

$$\mathcal{L} = \left[ \frac{1}{2} \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \left( \vec{w} \cdot \vec{x}_n - y_n \right)^2 \right] + \underbrace{\left[ \frac{\lambda}{2} \sum_{d=1}^D (w_d)^2 \right]}_{\perp_n} \quad 3.1.b$$

$$\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L} = ?$$

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}}{\partial w_{1d}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N x_{n1} \left( \vec{w} \cdot \vec{x}_n - y_n \right) + \lambda \cdot w_{1d} \quad (1)$$

$$\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \vec{x}_n \left( \vec{w} \cdot \vec{x}_n - y_n \right) + \lambda \vec{w} \quad (2)$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \left( \vec{w} \cdot \vec{X}^T - Y \right) \cdot \vec{X} + \lambda \vec{w} \quad (3)$$

$$w^*: \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L} \stackrel{!}{=} \vec{0} \Leftrightarrow \frac{1}{N} \vec{w} \cdot \vec{X}^T \vec{X} - Y \vec{X} + \lambda \vec{w} = \vec{0} \quad (4)$$

$$\vec{w} \left( \frac{1}{N} \vec{X}^T \vec{X} + \lambda \vec{I}_D \right) = Y \vec{X} \quad (5)$$

$$\vec{w} = Y \vec{X} \cdot \left( \frac{1}{N} \vec{X}^T \vec{X} + \lambda \vec{I}_D \right)^{-1} \quad (6)$$

$$D=1:$$

$$w = Y X \left( \frac{1}{N} X^T X + \lambda \right)^{-1} \quad (7)$$

$$w \xrightarrow{\lambda \rightarrow 0} Y X \left( \frac{1}{N} X^T X \right)^{-1} \quad \text{back to regression}$$

$$w \xrightarrow{\lambda \rightarrow \infty} \frac{Y X}{\frac{1}{N} X^T X + \lambda} \rightarrow 0 \quad \text{weights are crushed towards 0.}$$

3.2 Gradient Descent Step for Ridge Regression,  $\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{Ridge}} = \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L} + \lambda \dots$

$$\vec{w} \rightarrow \vec{w} - \eta \cdot \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{Ridge}} = \vec{w} - \eta \cdot \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{(x=0)} - \eta \cdot \lambda \cdot \vec{w}$$

$$= w(1 - \eta \cdot \lambda) - \eta \sum_{n=0}^{\infty} \mathcal{L}_{(n=0)}$$

$\in [0, 1]$  (because  $\eta \in [0, 1]$   
 $\lambda > 0$ )

$$= \vec{w} \cdot \frac{\alpha}{\in [0, 1]} - \eta \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}$$

3.3 Lasso: first encounter, naive approach

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial w_d} (|w_d|) = \text{sign}(w_d) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } w_d > 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } w_d = 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } w_d < 0 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{actually with pseudo-gradients, one can choose } \frac{\partial |x|}{\partial x} \in [-1, 1] \text{ when } x = 0$$

$$\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{Lasso}} = \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{(n=0)} + \lambda \underbrace{\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} |\vec{w}|}_{\downarrow ?}$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial w_1} |\vec{w}| = \frac{\partial}{\partial w_1} \sum_{d=1}^D |w_d| = \frac{\partial}{\partial w_1} |w_1| + 0 + 0 + \dots + 0 = \text{sign}(w_1)$$

$$\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} |\vec{w}| = \begin{pmatrix} \text{sign}(w_1) \\ \text{sign}(w_2) \\ \vdots \\ \text{sign}(w_D) \end{pmatrix} = \vec{\text{sign}}(\vec{w})$$

Solve for  $\vec{w}$ :  $\vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{Lasso}} = \vec{0}$ !

$$\Leftrightarrow \vec{0} = X^T (X\vec{w} - \vec{y}) + \lambda \vec{\text{sign}}(\vec{w})$$

$$X^T X(\vec{w}) + \lambda (\text{sign } \vec{w}) = X^T \vec{y}$$

3.3.6 GD step!  $\vec{w} \leftarrow \vec{w} - \eta \vec{\nabla}_{\vec{w}} \mathcal{L}_{\text{Lasso}}$

$$w_1 = w_1 - \dots$$

$$w_2 = w_2 - \dots$$

