## MSiA 400 Lab Advanced Regression with R

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## Variable Selection in Multiple Regression

- Goal: choose the candidate variables to obtain a regression model that contains the "best" subset of regressor variables
- Methods
  - All possible regression
  - Stepwise regression
- Criteria

$$- C_p = \frac{SSE_p}{MSE_p} + 2p - n$$

- AIC = 
$$n \log \frac{SSE_p}{n} + 2p$$

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- AIC =  $n\log\frac{SSE_p}{n} + 2p$   
- Adjusted  $r^2 = 1 - \frac{SSR/(n-p-1)}{SST/(n-1)}$ 

## Data Set for Multiple Regression

- Data set: Wine quality (white wine)
  - Number of observations: 4898
  - Number of attributes: 11 + output attribute
  - Input attributes: fixed acidity, volatile acidity, citric acid, residual sugar, chlorides, free sulfur dioxide, total sulfur dioxide, density, pH, sulphates, alcohol
  - Output attribute: quality (score between 0 and 10)

Ref: P. Cortez, A. Cerdeira, F. Almeida, T. Matos and J. Reis., Modeling wine preferences by data mining from physicochemical properties, Decision Support Systems, Elsevier, 47(4):547-553. ISSN: 0167-9236.

#### Read the data set

```
> wine <- read.delim(".../whitewine.txt");
> y = wine[,1];
> x = wine[,2:length(wine[1,])];
```

## Stepwise Regression with AIC

Stepwise regression

```
> library(MASS)
> reg = lm(y~., data=x)
> reg.step = stepAIC(object=reg, direction="both")
```

```
"forward"
Step: AIC=-2792.2
                                                  "backward"
b \sim x1 + x2 + x4 + x6 + x7 + x8 + x9 + x10 + x11
      Df Sum of Sq
                      RSS
             0.320 2758.8 -2793.6
- X7
                   2758.5 -2792.2
<none>
             0.105 2758.4 -2790.4
+ X5
             0.019 2758.4 -2790.2
+ X3
- X1
       1 6.157 2764.6 -2783.3
- X6
       1 11.036 2769.5 -2774.7
- X10 1 22.570 2781.0 -2754.3
- X9
            25.297 2783.8 -2749.5
- X11 1 36.536 2795.0 -2729.8
- X8
      1 36.823 2795.3 -2729.2
- X4 1 70.134 2828.6 -2671.2
- X2
           158.543 2917.0 -2520.5
Step: AIC=-2793.63
b \sim x1 + x2 + x4 + x6 + x8 + x9 + x10 + x11
```

## Stepwise Regression with AIC (Cont.)

Displaying the summary

```
> summary(reg.step)
```

```
call:
lm(formula = b \sim X1 + X2 + X4 + X6 + X8 + X9 + X10 + X11, data = a)
Residuals:
    Min
             10 Median
                             30
                                   Max
-3.8246 -0.4938 -0.0396 0.4660 3.1208
coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) 1.541e+02 1.810e+01
                                   8.514 < 2e-16 ***
             6.810e-02 2.043e-02
                                    3.333 0.000864 ***
X1
X2
            -1.888e+00 1.095e-01 -17.242 < 2e-16
             8.285e-02 7.287e-03 11.370 < 2e-16
X4
             3.349e-03 6.766e-04
                                   4.950 7.67e-07 ***
X6
            -1.543e+02 1.834e+01 -8.411 < 2e-16
X8
             6.942e-01 1.034e-01
X9
                                   6.717 2.07e-11 ***
             6.285e-01 9.997e-02
                                   6.287 3.52e-10 ***
x10
X11
             1.932e-01 2.408e-02
                                   8.021 1.31e-15 ***
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.7512 on 4889 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.2818, Adjusted R-squared: 0.2806
F-statistic: 239.7 on 8 and 4889 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

## Stepwise Regression with AIC (Cont.)

Calculating / Referencing Statistics

```
> formula(reg.step); # print the formula of the model

> AIC(reg. step); # print AIC value of the model

> summary(reg. step)$r.squared; # print r^2 value of the model

> summary(reg. step)$adj.r.squared; # print adjusted r^2 value

> e = resid(reg. step); # define residuals

> SSE = sum(e^2); # calculate Sum of Squared errors

> SAE = sum(abs(e)); # calculate Sum of Absolute errors
```

## Variable Selection Using Package

- Load package leaps
  - > library(leaps)
- Finding the best subset
  - For number of variables p=1,2,...,nvmax,
     Find nbest best subsets with cardinality p
  - > reg.exh = regsubsets(x,y, nbest=1, nvmax=length(y), method="exhaustive");
  - > summary(reg.exh)

## Variable Selection Using Package (Cont.)

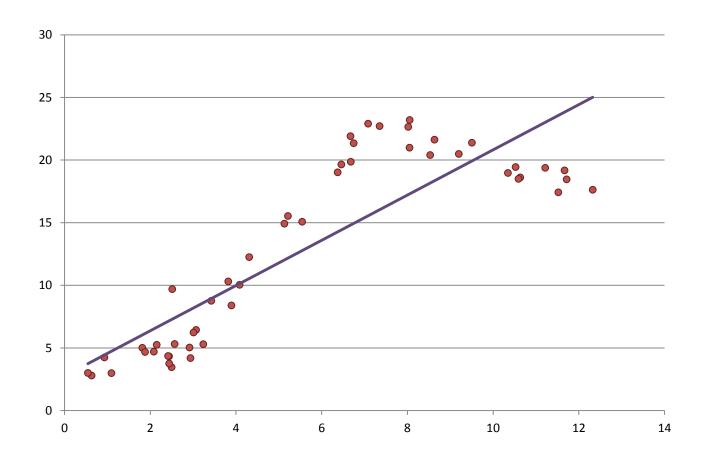
- Calculating / Referencing Statistics
  - > summary(reg.exh)\$which
  - > summary(reg.exh)\$cp
  - > summary(reg.exh)\$adjr2
  - > cbind(summary(reg.exh)\$which, summary(reg.exh)\$cp, summary(reg.exh)\$adjr2)

## Variable Selection Using Package (Cont.)

- Optimizing various criteria
  - > leaps(x,y,nbest=1,method="Cp")
  - > leaps(x,y,nbest=1,method="adjr2")

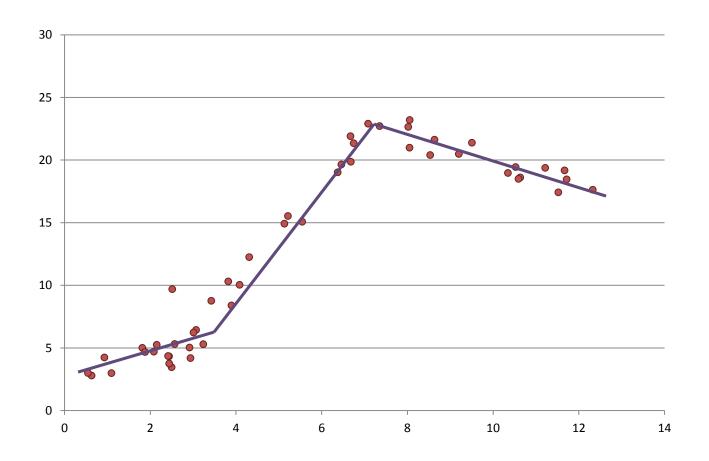
```
> leaps(x,y, nbest=1, method="Cp");
$which
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> leaps(x,y, nbest=1, method=c("adjr2"));
$which
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# Piecewise Regression



Is simple linear regression working?

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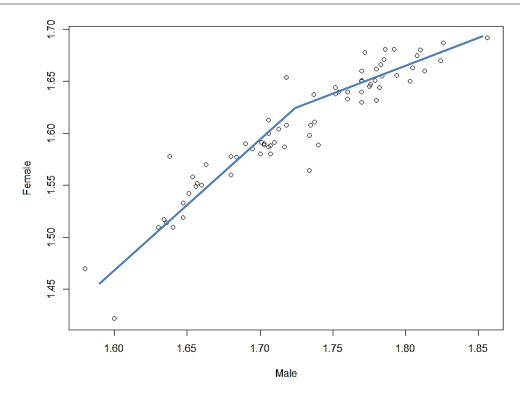


Is simple linear regression working?

## Piecewise Regression

### Load height2.txt

```
> height2 <- read.delim(".../height2.txt");
> mht = height2[,1];
> fht = height2[,2];
```



## Piecewise Regression (Cont.)

Let us set male height 1.73 as a breakpoint

```
> reg.seg = Im(fht ~ (mht<1.73)*mht )
```

```
call:
lm(formula = fht \sim (mht < 1.73) * mht)
Residuals:
     Min
               10
                     Median
                                           Max
-0.057425 -0.010236 -0.000560 0.009237 0.055954
Coefficients:
                 Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)
                   0.2517
                              0.1867
                                     1.348
                                              0.1822
                  -0.5669
mht < 1.73TRUE
                             0.2365 -2.397 0.0193 *
mht
                             0.1051 7.478 2.1e-10 ***
                   0.7857
mht < 1.73TRUE:mht 0.3359
                              0.1362
                                     2.467 0.0162 *
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
Residual standard error: 0.01792 on 67 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.9027, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8984
F-statistic: 207.2 on 3 and 67 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

## Piecewise Regression (Cont.)

Interpreting the result

```
call:
 lm(formula = fht \sim (mht < 1.73) * mht)
Residuals:
      Min
                1Q Median
-0.057425 -0.010236 -0.000560 0.009237 0.055954
Coefficients:
                  Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
 (Intercept)
                  0.2517
                              0.1867
                              0.2365 -2.397
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Residual standard error: 0.01792 on 67 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.9027, Adjusted R-squared: 0.8984
F-statistic: 207.2 on 3 and 67 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
fht = 0.2517 - 0.5669 * 1_{mht \le 1.73} + 0.7857mht + 0.3359 * 1_{mht \le 1.73} * mht
```

#### Note

1. For an observation with male height  $\geq$  1.73, we have

$$fht = 0.2517 - 0.5669 * 0 + 0.7857mht + 0.3359 * 0 * mht$$
  
=  $0.2517 + 0.7857mht$ 

2. For an observation with male height < 1.73, we have

$$fht = 0.2517 - 0.5669 * 1 + 0.7857mht + 0.3359 * 1 * mht$$
  
=  $-0.3152 + 1.1216mht$ 

## Piecewise Regression Using Package

- Load package segmented
  - > library(segmented)
- Let us guess male height 1.73 as a breakpoint

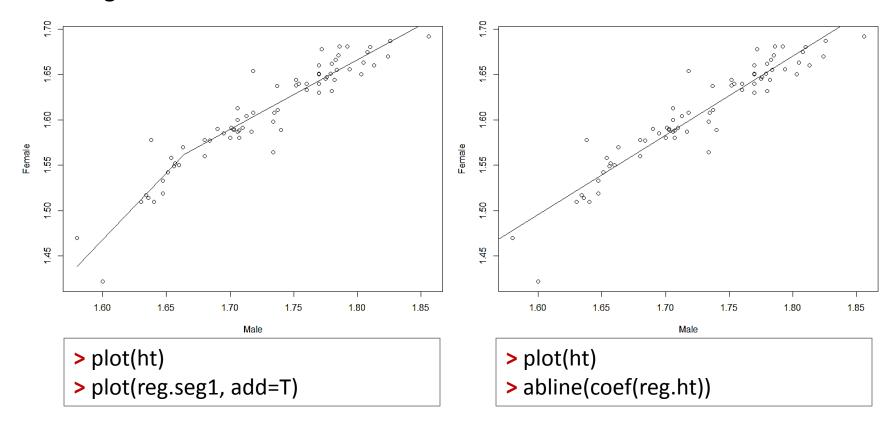
Multiple R-Squared: 0.9061, Adjusted R-squared: 0.9019

> reg.ht = lm(fht ~ mht)
> reg.seg1 = segmented(reg.ht, seg.Z = ~mht, psi=1.73)

```
***Regression Model with Segmented Relationship(s)***
call:
segmented. Im(obj = reg.ht, seg.Z = ~mht, psi = 1.6)
Estimated Break-Point(s):
                              fht = -0.8743 + 1.4642 * mht - 0.6994 * 1_{mht \le 1.664} * mht
    Est. St.Err
1.66400 0.01238
t value for the gap-variable(s) V: 0
Meaningful coefficients of the linear terms:
           Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept) -0.8743
                        0.3392 -2.577
mht
             1.4642
                        0.2069 7.077 1.1e-09 ***
U1.mht
            -0.6994
                        0.2141 -3.267
signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' '1
Residual standard error: 0.01761 on 67 degrees of freedom
```

## Piecewise Regression Using Package(Cont.)

### Plotting the result



## Piecewise Regression Using Package(Cont.)

Piecewise regression with multiple breakpoints?

```
> reg.ht = lm(fht ~ mht)
> reg.seg1 = segmented(reg.ht, seg.Z = ~mht, psi=1.73)
> reg.seg2 = segmented(reg.ht, seg.Z = ~mht, psi=c(1.65,1.73))
```