# Team 2 - Homework Two

Assignment 2: KJ 7.2; KJ 7.5

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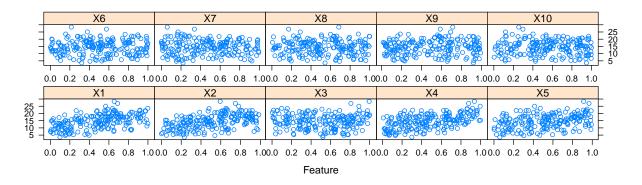
# **Dependencies**

# (1) Kuhn & Johnson 7.2

Friedman (1991) introduced several benchmark data sets create by simulation. One of these simulations used the following nonlinear equation to create data:  $y = 10\sin(\pi x_1 x_2) + 20(x_3 - 0.5)^2 + 10x_4 + 5x_5 + N(0, \sigma^2)$ ; where the x values are random variables uniformly distributed between [0, 1] (there are also 5 other non-informative variables also created in the simulation).

The package mlbench contains a function called mlbench.friedman1 that simulates these data:

```
set.seed(200)
trainingData <- mlbench.friedman1(200, sd = 1)
trainingData$x <- data.frame(trainingData$x)
featurePlot(trainingData$x, trainingData$y)</pre>
```



```
testData <- mlbench.friedman1(5000, sd = 1)
testData$x <- data.frame(testData$x)</pre>
```

(a) Tune several models on these data.

#### For example:

### Train set model & performance:

```
k-Nearest Neighbors
```

200 samples 10 predictor

Pre-processing: centered (10), scaled (10)

Resampling: Bootstrapped (25 reps)

Summary of sample sizes: 200, 200, 200, 200, 200, 200, ...

Resampling results across tuning parameters:

```
      k
      RMSE
      Rsquared
      MAE

      5
      3.533813
      0.5130609
      2.910827

      7
      3.429971
      0.5461330
      2.818732

      9
      3.401852
      0.5637178
      2.775645

      11
      3.338443
      0.5938918
      2.728206

      13
      3.315336
      0.6142508
      2.700334

      15
      3.310544
      0.6284303
      2.697967

      17
      3.306122
      0.6423117
      2.698210

      19
      3.323482
      0.6487590
      2.718881

      21
      3.327365
      0.6585681
      2.718610

      23
      3.335849
      0.6635003
      2.725054
```

RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value. The final value used for the model was k = 17.

#### Test set performance values:

```
RMSE Rsquared MAE 3.2040595 0.6819919 2.5683461
```

#### Model 1:

# Train set model & performance:

Linear Regression

200 samples 10 predictor

Pre-processing: principal component signal extraction (10), centered (10), scaled (10)

Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold, repeated 5 times) Summary of sample sizes: 180, 180, 180, 180, 180, 180, ... Resampling results:

RMSE Rsquared MAE 2.432147 0.7653831 1.951699

Tuning parameter 'intercept' was held constant at a value of TRUE

## Test set performance values:

```
RMSE Rsquared MAE 2.6970680 0.7084666 2.0600540
```

#### Model 2:

# Train set model & performance:

Partial Least Squares

200 samples 10 predictor

Pre-processing: principal component signal extraction (10), centered (10), scaled (10)

Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold, repeated 5 times) Summary of sample sizes: 180, 180, 180, 180, 180, 180, ... Resampling results across tuning parameters:

ncomp	RMSE	Rsquared	MAE
1	2.522945	0.7537245	2.006956
2	2.421026	0.7743143	1.930347
3	2.425394	0.7738312	1.934872
4	2.426279	0.7735851	1.936843
5	2.426467	0.7736047	1.937165

RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value. The final value used for the model was ncomp = 2.

### Test set performance values:

```
RMSE Rsquared MAE 2.685591 0.710292 2.052676
```

### Model 3:

### Train set model & performance:

Multivariate Adaptive Regression Spline

200 samples 10 predictor

No pre-processing

Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold, repeated 5 times) Summary of sample sizes: 180, 180, 180, 180, 180, 180, ... Resampling results:

RMSE Rsquared MAE 1.681637 0.8915313 1.318973 Tuning parameter 'nprune' was held constant at a value of 10

Tuning parameter 'degree' was held constant at a value of 1

# Test set performance values:

RMSE Rsquared MAE 1.776575 0.872700 1.358367

(b) Which models appear to give the best performance? Does MARS select the informative predictors (those named X1-X5)?

The MARS model has the lowest RMSE accuracy scores for both our training and test sets. This model appeared to give the best performance.

Table 1: Model Performance					
	RMSE	RSquared	MAE		
knnTrain	3.3105	3.3105	3.3105		
knnTest	3.2041	0.6820	2.5683		
lmTrain	2.4321	0.7654	1.9517		
lmTest	2.6971	0.7085	2.0601		
plsTrain	2.4210	0.7743	1.9303		
plsTest	2.6856	0.7103	2.0527		
marsTrain	1.6816	0.8915	1.3190		
marsTest	1.7766	0.8727	1.3584		

In addition, the MARS model selected the important indicator variables: X1-X5.

Table 2: MARS Model - Variable Importance

	Overall
X1	100.00
X4	84.07
X2	66.86
X5	44.68
Х3	33.51
X6	7.48
X7	0.00
X8	0.00
X9	0.00
X10	0.00

# (2) Kuhn & Johnson 7.5

Exercise 6.3 describes data for a chemical manufacturing process. Use the same data imputation, data splitting, and pre-processing steps as before and train several nonlinear regression models.

(a) Which nonlinear regression model gives the optimal resampling and test set performance?

We trained four models on the chemical manufacturing process data: Support Vector Machines with Radial Basis Function Kernel (SVM), Bayesian Ridge Regression (Model Averaged), k-Nearest Neighbors (KNN), and Multivariate Adaptive Regression Spline (MARS).

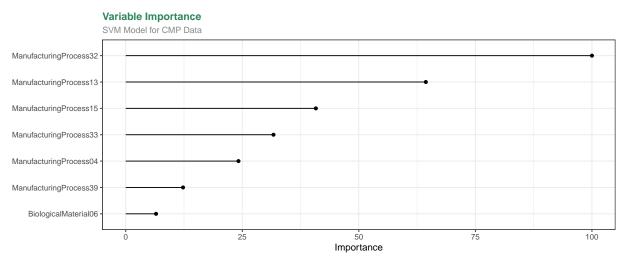
We found that the SVM and Bayesian Ridge approach produced the lowest train accuracy score. However, he train accuracy for the Baysian Ridge was lower than the test accuracy, indicating that model may have been overfitted to the training data. MARS also produced similiarly low accuracy scores. MARS test RMSE was slightly lower than SVM's test accuracy measures, however SVM outperformed MARS with the training accuracy. There was a smaller difference between the train and test accuracy with the SVM method, thus we choose this as our optimal model for resampling and test set performance.

Table 3: Model Performance						
	RMSE	Rsquared	MAE			
svmTrain	1.1598	0.6344	0.9360			
svmTest	1.0019	0.6278	0.7822			
knnTrain	1.5595	1.5595	1.5595			
knnTest	1.5650	0.1221	1.2830			
bma_rrTrain	1.1676	0.6212	0.9559			
bma_rrTest	1.4768	0.3817	0.9591			
marsTrain	1.2477	0.5982	1.0095			
marsTest	0.9359	0.6672	0.7253			

(b) Which predictors are most important in the optimal nonlinear regression model? Do either the biological or process variables dominate the list? How do the top ten important predictors compare to the top ten predictors from the optimal linear model?

The caret package does not allow the varImp function to work on SVM models, thus we used MARS to evaluate predictor importance of our optimal nonlinear regression models as these MARS and SVM had similiar accuracy performance.

In our homework from Chapter 6, our PLS linear model identified mostly biological process variables as the important predictors. This differs from the non-linear important predictors identified in our MARS model. The MARS method calculated variable importance for 7 indicators, of which 6 were manufacturing variables.



(c) Explore the relationships between the top predictors and the response for the predictors that are unique to the optimal nonlinear regression model. Do these plots

reveal intuition about the biological or process predictors and their relationship with yield?

The following shows correlation between our top predictor and response variables using our MARS model.

Table 4: Correlation			
Variable	Correlation		
ManufacturingProcess32	0.6061176		
BiologicalMaterial06	0.4766767		
ManufacturingProcess33	0.4130360		
ManufacturingProcess15	0.2888848		
ManufacturingProcess39	0.0420715		
ManufacturingProcess04	-0.2424601		
ManufacturingProcess13	-0.5280717		

We can use a scatterplot to further look at their relationship. The manufacturingprocess09 indicator has a more linear relationship with yield, whereas the variables exibit a non-linear pattern when examined against yield.

# Variable Importance Scatterplot

