Machine Learning Exercise 1

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2 Vector and Matrices

Tasks

- 1) The production of the 2 random integer matrices X, Y was by using the function randint(). Because the X, Y $\epsilon \mathbb{Z}$ in general we may have negative values also. That's why I use as low border -5 and as high 5 in randint function.
- 2) The same logic is followed for the vectors. We are using the same function but this time the "size" parameter has only one dimension (because the vectors are actually 1-D arrays).

Computations

First of all because A is symmetric we know:

$$A^{T} = A \Rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{n1} & & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & \cdots & a_{1n} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & & & \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ a_{1n} & & \cdots & a_{nn} \end{bmatrix}$$

Then we have to calculate the f() function. Let's start by calculating the $x^T \cdot A$ value.

$$[b_1x_1 + b_2x_2 + \ldots + b_nx_n] =$$

$$[(x_1a_{11} + x_2a_{12} + \ldots + x_na_{1n})x_1 + (x_1a_{12} + x_2a_{22} + \ldots + x_na_{2n})x_2 + \ldots + (x_1a_{1n} + x_2a_{2n} + \ldots + x_na_{nn})x_n] + [b_1x_1 + b_2x_2 + \ldots + b_nx_n]$$

In general we conclude into 2 1-D arrays, which is actually a number.

To compute the final ∇f () we need to find the derivatives for each $x_1...x_n$

$$\nabla f\left(x\right) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial((x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{1n})x_{1} + (x_{1}a_{12} + x_{2}a_{22} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{2n})x_{2} + \ldots + (x_{1}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{2n} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{nn})x_{n} + (b_{1}x_{1} + b_{2}x_{2} + \ldots + b_{n}x_{n}))}{\partial x_{1}} \\ \frac{\partial((x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{1n})x_{1} + (x_{1}a_{12} + x_{2}a_{22} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{2n})x_{2} + \ldots + (x_{1}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{2n} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{nn})x_{n} + (b_{1}x_{1} + b_{2}x_{2} + \ldots + b_{n}x_{n}))}{\partial x_{2}} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial((x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{1n})x_{1} + (x_{1}a_{12} + x_{2}a_{22} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{2n})x_{2} + \ldots + (x_{1}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{2n} + \ldots + x_{n}a_{nn})x_{n} + (b_{1}x_{1} + b_{2}x_{2} + \ldots + b_{n}x_{n}))}{\partial x_{n}} \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 2x_1a_{11} + x_2a_{12} + \dots + x_na_{1n} + x_2a_{12} + \dots + x_na_{1n} + b1 \\ x_1a_{12} + x_1a_{12} + 2x_2a_{22} + \dots + x_na_{2n} + \dots + x_na_{2n} + b2 \\ \vdots \\ x_1a_{1n} + x_2a_{2n} + \dots + x_1a_{1n} + x_2a_{2n} + \dots + x_na_{nn} + b_n \end{bmatrix}$$

Chain Rule

The produced function will have the form below:

$$c(x) = \sin(125x^3)$$

The derivative of the function will follow the chain rule: $[f(g(x))]' = f'(g(x)) \cdot g'(x)$

$$c(x)' = \left[\sin'(125x^3) \cdot (125x^3) \right] = \cos(125x^3) \cdot 125 \cdot 3 \cdot x^2 = \cos(125x^3) \cdot 375x^2$$

For the last exercise in order to compute the $\nabla_x^2 f(x)$ we just need to find the derivatives of each row of $\nabla f(x)$ for each $x_1 \dots x_n$

$$\nabla_{x}^{2}f(x) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + b1)}{\partial x_{1}} & \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + b1)}{\partial x_{2}} & \dots & \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + b1)}{\partial x_{n}} \\ \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + b1)}{\partial x_{1}} & \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + b1)}{\partial x_{2}} & \dots & \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{1n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{1n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + b1)}{\partial x_{n}} & \dots & \frac{\partial(2x_{1}a_{11} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{12} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{1n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{1n} + x_{2}a_{2n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{2n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{2n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{2n} + \dots + x_{n}a_{2n} +$$

3 Linear Regression

3.1 Derivation of the Ordinary Least Squares estimator for multiple regressors

For this section I had 2 approaches:

On the First one I followed the logic that was provided from the slides. To find the RSS we have to compute the sum of all the squares error $(\sum_{i=1}^N e_i^2)$. If we analyze this a bit more we know that the error comes from the real_y_value-predicted_y_value. So the type becomes $\sum_{n=1}^N (y_n - y_n^-)^2$. Analyzing the prediction(estimation) more we have that

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N} (y_n - (b^T \cdot x_n))^2 = \sum_{n=1}^{N} (y_n - (b_1 x_{n1} + b_2 x_{n2} + \dots + b_p x_{np}))^2$$
 (1)

After that we have to find the values of b that minimize the previous equation (1). In order to do this we have to find the derivative of (1) and equate it to zero.

$$\frac{\partial \sum_{n=1}^{N} (y_n - (b_1 x_{n1} + b_2 x_{n2} + \dots + b_p x_{np}))^2}{\partial x}$$

Because we have Sum we can pass inside the ∂ and we have:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial((y_n - (b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}))^2)}{\partial b_1} \\ \frac{\partial((y_n - (b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}))^2)}{\partial b_2} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial((y_n - (b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np})) \cdot (-x_{n1})}{\partial b_p} \end{bmatrix} = \\ \sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} 2(y_n - (b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np})) \cdot (-x_{n1}) \\ 2(y_n - (b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np})) \cdot (-x_{n2}) \\ \vdots \\ 2(y_n - (b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np})) \cdot (-x_{np}) \end{bmatrix} = \\ 2\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} -x_{n1}y_n + x_{n1}(b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}) \\ -x_{n2}y_n + x_{n2}(b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}) \\ \vdots \\ -x_{np}y_n + x_{np}(b_1x_{n1} + b_2x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}) \end{bmatrix} = \\ 2\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} -x_{n1}y_n + b_1x_{n1}^2 + b_2x_{n1}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n1}x_{np} \\ -x_{n2}y_n + b_1x_{n1}x_{n2} + b_2x_{n2}^2 + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ -x_{np}y_n + b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Now that we have simplified out formula its time to equate it with 0.

$$2\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} -x_{n1}y_n + b_1x_{n1}^2 + b_2x_{n1}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n1}x_{np} \\ -x_{n2}y_n + b_1x_{n1}x_{n2} + b_2x_{n2}^2 + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ -x_{np}y_n + b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np} \end{bmatrix} = 0$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} -x_{n1}y_n + b_1x_{n1}^2 + b_2x_{n1}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n1}x_{np} \\ -x_{n2}y_n + b_1x_{n1}x_{n2} + b_2x_{n2}^2 + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ -x_{np}y_n + b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{n1}x_{n2} + b_2x_{n2}^2 + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ b_1x_{np}x_{n1} + b_2x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + b_px_{np}x_{np} \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} x_{n1}y_n \\ x_{n2}y_n \\ \vdots \\ x_{np}y_n \end{bmatrix}$$

We observe that the left part is actual a multiplication of the 2 arrays below, so we separate them.

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} x_{n1}^{2} + x_{n1}x_{n2} + \dots + x_{n1}x_{np} \\ x_{n1}x_{n2} + x_{n2}^{2} + \dots + x_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ x_{np}x_{n1} + x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + x_{np}^{2} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_{1} \\ b_{2} \\ \vdots \\ b_{p} \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} x_{n1} \\ x_{n2} \\ \vdots \\ x_{np} \end{bmatrix} y_{n}$$

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N} \begin{bmatrix} x_{n1}^{2} + x_{n1}x_{n2} + \dots + x_{n1}x_{np} \\ x_{n1}x_{n2} + x_{n2}^{2} + \dots + x_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ x_{np}x_{n1} + x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + x_{np}^{2} \end{bmatrix} b = \sum_{n=1}^{N} x_{n}y_{n}$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} x_{n1}^2 + x_{n1}x_{n2} + \ldots + x_{n1}x_{np} \\ x_{n1}x_{n2} + x_{n2}^2 + \ldots + x_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ x_{np}x_{n1} + x_{np}x_{n2} + \ldots + x_{np}^2 \end{bmatrix}$$
 is a symmetric a

We also can see that this array $\begin{bmatrix} x_{n1}^2 + x_{n1}x_{n2} + \dots + x_{n1}x_{np} \\ x_{n1}x_{n2} + x_{n2}^2 + \dots + x_{n2}x_{np} \\ \vdots \\ x_{np}x_{n1} + x_{np}x_{n2} + \dots + x_{np}^2 \end{bmatrix}$ is a symmetric array, product of the multiplication of the $x_n \cdot x_n^T = \begin{bmatrix} x_{n1} \\ x_{n2} \\ \vdots \\ x_{np} \end{bmatrix}$ $\begin{bmatrix} x_{n1} & x_{n2} & \cdots & x_{np} \end{bmatrix}$ so we replace it in the equation. The final

form of the equation is:

$$\sum_{n=1}^{N} (x^T \cdot x)b = \sum_{n=1}^{N} x_n y_n$$

Then following the slides by using matrix notation we have conclude in:

$$X^T X b = X^T Y$$

We multiply the above expression with $(X^TX)^{-1}$ and we get the least squares estimator for b:

$$b = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$$

On the **second approach** I followed a logic that found online.

So the general form that our values has are:

$$\begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \\ \vdots \\ y_N \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{11} & x_{12} & \cdots & x_{1p} \\ x_{21} & x_{22} & \cdots & x_{2p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{N1} & x_{N2} & \cdots & x_{Np} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} b_1 \\ b_2 \\ \vdots \\ b_p \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ e_2 \\ \vdots \\ e_N \end{bmatrix}$$

Where the e_i are the errors (difference) that our estimation has from the real value.

In order to calculate the $\sum_{i=1}^{N} e_i^2$ we have to make the multiplication of

$$e^T \cdot e = \begin{bmatrix} e_1 & e_2 & \cdots & e_N \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} e_1 \\ e_2 \\ \vdots \\ e_N \end{bmatrix} = \sum_{i=1}^N e_i^2$$

In order to minimize the b we have to minimize the $e^T e(1)$. From the definition we know that e = y - Xb. By replacing the e in the (1) we get:

$$(y - Xb)^{T} \cdot (y - Xb) = (y^{T} - b^{T}X^{T})(y - Xb) = y^{T}y - b^{T}X^{T}y - y^{T}Xb + b^{T}X^{T}Xb$$
(2)

We know that $b^T X^T y = (b^T X^T y)^T = y^T X b$ are equals, because the terms are 1x1 dimension the transposition of it will be the same as the original one. So the (2) will become:

$$y^T y - 2b^T X^T y + b^T X^T X b$$

Having said that it's time to set the derivative equal to zero, with respect to b.

$$\frac{\partial (y^T y - 2b^T X^T y + b^T X^T X b)}{\partial b} \ (3)$$

By following these 2 rules:

$$\frac{\partial a^T b}{\partial b} = \frac{\partial b^T a}{\partial b} = a$$

when a and b are Kx1 vectors

$$\frac{\partial b^T A b}{\partial b} = 2Ab = 2b^T A$$

when A is a symmetric matrix.

In our case we have the same form $b^T X^T X b$ because $X^T X$ is actually a symmetric matrix as A. So by using the above rules the (3) becomes (and also equate it with 0):

$$-2X^T y + 2X^T X b = 0$$
$$X^T X b = X^T y$$
(4)

And in the end we follow the same step as the previous approach which is to multiply the expression (4) with $(X^TX)^{-1}$ and we get:

$$b = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$$