

## hw3

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## Math

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1.

$$a. \hat{e}_i = y_i - x_i^T \beta \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$L(0, \sigma^2) = \prod_{i=1}^n \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left\{-\frac{e_i^2}{2\sigma^2}\right\} \right)$$

$$= (2\pi\sigma^2)^{-\frac{n}{2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2\right)$$

$$\ln L = -\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2 - \frac{n}{2} \ln \sigma^2 - \frac{n}{2} \ln(2\pi)$$

要求得一组  $\hat{\beta}_1, \dots, \hat{\beta}_k$  使  $\ln L$  最大

$$\text{即求 } \frac{\partial \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2}{\partial \beta_1} = 0, \dots, \frac{\partial \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2}{\partial \beta_k} = 0$$

与 OLS 目标一致, 两者等价.

$$\text{求得 } \hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$

b. 对单变量.

$$\sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta x_i)^2, \text{ 使 } \frac{\partial \sum_{i=1}^n e_i^2}{\partial \beta} = 0.$$

$\beta$  只与  $y$  及  $x_i$  有关.

而 a 中  $\hat{\beta}$  与  $X$  整体有关

## Programing

# Import library

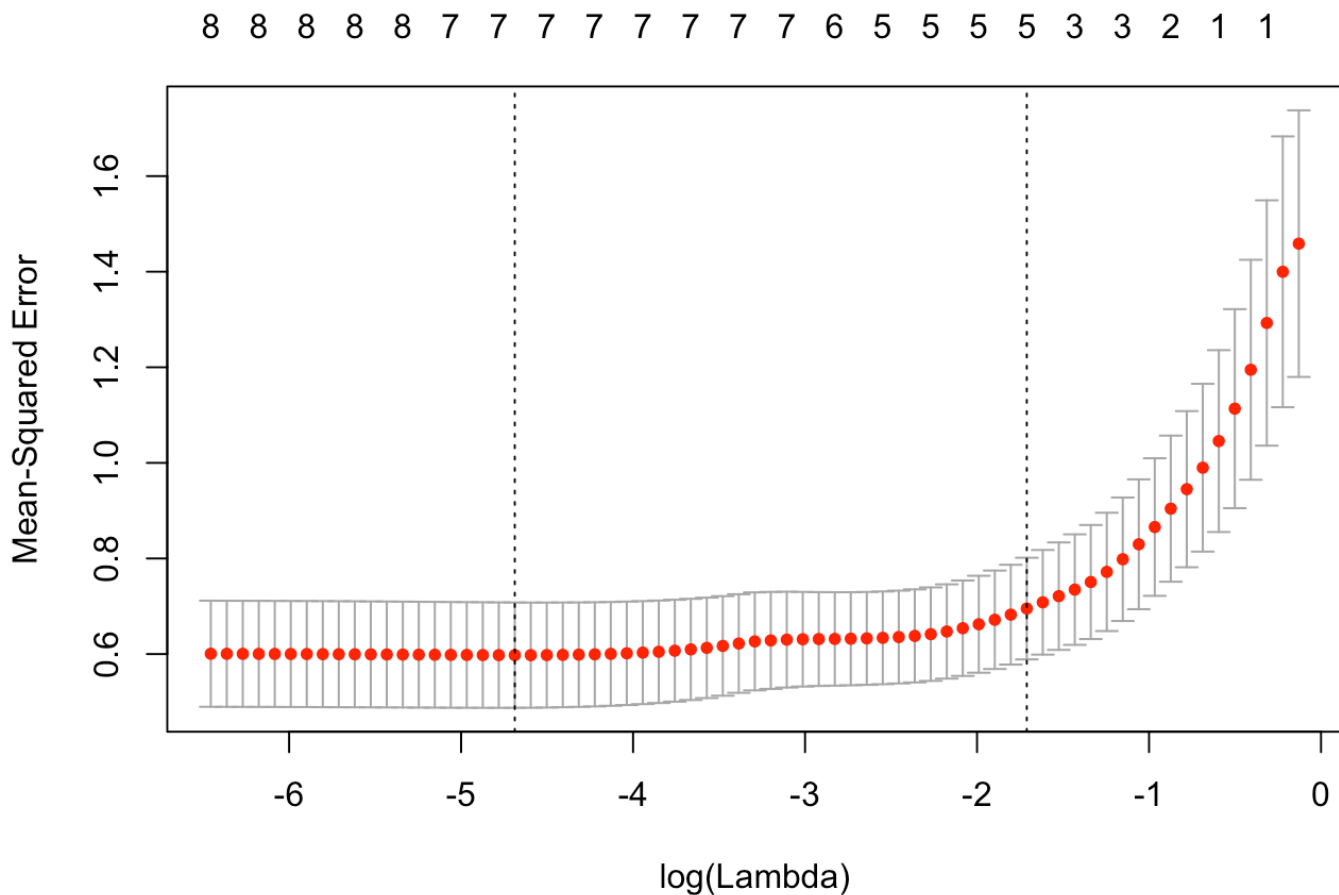
```
if (!require("glmnet")) {  
  install.packages("glmnet", dependencies = TRUE)  
  library(glmnet)  
}
```

```
## Loading required package: glmnet  
## Loading required package: Matrix  
## Loading required package: foreach  
## Loaded glmnet 2.0-2
```

## LASSO using glmnet Library

### Method

```
# Load Data  
prostate = read.table('/Users/maoxin/Desktop/prostate.txt')  
prostate_train = prostate[which(prostate$train==TRUE),]  
prostate_test = prostate[which(prostate$train==FALSE),]  
x_train <- as.matrix(prostate_train[,1:8])  
y_train <- as.matrix(prostate_train[,9])  
x_test <- as.matrix(prostate_test[,1:8])  
y_test <- as.matrix(prostate_test[,9])  
  
model <- cv.glmnet(x_train, y_train)  
# lambda.1se corresponds to the simplest model that has comparable error to the best model given the uncertainty  
lambda = model$lambda.1se  
plot(model)
```



## Regression Parameters And Model Estimation

```
param <- coef(model$glmnet.fit, s=lambda)
print(param)
```

```
## 9 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
##              1
## (Intercept) 0.2602328543
## lcavol      0.4549883478
## lweight     0.4183048099
## age         .
## lbph        0.0199337242
## svi         0.2745819509
## lcp         .
## gleason     .
## pgg45       0.0005623797
```

```
y_predict <- predict(model, newx=x_test, s=lambda)
RSS <- sum((y_predict - y_test)^2)
print(RSS)
```

```
## [1] 13.96641
```

# LASSO using Subgradient

## Method

```
# eliminate beta_0
x_train<-scale(prostate_train[,1:8])
sigma<-attr(x_train,"scaled:scale")
y_train<-prostate_train[,9]
y_train<-y_train-mean(y_train)
x_train<-as.matrix(x_train)
y_train<-as.matrix(y_train)

w <- solve(t(x_train) %*% x_train + lambda) %*% t(x_train) %*% y_train

while(TRUE) {
  w_old <- w
  for(j in 1:8) {
    a_j <- sum(x_train[,j]^2)
    c_j <- sum(x_train[,j] * (y_train - x_train %*% w + x_train[,j] * w[j]))
    # soft threshold
    w[j] <- sign(c_j/a_j) * max(abs(c_j/a_j) - lambda, 0)
  }

  # converged
  if(max(abs(w - w_old)) <= 1e-10) {
    break
  }
}

w <- w / sigma
```

## Regression Parameters

```
print(w)
```

```
##           [,1]
## lcavol  0.4551345228
## lweight 0.4193542010
## age      0.0000000000
## lbph     0.0208146345
## svi      0.2767985067
## lcp      0.0000000000
## gleason  0.0000000000
## pgg45    0.0005907177
```

## Discussion

The result of LASSO using subgradient method is similar to the result using glmnet library. They set the same coefficients (age, lcp, gleason) to be zero and the difference of the rest coefficients are negligible.

The LASSO using subgradient, however, can't return the intercept of model directly. So we didn't calculate the RSS as we did in the LASSO using glmnet.