

## 2.1.simple\_linear\_regression

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### 1 Machine Learning Course

#### 1.0.1 Part 2: Regression

**Simple linear regression** The most easy way that a dataset can be related is with a linear regression, mathematically:

$$y = b + ax$$

In this lecture we are going to learn how to do a simple linear regression with python.

Firstly (as always), import the basic libraries:

```
[1]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas as pd
```

And now import the dataset:

```
[2]: dataset = pd.read_csv('Salary_Data.csv')
X = dataset.iloc[:, :-1].values
Y = dataset.iloc[:, -1].values
print(X)
print(Y)
```

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Split the dataset in train set and test set:

```
[3]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, test_size=1/3,
↪random_state=0)
```

For regression we are going to use a function called *LinearRegression* from *skit-learn* library:

```
[4]: from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
regressor = LinearRegression()
regressor.fit(X_train, Y_train)
```

```
[4]: LinearRegression(copy_X=True, fit_intercept=True, n_jobs=None, normalize=False)
```

Now, if we want to make prediction we only have to do (for example, with test data):

```
[5]: y_pred = regressor.predict(X_test)
```

Finally we want to visualize the regression. Red dots are the real data and the blue line is the prediction regression.

Use *matplotlib* library to get the figures.

First we generate the train data with train regression:

```
[6]: plt.scatter(X_train, Y_train, color='red')
plt.plot(X_train, regressor.predict(X_train), color='blue')
plt.title('Salary vs Experience (Training set)')
plt.xlabel('Years of experience')
plt.ylabel('Salary')
```

```
[6]: Text(0, 0.5, 'Salary')
```



And now the train regression with test data:

```
[7]: plt.scatter(X_test,Y_test,color='red')
plt.plot(X_train, regressor.predict(X_train), color='blue')
plt.title('Salary vs Experience (Test set)')
plt.xlabel('Years of experience')
plt.ylabel('Salary')
```

```
[7]: Text(0, 0.5, 'Salary')
```



And we can see that it is a valid regressin, because fits good with test data.

If we want to know the parameters **a** and **b** of our regression we can do:

```
[8]: a = regressor.coef_  
      b = regressor.intercept_  
      print(a)  
      print(b)
```

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