

Machine Learning Foundations

Linear Regression

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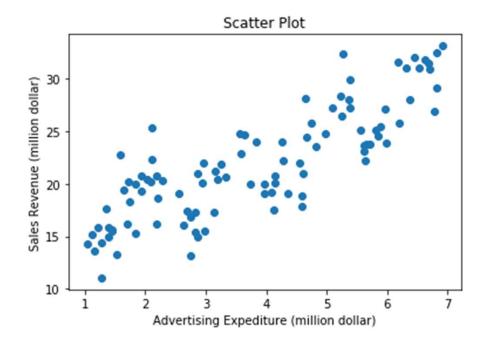
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Univariate Linear Regression

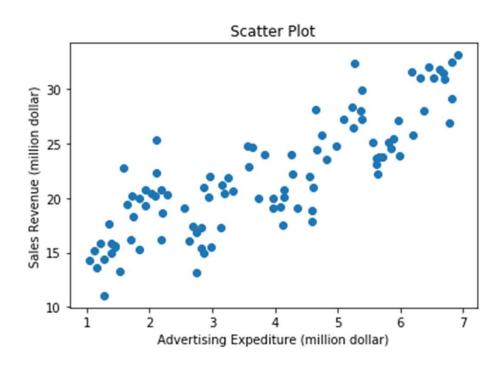


- feature (x): advertising expenditure of that year
- target (y): sales revenue for a year



Hypothesis





$$h(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x$$



Cost Function (MSE)

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

• *Minimize* $J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$ *over* θ_0, θ_1



Gradient Descent

• repeat until $J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$ converges to minimum:

$$\theta_j = \theta_j - \alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$$
 (in this example, $j = 0$ and 1)

• Plug in $J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$ repeat until $J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$ converges to minimum:

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

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