Errata

Penalized Regression and Lasso Credibility (2025 Revision)

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In the corrections below, the **boldface text** indicates the corrected wording.

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"Figure 2.1. Evolution of the credibility factor Z for a given estimate j as a function of the number of observations n. The Z for the classical credibility is computed using Equation 2.1 with $N_{full} = 10,000$. Bühlmann credibility uses k = 1,600 in Equation 2.2."

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Under 7.5.4. Lasso Credibility Moves Toward Experienced Relativities

"On the other hand, Figure 7.20 shows that the 20% shrinkage applied to the vehicle_ age_10_99_hinge coefficient assigns some credibility to the simulated experience, and this experience is quite far from the true relativity. This variable's insignificance in the GLM does not solve the problem, as removing the coefficient would result in an even more incorrect aggregate relativity."

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Under D.2. General Proof of the Lasso Problem

$$\begin{cases} |\nabla NLL(y, X, \beta)_{j}| < \lambda \leftrightarrow \hat{\beta}_{j} = 0 \\ \nabla NLL(y, X, \beta)_{j} = -\lambda \leftrightarrow \hat{\beta}_{j} > 0 \\ \nabla NLL(y, X, \beta)_{j} = \lambda \leftrightarrow \hat{\beta}_{j} < 0, \end{cases}$$