
MULTIVARIATE LINEAR REGRESSION

Multivariate Regression :

Linear Regression with multiple variables is also known as multivariate regression.

Consider our same example in Univariate Linear Regression, but in here we have additional features along with size(feet²).

Size in sq. Ft (X_1)	Number of bedrooms (X_2)	Number of Floors (X_3)	Age of house(years) (X_4)	Price(\$) in 1000's (y)
2104	5	1	45	460
1416	3	2	40	232
1534	3	2	30	315
852	2	1	36	178
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Notation:

$m \rightarrow$ number of data samples.

$n \rightarrow$ number of features.

$x^i \rightarrow$ input features of i^{th} training example(vector of n-dimension).

$X_j^{(i)} \rightarrow$ value of feature j of i^{th} training example.

Hypothesis :

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2 + \theta_3 x_3 + \theta_4 x_4$$

consider $X_0 = 1$ then our hypothesis becomes,

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 x_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2 + \theta_3 x_3 + \theta_4 x_4$$

and the size of x^i becomes $(n+1)$.

Now we can perform a matrix multiplication to get the above equation.

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta^T X$$

Gradient Descent for Multiple Variables :

Cost function is defined as

$$\begin{aligned} J(\theta) &= \frac{1}{2m} * \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^i) - y^i)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2m} * \sum_{i=1}^m (\theta^T(x^i) - y^i)^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2m} * \sum_{i=1}^m ((\sum_{j=0}^n \theta_j(x_j^i)) - y^i)^2 \end{aligned}$$

Gradient descent :

Repeat until converges {

$$\theta_j = \theta_j - \alpha \frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta} J(\theta_0, \theta_1, \dots, \theta_n)$$

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$$\begin{aligned}\frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta_j} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2 \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (\theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})^2 \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\partial (\theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})^2}{\partial \theta_j} \\ &= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) \frac{\partial (\theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})}{\partial \theta_j}\end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta_0} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta_1} = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m \frac{\partial (\theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})^2}{\partial \theta_1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m 2(\theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) \frac{\partial (\theta_0 + \theta_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})}{\partial \theta_1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) \left(0 + \frac{\partial (\theta_1 x^{(i)})}{\partial \theta_1} + 0\right)$$

$$\frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta_1} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) (x^{(i)})$$

Gradient Descent

Previously ($n=1$):

Repeat {

$$\rightarrow \theta_0 := \theta_0 - \alpha \underbrace{\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})}_{\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_0} J(\theta)}$$

$$\rightarrow \theta_1 := \theta_1 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_1^{(i)}$$

(simultaneously update θ_0, θ_1)

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New algorithm ($n \geq 1$):

Repeat {

$$\rightarrow \theta_j := \theta_j - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$$

(simultaneously update θ_j for $j = 0, \dots, n$)

$$\rightarrow \theta_0 := \theta_0 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_0^{(i)}$$

$$\rightarrow \theta_1 := \theta_1 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_1^{(i)}$$

$$\rightarrow \theta_2 := \theta_2 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_2^{(i)}$$

...

Repeat until converges

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$$\theta_j = \theta_j - \alpha \frac{1}{m} * \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^i) - y^i) x_j^i$$

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