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1. Data preprocessing

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""" Read file """
origin_file = []
n = 0
p = 0
with open('ratings.csv') as myFile:
    lines = csv.reader(myFile)
    start = True
    for line in lines:
        if(start):
            start = False
        else:
            uid = int(line[0])
            mid = int(line[1])
            if(uid>n):
                n = uid
            if(mid>p):
                p = mid
            insert = [uid, mid, float(line[2])]
            origin_file.append(insert)
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2. Generate matrix M

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""" Generate matrix M """
M = np.zeros((n+1, p+1))
# print(M.shape)
omega = []
for record in origin_file:
    M[record[0]][record[1]] = record[2]
    omega.append([record[0], record[1], record[2]])
print(M)
print("Shape: ", M.shape)
print()
# print(omega)
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3. Divide the training set and the test set

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omega_test_index = np.array(getRandomIndex(len(omega)-1, round(0.1*len(omega))
omrga_train_index = np.delete(np.arange(len(omega)-1), omega_test_index)
M_test = np.zeros((n+1, p+1))
M_train = np.zeros((n + 1, p + 1))
size = 0
for i in range(0, len(omega)):
    if i in omega_test_index:
        M_test[omega[i][0]][omega[i][1]] = omega[i][2]
    if i in omrga_train_index:
        M_train[omega[i][0]][omega[i][1]] = omega[i][2]
print("Number of nonzero entries in test: ", np.count_nonzero(M_test))
print("Number of nonzero entries in training: ", np.count_nonzero(M_train))

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4. Derive the gradient

$$\frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial u} = \left[\frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial u_1}, \frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial u_2}, \dots, \frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial u_n} \right]$$

$$\therefore \text{For } \frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial u_i} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{(i,j)} (M_{ij} - u_i v_j^T)^2 + \frac{1}{2} \sum_{(i,j)} (M_{ij} - u_i v_j)^2$$

$$+ \frac{1}{2} \lambda \|u\|_2^2 + \frac{1}{2} \lambda \sum_{i=1}^M \|u_i\|_2^2 + \frac{\lambda}{2} \|v\|_F^2$$

$$= \lambda u_i + \sum_{(i,j)} (M_{ij} - u_i v_j^T) \cdot (-v_j)$$

$$\therefore \text{For } \frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial u} = \lambda u_n + \sum_{(i,j)} (M_{ij} - u_n v_j^T) \cdot (-v_j)$$

In the same way, we get:

$$\frac{\partial F(u, v)}{\partial v} = \lambda v_n + \sum_{(i,j)} (M_{ij} - u_i v_n^T) \cdot (-u_i)$$

5. Suppose $\lambda = 1$, Learning Rate = 0.05, Run GD.

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eta = 0.05
time = 20
objectives = []
times = []
for t in range(1, time):
    for i in range(0, n+1):
        for j in range(0, p+1):
            if M_train[i,j] > 0:
                first_in = M_train[i,j] - np.dot(u[i,:], np.transpose(v[j,:]))
                for rr in range(r):
                    first_u = first_in * (-1) * v[j][rr]
                    gradient_u = first_u + lamda * u[i][rr]
                    first_v = first_in * (-1) * u[i][rr]
                    gradient_v = first_v + lamda * v[j][rr]
                    u[i][rr] = u[i][rr] - eta * gradient_u
                    v[j][rr] = v[j][rr] - eta * gradient_v

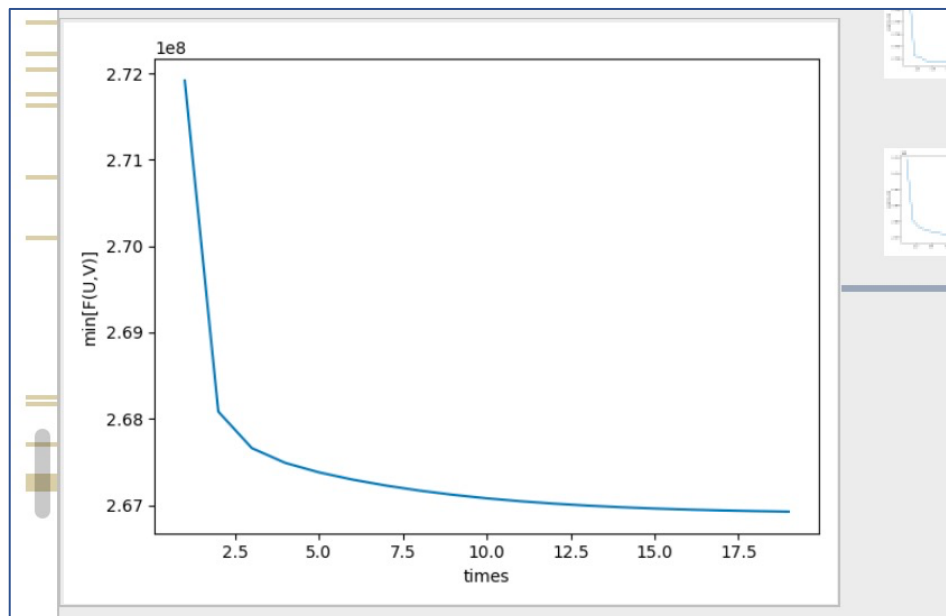
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6. Plot the objective value against the number of iterations

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uF = np.linalg.norm(u) ** 2
vF = np.linalg.norm(v) ** 2
print("lamda: ", lamda)
nom = np.linalg.norm(M_train - np.dot(u, np.transpose(v))) ** 2
print("nom: ", nom)
min = 1/2 * nom ** 2 + lamda/2 * (uF + vF)
print("min: ", min)
times.append(t)
objectives.append(min)
plt.figure()
plt.plot(times, objectives)
plt.xlabel('Times')
plt.ylabel('Min[F(U,V)]')
plt.show()

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When the learning rate is 0.05 and λ is 1, it iterates about 20 times, using gradient descends to the minimum value and gradually converges.

7. Record the RMSE for the choice $\lambda=1$.

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""" Evaluation """
RMSE = (np.linalg.norm(M_test - np.dot(u, np.transpose(v)))**2
        / omega_test_index.size) ** (1/2)
RMSEs.append(RMSE)
print("RMSE: ", RMSE)

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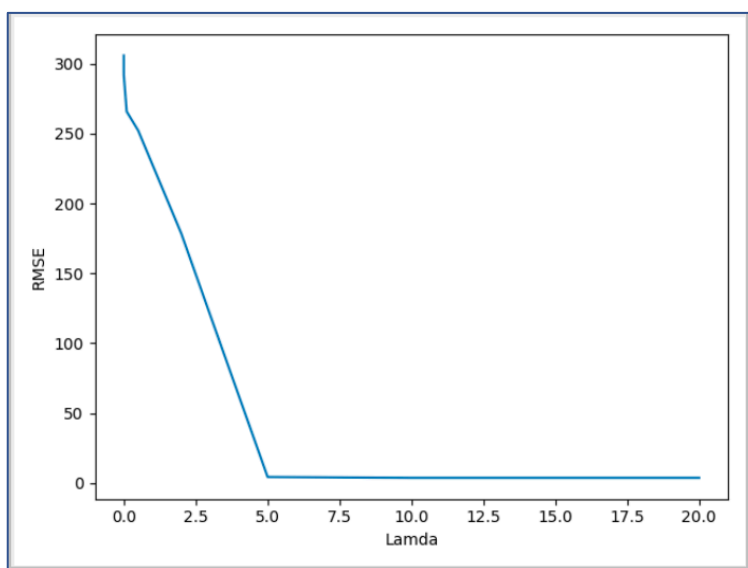
RMSE = 230.0960763102061

8. Pick λ from $\{10^{-6}, 10^{-3}, 0.1, 0.5, 2, 5, 10, 20, 50, 100, 500, 1000\}$.

For each value, learn and evaluate the model.

RMSE = {305.96, 291.98, 265.86, 252.28, 178.47, 4.26, 3.65, 3.65, null, null, null}

Plot RMSE against λ .



As λ becomes larger, the VALUE of RMSE decreases and becomes stable. However, when λ is greater than 50, the gradient descent reports an overflow warning and cannot successfully run out of the value of RMSE. Therefore, we cannot choose λ too large or too small.