

Feb 8: Dichotomous indicator variables

- What is the relationship between percentage of damaged trees and elevation for the North and the South?
- Consider 3 models; conclude *non-parallel lines model*
- Conclusions:
 - Rates of change in percentage damaged as a linear function of elevation differ in the North and South. In the North, the percentage increases with increased elevation. In the South, the percentage decreases as elevation increases.
- Critique:
 - Differing North and South sample sizes.
 - Weak linear relationship in South; elevation may not be the adequate predictor of percentage damaged.

Feb. 13, 15 Overview

- Ch. 10: Inferential tools in Multiple Regression
- Inference for single coefficients and for linear combinations of coefficients
- Indicator variables with >2 levels: bat data
- More on polynomial regression
- R^2 in multiple regression, R^2 adjusted
 - Ratio of explained variance to total variance
 - "adjusted": penalty for unnecessary X 's

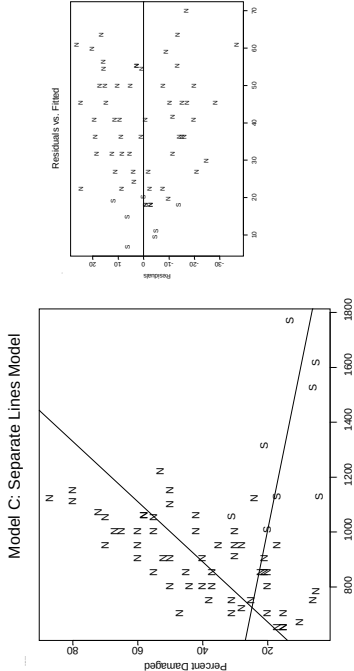
Longer range view of the course

- Model checking and refinement
 - identifying and quantifying influence of observations
- Strategies for variable selection
 - dealing with multicollinearity
 - sequential variable selection procedures
 - model-fitting criteria
- Multiple regression for binary response variables and for Poisson counts

Further issues in the spruce data

- *Extra SS F-test*: Comparison of equal lines model with separate lines model.
- What is the best estimate of σ^2 ? Comparison of separate lines model with individual North/South models.
- Eliminate "elevation" term from final model?
- Confidence interval for slope terms in the North and South? *In North, SE of slope is a function of two parameter estimates.*

Model C



Extra Sum of Squares F-test (10.3, Sleuth)

$$H_O: \mu \{ P|E,L \} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 E$$

$$H_A: \mu \{ P|E,L \} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 E + \beta_2 L + \beta_3 E \times L$$

REDUCED:

	Df	Sum of Sq	Mean Sq	F Value	Pr(>F)
Elevation	1	236.17	236.1704	0.5285261	0.4708012
Residuals	62	27809.77	448.5446		

FULL:

Terms added sequentially (first to last)

	Df	Sum of Sq	Mean Sq	F Value	Pr(>F)
Elevation	1	236.17	236.17	1.10696	0.2969622
Location	1	10402.81	10402.81	48.75935	0.0000000
Elevation:Location	1	4605.95	4605.95	21.58872	0.0000190
Residuals	60	12801.00	213.35		

F-statistic:

$$F = \frac{(27809.77 - 12801.00)/(62 - 60)}{213.35} = 35.17$$

Reject H_0 if $F > F_{(95,2,60)} = 3.15$

Individual North/South Models

South Only

Coefficients:

	Value	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	37.2836	15.4525	2.4128	0.0524
Elevation[Location == 0]	-0.0172	0.0115	-1.4964	0.1852

Residual standard error: 8.716 on 6 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-Squared: 0.2718

F-Statistic: 2.239 on 1 and 6 degrees of freedom, the p-value is 0.1852

North Only

Coefficients:

	Value	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-41.3384	12.4165	-3.3293	0.0016
Elevation[Location == 1]	0.0912	0.0136	6.7049	0.0000

Residual standard error: 15.12 on 54 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-Squared: 0.4543

F-Statistic: 44.96 on 1 and 54 degrees of freedom, the p-value is 1.241e-008

Compare these results to Model C results.

Model C: Splus Output

Call: lm(formula = Perc.Damaged ~ Elevation + Location + Elevation:Location)

Coefficients:

	Value	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	37.2836	25.8967	1.4397	0.1551
Elevation	-0.0172	0.0193	-0.8929	0.3755
Location	-78.6220	28.5397	-2.7548	0.0078
Elevation:Location	0.1084	0.0233	4.6464	0.0000

Residual standard error: 14.61 on 60 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-Squared: 0.5436

F-Statistic: 23.82 on 3 and 60 df, p-value is 2.825e-010

Correlation of Coefficients:

	(Intercept)	Location	Elevation
Location	-0.9074		
Elevation	-0.9799	0.8892	
Location:Elevation	0.8098	-0.9683	-0.8264

Eliminate "elevation" term from final model?

- The elevation variable is not significant in the final separate lines model.
- Indicates that the slope for the South may not be very different from zero.
- Problem with deleting "elevation" variable: logical inconsistency to say that the effect of elevation depends on location (L:E term) but there is no elevation effect.
- Better to leave elevation term in the final model, but report and discuss a confidence interval for slope in the South (will include zero).

Separate Lines Model: CI's for slopes?

South: $\hat{\mu}\{D|E, L\} = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 E$
 $\hat{\beta}_1 \pm t_{0.975, n-p} SE(\hat{\beta}_1) \quad (-0.0558, 0.0214)$

North: $\hat{\mu}\{D|E, L\} = (\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_2) + (\hat{\beta}_1 + \hat{\beta}_3) E$
 $(\hat{\beta}_1 + \hat{\beta}_3) \pm t_{0.975, n-p} SE(\hat{\beta}_1 + \hat{\beta}_3)$

Variance, Covariance, Correlation

For random variables X and Y , and a constant

$$Var(aX) = a^2 Var(X)$$

$$Var(a + X) = Var(X)$$

$$Var(X + Y) = Var(X) + Var(Y) + 2Cov(X, Y)$$

$Cov(X, Y)$ is the mean of $(X - \mu_x)(Y - \mu_y)$

If $Cov(X, Y) = 0$, X and Y are independent

$$\rho_{xy} = Cor(X, Y) = \frac{Cov(X, Y)}{\sqrt{Var(X)Var(Y)}}$$

Estimating the variance of a linear combination of random variables

- Linear combination of population parameters

$$\gamma = C_0 \beta_0 + C_1 \beta_1 + C_2 \beta_2 + \dots + C_p \beta_p$$

- Estimate γ by

$$g = \hat{\gamma} = C_0 \hat{\beta}_0 + C_1 \hat{\beta}_1 + C_2 \hat{\beta}_2 + \dots + C_p \hat{\beta}_p$$

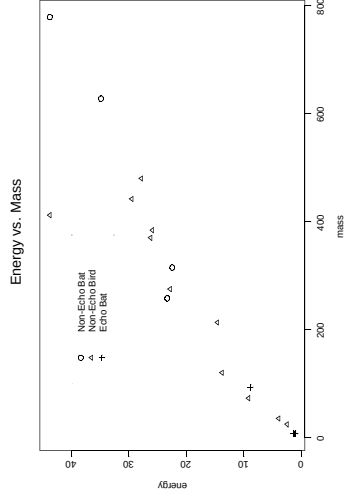
- Consider the case of $p=2$.

$$Var(g) = C_0^2 SE(\hat{\beta}_0)^2 + C_1^2 SE(\hat{\beta}_1)^2 + C_2^2 SE(\hat{\beta}_2)^2 + 2C_0 C_1 Cov(\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1) + 2C_0 C_2 Cov(\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_2) + 2C_1 C_2 Cov(\hat{\beta}_1, \hat{\beta}_2)$$

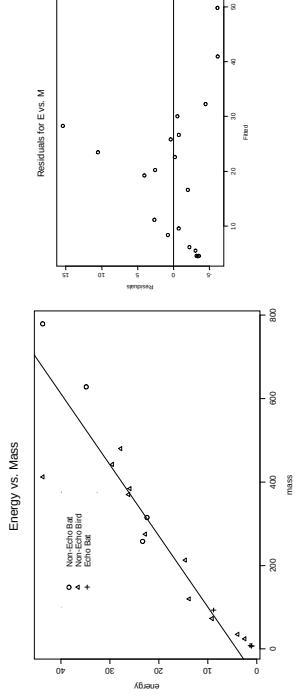
- $SE(g) = \sqrt{Var(g)} (d.f. = n - p)$

Bat Echolocation Dataset

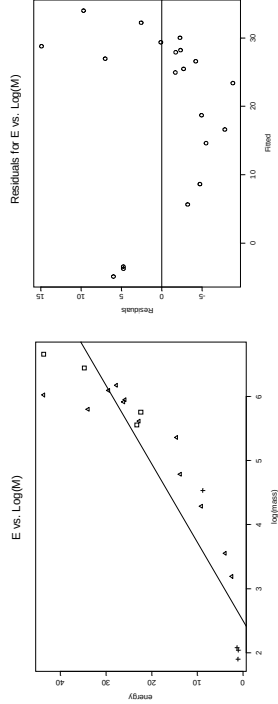
Is the energy expenditure the same for echolocating bats as for non-echolocating bats after accounting for body mass?



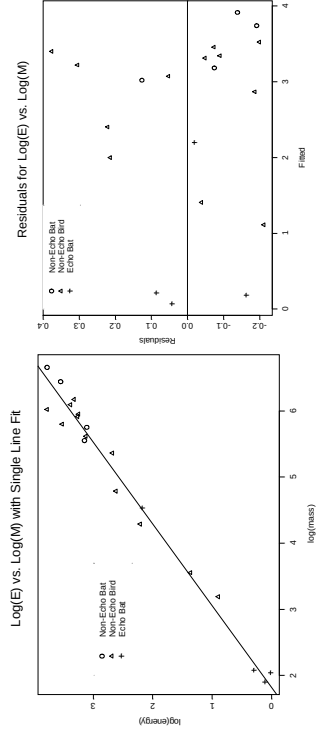
Linear Model, Untransformed Data



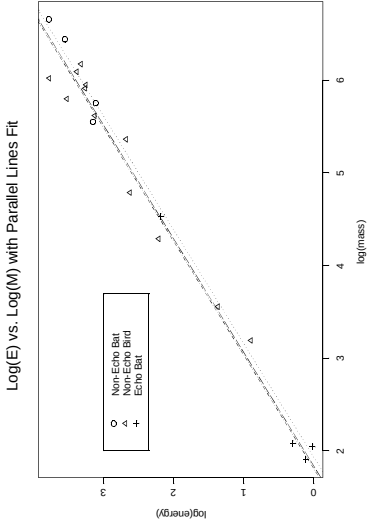
Log-transform Body Mass



Log(energy) ~ Log(mass)



Log(energy)~Log(mass)+type



Model A: Equal Lines

Coefficients:

	Value	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-1.4683	0.1372	-10.7046	0.0000
log(mass)	0.8086	0.0268	30.1270	0.0000

Residual standard error: 0.18 on 18 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-Squared: 0.9806
F-statistic: 907.6 on 1 and 18 degrees of freedom, the p-value is 1.11e-016

Correlation of Coefficients:

	(Intercept)
log(mass)	0.956

Model B: Parallel Lines Model

Coefficients:

	Value	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	-1.5764	0.2872	-5.4880	0.0000
log(mass)	0.8150	0.0445	18.2966	0.0000
type2	0.1023	0.1142	0.8956	0.3837
type3	0.0787	0.2027	0.3881	0.7030

Residual standard error: 0.186 on 16 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-Squared: 0.9815
F-statistic: 283.6 on 3 and 16 degrees of freedom, the p-value is 4.463e-014

Correlation of Coefficients:

	(Intercept)	log(mass)	type2
log(mass)	-0.9462		
type2	-0.5856	0.3403	
type3	-0.8685	0.7610	0.6326

ANOVA Tables

Equal Lines

	Df	Sum of Sq	Mean Sq	F Value	Pr(F)
log(mass)	1	29.39191	29.39191	907.6384	1.110223e-016
Residuals	18	0.58289	0.03238		

Parallel Lines

	Df	Sum of Sq	Mean Sq	F Value	Pr(F)
log(mass)	1	29.39191	29.39191	849.9108	0.0000000
type	2	0.02957	0.01479	0.4276	0.6593195
Residuals	16	0.55332	0.03458		

Centering Trick: CI, PI for NE Bats at Mass=100g

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Call: lm(formula = log(energy) ~ I(log(mass) - log(100)) +  
as.factor(type))
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Coefficients:

	Value	Std. Error	t value	Pr(> t)
(Intercept)	2.1767	0.1144	19.0264	0.0000
I(log(mass) - log(100))	0.8150	0.0445	18.2966	0.0000
type2	0.1023	0.1142	0.8956	0.3837
type3	0.0787	0.2027	0.3881	0.7030

Residual standard error: 0.186 on 16 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-Squared: 0.9815

F-statistic: 283.6 on 3 and 16 df, p-value is 4.463e-014

Note: Six separate model fits are required to create Display 10.9.

For Birds, need to recode data to make Birds the "reference level".
That is, let Birds variable have "Type"=1 and repeat the procedure.