CS 4372

ASSIGNMENT 1

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Number of free late days used: 0

Note: You are allowed a <u>total</u> of 4 free late days for the <u>entire semester</u>. You can use at most 2 for each assignment. After that, there will be a penalty of 10% for each late day.

Please list clearly all the sources/references that you have used in this assignment.

For SGD-Regressor model, metrics, & preprocessing data split

https://scikit-learn.org/stable/

For Adam Optimizer understanding

https://towards datascience.com/10-gradient-descent-optimisation-algorithms-86989510b5e9

https://hackernoon.com/demystifying-different-variants-of-gradient-descent-optimization-algorithm-19ae9ba2e9bc

https://www.tensorflow.org/api docs/python/tf/keras/optimizers/Adam

For graphing data

https://seaborn.pydata.org/

https://matplotlib.org/

For data manipulation

https://pandas.pydata.org/

https://numpy.org

Details of Enhanced Gradient Descent Algorithm: Adam Optimizer

The Adam Optimizer, also known as Adaptive moment estimation, is an enhancement to the vanilla gradient descent model. Adam utilizes two key concepts: an exponential moving average of gradients that is akin to momentum & a type of adaptive learning rate that changes upon each iteration. The parameters/equations used for the Adam optimization are as follows:

- alpha the learning rate / step size
- beta1 exponential decay rate for the first moment estimates
- beta2 exponential decay rate for the second moment estimates
- epsilon constant for numerical stability
- m & v moving averages
 - o m is "similar to the history used in Momentum GD"
 - o v is "similar to the history used in RMSProp"
- g gradient
- The equations for the calculated values upon each iteration can be found in the snippet of code below.
- The gradient calculations are done basically the same as it would be in vanilla gradient descent.
 - o So calculating the Hypothesis, Error, MSE, and gradient value is the same as the vanilla version.
 - The only differences occur when you calculate m, v, and the value to be subtracted from the weights. This value is just called the adam_equation for ease of readability.

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for k in range(iterations):
    # Initialize Hypothesis
    H = np.dot(x, weights)

# Define Error
# E = H - Y
E = np.subtract(H, y)

# Define Mean Squared Error
MSE = (1 / (2 * (int(len(y))))) * np.dot(np.transpose(E), E))
# Place MSE value in correct array placement
MSEgraph[k] = MSE

# Define Gradient -> MSE derivative to weight
gradient = (1 / (int(len(y)))) * np.dot(np.transpose(x), E)

# Calculate m for gradient component
m = (beta1 * m) + ((1 - beta1) * gradient)
# Calculate v for learing rate component
v = (beta2 * v) + ((1 - beta2) * (gradient**2))

# Get Adam Equation for weight update
adam_equation = (((alpha)/(np.sqrt(v) + epsilon)) * m)

# Revise Weights
# New Weight = Old Weight - Adam Equation
weights = np.subtract(weights, adam_equation)

return weights, MSEgraph
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