

Homework 3

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Part I: Written Exercises

1. (a) Answer:

Set the variable for the cancer volume as x_1 , the variable for the patient's age as x_2 . Set x_3 which is assigned the value 1 if the cancer is Type I, and the value 0 if the cancer is Type II. So models 1 & 2 should be:

$$\hat{y}_1 = m_1 * x_1 + d_1$$

$$\hat{y}_2 = m_2 * x_1 + n_2 * x_2 + d_2$$

Where m_i, n_i, di are parameters, i for the number of model i.

1. (b) Answer:

Given the variable which we mentioned in 1.(a), we can get the model 3 as:

$$\hat{y}_3 = (m_3 + p_3 * x_3 + q_3 * (1 - x_3)) * x_1 + n_3 * x_2 + d_3$$

1. (c) Answer:

The number of parameters in model 1: 2.

The number of parameters in model 2: 3.

Model 3 is the most complex. Because there are 4 variables and 5 parameters.

1. (d) Answer:

The first three rows of the matrix X for model 1:

$$\begin{bmatrix}
1 & 0.7 \\
1 & 1.3 \\
1 & 1.6
\end{bmatrix}$$

The first three rows of the matrix X for model 2:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0.7 & 55 \\ 1 & 1.3 & 65 \\ 1 & 1.6 & 70 \end{bmatrix}$$

The first three rows of the matrix X for model 3:

$$\left[\begin{array}{cccc}
1 & 0.7 & 0 & 55 \\
1 & 0 & 1.3 & 65 \\
1 & 0 & 1.6 & 70
\end{array}\right]$$

1. (e) Answer:

We should choose model 2.

Because the validation MSE of model 2 is smallest, which means it can get the best accuracy. While the training MSE of model 3 is smallest, but its validation MSE is bigger than model 3, so it shouldn't be selected.



2. Answer:

We can assume that the crop yields are a linear model which depends on the amount of rainfall, the amount of fertilizer, the average temperature, and the number of sunny days. Set crop yields as y, and other 4 variables as x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4 , so the model can be:

$$\hat{y} = w_1 * x_1 + w_2 * x_2 + w_3 * x_3 + w_4 * x_4 + w_5$$

$$= W * X$$

And it should be a regression problem.

3. (a) Answer:

the matrix X should be:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 28540 \\ 1 & 40133 \\ 1 & 39900 \\ 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 42050 \\ 1 & 43220 \\ 1 & 39565 \\ 1 & 40400 \\ 1 & 54605 \end{bmatrix}$$

3. (b) Answer:

Based on the closed-form formula given in class, we can get the $E_{in}(w)$ as:

$$E_{in}(w) = \frac{1}{10} \sum_{i=1}^{10} (\hat{y}_i + y_i)^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} ||Xw - y||_2^2$$

$$\nabla E_{in}(w) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial E_{in}(w)}{\partial w_0} \\ \frac{\partial E_{in}(w)}{\partial w_1} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Use python can easily get the result. The code is as follow:

```
import numpy as np
y = np.array([137, 135, 127, 122, 120, 118, 118, 117, 117, 114])
x = np.array([28540, 40133, 39900, 0, 0, 42050, 43220, 39565, 40400, 54506])

A = np.vstack([x, np.ones(len(x))]).T
m, c = np.linalg.lstsq(A, y, rcond=None)[0]
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Python code

So the equation is $g(x) = -6.3027 * (10^{-5}) * x_1 + 124.56928$

3. (c) Answer:

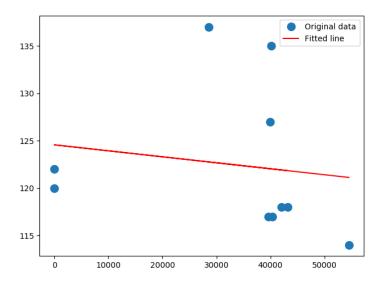
We can use Python code to get the picture:

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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
_ = plt.plot(x, y, 'o', label='Original data', markersize=10)
_ = plt.plot(x, m*x + c, 'r', label='Fitted line')
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Python code

The picture should be:



3. (d) Answer:

$$R^{2} = 1 - \frac{RSS}{TSS}$$

$$= 1 - \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} (y_{i} - \hat{y}_{i})^{2}}{\sum_{i=1}^{10} (y_{i} - \overline{y})^{2}}$$

$$= 0.021337$$

3. (e) Answer:

Put all the parameters into equation g(x):

$$y = -6.3027 * (10^{-5}) * 40000 + 124.56928$$

So the mid-career salary should be: $y \approx 122$

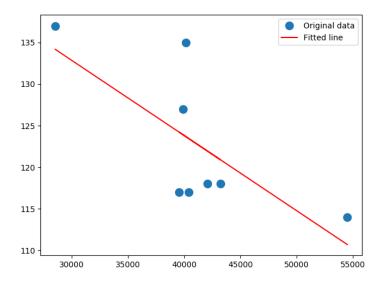
3. (f) Answer:

After removing all the outliers, the matrix X should be:

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 28540 \\ 1 & 40133 \\ 1 & 39900 \\ 1 & 42050 \\ 1 & 43220 \\ 1 & 39565 \\ 1 & 40400 \\ 1 & 54605 \end{bmatrix}$$

So the g(x) becomes g(x) = -0.0009047 * x + 160.003921. Picture becomes:





And $R^2 = 0.509764$, the mid-career salary is: $x \approx 124$

4. (a) Answer:

Because we want to force the predicted value $\hat{y} = 0$ when x = 0, w should be $\begin{bmatrix} w_1 \end{bmatrix}$ So the cost function should be:

$$E_{in}(w) = \sum_{i} (\hat{y}_i - y_i)^2$$

= \sum_{i} (w_1 * x_i - y_i)^2

4. (b) Answer:

$$\nabla E_{in}(w) = 2w_1 X^T X - 2X^T y$$

In order to get the w that minimizes the RSS, so:

$$2w_1X^TX - 2X^Ty = 0$$

$$w_1X^TX = X^Ty$$

$$w = \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= (X^TX)^{-1}X^Ty$$

$$= \frac{\sum x^i * y^i}{\sum x^i * x^i}$$

5. Answer:

We can set Ω as the matrix for the weigh. So the problem becomes: how to find



$$\begin{split} \hat{w}_{WLS} &= argmin(y - Xw)^T \Omega (y - Xw) \\ \frac{\partial \hat{w}_{WLS}}{\partial w} &= \frac{\partial}{\partial w} (y - Xw)^T \Omega (y - Xw) \\ &= \frac{\partial}{\partial w} (y^T \Omega y - y^T \Omega Xw - w^T X^T \Omega y + w^T X^T \Omega Xw) \\ &= X^T \Omega Xw - X^T \Omega y = 0 \end{split}$$

$$X^{T}\Omega X w = X^{T}\Omega y$$
$$w = (X^{T}\Omega X)^{-1}X^{T}\Omega y$$

So the result should be $w = (X^T \Omega X)^{-1} X^T \Omega y$