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## Question

There have been many studies documenting that the average global temperature has been increasing over the last century. The consequences of a continued rise in global temperature will be dire. Rising sea levels and an increased frequency of extreme weather events will affect billions of people.

In this problem, you will attempt to study the relationship between average global temperature and several other factors. The file climate\_change\_1.csv contains climate data from May 1983 to December 2008. The available variables include: Year: the observation year.

Month: the observation month.

Temp: the difference in degrees Celsius between the average global temperature in that period and a reference value. This data comes from the Climatic Research Unit at the University of East Anglia . CO2, N2O, CH4, CFC.11, CFC.12: atmospheric concentrations of carbon dioxide  $(CO_2)$ , nitrous oxide  $(N_2O_2)$ , methane  $(CH_4)$ , trichlorofluoromethane  $(CCl_3F_2)$  commonly referred to as CFC-11) and dichlorodifluoromethane  $(CCl_2F_2)$ ; commonly referred to as CFC-12), respectively. This data comes from the ESRL/NOAA Global Monitoring Division.

CO2, N2O and CH4 are expressed in ppmv (parts per million by volume -- i.e., 397 ppmv of CO2 means that CO2 constitutes 397 millionths of the total volume of the atmosphere)

CFC.11 and CFC.12 are expressed in ppbv (parts per billion by volume).

Aerosols: the mean stratospheric aerosol optical depth at 550 nm. This variable is linked to volcanoes, as volcanic eruptions result in new particles being added to the atmosphere, which affect how much of the sun's energy is reflected back into space. This data is from the <u>Godard Institute for Space Studies at NASA</u>.

TSI: the total solar irradiance (TSI) in W/m2 (the rate at which the sun's energy is deposited per unit area). Due to sunspots and other solar phenomena, the amount of energy that is given off by the sun varies substantially with time. This data is from the <u>SOLARIS-HEPPA project website</u>.

MEI: multivariate El Nino Southern Oscillation index (MEI), a measure of the strength of the El Nino/La Nina-Southern Oscillation (a weather effect in the Pacific Ocean that affects global temperatures). This data comes from the ESRL/NOAA Physical Sciences Division.

## **Preparation**

### Import data

```
import pandas as pd

df1 = pd.read_csv('../data/climate_change_1.csv')

df2 = pd.read_csv('../data/climate_change_2.csv')
```

## **Exploration and cleaning**

#### **Data structure**

```
1 df1.head().round()

1   .dataframe tbody tr th {
2    vertical-align: top;
3  }
4   .dataframe thead th {
6    text-align: right;
7  }
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC- 11	CFC- 12	TSI	Aerosols	Temp
0	1983	5	3.0	346.0	1639.0	304.0	191.0	350.0	1366.0	0.0	0.0
1	1983	6	2.0	346.0	1634.0	304.0	192.0	352.0	1366.0	0.0	0.0
2	1983	7	2.0	344.0	1633.0	304.0	193.0	354.0	1366.0	0.0	0.0
3	1983	8	1.0	342.0	1631.0	304.0	194.0	356.0	1366.0	0.0	0.0
4	1983	9	0.0	340.0	1648.0	304.0	194.0	357.0	1366.0	0.0	0.0

```
1 df2.head().round(2)
```

```
1 .dataframe tbody tr th {
2   vertical-align: top;
3  }
4  
5 .dataframe thead th {
6   text-align: right;
7  }
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	NO	Temp
0	1983	5	2.56	345.96	1638.59	303.68	191.32	350.11	1366.10	0.09	2.64	0.11
1	1983	6	2.17	345.52	1633.71	303.75	192.06	351.85	1366.12	0.08	2.63	0.12
2	1983	7	1.74	344.15	1633.22	303.80	192.82	353.72	1366.28	0.07	2.63	0.14
3	1983	8	1.13	342.25	1631.35	303.84	193.60	355.63	1366.42	0.07	2.63	0.18
4	1983	9	0.43	340.17	1648.40	303.90	194.39	357.46	1366.23	0.06	2.65	0.15

### **Statistics**

The most significant difference is the variable NO. Then explore **basic statistics** with round three:

```
1 df1.describe().round(3)
```

```
.dataframe tbody tr th {
   vertical-align: top;
}

.dataframe thead th {
   text-align: right;
}
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	Tem
count	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000
mean	1995.662	6.552	0.276	363.227	1749.825	312.392	251.973	497.525	1366.071	0.017	0.257
std	7.423	3.447	0.938	12.647	46.052	5.225	20.232	57.827	0.400	0.029	0.179
min	1983.000	1.000	-1.635	340.170	1629.890	303.677	191.324	350.113	1365.426	0.002	-0.282
25%	1989.000	4.000	-0.399	353.020	1722.182	308.112	246.296	472.411	1365.717	0.003	0.122
50%	1996.000	7.000	0.238	361.735	1764.040	311.507	258.344	528.356	1365.981	0.006	0.248
75%	2002.000	10.000	0.830	373.455	1786.885	316.979	267.031	540.524	1366.363	0.013	0.407
max	2008.000	12.000	3.001	388.500	1814.180	322.182	271.494	543.813	1367.316	0.149	0.739

#### 1 df2.describe().round(3)

```
1  .dataframe tbody tr th {
2    vertical-align: top;
3  }
4    
5  .dataframe thead th {
6    text-align: right;
7  }
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	NC
count	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000	308.000
mean	1995.662	6.552	0.276	363.227	1749.825	312.392	251.973	497.525	1366.071	0.017	2.750
std	7.423	3.447	0.938	12.647	46.052	5.225	20.232	57.827	0.400	0.029	0.046
min	1983.000	1.000	-1.635	340.170	1629.890	303.677	191.324	350.113	1365.426	0.002	2.630
25%	1989.000	4.000	-0.399	353.020	1722.182	308.112	246.296	472.411	1365.717	0.003	2.722
50%	1996.000	7.000	0.238	361.735	1764.040	311.507	258.344	528.356	1365.981	0.006	2.764
75%	2002.000	10.000	0.830	373.455	1786.885	316.979	267.031	540.524	1366.363	0.013	2.787
max	2008.000	12.000	3.001	388.500	1814.180	322.182	271.494	543.813	1367.316	0.149	2.814

### Missing data

#### 1 df1.info()

```
Temp 308 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(9), int64(2)
memory usage: 26.6 KB
```

```
1 df2.info()
```

```
1 <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
2 RangeIndex: 308 entries, 0 to 307
 3 Data columns (total 12 columns):
 4 Year 308 non-null int64
5 Month 308 non-null int64
6 MEI 308 non-null float64
7 C02 308 non-null float64
             308 non-null float64
 7 CO2
              308 non-null float64
8 CH4
9 N20 308 non-null float64
10 CFC-11 308 non-null float64
11 CFC-12 308 non-null float64
12 TSI
              308 non-null float64
13 Aerosols 308 non-null float64
14 NO
             308 non-null float64
15 Temp 308 non-null float64
16 dtypes: float64(10), int64(2)
17 memory usage: 29.0 KB
```

No missing data were found, then continue.

### **Duplication**

```
print('Duplicated rows:', len(df1[df1.duplicated()]), ', then continue.')

Duplicated rows: 0 , then continue.
```

#### **Outliers**

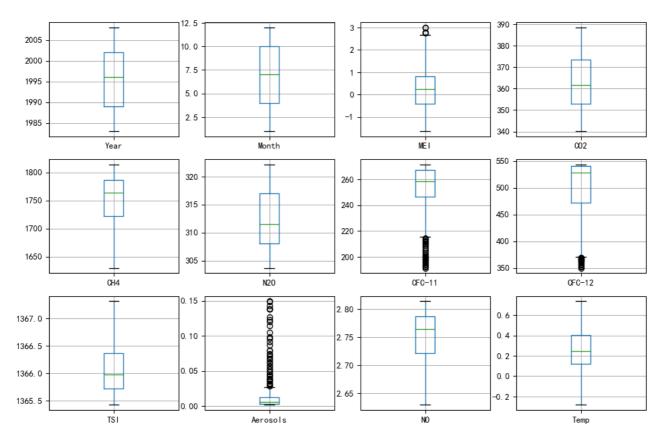
Conduct a boxploting to find out outliers in DF1 and DF2:

```
import sys
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
fig1 = plt.figure(figsize=(12,8), dpi=96)
for i in range(1, len(df1.columns) + 1):
    fig1.add_subplot(3, 4, i)
    df1.iloc[:, [i-1]].boxplot()
```

```
1 range(1, len(df2.columns) + 1)
```

```
1 range(1, 13)
```

```
fig2 = plt.figure(figsize=(12,8), dpi=96)
for i in range(1, len(df2.columns) + 1):
    fig2.add_subplot(3, 4, i)
    df2.iloc[:, [i-1]].boxplot()
```



Check outliers:

```
1 import ipywidgets as widgets
 2
   z_slider = widgets.FloatSlider(
 3
       value=2.9,
 4
       min=2,
 5
     max=3.5,
 6
       step=0.1,
 7
       description='Threshold:',
 8
       disabled=False,
 9
       continuous_update=True,
       orientation='horizontal',
10
11
       readout=True,
       readout_format='.1f',
12
13 )
14 z_slider
```

1 | FloatSlider(value=2.9, description='Threshold:', max=3.5, min=2.0, readout\_format='.1f')

```
from scipy import stats
import numpy as np
z = np.abs(stats.zscore(df1['MEI']))
outlier_index = np.where(z > z_slider.value)[0]
print('Threshhold:', z_slider.value)
print('Index:', outlier_index)
print('Outlier:', [df1['MEI'][i] for i in outlier_index])
```

```
1 Threshhold: 2.9
2 Index: [171 172]
3 Outlier: [3.00100000000003, 3.0]
```

Since rare outliers, ignore at preparation step and continue.

#### Correlation

Find and plot highly correlated variables (r>0.6 in df1, plotting r>0.5):

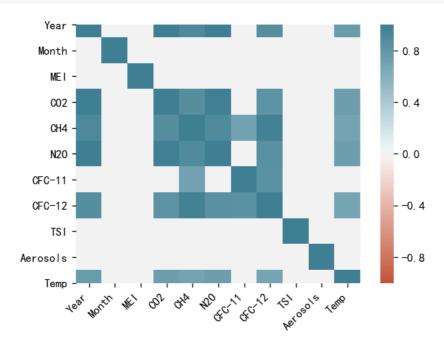
```
corr = df1.corr()
high_corr = corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.5].fillna(0)
corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.6].fillna('')

dataframe tbody tr th {
   vertical-align: top;
}

dataframe thead th {
   text-align: right;
}
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	Temp
Year	1			0.985379	0.910563	0.99485		0.870067			0.755731
Month		1									
MEI			1								
CO2	0.985379			1	0.872253	0.981135		0.82321			0.748505
CH4	0.910563			0.872253	1	0.894409	0.713504	0.958237			0.699697
N20	0.99485			0.981135	0.894409	1		0.839295			0.743242
CFC-11					0.713504		1	0.831381			
CFC-12	0.870067			0.82321	0.958237	0.839295	0.831381	1			0.688944
TSI									1		
Aerosols										1	
Temp	0.755731			0.748505	0.699697	0.743242		0.688944			1

```
1 plt.figure(dpi=128)
   ax = sns.heatmap(
 3
       high_corr,
 4
       vmin=-1, vmax=1, center=0,
 5
       cmap=sns.diverging_palette(20, 220, n=200),
 6
       square=True
7)
 8 ax.set_xticklabels(
9
       ax.get_xticklabels(),
10
       rotation=45,
11
       horizontalalignment='right'
12 );
```



Similarly, correlation in df1:

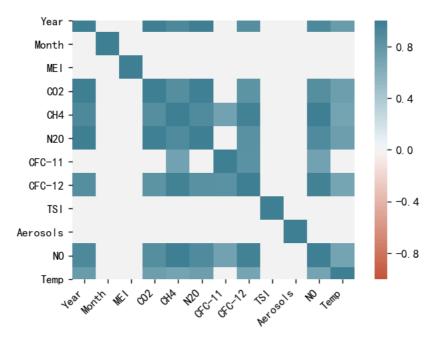
```
corr = df2.corr()
high_corr = corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.5].fillna(0)
corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.6].fillna('')

dataframe tbody tr th {
   vertical-align: top;
}

dataframe thead th {
   text-align: right;
}
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	NO
Year	1			0.985379	0.910563	0.99485		0.870067			0.910563
Month		1									
MEI			1								
CO2	0.985379			1	0.872253	0.981135		0.82321			0.872253
CH4	0.910563			0.872253	1	0.894409	0.713504	0.958237			1
N2O	0.99485			0.981135	0.894409	1		0.839295			0.894409
CFC-11					0.713504		1	0.831381			0.713504
CFC-12	0.870067			0.82321	0.958237	0.839295	0.831381	1			0.958237
TSI									1		
Aerosols										1	
NO	0.910563			0.872253	1	0.894409	0.713504	0.958237			1
Temp	0.755731			0.748505	0.699697	0.743242		0.688944			0.699697

```
1 plt.figure(dpi=128)
 2 ax = sns.heatmap(
     high_corr,
 3
     vmin=-1, vmax=1, center=0,
 4
 5
      cmap=sns.diverging_palette(20, 220, n=200),
 6
      square=True
7)
8 ax.set_xticklabels(
9
    ax.get_xticklabels(),
10
     rotation=45,
    horizontalalignment='right'
11
12 );
```



Potential redundant variables found, however, now the data is prepared for analyzing.

### Problem 1 — First Model

We are interested in how changes in these variables affect future temperatures, as well as how well these variables explain temperature changes so far. To do this, first read the dataset climate\_change\_1.csv into Python or Matlab.

Then, split the data into a training set, consisting of all the observations up to and including 2006, and a testing set consisting of the remaining years. A training set refers to the data that will be used to build the model, and a testing set refers to the data we will use to test our predictive ability.

After seeing the problem, your classmate Alice immediately argues that we can apply a linear regression model. Though being a little doubtful, you decide to have a try. To solve the linear regression problem, you recall the linear regression has a closed form solution:  $\theta = (X^TX)^{-1}X^TY$ 

### Read and split

Though data have been prepared in section Data Preparation, dataset df1 has been imported again here following problem description.

#### Read the dataset:

```
1  # loaded in exploration
2
3  # import pandas as pd
4  # df1 = pd.read_csv('../data/climate_change_1.csv').iloc[:,2:]
```

#### Split into training set and testing set:

```
# Df1 trainset
df1_train = df1[df1['Year']<=2006].iloc[:,2:]
# Check the result
df1_train.iloc[[0, 1,-2, -1],:]</pre>
```

```
1  .dataframe tbody tr th {
2    vertical-align: top;
3  }
4    
5  .dataframe thead th {
6    text-align: right;
7  }
```

	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	Temp
0	2.556	345.96	1638.59	303.677	191.324	350.113	1366.1024	0.0863	0.109
1	2.167	345.52	1633.71	303.746	192.057	351.848	1366.1208	0.0794	0.118
282	1.292	380.18	1791.91	320.321	248.605	539.500	1365.7039	0.0049	0.440
283	0.951	381.79	1795.04	320.451	248.480	539.377	1365.7087	0.0054	0.518

```
1  # Df1 testet
2  df1_test = df1[df1['Year']>2006].iloc[:,2:]
3  # Check the result
4  df1_test.iloc[[0, 1,-2, -1],:]
```

```
.dataframe tbody tr th {
   vertical-align: top;
}

dataframe thead th {
   text-align: right;
}
```

	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	Temp
284	0.974	382.93	1799.66	320.561	248.372	539.206	1365.7173	0.0054	0.601
285	0.510	383.81	1803.08	320.571	248.264	538.973	1365.7145	0.0051	0.498
306	-0.621	384.13	1812.37	322.013	244.225	534.906	1365.7065	0.0048	0.394
307	-0.666	385.56	1812.88	322.182	244.204	535.005	1365.6926	0.0046	0.330

#### 1. Closed form function

Implement a function closed\_form\_1 that computes this closed form solution given the features X, labels y (using Python or Matlab).

Given a pandas Dataframe, the features X is the dataframe excluding taget y, then:

```
1 import numpy as np # matrix, vector, and linear algebra support
 2 from numpy.linalg import inv # matrix inversion
3
 4
 5 def closed_form_1(X: np.ndarray, y: np.ndarray) -> np.matrix:
 6
 7
       To calculate OLS theta(s) given X, y in ndarrays.
 8
 9
       Parameters:
10
11
           X: features, IV.
12
           y: taget variable, DV.
13
      Return:
14
15
           theta: coefficients
16
17
       X = np.column\_stack((np.ones(len(X)), X))  # add x0 = 1 to matrix X
18
19
       theta = inv(X.T @ X) @ X.T @ y
20
       #theta = theta[1:].reshape((1,10))
21
        return theta
22
23
24 def closed_form_df(df: pd.core.frame.DataFrame, column: int = 8) -> np.matrix:
25
26
       To calculate OLS theta(s) given data in a DataFrame.
27
28
       Parameters:
29
30
           df: a DataFrame of data including both IV X and DV y.
```

```
31
    column = 8: index number of clomn where DV y lies. The default value is 8.
32
33
       Return:
34
          theta: coefficients
35
36
37
       X = df.drop(df.columns[column], axis=1).to_numpy() # X: the features
38
39
       X = np.column\_stack((np.ones(len(X)), X)) # add x0 = 1 to matrix X
40
       y = df.iloc[:, [column]].to_numpy(
41
       ) # y: the results, lower case to emphasize the difference
42
       theta = inv(X.T @ X) @ X.T @ y
43
       #theta = theta[1:].reshape((1,10))
44
       return theta
```

Test closed\_form\_1 and closed\_form\_df on df1:

```
1 | df1_train.drop(df1_train.columns[8], axis=1)
```

```
dataframe tbody tr th {
   vertical-align: top;
}

dataframe thead th {
   text-align: right;
}
```

	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols
0	2.556	345.96	1638.59	303.677	191.324	350.113	1366.1024	0.0863
1	2.167	345.52	1633.71	303.746	192.057	351.848	1366.1208	0.0794
2	1.741	344.15	1633.22	303.795	192.818	353.725	1366.2850	0.0731
3	1.130	342.25	1631.35	303.839	193.602	355.633	1366.4202	0.0673
4	0.428	340.17	1648.40	303.901	194.392	357.465	1366.2335	0.0619
279	0.759	380.45	1762.66	319.930	248.981	539.682	1365.7067	0.0041
280	0.793	378.92	1776.04	320.010	248.775	539.566	1365.8419	0.0043
281	0.892	379.16	1789.02	320.125	248.666	539.488	1365.8270	0.0044
282	1.292	380.18	1791.91	320.321	248.605	539.500	1365.7039	0.0049
283	0.951	381.79	1795.04	320.451	248.480	539.377	1365.7087	0.0054

284 rows × 8 columns

```
# Given X, and y in numpy arrays

X = dfl_train.drop(df1_train.columns[8], axis=1).to_numpy() # X: the features

y = dfl_train.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy() # y: the results, lower case to emphasize the difference

X_test = dfl_test.drop(df1_train.columns[8], axis=1).to_numpy()

y_test = dfl_test.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy()

theta = closed_form_1(X, y)

theta
```

```
1 array([[-1.24594260e+02],
2
    [ 6.42053134e-02],
3
         [ 6.45735927e-03],
         [ 1.24041896e-04],
4
5
         [-1.65280032e-02],
        [-6.63048889e-03],
6
7
        [ 3.80810324e-03],
8
         [ 9.31410835e-02],
9
         [-1.53761324e+00]])
```

```
# Given a DataFrame
theta = closed_form_df(df1_train).reshape((1,9))
theta
```

```
1 [[1.0000000e+00 2.5560000e+00 3.4596000e+02 ... 3.5011300e+02
    1.3661024e+03 8.6300000e-02]
3
    [1.0000000e+00 2.1670000e+00 3.4552000e+02 ... 3.5184800e+02
4
    1.3661208e+03 7.9400000e-02]
   [1.0000000e+00 1.7410000e+00 3.4415000e+02 ... 3.5372500e+02
5
6
    1.3662850e+03 7.3100000e-02]
7
8 [1.0000000e+00 8.9200000e-01 3.7916000e+02 ... 5.3948800e+02
9
   1.3658270e+03 4.4000000e-03]
10 [1.0000000e+00 1.2920000e+00 3.8018000e+02 ... 5.3950000e+02
11
   1.3657039e+03 4.9000000e-03]
12 [1.0000000e+00 9.5100000e-01 3.8179000e+02 ... 5.3937700e+02
1.3657087e+03 5.4000000e-03]]
```

```
1 array([[-1.24594260e+02, 6.42053134e-02, 6.45735927e-03,
2 1.24041896e-04, -1.65280032e-02, -6.63048889e-03,
3 3.80810324e-03, 9.31410835e-02, -1.53761324e+00]])
```

Using scipy to check the result:

Works fine (some differences due to SVD used in sklearn.LinearRegression).

### 2. Fomula and R squre

Write down the mathematical formula for the linear model and evaluate the model R squre on the training set and the testing set.

#### Formula of this model(round(5))

```
\hat{Temp} = -124.594 + 0.06421*MEI + 0.00646*CO_2 + 0.00012*CH_4 - 0.01653*N_2O - 0.00663*CFC11 + 0.00381*CFC12 + 0.0863*CFC11 + 0.00381*CFC12 + 0.0863*CFC11 + 0.00381*CFC12 + 0.0863*CFC11 + 0.00481*CFC12 + 0.0863*CFC12 + 0.0863*CFC11 + 0.00481*CFC12 + 0.0863*CFC12 + 0.0865*CFC12 + 0.0865*CFC1
```

#### Formula of R-squred

R-squared measures model fitting and can be calculated as:  $R^2 = \frac{var(X\hat{\beta})}{var(y)} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (\hat{y}_i - \bar{y})^2}{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}$ 

```
def predict(X: np.ndarray, theta: np.ndarray) -> np.ndarray:
```

```
2
 3
       To predict y given X and theta.
 4
 5
       Parameters:
 6
        _____
 7
 8
         X: features, IV.
 9
          theta: coefficients.
10
11
      Return:
12
13
         y_hat: predicted value.
14
15
       X = np.column\_stack((np.ones(len(X)), X))  # add x0 = 1 to matrix X
16
        theta = theta.reshape((1, len(theta)))
17
18
       y_hat = np.sum(x * theta, axis=1)
19
       return (y_hat)
```

Define a score function to calculate  $R^2$ :

```
1 def score(y: np.ndarray, y_hat: np.ndarray) -> float:
2
3
      To calculate OLS R^2 given data in ndarrays.
4
5
     Parameters:
6
7
          y: actual labels.
 8
          y_hat: predicted values.
9
10
      Return:
11
          SST: R^2 caculated based on y and y_hat.
12
13
14
15
       mean = y.mean()
16
      TSS = np.sum(np.square(y_hat - mean))
17
     ESS = np.sum(np.square(y - mean))
18
     SST = TSS / ESS
     return SST
19
```

On training set:

```
1  X = df1_train.drop(df1_train.columns[8], axis=1).to_numpy()
2  y = df1_train.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy()
3  rsquare_train = score(y, predict(X, closed_form_1(X, y)))
4  print("R2:", rsquare_train)
5  # Use *scipy* to check the result:
7  l=lm().fit(X, y)
8  print("R2 by scipy:", l.score(X, y))
```

```
1 R2: 0.7508932770388234
2 R2 by scipy: 0.7508932770523428
```

On testing set:

```
rsquare_test = score(y_test, predict(x_test, closed_form_1(x, y)))
print("R2:", rsquare_test)
```

```
1 R2: 0.22517701916248536
```

Works fine.

**Evaluation** 

Based on the formula above, R-squred can be applied in Python to evaluate previous model. On training set:  $R^2$  is 0.75089, while on testing set,  $R^2$  is 0.22518.

\*\_However, for a multi-variable linear model,  $R^2_{adjusted}$  may be a better indicator because the original  $R^2$  is sensitive to the number of features.

### 3. Significant variables

Which variables are significant in the model?

```
import statsmodels.api as sm

# set an alpha
alpha = 0.05

X2 = sm.add_constant(X)
1 = sm.OLS(y, X2).fit()
pvalues = l.summary2().tables[1]['P>|t|']
labels = ['x0: constant'] + ["x" + str(i+1) + ": " + df1_train.columns[i] for i in range(len(df1_train.columns)-1)]
variables = pd.DataFrame(np.concatenate([pd.DataFrame(labels), pd.DataFrame(pvalues)], axis=1))
variables.columns = ['variables', 'pvalues']

# print significant variables
variables[variables.pvalues < alpha]</pre>
```

```
1  .dataframe tbody tr th {
2    vertical-align: top;
3  }
4  
5  .dataframe thead th {
6    text-align: right;
7  }
```

	Variable	pvalues
0	x0: constant	1.43105e-09
1	x1: MEI	4.89889e-20
2	x2: CO2	0.00505252
5	x5: CFC-11	5.95729e-05
6	x6: CFC-12	0.00020972
7	x7: TSI	1.09594e-09
8	x8: Aerosols	5.41127e-12

That's to say, significant(alpha=0.05) varibles are:

```
1 [i for i in variables[variables.pvalues < alpha].variable.to_numpy()]
```

```
1 ['x0: constant',
2    'x1: MEI',
3    'x2: CO2',
4    'x5: CFC-11',
5    'x6: CFC-12',
6    'x7: TSI',
7    'x8: Aerosols']
```

## 4. Necessary conditions and application

Write down the necessary conditions for using the closed form solution. And you can apply it to the dataset climate\_change\_2.csv, explain the solution is unreasonable.

#### **Necessary conditions**

 $X^TX$  must be invertible.

```
1 df2.head(2)
```

```
1 .dataframe tbody tr th {
2   vertical-align: top;
3  }
4  
5 .dataframe thead th {
6   text-align: right;
7  }
```

	Year	Month	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	NO	Temp
0	1983	5	2.556	345.96	1638.59	303.677	191.324	350.113	1366.1024	0.0863	2.63859	0.109
1	1983	6	2.167	345.52	1633.71	303.746	192.057	351.848	1366.1208	0.0794	2.63371	0.118

```
1  # Df2 trainset
2  df2_train = df2[df2['Year'] <= 2006].iloc[:,2:]
3  # Check the result
4  df2_train.iloc[[0, 1,-2, -1],:]</pre>
```

```
.dataframe tbody tr th {
   vertical-align: top;
}

.dataframe thead th {
   text-align: right;
}
```

	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	NO	Temp
0	2.556	345.96	1638.59	303.677	191.324	350.113	1366.1024	0.0863	2.63859	0.109
1	2.167	345.52	1633.71	303.746	192.057	351.848	1366.1208	0.0794	2.63371	0.118
282	1.292	380.18	1791.91	320.321	248.605	539.500	1365.7039	0.0049	2.79191	0.440
283	0.951	381.79	1795.04	320.451	248.480	539.377	1365.7087	0.0054	2.79504	0.518

```
1  # Df2 testet
2  df2_test = df2[df2['Year']>2006].iloc[:,2:]
3  # Check the result
4  df2_test.iloc[[0, 1,-2, -1],:]
```

```
1 .dataframe tbody tr th {
2    vertical-align: top;
3  }
4  
5 .dataframe thead th {
6    text-align: right;
7  }
```

	MEI	CO2	CH4	N20	CFC-11	CFC-12	TSI	Aerosols	NO	Temp
284	0.974	382.93	1799.66	320.561	248.372	539.206	1365.7173	0.0054	2.79966	0.601
285	0.510	383.81	1803.08	320.571	248.264	538.973	1365.7145	0.0051	2.80308	0.498
306	-0.621	384.13	1812.37	322.013	244.225	534.906	1365.7065	0.0048	2.81237	0.394
307	-0.666	385.56	1812.88	322.182	244.204	535.005	1365.6926	0.0046	2.81288	0.330

```
# Given X, and y in numpy arrays
x_2 = df2_train.drop(df2_train.columns[9], axis=1).to_numpy() # X: the features
y_2 = df2_train.iloc[:, [9]].to_numpy() # y: the results, lower case to emphasize the difference
x_2_test = df2_test.drop(df2_test.columns[9], axis=1).to_numpy()
y_2_test = df2_test.iloc[:, [9]].to_numpy()
theta = closed_form_1(x_2, y_2)
theta
```

```
array([[-1.18459383e+02],
2
      [ 6.41762745e-02],
3
         [ 6.48209178e-03],
        [ 6.24389931e-03],
4
5
        [-1.65280032e-02],
        [-6.63048889e-03],
6
7
        [ 3.80810324e-03],
8
        [ 9.31410835e-02],
9
         [-1.53761324e+00],
         [-6.12593018e+00]])
10
```

#### Why unreasonable:

Because  $X^TX$  is non-invertible.

According to Andrew NG,

When implementing the normal equation in octave we want to use the pinv function rather than inv. The 'pinv' function will give you a value of \theta\theta even if  $X^T X$  is not invertible.

If  $X^TX$  is noninvertible, the common causes might be having :

- Redundant features, where two features are very closely related (i.e. they are linearly dependent)
- Too many features (e.g. m ≤ n). In this case, delete some features or use "regularization" (to be explained in a later lesson).

Solutions to the above problems include deleting a feature that is linearly dependent with another or deleting one or more features when there are too many features.

In this case, many variables (as mentioned in the first section exploration) are highly correlated.

## **Problem 2 — Regularization**

Regularization is a method to boost robustness of model, including L1 regularization and L\_2 regularization.

#### 1. Loss function

Please write down the loss function for linear model with L1 regularization, L2 regularization, respectively.

**L1**, Lasso Regression: 
$$J\left(\theta\right)=\frac{1}{2m}[\sum\limits_{i=1}^{m}\left(h_{\theta}(x^{(i)})-y^{(i)}\right)^{2}+\lambda\sum\limits_{i=1}^{n}|\theta_{j}|]$$

**L2, Ridge Regression:** 
$$J\left(\theta\right)=\frac{1}{2m}[\sum_{i=1}^{m}\left(h_{\theta}(x^{(i)})-y^{(i)}\right)^{2}+\lambda\sum_{j=1}^{n}\theta_{j}^{2}]$$

### 2. Compute and regularization

The closed form solution for linear model with L2 regularization:  $\mathbf{\theta} = (\mathbf{X^TX} + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1}\mathbf{X^TY}$  where I is the identity matrix. Write a function closed\_form\_2 that computes this closed form solution given the features X, labels Y and the regularization parameter  $\lambda$  (using Python or Matlab).

```
def closed_form_2(X: np.ndarray, y: np.ndarray, lambd: float) -> np.ndarray:
2
3
       To calculate OLS theta(s) given X, y in ndarrays.
4
5
       Parameters:
6
7
           X: features, IV.
8
           y: taget variable, DV.
9
           lambd: regularization parameter
10
11
```

### 3. Comparison

Compare the two solutions in problem 1 and problem 2 and explain the reason why linear model with L2 regularization is robust. (using climate\_change\_1.csv)

```
1 | X_train = df1_train.drop(df1_train.columns[8], axis=1).to_numpy()
2 y_train = df1_train.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy()
3 theta_0 = closed_form_1(X_train, y_train)
4 theta_0
1 array([[-1.24594260e+02],
    [ 6.42053134e-02],
2
        [ 6.45735927e-03],
3
       [ 1.24041896e-04],
4
5
       [-1.65280032e-02],
6
       [-6.63048889e-03],
7
       [ 3.80810324e-03],
8
       [ 9.31410835e-02],
      [-1.53761324e+00]])
9
1 theta_2 = closed_form_2(X_train, y_train, 0.5)
2 theta_2
1 array([[-4.68953239e-03],
    [ 4.55768014e-02],
2
3
        [ 7.80443532e-03],
       [ 1.95701031e-04],
5
       [-1.64893727e-02],
       [-6.38359095e-03],
7
       [ 3.74766007e-03],
8
       [ 1.44919104e-03],
9
         [-3.65599605e-01]])
1 rsquare_test_theta_0 = score(y_test, predict(X_test, theta_0))
2 rsquare_test_theta_2 = score(y_test, predict(X_test, theta_2))
3 print("R2:", rsquare_test_theta_0, rsquare_test_theta_2)
```

Obviously, theta\_2, which is the result of ridge regression, is much better due to the lower effect of redundant variables.

### 4. Change λ

1 R2: 0.22517701916248536 0.8022366128860412

You can change the regularization parameter  $\lambda$  to get different solutions for this problem. Suppose we set  $\lambda$  = 10, 1, 0.1, 0.01, 0.001, and please evaluate the model  $R^2$  on the training set and the testing set.

```
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error as mse

# Define constants

X_train = df1_train.drop(df1_train.columns[8], axis=1).to_numpy()

y_train = df1_train.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy()

X_test = df1_test.drop(df1_test.columns[8], axis=1).to_numpy()

y_test = df1_test.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy()
```

```
8 lambds = [10.00, 1.000, 0.10, 0.01, 0.001]
 9
 10 print("R scores comparison")
 11 # print("λ Training R2
                                    Testing R2
                                                      Testing MSE")
 12 print("λ
                 Training R2
                                   Testing R2")
13 for lambd in lambds:
 14
     theta = closed_form_2(X_train, y_train, lambd)
 15
     rsquare_train = score(y_train, predict(X_train, theta))
 16
     rsquare_test = score(y_test, predict(X_test, theta))
 17
      # meanse = mse(y_test, predict(X_test, theta))
                                                                                           п,
 18
     # print(lambd, " ", rsquare_train.round(5), "
                                                        ", rsquare_test.round(5), "
   meanse.round(5))
    ", rsquare_test.round(5))
 19
```

```
1 R scores comparison
2 λ
      Training R2
                        Testing R2
3 10.0
          0.67461
                         0.94087
4 1.0
         0.67947
                        0.84675
         0.69447
5 0.1
                        0.67329
6 0.01
         0.71165
                         0.58528
7 0.001 0.71483
                          0.56252
```

Finally, please decide the best regularization parameter  $\lambda$ . (Note that: As a qualified data analyst, you must know how to choose model parameters, please learn about cross validation methods.)

```
1 from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
 2 from sklearn.linear_model import Ridge
3 from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
 5 def cross_validation(X, y):
       0.00
 6
 7
       Using k-fold to get optimal value of lambda based on R-squared.
 8
9
       Parameters:
10
11
          X: features, IV.
        y: taget variable, DV.
12
13
       Return:
14
15
           alpha: learning rate
16
       kfold = KFold(n_splits=10).split(X, y)
17
18
       model = Ridge(normalize=True) # Normalization returns better result
19
       lambdas = [10, 1, 0.1, 0.01, 0.001]
20
       grid_param = {"alpha": lambdas}
21
       grid = GridSearchCV(estimator=model,
22
                           param_grid=grid_param,
23
                           cv=kfold,
24
                           scoring="r2")
25
       grid.fit(X, y)
       alpha = grid.best_params_['alpha']
26
27
       return alpha
28
29
30 print('Optimal lamba should be ', cross_validation(X_train, y_train))
```

```
1 Optimal lamba should be 0.1
```

```
C:\Users\oyrx\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\sklearn\model_selection\_search.py:814: DeprecationWarning: The default of the `iid` parameter will change from True to False in version 0.22 and will be removed in 0.24. This will change numeric results when test-set sizes are unequal.

DeprecationWarning)
```

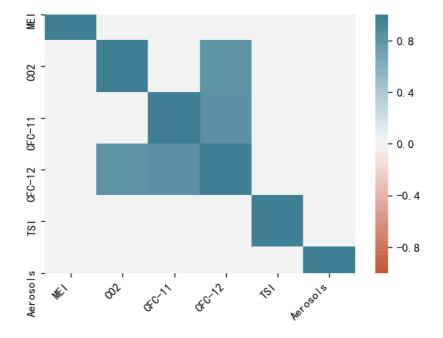
### Problem 3 — Feature Selection

### 1. Lesser variables

From Problem 1, you can know which variables are significant, therefore you can use less variables to train model. For example, remove highly correlated and redundant features. You can propose a workflow to select feature.

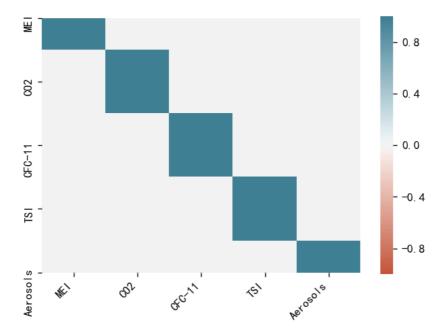
As mentioned in the first section and known siginificant variables(MEI, CO2, CDC-11, CDC-12, TST, Aerocols), a new correlation matrix can be introduced:

```
1 corr = df1[['MEI', 'CO2', 'CFC-11', 'CFC-12', 'TSI', 'Aerosols']].corr()
 2 high_corr = corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.5].fillna(0)
 3 corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.6].fillna('')
 4 plt.figure(dpi=128)
 5 ax = sns.heatmap(
 6
       high_corr,
 7
       vmin=-1, vmax=1, center=0,
 8
       cmap=sns.diverging_palette(20, 220, n=200),
9
       square=True
10)
11 ax.set_xticklabels(
       ax.get_xticklabels(),
12
13
       rotation=45,
14
       horizontalalignment='right'
15 );
```



Thus, CFC-12 should also be removed(r>0.6) then we have:

```
1 corr = df1[['MEI', 'CO2', 'CFC-11', 'TSI', 'Aerosols' ]].corr()
 2 high_corr = corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.5].fillna(0)
 3 corr[np.abs(corr) > 0.6].fillna('')
 4 plt.figure(dpi=128)
 5 ax = sns.heatmap(
 6
       high_corr,
 7
       vmin=-1, vmax=1, center=0,
 8
       cmap=sns.diverging_palette(20, 220, n=200),
9
       square=True
10 )
11 ax.set_xticklabels(
12
       ax.get_xticklabels(),
13
       rotation=45,
       horizontalalignment='right'
14
15);
```



Now no redundant variables left.

### 2. A better model

*Train a better model than the model in Problem 2.* 

```
Thus our better model is:

y = -0.02465 + 0.04909 * x1 + 0.0118 * x2 + 2e-05 * x3 + -0.00293 * x4 + -0.88807 * x5
```

```
C:\Users\oyrx\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\sklearn\model_selection\_search.py:814: DeprecationWarning: The default of the `iid` parameter will change from True to False in version 0.22 and will be removed in 0.24. This will change numeric results when test-set sizes are unequal.

DeprecationWarning)
```

Significance:

```
1 x1 True
2 x2 True
3 x3 False
4 x4 True
5 x5 True
6 Name: P>|t|, dtype: bool
```

Then remove x3 based on the new result:

```
X_lesser = dfl_train[['MEI', 'CO2', 'TSI', 'Aerosols' ]].to_numpy() # X: the features
y_lesser = dfl_train.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy() # y: the results, lower case to
emphasize the difference
X_test = dfl_test[['MEI', 'CO2', 'TSI', 'Aerosols' ]].to_numpy()
y_test = dfl_test.iloc[:, [8]].to_numpy()

theta_lesser = closed_form_1(X_lesser, y_train)
theta_lesser = np.array(theta_lesser)
formula = [str(theta_lesser.round(5).tolist()[i][0]) + ' * x' + str(i) + ' + ' for i in range(0, len(theta_lesser.round(5).tolist())]
print('Thus our better model is: \n\ny = '+ ' '.join(formula).replace(' * x0', '')[:-3])

Thus our better model is:
y = -118.60162 + 0.06204 * x1 + 0.01069 * x2 + 0.08418 * x3 + -1.58444 * x4
```

```
1 | l = sm.OLS(y_lesser, X_lesser).fit()
2  pvalues = 1.summary2().tables[1]['P>|t|']
3  pvalues<0.05</pre>
```

```
1 x1 True
2 x2 True
3 x3 True
4 x4 True
5 Name: P>|t|, dtype: bool
```

R2:

```
rsquare_train = score(y_lesser, predict(X_lesser, theta_lesser))
rsquare_test = score(y_test, predict(X_test, theta_lesser))
print(('R2\nTraining: {}\nTesting: {}').format(rsquare_train, rsquare_test))
```

```
1 R2
2 Training: 0.7336403428986277
3 Testing: 0.6328867941215359
```

### Problem 4 — Gradient Descent

Gradient descent algorithm is an iterative process that takes us to the minimum of a function. Please write down the iterative expression for updating the solution of linear model and implement it using Python or Matlab in gradientDescent function.

### **Define functions**

```
def cost_function(X: np.ndarray, y: np.ndarray, theta: np.ndarray) -> float:
 2
 3
       To calculate cost given X, y, and theta in ndarrays.
 4
 5
       Parameters:
 6
           X: features, IV.
          y: taget variable, DV.
 8
 9
           theta: coefficients
10
      Return:
11
12
           cost: calculated cost
13
14
       cost = np.sum(np.power((X * theta.T) - y, 2)) / (2 * len(X))
15
        return cost
16
17
18 def gradientDescent(X: np.ndarray, y: np.ndarray, theta: np.ndarray,
19
                        alpha: float, iters: float) -> np.matrix and np.ndarray:
20
21
       To find theta given X, y, theta in ndarrays and alpha, iters in float.
```

```
22
      Parameters:
23
24
        X: features, IV.y: taget variable, DV.
25
26
27
          theta: coefficients
28
          alpha: learning rate
29
           iters: an assigned number of iterations
30
31
         theta: np.matrix, final theta
32
33
           cost: np.ndarray, calculated cost
34
35
36
        temp = np.mat(np.zeros(theta.shape))
37
        cost = np.zeros(iters)
38
        thetaNums = int(theta.shape[1])
39
40
       for i in range(iters):
           error = (X * theta.T - y)
41
42
           for j in range(thetaNums):
43
                derivativeInner = np.multiply(error, X[:, j])
44
                temp[0, j] = theta[0, j] - (alpha * np.sum(derivativeInner) /
45
                                           len(x)
46
           theta = temp
47
           cost[i] = cost_function(X, y, theta)
48
       return theta, cost
49
```

### **Define parameters**

```
1 \mid \mathsf{import} \ \mathsf{matplotlib.pyplot} \ \mathsf{as} \ \mathsf{plt}
 2
 4 theta = np.mat([0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0,0])
 5 iters = 5000 # The number of iterations
 6 alpha = 0.01 # Learning rate
 8 X = df1.get(["MEI","CO2","CH4","N20","CFC-11","CFC-12","TSI","Aerosols"])
9 X = np.column_stack((np.ones(len(X)),X))
10 X_train = X[:284]
11 X_{\text{test}} = X[284:]
12 X_train = np.mat(X_train)
13
14 | y = df1.get("Temp")
15 y_{train} = y[:284]
16 y_{test} = y[284:]
17
18 y_train = np.mat(y_train).T
19
20 for i in range(1,9):
        X\_train[:,i] = (X\_train[:,i] - min(X\_train[:,i])) / (max(X\_train[:,i]) - min(X\_train[:,i])) 
21
22
23 theta_n = (X_train.T*X_train).I*X_train.T*y_train
24 print("theta =",theta_n)
```

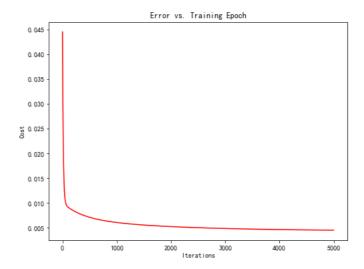
```
theta = [[-0.07698894]
[ 0.29450977]
[ 0.28935427]
[ 0.02211171]
[ [-0.27724073]
[ [-0.53156629]
[ [ 0.7376296 ]
[ [ 0.17604596]
[ ] [ [ -0.22725924]]
```

### Find theta

```
1 | finalTheta,cost = gradientDescent(X_train,y_train,theta,alpha,iters)
```

### Check the result

```
fig, bx = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,6))
bx.plot(np.arange(iters), cost, 'r')
bx.set_xlabel('Iterations')
bx.set_ylabel('Cost')
bx.set_title('Error vs. Training Epoch')
plt.show()
```



The result indicates that algorithm has converged and the final theta is