

Variance - dist ( $\hat{Y}_i$ , mean)  $\rightarrow$  outliers

Heteroscedasticity - error not const in predicted vs residuals

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## Question 2

### (a) Linear Regression:

- 1)  $y \rightarrow \text{output}$   $(n \times 1)$
- $x \rightarrow \text{input}$   $(n \times p)$
- $\beta \rightarrow \text{coefficients}$   $(p \times 1)$
- $\epsilon \rightarrow \text{errors}$   $(n \times 1)$

$$y = x\beta + \epsilon$$

Assuming that the output is a linear model of the input & errors have mean zero & constant variance

- 2) OLS —  $\sum_{i=1}^n \text{squares of (actual - predicted)}_i^2$

$$\sum (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2 \leftarrow$$

MSE — OLS / number of outputs

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{n} (y - x\beta)^T (y - x\beta)$$

3)  $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \beta} =$

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$$OLS = (y^T - \beta^T x^T)(y - x\beta)$$

Key step - recognizing the dimension of  $y^T x \beta$   $\rightarrow$   $(1 \times 1)$   
 $\therefore (y^T x \beta)^T = y^T x \beta$

$$y^T y - y^T x \beta - \beta^T x^T y + \beta^T x^T x \beta$$

$$y^T y - 2 \beta^T x^T y + \beta^T x^T x \beta$$

$$\frac{d}{d\beta} (y^T y - 2 \beta^T x^T y + \beta^T x^T x \beta)$$

$$0 = 0 - 2 x^T y + \cancel{x^T x \hat{\beta}} + (x^T x)^T \hat{\beta}$$

$$\frac{d(\beta^T \alpha)}{d\beta} = \alpha$$

$$2 x^T y = 2 x^T x \hat{\beta}$$

$$\hat{\beta} = \cancel{(x^T x)^{-1}} x^T y$$

4)  $\det(x^T x) \neq 0$  &  $x^T x$  should be a square matrix.  $x^T x$  will always be square  
 If we have multicollinearity occurs then we could have ~~addition~~ transformed the matrix to make a column zero and thus  $(\det)$  would be zero

$$5) \hat{y} = x \hat{\beta} + \epsilon$$

$$y = x \beta + \epsilon$$

$$\boxed{y - \hat{y} = \epsilon}$$

$$\text{To prove : } x^T (y - \hat{y}) = 0$$

$$= x^T (y - x \hat{\beta})$$

$$= x^T y - x^T x \hat{\beta}$$

$$= 0 \quad (\text{Above derivation of } \hat{\beta})$$

6)  $\tau(\beta) = \frac{1}{2n} \|x\beta - y\|^2$

~~$\nabla_{\beta} (x\beta - y)^T (x\beta - y)$~~

~~$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} (\beta^T x^T - y^T)(x\beta - y)$~~

~~$\beta^T x^T - y^T x\beta$~~

$$\beta^T x^T x\beta - y^T x\beta - \beta^T x^T y + y^T y$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} = -\frac{2x^T y + 2x^T x\beta}{2n}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} = \frac{x^T x\beta - x^T y}{n}$$

By substituting this value we will get the result.

Batch gradient rule

$$\beta^{(t+1)} = \beta^{(t)} - \alpha \nabla_{\beta} \tau(\beta^{(t)})$$

(10) Heavy tails — extreme value exist in a large number thus causing difficulty to predict the extreme outliers & error will be misleading

V shaped — upward — right-skewed & positive outliers  
 downward — left skewed & negative outliers

$$1) E((y - \hat{f}(x))^2) = \text{Bias}^2 + \text{Var} + \sigma^2$$

$$y = f(x) + \varepsilon$$

$$E(\varepsilon) = 0$$

$$\text{Var}(\varepsilon) = E(\varepsilon^2) = \sigma^2$$

$$E((f(x) - \hat{f}(x))^2 + \varepsilon)^2$$

$$= E(f(x) - \hat{f}(x))^2 + 2(f(x) - \hat{f}(x))\varepsilon + \varepsilon^2$$

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$$E((f(x) - E(\hat{f}(x))) - (f(x) - E(f(x))))^2$$

$$E(f(x) - E(\hat{f}(x)))^2 - 2(f(x) - E(f(x))) (f(x) - E(\hat{f}(x)))$$

$$+ (\hat{f}(x) - E(\hat{f}(x)))^2 + \sigma^2$$

$$E(f(x) - E(\hat{f}(x)))^2$$

Bias<sup>2</sup>

$$E((\hat{f}(x) - E(\hat{f}(x)))^2)$$

+ Var

$$\text{Bias}^2 + \text{Var} + \sigma^2$$

$$(3) \quad y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \varepsilon$$

$$y = \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 x_1 + u$$

d)  $E(x_1) = \frac{\text{cov}(x_1, y)}{\text{var}(x_1)}$

$$= \frac{\text{cov}(x_1, \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \varepsilon)}{\text{var}(x_1)}$$
$$= \cancel{\text{cov}(x_1, \beta_0)} + \text{cov}(x_1, \beta_1 x_1) + \text{cov}(x_1, \beta_2 x_2) + \cancel{\text{cov}(x_1, \varepsilon)}$$
$$= \frac{\beta_1 \text{var}(x_1) + \beta_2 \text{cov}(x_1, x_2)}{\text{var}(x_1)}$$
$$= \beta_1 + \beta_2 \frac{\text{cov}(x_1, x_2)}{\text{var}(x_1)}$$

b)  $(E(x_1) - \beta_1)$  shows us the bias of  $\alpha_1$  towards  $x_2$

c) for removing the the bias either  $\beta_2$  or  $\text{cov}(x_1, x_2)$  should be zero.

(iv) a) We can check for the ratio of coefficients of each column if the value

a) we can check for the ratio of max & min eigen value

if the ratio is close to one  
the no multicollinearity otherwise if values are large the multicollinearity occurs.

b)

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_j) = \frac{\sigma^2}{(n-1) \text{Var}(x_j)} \cdot \frac{1}{1-R_j^2} \rightarrow \begin{array}{l} \text{Variance inflation factor} \\ \downarrow \\ \text{correlation} \end{array}$$

so  $\text{Var}(\hat{\beta}_j) \propto$  as correlation  $T$

c) Instability is because error of the loss functions are flattened

as long as the matrix is invertible bias will be singular

## Question 2

- 2) for education level to handle the missing data ~~and~~  
 mode will be the most suitable as mean & median  
 of a category cannot be calculated. Same thing  
 for city  
 Salaries median would be suitable as this property  
 is non-linear and thus it would be able to  
 manage the outliers well. The same logic could  
 work for performance score

## 3) Encode categorical features

assigning educational levels numbers as there is a clear  
 hierarchy in the levels where PhD is the highest and  
 high school is lowest

for remote worker either 0 or 1

one hot encoding for the rest of the features  
 because assigning numbers will be a problem  
 as by assigning numbers ~~we~~ it will generate an  
 ordinality between the categories.

- 4) for stratification the variable used is salary -  
 Salary helps us bifurcate the data so that extreme  
 high outliers do not affect the low salaries as  
 would have happened if the datasets were randomly  
 chosen.