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1 Problem 9 Regression Results

	(1)	
X1	1.501***	
	(0.002)	
X2	-1.001***	
	(0.002)	
X3	-0.252***	
	(0.002)	
X4	0.749***	
	(0.002)	
X5	3.501***	
	(0.002)	
X6	-2.001***	
	(0.002)	
X7	0.499***	
37.0	(0.002)	
X8	1.003***	
V0	(0.002)	
X9	1.247***	
V10	(0.002) $2.001****$	
X10		
	(0.002)	
Num.Obs.	100000	
R2	0.991	
R2 Adj.	0.991	
AIC	145 143.6	
BIC	145 248.3	
Log.Lik.	-72560.811	
RMSE	0.50	

⁺ p < 0.1, * p < 0.05, ** p < 0.01, *** p < 0.001

2 Discussion of All Method Results

The estimates of beta from a simple OLS (calculated manually in Problem 5 and Problem 9 using the linear regression model) are very similar to the betas that I generated at the beginning of the code. They are all roughly .001 off (though in X3, X8, and X9 this increases to around .003).

In examining the gradient descent, L-BFGS, and Nelder-Mead algorithms, we once again see very similar results. I note that the L-BFGS algorithm is ever more slightly precise.

Finally, in the MLE L-BFGS method of finding betas, I once again get close estimated betas.

Overall, all of the models to estimate the betas performed very well.