

## **Stepwise Regression**

Use to perform automated variable selection in multiple linear or logistic regression models. The method is particular useful when there is a large number of candidate explanatory variables.

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- 1. From an open table, select Analyze > Fit Model.
- 2. Select a response variable from **Select Columns** and click **Y**.
- 3. Select predictor variables and click Add.
- 4. If desired, select a validation column (JMP<sup>®</sup> Pro only).
- 5. Select **Stepwise** from the **Personality** drop-down menu.
- 6. In the resulting **Stepwise Fit** window (shown below):
  - Select a **Stopping Rule**.

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- Select the step Direction (forward, backward or mixed). •
- To run the regression automatically, click Go. To proceed ٠ manually, click Step.

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Use arrows to stew forward/backward one term at a time.

Select Go to run the full stepwise routine according to the chosen Direction and Stopping Rule.

P-values are displayed under Prob>F.

- For Forward regression, remove all terms, then click Step or Go.
- For Backward regression, enter all terms, then click Step or Go.
- The **Mixed** direction is only available with the p-value stopping rule. •
- To run the model shown in the Current Estimates table, click Run Model. . JMP generates the Fit Model report.
- See the Multiple Linear Regression or Multiple Logistic Regression one-page guides for more details. .

Visit Fitting Linear Models > Stepwise Regression Models in JMP Help to learn more.