

Batch Online Regression with noise reduction

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1 Optimization problem

$$C(w) = \frac{\|w - w_{t-1}\|_B}{2} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} \|\mathbf{Y} - w\mathbf{X}^\top\|_B$$

- w : weights at time t
- w_{i-1} : previous weights at time $t - 1$
- B : Batch
- $\alpha_B(h)$: Noise parameter
- r : robustness parameter (hyperparameter)
- Y : N-vector of outputs at time t
- X : (N,p) matrix at time t (Observation x features)

2 Hyperparameters

- Noise parameter:

$$\alpha_B(h) = \frac{1}{1 + h\sigma_B}$$

- σ_B : noise in N vector(Y) output at time t (ex : $\sigma_B = \frac{1}{N} \sum \sigma_{B_i} = \mathbf{E}_B[\sigma_B]$)
- h : hyper-parameter

- robustness parameter

- if $r \rightarrow \infty$ then $C(w) \simeq \frac{\|w - w_{t-1}\|_B}{2}$ then $\min C(w) = w_{t-1}$ (ex for noisy batch ($\sigma_B \gg 0$))
- if $r \rightarrow 0$ then $C(w) \simeq \|Y - w^T X\|_B$ then $\min C(w) = (X^\top X)^{-1} X^\top Y$ (ex non noisy batch ($\sigma_B \simeq 0$))

3 Model update

$$w_t = \min C(w)$$

let's solve $\frac{\partial C(w)}{\partial w} = 0$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial C(w)}{\partial w} &= \frac{\partial \frac{\|w - w_{t-1}\|_B}{2}}{\partial w} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} \frac{\partial \|\mathbf{Y} - w\mathbf{X}^\top\|_B}{\partial w} \\ &= w - w_{t-1} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} (X^\top X w - X^\top Y) \\ &= w - w_{t-1} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} X^\top X w - \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} X^\top Y \\ &= (\mathbf{I} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} X^\top X) w - w_{t-1} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} X^\top Y \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Result $\boxed{w = (\mathbf{I} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} X^\top X)^{-1} (w_{t-1} + \frac{\alpha_B(h)}{r} X^\top Y)}$