

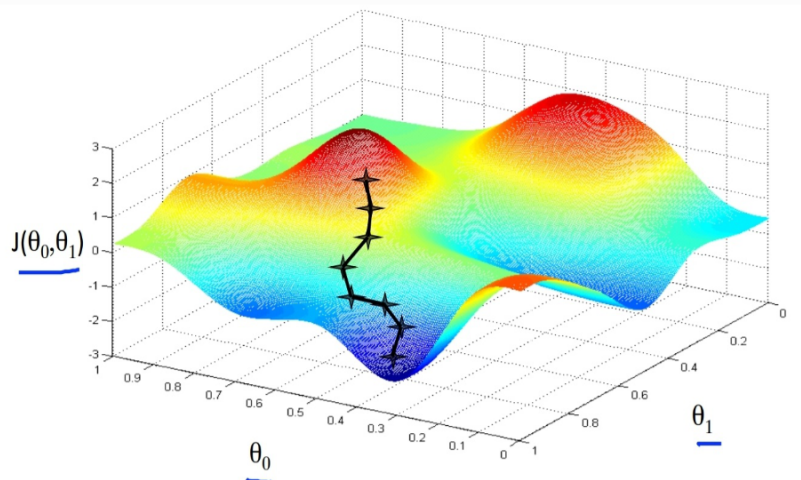
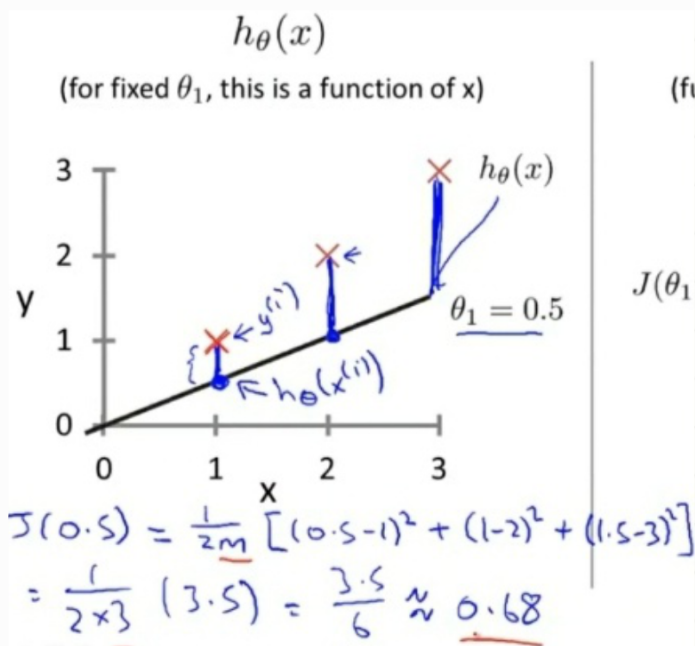
Create the best overall fit line.

• Hypothesis function: $h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x$ unique feature

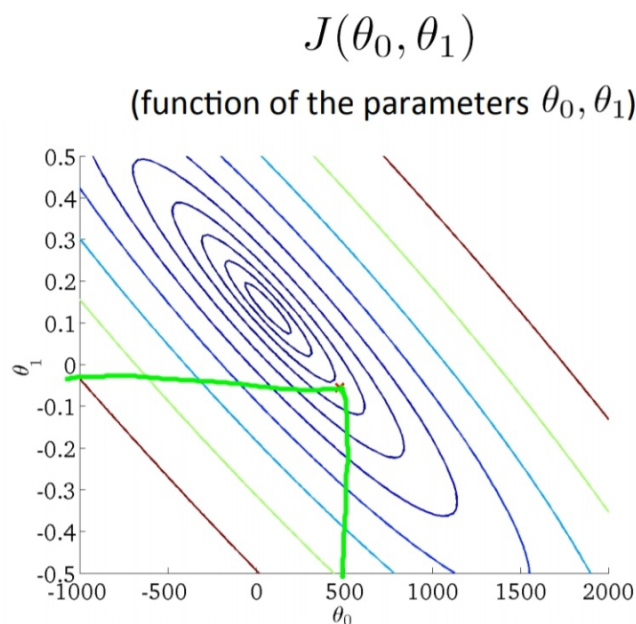
Our goal is to minimize a cost function, to commit the minimum number of errors.

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

We iterate through values of θ_0 and θ_1 until we reach a minimum error point (converges).



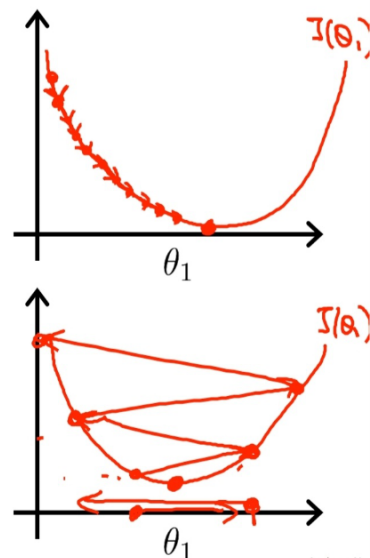
• Gradient descent:



$$\theta_1 := \theta_1 - \alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_1} J(\theta_1)$$

If α is too small, gradient descent can be slow.

If α is too large, gradient descent can overshoot the minimum. It may fail to converge, or even diverge.



Gradient descent algorithm

repeat until convergence {

$$\theta_j := \theta_j - \alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$$

(for $j = 1$ and $j = 0$)

}

“Batch” Gradient Descent

“Batch”: Each step of gradient descent uses all the training examples.

WITH MULTIPLE FEATURES: