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We are now ready to go from the simple linear regression model, with one predictor variable, to multiple linear regression models, with more than one predictor variable. Let's start by presenting the statistical model, and get to estimating it in just a moment. We consider the problem of regression when the study variable depends on more than one explanatory or independent variables, called a multiple linear regression model. A sound understanding of the multiple regression model will help you to understand these other applications. Factors are included in multiple linear regression using dummy variables, which are typically terms that have only two values, often zero and one, indicating which category is present for a particular observation.

**Simple Linear and Multiple Regression.** The following data gives us the selling price, square footage, number of bedrooms, and age of house (in years) that have sold in a neighborhood in the past six months. The simple linear regression states a linear relationship between two variables  $x$  and  $y$ . In a linear regression model, there are: † a response variable  $y$  which is normally distributed; † an independent (covariate, or explanatory) variable  $x$  which is deterministic; † the expected value of  $y$  linearly depends on  $x$ .

**Third, multiple regression offers our first glimpse into statistical models that use more than two quantitative variables.** **Multiple Linear Regression.** In a linear regression model, there are: † a response variable  $y$  which is normally distributed; † a set of independent variables  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_p$  which are deterministic; † the expected value of  $y$  linearly depends on the independent variables.

Linear regression analysis provides us with the best fitting straight line ( $Y = b_0 + b_1X$ , where  $b_1$  = slope and  $b_0$  = intercept) through our data points. This primer presents the necessary theory and gives a practical outline of the technique for bivariate and multivariate linear regression models.

**Second, multiple regression is an extraordinarily versatile calculation, underlying many widely used Statistics methods.** When there are more than one explanatory variables, multiple linear regression is a generalized form of simple linear regression, in which the data contains multiple explanatory variables. **SLR** The simple linear regression states a linear relationship between two variables  $x$  and  $y$ . In this tutorial, we will be covering the basics of linear regression, doing both simple and multiple regression models. The following multiple regression is a logical extension of the principles of simple linear regression to situations in which there are several predictor variables. For instance if we have two single quantitative explanatory variables, simple linear regression is the most commonly considered analysis method. (The "simple" part tells us we are only considering a single explanatory variable.) In linear regression we usually have many different values of the explanatory variable, and we usually assume that values are independent. In multiple linear regression the model is extended to include more than one explanatory variable ( $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_p$ ) producing a multivariate model. This model generalizes the simple linear regression in two ways. A categorical predictor with two or more levels is called a factor. We can write a multiple regression model like this, numbering the predictors arbitrarily (we don't care which one is), writing  $\beta_j$ 's for the model coefficients (which we will estimate).

Regression is a procedure which selects, from a certain class of functions, the one which best fits a given set of empirical data (usually presented as a table of  $x$  and  $y$  values). When there is only one independent variable in the linear regression model, the model is generally termed as a simple linear regression model. **The Y** Simple Linear and Multiple Regression. In this tutorial, we will be covering the basics of linear regression, doing both simple and multiple regression models.