

Let's consider the weight of a pair of features

$$\check{y}(x) = w_0 + \sum_{j=1}^{p} w_j x_j + \sum_{j=1}^{p} \sum_{j=j+1}^{p} x_j x_j w_{j,j}$$

independent interactions

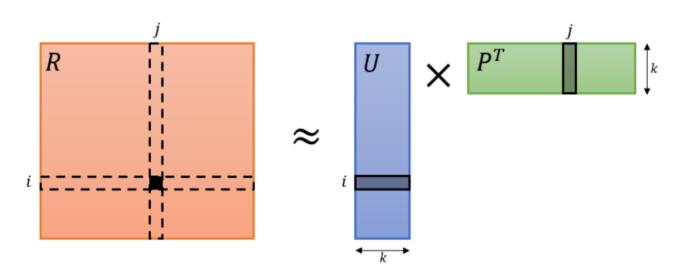
The model has too many parameters, far more than data points

Let w i,j be the weight assigned to feature pair i,j

Key idea: Set $wi, j = \langle vi, vj \rangle$

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vi are vectors in k-dimensional space Weights of different pairs of features are not independent



$$\check{y}(x) = w_0 + \sum_{j=1}^{p} w_j x_j + \sum_{j=1}^{p} \sum_{j=j+1}^{p} x_j x_j \langle v_j v_j \rangle$$

$$\check{y}(x) = w_0 + \sum_{j=1}^{p} w_j x_j + \sum_{j=1}^{p} \sum_{j=j+1}^{p} x_j x_j \sum_{f=1}^{k} v_{f,j} v_{f,j}$$

breaking the independence of interaction parameters