Regression Analysis of Regularization and Dimension Reduction Techniques

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Contents

###Introduction

This report explores the California Housing dataset, performs Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA), and builds a Multiple Linear Regression model to predict median house values.

```
library(recipes)
```

```
0.0.0.0.1 Libraries
## Loading required package: dplyr
## Warning: package 'dplyr' was built under R version 4.3.3
##
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       filter, lag
  The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
##
       intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
##
## Attaching package: 'recipes'
##
  The following object is masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
       step
library(caret)
## Warning: package 'caret' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Loading required package: ggplot2
## Loading required package: lattice
library(magrittr)
library(magrittr)
```

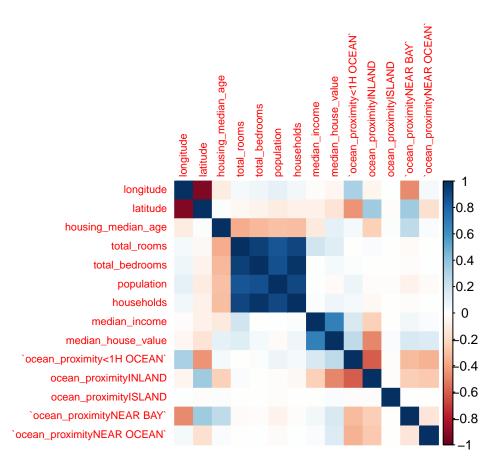
```
library(caret)
library(magrittr)
library(glmnet)
## Loading required package: Matrix
## Loaded glmnet 4.1-10
# Load the dataset using the absolute path
housing <- read.csv("C:/Users/Admin/OneDrive - United States International University (USIU)/Documents/
# View the first few rows of the data
head(housing)
0.0.0.1 Load the Dataset
     longitude latitude housing_median_age total_rooms total_bedrooms population
## 1
      -122.23
                  37.88
                                        41
                                                  880
                                                                  129
                                                                             322
## 2
      -122.22
                  37.86
                                        21
                                                  7099
                                                                 1106
                                                                            2401
## 3
      -122.24
                 37.85
                                        52
                                                  1467
                                                                  190
                                                                             496
## 4
      -122.25
                 37.85
                                        52
                                                  1274
                                                                  235
                                                                             558
## 5
      -122.25
                 37.85
                                       52
                                                  1627
                                                                  280
                                                                             565
      -122.25
                 37.85
                                        52
                                                   919
                                                                             413
## 6
                                                                  213
##
    households median_income median_house_value ocean_proximity
## 1
           126
                      8.3252
                                         452600
                                                        NEAR BAY
## 2
          1138
                      8.3014
                                          358500
                                                        NEAR BAY
## 3
           177
                      7.2574
                                          352100
                                                        NEAR BAY
## 4
           219
                                                        NEAR BAY
                       5.6431
                                          341300
## 5
           259
                       3.8462
                                          342200
                                                        NEAR BAY
## 6
            193
                       4.0368
                                          269700
                                                        NEAR BAY
# Check the structure of the dataset
str(housing)
0.0.0.2 Inspect Data
## 'data.frame':
                    20640 obs. of 10 variables:
                       : num -122 -122 -122 -122 -122 ...
## $ longitude
                        : num 37.9 37.9 37.9 37.9 ...
## $ latitude
## $ housing_median_age: num 41 21 52 52 52 52 52 52 42 52 ...
## $ total_rooms
                      : num 880 7099 1467 1274 1627 ...
## $ total_bedrooms
                       : num 129 1106 190 235 280 ...
## $ population
                       : num 322 2401 496 558 565 ...
## $ households
                       : num 126 1138 177 219 259 ...
## $ median_income
                      : num 8.33 8.3 7.26 5.64 3.85 ...
## $ median_house_value: num 452600 358500 352100 341300 342200 ...
## $ ocean_proximity : chr "NEAR BAY" "NEAR BAY" "NEAR BAY" "NEAR BAY" ...
housing <- na.omit(housing)</pre>
```

0.0.0.3 Handle Missing Values

head(housing)

```
longitude latitude housing_median_age total_rooms total_bedrooms population
## 1
       -122.23
                  37.88
                                         41
                                                    880
                                                                   129
                                                                               322
## 2
       -122.22
                  37.86
                                         21
                                                   7099
                                                                  1106
                                                                              2401
## 3
       -122.24
                  37.85
                                                                   190
                                                                               496
                                         52
                                                   1467
## 4
       -122.25
                  37.85
                                         52
                                                   1274
                                                                   235
                                                                               558
## 5
       -122.25
                  37.85
                                         52
                                                   1627
                                                                   280
                                                                               565
       -122.25
                  37.85
                                         52
                                                                               413
##
     households median_income median_house_value ocean_proximity
## 1
            126
                       8.3252
                                           452600
                                                         NEAR BAY
## 2
           1138
                       8.3014
                                           358500
                                                         NEAR BAY
## 3
            177
                       7.2574
                                           352100
                                                         NEAR BAY
## 4
            219
                       5.6431
                                                         NEAR BAY
                                           341300
## 5
            259
                       3.8462
                                           342200
                                                         NEAR BAY
## 6
            193
                       4.0368
                                           269700
                                                         NEAR BAY
housing <- dummyVars(" ~ .", data = housing) %>%
  predict(newdata = housing) %>%
  as.data.frame()
dummies <- dummyVars(" ~ .", data = housing)</pre>
housing <- predict(dummies, newdata = housing)</pre>
housing <- as.data.frame(housing)</pre>
str(housing)
0.0.0.4 Encode Categorical Variable
## 'data.frame':
                    20433 obs. of 14 variables:
##
   $ longitude
                                  : num -122 -122 -122 -122 ...
## $ latitude
                                        37.9 37.9 37.9 37.9 ...
                                  : num
   $ housing_median_age
                                        41 21 52 52 52 52 52 52 42 52 ...
                                  : num
   $ total rooms
                                        880 7099 1467 1274 1627 ...
##
                                  : num
## $ total bedrooms
                                        129 1106 190 235 280 ...
                                 : num
## $ population
                                 : num
                                       322 2401 496 558 565 ...
## $ households
                                 : num 126 1138 177 219 259 ...
## $ median income
                                 : num
                                        8.33 8.3 7.26 5.64 3.85 ...
                                 : num 452600 358500 352100 341300 342200 ...
## $ median_house_value
## $ `ocean proximity<1H OCEAN` : num
                                        0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ ocean_proximityINLAND
                                 : num
                                        0000000000...
##
   $ ocean_proximityISLAND
                                  : num
                                        0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
   $ `ocean_proximityNEAR BAY` : num
                                        1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 . . .
   $ `ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN`: num
                                        0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
summary(housing)
##
      longitude
                        latitude
                                      housing_median_age total_rooms
           :-124.3
##
   Min.
                     Min.
                            :32.54
                                      Min.
                                            : 1.00
                                                         Min.
  1st Qu.:-121.8
                     1st Qu.:33.93
                                      1st Qu.:18.00
                                                         1st Qu.: 1450
## Median :-118.5
                     Median :34.26
                                      Median :29.00
                                                         Median: 2127
## Mean
          :-119.6
                     Mean
                            :35.63
                                      Mean
                                             :28.63
                                                         Mean
                                                               : 2636
## 3rd Qu.:-118.0
                     3rd Qu.:37.72
                                      3rd Qu.:37.00
                                                         3rd Qu.: 3143
## Max.
           :-114.3
                            :41.95
                                      Max.
                                             :52.00
                                                         Max.
                                                                :39320
## total_bedrooms
                       population
                                       households
                                                       median_income
```

```
Min. : 1.0
                    Min. : 3
                                    Min. : 1.0
                                                     Min. : 0.4999
##
   1st Qu.: 296.0
                    1st Qu.: 787
                                    1st Qu.: 280.0
                                                     1st Qu.: 2.5637
  Median : 435.0
                    Median: 1166
                                    Median : 409.0
                                                     Median: 3.5365
         : 537.9
                                          : 499.4
##
  Mean
                    Mean : 1425
                                    Mean
                                                     Mean
                                                           : 3.8712
   3rd Qu.: 647.0
                    3rd Qu.: 1722
                                    3rd Qu.: 604.0
                                                     3rd Qu.: 4.7440
##
  Max.
          :6445.0
                           :35682
                                    Max.
                                           :6082.0
                                                     Max.
                                                           :15.0001
                    Max.
   median_house_value `ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN` ocean_proximityINLAND
  Min.
          : 14999
                            :0.0000
                                                 Min.
                                                      :0.0000
##
                      Min.
##
   1st Qu.:119500
                      1st Qu.:0.0000
                                                 1st Qu.:0.0000
##
  Median :179700
                      Median :0.0000
                                                 Median :0.0000
## Mean
         :206864
                      Mean
                            :0.4421
                                                 Mean :0.3179
## 3rd Qu.:264700
                      3rd Qu.:1.0000
                                                 3rd Qu.:1.0000
## Max.
          :500001
                      Max.
                             :1.0000
                                                 Max.
                                                        :1.0000
  ocean_proximityISLAND `ocean_proximityNEAR BAY` `ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN`
##
## Min.
          :0.0000000
                         Min.
                               :0.0000
                                                   Min. :0.0000
## 1st Qu.:0.0000000
                         1st Qu.:0.0000
                                                   1st Qu.:0.0000
## Median :0.0000000
                         Median :0.0000
                                                   Median :0.0000
## Mean :0.0002447
                         Mean :0.1111
                                                   Mean :0.1286
  3rd Qu.:0.0000000
                         3rd Qu.:0.0000
                                                   3rd Qu.:0.0000
          :1.0000000
## Max.
                         Max.
                                :1.0000
                                                   Max.
                                                         :1.0000
colSums(is.na(housing))
##
                    longitude
                                                 latitude
##
##
           housing_median_age
                                              total_rooms
##
                                                        0
##
               total bedrooms
                                               population
##
                            0
                                                        Ω
##
                   households
                                            median_income
##
                            0
                                                        0
##
           median_house_value
                               `ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN`
##
##
        ocean_proximityINLAND
                                    ocean_proximityISLAND
##
                              `ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN`
##
     `ocean_proximityNEAR BAY`
##
                            0
                                                        0
library(corrplot)
## Warning: package 'corrplot' was built under R version 4.3.3
## corrplot 0.95 loaded
corr_matrix <- cor(housing)</pre>
corrplot(corr_matrix, method = "color", tl.cex = 0.7)
```



```
set.seed(123) # ensures reproducibility
# Use caret's createDataPartition function
library(caret)
split <- createDataPartition(housing$median_house_value, p = 0.8, list = FALSE)</pre>
train_data <- housing[split, ]</pre>
test_data <- housing[-split, ]</pre>
```

0.0.0.5 Split the Data

```
nrow(train_data)
0.0.0.5.1 Check the Split
## [1] 16348
nrow(test_data)
## [1] 4085
colnames(train_data)
    [1] "longitude"
                                       "latitude"
   [3] "housing_median_age"
                                       "total_rooms"
```

```
## [5] "total_bedrooms"
                                      "population"
## [7] "households"
                                      "median_income"
                                      "`ocean proximity<1H OCEAN`"
## [9] "median house value"
## [11] "ocean_proximityINLAND"
                                      "ocean_proximityISLAND"
## [13] "`ocean_proximityNEAR BAY`"
                                      "`ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN`"
colnames(test_data)
    [1] "longitude"
                                      "latitude"
##
   [3] "housing_median_age"
                                      "total_rooms"
   [5] "total bedrooms"
                                      "population"
##
   [7] "households"
                                      "median income"
## [9] "median_house_value"
                                      "`ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN`"
## [11] "ocean_proximityINLAND"
                                      "ocean_proximityISLAND"
## [13] "`ocean_proximityNEAR BAY`"
                                      "`ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN`"
model_train <- lm(median_house_value ~ ., data = train_data)</pre>
summary(model_train)
0.0.0.6 Fit the Model on Training Data
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = median house value ~ ., data = train data)
##
## Residuals:
##
      Min
                1Q Median
                                3Q
                                       Max
## -560505 -42590 -10327
                            28586 734628
##
## Coefficients: (1 not defined because of singularities)
##
                                       Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
                                     -2.255e+06 9.861e+04 -22.870 < 2e-16 ***
## (Intercept)
## longitude
                                     -2.672e+04 1.138e+03 -23.475 < 2e-16 ***
## latitude
                                     -2.549e+04 1.122e+03 -22.713 < 2e-16 ***
## housing_median_age
                                     1.074e+03 4.904e+01 21.911 < 2e-16 ***
                                     -6.607e+00 8.820e-01 -7.491 7.16e-14 ***
## total_rooms
## total_bedrooms
                                     1.088e+02 7.824e+00 13.913 < 2e-16 ***
                                     -3.597e+01 1.172e+00 -30.702 < 2e-16 ***
## population
## households
                                      3.785e+01 8.426e+00
                                                             4.492 7.09e-06 ***
## median_income
                                      3.961e+04 3.828e+02 103.474 < 2e-16 ***
## `\\`ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN\\`` -4.668e+03 1.748e+03 -2.671 0.00758 **
## ocean_proximityINLAND
                                     -4.443e+04 2.510e+03 -17.700 < 2e-16 ***
## ocean_proximityISLAND
                                     1.477e+05 3.086e+04
                                                             4.786 1.71e-06 ***
                                     -7.389e+03 2.444e+03 -3.024 0.00250 **
## `\\`ocean_proximityNEAR BAY\\``
## `\\`ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN\\``
                                                                NA
                                                                         NA
                                            NA
                                                        NΑ
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 68870 on 16335 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared: 0.6441, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6438
## F-statistic: 2463 on 12 and 16335 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

0.0.0.7 California Housing Price Prediction (Linear Regression)

```
predictions <- predict(model_train, newdata = test_data)</pre>
```

0.0.0.7.1 Predict on Test Data

```
# Calculate RMSE and R-squared
rmse <- sqrt(mean((test_data$median_house_value - predictions)^2))
r2 <- cor(test_data$median_house_value, predictions)^2
cat("RMSE:", rmse, "\nR-squared:", r2)</pre>
```

0.0.0.7.2 Evaluate Model Performance

```
## RMSE: 67873.12
## R-squared: 0.6558641
```

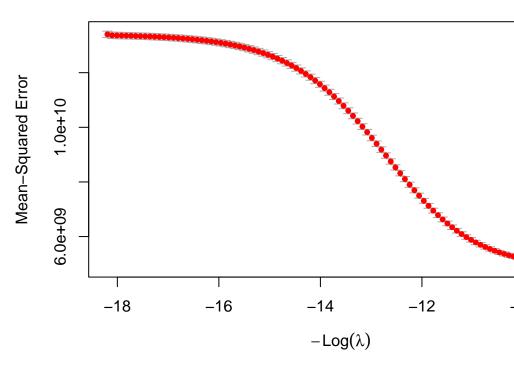
0.0.1 Regularization Techniques

```
x <- model.matrix(median_house_value ~ ., data = housing)[, -1] # remove intercept
y <- housing$median_house_value

set.seed(123)
train_idx <- sample(1:nrow(x), 0.8 * nrow(x))
x_train <- x[train_idx, ]
y_train <- y[train_idx]
x_test <- x[-train_idx, ]
y_test <- y[-train_idx]</pre>
```

0.0.1.1 Prepare Data for Regularization

```
ridge_model <- cv.glmnet(x_train, y_train, alpha = 0)
plot(ridge_model)</pre>
```



0.0.1.2 Ridge Regression (L2)

```
# Find best lambda (regularization parameter)
best_lambda_ridge <- ridge_model$lambda.min
best_lambda_ridge</pre>
```

0.0.1.2.1 regularization parameter

[1] 7987.83

```
ridge_pred <- predict(ridge_model, s = ridge_model$lambda.min, newx = x_test)</pre>
```

0.0.1.3 Prediction_Ridge

```
ridge_rmse <- sqrt(mean((ridge_pred - y_test)^2))
ridge_r2 <- 1 - sum((ridge_pred - y_test)^2) / sum((y_test - mean(y_test))^2)
cat("Ridge Regression:\n")</pre>
```

0.0.1.4 Evaluation Ridgr Regression

```
## Ridge Regression:
```

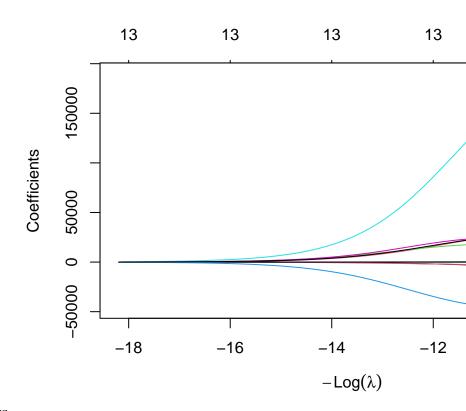
```
cat(" RMSE:", ridge_rmse, "\n")
```

RMSE: 68931.86

```
cat(" R-squared:", ridge_r2, "\n\n")

## R-squared: 0.63499

library(glmnet)
plot(ridge_model$glmnet.fit, xvar = "lambda")
```



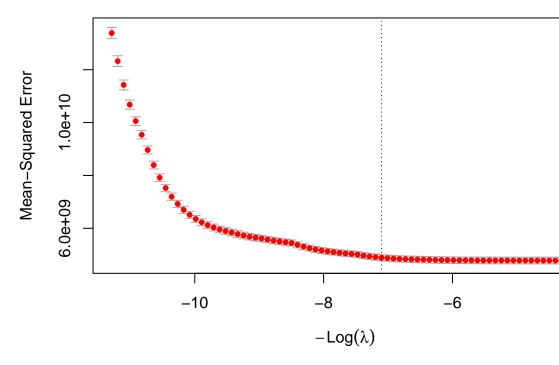
$0.0.1.4.1 \quad {\bf Ridge\ Regression\ Diagnostics}$

```
coef(ridge_model, s = ridge_model$lambda.min)
```

```
## 14 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
                                          s=7987.83
##
## (Intercept)
                                      -7.958822e+05
## longitude
                                      -9.432991e+03
## latitude
                                      -8.406588e+03
## housing_median_age
                                       1.003642e+03
## total_rooms
                                       7.246974e-01
## total bedrooms
                                       4.134851e+01
## population
                                      -2.514532e+01
## households
                                       4.091730e+01
## median_income
                                       3.544553e+04
## `\\`ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN\\``</pre>
                                       1.770221e+04
## ocean_proximityINLAND
                                      -4.397253e+04
## ocean_proximityISLAND
                                       1.912247e+05
## `\\`ocean_proximityNEAR BAY\\``
                                       2.023143e+04
## `\\`ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN\\``
                                       2.758138e+04
```

```
# Perform Lasso Regression (L1 Regularization)
set.seed(123)
lasso_model <- cv.glmnet(x_train, y_train, alpha = 1)
# Cross-validated Lasso plot with title
plot(lasso_model, main = "Cross-Validation Curve for Lasso Regression")</pre>
```

O 1 Cross-Validation Curve for Lasso Regression 1



0.0.1.5 Laso Regression

```
# Best lambda
best_lambda_lasso <- lasso_model$lambda.min
best_lambda_lasso</pre>
```

[1] 56.35256

```
# Lasso Regression
lasso_pred <- predict(lasso_model, s = lasso_model$lambda.min, newx = x_test)</pre>
```

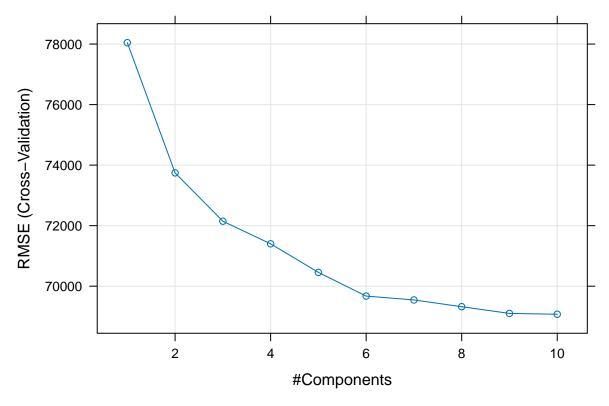
0.0.1.6 Lasso Prediction

```
lasso_rmse <- sqrt(mean((lasso_pred - y_test)^2))
lasso_r2 <- 1 - sum((lasso_pred - y_test)^2) / sum((y_test - mean(y_test))^2)
cat("Lasso Regression:\n")</pre>
```

0.0.1.6.1 Evaluation

```
## Lasso Regression:
cat(" RMSE:", lasso_rmse, "\n")
##
     RMSE: 67681.33
cat(" R-squared:", lasso_r2, "\n")
     R-squared: 0.6481135
##
coef(lasso_model, s = best_lambda_lasso)
0.0.1.6.2 Lasso Regression Diagnostics
## 14 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
                                         s=56.35256
##
## (Intercept)
                                      -2.196103e+06
## longitude
                                      -2.596847e+04
## latitude
                                      -2.470979e+04
## housing_median_age
                                      1.055381e+03
## total rooms
                                     -5.562909e+00
## total_bedrooms
                                      8.775694e+01
## population
                                      -3.700647e+01
## households
                                       5.858007e+01
## median_income
                                       3.906495e+04
## `\\`ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN\\``</pre>
## ocean_proximityINLAND
                                      -3.921343e+04
## ocean_proximityISLAND
                                      1.682914e+05
## `\\`ocean_proximityNEAR BAY\\`` -2.839300e+03
## `\\`ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN\\`` 5.092122e+03
# Prepare data
x <- model.matrix(median_house_value ~ ., train_data)[, -1]</pre>
y <- train_data$median_house_value
# Create training control
train_control <- trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10)</pre>
# Fit PLS Regression model
set.seed(123)
pls_model <- train(</pre>
 x = x,
 y = y,
 method = "pls",
 trControl = train_control,
 tuneLength = 10,
 preProcess = c("center", "scale")
# Show best model
print(pls_model)
## Partial Least Squares
##
## 16348 samples
##
      13 predictor
##
```

```
## Pre-processing: centered (13), scaled (13)
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 14713, 14712, 14714, 14713, 14713, 14715, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##
                      Rsquared
     ncomp RMSE
                                 MAE
##
            78045.73 0.5425952 58709.15
      1
##
      2
            73743.99 0.5915625 54199.26
##
      3
           72147.29 0.6091188 52064.38
##
      4
           71400.04 0.6171795 51586.66
##
      5
           70456.33 0.6272779 51248.63
           69672.94 0.6357131 50232.80
##
      6
      7
##
           69545.56 0.6370352 50083.46
##
      8
          69322.88 0.6393446 49949.82
##
      9
            69100.78 0.6416603 49772.12
##
     10
            69072.99 0.6419112 49766.69
##
## RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
## The final value used for the model was ncomp = 10.
# Evaluate on test data
x_test <- model.matrix(median_house_value ~ ., test_data)[, -1]</pre>
y_test <- test_data$median_house_value</pre>
pls_predictions <- predict(pls_model, newdata = x_test)</pre>
# Compute metrics
pls_rmse <- sqrt(mean((y_test - pls_predictions)^2))</pre>
pls_r2 <- cor(y_test, pls_predictions)^2</pre>
cat("PLS Regression:\n",
    " RMSE:", pls_rmse, "\n",
    " R-squared:", pls_r2, "\n")
## PLS Regression:
      RMSE: 67902.41
##
      R-squared: 0.6555516
library(caret)
plot(pls_model)
```



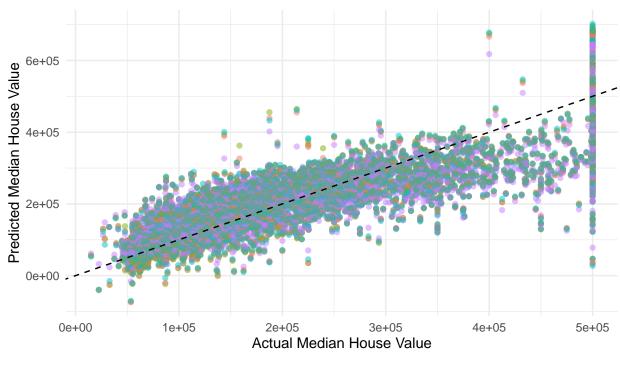
```
# If you used caret::train with method = "pls"
pls_coef <- coef(pls_model$finalModel, ncomp = 10) # ncomp = optimal number of components
pls_coef
## , , 10 comps
##
##
                                                       .outcome
## longitude
                                                    -41823.080
## latitude
                                                    -42022.359
## housing_median_age
                                                     13738.501
## total_rooms
                                                    -20290.447
## total_bedrooms
                                                     37074.890
## population
                                                    -42468.432
## households
                                                     30392.935
## median_income
                                                     75905.282
## `\\`\\\\`ocean_proximity<1H OCEAN\\\\\`\\`
                                                      6732.612
## ocean_proximityINLAND
                                                    -14691.680
## ocean_proximityISLAND
                                                      3375.103
## `\\`\\\\`ocean_proximityNEAR BAY\\\\\`\\`
                                                      3530.472
## `\\`\\\\`ocean_proximityNEAR OCEAN\\\\\`\\`
                                                      6948.294
set.seed(123)
ridge_cv <- cv.glmnet(x, y, alpha = 0, nfolds = 10)</pre>
best_lambda_ridge <- ridge_cv$lambda.min</pre>
rmse_ridge <- sqrt(min(ridge_cv$cvm)) # CV RMSE</pre>
# Lasso CV
```

```
lasso_cv <- cv.glmnet(x, y, alpha = 1, nfolds = 10)</pre>
best_lambda_lasso <- lasso_cv$lambda.min
rmse_lasso <- sqrt(min(lasso_cv$cvm)) # CV RMSE</pre>
# PLS CV
library(caret)
set.seed(123)
pls model <- train(</pre>
  median_house_value ~ ., data = train_data,
  method = "pls",
 preProcess = c("center", "scale"),
 tuneLength = 10,
 trControl = trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10)
rmse_pls <- pls_model$results$RMSE[pls_model$results$ncomp == pls_model$bestTune$ncomp]
# Linear regression RMSE (CV)
set.seed(123)
lm_model <- train(</pre>
  median_house_value ~ ., data = train_data,
 method = "lm",
 trControl = trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10)
)
rmse_lm <- lm_model$results$RMSE</pre>
# Combine results
cv results <- data.frame(</pre>
  Model = c("Linear Regression", "Ridge Regression", "Lasso Regression", "PLS Regression"),
  CV_RMSE = c(rmse_lm, rmse_ridge, rmse_lasso, rmse_pls)
cv_results
##
                  Model CV_RMSE
## 1 Linear Regression 68971.66
## 2 Ridge Regression 70126.12
## 3 Lasso Regression 69013.66
## 4
        PLS Regression 69072.99
# Predictions on test set
x_test <- model.matrix(median_house_value ~ ., test_data)[, -1]</pre>
y_test <- test_data$median_house_value</pre>
# Linear Regression
pred_lm <- predict(lm_model, newdata = test_data)</pre>
# Ridge
pred_ridge <- predict(ridge_model, s = best_lambda_ridge, newx = x_test)</pre>
# Lasso
pred_lasso <- predict(lasso_model, s = best_lambda_lasso, newx = x_test)</pre>
pred_pls <- predict(pls_model, newdata = test_data)</pre>
```

```
library(ggplot2)
plot_df <- data.frame(</pre>
  Actual = y_test,
  Linear = as.vector(pred_lm),
  Ridge = as.vector(pred_ridge),
 Lasso = as.vector(pred_lasso),
  PLS = as.vector(pred_pls)
library(tidyr)
## Warning: package 'tidyr' was built under R version 4.3.3
## Attaching package: 'tidyr'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:Matrix':
##
       expand, pack, unpack
## The following object is masked from 'package:magrittr':
##
##
       extract
# Convert to long format for ggplot
plot_long <- pivot_longer(plot_df, cols = -Actual, names_to = "Model", values_to = "Predicted")</pre>
ggplot(plot_long, aes(x = Actual, y = Predicted, color = Model)) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.5) +
  geom_abline(intercept = 0, slope = 1, linetype = "dashed", color = "black") +
  labs(title = "Actual vs Predicted House Values",
       x = "Actual Median House Value",
       y = "Predicted Median House Value") +
  theme_minimal() +
  theme(legend.position = "bottom")
```



Model



```
ggplot(plot_long, aes(x = Actual, y = Predicted)) +
  geom_point(alpha = 0.5, color = "steelblue") +
  geom_abline(intercept = 0, slope = 1, linetype = "dashed", color = "red") +
  labs(title = "Actual vs Predicted House Values", x = "Actual", y = "Predicted") +
  facet_wrap(~Model) +
  theme_minimal()
```

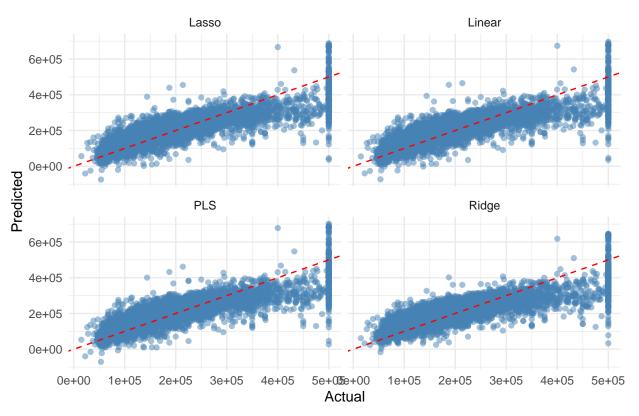
Lasso

Linear •

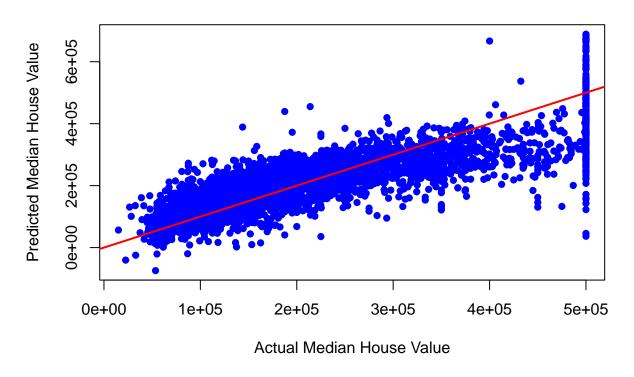
PLS

Ridge

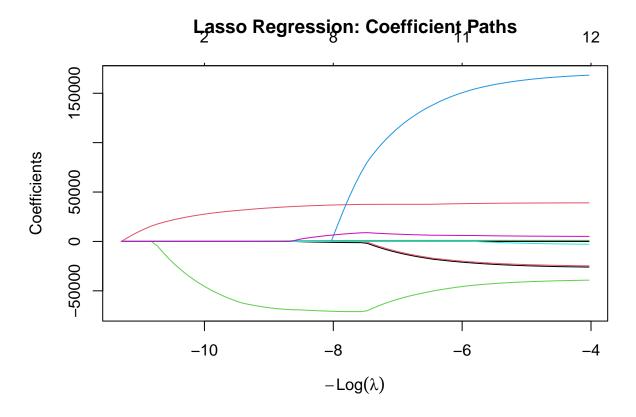
Actual vs Predicted House Values



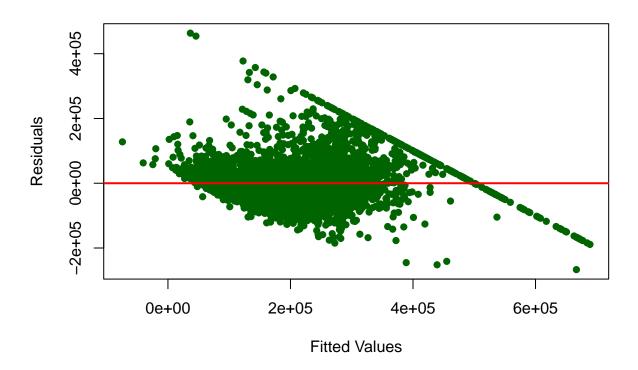
Lasso Regression: Actual vs Predicted



plot(lasso_model\$glmnet.fit, xvar = "lambda", main = "Lasso Regression: Coefficient Paths")



Lasso Residuals vs Fitted



```
# Normal Q-Q plot
qqnorm(residuals_lasso, main = "Lasso Residual Q-Q Plot")
qqline(residuals_lasso, col = "red", lwd = 2)
```

Lasso Residual Q-Q Plot

