

Local Variable Selection and Parameter Estimation of Spatially Varying Coefficient Regression Models

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1. Simulation

Results from the simulation were summarized at five locations on the simulated grid (see Figure 2). The five key locations were chosen because they represent interesting regions of the β_1 coefficient surfaces. The results of variable selection and coefficient estimation are presented in the tables below.

1.1. Tables

1.1.1. Selection

1.1.2. Estimation

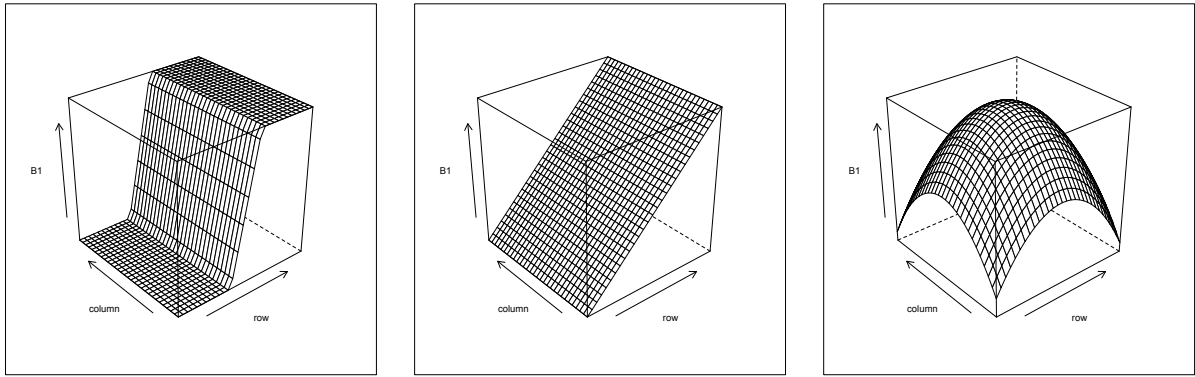


Figure 1: The actual β_1 coefficient surface used in the simulation.

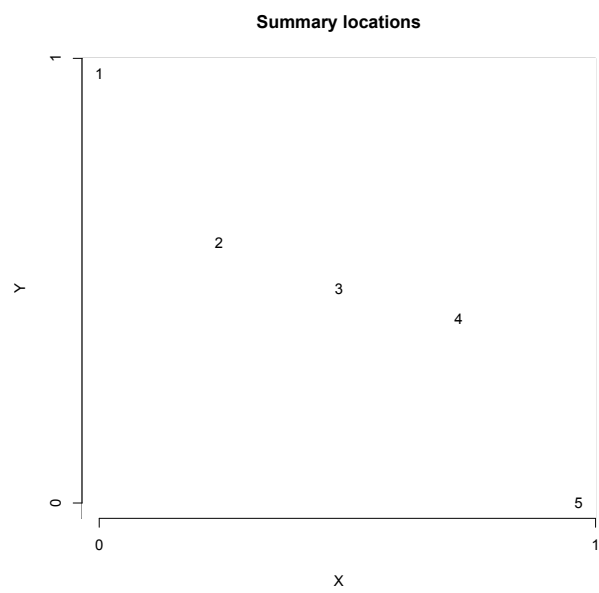


Figure 2: Locations where the variable selection and coefficient estimation of GWL were summarized.

Setting	function	ρ	σ^2
1	step	0	0.25
2	step	0	1
3	step	0.5	0.25
4	step	0.5	1
5	gradient	0	0.25
6	gradient	0	1
7	gradient	0.5	0.25
8	gradient	0.5	1
9	parabola	0	0.25
10	parabola	0	1
11	parabola	0.5	0.25
12	parabola	0.5	1

Table 1: Simulation parameters for each setting.

location	step				gradient				parabola			
	enet		glmnet		enet		glmnet		enet		glmnet	
	β_1	$\beta_2 - \beta_5$	β_1	$\beta_2 - \beta_5$	β_1	$\beta_2 - \beta_5$	β_1	$\beta_2 - \beta_5$	β_1	$\beta_2 - \beta_5$	β_1	$\beta_2 - \beta_5$
1	0.80	0.02	0.80	0.02	0.77	0.05	0.74	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
	0.80	0.04	0.80	0.04	0.69	0.07	0.69	0.07	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.01
2	0.97	0.00	0.98	0.00	0.80	0.01	0.80	0.00	0.51	0.01	0.49	0.01
	0.96	0.01	0.96	0.01	0.63	0.04	0.64	0.03	0.46	0.01	0.46	0.01
3	0.31	0.00	0.32	0.00	0.43	0.01	0.50	0.02	0.69	0.01	0.69	0.00
	0.36	0.02	0.36	0.02	0.35	0.04	0.36	0.04	0.53	0.03	0.54	0.03
4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.24	0.01	0.26	0.01	0.56	0.00	0.59	0.00
	0.07	0.01	0.07	0.01	0.23	0.01	0.35	0.01	0.51	0.03	0.51	0.03
5	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.01	0.01	0.01
	0.03	0.01	0.03	0.01	0.02	0.03	0.04	0.03	0.03	0.03	0.02	0.03

Table 2: Selection frequency for the simulation experiment

function	location	enet	glmnet	u.enet	u.glmnet	oracular	gwr
step	1	0.241	<i>0.239</i>	0.520	0.520	0.514	0.020
		0.289	<i>0.287</i>	0.781	0.780	0.899	0.047
	2	0.062	0.054	0.048	0.040	<i>0.030</i>	0.027
		0.080	0.078	0.064	0.064	<i>0.049</i>	0.031
	3	0.122	0.121	0.125	0.124	<i>0.026</i>	0.008
		0.126	0.126	0.135	0.135	<i>0.063</i>	0.017
	4	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.005	0.037	0.026
		0.015	<i>0.015</i>	0.018	0.018	0.075	0.035
	5	<i>0.002</i>	0.002	0.007	0.007	0.000	0.026
		<i>0.008</i>	0.008	0.033	0.033	0.000	0.056
gradient	1	0.317	0.321	0.599	0.573	<i>0.291</i>	0.051
		0.376	<i>0.360</i>	0.550	0.558	0.615	0.072
	2	0.319	0.277	0.251	0.250	0.115	<i>0.116</i>
		0.438	0.396	0.383	0.365	0.153	<i>0.154</i>
	3	0.106	0.096	0.112	0.104	<i>0.027</i>	0.016
		0.125	0.129	0.138	0.138	<i>0.054</i>	0.027
	4	0.038	<i>0.056</i>	0.058	0.074	0.138	0.132
		0.053	<i>0.079</i>	0.083	0.122	0.164	0.150
	5	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.041
		<i>0.006</i>	0.022	0.024	0.113	0.000	0.061
parabola	1	<i>1.000</i>	<i>1.000</i>	<i>1.000</i>	<i>1.000</i>	1.373	0.751
		<i>1.018</i>	1.018	1.063	1.063	1.670	0.726
	2	0.179	0.184	0.173	0.180	<i>0.035</i>	0.026
		0.197	0.197	0.199	0.199	<i>0.056</i>	0.024
	3	0.077	0.077	0.083	0.082	<i>0.018</i>	0.007
		0.127	0.125	0.144	0.142	<i>0.047</i>	0.012
	4	0.084	0.078	0.095	0.089	<i>0.030</i>	0.009
		0.111	0.112	0.129	0.129	<i>0.062</i>	0.017
	5	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.261	0.046
		<i>0.011</i>	0.008	0.029	0.027	0.538	0.079

Table 3: Mean squared error of $\hat{\beta}_1$ (**minimum**, *next best*).

function	location	enet	glmnet	u.enet	u.glmnet	oracular	gwr
step	1	-0.221	-0.214	<i>-0.052</i>	-0.053	0.062	0.014
		-0.250	-0.242	<i>-0.017</i>	-0.016	0.139	0.024
	2	-0.129	-0.121	-0.063	<i>-0.057</i>	-0.033	-0.129
		-0.142	-0.137	<i>-0.042</i>	-0.042	0.001	-0.135
	3	-0.263	-0.257	-0.251	-0.247	-0.011	<i>0.016</i>
		-0.231	-0.231	-0.193	-0.192	0.002	<i>0.019</i>
	4	-0.069	-0.069	-0.069	-0.069	0.083	0.132
		-0.038	-0.037	<i>-0.034</i>	-0.034	0.024	0.130
	5	<i>0.005</i>	0.005	0.009	0.009	0.000	-0.013
		<i>0.002</i>	0.002	0.005	0.005	0.000	-0.018
gradient	1	-0.334	-0.286	-0.148	-0.169	0.011	<i>-0.054</i>
		-0.414	-0.351	-0.135	-0.135	0.050	<i>-0.054</i>
	2	-0.514	-0.464	-0.420	-0.418	-0.317	<i>-0.320</i>
		-0.597	-0.545	-0.514	-0.494	-0.342	<i>-0.364</i>
	3	-0.221	-0.166	-0.178	-0.131	0.061	<i>0.066</i>
		-0.238	-0.212	-0.197	-0.184	0.033	<i>0.051</i>
	4	0.037	<i>0.058</i>	0.060	0.077	0.335	0.348
		0.049	0.108	<i>0.079</i>	0.151	0.329	0.353
	5	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.018
		<i>0.009</i>	0.019	0.015	0.042	0.000	0.066
parabola	1	<i>-1.000</i>	<i>-1.000</i>	<i>-1.000</i>	<i>-1.000</i>	-1.066	-0.851
		-0.998	-0.998	-1.004	-1.004	<i>-0.974</i>	-0.823
	2	-0.331	-0.335	-0.298	-0.308	-0.105	<i>-0.132</i>
		-0.357	-0.354	-0.320	-0.320	<i>-0.136</i>	-0.128
	3	-0.129	-0.128	-0.087	-0.086	<i>0.041</i>	0.031
		-0.187	-0.181	-0.122	-0.115	<i>0.042</i>	0.027
	4	-0.137	-0.124	-0.092	<i>-0.079</i>	0.085	0.052
		-0.135	-0.136	-0.081	-0.082	<i>0.067</i>	0.048
	5	0.008	0.008	0.007	0.007	0.101	0.159
		<i>0.018</i>	0.013	0.024	0.019	0.102	0.171

Table 4: Bias of $\hat{\beta}_1$ (**minimum**, *next best*).

function	location	enet	glmnet	u.enet	u.glmnet	oracular	gwr
step	1	<i>0.194</i>	0.196	0.523	0.523	0.515	0.020
		<i>0.229</i>	0.231	0.788	0.788	0.889	0.046
	2	0.045	0.039	0.044	0.037	<i>0.029</i>	0.011
		0.060	0.060	0.063	0.063	<i>0.049</i>	0.013
	2	0.054	0.055	0.063	0.063	<i>0.026</i>	0.008
		0.073	0.074	0.099	0.099	<i>0.064</i>	0.017
	2	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.030	0.009
		0.013	<i>0.013</i>	0.017	0.017	0.075	0.019
	2	<i>0.002</i>	0.002	0.007	0.007	0.000	0.027
		<i>0.008</i>	0.008	0.033	0.033	0.000	0.056
gradient	1	<i>0.207</i>	0.242	0.583	0.550	0.294	0.049
		<i>0.206</i>	0.239	0.537	0.546	0.618	0.070
	2	0.055	0.062	0.076	0.076	<i>0.015</i>	0.014
		0.083	0.100	0.120	0.123	<i>0.036</i>	0.022
	3	0.058	0.069	0.081	0.087	<i>0.023</i>	0.012
		0.069	0.084	0.100	0.105	<i>0.053</i>	0.025
	4	0.037	0.053	0.055	0.069	<i>0.026</i>	0.011
		<i>0.051</i>	0.068	0.078	0.101	0.056	0.026
	5	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.041
		<i>0.006</i>	0.022	0.024	0.112	0.000	0.057
parabola	1	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.238	0.027
		0.022	<i>0.022</i>	0.055	0.055	0.729	0.050
	2	0.070	0.073	0.086	0.086	<i>0.025</i>	0.009
		0.071	0.072	0.098	0.098	<i>0.037</i>	0.008
	3	0.061	0.061	0.076	0.076	<i>0.017</i>	0.006
		0.093	0.093	0.130	0.130	<i>0.045</i>	0.011
	4	0.066	0.064	0.088	0.084	<i>0.023</i>	0.007
		0.094	0.094	0.123	0.124	<i>0.058</i>	0.015
	5	0.006	0.006	0.005	0.005	0.253	0.021
		<i>0.011</i>	0.008	0.029	0.026	0.533	0.050

Table 5: Variance of $\hat{\beta}_1$ (**minimum**, *next best*).

function	location	enet	glmnet	u.enet	u.glmnet	oracular	gwr
step	1	<i>0.108</i>	0.108	0.108	0.108	0.101	0.223
		0.174	0.174	0.174	<i>0.174</i>	0.146	0.337
	2	0.340	0.341	<i>0.340</i>	0.341	0.291	0.462
		<i>0.564</i>	0.565	0.564	0.565	0.498	0.776
	3	0.276	0.274	0.276	<i>0.274</i>	0.138	0.281
		0.459	<i>0.458</i>	0.459	0.458	0.333	0.492
	4	0.256	<i>0.256</i>	0.256	0.256	0.173	0.307
		<i>0.664</i>	0.665	0.664	0.665	0.518	0.722
	5	0.236	0.236	0.236	0.236	0.218	<i>0.227</i>
		0.344	0.344	<i>0.344</i>	0.344	0.358	0.382
gradient	1	0.112	0.114	<i>0.112</i>	0.114	0.096	0.217
		0.278	<i>0.267</i>	0.278	0.267	0.320	0.558
	2	0.258	<i>0.246</i>	0.258	0.246	0.216	0.353
		<i>0.379</i>	0.386	0.379	0.386	0.413	0.570
	3	0.247	0.203	0.247	<i>0.203</i>	0.181	0.292
		0.455	<i>0.435</i>	0.455	<i>0.435</i>	0.414	0.574
	4	0.317	<i>0.285</i>	0.317	<i>0.285</i>	0.227	0.309
		0.490	<i>0.419</i>	0.490	0.419	0.369	0.532
	5	0.243	<i>0.238</i>	0.243	<i>0.238</i>	0.237	0.259
		0.327	0.305	0.327	0.305	0.414	0.424
parabola	1	0.298	<i>0.297</i>	0.298	<i>0.297</i>	0.128	0.304
		0.365	0.365	0.365	<i>0.365</i>	0.189	0.435
	2	0.326	0.303	0.326	0.303	0.231	<i>0.282</i>
		0.606	0.606	0.606	<i>0.606</i>	0.560	0.822
	3	0.292	0.290	0.292	<i>0.290</i>	0.224	0.332
		0.367	<i>0.365</i>	0.367	0.365	0.397	0.629
	4	<i>0.238</i>	0.243	0.238	0.243	0.196	0.295
		0.596	0.612	0.596	0.612	0.600	0.811
	5	0.219	<i>0.216</i>	0.219	<i>0.216</i>	0.100	0.306
		0.231	0.238	<i>0.231</i>	0.238	0.150	0.385

Table 6: Mean squared error of \hat{Y} (**minimum**, *next best*).