

PSY9511: Seminar 3

Regularization and variable selection

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Shrinkage



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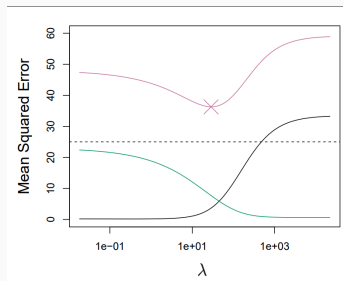
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3. Parameters depend on each other \implies
Fewer degrees of freedom

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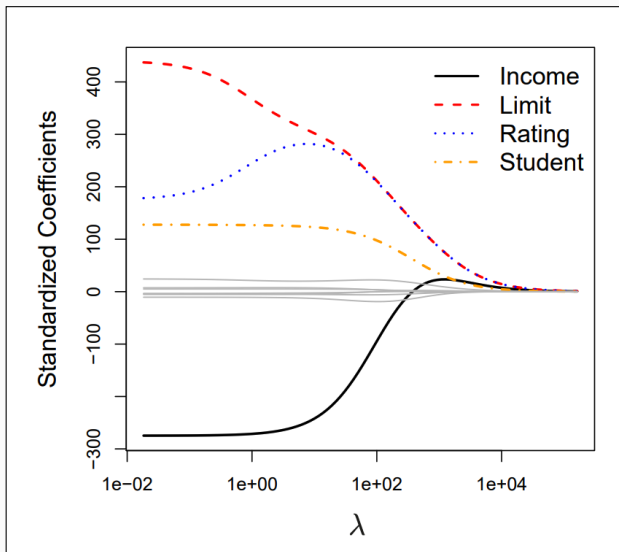
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$$\lambda \rightarrow \infty \Rightarrow \beta \rightarrow 0$$

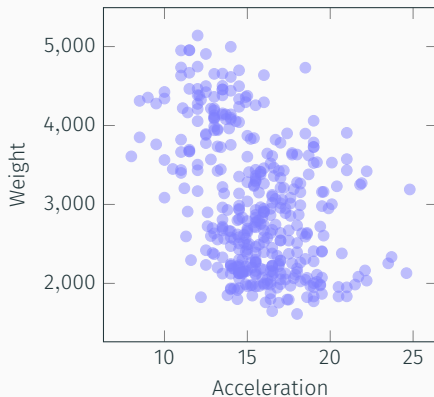
Shrinkage: Ridge regression



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$$y \sim \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2, x_1 \in [0, 1], x_2 \in [0, 1000]$$

Shrinkage: Feature standardization



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In[1]: for col in predictors:
        print(f'{col}: {np.mean(df[col]):.2f} ({np.std(df[col]):.2f})')

        # z-score standardization
        for col in predictors:
            df[col] = (df[col] - np.mean(df[col])) / np.std(df[col])

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            print(f'{col} after: {np.mean(df[col]):.2f} ({np.std(df[col]):.2f})')
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Out[1]: cylinders: 5.47 (1.70)
displacement: 194.41 (104.51)
horsepower: 104.47 (38.44)
cylinders after: -0.00 (1.00)
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<http://localhost:8888/notebooks/notebooks/Live%20coding.ipynb>

