

Assignment 3

Construct the training set $T = \{ (x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), \dots, (x_{400}, y_{400}) \}$ using the relation

$$Y_i = \sin(2 \pi (||x_i||)) + \epsilon_i \text{ where } \epsilon_i \sim N(0, 0.25) \text{ and } x_i = (x_i^1, x_i^2) \text{ where } x_i^1, x_i^2 \text{ are from } U[0, 1].$$

In the similar way construct a testing set of size 200

$$\text{i.e. Test} = \{ (x'_1, y'_1), (x'_2, y'_2), \dots, (x'_{200}, y'_{200}) \}$$

- i. Obtain the prediction on testing set and compute the RMSE for regularized least squares kernel regression model with the RBF kernel $K(x, y) = \exp(- (||x - y||^2 / \sigma))$. using the direct method. Study the behavior of the kernel parameter σ and regularization λ on prediction in terms of RMSE.
- ii. Obtain the prediction on testing set and compute the RMSE for regularized polynomial regression models for order $M = 1, 2, 5$ and regularized least squares kernel regression model using the gradient descent method.
- iii. Obtain the prediction on testing set and compute the RMSE for regularized polynomial regression models for order $M = 1, 2, 5$ and regularized least squares kernel regression model using the k-mini batch stochastic gradient descent method.
- iv. Compare the obtained solution by the gradient and stochastic gradient algorithm with the solution obtained by the direct method (solving the normal equation) in each case.
- v. Study the behavior of the chosen step length η regarding the convergence to actual solution in case of all used algorithms.