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Assignment 3

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Exercise 1

a.) Compute the derivative $\frac{\delta f}{\delta X}$, where $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix}$:

$$f(X) = a^T X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ x_3 \end{bmatrix} = 2x_1 - x_2 + 5x_3.$$

$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta X} f(X) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_1} & \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_2} & \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_3} \end{bmatrix} \text{ with } \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_1} = 2, \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_2} = -1, \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_3} = 5.$$

$$\text{This leads to } \frac{\delta f}{\delta X} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -1 & 5 \end{bmatrix} = a^T.$$

b.) Compute the derivative $\frac{\delta f}{\delta X}$, where $X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$:

$$f(X) = X^T A X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 2 \\ 5 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \cdot \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} x_1 + 2x_2 \\ 5x_1 + 3x_2 \end{pmatrix} = x_1^2 + 3x_2^2 + 7x_1x_2.$$

$$\frac{\delta f}{\delta X} f(X) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_1} & \frac{\delta f}{\delta x_2} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 2x_1 + 7x_2 & 7x_1 + 6x_2 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 & x_2 \end{bmatrix} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 2 & 7 \\ 7 & 6 \end{pmatrix} = x^T \cdot (A + A^T).$$

Exercise 2

a.) We have to show that $X^t X$ is positive semidefinite and that $\text{rank}(X^t X) = \text{rank}(X)$.

1. A matrix X is positive semidefinite, if for all $v \in \mathbb{R}^n$ the following holds: $v^t X v \geq 0$.
In this case we will need $v^t X^t X v \geq 0$. Since $v^t X^t = X v$, we will have to prove that $X v X v \geq 0$. $X v X v \geq 0 \Leftrightarrow \langle X v, X v \rangle \geq 0$. The multiplication of $v^t X^t$ gives us an $1 \times n$ vector and the multiplication of $X v$ gives us an $n \times 1$ vector. Therefore we will have a single value at the end of the whole multiplication. The scalar product of $\langle X v, X v \rangle$ equals $\|X v\|^2$, which will always be ≥ 0 , since all values of $X v$ multiplied with $X v$ will be positive, even if the single entries of $X v$ are negative. Therefore $X^t X$ is a positive semidefinite matrix.

2. $\text{rank}(X^t X) = \text{rank}(X)$. This relation is called the rank-nullity theorem.

b.) We have to show that $X(\omega^* - \omega_0) = 0$ with $\omega_0 = (X^t X)^+ X^t Y$. To show this, we have to show that $\omega^* = \omega_0$, because this would be the solution to $X(\omega^* - \omega_0) = 0$. Since ω^* is the optimal solution for the regression problem, we have to show that $\min_{\omega} \|Y - X\omega\|^2 = (X^t X)^+ X^t Y$. To show this, we will compute the derivative of $\|Y - X\omega\|^2$ in the following steps:

1. $\|Y - X\omega\|^2$ can be represented in matrix notation: $(Y - X\omega)^t \cdot (Y - X\omega) \Leftrightarrow (Y^t - X^t \omega^t) \cdot (Y - X\omega) \Leftrightarrow Y^t Y - \omega^t X^t Y - Y^t X \omega + \omega^t X^t X \omega \Leftrightarrow Y^t Y - 2\omega^t X^t Y + \omega^t X^t X \omega$. The last step could take place, because of the following equation: $\omega^t X^t Y = (\omega^t X^t Y)^t = Y^t X \omega$.
2. To find the optimal solution, we have to derivate the above equation: $\frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} Y^t Y - 2\omega^t X^t Y + \omega^t X^t X \omega$. We will split up this equation in 2 parts and derive them.
3. First part: $\frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} \omega^t X^t Y = \frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} Y^t X \omega = Y^t X = X^t Y$.
4. Second part: $\frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} \omega^t X^t X \omega = \frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} \omega^t X^t + \frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} X \omega = X^t X \omega + X X^t \omega^t = 2X^t X \omega$, because $X X^t \omega^t = X^t X \omega$.
5. If we put all parts together, we get the overall derivation and set it to zero:
 $\frac{\delta}{\delta \omega} Y^t Y - 2\omega^t X^t Y + \omega^t X^t X \omega = 0 \Leftrightarrow -2X^t Y + 2X^t X \omega = 0 \Leftrightarrow 2X^t X \omega = 2X^t Y \Leftrightarrow X^t X \omega = X^t Y \Leftrightarrow \omega = (X^t X)^+ X^t Y$, which is the solution for ω_0 .

Therefore one can say that $\omega^* = \omega_0 = (X^t X)^+ X^t Y$, which leads to $X(\omega^* - \omega_0) = 0$.

c.) -

Exercise 3

a.) Inserting all 4 X, Y -pairs we get the following LGS with 4 equations and $\omega = \begin{bmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ \omega_3 \end{bmatrix}$:

I)	$\omega_1 + \omega_2 = 3$
II)	$\omega_1 - \omega_2 + 2\omega_3 = 1$
III)	$2\omega_1 + 3\omega_2 - \omega_3 = 7$
IV)	$-\omega_1 + 2\omega_2 - 3\omega_3 = 0$
I)	$3 - \omega_1 = \omega_2$
ω_2 in II)	$\omega_1 - (3 - \omega_1) + 2\omega_3 = 1$
\Leftrightarrow	$2\omega_1 + 2\omega_3 = 4$
\Leftrightarrow	$2 - \omega_1 = \omega_3$
ω_2, ω_3 in III)	$2\omega_1 + 3(3 - \omega_1) - (2 - \omega_1) = 7$
\Leftrightarrow	$2\omega_1 + 9 - 3\omega_1 - 2\omega_1 = 7$
\Leftrightarrow	$2\omega_1 - 3\omega_1 + \omega_1 = 0$
\Leftrightarrow	$0 = 0$

This means that ω_1 can be chosen freely. We chose $\omega_1 = 1$, which leads to $\omega_2 = 2$ and $\omega_3 = 1$

and therefore we have $\omega = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$ as first optimal solution. We can obtain other optimal

solutions, since we can chose ω_1 freely. We also chose the $\omega_1 = 2$, which led to $\omega_2 = 1$ and $\omega_3 = 0$. The last optimal solution we obtained was with $\omega_1 = 3$, which led to $\omega_2 = 0$ and $\omega_3 = -1$. So we obtain 3 different optimal solutions:

$$\omega^1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \omega^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \text{ and } \omega^3 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}.$$

b.) Predicting \hat{Y} with $X_5 = (0, 2, -2)$:

$$\begin{aligned} - \omega^1: \hat{Y} &= X_5 \cdot \omega^1 = (0, 2, -2) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 2. \\ - \omega^2: \hat{Y} &= X_5 \cdot \omega^2 = (0, 2, -2) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 4. \\ - \omega^3: \hat{Y} &= X_5 \cdot \omega^3 = (0, 2, -2) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = 2 \end{aligned}$$

Predicting \hat{Y} with $X_6 = (1, 0, 0)$:

$$\begin{aligned} - \omega^1: \hat{Y} &= X_6 \cdot \omega^1 = (1, 0, 0) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} = 1. \\ - \omega^2: \hat{Y} &= X_6 \cdot \omega^2 = (1, 0, 0) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} = 2. \\ - \omega^3: \hat{Y} &= X_6 \cdot \omega^3 = (1, 0, 0) \cdot \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = 3 \end{aligned}$$

The predictions do not match, because we found the optimal solutions based on the freely chosen ω_1 , therefore the solutions are not the same for the 3 different optimal solutions found in (a).

c.) Inserting all 4 X, Y -pairs we get the following LGS with 4 equations and $\omega = \begin{bmatrix} \omega_1 \\ \omega_2 \\ \omega_3 \end{bmatrix}$:

I)	$2\omega_1^2 + 2\omega_2^2 + \omega_3^2 = 3$
II)	$2\omega_1^2 + 3\omega_3^2 = 1$
III)	$3\omega_1^2 + 4\omega_2^2 = 7$
IV)	$3\omega_2^2 - 2\omega_3^2 = 0$

II)	$2\omega_1^2 + 3\omega_3^2 = 1$
\Leftrightarrow	$\frac{1 - 2\omega_1^2}{3} = \omega_3^2$
ω_3^2 in IV)	$3\omega_2^2 - 2 \cdot \left(\frac{1 - 2\omega_1^2}{3}\right) = 0$
\Leftrightarrow	$\frac{2}{3} + \frac{4}{3} \cdot \omega_1^2 = 3\omega_2^2$
\Leftrightarrow	$\frac{2}{9} + \frac{4}{9} \cdot \omega_1^2 = \omega_2^2$

ω_2^2, ω_3^2 in I)	$2\omega_1^2 + 2 \cdot \left(\frac{2}{9} + \frac{4}{9} \cdot \omega_1^2\right) + \frac{1 - 2\omega_1^2}{3} = 3$
\Leftrightarrow	$\frac{20}{9}\omega_1^2 = \frac{20}{9}$
\Leftrightarrow	$\omega_1^2 = 1$
\Leftrightarrow	$\omega_1 = 1$

This leads to $\omega_2 = \sqrt{\frac{1}{3}} \approx 0.58$ and $\omega_3 = \sqrt{\frac{-1}{3}} = \frac{i}{\sqrt{3}}$, which leads to $\omega = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 0.58 \\ \frac{i}{\sqrt{3}} \end{bmatrix}$ as an optimal solution for the ridge regression problem.

Exercise 4

See code.