hw2 p6

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1 Homework 2 Programming Problem 6 (5 points)

When flow is directed across a pin fin heat sink, increasing fluid velocity can improve the heat transfer, making the heat sink more effective.

You have been given a dataset containing measurements for such a scenario, which contains the following: - Input: Reynolds Number of air flowing past the heat sink - Output: Heat transfer coefficient of the heat sink, in $W/(m^2)$ K

Your job is to train a model on this data to predict the heat transfer coefficient, given Reynolds number as input. You will use a high-order polynomial

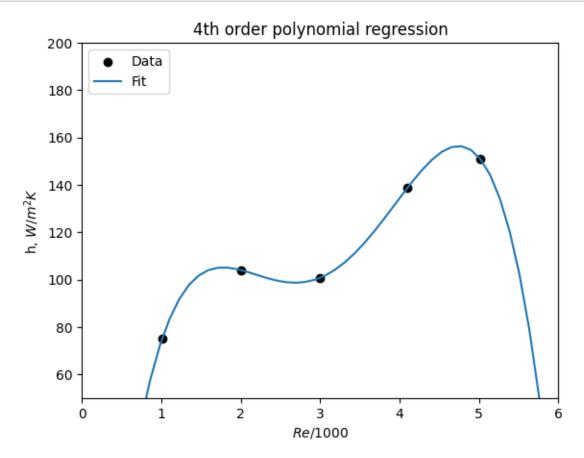
Start by loading the data in the following cell:

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[]: import numpy as np
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     def plot_data_with_regression(x_data, y_data, x_reg, y_reg, title=""):
         plt.figure()
         plt.scatter(x_data.flatten(), y_data.flatten(), label="Data", c="black")
         plt.plot(x_reg.flatten(), y_reg.flatten(), label="Fit")
         plt.legend(loc="upper left")
         plt.xlabel(r"$Re / 1000$")
         plt.ylabel(r"h, $W/m^2 K$")
         plt.xlim(0,6)
         plt.ylim(50,200)
         plt.title(title)
         plt.show()
     deg = 4
     x = np.array([1.010, 2.000, 2.990, 4.100, 5.020])
     y = np.array([75.1, 104.0, 100.6, 138.8, 150.8])
     X = np.vander(x,deg+1)
     xreg = np.linspace(0,6)
     Xreg = np.vander(xreg,deg+1)
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1.1 Least Squares Regression

As we have done for previous problems, we can do least squares regression by computing the pseudo-inverse of the design matrix. Notice how the model performs beyond the training data.

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[]: w = np.linalg.inv(X.T @ X) @ X.T @ y.reshape(-1,1)
yreg = Xreg @ w
plot_data_with_regression(x, y, xreg, yreg, "4th order polynomial regression")
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1.2 L2 Regularization

Notice that the plot above reveals that our fourth-order model is overfitting to the data. Let's try applying L2 regularization to fix this. In the lecture, the closed-form solution to least squares with L2 regularization was:

$$w = (X'X + \lambda I_m)^{-1}X'y$$

where I_m is the identity matrix, but with zero in the bias row/column instead of 1; λ is regularization strength; X' is the design matrix and y column vector output.

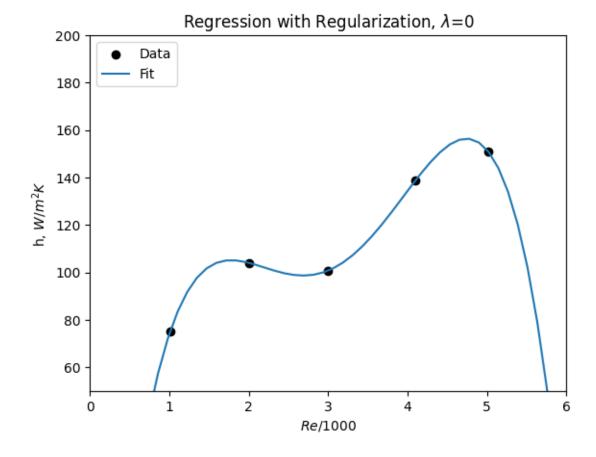
Complete the function below to compute this w for a given lambda:

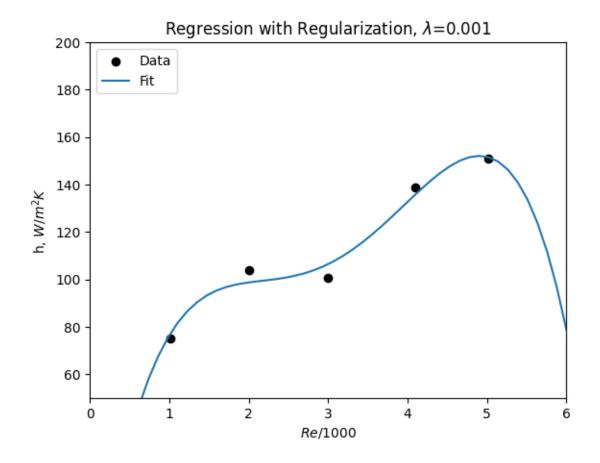
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[]: def get_regularized_w(L):
    I_m = np.eye(deg+1)
    I_m[-1,-1] = 0

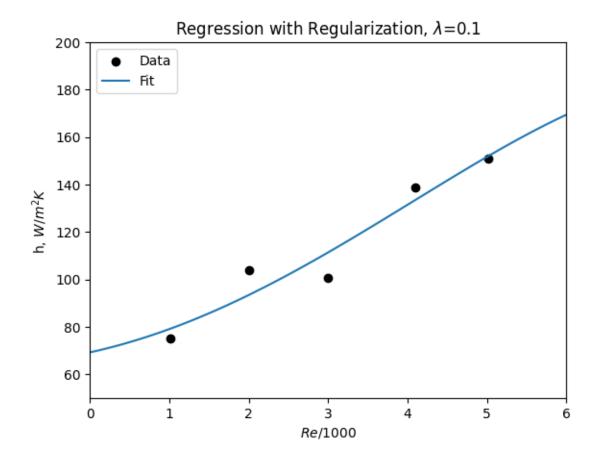
# YOUR CODE GOES HERE
# return regularized w
w = np.linalg.inv(X.T @ X + L*I_m) @ X.T @ y.reshape(-1,1)
    return w
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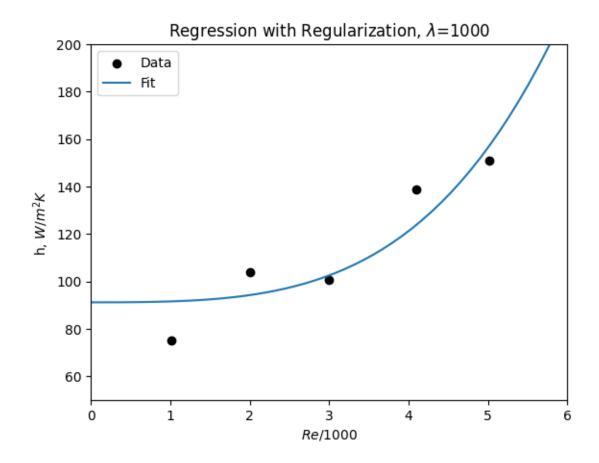
1.3 Testing different lambda values

With the above function written, we can compute w for some different values of lambda and decide which is qualitatively best.









1.4 Model Selection

Which value of lambda appears to yield the "best" model?

lambda = 0.1