

An Interpretable Linear Regression Demo

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We set the **working directory**.

```
setwd("/home/hbunyamin/Projects/2021-nuni-it-online-seminar/tahun-2021/codes/demo-interpretable-ml")
```

Let's load the dataset (Molnar 2019).

```
load("bike.RData")
```

We view the first five rows.

```
head(bike)
```

```
##   season  yr mnth   holiday weekday   workingday weathersit   temp
## 1 SPRING 2011  JAN NO HOLIDAY   SAT NO WORKING DAY   MISTY 8.175849
## 2 SPRING 2011  JAN NO HOLIDAY   SUN NO WORKING DAY   MISTY 9.083466
## 3 SPRING 2011  JAN NO HOLIDAY   MON   WORKING DAY     GOOD 1.229108
## 4 SPRING 2011  JAN NO HOLIDAY   TUE   WORKING DAY     GOOD 1.400000
## 5 SPRING 2011  JAN NO HOLIDAY   WED   WORKING DAY     GOOD 2.666979
## 6 SPRING 2011  JAN NO HOLIDAY   THU   WORKING DAY     GOOD 1.604356
##           hum windspeed  cnt days_since_2011
## 1 80.5833 10.749882 985           0
## 2 69.6087 16.652113 801           1
## 3 43.7273 16.636703 1349          2
## 4 59.0435 10.739832 1562          3
## 5 43.6957 12.522300 1600          4
## 6 51.8261  6.000868 1606          5
```

We summarize the **bike** dataset as follows:

```
summary(bike)
```

```
##      season      yr      mnth      holiday      weekday
##  SPRING:181  2011:365  JAN    : 62  NO HOLIDAY:710  SUN:105
##  SUMMER:184  2012:366  MAR    : 62  HOLIDAY   : 21  MON:105
##  FALL   :188              MAY    : 62              TUE:104
##  WINTER:178              JUL    : 62              WED:104
##              AUG    : 62              THU:104
##              OKT    : 62              FRI:104
##              (Other):359              SAT:105
##      workingday      weathersit      temp      hum
##  NO WORKING DAY:231  GOOD      :463  Min.    :-5.221  Min.    : 0.00
##  WORKING DAY   :500  MISTY      :247  1st Qu.: 7.843  1st Qu.:52.00
##              RAIN/SNOW/STORM: 21  Median :15.422  Median :62.67
##              Mean    :15.283  Mean    :62.79
##              3rd Qu.:22.805  3rd Qu.:73.02
##              Max.    :32.498  Max.    :97.25
```

```
##
##      windspeed      cnt      days_since_2011
## Min.   : 1.500   Min.   : 22   Min.   : 0.0
## 1st Qu.: 9.042   1st Qu.:3152   1st Qu.:182.5
## Median :12.125   Median :4548   Median :365.0
## Mean   :12.763   Mean   :4504   Mean   :365.0
## 3rd Qu.:15.625   3rd Qu.:5956   3rd Qu.:547.5
## Max.   :34.000   Max.   :8714   Max.   :730.0
##
```

We extract the features columns just like in the slides as follows:

```
bike_to_interpreted <- bike[c("cnt", "season", "holiday", "days_since_2011",
                             "workingday", "weathersit", "temp", "hum", "windspeed")]
```

Let's view the first five rows in bike_to_interpreted.

```
head(bike_to_interpreted)
```

```
##      cnt season  holiday days_since_2011  workingday weathersit  temp
## 1  985 SPRING NO HOLIDAY          0 NO WORKING DAY    MISTY 8.175849
## 2  801 SPRING NO HOLIDAY          1 NO WORKING DAY    MISTY 9.083466
## 3 1349 SPRING NO HOLIDAY          2  WORKING DAY      GOOD 1.229108
## 4 1562 SPRING NO HOLIDAY          3  WORKING DAY      GOOD 1.400000
## 5 1600 SPRING NO HOLIDAY          4  WORKING DAY      GOOD 2.666979
## 6 1606 SPRING NO HOLIDAY          5  WORKING DAY      GOOD 1.604356
##      hum windspeed
## 1 80.5833 10.749882
## 2 69.6087 16.652113
## 3 43.7273 16.636703
## 4 59.0435 10.739832
## 5 43.6957 12.522300
## 6 51.8261  6.000868
```

We summarize the bike_to_interpreted dataset.

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## Min.   : 22   SPRING:181   NO HOLIDAY:710   Min.   : 0.0
## 1st Qu.:3152   SUMMER:184   HOLIDAY  : 21   1st Qu.:182.5
## Median :4548   FALL  :188                Median :365.0
## Mean   :4504   WINTER:178                Mean   :365.0
## 3rd Qu.:5956                3rd Qu.:547.5
## Max.   :8714                Max.   :730.0
##      workingday  weathersit  temp      hum
## NO WORKING DAY:231  GOOD      :463   Min.   : -5.221   Min.   : 0.00
## WORKING DAY :500   MISTY      :247   1st Qu.:  7.843   1st Qu.:52.00
##                                RAIN/SNOW/STORM: 21   Median :15.422   Median :62.67
##                                Mean   :15.283   Mean   :62.79
##                                3rd Qu.:22.805   3rd Qu.:73.02
##                                Max.   :32.498   Max.   :97.25
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## Mean   :12.763
```

```
## 3rd Qu.:15.625
## Max. :34.000
```

At last, we create the *interpretable linear model* that is **linear regression** as follows:

```
lm_bike <- lm(cnt ~ ., data=bike_to_interpreted)
```

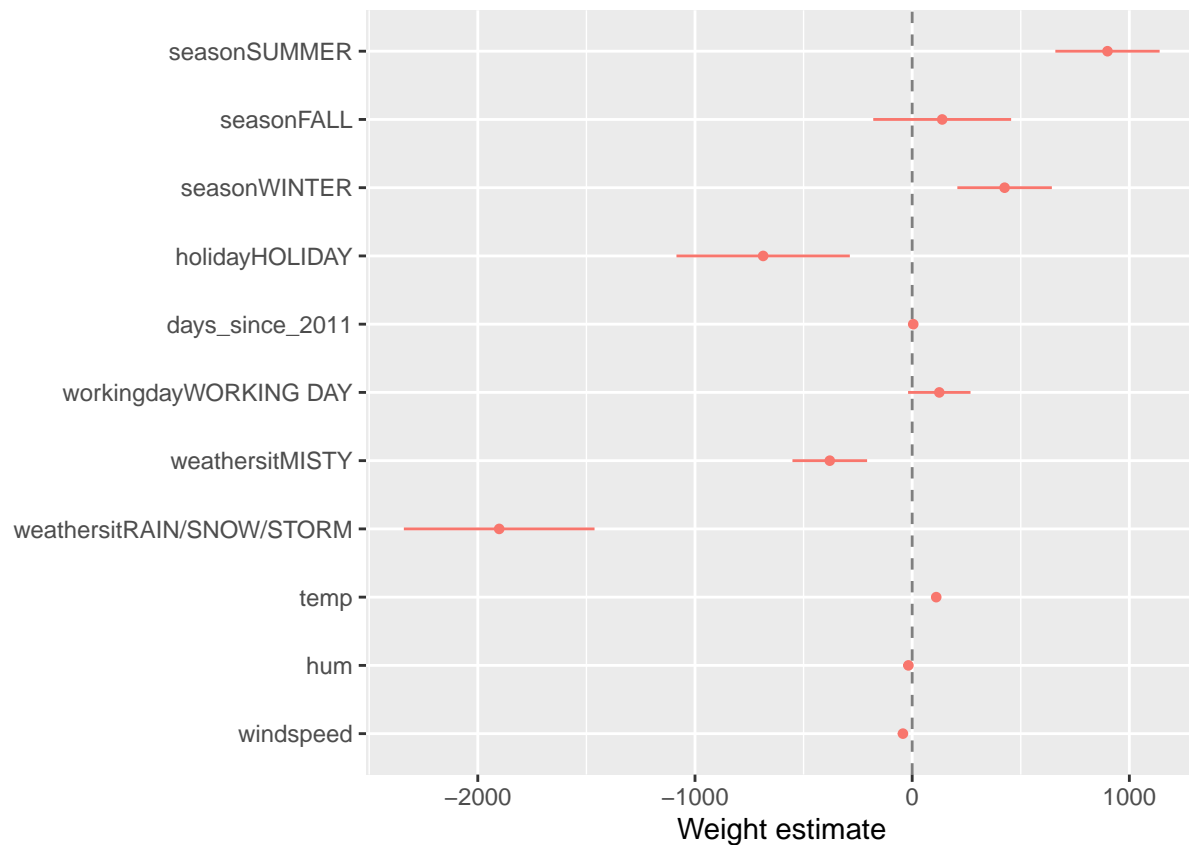
We show the details of the linear models as follows:

```
summary(lm_bike)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = cnt ~ ., data = bike_to_interpreted)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -3509.6  -397.9    78.7   534.1  3482.4
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)    2399.4422   238.3066  10.069 < 2e-16 ***
## seasonSUMMER      899.3182   122.2833   7.354 5.24e-13 ***
## seasonFALL       138.2154   161.7037   0.855 0.392977
## seasonWINTER     425.6029   110.8199   3.840 0.000134 ***
## holidayHOLIDAY   -686.1154   203.3015  -3.375 0.000778 ***
## days_since_2011    4.9264    0.1728  28.507 < 2e-16 ***
## workingdayWORKING DAY 124.9209   73.2666   1.705 0.088623 .
## weathersitMISTY    -379.3985    87.5532  -4.333 1.68e-05 ***
## weathersitRAIN/SNOW/STORM -1901.5399  223.6400  -8.503 < 2e-16 ***
## temp            110.7096    7.0433  15.718 < 2e-16 ***
## hum             -17.3772    3.1694  -5.483 5.80e-08 ***
## windspeed       -42.5135    6.8917  -6.169 1.15e-09 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 886.9 on 719 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7936, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7904
## F-statistic: 251.2 on 11 and 719 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

We probably need to install the `dotwhisker` and `dplyr` packages. Specifically, with `dotwhisker` we can view the weights of our linear model. Alternatively, we can call `coef-plot.R` function.

```
library(dotwhisker)
library(dplyr)
dwplot(lm_bike,
       vline = geom_vline(xintercept = 0, colour = "grey50", linetype = 2)) + xlab("Weight estimate")
```

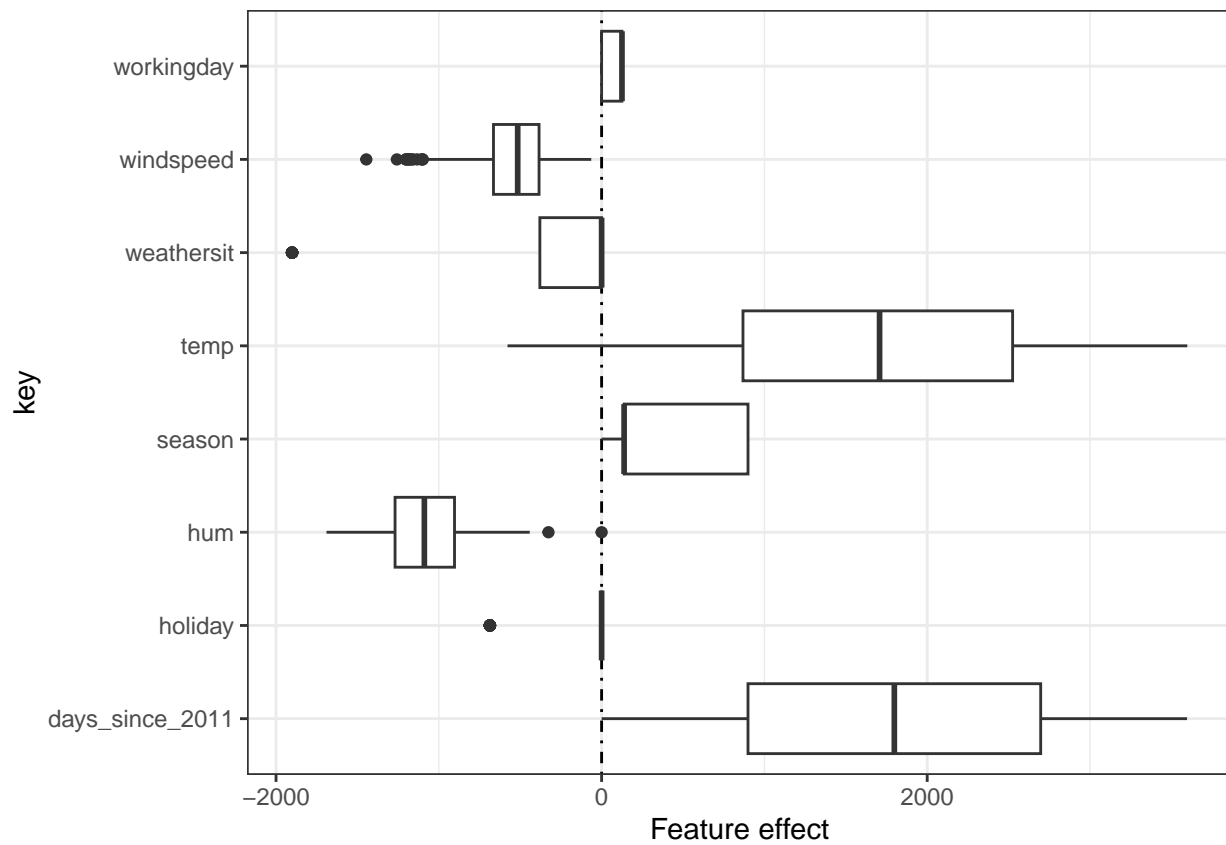


We can load the following R codes consisting several functions for showing the *interpretability of our linear regression* model.

```
source("utils.R", encoding = "UTF-8")
source("ggplot-theme.R", encoding = "UTF-8")
source("effect-plot.R", encoding = "UTF-8")
source("coef-plot.R", encoding = "UTF-8")
```

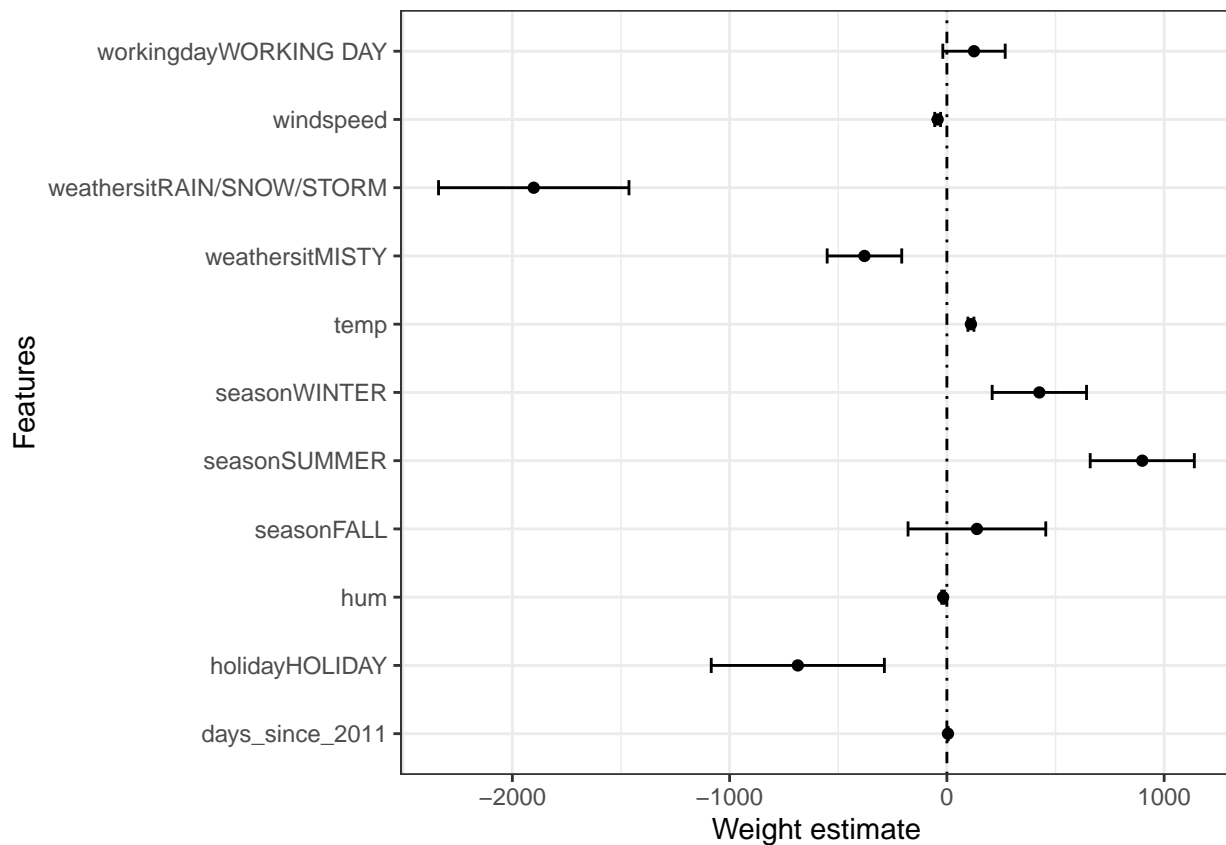
Let's display the **effect plot** of our model.

```
effect_plot(lm_bike, bike_to_interpreted)
```



Let's display the **coefficient plot** of our model.

```
coef_plot(lm_bike)
```



Let's load the `cervical` dataset (Molnar 2019).

```
load("cervical.RData")
```

Let us view the first five rows.

```
head(cervical)
```

```
##   Age Number.of.sexual.partners First.sexual.intercourse Num.of.pregnancies
## 1  18                        4                      15                1
## 2  15                        1                      14                1
## 3  34                        1                      15                1
## 4  52                        5                      16                4
## 5  46                        3                      21                4
## 6  42                        3                      23                2
##   Smokes Smokes..years. Hormonal.Contraceptives Hormonal.Contraceptives..years.
## 1      0              0                      0                                0
## 2      0              0                      0                                0
## 3      0              0                      0                                0
## 4      1             37                      1                                3
## 5      0              0                      1                               15
## 6      0              0                      0                                0
##   IUD IUD..years. STDs STDs..number. STDs..Number.of.diagnosis
## 1   0          0    0              0                      0
## 2   0          0    0              0                      0
## 3   0          0    0              0                      0
## 4   0          0    0              0                      0
## 5   0          0    0              0                      0
## 6   0          0    0              0                      0
```

```
##   STDs..Time.since.first.diagnosis STDs..Time.since.last.diagnosis Biopsy
## 1                                1                                1 Healthy
## 2                                1                                1 Healthy
## 3                                1                                1 Healthy
## 4                                1                                1 Healthy
## 5                                1                                1 Healthy
## 6                                1                                1 Healthy
```

We convert the Biopsy column into binary values (1 = Cancer and 0 = Healthy).

```
cervical$Biopsy <- ifelse( cervical$Biopsy == "Healthy", 0, 1 )
```

```
cervical_to_interpreted <- cervical[c("Hormonal.Contraceptives", "Smokes", "Num.of.pregnancies", "STDs.
    "IUD", "Biopsy")]
```

Let us model the cervical_to_interpreted dataset by using logistic regression.

```
lr_cervical <- glm(Biopsy ~ ., data=cervical_to_interpreted, family = binomial(link = "logit"))
```

Let us examine the model's summary.

```
summary(lr_cervical)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = Biopsy ~ ., family = binomial(link = "logit"),
##     data = cervical_to_interpreted)
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)    -2.91015    0.32259  -9.021  <2e-16 ***
## Hormonal.Contraceptives -0.11666    0.29896  -0.390   0.6964
## Smokes           0.25578    0.37193   0.688   0.4916
## Num.of.pregnancies  0.03680    0.09653   0.381   0.7030
## STDs..Number.of.diagnosis 0.81549    0.32601   2.501   0.0124 *
## IUD              0.61630    0.39959   1.542   0.1230
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
##    Null deviance: 408.60  on 857  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 399.47  on 852  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 411.47
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5
```

References

Molnar, Christoph. 2019. *Interpretable Machine Learning: A Guide for Making Black Box Models Explainable*.