

Part 1:

$$(a) \quad p(x_i=j|\pi, r) = \binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \pi^{x_i} (1-\pi)^r$$

$$\mathcal{L}[p(x_i|\pi, r)] = \prod_{i=1}^N \binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \pi^{x_i} (1-\pi)^r$$

$$\left[\prod_{i=1}^N \binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \right] \pi^{\sum x_i} (1-\pi)^{nr}$$

$$(b) \quad \hat{\pi}_{ML} = \arg \max_{\pi} \mathcal{L}[p(x_i|\pi, r)]$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{\pi}_{ML} = \arg \max_{\pi} \left[\prod_{i=1}^N \binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \right] \pi^{\sum x_i} (1-\pi)^{nr}$$

$$= \nabla_{\pi} \left[\prod_{i=1}^N \binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \right] \pi^{\sum x_i} (1-\pi)^{nr} = 0$$

Log-Likelihood

$$\Rightarrow \nabla_{\pi} \prod_{i=1}^N \log \left[\binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \right] \pi^{\sum x_i} (1-\pi)^{nr} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla_{\pi} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[\log \binom{x_i+r-1}{x_i} \right] + \log \pi^{\sum x_i} + \log (1-\pi)^{nr} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \nabla_{\pi} \sum_{i=1}^N \left[\log \binom{x_i + \lambda - 1}{x_i} \right] + \sum x_i \log \pi + n \lambda \log (1 - \pi) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \left[\sum_{i=1}^N 0 \right] + \frac{\sum x_i}{\pi} + \frac{(n \lambda)}{(1 - \pi)} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\sum x_i (1 - \pi) - \pi n \lambda}{\pi (1 - \pi)} = 0$$

$$= \frac{\sum x_i - \pi \sum x_i - \pi n \lambda}{\pi (1 - \pi)} = 0 \Rightarrow \frac{\sum x_i - \pi (\sum x_i + n \lambda)}{\pi (1 - \pi)} = 0$$

$$= \sum x_i - \pi (\sum x_i + n \lambda) = 0 \Rightarrow \hat{\pi}_{ML} = \frac{\sum x_i}{\sum x_i + n \lambda}$$

$$(C) \hat{\pi}_{MAP} = \underset{\pi}{\operatorname{argmax}} p(\pi | \{x_1, \dots, x_n\})$$

$$= \underset{\pi}{\operatorname{argmax}} \frac{p(x_i | \pi, \lambda) \cdot p(\pi)}{p(x_i)}$$

$$= \underset{\pi}{\operatorname{argmax}} \log p(x_i | \pi, \lambda) + \log p(\pi) - \log p(x_i)$$

$$= \underset{\pi}{\operatorname{argmax}} \prod_{i=1}^N \log \left(\binom{x_i + \lambda - 1}{x_i} \pi^{x_i} (1 - \pi)^{\lambda} \right) + \log \left[\frac{\Gamma(a+b)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \pi^{a-1} (1 - \pi)^{b-1} \right]$$

$$= \underset{\pi}{\operatorname{argmax}} \sum_{i=1}^N \log \binom{x_i + \lambda - 1}{x_i} + \sum x_i \log \pi + n \lambda \log (1 - \pi) + \log \left[\frac{\Gamma(a+b)}{\Gamma(a)\Gamma(b)} \right] + (a-1) \log \pi + (b-1) \log (1 - \pi)$$

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Taking the derivative and equating to zero to maximize π

$$= 0 + \frac{\sum x_i}{\pi} - n\pi + \frac{(a-1)}{\pi} - \frac{(b-1)}{(1-\pi)} = 0$$

$$\frac{\sum x_i + a - 1}{\pi} - \frac{(b-1) + n\pi}{(1-\pi)} = 0$$

$$\sum x_i + (\sum x_i + a - 1)(1 - \pi) - \pi(b - 1 + n\pi) = 0$$

$$(\sum x_i + a - 1) - (\sum x_i + a - 1)\pi - \pi(b - 1 + n\pi) = 0$$

$$\sum x_i + a - 1 = \pi[(\sum x_i + a - 1) + (b - 1 + n\pi)]$$

$$\hat{\pi}_{\text{MAP}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + a - 1}{(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + a - 1) + (n\pi + b - 1)}$$

$$(\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + a - 1) / (\sum_{i=1}^n x_i + a - 1 + n\pi + b - 1) = \hat{\pi}_{\text{MAP}} \quad (2)$$

(d) Posterior distribution of π using Bayes Rule

$$\frac{p(x_i | \pi, x) \cdot p(\pi)}{\int p(x_i | \pi, x) \cdot p(\pi)}$$

$$\binom{x_i + x - 1}{x_i} \pi^{x_i} (1 - \pi)^x \frac{\Gamma(a+b)}{\Gamma(a) \Gamma(b)} \pi^{a-1} (1 - \pi)^{b-1}$$

$$\binom{x_i + x - 1}{x_i} \frac{\Gamma(a+b)}{\Gamma(a) \Gamma(b)} \pi^{x_i + a - 1} (1 - \pi)^{x + b - 1}$$

This is a Beta Distribution

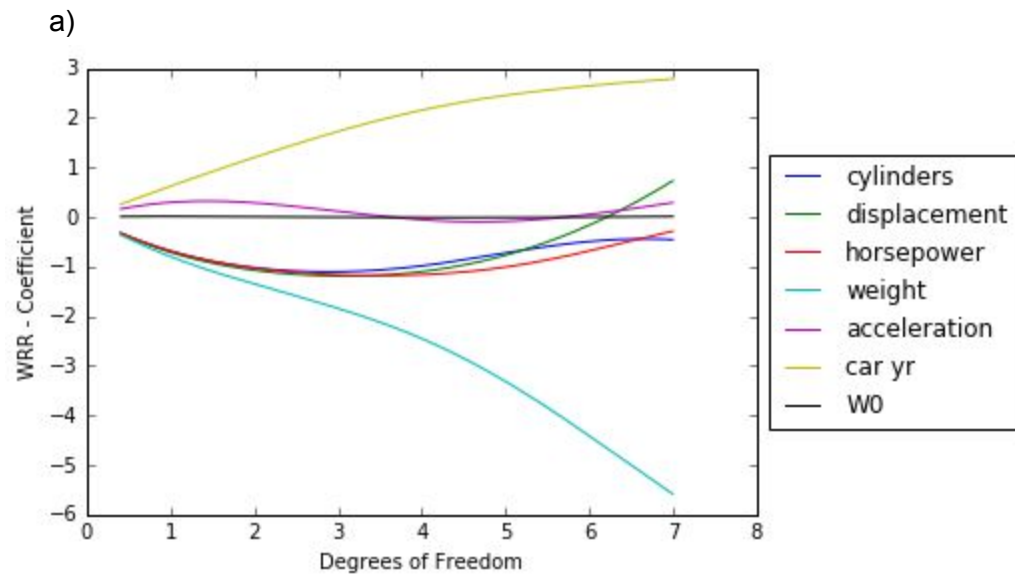
(e) Mean = $\frac{x_i + a}{x_i + a + x + b}$

Variance = $\frac{(x_i + a)(x + b)}{(x_i + a)^2 (x + a + x + b + 1)}$

$\hat{\pi}_{ML} = \hat{\pi}_{MAP}$

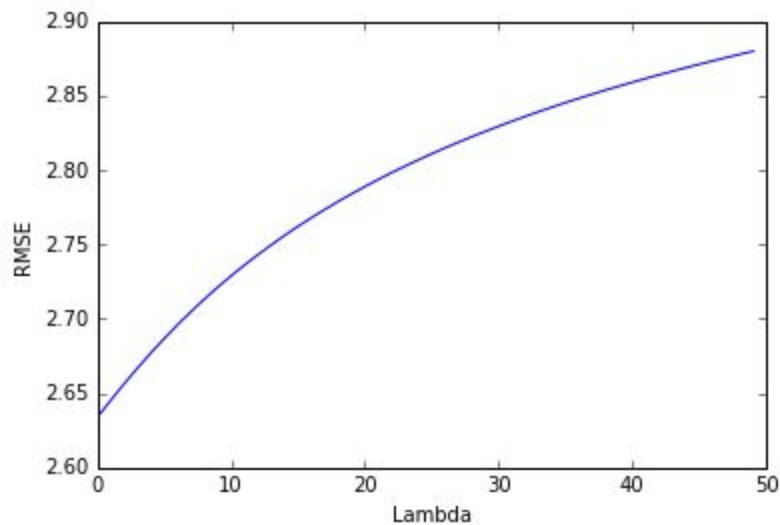
when $a = b = 1 \Rightarrow$ The Prior distribution is a Uniform Distribution

Part -2



b) The 4th Dimension and the 6th Dimension stand out that means that per unit change in **Weight** and per unit change in **car year** have the most impact on the output value of y . Also these two elements have the largest contribution in the variance of the regression.

c) When choosing λ , the Lower λ seems to give a better performance in terms of the RMSE.



d) Based on the plot below , P2 seem to have the best performance when $\lambda = 23$. The ideal value of λ has **increased** compared to what we observed part-c with Order -1 regression.

