

SAS Interactive Model Building using SAS Visual Statistics 7.5
Practice Questions

You have a regression model effect that represents the total amount of sales. In addition to that, you would like to create a model effect that represents the average amount of sales. Which option should you use?

- A. Create an aggregated measure using the Avg aggregation on total amount of sales.
- B. Create a calculated item that divides total amount of sales by the total amount of items sold.
- C. Create a calculated item by duplicating the original model effect and changing its default aggregation to Average.
- D. Create an aggregated measure using the Sum aggregation of total amount of sales divided by the Sum aggregation of total amount of items sold.

correct_answer = "C"

Your company has a dataset that represents global sales. You are a part of a team of analysts that each have responsibility for a certain region of the world. You decide to create a data source filter to suppress every region but yours. What effect will this have on any new explorations that your teammates create?

- A. It will delete all observations that do not match your region.
- B. It will have no effect on any observations in the dataset.
- C. It will suppress all observations that do not match your region.
- D. It will suppress all observations that do not match their corresponding region.

correct_answer = "B"

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Which equation does **NOT** represent a linear model?

Note: b_i are parameters and X_i are variables.

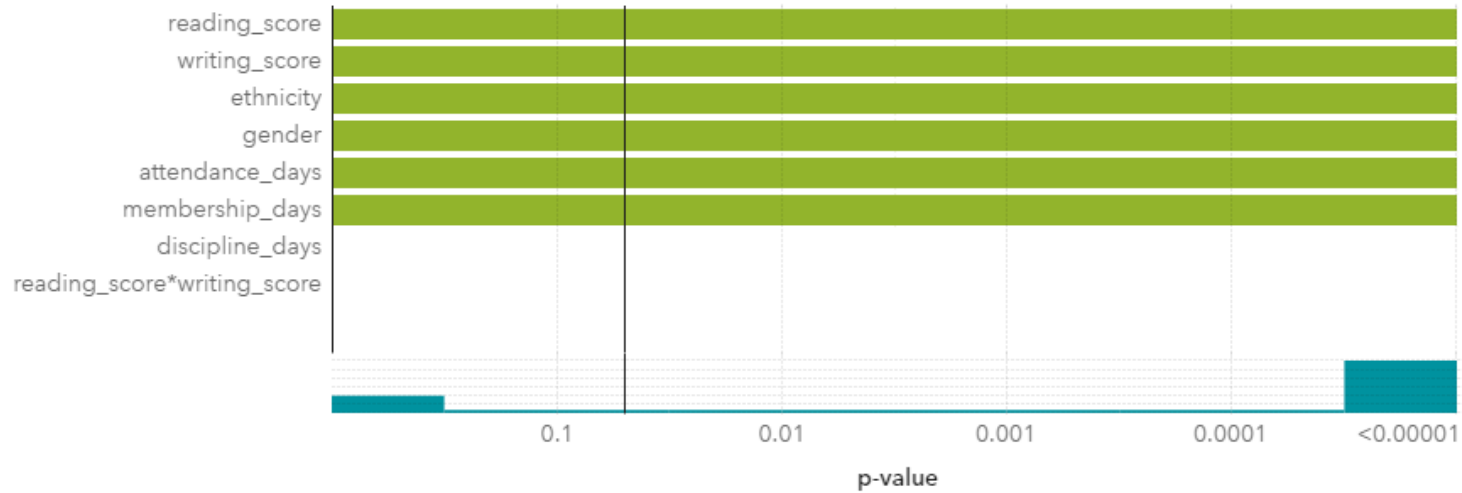
- A. $y = b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_2$
- B. $y = b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_2 + b_3(X_1X_2)$
- C. $y = b_0 + b_1X_1 + (b_2/b_1)X_2$
- D. $y = b_0 + b_1X_1 + b_2X_1^3$

correct_answer = "C"

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Refer to the exhibit:

Fit Summary



< Dimensions Overall ANOVA Fit Statistics Parameter Estimates Type III Test Selection Info Selection Summary Assessment >

| Description | Value |
|----------------------------------|--------|
| Number of Model Effects | 9 |
| Number of Classification Effects | 2 |
| Number of Columns in X | 14 |
| Rank of Cross-product Matrix | 10 |
| Number of Observations Read | 40,087 |
| Number of Observations Used | 8,826 |

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Which option was **NOT** specified in creating the linear regression model using SAS Visual Statistics?

- A. interaction term
- B. group-by variable
- C. variable selection
- D. continuous effects

correct_answer = "B"

Refer to the exhibit:

| Name | Minimum | Maximum | Average | Sum |
|---------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|--------------|
| Promotion Count Card All Months | 2.00 | 56.00 | 19.01 | 2,025,133.00 |
| Status Category Star All Months | 0.00 | 1.00 | 0.54 | 57,596.00 |
| Target Gift Amount | 1.00 | 200.00 | 15.62 | 832,355.70 |
| Target Gift Amount with Zero | 0.00 | 200.00 | 7.81 | 832,355.70 |
| Target Gift Flag | 0.00 | 1.00 | 0.50 | 53,273.00 |

More information

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|------------------------------|---------------|
| Standard Deviation: | 12.44 |
| Standard Error: | 0.05 |
| Variance: | 154.85 |
| Distinct Count: | 70 |
| Number Missing: | 53,273 |
| Total Observations: | 53,273 |
| Skewness: | 5.1680 |
| Kurtosis: | 52.8002 |
| Coefficient of Variation: | 79.6447 |
| Uncorrected Sum of Squares: | 21,254,307.28 |
| Corrected Sum of Squares: | 8,249,295.14 |
| T-statistic (for Average=0): | 289.7987 |
| P-value (for T-statistic): | <0.0001 |



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Which is the modeling approach that should be used when fitting the **Target Gift Amount** variable?

- A. Linear regression model with Interaction effects.
- B. Generalized linear model with a Poisson distribution and Identity link.
- C. Generalized linear model with a Normal distribution and Log Link.
- D. Logistic regression model.

correct_answer = "C"

You perform a logistic regression on a multinomial response variable in SAS Visual Statistics that has 3 levels: Small, Medium, Large. "Large" is specified as the event. Which statement is true?

- A. The other levels are grouped into one non-event.
- B. An ordinal logistic regression is performed.
- C. A multinomial logistic regression is performed.
- D. The other levels are offset to account for exposure.

correct_answer = "A"

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Refer to the exhibit from a linear regression model in SAS Visual Statistics.

| Dimensions | Overall ANOVA | Fit Statistics | Parameter Estimates | Type III Test | Assessment | Assessment Statistics |
|------------|---------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|------------|-----------------------|
| Parameter | | | Estimate | Standard Error | t Value | Pr > t |
| Intercept | | | 102.9345 | 12.40326 | 8.298987 | <0.00001 |
| Age | | | -0.22697 | 0.099837 | -2.27343 | 0.03224 |
| MaxPulse | | | 0.303217 | 0.136495 | 2.221449 | 0.03601 |
| RestPulse | | | -0.02153 | 0.066054 | -0.326 | 0.74725 |
| RunPulse | | | -0.36963 | 0.119853 | -3.08401 | 0.00508 |
| RunTime | | | -2.62865 | 0.384562 | -6.83544 | <0.00001 |
| Weight | | | -0.07418 | 0.054593 | -1.35873 | 0.18687 |

Based on the table above and assuming a significance level of 0.05, what can be concluded about the linear regression model?

- A. The Intercept is an important predictor of the response.
- B. RestPulse is a significant predictor of the response.
- C. For one one-unit increase in RunTime, there is an expected increase in the response of 2.6287.
- D. For a .03696 unit decrease in RunPulse, there is an expected one-unit increase in the response.

correct_answer = "C"

You would like to compare multiple models that you've built in SAS Visual Statistics. Which parameters must be the same for all models being compared?

(Choose 3)

- A. Data Source

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- B. Assessment Bins
- C. Model Type
- D. Event Level
- E. Response Variable
- F. Link Function

correct_answer = "A,D,E"

Which model does **NOT** produce score code?

- A. Decision Tree using interactive mode
- B. Regression using interaction effects
- C. Regression using the group by option
- D. Decision Tree using the rapid growth option

correct_answer = "A"