Linear Regression, Ridge Regression, Lasso Regression

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In this project, three different types of linear regression methods are performed: plain linear regression with no regularization, ridge regression with regularization, and lasso regression. After the models were trained, their performances were quantitatively analyzed by the MSE values on the validation datasets.

Dataset: Automobile miles per gallon Data Set

Source: https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Auto+MPG

Features: cylinders, displacement, horsepower, weight, acceleration, model year, origin

Label: miles per gallon

0.1 Preliminary works

1. Import libraries

```
[]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn import linear_model
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2. Get a dataset

```
[]: from google.colab import files upload = files.upload()
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<IPython.core.display.HTML object>

Saving auto-mpg.csv to auto-mpg.csv

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[]:
        mpg cylinders displacement
                                    ... acceleration model year
                                                                   origin
    0 15.0
                     8
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    1 18.0
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3. Create train, test and validation sets

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Data length: 391, Training data length: 311, Validation data length: 40, Testing data length: 40
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[]:
                 cylinders displacement
                                          ... acceleration model year
                                                                           origin
            mpg
     0 0.321888
                       1.0
                                0.769231
                                                   0.463710
                                                               0.853659 0.333333
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                                                               0.853659 0.333333
                                0.942857 ...
     4 0.321888
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                                                   0.403226
                                                               0.853659 0.333333
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0.2 Linear Regression

```
[]: # Loss function for linear regression
def RSS(X, Y, b):
    """
    Input:
        X: Features; 1*p vector where p is a number of features
        Y: Label; scalar
        b: Coefficients; p*1 vector
    Returns:
        (Y - X*b)^2
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return (Y - X.dot(b)).T.dot(Y - X.dot(b))
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RSS of the training set using this coefficient vector is 1.628525. MSE of the training set using this coefficient vector is 0.005236.

RSS of the test set using this coefficient vector is 0.327808. MSE of the test set using this coefficient vector is 0.008195. b0 intercept is -0.312111

0.3 Ridge Regression

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[]: # Loss function for ridge regression
     def RSS_ridge(X, Y, b, lamb):
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       Input:
         X: Features; 1*p vector where p is a number of features
         Y: Label; scalar
         b: Coefficients; p*1 vector
         lamb: Tuning parameter; scalar
       Returns:
         (Y - X*b)^2 + lamb * b^2
       return (Y - X.dot(b)).T.dot(Y - X.dot(b)) + lamb*b.T.dot(b)
[]: # Training
     # First column is a response vector
     # Last column is not used
     train_X = np.concatenate( (np.ones( (len(train), 1) ), train.iloc[:, 1:-1].
     →to_numpy()), axis=1)
     train_Y = train.iloc[:, 0].to_numpy()
     # Linear space of lambda is created
     lambs = np.linspace(0, 0.01, 1000)
     # Empty list to store b is created
     b_ridge = []
     # Calculate coefficient vectors for each lambda
     for lamb in lambs:
       b_ridge.append(np.linalg.inv( train_X.T.dot(train_X) + lamb*np.
      →identity(len(train_X[0])) ).dot(train_X.T.dot(train_Y)))
[]: # Cross-Validation
     # Find optimal lambda value using the calculaed weighting factors from training
     \rightarrow dataset
     val_X = np.concatenate( (np.ones( (len(val), 1) ), val.iloc[:, 1:-1].
     →to_numpy()), axis=1)
     val_Y = val.iloc[:, 0].to_numpy()
     # Empty lists of RSS and MSE are created
     RSS_ridge = []
     MSE_ridge = []
     for b in b_ridge:
       RSS_temp = RSS(val_X, val_Y, b) # temporary RSS created to avoid_
      →unnecerassily repeated calculation
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RSS_ridge.append(RSS_temp)

MSE_ridge.append(RSS_temp/len(val))

# Find

RSS_min = min(RSS_ridge)

MSE_min = RSS_min/len(train)

lamb_opt = lambs[RSS_ridge.index(min(RSS_ridge))]

b_opt = b_ridge[RSS_ridge.index(min(RSS_ridge))]

print("Minimum RSS from the validation set using this coefficient vector is %f.

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\) occurs when lambda is \( \frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\frac{\f
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Minimum RSS from the validation set using this coefficient vector is 0.136990. Minimum MSE of the validation set using this coefficient vector is 0.000440. This occurs when lambda is 0.000000.

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Optimal coefficient values are:

[-0.31211128 -0.09859175 0.09599611 0.03236082 -0.75142705 0.074578

1.31250979]
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RSS of the test set using this coefficient vector is 0.327808. MSE of the test set using this coefficient vector is 0.008195. b0 intercept is -0.312111

0.4 Lasso Regression

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[]: # Create training data
     train_X = np.concatenate( (np.ones( (len(train), 1) ), train.iloc[:, 1:-1].
      →to_numpy()), axis=1)
     train_Y = train.iloc[:, 0].to_numpy()
     val_X = np.concatenate( (np.ones( (len(val), 1) ), val.iloc[:, 1:-1].
     →to_numpy()), axis=1)
     val_Y = val.iloc[:, 0].to_numpy()
     # Sample lambda values same as ridge
     lambs = np.linspace(0, 0.01, 1000)
     # b and MSE lists
     b_lasso = []
     MSE_lasso = []
     for lamb in lambs:
       # Reset squared error
       sum = 0
       # Train with current lambda
       lasso_reg = linear_model.Lasso(alpha=lamb, normalize=True)
       lasso_reg.fit(train_X, train_Y)
       # Find optimal lambda using val set and predict y values
       yHat = lasso_reg.predict(val_X)
       for i in range(len(val_X)):
         # Add up squared errors of val sets for this lambda
         sum = sum + (val_Y[i] - yHat[i])**2
       # Find MSE
       MSE_lasso.append(sum/len(val_X))
       # Append b
       b_lasso.append(lasso_reg.coef_)
[]: data_lasso = pd.DataFrame({'lambda' : lambs, 'MSE' : MSE_lasso})
     print(data_lasso)
     print("Minimum MSE occurs when lambda is \%d and its value is \%f"_{\sqcup}
      →%(data_lasso['MSE'].idxmin(), data_lasso['MSE'].min()))
          lambda
                       MSE
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0.00001 0.003370
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     0.00002 0.003321
3
     0.00003
             0.003272
4
     0.00004
             0.003235
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             0.016285
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    0.00996
    0.00997
             0.016285
996
997
     0.00998 0.016285
998
    0.00999
             0.016285
999 0.01000
             0.016285
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Minimum MSE occurs when lambda is 69 and its value is 0.003090

Lasso plot

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[]: plt.xlabel("Lambda")
  plt.ylabel("Coefficients")
  plt.plot(lambs, b_lasso)
  len(b_lasso[0])
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