1. The data frame `HSWRESTLER`, (from package `PASWR2`) contains information on nine variables for a group of 78 high school wrestlers that was collected by the human performance lab at Appalachian State University. It is of interest to predict wrestler's hydrostatic fat (`hwfat`) using predictors `age,ht,wt,abs,triceps` and `subscap`. Split the data set into a training set and a test set (50%). Use `set.seed(1)` each time you need to use `sample()` or `cv.glmnet()` functions.

   (a) Fit a linear model using least squares on the training set, and report the test error obtained.

   (b) Fit a ridge regression model on the training set, with λ chosen by cross-validation (use 15-fold cross validation). Report the test mspe.

   (c) Fit a lasso model on the training set, with λ chosen by cross-validation (use 15-fold CV). Report the test error obtained.

```
# hw3q1.r

library(PASWR2)
library(glmnet)

# a) training and test sets

d0 = HSWRESTLER[,1:7]
n = nrow(d0)
p = ncol(d0)-1

set.seed(1)
train=sample(1:n, n/2)
dtrain = d0[train,]
dtest = d0[-train,]

# (b) linear model
#================================================================

m1 = lm( hwfat ~ ., dtrain )
Y_hat = predict(m1,dtest )

mspe = mean((dtest$hwfat - Y_hat)^2)
mspe
# 14.0963
```

```
# (c) ridge regression
#===============================================================

Y = dtrain$hwfat
MM = model.matrix(hwfat ~ ., data=dtrain)[,-1]

newx=model.matrix(hwfat~.,dtest)[,-1]

set.seed(1)
cv.out = cv.glmnet(MM,Y, alpha=0,nfolds=15)
bestlam = cv.out$lambda.min
bestlam
# 0.994199

ridge.mod = glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=0)
Y_hat = predict(ridge.mod,s=bestlam,newx)

mspe2 =mean((dtest$hwfat-Y_hat)^2)
mspe2
# 14.5059

# refit with full data set

Y = d0$hwfat
MM = model.matrix(hwfat~.,data=d0)[,-1]

out=glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=0)
options(scipen=999)     # disable scientific notation
options(digits=4)
ridge.coef=predict(out,type="coefficients",s=bestlam) [1:p,]
ridge.coef
# (Intercept)         age          ht          wt         abs     triceps     subscap      ta
#   15.408559   -0.430032   -0.128271    0.006445    0.136425    0.232287    0.128201    0.19
```

```
# (d) lasso regression
#===============================================================

Y = dtrain$hwfat
MM = model.matrix(hwfat ~ ., data=dtrain)[,-1]

set.seed(1)
cv.out = cv.glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=1,nfolds=15)
bestlam = cv.out$lambda.min
bestlam
# 0.04948

lasso.mod = glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=1)
Y_hat = predict(lasso.mod,s=bestlam,newx)

mspe3 =mean((dtest$hwfat-Y_hat)^2)
mspe3
# 13.77

# refit with full data set

Y = d0$hwfat
MM = model.matrix(hwfat~.,data=d0)[,-1]

out=glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=1)
options(digits=6)
lasso.coef=predict(out,type="coefficients",s=bestlam) [1:p,]
lasso.coef
#(Intercept)         age          ht          wt         abs     triceps
#  15.214113   -0.382793   -0.104636    0.000000    0.341984    0.397083

lasso.coef[lasso.coef!=0]
#(Intercept)         age          ht         abs     triceps
#  15.214113   -0.382793   -0.104636    0.341984    0.397083
```

2. Generate simulated data, and will then use this data to perform best subset selection. Generate values of a predictor X of length $n = 100$, using `X = rnorm(n)`. Generate values of a noise vector ϵ of length $n = 100$ using ϵ `= 0.1*rnorm(n)` Generate a response vector Y of length n = 100 using

$$Y = 1 - 0.1X + 0.05X^2 + 0.75X^3 + \epsilon$$

   (a) Use `regsubsets()` to choose the best model containing the predictors $X, X^2, ..., X^{10}$. What is the best model obtained according to adjusted R^2?

   (b) Fit a lasso model to the simulated data, again using $X, X^2, ..., X^{10}$ as predictors. Use 10-fold cross-validation to select the optimal value of λ. Report the test error.

```
set.seed(1)
n = 100
x = rnorm(n)
epsilon = 0.1 * rnorm(n)

beta_0 = 1.0
beta_1 = -0.1
beta_2 = +0.05
beta_3 = 0.75
y = beta_0+beta_1*x+beta_2*x^2+beta_3*x^3+epsilon
d0 = data.frame(y,x,x2=x^2,x3=x^3,x4=x^4,x5=x^5,x6=x^6,x7=x^7,x8=x^8,x9=x^9,x10=x^10)

# split training/test sets

set.seed(1)
train=sample(1:n, n/2)
test = (-train)
dtrain = d0[train,]
dtest = d0[test,]

# a) regsubsets
library(leaps)

models = regsubsets(y~.,d0,nvmax=11)
summary(models)
# Selection Algorithm: exhaustive
#           x   x2  x3  x4  x5  x6  x7  x8  x9  x10
# 1  ( 1 )  " " " " "*" " " " " " " " " " " " " "
# 2  ( 1 )  " " " " "*" " " "*" " " " " " " " " "
# 3  ( 1 )  "*" " " "*" "*" " " " " " " " " " " "
# 4  ( 1 )  "*" "*" "*" " " "*" " " " " " " " " "
# 5  ( 1 )  "*" "*" "*" " " "*" "*" " " " " " " "
# 6  ( 1 )  "*" "*" "*" " " " " " " "*" "*" "*" " "
# 7  ( 1 )  "*" " " "*" "*" " " "*" "*" "*" " " "*"
# 8  ( 1 )  "*" "*" "*" "*" " " "*" " " "*" "*" "*"
# 9  ( 1 )  "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" " " "*" "*" "*"
# 10  ( 1 ) "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" "*" "*"

summary(models)$adjr2
```

```
# 0.996226 0.997172 0.997571 0.997600 0.997586 0.997565 0.997556 0.997534 0.997507 0.997484
a=summary(models)$adjr2
which.max(a)   # 4
# best model with predictors x,x2,x3,x5

#b) lasso
#=============================================================================
library(glmnet)

MM = model.matrix(y~.,dtrain)
ytrain = dtrain$y

# best lambda from train set
set.seed(1)
cv.out = cv.glmnet(MM,ytrain,alpha=1)
bestlam = cv.out$lambda.min
bestlam
# 0.0255913

lasso.mod = glmnet(MM,ytrain,alpha=1)

# predict test set
newx = model.matrix(y~.,dtest) #[,-1]
yhat = predict(lasso.mod,s=bestlam,newx)   # error

ytest = dtest$y
mspe  = mean((ytest-yhat)^2)
mspe
# 0.0103474

# refit
ytrain = d0$y
MMfull = model.matrix(y~.,d0)
out=glmnet(MMfull,d0$y,alpha=1)

lasso.coef=predict(out,type="coefficients",s=bestlam)[1:12,]
lasso.coef
lasso.coef[lasso.coef!=0]
# (Intercept)          x3          x5
#  1.03708472  0.64348867  0.01368301
```

3. A real estate appraiser is interested in predicting residential home prices in a mid-western city as a function of various features. For that purpose a regression model is to be constructed from a sample of 522 houses. Use the `homes.xls` data set from blackboard. Consider the predictors
x_1: lot size (square feet), x_2: area (square feet), x_3: number of bedrooms,
x_4: number of bathrooms, x_5: year of construction, x_6: garage size (number of cars).
Split the data set into a training set and a test set (50%).

   (a) Fit a ridge regression model on the training set, with λ chosen by cross-validation (use 15-fold cross validation). Report the test mspe.

   (b) Fit a lasso model on the training set, with λ chosen by cross-validation (use 15-fold CV). Report the test error obtained.

   (c) Predict the price when all predictors are equal to their median values using both the ridge regression and the lasso models.

```
# hw3q3.r

library(glmnet)
setwd("C:/Users/USC Guest/Downloads2")
d0=read.csv("homes.csv",header=T)
d1 = subset(d0,select=c(price,lotsize,area,beds,baths,year,garage))


# a) training and test sets

set.seed(1)
n = nrow(d1)
p = ncol(d1)-1

train=sample(1:n, n/2)
test = (-train)
dtrain = d1[train,]
dtest = d1[test,]

# linear model (not required)
#=============================================================

m1 = lm( price ~ ., dtrain )
Y_hat = predict(m1,dtest )

mspe = mean((dtest$price - Y_hat)^2)
mspe
# 5048263624
```

```
# (a) ridge regression
#=============================================================

Y = dtrain$price
newx=model.matrix(price~.,dtest)
newx=model.matrix(price~.,dtest)[,-1]
MM = model.matrix(price ~ ., data=dtrain)[,-1]

head(dtrain)
head(MM)

set.seed(1)
cv.out = cv.glmnet(MM,Y, alpha=0,nfolds=15)
bestlam = cv.out$lambda.min
bestlam
#  12660.1

ridge.mod = glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=0)

# model from training set
ridge.coef=predict(ridge.mod,type="coefficients",s=bestlam) [1:p,]
ridge.coef
#    (Intercept)        lotsize           area           beds          baths           year
# -4157738.62649        1.25728       96.29050    -3482.30449     9980.27572     2096.76099

# Prediction at the median with training data set model
#-----------------------------------------------------------
apply(d1,2,median)
#  price lotsize    area    beds   baths    year  garage
# 229900   22200    2061       3       3    1966       2

# order matters
newval2= data.frame(lotsize=22200,area=2061,beds=3,baths=3,year=1966,garage=2)
newval2 = as.matrix(newval2)
newval2
#      lotsize area beds baths year garage
# [1,]   22200 2061    3     3 1966      2
Y_hat = predict(ridge.mod,s=bestlam,newval2)
Y_hat
#           1
# [1,] 256792

# mspe
Y_hat = predict(ridge.mod,s=bestlam,newx)
mspe2 =mean((dtest$price-Y_hat)^2)
mspe2

# 5280252885

# refit
```

```
Y = d1$price
MM = model.matrix(price~.,data=d1)[,-1]

out=glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=0)
options(scipen=999)     # disable scientific notation
options(digits=4)
ridge.coef=predict(out,type="coefficients",s=bestlam) [1:p,]
ridge.coef
# (Intercept)      lotsize         area         beds        baths         year
#-3290230.723        1.428      104.289    -8129.583    14828.204     1642.448

# Prediction at the median with refitted model
#------------------------------------------------------------
Y_hat = predict(out,s=bestlam,newval2)
Y_hat
#          1
#[1,] 258975
```

```
# (b) lasso regression
#===============================================================

Y = dtrain$price
MM = model.matrix(price~.,data=dtrain)[,-1]

set.seed(1)
cv.out = cv.glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=1,nfolds=15)
bestlam = cv.out$lambda.min
bestlam   # 574.1

lasso.mod = glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=1)

# Prediction at the median with training data set model
Y_hat = predict(lasso.mod,s=bestlam,newval2)
Y_hat
#           1
# [1,] 251434

# mspe
Y_hat = predict(lasso.mod,s=bestlam,newx)
mspe3 =mean((dtest$price-Y_hat)^2)
mspe3
# 5084835702

# refit with full data set

Y = d1$price
MM = model.matrix(price~.,data=d1)[,-1]

out=glmnet(MM,Y,alpha=1)
options(digits=6)
lasso.coef=predict(out,type="coefficients",s=bestlam) [1:p,]
lasso.coef

#    (Intercept)        lotsize           area           beds          baths           year
# -3542559.21938        1.52412      125.29191   -12118.07170     7565.80255     1766.82300

# No coefficients equal to zero

# Prediction at the median with refitted model
#---------------------------------------------------------
Y_hat = predict(out,s=bestlam,newval2)
Y_hat
#           1
# [1,] 253919
```