



Scaling to vector unit norm


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In scaling to unit norm, we divide each **feature vector** by either the Manhattan distance (l1 norm) or the Euclidean distance of the vector (l2 norm).


$$l1(X) = |x1| + |x2| + \dots + |xn|$$

$$l2(X) = \text{sqr}(x1^2 + x2^2 + \dots + xn^2)$$

Scaling to unit norm: across features

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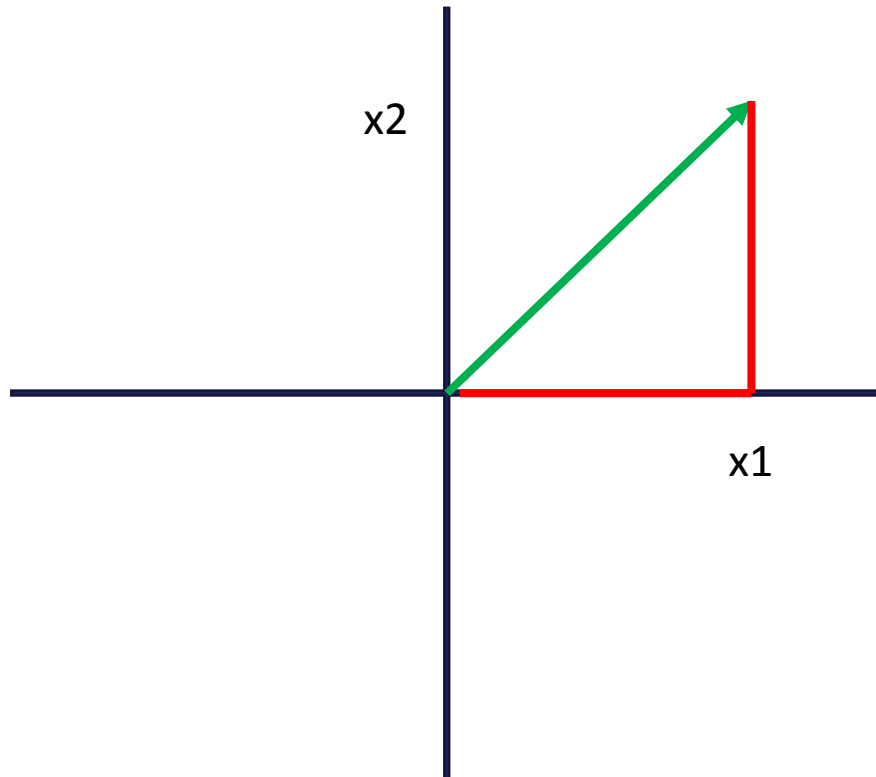


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	0	90	1	2000
	0	50	2	1500
	0	60	2	2200
	1	3	3	3000
	1	120	4	4500
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Scaling to unit norm: example

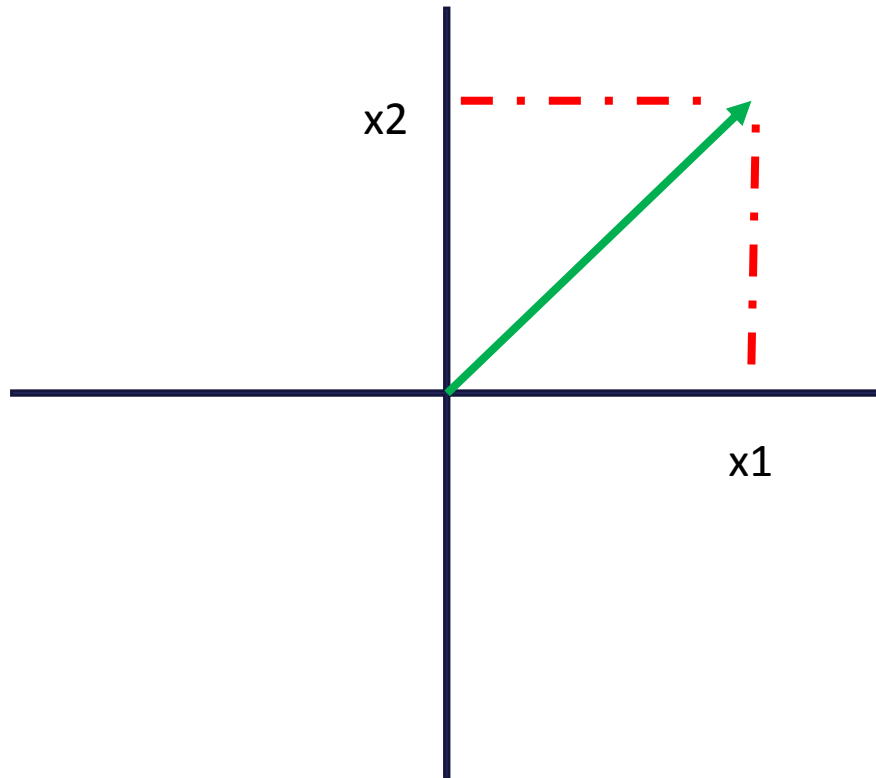
Gender	Price	Make	Engine			L2 Norm			Gender	Price	Make	Engine
1	100	1	2000	Norm of each vector →		2002	Divide by the norm →		0.000	0.050	0.000	0.999
0	90	1	2000			2002			0.000	0.045	0.000	0.999
0	50	2	1500			1501			0.000	0.033	0.001	0.999
0	60	2	2200			2201			0.000	0.027	0.001	1.000
1	3	3	3000			3000			0.000	0.001	0.001	1.000
1	120	4	4500			4502			0.000	0.027	0.001	1.000
0	200	4	4500			4504			0.000	0.044	0.001	0.999

Manhattan distance, l1



$$L1 = |x1| + |x2|$$

Euclidean distance, l2



$$L2 = \sqrt{x_1^2 + x_2^2}$$



• Normalisation to unit length

- Clustering
- Text Analytics



Accompanying Jupyter Notebook



- Read the accompanying Jupyter Notebook
- Scaling to unit norm with Scikit-learn

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