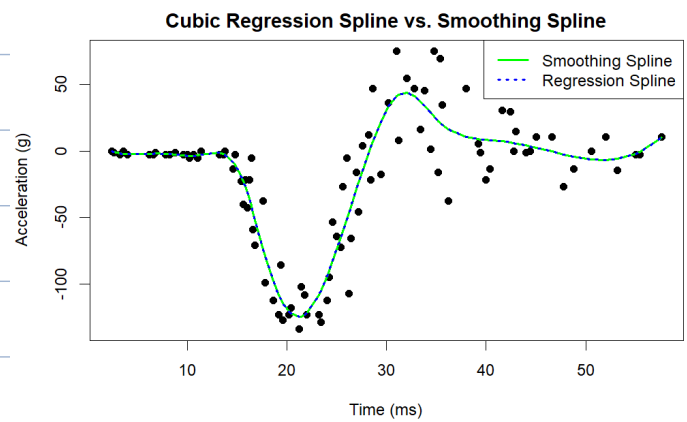


11. Get the motorcycle data from the book website. Fit a cubic regression spline with equally spaced knots. Use leave-one-out cross-validation to choose the number of knots. Now fit a smoothing spline and compare the fits.

Two method of fit almost overlap with each other



15. Let $Y_i \sim N(\mu_i, 1)$ for $i = 1, \dots, n$ be independent observations. Find the estimators that minimizes each of the following penalized sums of squares:

$$(a) \quad \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{\mu}_i)^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\mu}_i^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial \hat{\mu}_i} &= 2(Y_i - \hat{\mu}_i) \cdot (-1) + 2\lambda \hat{\mu}_i \\ &= 2\lambda \hat{\mu}_i - 2(Y_i - \hat{\mu}_i) \\ &= 2\lambda \hat{\mu}_i - 2Y_i + 2\hat{\mu}_i \end{aligned}$$

$$= 2(\lambda + 1)\hat{\mu}_i - 2Y_i$$

$$\text{Let } \frac{\partial \phi_i}{\partial \hat{\mu}_i} = 0 \quad \Rightarrow \quad \hat{\mu}_i^* = Y_i / (\lambda + 1)$$

$$(b) \quad \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{\mu}_i)^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n |\hat{\mu}_i|$$

$$\text{when } \hat{\mu}_i \neq 0. \quad \frac{\partial f_i}{\partial \hat{\mu}_i} = -2(Y_i - \hat{\mu}_i) + \lambda \text{sign}(\hat{\mu}_i)$$

$$\text{when } \hat{\mu}_i = 0 \quad -\lambda \leq -2Y_i \leq \lambda$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \text{if } Y_i > \frac{\lambda}{2} \Rightarrow \hat{\mu}_i^* = Y_i - \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{if } Y_i < -\frac{\lambda}{2} \Rightarrow \hat{\mu}_i^* = Y_i + \frac{\lambda}{2}$$

$$\textcircled{3} \quad \text{if } -\frac{\lambda}{2} \leq Y_i \leq \frac{\lambda}{2} \Rightarrow \hat{\mu}_i^* = 0$$

$$(c) \quad \sum_{i=1}^n (Y_i - \hat{\mu}_i)^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^n I(\hat{\mu}_i = 0).$$

$$\textcircled{1} \quad \text{if } Y_i \neq 0 \quad \begin{cases} \text{i) } Y_i^2 < \lambda, & \hat{\mu}_i^* = 0 \\ \text{ii) } Y_i^2 \geq \lambda, & \hat{\mu}_i^* = Y_i \end{cases}$$

$$\textcircled{2} \quad \text{if } Y_i = 0 \quad \hat{\mu}_i^* = 0$$

Suppose we assume homoscedasticity in the Boston housing example. The variance can be estimated using various nonparametric regression methods. Calculate the smoothing matrices (using the optimal bandwidth/tuning parameter chosen by cross-validation) for Nadaraya-Watson kernel regression, local linear regression, smoothing splines, and regression splines (10 quantile-based knots). With the smoothing matrices, obtain and compare the estimates for σ^2 .

See the codes

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## {r}
# 1. Nadaraya-Watson Kernel Regression
bw_nw <- npregbw(formula = y ~ x, regtype = "lc", bwmethod = "cv.aic")
h_nw <- bw_nw$bw
Epanechnikov <- function(u) 0.75 * (1 - u^2) * (abs(u) <= 1)
S_nw <- matrix(0, n, n)
for (i in 1:n) {
  u <- (x - x[i]) / h_nw
  K <- Epanechnikov(u)
  S_nw[i, ] <- K / sum(K)
}
sigma2_nw <- estimate_sigma2(y, S_nw)

S_nw
sigma2_nw

## {r}
# 2. Local Linear Regression
bw_ll <- npregbw(formula = y ~ x, regtype = "ll", bwmethod = "cv.aic")
h_ll <- bw_ll$bw
S_ll <- matrix(0, n, n)
for (i in 1:n) {
  xi <- x[i]
  u <- (x - xi) / h_ll
  K <- Epanechnikov(u)
  valid <- K > 0
  X <- cbind(1, x[valid] - xi)
  W <- diag(K[valid])
  if (sum(valid) >= 2 && qr(X)$rank == 2) {
    XWx_inv <- solve(t(X) %*% W %*% X)
    M_i <- XWx_inv %*% t(X) %*% W
    S_ll[i, valid] <- M_i[1, ]
  } else {
    S_ll[i, valid] <- K[valid] / sum(K[valid])
  }
}
sigma2_ll <- estimate_sigma2(y, S_ll)
S_ll
sigma2_ll
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## {r}
# 3. Smoothing Splines
# use cross-validation to choose best smoothing parameter
spar <- seq(0.01, 1, by = 0.01)
cv <- rep_len(NA, length(spar))
for (i in 1:length(spar)) {
  tempfit <- smooth.spline(x, y, spar = spar[i], cv=TRUE, all.knots = TRUE)
  cv[i] = tempfit$cv.crit
}

# use the optimal smoothing parameter to produce a final fit
fit <- smooth.spline(x, y, spar = spar[which(cv == min(cv))], cv=TRUE, all.knots = TRUE)

# calculate the smoothing matrix
S_ss <- matrix(nrow = length(x), ncol = length(x))
for (j in 1:length(x)) {
  yi <- rep_len(0, length(x))
  yi[j] = 1
  S_ss[,j] = predict(smooth.spline(x, yi, lambda = fit$lambda, cv=TRUE,
    all.knots = TRUE), x)$y
}
S_ss

estimate_sigma2(y, S_ss)

## {r}
# 4. Regression Splines (10 knots)
knots <- quantile(x, probs = seq(1/10, 9/10, length.out = 10))
X_bs <- bs(x, knots = knots, intercept = TRUE)
fit_rs <- lm(y ~ X_bs)

# Method 1: Direct computation using linear algebra
S_rs <- X_bs %*% solve(t(X_bs) %*% X_bs) %*% t(X_bs)
S_rs

estimate_sigma2(y, S_rs)
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81 # Boston Housing
82 {r}
83 # Function to estimate sigma^2 using smoothing matrix S
84 estimate_sigma2 <- function(y, S) {
85   y_hat <- S %*% y
86   RSS <- sum((y - y_hat)^2)
87   tr_S <- sum(diag(S))
88   n <- length(y)
89   sigma2 <- RSS / (n - tr_S)
90   return(sigma2)
91 }
92
93 # Extract predictor and response
94 x <- Bostonirm
95 y <- Bostonmedv
96 n <- nrow(Boston)
97

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$$\hat{\sigma}_{NW}^2 = 32.25$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{LL}^2 = 32.43$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{SS}^2 = 32.57$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_{PS} = 35.06$$

The matrices are computed in codes but are too large to demonstrate in P.D.F.