

Homework 2

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Question 1

Part a

```
rm(list = ls())
library(mlbench)
data(BostonHousing2)
BH = BostonHousing2[, !(colnames(BostonHousing2) %in% c("medv", "town", "tract"))]

# Get some basic informations
dim(BH)
```

```
## [1] 506 16
```

```
names(BH)
```

```
## [1] "lon"      "lat"      "cmedv"    "crim"     "zn"       "indus"    "chas"
## [8] "nox"      "rm"       "age"      "dis"      "rad"      "tax"      "ptratio"
## [15] "b"        "lstat"
```

```
# Fit a LM model
full.model <- lm(cmedv~., data = BH)
summary(full.model)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = cmedv ~ ., data = BH)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -15.5831  -2.7643  -0.5994   1.7482  26.0822
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -4.350e+02  3.032e+02  -1.435  0.152029
## lon         -3.935e+00  3.372e+00  -1.167  0.243770
## lat          4.495e+00  3.669e+00   1.225  0.221055
## crim        -1.045e-01  3.261e-02  -3.206  0.001436 **
## zn           4.657e-02  1.374e-02   3.390  0.000755 ***
## indus        1.524e-02  6.175e-02   0.247  0.805106
## chas1        2.578e+00  8.650e-01   2.980  0.003024 **
## nox         -1.582e+01  4.005e+00  -3.951  8.93e-05 ***
## rm           3.754e+00  4.166e-01   9.011  < 2e-16 ***
```

```
## age          2.468e-03  1.335e-02   0.185 0.853440
## dis         -1.400e+00  2.088e-01  -6.704 5.61e-11 ***
## rad          3.067e-01  6.658e-02   4.607 5.23e-06 ***
## tax         -1.289e-02  3.727e-03  -3.458 0.000592 ***
## ptratio     -8.771e-01  1.363e-01  -6.436 2.92e-10 ***
## b            9.176e-03  2.663e-03   3.446 0.000618 ***
## lstat       -5.374e-01  5.042e-02 -10.660 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.7 on 490 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7458, Adjusted R-squared:  0.738
## F-statistic: 95.82 on 15 and 490 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

The most significant variables according to P value are: 1. rm

2. lstat

Part b

```
p <- dim(BH)[2]
```

```
test <- step(full.model, k = log(p))
```

```
## Start:  AIC=1594.28
## cmedv ~ lon + lat + crim + zn + indus + chas + nox + rm + age +
##       dis + rad + tax + ptratio + b + lstat
##
##           Df Sum of Sq  RSS    AIC
## - age      1      0.75 10826 1591.5
## - indus    1      1.35 10826 1591.6
## - lon      1     30.09 10855 1592.9
## - lat      1     33.17 10858 1593.0
## <none>                 10825 1594.3
## - chas     1     196.21 11021 1600.6
## - crim     1     227.01 11052 1602.0
## - zn       1     253.89 11079 1603.2
## - b        1     262.35 11087 1603.6
## - tax      1     264.16 11089 1603.7
## - nox      1     344.85 11170 1607.4
## - rad      1     468.79 11294 1613.0
## - ptratio  1     915.13 11740 1632.6
## - dis      1     992.75 11818 1635.9
## - rm       1    1793.75 12619 1669.1
## - lstat    1    2510.61 13336 1697.0
##
## Step:  AIC=1591.54
## cmedv ~ lon + lat + crim + zn + indus + chas + nox + rm + dis +
##       rad + tax + ptratio + b + lstat
##
##           Df Sum of Sq  RSS    AIC
```

```

## - indus      1      1.42 10827 1588.8
## - lon       1      29.36 10855 1590.1
## - lat       1      33.69 10859 1590.3
## <none>              10826 1591.5
## - chas      1     199.53 11025 1598.0
## - crim      1     227.26 11053 1599.3
## - zn        1     253.44 11079 1600.5
## - tax       1     263.54 11089 1600.9
## - b         1     264.77 11090 1601.0
## - nox       1     352.01 11178 1605.0
## - rad       1     468.06 11294 1610.2
## - ptratio   1     914.57 11740 1629.8
## - dis       1    1122.29 11948 1638.7
## - rm        1    1905.55 12731 1670.8
## - lstat     1    2804.14 13630 1705.3
##
## Step:  AIC=1588.83
## cmedv ~ lon + lat + crim + zn + chas + nox + rm + dis + rad +
##      tax + ptratio + b + lstat
##
##           Df Sum of Sq  RSS    AIC
## - lon      1      32.13 10859 1587.6
## - lat      1      33.34 10860 1587.6
## <none>              10827 1588.8
## - chas     1     203.29 11030 1595.5
## - crim     1     228.39 11056 1596.6
## - zn       1     252.83 11080 1597.7
## - b        1     263.94 11091 1598.2
## - tax      1     303.69 11131 1600.1
## - nox      1     372.59 11200 1603.2
## - rad      1     495.77 11323 1608.7
## - ptratio  1     929.67 11757 1627.7
## - dis      1    1173.09 12000 1638.1
## - rm       1    1915.38 12742 1668.5
## - lstat    1    2813.97 13641 1703.0
##
## Step:  AIC=1587.56
## cmedv ~ lat + crim + zn + chas + nox + rm + dis + rad + tax +
##      ptratio + b + lstat
##
##           Df Sum of Sq  RSS    AIC
## - lat      1      24.92 10884 1586.0
## <none>              10859 1587.6
## - chas     1     235.62 11095 1595.7
## - crim     1     240.30 11100 1595.9
## - b        1     258.02 11117 1596.7
## - zn       1     281.72 11141 1597.8
## - tax      1     288.66 11148 1598.1
## - nox      1     504.45 11364 1607.8
## - rad      1     511.62 11371 1608.1
## - ptratio  1    1137.60 11997 1635.2
## - dis      1    1406.62 12266 1646.4
## - rm       1    1946.89 12806 1668.2
## - lstat    1    2810.02 13669 1701.2

```

```
##
## Step:  AIC=1585.95
## cmedv ~ crim + zn + chas + nox + rm + dis + rad + tax + ptratio +
##      b + lstat
##
##           Df Sum of Sq  RSS   AIC
## <none>                10884 1586.0
## - chas      1    228.64 11113 1593.7
## - crim      1    237.49 11122 1594.1
## - b         1    265.68 11150 1595.4
## - zn        1    272.12 11156 1595.7
## - tax       1    287.68 11172 1596.4
## - rad       1    490.76 11375 1605.5
## - nox       1    538.23 11422 1607.6
## - ptratio   1   1132.44 12017 1633.3
## - dis       1   1502.93 12387 1648.6
## - rm        1   1940.06 12824 1666.2
## - lstat     1   2785.20 13669 1698.5
```

The variables removed from full model after stepwise regression with BIC criteria are: 1. age

2. indus

3. lon

4. lat

Part c

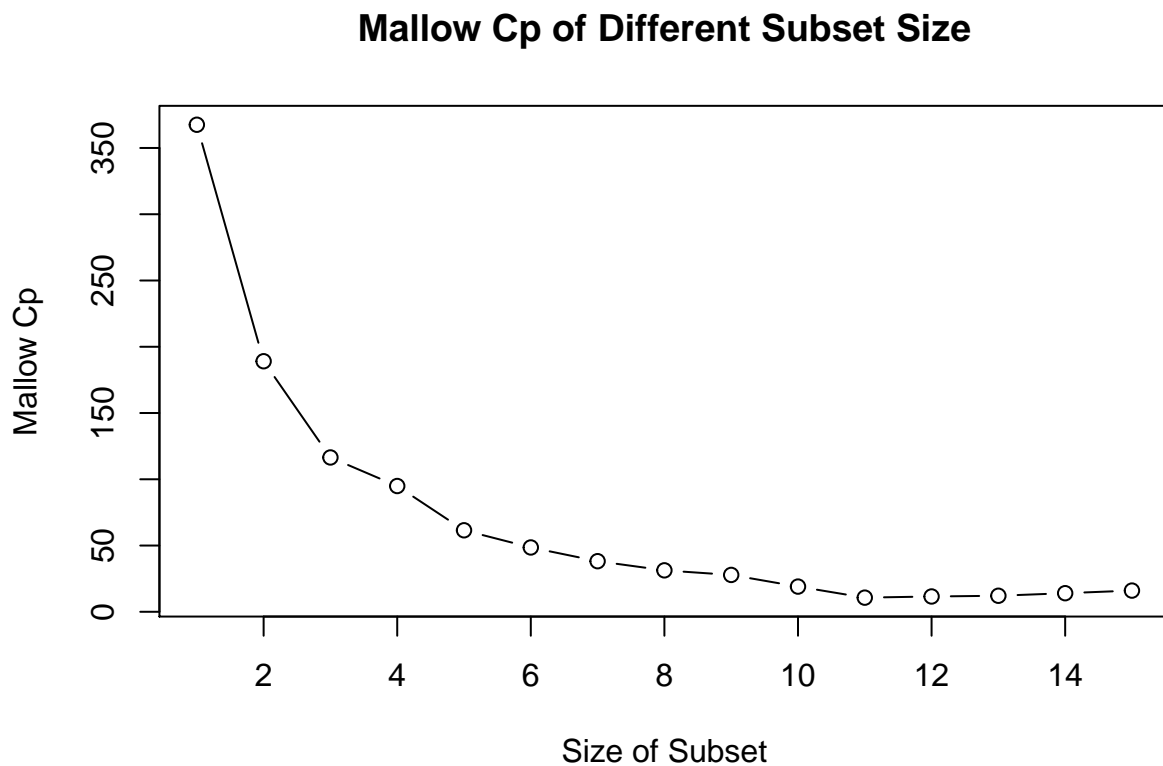
```
library(leaps)
b = regsubsets(cmedv ~ ., data = BH, nvmax = p)
rs = summary(b)
rs$which
```

```
##      (Intercept)   lon   lat  crim    zn indus chas1  nox    rm  age  dis
## 1      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## 2      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE FALSE FALSE
## 3      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE FALSE FALSE
## 4      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 5      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 6      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 7      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 8      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 9      TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 10     TRUE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 11     TRUE FALSE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 12     TRUE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 13     TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 14     TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE FALSE  TRUE
## 15     TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE  TRUE
##      rad  tax ptratio    b lstat
## 1 FALSE FALSE  FALSE FALSE  TRUE
```

```
## 2 FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE TRUE
## 3 FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE
## 4 FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE
## 5 FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE
## 6 FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE TRUE
## 7 FALSE FALSE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 8 FALSE FALSE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 9 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 10 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 11 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 12 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 13 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 14 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
## 15 TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE TRUE
```

Part d

```
row <- rs$which[1,]
names <- names(BH)
xlabel <- c(1:15)
plot(x = xlabel, y = rs$cp, type="b", main="Mallow Cp of Different Subset Size", xlab = "Size of Subset
```



```
rs$which[11,]
```

```
## (Intercept)      lon      lat      crim      zn      indus
##      TRUE      FALSE      FALSE      TRUE      TRUE      FALSE
##      chas1      nox      rm      age      dis      rad
##      TRUE      TRUE      TRUE      FALSE      TRUE      TRUE
##      tax      ptratio      b      lstat
##      TRUE      TRUE      TRUE      TRUE
```

The best model is when model size is 11. Remaining variables are: crim, zn, chas1, nox, rm, dis, rad, tax, ptratio, b, lstat

```
SubData <- BostonHousing2[, (colnames(BostonHousing2) %in% c("cmedv", "crim", "zn", "chas1", "nox", "rm",
head(SubData)
```

```
##   cmedv   crim zn   nox   rm   dis rad tax ptratio   b lstat
## 1  24.0 0.00632 18 0.538 6.575 4.0900 1 296 15.3 396.90 4.98
## 2  21.6 0.02731 0 0.469 6.421 4.9671 2 242 17.8 396.90 9.14
## 3  34.7 0.02729 0 0.469 7.185 4.9671 2 242 17.8 392.83 4.03
## 4  33.4 0.03237 0 0.458 6.998 6.0622 3 222 18.7 394.63 2.94
## 5  36.2 0.06905 0 0.458 7.147 6.0622 3 222 18.7 396.90 5.33
## 6  28.7 0.02985 0 0.458 6.430 6.0622 3 222 18.7 394.12 5.21
```

```
summary(lm(cmedv ~ ., data=SubData))
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = cmedv ~ ., data = SubData)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -13.3325  -2.7562  -0.5958   1.9273  26.3651
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  36.524865   5.068796   7.206 2.17e-12 ***
## crim        -0.112317   0.032745  -3.430 0.000654 ***
## zn           0.046996   0.013528   3.474 0.000558 ***
## nox        -16.407119   3.525175  -4.654 4.18e-06 ***
## rm           3.821857   0.406256   9.408 < 2e-16 ***
## dis        -1.553761   0.185510  -8.376 5.70e-16 ***
## rad           0.312528   0.063230   4.943 1.06e-06 ***
## tax        -0.012976   0.003362  -3.860 0.000129 ***
## ptratio     -0.949052   0.128728  -7.373 7.09e-13 ***
## b           0.009643   0.002671   3.610 0.000338 ***
## lstat      -0.534008   0.047412 -11.263 < 2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.738 on 495 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.739, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7337
## F-statistic: 140.2 on 10 and 495 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

After removing insignificant variables, the most significant variables are :

1. rm
2. lstat

Question 2

```
rm(list=ls())
library(MASS)
set.seed(1)
n <- 200
p <- 200

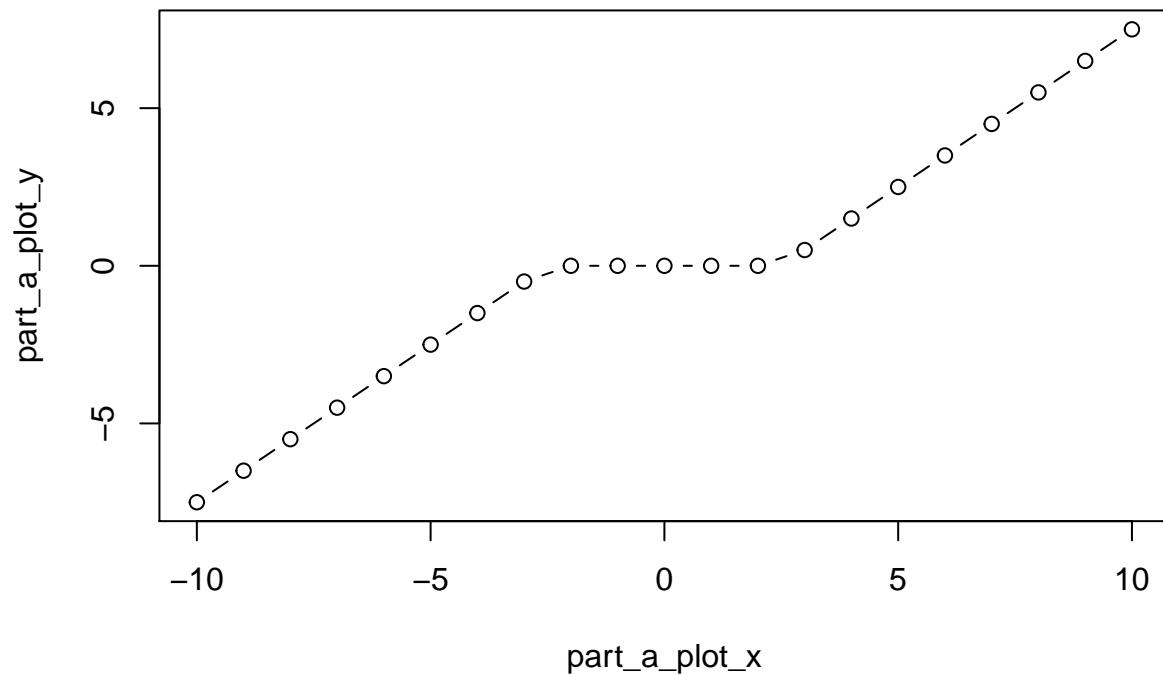
# generate data
V <- matrix(0.2, p, p)
diag(V) <- 1
X <- as.matrix(mvrnorm(n, mu = rep(0, p), Sigma = V))
y <- X[, 1] + 0.5*X[, 2] + 0.25*X[, 3] + rnorm(n)

# we will use a scaled version
X <- scale(X)
y <- scale(y)
```

Part a

```
soft_th <- function(b, lambda){
  sign(b) * max(abs(b)-lambda/2, 0);
}

part_a_plot_x <- c(-10:10)
part_a_plot_y <- list()
for(i in c(1:length(part_a_plot_x)))
{
  part_a_plot_y[i] <- soft_th(part_a_plot_x[i], 5)
}
plot(part_a_plot_x, part_a_plot_y, type <- "b")
```



Part b

```

beta_old <- rep(0, p)
update_beta <- function(beta, lambda, X, y, printable)
{
  current_beta <- beta;
  r <- y-X%*%beta
  for(i in 1:length(current_beta))
  {
    r = r+ X[,i]*current_beta[i]
    current_beta[i] = soft_th(X[,i]%*%r, lambda*ncol(X))/(t(X[,i]%*%X[,i]))
    r = r-X[,i]*current_beta[i]
    r <- y-X%*%current_beta
    if(i<=3 && printable)
    {
      cat("Obrvation of r: ", i, "\n")
      print(c(r))
    }
  }
  return <-current_beta
}
a = update_beta(beta_old, 0.7, X, y, TRUE)

```

```
## Obrvation of r: 1
```



```

## [1] -0.1732248160 0.0420159502 0.1017413893 -0.7190409534 0.8735648528
## [6] 0.3043390600 1.5503897913 0.5914017304 -0.2693232724 -0.7999729342
## [11] -0.6818717787 0.5079830534 -1.1633191170 0.9688017899 -0.9794257473
## [16] 0.4225879617 1.1081421403 -0.3156059563 -1.0970589191 -0.3271211892
## [21] -0.4622883491 -1.3908223009 -1.3295801037 -0.3894549681 -0.0255554232
## [26] -1.4118107691 0.1894732829 2.1611294225 -0.0298275861 0.0852998151
## [31] -0.4459571604 1.9615653392 -0.7954281586 -0.3092378168 0.7059809402
## [36] 0.4629458583 -1.1288951338 0.0884962406 -0.0532806694 -0.5047273356
## [41] -0.5000061093 1.0205571751 0.4867703214 -0.5852535770 0.6052498628
## [46] -0.0879819949 -0.6241886988 0.4138138991 0.1171855528 -0.7370632183
## [51] 0.1799611854 0.2395890119 -0.4353521252 0.4071855453 -0.4541504673
## [56] -0.9260570476 -0.3947275004 0.0052101059 -1.1888943738 -0.2497149380
## [61] -1.6025001712 -1.1162071692 -1.0214247291 0.0753905095 0.3556351120
## [66] -0.9642238275 1.0210046942 -1.2718623800 0.0081743843 0.5359956784
## [71] 0.4218509015 0.3375661249 -0.1486921898 0.5237373709 0.3663538101
## [76] 0.6213726132 -0.3053890679 -0.7394843237 -0.5884643249 2.1275937180
## [81] -0.2371954547 1.9505948639 -0.3501185135 2.0307462747 1.3369680729
## [86] 0.1822922785 -0.3135356767 -0.3724899490 0.2704827710 0.2289949076
## [91] -0.2402292780 -0.6305157116 -0.8964669069 0.5605898657 -0.6921811218
## [96] -0.3289906484 -0.4621565795 -0.3765847464 1.1890883772 1.0437079605
## [101] 0.9637565479 0.5220322942 -0.8316114016 0.8346767395 -0.9354648061
## [106] -0.7975758609 -2.0326058116 -0.5693907224 -0.3015305706 -0.7411136048
## [111] -0.4068442225 0.1812417606 -0.2956630841 -0.6439320317 -0.5077425522
## [116] 0.1244277272 -0.3106782657 -0.1914507410 -0.0502843569 -0.3713660103
## [121] 0.4901625161 0.7798041635 -0.5761134297 0.7480087944 -0.5730341085
## [126] 1.3249910360 1.1485287261 -1.1858135230 0.5575931757 -0.8449040174
## [131] 0.0336300022 -0.8368536471 0.5899360596 0.3172054440 -1.0196181899
## [136] 1.5690933417 0.2155800925 -0.6798071745 0.0255887080 0.8911107790
## [141] 0.1710874556 -0.0005850383 0.5204731950 1.0932089437 -0.4595836670
## [146] 0.8386680889 -1.3484513128 1.2933431646 0.7085560111 1.0601727115
## [151] -0.2759870560 -0.1484081333 -0.4195945340 0.6412570205 1.3592933892
## [156] -0.0392419103 -0.5925756281 0.5070265016 0.7187171660 0.0189690173
## [161] -0.2616882198 0.3675901004 0.1481630956 -0.2335605960 0.9909879885
## [166] -1.5486344501 -1.2154010826 0.4529784058 -0.3570059117 0.2200198505
## [171] -0.4959727414 0.3518812356 0.4016313396 -0.5245097039 0.7864117757
## [176] -0.3905440521 -1.5176221661 -1.4992827151 0.2436098174 -0.1487278477
## [181] 0.9374834744 -0.1143371495 0.1477487198 0.8977124799 -1.2726361333
## [186] -0.2316854754 -0.6218504219 0.2333298967 0.1662430937 0.1936489031
## [191] -0.2527393941 -0.7543181277 1.2890207543 0.4996340247 1.7384160367
## [196] 0.1710833742 0.2206195699 0.1661604430 1.4315116331 -0.0202732725
## Observation of r: 2
## [1] -0.0778719330 0.1462448282 0.1576183753 -0.6386927853 0.7017861214
## [6] 0.2821582791 1.4642109899 0.5099568920 -0.3129919583 -0.8448934262
## [11] -0.5128195822 0.5410094658 -1.1522049299 0.7988161370 -0.8473630701
## [16] 0.4982688430 1.0231786398 -0.3863871229 -1.0444752639 -0.4165628355
## [21] -0.4667624777 -1.3698527994 -1.2959965039 -0.4066916399 -0.0425985044
## [26] -1.2934998490 0.1152721273 1.9861322497 0.0029177384 0.2293051444
## [31] -0.4911115640 1.8984550406 -0.7827626900 -0.2916580657 0.8410866075
## [36] 0.4835737464 -1.0178453619 0.0585766635 0.0216586169 -0.4839968249
## [41] -0.5472627749 0.8722722727 0.5294123881 -0.5473446819 0.4285696705
## [46] -0.1879268690 -0.5648223828 0.4034933230 0.1093268156 -0.6008592051
## [51] 0.3297371627 0.2358271006 -0.5382788508 0.3441676851 -0.3521256832
## [56] -0.8458061261 -0.4901636105 0.0115083314 -1.0886150247 -0.2412133362
## [61] -1.4522037330 -1.0212441809 -1.0349841091 0.0372360149 0.4294521283

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```

## [66] -0.8093210875  0.9074852400 -1.2230477457 -0.0489291419  0.5795263060
## [71]  0.3911637377  0.3840320595 -0.1741223400  0.4442190361  0.3356239129
## [76]  0.6491041807 -0.3176856600 -0.6724241362 -0.6374801176  2.1247959783
## [81] -0.2943092646  1.8537011916 -0.2244468875  1.9639627285  1.3226473048
## [86]  0.1400726412 -0.2308983629 -0.3826003534  0.2170102423  0.2649676393
## [91] -0.2154780388 -0.5575712984 -0.8283400153  0.4767692474 -0.4903652468
## [96] -0.2712797042 -0.3949519729 -0.2678311872  1.1205455105  0.8903435411
## [101]  0.9525434606  0.5162440040 -0.6045225009  0.6940899894 -0.9334806114
## [106] -0.6989701586 -1.8686414392 -0.3619375899 -0.2935372169 -0.7071951164
## [111] -0.4715281004  0.1565633260 -0.2847683710 -0.6490492431 -0.3752062803
## [116]  0.1350501976 -0.3193632457 -0.2514927429 -0.0172811679 -0.2339102270
## [121]  0.5598243231  0.9180845951 -0.4858398739  0.5950353115 -0.4786899906
## [126]  1.3115365170  1.0288636274 -1.2623712707  0.5205101608 -0.8675494406
## [131] -0.0432292995 -0.7779365753  0.4792063172  0.3468894294 -1.0225911616
## [136]  1.4492951597  0.1648482809 -0.5941595793  0.0369103809  0.8915186479
## [141]  0.1059075555 -0.0074025370  0.4027428819  0.9498073395 -0.5744628720
## [146]  0.7123297104 -1.1322879514  1.1739602324  0.6973263708  1.0385793580
## [151] -0.1935488588 -0.1797454263 -0.3440201579  0.5377822341  1.3430360463
## [156] -0.0873464917 -0.4834086398  0.4755979426  0.6708799822  0.0199035957
## [161] -0.2662991033  0.4122704199  0.1096018455 -0.2340020697  0.8327312175
## [166] -1.5274413836 -1.0937778201  0.4765903117 -0.3621414621  0.1024878310
## [171] -0.3950573435  0.2775350167  0.3712493619 -0.6602079700  0.6188914627
## [176] -0.4389077768 -1.4486895886 -1.4626021549  0.2801111409  0.0008485366
## [181]  0.9403161831 -0.0029126007  0.0719572172  0.7803684134 -1.1278227144
## [186] -0.3576253425 -0.6360190253  0.1436849005  0.0478617338  0.1283461044
## [191] -0.2509829528 -0.7143911147  1.2959706914  0.5867198404  1.5088009226
## [196]  0.1294935267  0.3680433780  0.0768735710  1.3182956889 -0.0057893126
## Observation of r: 3
## [1] -0.0778719330  0.1462448282  0.1576183753 -0.6386927853  0.7017861214
## [6]  0.2821582791  1.4642109899  0.5099568920 -0.3129919583 -0.8448934262
## [11] -0.5128195822  0.5410094658 -1.1522049299  0.7988161370 -0.8473630701
## [16]  0.4982688430  1.0231786398 -0.3863871229 -1.0444752639 -0.4165628355
## [21] -0.4667624777 -1.3698527994 -1.2959965039 -0.4066916399 -0.0425985044
## [26] -1.2934998490  0.1152721273  1.9861322497  0.0029177384  0.2293051444
## [31] -0.4911115640  1.8984550406 -0.7827626900 -0.2916580657  0.8410866075
## [36]  0.4835737464 -1.0178453619  0.0585766635  0.0216586169 -0.4839968249
## [41] -0.5472627749  0.8722722727  0.5294123881 -0.5473446819  0.4285696705
## [46] -0.1879268690 -0.5648223828  0.4034933230  0.1093268156 -0.6008592051
## [51]  0.3297371627  0.2358271006 -0.5382788508  0.3441676851 -0.3521256832
## [56] -0.8458061261 -0.4901636105  0.0115083314 -1.0886150247 -0.2412133362
## [61] -1.4522037330 -1.0212441809 -1.0349841091  0.0372360149  0.4294521283
## [66] -0.8093210875  0.9074852400 -1.2230477457 -0.0489291419  0.5795263060
## [71]  0.3911637377  0.3840320595 -0.1741223400  0.4442190361  0.3356239129
## [76]  0.6491041807 -0.3176856600 -0.6724241362 -0.6374801176  2.1247959783
## [81] -0.2943092646  1.8537011916 -0.2244468875  1.9639627285  1.3226473048
## [86]  0.1400726412 -0.2308983629 -0.3826003534  0.2170102423  0.2649676393
## [91] -0.2154780388 -0.5575712984 -0.8283400153  0.4767692474 -0.4903652468
## [96] -0.2712797042 -0.3949519729 -0.2678311872  1.1205455105  0.8903435411
## [101]  0.9525434606  0.5162440040 -0.6045225009  0.6940899894 -0.9334806114
## [106] -0.6989701586 -1.8686414392 -0.3619375899 -0.2935372169 -0.7071951164
## [111] -0.4715281004  0.1565633260 -0.2847683710 -0.6490492431 -0.3752062803
## [116]  0.1350501976 -0.3193632457 -0.2514927429 -0.0172811679 -0.2339102270
## [121]  0.5598243231  0.9180845951 -0.4858398739  0.5950353115 -0.4786899906
## [126]  1.3115365170  1.0288636274 -1.2623712707  0.5205101608 -0.8675494406

```

```
## [131] -0.0432292995 -0.7779365753 0.4792063172 0.3468894294 -1.0225911616
## [136] 1.4492951597 0.1648482809 -0.5941595793 0.0369103809 0.8915186479
## [141] 0.1059075555 -0.0074025370 0.4027428819 0.9498073395 -0.5744628720
## [146] 0.7123297104 -1.1322879514 1.1739602324 0.6973263708 1.0385793580
## [151] -0.1935488588 -0.1797454263 -0.3440201579 0.5377822341 1.3430360463
## [156] -0.0873464917 -0.4834086398 0.4755979426 0.6708799822 0.0199035957
## [161] -0.2662991033 0.4122704199 0.1096018455 -0.2340020697 0.8327312175
## [166] -1.5274413836 -1.0937778201 0.4765903117 -0.3621414621 0.1024878310
## [171] -0.3950573435 0.2775350167 0.3712493619 -0.6602079700 0.6188914627
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## [181] 0.9403161831 -0.0029126007 0.0719572172 0.7803684134 -1.1278227144
## [186] -0.3576253425 -0.6360190253 0.1436849005 0.0478617338 0.1283461044
## [191] -0.2509829528 -0.7143911147 1.2959706914 0.5867198404 1.5088009226
## [196] 0.1294935267 0.3680433780 0.0768735710 1.3182956889 -0.0057893126
```

```
cat("Value of beta after one loop: \n")
```

```
## Value of beta after one loop:
```

```
print(a)
```

```
## [1] 0.35120464 0.08904678 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [7] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [13] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [19] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [25] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [31] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [37] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [43] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [49] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [55] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [61] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [67] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [73] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [79] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [85] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [91] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [97] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [103] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [109] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [115] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [121] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [127] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [133] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [139] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [145] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [151] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [157] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [163] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [169] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [175] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [181] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [187] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
```

```
## [193] 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000 0.00000000
## [199] 0.00000000 0.00000000
```

Part c

```
myLasso <- function(X, y, lambda, tol, maxitr)
{
  old_beta = rep(0, p);
  for( i in 1:maxitr)
  {
    cat("Iteration: ", i, "\n")
    new_beta = update_beta(old_beta, lambda, X, y, FALSE);
    residule = sum(abs(new_beta-old_beta))
    if(i<=3)
    {
      print(residule)
    }
    if(residule < tol){
      cat("Terminated after ", i, " ietrations", "\n")
      break;
    }

    old_beta = new_beta;
  }
  return <- old_beta
}

myfit <- myLasso(X, y, 0.3, 1e-5, 100)
```

```
## Iteration: 1
## [1] 0.8882459
## Iteration: 2
## [1] 0.1139365
## Iteration: 3
## [1] 0.01282938
## Iteration: 4
## Iteration: 5
## Iteration: 6
## Iteration: 7
## Iteration: 8
## Iteration: 9
## Terminated after 9 ietrations
```

```
for(i in 1:length(myfit))
{
  if(myfit[i]!=0)
  {
    cat(i, myfit[i], "\n");
  }
}
```

```
## 1 0.4574072
## 2 0.2257711
## 3 0.1141653
## 14 0.0005767683
## 118 0.01112198
## 137 0.004317203
```

Part d

```
library(glmnet)
```

```
## Loading required package: Matrix
```

```
## Loading required package: foreach
```

```
## Loaded glmnet 2.0-18
```

```
lasso = glmnet(X, y, alpha=1, lambda=0.15)
summary(lasso$beta)
```

```
## 200 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix", with 6 entries
##      i j      x
## 1    1 1 0.4576113537
## 2    2 1 0.2259454383
## 3    3 1 0.1142807376
## 4   14 1 0.0007967669
## 5  118 1 0.0113352128
## 6  137 1 0.0044930898
```

```
distance <- sum(abs(myfit-lasso$beta))
cat("The distance between my implementation and glmnet is: ", distance, "\n")
```

```
## The distance between my implementation and glmnet is: 0.001103005
```

Question 3

Part a

```
rm(list=ls())
# Read data into R
data <- read.csv('Train.csv', header=TRUE)

str(data)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 8523 obs. of 12 variables:
## $ Item_Identifier : Factor w/ 1559 levels "DRA12","DRA24",...: 157 9 663 1122 1298 759 697 ...
## $ Item_Weight : num 9.3 5.92 17.5 19.2 8.93 ...
## $ Item_Fat_Content : Factor w/ 5 levels "LF","low fat",...: 3 5 3 5 3 5 5 3 5 5 ...
## $ Item_Visibility : num 0.016 0.0193 0.0168 0 0 ...
## $ Item_Type : Factor w/ 16 levels "Baking Goods",...: 5 15 11 7 10 1 14 14 6 6 ...
## $ Item_MRP : num 249.8 48.3 141.6 182.1 53.9 ...
## $ Outlet_Identifier : Factor w/ 10 levels "OUT010","OUT013",...: 10 4 10 1 2 4 2 6 8 3 ...
## $ Outlet_Establishment_Year: int 1999 2009 1999 1998 1987 2009 1987 1985 2002 2007 ...
## $ Outlet_Size : Factor w/ 4 levels "", "High", "Medium",...: 3 3 3 1 2 3 2 3 1 1 ...
## $ Outlet_Location_Type : Factor w/ 3 levels "Tier 1", "Tier 2",...: 1 3 1 3 3 3 3 2 2 ...
## $ Outlet_Type : Factor w/ 4 levels "Grocery Store",...: 2 3 2 1 2 3 2 4 2 2 ...
## $ Item_Outlet_Sales : num 3735 443 2097 732 995 ...
```

```
# Remove item identifier
data <- data[, !(colnames(data) %in% c("Item_Identifier"))]

# Convert labels to factor and back to variables
data <- data.matrix(data)

data <- data.frame(data)

# Omit rows with NA
data <- na.omit(data)
str(data)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 7060 obs. of 11 variables:
## $ Item_Weight : num 9.3 5.92 17.5 19.2 8.93 ...
## $ Item_Fat_Content : num 3 5 3 5 3 5 5 5 3 ...
## $ Item_Visibility : num 0.016 0.0193 0.0168 0 0 ...
## $ Item_Type : num 5 15 11 7 10 1 14 6 6 7 ...
## $ Item_MRP : num 249.8 48.3 141.6 182.1 53.9 ...
## $ Outlet_Identifier : num 10 4 10 1 2 4 2 8 3 10 ...
## $ Outlet_Establishment_Year: num 1999 2009 1999 1998 1987 ...
## $ Outlet_Size : num 3 3 3 1 2 3 2 1 1 3 ...
## $ Outlet_Location_Type : num 1 3 1 3 3 3 3 2 2 1 ...
## $ Outlet_Type : num 2 3 2 1 2 3 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ Item_Outlet_Sales : num 3735 443 2097 732 995 ...
## - attr(*, "na.action")= 'omit' Named int 8 19 22 24 30 37 39 40 50 60 ...
## ..- attr(*, "names")= chr "8" "19" "22" "24" ...
```

Part b

```
set.seed(1)

sample <- sample.int(n = nrow(data), size = floor(.5*nrow(data)), replace = F)
train <- data[sample, ]
test <- data[-sample, ]

train.x <- data.matrix(train[, !(colnames(train) %in% c("Item_Outlet_Sales"))])
train.y <- log(data.matrix(train["Item_Outlet_Sales"]))
```

```
test.x <- data.matrix(test[, !(colnames(test) %in% c("Item_Outlet_Sales"))])
test.y <- log(data.matrix(test["Item_Outlet_Sales"]))
```

```
ridgefit <- cv.glmnet(train.x, train.y, alpha=0, nfold=10)
lassofit <- cv.glmnet(train.x, train.y, alpha=1, nfold=10)
ridgefit$lambda.min
```

```
## [1] 0.05257717
```

```
ridgefit$lambda.1se
```

```
## [1] 0.1333023
```

```
lassofit$lambda.min
```

```
## [1] 0.001497417
```

```
lassofit$lambda.1se
```

```
## [1] 0.02440416
```

```
ridgemin <- glmnet(train.x, train.y, alpha=0, lambda = ridgefit$lambda.min)
ridge1se <- glmnet(train.x, train.y, alpha=0, lambda = ridgefit$lambda.1se)
lassomin <- glmnet(train.x, train.y, alpha=1, lambda = lassofit$lambda.min)
lasso1se <- glmnet(train.x, train.y, alpha=1, lambda = lassofit$lambda.1se)
```

```
ridgemin$beta
```

```
## 10 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
##              s0
## Item_Weight      0.0005509006
## Item_Fat_Content 0.0033666419
## Item_Visibility -0.9581375173
## Item_Type        0.0014921894
## Item_MRP         0.0078288681
## Outlet_Identifier 0.0098547401
## Outlet_Establishment_Year -0.0206724879
## Outlet_Size      -0.0651964149
## Outlet_Location_Type -0.3414734687
## Outlet_Type       0.8522234391
```

```
ridge1se$beta
```

```
## 10 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
##              s0
## Item_Weight      0.000502291
## Item_Fat_Content 0.003600006
## Item_Visibility -1.050668682
## Item_Type        0.001601850
```

```
## Item_MRP                0.007230635
## Outlet_Identifier        0.022227324
## Outlet_Establishment_Year -0.015531267
## Outlet_Size             -0.038477416
## Outlet_Location_Type     -0.251602855
## Outlet_Type              0.709806014
```

```
lassomin$beta
```

```
## 10 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
##                                     s0
## Item_Weight                0.0002962009
## Item_Fat_Content           0.0011092512
## Item_Visibility            -0.8081572394
## Item_Type                  0.0010118155
## Item_MRP                   0.0082531465
## Outlet_Identifier          -0.0102995760
## Outlet_Establishment_Year -0.0253999034
## Outlet_Size                -0.0879302724
## Outlet_Location_Type       -0.4565892925
## Outlet_Type                0.9919375826
```

```
lassoise$beta
```

```
## 10 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"
##                                     s0
## Item_Weight                .
## Item_Fat_Content           .
## Item_Visibility            -0.593958585
## Item_Type                  .
## Item_MRP                   0.007895232
## Outlet_Identifier          .
## Outlet_Establishment_Year -0.015803706
## Outlet_Size                -0.024585425
## Outlet_Location_Type       -0.332616948
## Outlet_Type                0.789088754
```

```
y_ridgemin <- predict.glmnet(ridgemin, test.x)
y_ridge1se <- predict.glmnet(ridge1se, test.x)
y_lassomin <- predict.glmnet(lassomin, test.x)
y_lassoise <- predict.glmnet(lassoise, test.x)
```

```
sqrt(sum((test.y-y_ridgemin)^2))
```

```
## [1] 36.93921
```

```
sqrt(sum((test.y-y_ridge1se)^2))
```

```
## [1] 37.5652
```



```
sqrt(sum((test.y-y_lassomin)^2))
```

```
## [1] 36.65874
```

```
sqrt(sum((test.y-y_lasso1se)^2))
```

```
## [1] 37.08499
```

Comparing mse of all predictions, the best model is lasso regresion with minimal lambda 1.183442