Homework 5 (due: Feb 24) Machine Learning - COSC 4360

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Exercises

Create a **New Project** for every exercise. Take a screenshot of the source code along with its output and place the **source code** and the **screenshot** in a **zipped folder** named **LastNameFirstName_HW5**

Exercise 1

Given the following dataset: *vehicles.csv* as well as the supporting file *vehicles.names*, find the *five* most important **weighted coefficients** and print their names (drop the **make** column from the *data frame*). The *target* variable is **mpg**.

Note: You may use any built-in functions you wish.

Exercise 2

Based on the *five* most important features from Ex. 1, create a **6D plot** with **mpg** being assigned to **markercolor**.

Note: Tutorial: Multi-dimensional plots. The source code can be downloaded from here.

Exercise 3

Predict the **mpg** given the following unscaled data point: 6, 163, 111, 3.9, 2.77, 16.45, 0, 1, 4, 4. **Note:** You may use any *built-in* functions you wish.

Exercise 4 (Optional)

Given the following dataset: *materials.csv*, create a **4D plot**.

Note: Tutorial: Multi-dimensional plots. The source code can be downloaded from here.

Exercise 5 (*Optional*)

Given the following dataset: *materials.csv*, implement your **own** version of the **Principal Component Analysis** (PCA) algorithm. In addition, define your own function for **standardizing** the data. Finally, use **PCA=2** and create a **scatter** plot with the **two Principal Components**.

Note: Submit through Canvas