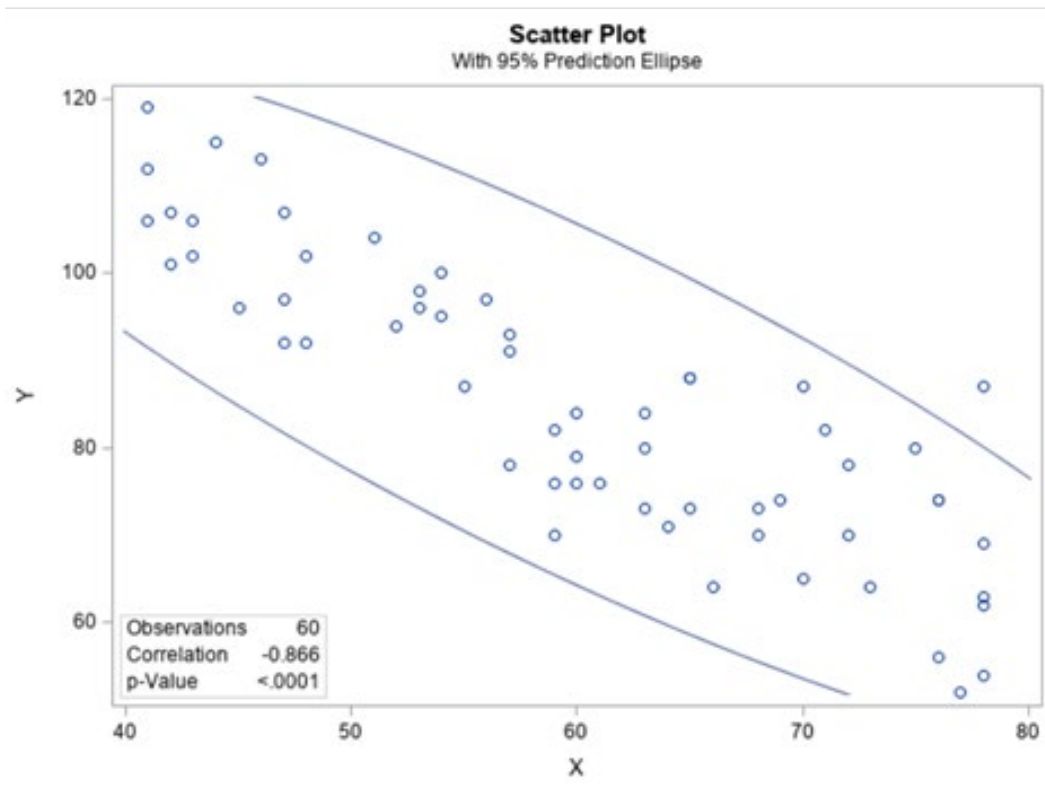


1.



Comments: From the graph above, we can see there is a negative linear association between age and muscle mass, i.e., with the age increasing, the muscle mass decreased.

(b) Yes, there is a linear association between Y and X.

Pearson Correlation Statistics (Fisher's z Transformation)									
Variable	With Variable	N	Sample Correlation	Fisher's z	Bias Adjustment	Correlation Estimate	95% Confidence Limits		p Value for H0:Rho=0
X	Y	60	-0.86606	-1.31711	-0.00734	-0.86422	-0.916926	-0.781872	<.0001

Through SAS proc corr procedure, we could know the correlation coefficient, $r = -0.87$ (95% C.I.: $-0.92, -0.78$), indicates a strong negative linear association with X and Y.

2) The bivariate analysis shows that there is a significant association between age and muscle mass ($p < .0001$); with the age increasing, the muscle mass decreased.

Parameter Estimates							
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t	95% Confidence Limits	
Intercept	1	156.34656	5.51226	28.36	<.0001	145.31257	167.38056
X	1	-1.19000	0.09020	-13.19	<.0001	-1.37054	-1.00945

$$\text{Beta1-hat} = -1.19 \mid \text{Beta0-hat} = 156.34656$$

Got from SAS output Table-Covariance of Estimates:

$$\text{Var}(\text{beta1-hat}) = 0.008 \mid \text{Var}(\text{beta0-hat}) = 30.385$$

Got from SAS output Table-Analysis of Variance:

$$(\text{Sigma-hat})^2 = 66.80$$

(d) Interpretation

$\hat{\beta}_1$: For each year increase in age, the expected muscle mass increase is -1.19 .

$\hat{\beta}_0$: when age = 0, the expected muscle mass is 156.347.

From SAS output above, we could get:

95% CI for $\hat{\beta}_0$ is (145.313, 167.381)

95% CI for $\hat{\beta}_1$ is (-1.371, -1.009)

(e).

① $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$ (not linearly associated)

$H_1: \beta_1 \neq 0$ (linearly associated)

② t-test.

$$T = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - 0}{\sqrt{\frac{s^2}{(n-1)s_x^2}}} \sim t_{n-2}$$

③ The test statistic's distribution is t-distribution with df = 58 under H_0

④ $T = -13.19$ with d.f. = 58

⑤ Conclusion:

$p\text{-value} < 0.0001$, we reject Null Hypothesis. So, the mean muscle mass is linearly associated with age.

(f). $\bar{x} = 59.98$, then I created $x_i^* = x_i - \bar{x}$ by using SAS. data procedure.

i:

Parameter Estimates							
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t	95% Confidence Limits	
Intercept	1	84.97063	1.05515	80.53	<.0001	82.85852	87.08275
xnew	1	-1.19000	0.09020	-13.19	<.0001	-1.37054	-1.00945

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{\beta}_0^* &= 84.97 & \hat{\sigma}^{*2} &= 66.30 \text{ (Got from ANOVA Table)} \\ \hat{\beta}_1^* &= -1.19\end{aligned}$$

ii. Interpretation:

β_1^* : For each year increasing in the mean age, the expected muscle mass increase is -1.19 .

β_0^* : When the age is equal to mean age, the expected muscle mass is 84.97 .

iii: From two SAS output above, we could know

the $\beta_1^* = \hat{\beta}_1$ and SE of $\beta_1^* =$ the SE of $\hat{\beta}_1$,

but the SE of β_0^* is far less than the SE of $\hat{\beta}_0$.

iv. the advantage of using X_i^* over X_i :

Using X_i^* gave us a smaller $\text{var}(\hat{\beta}_0)$ comparing using X_i directly, which means the model created by the second dataset is more accurate.

(g).

Analysis of Variance					
Source	DF	Sum of Squares	Mean Square	F Value	Pr > F
Model	1	11627	11627	174.06	<.0001
Error	58	3874.44750	66.80082		
Corrected Total	59	15502			

From the SAS output above, we could get:

$F = 174.06$ with $(1, 58)$ d.f.

Then we could know the straight-line regression of Y on X is significant ($p\text{-value} < 0.0001$).

2.

(a).

$$Y_i = \beta_1 X_i + \varepsilon_i$$

$$SSE = \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \beta_1 X_i)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta_1} SSE = 0$$

$$= -2 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i (Y_i - \beta_1 X_i) = 0$$

$$\text{Then } \sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i = \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2$$

$$\beta_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}$$

The estimator $\hat{\beta}_1$ is

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i Y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n X_i^2}$$

(b).

$$\begin{aligned} \text{mse}(\hat{\beta}_1) &= E[(\hat{\beta}_1 - \beta_1)^2] \\ &= \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_1) + \text{bias}(\hat{\beta}_1)^2 \end{aligned}$$

$\therefore \hat{\beta}_1$ is an unbiased estimator of β_1

$$\therefore \text{bias}(\hat{\beta}_1)^2 = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \therefore \text{mse}(\hat{\beta}_1) &= \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_1) \\ &= \frac{\sigma^2}{SSX} \end{aligned}$$

$$(c) \quad \hat{\beta}_1 \sim N\left(\beta_1, \frac{\sigma^2}{SSX}\right)$$

Prove:
$$\begin{aligned} E(\hat{\beta}_1) &= E\left(\sum_{i=1}^n k_i y_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i E(y_i) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n k_i (\beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n k_i \beta_0 + \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_1 x_i k_i \\ &= \beta_0 \sum_{i=1}^n k_i + \beta_1 \sum_{i=1}^n k_i x_i \\ &= \beta_0 \cdot 0 + \beta_1 \cdot 1 = \beta_1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_1) &= \text{Var}\left(\sum_{i=1}^n k_i y_i\right) = \sum_{i=1}^n \text{Var}(k_i y_i) \\ &= \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \cdot \text{Var}(y_i) \\ &= \sigma^2 \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n k_i^2 \\ &= \sigma^2 \sum_{i=1}^n \left(\frac{x_i - \bar{x}}{SSX}\right)^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{SSX} \\ \therefore \hat{\beta}_1 &\sim N\left(\beta_1, \frac{\sigma^2}{SSX}\right) \end{aligned}$$

3. (a).

Parameter Estimates							
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t	95% Confidence Limits	
weight	1	0.00527	0.00045806	11.50	<.0001	0.00428	0.00626

From proc reg procedure, $\hat{\beta}_1 = 0.00527$, $\hat{\sigma}^2 = 0.439$

① $H_0: \beta_1 = 0$

$H_1: \beta_1 \neq 0$

② Test Statistics:

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1}{\sqrt{\frac{\hat{\sigma}^2}{(n-1)S_x^2}}} = 11.50 \text{ with } df=12.$$

③ p-value < 0.0001

We reject H_0 , accept H_1 that $\beta_1 \neq 0$.

Also, we could see the 95% CI of β_1 doesn't include 0.

(b)

Parameter Estimates							
Variable	DF	Parameter Estimate	Standard Error	t Value	Pr > t	95% Confidence Limits	
Intercept	1	0.11598	2.50749	0.05	0.9639	-5.34737	5.57934
weight	1	0.00498	0.00615	0.81	0.4333	-0.00841	0.01837

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = 0.11598$$

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = 0.00498$$

Test for $\beta_0 = 0$:

From SAS output above, we could get

$$t = 0.05 \text{ with } df = 12$$

Then we get $p\text{-value} = 0.9639 > 0.05$.

So, we fail to reject H_0 , and $\beta_0 = 0$.

Test for $\beta_1 = 0$:

$$t = 0.81 \text{ with } df = 12,$$

Then we get $p\text{-value} = 0.4333 > 0.05$.

So, we fail to reject H_0 , and $\beta_1 = 0$.

There is no significant linear relationship between the rat body weights and latency to seizures.

(c). Findings: At (a) part, when we set $\beta_0 = 0$, we got a result that L and W has a linear relationship but when we accounted for β_0 at part (b), we got an adverse result, indicating that sometimes, the relationship may be spurious. if we failed to account all factors.

4.

$$t = \frac{N(0,1)}{\sqrt{\chi^2(p)/p}}$$

$$t \sim t_p$$

$$t^2 = \frac{N^2(0,1)}{\chi^2(p)/p} \sim \chi^2_{(1)}$$

$$= \frac{\chi^2_{(1)}/1}{\chi^2(p)/p}$$

$$\sim F(1, p)$$

$$t^2 = F(1, p)$$