

BT 3074 - Practical 04

1. Derive the best-fitted line analytically for the function $f(x_i) = mx_i + b$.

i) Best fitted line for $f(x_i) = mx_i + b$.

$$f(x_i) = mx_i + b.$$

If S = sum of squares errors,

$$S = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - f(x_i))^2$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b))^2$$

at the minimum S ,

$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial m} = 0, \quad \frac{\partial S}{\partial b} = 0.$$

$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial m} = \sum_{i=1}^n 2(-x_i)(y_i - (mx_i + b)) = 0$$

$$-2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b))x_i = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b))x_i = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i x_i - (mx_i^2 + bx_i)) = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n (mx_i^2 + bx_i) = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i - \sum_{i=1}^n mx_i^2 - \sum_{i=1}^n bx_i = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i = \sum_{i=1}^n mx_i^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n bx_i$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i = m \sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2 + b \sum_{i=1}^n x_i$$

$$m = \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i x_i - b \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \right)}{\sum_{i=1}^n x_i^2}$$

$$\frac{\partial S}{\partial b} = \sum_{i=1}^n 2(-1)(y_i - (mx_i + b)) = 0$$

$$-2 \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b)) = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b)) = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i - \sum_{i=1}^n mx_i - \sum_{i=1}^n b = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i = \sum_{i=1}^n mx_i + \sum_{i=1}^n b$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i = \sum_{i=1}^n mx_i + bn$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n y_i = m \sum_{i=1}^n x_i + bn$$

$$b = \frac{\left(\sum_{i=1}^n y_i - m \sum_{i=1}^n x_i \right)}{n}$$

- Consider a data set with 20 data points that change with time and find the best-fit function for that data set.

Insert your data set.

t=0	t=1	t=2	t=3	t=4	t=5	t=6	t=7	t=8	t=9
3	4.5	5	6.5	7.9	9.8	13.3	15	14	15.6
t=10	t=11	t=12	t=13	t=14	t=15	t=16	t=17	t=18	t=19
18.9	18.5	20	21.5	25.1	28.5	29	27.5	29	32.5

Insert the fitted function.

$$m = 1.5568, b = 2.4657$$

$$f(x_i) = 1.5568x_i + 2.4657$$

Insert the figure with data set and the fitted function.

