
HW-2.1 Assignment

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Part-1: Analytic assignment (10 points)

i.e. with pen and paper
(show your work and all steps)

Note:

$$\frac{d}{dx}x^2 = 2x$$

$$\frac{d}{dx}x^n = nx^{n-1}$$

1.1. Compute the gradient vector for a plane in 3D space (0.5 point)

$$z = f(x, y) = ax + by + c$$

1.2. Compute the gradient vector for a hyperplane (0.5 point) • Note: derivative of the sum is the sum of the derivatives

$$z = f(\mathbf{x}) = f(x_1, x_2, \dots, x_N) = \sum_{i=1}^N a_i(x_i - b_i) + S = a_1x_1 + a_2x_2 + \dots + a_Nx_N + d$$

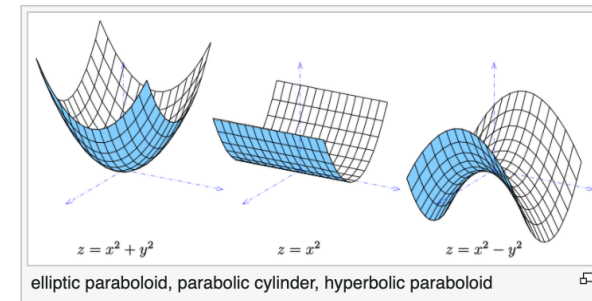
1.3. Compute the partial derivative of the paraboloid function (1.5 point)

$$z = f(x, y) = A(x - x_o)^2 + B(y - y_o)^2 + C$$

$$f_x(x, y) = \left(\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial x} \right)_y = ?$$

$$f_y(x, y) = \left(\frac{\partial f(x, y)}{\partial y} \right)_x = ?$$

Aside: Types of paraboloids



1.4. Given the following matrices and vectors (1.5 point)

$$\mathbf{x} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{y} = (2 \quad 5 \quad 1) \quad \mathbf{A} = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 5 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 \\ 6 & 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathbf{B} = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 1] \quad [1 \times 3] \quad [3 \times 3] \quad [3 \times 2]$

- compute the following quantities and specify the shape of the output, if an operation is not defined then just say "not defined"
 - (where dot specifies a dot product and x specifies a matrix product).

$$\mathbf{x}^T \quad \mathbf{y}^T \quad \mathbf{B}^T \quad \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{x} \cdot \mathbf{y}^T \quad \mathbf{x} \times \mathbf{y} \quad \mathbf{y} \times \mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{x} \quad \mathbf{A} \times \mathbf{B} \quad \mathbf{B}.\text{reshape}(1,6)$$

1.1 $\nabla z = \left(\frac{\partial z}{\partial x}, \frac{\partial z}{\partial y} \right); z = ax + by + c$

$$\nabla z = (a, b)$$

1.2 $f(\underline{x}) = a_1 x_1 + a_2 x_2 + a_3 x_3 \dots + a_n x_n + d$

$$\nabla f(\underline{x}) = \left(\frac{\partial f}{\partial x_1}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_2}, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_3}, \dots, \frac{\partial f}{\partial x_n} \right)$$

$$\nabla f(\underline{x}) = (a_1, a_2, a_3, \dots, a_n)$$

1.3 $z = A(x - x_0)^2 + B(y - y_0)^2 + C$

$$z = Ax^2 - 2Ax x_0 + Ax_0^2 + By^2 - 2By y_0 + By_0^2 + C$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial x} = 2Ax - 2Ax_0$$

$$\frac{\partial z}{\partial y} = 2By - 2By_0$$

1.4

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 3 \\ 1 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix} \quad y = (2 \ 5 \ 1) \quad A = \begin{pmatrix} 4 & 5 & 2 \\ 3 & 1 & 5 \\ 6 & 4 & 3 \end{pmatrix} \quad B = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 \\ 5 & 2 \\ 1 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$X^T = (3 \ 1 \ 4)$$

$[1 \times 3]$

$$y^T = \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 5 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 1]$

$$B^T = \begin{pmatrix} 3 & 5 & 1 \\ 5 & 2 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[2 \times 3]$

$$X \cdot X = \begin{pmatrix} 9 \\ 1 \\ 16 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 1]$

$$X \cdot y^T = \begin{pmatrix} 6 \\ 5 \\ 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 1]$

$$X \times y = \begin{pmatrix} 6 & 15 & 3 \\ 2 & 5 & 1 \\ 8 & 20 & 4 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 3]$

$$y \times X = (6 + 5 + 4) = (15)$$

$[1 \times 1]$

$$A \times X = \begin{pmatrix} 12 + 5 + 8 \\ 9 + 1 + 20 \\ 18 + 4 + 12 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 25 \\ 30 \\ 34 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 1]$

$$A \times B = \begin{pmatrix} 12 + 25 + 2 & 20 + 10 + 8 \\ 9 + 5 + 5 & 15 + 2 + 20 \\ 18 + 20 + 3 & 30 + 8 + 12 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 39 & 38 \\ 19 & 37 \\ 41 & 50 \end{pmatrix}$$

$[3 \times 2]$

$$B.\text{reshape}(1,6) = (3 \ 5 \ 5 \ 2 \ 1 \ 4) \quad [1 \times 6]$$

Part-1: Analytic assignment

Linear least squares (LLS): Single-variable (6 points)

§ Use Calculus to analytically derive the expression for single variable linear regression fitting parameters using the sum of square error as the loss function (show your work)

Model: $y = M(x | \mathbf{p}) = mx + b$

$\mathbf{p} = (p_0, p_1) = (m, b)$

Loss surface: $L(\mathbf{p}) = L(m, b) = \sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{y}_i - M(\hat{x}_i, m, b))^2$

solution: $m = \frac{\text{cov}(x, y)}{\text{var}(x)}$

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N x_i$$

$$\text{var}(X) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2$$

$$b = \bar{y} - \frac{\text{cov}(x, y)}{\text{var}(x)} \bar{x}$$

$$\bar{y} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N y_i$$

$$\text{cov}(X, Y) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})$$

Linear least squares (LLS): Multi-variable (EXTRA CREDIT) (+3 points)

- Use matrix calculus to analytically derive the expression for **two variable** linear regression fitting parameters using the sum of square error as the loss function
 - Show your work using matrix notation
 - From your solution infer the generalized solution for an arbitrary number of variables

solution: $\vec{w} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y.$

1.5
$$L = \sum_{i=1}^N \left(\hat{y}_i - (m\hat{x}_i + b) \right)^2$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial b} = \sum_{i=1}^N -2(\hat{y}_i - m\hat{x}_i - b) = 0 \quad \div (-2)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{y}_i - m\hat{x}_i - b) = 0 \quad ; \quad \sum_{i=1}^N (-b) = -Nb$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N \hat{y}_i - m \sum_{i=1}^N \hat{x}_i - Nb = 0 \quad + (Nb) \div (N)$$

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \hat{y}_i - m \sum_{i=1}^N \hat{x}_i}{N} = b \quad ; \quad \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N \hat{y}_i}{N} = \text{mean}(Y) = \bar{Y}$$

(same for X)

$$b = \bar{Y} - m\bar{X} \quad (1)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial m} = \sum_{i=1}^N -2\hat{x}_i(\hat{y}_i - b - m\hat{x}_i) = 0 \quad \div (-2)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i\hat{y}_i - b\hat{x}_i - m\hat{x}_i^2) = 0, \text{ substituting (1)}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i\hat{y}_i - (\bar{Y} - m\bar{X})\hat{x}_i - m\hat{x}_i^2) = 0, \text{ rearranging:}$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i\hat{y}_i - \bar{Y}\hat{x}_i) - m \sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i^2 - \bar{X}\hat{x}_i) = 0$$

$$m \sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i^2 - \bar{x} \hat{x}_i) = \sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i \hat{y}_i - \bar{y} \hat{x}_i)$$

$$m = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i \hat{y}_i - \bar{y} \hat{x}_i)}{\sum_{i=1}^N (\hat{x}_i^2 - \bar{x} \hat{x}_i)} = \frac{\text{Cov}(x, y)}{\text{Var}(x)}$$

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