

# linear Regression

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Dataset:  $D = \{(x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_m, y_m)\}$

prediction:  $\hat{y} = wx_i + b$

cost function:  $E(w, b) = \sum_{i=1}^m (y_i - wx_i - b)^2$

minimize cost function:

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w} = 2(w \sum_{i=1}^m x_i^2 - \sum_{i=1}^m (y_i - b)x_i) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial b} = 2(mb - \sum_{i=1}^m (y_i - wx_i)) = 0$$

so,

$$b = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (y_i - wx_i)$$

$$mw \sum_{i=1}^m x_i^2 = m \sum_{i=1}^m y_i (x_i - \bar{x}) + (\sum_{i=1}^m x_i)^2$$

$$\text{then, } w = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m y_i (x_i - \bar{x})}{\sum_{i=1}^m x_i^2 - \frac{1}{m} (\sum_{i=1}^m x_i)^2}$$

## least square

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$x$  is a multivariable with a dimension of  $d$ , with the expression of  $x_i = (x_{i1}, \dots, x_{id})$ , then the dataset can be expressed as a matrix  $X$  as:

$$\begin{pmatrix} x_{11} & \dots & x_{1d} & 1 \\ x_{21} & \dots & x_{2d} & 1 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \\ x_{m1} & \dots & x_{md} & 1 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} x_1^T & 1 \\ x_2^T & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ x_m^T & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

and the label can also be written as vector  $y = (y_1, \dots, y_m)^T$ , then the predicted  $w$  is also a vector with the expression  $\hat{w} = (w, b)$ , and the predicted label  $\hat{y} = X\hat{w}$

cost function:

$$E_{\hat{w}} = (y - X\hat{w})^T (y - X\hat{w})$$

$$\frac{\partial E_{\hat{w}}}{\partial \hat{w}} = 2X^T (X\hat{w} - y) = 0$$

if  $X^T X$  is full-rank matrix or positive definite determined matrix, we can obtain:

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

## regularization terms

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Since  $X^T X$  can be non-full-rank, we can introduce regularization terms. A general regularizer is:

$$\frac{1}{2} (y - X\hat{w})^T (y - X\hat{w}) + \frac{\lambda}{2} \sum_{i=1}^m |w_i|^q \quad (1)$$

- L2 regularization ( $q = 2$ )

By adding a term of  $\frac{\lambda}{2} \hat{w}^T \hat{w}$  in the cost function, we obtain:  $\hat{w}^* = (X^T X + \lambda I)^{-1} X^T y$

- lasso ( $q = 1$ )

If  $\lambda$  is sufficiently large, then some coefficients are zero, then  $w$  is a sparse matrix.

## Logistic regression

sigmoid function:  $y = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-(w^T x + b))}$  which is equivalent to:  $\ln \frac{y}{1-y} = w^T x + b$

let's see  $y$  as the probability of label " 1 " and  $1 - y$  as label " 0 ", then the ratio between them represents the relative possibility of " 1 ".

$$p(y = 1|x) = \frac{\exp(w^T x + b)}{1 + \exp(w^T x + b)} = p_1(x) \quad p(y = 0|x) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(w^T x + b)} = p_0(x)$$

## Maximum Likelihood Method

$$l(w, b) = \sum_{i=1}^m \ln p(y_i | x_i; w, b) \quad (2)$$

let  $\beta = (w, b)$ ,  $\hat{x} = (x; 1)$ , then  $w^T x + b = \beta^T \hat{x}$

then  $p(y_i | x_i; w, b) = y_i p_1(\hat{x}_i; \beta) + (1 - y_i) p_0(\hat{x}_i; \beta)$

so the maximum of (2) is equivalent to minimize:  $l(\beta) = \sum_{i=1}^m (-y_i \beta^T \hat{x}_i + \ln(1 + e^{\beta^T \hat{x}_i}))$

partial differential:

$$l^{(1)} = \frac{\partial l(\beta)}{\partial \beta} = - \sum_{i=1}^m \hat{x}_i (y_i - p_1) \quad l^{(2)} = \frac{\partial^2 l(\beta)}{\partial \beta \partial \beta^T} = - \sum_{i=1}^m \hat{x}_i \hat{x}_i^T p_1 (1 - p_1)$$

- Newton's iteration of parameter update

$$\beta = \beta^t - (l^{(2)})^{-1} l^{(1)}$$

## Linear Discriminant Analysis

By projecting the dataset to a line  $w$ , then the projection centers are  $w^T \mu_0$  and  $w^T \mu_1$ , respectively; the covariances are  $w^T \Sigma_0 w$  and  $w^T \Sigma_1 w$ , respectively.

- To minimize the projected distance within the same class, we can minimize the covariance within the class (minimize  $w^T \Sigma_0 w + w^T \Sigma_1 w$ );
- To maximize the projected distance between different classes, we can maximize the center distance (maximize  $\|w^T \mu_0 - w^T \mu_1\|^2$ )

Considering both goals, we can set :

$$J = \frac{\|w^T \mu_0 - w^T \mu_1\|^2}{w^T \Sigma_0 w + w^T \Sigma_1 w} = \frac{w^T (\mu_0 - \mu_1)(\mu_0 - \mu_1)^T w}{w^T (\Sigma_0 + \Sigma_1) w} \quad (3)$$

Hence, we can define the within-class scatter matrix:

$$S_w = \Sigma_0 + \Sigma_1 = \sum_{x \in X_0} (x - \mu_0)(x - \mu_0)^T + \sum_{x \in X_1} (x - \mu_1)(x - \mu_1)^T \quad \text{and between-class scatter matrix}$$

$$S_b = (\mu_0 - \mu_1)(\mu_0 - \mu_1)^T$$

then (3) can be re-written as:  $J = \frac{w^T S_b w}{w^T S_w w}$ , we can maximize this term with the subjection of  $w^T S_w w = 1$

since only the direction of  $w$  matters.

Using Lagurange method, the solutions is:  $S_b w = \lambda S_w w$  (4) Since the direction of  $S_b w = (\mu_0 - \mu_1)^T w (\mu_0 - \mu_1)$  is along  $(\mu_0 - \mu_1)$  we assume  $S_b w = \lambda(\mu_0 - \mu_1)$ .

With (4), with can obtain:  $w = S_w^{-1}(\mu_0 - \mu_1)$