

Lecture Friday 21 August

Linear Regression

- Data set (y, x)
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 output input
 Target
assumption

$$y(x) = \textcircled{f(x)} + N(0, \sigma^2)$$

unknown PDF \sim Normal distribution

$$\mu = 0$$

variance σ^2

Assume we have a known PDF, $p(x)$ (continuous)

Mean value / Expected value

$$\mu = \int dx \, x \, p(x)$$

Our case is that $p(x)$ is often unknown. ML is a frequentist approach.

$$(y, x) \leadsto \begin{aligned} X &= \{x_0, x_1, \dots, x_{n-1}\} \\ Y &= \{y_0, y_1, \dots, y_{n-1}\} \end{aligned}$$

The mean value we estimate

$$\mu_y = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} y_i$$

$\mu_y \neq \mu$ (Exact value)
if $p(y)$ is known

sample mean.

$$\sigma^2 = \int (x - \mu)^2 p(x) dx$$

sample variance

$$\sigma_x^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (x_i - \mu_x)^2$$

$$\sigma_x^2 \neq \sigma^2$$

$$f(x) \simeq \tilde{y}(x)$$

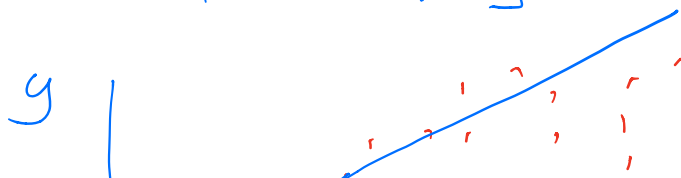
$$y(x) \mapsto y(x_i) = y_i$$

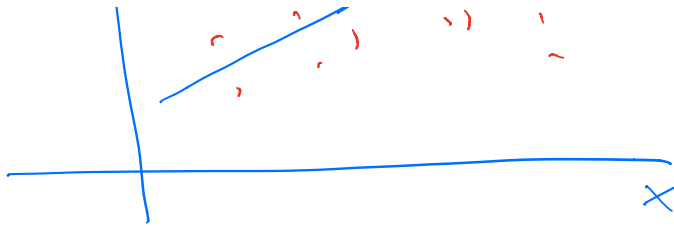
$$y(x_i) \simeq \tilde{y}_i + \varepsilon_i$$

$$\varepsilon_i \sim N(0, \sigma^2)$$

- Model

$$x \in [\sigma_{11}]$$





$$\tilde{y}_i = \tilde{y}_i(x_i) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_i$$

$$\beta = \{\beta_0, \beta_1\}$$

How can we find β so that the difference between y (target) and \tilde{y} is as small as possible?

— Cost/error/loss function

Relative error $\left| \frac{y - \tilde{y}}{y} \right|$

$$y - \tilde{y} = \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (y_i - \tilde{y}_i)$$

MSE = Mean squared error

$$= \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=0}^{n-1} (y_i - \tilde{y}_i)^2$$

$$= C(\beta | x) \quad (= C(\beta))$$

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$$\beta = \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmin}} L(\beta | \lambda)$$

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optimal

Data set (y, x)

$$X \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p}$$

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data entries

features/
predictor

Feature matrix.

$n = 100$, patient

$p = 10$, specific features
of a given tumour

$$X = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} p=0 & p=1 & \dots & p=9 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} n=0 \\ n=1 \\ \vdots \\ n=99 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} x_{00} & x_{01} & x_{02} & \dots & x_{09} \\ x_{10} & \vdots & & & \\ x_{20} & \vdots & & & \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \\ x_{99,0} & x_{99,1} & \dots & \dots & x_{99,9} \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Simple model

$$y(x_i) = y_i = \tilde{y}_i + \epsilon_i$$

$$\tilde{y}_i = \beta_0 + \underline{A} \underline{x}_i'$$

$$\tilde{\underline{y}} = \underline{X} \underline{\beta} \quad \begin{array}{l} \underline{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times p} \\ \underline{\beta} \in \mathbb{R}^p \end{array}$$

$$\tilde{y}_i = f(x_i)$$

$$= \begin{array}{c} i=0 \\ \vdots \\ i \\ \vdots \\ i=n-1 \end{array} \begin{array}{c} p=0 \quad p=1 \quad \dots \quad p-1 \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} x_{00} & x_{01} & \dots & x_{0,p-1} \\ \vdots & \vdots & & \vdots \\ x_{i0} & & & \\ \vdots & & & \vdots \\ x_{n-1,0} & & & x_{n-1,p-1} \end{array} \right] \end{array} \begin{array}{c} \left[\begin{array}{c} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_{p-1} \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$