

## Project Report

### 1. Task 2- Energy Minimization with Regulation

$$E(\mathbf{w}) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) \sum (y(\mathbf{x}_n) - \mathbf{t}_n)^2 + \left(\frac{\lambda}{2}\right) \mathbf{w}^2.$$

Differentiating with respect to  $w$ , we get

$$\frac{d}{dw} (E(w)) = \left(\frac{1}{2}\right) (2X^T X - 2X^T t) + w\lambda$$

$$\frac{d}{dw} (E(w)) = X^T X w - X^T t + w\lambda$$

equate this to 0:

$$w^* = (X^T X + \lambda)^{-1} - X^T t$$

In this task, add an extra term for Regularization. This technique is often used to control the over-fitting phenomenon. Regularization involves adding a penalty term to the error function in order to discourage the coefficients from reaching large values.

For fixed Number of sample points:  $N = 50$  and  $\ln(\lambda) = -18$  various plots have been created. Also, We will see, for  $N = 15$  and  $N = 100$  the curve has improved. That's why we need more test set data.

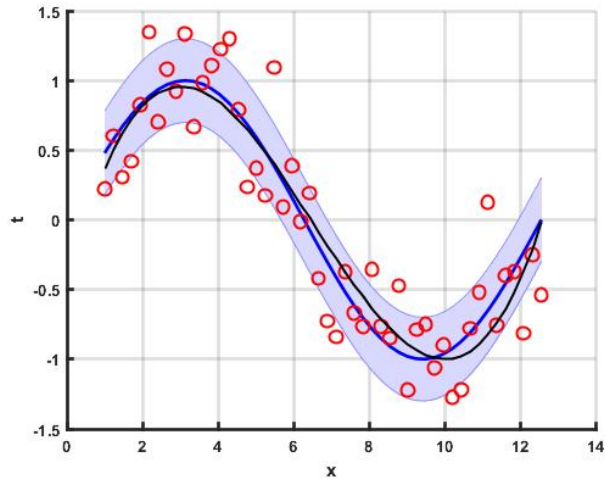


Figure 1: Case 1: ( $M = 0$ )  $w^* = [-0.0022]$

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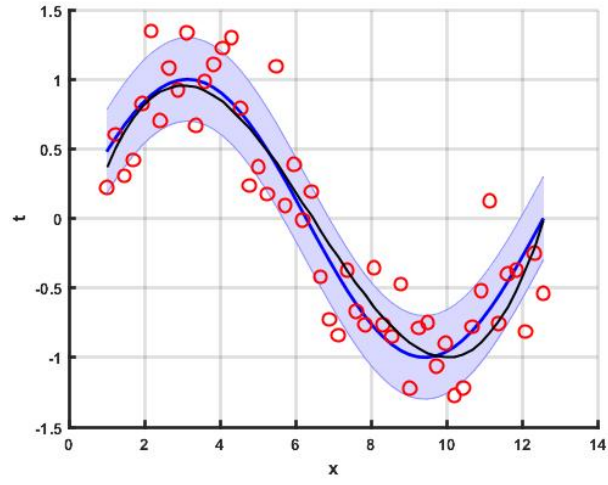


Figure 2: Case 2: ( $M = 1$ )  $w^* = [1.5182, -0.2241]$

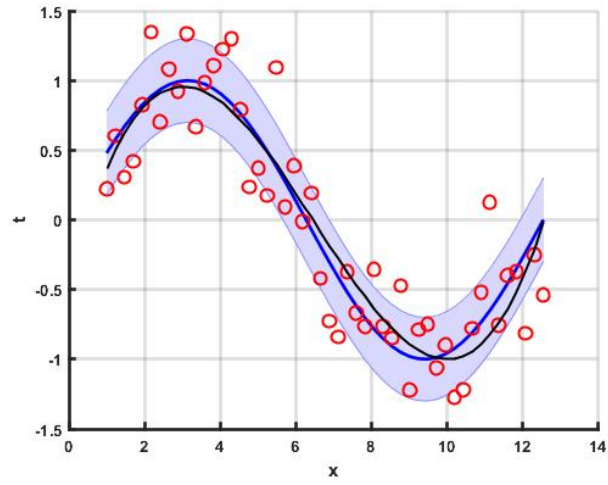


Figure 3: Case 3: ( $M = 3$ )  $w^* = [-0.8306, 1.2747, -0.2677, 0.0137]$

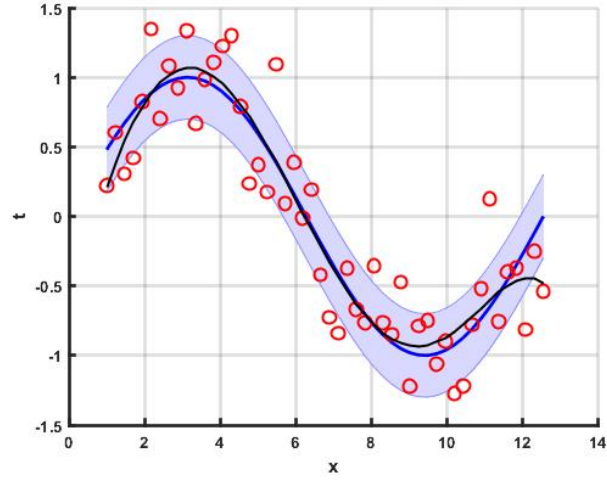


Figure 4: Case 4: ( $M = 6$ )  $w^* = [2.2676, -4.1447, 2.9201, -0.8385, 0.1135, -0.0073, 0.0002]$

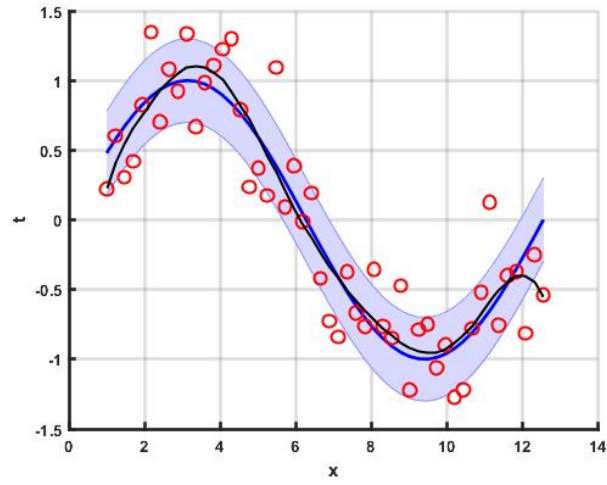


Figure 5: Case 5: ( $M = 9$ )  $w^* = [17.5579, -20.3416, 12.0873, -4.0460, 0.8078, -0.0983, 0.0072, -0.0003, 0.0000]$

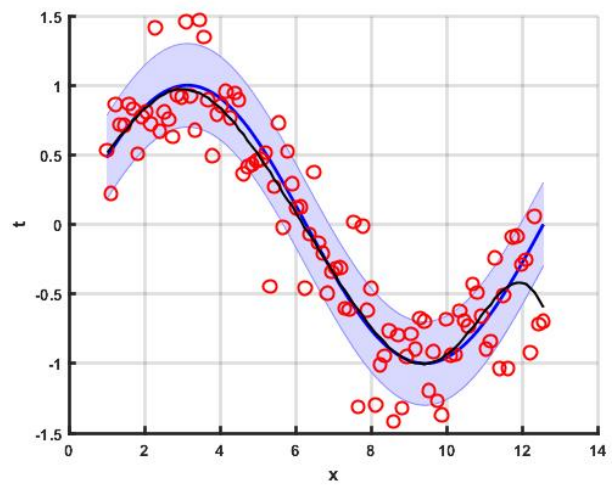


Figure 6: Case 6: ( $M = 9$ )  $N$  is 100

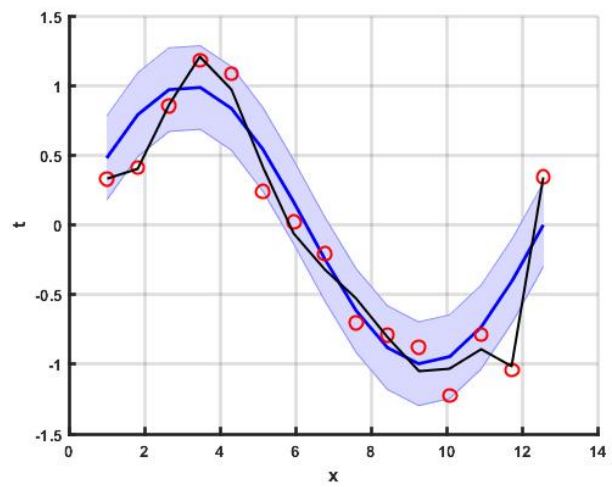


Figure 7: Case 7: ( $M = 9$ )  $N$  is 15