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INSTRUCTION : ANSWER ALL QUESTIONS

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- (ii) Test whether the model is significant. Use $\alpha = 0.05$. Comment on the proportion of total variability in cost explained by the model. (6 marks)
- (iii) Based on the values of DFBETAS and DFFITS for the last eight observations in **Table Q2(b)** below, identify which observations are potential outliers. Justify your answer.

Table Q2(b) Values of DFBETAS and DFFITS

Observation	Y (RM)	DFBETAS	DFFITS
13	462	0.4281	-0.4980
14	5928	0.5656	0.6215
15	2766	-0.0033	-0.0140
16	2597	-2.7095	-2.8525
17	5552	0.1899	0.5091
18	5623	0.2512	0.4363
19	3225	0.0105	0.0476
20	3616	-0.1426	0.2389

(5 marks)

Q3 A house developer company wants to investigate the influencing factors when the customers buy a house. The developer went to a local real estate agency and obtained the data consisting of the following variables:

- Y = selling price of house (RM'000)
- X_1 = age of house (years)
- X_2 = lot size (100 square feet)
- X_3 = number of bedrooms
- $X_4 = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if intermediate lot} \\ 0 & \text{if corner lot} \end{cases}$



Refer to **Appendix 2** for the computer output.

- (a) Write down the fitted regression function. (2 marks)
- (b) If the customer plan to buy a 5 year old intermediate house that has a lot size of 1400 square feet and 4 bedrooms, what price would you expect? (3 marks)
- (c) Does an increase in lot size by 100 square feet change the sales price by RM5000? Test by using the appropriate hypothesis. Use $\alpha = 0.05$. (5 marks)

- (d) Do the number of bedrooms and location of a lot cause changes in the mean sales price? Test $H_0: \beta_3 = \beta_4 = 0$ vs H_1 : not both β_3 and β_4 equal zero. Use $\alpha = 0.05$.
(10 marks)

Q4 A researcher studied the effects of the charge rate and temperature on the life of a new type of power cell in a preliminary small-scale experiment. The charge rate (X_1) was controlled at three levels (0.6, 1.0 and 1.4 amperes) and the ambient temperature (X_2) was controlled at three levels (10, 20, 30°C). Factors pertaining to the discharge of the power cell were held at fixed levels. The life of power cell, Y was measured in terms of the number of discharge-charge cycles that a power cell underwent before it failed. The researcher was not sure about the nature of the response function in the range of the factors studied. Hence, the researcher decided to fit the second order polynomial regression model. Refer to the **Appendix 3** for the computer output.

- (a) Write down the estimated regression function.
(2 marks)
- (b) Synthesize the information of model adequacy based on residual plots.
(4 marks)
- (c) Since there are replications in predictor variables, conduct an appropriate test to check whether the second order polynomial regression model is a good fit. Use $\alpha = 0.05$
(10 marks)
- (d) Test whether a first order model would be sufficient or not. Use $\alpha = 0.05$.
(10 marks)

Q5 Creatinine clearance (Y) is an important measure of kidney function, but it is difficult to obtain in a clinical office setting because it requires 24-hours urine collection. To determine whether this measure can be predicted from some data that are easily available, a kidney specialist obtained the data from 33 male subjects. The predictor variables are serum creatinine concentration (X_1), age (X_2) and weight (X_3).

Describe how to conduct the following model selection procedure using the above data as a reference (no calculation is necessary). Include graphs/plots and hypothetical results if necessary. Also discuss the advantage and disadvantage of each method.

- (a) The all possible regression method using the adjusted R^2 criterion.
(6 marks)
- (b) Forward Stepwise regression methods
(6 marks)

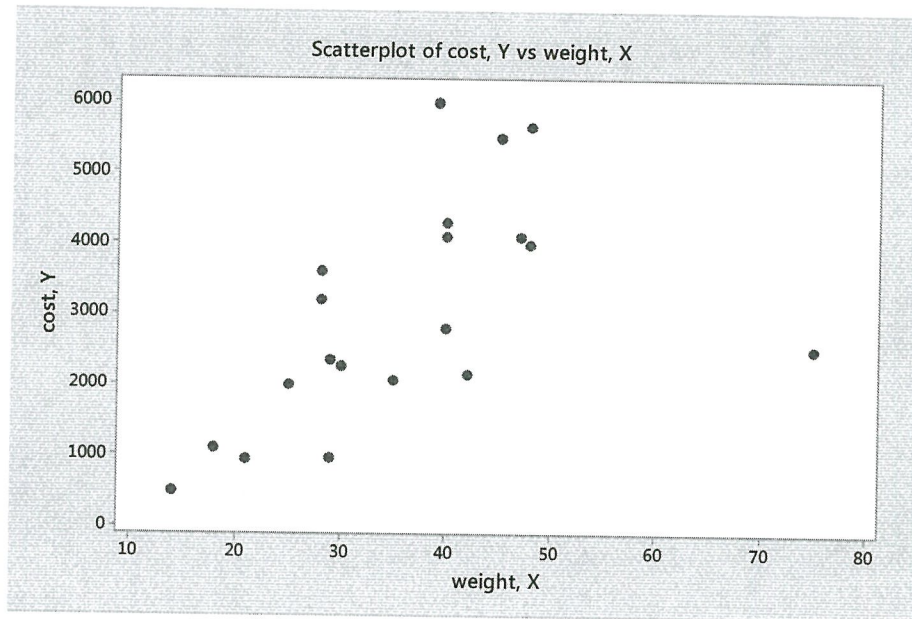
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APPENDIX 1



Model Summary^b

Model	R	R Square	Adjusted R Square	Std. Error of the Estimate
1	0.485 ^(a)	0.235	0.195	1315.9668

^a Predictors : (Constant), Weight of Metal (kg)

^b Dependent Variable : Cost per Unit (RM)

ANOVA^(b)

Model	Sum of Squares	df	Mean Square	F	Sig.
1 Regression	10119820	1	10119820	5.536	0.023 ^a
Residual	32903607	18	1827978.17		
Total	43023427	19			

^a Predictors : (Constant), Weight of Metal (kg)

^b Dependent Variable : Cost per Unit (RM)

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APPENDIX 2

Model	Unstandardized Coefficients	
	β	Std. Error
1 Constant	36.74	62.14
X_1	8.917	3.044
X_2	0.527	1.312
X_3	61.46	13.70
X_4	-147.70	19.05

Analysis of Variance

Model	Sum of Squares	df
1 Regression	145778	4
Residual	1487	7
Total	145778	11

SSR	Extra Sum of Squares	df
X_1	128143	1
$X_2 X_1$	1223	1
$X_3 X_1, X_2$	3646	1
$X_4 X_1, X_2, X_3$	12766	1

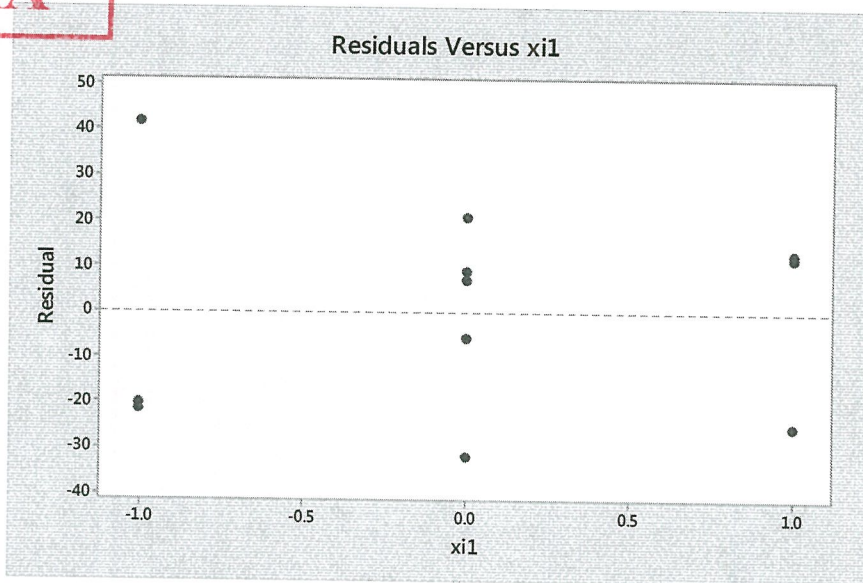
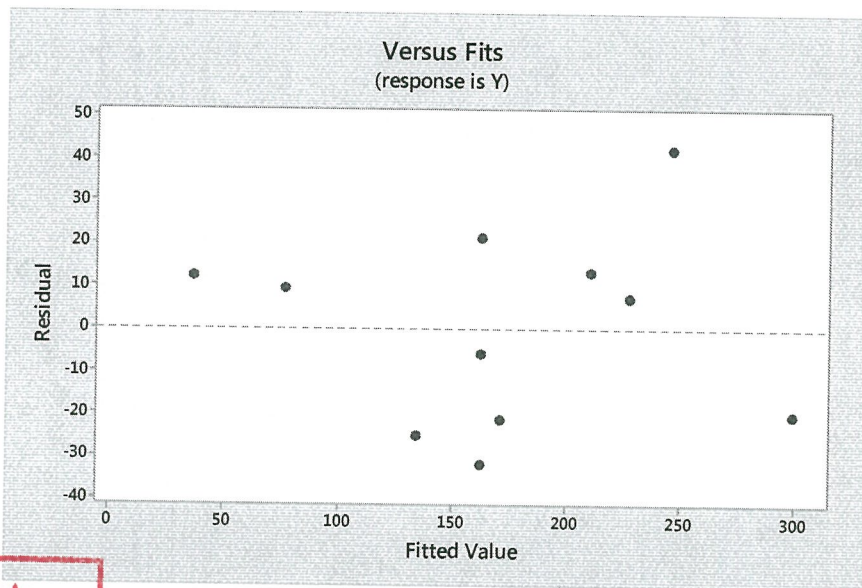
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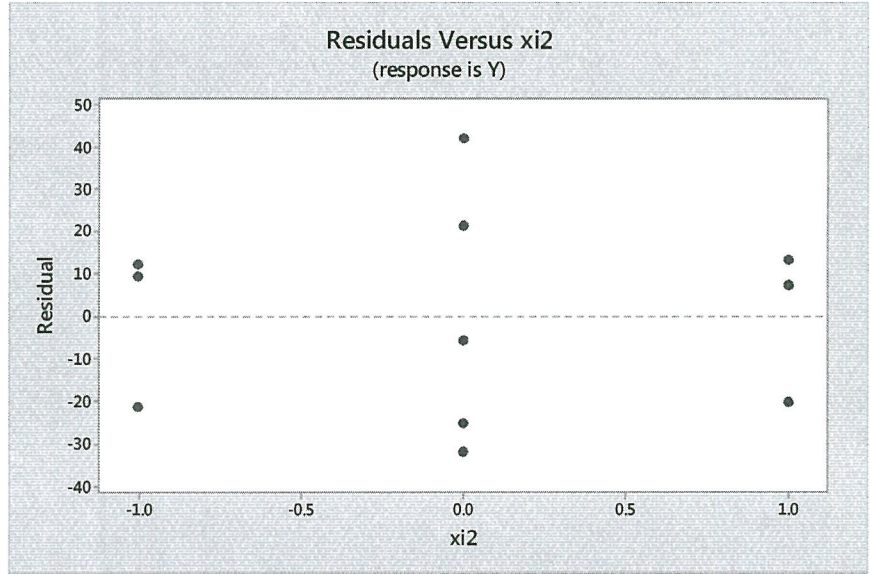
Data Power Cells

Sample, i	Y_i	X_{i1}	X_{i2}	Coded Values		x_{i1}^2	x_{i2}^2	$x_{i1}x_{i2}$
				x_{i1}	x_{i2}			
1	150	0.6	10	-1	-1	1	1	1
2	86	1.0	10	0	-1	0	1	0
3	49	1.4	10	1	-1	1	1	-1
4	288	0.6	20	-1	0	1	0	0
5	157	1.0	20	0	0	0	0	0
6	131	1.0	20	0	0	0	0	0
7	184	1.0	20	0	0	0	0	0
8	109	1.4	20	1	0	1	0	0
9	279	0.6	30	-1	1	1	1	-1
10	235	1.0	30	0	1	0	1	0
11	224	1.4	30	1	1	1	1	1



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Regression Analysis: Y versus x_{i1} , x_{i2} , x_{i1}^2 , x_{i2}^2 , x_1x_2

Analysis of Variance

Source	DF	Adj SS	Adj MS	F-Value	P-Value
Regression	5	55365.6	11073.1	10.57	0.011
Error	5	5240.4	1048.1		
Total	10	60606.0			
Lack-of-Fit	3	3835.8	1278.6	1.82	0.374
Pure Error	2	1404.7	702.3		

Model Summary

Root MSE	R-sq	R-sq(adj)
32.3742	91.35%	82.71%

Coefficients

Variable	DF	Coef	SE Coef	T-Value	P-Value	VIF
Constant	1	162.8	16.6	9.81	0.000	
x_{i1}	1	-55.8	13.2	-4.22	0.008	1.00
x_{i2}	1	75.5	13.2	5.71	0.002	1.00
x_{i1}^2	1	27.4	20.3	1.35	0.236	1.08
x_{i2}^2	1	-10.6	20.3	-0.52	0.624	1.08
x_1x_2	1	11.5	16.2	0.71	0.509	1.00

Variable	DF	Extra Sum of Squares
Constant	1	325424
x_{i1}	1	18704
x_{i2}	1	34202
x_{i1}^2	1	1645.9667
x_{i2}^2	1	284.9280
x_1x_2	1	529.0

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