

# Optional Lab: Linear Regression using Scikit-Learn

There is an open-source, commercially usable machine learning toolkit called [scikit-learn](#). This toolkit contains implementations of many of the algorithms that you will work with in this course.

## Goals

In this lab you will:

- Utilize scikit-learn to implement linear regression using Gradient Descent

## Tools

You will utilize functions from scikit-learn as well as matplotlib and NumPy.

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.linear_model import SGDRegressor
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from lab_utils_multi import load_house_data
from lab_utils_common import dlc
np.set_printoptions(precision=2)
plt.style.use('./deeplearning.mplstyle')
```

## Gradient Descent

Scikit-learn has a gradient descent regression model [sklearn.linear\\_model.SGDRegressor](#). Like your previous implementation of gradient descent, this model performs best with normalized inputs. [sklearn.preprocessing.StandardScaler](#) will perform z-score normalization as in a previous lab. Here it is referred to as 'standard score'.

### Load the data set

```
In [2]: X_train, y_train = load_house_data()
X_features = ['size(sqft)', 'bedrooms', 'floors', 'age']
```

### Scale/normalize the training data

```
In [3]: scaler = StandardScaler()
X_norm = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
print(f"Peak to Peak range by column in Raw        X:{np.ptp(X_train,axis=0)}")
print(f"Peak to Peak range by column in Normalized X:{np.ptp(X_norm,axis=0)}")

Peak to Peak range by column in Raw        X:[2.41e+03 4.00e+00 1.00e+00 9.50e+01]
Peak to Peak range by column in Normalized X:[5.85 6.14 2.06 3.69]
```

### Create and fit the regression model

```
In [4]: sgdr = SGDRegressor(max_iter=1000)
sgdr.fit(X_norm, y_train)
print(sgdr)
print(f"number of iterations completed: {sgdr.n_iter_}, number of weight updates: {sgdr.

SGDRegressor()
number of iterations completed: 134, number of weight updates: 13267.0
```

## View parameters

Note, the parameters are associated with the *normalized* input data. The fit parameters are very close to those found in the previous lab with this data.

```
In [5]: b_norm = sgdr.intercept_
w_norm = sgdr.coef_
print(f"model parameters:                w: {w_norm}, b:{b_norm}")
print( "model parameters from previous lab: w: [110.56 -21.27 -32.71 -37.97], b: 363.16"

model parameters:                w: [110.26 -21.1  -32.52 -38.03], b:[363.18]
model parameters from previous lab: w: [110.56 -21.27 -32.71 -37.97], b: 363.16
```

## Make predictions

Predict the targets of the training data. Use both the `predict` routine and compute using  $w$  and  $b$ .

```
In [6]: # make a prediction using sgdr.predict()
y_pred_sgd = sgdr.predict(X_norm)
# make a prediction using w,b.
y_pred = np.dot(X_norm, w_norm) + b_norm
print(f"prediction using np.dot() and sgdr.predict match: {(y_pred == y_pred_sgd).all()}

print(f"Prediction on training set:\n{y_pred[:4]}")
print(f"Target values \n{y_train[:4]}")

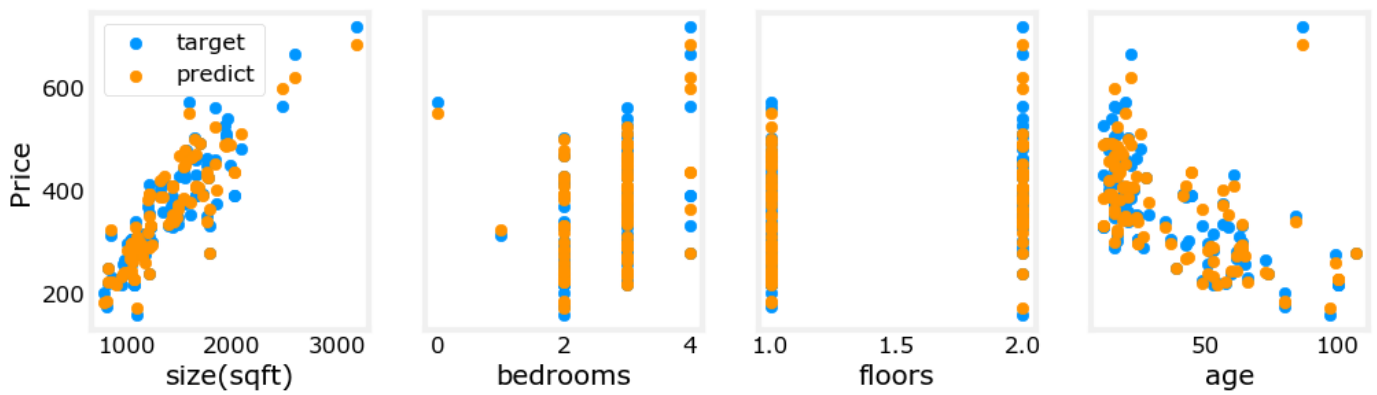
prediction using np.dot() and sgdr.predict match: True
Prediction on training set:
[295.2  485.96 389.62 492.12]
Target values
[300.  509.8 394.  540. ]
```

## Plot Results

Let's plot the predictions versus the target values.

```
In [7]: # plot predictions and targets vs original features
fig,ax=plt.subplots(1,4,figsize=(12,3),sharey=True)
for i in range(len(ax)):
    ax[i].scatter(X_train[:,i],y_train, label = 'target')
    ax[i].set_xlabel(X_features[i])
    ax[i].scatter(X_train[:,i],y_pred,color=dlc["dlorange"], label = 'predict')
ax[0].set_ylabel("Price"); ax[0].legend();
fig.suptitle("target versus prediction using z-score normalized model")
plt.show()
```

target versus prediction using z-score normalized model



## Congratulations!

In this lab you:

- utilized an open-source machine learning toolkit, scikit-learn
- implemented linear regression using gradient descent and feature normalization from that toolkit

In [ ]: