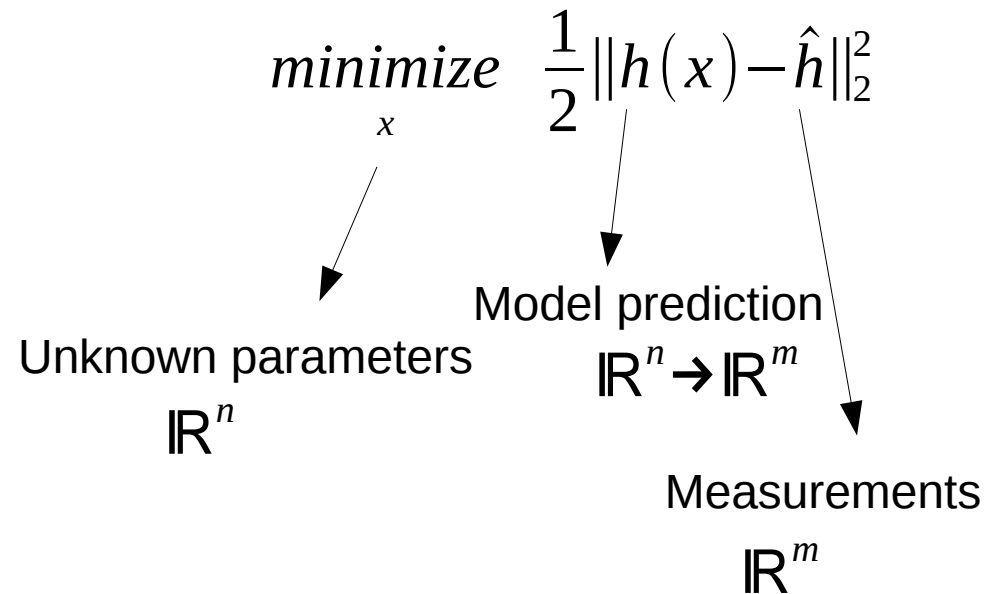


## 6. Fitting

# Least-squares

- Simplest form of fitting

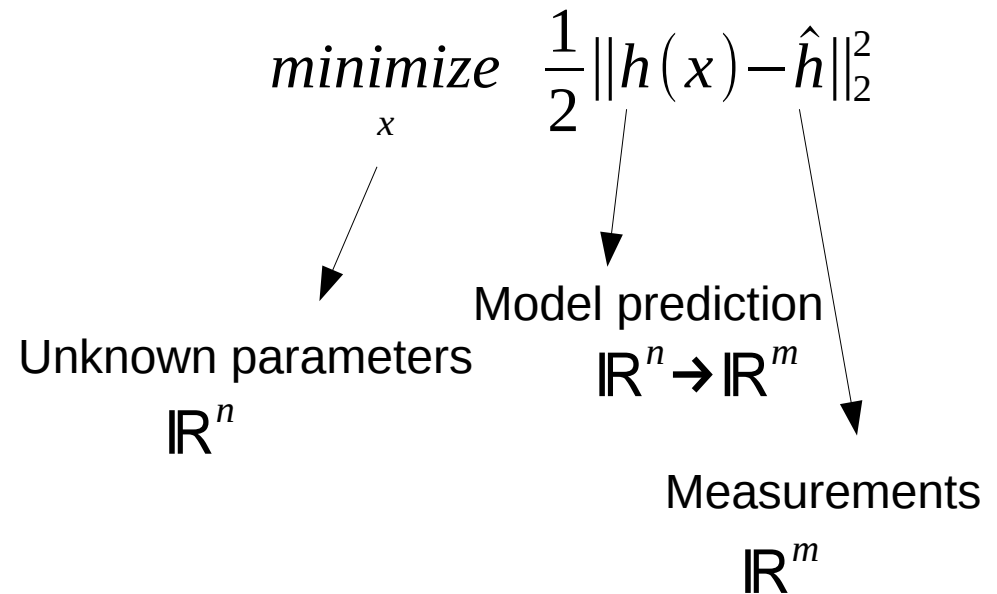


- Write as:

$$\underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \frac{1}{2} \|F(x)\|_2^2 \quad F: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

# Least-squares

- Simplest form of fitting



- Write as:

$$\underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \frac{1}{2} F^T F \quad F: \mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^m$$

Rootfinding:  $\Delta x = -(\nabla^2 f)^{-1} \nabla f$

$$\underset{\mathbb{R}^n}{\nabla f} = J^T F \quad \underset{\mathbb{R}^{n \times n}}{\nabla^2 f} = \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\partial^2 F_i}{\partial x^2} F_i + J^T J$$



$$\nabla^2 f \quad \Delta x = -(\nabla^2 f)^{-1} \nabla f$$

# Least-squares

- Exact Hessian

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\partial^2 F_i^T}{\partial x^2} F_i + J^T J \quad (\text{CasADi})$$

- Gauss-Newton Hessian

$$J^T J$$

- Steepest-Descent

$$\alpha I$$

- Levenberg

$$J^T J + \alpha I$$

- Levenberg-Marquardt

$$J^T J + \alpha \text{diag}(J^T J)$$



# Least-squares

- Exact Hessian

$$\nabla^2 f$$

$$\Delta x = -(\nabla^2 f)^{-1} \nabla f$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\partial^2 F_i^T}{\partial x^2} F_i + J^T J$$

(CasADi)

Note: solver requires  $\nabla^2 f \succcurlyeq 0$

$$H + \beta I$$

E.g. choose  $\beta$  to be  $-\min(\text{eig}(H))$

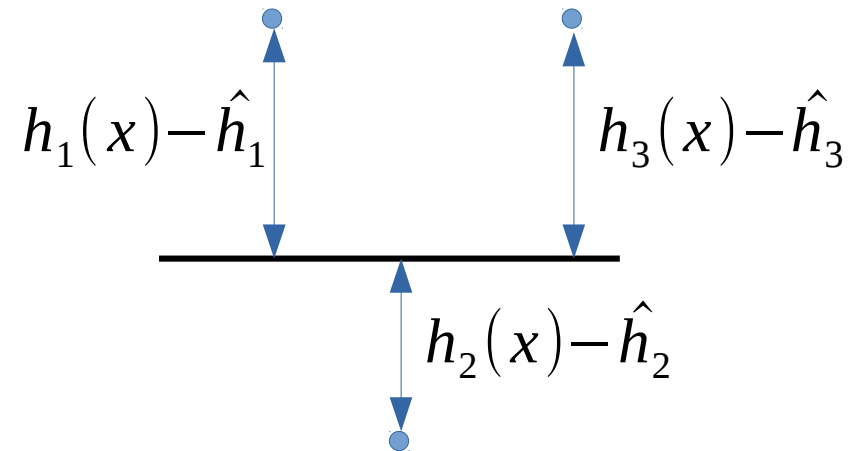
Alternative: eigen-decomposition of  $H$

# Linear least-squares

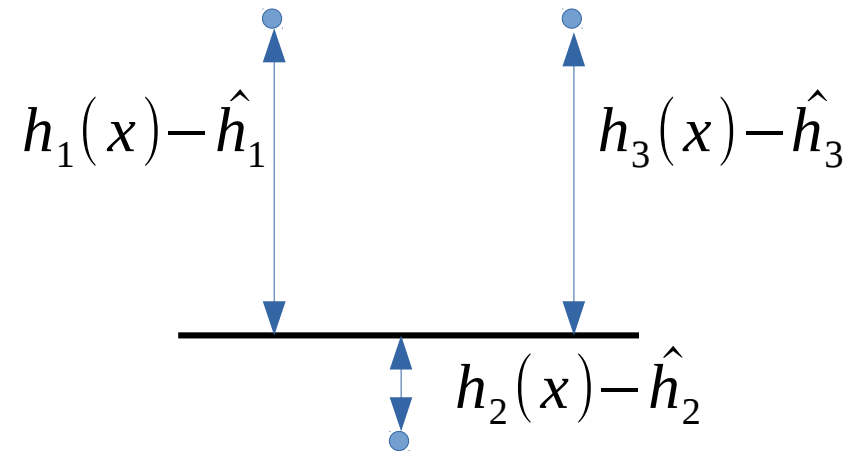
- Exact Hessian  $J^T J$  (CasADi)

Satisfied:  $\nabla^2 f \succcurlyeq 0$

# L2 versus L1

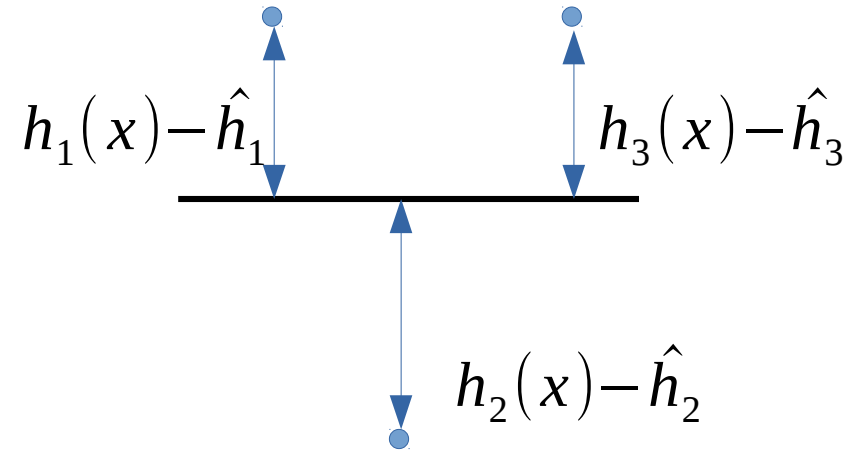


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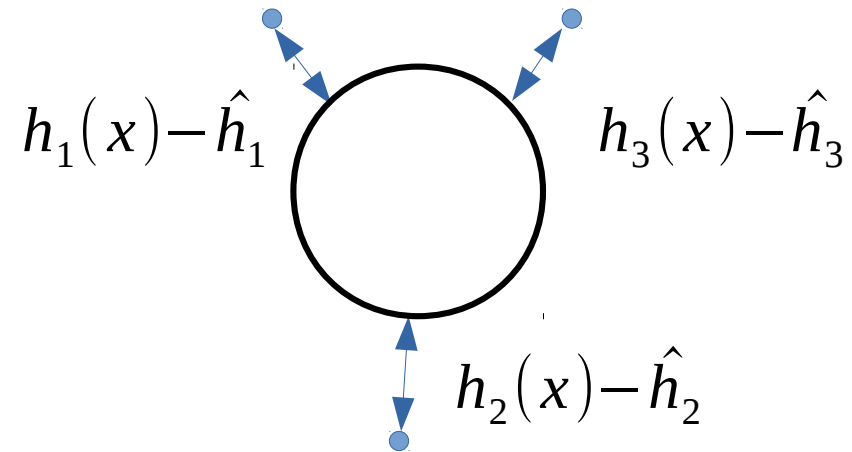




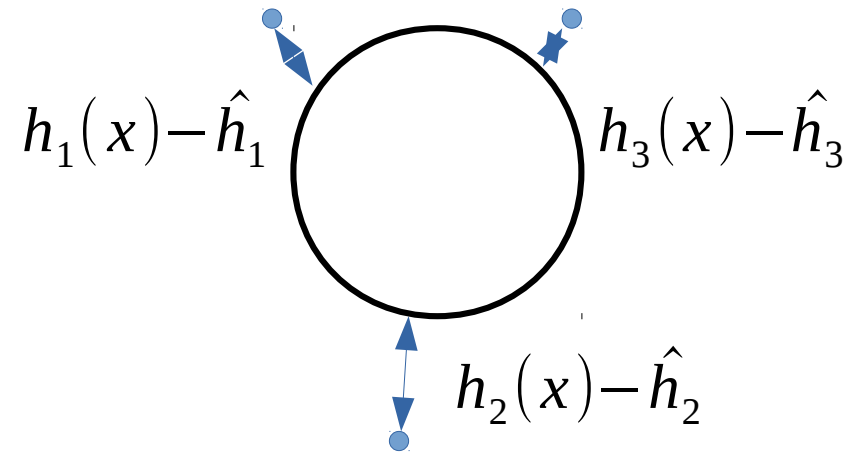
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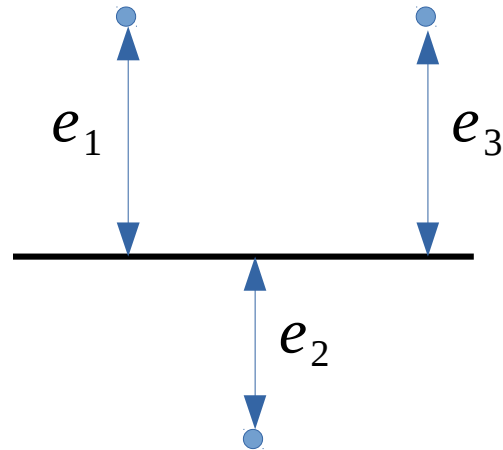
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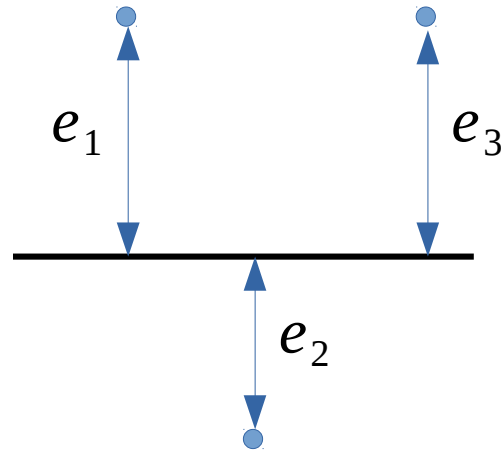
# L2 versus L1



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$$\underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \|e\|_2$$

$$\sum_i e_i^2$$

...penalized extra hard

$$\underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \|e\|_1$$

$$\sum_i |e_i|$$

...penalized proportionally

Big deviations are...

# L2 versus L1

$$\underset{x}{\text{minimize}} \quad \sum_i |e_i|$$



Smooth reformulation

$$\underset{x, L}{\text{minimize}} \quad \sum_i L_i$$

$$\text{s.t.} \quad -L_i \leq e_i \leq L_i$$

## 6. Fitting