

Problem set 2.

I. Written Problems.

(a) Bishop 3.3.

If we define  $R = \text{diag}(r_1, \dots, r_N)$  to be a diagonal matrix containing the weighting coefficients

$$\Rightarrow E_D(w) = \frac{1}{2} (t - \Phi w)^T R (t - \Phi w)$$

$$dw = (\Phi^T R \Phi)^{-1} \Phi^T R t.$$

which becomes like (3.15)  $R = I$

by comparing (3.104) with (3.10) - (3.12)

\*  $r_n$  is a precision parameter (inverse variance)  
~~Posterior~~ regarding the point  $(x_n, t_n)$  which can either replace or scale  $B$ .

\* or  $r_n$  could be seen as an effective number of replicated observations of  $(x_n, t_n)$ . If we consider (3.104), ~~the~~ it becomes clear if we consider (3.104) with  $r_n$  taking positive integer values, ~~it~~ even though it is also valid for any  $r_n > 0$

3.11.

From Based on (3.59) we have

$$\sigma_{N+1}^2(x) = \frac{1}{\beta} + \phi(x)^T S_{N+1} \phi(x)$$

where  $S_{N+1}$  is given by (1.31). with (1.31) and 3.110 we get.

$$\begin{aligned} S_{N+1} &= (S_N^{-1} + \beta \phi_{N+1} \phi_{N+1}^T)^{-1} \\ &= S_N - \frac{(S_N \phi_{N+1} \beta^{\frac{1}{2}}) (\beta^{\frac{1}{2}} \phi_{N+1}^T S_N)}{1 + \beta \phi_{N+1}^T S_N \phi_{N+1}} \\ &= S_N - \frac{\beta S_N \phi_{N+1} \phi_{N+1}^T S_N}{1 + \beta \phi_{N+1}^T S_N \phi_{N+1}} \end{aligned}$$

with 3.59, we can write (1.33) as.

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{N+1}^2(x) &= \frac{1}{\beta} + \phi(x)^T \left( S_N - \frac{\beta S_N \phi_{N+1} \phi_{N+1}^T S_N}{1 + \beta \phi_{N+1}^T S_N \phi_{N+1}} \right) \phi(x) \\ &= \sigma_N^2(x) - \frac{\beta \phi(x)^T S_N \phi_{N+1} \phi_{N+1}^T S_N \phi(x)}{1 + \beta \phi_{N+1}^T S_N \phi_{N+1}} \end{aligned}$$

Since  $S_N$  is positive definite numerator and denominator will be non negative and positive.

$$\text{Hence } \sigma_{N+1}^2(x) \leq \sigma_N^2(x)$$

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3.14.

$$\alpha = 0, \Rightarrow S_N = (\beta \Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} \quad (240)$$

$$\psi(x) = V \phi(x) \quad (241)$$

$V = M \times M$  matrix

$$\phi(x) = V^{-1} \psi(x)$$

$$(241) \text{ and } (3.16) \Rightarrow \Phi = \Phi V^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \Phi = \Psi V^{-T} \quad \Rightarrow \text{where } V^T = (V^{-1})^T$$

$$\Psi^T \Psi = I.$$

$$(V^{-1})^T = (V^T)^{-1}$$

$$\text{From Eqd} \quad S_N = \beta^{-1} (\Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} = \beta^{-1} (V^{-T} \Psi^T \Psi V^{-1})^{-1} \\ = \beta^{-1} (V^T V)$$

The equivalent kernel:

$$k(x, x') = \beta \phi(x)^T S_N \phi(x') = \phi(x)^T V^T V \phi(x') \\ = \psi(x)^T \psi(x')$$

with  $J = 1$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=1}^N \psi_i(x_n) \psi_j(x_n) = \sum_{n=1}^N \psi_i(x_n) = \delta_{ij}$$

where  $\psi(x) = 1$ .

$$\begin{aligned} \text{E)} \quad \sum_{n=1}^N k(x, x_n) &= \sum_{n=1}^N \psi(x)^T \psi(x_n) \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^N \sum_{i=1}^M \psi_i(x) \psi_i(x_n) \end{aligned}$$

$$\left| \sum_{n=1}^N k(x, x_n) = \sum \psi_i(x) \delta_{i,1} = \psi_1(x) = 1 \right.$$

3.2.1

The eigenvector equation for the  $M \times M$  real, symmetric  $A$  can be written as

$$A u_i = \lambda_i u_i$$

$\{u_i\}$  set of  $M$  orthonormal vectors, and  $\lambda_i$  the eigenvalues  $\{\lambda_i\}$

$$\ln |A| = \ln \prod_{i=1}^M \lambda_i = \sum_{i=1}^M \ln \lambda_i$$

$$\frac{d}{d\alpha} \ln |A| = \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{\lambda_i} \frac{d}{d\alpha} \lambda_i$$

From (3.127)

$$A = \sum_{i=1}^M \lambda_i u_i u_i^T$$

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$$A^{-1} = \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{Tr} \left( A^{-1} \frac{d}{d\alpha} A \right) = \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T \frac{d}{d\alpha} \sum_{j=1}^M n_j \mu_j \mu_j^T \right)$$

$$= \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^M \frac{dn_j}{d\alpha} \mu_j \mu_j^T + n_j (b_j \mu_j^T + \mu_j b_j^T) \right\} \right)$$

$$= \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T \sum_{j=1}^M \frac{dn_j}{d\alpha} \mu_j \mu_j^T \right)$$

$$(24) + \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T \sum_{j=1}^M n_j (b_j \mu_j^T + \mu_j b_j^T) \right)$$

$$b_j = \frac{d\mu_j}{d\alpha}$$

$$\text{Tr} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T \sum_{j=1}^M n_j (b_j \mu_j^T + \mu_j b_j^T) \right)$$

$$= \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{n_i} \mu_i \mu_i^T \sum_{j=1}^M 2n_j \mu_j b_j^T \right)$$

$$= \text{Tr} \left( \sum_{j=1}^M b_j \mu_j^T + \mu_j b_j^T \right)$$

$$= \text{Tr} \left( \frac{d}{d\alpha} \sum_{i=1}^M \mu_i \mu_i^T \right)$$

\* and  $\sum_{i=1}^M u_i u_i^T = I$

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$$\text{Tr} \left( A^{-1} \frac{d}{d\alpha} A \right) = \sum_{i=1}^M \frac{1}{u_i} \frac{du_i}{d\alpha}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{d\alpha} \ln p(t | \alpha, \beta) &= \frac{M}{2} \frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{1}{2} w_N^T w_N - \frac{1}{2} \text{Tr} \left( A^{-1} \frac{d}{d\alpha} A \right) \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{M}{\alpha} - w_N^T w_N - \text{Tr}(A^{-1}) \right) \end{aligned}$$

$$\boxed{\frac{d}{d\alpha} \ln p(t | \alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{M}{\alpha} - w_N^T w_N - \sum_i \frac{1}{\lambda_i + \alpha} \right)}$$

## 2. Programming (4)

(a) My experiment is really simple. It consisted on finding the variable that combined FTP and WE gives the smallest cost function.

Formula and Math steps used to get the ~~get~~ cost function <sup>to get</sup>

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \dots + \beta_k x_k + \epsilon.$$

$$\Rightarrow Y = X\beta + \epsilon.$$

where  $y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & x_{12} & \dots & x_{1n} \\ 1 & x_{21} & x_{22} & \dots & x_{2n} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{n1} & x_{n2} & \dots & x_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\beta = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_n \end{bmatrix}$$

and  $\epsilon = \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_1 \\ \epsilon_2 \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_n \end{bmatrix}$

$$\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y.$$

$$\hat{y} = X\hat{\beta}$$

cost function =  $\frac{1}{2n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y - y_i)^2$   
and then Find all the cost functions for all the different possibilities

After experiment the variable with smallest cost function  
is. LIC

using  $\hat{\beta} = (X'X)^{-1}X'y$ . we get for LIC

$$\beta_0 = -58.1244 \quad \beta_1 = 0.1847 \quad \beta_2 = 0.1068 \\ \beta_3 = 0.0165.$$

The final equation is

$$y = -58.1244 + 0.1847 * FTP + 0.1068 * WE + 0.0165 * LIC$$