

1-a proof

1.a. Let \underline{X} = the data matrix
 80×2

$$\text{let } \underline{1}_{80} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}_{80 \times 1}$$

$$\text{Let } \underline{X} = (\underline{X} \quad \underline{1}_{80}), \quad \underline{Y} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}_{80 \times 1}$$

In the objective function

$$\frac{1}{2} \underline{\beta}' \underline{D} \underline{\beta} - \underline{d}' \underline{\beta},$$

we don't have a linear term

$$\text{for } \min \|\underline{\beta}\|^2,$$

so we set

$$\underline{d} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

Note that $\underline{\beta}$ has 3 elements, and $\underline{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \\ \beta_0 \end{pmatrix}$

However, because we only want to restrict $\beta_1^2 + \beta_2^2$, we

set

$$\underline{D} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 10^{-5} \end{pmatrix}$$

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Now, let's have a look at the constraint

$$y_i (\underline{X}_i' \underline{\beta} + \beta_0) \geq 1$$

for $i=1, 2, \dots, 80$

Construct another matrix \underline{G}
 80×80

such that \underline{G} is a diagonal matrix, and $\text{diag}(\underline{G}) = \underline{Y}$

Then $y_i (\underline{X}_i' \underline{\beta} + \beta_0) \geq 1$ can

be written, with our 3-dim $\underline{\beta}$, as:

$$\# \quad y_i \underline{X}_i' \underline{\beta} + y_i \beta_0 \geq 1$$

$$\# \Rightarrow y_i \underline{X}_i' \underline{\beta} \geq 1 \quad \text{where } \underline{\beta} = \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \\ \beta_0 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\underline{X} = \begin{pmatrix} \underline{X} & \underline{1}_{80} \end{pmatrix}_{80 \times 3}$$

$$\underline{G} \underline{X} \underline{\beta} \geq \underline{1}$$

Therefore, $\underline{A} = (\underline{G} \underline{X})'$ and $\underline{b} = \underline{1}$

1-b.

$$\text{Let } \underline{\alpha} = \begin{pmatrix} \alpha_1 \\ \alpha_2 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_{80} \end{pmatrix}$$

Given that

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\beta} = \underline{\alpha}, \quad \underline{D} = \underline{G}' \underline{X} \underline{X}' \underline{G}$$

$$\underline{Y} = \begin{bmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}_{40} \\ \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ \vdots \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}_{40} \end{bmatrix}_{80 \times 1}, \text{ and } \sum y_i \alpha_i = 0$$

For the constraints, we have

$$\underline{Y}' \underline{\alpha} = 0, \text{ and } b = -0.81$$

$$\underline{\alpha} \geq \underline{0}$$

$$\text{That is: } A' = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 & y_2 & \dots & y_{80} \\ \underline{I}_{80} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{we have } \underline{Y}' \underline{\alpha} = 0$$

$$\underline{A}_1 = \underline{Y}, \quad \underline{A}_2 = \underline{I}_{80} \quad \underline{A} \text{ is } 80 \times 80$$

Also, construct a 80×80 matrix A at last, we calculate

$$\underline{G}, \text{ such that } \text{diag}(\underline{G}) = \underline{Y}, \quad \underline{\beta} = (\underline{G} \underline{\alpha})' \underline{X} = \underline{\alpha}' \underline{G}' \underline{X}$$

and all off-diagonal elements

$$\equiv \begin{pmatrix} \beta_1 & \beta_2 \end{pmatrix}$$

are 0.

$$\text{Also, let } \underline{I}_{80} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}_{80 \times 1}$$

$$\text{and } \underline{\beta}_0 = \frac{1}{2} [\max_{i=1,2,\dots,40} -1, \underline{X}_i' \underline{\beta}]$$

$$+ \max_{j=41,42,\dots,80} \underline{X}_j' \underline{\beta}]$$

Then the objective function becomes

$$i = 1, 2, \dots, 40$$

$$j = 41, 42, \dots, 80$$

$$\frac{1}{2} (\underline{G} \underline{\alpha})' \underline{X} \underline{X}' \underline{G} \underline{\alpha} - \underline{I}_{80}' \underline{\alpha}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\beta} = \underline{\alpha};$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \underline{\alpha}' \underline{G}' \underline{X} \underline{X}' \underline{G} \underline{\alpha}$$

1.c.

1-c is similar to 1-b. The only two differences are:

① \underline{Y} changed; and

② One more constraint $\underline{\alpha} \leq C$

still, let \underline{G} be a diagonal 80×80

matrix such that

$$\text{diag}(\underline{G}) = \underline{Y}.$$

And still

$$\underline{\beta} = \underline{\alpha}; \quad \underline{D} = \underline{G}' \underline{N} \underline{N}' \underline{G};$$

$$\underline{d} = \underline{1}_n$$

$$\underline{A}' = \begin{bmatrix} t(\underline{Y}) \\ \underline{I}_{80} \\ -\underline{I}_{80} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \underline{b} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.81 \\ -180 \\ -580 \end{bmatrix}$$

1.d

Following previous set up,

$$\underline{\beta} = \underline{\alpha};$$

$\# \underline{G}$ is such that $n \times n$

$$\text{diag}(\underline{G}) = \underline{Y};$$

$$\underline{d} = \underline{1}_n,$$

Then

$$\underline{\hat{\beta}} = (\underline{G} \underline{\alpha}) \underline{N} = \underline{\alpha}' \underline{G}' \underline{N}$$

$$\text{and } \underline{\beta}_0 = \text{mean}(\underline{G} \underline{N} \underline{\hat{\beta}})$$

$$= \text{mean}(\underline{G} \underline{N} \underline{\alpha}' \underline{G}' \underline{N})$$

Question 2

$$f(x) = \sum_{j=0}^3 \beta_j x^j + \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3$$

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \beta_2 x^2 + \beta_3 x^3 + \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3$$

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \beta_2 x^2 + \beta_3 x^3 + \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3$$

when $x < \varepsilon_1$ and $x > \varepsilon_K$, $f(x)$ is linear in x . That is

when $x < \varepsilon_1$

$$f(x) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \beta_2 x^2 + \beta_3 x^3 + 0 \text{ is}$$

$$\text{linear in } x \Rightarrow \beta_2 = \beta_3 = 0$$

when $x > \varepsilon_3$:

$$f(x) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k (x - 3x^2\varepsilon_k + 3x\varepsilon_k^2 - \varepsilon_k^3)$$

is also linear in x

\Rightarrow the coefficients of x^3 and x^2 are both 0.

$$\sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k = 0, \quad \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k 3\varepsilon_k = 0 \Rightarrow \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k \varepsilon_k = 0$$

Therefore:

$$f(x) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3$$

Since

$$= \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3$$

$$+ \theta_{K-1} (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})^3 + \theta_K (x - \varepsilon_K)^3$$

Because $\sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k = 0$,

$$\theta_K = - \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \theta_k = - \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k - \theta_{K-1} \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Because } \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k \varepsilon_k = 0$$

$$\theta_K \varepsilon_K = - \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \theta_k \varepsilon_k \quad (2)$$

$$= - \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k \varepsilon_k - \theta_{K-1} \varepsilon_{K-1}$$

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$$f(x) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3$$

$$+ \theta_{K-1} (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})^3$$

$$- \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)^3 + \theta_{K-2} (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})^3$$

It is given that for $k=1, 2, \dots, K-2$

$$d_k(x) = \frac{(x - \epsilon_k)^3 - (x - \epsilon_{k+1})^3}{\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}}$$

Therefore, when

$$d_k(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{when } x < \epsilon_k, \\ \end{cases}$$

~~0, when $x > \epsilon_k$, or~~

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{(x - \epsilon_k)^3 - (x - \epsilon_{k+1})^3}{\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}} \\ &= \frac{(x^3 - 3x^2\epsilon_k + 3x\epsilon_k^2 - \epsilon_k^3) - (x^3 - 3x^2\epsilon_{k+1} + 3x\epsilon_{k+1}^2 - \epsilon_{k+1}^3)}{\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}} \\ &= \frac{-3x^2(\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}) + 3x(\epsilon_k^2 - \epsilon_{k+1}^2) - (\epsilon_k^3 - \epsilon_{k+1}^3)}{\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}} \\ &= -3x^2 + 3x(\epsilon_k + \epsilon_{k+1}) - (\epsilon_k^2 + \epsilon_k\epsilon_{k+1} + \epsilon_{k+1}^2) \end{aligned}$$

$$(x - \epsilon_k)^3, \epsilon_k \leq x \leq \epsilon_{k+1}$$

$$d_{k+1}(x) = \begin{cases} 0, & \text{when } x < \epsilon_{k+1}, \\ \vdots \end{cases}$$

replacing k with $k-1$
in $d_k(x)$

Then

$k=1$

$$\sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \alpha_k [d_k(x) - d_{k-1}(x)]$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \alpha_k \left[\frac{(x - \epsilon_k)^3 - (x - \epsilon_{k+1})^3}{\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}} - \frac{(x - \epsilon_{k+1})^3 - (x - \epsilon_{k+2})^3}{\epsilon_{k+1} - \epsilon_{k+2}} \right]$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \alpha_k (x - \epsilon_k)^3 \left(\frac{1}{\epsilon_k - \epsilon_{k+1}} - \frac{1}{\epsilon_{k+1} - \epsilon_{k+2}} \right) - \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \alpha_k \frac{(x - \epsilon_{k+1})^3}{\epsilon_{k+1} - \epsilon_{k+2}} + \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \alpha_k (x - \epsilon_{k+1})^3$$

$$= \frac{(x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3 - (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})_+^3}{\varepsilon_K - \varepsilon_{K-1}} \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \alpha_k - (x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3 \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \frac{\alpha_k}{\varepsilon_K - \varepsilon_k}$$

$$+ \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)_+^3$$

$$\frac{\frac{1}{2}(3-x) - \frac{1}{2}(3-x)}{3-3} = (x)_+^3$$

$$= \frac{(x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3 - (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})_+^3}{\varepsilon_K - \varepsilon_{K-1}} (-\theta_{K-1} (\varepsilon_K - \varepsilon_{K-1}))$$

$$- (x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3 \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k + \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)_+^3$$

$$= -\theta_{K-1} [(x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3 - (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})_+^3] + (x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3 [\theta_K + \theta_{K-1}]$$

$$+ \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)_+^3$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^{K-2} \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)_+^3 + \theta_{K-1} (x - \varepsilon_{K-1})_+^3 + \theta_K (x - \varepsilon_K)_+^3$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^K \theta_k (x - \varepsilon_k)_+^3$$

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$$\sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \theta_k [q_k(m) - q_{k-1}(m)]$$

$$\left[\frac{\frac{1}{2}(3-x) - \frac{1}{2}(3-x)}{1-3-3} - \frac{\frac{1}{2}(3-x) - \frac{1}{2}(3-x)}{3-3} \right] \theta_K$$

$$\frac{1}{2}(3-x) \theta_K + \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \theta_k \frac{1}{2}(3-x) - \frac{1}{2}(3-x) \theta_K = \sum_{k=1}^{K-1} \theta_k \frac{1}{2}(3-x)$$