

Optimization Algorithms





Module 3 Objectives

- 1. Describe the purpose and process of gradient descent.
- 2. Discuss the error loss function.
- 3. Describe optimizers.
- 4. Adjust a model's hyperparameters to guide its performance.



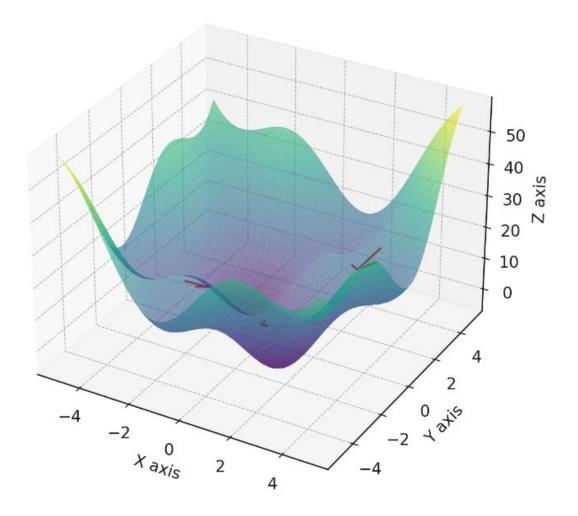






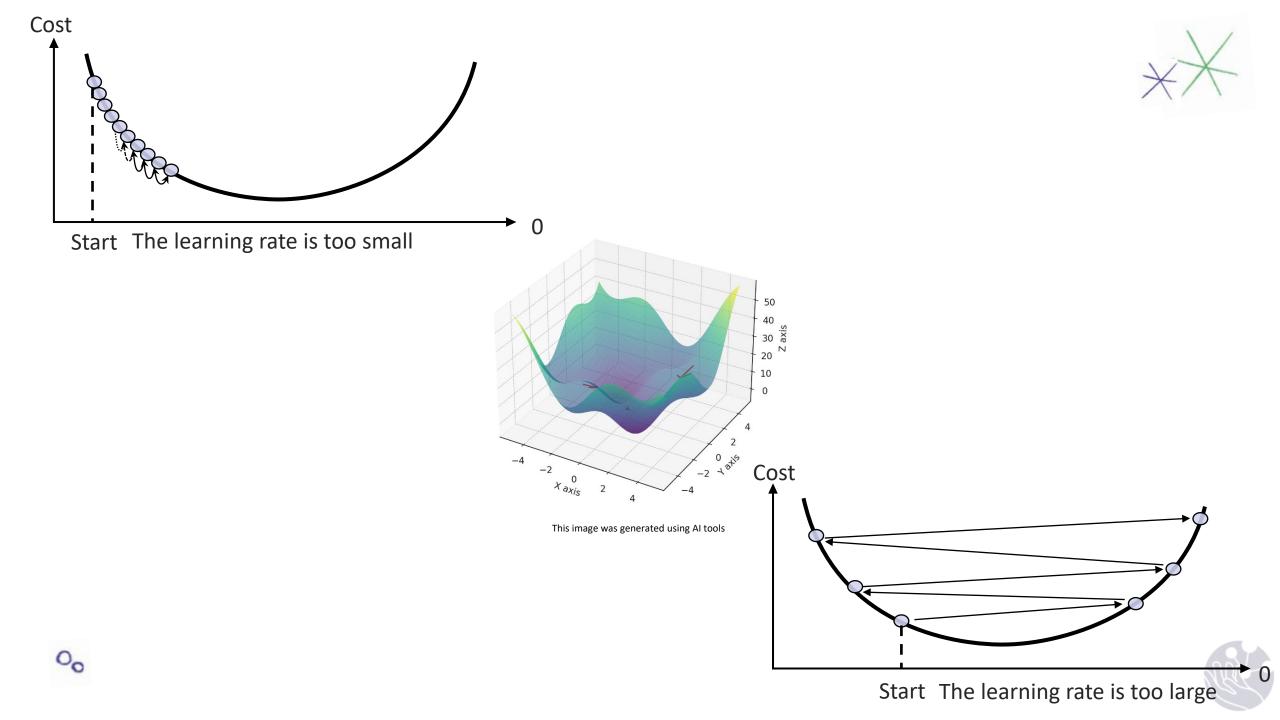


It's All Downhill From Here











Introduction to Error and Loss Functions



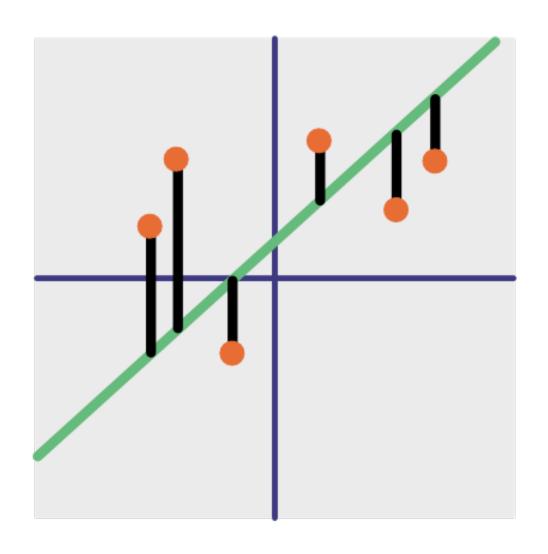


Loss Functions

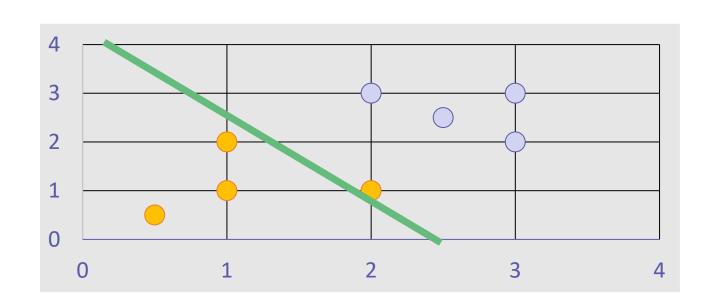
How do we quantify prediction error?



Mean Squared Error (MSE)

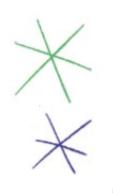


Cross Entropy



Cross Entropy Yellow Point Prediction 4.5 3.5 1.5 0.5 0.05 0.25 0.45 0.65

Predicted probability yellow

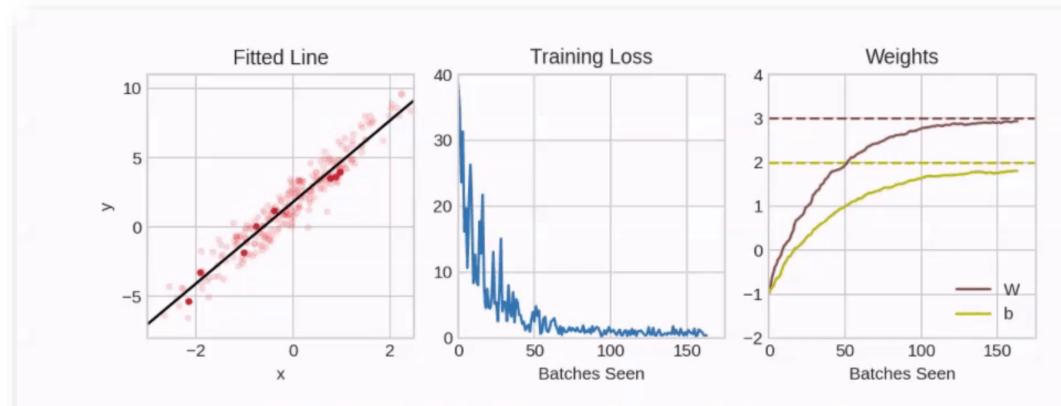


Optimizers and Advanced Gradient Descent Techniques



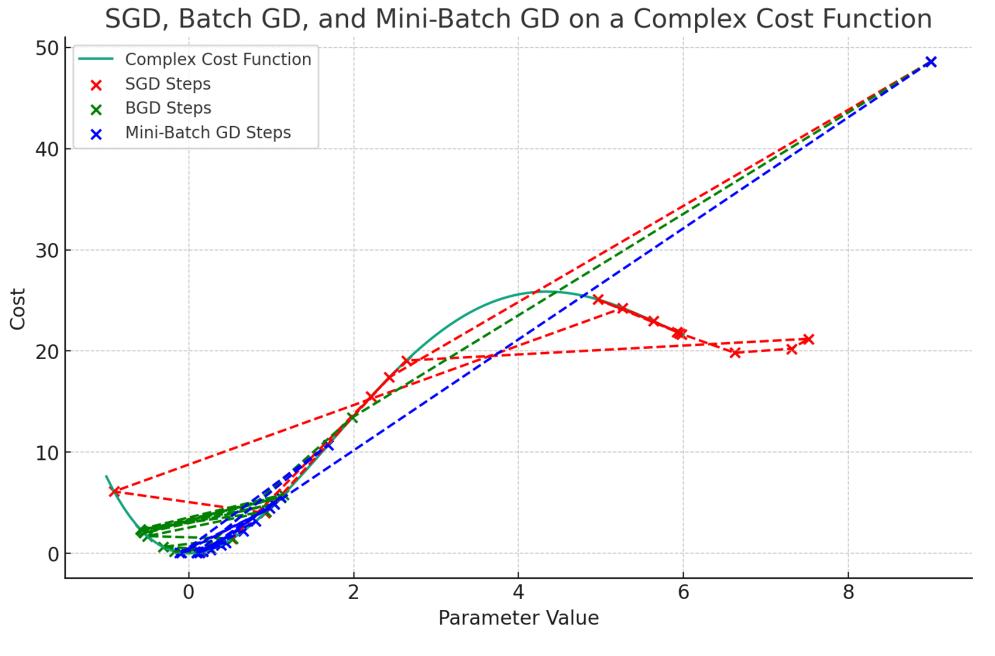




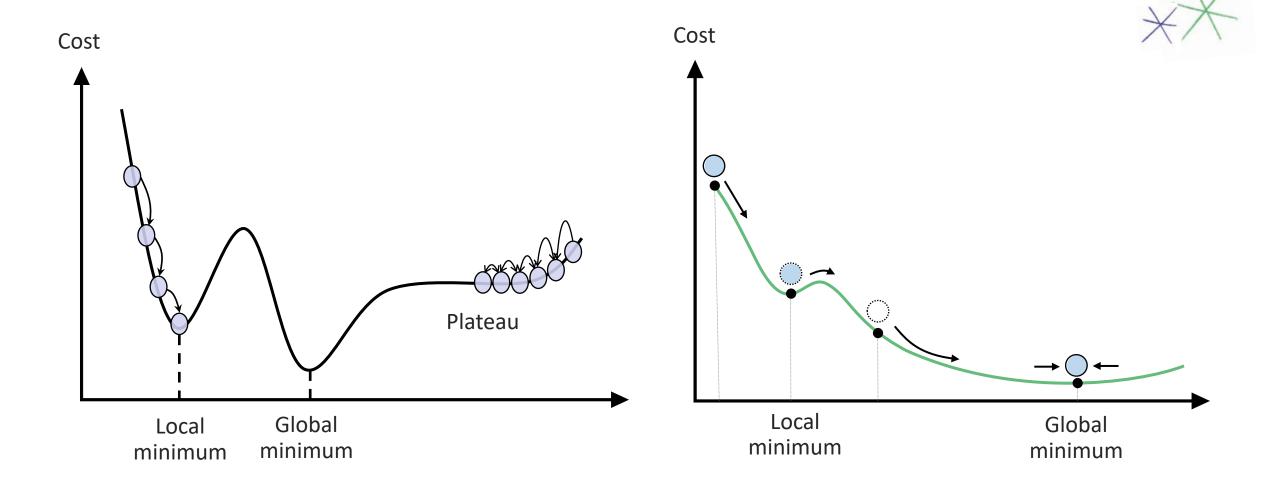






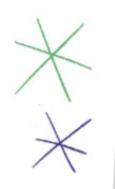












Choosing the Right Optimizer: A Quick Guide









Hyperparameter Optimization

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This notebook will walk you through building and training your own image classification model, then allow you to compare different hyperparameter optimization configurations!





