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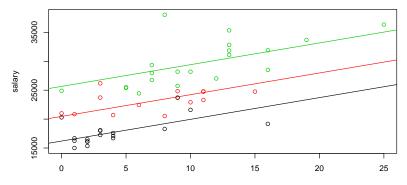
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#### **STAT 423**

#### Applied Regression and Analysis of Variance

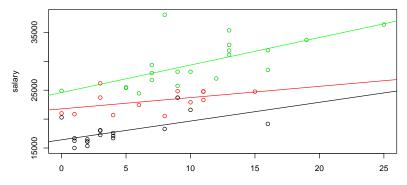
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## Main effects model



year

# Interaction model



year

fit\_int<-lm( salary ~ year + rank + year:rank,data=salary)</pre>

```
summary(fit_int)$coef
```

##	Estimate	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t )
<pre>## (Intercept)</pre>	16416.5723	816.0186	20.1178895	1.967510e-24
## year	324.5027	141.9312	2.2863379	2.688729e-02
## rankAssoc	5354.2430	1492.5574	3.5872945	8.063338e-04
## rankProf	8176.4105	1418.1287	5.7656336	6.493300e-07
<pre>## year:rankAssoc</pre>	-129.7345	205.7747	-0.6304686	5.315079e-01
## year:rankProf	151.1750	171.7437	0.8802364	3.833070e-01

**Q:** How can we test for interactions?

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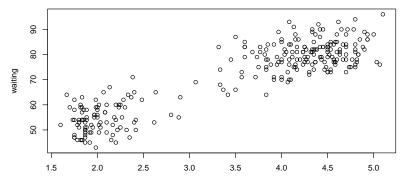
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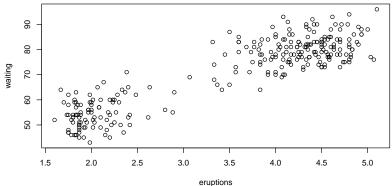
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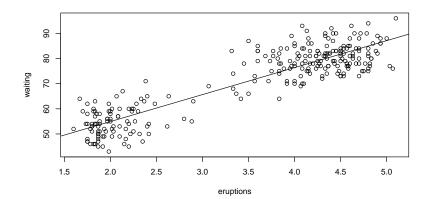
eruptions

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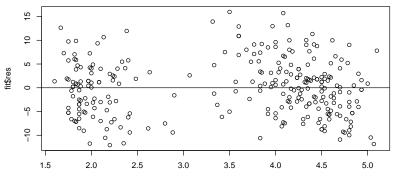


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faithful\$eruptions

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Then the mean is in linear-model form:  $E[y|x] = \beta^T x$ .

fit3<-lm( waiting ~ eruptions + I(eruptions^2) + I(eruptions^3) ,data=faithful)
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```
summary(fit3b)$coef
```

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summary(fit3c)\$coef

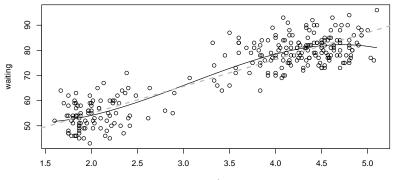
 ##
 Estimate
 Std. Error
 t
 value
 Pr(>|t|)

 ## (Intercept)
 70.89706
 0.3446057
 205.733831
 5.316699e-297

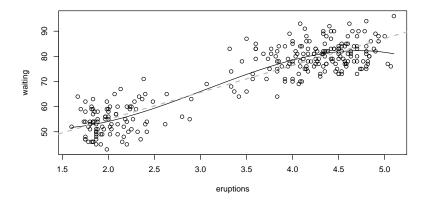
 ## poly(eruptions, 3)1
 201.60209
 5.6833834
 35.472339
 3.103641e-103

 ## poly(eruptions, 3)2
 -21.60253
 5.6833834
 -3.800998
 1.784403e-04

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eruptions



Discuss: Model fit, prediction and extrapolation.

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```
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```

```
anova(fit,fit3)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: waiting ~ eruptions
## Model 2: waiting ~ poly(eruptions, 3, raw = TRUE)
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
## 1 270 9443.4
## 2 268 8656.6 2 786.76 12.179 8.662e-06 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

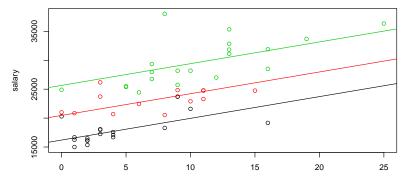
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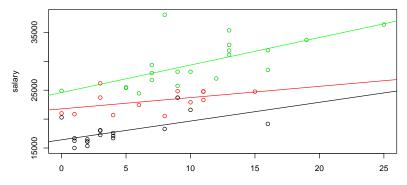
The hypothesis  $H_0$  of linearity in eruptions is strongly rejected.

## Main effects model for salary data



year

## Interaction model for salary data



year

summary(lm(salary~year+rank+year:rank,data=salary))

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = salary ~ year + rank + year:rank, data = salary)
##
## Residuals:
## Min 1Q Median 3Q Max
## -3687.8 -1123.6 -392.1 720.9 9646.6
##
## Coefficients:
                Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
##
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## year
               324.5 141.9 2.286 0.026887 *
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## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 2386 on 46 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.8534, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8375
## F-statistic: 53.56 on 5 and 46 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

### ANOVA for salary data

```
fit<-lm(salary~year+rank,data=salary)
fitint<-lm(salary~year+rank+year:rank,data=salary)</pre>
```

```
anova(fit,fitint)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: salary ~ year + rank
## Model 2: salary ~ year + rank + year:rank
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
## 1 48 276992734
## 2 46 261777280 2 15215454 1.3368 0.2727
```

The hypothesis  $H_0$  of a constant year effect is not rejected.

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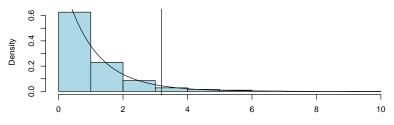
We will derive the null distribution for F on the board.

## Simulation study

```
n<-50
x1<-rnorm(n) ; x2<-cbind( rbinom(n,1,.5) , rbinom(n,1,.5) )</pre>
b0<-1 ; b1<-.4 ; b2<-0 ; b3<-0
y<-b0 + b1*x1 + b2*x2[,1] + b3*x2[,2] + rnorm(n)
fit<-lm( y~x1+x2)
anova(fit)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Response: y
       Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)
##
## x1 1 8.534 8.5343 7.2259 0.009972 **
## x2 2 0.109 0.0545 0.0461 0.954965
## Residuals 46 54.329 1.1811
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
anova(fit)[2,4]
```

## [1] 0.04612703

```
F.sim<-NULL
for(i in 1:2000)
{
    y<-b0 + b1*x1 + b2*x2[,1] + b3*x2[,2] + rnorm(n)
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}</pre>
```



F.sim

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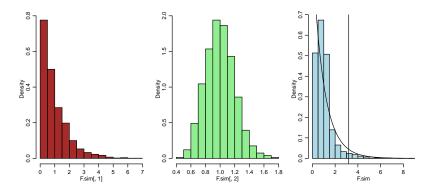
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Why would we only reject in this case if  $F_{obs}$  is much larger than 1?

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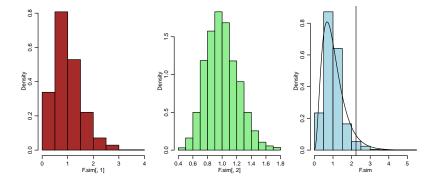
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**Remember:** For  $n \gg \Delta p$ , the critical value of the *F*-test is highly dependent on the numerator dof.

```
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x2<-matrix(rbinom(n*(p2-1),1,.5),n,p2-1)
```

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Could we get two different results?

### T and F

summary( lm(salary ~ year + sex,data=salary) )\$coef

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

 ## (Intercept)
 18065.4054
 1247.7738
 14.4781095
 2.500540e-19

 ## year
 759.0138
 118.3363
 6.4140410
 5.366076e-08

 ## sexFemale
 201.4668
 1455.1450
 0.1384514
 8.904511e-01

```
fit0<-lm(salary ~ year,data=salary)
fit1<-lm(salary ~ year + sex,data=salary)
anova( fit0, fit1)
## Analysis of Variance Table
##
## Model 1: salary ~ year
## Model 2: salary ~ year + sex
## Res.Df RSS Df Sum of Sq F Pr(>F)
## 1 50 909048951
## 2 49 908693470 1 355481 0.0192 0.8905
```

.1384514^2

## [1] 0.01916879