Problem 2: Polyfit with noisy data

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- Evaluate $y = x^2$ for `x=-4:0.1:4`.
- Add random noise to these samples. Use `randn`.
- Plot the noisy signal with (.)- markers
- Fit a 2^{nd} degree polynomial to the noisy data
- Plot the fitted polynomial on the same plot, using the same x values and a red curve.

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close all
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```
x=-4:.1:4;
y=x.^2;
noise=randn(size(y)); % mean:0, std:1
ynoisy=y+noise;
plot(x,ynoisy,'.:');grid on
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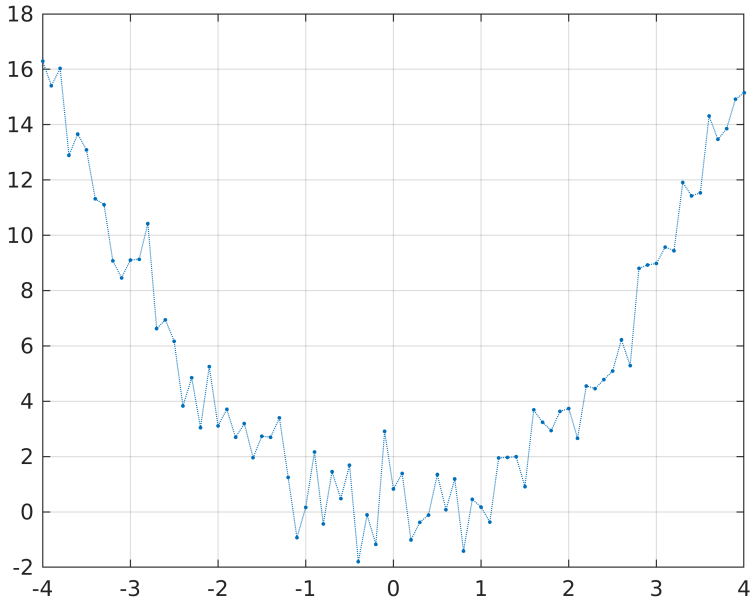

Fit polynomial:

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c=polyfit(x,ynoisy,2)
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c = 1×3
    1.0061   -0.0555   -0.1484
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xev=linspace(-4,4); % Points of evaluation
% In this case (Nr. of datapoints >> deg. of polynomial)
% xev can be taken the same as x (everybody did).
% Especially in case of interpolation (small data) this would
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% only show the datapoints connected with line segments.
pval=polyval(c,xev);
hold on
plot(xev,pval,'r')
title('y=x^2 disturbed with random noise and "re-fitted" ')
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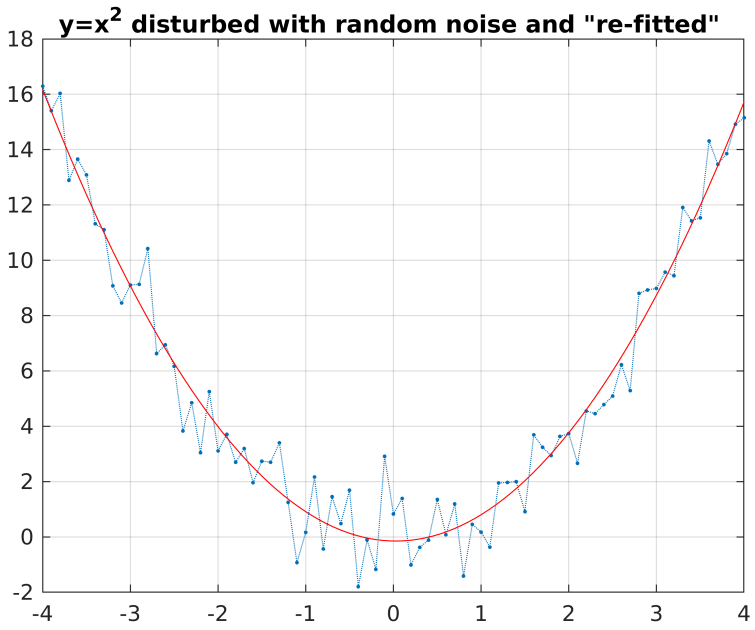

Error: (Not required)

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figure
plot(x,y-polyval(c,x));grid on;
title('Error-curve: y-pfit')
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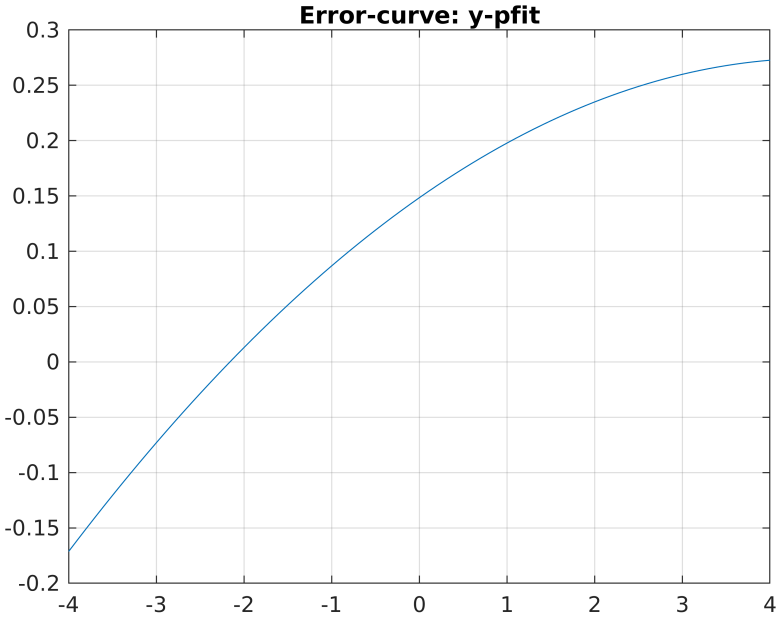


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maxerr=max(abs(y-polyval(c,x)))
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maxerr = 0.2727
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Note that different runs produce different error-curves.