

PSTAT 126 HW 5

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1. Using the `divusa` dataset in the `faraway` package with `divorce` as the response and the other variables as predictors, implement the following variable selection methods to determine the “best” model:

```
# install.packages('faraway')
library(faraway)
```

(a) Stepwise regression with AIC

```
library(faraway)
data(divusa)
model <- lm(divorce ~ year + unemployed + femlab + marriage + birth + military, data = divusa)
reduced <- lm(divorce ~ 1, data = divusa)
step(reduced, scope = list(lower = reduced, upper = model))
```

```
## Start:  AIC=268.19
```

```
## divorce ~ 1
```

```
##
```

	Df	Sum of Sq	RSS	AIC
## + femlab	1	2024.42	418.10	134.28
## + year	1	1888.22	554.31	155.99
## + birth	1	1272.98	1169.54	213.48
## + marriage	1	697.17	1745.36	244.31
## + unemployed	1	108.33	2334.19	266.69
## <none>			2442.53	268.19
## + military	1	0.84	2441.68	270.16

```
##
```

```
## Step:  AIC=134.28
```

```
## divorce ~ femlab
```

```
##
```

	Df	Sum of Sq	RSS	AIC
## + birth	1	113.73	304.38	111.83
## + year	1	29.70	388.41	130.60
## + marriage	1	13.34	404.76	133.78
## <none>			418.10	134.28
## + military	1	1.93	416.17	135.92
## + unemployed	1	1.48	416.62	136.00
## - femlab	1	2024.42	2442.53	268.19

```
##
```

```
## Step:  AIC=111.83
```

```
## divorce ~ femlab + birth
```

```
##
```

	Df	Sum of Sq	RSS	AIC
## + marriage	1	94.54	209.84	85.196

```

## + unemployed 1      44.43  259.94 101.683
## + year      1      15.54  288.84 109.798
## <none>              304.38 111.834
## + military  1       0.87  303.50 113.613
## - birth     1     113.73  418.10 134.278
## - femlab    1     865.16 1169.54 213.483
##
## Step:  AIC=85.2
## divorce ~ femlab + birth + marriage
##
##           Df Sum of Sq    RSS    AIC
## + year      1      26.76  183.08  76.691
## + unemployed 1       6.85  202.99  84.639
## + military  1       5.66  204.18  85.089
## <none>              209.84  85.196
## - marriage  1      94.54  304.38 111.834
## - birth     1     194.92  404.76 133.781
## - femlab    1     949.45 1159.29 214.805
##
## Step:  AIC=76.69
## divorce ~ femlab + birth + marriage + year
##
##           Df Sum of Sq    RSS    AIC
## + military  1     20.957  162.12  69.330
## <none>              183.08  76.691
## + unemployed 1      0.651  182.43  78.417
## - year      1     26.761  209.84  85.196
## - marriage  1    105.757  288.84 109.798
## - femlab    1    137.509  320.59 117.829
## - birth     1    183.446  366.53 128.140
##
## Step:  AIC=69.33
## divorce ~ femlab + birth + marriage + year + military
##
##           Df Sum of Sq    RSS    AIC
## <none>              162.12  69.330
## + unemployed 1      1.925  160.20  70.410
## - military  1     20.957  183.08  76.691
## - year      1     42.054  204.18  85.089
## - marriage  1    126.643  288.77 111.779
## - femlab    1    158.003  320.13 119.718
## - birth     1    172.826  334.95 123.203
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = divorce ~ femlab + birth + marriage + year + military,
##     data = divusa)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)      femlab      birth  marriage      year  military
##    405.6167     0.8548    -0.1101     0.1593    -0.2179    -0.0412

```

The stepwise regression model using the AIC method is: `lm(formula = divorce ~ femlab + birth + marriage + year + military, data = divusa)`

(b) Best subsets regression with adjusted R^2

```
library(leaps)
mod <- regsubsets(cbind(divusa$year, divusa$unemployed, divusa$femlab, divusa$marriage,
                        divusa$birth, divusa$military), divusa$divorce)
summary.mod <- summary(mod)
summary.mod$which
```

```
## (Intercept)      a      b      c      d      e      f
## 1          TRUE FALSE FALSE TRUE  FALSE FALSE FALSE
## 2          TRUE FALSE FALSE TRUE  FALSE  TRUE  FALSE
## 3          TRUE FALSE FALSE TRUE   TRUE   TRUE  FALSE
## 4          TRUE  TRUE FALSE TRUE   TRUE   TRUE  FALSE
## 5          TRUE  TRUE FALSE TRUE   TRUE   TRUE   TRUE
## 6          TRUE  TRUE  TRUE TRUE   TRUE   TRUE   TRUE
```

```
summary.mod$adjr2
```

```
## [1] 0.8265403 0.8720158 0.9105579 0.9208807 0.9289506 0.9287914
```

The best subsets regression with adjusted R^2 is where there is the largest R^2 value. In this case it involves our first, third, forth, fifth and sixth predictor. Thus, year, femlab, marriage, birth and military are the the “best” for this model which the same as part a.

(c) Best subsets regression with

```
summary.mod$cp
```

```
## [1] 109.695444 62.001274 22.692257 12.998703 5.841314 7.000000
```

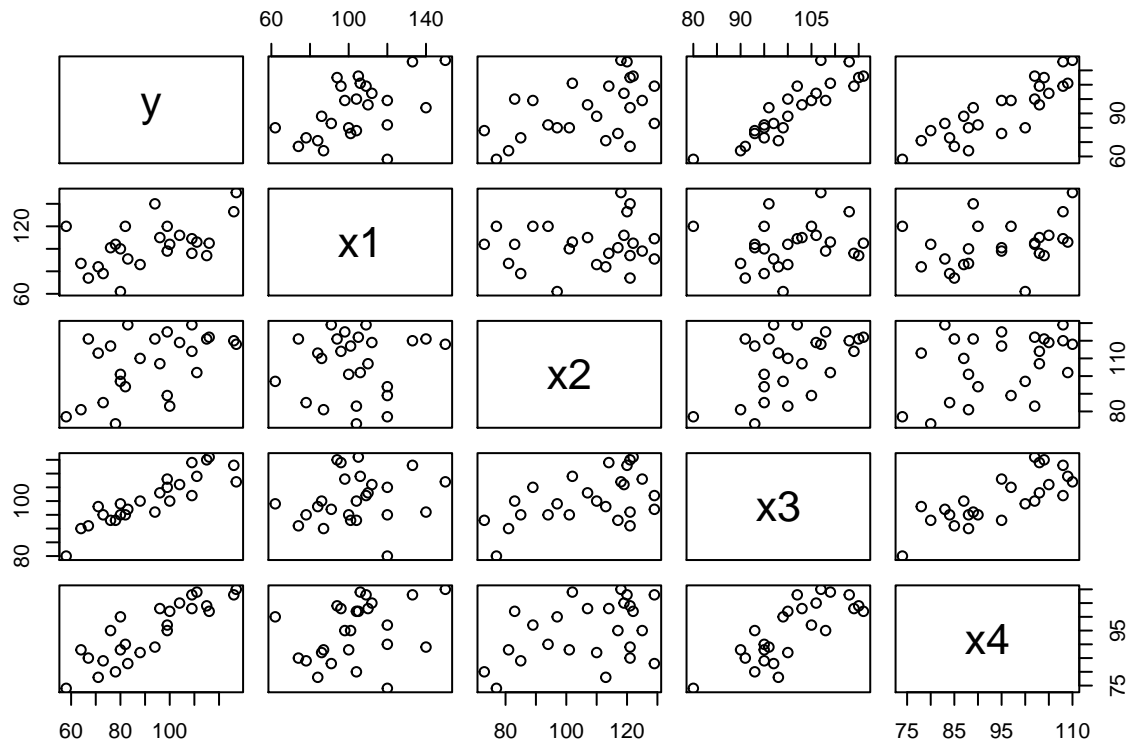
The “best” subsets regression with adjusted Mallows’ C_p is 5.841314. It is the model that consists of all predictors except the second predictor. Thus, year, femlab, marriage, birth and military are the “best” for this model which is the same as a) and b).

2. Refer to the “Job proficiency” data posted on Gauchospace.

```
setwd('~/Documents')
jobp <- read.csv('Job proficiency.csv', sep = ',')
```

(a) Obtain the overall scatterplot matrix and the correlation matrix of the X variables. Draw conclusions about the linear relationship between Y and the predictors.

```
pairs(y ~ x1 + x2 + x3 + x4, data = jobp)
```



```
cor(jobp)
```

```
##           y           x1           x2           x3           x4
## y  1.0000000  0.5144107  0.4970057  0.8970645  0.8693865
## x1  0.5144107  1.0000000  0.1022689  0.1807692  0.3266632
## x2  0.4970057  0.1022689  1.0000000  0.5190448  0.3967101
## x3  0.8970645  0.1807692  0.5190448  1.0000000  0.7820385
## x4  0.8693865  0.3266632  0.3967101  0.7820385  1.0000000
```

Based on these matrices, we can see that there is a positive linear trend between y and x_3 , y and x_4 , and a slight positive linear relationship between y and x_1 . There isn't a clear linear relationship between y and x_2 .

(b) Using only the first order terms as predictors, find the four best subset regression models according to the R^2 criterion.

```
library(leaps)
mod <- regsubsets(cbind(jobp$x1, jobp$x2, jobp$x3, jobp$x4), jobp$y)
summary.mod <- summary(mod)
summary.mod$which
```

```
## (Intercept)  a    b    c    d
## 1      TRUE FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE
## 2      TRUE  TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE
## 3      TRUE  TRUE FALSE TRUE  TRUE
## 4      TRUE  TRUE  TRUE TRUE  TRUE
```

```
summary.mod$rsq
```

```
## [1] 0.8047247 0.9329956 0.9615422 0.9628918
```

(c) Since there is relatively little difference in R^2 for the four best subset models, what other criteria would you use to help in the selection of the best models? Discuss.

Since there is relatively little difference some better observations can be made by looking at the best subset

model based on adjusted R^2 which will look at the largest adjusted R^2 value. Another option could be the MSE, where the smallest MSE value would be the best model. Other options could be looking at the AIC method, BIC method or using adjusted Mallows's C_p .

3. Refer again to the “Job proficiency” data from problem 2.

(a) Using stepwise regression, find the best subset of predictor variables to predict job proficiency. Use α limit of 0.05 to add or delete a variable.

```
mod0 <- lm(jobp$y ~ 1)
add1(mod0, ~. + jobp$x1 + jobp$x2 + jobp$x3 + jobp$x4, test = 'F')
```

```
## Single term additions
##
## Model:
## jobp$y ~ 1
##      Df Sum of Sq    RSS    AIC F value    Pr(>F)
## <none>                9054.0 149.30
## jobp$x1  1      2395.9 6658.1 143.62  8.2763 0.008517 **
## jobp$x2  1      2236.5 6817.5 144.21  7.5451 0.011487 *
## jobp$x3  1       7286.0 1768.0 110.47 94.7824 1.264e-09 ***
## jobp$x4  1      6843.3 2210.7 116.06 71.1978 1.699e-08 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Add x3 into model.

```
mod1 <- update(mod0, ~. + jobp$x3)
summary(mod1)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = jobp$y ~ jobp$x3)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -15.6908  -6.1073  -0.8528   2.6658  22.6010
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -106.1328    20.4472  -5.191 2.91e-05 ***
## jobp$x3       1.9676     0.2021   9.736 1.26e-09 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 8.768 on 23 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.8047, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7962
## F-statistic: 94.78 on 1 and 23 DF,  p-value: 1.264e-09
```

```
add1(mod1, ~. + jobp$x1 + jobp$x2 + jobp$x4, test = 'F' )
```

```
## Single term additions
##
## Model:
## jobp$y ~ jobp$x3
##      Df Sum of Sq    RSS    AIC F value    Pr(>F)
## <none>                1768.02 110.469
```

```
## jobp$x1 1 1161.37 606.66 85.727 42.116 1.578e-06 ***
## jobp$x2 1 12.21 1755.81 112.295 0.153 0.69946
## jobp$x4 1 656.71 1111.31 100.861 13.001 0.00157 **
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Add x1 into the model.

```
mod2 <- update(mod1, ~. + jobp$x1)
summary(mod2)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = jobp$y ~ jobp$x3 + jobp$x1)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.3489 -2.8086 -0.4546  2.8981 12.6469
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -127.59569   12.68526  -10.06 1.09e-09 ***
## jobp$x3      1.82321    0.12307   14.81 6.31e-13 ***
## jobp$x1      0.34846    0.05369    6.49 1.58e-06 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 5.251 on 22 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.933, Adjusted R-squared:  0.9269
## F-statistic: 153.2 on 2 and 22 DF, p-value: 1.222e-13
add1(mod2, ~. + jobp$x2 + jobp$x4, test = 'F')
```

```
## Single term additions
##
## Model:
## jobp$y ~ jobp$x3 + jobp$x1
##      Df Sum of Sq  RSS    AIC F value    Pr(>F)
## <none>                 606.66 85.727
## jobp$x2 1      9.937 596.72 87.314  0.3497 0.5605965
## jobp$x4 1    258.460 348.20 73.847 15.5879 0.0007354 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
```

Add x4 to the model.

```
mod3 <- update(mod2, ~. + jobp$x4)
summary(mod3)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = jobp$y ~ jobp$x3 + jobp$x1 + jobp$x4)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -5.4579 -3.1563 -0.2057  1.8070  6.6083
##
```

```
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -124.20002    9.87406 -12.578 3.04e-11 ***
## jobp$x3      1.35697     0.15183   8.937 1.33e-08 ***
## jobp$x1      0.29633     0.04368   6.784 1.04e-06 ***
## jobp$x4      0.51742     0.13105   3.948 0.000735 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.072 on 21 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9615, Adjusted R-squared:  0.956
## F-statistic: 175 on 3 and 21 DF,  p-value: 5.16e-15
```

```
add1(mod3, ~. + jobp$x2, test = 'F')
```

```
## Single term additions
##
## Model:
## jobp$y ~ jobp$x3 + jobp$x1 + jobp$x4
##              Df Sum of Sq    RSS    AIC F value Pr(>F)
## <none>                348.20 73.847
## jobp$x2  1         12.22 335.98 74.954  0.7274 0.4038
```

x4 has a p-value higher than $\alpha = 0.05$, so it will not be used for the model.

```
finalmod <- lm(y ~ x3 + x1 + x4, data = jobp)
summary(finalmod)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = y ~ x3 + x1 + x4, data = jobp)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -5.4579 -3.1563 -0.2057  1.8070  6.6083
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -124.20002    9.87406 -12.578 3.04e-11 ***
## x3           1.35697     0.15183   8.937 1.33e-08 ***
## x1           0.29633     0.04368   6.784 1.04e-06 ***
## x4           0.51742     0.13105   3.948 0.000735 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 4.072 on 21 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.9615, Adjusted R-squared:  0.956
## F-statistic: 175 on 3 and 21 DF,  p-value: 5.16e-15
```

The best subset of predictor variables for stepwise regression is x3, x1, and x4. Therefore $y \sim x3 + x1 + x4$.

(b) How does the best subset obtained in part (a) compare with the best subset from part (b) of Q2?

Our part 3(a) best subset matches with one of the four best subset in part 2(b). However, based on the R^2 subset for part 2(b) it seems that the best model out for the four presented is the second one containing two predictors based on R^2 since it has the largest difference amongst the others. In part part 3(a), there are

three predictors that represent the best model for this stepwise regression.

4. Refer to the “Brand preference” data posted on Gauchospace.

```
setwd('~/Documents')
brand <- read.csv('brand preference.csv', sep = ',')
```

a) Obtain the studentized deleted residuals and identify any outlying Y observations.

```
fit <- lm(y ~ x1 + x2, data = brand)
rs <- rstudent(fit)
rs
```

```
##          1          2          3          4          5          6
## -0.04085498  0.06128781 -1.36059879  1.38602483 -0.36694571 -0.66490618
##          7          8          9         10         11         12
## -0.76716157  0.50461264  0.46506694 -0.60436295  1.82302030  0.97784298
##          13         14         15         16
## -1.13966417 -2.10272640  1.48973208  0.24572878
```

```
which(abs(rs)>3)
```

```
## named integer(0)
```

There are no outliers since the absolute value of all of our externally studentized residuals are not greater than 3.

b) Obtain the diagonal elements of the Hat matrix, and provide an explanation for any pattern in these values.

```
h <- hatvalues(fit)
h
```

```
##          1          2          3          4          5          6          7          8          9         10         11
## 0.2375 0.2375 0.2375 0.2375 0.1375 0.1375 0.1375 0.1375 0.1375 0.1375 0.1375
##          12         13         14         15         16
## 0.1375 0.2375 0.2375 0.2375 0.2375
```

The hatvalues start at 0.2375 for the first 4 values, then goes to 0.1375 for the next 8 values then goes back to 0.2375 for the last 4 values. This basically calculates the the separation of predictor variables from the mean. Therefore, it makes sense that the first 4 and last 4 values are larger than the middle 8 values based on the data as they are farther away from the mean. Thus, they are less likely to be accurate.

c) Are any of the observations high leverage point?

```
p <- sum(h)
n <- length(brand$y)
which(h > 3*p /n)
```

```
## named integer(0)
```

There are no observations with high leverage points.

5. The data below shows, for a consumer finance company operating in six cities, the number of competing loan companies operating in the city (X) and the number per thousand of the company’s loans made in that city that are currently delinquent (Y):

$i:$	1	2	3	4	5	6
$X_i:$	4	1	2	3	3	4
$Y_i:$	16	5	10	15	13	22

Assume that a simple linear regression model is applicable. Using matrix methods, find

```
n <- 6
c <- c(1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1)
Xi <- c(4, 1, 2, 3, 3, 4)
Yi <- c(16, 5, 10, 15, 13, 22)
```

(a) The appropriate X matrix.

```
X <- matrix(c(c, Xi) , ncol = 2)
X
```

```
##      [,1] [,2]
## [1,]    1    4
## [2,]    1    1
## [3,]    1    2
## [4,]    1    3
## [5,]    1    3
## [6,]    1    4
```

(b) Vector b of estimated coefficients.

```
tXX <- matrix(c(n, sum(Xi), sum(Xi), sum(Xi^2)), nrow = 2, ncol = 2)
tXY <- matrix(c(sum(Yi), sum(Xi*Yi)), ncol=1)
b <- solve(tXX) %*% tXY
b
```

```
##      [,1]
## [1,] 0.4390244
## [2,] 4.6097561
```

(c) The Hat matrix H.

```
H <- X %*% solve(tXX) %*% t(X)
H
```

```
##      [,1]      [,2]      [,3]      [,4]      [,5]      [,6]
## [1,] 0.36585366 -0.1463415 0.02439024 0.1951220 0.1951220 0.36585366
## [2,] -0.14634146 0.6585366 0.39024390 0.1219512 0.1219512 -0.14634146
## [3,] 0.02439024 0.3902439 0.26829268 0.1463415 0.1463415 0.02439024
## [4,] 0.19512195 0.1219512 0.14634146 0.1707317 0.1707317 0.19512195
## [5,] 0.19512195 0.1219512 0.14634146 0.1707317 0.1707317 0.19512195
## [6,] 0.36585366 -0.1463415 0.02439024 0.1951220 0.1951220 0.36585366
```

6. In stepwise regression, what advantage is there in using a relatively large α value to add variables? Comment briefly.

The advantage in having a relatively large α value is to allow more predictor variables to be involved to become the best model. It makes it easier on the restrictions by adding or removing predictors to create the best model.