

# Machine Learning

Model Performance: Key Concepts in Machine Learning

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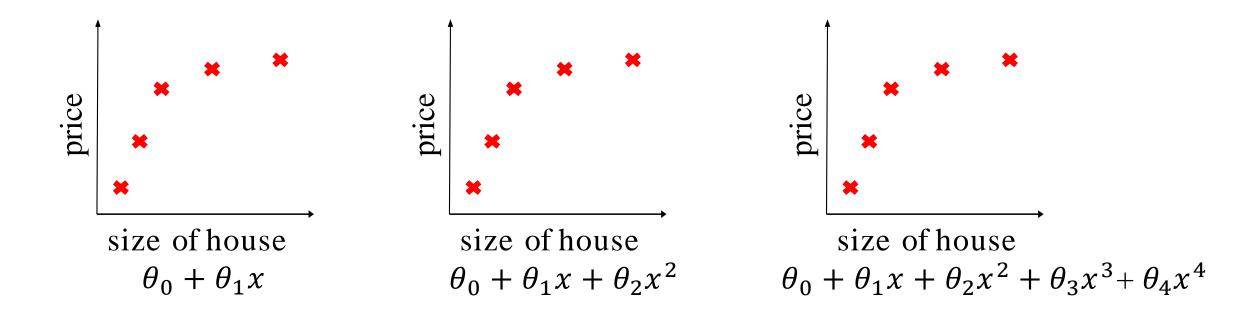
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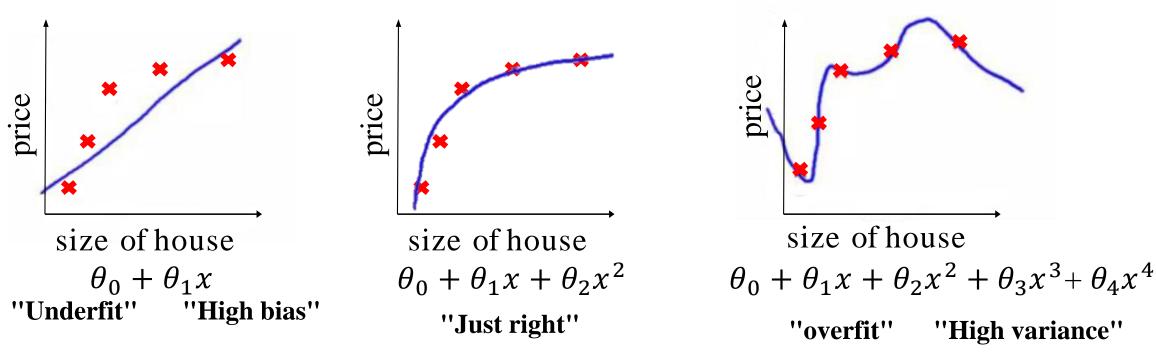
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## Example: Linear regression (housing prices)



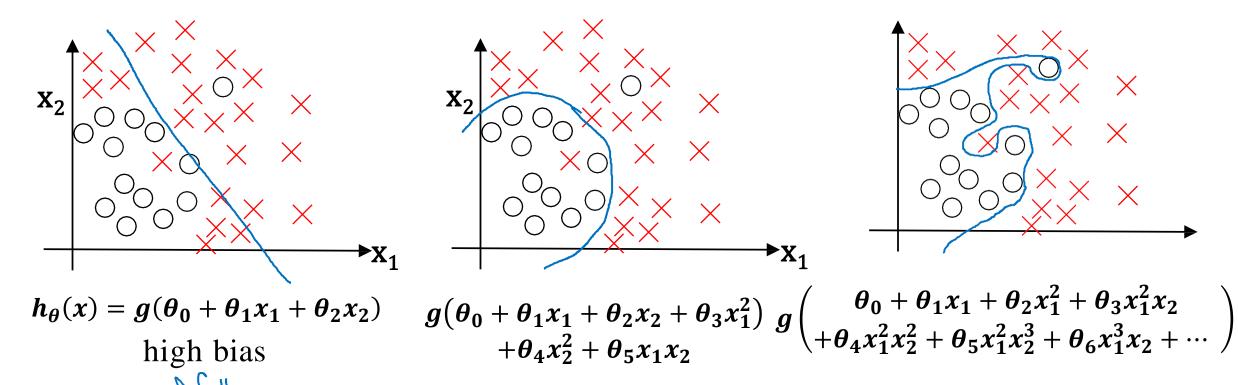
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# Example: Linear regression (housing prices)



Overfitting: If we have too many features, the learned hypothesis may fit the training set very well  $(J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2 \approx 0)$ , but fail to generalize to new examples (predict prices on new examples).

# Example: Logistic regression



"just right"

high variance

# Addressing overfitting:

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x_1 = size of house
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 $x_2 = no.$  of bedrooms

 $x_3 = \text{no. of floors}$ 

 $x_4$  = age of house

 $x_5$  = average income in neighborhood

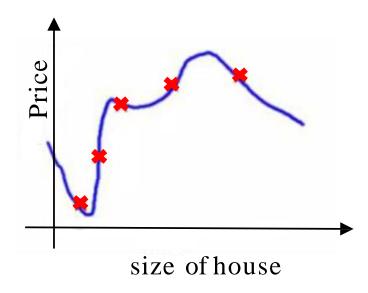
 $x_6$  = kitchen size

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 $X_{100}$ 



# Evaluating your hypothesis

• Dataset:

Size	Price
2104	400
1600	330
2400	369 <b>60%</b> Trai
1416	232
3000	540
1985	300
1534	315 <b>20</b> %
1427	199 Cro
1380	212 20%
1494	243 <b>Tes</b>

### Train/validation/test error

• Training error:

$$J_{train}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

Cross Validation error:

$$J_{cv}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2mcv} \sum_{i=1}^{m_{cv}} (h_{\theta}(x_{cv}^{(i)}) - y_{cv}^{(i)})^{2}$$

• Test error:

$$J_{test}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2mtest} \sum_{i=1}^{m_{test}} \left( h_{\theta} \left( x_{test}^{(i)} \right) - y_{test}^{(i)} \right)^{2}$$

### Model Selection

$$h_{\theta_{1}}(x) = \theta_{0} + \theta_{1}x$$

$$J_{cv}(\theta^{1})$$

$$h_{\theta_{2}}(x) = \theta_{0} + \theta_{1}x + \theta_{2}x^{2}$$

$$\vdots$$

$$h_{\theta_{10}}(x) = \theta_{0} + \theta_{1}x + \dots + \theta_{10}x^{10}$$

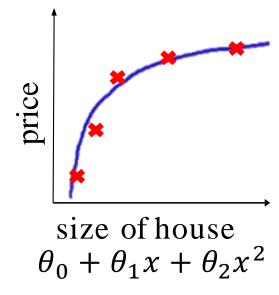
$$J_{cv}(\theta^{10})$$

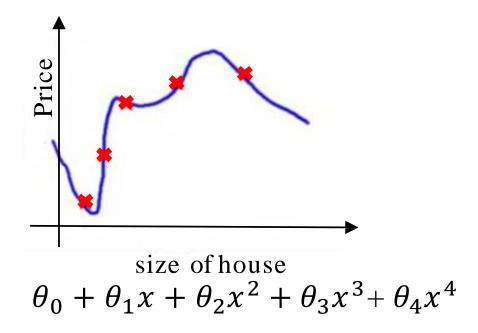
$$i^{*} = \operatorname{argmin} J_{cv}(\theta^{1})$$

$$i$$

$$J_{test}(\theta^{i^{*}})$$

## Regularization Intuition





• Suppose we penalize and make  $\theta_3$ ,  $\theta_4$  really small.

$$\frac{\min_{\theta} \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^{2} + \underbrace{1000\theta_{3}^{2} + 1000\theta_{4}^{2}}_{\theta_{3} \approx 0} \theta_{4} \approx 0}$$

### Regularization

- Small values for parameters  $\theta_0$ ,  $\theta_1$ , ...,  $\theta_n$ 
  - ➤"Simpler" hypothesis
  - Less prone to overfitting
- Housing:
  - Features:  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{100}$
  - $\triangleright$  Parameters:  $\theta_0, \theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_{100}$

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^{m} \left( h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)} \right)^{2} + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \theta_{j}^{2} \right]$$

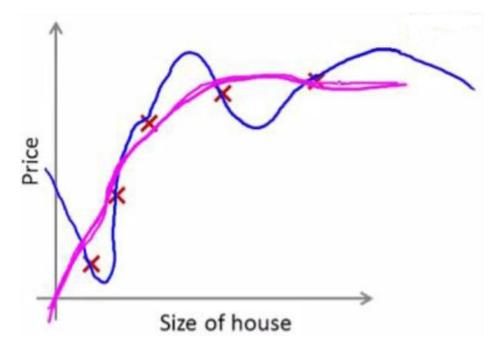
$$\theta_{0}, \theta_{1}, \theta_{2}, \dots, \theta_{100}$$

## Regularization

• 
$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^{m} \left( h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)} \right)^2 + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \theta_j^2 \right]$$

min  $J(\theta)$ 

 $\theta$ 

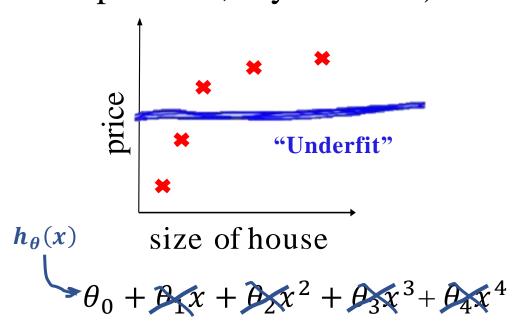


## Regularization: Ridge Regression

• In regularized linear regression, we choose  $\theta$  to minimize

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^{m} \left( h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)} \right)^{2} + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \theta_{j}^{2} \right]$$

• What if  $\lambda$  is set to an extremely large value (perhaps for too large for our problem, say / = 1010)?



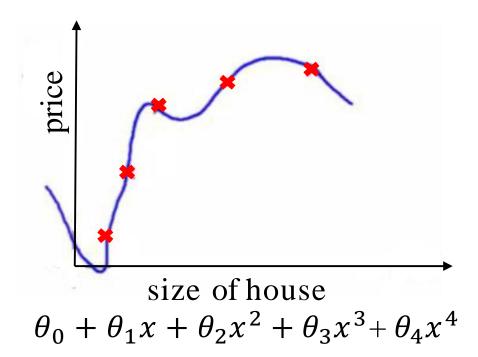
$$\theta_1, \theta_2, \theta_3, \theta_4$$

$$\theta_1 \approx 0, \theta_2 \approx 0$$

$$\theta_3 \approx 0, \theta_4 \approx 0$$

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0$$

## Evaluating your hypothesis



• Fails to generalize to new examples not in training set.

 $x_1 = size of house$ 

 $x_2 = \text{no. of bedrooms}$ 

 $x_3 = \text{no. of floors}$ 

 $x_4$  = age of house

 $x_5$  = average income in neighborhood

 $x_6$  = kitchen size

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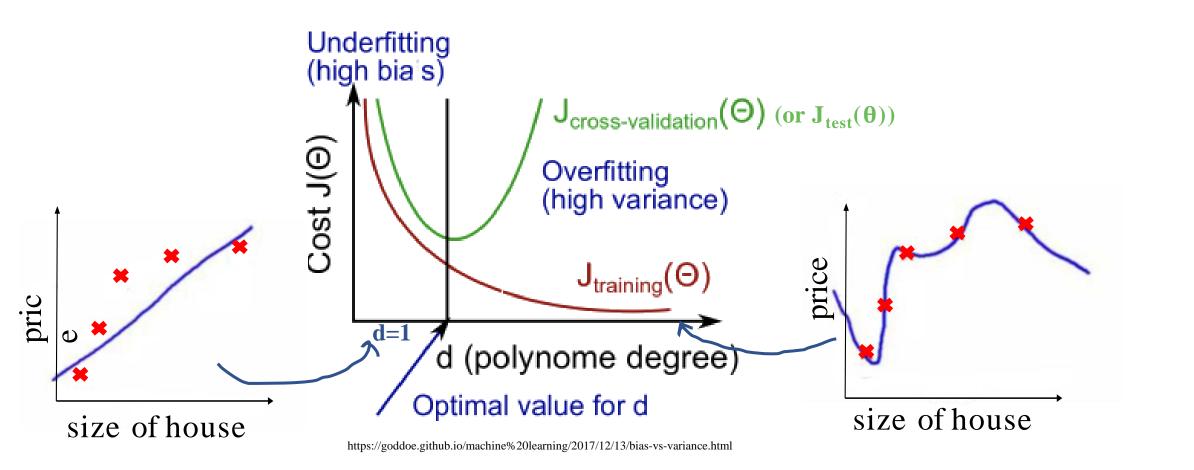
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 $X_{100}$ 

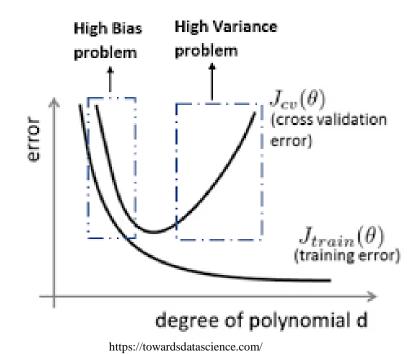
### Bias/variance

- Training error:  $J_{train}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) y^{(i)})^2$
- Cross validation error:  $J_{cv}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2mcv} \sum_{i=1}^{m_{cv}} (h_{\theta}(x_{cv}^{(i)}) y_{cv}^{(i)})^2$  (or  $J_{test}(\theta)$ )



### Diagnosing bias vs. variance

• Suppose your learning algorithm is performing less well than you were hoping.  $(J_{cv}(\theta) \text{ or } J_{test}(\theta))$  is high.) Is it a bias problem or a variance problem?



Bias (underfit):

$$J_{train}(\theta)$$
 will be high  $J_{cv}(\theta) \approx J_{train}(\theta)$ 

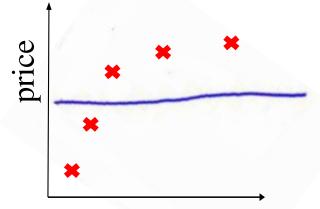
Variance (overfit):

$$J_{train}(\theta)$$
 will be low  $J_{cv}(\theta) \gg J_{train}(\theta)$ 

### Linear regression with regularization

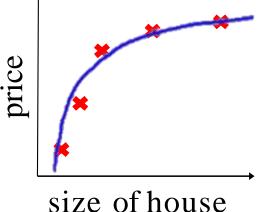
**Model:** 
$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x + \theta_2 x^2 + \theta_3 x^3 + \theta_4 x^4$$

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2m} \sum_{j=1}^{n} \theta_{j}^{2}$$



size of house

Large  $\lambda$ **High bias(underfit)** 

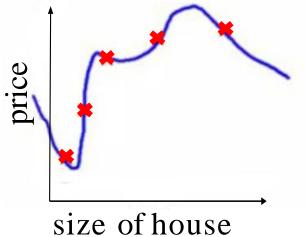


size of house

Intermediate  $\lambda$ 

"Just right"

$$\lambda = 10000$$
.  $\theta_1 \approx 0$ ,  $\theta_2 \approx 0$ , ...  $h_{\theta}(x) \approx \theta_0$ 



Small  $\lambda$ **High variance (overfit)** 

$$\lambda = 0$$

## Choosing the regularization parameter $\lambda$

Model: 
$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_{0} + \theta_{1}x + \theta_{2}x^{2} + \theta_{3}x^{3} + \theta_{4}x^{4}$$

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} \left(h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}\right)^{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2m} \sum_{j=1}^{n} \theta_{j}^{2}$$
1. Try  $\lambda = 0 \rightarrow \min J(\theta) \rightarrow \theta^{(1)} \rightarrow J_{cv}(\theta^{(1)})$ 
2. Try  $\lambda = 0.01 \rightarrow \min J(\theta) \rightarrow \theta^{(2)} \rightarrow J_{cv}(\theta^{(2)})$ 
3. Try  $\lambda = 0.02 \rightarrow \min J(\theta) \rightarrow \theta^{(3)} \rightarrow J_{cv}(\theta^{(3)})$ 
4. Try  $\lambda = 0.04$ 
5. Try  $\lambda = 0.08 \rightarrow \min J(\theta) \rightarrow \theta^{(5)} \rightarrow J_{cv}(\theta^{(5)})$ 

$$\vdots$$

$$\vdots$$
12. Try  $\lambda = 10 \rightarrow \min J(\theta) \rightarrow \theta^{(12)} \rightarrow J_{cv}(\theta^{(12)})$ 
Pick (say)  $\theta^{(5)}$ . Test error:  $J_{test}(\theta^{(5)})$ 

### Bias/variance as a function of the regularization parameter $\lambda$

• Training error:

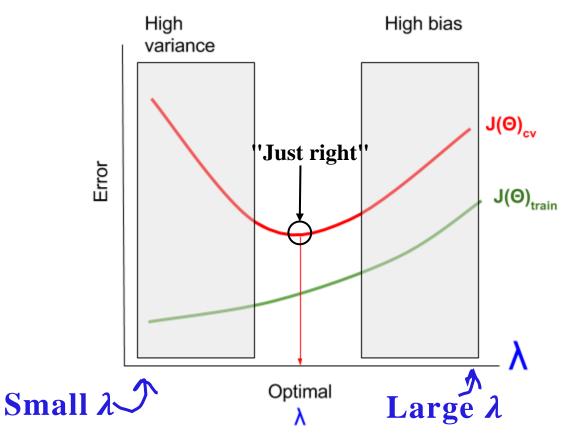
$$J_{train}(\theta) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^{2} + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} \theta_{j}^{2}$$

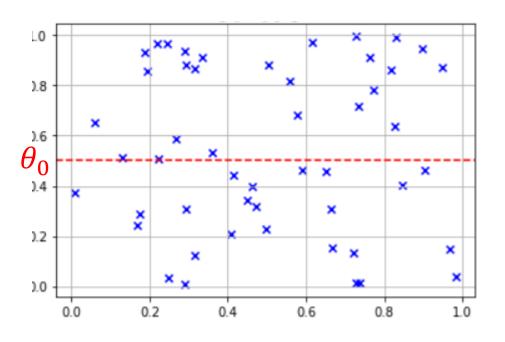
Cross Validation error:

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#### GD:

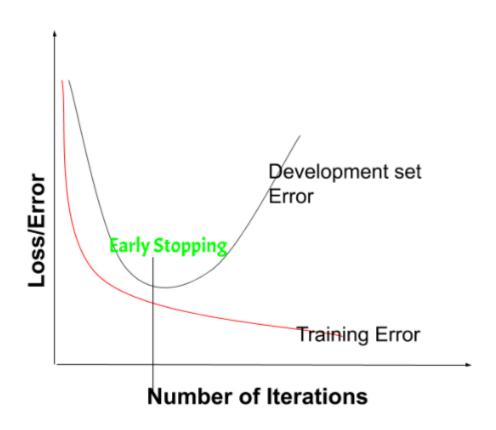
#### Repeat until convergence{

$$\theta_0 = \theta_0 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_\theta(x_i) - y_i)$$
 ( $x_0^i = 1$ )

$$\theta_j = \theta_j - \alpha \left[ \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x_i) - y_i) x_j^i + \lambda \theta_j \right]$$

$$J = 1, 2, ..., n$$

# Early stopping



# تعریف تئوری بایاس \_ واریانس

مدل مولد داده:

$$Y = f(x) + \varepsilon$$

. نویز با توزیع  $D_{\varepsilon}$  که مستقل از داده ها است.  $S_{ ext{train}}$ 

D: فضای داده ها

# محاسبه رابطه خطا

$$\mathbb{E}_{\mathbf{x} \sim \mathcal{D}} \left[ \left( f(\mathbf{x}) + \varepsilon - f_{S_{\text{train}}}(\mathbf{x}) \right)^{2} \right]$$

$$(f(\mathbf{x}_0) + \varepsilon - f_{S_{\text{train}}}(\mathbf{x}_0))^2$$

برای یک نقطه  $x_0$  خطا به صورت زیر است:

فرض کنید که با داده های آموزشی مختلفی که از فضای داده D نمونه گیری شده اند آزمایش را تکرار میکنیم. در این حالت خطای داده  $x_0$  به صورت زیر محاسبه می شود:

$$\mathbb{E}_{S_{\text{train}} \sim \mathcal{D}, \varepsilon \sim \mathcal{D}_{\varepsilon}} \left[ \left( f(\mathbf{x}_{0}) + \varepsilon - f_{S_{\text{train}}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right)^{2} \right]$$

$$\mathbb{E}_{S ext{train}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}, \varepsilon \sim \mathcal{D}_{\varepsilon}} \left[ \left( f(\mathbf{x}_{0}) + \varepsilon - f_{S ext{train}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right)^{2} \right]$$
 $\stackrel{(a)}{=} \mathbb{E}_{\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{D}_{\varepsilon}} \left[ \varepsilon^{2} \right] + \mathbb{E}_{S ext{train}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ \left( f(\mathbf{x}_{0}) - f_{S ext{train}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right)^{2} \right]$ 
 $\stackrel{(b)}{=} \operatorname{Var}_{\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{D}_{\varepsilon}} [\varepsilon] + \mathbb{E}_{S ext{train}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ \left( f(\mathbf{x}_{0}) - f_{S ext{train}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right)^{2} \right]$ 
 $\stackrel{(c)}{=} \underbrace{\operatorname{Var}_{\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{D}_{\varepsilon}} [\varepsilon]}_{\text{noise variance}}$ 
 $+ \underbrace{\left( f(\mathbf{x}_{0}) - \mathbb{E}_{S' ext{train}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ f_{S' ext{train}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right] \right)^{2}}_{\text{bias}}$ 
 $+ \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{S ext{train}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ (\mathbb{E}_{S' ext{train}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ f_{S' ext{train}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right] - f_{S ext{train}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right)^{2}}_{\text{variance}}$ 

توجه کنید در بخش (a) عبارت زیر حذف شده است. چرا؟؟

$$\mathbb{E}_{S_{\text{train}} \sim \mathcal{D}, \varepsilon \sim \mathcal{D}_{\varepsilon}} \left[ 2\varepsilon \left( f(\mathbf{x}_{0}) - f_{S_{\text{train}}}(\mathbf{x}_{0}) \right) \right]$$

در بخش (b):

$$E_{\varepsilon \sim D_{\varepsilon}}[\varepsilon^2] = var_{\varepsilon \sim D_{\varepsilon}}[\varepsilon]$$

در بخش (c):

عبارت  $[f_{s'_{train}}^{(x_0)}]$  که (s') یک مجموعه داده از (s') است) را به رابطه اضافه و کم می کنیم و سپس توان ۲ را اعمال می کنیم. در این رابطه یک ترم سوم هم وجود دارد که نشان می دهیم که به صورت زیر برابر با صفر است:

$$\mathbb{E}_{S \sim \mathcal{D}} \left[ (f(\mathbf{x}_0) - \mathbb{E}_{S' \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S'}(\mathbf{x}_0)]) \cdot \left( \mathbb{E}_{S' \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S'}(\mathbf{x}_0)] - f_{S}(\mathbf{x}_0) \right) \right]$$

$$= (f(\mathbf{x}_0) - \mathbb{E}_{S' \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S'}(\mathbf{x}_0)]) \cdot \mathbb{E}_{S \sim \mathcal{D}} \left[ \left( \mathbb{E}_{S' \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S'}(\mathbf{x}_0)] - f_{S}(\mathbf{x}_0) \right) - f_{S}(\mathbf{x}_0) \right]$$

$$= (f(\mathbf{x}_0) - \mathbb{E}_{S' \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S'}(\mathbf{x}_0)]) \cdot (\mathbb{E}_{S' \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S'}(\mathbf{x}_0)] - \mathbb{E}_{S \sim \mathcal{D}} [f_{S}(\mathbf{x}_0)])$$

$$= 0$$

#### تعبير رابطه (c):

از سه ترم مثبت تشکیل شده است. ترم اول ربطی به نحوه آموزش مدل ندارد و ناشی از عدم قطعیت ذاتی در داده ها است.

بایاس تفاضل مابین مقدار واقعی $f(x_0)$ و متوسط مدل های مختلفی است که بر روی داده ها آموزش دیده اند. (مدل های ساده نمی توانند خوب بر روی داده ها تطبیق یابند. در نتیجه بایاس زیاد می شود.)

ترم واریانس در واقع واریانس مدل های مختلفی است که آموزش دیده اند. اگر مدل ما خیلی پیچیده باشد با تغییر اندکی در داده ها شکل مدل عوض می شود و پیش بینی بر روی  $x_0$  به میزان زیادی متغیر می شود.

## Examples

• 
$$f_S(x) = k$$

#### Prove it

Bias is high Variance is 0

$$f_S(x) = f(x) + \varepsilon$$

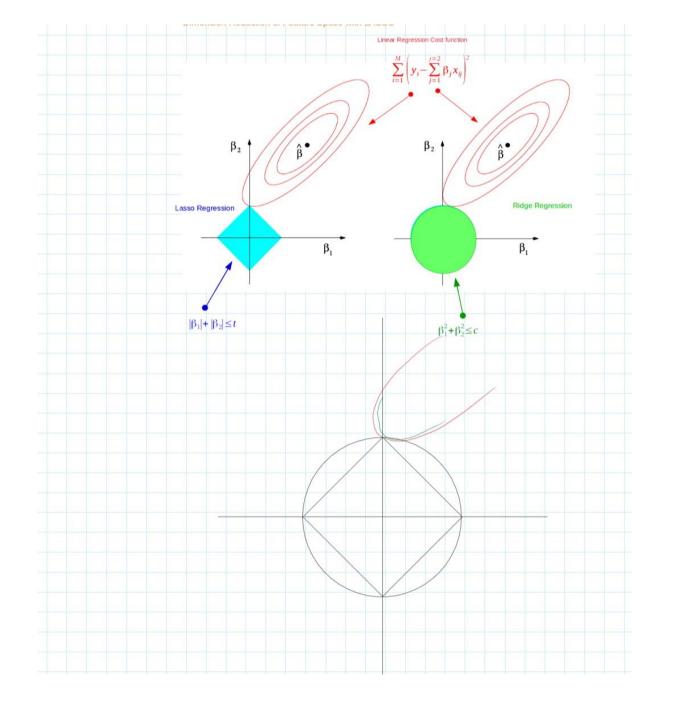
Bias is zero  $\text{Variance is } var_{\varepsilon \sim D_{\varepsilon}}[\varepsilon]$ 

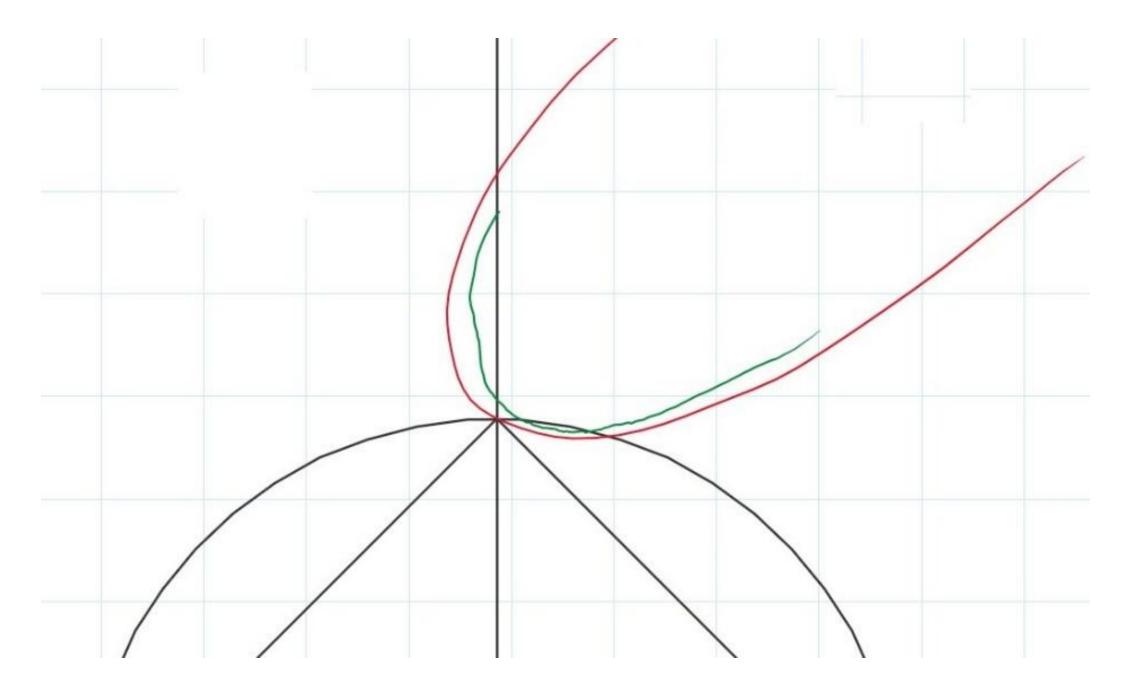
$$\underbrace{\left(f(\mathbf{x}_0) - \mathbb{E}_{S'_{\text{train}}} \mathcal{D}\left[f_{S'_{\text{train}}}(\mathbf{x}_0)\right]\right)^2}_{\text{bias}}$$

$$\underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{S_{\text{train}}} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ \left( \mathbb{E}_{S_{\text{train}}'} \sim_{\mathcal{D}} \left[ f_{S_{\text{train}}'} \left( \mathbf{x}_{0} \right) \right] - f_{S_{\text{train}}} \left( \mathbf{x}_{0} \right) \right]^{2} \right]}_{\text{variance}}.$$

## Lasso Regression

• 
$$J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^{m} (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^{2} + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^{n} |\theta_{j}|$$





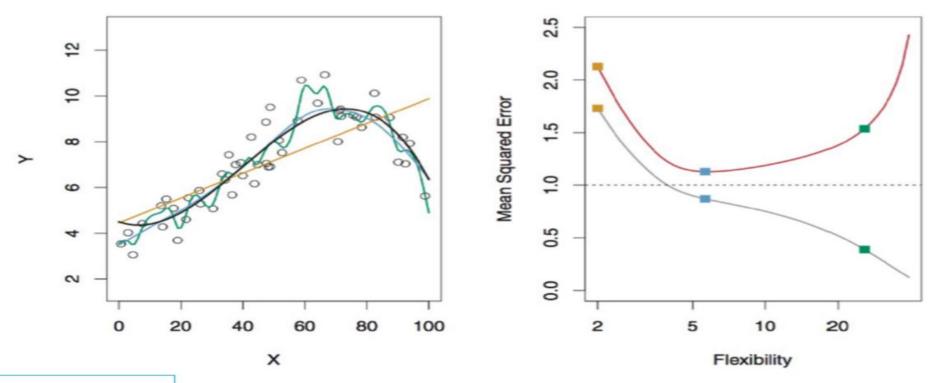
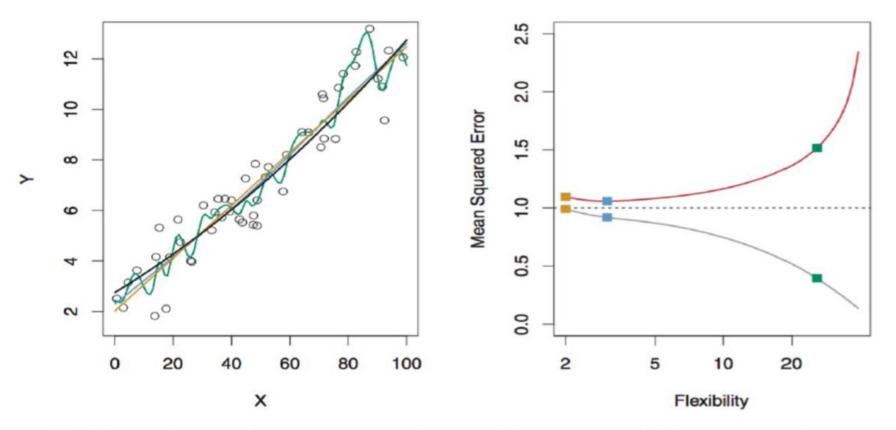


FIGURE 2.9. Left: Data simulated from f, shown in black. Three estimates of f are shown: the linear regression line (orange curve), and two smoothing spline fits (blue and green curves). Right: Training MSE (grey curve), test MSE (red curve), and minimum possible test MSE over all methods (dashed line). Squares represent the training and test MSEs for the three fits shown in the left-hand panel.



**FIGURE 2.10.** Details are as in Figure 2.9, using a different true f that is much closer to linear. In this setting, linear regression provides a very good fit to the data.

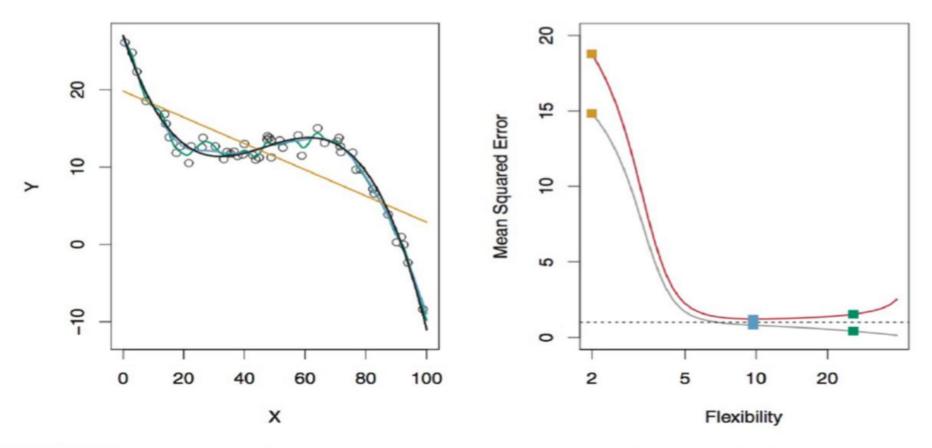
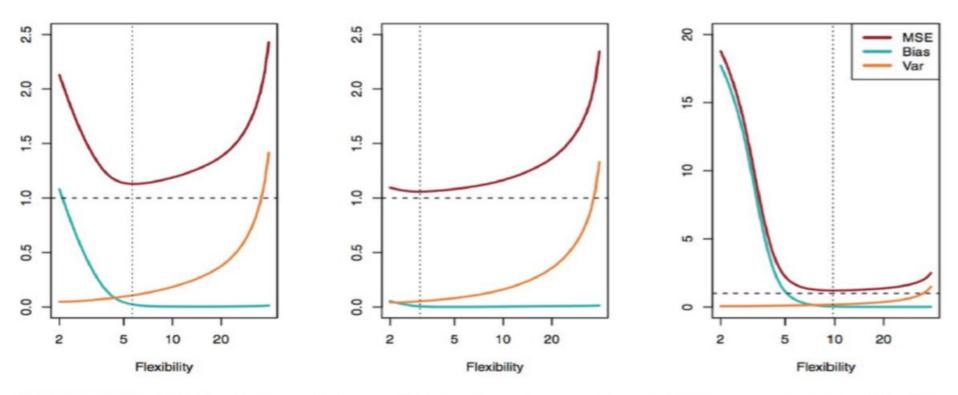


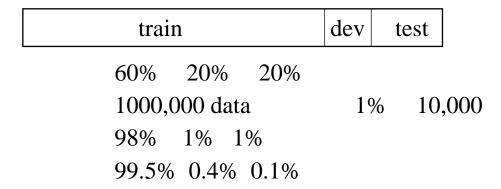
FIGURE 2.11. Details are as in Figure 2.9, using a different f that is far from linear. In this setting, linear regression provides a very poor fit to the data.



**FIGURE 2.12.** Squared bias (blue curve), variance (orange curve),  $Var(\epsilon)$  (dashed line), and test MSE (red curve) for the three data sets in Figures 2.9–2.11. The vertical dotted line indicates the flexibility level corresponding to the smallest test MSE.

# Old way of splitting data

• Deep learning



• K-fold cv

