

DSA 8020 R Session 6: Non-parametric Regression and Shrinkage Methods

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Non-parametric Regression: Motorcycle Accident Simulation Data

A data frame containing a series of measurements of head acceleration in a simulated motorcycle accident, which is used for testing crash helmets.

- `times`: time in milliseconds after impact
- `accel`: head acceleration in g

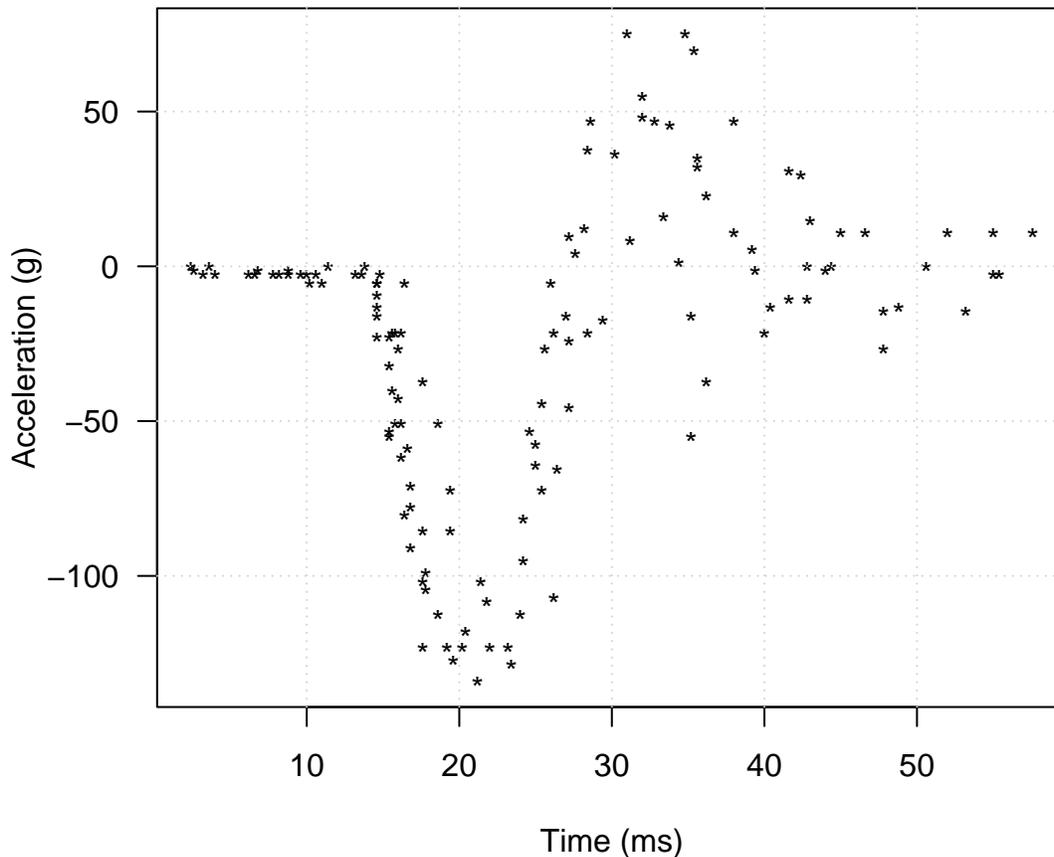
Data Source: Silverman, B. W. (1985) Some aspects of the spline smoothing approach to non-parametric curve fitting. *Journal of the Royal Statistical Society series B* 47, 1–52.

Load and plot the data

```

library(MASS)
data(mcycle)
attach(mcycle)
plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
grid()

```

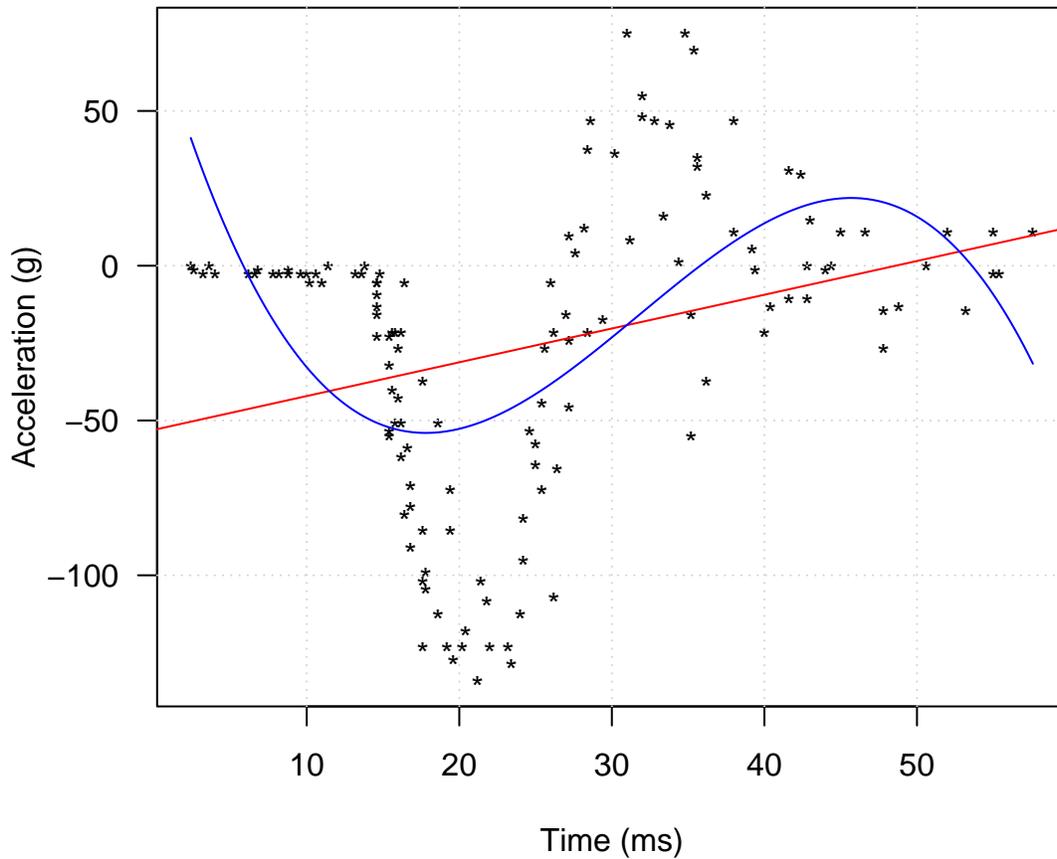


Linear and polynomial regression fits

```

rg <- range(times)
xg = seq(rg[1], rg[2], 0.1) # prediction grids
plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
grid()
lmFit <- lm(accel ~ times, data = mcycle)
abline(lmFit, col = "red")
Cub.polyFit <- lm(accel ~ poly(times, 3), data = mcycle)
Cub.polyPred <- predict(Cub.polyFit, data.frame(times = xg))
lines(xg, Cub.polyPred, col = "blue")

```

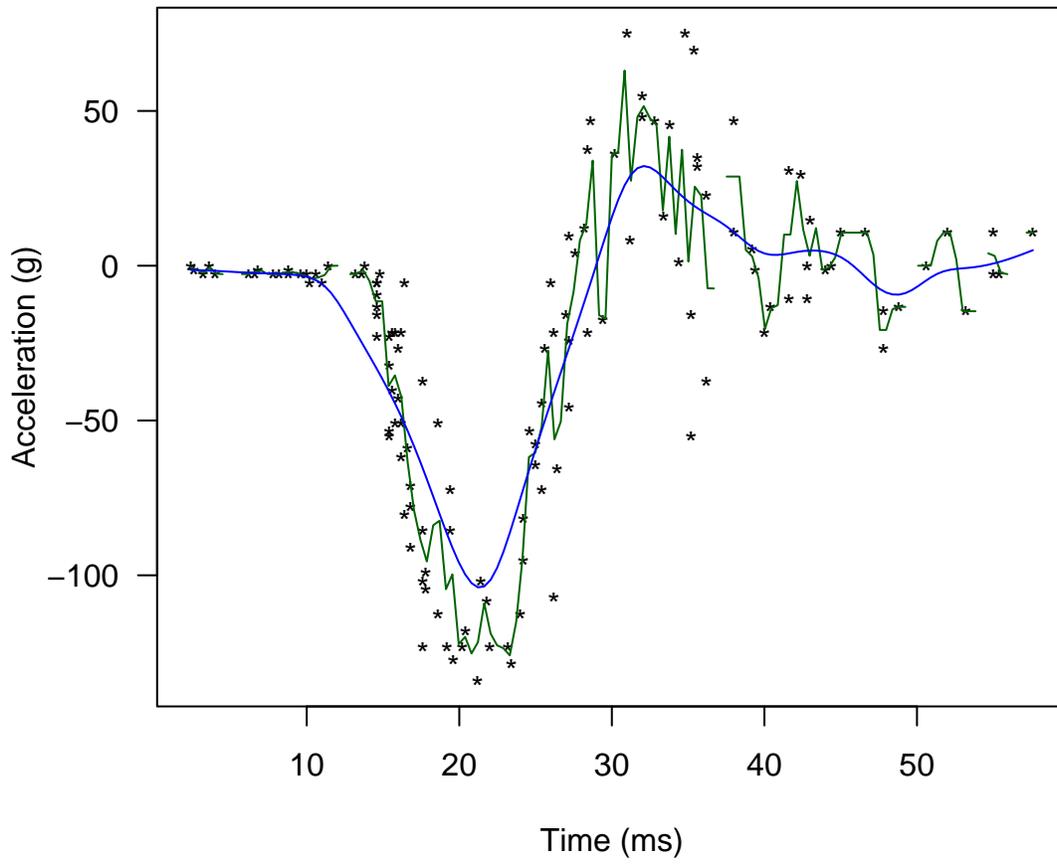


Kernel regression

$$\hat{f}(x) = \hat{\mathbb{E}}(y|x) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n K_h((x-x_i)/h)y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n K_h((x-x_i)/h)}, \text{ where } K_h \text{ is a kernel with a bandwidth } h.$$

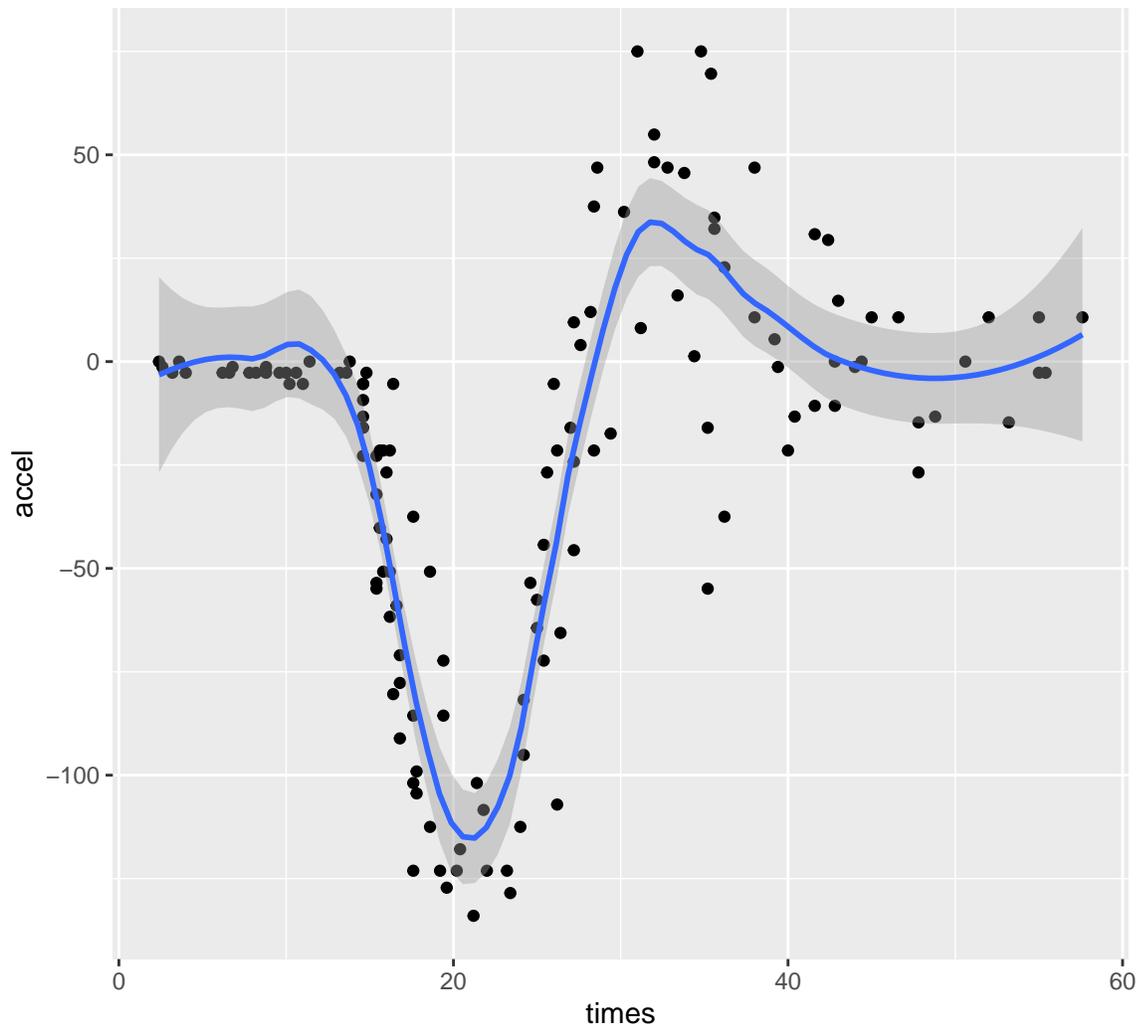
```
KernFit <- with(mcycle, ksmooth(times, accel, kernel = "normal", bandwidth = 0.5))
KernFit2 <- with(mcycle, ksmooth(times, accel, kernel = "normal", bandwidth = 5))

plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
lines(KernFit$x, KernFit$y, col = "darkgreen")
lines(KernFit2$x, KernFit2$y, col = "blue")
```



Local Polynomial Regression Fitting (*loess*)

```
library(ggplot2)
plot <- ggplot(aes(x = times, y = accel), data = mcycle)
plot <- plot + geom_point()
(plot <- plot + geom_smooth(method = "loess", degree = 2, span = 0.4, se = TRUE))
```



Regression Splines

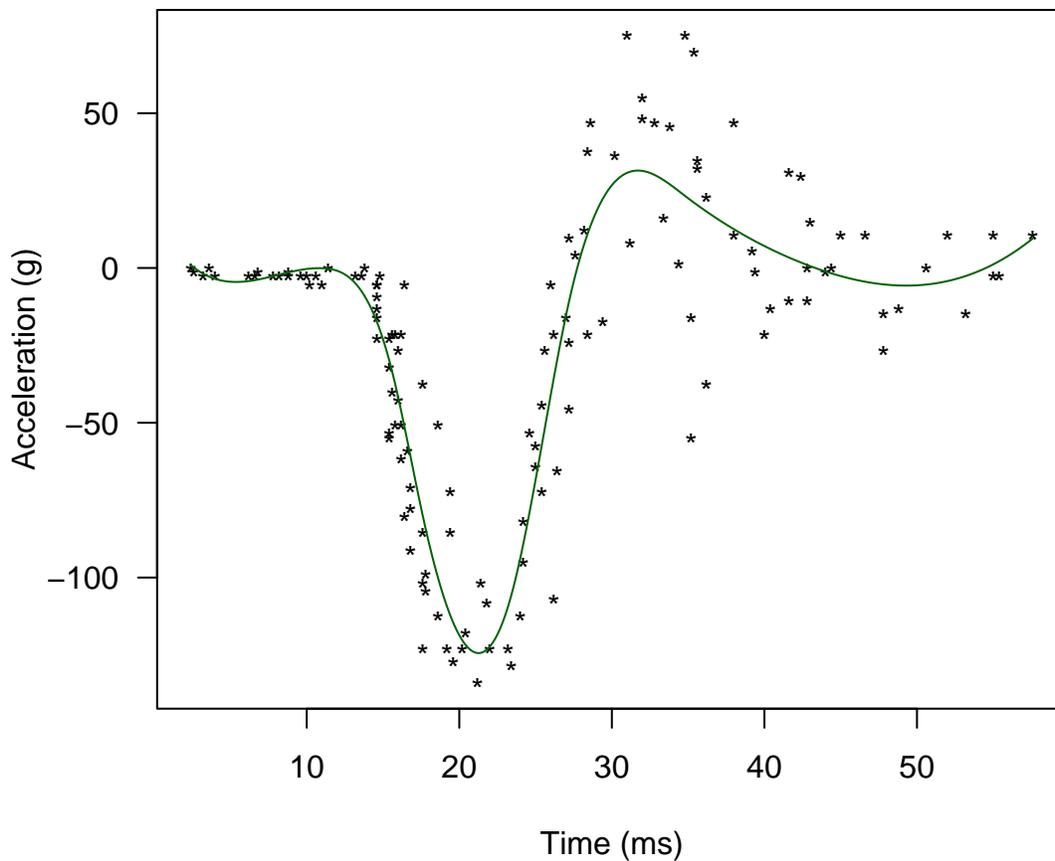
```
library(splines)
RegSplineFit <- lm(accel ~ bs(times, df = 10), data = mcycle)
summary(RegSplineFit)
```

```
##
## Call:
## lm(formula = accel ~ bs(times, df = 10), data = mcycle)
##
## Residuals:
##      Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
## -76.673 -12.362  -0.557  13.139  51.740
##
## Coefficients:
##              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)      0.9312   14.4492   0.064  0.94872
## bs(times, df = 10)1 -12.2008   37.5144  -0.325  0.74556
## bs(times, df = 10)2   6.2223   23.6415   0.263  0.79284
```

```
## bs(times, df = 10)3    -7.3726    18.2652   -0.404   0.68718
## bs(times, df = 10)4  -118.7497    17.9975   -6.598   1.13e-09 ***
## bs(times, df = 10)5  -152.4486    20.0955   -7.586   7.25e-12 ***
## bs(times, df = 10)6    50.0827    18.7966    2.664   0.00875 **
## bs(times, df = 10)7    19.4271    19.3827    1.002   0.31819
## bs(times, df = 10)8    -8.1814    23.9354   -0.342   0.73308
## bs(times, df = 10)9   -11.1443    29.2202   -0.381   0.70358
## bs(times, df = 10)10   8.6378     23.6119    0.366   0.71513
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Residual standard error: 22.68 on 122 degrees of freedom
## Multiple R-squared:  0.7964, Adjusted R-squared:  0.7797
## F-statistic: 47.72 on 10 and 122 DF,  p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

```
RegSplinePred <- predict(RegSplineFit, data.frame(times = xg))
```

```
plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
lines(xg, RegSplinePred, col = "darkgreen")
```



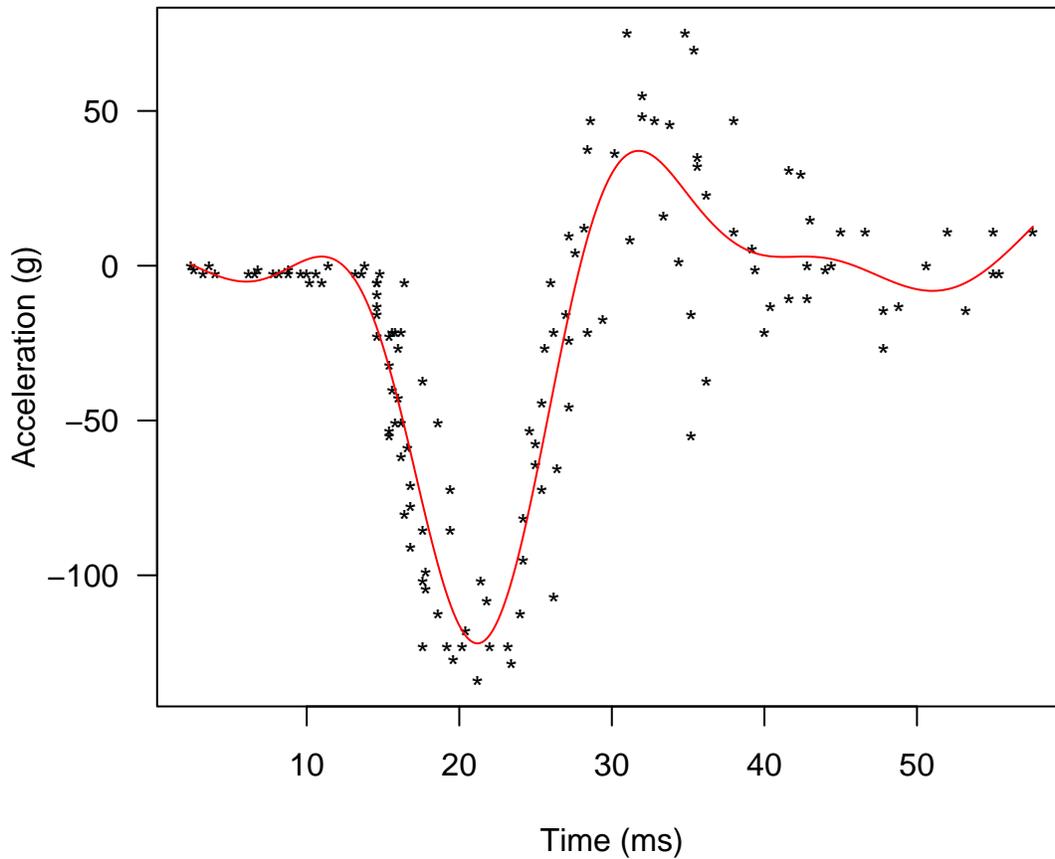
Generalized additive models

```
library(mgcv)
GAMFit <- gam(accel ~ s(times), data = mcycle)
summary(GAMFit)
```

```
##
## Family: gaussian
## Link function: identity
##
## Formula:
## accel ~ s(times)
##
## Parametric coefficients:
##             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept) -25.546      1.951   -13.1   <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Approximate significance of smooth terms:
##             edf Ref.df    F p-value
## s(times)  8.693  8.972 53.52 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## R-sq.(adj) =  0.783   Deviance explained = 79.8%
## GCV = 545.78   Scale est. = 506         n = 133
```

```
GAMPred <- predict(GAMFit, data.frame(times = xg))

plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
lines(xg, GAMPred, col = "red")
```



Smoothing splines

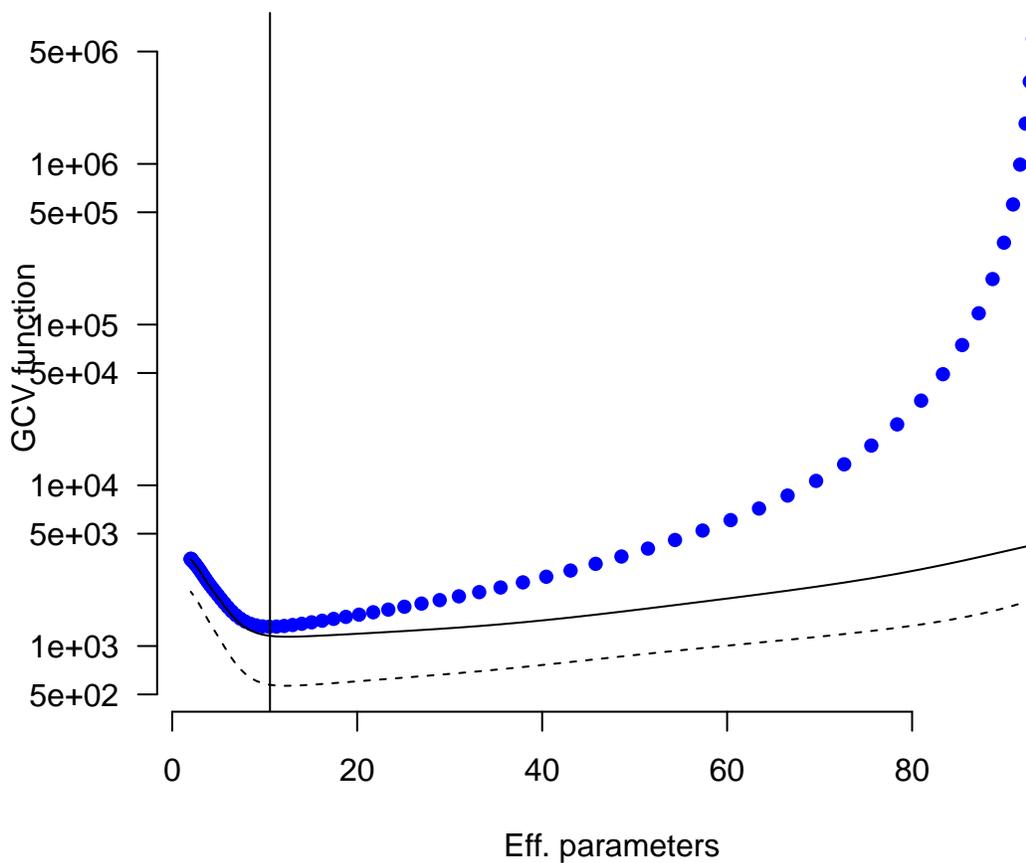
```
library(fields)
SpFit <- sreg(times, accel)
summary(SpFit)
```

```
## CALL:
## sreg(x = times, y = accel)
##
## Number of Observations:      133
## Number of unique points:     133
## Eff. degrees of freedom for spline: 10.6
## Residual degrees of freedom: 122.4
## GCV est. tau                  22.97
## Pure error tau                24.49
## lambda                        0.3826
##
## RESIDUAL SUMMARY:
##      min    1st Q   median    3rd Q     max
## -78.1500 -13.8800  -0.7238  13.6300  49.6300
##
## DETAILS ON SMOOTHING PARAMETER:
## Method used:      Cost:
##   lambda      trA      GCV  GCV.one GCV.model  tauHat
```

```
##      0.3826   10.5726 1318.0646  573.4152 1156.4850   22.9746
##
## Summary of estimates for lambda
##      lambda   trA    GCV tauHat converge
## GCV      0.3826 10.573 1318.1  22.97      13
## GCV.model 0.1835 12.467 1142.5  22.64      12
## GCV.one   0.1981 12.253  565.5  22.66      12
## pure error 1.1041  8.375 1380.7  24.49      NA
```

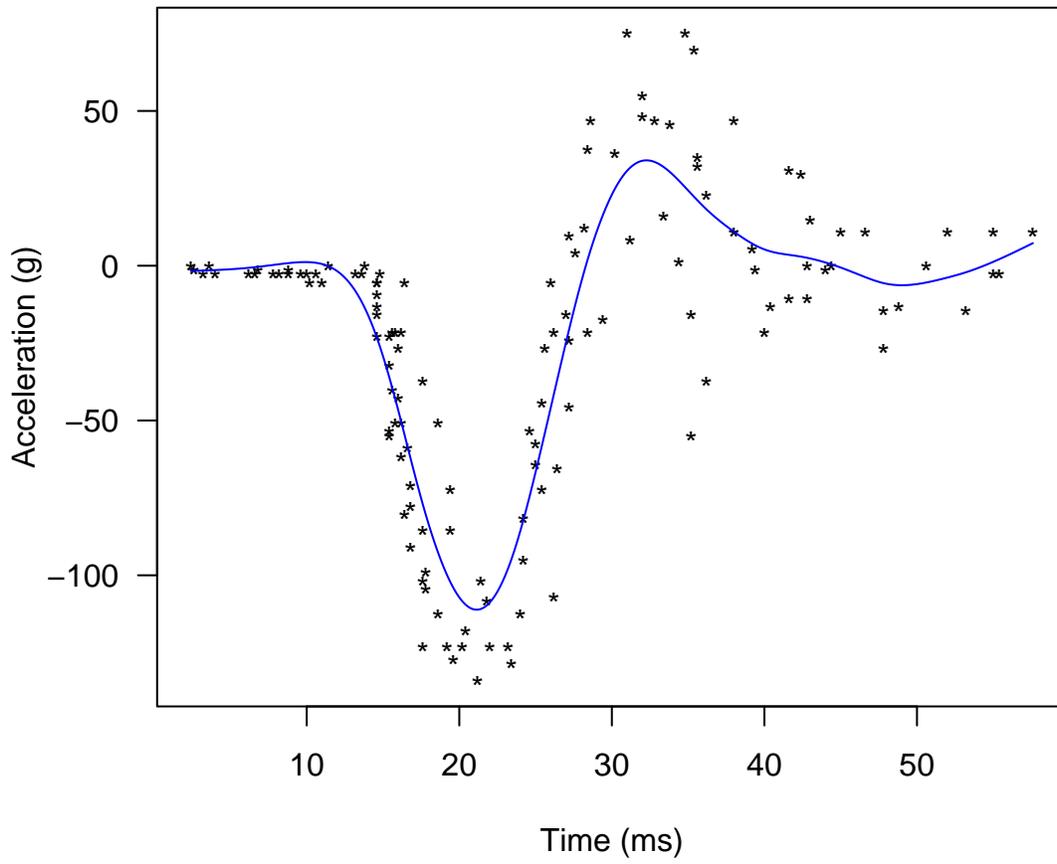
```
plot(SpFit, which = 3, col = "blue", pch = 16, las = 1)
```

**GCV-points , solid- GCV model,
dashed- GCV one**



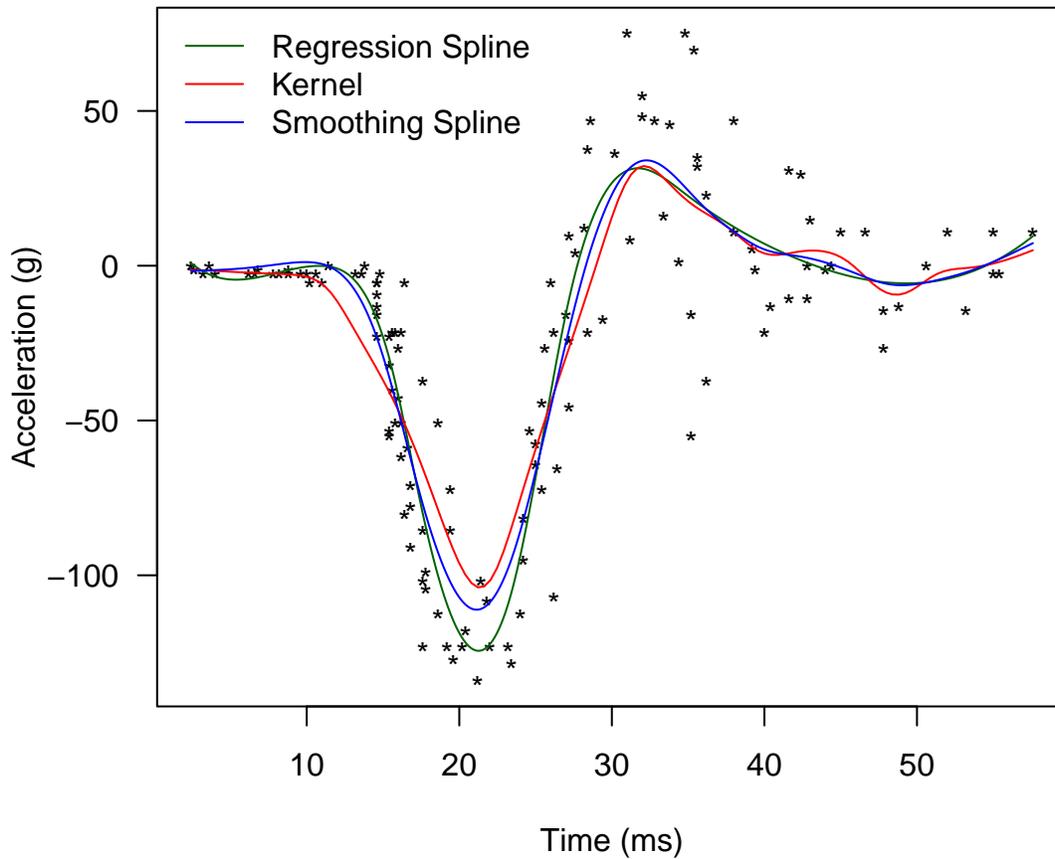
```
SpPred <- predict(SpFit, xg)

plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
lines(xg, SpPred , col = "blue")
```



Comparing kernel estimator/regression spline/smoothing spline fits

```
plot(times, accel, pch = "*", cex = 1, las = 1,
      xlab = "Time (ms)", ylab = "Acceleration (g)")
lines(xg, RegSplinePred, col = "darkgreen")
lines(KernFit2$x, KernFit2$y, col = "red")
lines(xg, SpPred, col = "blue")
legend("topleft", legend = c("Regression Spline", "Kernel", "Smoothing Spline"),
      col = c("darkgreen", "red", "blue"), lty = 1, bty = "n")
```



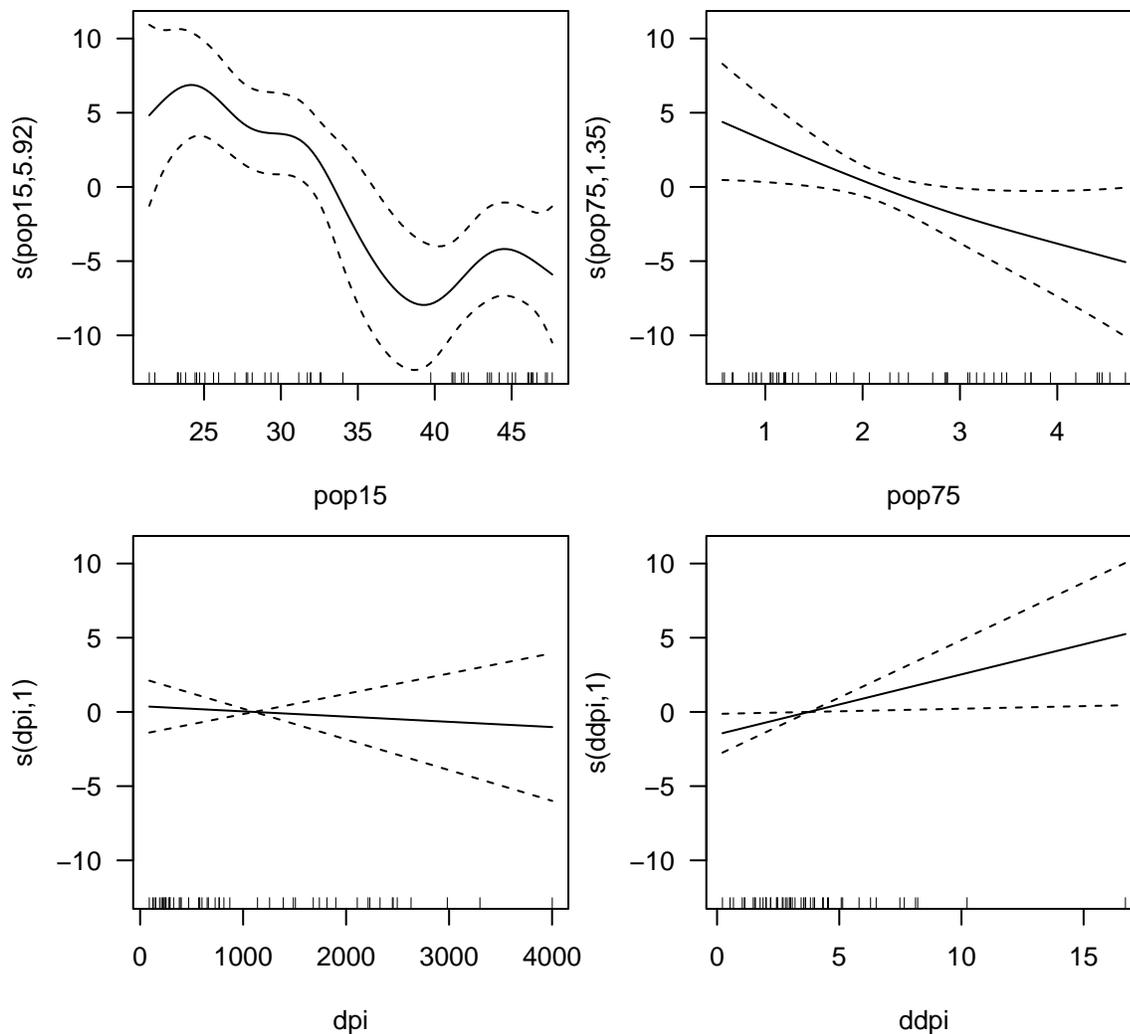
Generalized additive models for multiple predictors

```
library(faraway)
gamod <- gam(sr ~ s(pop15) + s(pop75) + s(dpi) + s(ddpi), data = savings)
summary(gamod)
```

```
##
## Family: gaussian
## Link function: identity
##
## Formula:
## sr ~ s(pop15) + s(pop75) + s(dpi) + s(ddpi)
##
## Parametric coefficients:
##             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
## (Intercept)  9.6710     0.4816   20.08 <2e-16 ***
## ---
## Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## Approximate significance of smooth terms:
##             edf Ref.df    F p-value
## s(pop15)  5.924  7.064 3.608 0.00406 **
## s(pop75)  1.350  1.623 2.811 0.06586 .
## s(dpi)    1.000  1.000 0.168 0.68403
```

```
## s(ddpi) 1.000 1.000 4.789 0.03455 *
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## R-sq.(adj) = 0.422  Deviance explained = 53.2%
## GCV = 14.593  Scale est. = 11.595  n = 50
```

```
par(mfrow = c(2, 2), mar = c(4, 3.85, 0.8, 0.5))
plot(gamod, las = 1)
```



Shrinkage Methods

The remainder of this R session is largely based on the R lab ‘Ridge Regression and the Lasso’ from the book ‘Introduction to Statistical Learning with Applications in R’ by Gareth James, Daniela Witten, Trevor Hastie, and Robert Tibshirani. We will use the `glmnet` package to perform ridge regression and the lasso to predict `Salary` on the `Hitters` data.

Ridge Regression

1. Data Setup

```
library(ISLR)
data(Hitters)
Hitters = na.omit(Hitters)
head(Hitters)
```

```
##           AtBat Hits HmRun Runs RBI Walks Years CAtBat CHits CHmRun
## -Alan Ashby    315  81    7  24  38   39   14  3449  835   69
## -Alvin Davis   479 130   18  66  72   76    3  1624  457   63
## -Andre Dawson  496 141   20  65  78   37   11  5628 1575  225
## -Andres Galarraga 321  87   10  39  42   30    2   396  101   12
## -Alfredo Griffin 594 169    4  74  51   35   11  4408 1133   19
## -Al Newman    185  37    1  23  8    21    2   214  42    1
##           CRuns CRBI CWalks League Division PutOuts Assists Errors
## -Alan Ashby    321 414   375     N      W      632    43    10
## -Alvin Davis   224 266   263     A      W      880    82    14
## -Andre Dawson  828 838   354     N      E      200    11    3
## -Andres Galarraga 48  46    33     N      E      805    40    4
## -Alfredo Griffin 501 336   194     A      W      282   421   25
## -Al Newman     30  9     24     N      E       76   127    7
##           Salary NewLeague
## -Alan Ashby    475.0      N
## -Alvin Davis   480.0      A
## -Andre Dawson  500.0      N
## -Andres Galarraga 91.5      N
## -Alfredo Griffin 750.0      A
## -Al Newman     70.0      A
```

```
summary(Hitters)
```

```
##           AtBat           Hits           HmRun           Runs
## Min.   : 19.0   Min.   : 1.0   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   : 0.00
## 1st Qu.:282.5   1st Qu.: 71.5   1st Qu.: 5.00   1st Qu.: 33.50
## Median :413.0   Median :103.0   Median : 9.00   Median : 52.00
## Mean   :403.6   Mean   :107.8   Mean   :11.62   Mean   : 54.75
## 3rd Qu.:526.0   3rd Qu.:141.5   3rd Qu.:18.00   3rd Qu.: 73.00
## Max.   :687.0   Max.   :238.0   Max.   :40.00   Max.   :130.00
##           RBI           Walks           Years           CAtBat
## Min.   : 0.00   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   : 1.000   Min.   : 19.0
## 1st Qu.: 30.00   1st Qu.: 23.00   1st Qu.: 4.000   1st Qu.: 842.5
## Median : 47.00   Median : 37.00   Median : 6.000   Median : 1931.0
## Mean   : 51.49   Mean   : 41.11   Mean   : 7.312   Mean   : 2657.5
## 3rd Qu.: 71.00   3rd Qu.: 57.00   3rd Qu.:10.000   3rd Qu.: 3890.5
## Max.   :121.00   Max.   :105.00   Max.   :24.000   Max.   :14053.0
##           CHits           CHmRun           CRuns           CRBI
## Min.   : 4.0   Min.   : 0.00   Min.   : 2.0   Min.   : 3.0
## 1st Qu.: 212.0   1st Qu.: 15.00   1st Qu.: 105.5   1st Qu.: 95.0
## Median : 516.0   Median : 40.00   Median : 250.0   Median : 230.0
## Mean   : 722.2   Mean   : 69.24   Mean   : 361.2   Mean   : 330.4
## 3rd Qu.:1054.0   3rd Qu.: 92.50   3rd Qu.: 497.5   3rd Qu.: 424.5
```

```
## Max. :4256.0 Max. :548.00 Max. :2165.0 Max. :1659.0
## CWalks League Division PutOuts Assists
## Min. : 1.0 A:139 E:129 Min. : 0.0 Min. : 0.0
## 1st Qu.: 71.0 N:124 W:134 1st Qu.: 113.5 1st Qu.: 8.0
## Median : 174.0 Median : 224.0 Median : 45.0
## Mean : 260.3 Mean : 290.7 Mean :118.8
## 3rd Qu.: 328.5 3rd Qu.: 322.5 3rd Qu.:192.0
## Max. :1566.0 Max. :1377.0 Max. :492.0
## Errors Salary NewLeague
## Min. : 0.000 Min. : 67.5 A:141
## 1st Qu.: 3.000 1st Qu.: 190.0 N:122
## Median : 7.000 Median : 425.0
## Mean : 8.593 Mean : 535.9
## 3rd Qu.:13.000 3rd Qu.: 750.0
## Max. :32.000 Max. :2460.0
```

```
library(glmnet)
X <- model.matrix(Salary ~ ., data = Hitters)[, -1]
y <- Hitters$Salary
```

The `glmnet()` function has an `alpha` argument that determines what type of model is fit. If `alpha = 0` then a ridge regression model is fit, and if `alpha = 1` then a lasso model is fit. We first fit a ridge regression model, which minimizes

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \sum_{j=1}^p \beta_j x_{ij})^2 + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^p \beta_j^2,$$

where $\lambda \geq 0$ is a *tuning parameter* to be determined.

2. Fit Ridge Regression over a grid of λ values

```
grid <- 10^seq(10, -2, length = 100)
ridge.mod <- glmnet(X, y, alpha = 0, lambda = grid)
```

3. Ridge Regression Coefficients

```
dim(coef(ridge.mod))
```

```
## [1] 20 100
```

We expect the coefficient estimates to be much smaller, in terms of ℓ_2 norm, when a large value of λ is used.

```
ridge.mod$lambda[50] #Display 50th lambda value
```

```
## [1] 11497.57
```

```
coef(ridge.mod)[, 50] # Display coefficients associated with 50th lambda value
```

```
## (Intercept) AtBat Hits HmRun Runs
## 407.356050200 0.036957182 0.138180344 0.524629976 0.230701523
## RBI Walks Years CAtBat CHits
```

```
## 0.239841459 0.289618741 1.107702929 0.003131815 0.011653637
##      CHmRun      CRuns      CRBI      CWalks      LeagueN
## 0.087545670 0.023379882 0.024138320 0.025015421 0.085028114
##      DivisionW      PutOuts      Assists      Errors      NewLeagueN
## -6.215440973 0.016482577 0.002612988 -0.020502690 0.301433531
```

```
sqrt(sum(coef(ridge.mod)[-1, 50]^2)) # Calculate l2 norm
```

```
## [1] 6.360612
```

In contrast, here are the coefficients when $\lambda = 705$, along with their ℓ_2 norm. Note the much larger ℓ_2 norm of the coefficients associated with this smaller value of λ .

```
ridge.mod$lambda[60] #Display 60th lambda value
```

```
## [1] 705.4802
```

```
coef(ridge.mod)[, 60] # Display coefficients associated with 60th lambda value
```

```
## (Intercept)      AtBat      Hits      HmRun      Runs      RBI
## 54.32519950 0.11211115 0.65622409 1.17980910 0.93769713 0.84718546
##      Walks      Years      CAtBat      CHits      CHmRun      CRuns
## 1.31987948 2.59640425 0.01083413 0.04674557 0.33777318 0.09355528
##      CRBI      CWalks      LeagueN      DivisionW      PutOuts      Assists
## 0.09780402 0.07189612 13.68370191 -54.65877750 0.11852289 0.01606037
##      Errors      NewLeagueN
## -0.70358655 8.61181213
```

```
sqrt(sum(coef(ridge.mod)[-1, 60]^2)) # Calculate l2 norm
```

```
## [1] 57.11001
```

We can use the `predict()` function for a number of purposes. For instance, we can obtain the ridge regression coefficients for a new value of λ , say 50:

```
predict(ridge.mod, s = 50, type = "coefficients")[1:20, ]
```

```
## (Intercept)      AtBat      Hits      HmRun      Runs
## 4.876610e+01 -3.580999e-01 1.969359e+00 -1.278248e+00 1.145892e+00
##      RBI      Walks      Years      CAtBat      CHits
## 8.038292e-01 2.716186e+00 -6.218319e+00 5.447837e-03 1.064895e-01
##      CHmRun      CRuns      CRBI      CWalks      LeagueN
## 6.244860e-01 2.214985e-01 2.186914e-01 -1.500245e-01 4.592589e+01
##      DivisionW      PutOuts      Assists      Errors      NewLeagueN
## -1.182011e+02 2.502322e-01 1.215665e-01 -3.278600e+00 -9.496680e+00
```

4. Training/Testing

We now split the samples into a training set and a test set in order to estimate the test error of ridge regression and later on the lasso.

```

set.seed(1)
train <- sample(1:nrow(X), nrow(X) / 2)
test <- (-train)
y.test <- y[test]

# Fit Ridge regression to the training data
ridge.mod <- glmnet(X[train,], y[train], alpha = 0, lambda = grid, thresh = 1e-12)
# Predict the salary to the testing data with lambda = 4
ridge.pred <- predict(ridge.mod, s = 4, newx = X[test,])
# Calculate the Root Mean Square Error (RMSE)
sqrt(mean((ridge.pred - y.test)^2))

```

```
## [1] 377.093
```

```

# Compute the RMSE for the intercept-only model
sqrt(mean((mean(y[train]) - y.test)^2))

```

```
## [1] 473.9936
```

```

# Change to a much larger lambda
ridge.pred <- predict(ridge.mod, s = 1e10, newx = X[test,])
sqrt(mean((ridge.pred - y.test)^2))

```

```
## [1] 473.9935
```

```

# Change lambda to 0
ridge.pred <- predict(ridge.mod, s = 0, newx = X[test,])
sqrt(mean((ridge.pred - y.test)^2))

```

```
## [1] 409.6215
```

```
lm(y ~ X, subset = train)
```

```

##
## Call:
## lm(formula = y ~ X, subset = train)
##
## Coefficients:
## (Intercept)      XAtBat      XHits      XHmRun      XRuns      XRBI
##      274.0145      -0.3521     -1.6377      5.8145      1.5424      1.1243
##      XWalks      XYears      XCAtBat      XHits      XCHmRun      XCRuns
##      3.7287     -16.3773     -0.6412      3.1632      3.4008     -0.9739
##      XCRBI      XCWalks      XLeagueN      XDivisionW      XPutOuts      XAssists
##     -0.6005      0.3379     119.1486     -144.0831      0.1976      0.6804
##      XErrors      XNewLeagueN
##     -4.7128     -71.0951

```

```
predict(ridge.mod, s = 0, type = "coefficients")[1:20,]
```

```
## (Intercept)      AtBat      Hits      HmRun      Runs      RBI
## 274.2089049    -0.3699455    -1.5370022    5.9129307    1.4811980    1.0772844
##      Walks      Years      CAtBat      CHits      CHmRun      CRuns
## 3.7577989    -16.5600387    -0.6313336    3.1115575    3.3297885    -0.9496641
##      CRBI      CWalks      LeagueN      DivisionW      PutOuts      Assists
## -0.5694414     0.3300136    118.4000592   -144.2867510    0.1971770     0.6775088
##      Errors      NewLeagueN
## -4.6833775    -70.1616132
```

Instead of arbitrarily choosing $\lambda = 4$, it would be better to use cross-validation (CV) to choose the tuning parameter λ . We can do this using the built-in cross-validation function, `cv.glmnet()`. By default, the function performs 10-fold cross-validation, though this can be changed using the argument `folds`.

5. Cross-Validation (CV)

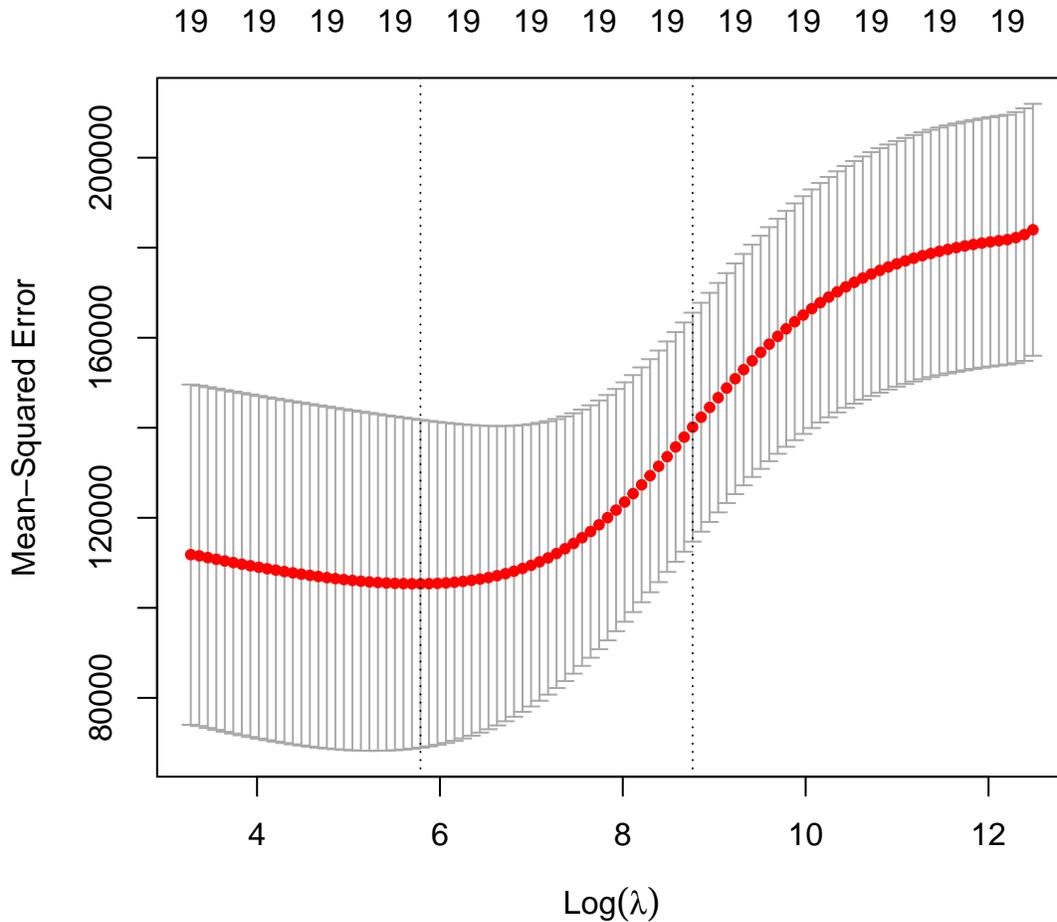
```
set.seed(1)
# Fit ridge regression model on training data
cv.out <- cv.glmnet(X[train,], y[train], alpha = 0)
# Select lamda that minimizes training MSE
(bestLambda = cv.out$lambda.min)
```

```
## [1] 326.0828
```

```
ridge.pred <- predict(ridge.mod, s = bestLambda, newx = X[test,])
sqrt(mean((ridge.pred - y.test)^2))
```

```
## [1] 373.9741
```

```
plot(cv.out) # Draw plot of training MSE as a function of lambda
```



Finally, we refit our ridge regression model on the full data set, using the value of λ chosen by cross-validation, and examine the coefficient estimates.

```
# Fit ridge regression model on full dataset
out <- glmnet(X, y, alpha = 0)
# Display coefficients using lambda chosen by CV
predict(out, type = "coefficients", s = bestLambda)[1:20,]
```

```
## (Intercept)      AtBat      Hits      HmRun      Runs      RBI
## 15.44383120  0.07715547  0.85911582  0.60103106  1.06369007  0.87936105
##      Walks      Years      CAtBat      CHits      CHmRun      CRuns
##  1.62444617  1.35254778  0.01134999  0.05746654  0.40680157  0.11456224
##      CRBI      CWalks      LeagueN      DivisionW      PutOuts      Assists
##  0.12116504  0.05299202  22.09143197 -79.04032656  0.16619903  0.02941950
##      Errors      NewLeagueN
## -1.36092945  9.12487765
```

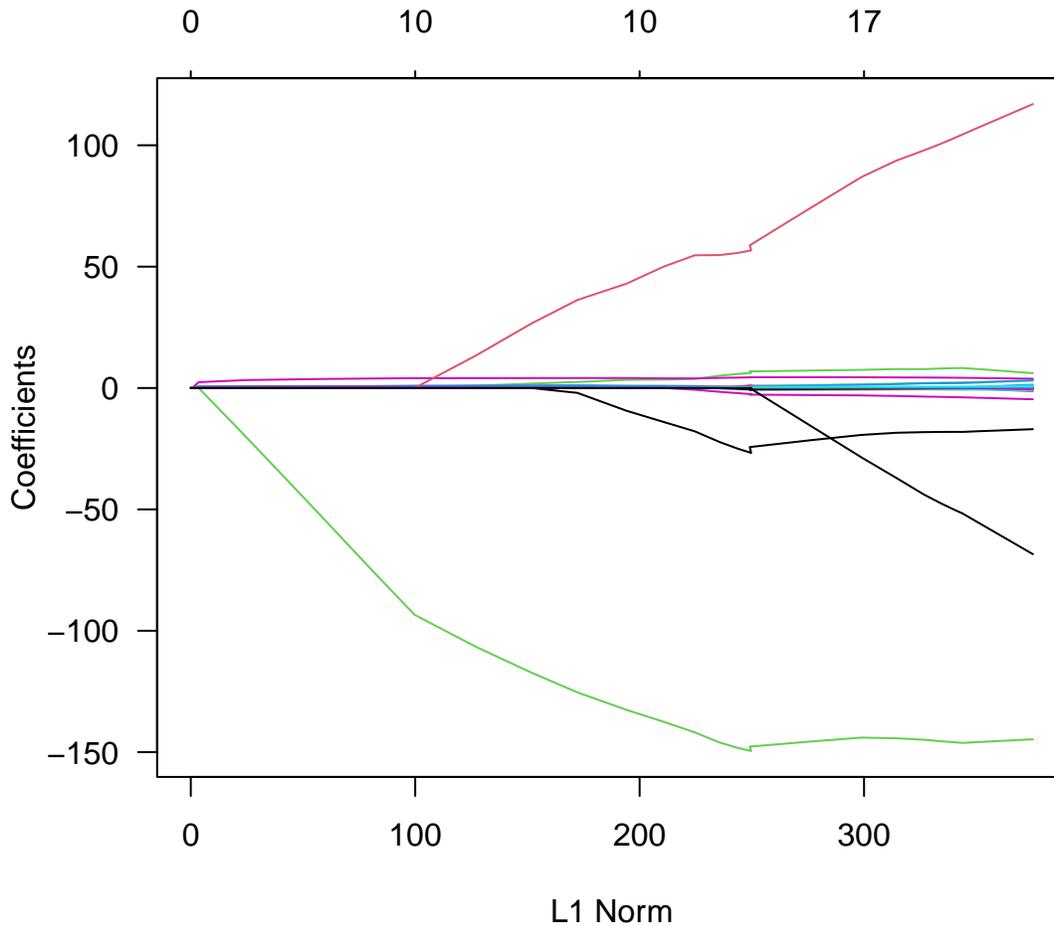
The Lasso

We saw that ridge regression with a wise choice of λ can outperform least squares as well as the null model on the Hitters data set. We now ask whether the lasso, which minimizes

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 - \sum_{j=1}^p \beta_j x_{ij})^2 + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^p |\beta_j|$$

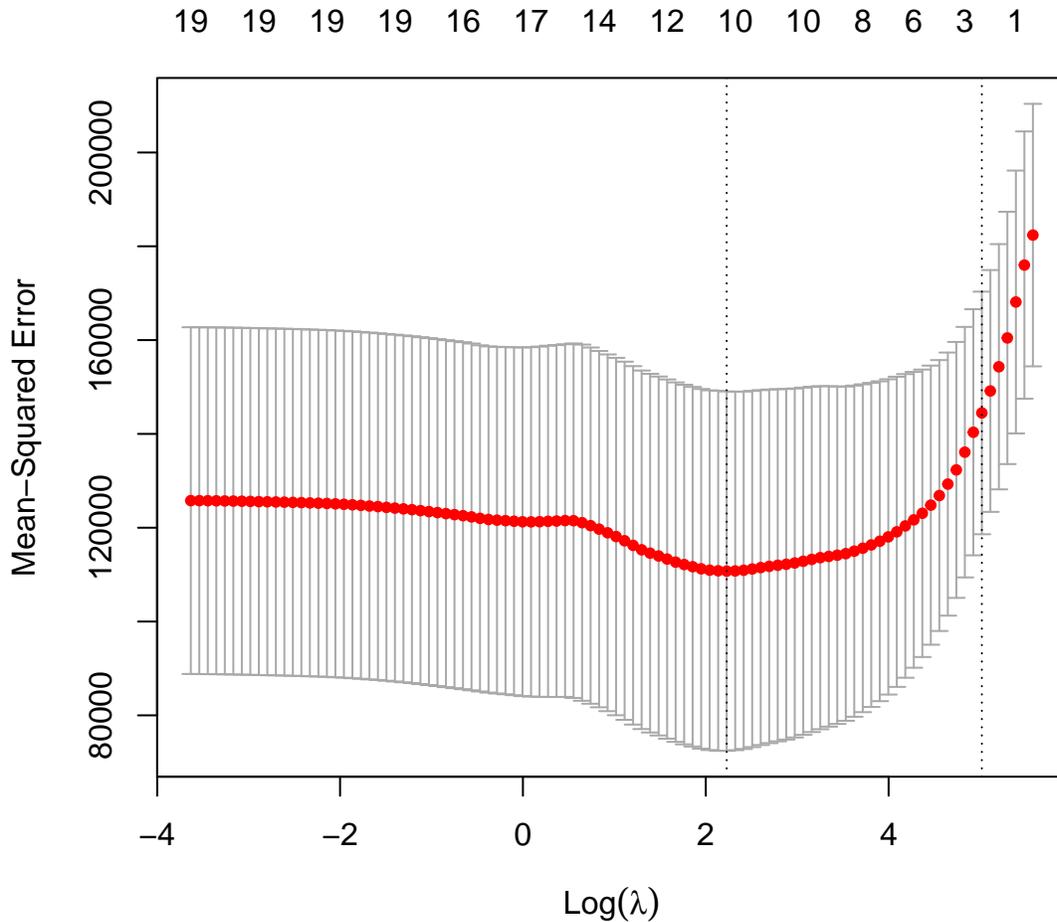
can yield either a more accurate or a more interpretable model than ridge regression. In order to fit a lasso model, we once again use the `glmnet()` function; however, this time we use the argument `alpha=1`.

```
# Fit lasso model on training data
lasso.mod <- glmnet(X[train,], y[train], alpha = 1, lambda = grid)
# Draw plot of coefficients
plot(lasso.mod, las = 1)
```



Notice that in the coefficient plot that depending on the choice of tuning parameter, some of the coefficients are exactly equal to zero. We now perform cross-validation and compute the associated test error:

```
set.seed(1)
# Fit lasso model on training data
cv.out <- cv.glmnet(X[train,], y[train], alpha = 1)
# Draw plot of training MSE as a function of lambda
plot(cv.out)
```



```
# Select lamda that minimizes training MSE
bestLambda <- cv.out$lambda.min
# Use best lambda to predict test data
lasso.pred <- predict(lasso.mod, s = bestLambda, newx = X[test,])
# Calculate test RMSE
sqrt(mean((lasso.pred - y[test])^2))
```

```
## [1] 379.043
```

This is substantially lower than the test set RMSE of the null model and of least squares, and very similar to the test RMSE of ridge regression with λ chosen by cross-validation.

However, the lasso has a substantial advantage over ridge regression in that the resulting coefficient estimates are sparse. Here we see that 8 of the 19 coefficient estimates are exactly zero:

```
# Fit lasso model on full dataset
out <- glmnet(X, y, alpha = 1, lambda = grid)
# Display coefficients using lambda chosen by CV
(lasso.coef <- predict(out, type = "coefficients", s = bestLambda)[1:20,])
```

```
## (Intercept)      AtBat      Hits      HmRun      Runs
## 1.27479059 -0.05497143 2.18034583 0.00000000 0.00000000
##           RBI      Walks      Years      CAtBat      CHits
```

```
## 0.0000000 2.29192406 -0.33806109 0.00000000 0.00000000
## CHmRun CRuns CRBI CWalks LeagueN
## 0.02825013 0.21628385 0.41712537 0.00000000 20.28615023
## DivisionW PutOuts Assists Errors NewLeagueN
## -116.16755870 0.23752385 0.00000000 -0.85629148 0.00000000
```

```
lasso.coef[lasso.coef != 0] # Display only non-zero coefficients
```

```
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## PutOuts Errors
## 0.23752385 -0.85629148
```