

TNDS_2021_Comp_Across_Langs

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Set up libraries and working directory

```
knitr::opts_chunk$set(  
  echo = TRUE,  
  message = FALSE,  
  warnings = FALSE,  
  tidy.opts=list(width.cutoff=80),  
  tidy=TRUE  
)  
  
options(width = 80)  
setwd("C:/Users/keess/Box/TNDS Workshop/R")  
  
library(tidyverse)  
library(readxl)  
library(haven)  
library(plotrix)  
library(expss)  
library(moments)
```

Read in data

```
# load("Input_Data/workshop_data.RData")  
# write_csv(x = workshop_data, "Input_Data/workshop_data.csv")  
getwd() # workind directory is different in Rmarkdown than in an R script
```

```
## [1] "C:/Users/keess/Box/TNDS Workshop/R/R scripts"
```

```
# load("../..data for workshop/workshop_data.RData")  
df <- read_csv("../..data for workshop/workshop_data.csv")
```

Describe, view, and edit data once imported

```
names(df) # variable names in df
```

```
## [1] "study_id"      "study_arm"      "agedays"        "agemonths"      "gender"
## [6] "cgage"         "edu"            "av_weight"      "av_len"         "av_muac"
## [11] "_zwei"         "_zwfl"          "hfias_score"    "hfias_cat"      "ageyears"
```

```
nrow(df) # number of rows in df
```

```
## [1] 2653
```

```
ncol(df) # number of columns in df
```

```
## [1] 15
```

```
str(df) # structure
```

```
## tibble [2,653 x 15] (S3: spec_tbl_df/tbl_df/tbl/data.frame)
## $ study_id   : num [1:2653] 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
## $ study_arm  : num [1:2653] 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ agedays    : num [1:2653] 399 477 1506 429 527 ...
## $ agemoths   : num [1:2653] 13.1 15.7 49.5 14.1 17.3 ...
## $ gender     : num [1:2653] 1 1 1 1 0 0 0 1 0 0 ...
## $ cgage      : num [1:2653] 21 25 46 29 20 25 23 20 35 25 ...
## $ edu        : num [1:2653] 0 3 0 0 0 0 3 3 0 1 ...
## $ av_weight  : num [1:2653] 7.14 7.2 12.79 6.76 6.93 ...
## $ av_len     : num [1:2653] 70.6 70.6 103.3 68.2 72.3 ...
## $ av_muac    : num [1:2653] 11.8 11.9 11.9 12 12 ...
## $ _zwei      : num [1:2653] -2.95 -3.33 -2.06 -3.59 -3.19 -2.39 -2.91 -2.6 -2.89 -2.55 ...
## $ _zwfl      : num [1:2653] -2.26 -2.16 -2.89 -2.14 -2.53 -1.55 -1.96 -1.45 -2.15 -1.63 ...
## $ hfias_score: num [1:2653] 16 21 15 0 10 12 15 16 11 26 ...
## $ hfias_cat  : num [1:2653] 1 1 1 4 2 2 1 1 2 1 ...
## $ ageyears   : num [1:2653] 1.09 1.31 4.12 1.17 1.44 ...
## - attr(*, "spec")=
## .. cols(
## ..   study_id = col_double(),
## ..   study_arm = col_double(),
## ..   agedays = col_double(),
## ..   agemoths = col_double(),
## ..   gender = col_double(),
## ..   cgage = col_double(),
## ..   edu = col_double(),
## ..   av_weight = col_double(),
## ..   av_len = col_double(),
## ..   av_muac = col_double(),
## ..   '_zwei' = col_double(),
## ..   '_zwfl' = col_double(),
## ..   hfias_score = col_double(),
## ..   hfias_cat = col_double(),
## ..   ageyears = col_double()
## .. )
```

```
## find all unique values of gender
unique(df$gender)
```

```
## [1] 1 0 -99
```

```
# find the number of unique values of age in days
n_distinct(df$agedays)
```

```
## [1] 690
```

```
# the number of rows with complete observations
sum(complete.cases(df))
```

```
## [1] 2623
```

```
# the number of missing observations with agedays
sum(is.na(df$agedays))
```

```
## [1] 13
```

```
## lapply can take a function (like unique), and apply it to all columns of a dataframe (df)
unique_vals <- lapply(df, unique)
distinct_vals <- lapply(df, n_distinct)
## missing vals for each column:
missing <- lapply(df, function(x) sum(is.na(x)))
```

Generate and label variables and observations

```
# creating variables in base R: do simple operations on already existing variables
df$ageyears <- df$agedays/365.25
```

```
# you can also create completely new variables, like this nonsensical one below
df$nonsense <- "this variable means nothing"
```

```
# labelling categorical variables as factors
df$gender <- factor(df$gender, levels = c(-99, 0, 1),
                    labels = c("not documented", "female", "male"))
summary(df$gender)
```

```
## not documented      female      male
##                3      1523      1127
```

```
# let's do the same with edu level
df$edu <- factor(df$edu, levels = c(-99, 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5),
                 labels = c("not documented", "none", "some primary", "completed primary",
                           "some secondary", "completed secondary", "more than secondary"))
summary(df$edu)
```

```
##      not documented      none      some primary  completed primary
##              14          1419          574          59
##      some secondary completed secondary more than secondary
##              563          21          3
```

Get summary statistics

```
# simple base R summary function, giving min, mean, median, max, and Q1/Q3 for continuous variables, and
summary(df)
```

```
##      study_id      study_arm      agedays      agethmonths
## Min.   : 1      Min.   :1.000      Min.   : 171.0      Min.   : 5.622
## 1st Qu.:2595      1st Qu.:2.000      1st Qu.: 231.0      1st Qu.: 7.595
## Median :5115      Median :3.000      Median : 326.0      Median :10.718
## Mean   :4430      Mean   :2.611      Mean   : 403.1      Mean   :13.254
## 3rd Qu.:7624      3rd Qu.:4.000      3rd Qu.: 493.2      3rd Qu.:16.216
## Max.   :8500      Max.   :4.000      Max.   :1809.0      Max.   :59.474
##                                     NA's   :13      NA's   :13
##      gender      cgage      edu
## not documented: 3      Min.   : -99.00      not documented : 14
## female          :1523      1st Qu.: 21.00      none           :1419
## male            :1127      Median : 26.00      some primary   : 574
##                                     Mean    : 26.59      completed primary : 59
##                                     3rd Qu.: 32.00      some secondary  : 563
##                                     Max.    : 80.00      completed secondary: 21
##                                     more than secondary: 3
##      av_weight      av_len      av_muac      _zwei
## Min.   : 4.085      Min.   : 53.15      Min.   :11.50      Min.   : -6.140
## 1st Qu.: 5.955      1st Qu.: 63.55      1st Qu.:11.73      1st Qu.: -3.390
## Median : 6.510      Median : 66.85      Median :11.97      Median : -2.870
## Mean   : 6.677      Mean   : 68.03      Mean   :11.97      Mean   : -2.882
## 3rd Qu.: 7.220      3rd Qu.: 71.45      3rd Qu.:12.20      3rd Qu.: -2.330
## Max.   :15.010      Max.   :108.20      Max.   :12.47      Max.   : 1.260
## NA's    :1      NA's    :3      NA's    :17
##      _zwfl      hfias_score      hfias_cat      ageyears
## Min.   : -4.840      Min.   : 0.000      Min.   :1.0      Min.   :0.4682
## 1st Qu.: -2.270      1st Qu.: 1.000      1st Qu.:1.0      1st Qu.:0.6324
## Median : -1.790      Median :10.000      Median :2.0      Median :0.8925
## Mean   : -1.799      Mean   : 9.451      Mean   :2.4      Mean   :1.1037
## 3rd Qu.: -1.320      3rd Qu.:14.000      3rd Qu.:3.0      3rd Qu.:1.3504
## Max.   : 1.370      Max.   :27.000      Max.   :4.0      Max.   :4.9528
## NA's    :8      NA's    :9      NA's    :9      NA's    :13
```

```
# individual summary functions. We need to use the na.rm option to remove NA values, because if we don't
mean(df$agethmonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 13.254
```

```
median(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

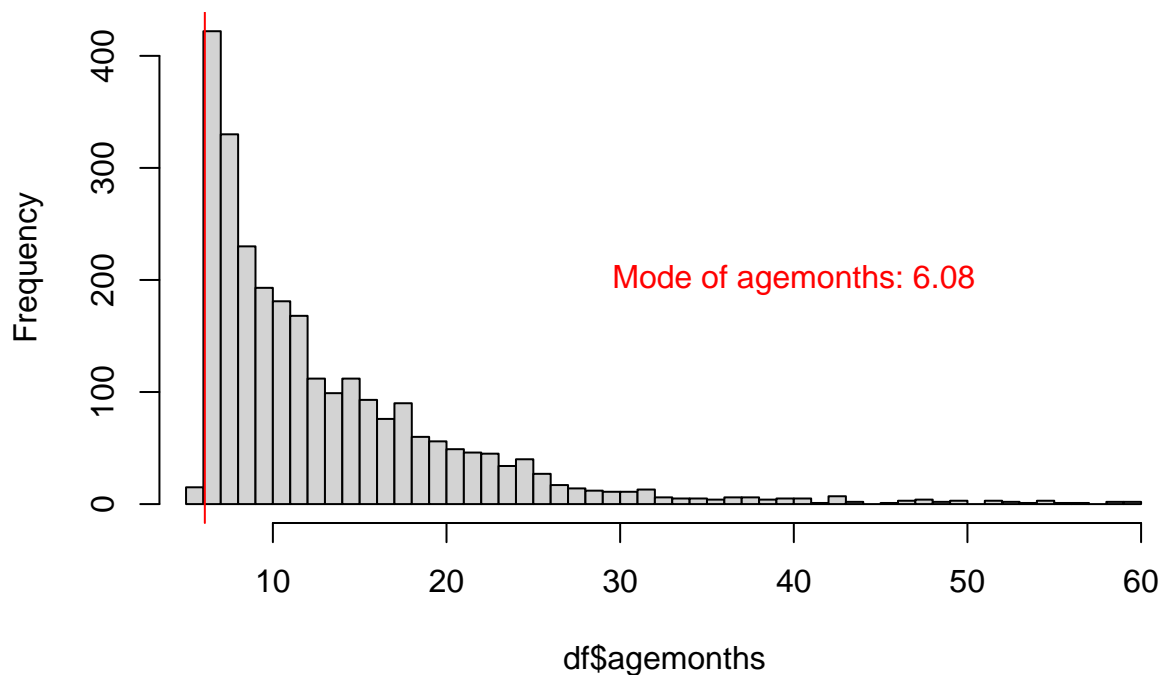
```
## [1] 10.7178
```

```
sd(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 7.900913
```

```
# no explicit function for the mode of a vector, but R allows you to make functions to suit whatever op  
getmode <- function(x){  
  uniquev <- unique(x)  
  uniquev[which.max(tabulate(match(x, uniquev)))]  
}  
hist(df$agemonths, breaks = 50, xlim = c(min(df$agemonths, na.rm = T), max(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)))  
abline(v = getmode(df$agemonths), col = "red")  
text(x = 40, y = 200, paste0("Mode of agemonths: ", round(getmode(df$agemonths), 2)), col = "red")
```

Histogram of df\$agemonths



```
## REMEMBER: getmode is not an actual R function, it is made up for the purposes of displaying R's func  
  
# some other useful aggregation functions. You can think of range as returning the results of min and m  
range(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 5.621912 59.473907
```

```
min(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 5.621912
```

```
max(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 59.47391
```

```
## skewness and kurtosis are from the "moments" package  
skewness(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 2.149153
```

```
kurtosis(df$agemonths, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 9.280115
```

```
quantile(df$agemonths, probs = c(.10, .25, .50, .75, .90), na.rm = T)
```

```
##      10%      25%      50%      75%      90%  
## 6.542459 7.594512 10.717796 16.216421 22.921619
```

```
# ?quantile()
```

Frequency table with row/column percentages

```
# to make a table, use the table function. You can then input two vectors that you want to cross-tabulate  
mytable <- table(df$gender, df$edu)  
mytable
```

```
##  
##      not documented none some primary completed primary  
## not documented      0   2         0           0  
## female             8 820        336          31  
## male               6 597        238          28  
##  
##      some secondary completed secondary more than secondary  
## not documented      1         0           0  
## female            315        11           2  
## male              247        10           1
```

```
# tidyverse function that does the same thing. Input your data frame (df), and the variable that you want to count  
count(df, gender, sort = T)
```

```
## # A tibble: 3 x 2
##   gender      n
##   <fct>    <int>
## 1 female    1523
## 2 male      1127
## 3 not documented    3
```

```
# can also tabulate by multiple variables
count(df, gender, edu, sort = T)
```

```
## # A tibble: 16 x 3
##   gender      edu      n
##   <fct>    <fct>    <int>
## 1 female    none      820
## 2 male      none      597
## 3 female    some primary  336
## 4 female    some secondary 315
## 5 male      some secondary 247
## 6 male      some primary   238
## 7 female    completed primary  31
## 8 male      completed primary   28
## 9 female    completed secondary  11
## 10 male     completed secondary  10
## 11 female    not documented    8
## 12 male      not documented    6
## 13 not documented none      2
## 14 female    more than secondary  2
## 15 not documented some secondary  1
## 16 male      more than secondary  1
```

```
# only needed if we haven't already defined labels for our variables
# rownames(mytable) = c("missing", "male", "female")
# colnames(mytable) = c("missing", "none", "primary school", "secondary school",
#                        "some high school", "some college", "graduate school")
```

```
# back to our original, base R tables:
# summarize table across rows with margin.table
margin.table(mytable, 1)
```

```
##
## not documented      female      male
##           3          1523      1127
```

```
# summarize table across columns
margin.table(mytable, 2)
```

```
##
## not documented      none      some primary  completed primary
##           14          1419          574          59
## some secondary completed secondary more than secondary
##           563          21          3
```

```
# margin.table aggregates your data across the dimension that you provide (where 1 = sum across rows, a
# calculate row percentages
round(prop.table(mytable, 1), 2)
```

```
##
##           not documented none some primary completed primary
## not documented      0.00 0.67      0.00      0.00
## female             0.01 0.54      0.22      0.02
## male               0.01 0.53      0.21      0.02
##
##           some secondary completed secondary more than secondary
## not documented      0.33      0.00      0.00
## female             0.21      0.01      0.00
## male               0.22      0.01      0.00
```

```
# calculate column percentages
round(prop.table(mytable, 2), 2)
```

```
##
##           not documented none some primary completed primary
## not documented      0.00 0.00      0.00      0.00
## female             0.57 0.58      0.59      0.53
## male               0.43 0.42      0.41      0.47
##
##           some secondary completed secondary more than secondary
## not documented      0.00      0.00      0.00
## female             0.56      0.52      0.67
## male               0.44      0.48      0.33
```

```
# prop.table calculates row and column percentages, based on the dimension you give it (1 = row percent
# the round function is just there to reduce the number of significant figures we keep
```

Convert continuous to categorical variables with if/then statements

```
## tidyverse version. ifelse is a vectorized if/else statement, meaning it applies if/else logic across
df_cat <- df %>%
  mutate(hfias_cat = ifelse(hfias_score < 1, 4,
                            ifelse(hfias_score >= 1 & hfias_score < 10, 3,
                                    ifelse(hfias_score >= 10 & hfias_score < 14, 2,
                                            ifelse(hfias_score >= 14, 1, NA)))))
  hfias_cat = factor(hfias_cat))

## base r version. We are indexing all of the columns where our conditions are satisfied, and assigning
df$hfias_cat[df$hfias_score < 1] <- 4
df$hfias_cat[df$hfias_score >= 1 & df$hfias_score < 10] <- 3
df$hfias_cat[df$hfias_score >= 10 & df$hfias_score < 14] <- 2
```



```
df$hfias_cat[df$hfias_score >= 14] <- 1

## save your output as a permanent RData file with the save function
save(df_cat, file = "../output/output_df.RData")

## or save as a csv
write.csv(df_cat, file = "../output/output_df.csv")

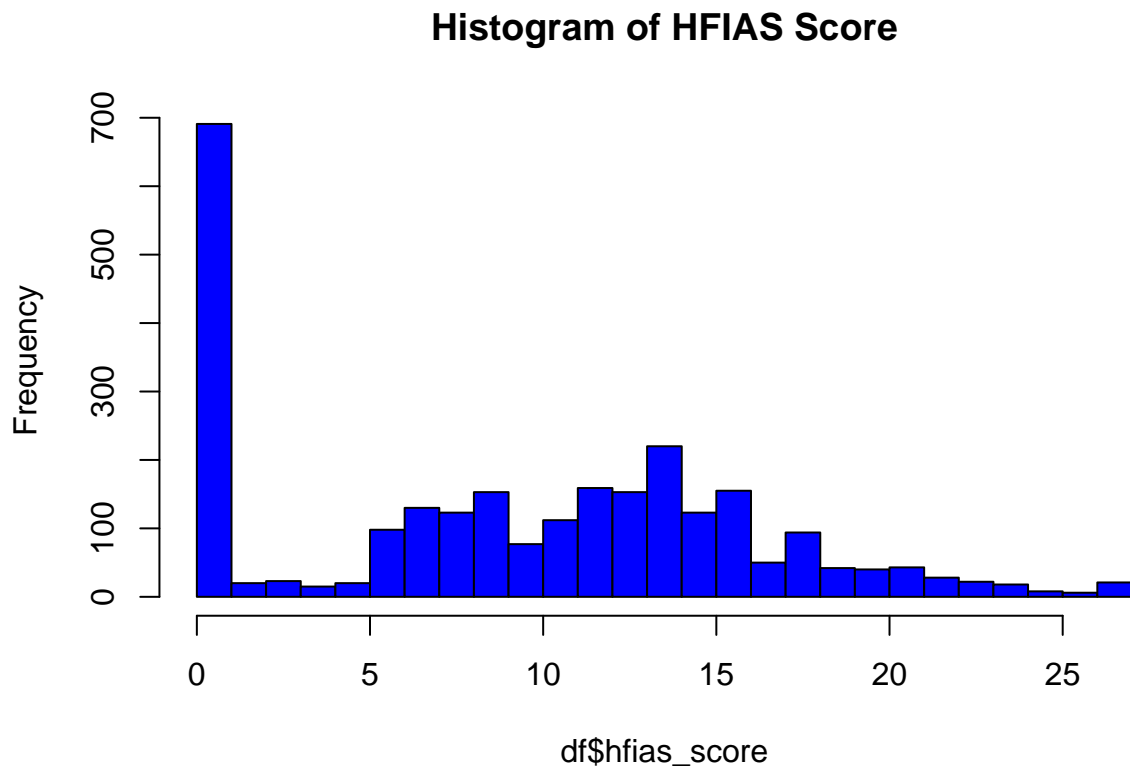
## csv files are more memory intensive than RData files, so if you are working with large data sets, us
```

Producing a histogram to inspect variables

```
n_distinct(df$hfias_score)

## [1] 29

## use breaks to specify the number of bins you want in your histogram.
hist(df$hfias_score, breaks = 29, main = "Histogram of HFIAS Score",
     freq = TRUE, col = "blue")
```



```
# as each score has its own bin, this is technically a barplot, just made with the hist() function
```

Comparison tests (t-test and Wilcoxon)

```
df_ttest <- df[df$gender == "female" | df$gender == "male",]

# simple unpaired t test
t.test(df_ttest$av_len ~ df_ttest$gender, conf.level = 0.95, paired = FALSE, var.equal = FALSE)

##
## Welch Two Sample t-test
##
## data: df_ttest$av_len by df_ttest$gender
## t = -5.4411, df = 2337.4, p-value = 5.848e-08
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -1.7902305 -0.8416832
## sample estimates:
## mean in group female mean in group male
## 67.46464 68.78060

# simple Wilcoxon rank sum
wilcox.test(df_ttest$av_len ~ df_ttest$gender, conf.int = T, conf.level = 0.95, exact = F,
            correct = T)

##
## Wilcoxon rank sum test with continuity correction
##
## data: df_ttest$av_len by df_ttest$gender
## W = 736851, p-value = 8.454e-10
## alternative hypothesis: true location shift is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## -1.7500611 -0.9000049
## sample estimates:
## difference in location
## -1.300048
```

Measures of association (pearson vs. spearman)

```
mean(df$av_len, na.rm = T)
```

```
## [1] 68.02908
```

```

# pearson correlation
p_corr <- cor(df$av_weight, df$av_len, use = "complete.obs", method = c("pearson"))
# spearman correlation
s_corr <- cor(df$av_weight, df$av_len, use = "complete.obs", method = c("spearman"))
p_corr

```

```
## [1] 0.9449736
```

```
s_corr
```

```
## [1] 0.9309364
```

Simple Linear Regression

```

## using complete observations for the sake of simplicity
df_mod <- df[complete.cases(df),]

# model of average length compared to weight
length_model <- lm(av_len ~ av_weight, data = df_mod)
summary(length_model) # get description of model

```

```

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = av_len ~ av_weight, data = df_mod)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -8.9180 -1.2868 -0.0845  1.2361 10.2290
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) 30.05976    0.25404   118.3  <2e-16 ***
## av_weight    5.68820    0.03765   151.1  <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.967 on 2621 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.897, Adjusted R-squared:  0.897
## F-statistic: 2.283e+04 on 1 and 2621 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16

```

```

# calculate prediction intervals for your model
pred_ints <- predict(length_model, interval = "prediction", level = 0.95)

```

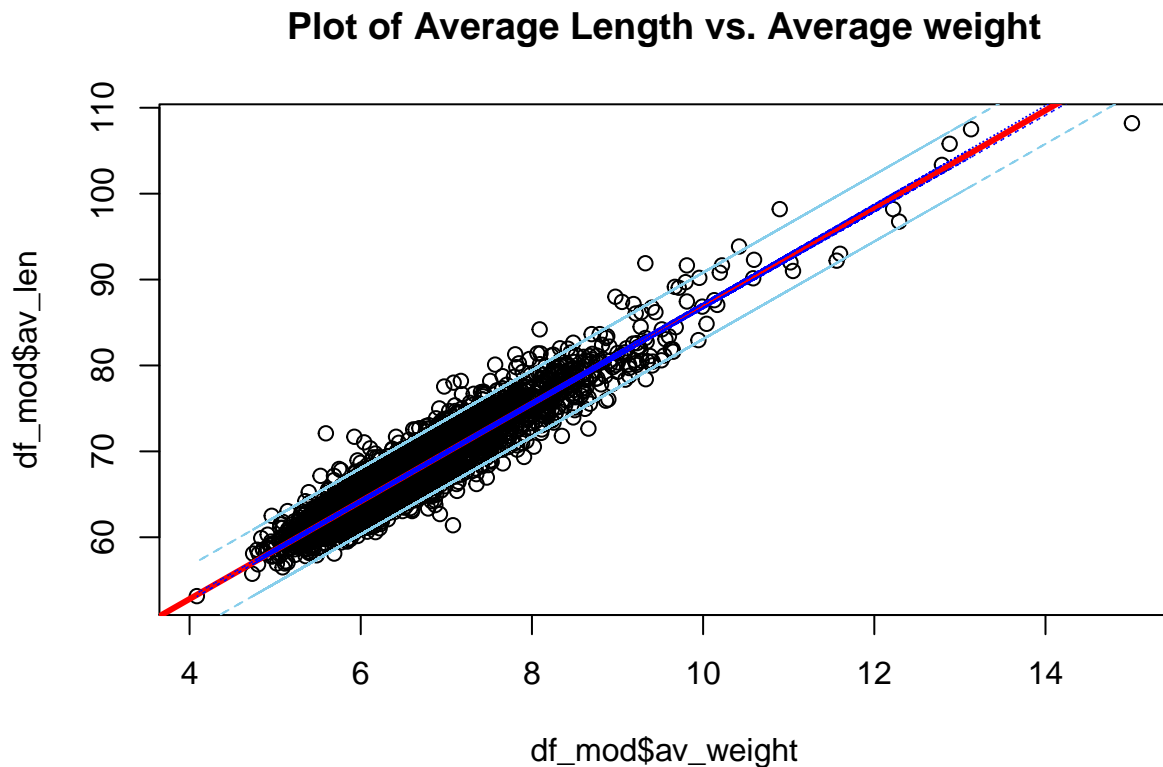
```
## Warning in predict.lm(length_model, interval = "prediction", level = 0.95): predictions on current d
```

```

# calculate confidence intervals as well
conf_ints <- predict(length_model, interval = "confidence", level = 0.95)

# plot model with prediction and confidence intervals, along with model fit
plot(df_mod$av_weight, df_mod$av_len, main = "Plot of Average Length vs. Average weight")
abline(length_model, col = "red", lwd = 3)
lines(df_mod$av_weight, pred_ints[,2], col = "skyblue", lty = 2)
lines(df_mod$av_weight, pred_ints[,3], col = "skyblue", lty = 2)
lines(df_mod$av_weight, conf_ints[,2], col = "blue", lty = 3)
lines(df_mod$av_weight, conf_ints[,3], col = "blue", lty = 3)

```



Multivariable Linear Regression

```

library(car)
library(MASS)
library(corrplot)

# if you want to look at the correlations between variables
# corrplot(cor(df_mod[c("av_len", "av_weight", "hfias_score", "av_muac")], method = "pearson"))

mv_length_model <- lm(av_len ~ av_weight + gender + edu + hfias_score + av_muac, data = df_mod)
summary(mv_length_model)

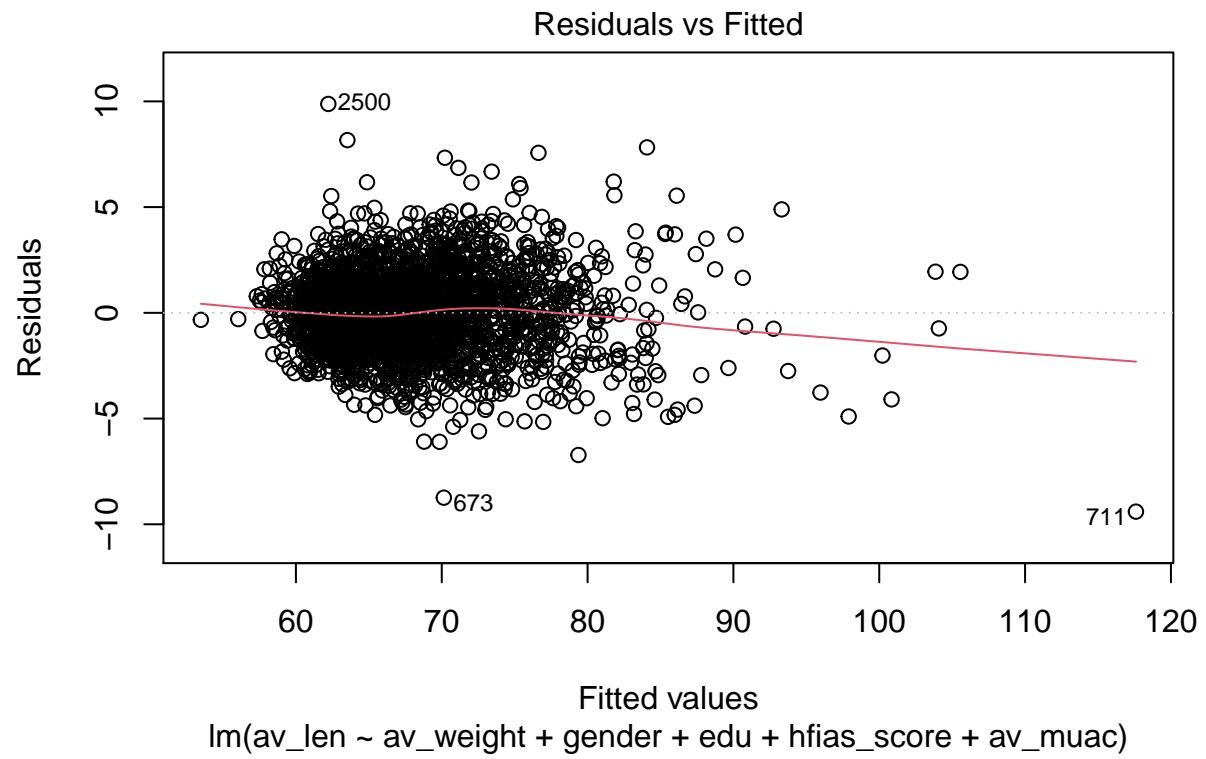
```

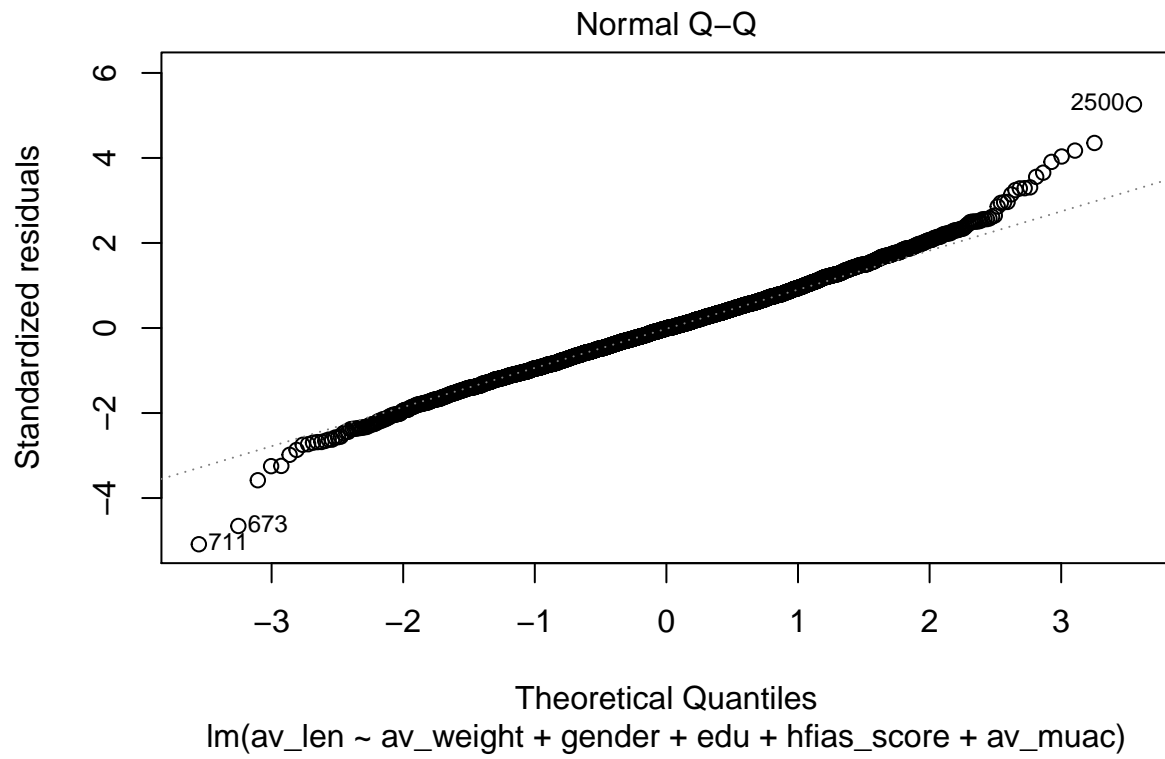
```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = av_len ~ av_weight + gender + edu + hfias_score +
##     av_muac, data = df_mod)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.4016 -1.1998 -0.0151  1.1311  9.8783
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)    54.461058   1.741776   31.268 < 2e-16 ***
## av_weight       5.898436   0.038474  153.311 < 2e-16 ***
## gendermale     -0.321876   0.075036   -4.290 1.85e-05 ***
## edunone         0.586457   0.524135    1.119  0.263
## edusome primary  0.630966   0.528072    1.195  0.232
## educompleted primary 0.715381   0.577402    1.239  0.215
## edusome secondary 0.601719   0.528418    1.139  0.255
## educompleted secondary 0.685406   0.664244    1.032  0.302
## edumore than secondary 0.413619   1.204779    0.343  0.731
## hfias_score     0.007117   0.005307    1.341  0.180
## av_muac        -2.200577   0.143265  -15.360 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 1.88 on 2612 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9063, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9059
## F-statistic: 2527 on 10 and 2612 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

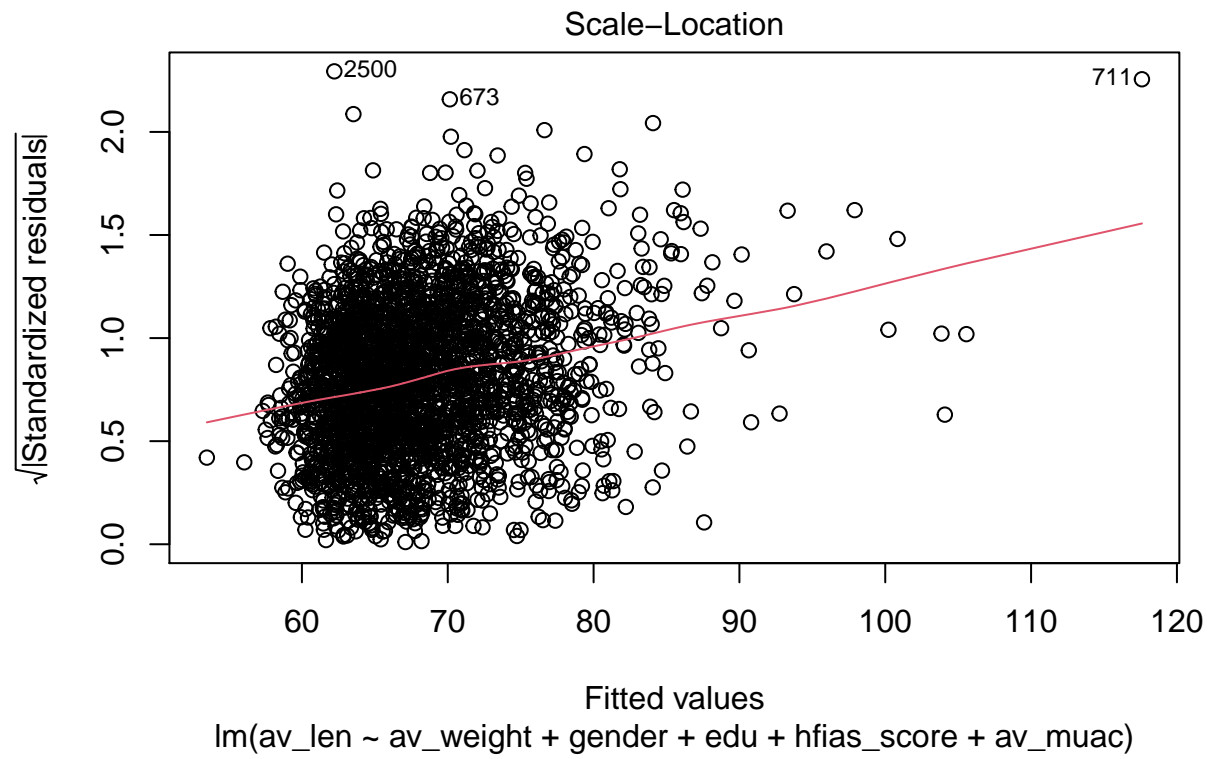
```
## to check linear model assumptions
vif(mv_length_model) # variance inflation factor
```

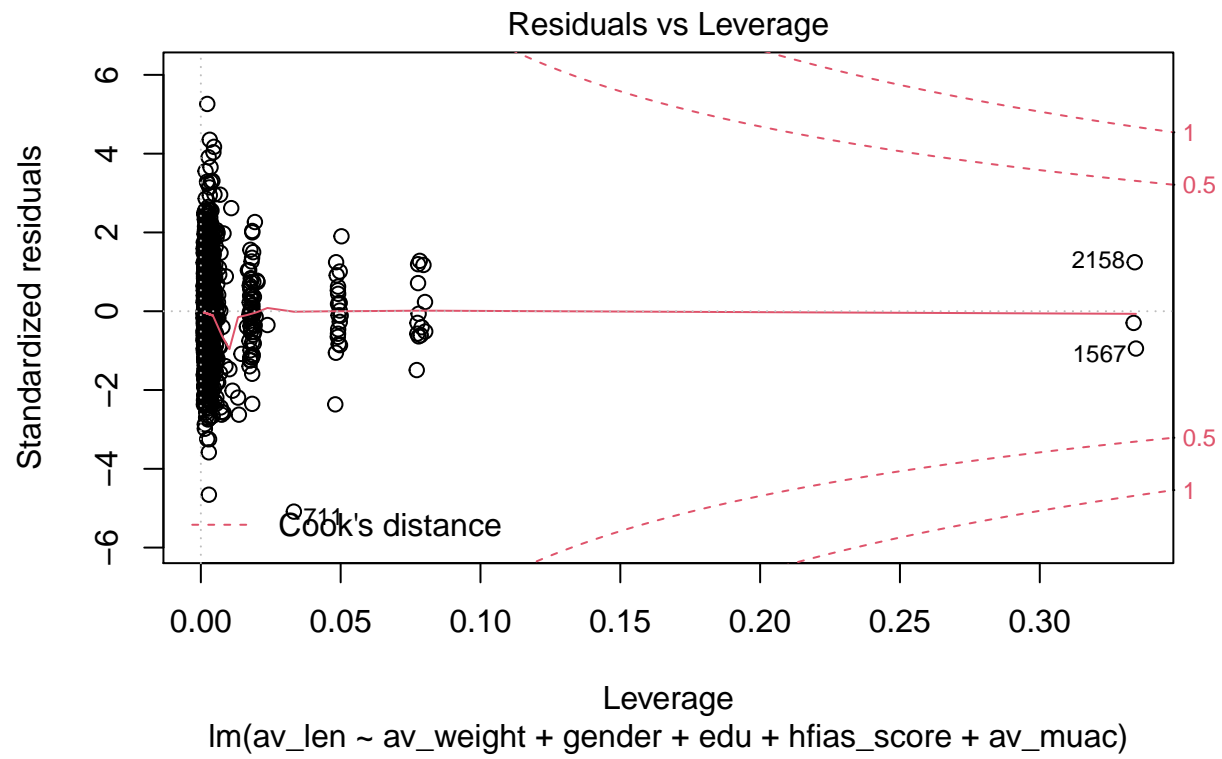
```
##              GVIF Df GVIF^(1/(2*Df))
## av_weight    1.144008  1      1.069583
## gender       1.021336  1      1.010612
## edu          1.035453  6      1.002907
## hfias_score  1.032338  1      1.016041
## av_muac      1.119802  1      1.058207
```

```
plot(mv_length_model) # plots residuals vs fitted, normal q-q, cook's distance, and std residuals
```



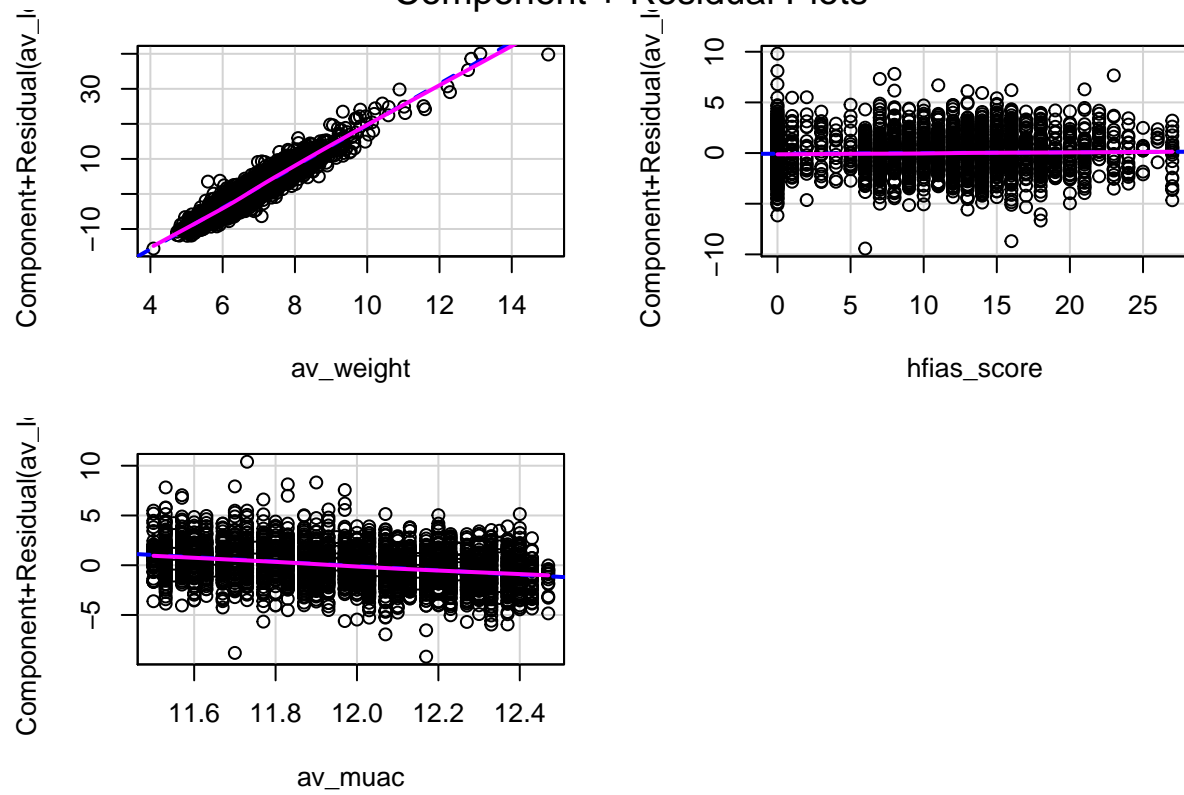






```
crPlots(mv_length_model, terms = ~av_weight + hfias_score + av_muac, smooth = T)
```

Component + Residual Plots



shows the smoothed relationship of each variable with the outcome of interest