

Problem Set 4

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```
knitr::opts_chunk$set(message = FALSE, warning = FALSE)
knitr::opts_chunk$set(fig.width=6,fig.height=3.4,fig.align='center')
```

```
library(knitr)
library(ggplot2)
library(tidyverse)
library(splines)
library(leaps)
library(glmnet)
library(caret)
library(DT)
# options(width=1000)
rm(list=ls())
set.seed(1100)
```

Non-linear regression

Egalitarianism and income

1.

```
gss_train <- read.csv('data/gss_train.csv')
gss_test  <- read.csv('data/gss_test.csv')

k <- 10
fold <- sample(k, nrow(gss_train), replace = TRUE)

## For each span from 1 to 10 we can calculate the CV test error:
mse <- numeric(k)
span <- seq(1, 18, by = 1)
cv <- numeric(length(span))

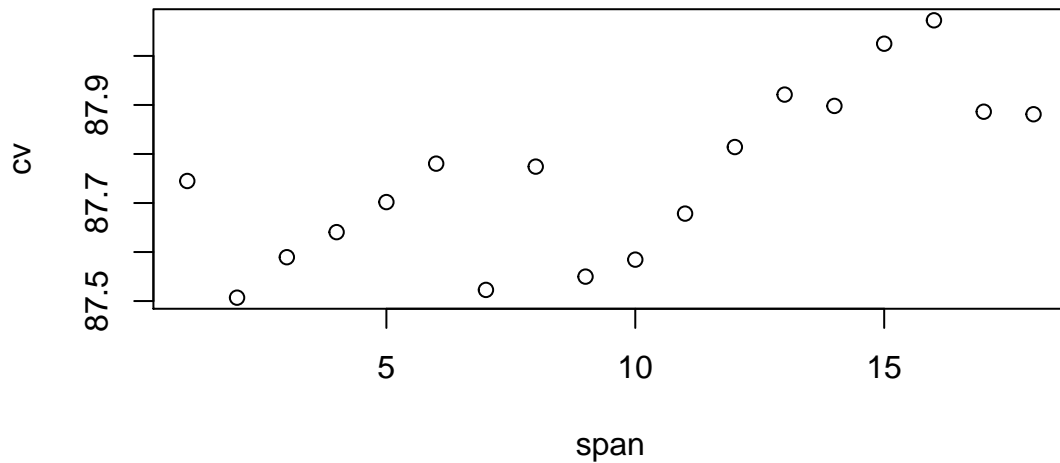
for (j in span) {
  for (i in seq_len(k)) {
    take <- fold==i
    foldi <- gss_train[take, ]
    foldOther <- gss_train[!take, ]
    f <- lm(egalit_scale ~ poly(x=income06, degree=j), data=foldOther)
    pred <- predict(f, foldi)
```

```

    mse[i] <- mean((pred - foldi$egalit_scale)^2, na.rm=TRUE)
  }
  cv[j] <- mean(mse)
}

plot(span, cv)

```



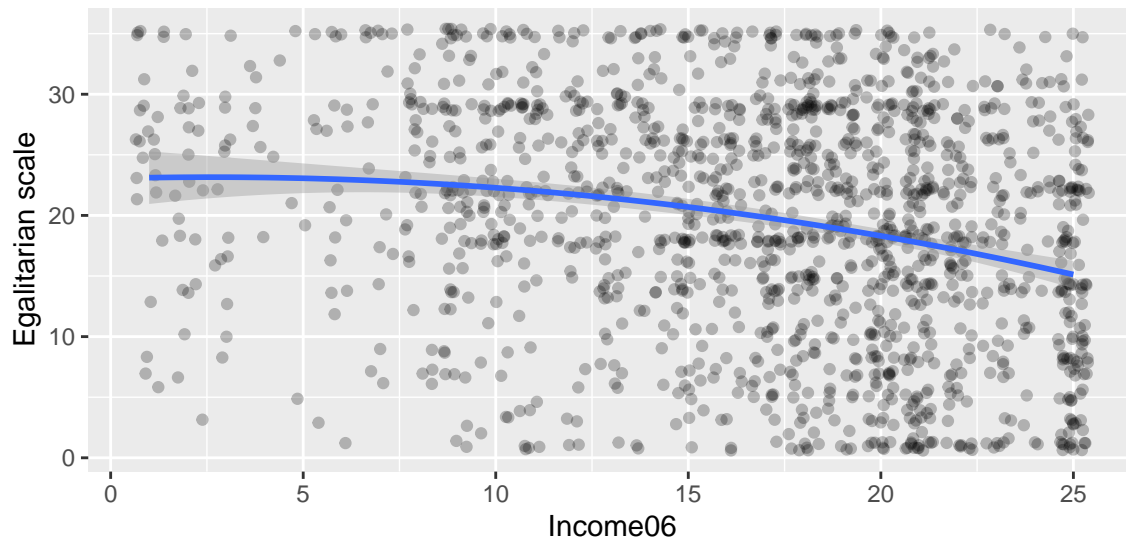
```

# plot the model results
ggplot(gss_train, aes(income06, egalit_scale)) +
  geom_jitter(alpha = .25) +
  geom_smooth(method = lm, formula = y ~ poly(x = x, degree = 2)) +
  labs(title = "Polynomial regression on GSS training set",
        subtitle = "With 95% confidence interval",
        x = "Income06",
        y = "Egalitarian scale")

```

Polynomial regression on GSS training set

With 95% confidence interval



2. Step function

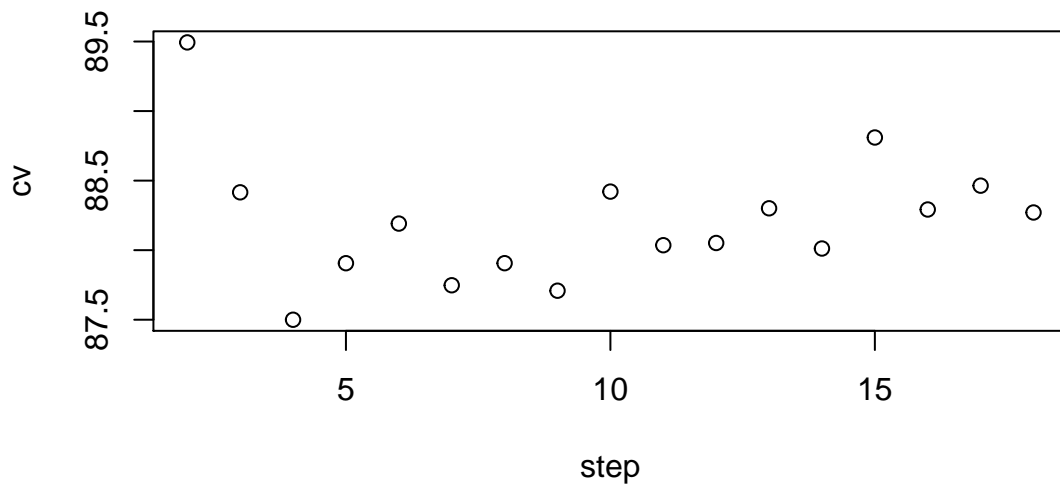
When use step function, we first have to assign each income06 a category by cut() function. Then, run similar code as above with that category variables.

```
k <- 10
fold <- sample(k, nrow(gss_train), replace = TRUE)

## For each span from 1 to 10 we can calculate the CV test error:
mse <- numeric(k)
step <- seq(2, 18, by = 1)
step.err <- rep(NA, length(step))
cv <- numeric(length(step))

for (j in step) {
  gss_train$inc_cut <- cut_interval(gss_train$income06, j)
  for (i in seq_len(k)) {
    take <- fold == i
    foldi <- gss_train[take, ]
    foldOther <- gss_train[!take, ]
    f <- lm(egalit_scale ~ inc_cut, data = foldOther)
    pred <- predict(f, foldi)
    mse[i] <- mean((pred - foldi$egalit_scale)^2, na.rm = TRUE)
  }
  cv[j-1] <- mean(mse)
}

plot(step, cv)
```

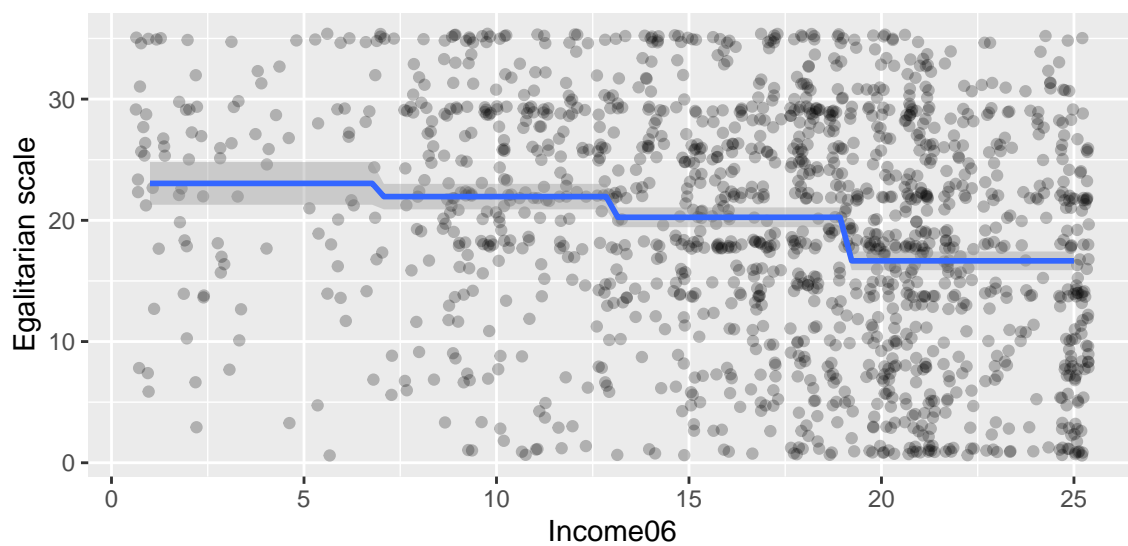


The results above show that four-break has the lowest MSE.

```
# plot the model results
ggplot(gss_train, aes(income06, egalit_scale)) +
  geom_jitter(alpha = .25) +
  geom_smooth(method = glm, formula = y ~ cut(x = x, breaks=4)) +
  labs(title = "Step function on GSS training set",
       subtitle = "With 95% confidence interval",
       x = "Income06",
       y = "Egalitarian scale")
```

Step function on GSS training set

With 95% confidence interval



3. Spline

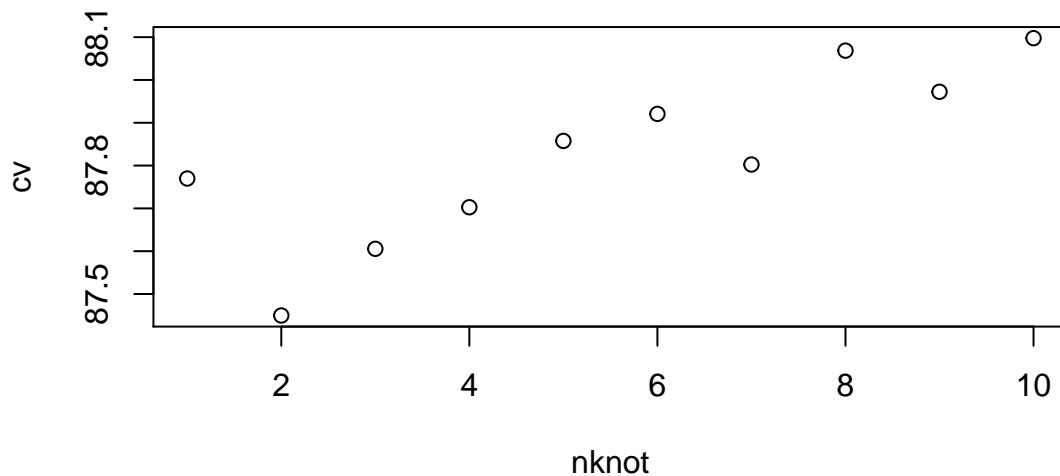
```
k <- 10
fold <- sample(k, nrow(gss_train), replace = TRUE)

## For each span from 1 to 10 we can calculate the CV test error:
mse <- numeric(k)
nknot <- seq(1, 10, by = 1)
cv <- numeric(length(nknot))
cv

## [1] 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0

for (j in nknot) {
  for (i in seq_len(k)) {
    take <- fold==i
    foldi <- gss_train[take, ]
    foldOther <- gss_train[!take, ]
    f <- lm(egalit_scale ~ ns(x=income06, df=j), data=foldOther)
    pred <- predict(f, foldi)
    mse[i] <- mean((pred - foldi$egalit_scale)^2, na.rm=TRUE)
  }
  cv[j] <- mean(mse)
}

plot(nknot, cv)
```



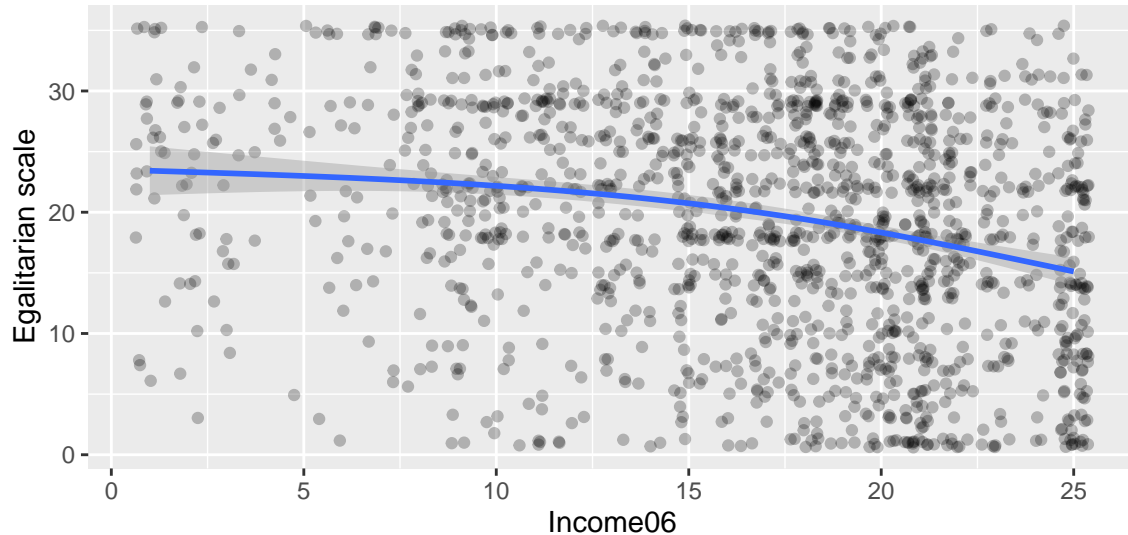
The results above show that two-knots has the lowest MSE.

```
# plot the model results
ggplot(gss_train, aes(income06, egalit_scale)) +
  geom_jitter(alpha = .25) +
  geom_smooth(method = glm, formula = y ~ ns(x = x, df=2)) +
  labs(title = "Spline on GSS training set",
       subtitle = "With 95% confidence interval",
```

```
x = "Income06",
y = "Egalitarian scale")
```

Spline on GSS training set

With 95% confidence interval



Egalitarianism and everything

4.

Pre-processing

```
# Reload the data.
gss_train <- read.csv('data/gss_train.csv')
gss_test  <- read.csv('data/gss_test.csv')

# For the categorical variables, I changed the variables as follows.
# - If the variable is binary, I assigned 0 or 1.
# - If the variable is multi-category, I generate each columns and assigned
#   0 or 1 for each column.
#gss_train <- gss_train %>%
# select(-c(attend, degree))
#gss_test  <- gss_test %>%
# select(-c(attend, degree))

gss_train$black <- as.integer(gss_train$black == 'Yes')
gss_train$born  <- as.integer(gss_train$born == 'YES')
gss_train$colath <- as.integer(gss_train$colath == 'ALLOWED')
gss_train$colrac <- as.integer(gss_train$colrac == 'ALLOWED')
gss_train$colcom <- as.integer(gss_train$colcom == 'FIRED')
gss_train$colmil <- as.integer(gss_train$colmil == 'ALLOWED')
gss_train$colhomo <- as.integer(gss_train$colhomo == 'ALLOWED')
gss_train$colmslm <- as.integer(gss_train$colmslm == 'Yes, allowed')
gss_train$grass <- as.integer(gss_train$grass == 'LEGAL')
gss_train$hispanic_2 <- as.integer(gss_train$hispanic_2 == 'Yes')
```

```

gss_train$mode <- as.integer(gss_train$mode == 'IN-PERSON')
gss_train$pornlaw2 <- as.integer(gss_train$pornlaw2 == 'Illegal to all')
gss_train$pres08 <- as.integer(gss_train$pres08 == 'Obama')
gss_train$reborn_r <- as.integer(gss_train$reborn_r == 'Yes')
gss_train$sex <- as.integer(gss_train$sex == 'Male')
gss_train$south <- as.integer(gss_train$south == 'South')

#tmp <- dummyVars(~., data=gss_train, sep='_')
#gss_train.dummy <- as.data.frame(predict(tmp, gss_train))

gss_test$black <- as.integer(gss_test$black == 'Yes')
gss_test$born <- as.integer(gss_test$born == 'YES')
gss_test$colath <- as.integer(gss_test$colath == 'ALLOWED')
gss_test$colrac <- as.integer(gss_test$colrac == 'ALLOWED')
gss_test$colcom <- as.integer(gss_test$colcom == 'FIRED')
gss_test$colmil <- as.integer(gss_test$colmil == 'ALLOWED')
gss_test$colhomo <- as.integer(gss_test$colhomo == 'ALLOWED')
gss_test$colmslm <- as.integer(gss_test$colmslm == 'Yes, allowed')
gss_test$grass <- as.integer(gss_test$grass == 'LEGAL')
gss_test$hispanic_2 <- as.integer(gss_test$hispanic_2 == 'Yes')
gss_test$mode <- as.integer(gss_test$mode == 'IN-PERSON')
gss_test$pornlaw2 <- as.integer(gss_test$pornlaw2 == 'Illegal to all')
gss_test$pres08 <- as.integer(gss_test$pres08 == 'Obama')
gss_test$reborn_r <- as.integer(gss_test$reborn_r == 'Yes')
gss_test$sex <- as.integer(gss_test$sex == 'Male')
gss_test$south <- as.integer(gss_test$south == 'South')

#tmp <- dummyVars(~., data=gss_test, sep='_')
#gss_test.dummy <- as.data.frame(predict(tmp, gss_test))

pgss_train <- gss_train
pgss_test <- gss_test
#pgss_train <- select_if(gss_train, is.numeric) %>%
# merge(gss_train.dummy)
#pgss_test <- select_if(gss_test, is.numeric) %>%
# merge(gss_test.dummy)

```

a. Linear regression

```

options(warn=-1)
lr_model <- train(egalit_scale~., data=pgss_train, method='lm',
                  metric='RMSE', preProcess='zv',
                  trControl=trainControl(method='cv', number=10))
options(warn=1)
lr_model

```

```

## Linear Regression
##
## 1481 samples
## 44 predictor
##
## Pre-processing: (None)
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)

```

```
## Summary of sample sizes: 1332, 1333, 1332, 1333, 1332, 1334, ...
## Resampling results:
##
##      RMSE      Rsquared    MAE
##  7.950629  0.3265621  6.27887
##
## Tuning parameter 'intercept' was held constant at a value of TRUE
```

b. Elastic net regression

```
options(warn=-1)
eln_model <- train(egalit_scale~., data=pgss_train,
                  method='glmnet', metric='RMSE',
                  preProcess='zv',
                  trControl=trainControl(method='cv', number=10),
                  tuneLength=10)
options(warn=1)
eln_model
```

```
## glmnet
##
## 1481 samples
## 44 predictor
##
## Pre-processing: (None)
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 1332, 1334, 1333, 1333, 1333, 1333, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##  alpha  lambda      RMSE      Rsquared    MAE
##  0.1    0.002118067  7.964210  0.3227054  6.270176
##  0.1    0.004893009  7.964108  0.3227165  6.270150
##  0.1    0.011303486  7.962187  0.3229285  6.269584
##  0.1    0.026112519  7.954050  0.3238994  6.264896
##  0.1    0.060323307  7.937225  0.3259241  6.253116
##  0.1    0.139354665  7.906412  0.3296868  6.233430
##  0.1    0.321927360  7.859773  0.3357329  6.206486
##  0.1    0.743693973  7.807979  0.3435286  6.195172
##  0.1    1.718029578  7.772850  0.3535846  6.224765
##  0.1    3.968871254  7.918851  0.3481464  6.415563
##  0.2    0.002118067  7.964493  0.3227011  6.270089
##  0.2    0.004893009  7.963259  0.3228357  6.269759
##  0.2    0.011303486  7.958109  0.3234525  6.267370
##  0.2    0.026112519  7.944575  0.3251026  6.257720
##  0.2    0.060323307  7.918750  0.3283268  6.239914
##  0.2    0.139354665  7.876499  0.3337745  6.213827
##  0.2    0.321927360  7.821185  0.3414935  6.191254
##  0.2    0.743693973  7.760894  0.3524970  6.186039
##  0.2    1.718029578  7.822317  0.3519652  6.301093
##  0.2    3.968871254  8.170214  0.3200573  6.683522
##  0.3    0.002118067  7.964283  0.3227228  6.270085
##  0.3    0.004893009  7.962272  0.3229526  6.269499
##  0.3    0.011303486  7.953541  0.3240218  6.264234
##  0.3    0.026112519  7.935732  0.3262550  6.251093
##  0.3    0.060323307  7.903075  0.3303919  6.229222
```


##	0.3	0.139354665	7.852102	0.3372062	6.199757
##	0.3	0.321927360	7.795698	0.3455891	6.184444
##	0.3	0.743693973	7.753571	0.3557771	6.202124
##	0.3	1.718029578	7.918853	0.3418429	6.410402
##	0.3	3.968871254	8.399723	0.2898412	6.920348
##	0.4	0.002118067	7.964152	0.3227443	6.270101
##	0.4	0.004893009	7.960770	0.3231475	6.268792
##	0.4	0.011303486	7.949439	0.3245398	6.261032
##	0.4	0.026112519	7.927287	0.3273488	6.244857
##	0.4	0.060323307	7.889733	0.3321811	6.220807
##	0.4	0.139354665	7.834506	0.3397235	6.192031
##	0.4	0.321927360	7.772155	0.3497322	6.177877
##	0.4	0.743693973	7.775361	0.3544620	6.238915
##	0.4	1.718029578	8.041385	0.3253262	6.540432
##	0.4	3.968871254	8.590893	0.2629115	7.108130
##	0.5	0.002118067	7.964013	0.3227561	6.270166
##	0.5	0.004893009	7.958665	0.3234103	6.267524
##	0.5	0.011303486	7.945358	0.3250680	6.257825
##	0.5	0.026112519	7.919428	0.3283626	6.239372
##	0.5	0.060323307	7.876866	0.3339427	6.212729
##	0.5	0.139354665	7.819576	0.3419329	6.187203
##	0.5	0.321927360	7.754575	0.3531322	6.175221
##	0.5	0.743693973	7.809022	0.3511330	6.279163
##	0.5	1.718029578	8.161201	0.3077417	6.671414
##	0.5	3.968871254	8.736407	0.2437572	7.253704
##	0.6	0.002118067	7.962947	0.3228824	6.269682
##	0.6	0.004893009	7.956698	0.3236550	6.266234
##	0.6	0.011303486	7.941449	0.3255680	6.254825
##	0.6	0.026112519	7.912391	0.3292771	6.234697
##	0.6	0.060323307	7.865135	0.3355606	6.205812
##	0.6	0.139354665	7.808153	0.3436399	6.184418
##	0.6	0.321927360	7.746313	0.3551706	6.178455
##	0.6	0.743693973	7.851734	0.3462233	6.328907
##	0.6	1.718029578	8.258841	0.2937440	6.777200
##	0.6	3.968871254	8.840007	0.2400358	7.360452
##	0.7	0.002118067	7.962623	0.3229254	6.269643
##	0.7	0.004893009	7.954571	0.3239198	6.264771
##	0.7	0.011303486	7.937593	0.3260775	6.251935
##	0.7	0.026112519	7.905653	0.3301664	6.230157
##	0.7	0.060323307	7.855139	0.3369516	6.200263
##	0.7	0.139354665	7.798140	0.3452160	6.181743
##	0.7	0.321927360	7.746795	0.3558639	6.187810
##	0.7	0.743693973	7.900496	0.3399965	6.382939
##	0.7	1.718029578	8.343274	0.2817445	6.860606
##	0.7	3.968871254	8.958914	0.2318815	7.473825
##	0.8	0.002118067	7.962089	0.3229951	6.269422
##	0.8	0.004893009	7.952669	0.3241586	6.263355
##	0.8	0.011303486	7.933487	0.3266104	6.248938
##	0.8	0.026112519	7.899410	0.3309954	6.226050
##	0.8	0.060323307	7.846495	0.3381632	6.195556
##	0.8	0.139354665	7.787850	0.3469284	6.179364
##	0.8	0.321927360	7.754126	0.3554767	6.201892
##	0.8	0.743693973	7.955834	0.3321369	6.442067
##	0.8	1.718029578	8.423688	0.2698657	6.936682

```
## 0.8 3.968871254 9.070438 0.2298209 7.572827
## 0.9 0.002118067 7.961513 0.3230675 6.269122
## 0.9 0.004893009 7.950888 0.3243823 6.261943
## 0.9 0.011303486 7.929835 0.3270797 6.246232
## 0.9 0.026112519 7.893833 0.3317365 6.222603
## 0.9 0.060323307 7.838805 0.3392474 6.192293
## 0.9 0.139354665 7.777453 0.3487109 6.176736
## 0.9 0.321927360 7.764354 0.3546474 6.218821
## 0.9 0.743693973 8.011733 0.3238545 6.503062
## 0.9 1.718029578 8.502223 0.2571182 7.011716
## 0.9 3.968871254 9.194927 0.2298203 7.676352
## 1.0 0.002118067 7.960752 0.3231624 6.268696
## 1.0 0.004893009 7.949135 0.3246063 6.260591
## 1.0 0.011303486 7.926367 0.3275274 6.243762
## 1.0 0.026112519 7.887963 0.3325316 6.219029
## 1.0 0.060323307 7.831583 0.3402814 6.189551
## 1.0 0.139354665 7.767485 0.3504835 6.173851
## 1.0 0.321927360 7.776475 0.3535293 6.235748
## 1.0 0.743693973 8.065744 0.3156565 6.562986
## 1.0 1.718029578 8.573670 0.2450649 7.084794
## 1.0 3.968871254 9.341005 0.2298203 7.813151
##
## RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
## The final values used for the model were alpha = 0.6 and lambda = 0.3219274.
```

c. Principal component regression

```
options(warn=-1)
pcr_model <- train(egalit_scale~., data=pgss_train,
  method='pcr', metric='RMSE',
  preProcess='zv',
  trControl=trainControl(method='cv', number=10),
  tuneLength=20)
options(warn=1)
pcr_model
```

```
## Principal Component Analysis
##
## 1481 samples
## 44 predictor
##
## Pre-processing: (None)
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 1333, 1333, 1333, 1334, 1332, 1333, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
## ncomp RMSE Rsquared MAE
## 1 9.525899 0.02721140 7.931877
## 2 9.228729 0.08572719 7.647135
## 3 9.230454 0.08528292 7.649239
## 4 9.203476 0.09024627 7.646430
## 5 9.209540 0.08877866 7.652256
## 6 9.168751 0.09734971 7.602856
## 7 9.142704 0.10294387 7.561974
## 8 9.152719 0.10191040 7.565761
```

```
##      9      9.092708  0.11553771  7.527345
##     10      9.093087  0.11476262  7.517855
##     11      8.984593  0.13244848  7.414024
##     12      8.752982  0.17692173  7.219303
##     13      8.424912  0.23518738  6.794826
##     14      8.426466  0.23496855  6.798845
##     15      8.337500  0.25214177  6.710089
##     16      8.326139  0.25432049  6.697809
##     17      8.330039  0.25344169  6.699085
##     18      8.325895  0.25483803  6.687950
##     19      8.302115  0.25895992  6.681031
##     20      8.260761  0.26582062  6.631605
##
## RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
## The final value used for the model was ncomp = 20.
```

d. Partial least squares regression

```
options(warn=-1)
pls_model <- train(egalit_scale~., data=pgss_train,
                  method='pls', metric='RMSE',
                  preProcess='zv',
                  trControl=trainControl(method='cv', number=10),
                  tuneLength=10)
options(warn=1)
pls_model
```

```
## Partial Least Squares
##
## 1481 samples
## 44 predictor
##
## Pre-processing: (None)
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 1333, 1333, 1333, 1332, 1334, 1332, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##  ncomp  RMSE      Rsquared    MAE
##  1      9.435365  0.04226966  7.840704
##  2      9.150064  0.10181908  7.581108
##  3      8.809655  0.16440627  7.242349
##  4      8.407210  0.23970653  6.795827
##  5      8.234429  0.27302298  6.563375
##  6      8.102314  0.29626119  6.455934
##  7      8.012863  0.31040602  6.380223
##  8      7.946237  0.32301173  6.294170
##  9      7.935873  0.32413685  6.299611
## 10      7.932951  0.32515810  6.292732
##
## RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
## The final value used for the model was ncomp = 10.
```

```
res <- list(Linear_Regression = lr_model,
            Elastic_Net = eln_model,
            Principal_Component = pcr_model,
```

```

Partial_Least_Squares = pls_model) %>%
resamples %>%
summary

res$statistics$RMSE^2

```

```

##               Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
## Linear_Regression 51.75887 58.07882 64.04166 63.21251 67.07119 82.98490
## Elastic_Net      47.20925 56.39438 60.25883 60.00536 64.73023 73.12946
## Principal_Component 57.10472 65.45311 68.21701 68.24017 72.79180 75.61596
## Partial_Least_Squares 56.14826 61.19333 62.45039 62.93172 65.86019 72.00093
##               NA's
## Linear_Regression      0
## Elastic_Net           0
## Principal_Component    0
## Partial_Least_Squares  0

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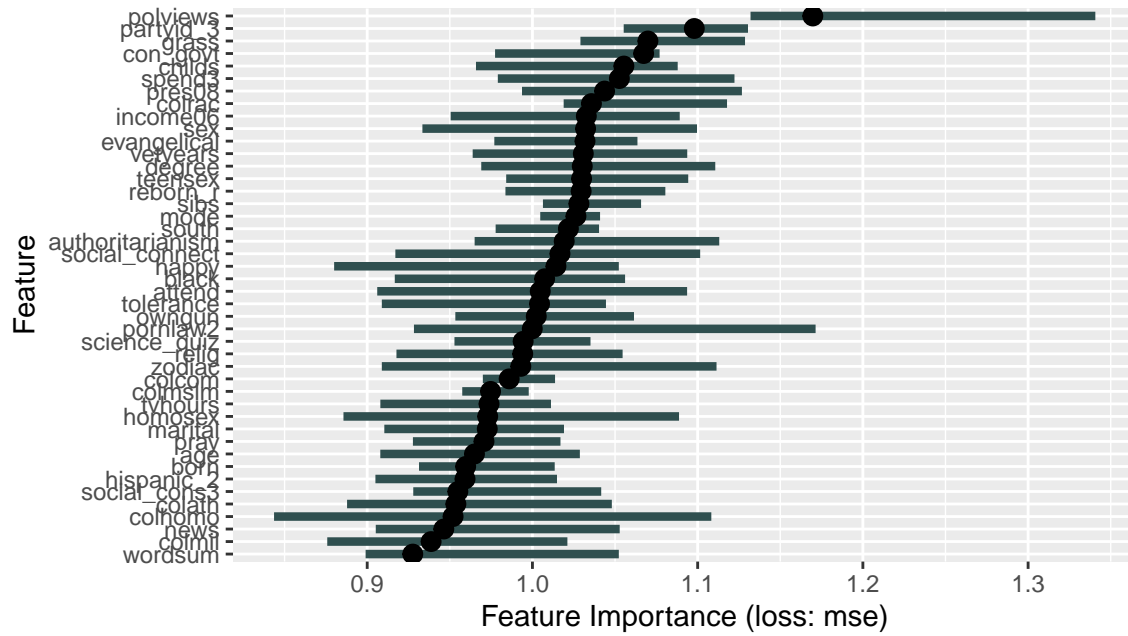
library(iml)
pgss_test_x = select(pgss_test, -egalit_scale)
pgss_test_y = pgss_test$egalit_scale

lr_pred <- Predictor$new(model=lr_model,
                        data=pgss_test_x,
                        y=pgss_test_y)
eln_pred <- Predictor$new(model=eln_model,
                        data=pgss_test_x,
                        y=pgss_test_y)
pcr_pred <- Predictor$new(model=pcr_model,
                        data=pgss_test_x,
                        y=pgss_test_y)
pls_pred <- Predictor$new(model=pls_model,
                        data=pgss_test_x,
                        y=pgss_test_y)

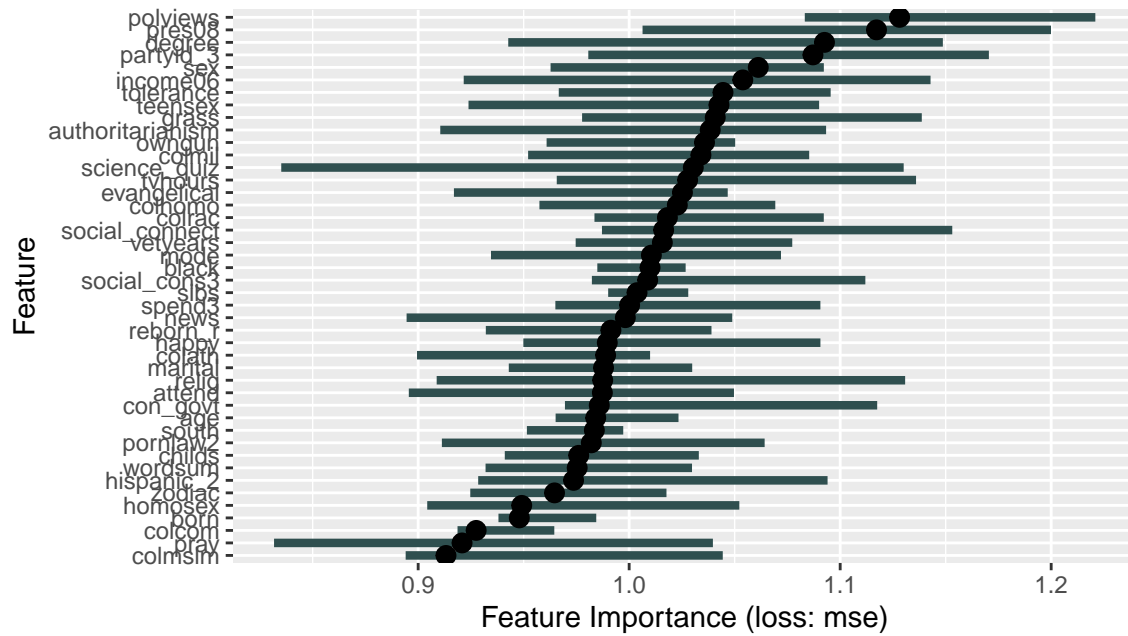
lr_fea <- FeatureImp$new(lr_pred, loss='mse')
eln_fea <- FeatureImp$new(eln_pred, loss='mse')
pcr_fea <- FeatureImp$new(pcr_pred, loss='mse')
pls_fea <- FeatureImp$new(pls_pred, loss='mse')

plot(lr_fea)

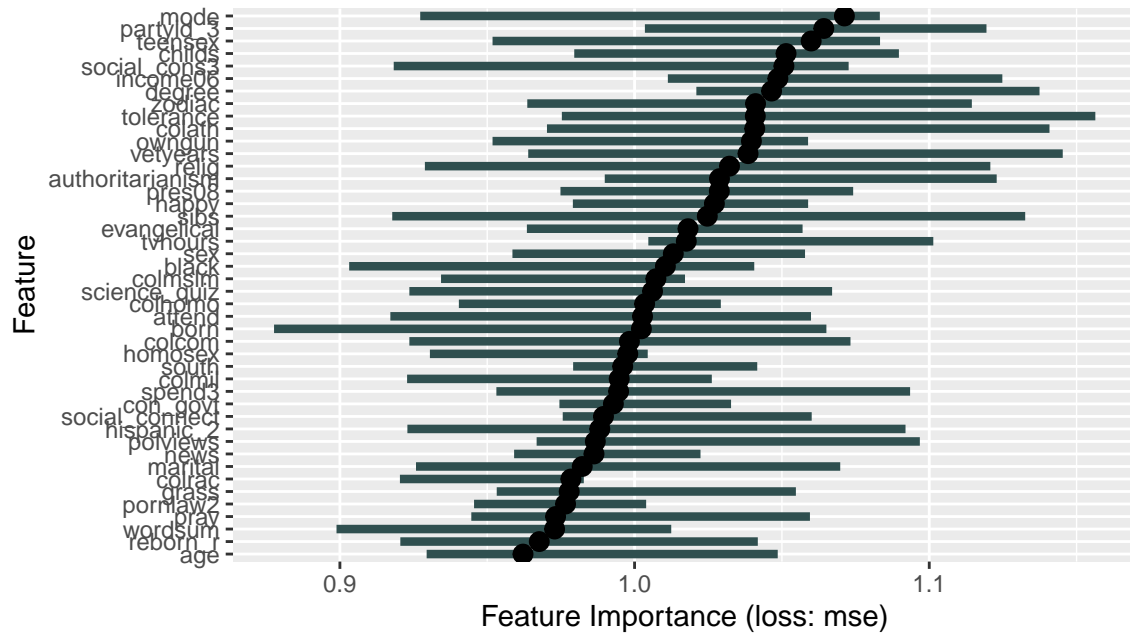
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plot(eln_fea)
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```
plot(pcr_fea)
```



```
plot(pls_fea)
```

