# MLPR Assignment 1 2018

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## 1 Question 1

### 1.1 Q1a

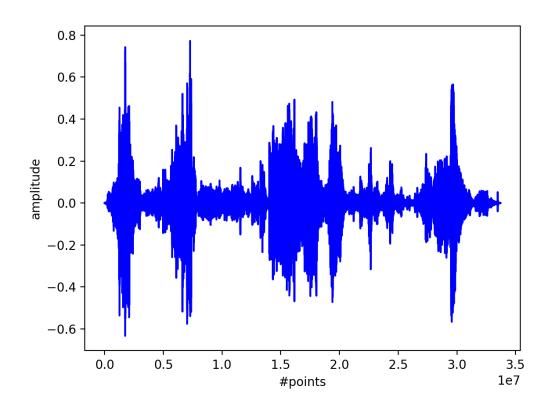


Figure 1: Line graph of the amplitudes

In the figure above are represented around 33.7 millions amplitudes and the high number of points is the main reason that this graph does not really look like a like graph.

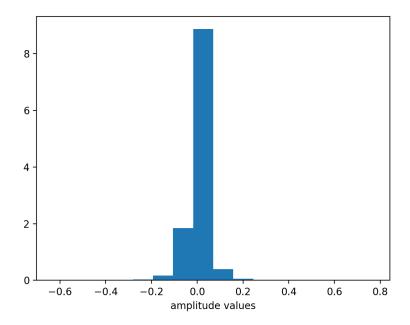


Figure 2: Histogram of the amplitudes

This form of the histogram is due to the large number of amplitudes with values very close to 0.

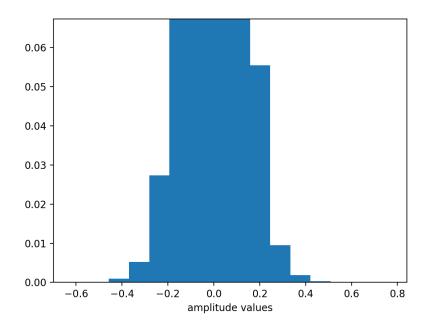


Figure 3: Histogram of the amplitudes (close view)

In order to give better view of the histogram I had to zoom in on the values far from 0.

### 1.2 Q1b

The splitting method:

```
1 # Split data into training, validation and test sets
  def split_data(data):
      p = math. floor(len(data) * 0.15)
                                            # 15% (validation set / testing set)
                                            \# 70% (training set)
      r = len(data) - 2 * p
      training_data = (data[:r])
                                            # training_data
                                            # validation_data
      validation_data = (data[r:r+p])
      testing_data = (data[r+p:r+p+p])
                                            # testing_data
10
      X_{shuffle_train} = training_data[:,:-1]
      y_shuffle_train = training_data[:, -1]
      X_{shuffle\_val} = validation\_data[:,:-1]
12
      y_shuffle_val = validation_data[:, -1]
13
      X_{shuffle_test} = testing_data[:,:-1]
14
      y_shuffle_test = testing_data[:, -1]
16
      return X_shuffle_train, X_shuffle_val, X_shuffle_test,
17
                       y_shuffle_train, y_shuffle_val, y_shuffle_test
18
```

## 2 Question 2

### 2.1 Q2a

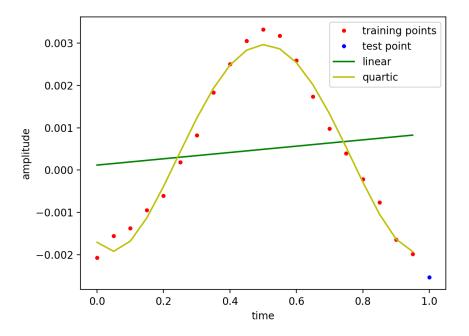


Figure 4: 20 training points, a test point, a straight line fit, and a quartic fit

Method **fit\_curve** which plots the figure above (also includes the plotting for Q2b):

```
# Fit curves
2 def fit_curve(X, yy):
      X = X. reshape(20,1)
      yy = yy.reshape(1,1)
      D = X. shape [1]
                                                                   \# N = 1, D = 20
      t = np.arange(start = 0, stop = 1, step = 0.05).reshape(-1, D) # (N,D) - (20,1)
6
      print ("Expected value: ", yy[0][0])
8
9
      print ("USING ALL DATA")
      plt.clf()
      fit_and_plot(phi_fn=phi_linear, type='linear', X=t, yy=X, last_point=(1,
     yy[0]), draw_type='g-', D=D)
      fit_and_plot(phi_fn=phi_quartic, type='quartic', X=t, yy=X, last_point=(1,
13
      yy[0]), draw_type='y-', D=D)
      plt.ylabel("amplitude")
14
      plt.xlabel("time")
      plt.show()
17
      print ("USING JUST THE LAST TWO POINTS")
                                                             # for Q2b
18
      plt.clf()
19
      fit_and_plot(phi_fn=phi_linear, type='linear', X=t[-2:], yy=X[-2:],
20
      last_point = (1, yy[0]), draw_type = 'g-', D=D)
      fit_and_plot(phi_fn=phi_quartic, type='quartic', X=t[-2:], yy=X[-2:],
21
      last_point = (1, yy[0]), draw_type='y-', D=D)
      plt.ylabel("amplitude")
22
      plt.xlabel("time")
23
      plt.show()
24
25
  # Plot curves and compute estimation value for 21st point
  def fit_and_plot(phi_fn, type, X, yy, last_point, draw_type, D):
      w_{fit} = np. linalg. lstsq(phi_fn(X), yy, rcond=0)[0] # (D+1,)
      X_{grid} = np. arange(start=0, stop=1, step=0.05). reshape(-1, D)
                                                                          \# (N, 1)
29
      f_grid = np.dot(phi_fn(X_grid), w_fit) # (N,)
30
31
      est\_value = last\_point[0] * w_fit[1] + w_fit[0]
      print ("Estimated value for", type, ":", est_value[0])
33
34
      plt.plot(X, yy, 'r.')
35
      plt.plot(last_point[0], last_point[1], 'b.')
36
      plt.plot(X_grid, f_grid, draw_type, label=type)
37
      plt.legend()
38
39
40 # Linear function
  def phi_linear(X_in):
      return np.insert (X_{in}, 0, 1, axis=-1)
42
43
44 # Quartic function
45 def phi_quartic(X_in):
      return np.concatenate ([np.ones(X_in.shape), X_in, X_in**2, X_in**3, X_in
      **4], axis=-1)
```

### 2.2 Q2b

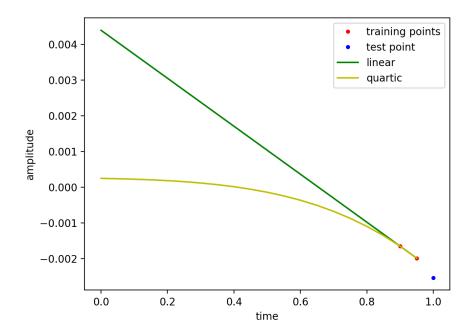


Figure 5: Last 2 training points, a test point, a straight line fit, and a quartic fit

#### Expected value: -0.0025

Estimated value for linear: 0.0008 Estimated value for quartic: -0.0116

Using all 20 point we can see that quartic model give a better estimation than the linear model for the 21st point.

Estimated value for linear: -0.0023 Estimated value for quartic: 7.9113e-05

Plotting just the last 2 points we are observing that linear model brings a good estimation for the 21st point while the quartic model is way off. This is happening because of overfitting (the grade of the polynomial is greater than the number of the points).

For a small context, the straight line provides the appropriate solution with lower number of variables. This avoids complexity of calculations. As the degree of polynomial increases, the chances of getting multiple solutions increase and so is the complexity of the calculations. This will also result in overfitting of the training data. To avoid complexity, for smaller contexts we chose the lower degree polynomials.

### 2.3 Q2c

If we look at one row from the training set, which is 1xN (where N=20, it contains 20 values). In order to not get into overfitting and also to give the best prediction we think that the order of the polynomial should be less or equal than N.

## 3 Question 3

$$\mathbf{w} = (\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\Phi)^{-1}(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x})$$

### 3.1 Q3a

We have the model's prediction equation for t=1:

$$f(t=1) = \mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}} \boldsymbol{\phi}(t=1)$$

$$f(t=1) = \mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x}$$

We need to resolve the linear equation:

$$\mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}} \boldsymbol{\phi}(t=1) = \mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{x}$$

and get  $\mathbf{v}$ .

Since  $\mathbf{v}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x}$  is a scalar, it is equal with its transpose:

$$\mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}}\boldsymbol{\phi}(t=1) = \mathbf{x}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{v}$$

$$[(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\Phi)^{\text{-}1}(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x})]^{\mathrm{T}}\phi(t=1) = \mathbf{x}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{v}$$

$$(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{x})^{\mathrm{T}}[(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\Phi)^{\mathrm{-1}}]^{\mathrm{T}}\phi(t=1) = \mathbf{x}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{v}$$

$$\mathbf{x}^{\mathrm{T}}\Phi(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\Phi)^{\mathrm{-T}}\phi(t=1) = \mathbf{x}^{\mathrm{T}}\mathbf{v}$$

$$\mathbf{v} = \Phi(\Phi^{\mathrm{T}}\Phi)^{\mathrm{-T}}\phi(t=1)$$

### 3.2 Q3bi

```
1.1.1
2 This code creates a design matrix phi(c,k) which constructs the matrix in the
     form of phi = [1 t t **2...]
  1.1.1
def Phi(c,k):
    x = np. arange(0, 1, 0.05)
    phi_values = x[-c:]
    phi_matrix = phi_values.reshape(1, c)
    for i in range(k):
      if i > 1:
9
        phi_values = (phi_values ** i).reshape(1, c)
        phi_matrix = np.concatenate([phi_matrix, phi_values], axis=0)
    phi_matrix = np.matrix.transpose(phi_matrix)
    phi = np.concatenate([np.ones((phi_matrix.shape[0], 1)), phi_matrix], axis
13
     =1)
14
  return phi
```

### 3.3 **Q**3bii

```
1 # Get v vector
2 def make_vv(c, k):
3     for i in range(1, c+1, 1):
4         for j in range(1, k+1, 1):
5              x = Phi(c=i, k=j)
6              x_transpose = np.matrix.transpose(x)
7              v = np.linalg.pinv(x_transpose.dot(x)).dot(x_transpose)
8              return v
```

### 3.4 Q3biii

```
1 \text{ columns} = 21
2 rows = len(amp_data_keys) // columns
3 array_gen = np.reshape(amp_data_keys[:(rows * columns)], (rows, columns))
  1.1.1
6 Two vectors v make the same predictions at t=1 like the linear and quadratic
     functions from Question 2
  1.1.1
  def vv_least_squares(c,k):
8
    v = make_vv(c, k)
9
    X_shuf_train, Y_shuf_train, X_shuf_valid, Y_shuf_valid, X_shuf_test, Y_shuf_test
     = data_split (array_gen)
    y_{initial} = X_{shuf_{train}}[0]
    quartic_v v = np.dot(v, y_initial[-c:])
    quartic_lstsq = np.linalg.lstsq(Phi(c=c, k=k), y_initial[-c:], rcond=0)[0]
13
    print ("Weight matrix with least squares:", quartic_lstsq)
14
    print ("Weight matrix with with vv:", quartic_vv)
16
17
vv_least_squares(c=1, k=4)
```

#### Result for linear:

```
Weight matrix with least squares: [-3.20815539e\text{-}05\ -3.04774762e\text{-}05] Weight matrix with with vv: [-3.20815539e\text{-}05\ -3.04774762e\text{-}05]
```

#### Result for quartic:

### 3.5 Q3ci

```
1 # Setting of K and C for the smallest square error on training set
def min_leastsquare_inv(c,k):
    X\_shuf\_train\;,\;\;Y\_shuf\_train\;,\;\;X\_shuf\_valid\;,\;\;Y\_shuf\_valid\;,\;\;X\_shuf\_test\;,
      Y_shuf_test = data_split (array_gen)
    y_expected = Y_shuf_train[1]
    y_predicted = 0
5
    min\_square\_error = 1000 \ \# \ A \ random \ value \ for \ error \ comparison \ to \ get \ the
     least value. Can be any value. Should be large
    y_{initial} = X_{shuf_{train}}[1]
    c3 = 0
8
    k3 = 0
    for i in range (1, c+1, 1):
       for j in range (1, k+1, 1):
         v = make_vv(c=i, k=j)
         w = np.dot(v, y_initial[-i:])
13
         y_predicted = np.dot([np.ones((w.shape[0]))], w)
14
         min\_error = y\_expected - y\_predicted
         if min_error < min_squareerror:</pre>
16
           min\_square\_error = min\_error
17
           c3 = i
           k3 = j
19
    print ("Minimum square error with v:", min_squareerror)
20
       print ("Value for k:", k3)
21
       print ("Value for c:", c3)
22
23
min_leastsquare_inv(c=1, k=10)
```

#### **Result:**

Minimum square error with v: [-0.0001014] Value for k: 6 Value for c: 1

### 3.6 Q3cii

```
1 # Mean square error on training, validation and test sets
def min_leastsquare_data(c,k):
    X_shuf_train, Y_shuf_train, X_shuf_valid, Y_shuf_valid, X_shuf_test, Y_shuf_test
     = data_split (array_gen)
    y_predicted = 0
    mean\_square\_error = 0
    \min_{\text{error}} = 0
    for i in range(len(Y_shuf_test)):
      y_expected = Y_shuf_test[i]
      y_initial = X_shuf_test[i]
9
      for j in range (1, c+1, 1):
        y = y_i nitial[-j:]
        for r in range (1, k+1, 1):
12
          v = make_vv(c=j, k=r)
          w = np.dot(v, y)
14
          y_predicted = np.dot([np.ones((w.shape[0]))], w)
          min_error += y_expected - y_predicted
16
    mean_square_error = min_error / len(Y_shuf_test)
17
18
    print ("Mean square error with inverse operation:", mean_square_error)
19
20
min_leastsquare_data(c=1, k=4)
```

#### Training data for CxK = 1x4:

Mean square error with inverse operation: 4.952014950010723e-10

#### Validation data for CxK = 1x4:

Mean square error with inverse operation: -6.6993145829630385e-09

#### Test data for CxK = 1x4:

Mean square error with inverse operation: 6.721897075015231e-10

## 4 Question 4

#### 4.0.1 Q4a

```
1 # Compute mean square error
2 def min_leastsquare(c,k):
    X_shuf_train, Y_shuf_train, X_shuf_valid, Y_shuf_valid, X_shuf_test, Y_shuf_test
     = data_split (array_gen)
    y_predicted = 0
    min\_square\_error = 1000
    c4 = 0
    k4 = 0
    for i in range(len(Y_shuf_valid)):
      y_initial = X_shuf_valid[i]
9
      y_expected = Y_shuf_valid[i]
      for j in range (1, c+1, 1):
        y = y_i nitial[-j:]
        for r in range (1, k+1, 1):
13
          x = Phi(c=j, k=r)
14
          w = np. lin alg. lstsq(x, y, rcond=None)[0]
          y_predicted = np.matrix.transpose(np.dot([np.ones((w.shape[0]))], w))
16
          min\_error = y\_expected - y\_predicted
          if min_error < min_square_error:
18
             min_squareerror = min_error
19
             c4 = i
20
             k4 = r
21
      print ("y_expected:", y_expected)
22
      print ("y-predicted:", y_predicted)
23
      print ("Value of C:", c4,", value of K:", k4)
24
      print ("Least square error:", min_squareerror "at value of C:", c4," and
      value of K:", k4)
      return (c4, k4)
26
27
29 min_leastsquare(c=10, k=20)
```

#### Result on validation data:

y\_expected: -0.01226806640625 y-predicted: [-2.95059646] Value of C: 5, value of K: 7

Least square error: [-19.53224823] at value of C: 5 and value of K: 7

### 4.1 Q4b

```
1 # Compare validation error results
def test_data_meanerror(c,k):
    X_shuf_train, Y_shuf_train, X_shuf_valid, Y_shuf_valid, X_shuf_test, Y_shuf_test
     = data_split(array_gen)
    \min_{\text{error}} = 0
    mean\_square\_error = 0
    for i in range(len(Y_shuf_test)):
6
      y_initial = X_shuf_test[i]
      y_expected = Y_shuf_test[i]
8
      x = Phi(c=c, k=k)
      y = y_i initial[-c:]
      w = np. linalg. lstsq(x, y, rcond=None)[0]
11
      y_p redicted = np.matrix.transpose(np.dot([np.ones((w.shape[0]))], w))
      min_error += y_expected - y_predicted
13
    mean_square_error = min_error / len(Y_shuf_test)
14
    print ("Mean square error for the best validation fit on test data with least
      squares:", mean_square_error)
    return y_predicted
16
17
18
19 test_data_meanerror()
```

Mean square error for the best validation fit on test data with least squares: [-0.00068315]

We can clearly see that the validation error from question 3 (mean square error: -6.6993145829630385e-09 for polynomial of grade 4) is better than the validation error using the best predictor (mean square error: -0.00068315) over the previous 20 amplitudes available.

### 4.2 Q4c

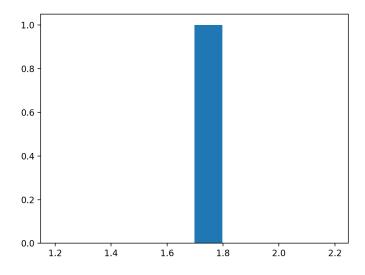


Figure 6: Validation data residual histogram