

Course: Machine Learning Techniques
Week 2: Practice Questions

Practice questions

1. (1 point) Small learning rate makes convergence in gradient descent algorithm
- A. slower
 - B. faster
 - C. has no effect
 - D. impossible

Answer: A

2. (1 point) If we have \mathbf{p} training examples each having \mathbf{f} features, then the shape of the feature matrix is
- A. $p \times f$
 - B. $f \times p$
 - C. $(p - 1) \times (f - 1)$
 - D. $(f - 1) \times (p - 1)$

Answer: A

3. (1 point) Following table shows the values of actual and predicted labels. Find the sum squared error.

Actual	Predicted
1	1.8
2	2.4
3	3.6
4	4.2

- A. 0.55
- B. 0.50
- C. 0.45
- D. 0.40

Answer: A

4. (1 point) The gradient of $f(x_1, x_2) = x_1^2 + x_2^2$ at (0,0) is
- A. $[1, 1]^T$

- B. $[0, 0]^T$
- C. $[1, -1]^T$
- D. $[-1, -1]^T$

Answer: B

consider the following code

```
def predict(X,w):  
    assert X.shape[-1]==w.shape[0], "X_and_w_don't_have_compatible_dimensions"  
    return X @ w  
  
def gen_data(n):  
    #obtain y=6+5x+noise  
    w0=6  
    w1=5  
    X=10*np.random.rand(2*n,)  
    y=w0+w1*X+np.random.randn(2*n,)  
    return X,y
```

`X,y=gen_data(200)`

5. (points) To generate 500 training data points randomly the value of parameter in `gen_data(n)` should be?
- A. 500
 - B. 250
 - C. 200
 - D. 100

Answer: B

6. (points) For fairly large number of training examples the time of execution for vectorized form as compared to non vectorized form is
- A. more
 - B. less
 - C. same

Answer: B

7. (1 point) (Multiple select) Which of the following are hyper parameters in gradient descent algorithm?
- A. number of features
 - B. no. of iterations

- C. learning rate
- D. loss function

Answer: B,C

8. (1 point) Consider the following model:

$$y = 3x_1 + 4x_2 + 5$$

The number of parameters and features in the above model are respectively

- A. 2,3
- B. 3,2
- C. 3,3
- D. 1,1

Answer: B