

Linear Regression: What do these numbers mean?



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Ordinary Least Squares

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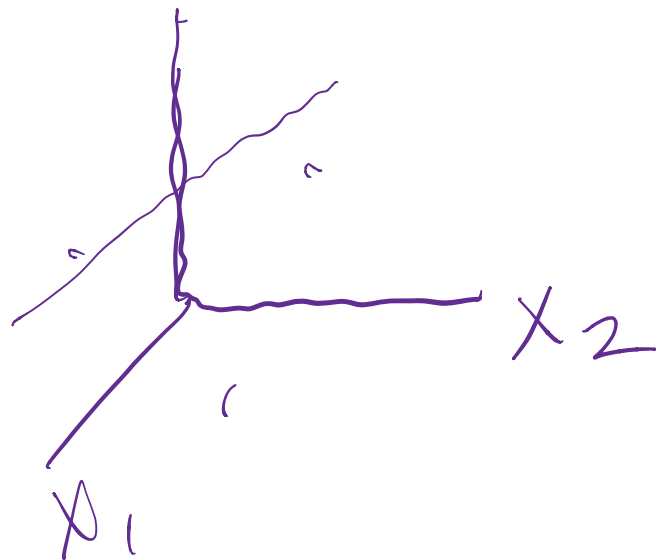
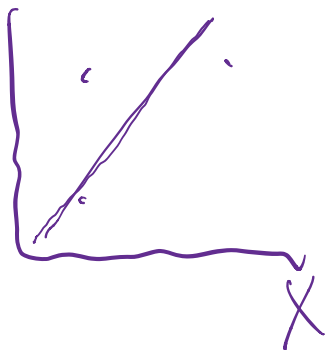
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Best model minimizes

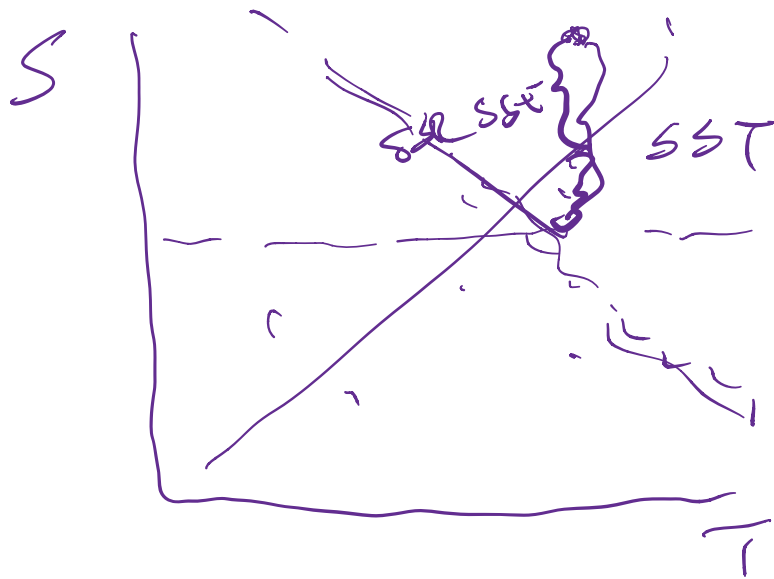
$$\sum_{i=1}^m \left(y_{\beta}(x^{(i)}) - y_{obs}^{(i)} \right)^2$$

**Sum of Squared Error
SSE**

Variance of observed points (times m) is

$$\sum_{i=1}^m \left(\bar{y}_{obs} - y_{obs}^{(i)} \right)^2$$

**Total Sum of Squares
SST**



$$R^2 = 1 - \frac{SSE}{SST}$$

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left in the model

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SSE/SST is the portion of variation left
unexplained by the model (handled by ϵ)

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R^2 is the portion of variation explained by the model (R^2 is between 0 and 1)
(as long as the model has smaller residuals than the mean-only model)

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F-test

Null hypothesis:

This data can be modeled by setting all β values to zero
(and the linear relationship we've found is purely due to chance)

Prob (F-statistic):

Is the p-value for this test. ie: it is the probability of finding the observed (or more extreme) results when the above null hypothesis (H_0) is true.

If p-value < 0.05 , we can reject the null hypothesis. (Data is too extreme to fit this model just by chance.) It doesn't mean the model is "true"

① $H_0: B_1 = B_2 = B_3 = 0$

$H_a: B_i \neq 0$

② Determine critical val ($\alpha = .05$)

③ Calc. f stat

④ ^{set}
pval
↓

$$\frac{(\overbrace{SST - SSE}^{SSREG}) / p}{SSE / N - p - 1}$$

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Log L

Likelihood is just a different cost function

$$L(\beta_0, \beta_1) = p(y_{obs} | \beta_0, \beta_1)$$

For a given model (pair of β_0 And β_1 values),
Likelihood is the prob. Of getting exactly this set of observed values

The model with maximum likelihood is the best fit.

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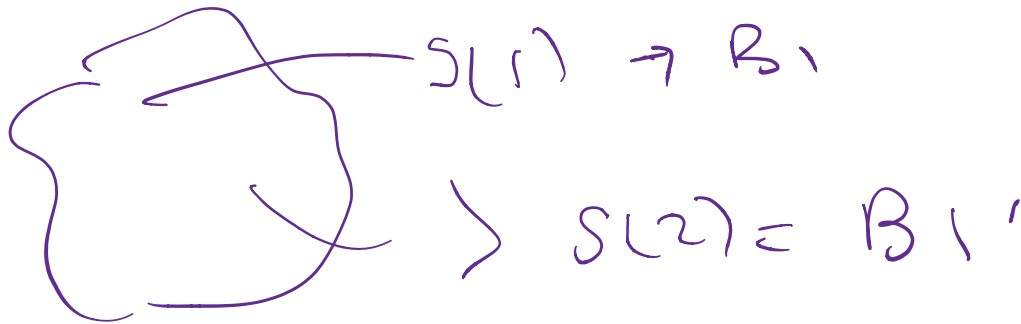
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① $H_0: B_1 = 0$ $H_a: B_1 \neq 0$ two sided

② Determine critical value: $\alpha = .05$

③ Calc test stat = $\frac{B_1 - 0}{\text{std err}}$

④ Reject Null



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	H_0 is True	H_0 is False
Fail to Reject H_0	<p>True Negative</p>	<p>False Positive</p> <p>Type II Error</p>
Reject H_0	<p>False Negative</p> <p>Type I Error</p>	<p>True Positive</p>

α = prob of Type I error

β_1
 β_0

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t-test

Null hypothesis:

This specific β value is zero

(and the data can be created by such a model (with the other β values intact)

$P > |t|$:

P-value for this test. Again if p-value < 0.05, we can reject the null hypothesis:

This variable does contribute to this model (DOES or DOESN'T. Not how much)

Normality test

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Null hypothesis:

ϵ is normally distributed. (no skew, no excess kurtosis)

Prob(Omnibus):

The p-value for this test. If p-value < 0.05, we reject the null hypothesis: ϵ does not exactly follow the normal distribution that we assumed.

We develop the normality test statistic:

$$T = s^{**2} + k^{**2}$$

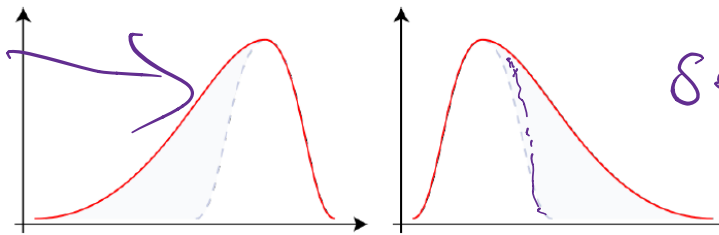
Pval \sim 2-sided chi-squared probability

Skew & Kurtosis

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Mean > Med

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Skew
(asymmetry)

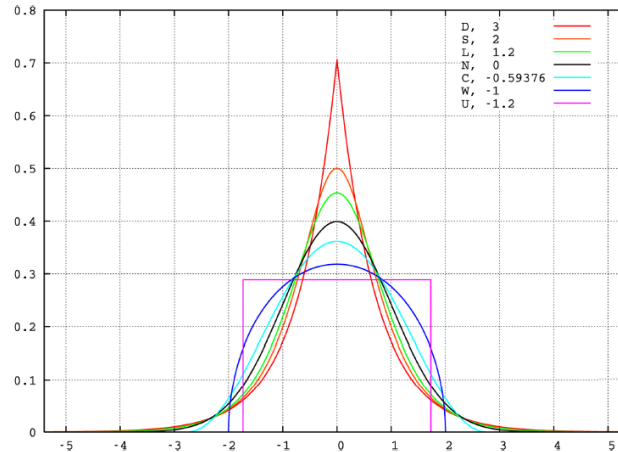


Negative Skew

Positive Skew

82/1.96/

Kurtosis
(peakness)



|K| > 7

Pearson's skew

$3(\text{Mean} - \text{Med}) / \text{Std}$

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Another
normality
test

Null hypothesis:

Again, ϵ is normally distributed. Idea is : we are looking for a skewness coeff. ~ 0 , and Kurtosis ~ 3 . JB tests if those conditions are held against alternatives.

Prob(Omnibus):

The p-value for this test.

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Autocorrelation test

Null hypothesis:

Errors are uncorrelated

Prob(JB):

The p-value for this test

$DW \sim 0$ \oplus aut
 corr
 ~ 2 ideal
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 corr

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Sensitivity of prediction to small errors in input

Condition Number:

Given $Mx=b$, we can calculate the condition number :

$$CN = \frac{|\lambda_{\max}(M)|}{|\lambda_{\min}(M)|}$$

Note that is the condition number becomes quite large, then this implies that the matrix is ill-posed (does not have a unique, well-defined solution). This may be due to multicollinear relationships between independent variables.

$$\begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 4-1 & 2 \\ 2 & 1-1 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 2 \\ 1-1 \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} 1-1 \\ 2 \end{matrix}$$

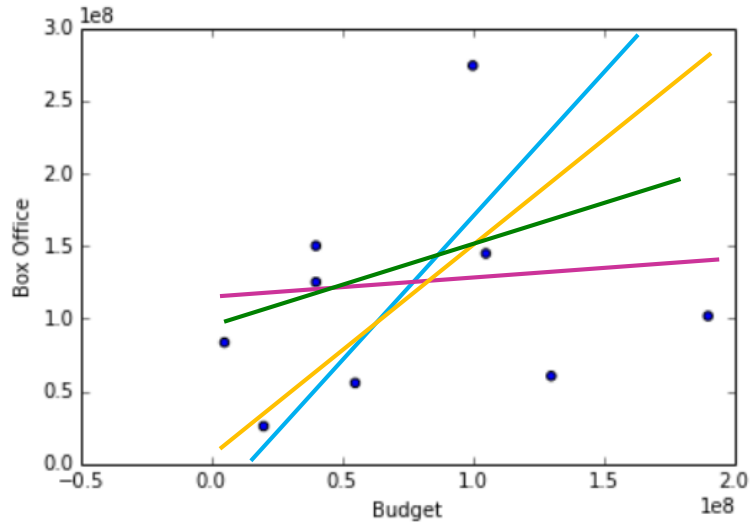
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$$\cancel{(1-\lambda)}(1-\lambda)\cancel{(-1)}$$

Model Selection I

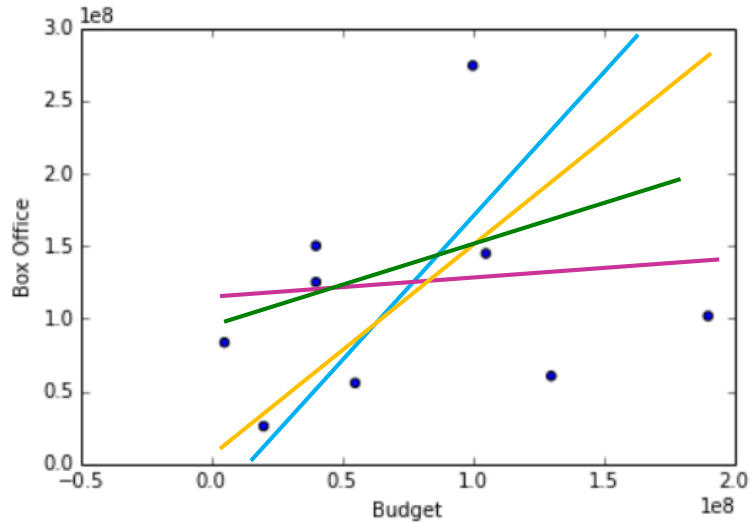


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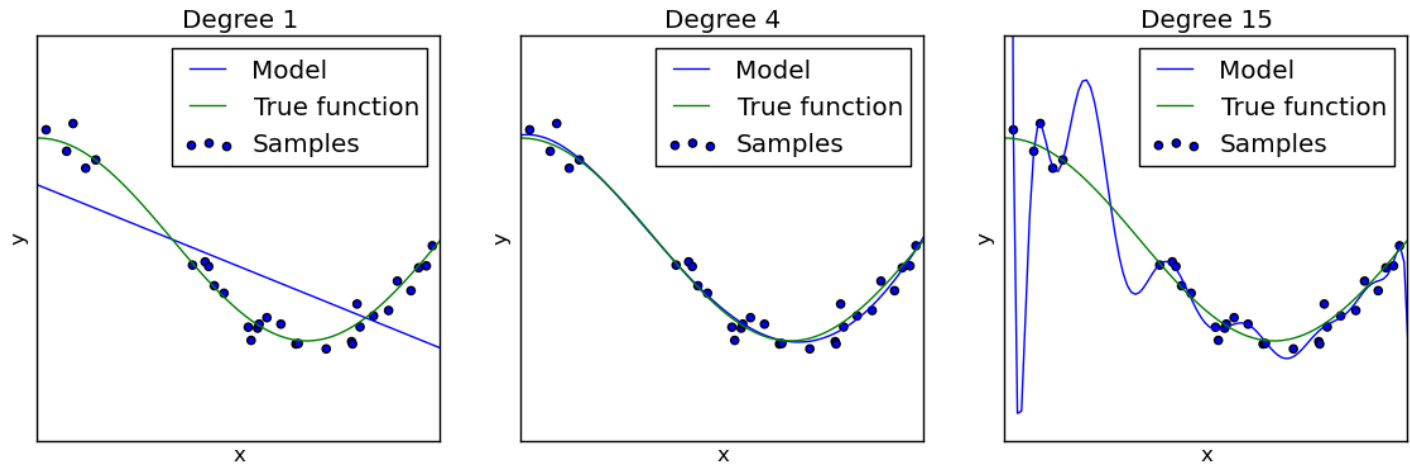


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Take the one with the better cost function

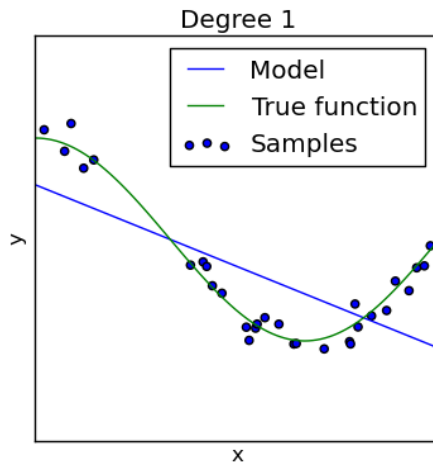
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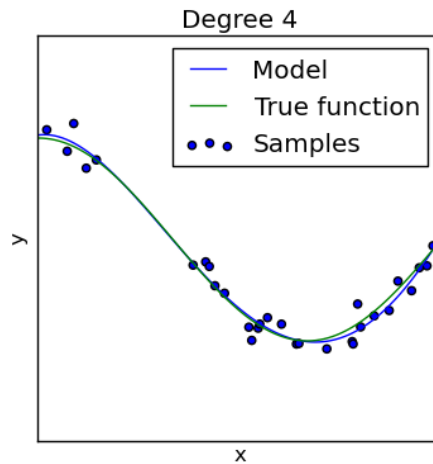


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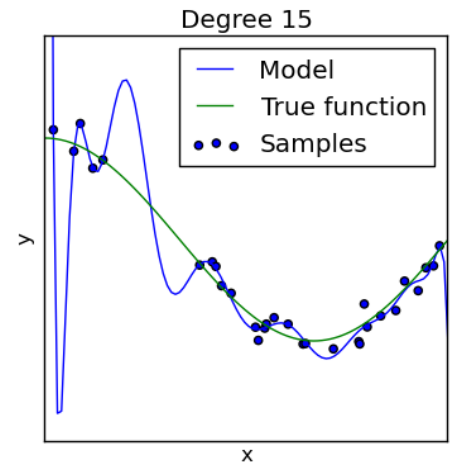
Underfitting



Just Right



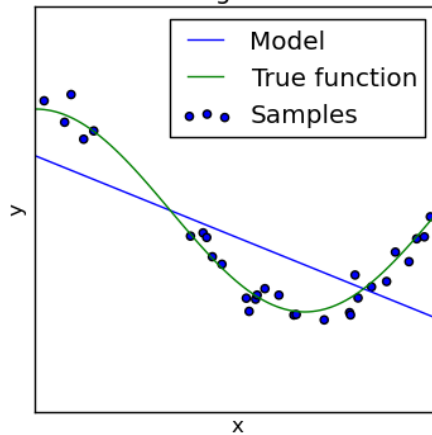
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In machine learning, this is also called Bias/variance tradeoff

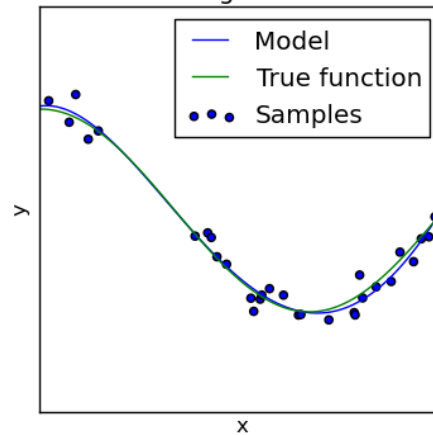
High bias
Low variance

Degree 1



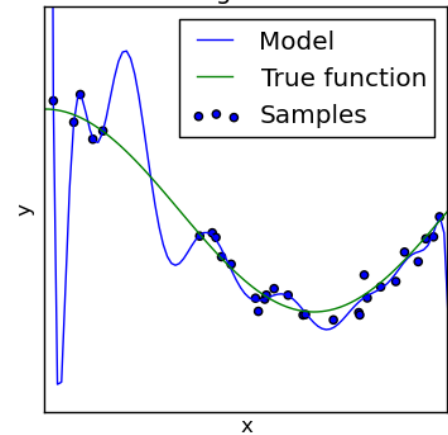
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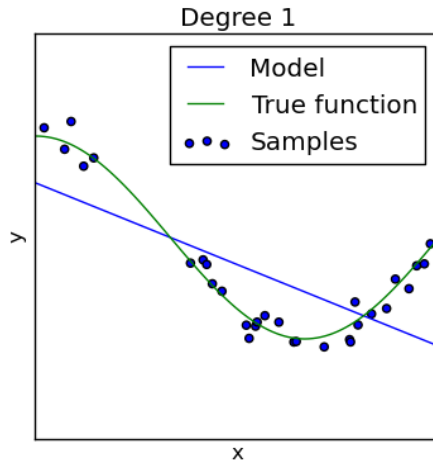


Low bias
High variance

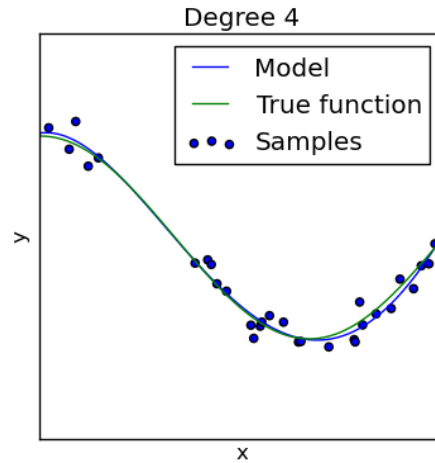
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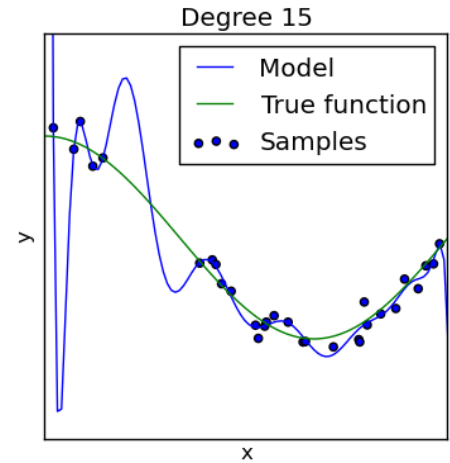
First training poorly,
predictions bad



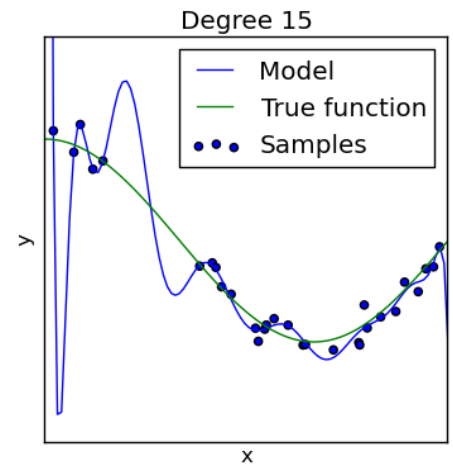
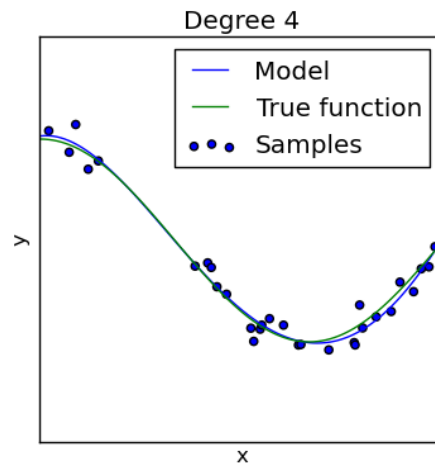
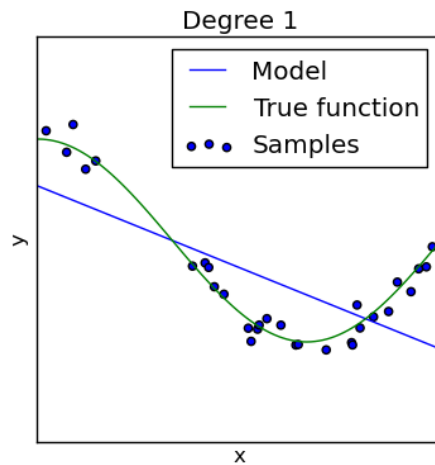
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First training very well,
can't generalize

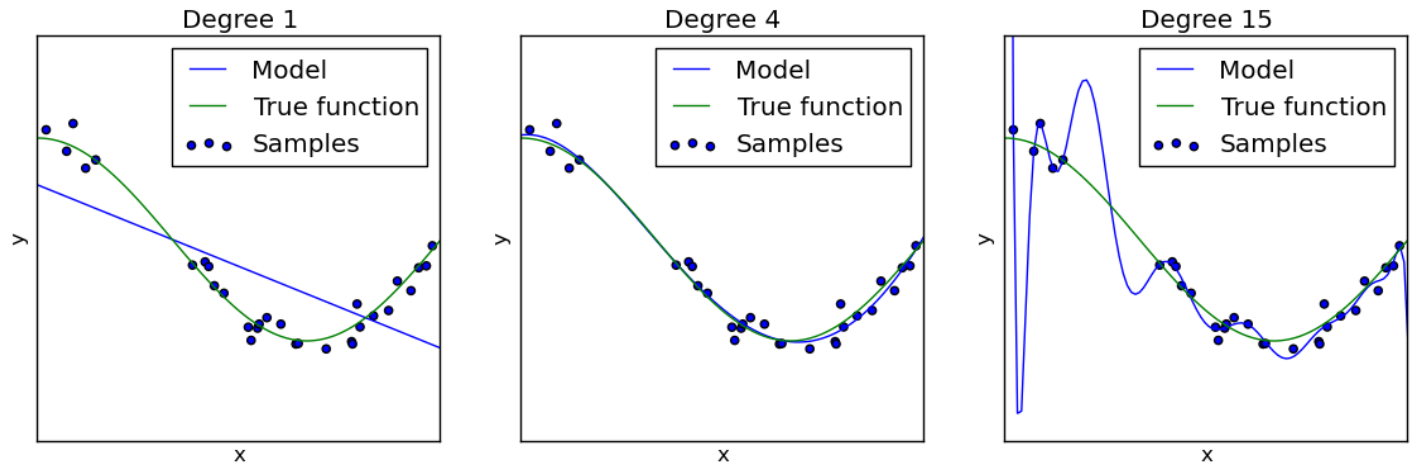


First and third will do poorly in the test set



Challenge: Fit a training set, calculate mean squared error on your test set (scikit learn)

There are a few metrics that try to measure this
(without even looking at a test set yet)



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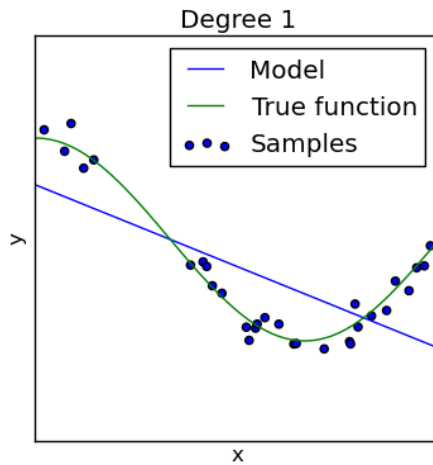
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 R^2

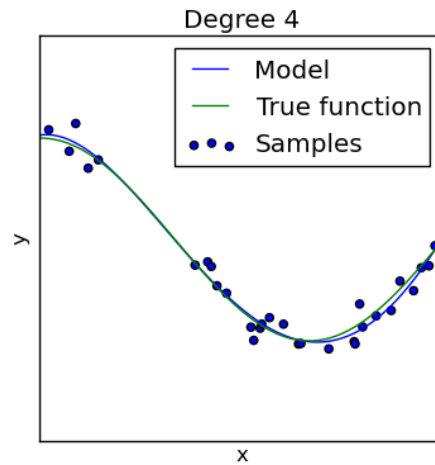
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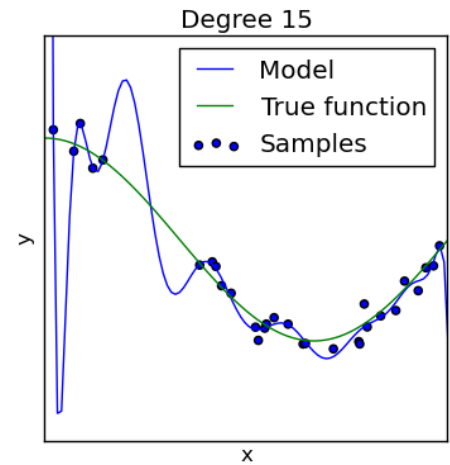
Low R^2



Higher R^2

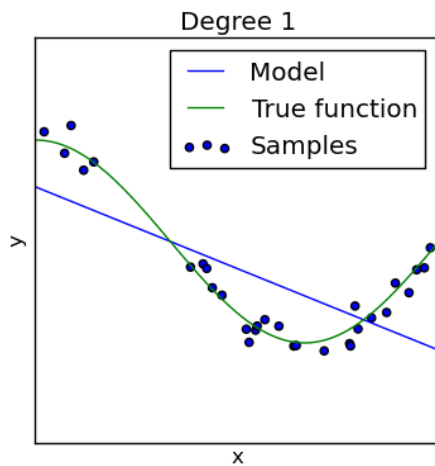


Highest R^2

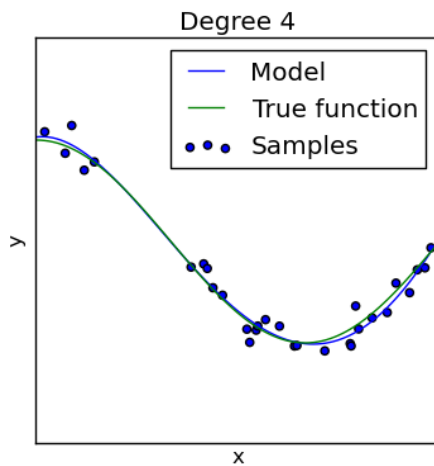


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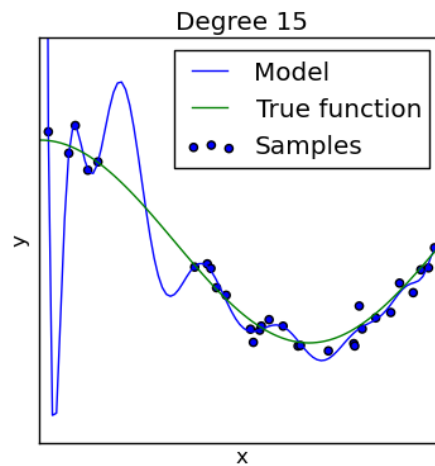
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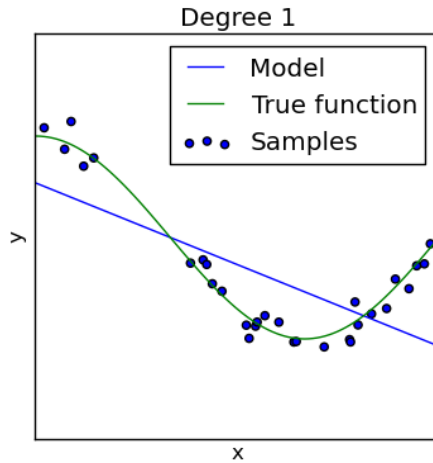
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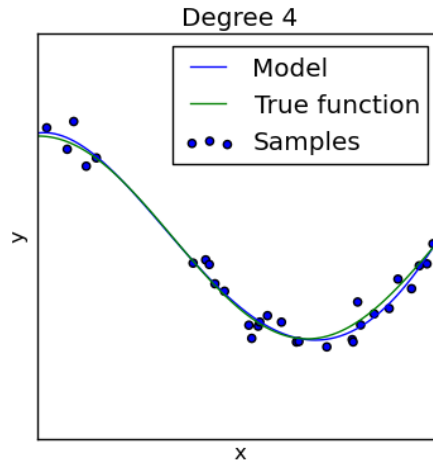
k = # parameters

$$\rightarrow m - 1$$

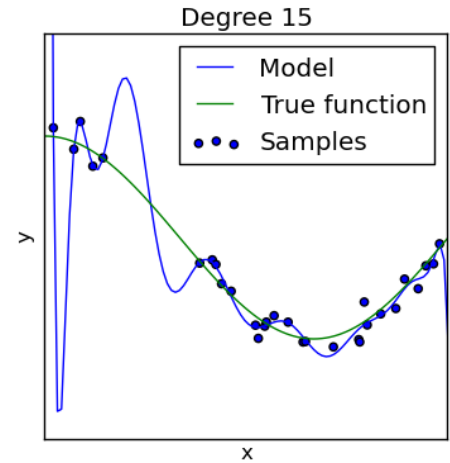
Low R^2



Higher R^2



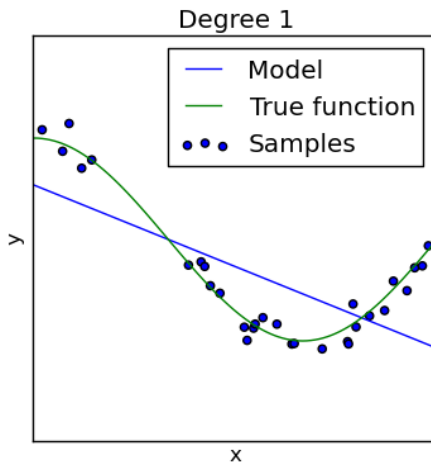
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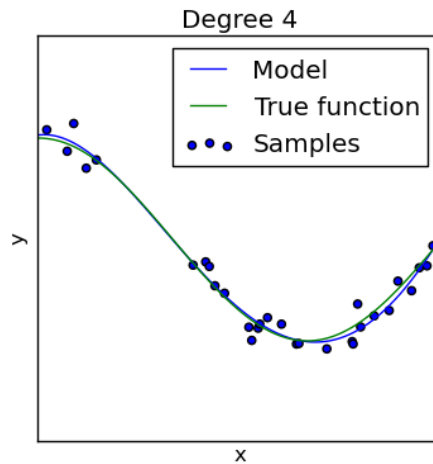
$$\bar{R}^2 = 1 - \frac{SSE / df_e}{SST / df_t} \longrightarrow \begin{matrix} m - k - 1 \\ m - 1 \end{matrix}$$

$m = \# \text{ points}$
 $k = \# \text{ parameters}$

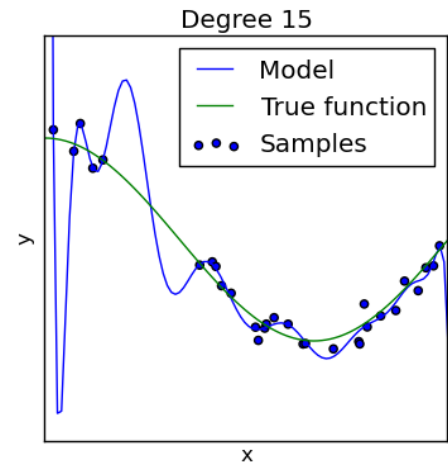
Low adj. R^2



Max. adj R^2



Low adj. R^2



OLS Regression Results

Dep. Variable:	DomesticTotalGross	R-squared:	0.286
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared:	0.278
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	34.82
Date:	Sun, 14 Sep 2014	Prob (F-statistic):	6.80e-08
Time:	21:59:46	Log-Likelihood:	-1738.1
No. Observations:	89	AIC:	3480.
Df Residuals:	87	BIC:	3485.
Df Model:	1		

Akaike
Information
Criterion

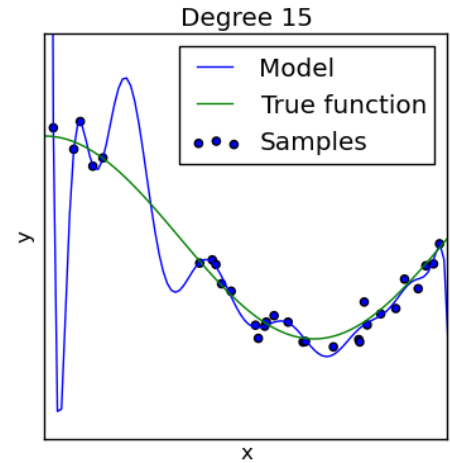
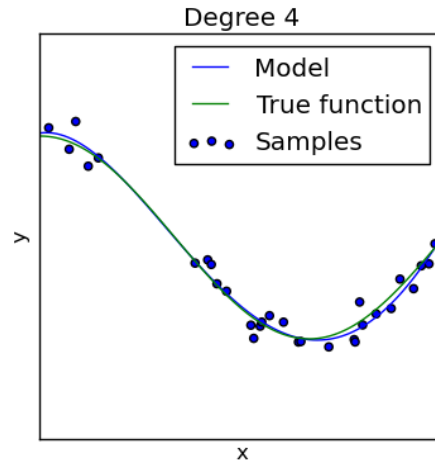
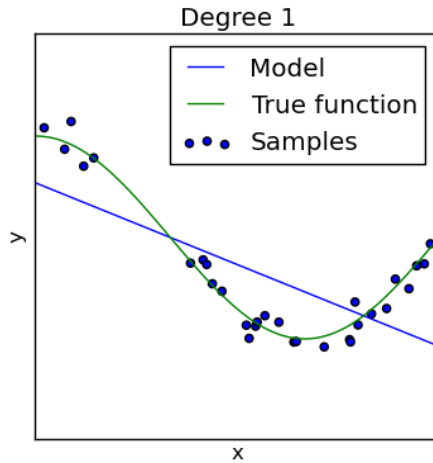
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Budget	0.7846	0.133	5.901	0.000	0.520 1.049
Ones	4.44e+07	1.27e+07	3.504	0.001	1.92e+07 6.96e+07

Omnibus:	39.749	Durbin-Watson:	0.674
Prob(Omnibus):	0.000	Jarque-Bera (JB):	99.441
Skew:	1.587	Prob(JB):	2.55e-22
Kurtosis:	7.091	Cond. No.	1.54e+08

$$AIC = 2k - 2\ln(L)$$

parameters

Log likelihood



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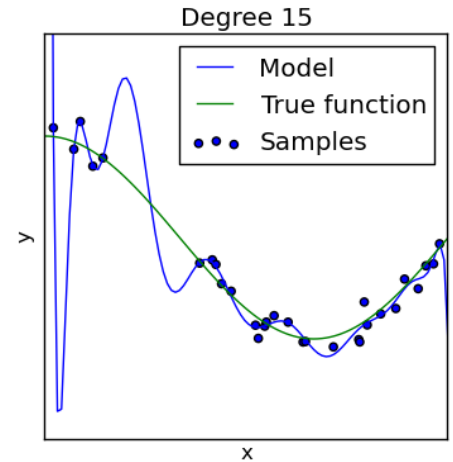
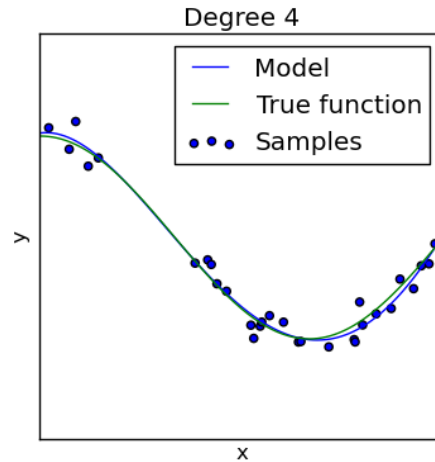
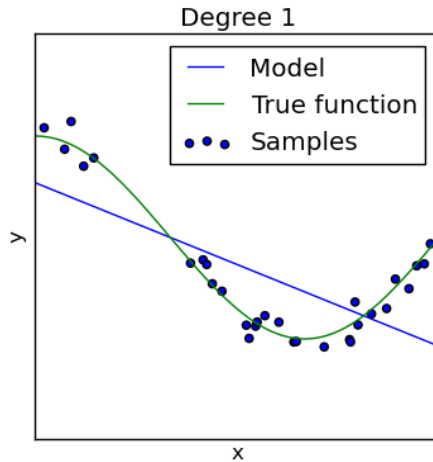
parameters

Log likelihood

Higher AIC

Min. AIC

Higher AIC



My model is not
awesome
enough.

What do I do?

Use statsmodels metrics to
Gain intuition and guide our next move

Use a smaller set of features

Try adding polynomials

Check functional forms for each feature

Try including other features

Use more data (bigger training set)

Regularization

Try some other model (later)