

Linear Regression

Notations

Input (features): $x \in R^d$

Output (target/label): $y \in R$

Data: $(x^{(1)}, y^{(1)}), \dots, (x^{(N)}, y^{(N)})$

residual sum of squares (RSS): $RSS(w) = \sum_{i=1}^N (y^{(i)} - \hat{y}^{(i)})^2$

mean squared error (MSE): $MSE(w) = \frac{1}{N} RSS = E_{in}$

total sum of squares (TSS): $TSS = \sum_{i=1}^N (y^{(i)} - \bar{y})^2$

coefficient of determination = explained variation/total variation: $R^2 = 1 - \frac{RSS}{TSS}$

Simple Linear Regression

$$J(w_0, w_1) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{i=1}^N ((w_0 + w_1 x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

Gradient Descent:

$$\frac{\partial J(w_0, w_1)}{\partial w_0} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (w_0 + w_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})$$

$$\frac{\partial J(w_0, w_1)}{\partial w_1} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (w_0 + w_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x^{(i)}$$

for i = 1 to num_iter:

$$temp0 = w_0 - \alpha \frac{\partial J(w_0, w_1)}{\partial w_0} = w_0 - \frac{\alpha}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (w_0 + w_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})$$

$$temp1 = w_1 - \alpha \frac{\partial J(w_0, w_1)}{\partial w_1} = w_1 - \frac{\alpha}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (w_0 + w_1 x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x^{(i)}$$

$$w_0 = temp0$$

$$w_1 = temp1$$

Normal Equation Method:

$$w = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$

Multiple Linear Regression

$$J(w) = \frac{1}{2N} \sum_{i=1}^N ((w^T x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

Gradient Descent:

$$\frac{\partial J(w)}{\partial w_0} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_1^N (w_0 x_0^{(i)} + w_1 x_1^{(i)} + \dots + w_d x_d^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_0^{(i)} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_1^N (w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_0^{(i)} \quad (x_0^{(i)} = 1)$$

$$\frac{\partial J(w)}{\partial w_j} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_1^N (w_0 x_0^{(i)} + w_1 x_1^{(i)} + \dots + w_d x_d^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_1^N (w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$$

for i = 1 to num_iter:

$$temp0 = w_0 - \alpha \frac{\partial J(w)}{\partial w_0} = w_0 - \frac{\alpha}{N} \sum_1^N (w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_0^{(i)}$$

$$temp1 = w_1 - \alpha \frac{\partial J(w)}{\partial w_1} = w_1 - \frac{\alpha}{N} \sum_1^N (w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_1^{(i)}$$

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$$tempd = w_d - \alpha \frac{\partial J(w)}{\partial w_d} = w_d - \frac{\alpha}{N} \sum_1^N (w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)}) x_d^{(i)}$$

$$w_0 = temp0$$

$$w_1 = temp1$$

...

$$w_d = tempd$$

Vector Implementation:

for i = 1 to num_iter:

$$w = w - \alpha \nabla J(w) = w - \frac{\alpha}{N} X^T (Xw - y)$$

Normal Equation Method:

$$w = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$

Feature Scaling

min/max normalization: $x_j^{(i)} = \frac{x_j^{(i)} - \min(x_j)}{\max(x_j) - \min(x_j)}$

standardization: $x_j^{(i)} = \frac{x_j^{(i)} - \text{ave}(x_j)}{STD(x_j)}$