

Weighted Least Squares Regression ($b = 0$) :

$$\chi^2 = -\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N \left(\frac{y_i - ax_i}{\sigma_i^2} \right)^2 \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial \chi^2}{\partial a} = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i}{\sigma_i^2} (y_i - ax_i) = 0 \quad (2)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i y_i}{\sigma_i^2} = a \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i^2}{\sigma_i^2} \quad (3)$$

$$a = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i y_i}{x_i^2} \quad (4)$$

$$\sigma_a^2 = \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i^2}{\sigma_i^2} S^2 \quad (5)$$

$$S^2 = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^N \frac{(y_i - ax_i)^2}{\sigma_i^2} \quad (6)$$

$$\sigma_a^2 = \frac{1}{N-1} \left(\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{x_i^2}{\sigma_i^2} \right) \left(\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{(y_i - ax_i)^2}{\sigma_i^2} \right) \quad (7)$$

$$(8)$$

Applied to our experiment :

$$r_n^2 = \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right) \lambda R \quad (9)$$

$$a = \sum_{n=1}^{15} \frac{r_n^2 \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right)}{(r_n^2)^2} \quad (10)$$

$$\sigma_a^2 = \frac{1}{14} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{14} \frac{(r_n^2)^2}{\sigma_r^2} \right) \left(\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{(r_n^2 - a \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right))^2}{\sigma_r^2} \right) \quad (11)$$

$$\Psi(x) = x^2 \quad (12)$$

$$\sigma_\Psi^2 = \left(\frac{\partial}{\partial x} (x^2) \Delta x \right)^2 = 4x^2 (\Delta x)^2 \quad (13)$$

$$\sigma_{r_n^2} = 4r_n^2 (\Delta r)^2 \quad (14)$$

$$\sigma_a^2 = \frac{1}{14} \left(\sum_{n=1}^{14} \frac{(r_n^2)^2}{4r_n^2} \right) / \left(\sum_{i=1}^N \frac{(r_n^2 - a \left(n - \frac{1}{2} \right))^2}{4r_n^2} \right) \quad (15)$$