

FoDA

Cross

L13

Validation

Data (X, y) $X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times d}$ ($d=1$) $y \in \mathbb{R}^n$

$\hat{y}_i = M_\alpha(x_i) \rightarrow y_i$

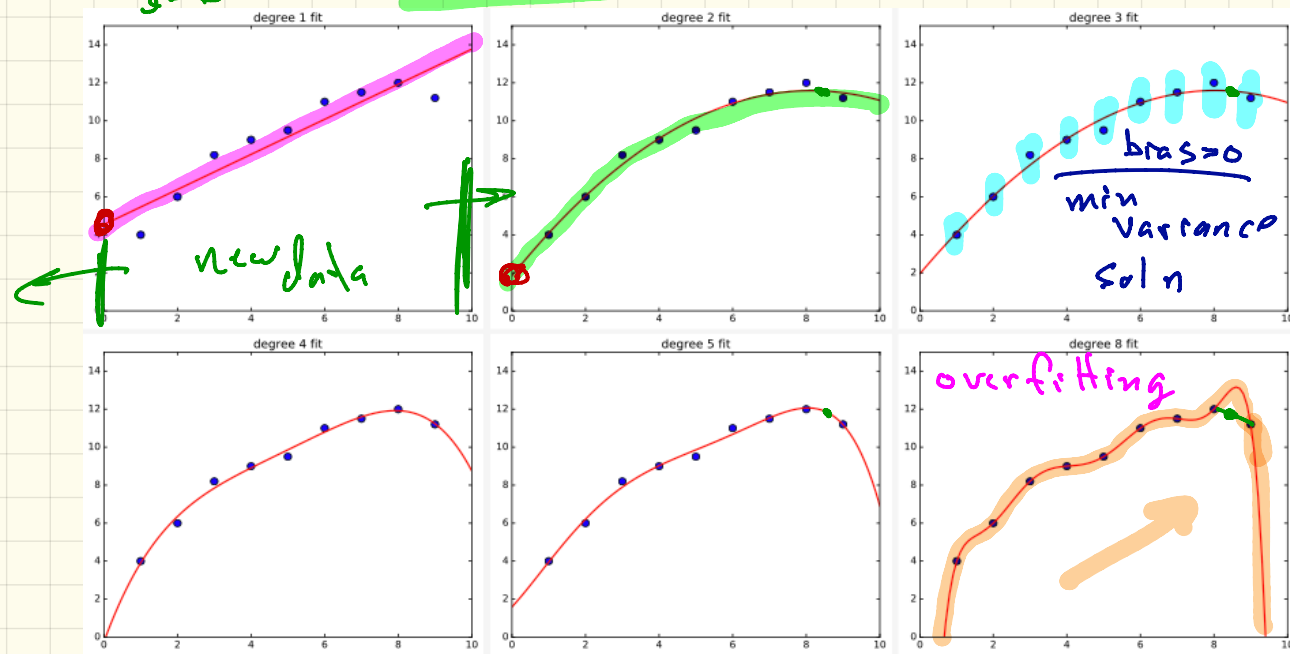
polynomial model

$$M_\alpha(x) = \sum_{p=0}^P \alpha_j x^p$$

$$= \alpha_0 + \alpha_1 x + \alpha_2 x^2 + \dots$$

residual $\hat{y}_i - y_i$

$$SSE = \sum_i \epsilon_i^2$$



Goal: Make good predictions
on new unseen data.

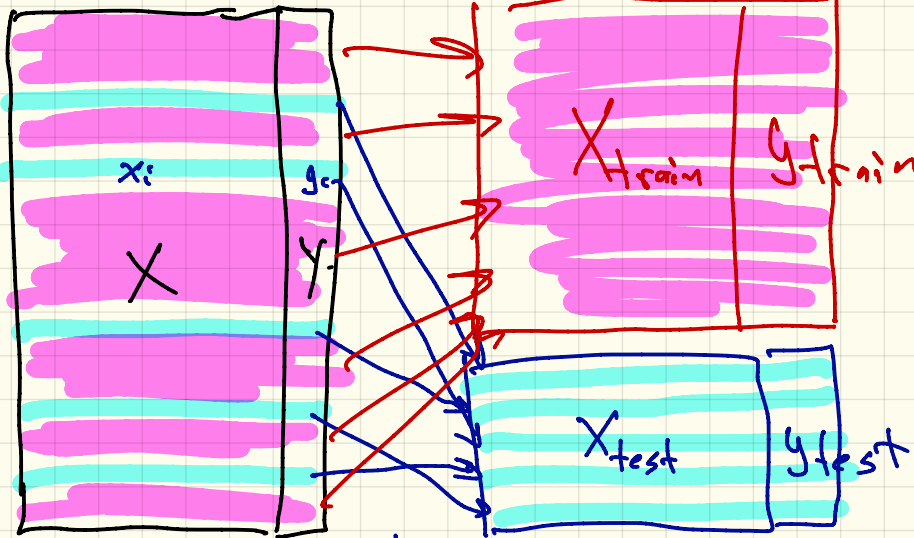
modeling as residual $r_i = |M(x_i) - y_i|$

"generalization"

- collect new data
↳ try on this new data
- "Save" some data for testing

Data

assumption each (x_i, g_i) iid f



$$\alpha = (X_{train}^T X_{train})^{-1} X_{train}^T g_{train}$$

↓
 train eval

$$SSE((X_{test}, g_{test}), \alpha_{train})$$

random hold out

$$\sum_{(x_i, g_i) \in (X_{test}, g_{test})} \left(\bar{M} \alpha_{train}(x_i) - g_i \right)^2$$

How well will ~~work on~~

new data? $\frac{1}{|X_{test}|} SSE((X_{test}, g_{test}), \alpha_{train})$

RMSE

How large should the test set be?

Common test size

- 10%
- 33%

Evaluate expected value of error
by averaging n_{test} observations.

↳ CLT

→ unbiased

→ variance

$$\frac{\text{Var}}{n_{\text{test}}}$$

more data
less test
percentage

more complex
model
more test
size

What is cross-validation used for?

• See how model generalizes to new data,

or

• to select a parameter in model
(ex. α in $M_{\alpha}^{(P)}$)

$$P^* = \arg \min_{P \in [1 \dots 8]} SSE((X_{\text{test}}, y_{\text{test}}), M_{\alpha_{\text{train}}}^{(P)})$$

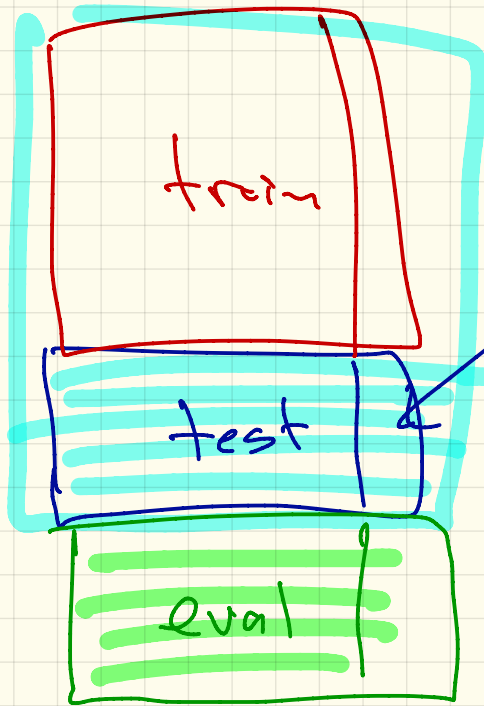
choose best

not both

train & model



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dev set
choose param
eval generalization

choose param
+
evaluate generalization

If your data is small,
don't want to waste data on test.

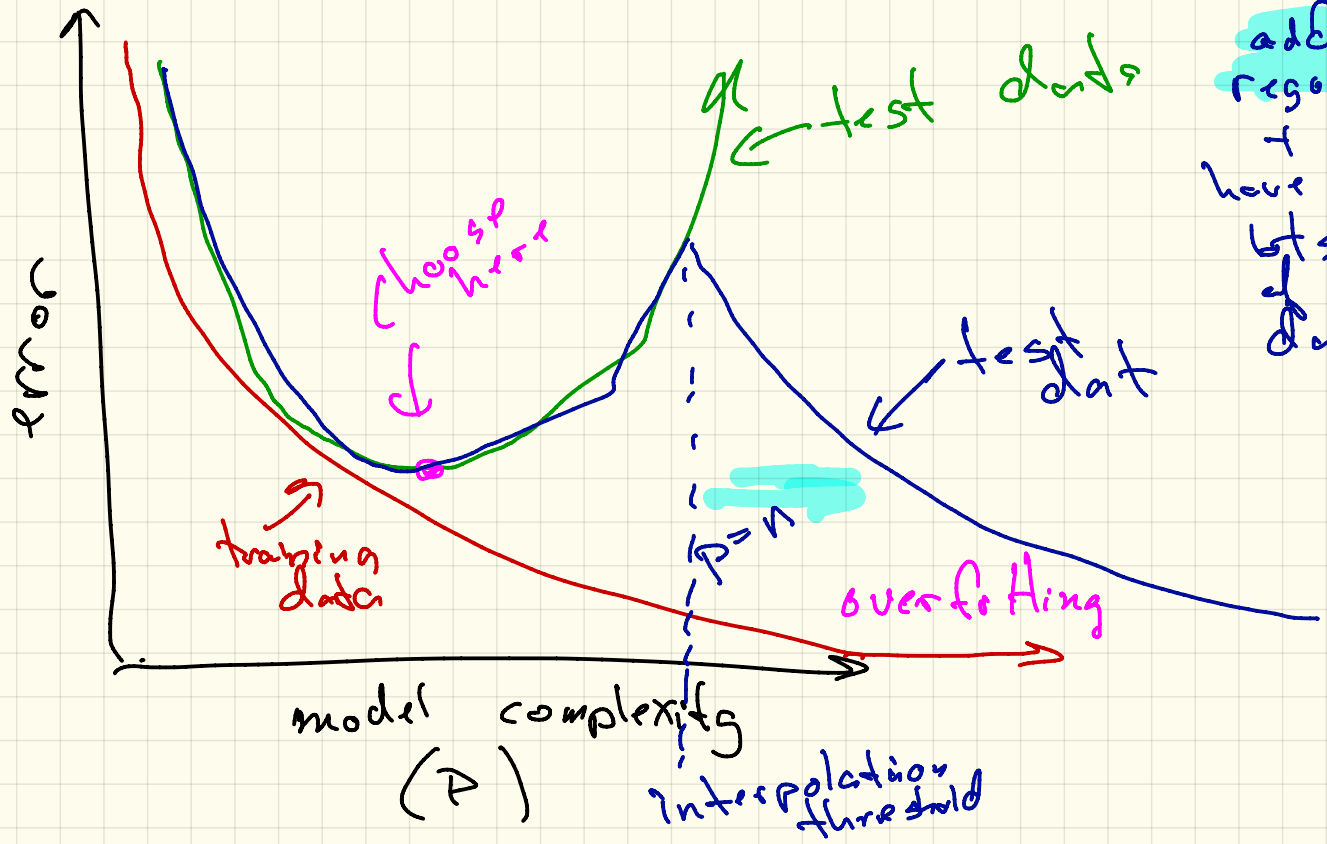
Leave-one-out CV.



test set size 1
but try all



Double Descent



if you add regularization + have lots of data