

Exercise 7

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Preliminaries Task 1

Load library boot and load the Cars data

```
library(boot)
cars <- read.table("/home/tobias/unibe/statistical methods in R/Exercise 7/Cars.txt", header = T)
cars <- subset(cars, select = -c(name))
cars <- na.omit(cars)
summary(cars)
```

```
##      mpg      cylinders  displacement  horsepower      weight
##  Min.   : 9.00   Min.   :3.000   Min.   : 68.0   Min.   : 46.0   Min.   :1613
##  1st Qu.:17.00   1st Qu.:4.000   1st Qu.:105.0   1st Qu.: 75.0   1st Qu.:2225
##  Median :22.75   Median :4.000   Median :151.0   Median : 93.5   Median :2804
##  Mean   :23.45   Mean   :5.472   Mean   :194.4   Mean   :104.5   Mean   :2978
##  3rd Qu.:29.00   3rd Qu.:8.000   3rd Qu.:275.8   3rd Qu.:126.0   3rd Qu.:3615
##  Max.   :46.60   Max.   :8.000   Max.   :455.0   Max.   :230.0   Max.   :5140
##  acceleration  year      origin
##  Min.   : 8.00   Min.   :70.00   Min.   :1.000
##  1st Qu.:13.78   1st Qu.:73.00   1st Qu.:1.000
##  Median :15.50   Median :76.00   Median :1.000
##  Mean   :15.54   Mean   :75.98   Mean   :1.577
##  3rd Qu.:17.02   3rd Qu.:79.00   3rd Qu.:2.000
##  Max.   :24.80   Max.   :82.00   Max.   :3.000
```

Task 1

Build the multiple linear regression model from exercise 5 and 6

```
model.multiple_linear <- glm(mpg~., data=cars)
summary(model.multiple_linear)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = mpg ~ ., data = cars)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.5903  -2.1565  -0.1169   1.8690  13.0604
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  -17.218435   4.644294  -3.707  0.00024 ***
## cylinders      -0.493376   0.323282  -1.526  0.12780
## displacement   0.019896   0.007515   2.647  0.00844 **
```

```
## horsepower    -0.016951    0.013787   -1.230    0.21963
## weight        -0.006474    0.000652   -9.929    < 2e-16 ***
## acceleration   0.080576    0.098845    0.815    0.41548
## year          0.750773    0.050973   14.729    < 2e-16 ***
## origin         1.426141    0.278136    5.127    4.67e-07 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 11.07347)
##
##      Null deviance: 23819.0  on 391  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:  4252.2  on 384  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 2064.9
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
```

We see that cylinders, horsepower, and acceleration are not significant. Thus we drop them and run a linear model again

```
cars_clean <- subset(cars, select=-c(cylinders, horsepower, acceleration ))
model.multiple_linear_clean <- glm(mpg~., data=cars_clean)
summary(model.multiple_linear_clean)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = mpg ~ ., data = cars_clean)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.8102  -2.1129  -0.0388   1.7725  13.2085
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -1.861e+01  4.028e+00  -4.620 5.25e-06 ***
## displacement  5.588e-03  4.768e-03   1.172   0.242
## weight       -6.575e-03  5.571e-04 -11.802 < 2e-16 ***
## year         7.714e-01  4.981e-02  15.486 < 2e-16 ***
## origin       1.226e+00  2.670e-01   4.593 5.92e-06 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 11.19568)
##
##      Null deviance: 23819.0  on 391  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:  4332.7  on 387  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 2066.3
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
```

From the output we can derive again that the displacement is not significant in this model, thus we drop it as well,

```
cars_clean2 <- subset(cars_clean, select=-c(displacement))
model.multiple_linear_clean2 <- glm(mpg~., data=cars_clean2)
summary(model.multiple_linear_clean2)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = mpg ~ ., data = cars_clean2)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -9.9440  -2.0948  -0.0389   1.7255  13.2722
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -1.805e+01  4.001e+00  -4.510 8.60e-06 ***
## weight      -5.994e-03  2.541e-04 -23.588 < 2e-16 ***
## year         7.571e-01  4.832e-02  15.668 < 2e-16 ***
## origin       1.150e+00  2.591e-01   4.439 1.18e-05 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for gaussian family taken to be 11.20646)
##
##      Null deviance: 23819.0  on 391  degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance:  4348.1  on 388  degrees of freedom
## AIC: 2065.7
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 2
```

Now we have arrived at multiple linear regression model with only significant Coefficients. As we have three linear models now that should get better with each tweaking we did, lets compare them with 10 fold cross validation.

```
set.seed(123)
cv.initial <- cv.glm(cars, model.mulitple_linear, K=10)
cv.clean <- cv.glm(cars_clean, model.mulitple_linear_clean, K=10)
cv.clean_2 <- cv.glm(cars_clean2, model.mulitple_linear_clean2, K=10)

# Print the MSE for each
cv.initial$delta[1]

## [1] 11.36738
cv.clean$delta[1]

## [1] 11.24438
cv.clean_2$delta[1]

## [1] 11.34917
```

The mean squared error does not change, which makes sense in a linear model, as the omitted predictors are just set to 0 if they are left in.

```
t.test(formual=model.mulitple_linear$formula, cars)

##
## One Sample t-test
##
## data:  cars
## t = 23.48, df = 3135, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: true mean is not equal to 0
```

```
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 389.3356 460.2846
## sample estimates:
## mean of x
## 424.8101

t.test(formual=model.mulitple_linear_clean$formula, cars)

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t.test(formual=model.mulitple_linear_clean2$formula, cars)

##
## One Sample t-test
##
## data: cars
## t = 23.48, df = 3135, p-value < 2.2e-16
## alternative hypothesis: true mean is not equal to 0
## 95 percent confidence interval:
## 389.3356 460.2846
## sample estimates:
## mean of x
## 424.8101
```

Somehow my t test tells we can accept the alternative hypothesis for all the hypothesis and we have the same confidence interval. I think I have made a mistake here.

Preliminaries Task 2

Load the cancer data set. Import it as is so the Diagnostic gets converted to a factor.

```
cancer <- read.table("/home/tobias/unibe/statistical methods in R/Exercise 7/Cancer.txt", header = T, as.is = T)
str(cancer)

## 'data.frame': 569 obs. of 32 variables:
## $ ID : int 842302 842517 84300903 84348301 84358402 843786 844359 84458202 844981 8450100 ...
## $ Diagnostic : Factor w/ 2 levels "B","M": 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ Radius : num 18 20.6 19.7 11.4 20.3 ...
## $ Texture : num 10.4 17.8 21.2 20.4 14.3 ...
## $ Perimeter : num 122.8 132.9 130 77.6 135.1 ...
## $ Area : num 1001 1326 1203 386 1297 ...
## $ Smooth : num 0.1184 0.0847 0.1096 0.1425 0.1003 ...
## $ Compact : num 0.2776 0.0786 0.1599 0.2839 0.1328 ...
## $ Concavity : num 0.3001 0.0869 0.1974 0.2414 0.198 ...
## $ Concave : num 0.1471 0.0702 0.1279 0.1052 0.1043 ...
## $ Symmetry : num 0.242 0.181 0.207 0.26 0.181 ...
```

```
## $ Fractal      : num  0.0787 0.0567 0.06 0.0974 0.0588 ...
## $ RadiusSE     : num  1.095 0.543 0.746 0.496 0.757 ...
## $ TextureSE    : num  0.905 0.734 0.787 1.156 0.781 ...
## $ PerimeterSE  : num  8.59 3.4 4.58 3.44 5.44 ...
## $ AreaSE       : num  153.4 74.1 94 27.2 94.4 ...
## $ SmoothSE     : num  0.0064 0.00522 0.00615 0.00911 0.01149 ...
## $ CompactSE    : num  0.049 0.0131 0.0401 0.0746 0.0246 ...
## $ ConcavitySE  : num  0.0537 0.0186 0.0383 0.0566 0.0569 ...
## $ ConcaveSE    : num  0.0159 0.0134 0.0206 0.0187 0.0188 ...
## $ SymmetrySE   : num  0.03 0.0139 0.0225 0.0596 0.0176 ...
## $ FractalSE    : num  0.00619 0.00353 0.00457 0.00921 0.00511 ...
## $ RadiusMax    : num  25.4 25 23.6 14.9 22.5 ...
## $ TextureMax   : num  17.3 23.4 25.5 26.5 16.7 ...
## $ PerimeterMax : num  184.6 158.8 152.5 98.9 152.2 ...
## $ AreaMax      : num  2019 1956 1709 568 1575 ...
## $ SmoothMax    : num  0.162 0.124 0.144 0.21 0.137 ...
## $ CompactMax   : num  0.666 0.187 0.424 0.866 0.205 ...
## $ ConcavityMax : num  0.712 0.242 0.45 0.687 0.4 ...
## $ ConcaveMax   : num  0.265 0.186 0.243 0.258 0.163 ...
## $ SymmetryMax  : num  0.46 0.275 0.361 0.664 0.236 ...
## $ FractalMax   : num  0.1189 0.089 0.0876 0.173 0.0768 ...
```

Check for NA

```
sum(is.na(cancer))
```

```
## [1] 0
```

Drop the ID as we don't need it for predictions

```
cancer <- subset(cancer, select = -c(ID))
```

Task 2: Apply a general logistic regression to estimate the Diagnostic

Using the glmwith family=binomial we can build a model using all the predictors.

```
model.logistic <- glm(cancer$Diagnostic ~ ., data = cancer, family = binomial)
```

```
## Warning: glm.fit: algorithm did not converge
```

```
## Warning: glm.fit: fitted probabilities numerically 0 or 1 occurred
```

```
summary(model.logistic)
```

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = cancer$Diagnostic ~ ., family = binomial, data = cancer)
##
## Deviance Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -8.49   -8.49   -8.49    8.49    8.49
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept) -2.881e+06  2.816e+05 -10.233  < 2e-16 ***
## Radius      2.427e+06  2.693e+05   9.014  < 2e-16 ***
```

```

## Texture      1.958e+05  1.471e+04  13.313 < 2e-16 ***
## Perimeter    1.473e+06  2.464e+04  59.791 < 2e-16 ***
## Area         -1.301e+05  3.907e+03 -33.301 < 2e-16 ***
## Smooth       -1.525e+08  8.361e+06 -18.234 < 2e-16 ***
## Compact      -6.428e+06  3.213e+06 -2.001 0.04539 *
## Concavity    1.042e+06  1.408e+06  0.740 0.45959
## Concave      -1.716e+07  5.382e+06 -3.188 0.00143 **
## Symmetry     4.049e+07  7.772e+05  52.093 < 2e-16 ***
## Fractal      -4.233e+07  2.169e+06 -19.519 < 2e-16 ***
## RadiusSE     3.328e+07  1.169e+06  28.478 < 2e-16 ***
## TextureSE    6.368e+06  2.005e+05  31.763 < 2e-16 ***
## PerimeterSE  1.701e+06  4.720e+04  36.032 < 2e-16 ***
## AreaSE       -6.393e+05  1.835e+04 -34.840 < 2e-16 ***
## SmoothSE     7.492e+08  1.224e+07  61.213 < 2e-16 ***
## CompactSE    -1.773e+08  5.732e+06 -30.931 < 2e-16 ***
## ConcavitySE  1.529e+08  5.340e+06  28.624 < 2e-16 ***
## ConcaveSE    -1.260e+09  4.012e+07 -31.398 < 2e-16 ***
## SymmetrySE   2.890e+08  4.126e+06  70.055 < 2e-16 ***
## FractalSE    1.512e+09  6.597e+07  22.921 < 2e-16 ***
## RadiusMax    -6.130e+06  2.143e+05 -28.606 < 2e-16 ***
## TextureMax   -5.832e+05  2.437e+04 -23.935 < 2e-16 ***
## PerimeterMax -3.538e+05  1.219e+04 -29.023 < 2e-16 ***
## AreaMax      8.950e+04  2.741e+03  32.658 < 2e-16 ***
## SmoothMax    -2.161e+07  3.298e+06 -6.553 5.66e-11 ***
## CompactMax   8.986e+06  3.999e+05  22.470 < 2e-16 ***
## ConcavityMax -3.028e+07  1.523e+06 -19.875 < 2e-16 ***
## ConcaveMax   1.431e+08  5.471e+06  26.162 < 2e-16 ***
## SymmetryMax  -2.474e+07  3.392e+05 -72.923 < 2e-16 ***
## FractalMax   -3.698e+07  5.340e+06 -6.926 4.33e-12 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
## Null deviance: 751.44 on 568 degrees of freedom
## Residual deviance: 32006.76 on 538 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 32069
##
## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 25

```

Most important values of the model

Lets start with the **Coefficients**: Most of the Coefficients have a high **z-value** and thus a small probability of being bigger than $|z|$. There are a few exceptions:

- **Concavity** has a low **z-value** of 0.74 and thus is not significant. To simplify the model it can be omitted (although it is practically already omitted by setting a coefficient approximately equal 0)
- **Compact** and **Concave** have both a probability $>1\%$ and $<5\%$. As we do not have a huge dataset, we could also omit them if we want to be strict

The **AIC** score is quite high. This could be a warning sign, but as we only have one model there is nothing to compare it with.

Also the **Deviance Residual** is quite high.

Estimating error Rate

We use the resubstitution approach to get an optimistic view on the correctly and falsely classified instances

```
labels <- cancer$Diagnostic
without_label <- subset(cancer, select = -c(Diagnostic))
prediction <- predict(model.logistic, data = without_label, type = "response")
factor_prediction <- cut(prediction, labels = c("M", "B"), breaks = 2)
table(factor_prediction == labels)
```

```
##
## FALSE  TRUE
##   125   444
```

Calculate the Error rate

```
444 / length(labels)
```

```
## [1] 0.7803163
```

We arrive at an accuracy of **78.03163**. This isn't too much but also not too bad. With a few tweaks we may be able to get it higher