$  for  $\lambda = -.2, -.1, 0, .1, .2$ . What transformation of  $Y$  is suggested?
- Use the transformation  $Y' = \log_{10} Y$  and obtain the estimated linear regression function for the transformed data.
- Plot the estimated regression line and the transformed data. Does the regression line appear to be a good fit to the transformed data?
- Obtain the residuals and plot them against the fitted values. Also prepare a normal probability plot. What do your plots show?
- Express the estimated regression function in the original units.

(4)a



From the output, we can see that unequal error variances and nonnormality of the error terms. To remedy these departures from the simple linear regression model, we need a transformation on  $Y$ , since the shapes and spreads of the distributions of  $Y$  need to be

changed.

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