

HARRIS BENEDICT EQUATION

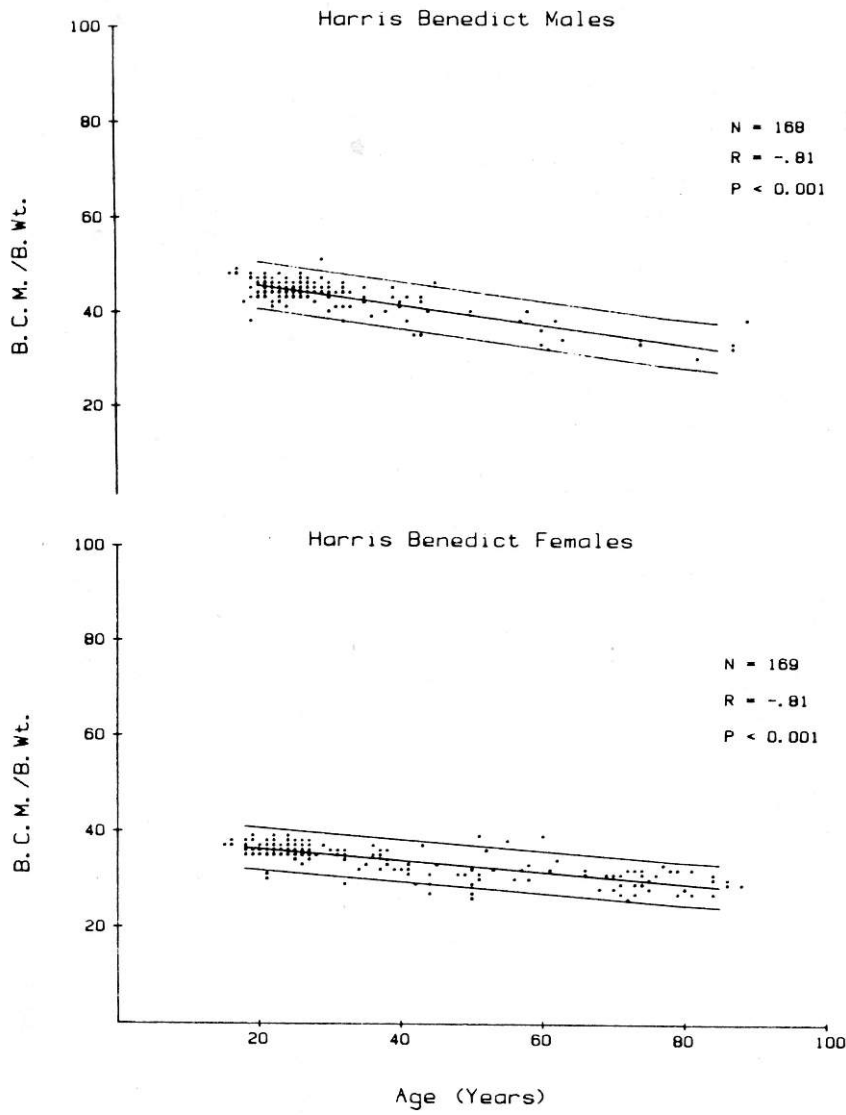


FIG 4. The correlation between BCM, expressed as a percentage of body weight with advancing age for both the Harris Benedict men and women. With aging there is a significant ($p < 0.001$) decline in the proportion of body weight due to the BCM, with correlation coefficients of -0.81 for both sexes.