# **REGRESSION EQUATIONS ON THE TI-83**

- 1. Clear all functions from Y= screen.
- 2. If you wish to get r values later, turn on diagnostics as follows.
  - <u>2nd</u> [CATALOG] ? until you get to <DiagnosticOn, then press ENTER ENTER.
  - When you enter the [CATALOG], the calculator is automatically in <u>ALPHA</u> MODE. Pressing the key with D above it will cause the catalog listing to jump to the first entry beginning with that letter.

# 3. Turn on STAT PLOT.

- 2nd STAT PLOT STAT PLOTS 1: Plot1... Off ENTER = On ENTER.
- ? Type: highlight first graphing option ENTER.
- ? XI i st: 2nd L1 ENTER.
- ? Ylist: 2nd L2 ENTER.
- ? Mark: highlight desired option ENTER 2nd QUIT.
- When you are finished with the statistics applications, you will need to turn off STAT PLOT: 2nd STAT PLOT STAT PLOTS 4: PI otsOff ENTER. The STAT PLOT can also be turned on and off in the Y= screen.

#### 4. Enter data points.

- STAT 1: Edit ENTER.
- You can clear old data as follows: > L1 CLEAR ENTER.
  Enter the x-values in L1 and the y-values in L2. Press ENTER after each entry. (You cannot use 0 as an x-value if you are going to do logarithmic regression. In that case, enter .000001 instead of 0 for x.) Enter each pair side-by-side.
- 2nd [QUI T] after all data is entered.

Example: Data pairs:



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# 5. Draw scatter plot.

Scatter plot:

Lists:



# • 2nd [QUI T].

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# 6. Calculate and store linear regression equation.

- <u>STAT</u> < CALC 4: LinReg(ax+b) <u>ENTER</u> 2nd [L1] , 2nd [L2] , VARS < Y-VARS 1: Function <u>ENTER</u> FUNCTION 1: Y<sub>1</sub> <u>ENTER</u>.
- The default lists are L1 and L2 and may be omitted.



- The coefficients and r value are displayed on the home screen.
- The regression equation is stored in Y<sub>1</sub>=.

#### 7. Superimpose regression line on scatterplot.

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ч=ax+b

#### 8. The correlation coefficient r.

• The correlation coefficient r is a number between -1 and +1 that indicates the closeness of the fit of the regression line. The closer |r| is to 1, the better the fit. This line is a good fit, but there may be another type of regression that is better.

#### 9. Using the regression equation to predict other y-values.

- Example: To find y when x = 10: VARS < Y-VARS 1: Function ENTER FUNCTION 1: Y<sub>1</sub> ENTER (10) ENTER
- You could also store 10 as X and then evaluate Y<sub>1</sub>.
- You could also use the graph and the 2nd CALC CALCULATE 1: val ue option.

# 10. Clearing an entire list of old data.

There are several methods for clearing old data, but one of the easiest is: STAT
 1: Edi t, use the up arrow > highlight the name of the list you wish to clear, then press CLEAR ENTER

#### 11. Calculating other types of regression models.



Natural logarithmic model:

 $y = 9.206 \ln x + 110.585$ 

• Exponential model:

 $y = 107.933^{*}(1.034^{x})$ 

• Power regression model:

 $y = 110.799 * x^{.077}$ 





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