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When you're fundraising, it's AI

When you're hiring, it's ML

When you're implementing, it's linear regression

When you're debugging, it's printf()

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Today we will learn:

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Regression

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But what is Linear ReGURAssion?



In simplified words:

It is a way to capture the trend line of dataset

In longer explanation:

In statistics, linear regression is a linear approach to modelling the relationship between a scalar response and one or more explanatory variables (also known as dependent and independent variables) [wiki]

Let's look inside the math behind
linear rEVANGELION



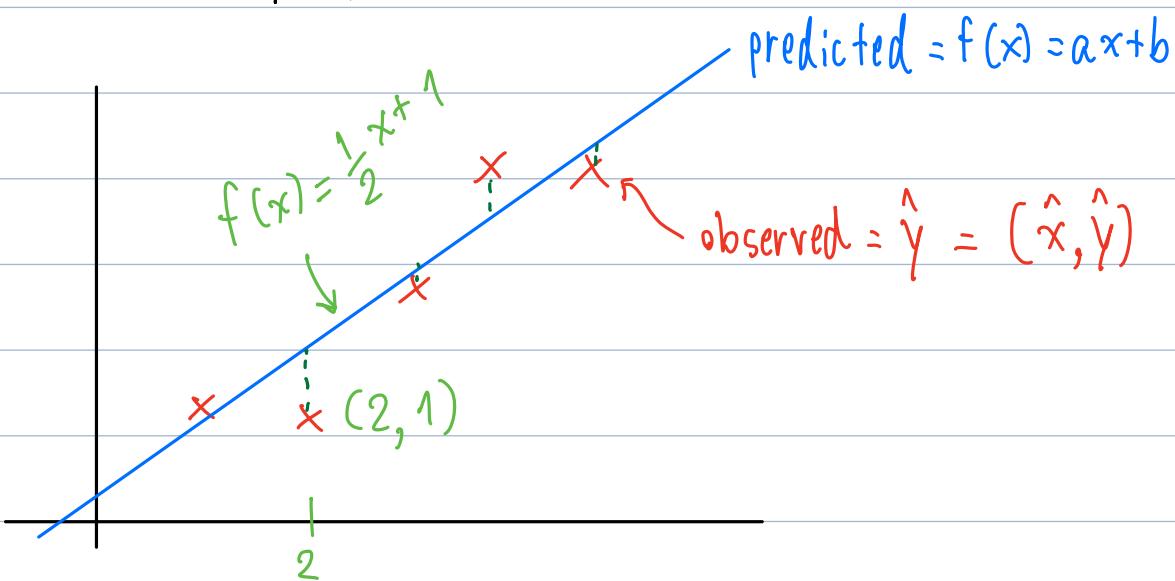
2D

Data coordinates : (x, y)

line : $y = ax + b$



$f(x) = ax + b$



To find how far off, find distance between each point and the line

$$\|(\text{distance})\| \quad \text{Cost}(a, b) = (f(x) - \hat{y})^2$$

L this is for a point, we need to calculate every cost value

Ex at $x=2$; predicted $(x=2) = f(2) = \frac{1}{2}(2) + 1 = 2$

observed $(x=2) \rightarrow \hat{y} = 1$

$$\text{Cost}(a, b) = (2 - 1)^2 = 1$$

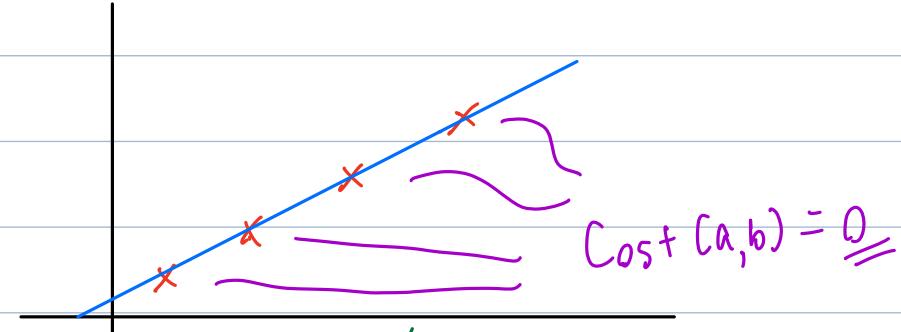
But we need to find total value of cost function of every point, so find the sum of every point

$$\rightarrow \text{Cost}(a, b) = \sum_{i=1}^n (\text{predicted}_i - \text{observed}_i)^2$$

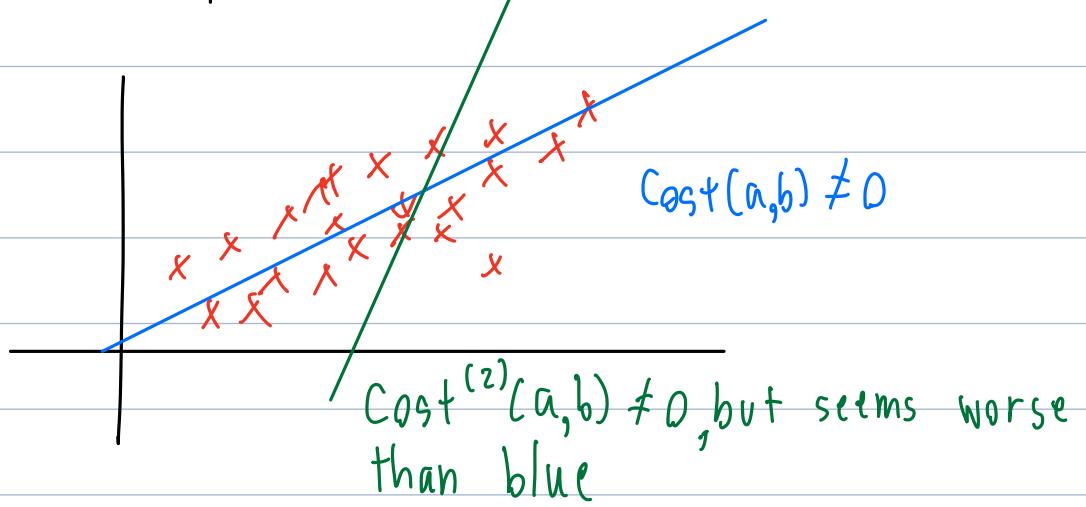
$$= \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^n (f(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

↑ sometimes ppl add this to find mean instead of sum

- Ideal data and regression:

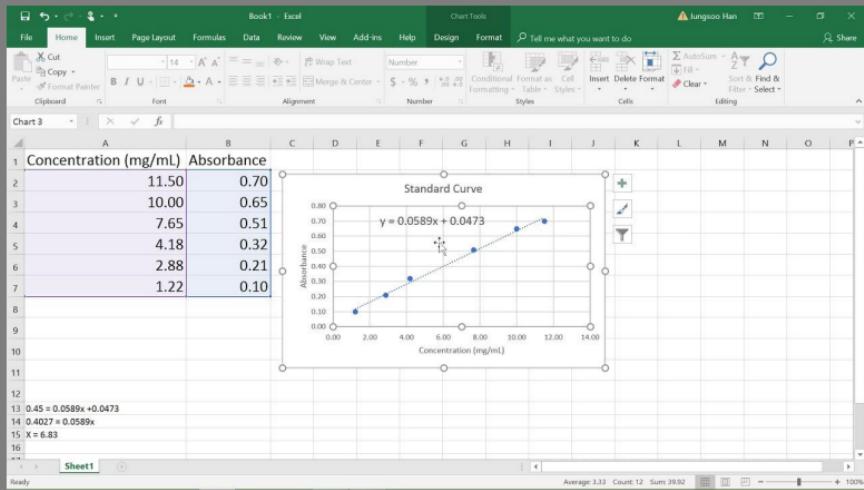


Reality:



So our goal: find a, b s.t. $\text{cost}(a, b)$ close to zero as much as possible.

Remember this?



This is him now

$f(x) = b + ax$

Hypothesis: $h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x$

Parameters: θ_0, θ_1 b, a predicted observed

Cost Function: $J(\theta_0, \theta_1) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$

Goal: $\underset{\theta_0, \theta_1}{\text{minimize}} J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$

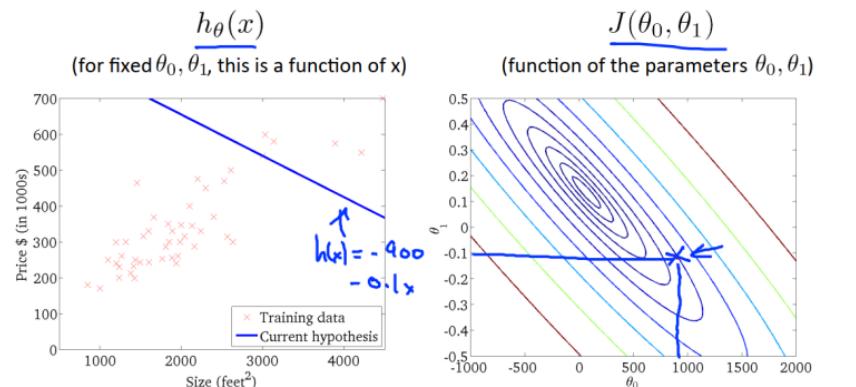
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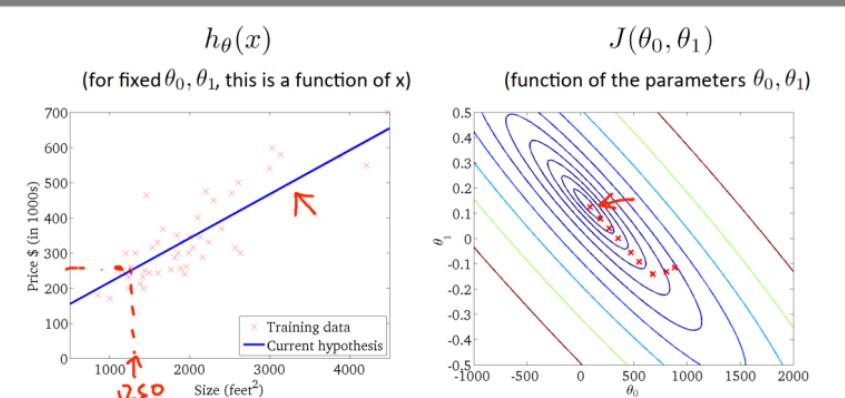
Feels old yet?

But how do you get from this



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To this



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Introducing: Gradient Descent

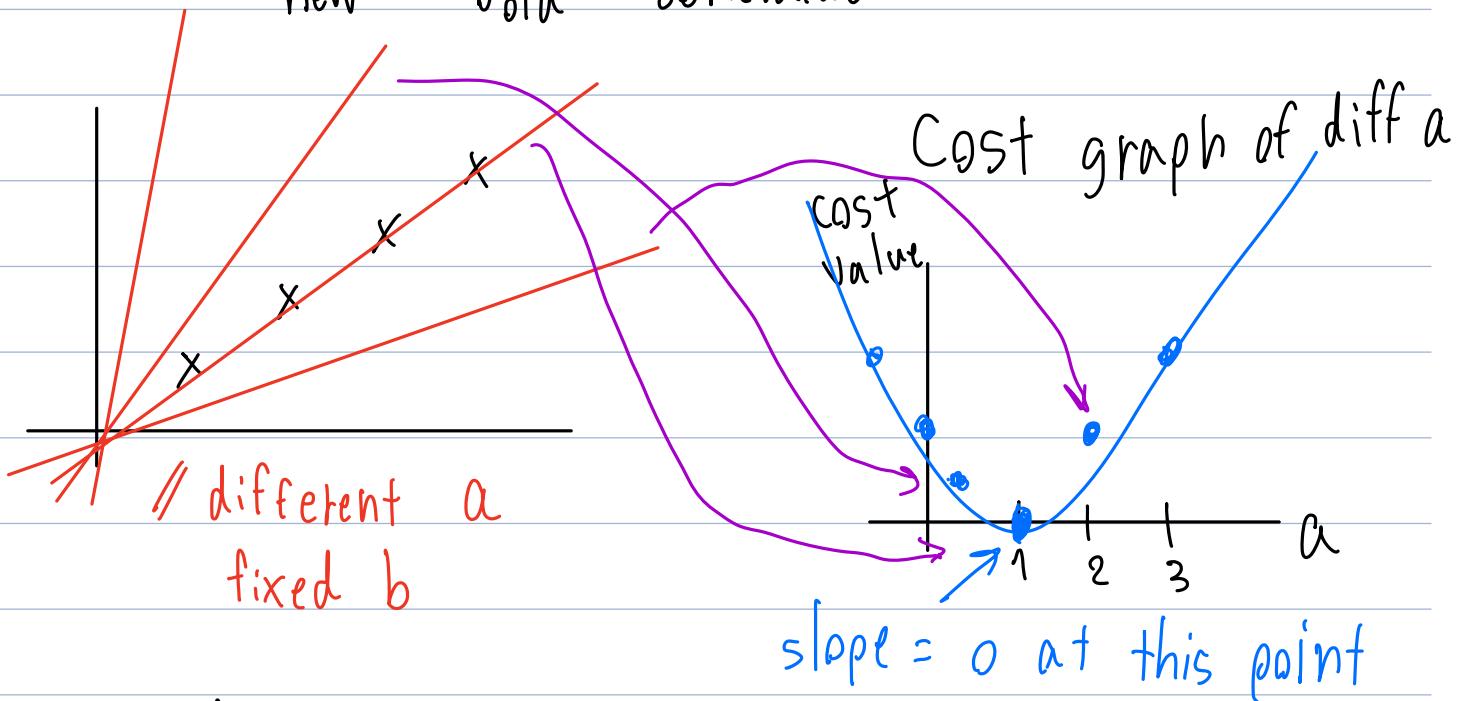


Allow us to introduce ourselves,

$$\text{predicted} = y = ax + b$$

idea: $a_{\text{new}} = a_{\text{old}} - \boxed{\text{somevalue}}$

$$b_{\text{new}} = b_{\text{old}} - \text{somevalue}$$



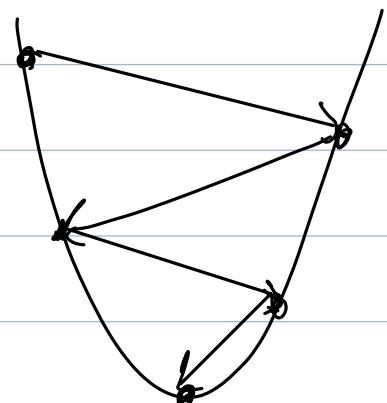
In calculus, we use derivative to find slope of the graph

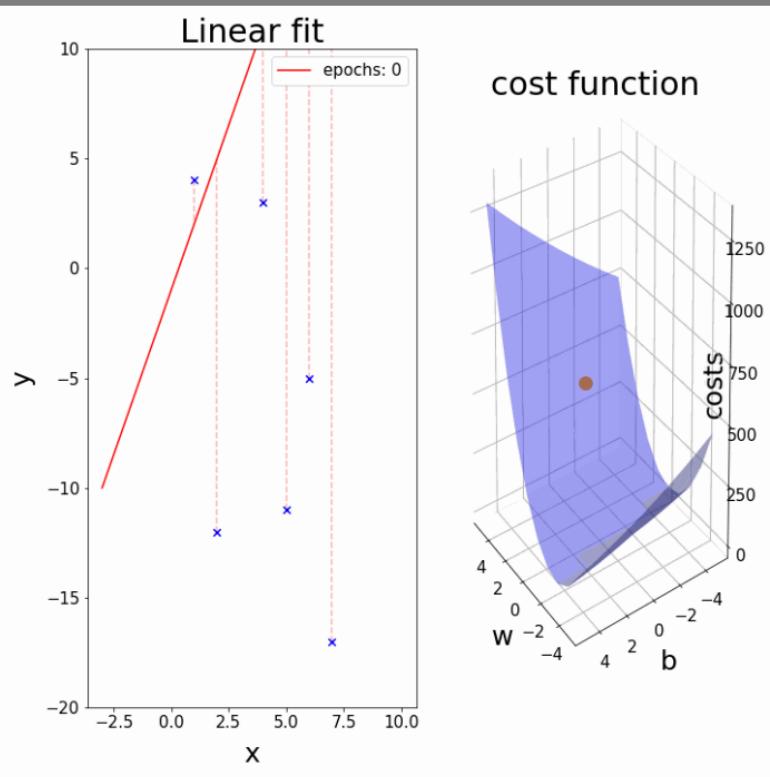
$$\text{slope} = \frac{dy}{da} \triangleq 0$$

Somevalue = $\lambda \cdot \text{slope}$ *learning rate*

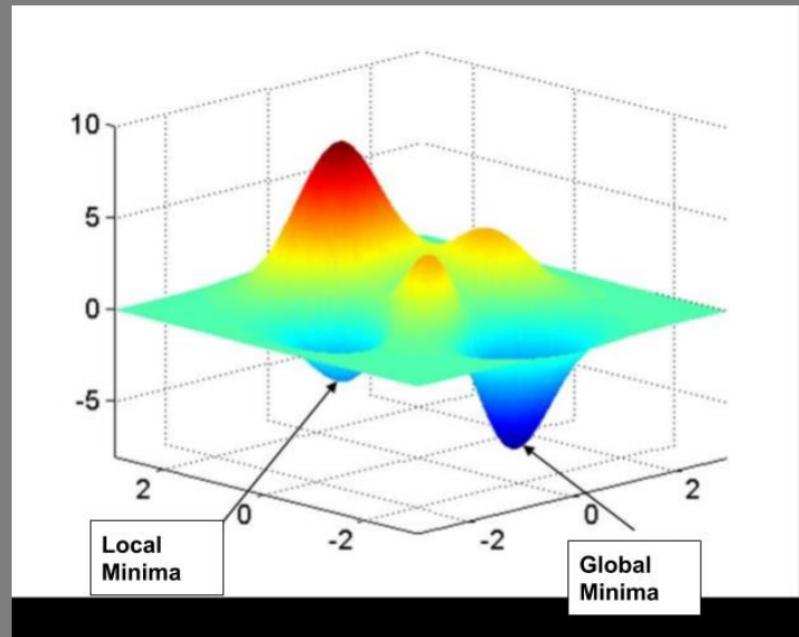
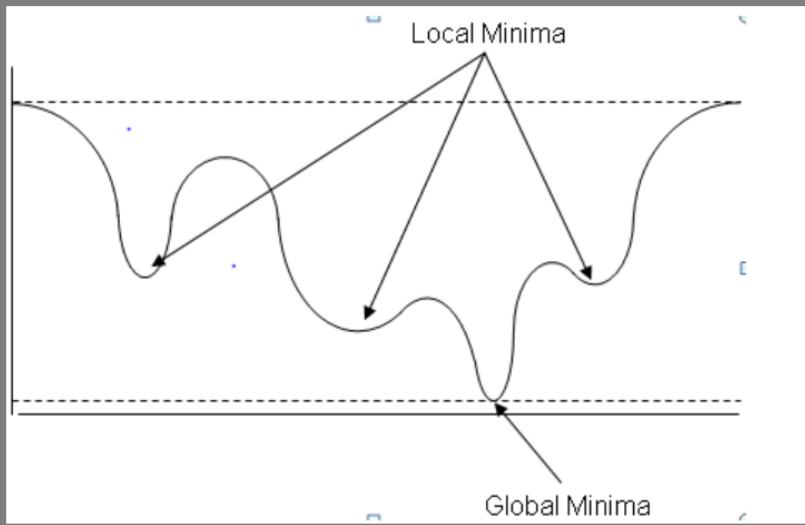
$$\therefore a_{\text{new}} = a_{\text{old}} - \lambda \left(\frac{dy}{da} \right)$$

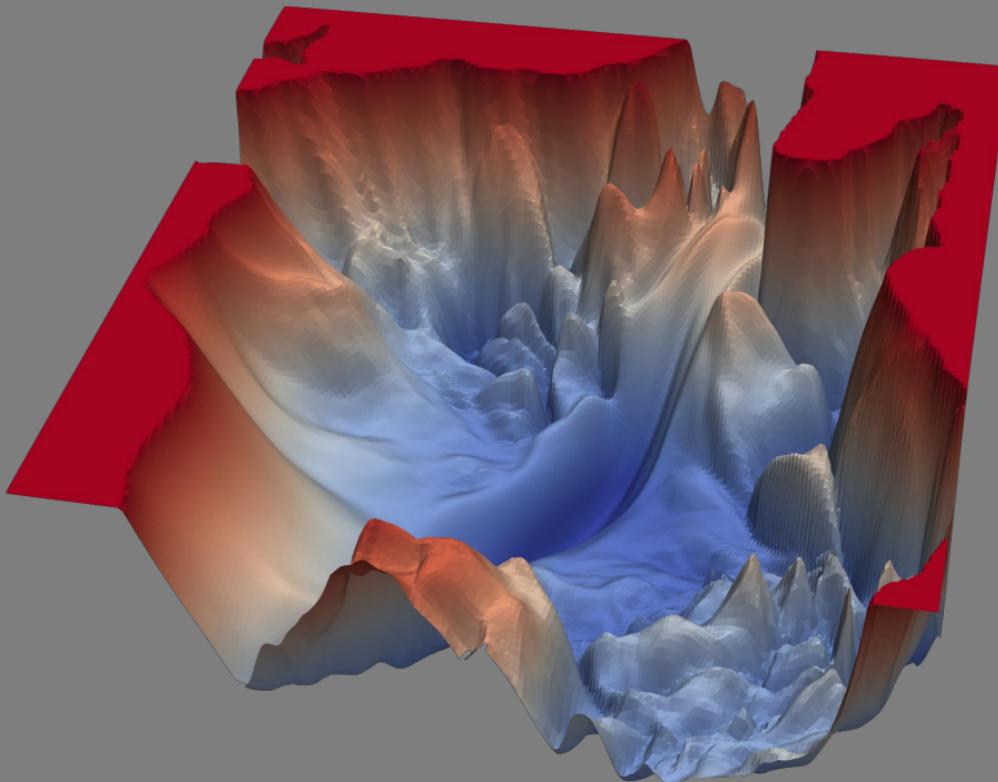
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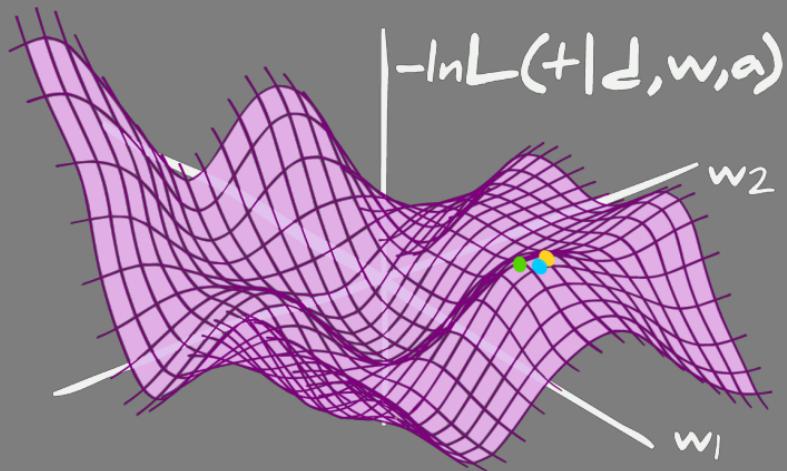
Issue: what if we cannot get the lowest cost function





A Complicated Loss Landscape *Image Credits:*
<https://www.cs.umd.edu/~tomg/projects/landscapes/>

- Adjust learning rate (difficult to find the right learning rate)
- Repeat the trial while changing starting point every time
(Stochastic Gradient Descent)



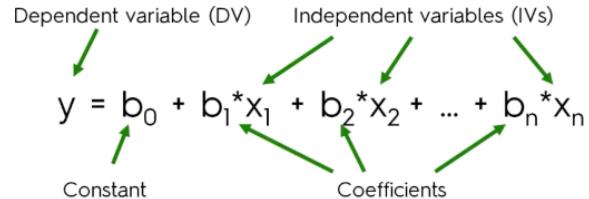
Linear REYgression with multiple features



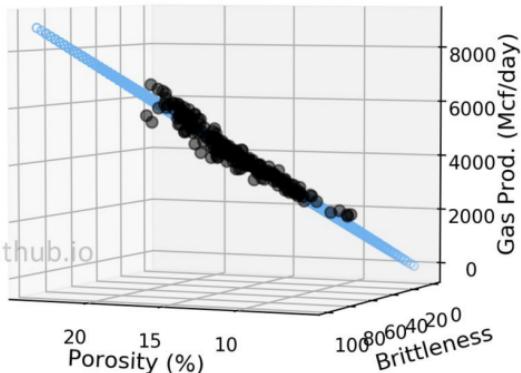
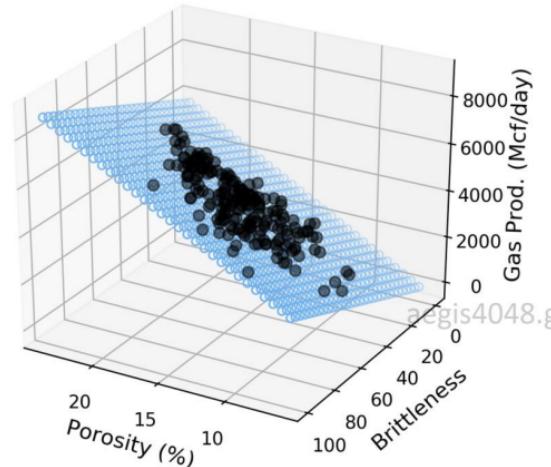
Simple Linear Regression

$$y = b_0 + b_1 * x_1$$

Multiple Linear Regression



3D multiple linear regression model



If we have this...

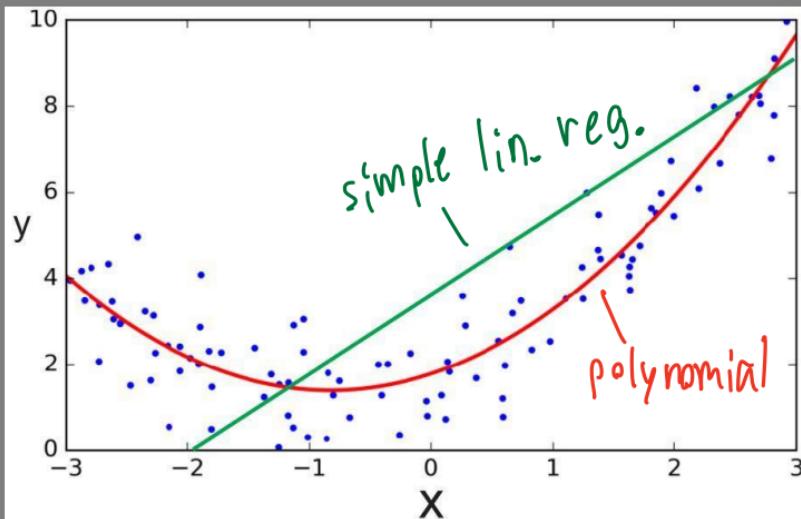
Multiple
Linear
Regression

$$y = b_0 + b_1x_1 + b_2x_2 + \dots + b_nx_n$$

We can also have this!

Polynomial
Linear
Regression

$$y = b_0 + b_1\underline{x}_1 + b_2\underline{x}_1^2 + \dots + b_n\underline{x}_1^n$$



Same cost(loss) function and gradient descent

repeat until convergence: {

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

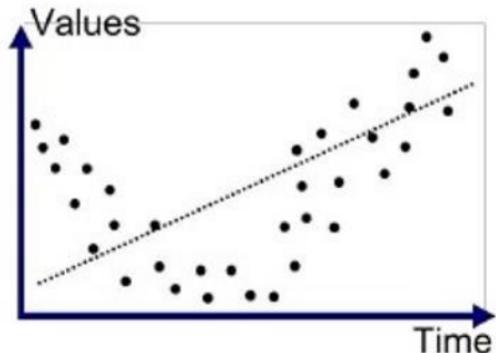
$$\theta_1 := \theta_1 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_\theta(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) \cdot x_1^{(i)}$$

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

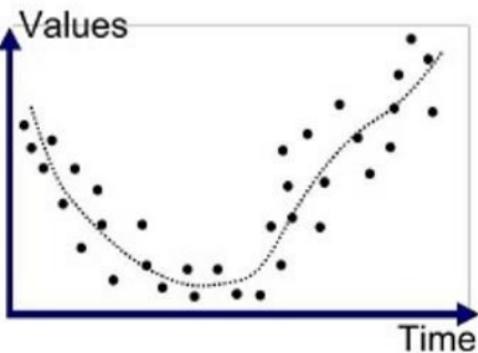
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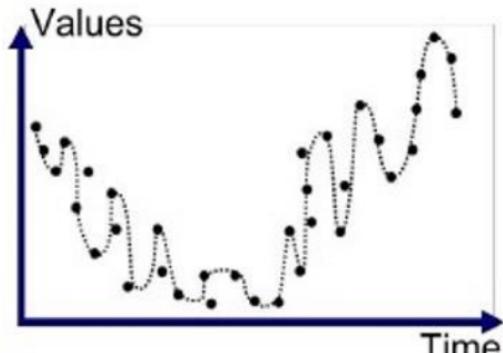
The good, the bad, and the ugly



Underfitted

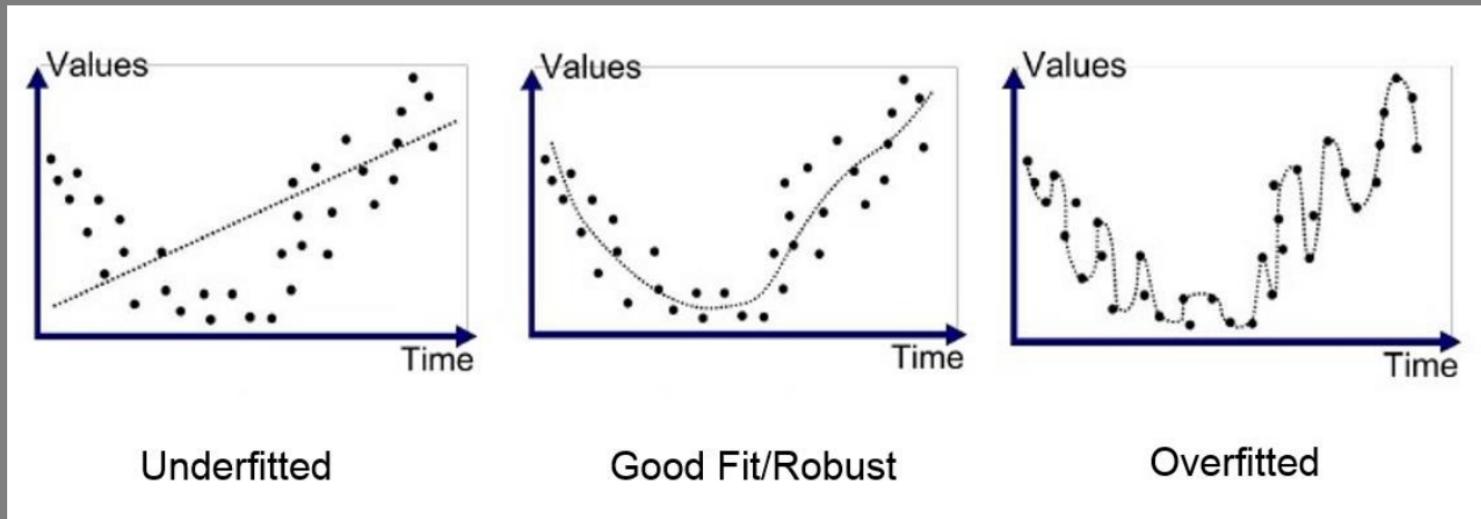


Good Fit/R robust



Overfitted

Terminology and Tips



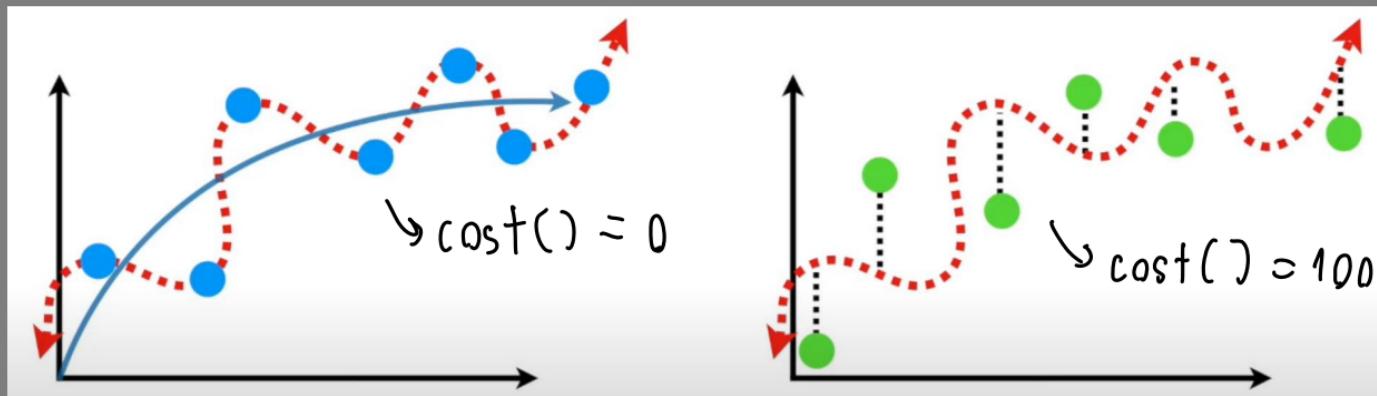
We use the term “bias” and “variance” as another way to explain how well the trend line(or plane if 3D) captures data

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Train dataset

↳ This model has low bias, high variance

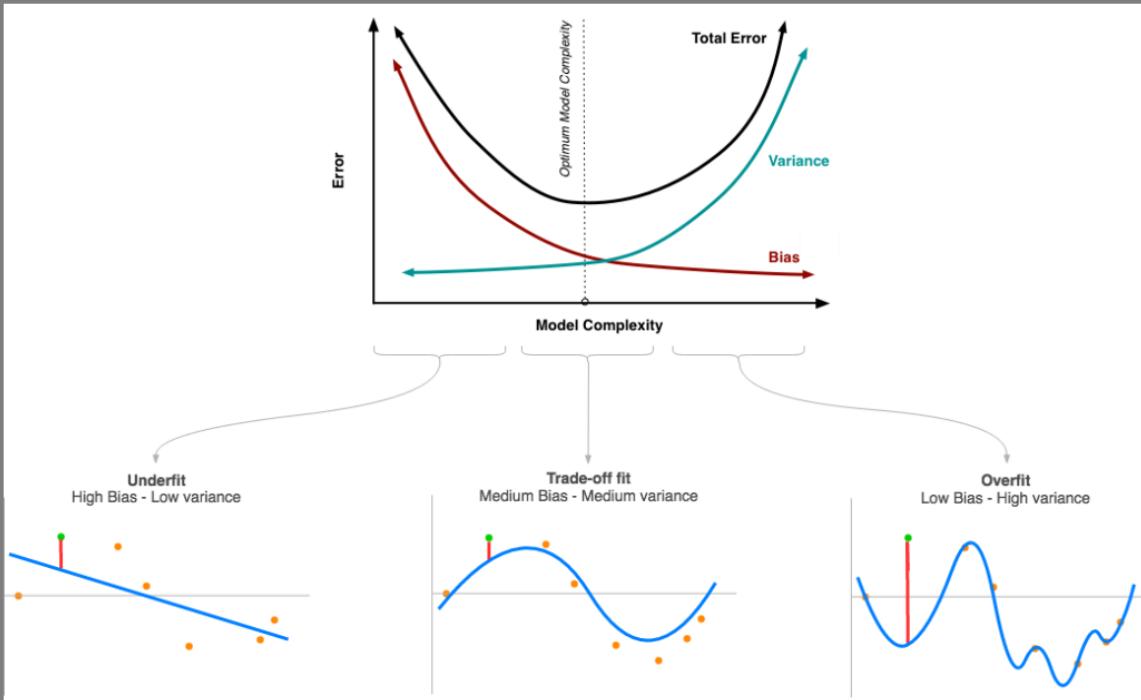
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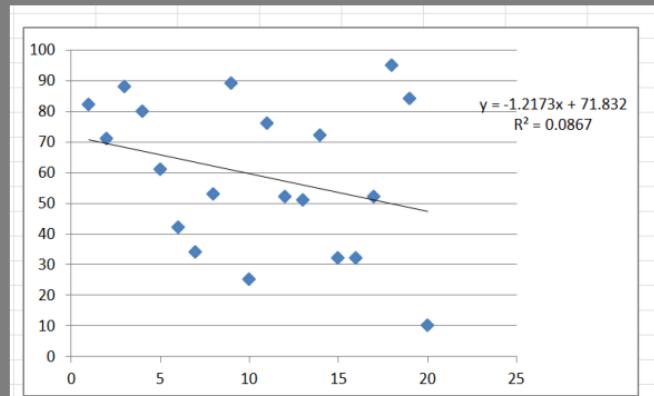
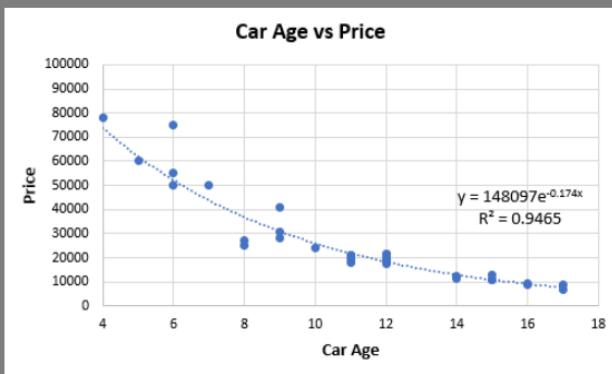


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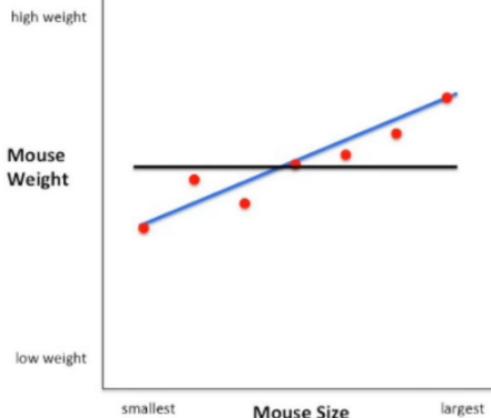


R-squared

- R-squared is a goodness-of-fit measure for linear regression models
- It tells how much two variables are correlated. $R^2 = 1$ means two variables are perfectly correlated. $R^2 = 0$ means that two variables are not correlated



R-squared



$$\text{Var}(\text{mean}) = 32$$

$$\text{Var}(\text{line}) = 6$$

$$R^2 = \frac{\text{Var}(\text{mean}) - \text{Var}(\text{line})}{\text{Var}(\text{mean})}$$

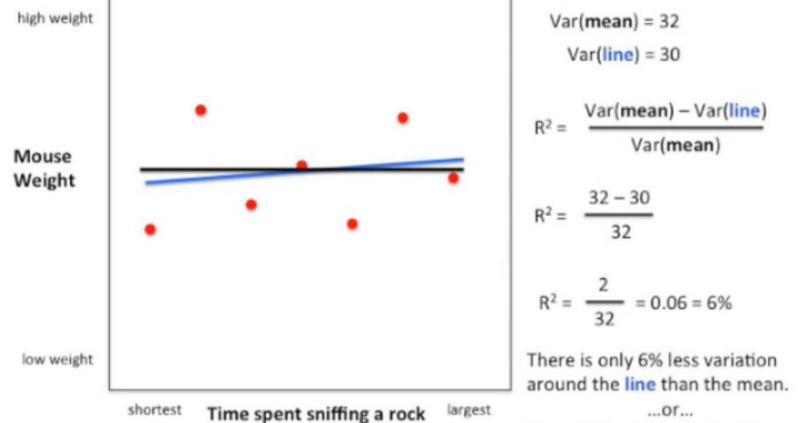
$$R^2 = \frac{32 - 6}{32}$$

$$R^2 = \frac{26}{32} = 0.81 = 81\%$$

There is 81% less variation around the **line** than the **mean**.

...or...

The size/weight relationship accounts for 81% of the variation.



$$\text{Var}(\text{mean}) = 32$$

$$\text{Var}(\text{line}) = 30$$

$$R^2 = \frac{\text{Var}(\text{mean}) - \text{Var}(\text{line})}{\text{Var}(\text{mean})}$$

$$R^2 = \frac{32 - 30}{32}$$

$$R^2 = \frac{2}{32} = 0.06 = 6\%$$

There is only 6% less variation around the **line** than the **mean**.

...or...

The sniff/weight relationship accounts for 6% of the variation.

BUT! Be careful! High R-squared can also mean the model overfits

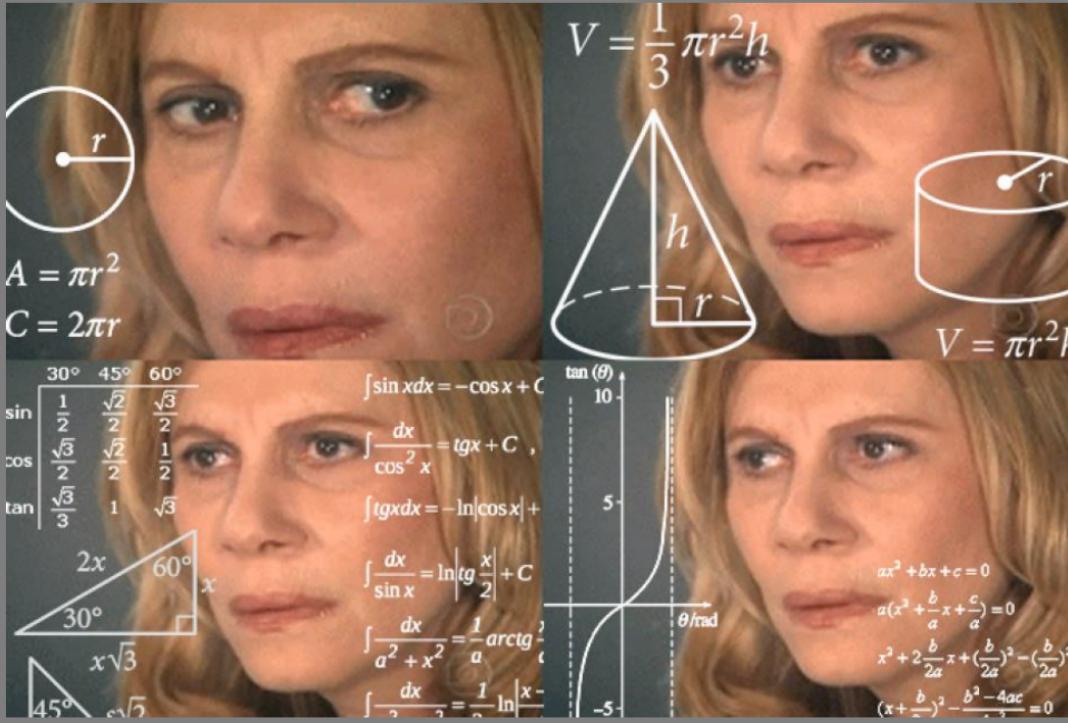
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correlation["price"].sort_values(ascending=False)
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calculated_host_listings_count 0.057472  
minimum_nights              0.042799  
latitude                   0.033939  
host_id                     0.015309  
id                          0.010619  
reviews_per_month           -0.030608  
number_of_reviews            -0.047954  
longitude                  -0.150019  
Name: price, dtype: float64
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Correlation between housing price and other features. Note: this is correlation (R), not R^2 .

Basically: when working with dataset, consider features correlation. It's up to you to drop a certain feature if you believe it does not contribute to the prediction model

// R-squared is for the predicting line correlation to all feature, while R is for correlation between 2 features



But you know, I learned something today



- Linear regression can find the trend line so we can make a prediction
- The model should not be too overfitted or underfitted
- R-square scored is a way to find model's accuracy



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