

1 point

1.

If the features of Model 1 are a strict subset of those in Model 2, the TRAINING error of the two models can **never** be the same.

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 True

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 False

1 point

2.

If the features of Model 1 are a strict subset of those in Model 2, which model will USUALLY have lowest TRAINING error?

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 Model 1

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 Model 2

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 It's impossible to tell with only this information

1 point

3.

If the features of Model 1 are a strict subset of those in Model 2, which model will USUALLY have lowest TEST error?

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 Model 1

☐

 Model 2

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 It's impossible to tell with only this information

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4.

If the features of Model 1 are a strict subset of those in Model 2, which model will USUALLY have lower BIAS?

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 Model 1

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 Model 2

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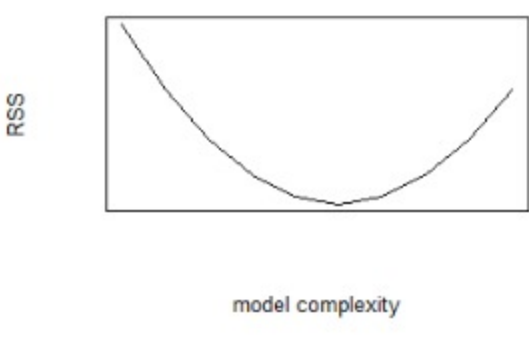
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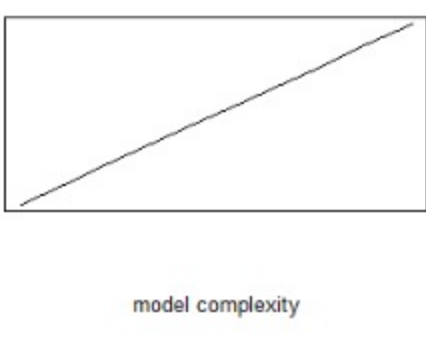
Which of the following plots of model complexity vs. RSS is most likely from TRAINING data (for a fixed data set)?

a



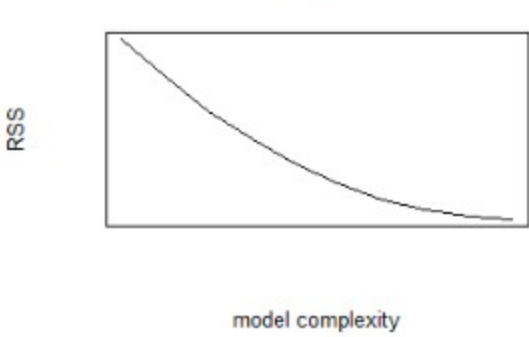
model complexity

b



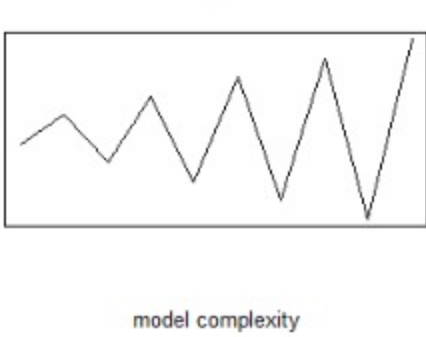
model complexity

c



model complexity

d



model complexity

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 a

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 b

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 c

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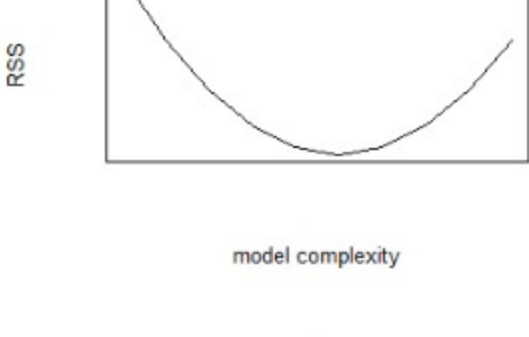
 d

1 point

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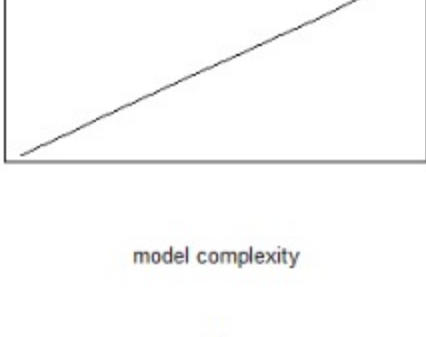
Which of the following plots of model complexity vs. RSS is most likely from TEST data (for a fixed data set)?

a



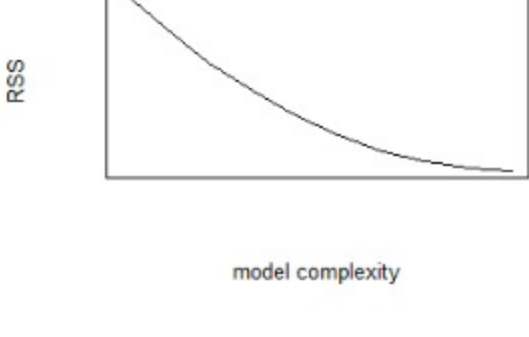
model complexity

b



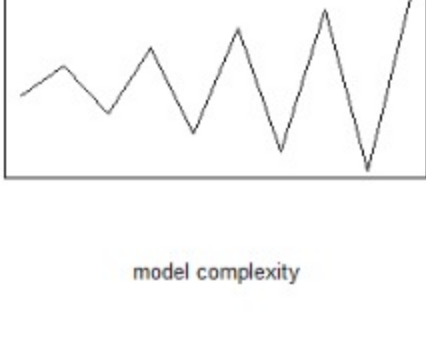
model complexity

c



model complexity

d



model complexity

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 a

☐

 b

☐

 c

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 d

1 point

7.

It is **always** optimal to add more features to a regression model.

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 True

☒

 False

1 point

8.

A simple model with few parameters is most likely to suffer from:

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 High Bias

☐

 High Variance

1 point

9.

A complex model with many parameters is most likely to suffer from:

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 High Bias

☒

 High Variance

1 point

10.

A model with many parameters that fits training data very well but does poorly on test data is considered to be

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 accurate

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 biased

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 overfitted

☐

 poorly estimated

1 point

11.

A common process for selecting a parameter like the optimal polynomial degree is:

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 Bootstrapping

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 Model estimation

☐

 Multiple regression

☐

 Minimizing test error

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 Minimizing validation error

1 point

12.

Selecting model complexity on test data (choose all that apply):

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 Allows you to avoid issues of overfitting to training data

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 Provides an overly optimistic assessment of performance of the resulting model

☐

 Is computationally inefficient

☒

 Should never be done

1 point

13.

Which of the following statements is true (select all that apply): For a **fixed model complexity**, in the limit of an infinite amount of training data,

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 The noise goes to 0

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 Bias goes to 0

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 Variance goes to 0

☐

 Training error goes to 0

☐

 Generalization error goes to 0