

# Analysis of Quantitative data Linear regression

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## Association between 2 continuous variables One variable X and One variable Y One predictor <u>Correlation</u>

#### Signal-to-noise ratio



# Signal<br/>Noise= statistical significanceSignal<br/>Noise= no statistical significanceNoise



#### Signal-to-noise ratio and Correlation



• Signal is **similarity** of behaviour between variable x and variable y.



#### Correlation

- Most widely-used correlation coefficient:
  - Pearson product-moment correlation coefficient "r"
    - The magnitude and the direction of the relation between 2 variables
    - It is designed to range in value between -1 and +1
    - -0.6 < r > +0.6 : exciting

C <u>oefficient</u> (+ <u>ve</u> or <u>-ve</u> )	Strength of the relationship
0.0 to 0.2	Negligible
0.2 to 0.4	Weak
0.4 to 0.7	Moderate
0.7 to 0.9	Strong
0.9 to 1.0	Very strong

- Coefficient of determination "r<sup>2</sup>"
  - It gives the proportion of variance in Y that can be explained by X (in percentage).
    - It helps with the interpretation of r
    - It's basically the effect size

#### Correlation



#### **Correlation** Assumptions

- Assumptions for correlation
  - Regression and linear Model (Im)

- Linearity: The relationship between X and the mean of Y is linear.
- Homoscedasticity: The variance of residual is the same for any value of X.
- Independence: Observations are independent of each other.
- **Normality:** For any fixed value of X, Y is normally distributed.

• **Outliers**: the observed value for the point is very different from that predicted by the regression model.



## Correlation

#### **Outliers and High leverage points**

- Leverage points: A leverage point is defined as an observation that has a value of x that is far away from the mean of x.
- Outliers and leverage points have the potential to be **Influential observations**:
  - Change the slope of the line. Thus, have a large influence on the fit of the model.
- One method to find influential points is to compare the fit of the model **with** and **without** the dodgy observation.



All good



**Outlier but not influential value** 



#### High leverage but not influential value



**Outlier and High leverage: Influential value** 

### **Correlation:** Two more things

Thing 1: Pearson correlation is a parametric test First assumption for parametric test: Normality Correlation: bivariate Gaussian distribution



Symmetry-ish of the values on either side of the line of best fit.

#### **Correlation:** Two more things

#### Thing 2: Line of best fit comes from a regression

#### **Correlation: nature and strength of the association Regression:** nature and strength of the association <u>and</u> **prediction**



#### • Questions:

- What is the nature and the strength of the relationship between X and Y?
- Are there any dodgy points?



• Question: are there any dodgy points?

```
read_csv("correlation.csv") -> correlation
correlation %>%
ggplot(aes(variable.x, variable.y, colour=Gender)) +
geom point(size=3, colour="sienna2")
```



<pre>dbl&gt;</pre>	variable.x	variable.y
1	0.10000	-0.0716
2	0.45401	4.1673
3	1.09765	6.5703
4	1.27936	13.8150
5	2.20611	11.4501
6	2.50064	12.9554
7	3.04030	20.1575
8	3.23583	17.5633
9	4.45308	26.0317
10	4.16990	22.7573

1-10 of 23 rows

• For the lines of best-fit: <u>3 new functions</u>:

```
lm(y~x, data=) -> fit
coefficients(fit) -> cf.fit (vector of 2 values)
geom_abline(intercept=cf.fit[1], slope=cf.fit[2])
```

lm(variable.y ~ variable.x, data=correlation) -> fit.correlation
coefficients(fit.correlation) -> coef.correlation
coef.correlation

(Intercept)	variable.x
8.379803	3.588814
intercept	slope

```
correlation %>%
ggplot(aes(variable.x, variable.y, label = ID)) +
geom_point(size=3, colour="sienna2") +
geom_abline(intercept = coef.correlation[1], slope = coef.correlation[2])+
geom_text(hjust = 0, nudge x = 0.15)
```



**Assumptions, outliers and influential cases** 







Have a go: Remove ID 23, then re-run the model and plot the graph again. Then decide what you want to do with ID 21 and 22.

```
correlation %>%
  filter(ID != 23) -> correlation.23
```

correlation %>%
 filter(ID != 23) -> correlation.23

lm(variable.y ~ variable.x, correlation.23) -> fit.correlation.23
summary(fit.correlation.23)



F-statistic: 265.8 on 1 and 20 DF, p-value: 5.13e-13

correlation.23 %>%
filter(ID != 21) -> correlation.23.21

lm(variable.y ~ variable.x, correlation.23.21) -> fit.correlation.23.21
summary(fit.correlation.23.21)

Call:



cor test(variable.x, variable.y)

cor

0.99

var1

variable.x

var2

variable.y

statistic

28.66085

conf.low

0.9716067

р

4.23e-17

Residuals: 10 Median Min 30 Мах -4.3636 -1.8607 -0.5376 2.2987 5.0434 Coefficients: Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)(Intercept) 2.4679 1.0757 2.294 0.0333 \* variable.x 4.9272 0.1719 28.661 <2e-16 \*\*\* Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1 Residual standard ernor: 2.709 on 19 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.9774, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9762 conf.high method tistic: 821.4 on I and 19 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16 0.9954718 Pearson

lm(formula = variable.y ~ variable.x, data = correlation.23.21)

#### Extra exercise

## **Correlation:** exam.anxiety.csv

• **Question**: Is there a relationship between time spent revising and exam anxiety? And, if yes, are boys and girls different?

- Build a fit for the boys and a fit for the girls
  - data %>% filter() lm(y~x, data=)
- Plot the 2 lines of best fit on the same graph
  - coefficients() geom\_abline()
- Check the assumptions visually from the data and with the output for models
  - par(mfrow=c(2,2)) plot(fit.male)
- Filter out misbehaving values based on the standardised residuals
  - rstandard() add\_column()
- Plot the final (improved!) model
  - bind\_rows()

• **Question**: Is there a relationship between time spent revising and exam anxiety? And, if yes, are boys and girls different?

```
read_csv("exam.anxiety.csv") -> exam.anxiety
exam.anxiety %>%
ggplot(aes(x=Revise, y=Anxiety, colour=Gender)) + geom point(size=3)
```



	Α	В	С	D	E
	Code	Revise	Exam	Anxiety	Gender
	1	4	40	86.298	Male
	2	11	65	88.716	Female
	3	27	80	70.178	Male
	4	53	80	61.312	Male
	5	4	40	89.522	Male
	6	22	70	60.506	Female
	7	16	20	81.462	Female
	8	21	55	75.82	Female
)	9	25	50	69.372	Female

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```
exam.anxiety %>%
ggplot(aes(x=Revise, y=Anxiety, colour=Gender))+
geom_point(size=3)+
geom_abline(intercept=cf.fit.male[1], slope=cf.fit.male[2])+
geom_abline(intercept=cf.fit.female[1], slope=cf.fit.female[2])
```



Assumptions, outliers and influential cases

## par(mfrow=c(2,2)) plot(fit.male)



Assumptions, outliers and influential cases

#### plot(fit.female)





Residual standard error: 10 42 on 49 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.6746, Adjusted R-squared: 0.668 F-statistic: 101.6 on I and 49 DF, p-value: 1.544e-13

#### **Influential outliers: Boys**

```
rstandard(fit.male) -> st.resid.m
```

```
exam.anxiety.male %>%
   add_column(st.resid.m) %>%
      filter(abs(st.resid.m)<3) -> exam.anxiety.male.clean
```

lm(Anxiety~Revise, data=exam.anxiety.male.clean) -> fit.male2

```
summary(fit.male2)
```

```
call:
lm(formula = Anxiety ~ Revise, data = exam.anxiety.male.clean)
Residuals:
```

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -22.0296 -3.8704 0.5626 6.0786 14.2525

```
Coefficients:
```

	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )					
(Intercept)	86.97461	1.64755	52.790	< 20-16	***				
Revise	-0.60752	0.06326	-9.603	7.59e-13	***				
Signif. code	es: 0 '*	**' 0.001'	**' 0.01	'*' 0.05	'.'	0.1	"	,	1

Residual standard error: 8.213 on 49 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.653, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6459 F-statistic: 92.22 on 1 and 49 DF, p-value: 7.591e-13 exam.anxiety.male.clean %>%
 cor\_test(Revise, Anxiety)

var1	var2	cor <dbl></dbl>	statistic	p <dbl></dbl>	conf.low	conf.high ⊲dbl>
Revise	Anxiety	-0.81	-9.602995	7.59e-13	-0.8863013	-0.6850763

#### **Influential outliers: Girls**

```
rstandard(fit.female) -> st.resid.f
exam.anxiety.female %>%
   add_column(st.resid.f) %>%
   filter(abs(st.resid.f) < 3) -> exam.anxiety.female.clean
lm(Anxiety~Revise, data=exam.anxiety.female.clean) -> fit.female2
```

summary(fit.female2)

```
Call:
lm(formula = Anxiety ~ Revise, data = exam.anxiety.female.clean)
Residuals:
Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
-18.7518 -5.7069 -0.7782 3.2117 18.5538
```

```
Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)

(Intercept) 92.24536 1.93591 47.65 <2e-16 ***

Revise -0.87504 0.07033 -12.44 <2e-16 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Residual standard error: 8.849 on 48 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.7633 Adjusted R-squared: 0.7584 F-statistic: 154.8 on 1 and 48 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16 exam.anxiety.female.clean %>%
 cor\_test(Revise, Anxiety)

var1	var2	cor <dbl></dbl>	statistic	p <ldb></ldb>	conf.low 	conf.high
Revise	Anxiety	-0.87	-12.44127	1.25e-16	-0.9266661	-0.7866117

#### • Question: Is there a relationship between time spent revising and exam anxiety? Yes!

```
bind_rows(exam.anxiety.female.clean, exam.anxiety.male.clean) -> exam.anxiety.clean
coefficients(fit.male2) -> cf.fit.male2
coefficients(fit.female2) -> cf.fit.female2
exam.anxiety.clean %>%
ggplot(aes(Revise, Anxiety, colour=Gender))+geom_point(size=3)+
geom_abline(aes(intercept=cf.fit.male2[1], slope=cf.fit.male2[2]), colour="orange")+
geom_abline(aes(intercept=cf.fit.female2[1], slope=cf.fit.female2[2]), colour="purple")+
scale_colour_manual(values = c("purple", "orange"))
```



#### **Influential outliers: Another check**

exam.anz shapi:	xiety.male %>% ro_test(st.resid	d.m)	exam.an shapi	xiety.female % ro_test(st.res	>% id.f)
variable <chr></chr>	statistic <dbl></dbl>	d <ldb></ldb>	variable	statistic	<b>q</b> ⊲dbl>
st.resid.m	0.6992772	5.05199e-09	st.resid.f	0.9442729	0.01828732
t.resid.m	0.6992772	5.05199e-09	st.resid.f	0.9442729	0.01828732
exam.an: shapi:	xiety.male.clear ro_test(st.resid	n %>% d.m)	exam.an shapi	xiety.female.c ro test(st.res	lean %>% id.f)

variable	statistic	p
<chr></chr>	_dbl>	<dbl></dbl>
st.resid.f	0.9767888	0.4258592

variable	statistic	<b>q</b>
<chr></chr>	_dbl>	<ldb></ldb>
st.resid.m	0.9539309	0.04607996

• Difference between boys and girls?

lm(Anxiety~Revise\*Gender, data=exam.anxiety.clean) -> fit.genders

summary(fit.genders)

Call: lm(formula = Anxiety ~ Revise \* Gender, data = exam.anxiety.clean) Residuals: Min 10 Median 3Q Мах -22.0296 -5.6022 -0.3294 5.6091 18.5538 Coefficients: Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)(Intercept) 92.24536 1.86694 49.410 < 2e-16 \*\*\* Revise -0.87504 0.06783 -12.901 < 2e-16 \*\*\* <u>GenderMale -5.27075 2.53296 -2.081 0.04008 \*</u> Revise:GenderMale 0.26752 0.09445 2.832 0.00562 \*\* Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1 Residual standard error: 8.534 on 97 degrees of freedom Multiple R-squared: 0.7228, Adjusted R-squared: 0.7142

F-statistic: 84.32 on 3 and 97 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16