Mini Project 1 Linear Regression Algorithm

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Purpose and Agenda

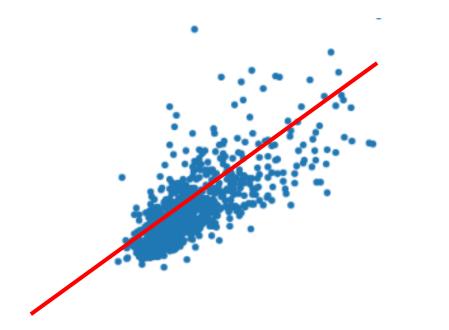
Purpose: Share the linear regression algorithm I built

Agenda

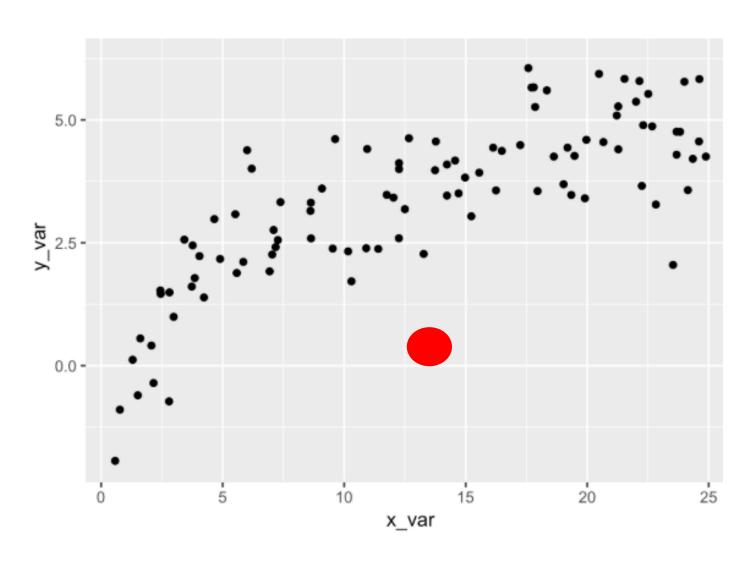
- Where idea came from
- My logic for model
- Explain code
- Show code
- Show examples

Where idea came from

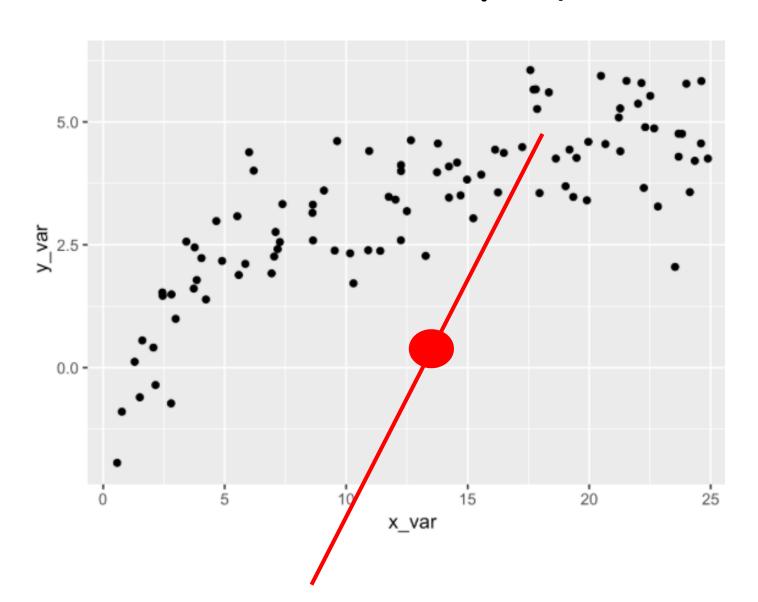
- Calculating Line of Best Fit is easy in Python
- Running all models is relatively easy
- Want to match workings to the actual back end of an algorithm



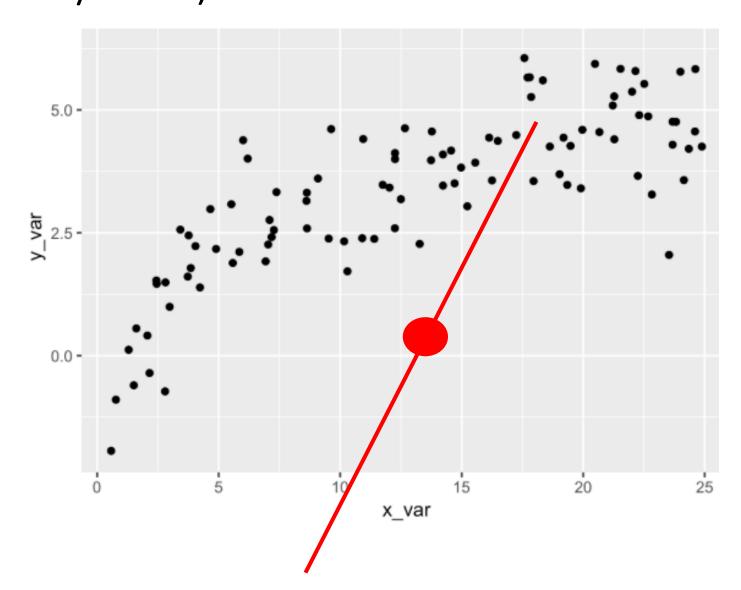
Step: Choose LOW y value (at x=mean)



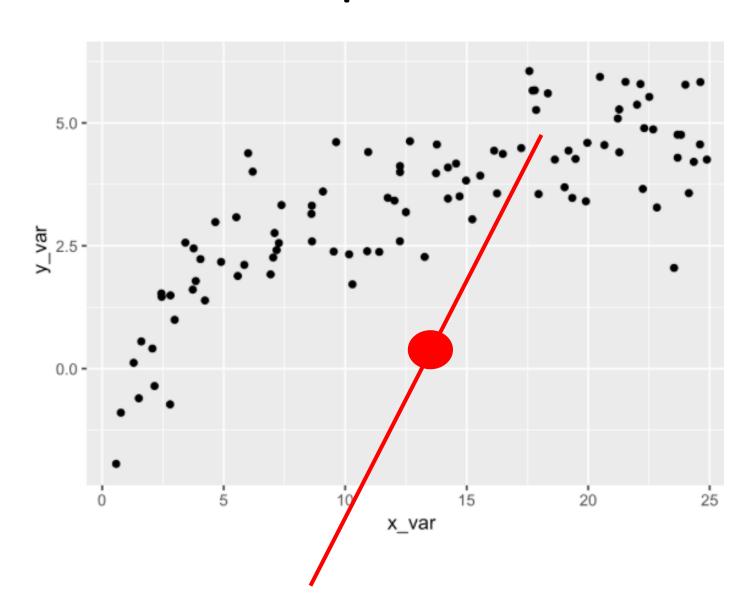
Step: Choose random slope (too steep to start)



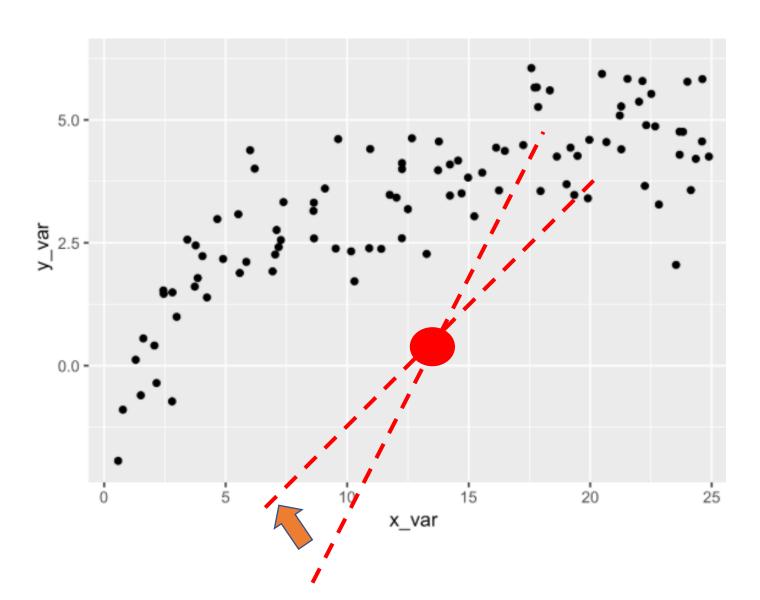
Step: Find where it hits the y AXIS(x = 0) (to get b in y=mx +b)



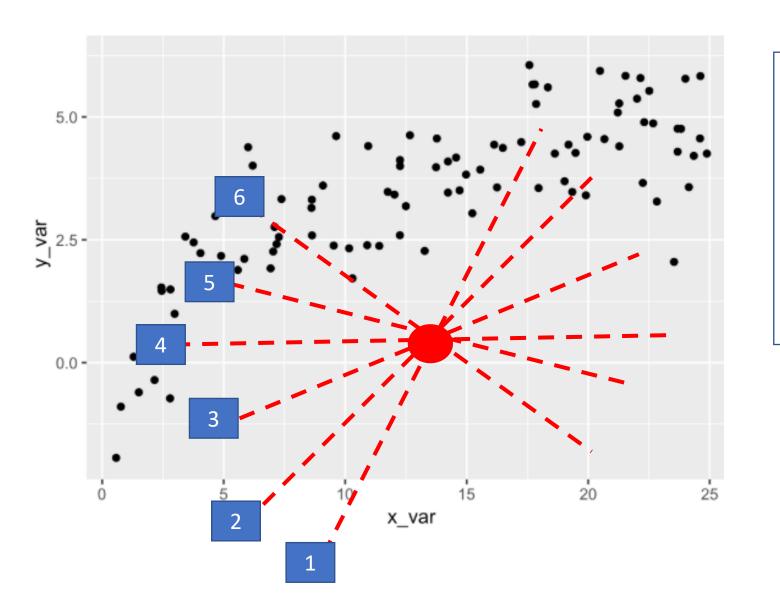
Step: Calculate R squared (as now have m and b in y=mx+b)



Step: Repeat with a slightly different slope



Step: Repeat until R is NOT better for this Y value

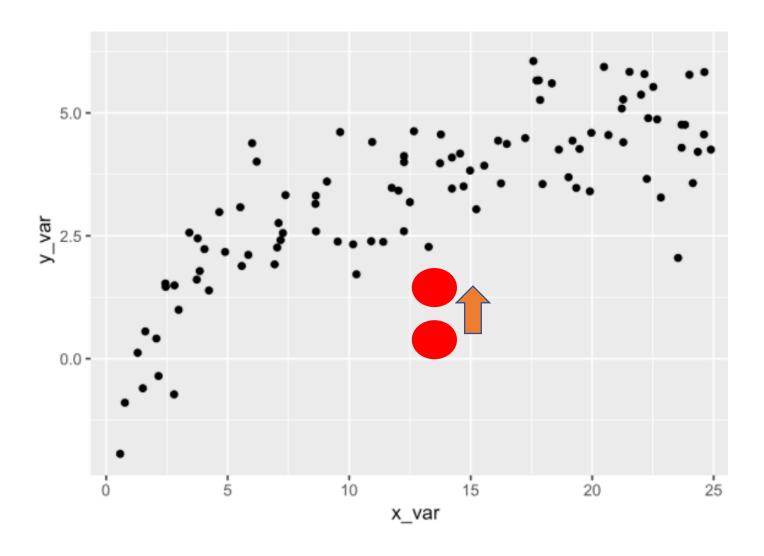


R at 2 is better than R at 1 R at 3 is better than R at 2

keep going until R is not better

This saves a lot of processing steps

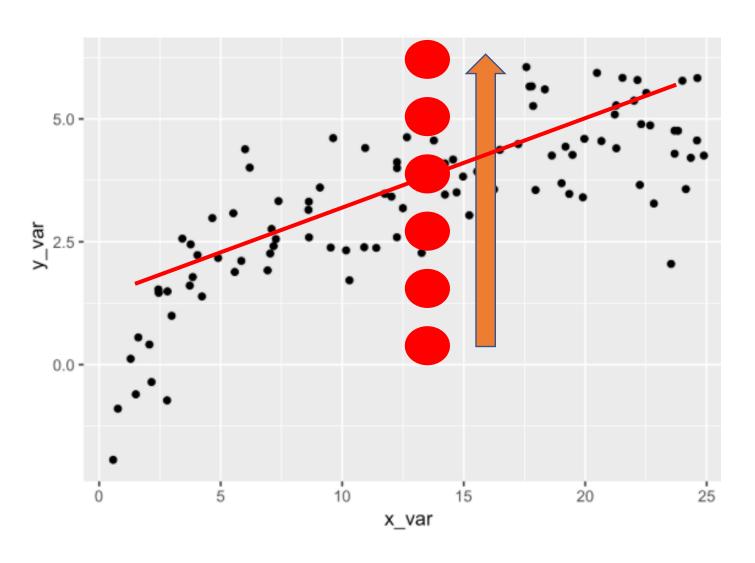
Step: Choose higher Y value



Repeat Steps

- Find where meets Axis
- Start with initial slope again
- Calculate R

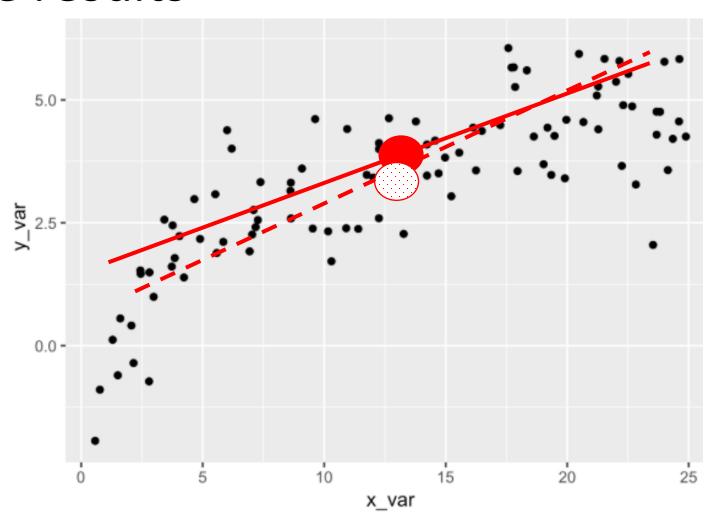
Keep moving up until end up with best R squared



At this point we have the

- Best slope
- Best meeting of Y Axis

Can add more or less iterations to get better or worse results



How it works (theory)

Initially Look at Data

Set up initial choices

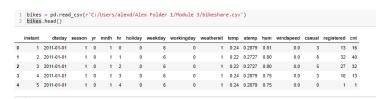
2 nested while loops

(slope and y value)

Find best

Print Results

The Set up



1

Have a quick look at the values

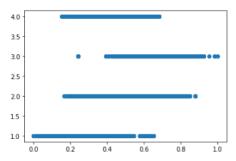
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Choose X and Y

```
In [89]: 1  #xmean = bikes['temp'].mean()
2  #ymean = bikes['atemp'].mean()
3
4  xmean = X.mean()
5  ymean = Y.mean()
6  print("INIIIAL RESULTS")
7  print("Mean of X : ", xmean)
8  print("Mean of Y : ", ymean)
9  print(" ")
10  plt.scatter(X, Y) # extra stuff from Alex
```

INIIIAL RESULTS
Mean of X: 0.4757751021347581
Mean of Y: 2.5016399102364923

Out[89]: <matplotlib.collections.PathCollection at 0x22049de2308>



3

CHOOSE INITIAL STARTING POINTS

```
minitial = -0.5 #choosing aslope that is too low a slope (eg if think slope should be 1 then choose 0.5)
maddfactor = 0.05
mtoofar=100 # Choosing aslope that is too HIGH a slope (eg if think slope should be 1 then choose 2)

ystart = 0.1
yaddfactor = 0.5
ytoofar = 20 # matching x mean
```

To avoid bad results on extreme data (eg price Vs bedrooms slope of 64K)

Had 3 functions

```
def calculateRsquaredB (df, Xc,Yc,Bzc, mc):
    ymean = np.mean(Yc)
    xmean = np.mean(Xc)
    yhat = Bzc + (mc * Xc)
    SSresidual= pow((Yc - yhat),2)
    SSresidualTotal=sum(SSresidual)
    SStot = sum(pow((Yc - ymean), 2))
    Rsquared = 1 - (SSresidualTotal /SStot )
    return(Rsquared)
```

```
def CalculateBNil (mc, yc, xmeanc):
    Beet = yc - (xmeanc * mc)
    return(Beet)
```

Could have done Rsquared with a function but did it manually instead

```
def StopBecauseR (OneAgo, ThisGo):
    if (OneAgo < ThisGo):
        Stop_as_R = False
    else:
        Stop_as_R = True
    return(Stop_as_R)
    #return(False) # used to check impact of this function</pre>
```

Main Code

```
### Run from here
BestR = -100000000
Bestm = 0
BestB = 0
Besti = 0
Bestj = 0
Previous RMAX = -10000000
yuse = ystart
RList =[]
MLidt =[]
NewList =[]
ind =[]
totrunthrough = 0
j = 0
NotChangeY = True
Old R = Previous RMAX
```

Initialising

```
Going through Y
20 while NotChangeY: #j <20: #ChangeY == False: # moving the y start up and down
                                                                                                          change and
       j += 1
       Old R = -1000 ######
       if yuse > ytoofar:
                                                                                                            initialise
          NotChangeY = False
       yuse = yuse + yaddfactor
       mchange = minitial
       Bee = CalculateBNil (mchange, yuse, xmean)
       NotChangeM = True
                                                                                                            For this Y and M
30
       StopDuetoR = False
31
       while NotChangeM: #i<20: #ChangeM == False: # moving the m around
32
                                                                                                         check B then check
          if mchange > mtoofar:
33
                  NotChangeM = False
34
          i += 1
                                                                                                                        R
35
          totrunthrough += 1
36
          Tresult = calculateRsquaredB (datatouse, X, Y, Bee, mchange)
37
          Result1 = float(Tresult)
38
          mchange = mchange + maddfactor
39
                                                                                                              Check if this R is
40
          # beginning of R calculaitons
          StopDuetoR = StopBecauseR (Old R, Result1) # beginning of R calculaitons
41
                                                                                                            better than the last
42
          Old R = Result1
43
          if StopDuetoR:
44
              NotChangeM = False
                                                                                                             R for this Y and M
45
              Old R = Previous RMAX
46
          # end of R Calculaitons
47
          print(" ")
48
          print("Result1 ",Result1, "yuse ",yuse, "mchange ",mchange,"i(m) ",i, "j(y) ",j, "BestR ",BestR )
49
          if Result1 > BestR:
50
              print("-----Besttttttttt")
51
              BestR = Result1
52
              Bestm = mchange
53
                                                                                                                  If Best keep the
54
              Besty= yuse
55
              Besti = i
                                                                                                                         results
56
              Bestj = j
57
59 print("The END")
```

Looking at the log results

As scroll through R changes

When go to a new Y THEN go to initial m and R is bad again

Look at the final results

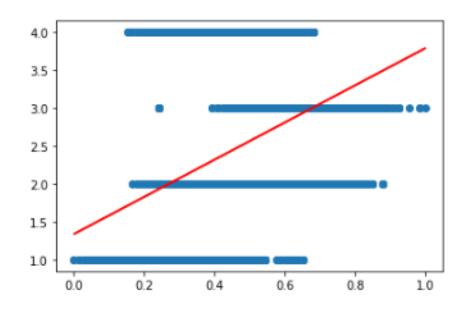
```
print("ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS")
print(" ")
print("Iterations ran through ", totrunthrough)
print("BestR ",BestR)
print("Bestm ",Bestm)
print("Cross Y axis ",BestB)
print(" ")

printline=[]
for a in range(len(bikes)):
    printline = (Bestm * X) + BestB

plt.plot(X,printline, color='r')
plt.scatter(X, Y)
plt.show()
```

ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS

Iterations ran through 279
BestR 0.09877963060646155
Bestm 2.449999999999999
Cross Y axis 1.337887551067379



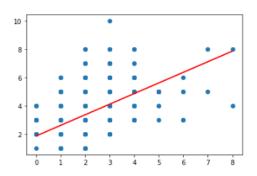
Choose different data

CHOOSE X AND Y

```
1  #X = bikes['atemp']
2  #Y = bikes['season']
3  #datatouse = bikes
4
5
6  X = melb['Bathroom']
7  Y = melb['Rooms']
8  datatouse = melb
```

ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS

Iterations ran through 180
BestR 0.3441097231074395
Bestm 0.7500000000000001
Cross Y axis 1.867120765832106



```
X = bikes['atemp']
Y = bikes['temp']
datatouse = bikes

#X = melb['Bathroom']
#Y = melb['Rooms']
#datatouse = melb
```

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ytoofar = 20 # matching x mean

Seeded
Wrong

ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS
```

```
Bestm -0.45
Cross Y axis 0.837887551067379
```

Iterations ran through 53

BestR -1.366806243223306

Got Wrong Data

```
X = bikes['atemp']
Y = bikes['temp']
datatouse = bikes

#X = melb['Bathroom']
#Y = melb['Rooms']
#datatouse = melb
```

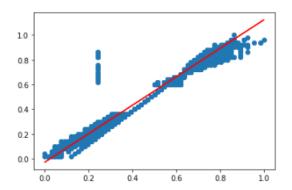
Better Seeding

```
minitial = 0.1 #choosing aslop
maddfactor = 0.05
mtoofar=100 # Choosing aslope th

ystart = -0.5
yaddfactor = 0.01
ytoofar = 20 # matching x mean
```

ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS

Iterations ran through 4826 BestR 0.9754211425815303 Bestm 1.1500000000000004 Cross Y axis -0.0275775102134755



Less increments gave a worse result

```
minitial = 0.1 #choosing aslope that
                                                                            maddfactor = (0.1)
                                                                           mtoofar=100 # Choosing aslope that i
        minitial = 0.1 #choosing aslope
        maddfactor =
        mtoofar=100 # Choosing aslope th
                                                                           yaddfactor = 0.1
                                                                           ytoofar = 20 # matching x mean
        ystart = -0.5
        yaddfactor = 0.01
        ytoofar = 20 # matching x mean
                                                                ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS
                                                                Iterations ran through
ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS
                                                                Bestm
                                                                Cross Y axis -0.04757751021347584
Cross Y axis -0.0275775102134755
                                                                 1.0
1.0
                                                                 0.8
0.8
0.6
0.4
                                                                 0.4
0.2
                                                                 0.2
```

Not checking for a change in R improved speed and gave the same R (from 754 to 147 iterations)

```
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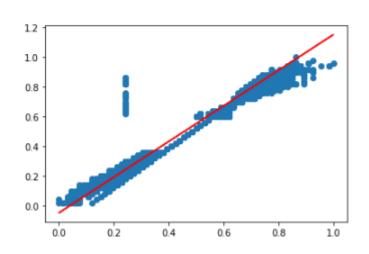
```
ALEX REGRESSION - RESULTS

Iterations ran through 147

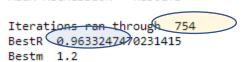
BestR 0.9633247470231415

Bestm 1.2

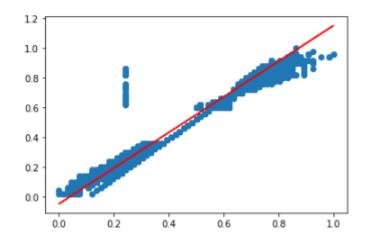
Cross Y axis -0.04757751021347584
```



```
minitial = 0.1 #choosing aslope to
maddfactor = 0.1
mtoofar=3 # Choosing aslope that
ystart = -0.5
yaddfactor = 0.1
ytoofar = 2 # matching x mean
```



Cross Y axis -0.04757751021347584



Making it better OPTIONS

Not moved in simple increments
BUT

Looked at slope of R change

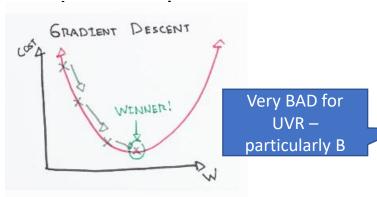
AND

Moved through Faster WHEN A LONG WAY AWAY Moved through Slower WHEN CLOSE

OR

Bounced back and forth when close to best

Added and Compared Gradient Descent code to my model as an extra option (UWR is Updated Weights Result from gradient



<pre>def update_weights(m, b, X, Y, learning_rate): m_deriv = 0 b_deriv = 0 N = len(X) for i in range(N): # Calculate partial derivatives # -2x(y - (mx + b)) m_deriv += -2*X[i] * (Y[i] - (m*X[i] + b))</pre>
$-2(y - (mx + b))$ b_deriv += $-2*(Y[i] - (m*X[i] + b))$
We subtract because the derivatives point in direction of steepest ascent m -= (m_deriv / float(N)) * learning_rate b -= (b_deriv / float(N)) * learning_rate
return m, b

UWR seeding	m		В		# of iterations	
	Original	UWR	Original	UWR	Original	UWR
M= 0.5 * Alex best B = 0.5 * Alex Best Learning Rate = 1	1.2	0.854	-0.047	0.447	147	17,379
M= Alex best B = Alex Best Learning Rate = 1		1.169		-0.100		
M + B no change Learning Rate = 2		1.139		-0.153		
M + B no change Learning Rate = 0.001		1.199969		-0.0476		
	Almost identical				/ Close	

Comment

- Alex's is better above a certain learning rate
- Changing the learning rate does not change the number of iterations
- Seeding the model with slightly bad data gives bad results

Source: https://ml-cheatsheet.readthedocs.io/en/latest/gradient_descent.html

Thanks