

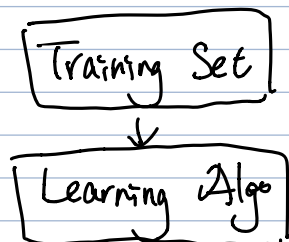
## Outline

- Linear regression
- Batch / SGD
- Normal equation

## Supervised Learning

$X \rightarrow Y$   
picture      steering direction

Regression (output continuous)  
v.s.  
Classification output discrete



$x$  →  $h$  →  $y$   
"hypothesis"

How to represent  $h$ ?

$$h(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x \quad (\text{technically affine func.})$$
$$= \sum_{j=0}^d \theta_j x_j \quad (\text{where } x_0 = 1)$$

Ex:

$$\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \theta_0 \\ \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_d \end{bmatrix} \quad x = \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_d \end{bmatrix}$$

$x$ : input,  $y$ : output

Objective Function

$(x, y)$ : training example

$(x^{(i)}, y^{(i)})$ :  $i$ -th training example

$x_1^{(i)}$ : 1-st feature from  $i$ -th example

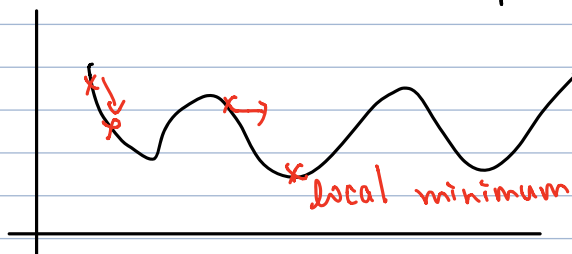
$d$  = # of features

$x^{(i)}, \theta$   $(d+1)$  dimensional

cost fn.  $J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$

$$\Rightarrow \min_{\theta} J(\theta)$$

Gradient Descent update  $\theta$ .



(Batch)

## Gradient Descent

$$\theta_j := \theta_j - \alpha \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta) \quad (j=0, 1, \dots, d)$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta) = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \frac{1}{2} (h_{\theta}(x) - y)^2 = 2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} (h_{\theta}(x) - y) \cdot \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} (h_{\theta}(x) - y)$$
$$= (h_{\theta}(x) - y) \cdot x_j$$

$$\theta_j := \theta_j - \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) \cdot x_j^{(i)}}_{\rightarrow \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta)}$$

Stochastic Gradient Descent

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Repeat {
  For i = 1 to n {
    For j = 0 to d {
       $\theta_j := \theta_j - \alpha (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$ 
    }
  }
}

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# Note: SGD could sometimes prevent being trapped in local minimum due to randomness.

## Normal Equation

$$\nabla_{\theta} J(\theta) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta_0} \\ \frac{\partial J}{\partial \theta_1} \\ \vdots \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times 2} \quad A = \begin{bmatrix} A_{11} & A_{12} \\ A_{21} & A_{22} \end{bmatrix} \quad f(A). \quad f: \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$$

$$\nabla_A f(A) = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial A_{11}} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial A_{12}} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial A_{21}} & \frac{\partial f}{\partial A_{22}} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\nabla_{\theta} J(\theta) \stackrel{\text{set}}{=} \vec{0}$$

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} (x^{(0)})^T \text{---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{---} (x^{(n)})^T \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{Design matrix}$$

$$\vec{y} = \begin{bmatrix} y^{(1)} \\ \vdots \\ y^{(n)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$X\theta = \begin{bmatrix} \text{---} \\ \vdots \\ \text{---} \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta_0 \\ \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_d \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h_{\theta}(x^{(1)}) \\ \vdots \\ h_{\theta}(x^{(n)}) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} (X\theta - y)^T (X\theta - y)$$

$$\nabla_{\theta} J(\theta) = X^T X \theta - X^T y = \vec{0}$$

$$\underline{X^T X \theta = X^T y} \quad \text{"Normal equation"}$$

Optimal  
value

$$\theta = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$