STK2100 Oblig 2

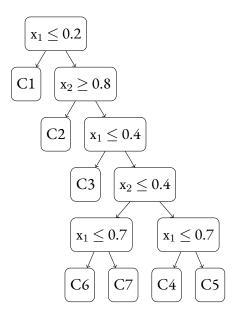
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Problem 1

(a)

The divison of covariate space produced by regression trees must first and foremost have partitions that are either *horisontal* or *vertical* and with *rectangular* particions. Therefore, figure A could have been produced by a regression tree, the others have not.

(b)



(c)

$$f(x_1 = 0.6, x_2 = 0.6) \Rightarrow C_4$$

$$f(x_1 = 0.1, x_2 = 0.6) \Rightarrow C_1$$

$$f(x_1 = 0.6, x_2 = 0.1) \Rightarrow C_6$$

Problem 2

(a)

(i)

(ii)

```
lm1 <- lm(wage~., data = wage)
lm1 %>% summary()
```

```
Call:
lm(formula = wage ~ ., data = wage)
```

Residuals:

```
Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -100.303 -18.682 -3.311 13.496 211.086
```

Coefficients:

```
Estimate Std. Error
(Intercept)
                           -2.399e+03 6.162e+02
                            1.235e+00 3.073e-01
year
                            3.092e-01 5.866e-02
age
maritlUnmarried
                           -1.531e+01 1.437e+00
raceOther
                            1.596e+00 3.081e+00
raceWhite
                            5.145e+00 2.142e+00
education2. HS Grad
                            7.518e+00 2.363e+00
education3. Some College
                             1.806e+01 2.512e+00
education4. College Grad
                            3.094e+01 2.532e+00
education5. Advanced Degree
                            5.358e+01 2.790e+00
jobclass2. Information
                            3.639e+00 1.324e+00
```

```
health2. >=Very Good
                             6.587e+00 1.421e+00
health ins2. No
                            -1.756e+01 1.404e+00
                            t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)
                             -3.894 0.000101 ***
                              4.018 6.02e-05 ***
year
                              5.271 1.45e-07 ***
age
                            -10.652 < 2e-16 ***
maritlUnmarried
                              0.518 0.604490
raceOther
raceWhite
                              2.402 0.016357 *
education2. HS Grad
                              3.182 0.001478 **
education3. Some College
                              7.189 8.21e-13 ***
education4. College Grad
                             12.218 < 2e-16 ***
education5. Advanced Degree 19.202 < 2e-16 ***
jobclass2. Information
                              2.749 0.006009 **
health2. >=Very Good
                              4.636 3.71e-06 ***
health ins2. No
                            -12.510 < 2e-16 ***
Signif. codes:
0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 34.02 on 2987 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.3381, Adjusted R-squared: 0.3354
F-statistic: 127.1 on 12 and 2987 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Looking at the summary () of lm1 it seems that all covariats except from raceOther is significant at a 0.05 level. Looking at the adjusted R^2 the model explains 0.3354 of the variation in the predicted variable wage.

(iii)

```
pred1 <- predict(lm1, newdata = test)
mean((test$wage-pred1)^2)</pre>
```

[1] 1202.368

(b)

(i)

```
library(splines)

gam1 <- lm(
wage ~ ns(year, df = 4) + ns(age, df = 4) + maritl + race +
    education + jobclass + health + health_ins,
data = train</pre>
```

```
)
gam1 %>% summary()
Call:
lm(formula = wage \sim ns(year, df = 4) + ns(age, df = 4) + maritl +
    race + education + jobclass + health + health ins,
    data = train)
Residuals:
    Min
               1Q
                     Median
                                  3Q
                                          Max
-102.730
         -18.581
                    -3.058
                              14.034
                                      210.536
Coefficients:
                              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)
                                61.205
                                           6.282
                                                   9.742 < 2e-16 ***
ns(year, df = 4)1
                                 8.273
                                           3.953
                                                   2.093
                                                           0.0365 *
ns(year, df = 4)2
                                                   1.590
                                 5.304
                                           3.335
                                                           0.1119
ns(year, df = 4)3
                                 9.105
                                           4.764
                                                   1.911
                                                           0.0561 .
ns(year, df = 4)4
                                 5.684
                                           2.746
                                                   2.070
                                                           0.0386 *
ns(age, df = 4)1
                                31.679
                                           4.536
                                                   6.984 3.83e-12 ***
ns(age, df = 4)2
                                                   3.428
                                15.585
                                           4.547
                                                          0.0006 ***
ns(age, df = 4)3
                                38.593
                                          10.875
                                                   3.549
                                                          0.0004 ***
ns(age, df = 4)4
                                 9.597
                                           8.579
                                                   1.119
                                                           0.2634
maritlUnmarried
                                           1.746 -7.474 1.13e-13 ***
                               -13.052
raceOther
                                           3.653
                                                  0.806
                                                           0.4204
                                 2.944
raceWhite
                                 4.818
                                           2.481
                                                   1.942
                                                           0.0523 .
education2. HS Grad
                                           2.778
                                                   3.065
                                                          0.0022 **
                                 8.515
education3. Some College
                                19.749
                                           2.958
                                                   6.677 3.12e-11 ***
education4. College Grad
                                           2.953
                                                  10.294 < 2e-16 ***
                                30.398
education5. Advanced Degree
                                52.348
                                           3.248
                                                  16.118 < 2e-16 ***
jobclass2. Information
                                 3.893
                                           1.549
                                                   2.514
                                                           0.0120 *
health2. >=Very Good
                                                   3.278
                                 5.493
                                           1.676
                                                           0.0011 **
health ins2. No
                               -16.847
                                           1.645 -10.240 < 2e-16 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 33.37 on 2083 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared:
                     0.3503
Adjusted R-squared:
                     0.3447
F-statistic: 62.4 on 18 and 2083 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

(ii)

Splines are used to model relationships between predicting and predictor variables that are smooth and continuos, or in other words, numerical and quantitative. It does not make sense to use those for

qualitative variables, as these have no meaningful rank-order relationships, as quantitative ones does.

(iii)

That depends on the nature of the relationship between the covariate and the predicted variable. One could think that wage across age has a more exponential relationship before plateauing. On the other hand, year and wage might have a more linear relationship. Therefore, using splines only on age might make more sense.a

(iv)

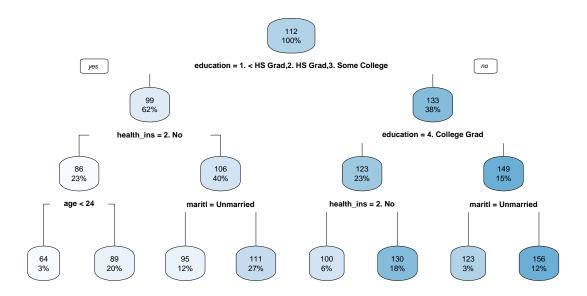
Both raceOther and raceWhite are still not significant, and some of the splines are not neither.

(c)

(i)

```
library(rpart)
library(rpart.plot)
library(caret)

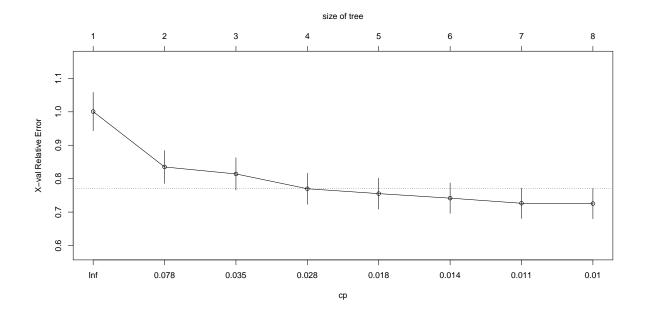
tree1 <- rpart(wage~., data = train, method = "anova")
rpart.plot(tree1)</pre>
```

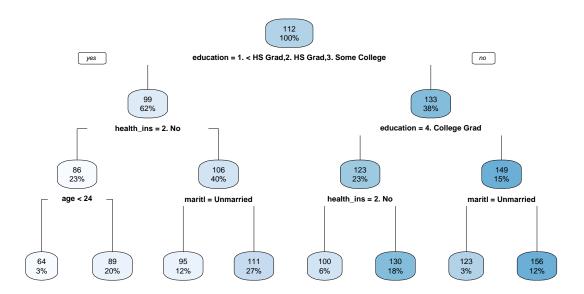


The following covariates contributes to the model, education, health, age, maritl, health_ins. Unlike the linear and additive models, the regression tree captures interactions and threshold effects automatically but may result in a less smooth and less stable predictions.

(ii)

```
plotcp(tree1)
plotcp(tree1)
popt <- tree1$cptable[which.min(tree1$cptable[,"xerror"]), "CP"]
tree2 <- prune(tree1, cp=opt)
rpart.plot(tree2)</pre>
```





The pruned tree uses the same covariates in the model, and in fact has not changed since before pruning.

(iii)

```
pred3 <- predict(tree2, newdata = test)
mse(test$wage, pred3)</pre>
```

[1] 1320.415

Purely based on mean squared error I would pick the one with the lowest mse, which in this case is the linear model.

Problem 3

(a)

(i)

```
(ii)
 logit1 <- glm(class ~ ., data = train, family = "binomial")</pre>
summary(logit1)
 Call:
 glm(formula = class ~ ., family = "binomial", data = train)
 Coefficients:
             Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
                      4.468339 3.543 0.000395 ***
 (Intercept) 15.833522
 pelvInc
           -34.535054 45.811455 -0.754 0.450938
 pelvTilt
            34.627536 45.821240 0.756 0.449824
 lumbLord
            -0.008563 0.029358 -0.292 0.770526
 SacrSl
            34.437412 45.810809 0.752 0.452213
 pelvRad
            degrS
 Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
 (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
     Null deviance: 264.88 on 206 degrees of freedom
 Residual deviance: 117.68 on 200 degrees of freedom
 AIC: 131.68
 Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 8
```

Among the covariates, the Intercept and pelvRad and degrS is highly significant at a \approx 0.

(iii)

```
prob4 <- predict(logit1, newdata = test, type = "response")
pred4 <- ifelse(prob4 > 0.5, 1, 0)
error4 <- mean(pred4 != test$class)
error4</pre>
```

[1] 0.1650485

(b)

(i)

```
library(MASS)
lda1 <- lda(class ~ ., data = train)</pre>
```

(ii)

```
pred5 <- predict(lda1, newdata = test)$class
error5 <- mean(pred5 != test$class)
error5</pre>
```

[1] 0.2038835

It seems that the mean classification error is lower for the logistic regression model compared to the linear discriminant analysis.

(c)

(i)

```
qda1 <- qda(class ~ ., data = train)
```

(ii)

```
pred6 <- predict(qda1, newdata = test)$class
error6 <- mean(pred6 != test$class)
error6</pre>
```

[1] 0.1941748

The quadratic discriminant analysis is now slightly better than the linear one, but still worse of than the normal logistic regression model.

(d)

(i)

```
library(nnet)

train_std <- train %>% mutate(across(-class, scale), class = as.
    factor(class))

test_std <- test %>% mutate(across(-class, scale), class = as.factor
    (class))

nn1 <- nnet(class ~ ., data = train_std, size = 5, decay = 0.01,
    maxit = 1000, trace = FALSE)</pre>
```

(ii)

```
pred7 <- predict(nn1, newdata = test_std, type = "class")
error7 <- mean(pred7 != test_std$class)
error7</pre>
```

[1] 0.1747573

The one-layer neural networks mean classification error ranks second now, behind logistic regression but ahead of both the discriminant alaysis models.