

Tutorial 4

1. A) True

As we are provided the target values.

2. B) Predicting dep var using indep var

As in regression we try predicting value of dependent variables as a function of independent variables.

3. B) Relation between x_i and y is strongAs corr coeff = -0.95 , absolute value = 0.95 which is high (strong relation)4. D) $X^T \times \theta = X^T y$

As we need to minimise sum squared error,

$$\text{Minimise } (Y - X\theta)^T (Y - X\theta)$$

$$= (Y^T - \theta^T X^T)(Y - X\theta)$$

$$= Y^T Y - Y^T X \theta - \theta^T X^T Y + \theta^T X^T X \theta$$

$$= Y^T Y - Y^T X \theta - (Y^T X \theta)^T + (X\theta)^T X \theta$$

as $Y^T X \theta$ is a scalar, it is equal to $(Y^T X \theta)^T$

$$= Y^T Y - 2 Y^T X \theta + (X\theta)^T X \theta$$

To find minima, diff w.r.t θ and equate to 0,

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (Y^T Y) - 2 \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} ((X^T Y)^T \theta) + \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta} (\theta^T (X^T X) \theta) = 0$$

$$\text{Using identities, } \frac{\partial (M)}{\partial \theta} = 0,$$

$$\frac{\partial (M\theta)}{\partial \theta} = M^T,$$

$$\frac{\partial (\theta^T M \theta)}{\partial \theta} = M\theta + M^T \theta,$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 - 2X^T Y + X^T X \theta + (X^T X)^T \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -2X^T Y + 2X^T X \theta = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow X^T X \theta = X^T Y //$$

5. A) Vertical Offset

As horizontal axis is independent var and vertical axis is dependent var, we consider only vertical offset for fitting.

6. x) 1 and 2

As it is underfitting we can add more variables or increase complexity by introducing polynomial degree vars.

We remove variables only for Over-fitting.

7. D) None of these

We do regularisation only for overfitting. For underfitting we don't do any reg.

8. B) -0.21

$$\text{Since, } \hat{y} = -2.29 + 1.7x$$

$$\text{Given point } (x, y) = (5, 6)$$

$$\text{For } x=5, \hat{y} = -2.29 + 1.7 \times 5 = -2.29 + 8.5$$

$$\hat{y} = 6.21 \quad y = 6$$

$$\text{Residual} = y - \hat{y} = 6 - 6.21$$

$$= -0.21 //$$

9. C) L_2

10. B) Absolute value & magnitude

As in Lasso we use $L_1 \rightarrow$ absolute value.

11. L_1 regularisation

Variables are weighted by 1 or 0. It can remove variables which don't contribute to the target. It is like setting a Laplacian prior on the terms.

L_2 regularisation

It will not completely remove variables as instead of 1 or 0 (binary), it tries to spread the error amongst all the variables. It is like setting a Gaussian prior on the terms.

12. Ridge regression is preferred over Lasso in cases where we want to get a solution without completely removing any feature that contributes to the prediction.

Lasso is preferred if we want to reduce dimensions of the data.

However Lasso solution is not invertible but ridge regression solution is invertible.

13. $H = X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T$

To prove Symmetric,

$$H^T = \left(X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \right)^T = (X^T)^T \left((X^T X)^{-1} \right)^T X^T$$

$$= X \left((X^T X)^{-1} \right)^T X^T = X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T = H$$

as $H^T = H$, H is Symmetric matrix.

To prove idempotent,

$$HH = X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T \cdot X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T$$

$$= X \left[\underbrace{(X^T X)^{-1} (X^T X)}_{\rightarrow A^{-1} A = I} \right] (X^T X)^{-1} X^T$$

$$= X \cdot I \cdot (X^T X)^{-1} X^T$$

$$= X (X^T X)^{-1} X^T = H$$

as $HH = H$, H is idempotent matrix.

14. By applying orthogonalisation on dimensions in linear regression, we can separately get the coeffs of regression by doing univariate regression on each orthogonal dimension.

As these dimensions are orthogonal, coeffs in one dimension don't depend on others.

15. If dimensions are nearly correlated, if we change one dimension, others also get affected. Hence their coeffs shoot up to large values and hence system becomes very unstable.

16. Forward Stepwise Selection,
Variables are added one after another to set of added variables to update the best fit. We consider performance measure as the Residual Error on a test data.

Forward Stagewise Selection,
Variable with maximum correlation with residual is selected at each stage. Regression is then done using the now selected variable and it is added to the predictor.