

Cross-Validation

READING:

4.3

EXERCISES:

CH 4. 8-9

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HW 9

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Currently

- Two Linear Regression Models for Same Response Variable
Model 1: $Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_2 + \beta_3 X_3 + \epsilon$
Model 2: $Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_3 + \beta_2 X_4 + \beta_3 X_5 + \epsilon$
- Question: Which model is **better**? Can we use the Nested F-test?
- We Have Used *SSE*, *RMSE*, and *R-squared* but these have issues
- We Learned About *Adjusted R-squared*, *Mallow's Cp*, *AIC*, and *BIC* Which Involve Penalties for Complexity

“Cross-Validation”

- All Previous Metrics are Based on **Fitted** Values
- We May Want to Consider Metrics **Based** on Predicted Values
- To Get Real Predictions We Have to Leave Data Out of Model Fitting
- Cross-Validation Methods Involve the Intentional Leaving-out of Data to Evaluate How Accurately a Model Would Predict Out-of-Sample

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- Holdout-Method (Simplest form of Cross-Validation)
 - Split Data Into Training and Test Sets
 - Fit Models to Training Set
 - Predict onto Test Set
 - Evaluate Prediction Accuracy Using Metric (i.e. RMSE)

$$RMSE = \sqrt{\frac{\sum (y - \hat{y})^2}{n}}$$

← Notice We Are Not Dividing by n-1

- Compare RMSE in Training Set to RMSE in Testing Set

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- **Shrinkage** is the Difference Between R-squared from the Model and R-squared Calculated on Predictions from Test Set
- You can Use the **Correlation** Between Y and \hat{Y} to Calculate Out-of-Sample R-squared
- Book Says Shrinkage of **More Than 50%** is “Worrisome”
- *Should We Expect Shrinkage? What Does It Attempt to Measure?*

Supplement for Lecture 21

- Fit Multiple Models
- Perform Nested F-Test
- Perform Cross Validation

Conclusion

- Cross-Validation Methodology in the Textbook is Obsolete
- What are the Problems with the **Holdout Method**?
- Personally, I **Wouldn't** Call What We Learned Cross-Validation
- Classic Cross-Validation is Called K-Fold Cross-Validation

Make Reasonable Decisions

