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### 3. Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC)

$$BIC = \frac{1}{n\hat{\sigma}^2} \left( RSS + \log(n) d\hat{\sigma}^2 \right)$$
heavier penalty

we are penalizing models of higher dimensionality (larger d, greater penalty)  $\implies$  choose the model which has **minimum** BIC

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### 4. Adjusted R-squared value

Adjust the regular  $\mathbb{R}^2$  by taking into account number of predictors

Adjusted-
$$R^2 = 1 - \frac{\text{RSS}/(n-d-1)}{\text{TSS}/(n-1)}$$

 $\Longrightarrow$  choose the model which has **maximum** Adjusted- $R^2$