

Advanced Statistical Methods Homework 3

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Introduction to Statistical Learning

Chapter 4.7 : Problem 13

Using the **Boston** data set, fit classification models in order to predict whether a given suburb has a crime rate above or below the median. Explore logistic regression, LDA, and KNN models using various sub-sets of the predictors. Describe your findings.

Prepare the data set:

```
library(MASS)
attach(Boston)

dim(Boston)
cor(Boston[, -14])

summary(crim)
b <- Boston
b$crim = b$crim/max(b$crim)
summary(b$crim)
```

(a)

Logistic Regression

```
glm.fits=glm(crim~rad+tax+lstat, data=b, family=binomial)
summary(glm.fits)
```

Deviance Residuals:

Min	1Q	Median	3Q	Max
-0.38107	-0.06578	-0.04532	0.00305	2.02780

Coefficients:

	Estimate	Std. Error	z value	Pr(> z)
(Intercept)	-7.546943	2.215077	-3.407	0.000657 ***
rad	0.121906	0.121641	1.002	0.316256
tax	0.002598	0.007140	0.364	0.715925
lstat	0.056465	0.033871	1.667	0.095507 .

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(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 62.565 on 505 degrees of freedom

Residual deviance: 16.928 on 502 degrees of freedom

AIC: 69.318

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8

(b)

LDA

(c)

KNN
