

Curve fitting

#4

 (x_i, y_i)

$$y_i = f(x_i) + \varepsilon_i$$

$$f(x) = a_1 f_1(x) + a_2 f_2(x) + \dots + a_m f_m(x)$$

$$a = \begin{bmatrix} a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$F(x) = F_x = [f_1(x) \dots f_m(x)]$$

$$y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\varepsilon = \begin{bmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$y = F_x a + \varepsilon$$

 m - fixed n - big enough.

$$Q(a) = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - f_a(x_i))^2 \sim \min_a$$

$$Q(a) = \|y - Ba\|^2 =$$

$$= \|B(a - (B^T B)^{-1} B^T y)\|^2$$

$$+ \|y\|^2 - \|B(B^T B)^{-1} B^T y\|^2$$

$$B = \begin{bmatrix} F_{x_1} \\ F_{x_2} \\ \vdots \\ F_{x_n} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1) \cdots f_m(x_1) \\ \vdots \\ f_1(x_n) \cdots f_m(x_n) \end{bmatrix} \quad \underline{n \times m}$$

If $\hat{a} = (B^T B)^{-1} B^T y \Rightarrow Q(\hat{a}) \sim \text{min}$

Columns of B are independent.

$n \geq m$, $f_1 \cdots f_m$ - lin indep
 x_1, \dots, x_n "random enough"

Col. of B indep $\Rightarrow B u = 0 \Rightarrow u = 0$

$$B^T B = \begin{matrix} m & \square \\ & m \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} n \\ \square \\ m \end{matrix}$$

rank B = m

$B^T B u = 0 \Rightarrow u = 0$

$$0 = \langle B^T B u, u \rangle = \langle B u, B u \rangle = \|B u\|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \|B u\| = 0 \Rightarrow B u = 0 \Rightarrow u = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{rank } B^T B = m \Rightarrow B^T B \text{ is invertible.}$$

$\exists ! \hat{\alpha} : Q(\hat{\alpha}) \sim \min.$

$$\hat{\alpha} = (B^T B)^{-1} B^T y$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (x_1, y_1) \\ \vdots \\ (x_n, y_n) \\ \vdots \\ (x_{n+1}, y_{n+1}) \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \\ \vdots \\ y_{n+1} \end{bmatrix}, \quad B = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_1) \cdots f_m(x_1) \\ \vdots \\ f_1(x_n) \cdots f_m(x_n) \\ \vdots \\ f_1(x_{n+1}) \cdots f_m(x_{n+1}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$B^T y = \begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ \vdots \\ F_n \end{bmatrix}^T y \quad | \quad F_i = F_{x_i} = F(x_i)$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} F_1^T & \cdots & F_n^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix} = y_1 F_1^T + \cdots + y_n F_n^T$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n y_i F_i^T = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_i) \\ \vdots \\ f_m(x_i) \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n \beta_i = \beta$$

$$(x_i, y_i) \mapsto \beta_i = y_i \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_i) \\ \vdots \\ f_m(x_i) \end{bmatrix} \quad \beta_i \quad | \quad m\text{-vector}$$

$$B^T B = \begin{bmatrix} F_1^T & \dots & F_n^T \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} F_1 \\ \vdots \\ F_n \end{bmatrix} \quad - \quad m \times m$$

$$= F_1^T F_1 + \dots + F_n^T F_n =$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \underbrace{F_i^T F_i}_{=T_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n T_i = T$$

$$T_i = F_i^T F_i = \begin{bmatrix} f_1(x_i) \\ \vdots \\ f_m(x_i) \end{bmatrix} [f_1(x_i) \dots f_m(x_i)] =$$

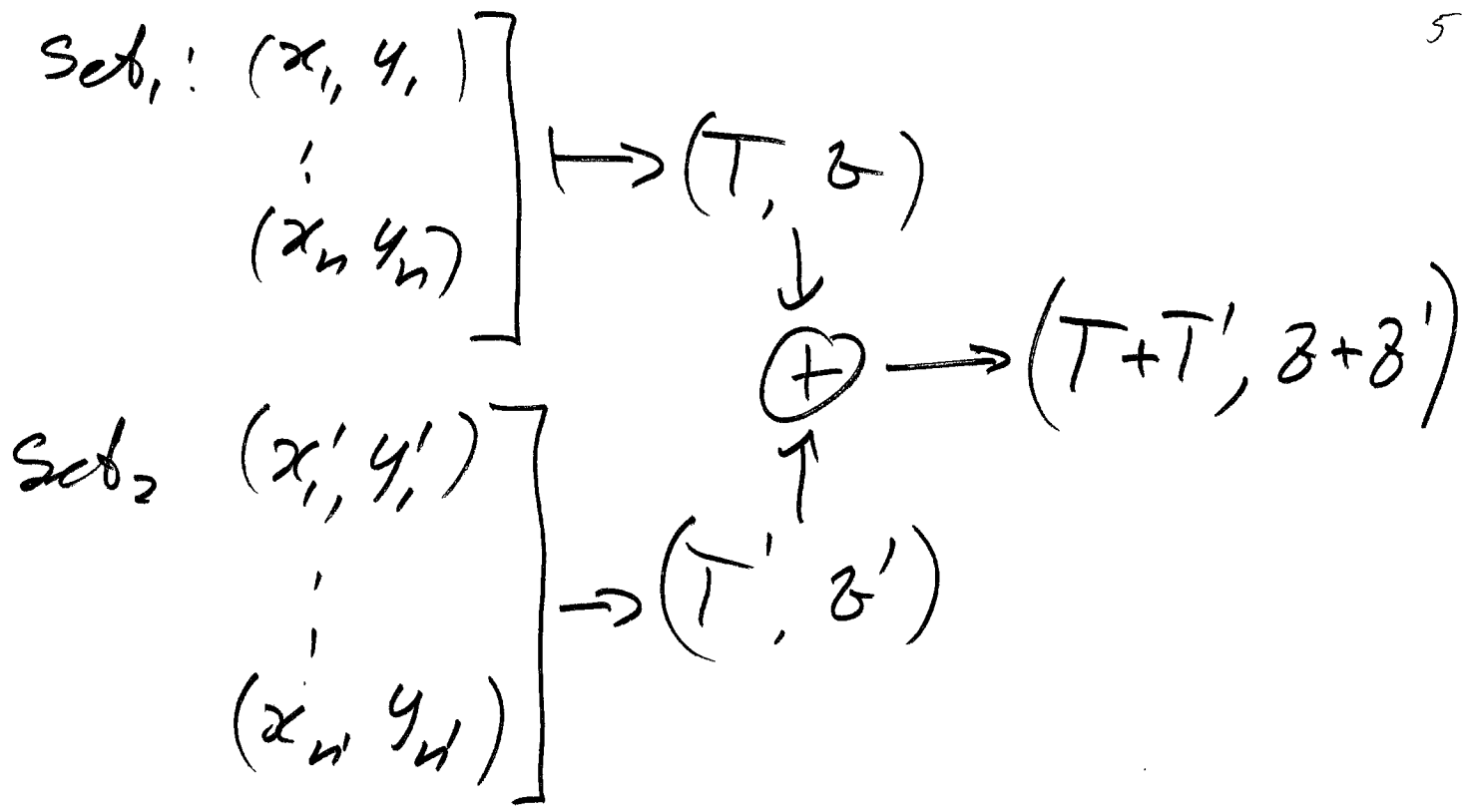
$$= \begin{bmatrix} f_1^2(x_i) & f_1(x_i)f_2(x_i) & \dots & f_1(x_i)f_m(x_i) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ f_m(x_i)f_1(x_i) & \dots & \dots & f_m^2(x_i) \end{bmatrix}$$

$m \times m$

$$\begin{pmatrix} T & z \end{pmatrix}$$

$$m \times m \quad | \quad m$$

$$\hat{a} = T^{-1} z$$



Accumulate:

$$(x_i, y_i) \mapsto (T_i, z_i) \Rightarrow (T, z)$$

$$(T, z) \mapsto \hat{a} = T^{-1}z.$$

\hat{a} - unbiased estimate of a :

$$\hat{a} = \underbrace{(B^T B)^{-1} B^T}_{= R} y = R y$$

$$y = B a + \epsilon$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{a} - a &= (B^T B)^{-1} B^T y - a \\ &= (B^T B)^{-1} B^T (B a + \epsilon) - a \\ &= \underbrace{\left((B^T B)^{-1} B^T B - I \right)}_{= I} a + R \epsilon \\ &= R \epsilon \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{E(\hat{a} - a)}{=} &= E R \epsilon = R E \epsilon = R E \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_1 \\ \vdots \\ \epsilon_n \end{bmatrix} \\ &= R \begin{bmatrix} E \epsilon_1 \\ \vdots \\ E \epsilon_n \end{bmatrix} = R \mathbf{0} = \mathbf{0} \end{aligned}$$

$\epsilon_i : \underbrace{E \epsilon_i = 0} \quad \text{Var } \epsilon_i = E \epsilon_i^2 = \sigma^2$

$E(\hat{a} - a) = 0 \Rightarrow \hat{a}$ - unbiased
Accuracy of \hat{a} .

$\text{Var}(\hat{a}) = E(\hat{a} - E\hat{a})(\hat{a} - E\hat{a})^T =$
 (variance matr. or var-covar matr.)
 $= E(\hat{a} - a)(\hat{a} - a)^T = E R \epsilon \epsilon^T R^T$

$= R E \epsilon \epsilon^T R^T$

$$E \epsilon \epsilon^T = E \begin{bmatrix} \epsilon_1 \epsilon_1 & \epsilon_1 \epsilon_2 & \dots & \epsilon_1 \epsilon_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \epsilon_n \epsilon_1 & \dots & \dots & \epsilon_n^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$E \varepsilon_i^2 = \sigma^2 = \text{Var } \varepsilon_i$$

$$\{\varepsilon_i\} - \text{indep. } E \varepsilon_i \varepsilon_j = 0 \quad \text{if } i \neq j \Rightarrow$$

$$E \varepsilon \varepsilon^T = \text{Var } \varepsilon = \sigma^2 I$$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\alpha}) = R \cdot \sigma^2 I \cdot R^T = \sigma^2 R R^T$$

$$= \sigma^2 (B^T B)^{-1} B^T B (B^T B)^{-1}$$

$$= \sigma^2 \underbrace{(B^T B)^{-1}}_R = \sigma^2 T^{-1}$$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{\alpha}_j) = E(\hat{\alpha}_j - \alpha_j)^2 = \sigma^2 (T^{-1})_{jj}$$

$$\text{Cov}(\hat{\alpha}_j, \hat{\alpha}_k) = E(\hat{\alpha}_j - \alpha_j)(\hat{\alpha}_k - \alpha_k) = \sigma^2 (T^{-1})_{jk}$$

Estimation of $f(x)$

$$\hat{f}(x) = \hat{\alpha}_1 f_1(x) + \dots + \hat{\alpha}_m f_m(x)$$

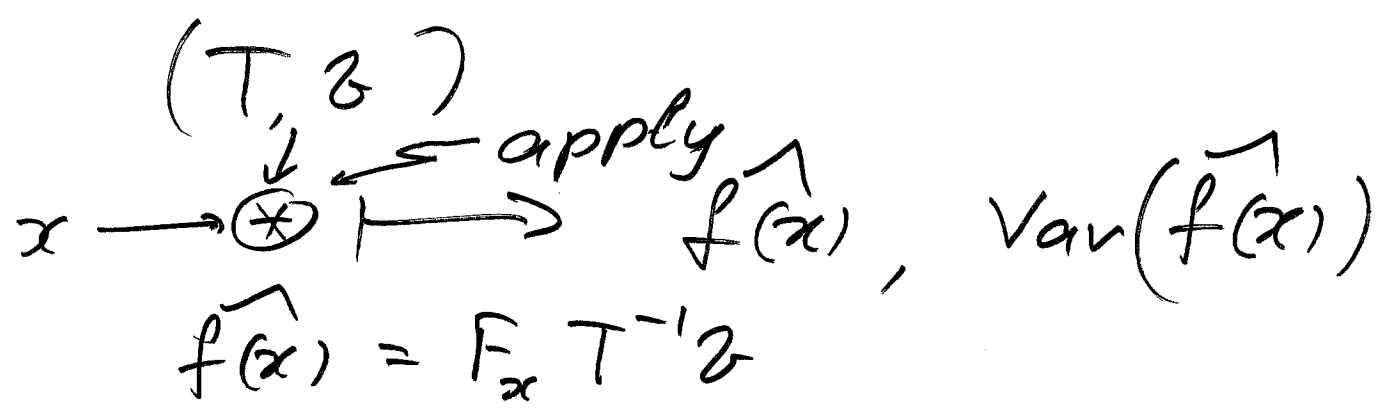
$$= F_x \hat{\alpha} \quad F_x = [f_1(x) \dots f_m(x)]$$

$$E(\hat{f}(x) - f(x)) = E(F_x \hat{\alpha} - F_x \alpha) =$$

$$= E F_x (\hat{\alpha} - \alpha) = F_x \underbrace{(E \hat{\alpha} - \alpha)}_{=0} = 0$$

$\hat{f}(x)$ - unbiased est. of $f(x)$

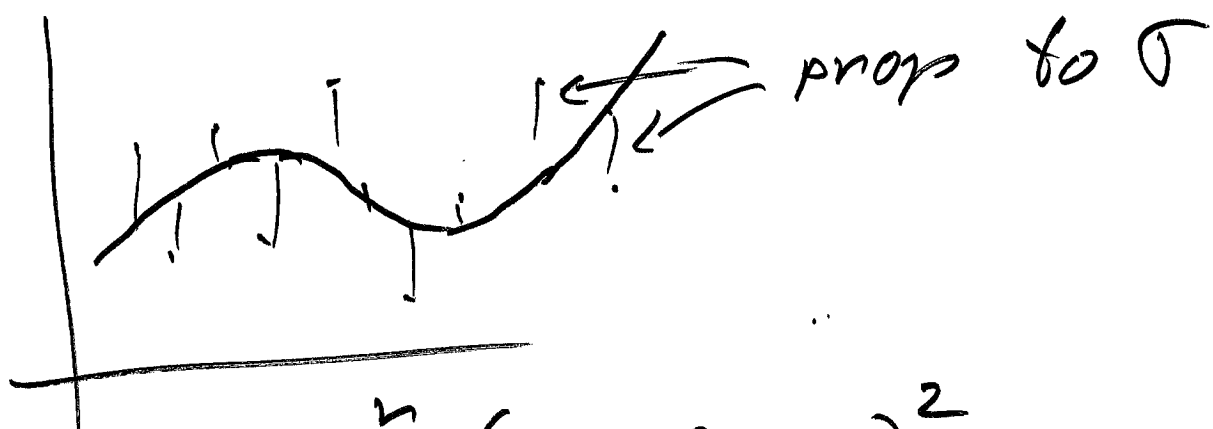
$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Var}(\hat{f}(x)) &= E(\hat{f}(x) - f(x))^2 = \\
 &= E\left(F_x \underbrace{(\hat{\alpha} - \alpha)}_{R\varepsilon}\right)^2 = E\left(F_x R \varepsilon \underbrace{(F_x R \varepsilon)^T}_{\substack{m \times m \\ n}}\right) \\
 &= E(F_x R \varepsilon \varepsilon^T R^T F_x^T) \\
 &= F_x R \cdot \underbrace{E(\varepsilon \varepsilon^T)}_{= \sigma^2 I} \cdot R^T F_x^T = \sigma^2 \underbrace{F_x R R^T F_x^T}_{= T^{-1}} \\
 &= \sigma^2 \underbrace{F_x}_{\substack{m \\ m}} \underbrace{T^{-1}}_{\substack{m \times m}} \underbrace{F_x^T}_{\substack{1 \times m}}
 \end{aligned}$$



$$\text{Var}(\hat{f}(x)) = \sigma^2 F_x T^{-1} F_x^T$$

Assumed that σ^2 is given.

If σ^2 is not given.
need to estimate it.



$$Q(\hat{\alpha}) = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - f_{\hat{\alpha}}(x_i))^2$$

$$E Q(\hat{\alpha}) = (n - m) \sigma^2 \quad (\text{Later})$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{Q(\hat{\alpha})}{n - m} \quad - \text{unbiased est of } \sigma^2$$

$$Q(\hat{\alpha}) = \|y - B\hat{\alpha}\|^2 = \|y\|^2 - \|B(B^T B)^{-1} B^T y\|^2$$

----- $\hat{\alpha}$ -----

$$= \|y\|^2 - \|B\hat{\alpha}\|^2$$

$$= \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n y_i^2}_{=V} - \underbrace{(B\hat{\alpha})^T}_{\frac{1}{n}} \cdot \underbrace{B\hat{\alpha}}_{|n}$$

$$= V - \hat{\alpha}^T \underbrace{B^T B}_{=T} \hat{\alpha}$$

$$Q(\hat{\alpha}) = V - \hat{\alpha}^T T \hat{\alpha} \quad \hat{\alpha} = T^{-1} z \quad 10$$

$$= V - z^T \underbrace{T^{-1} T T^{-1}}_{= T^{-1}} z$$

$$= V - z^T T^{-1} z$$

$$V = \sum_{i=1}^n \underbrace{y_i^2}_{= V_i} = \sum_{i=1}^n V_i$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{V - z^T T^{-1} z}{n - m}$$

need to add V and n
to can. info.

Can info: (T, z, V, n)

$$m \begin{array}{|c} \square \\ m \end{array} | m \cdot \cdot$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (x_1, y_1) \\ \vdots \\ (x_n, y_n) \end{bmatrix} \mapsto (T, \beta, V, n)$$

$$\hat{\alpha} = T^{-1} z$$

$$\widehat{\text{Var}}(\hat{\alpha}) = \hat{\sigma}^2 T^{-1}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{V - z^T T^{-1} z}{n - m}$$

apply

$x \rightarrow$



$$\widehat{\text{Var}}(f(\hat{\alpha})) = \hat{\sigma}^2 F_{xx} T^{-1} F_{xx}^T$$

$$f(\hat{\alpha}) = F_{xx} T^{-1} z$$

$$(T, \beta, n, V) \oplus (T', \beta', n', V') =$$

$$= (T + T', \beta + \beta', n + n', V + V')$$

Simple lin. regression
as a particular case.

$$f(x) = a + bx = F_x a$$

$$= \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x \end{bmatrix}}_F \begin{bmatrix} a \\ b \end{bmatrix}$$

σ^2 is known - (for simplicity.)

$$(x_i, y_i) \xrightarrow{i=1, n} (n, X, Y, Z, U)$$

$$X = \sum_i x_i \quad Y = \sum_i y_i \quad Z = \sum_i x_i y_i$$

$$U = \sum_i x_i^2$$

In gen. case can. Ino.: (T, β)

$$T = \sum_{i=1}^n F_i^T F_i, \quad F_i = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_i \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x_i \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_i \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^n \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_i \\ x_i & x_i^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} \sum_i 1 & \sum_i x_i \\ \sum_i x_i & \sum_i x_i^2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} n & X \\ X & U \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\beta = \sum_i y_i F_i^T = \sum_{i=1}^n y_i \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \sum_i y_i \\ \sum_i y_i x_i \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{a} \\ \hat{b} \end{bmatrix} = T^{-1} \hat{\beta} = \begin{bmatrix} n & x \\ x & u \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{nU - x^2} \begin{bmatrix} U & -x \\ -x & n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} Y \\ Z \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{nU - x^2} \begin{bmatrix} UY - xZ \\ -xY + nZ \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\hat{a} = \frac{UY - xZ}{nU - x^2}$$

$$\hat{b} = \frac{nZ - xY}{nU - x^2} = \frac{Z - \frac{xY}{n}}{U - \frac{x^2}{n}}$$

$$\text{Var} \begin{pmatrix} \hat{a} \\ \hat{b} \end{pmatrix} = \sigma^2 T^{-1} = \frac{\sigma^2}{nU - x^2} \begin{bmatrix} U & -x \\ -x & n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\text{Var} \hat{a} = \frac{\sigma^2 U}{nU - x^2}$$

$$\text{Var} \hat{b} = \frac{\sigma^2 n}{nU - x^2}$$

$$\hat{f}(x) = \hat{a} + \hat{b}x \quad \text{— unb est of } f(x) \quad 14$$

$$\text{Var}(\hat{f}(x)) = \sigma^2 F_x T^{-1} F_x^T$$

$$= \sigma^2 [1 \quad x] \frac{1}{nU - x^2} \begin{bmatrix} U & -x \\ -x & n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{nU - x^2} [1 \quad x] \begin{bmatrix} U & -x \\ -x & n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x \end{bmatrix}$$

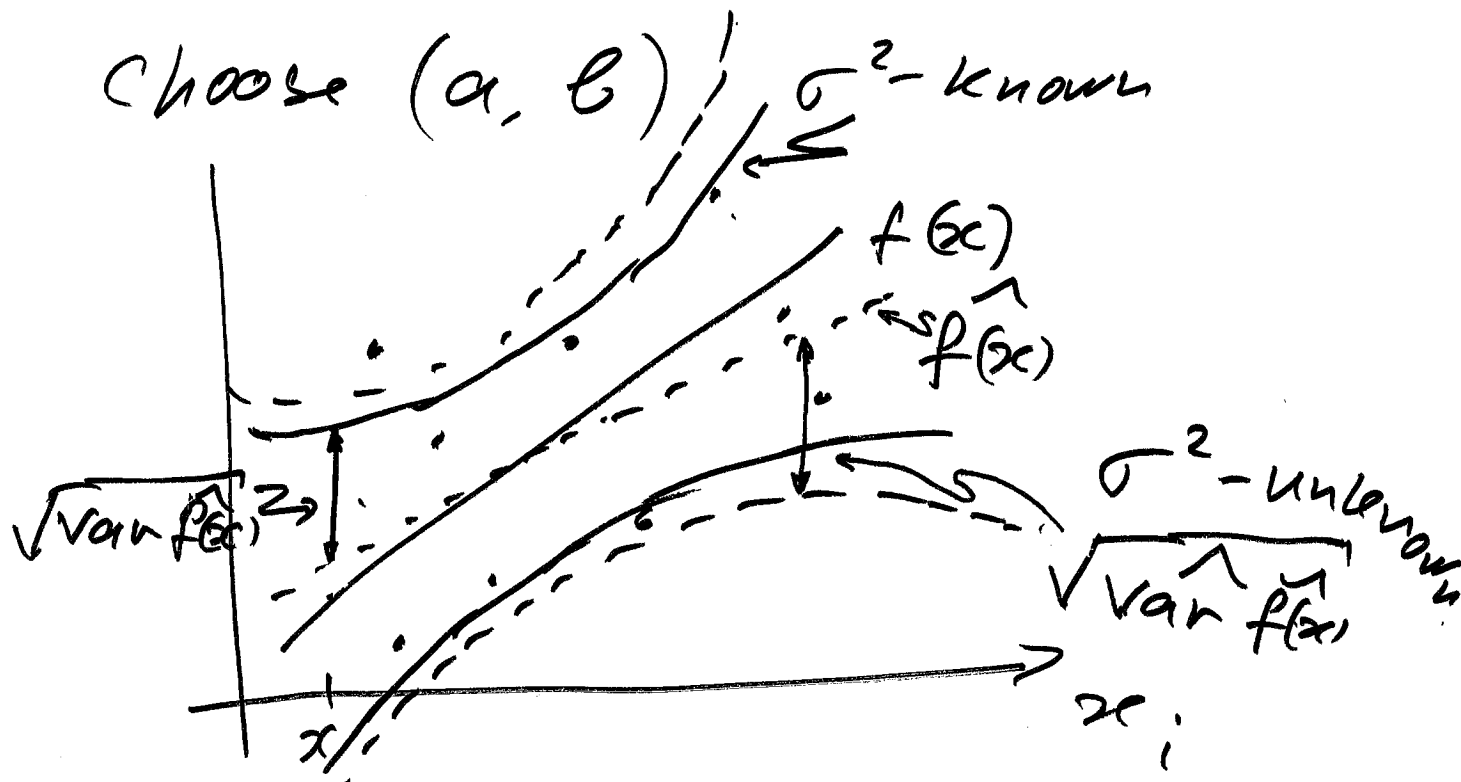
$$\begin{bmatrix} U - 2xX & -x + nx \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{nU - x^2} \left(U - 2xX - \underbrace{Xx + nx^2}_{-\frac{x^2}{n} + \frac{x^2}{n}} \right)$$

$$= \frac{\sigma^2}{nU - x^2} \left(U - \frac{x^2}{n} + \frac{x^2}{n} - 2xX + nx^2 \right)$$

$$= \sigma^2 \left(\frac{1}{n} + \frac{\left(x - \frac{x}{n}\right)^2}{U - \frac{x^2}{n}} \right)$$

Comments on HW 2, Prob 2.



(x_i, y_i)

$$y_i = \alpha + \beta x_i + \epsilon_i$$

can. info. \Rightarrow $\hat{f}(x)$
 $\text{var } \hat{f}(x)$

Estimation problems.

$$y_1 = x + \varepsilon_1, \quad x - \text{unknown}$$

$$y_2 = x + \varepsilon_2 \quad \varepsilon_i - \text{i.i.d.}$$

$$E\varepsilon_i = 0 \quad E\varepsilon_i^2 = \sigma^2$$

$$\hat{x} = \frac{y_1 + y_2}{2} \quad - \text{unbiased est of } x.$$

$$\hat{x} = \frac{1}{3}y_1 + \frac{2}{3}y_2$$

$$\hat{x} = \alpha y_1 + \beta y_2 \quad \text{if } \alpha + \beta = 1$$

\Rightarrow unbiased

$$\begin{aligned} E\hat{x} &= E(\alpha(x + \varepsilon_1) + \beta(x + \varepsilon_2)) \\ &= \underbrace{(\alpha + \beta)}_{=1} x + \alpha \underbrace{E\varepsilon_1}_{=0} + \beta \underbrace{E\varepsilon_2}_{=0} = x \end{aligned}$$

$$y_i = x + \varepsilon_i \quad i = 1, \dots, n$$

$$(y_1, \sigma_1^2)$$

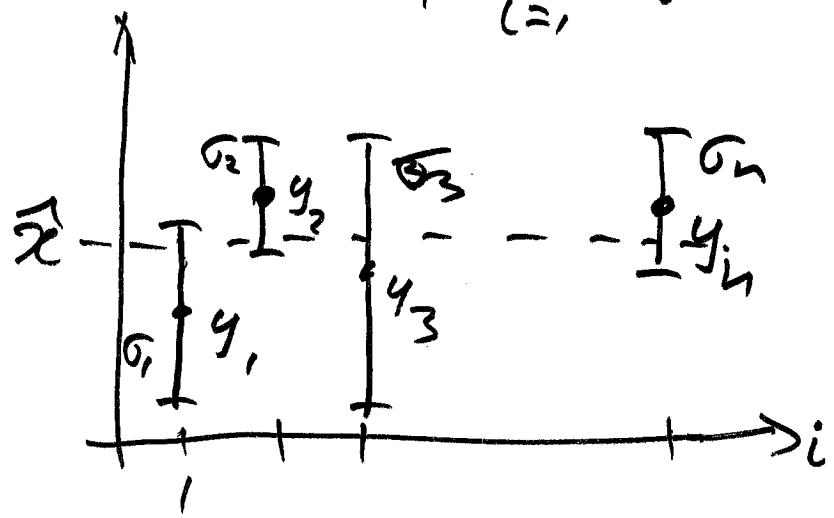
$$(y_2, \sigma_2^2)$$

$$(y_n, \sigma_n^2)$$

$$E \varepsilon_i = 0 \quad E \varepsilon_i^2 = \sigma_i^2$$

ε_i independent, but not identically distributed. Is it good?

$$\hat{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n y_i$$



$\hat{x} = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i y_i$ want \hat{x} - unbiased est of x

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i = 1$$

$$E \hat{x} = E \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i (x + \varepsilon_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i x + \sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i E \varepsilon_i = x$$

Choose $\alpha_i \sim \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2} \Rightarrow \alpha_i = \frac{c}{\sigma_i^2}$

Unb $\Rightarrow 1 = \sum_i \alpha_i = \sum_i \frac{c}{\sigma_i^2} = c \cdot \sum \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2}$

$$\Rightarrow c = \frac{1}{\sum \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2}} \quad \alpha_i = \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2 \sum \frac{1}{\sigma_i^2}}$$