

Houses Prices Predictions with Regression-Regularization

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This is a R Notebook that utilizes Multiple Regression Models to predict House prices.

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library(doSNOW) # Parallel
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RRun<-TRUE  
# Delete all graphs  
#  
#if(!is.null(dev.list())) dev.off()  
node_name<-Sys.info()["nodename"]  
# Get Current time  
sTime<-Sys.time()  
print(sTime)
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par(mfrow=c(2,2))
cl <- makeCluster(10, type = "SOCK") #10 parallel processes-RStudio running at the same time
# Register cluster so that caret will know to train in parallel.
registerDoSNOW(cl)
#
# Lasso/Ridge/Elnet with caret Package
#
#MODELS
# set up caret model training parameters
# model specific training parameter
CARET.TRAIN.CTRL <- trainControl(method="repeatedcv",
                                number=10,
                                repeats=5,
                                savePredictions='final',
                                classProbs = FALSE,
                                verboseIter=FALSE)

# test out Ridge regression model
lambdas <- seq(1,0,-0.001)
# train model
set.seed(12345) # for reproducibility
model_ridge <- train(x=X_train,y=y,
                    method="glmnet",
                    metric="RMSE",
                    maximize=FALSE,
                    trControl=CARET.TRAIN.CTRL,
                    tuneGrid=expand.grid(alpha=0, # Ridge regression
                                         lambda=lambdas))

rid.rmse<-mean(model_ridge$resample$RMSE)
rid.mse<-mean(model_ridge$resample$MAE)
model_elnet <- train(x=X_train,y=y,
                    method="glmnet",
                    metric="RMSE",
                    maximize=FALSE,
                    trControl=CARET.TRAIN.CTRL,
                    tuneGrid=expand.grid(alpha=0.5, # Elastic Net regression
                                         lambda=lambdas))

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e1n.rmse<-mean(model_elnet$resample$RMSE)
e1n.mse<-mean(model_elnet$resample$MAE)
# test out Lasso regression model
# train model
model_lasso <- train(x=X_train,y=y,
                     method="glmnet",
                     metric="RMSE",
                     maximize=FALSE,
                     trControl=CARET.TRAIN.CTRL,
                     tuneGrid=expand.grid(alpha=1, # Lasso regression
                                           lambda=c(1,0.1,0.05,0.01,seq(0.009,0.001,-0.
001),
                                           0.00075,0.0005,0.0001)))
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model_lasso

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glmnet
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1408 samples  
274 predictor
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No pre-processing
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Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold, repeated 5 times)
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Summary of sample sizes: 1268, 1267, 1268, 1267, 1267, 1268, ...
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Resampling results across tuning parameters:
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lambda	RMSE	Rsquared	MAE
0.00010	0.1139896	0.9113574	0.07780207
0.00050	0.1116611	0.9146520	0.07588912
0.00075	0.1114456	0.9148937	0.07539103
0.00100	0.1114419	0.9148354	0.07512915
0.00200	0.1100124	0.9169273	0.07394089
0.00300	0.1094834	0.9177762	0.07361829
0.00400	0.1098758	0.9173445	0.07398758
0.00500	0.1107748	0.9161997	0.07477825
0.00600	0.1118068	0.9149130	0.07577305
0.00700	0.1128336	0.9136488	0.07671154
0.00800	0.1139706	0.9122169	0.07776817
0.00900	0.1152171	0.9106242	0.07892971
0.01000	0.1164318	0.9090802	0.08003120
0.05000	0.1578359	0.8594955	0.11102653
0.10000	0.2032363	0.8155816	0.14816451
1.00000	0.3809305	NaN	0.29864528

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Tuning parameter 'alpha' was held constant at a value of 1
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RMSE was used to select the optimal model using the smallest value.
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The final values used for the model were alpha = 1 and lambda = 0.003.
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las.rmse<-mean(model_lasso$resample$RMSE, rm.na=TRUE)  
las.mse<-mean(model_lasso$resample$MSE, rm.na=TRUE)
```

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argument is not numeric or logical: returning NA
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if (RFRun==TRUE) {
# train model
  model_rf <- train(x=X_train,y=y,
                    #      method="rf",
                    method="rf",
                    metric="RMSE",
                    maximize=FALSE,
                    trControl=CARET.TRAIN.CTRL)

  model_rf
  rf.rmse<-mean(model_rf$resample$RMSE, rm.na=TRUE)
  rf.mse<-mean(model_rf$resample$MSE, rm.na=TRUE)
}

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stopCluster(cl)
print (paste("Lasso RMSE : ",las.rmse))

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[1] "Lasso RMSE : 0.109483403599545"

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print (paste("Ridge RMSE : ",rid.rmse))

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[1] "Ridge RMSE : 0.113019403661244"

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print (paste("Elnet RMSE : ",eln.rmse))

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[1] "Elnet RMSE : 0.109237328976038"

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if (RFRun==TRUE) {
  print (paste("RF RMSE : ",rf.rmse))
}

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[1] "RF RMSE : 0.127804569408016"

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# transfor train to log+1
# LOG, SQRT, NONE
if (xrf=="LOG") {
  las.preds<-exp(predict(model_lasso,newdata=X_test)) - logC
  rid.preds<-exp(predict(model_ridge,newdata=X_test)) - logC
  eln.preds<-exp(predict(model_elnet,newdata=X_test)) - logC
  if (RFRun==TRUE) {
    rf.preds<-exp(predict(model_rf,newdata=X_test)) - logC
  }
} else if (xrf=="SQRT") {
  las.pred<-predict(model_lasso,newdata=X_test)
  las.preds<-las.pred^2
  rid.pred<-predict(model_ridge,newdata=X_test)
  rid.preds<-rid.pred^2
  eln.pred<-predict(model_elnet,newdata=X_test)
  eln.preds<-eln.pred^2
  if (RFRun==TRUE) {
    rf.pred<-predict(model_rf,newdata=X_test)
    rf.preds<-rf.pred^2
  }
} else {
  las.preds<-predict(model_lasso,newdata=X_test)
  rid.preds<-predict(model_ridge,newdata=X_test)
  eln.preds<-predict(model_elnet,newdata=X_test)
  if (RFRun==TRUE) {
    rf.preds<-predict(model_rf,newdata=X_test)
  }
}
hist(model_ridge$resample$Rsquared)
hist(model_lasso$resample$Rsquared)

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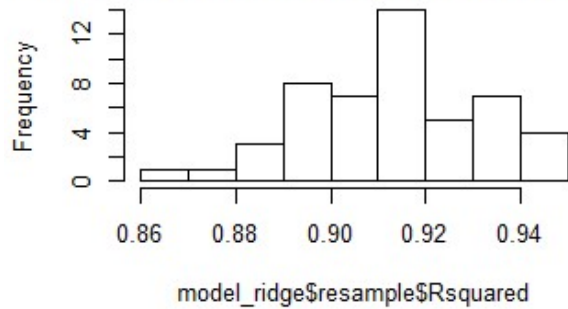
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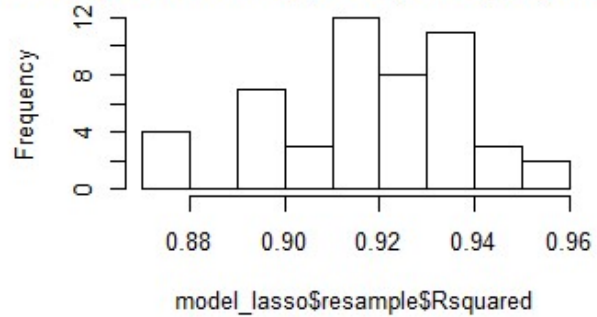
hist(model_elnet$resample$Rsquared)
hist(model_rf$resample$Rsquared)

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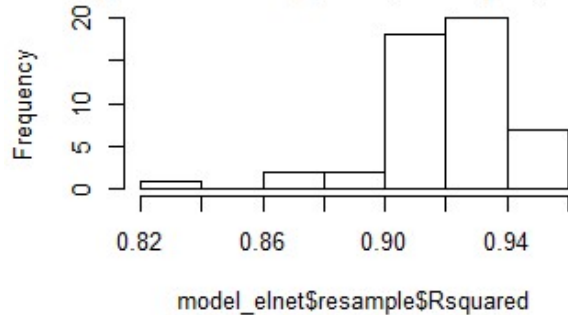
Histogram of model_ridge\$resample\$Rsquared



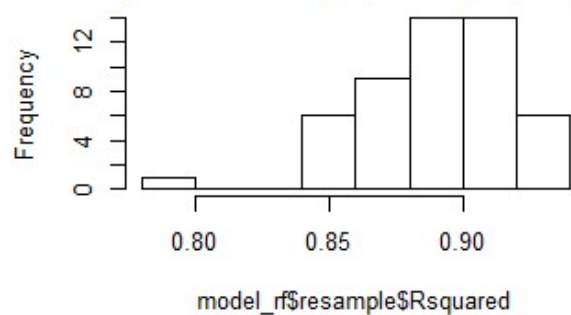
Histogram of model_lasso\$resample\$Rsquared



Histogram of model_elnet\$resample\$Rsquared



Histogram of model_rf\$resample\$Rsquared



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eTime<-Sys.time()
print(paste0("Start Time: ",sTime))
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[1] "Start Time: 2018-07-30 20:18:54"
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print(paste0("End Time: ",eTime))
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[1] "End Time: 2018-07-30 20:57:09"
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print(paste0("Elapsed Time: ",eTime-sTime))
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[1] "Elapsed Time: 38.251251967748"
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