

## Chapter 1: Linear Models

1. Def 1.3: Linear model
2. Estimation of parameter  $b$
3.  $\hat{b}$  is unbiased estimator of  $b$
4. Estimation of  $\sigma^2$
5. Lemma 1.4:  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  is unbiased estimator of  $\sigma^2$
6. Theorem 1.5:  $\hat{b}$  and  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  are unbiased and uncorrelated,  $\hat{b}$  is the best linear estimator of  $b$  and  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  is the best quadratic estimator of  $\sigma^2$
7. Lemma 1.6: some equalities for  $y \sim \mathcal{N}_n(\mu, \Sigma)$ , matrices  $A, B \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$
8. Remark: distribution properties of  $\hat{b} - b$  and  $\hat{\sigma}^2$ .
9. Lemma 1.7: independence of linear and quadratic estimators.
10. Corollary 1.9: estimators  $\hat{b}$  and  $\hat{\sigma}^2$  are independent (when model is normally distributed).
11. Theorem 1.10: best unbiased estimator of  $K^t b$
12. Theorem 1.11: definition of  $Q \sim \mathcal{X}_r^2$ 
  1. Characteristic function
13. Corollary 1.12: law of  $K^t \hat{b}$  and  $\frac{n-k}{\sigma^2} \hat{\sigma}^2$
14. F-statistic
15. Theorem 1.16: F-test

## Chapter 2: High Dimensional Linear Regression

1.  $\hat{b}_{\text{naive}}$
2. LASSO estimator:  $\hat{b}(\lambda)$
3. Remark 2.2: Duality,  $\hat{b}_{\text{primal}}(r)$
4. Remark 2.3: Ridge regression,  $\hat{b}_{\text{ridge}}(\lambda)$ ,  $\hat{b}_{\text{ridge}_{\text{primal}}}(r)$
5. Soft and hard thresholds:  $\hat{b}_j(\lambda), \hat{b}_{\text{hard},j}(\lambda)$
6. Subdifferentials
7. Proposition 2.5: necessary and sufficient conditions for  $\hat{b}(\lambda)$  to be LASSO
8. Lemma 2.6: Basic inequality
9. Defining set  $A$
10. Proposition 2.7: defining  $\lambda_0$  so that  $\mathbb{P}[A] \approx 1$
11. Proposition 2.8: prediction error upper bound (**suboptimal**)
12. Inequalities (2.6) (rate of the prediction error, **suboptimal**) and (2.7) (deducing that the bound in Proposition 2.8 is suboptimal)
13. Defining vector  $b_S$  (2.8) (introducing zero/non-zero components vector of  $b$ )
14. Lemma 2.9: prediciton error upper bound in **reduced** model (using set  $S_0 : \{j : b_{0j} \neq 0\}$ )
15. Def. 2.10: **restricted** eigenvalue condition
16. Theorem 2.11: prediction error upper bound in **reduced** and **restricted** model

17. Corollary 2.12: rate of the prediction error in **reduced** and **restricted** model, **optimal**

## M-Fold Crossvalidation: Data-driven Choise of $\lambda$

1. M-Fold crossvalidation algorithm
2. Def. 2.11: Adaptive LASSO:  $\hat{b}_{\text{adapt}}(\lambda)$
3. LASSO vs Adaptive LASSO
  1.  $\hat{S}_{\text{adapt}(\lambda)}, \mathbb{P}[\hat{S}_{\text{adapt}(\lambda)} = S_0] \rightarrow 1$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$ , where  $S_0$  - true number of non-zero elements.
  2. Typical LASSO estimate overestimates the number of non-zero components.
  4.  $\lambda_{\max} : \forall \lambda \geq \lambda_{\max}, \hat{b}(\lambda) = 0$

## Chapter 3: Covariance, Correlation and PCA

1. Joint density in high dimensions
2. General definitions of MLE for  $\mu$  and  $\Sigma$
3. Theorem (3.1)
  1. MLE for  $\mu$
  2. MLE for  $\Sigma$
4. Independence of  $\hat{\mu}_{\text{ML}}$  and  $\hat{\Sigma}_{\text{ML}}$ 
  1. Proposition 3.2: independence of linear transformations of  $X$
  2. Proposition 3.3: independence of  $\hat{\mu}_{\text{ML}}$  and  $\hat{\Sigma}_{\text{ML}}$
5. Estimation of correlation coefficient
  1. Correlation definition
  2. When  $\text{corr}(X, Y) = 1$
  3. Proposition 3.4: MLE for correlation
  4. MLE and bijective function
  5. CLT; Types of convergence; Slutsky's Lemma; Delta method
  6. Theorem (3.5): CLT for:  $\hat{\mu}_n; \hat{\Sigma}_n; \hat{p}_{ij}$
6. PCA
  1. Def. 3.6: PCA
  2. Theorem 3.7: ML-estimators of  $\lambda$  and  $\beta$ 
    1. Mapping  $\Sigma \rightarrow (\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_k, \beta_1, \dots, \beta_k)$  is bijective
  3. Theorem 3.8

## Chapter 4: Estimation of Large Covariance Matrices

### Sparse covariance matrices

1. Introduction, notations
2. Remark: what can go wrong in high dimension

- 3. Theorem 4.1: error between sparse hard thresholding estimator of  $\Sigma$  and  $\Sigma$ 
  - 1. Stochastic order
  - 2. Remark after proof
- Covariance matrices in band-form**
  - 1. Introduction, notations
  - 2. Theorem 4.2