

[301] Regression

(and numpy)

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Dictionary

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re·gres·sion

/rə'greʃ(ə)n/

noun

1. a return to a former or less developed state.

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2. **STATISTICS**

a measure of the relation between the mean value of one variable (e.g., output) and corresponding values of other variables (e.g., time and cost).

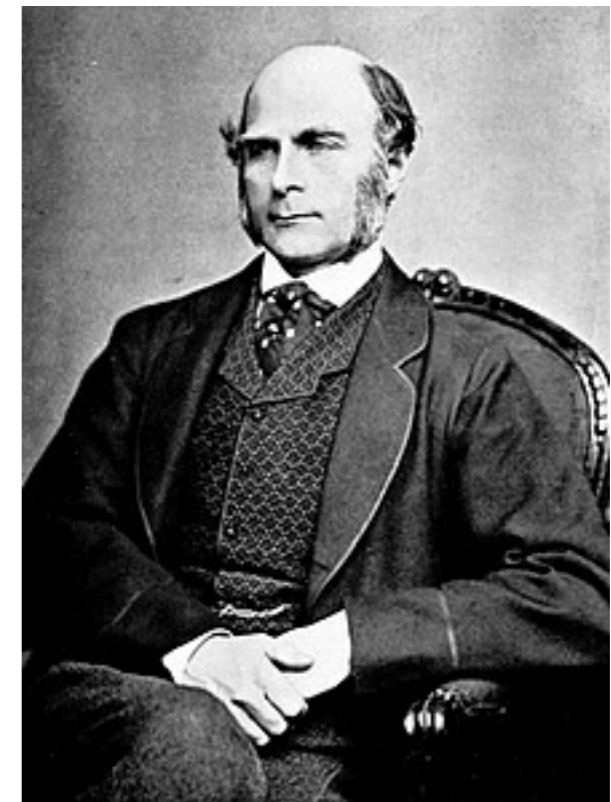
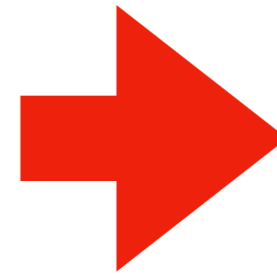


Translations, word origin, and more definitions

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History of Regression

Francis Galton

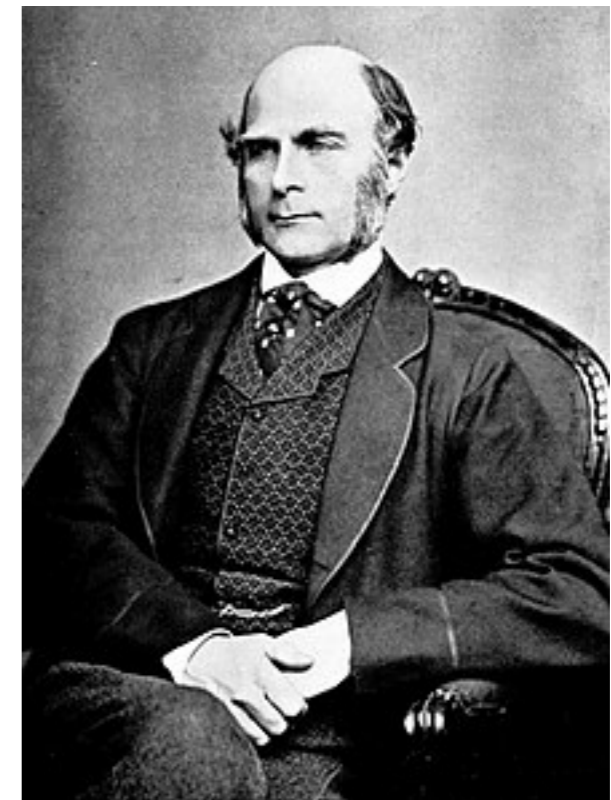
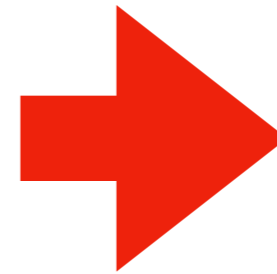


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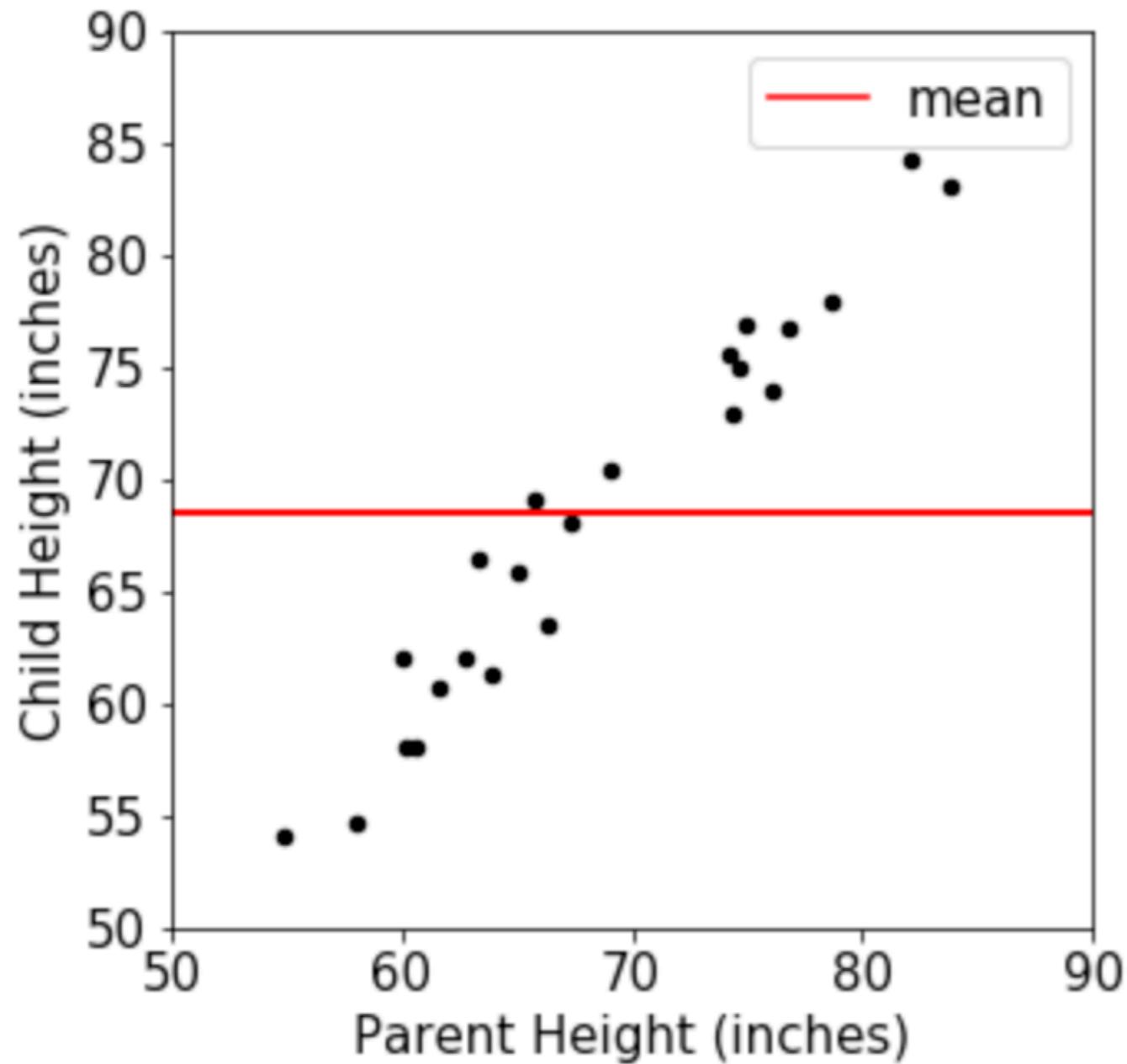


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What kind of plot should we make?

Result you might expect

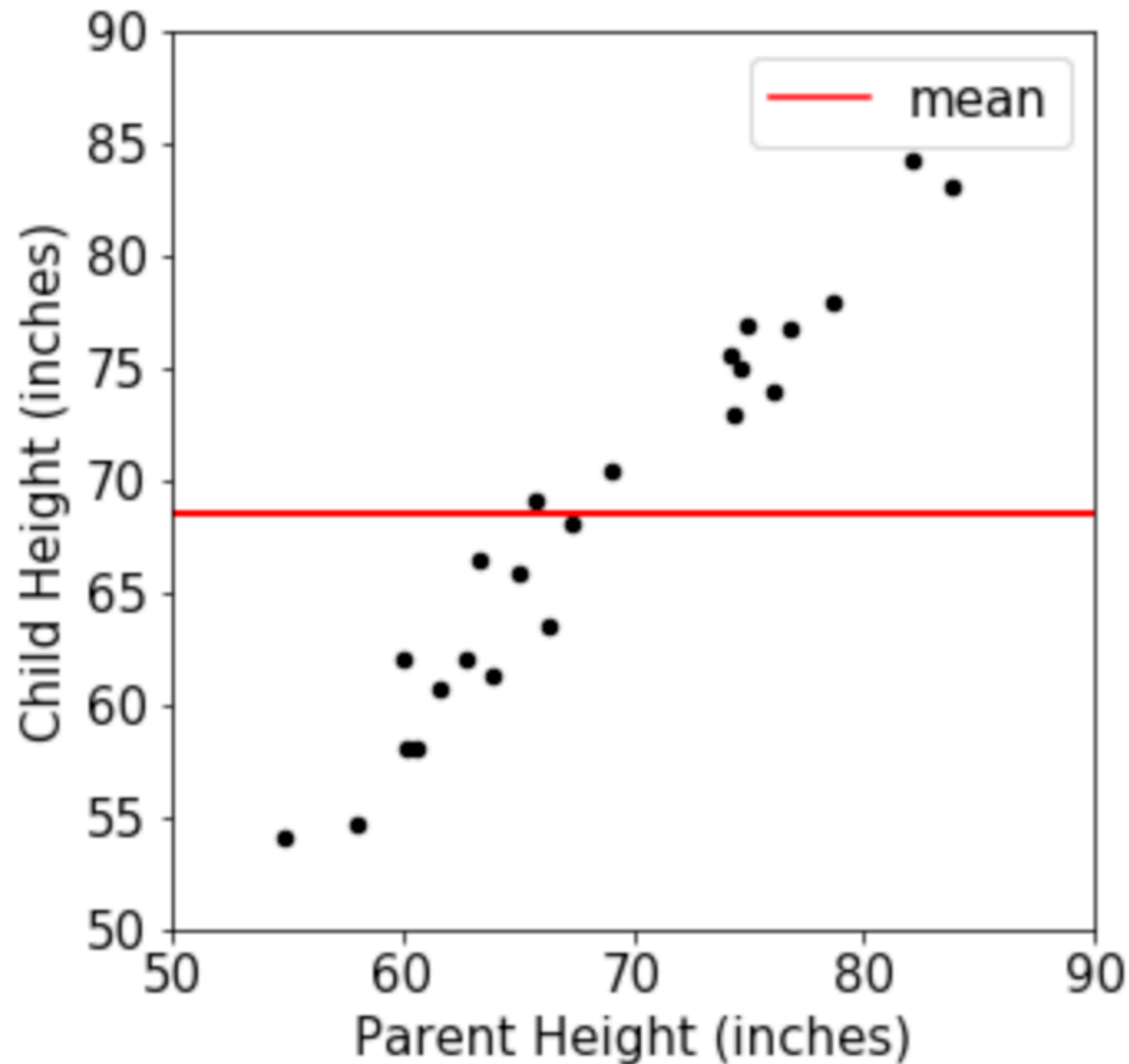


Observation:

- child height equals parent height (plus some noise)

Note: all these height plots contain fake data

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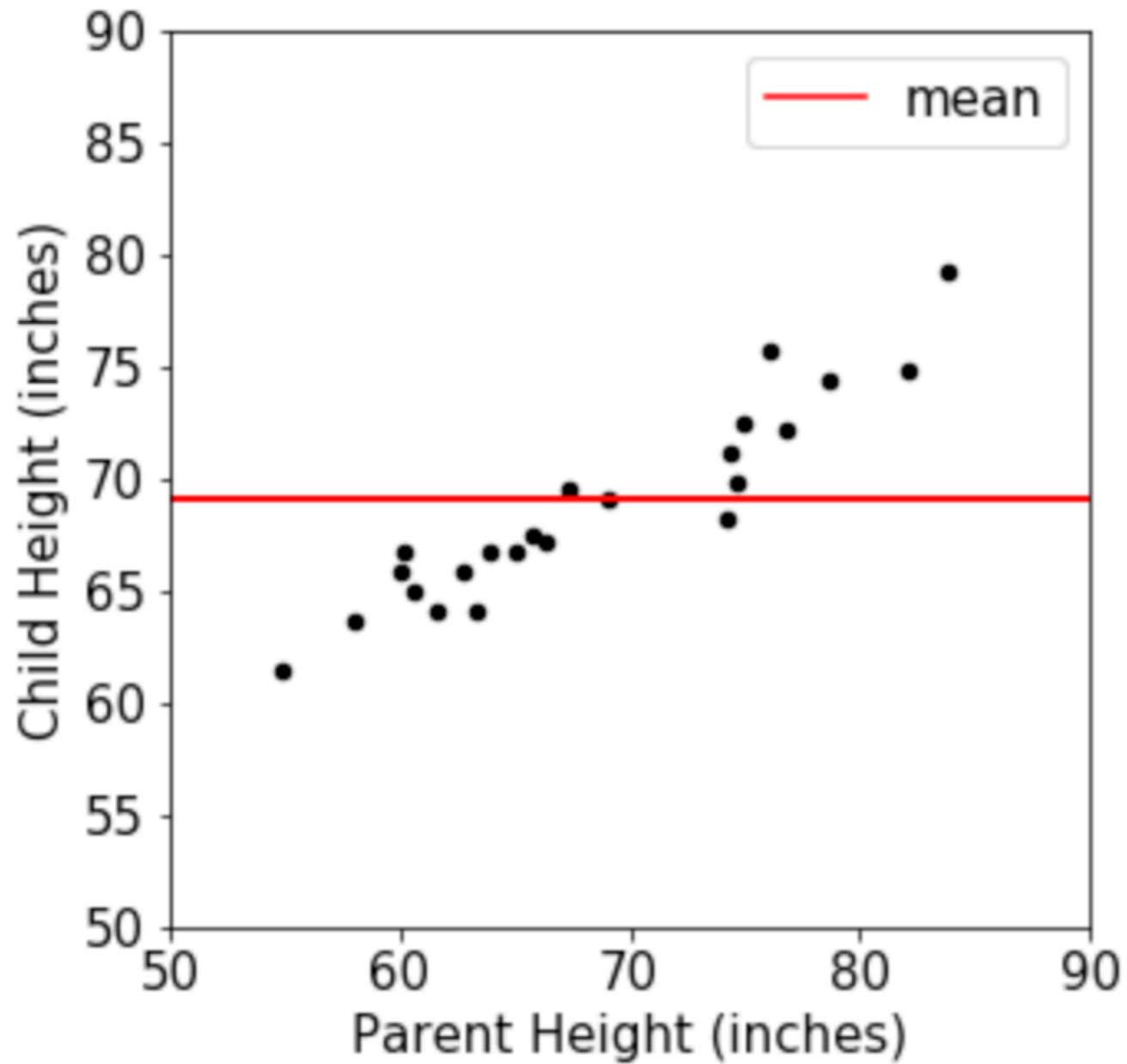
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What about other factors?

- height of other parent
- nutrition
- etc

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More realistic results

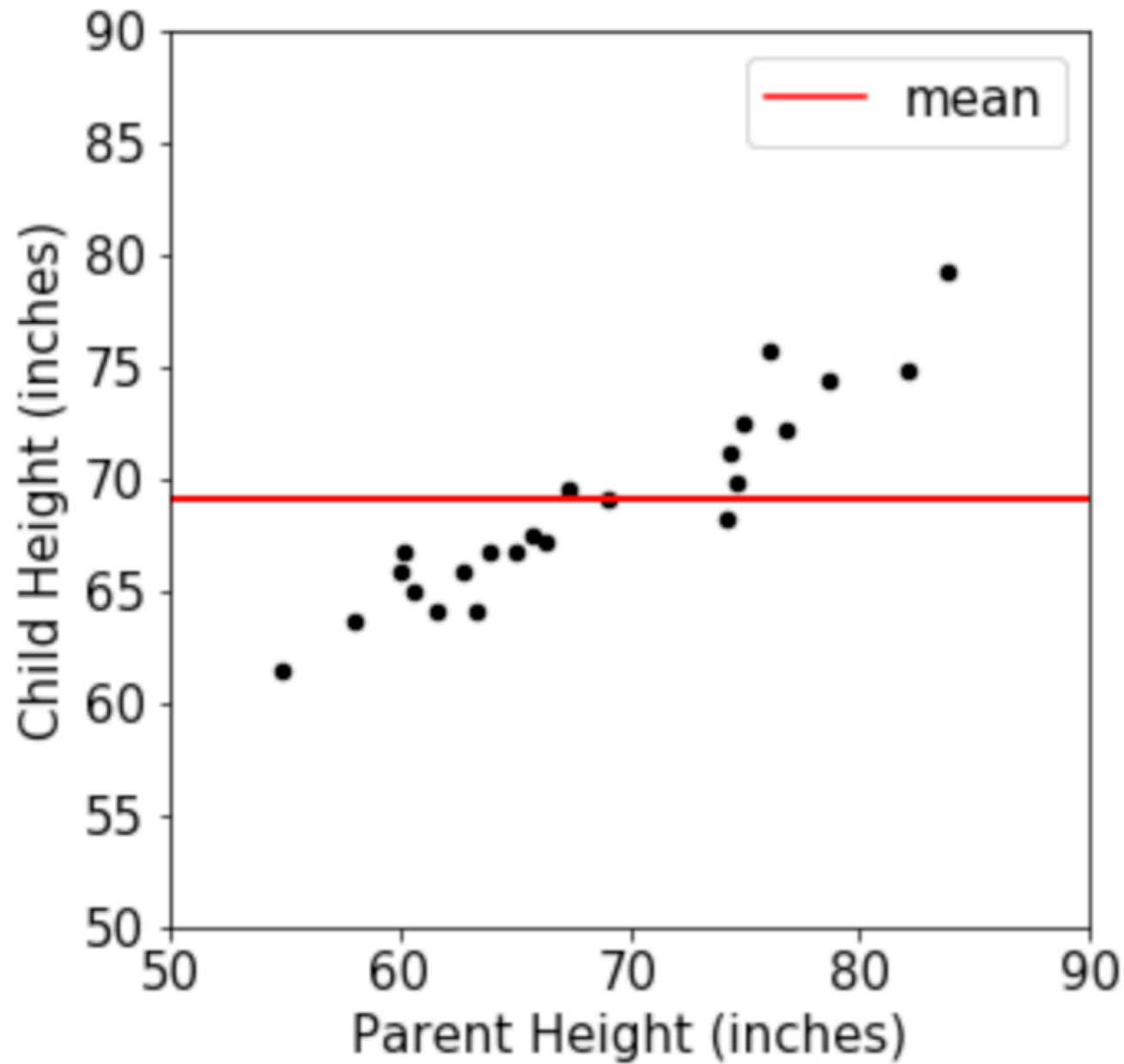


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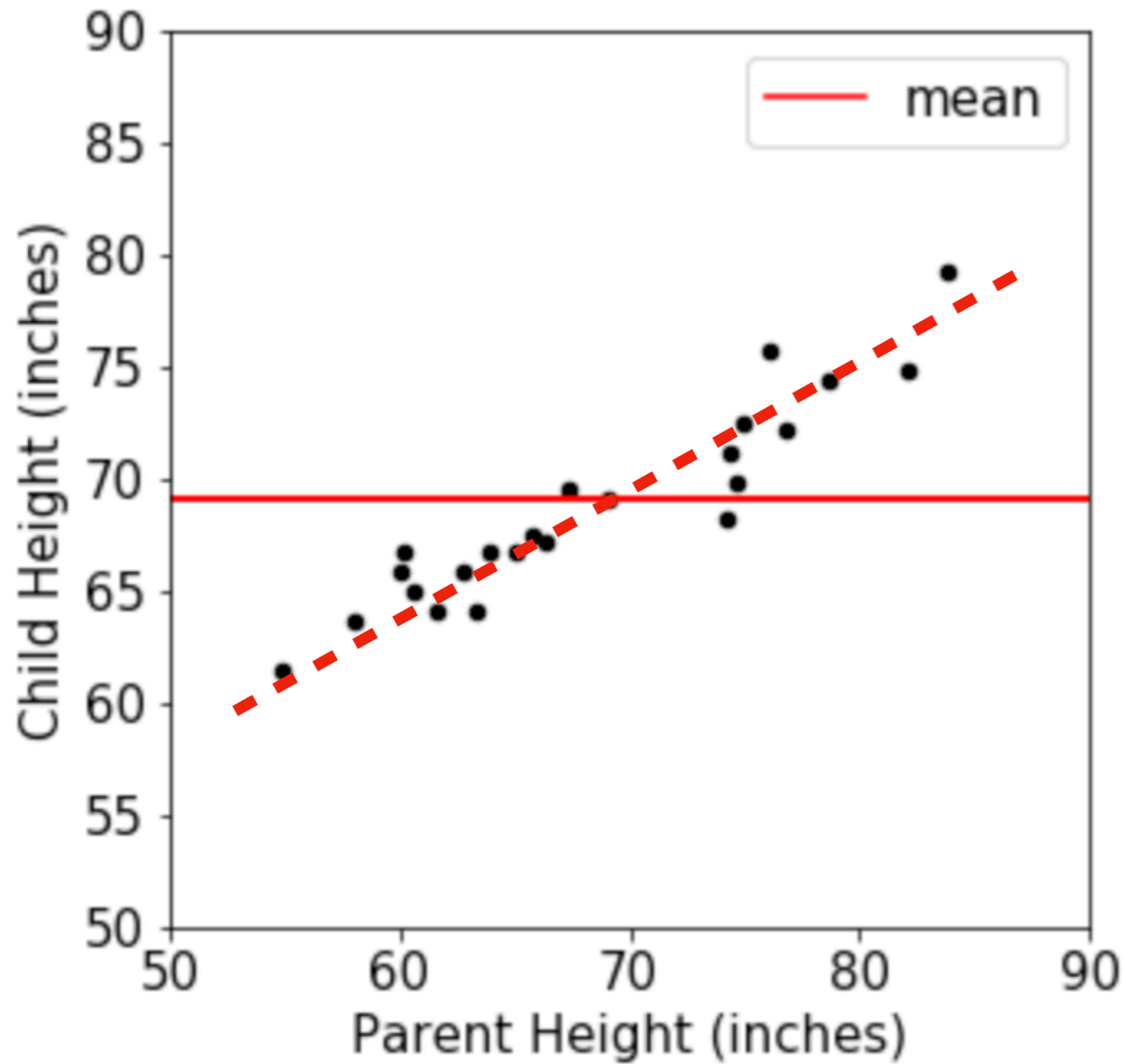
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Nowadays, “**regression**” can refer to any fitting of a line to the points.

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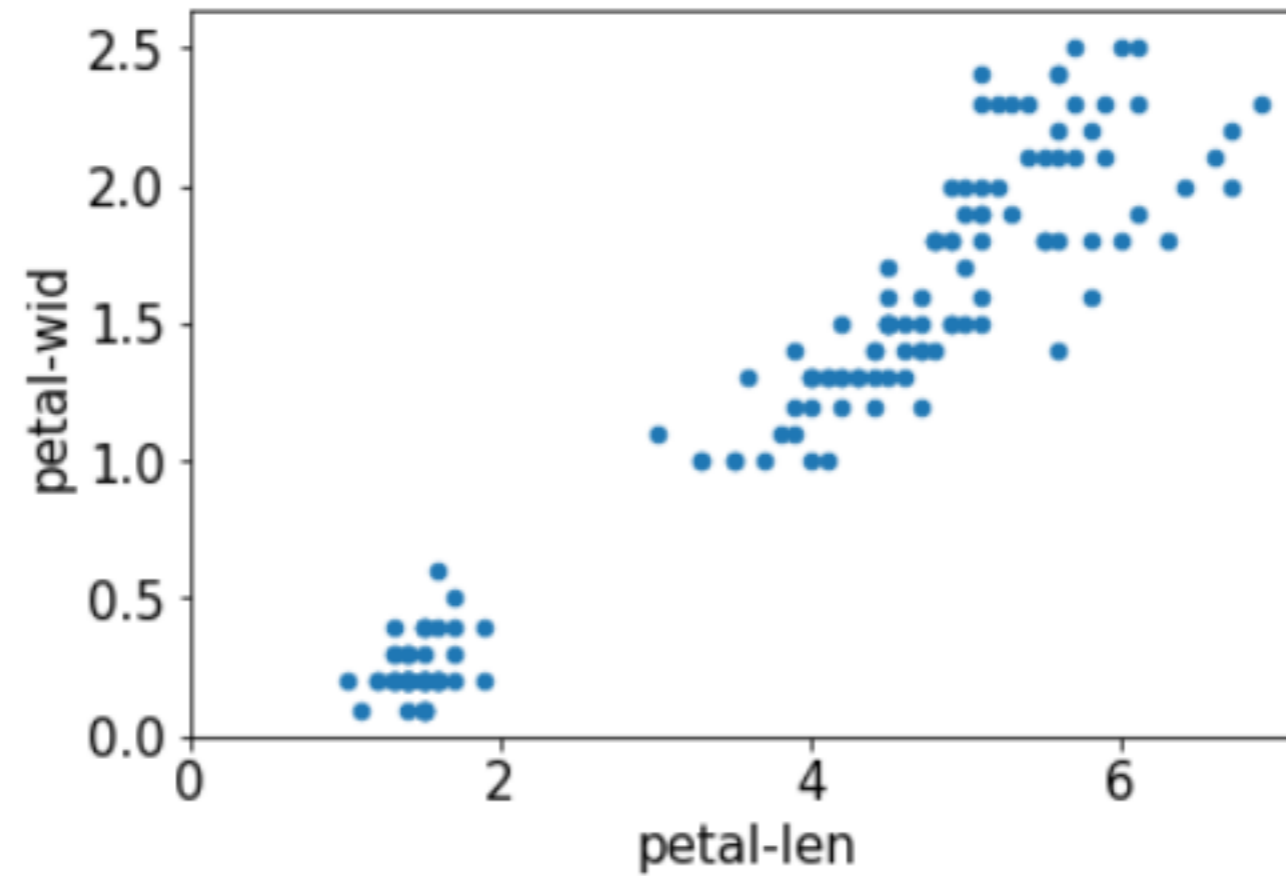
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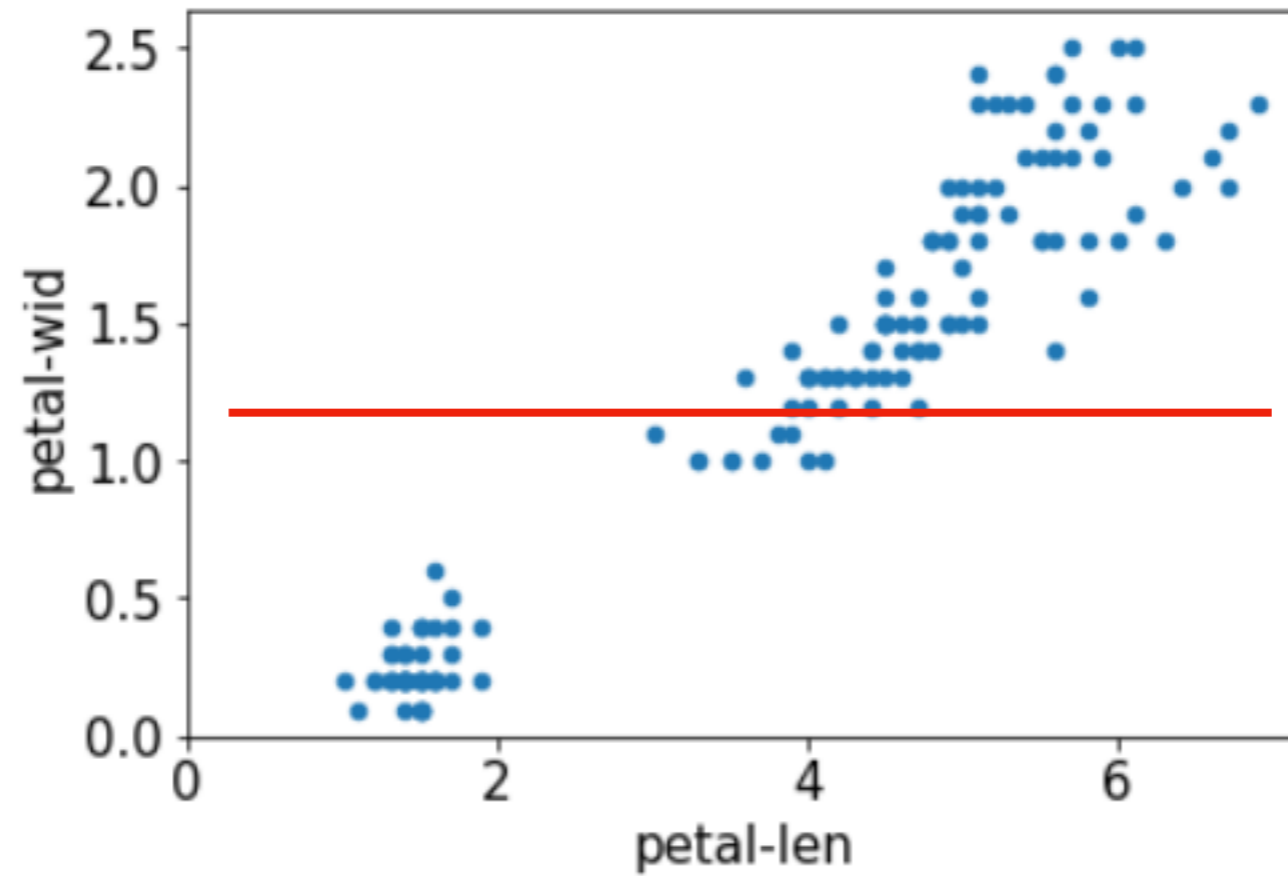
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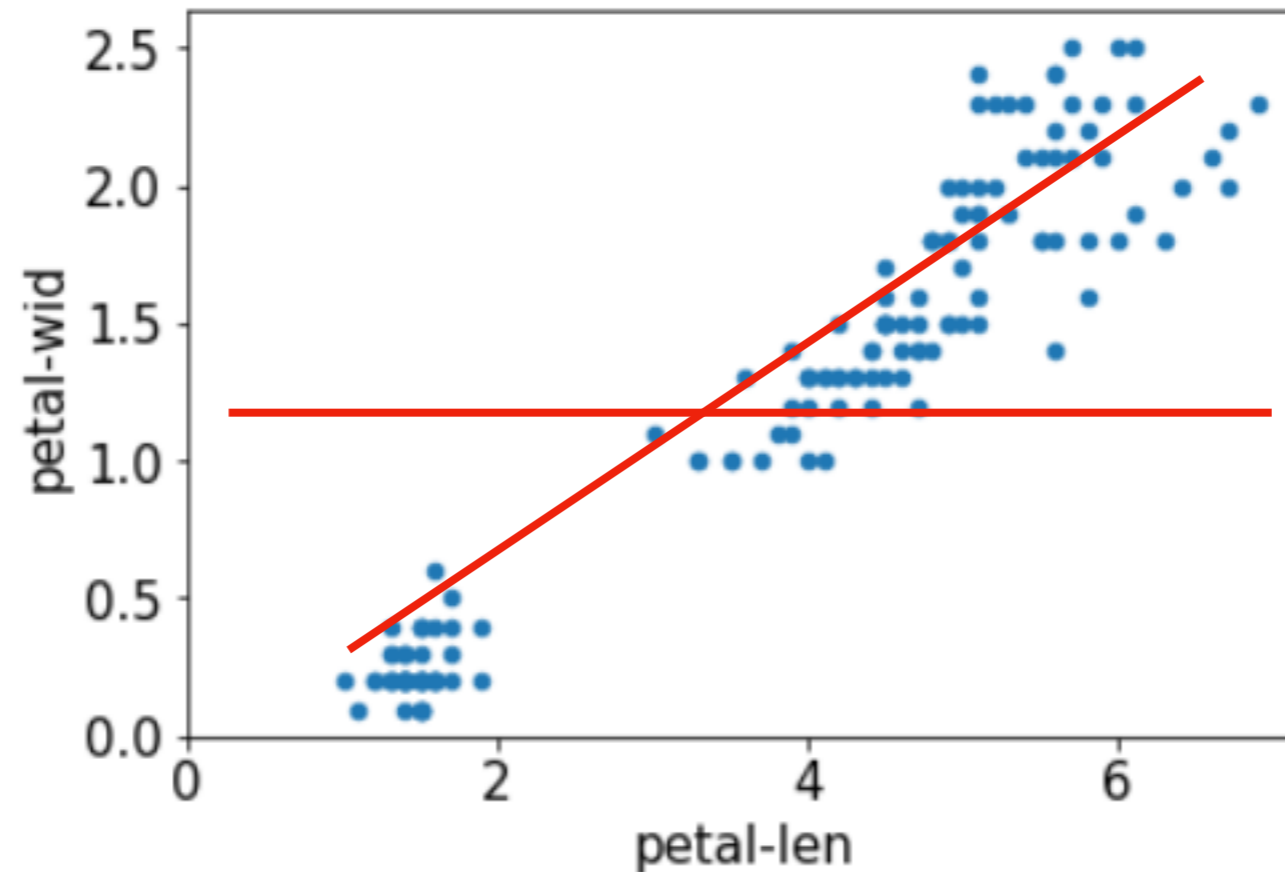


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Annotation 1: mean line

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Annotation 1: mean line

Annotation 2: fit line

- assume slope=1/3
- y-intercept=0

*not necessarily
the best line*

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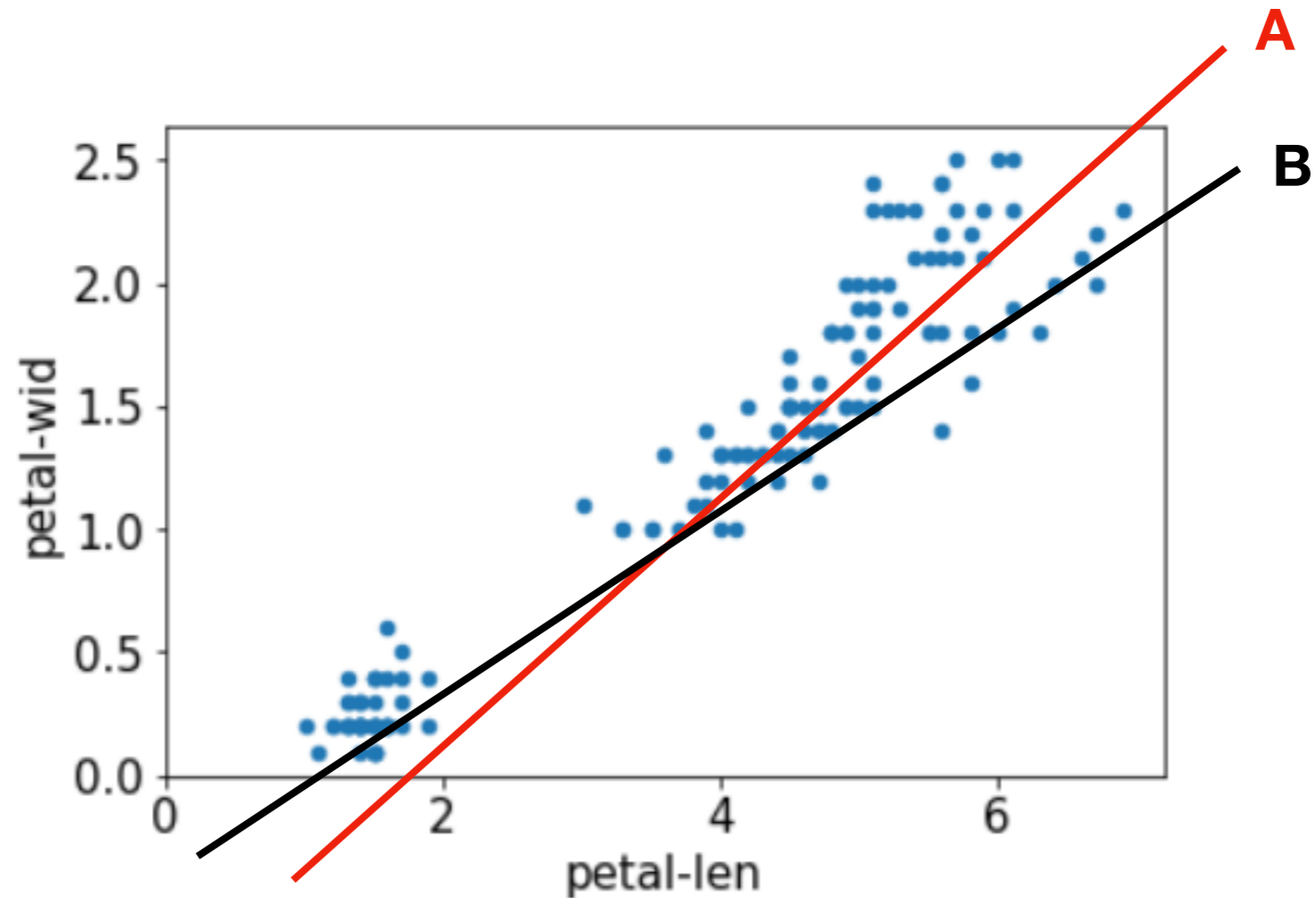
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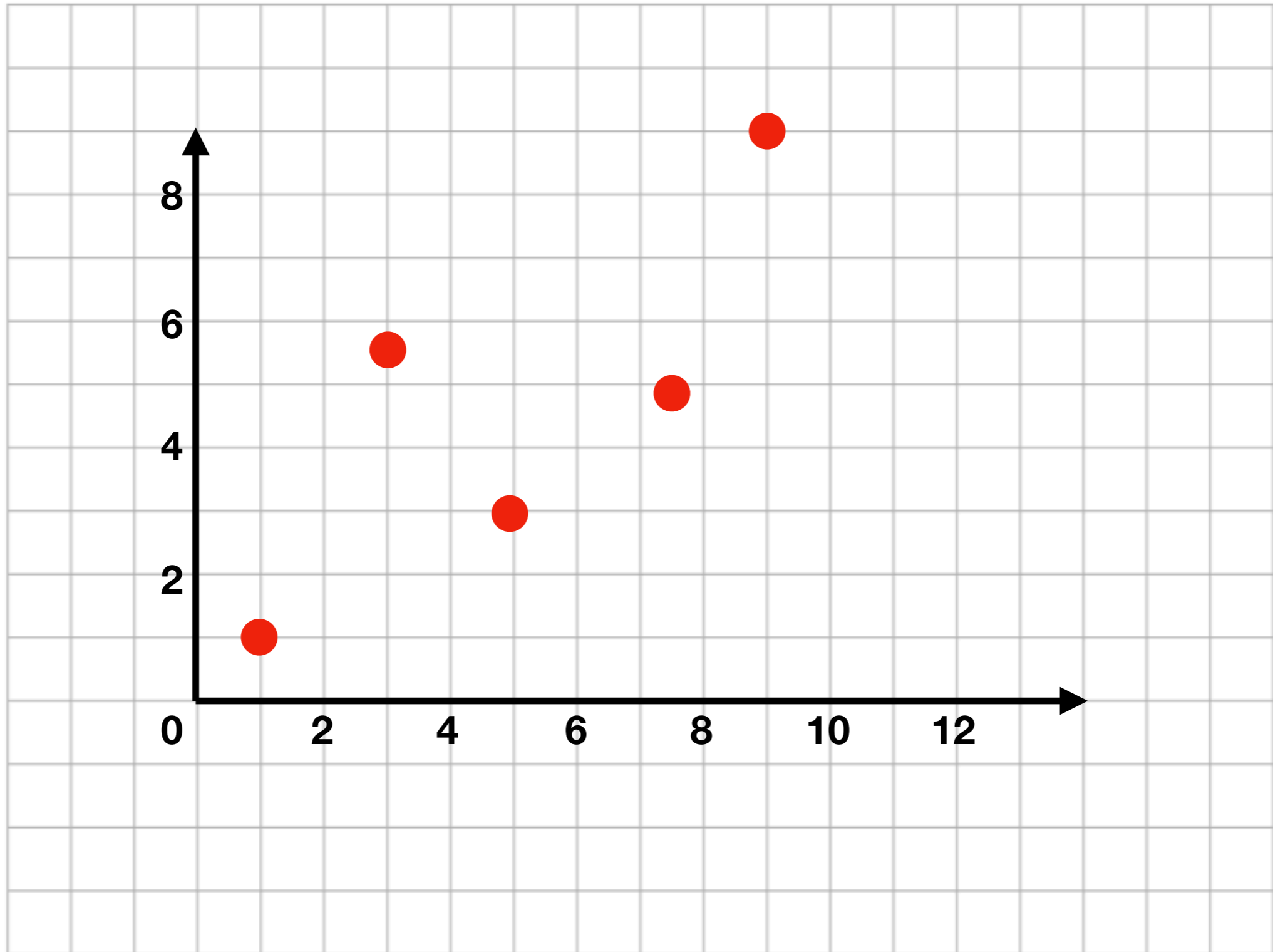
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Which fit line is better?

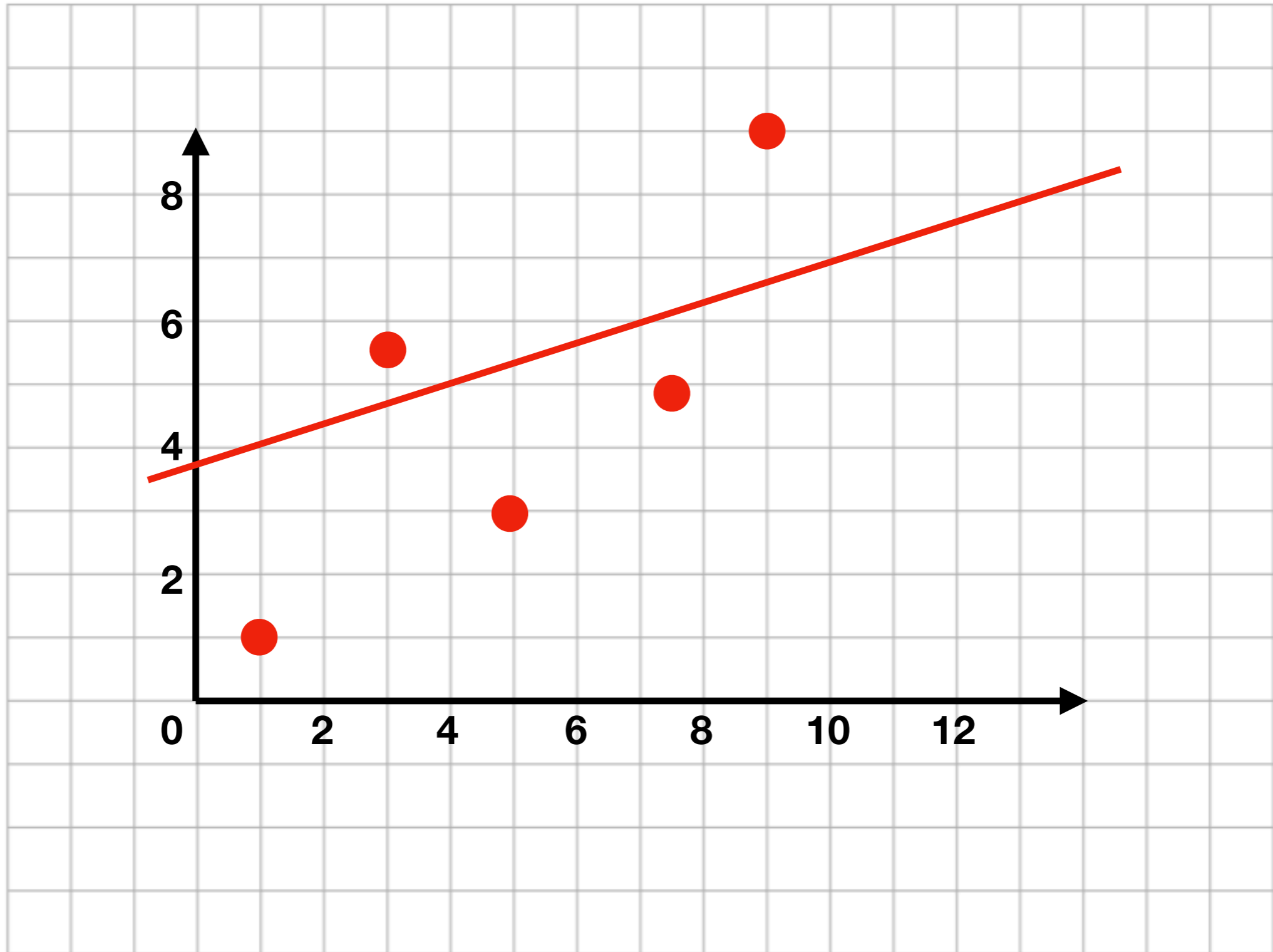


We need a metric to evaluate how good a fit is

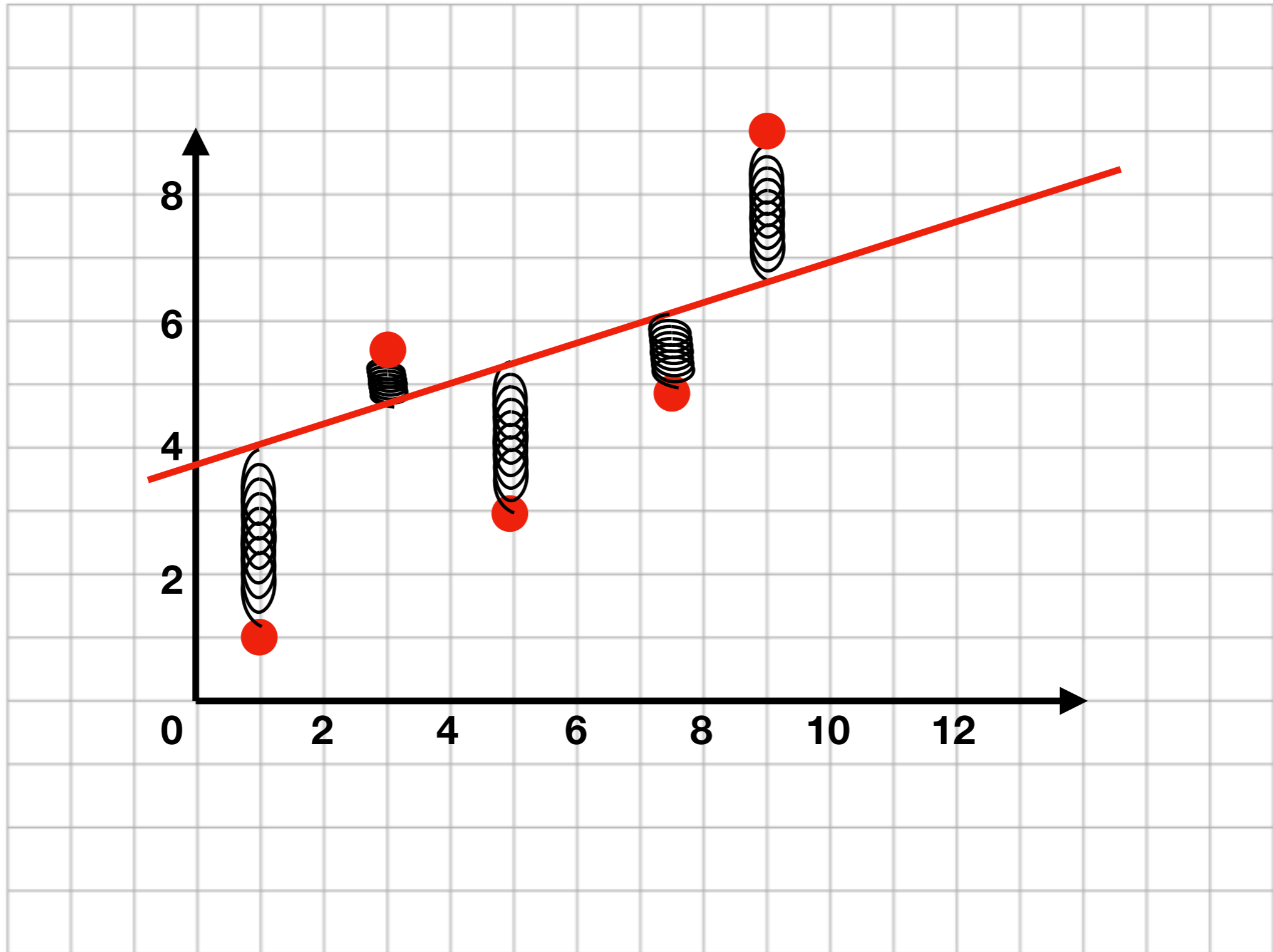
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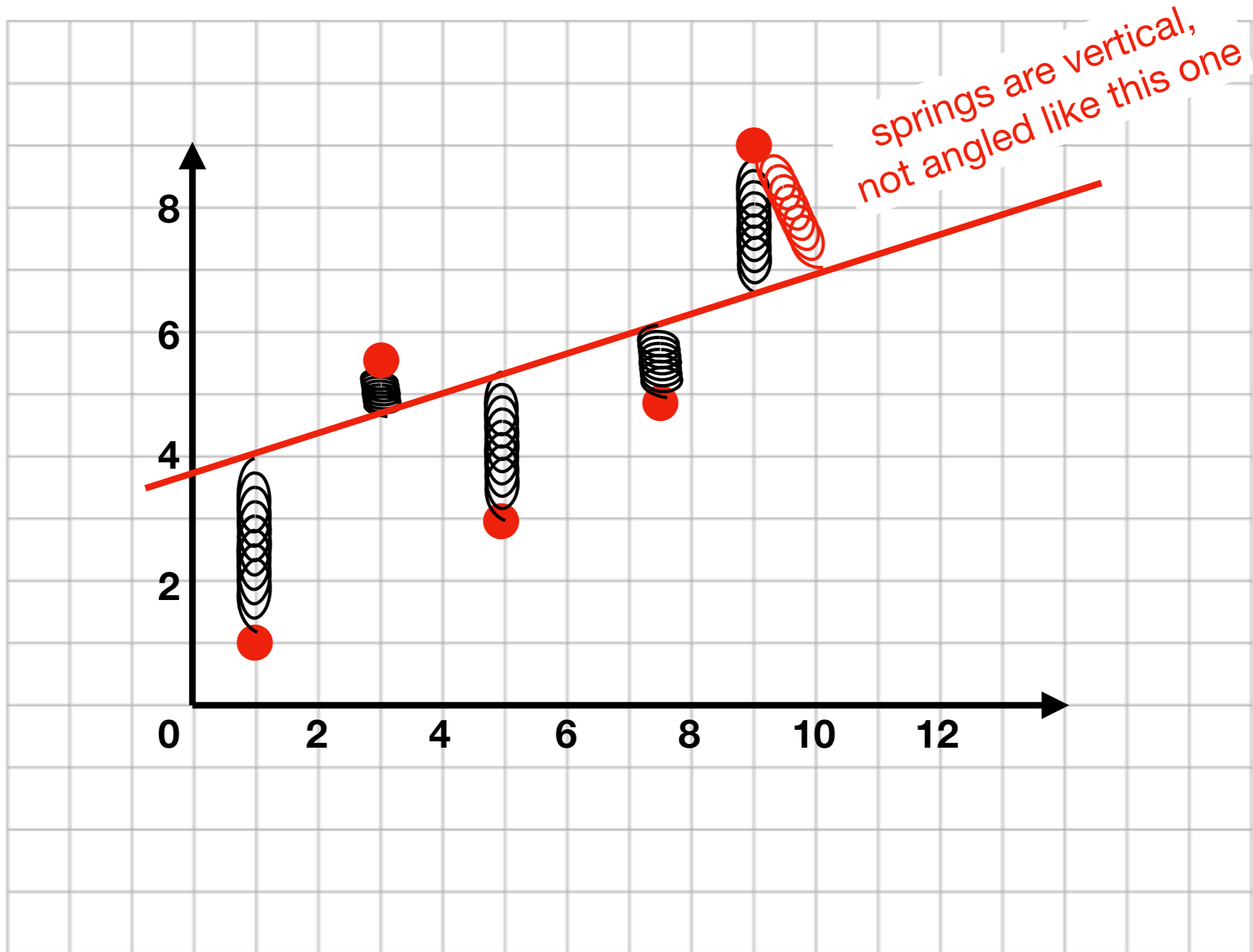
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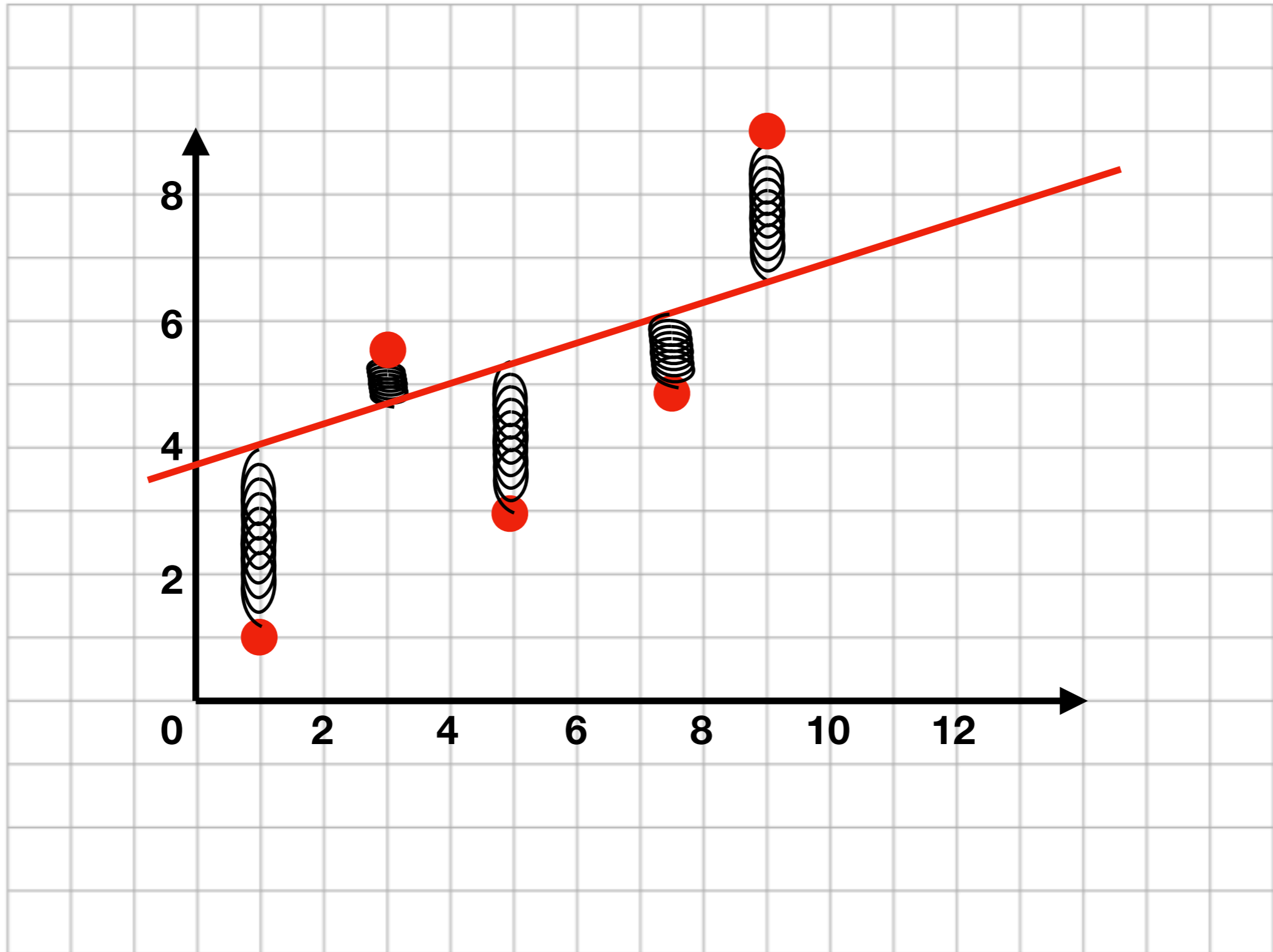
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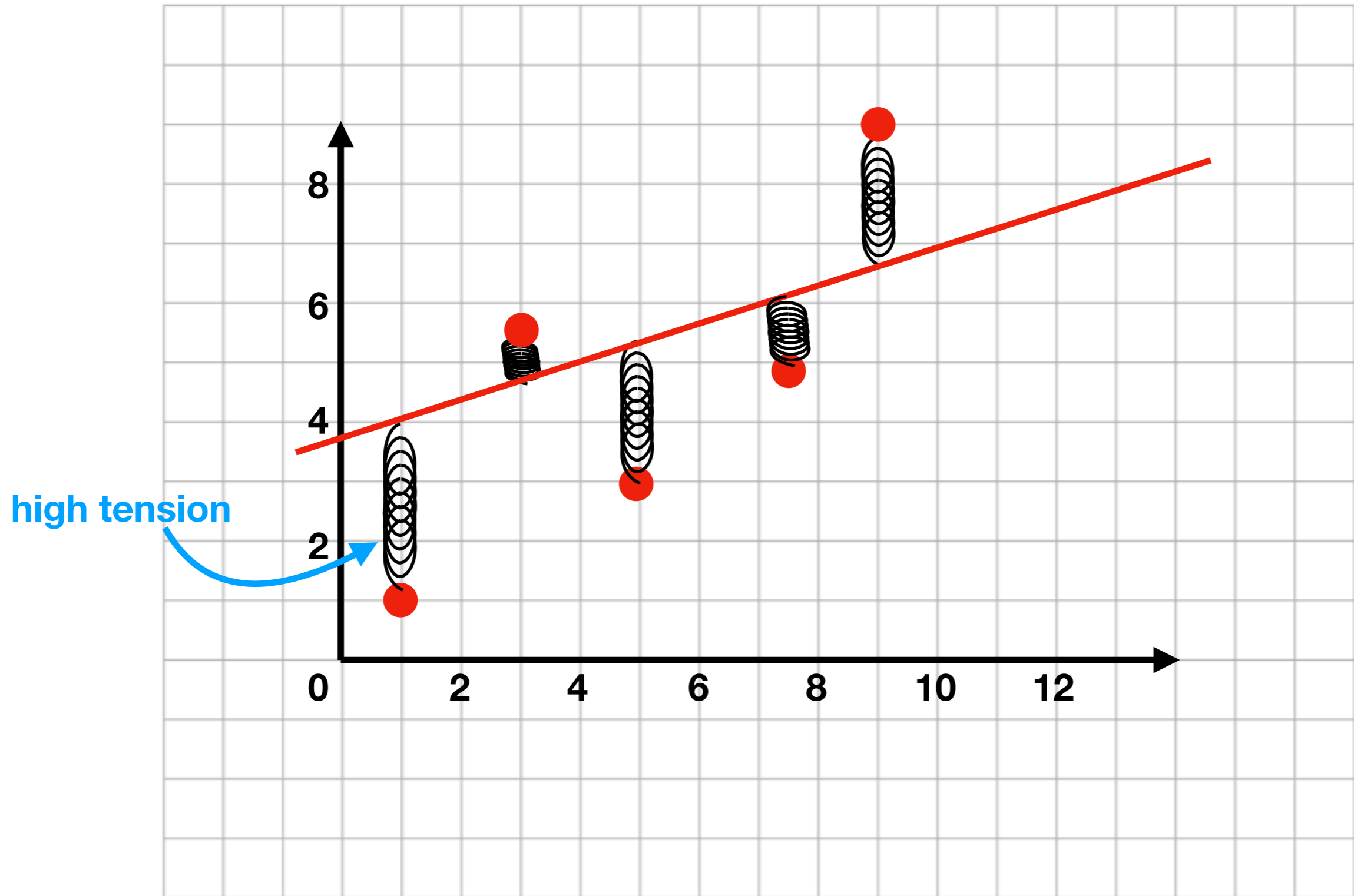
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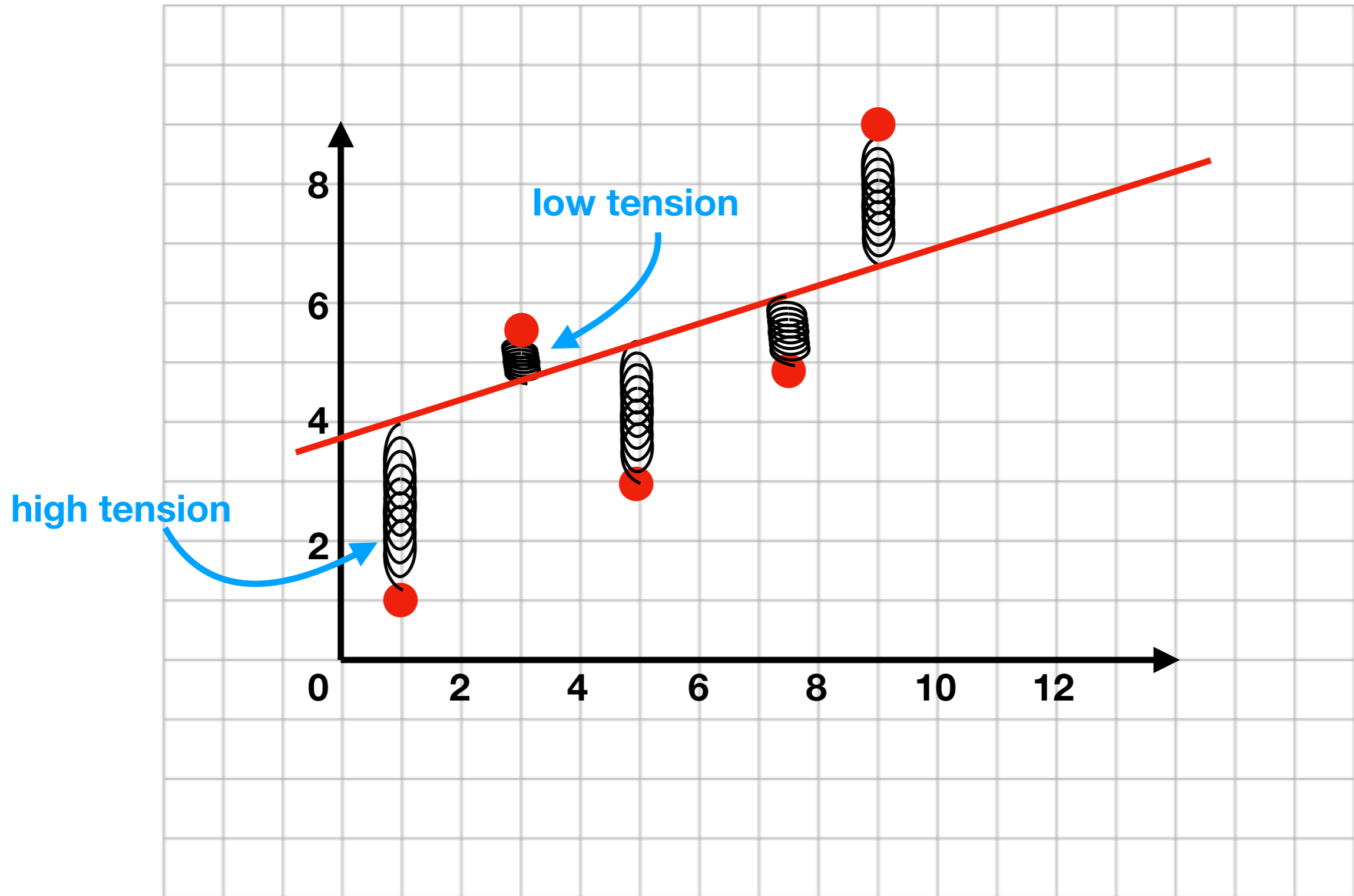
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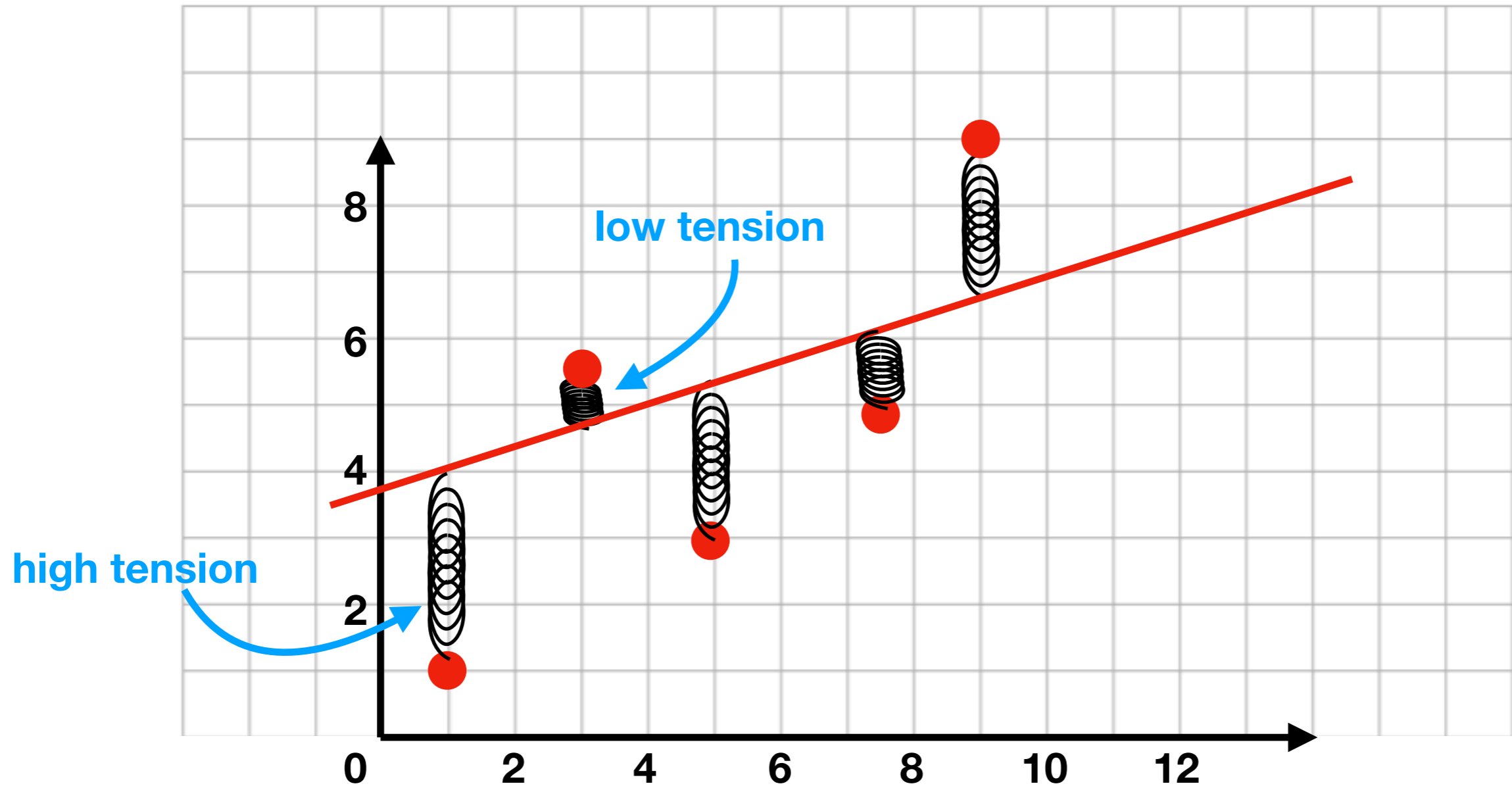
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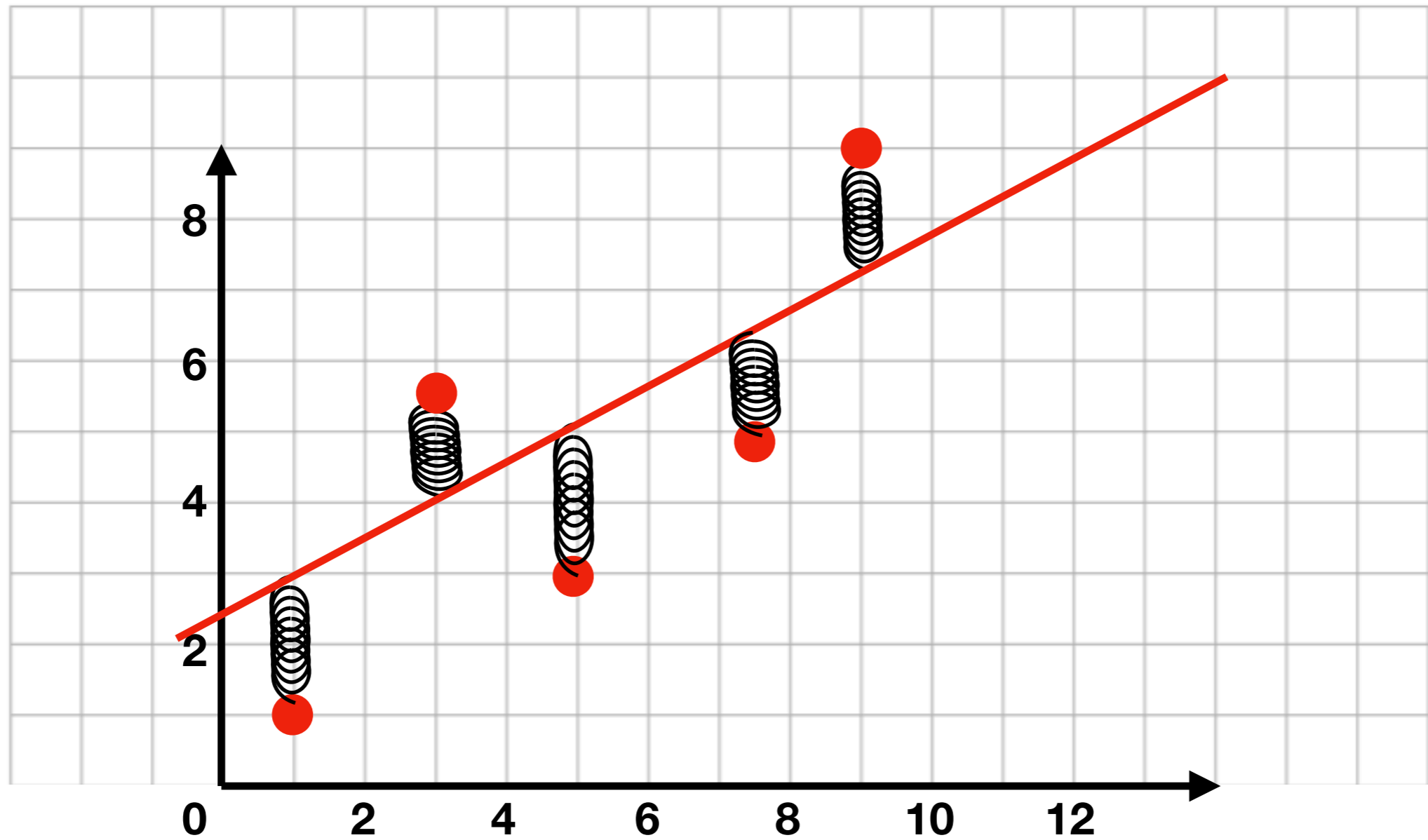


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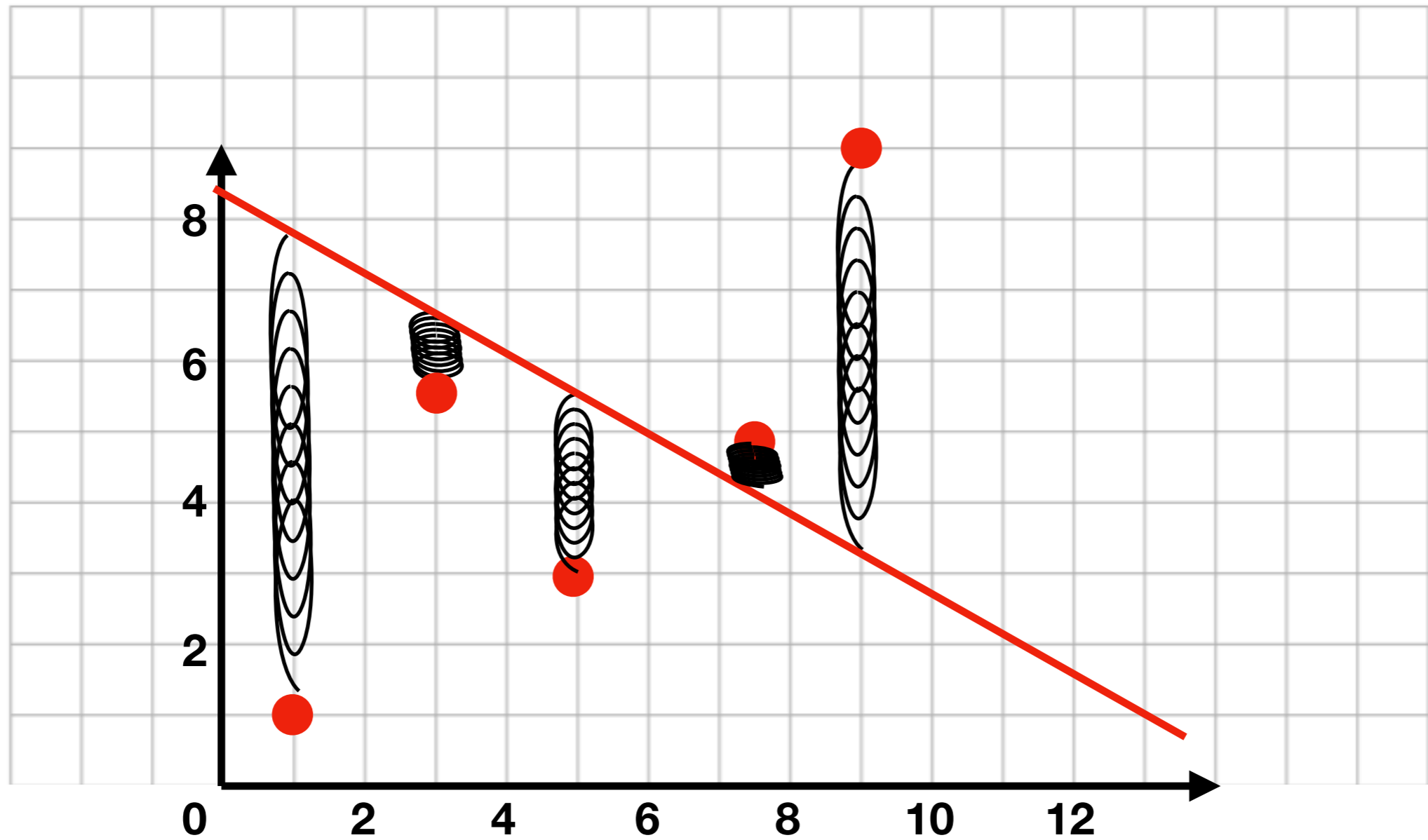
The best line minimizes total tension across springs

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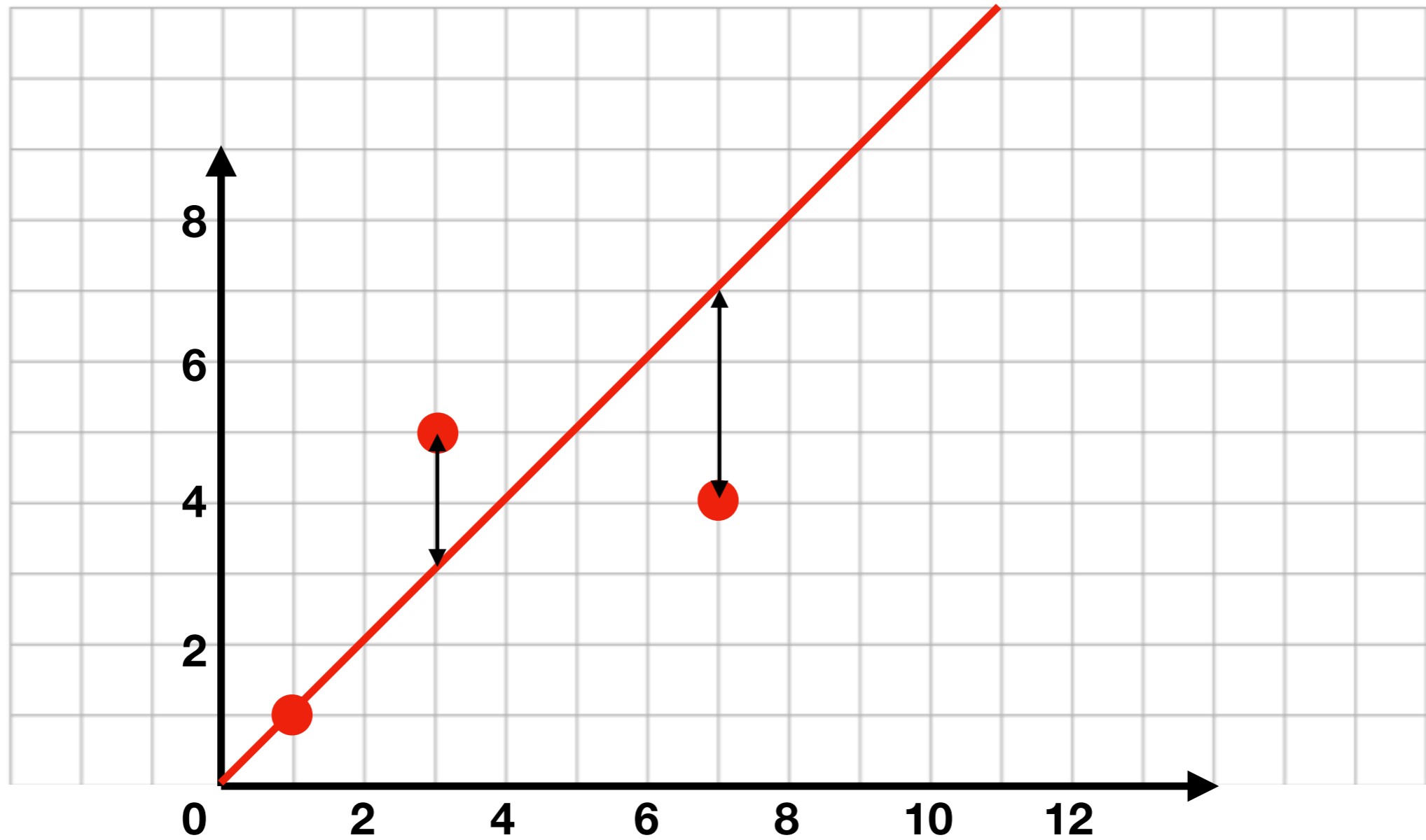
Good fit with low overall tension

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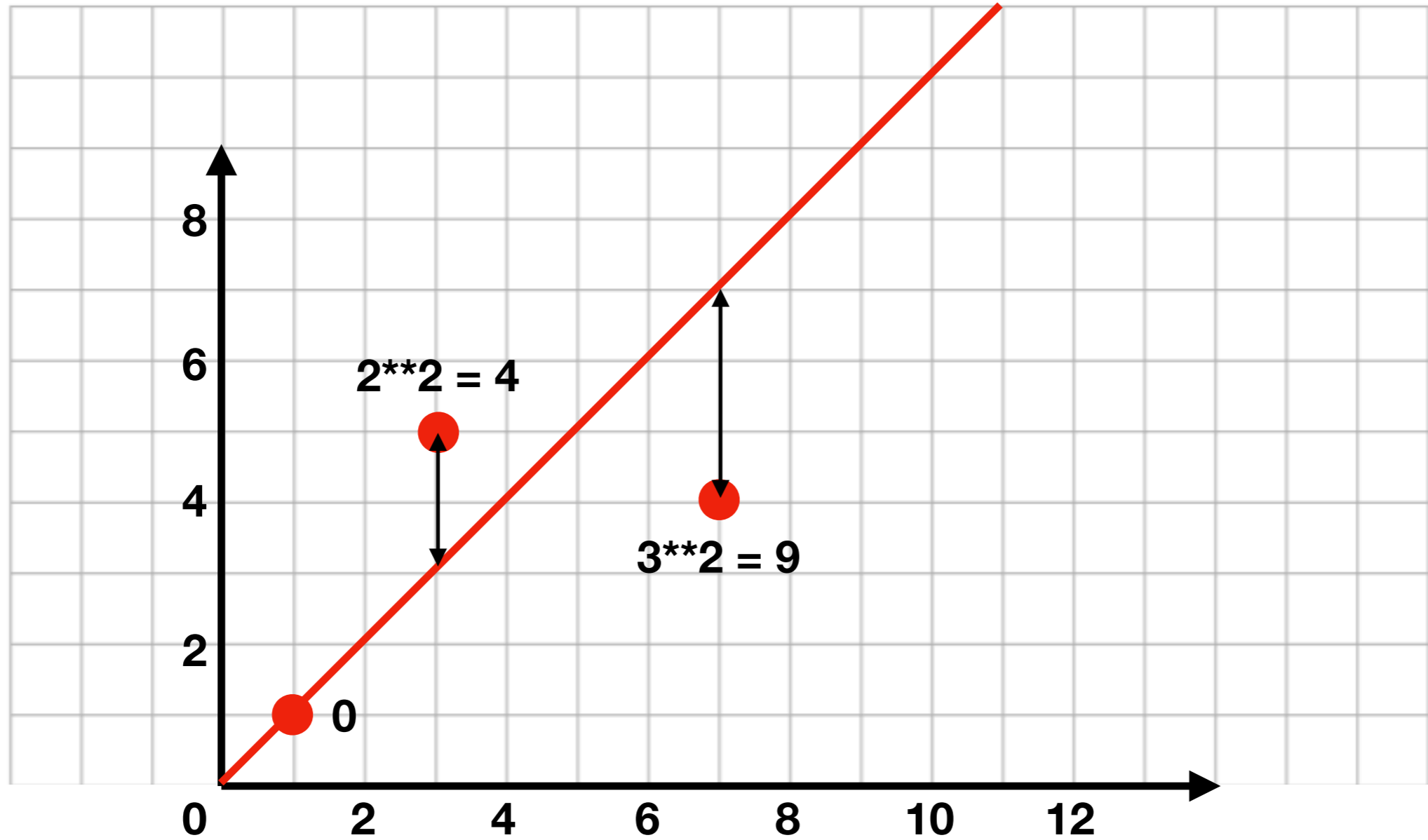
Bad fit with high overall tension

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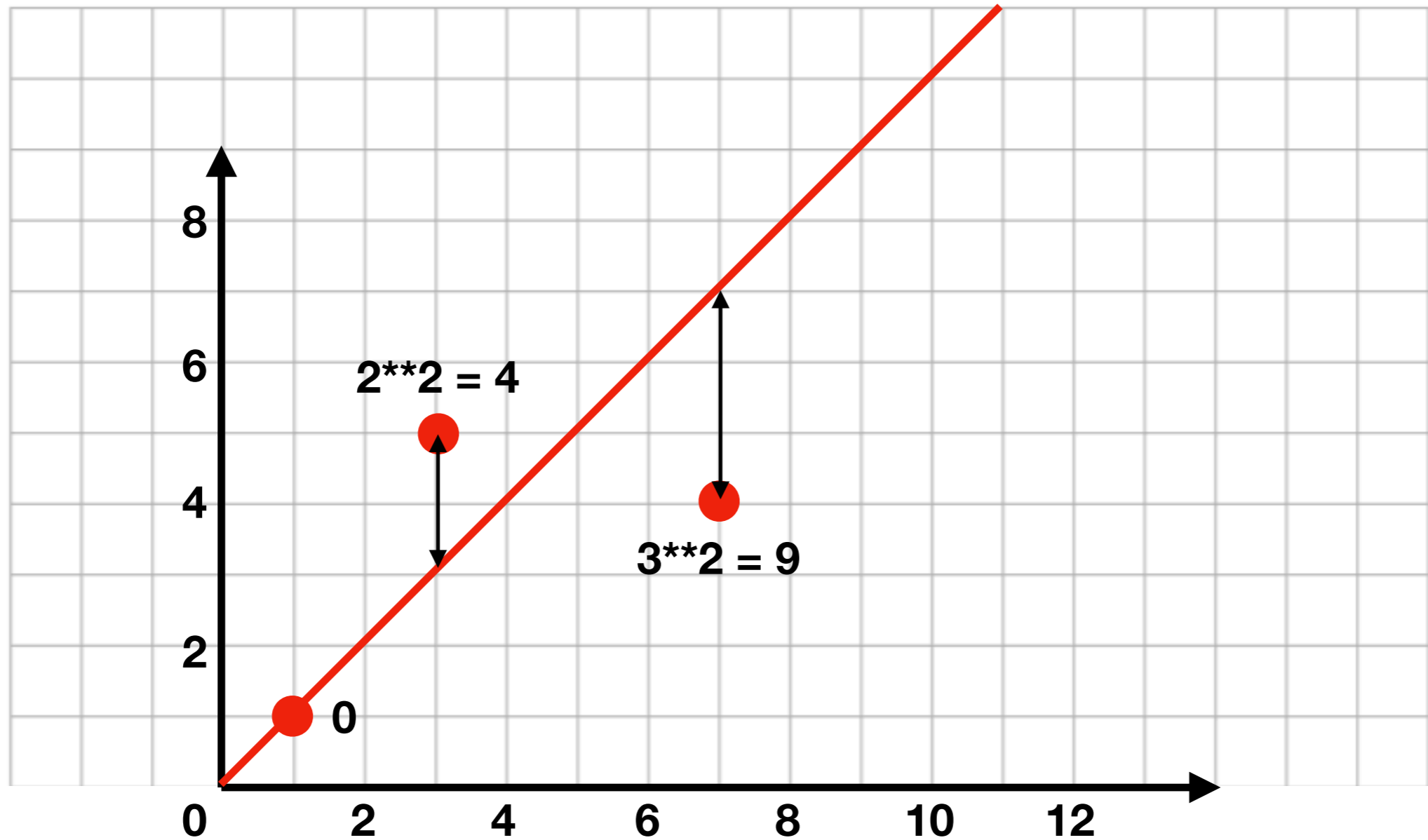
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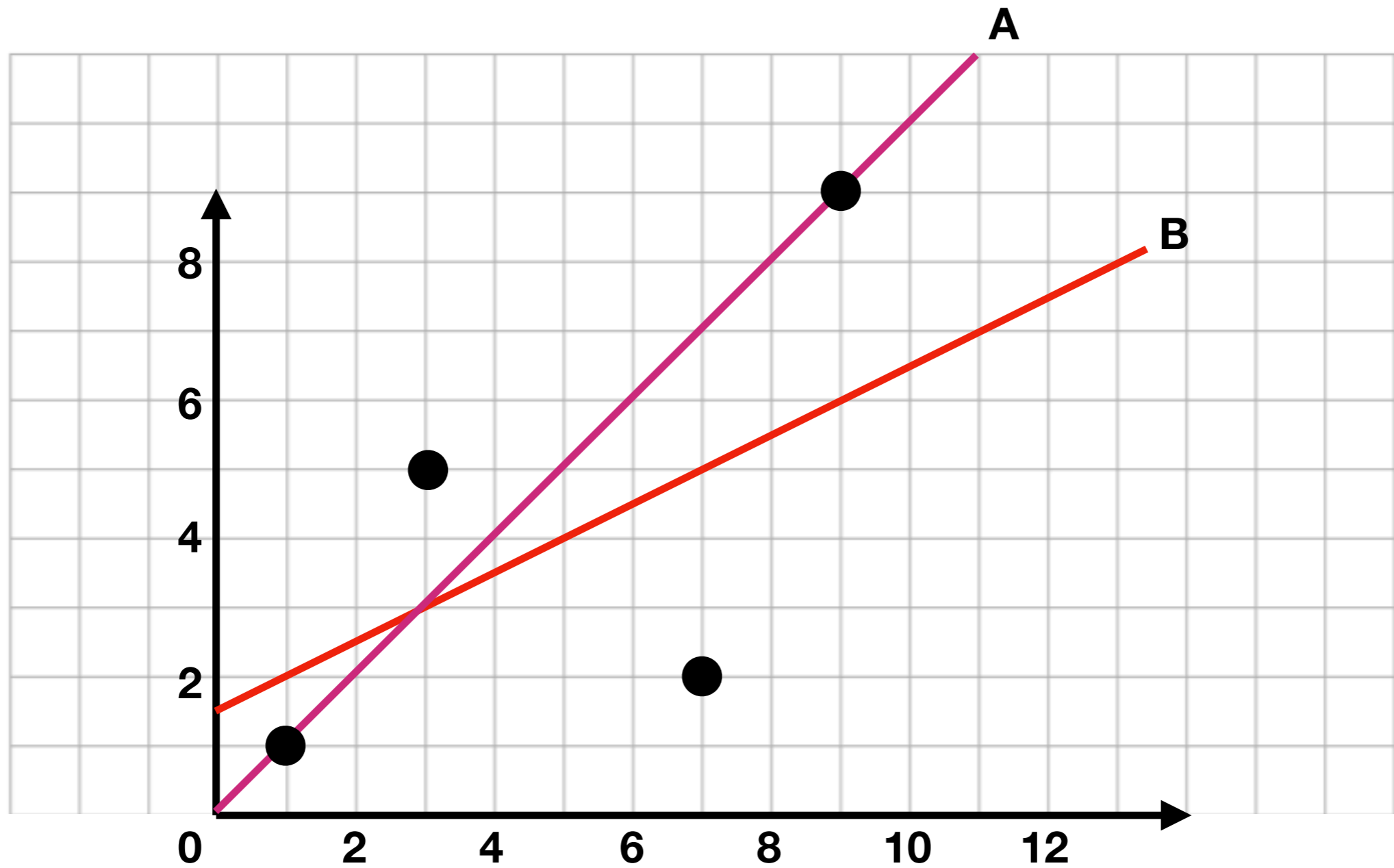
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Tension is defined as distance squared

Total: $4+9 = 13$

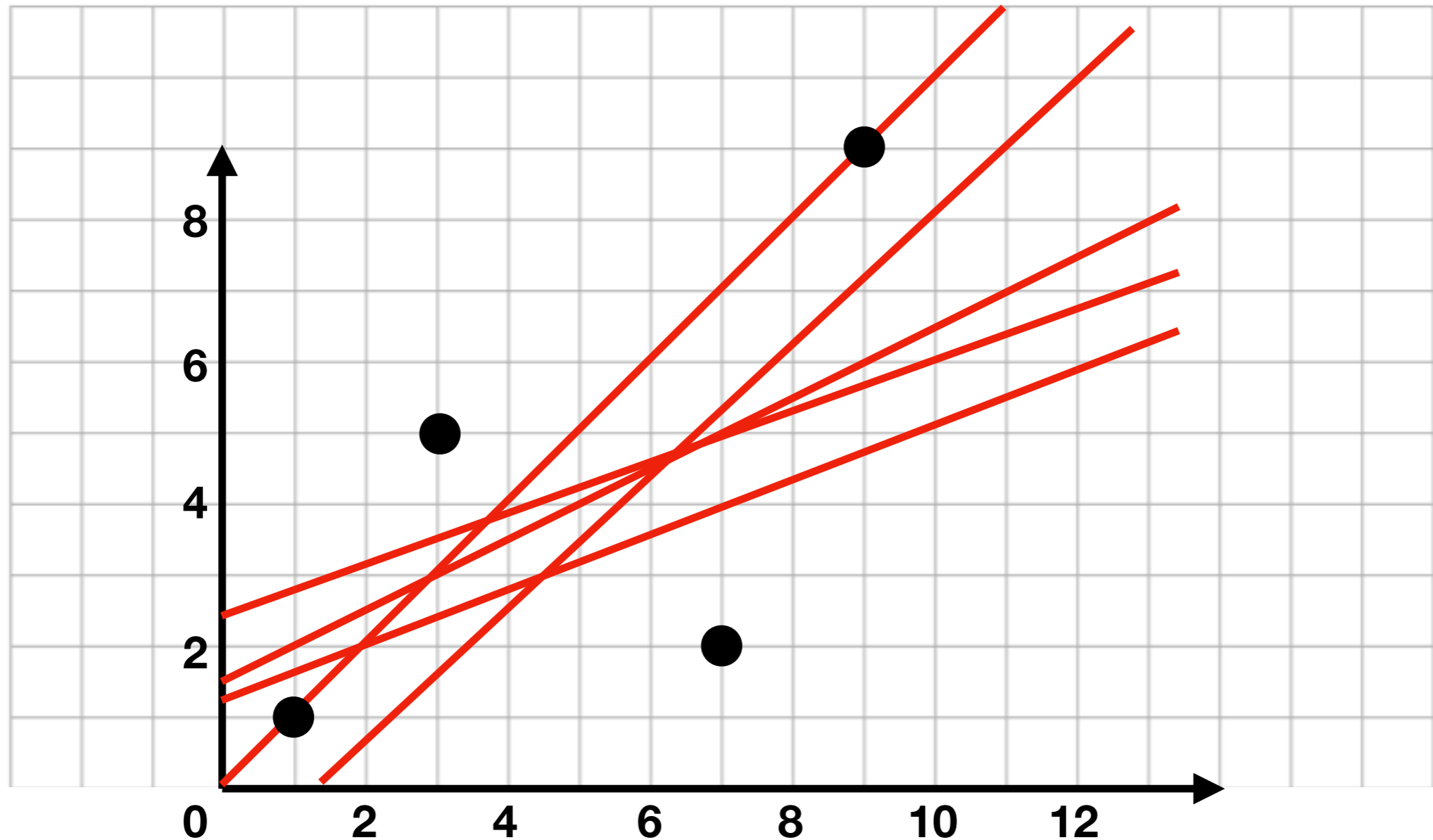
Practice



How much tension is in line A?

How much tension is in line B?

Optimization



There are many possible fit lines, but we want the one with the **minimal tension**.

Rather than crunch the numbers ourselves, we'll use a function from the **numpy** module

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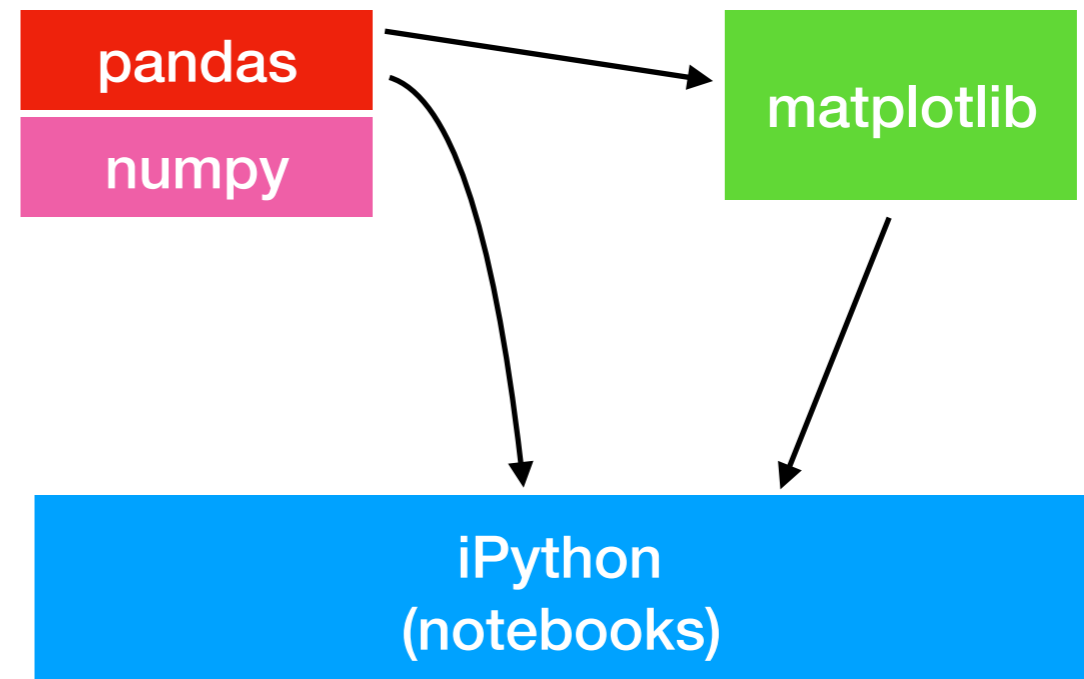
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numpy is the second most popular installed Python package after django (by some measures)

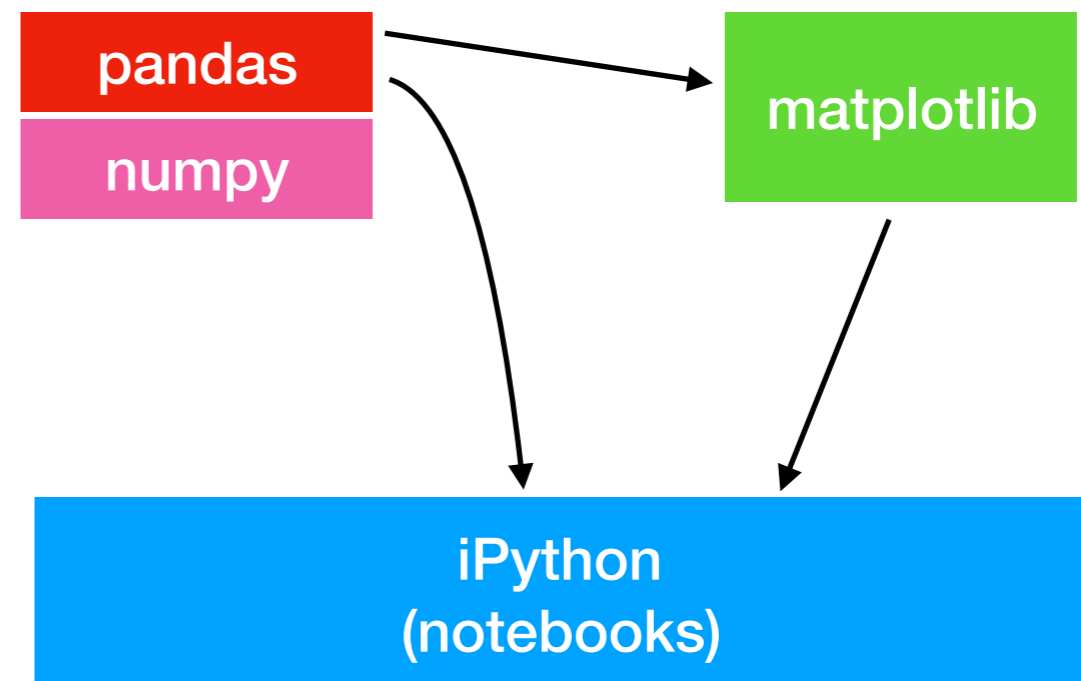
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pandas Series and DataFrames use numpy, so you've been using it too without realizing it

numpy

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import numpy as np
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conventional alias

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**ndarray (created by this call)
is the core data structure of numpy**

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it can be initialized
from a Python list



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indexing

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```
a[-1]
```



negative works

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numpy

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```
a[1:]
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slicing

```
array([20, 30])
```

numpy

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```
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```

```
a + 1
```



element-wise ops

```
array([11, 21, 31])
```

numpy

```
import numpy as np
```

```
a = np.array([10, 20, 30])
```

```
a + a
```



element-wise ops

```
array([20, 40, 60])
```

numpy

```
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```

```
a = np.array([10, 20, 30])
```

```
a * a
```



element-wise ops

```
array([100, 400, 900])
```

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```
print(type(a))
```



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numpy.ndarray
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why is it called an ndarray?

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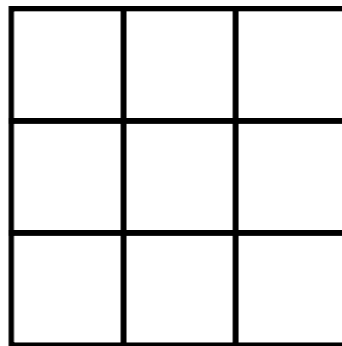
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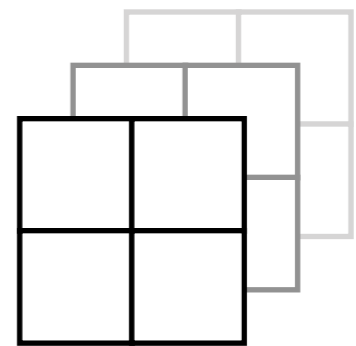
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2-dimensional array



3-dimensional array



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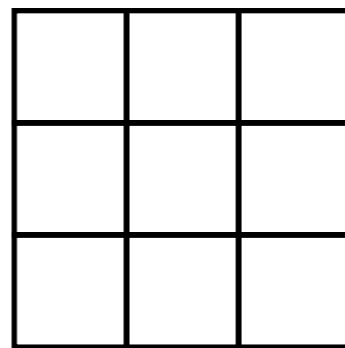
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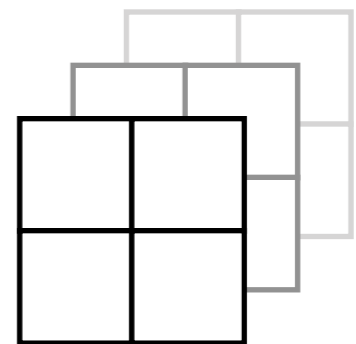
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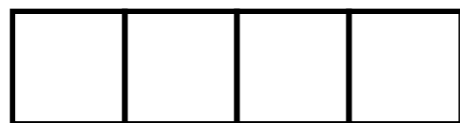
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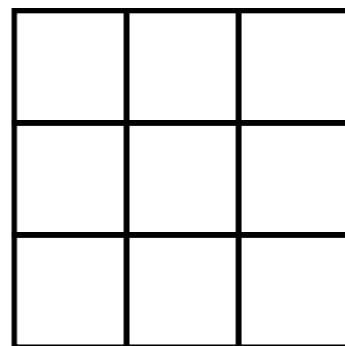
```
a.reshape( )
```

 **shape tuple**

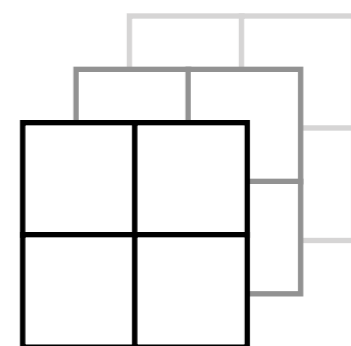
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```
a.reshape((2,4))
```



11	12	13	14
15	16	17	18

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a.reshape((4,2))
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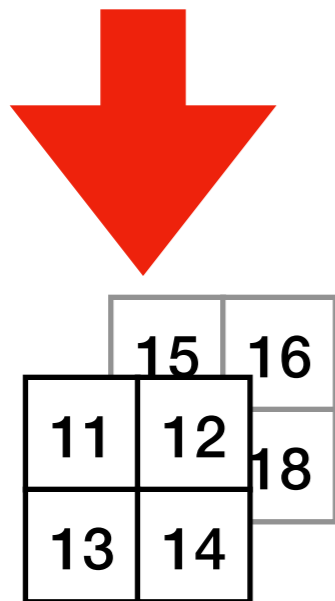
**note that reshape fills in
row-by-row first by default**

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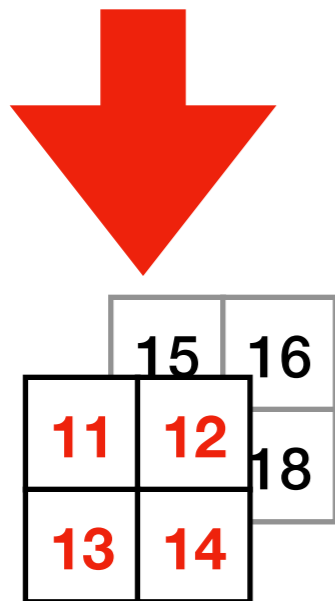


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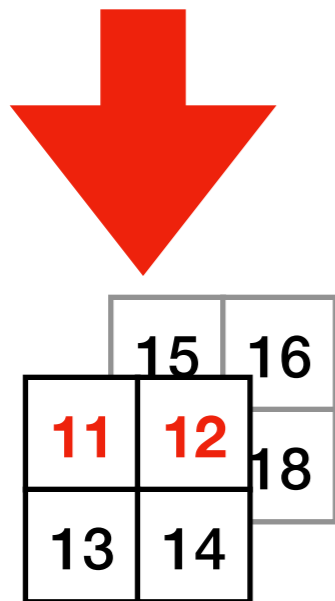
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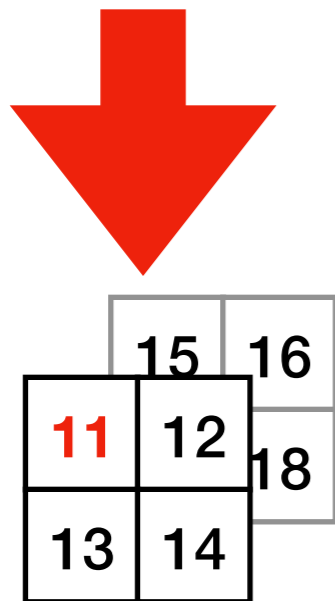
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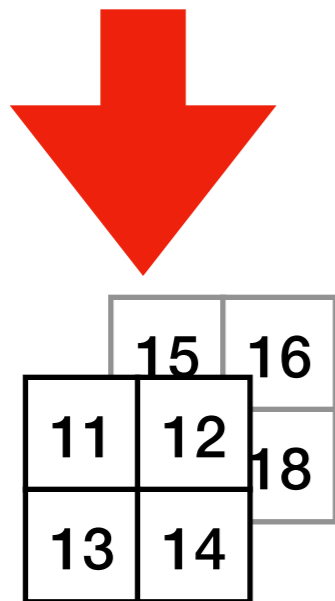
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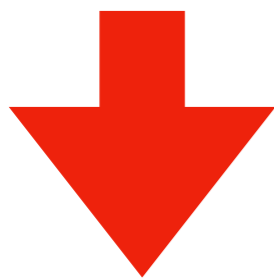
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```

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b[0]
```



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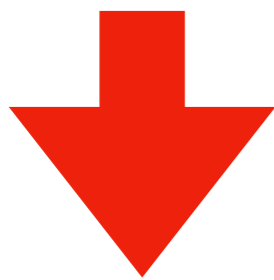
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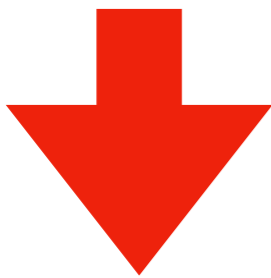
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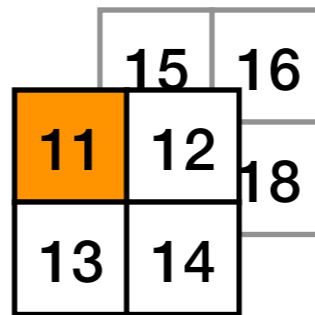
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```



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indexing: `ndarray[layer, row, col]`

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contrast with indexing into a list of lists of lists:

`data[layer][row][col]`

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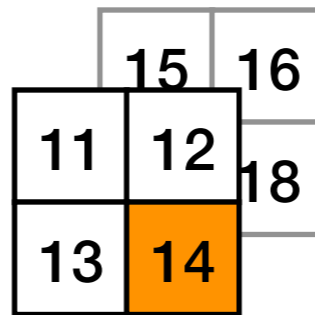
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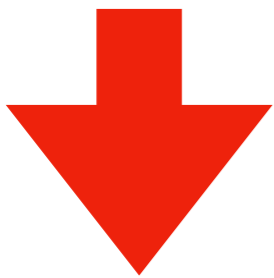
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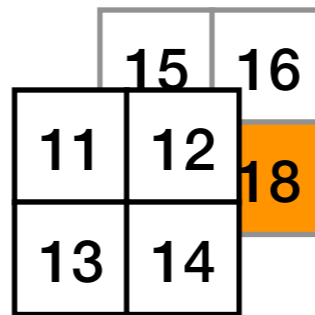
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Pandas and numpy

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TODO: fix a vs b

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(2,) is a tuple with
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Learning Objectives Today

History of regression

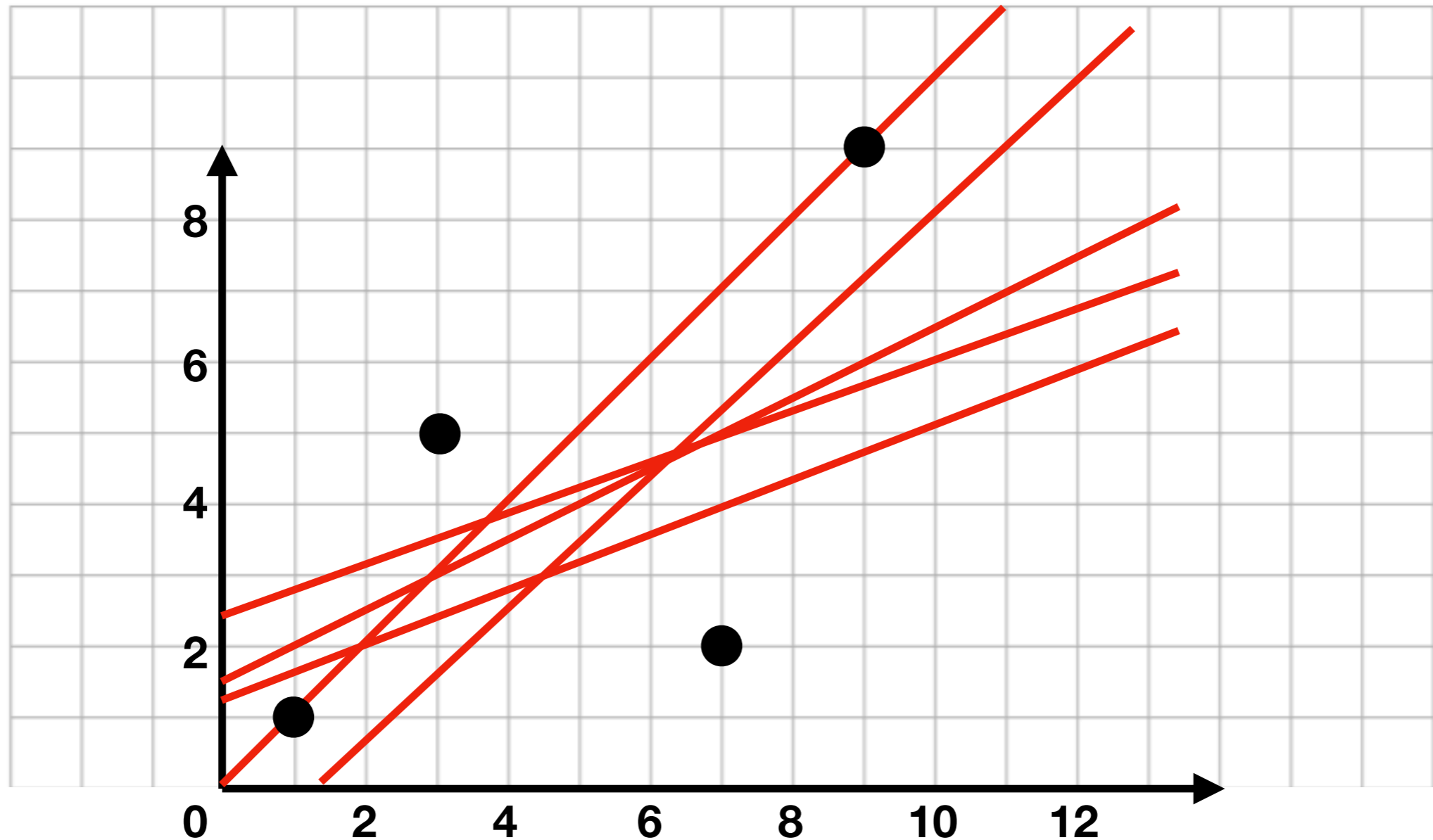
Drawing a fit line

Finding the slope/intercept w/ least squares method

Numpy introduction

Using `numpy.linalg.lstsq`

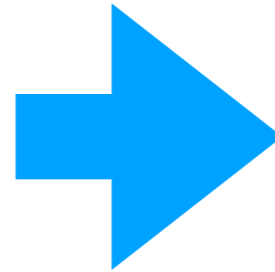
Use numpy to solve this!



There are many possible fit lines, but we want the one with the **minimal tension**.

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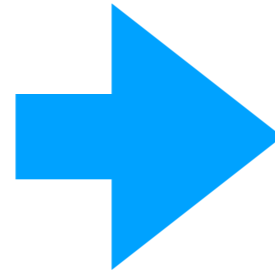
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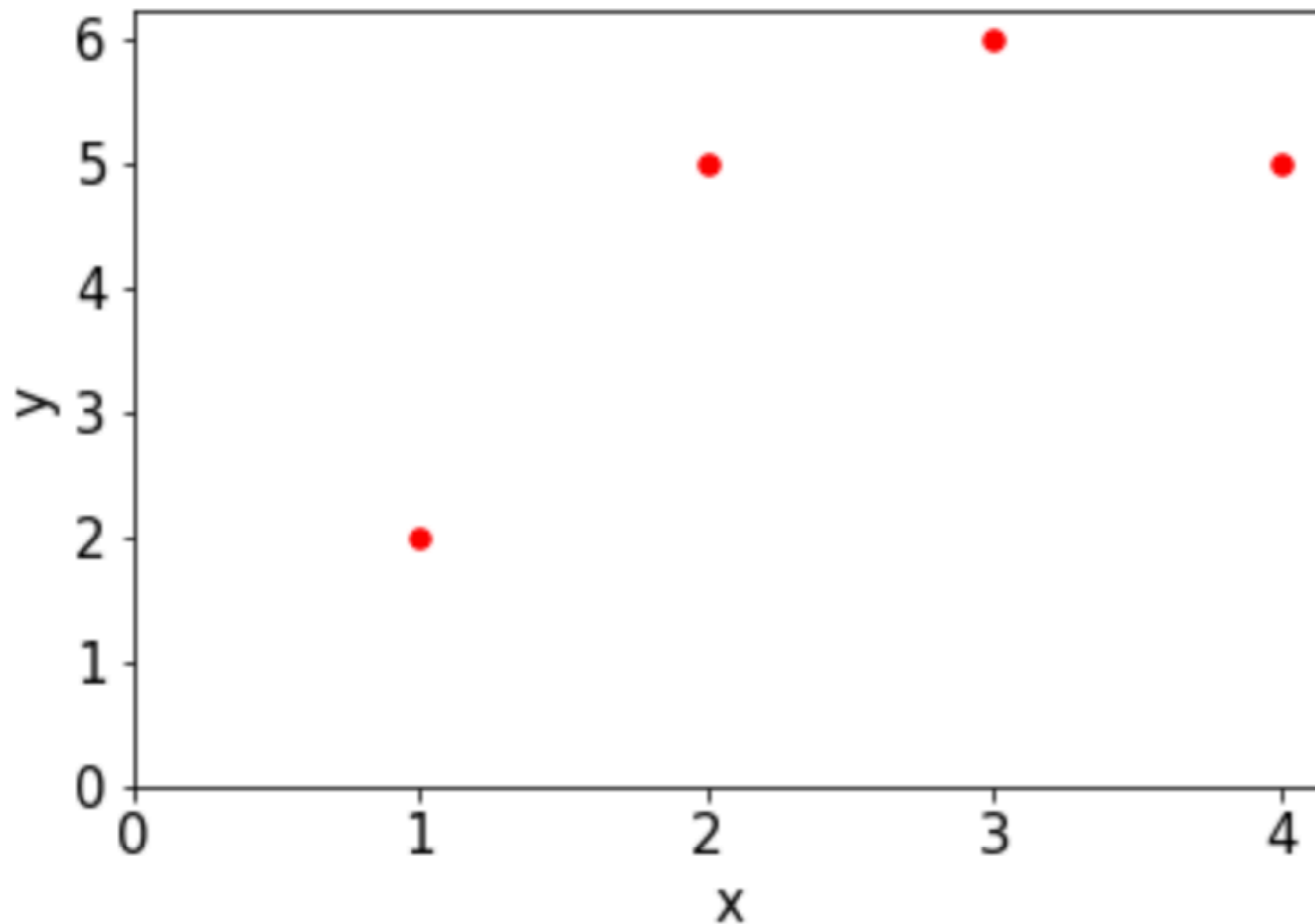
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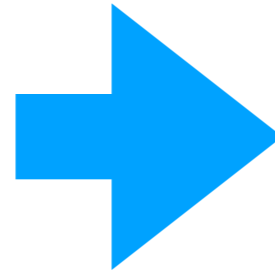
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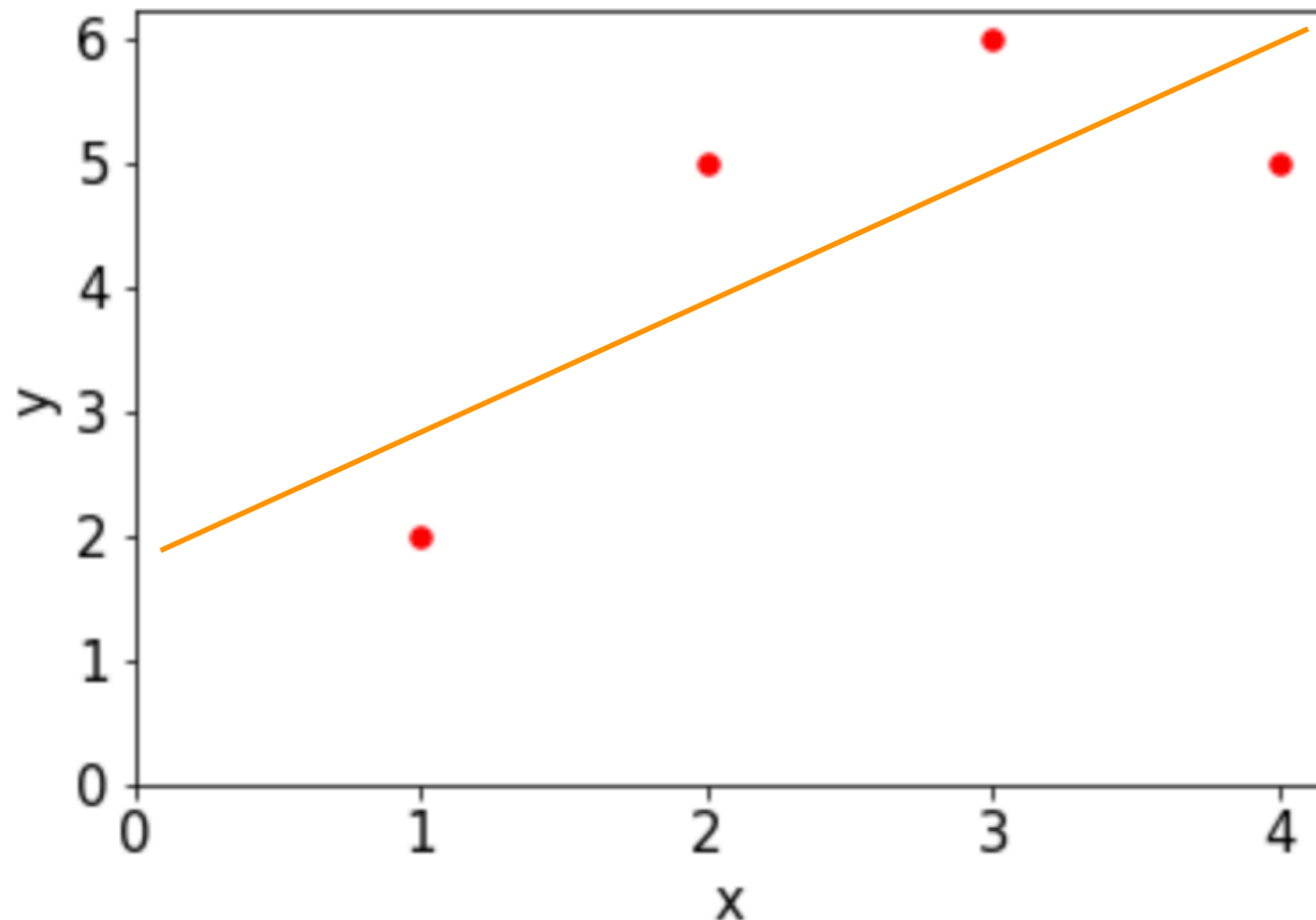
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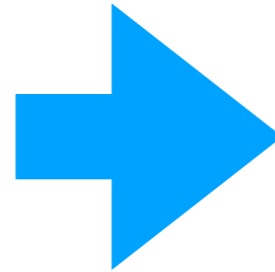


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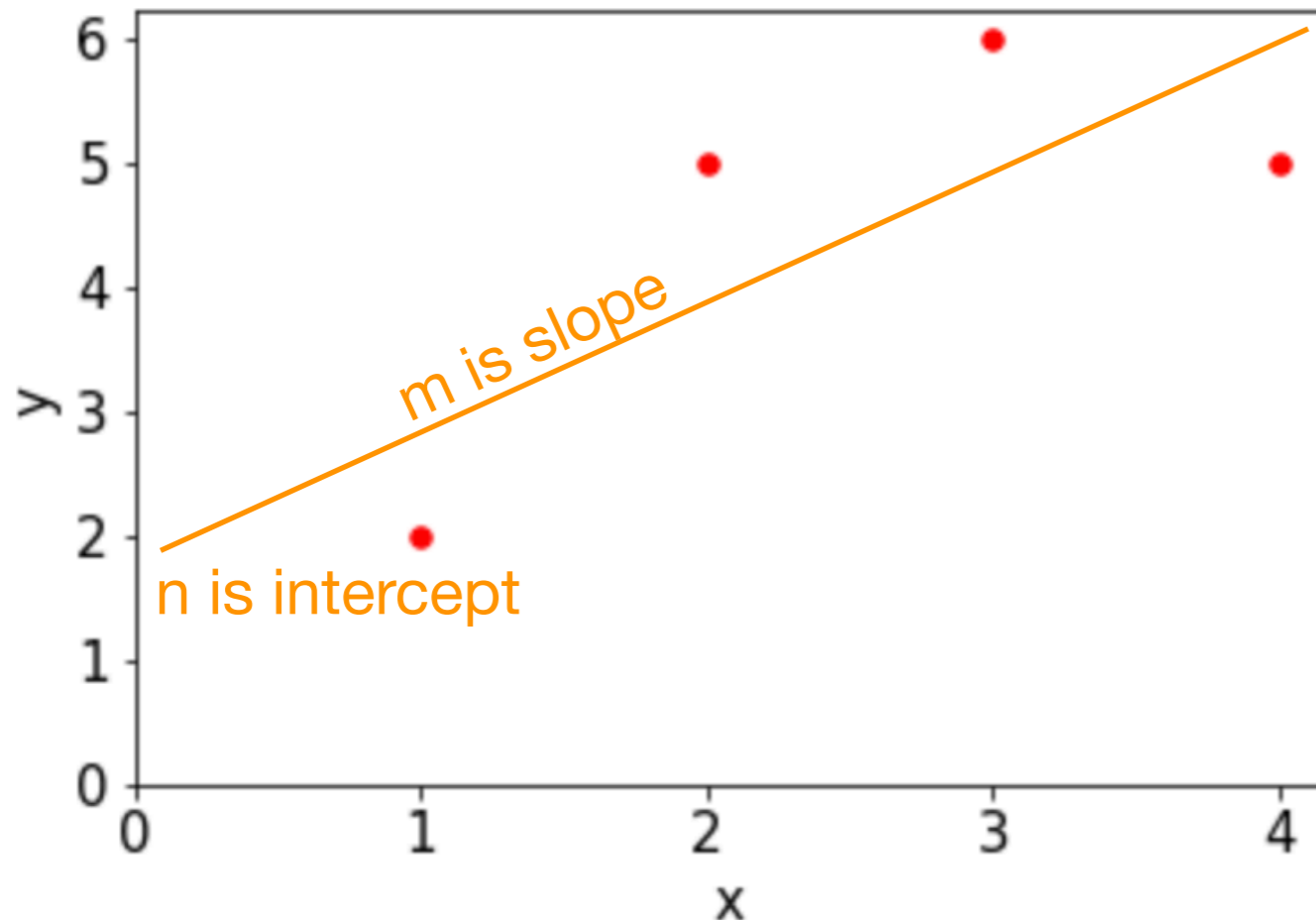
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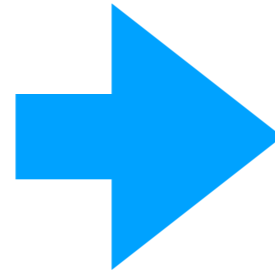


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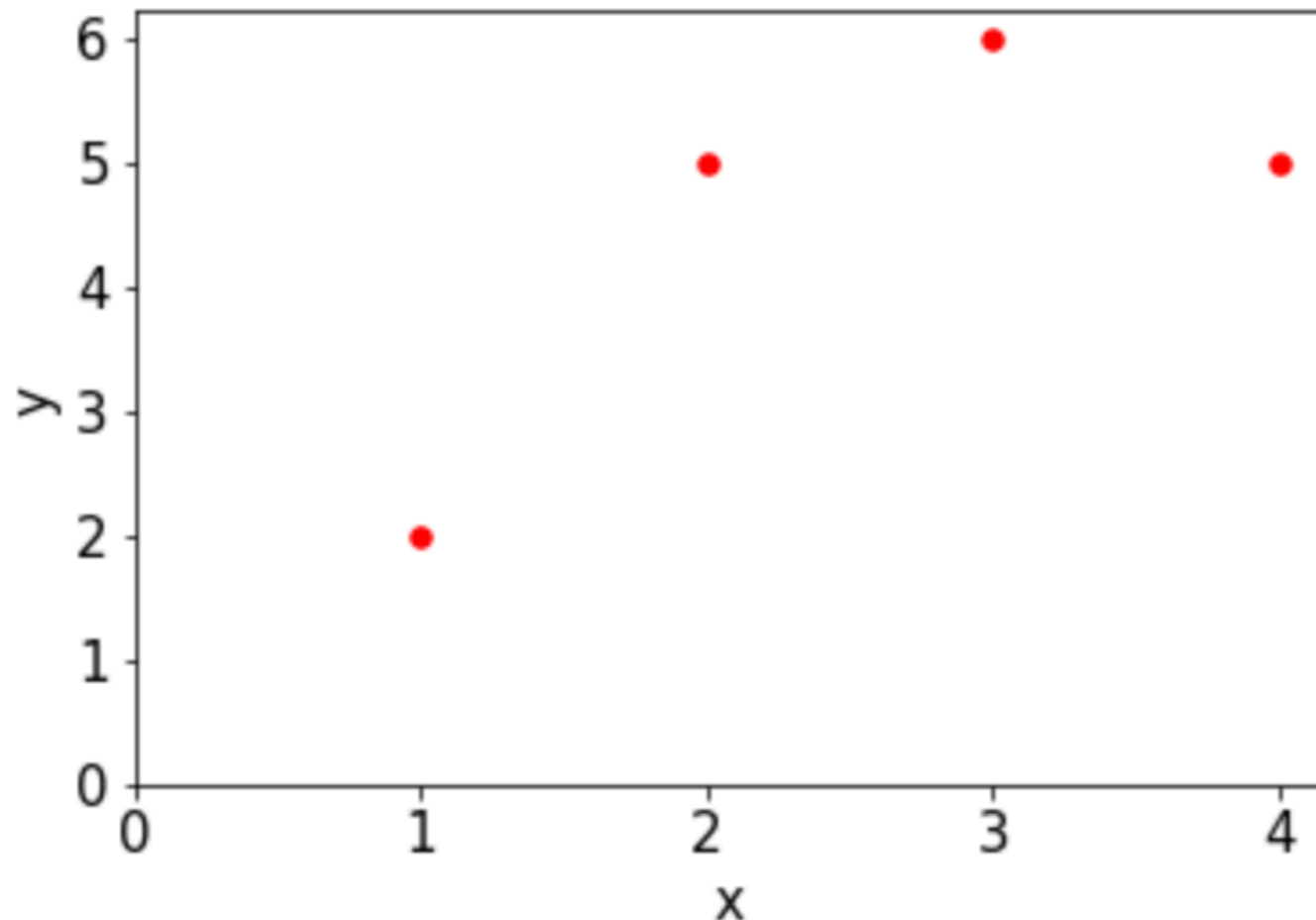
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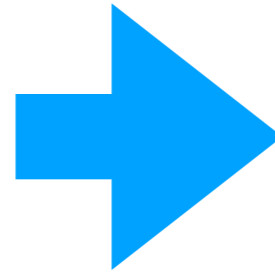


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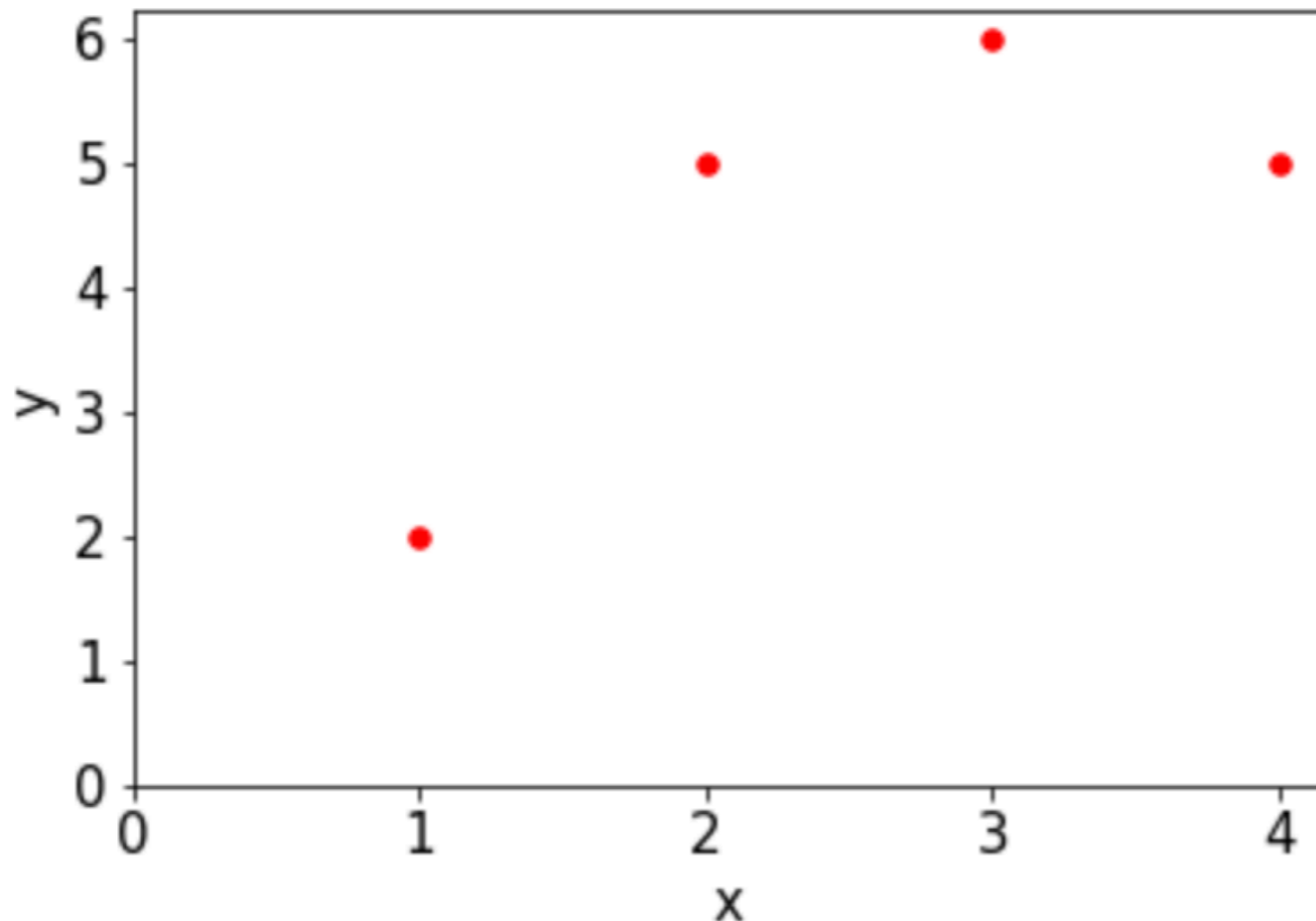
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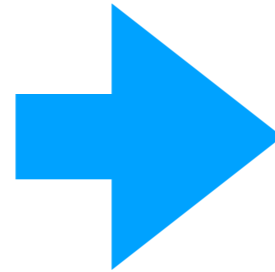


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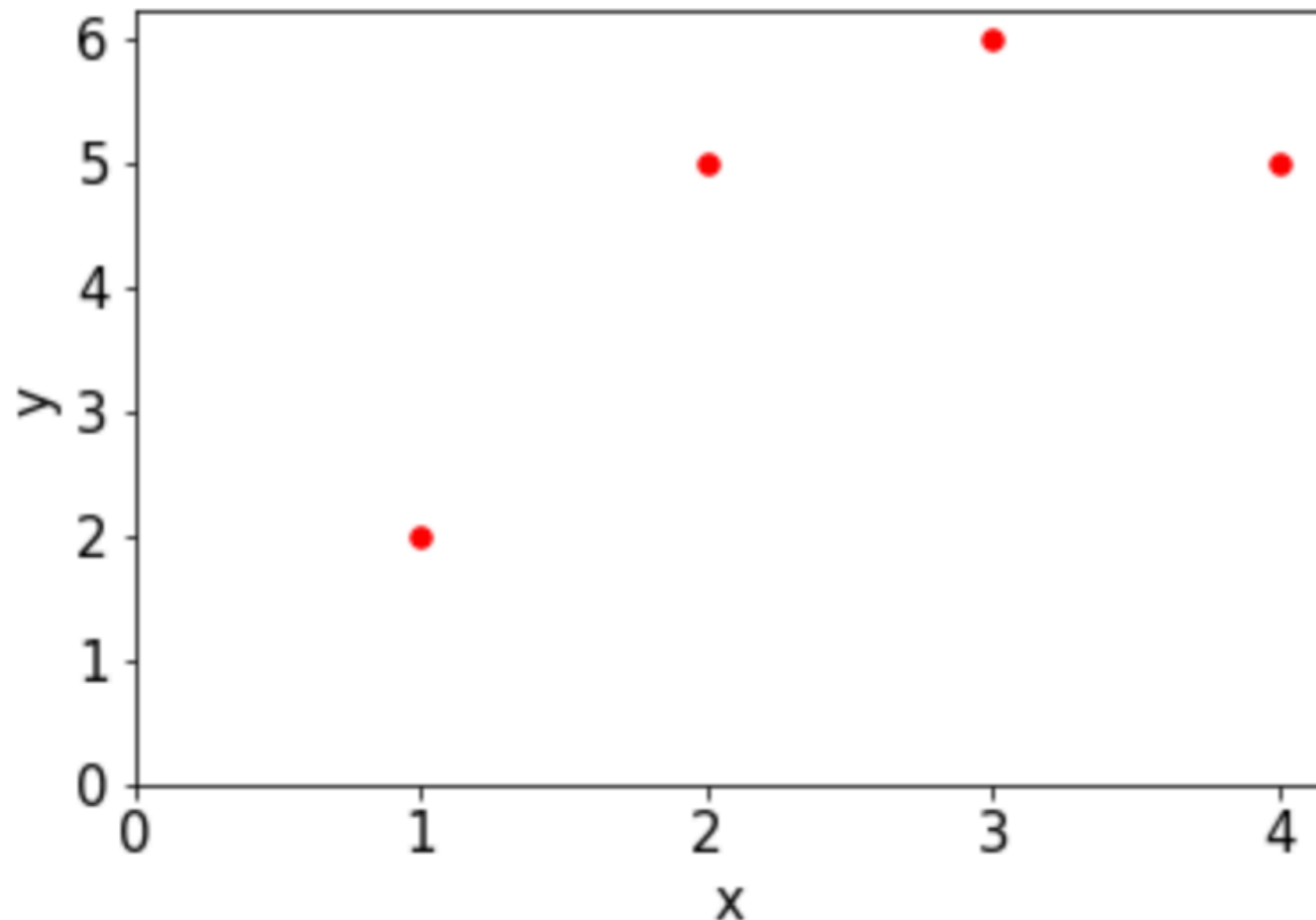
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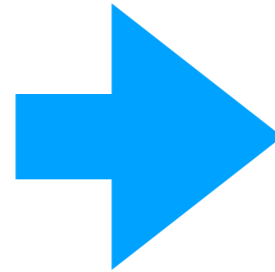


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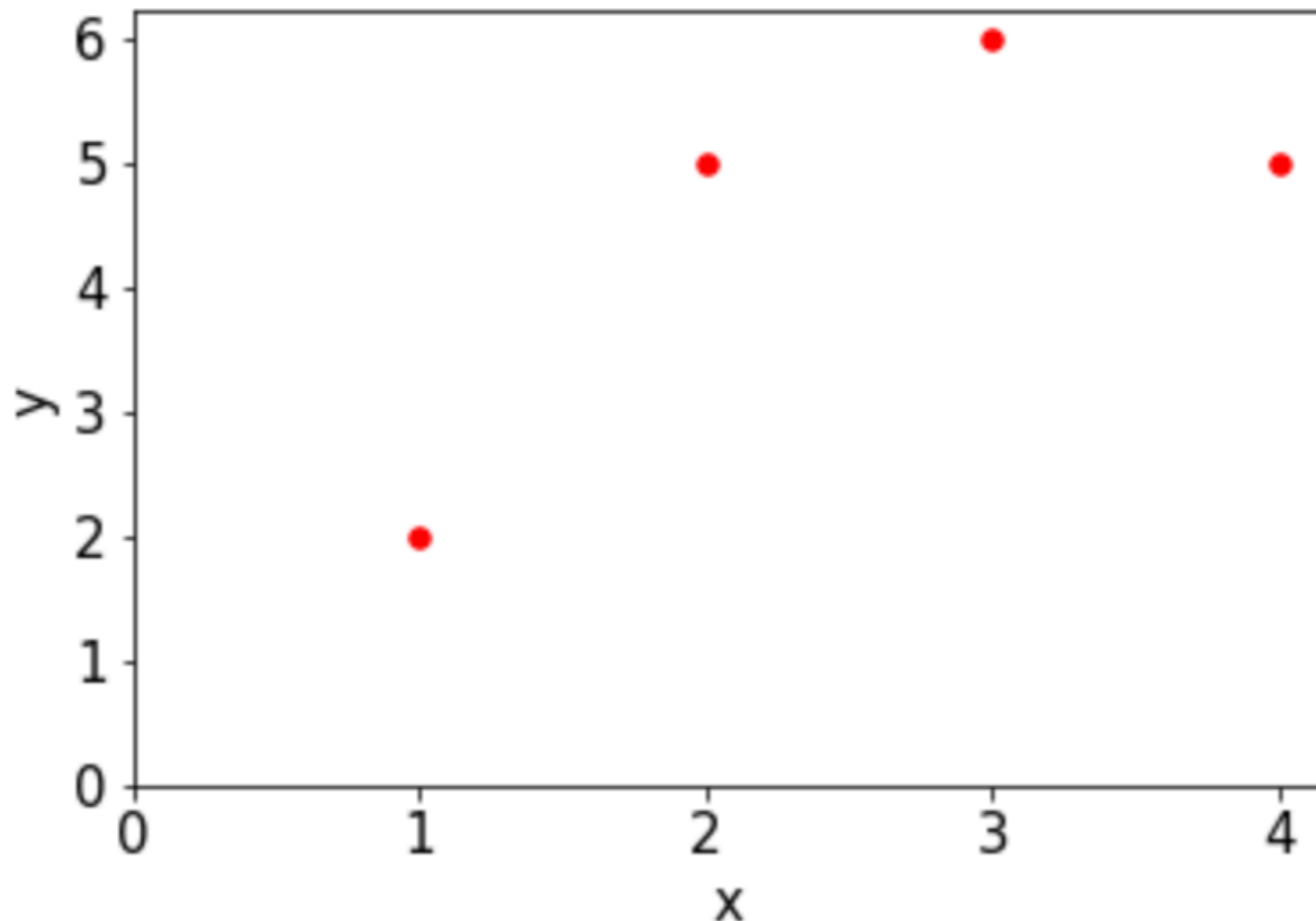
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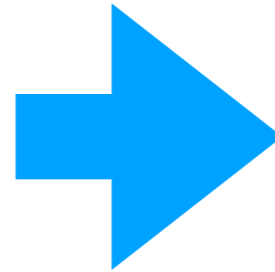


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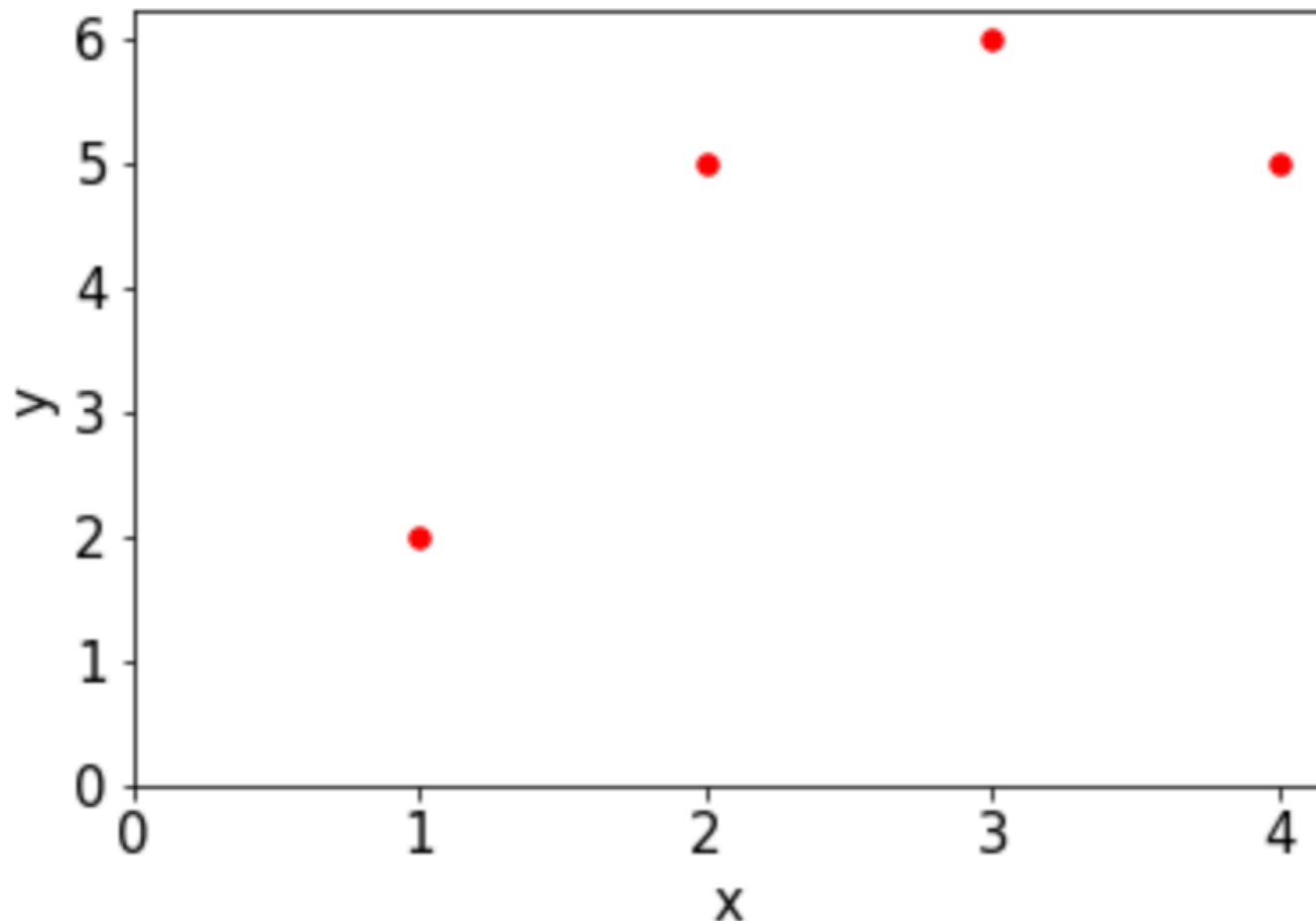
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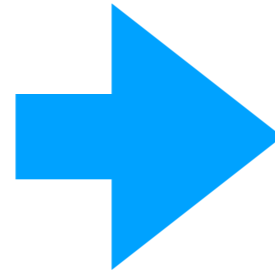
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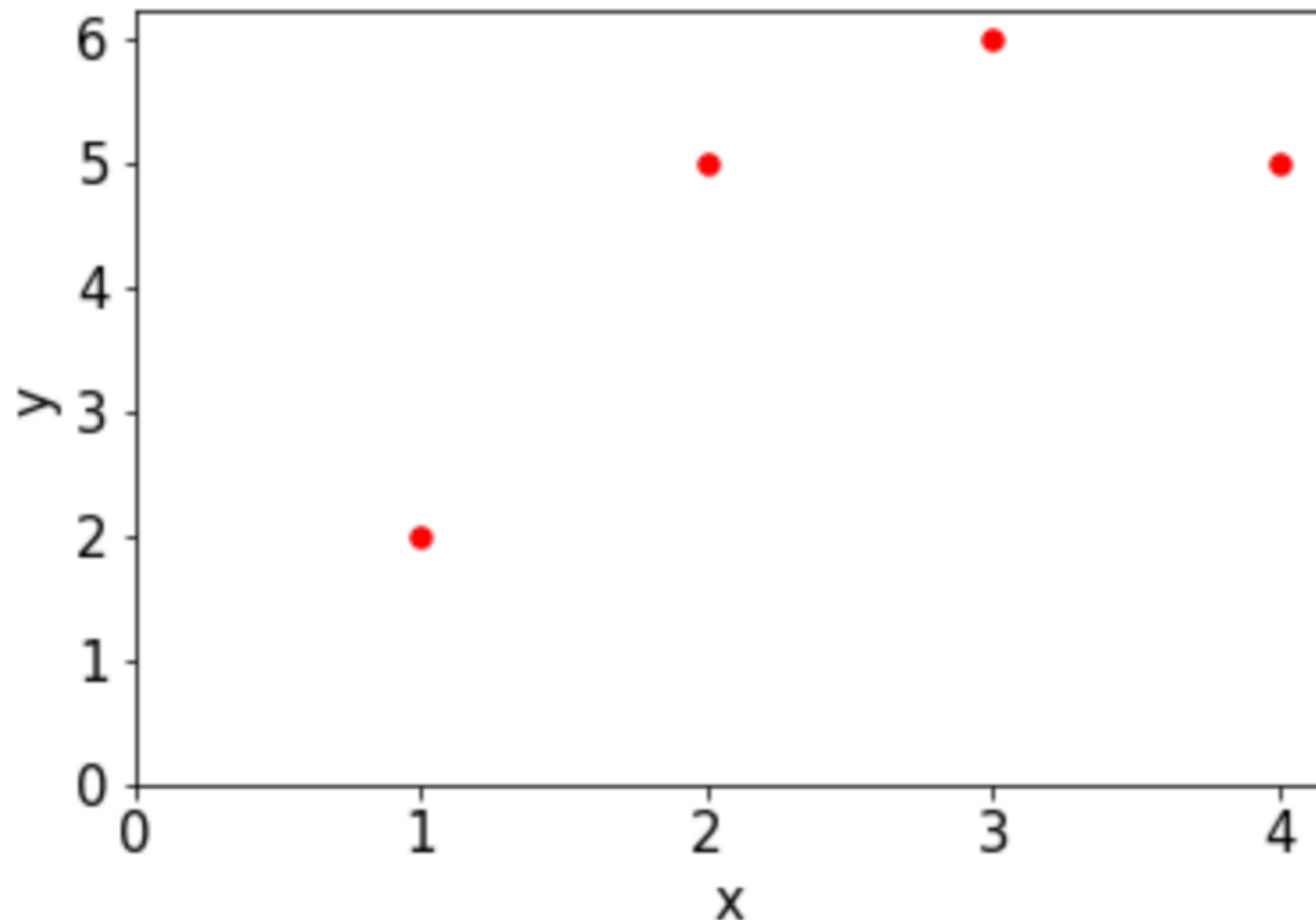
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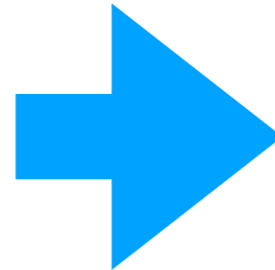
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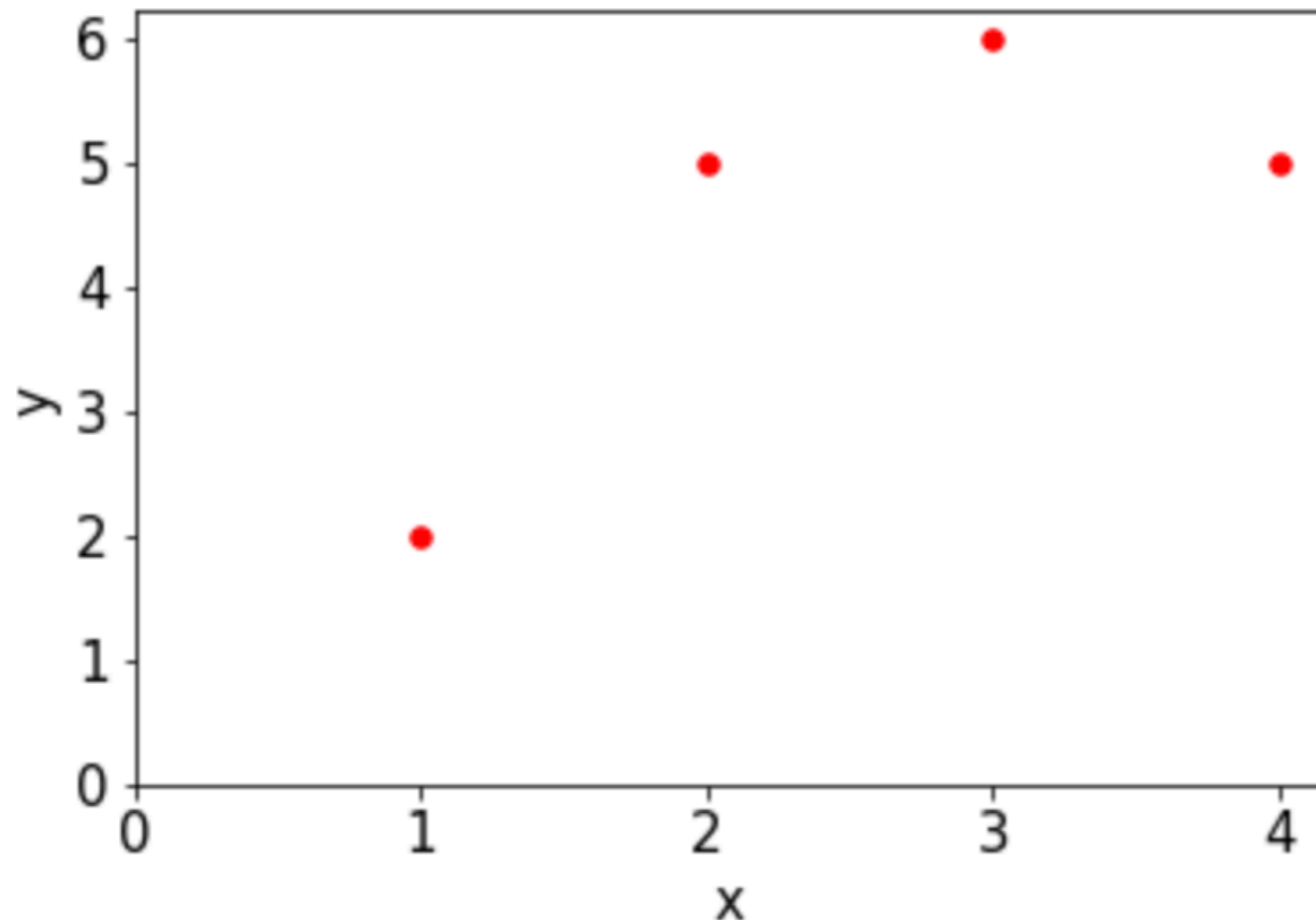
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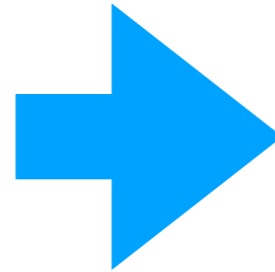
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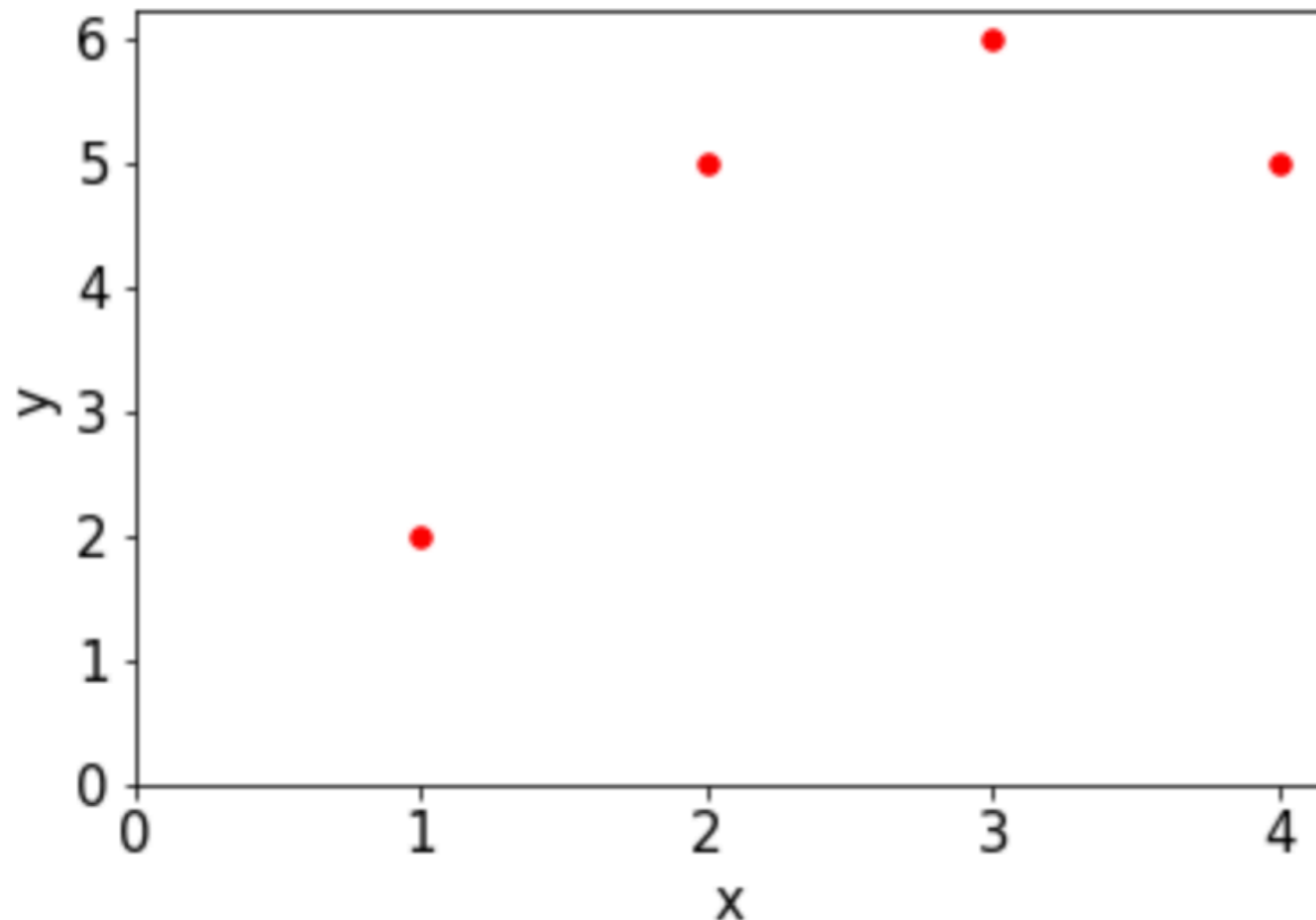
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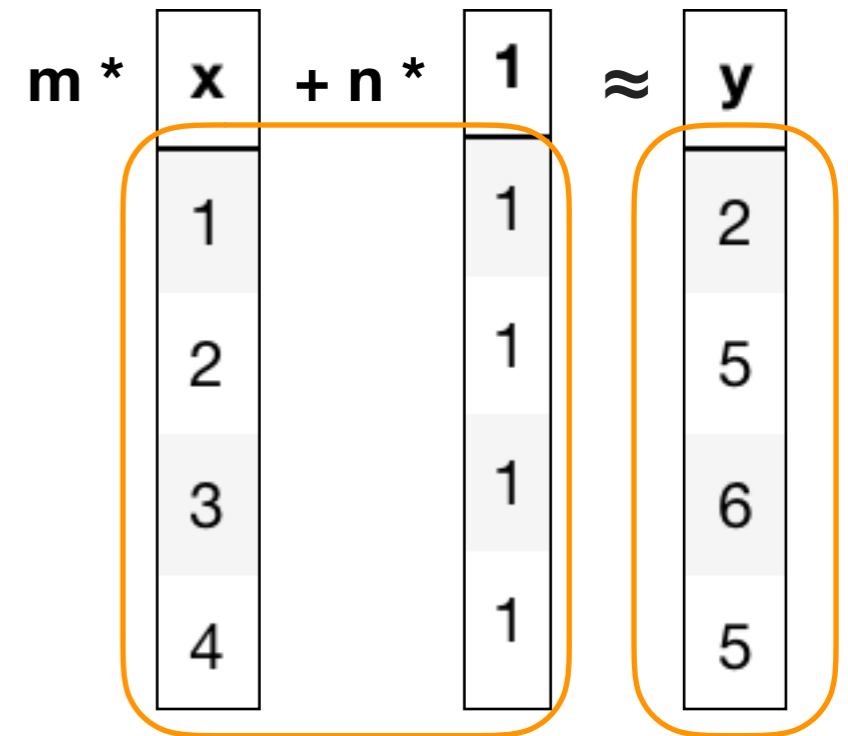
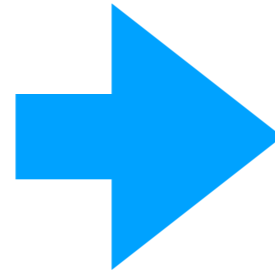


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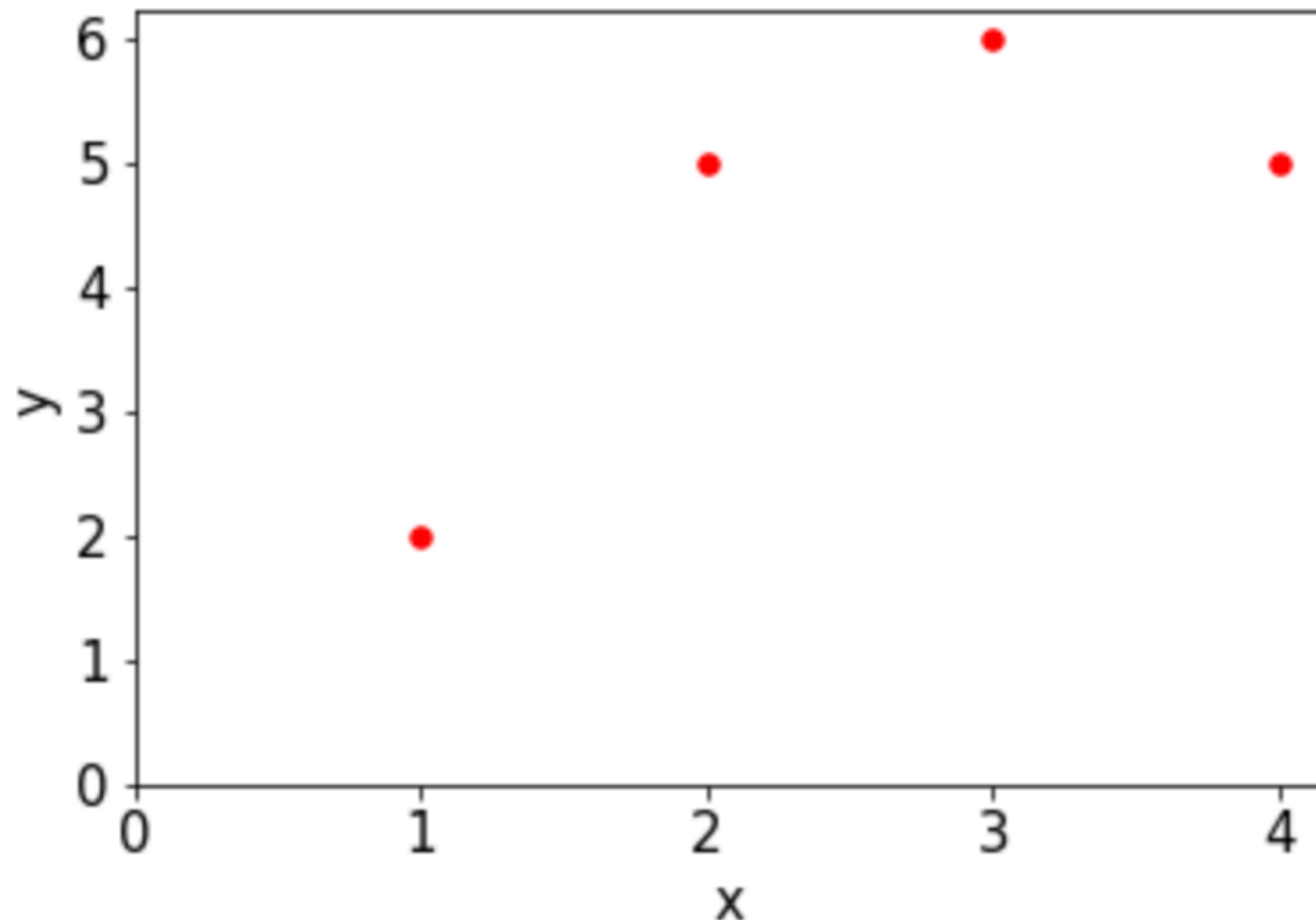
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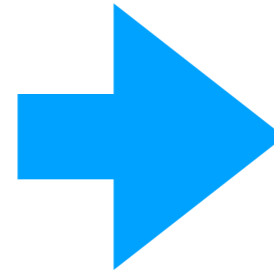


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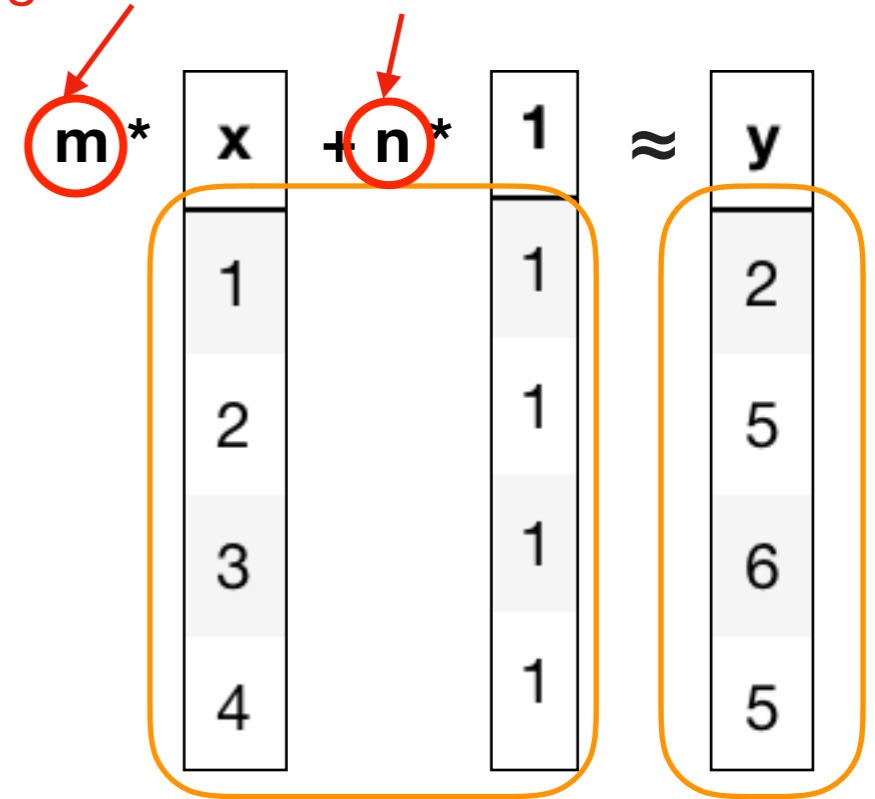
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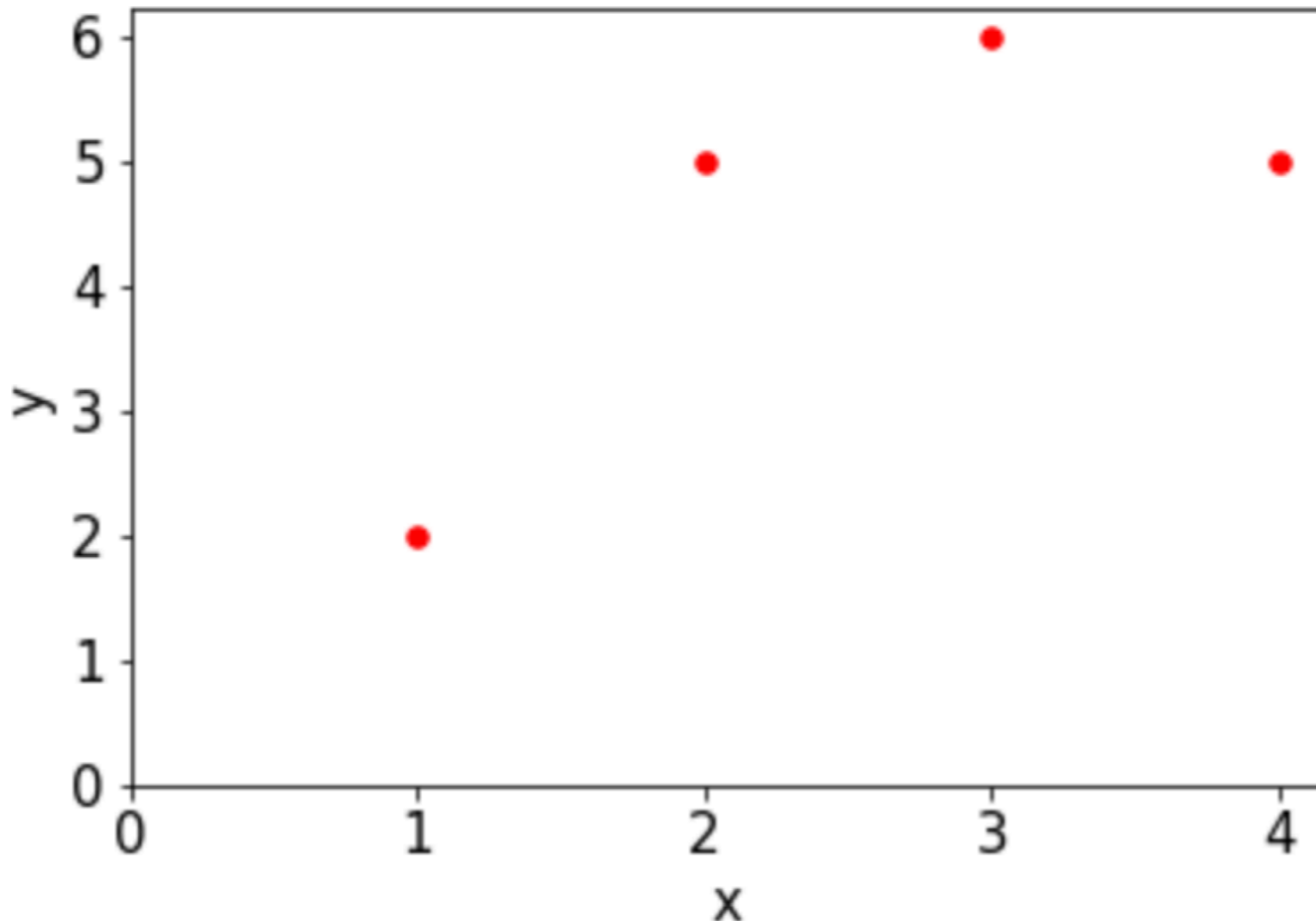
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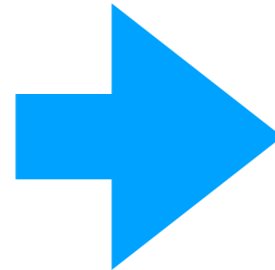
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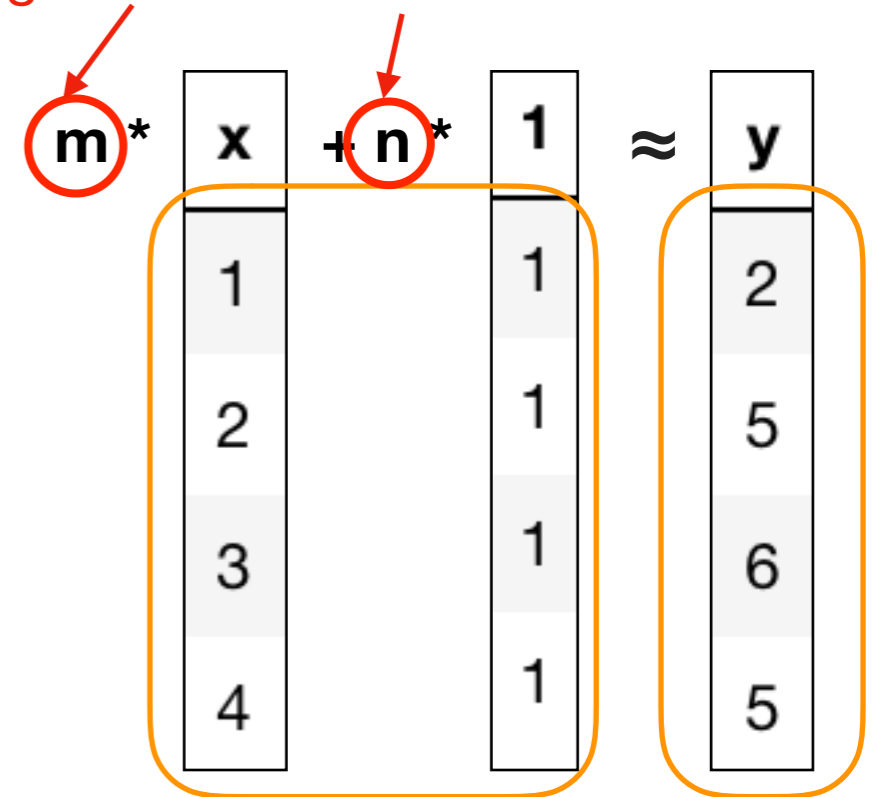
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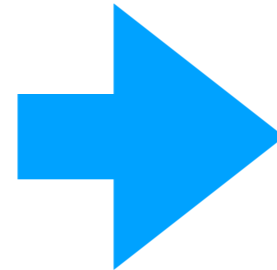
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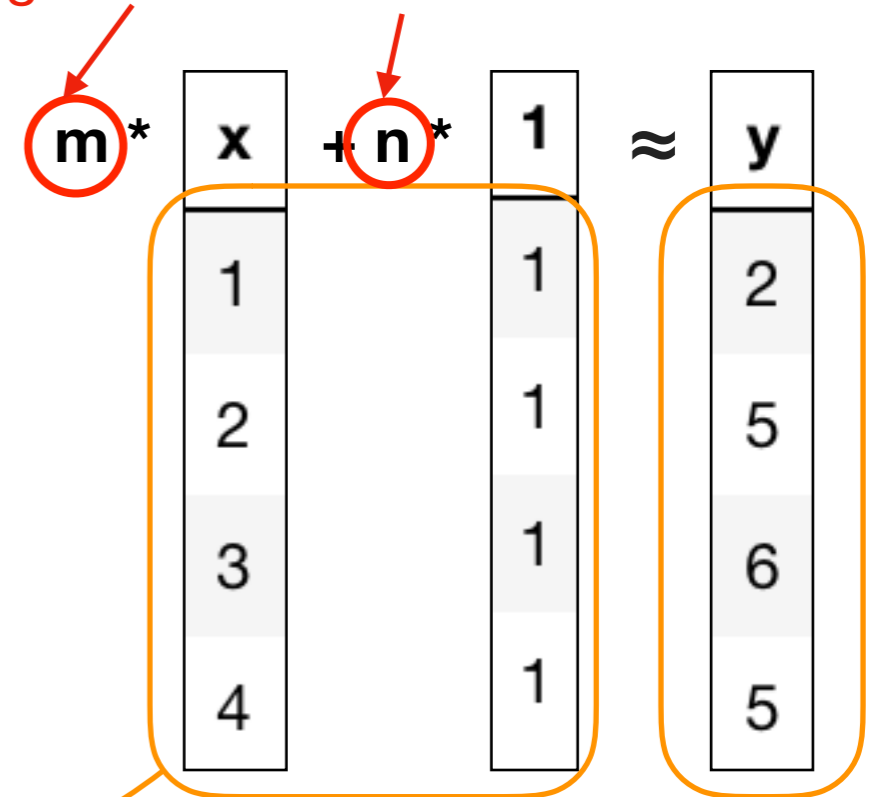
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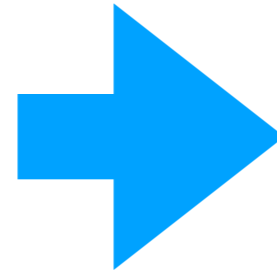
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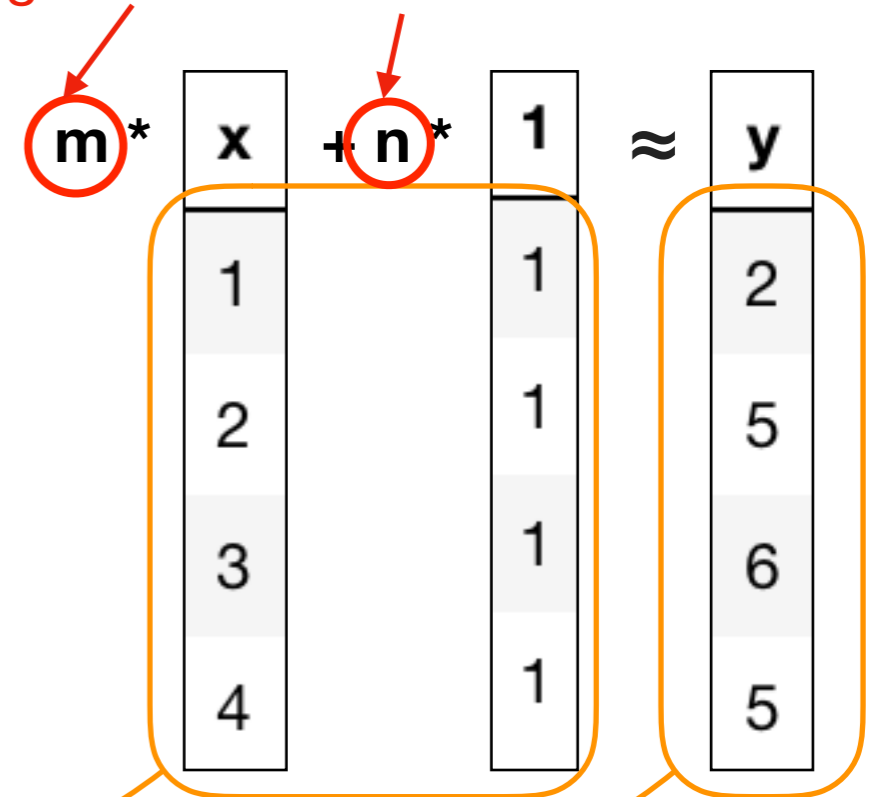
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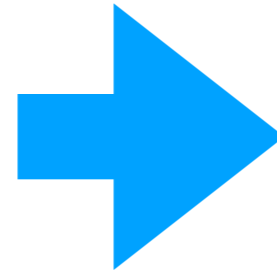
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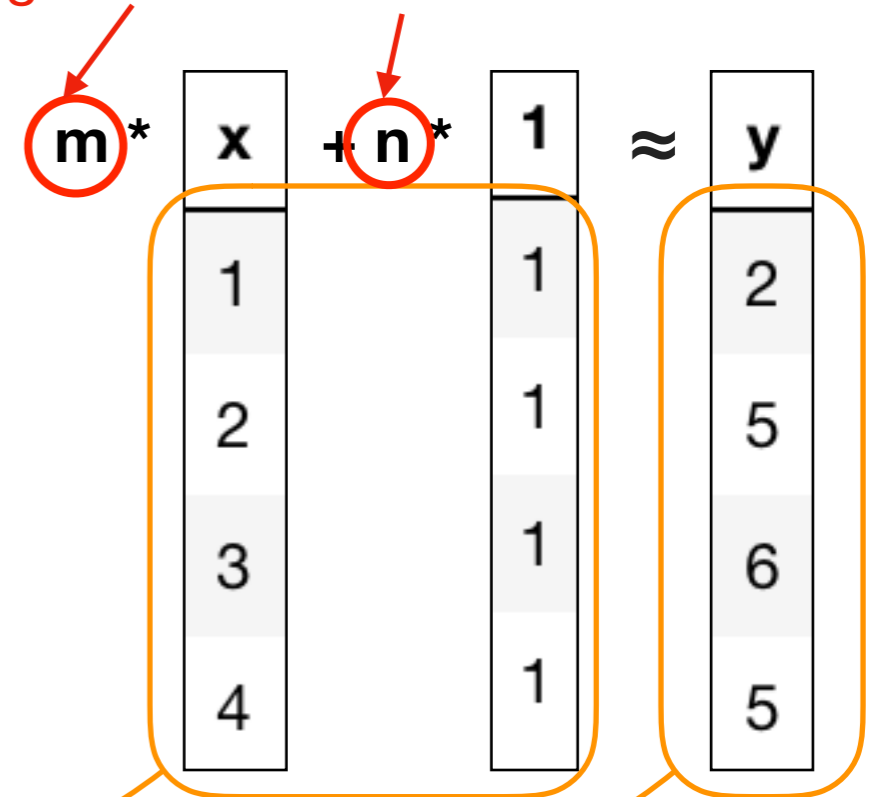
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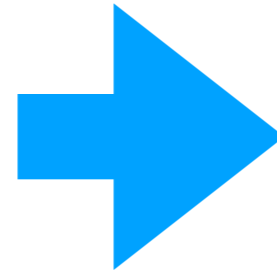


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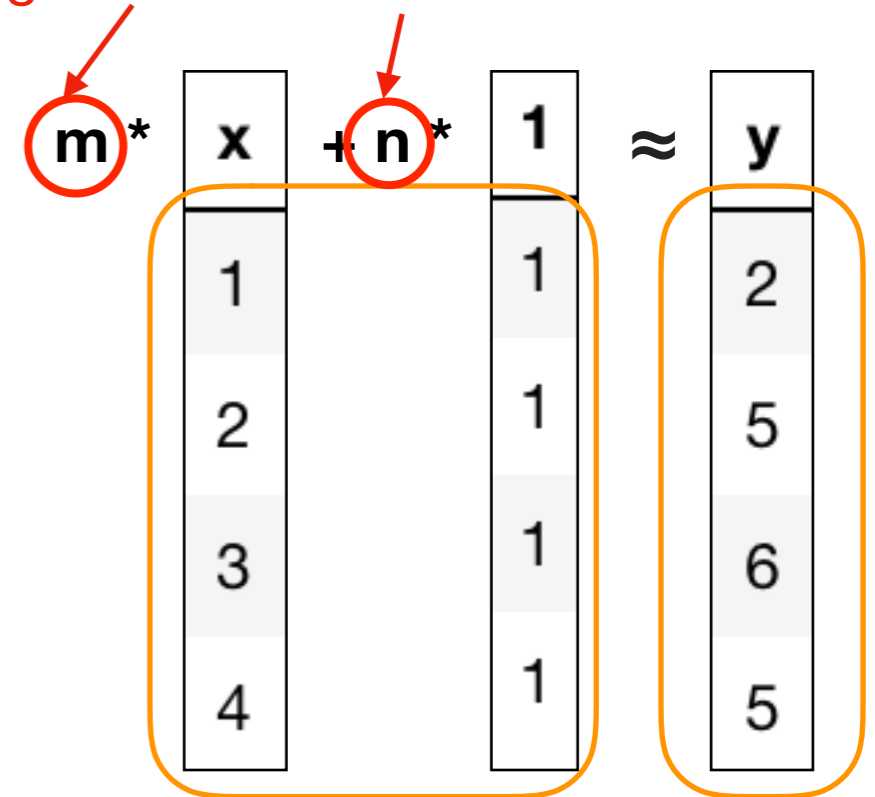
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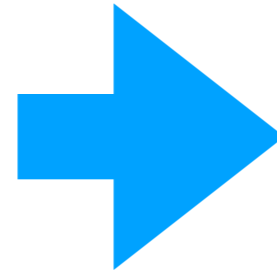


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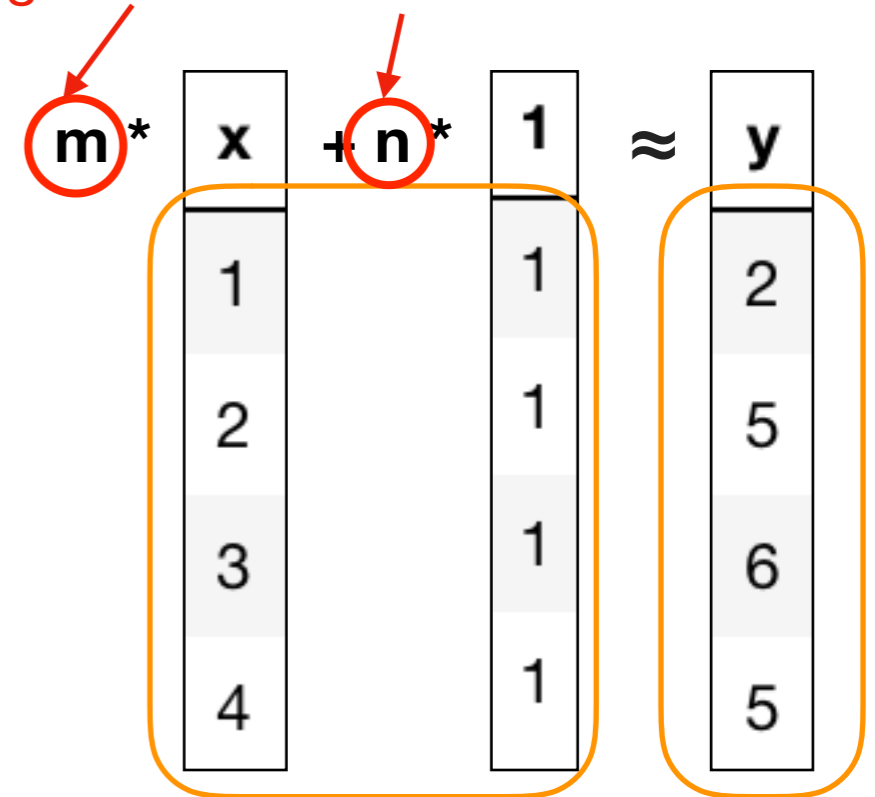
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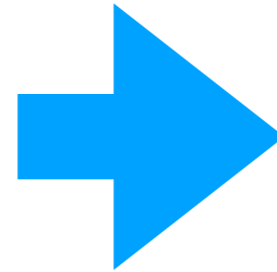
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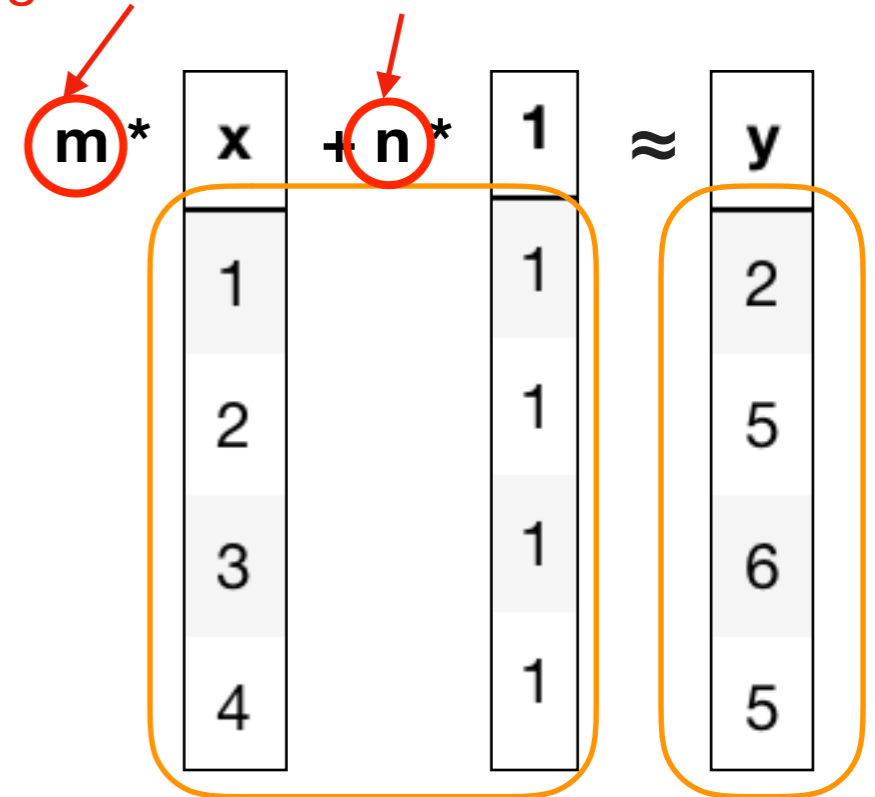
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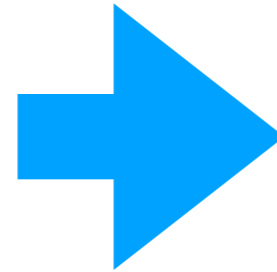
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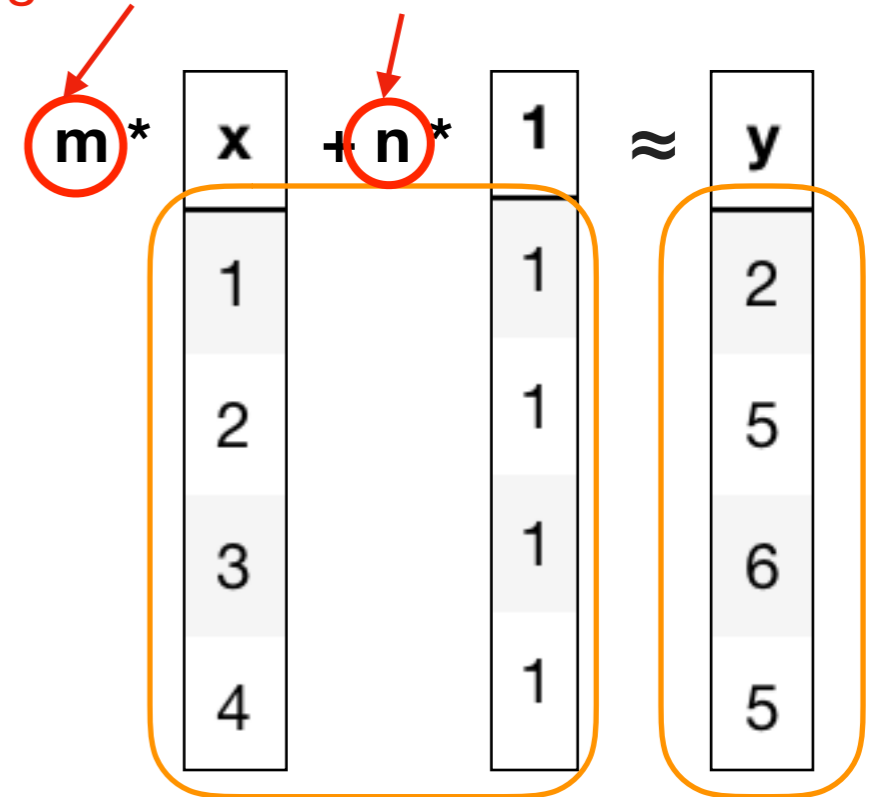
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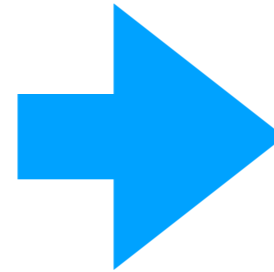
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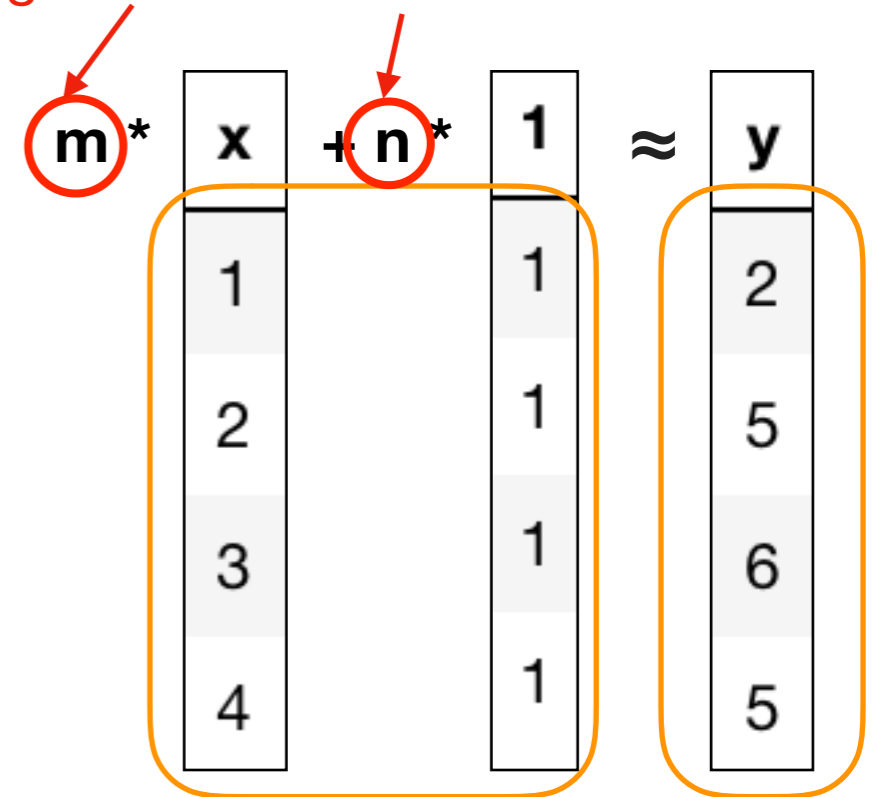
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Example data

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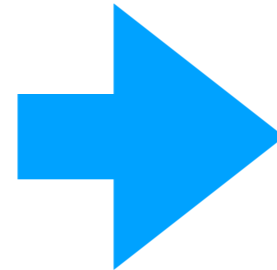
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m = coefficients[0] # slope is 1
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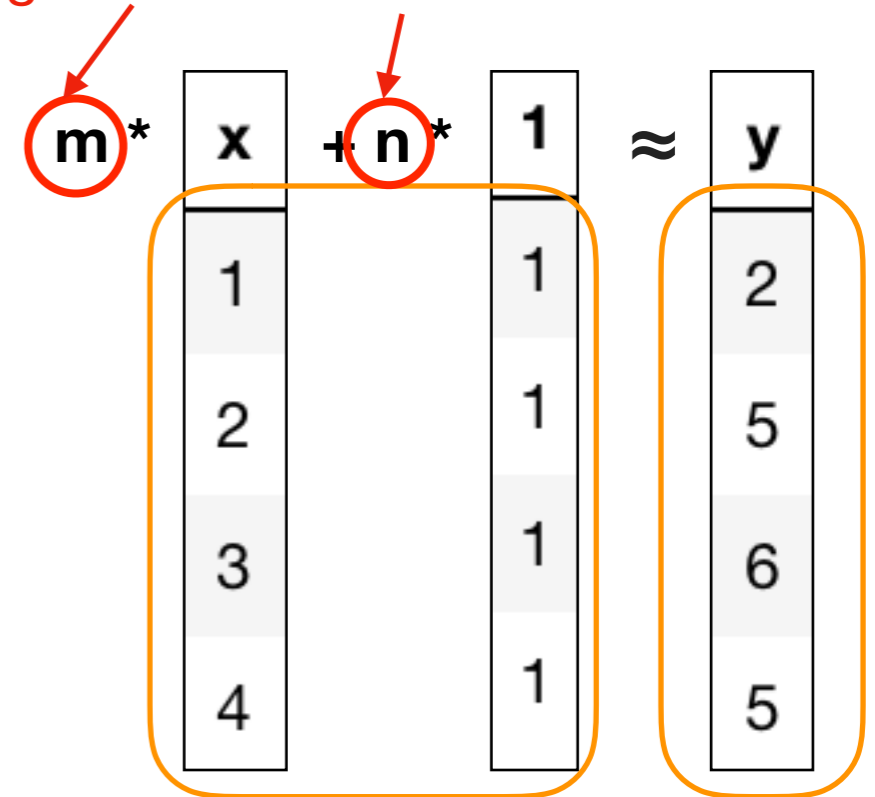
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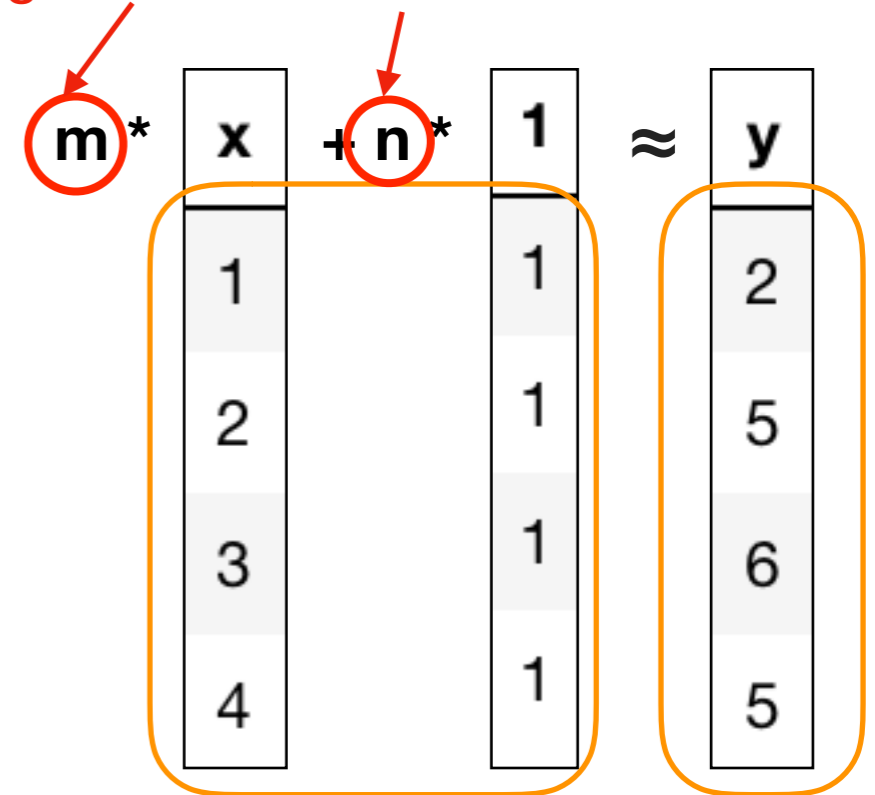
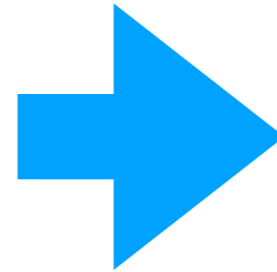
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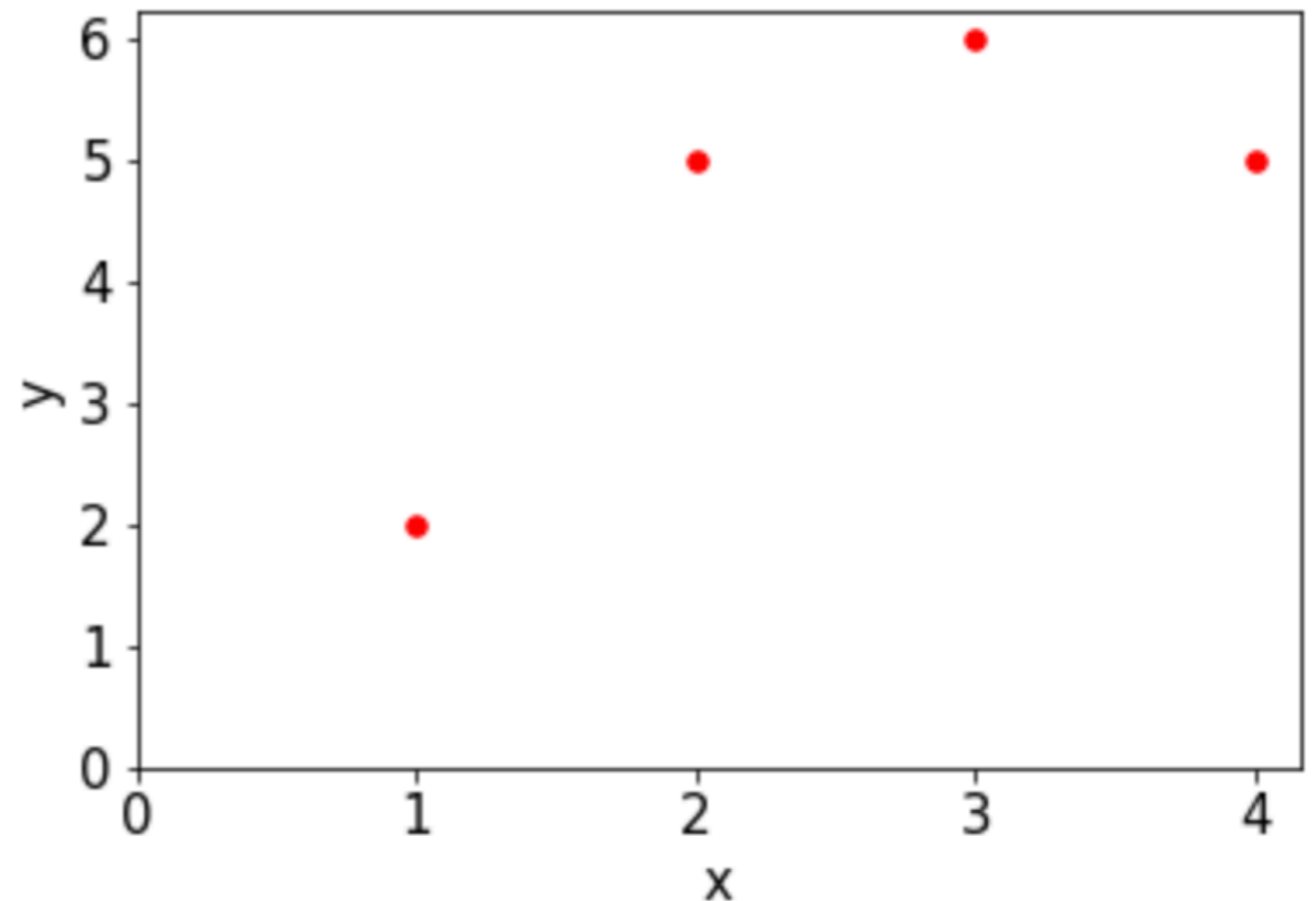
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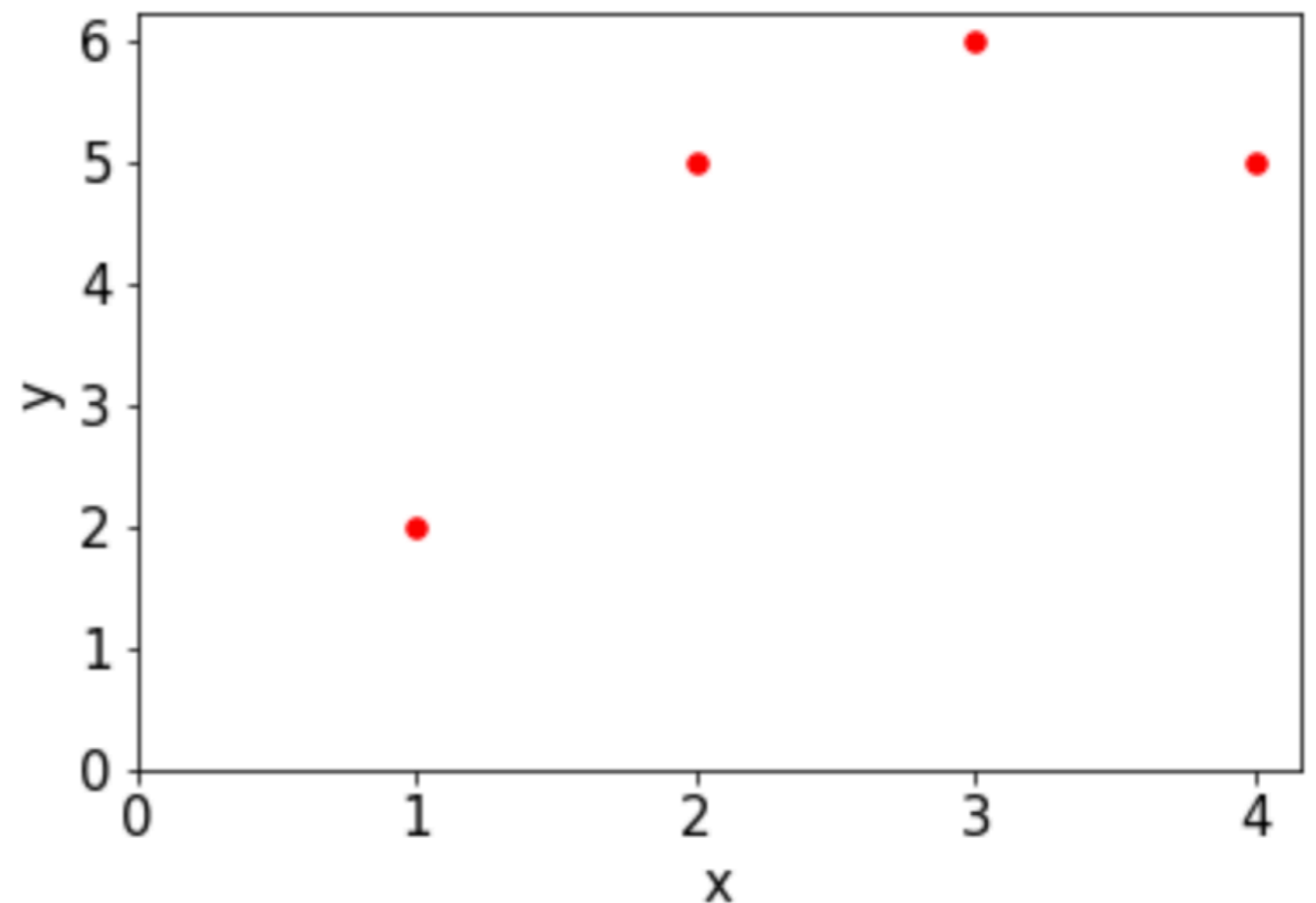
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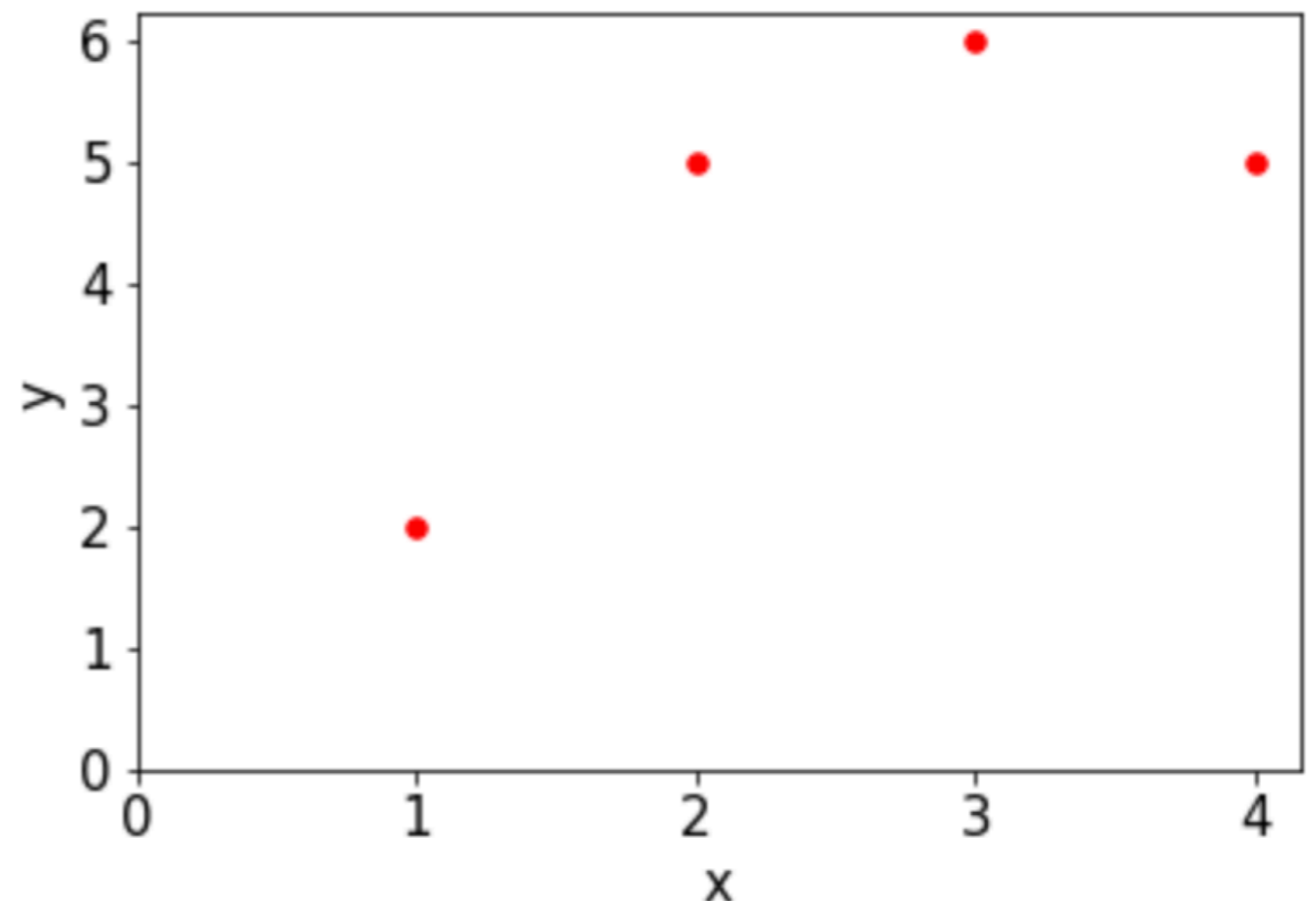
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scatter data
fit line




```

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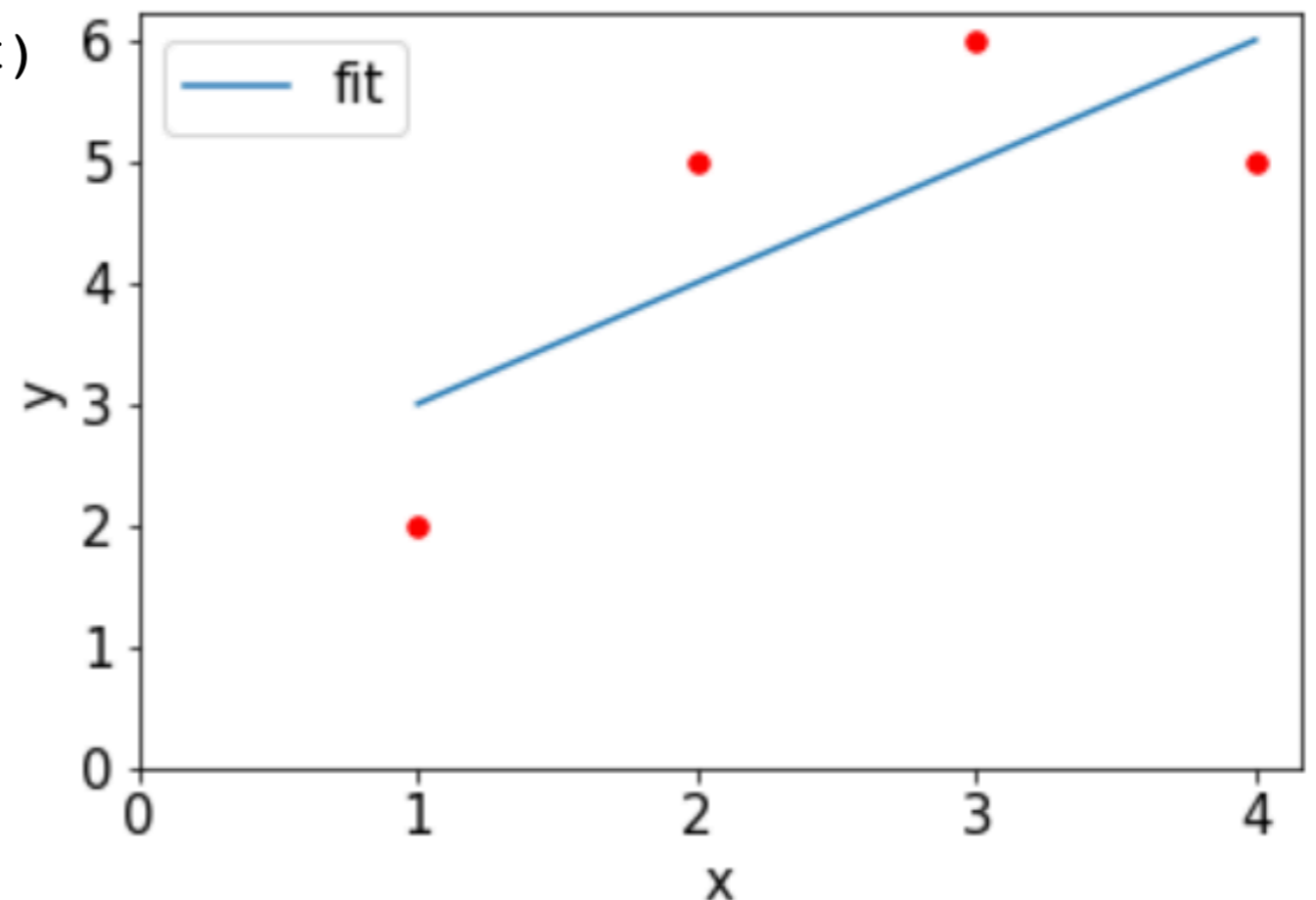
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ax = df.plot.scatter(x='x', y='y', c='red', s=30, xlim=0, ylim=0)

df["fit"] = df["x"] * m + n
df.plot.line(x='x', y='fit', ax=ax)

```

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```

df = DataFrame({
    "x": [1,2,3,4],
    "y": [2,5,6,5]
})
df["1"] = 1

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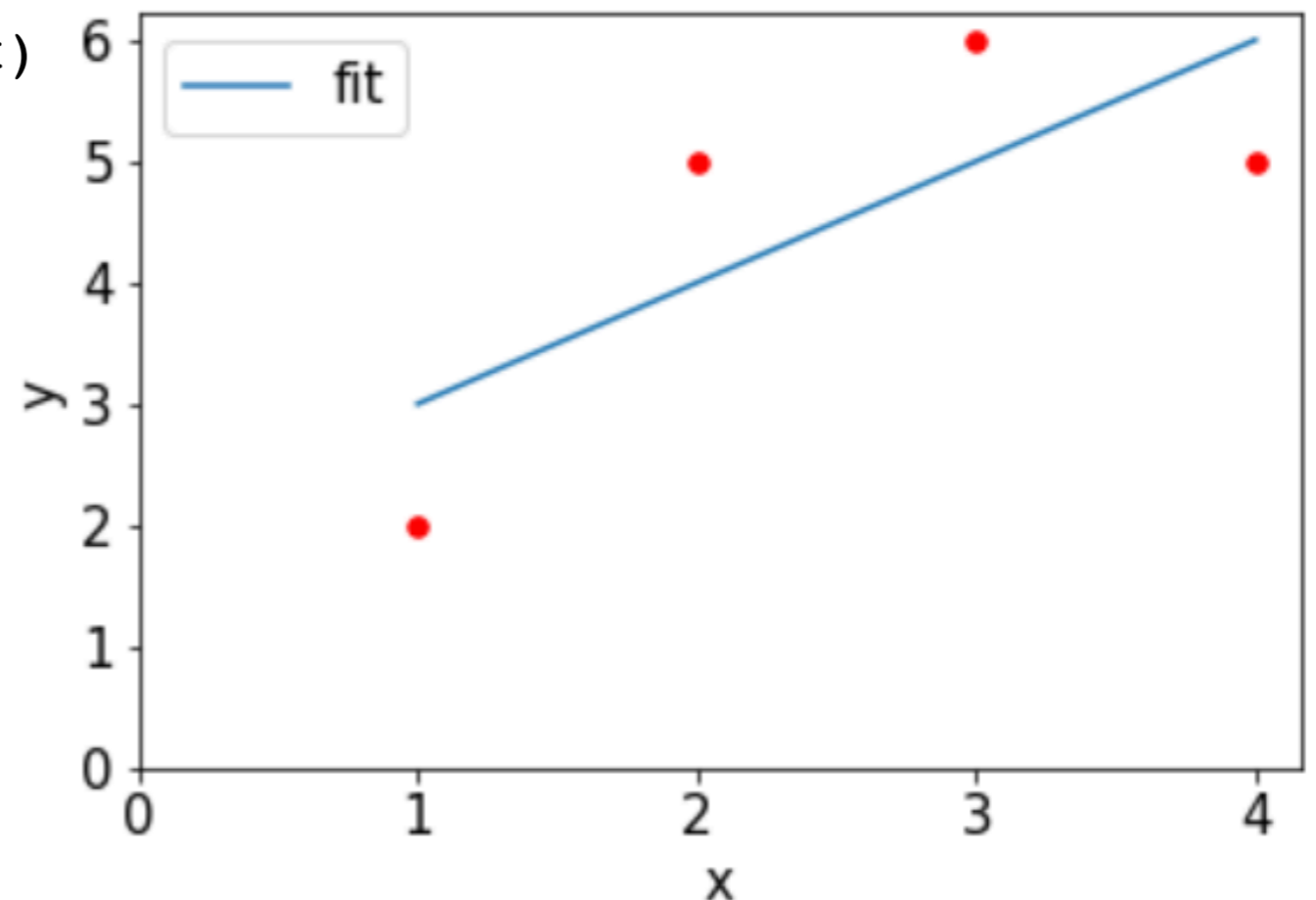
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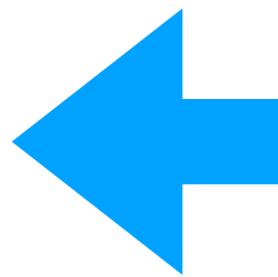
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})
```



this is a complete example. You can copy/paste and just change the input data

```
df["1"] = 1
```

```
res = np.linalg.lstsq(df[["x", "1"]], df["y"], rcond=None)
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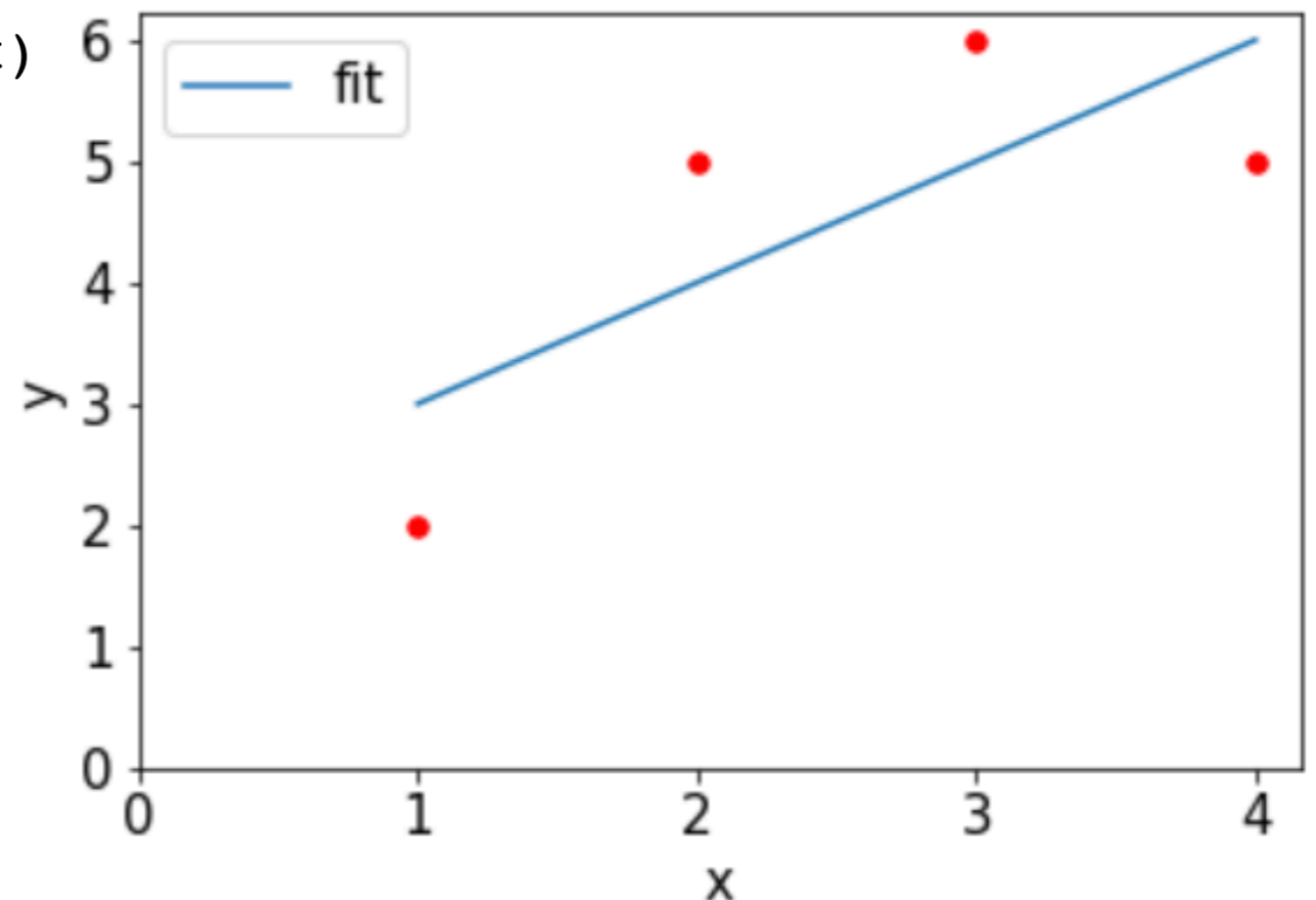
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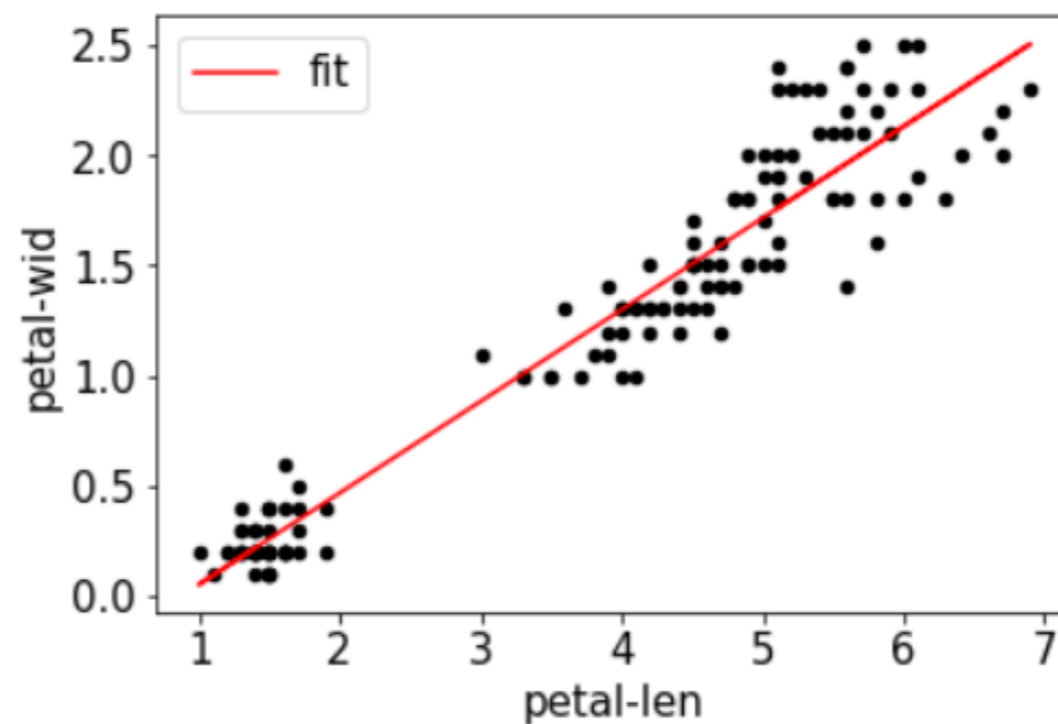
df:

	x	1	y	fit
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Demo 2: draw real fit line on Iris data

	sepal-len	sepal-wid	petal-len	petal-wid	name
0	5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	Iris-setosa
1	4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	Iris-setosa
2	4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	Iris-setosa
3	4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	Iris-setosa
4	5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2	Iris-setosa



Demo 3: fit line to S&P 500 returns

	year	return	tot	log10(tot)
0	1970	1.0401	1.040100	0.017075
1	1971	1.1431	1.188938	0.075159
2	1972	1.1898	1.414599	0.150633
3	1973	0.8534	1.207219	0.081786
4	1974	0.7353	0.887668	-0.051750
5	1975	1.3720	1.217880	0.085605

