

MULTIPLE LINEAR REGRESSION (OLS Method)

We know,

$$Y = mx + b$$

$$\hat{Y} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \dots + \beta_n x_n$$

where, \hat{Y} = target value

β_0 = Intercept

β_1 = Slope

We can represent our data as :

$$\begin{bmatrix} \hat{y}_1 \\ \hat{y}_2 \\ \hat{y}_3 \\ \vdots \\ \hat{y}_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \beta_0 & \beta_1 x_{11} & \dots & \beta_m x_{1m} \\ \beta_0 & \beta_1 x_{21} & \dots & \beta_m x_{2m} \\ \beta_0 & \beta_1 x_{31} & \dots & \beta_m x_{3m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \beta_0 & \beta_1 x_{n1} & \dots & \beta_m x_{nm} \end{bmatrix}$$

Writing the matrix in different way \Rightarrow

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & \dots & x_{1m} \\ 1 & x_{21} & \dots & x_{2m} \\ 1 & x_{31} & \dots & x_{3m} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{n1} & \dots & x_{nm} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \beta_2 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_m \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow \underline{\hat{Y} = X\beta} \rightarrow \textcircled{1}$$

where, \hat{Y} is the matrix that includes predicted values of the data

β is the matrix of all the coefficients
 X is the matrix of all the input variables

Now,

$$Y = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ y_3 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

$$e = Y - \hat{Y}$$

$$e = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 - \hat{y}_1 \\ y_2 - \hat{y}_2 \\ y_3 - \hat{y}_3 \\ \vdots \\ y_n - \hat{y}_n \end{bmatrix}$$

We know that for Simple Linear Regression

$$E = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

$$E = e^T e$$

Proof:

$$[(y_1 - \hat{y}_1) (y_2 - \hat{y}_2) \dots y_n - \hat{y}_n]$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} (y_1 - \hat{y}_1) \\ (y_2 - \hat{y}_2) \\ \vdots \\ (y_n - \hat{y}_n) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow (y_1 - \hat{y}_1)^2 + (y_2 - \hat{y}_2)^2 + (y_3 - \hat{y}_3)^2 + \dots + (y_n - \hat{y}_n)^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

Hence, $E = e^T e$

$$\Rightarrow (y - \hat{y})^T (y - \hat{y})$$

We know, $(A - B)^T = A^T - B^T$

$$\Rightarrow (y^T - \hat{y}^T)(y - \hat{y})$$

From equation 1, $\hat{y} = X\beta$

$$\Rightarrow [y^T - (X\beta)^T](y - X\beta)$$

$$\Rightarrow y^T y - y^T X\beta - X\beta^T y + X\beta^T X\beta$$

$$\therefore \{ y^T X\beta = X\beta^T y \}$$

$$\Rightarrow y^T y - 2y^T X\beta + X\beta^T X\beta$$

Now, we have to find the minimum value of the error.

$$\text{So we will do, } \frac{dE}{d\beta} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{d}{d\beta} [y^T y - 2y^T X\beta + \beta^T X^T X\beta] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - 2y^T X + \frac{d}{d\beta} [\beta^T X^T X\beta] = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2y^T X + 2X^T X\beta^T = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X^T X \beta^T = X^T y$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta^T = \frac{X^T y}{[X^T X]}$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta^T = X^T y (X^T X)^{-1}$$

$$\Rightarrow (\beta^T)^T = [X^T y (X^T X)^{-1}]^T$$

$$\Rightarrow [(X^T X)^{-1}]^T (y^T X)^T$$

$$\beta = [(X^T X)^{-1}]^T X^T y$$

$$\beta = [X^T X]^{-1} [X^T y]$$

\therefore Transpose of a square matrix is same

$$\boxed{\beta = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y}$$

where,

$X = X$ - train data matrix

$y = y$ - train data matrix