

### Inteligencia Artificial

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### • • Agenda

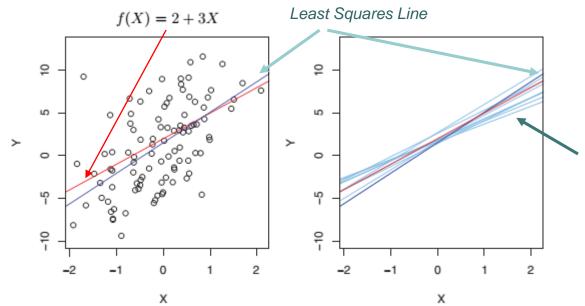


- Accuracy of the Coefficient Estimates.
- K-Nearest Neighbours.
- Resampling Methods.

## Accuracy of the Coefficient Estimates

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X + \epsilon.$$

- Here  $\beta_0$  is the intercept term—that is, the expected value of Y when X = 0, and  $\beta_1$  is the slope—the average increase in Y associated with a one-unit increase in X.
- We typically assume that the error term is independent of X.



Separate random set of observations. Each least squares line is different, but on average, the least squares lines are quite close to the population regression line.

### • • Standard Error

- The average of  $\hat{\mu}$  's over many data sets will be very close to  $\mu$ .
- How far off will that single estimate of  $\hat{\mu}$  be?

$$\operatorname{Var}(\hat{\mu}) = \operatorname{SE}(\hat{\mu})^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{n}$$
 Standard deviation of each realization of  $y_i$  of  $Y$ 

the standard error tells us the average amount that this estimate  $\hat{\mu}$  differs from the actual value of  $\mu$ 

$$SE(\hat{\beta}_0)^2 = \sigma^2 \left[ \frac{1}{n} + \frac{\bar{x}^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \right], \quad SE(\hat{\beta}_1)^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2} \sigma^2 = Var(\epsilon)$$

## • • Standard Error

- In general,  $\sigma^2$  is not known, but can be estimated from the data.
- The estimate of  $\sigma$  is known as the *residual* standard error (RSE)

Residual sum of squares 
$$\begin{aligned} \mathrm{RSE} &= \sqrt{\mathrm{RSS}/(n-2)}. \\ \mathrm{RSS} &= (y_1 - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1 x_1)^2 + (y_2 - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1 x_2)^2 + \ldots + (y_n - \hat{\beta}_0 - \hat{\beta}_1 x_n)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Standard errors can be used to compute *confidence intervals*. A 95 % confidence interval is defined as a range of values such that with 95 % interval probability, the range will contain the true unknown value of the parameter.

$$\hat{\beta}_1 \pm 2 \cdot SE(\hat{\beta}_1)$$

# • • Hypothesis tests

- o  $H_0$ : There is no relationship between X and Y (Null Hypothesis)  $\beta_1 = 0$   $Y = \beta_0 + \epsilon$
- H<sub>a</sub>:There is some relationship between X and Y (Alternative Hypothesis)

$$t = \frac{\hat{\beta}_1 - 0}{\text{SE}(\hat{\beta}_1)}$$

|           | Coefficient | Std. error | t-statistic |
|-----------|-------------|------------|-------------|
| Intercept | 7.0325      | 0.4578     | 15.36       |
| TV        | 0.0475      | 0.0027     | 17.67       |

# • • Assessing the Accuracy of the Model

- The quality of a linear regression fit is typically assessed using two related quantities: the *residual standard error* (RSE) and the  $R^2$  statistic.
- RSE: it is the average amount that the response will deviate from the true regression line. Problem? Units of Y (Which is a good RSE?)

RSE = 
$$\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-2}}$$
RSS =  $\sqrt{\frac{1}{n-2}\sum_{i=1}^{n}(y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2}$ 

• R2: takes the form of a *proportion*—the proportion of variance explained— and so it always takes on a value between 0 and 1, and is independent of the scale of

$$R^2 = \frac{TSS - RSS}{TSS} = 1 - \frac{RSS}{TSS}$$
 the amount of variability that is left unexplained after performing the regression the amount of variability inherent in

the amount of variability inherent in the response before the regression is performed

 $ext{TSS} = \sum (y_i - \bar{y})^2$  the amount of variability in the response that is removed by performing the regression.

### K-Nearest Neighbours

- Many approaches attempt to estimate the conditional distribution of Y given X, and then classify a given observation to the class with highest estimated probability.
- Given a positive integer K and a test observation  $x_0$ , the KNN classifier first identifies the neighbors K points in the training data that are closest to  $x_0$ , represented by  $N_0$

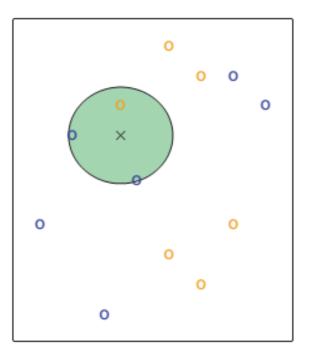
The conditional probability for class j as the fraction of points in N<sub>0</sub> whose response values equal j:

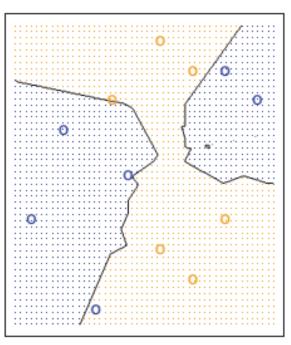
$$Pr(Y = j | X = x_0) = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{i \in \mathcal{N}_0} I(y_i = j)$$

$$d(x_i,x_j)=\sqrt{\sum_{r=1}^p(x_{ri}-x_{rj})^2}$$

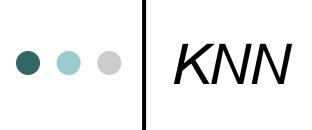
$$d = |\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{y}| = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{n} |x_i - y_i|^2}$$
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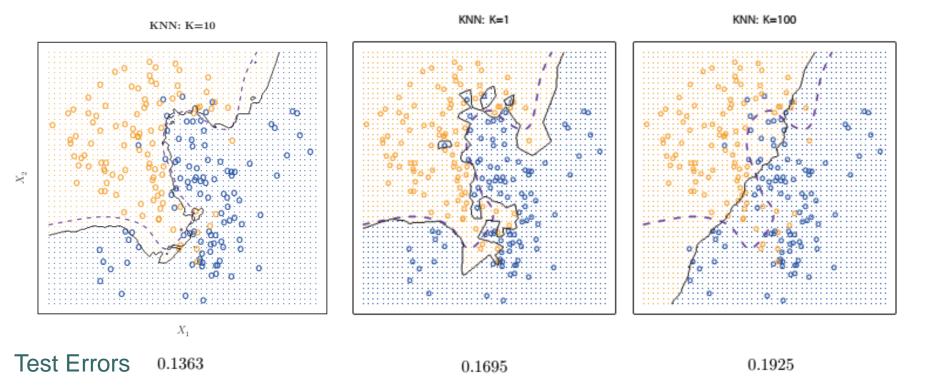
### • • | KNN





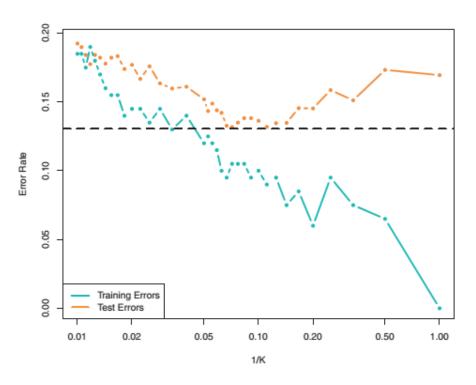
- The **KNN** approach, using K = 3, is illustrated in a simple situation with six blue observations and six orange observations.
- **Left**: a test observation at which a predicted class label is desired is shown as a black cross. The three closest points to the test observation are identified, and it is predicted that the test observation belongs to the most commonly-occurring class, in this case blue.
- **Right**. The KNN decision boundary for this example is shown in black. The blue grid indicates the region in which a test observation will be assigned to the blue class, and the orange grid indicates the region in which it will be assigned to the orange class.





• The black curve indicates the KNN decision boundary using K = 10, 1, 100. The Bayes decision boundary is shown as a purple dashed line.

#### KNN Training-Test Errors



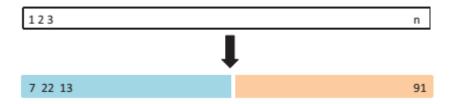
• The **KNN** training error rate (blue, 200 observations) and test error rate (orange, 5,000 observations), as the level of flexibility (assessed using 1/K) increases, or equivalently as the number of neighbors K decreases. The black dashed line indicates the Bayes error rate. The jumpiness of the curves is due to the small size of the training data set.

## Resampling Methods

- Resampling methods involve repeatedly drawing samples from a training set and refitting a model of interest on each sample in order to obtain additional information about the fitted model.
- In order to estimate the variability of a linear regression fit, we can repeatedly draw different samples
  from the training data, fit a linear regression to each new sample, and then examine the extent to which
  the resulting fits differ.
- Such an approach may allow us to obtain information that would not be available from fitting the model only once using the original training sample.
- Resampling approaches can be computationally expensive, because they involve fitting the same statistical method multiple times using different subsets of the training data.
- Cross-validation and the bootstrap.
- Cross-validation can be used to estimate the test error associated with a given statistical learning method in order to evaluate its performance, or to select the appropriate level of flexibility.
- The process of evaluating a model's performance is known as model assessment, whereas the process of selecting the proper level of flexibility for a model is known as model selection.
- The bootstrap is used in several contexts, most commonly to provide a measure of accuracy of a parameter estimate or of a given selection statistical learning method.

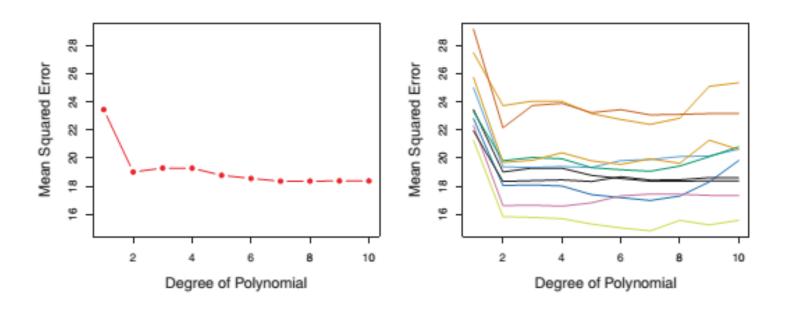
## Cross-Validation

- In the absence of a very large designated test set that can be used to directly estimate the test error rate, a number of techniques can be used to estimate this quantity using the available training data.
- The Validation Set Approach



• A schematic display of the validation set approach. A set of **n** observations are randomly split into a training set (shown in blue, containing observations 7, 22, and 13, among others) and a validation set (shown in beige, and containing observation 91, among others). The statistical learning method is fit on the training set, and its performance is evaluated on the validation set.

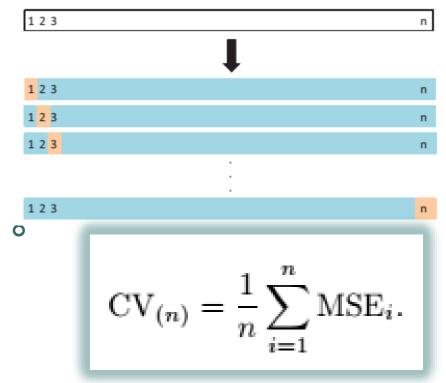
#### Validation set approach

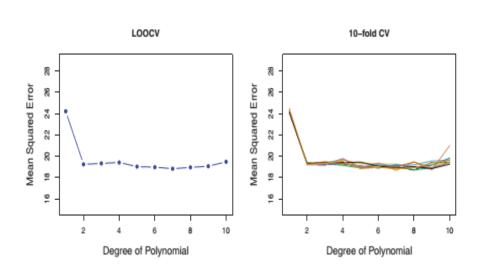


- The validation set approach was used on the Auto data set in order to estimate the test error that results from predicting mpg using polynomial functions of horsepower.
- Left: Validation error estimates for a single split into training and validation data sets.
- Right: The validation method was repeated ten times, each time using a different random split of the observations into a training set and a validation set. This illustrates the variability in the estimated test MSE that results from this approach.

## Leave - One - Out Cross - Validation

- Involves splitting the set of observations into two parts.
- However, instead of creating two subsets of comparable size, a single observation  $(x_1,y_1)$  is used for the validation set, and the remaining observations  $\{(x_2,y_2),\ldots,(x_n,y_n)\}$  make up the training set.





## • • k-Fold Cross-Validation

 This approach involves randomly dividing the set of observations into k groups, or folds, of approximately equal size.

• The first fold is treated as a validation set, and the method is fit on the remaining k - 1 folds.

 The mean squared error, MSE<sub>1</sub>, is then computed on the observations in the held-out fold. This procedure is repeated k times

### • • k-Fold Cross-Validation

• This process results in k estimates of the test error, MSE<sub>1</sub>, MSE<sub>2</sub>,..., MSE<sub>k</sub>. The k-fold CV estimate is computed by averaging these values.

$$CV_{(k)} = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^{k} MSE_i.$$

 Cross-validation is a very general approach that can be applied to almost any statistical learning method.

#### k-Fold Cross-Validation

