

# Linear Regression

The input variable is denoted by  $x$ ,  
also called as the input feature

The output variable is denoted as  $y$ ,  
also called the target variable

# Training Set

Living Area of the House in sq. ft. (X)	Price of the House in dollars (Y)
1000	50000
400	25000
350	24000
2000	90000

# Training Example

$$(x^{(2)}, y^{(2)}) = (400, 2500)$$

A Training Set is a list of Training  
Examples

# Hypothesis

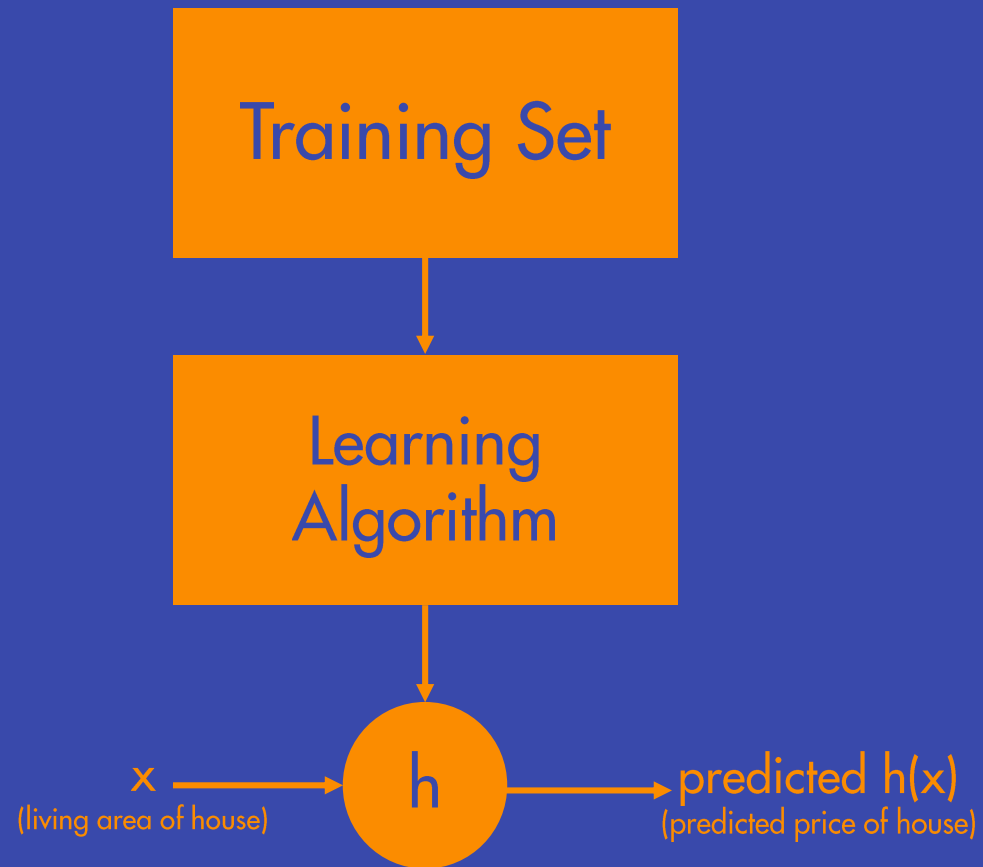
$h$  is a function that maps the feature  $x$  into a predicted output  $h(x)$ .

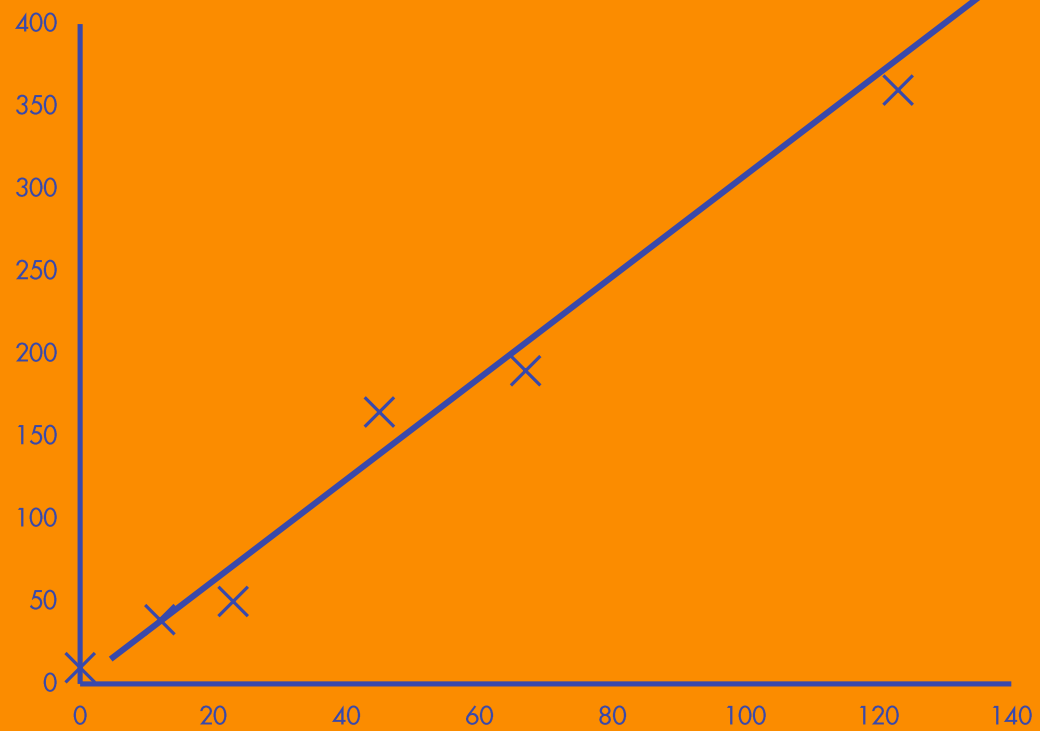
$$h(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x$$



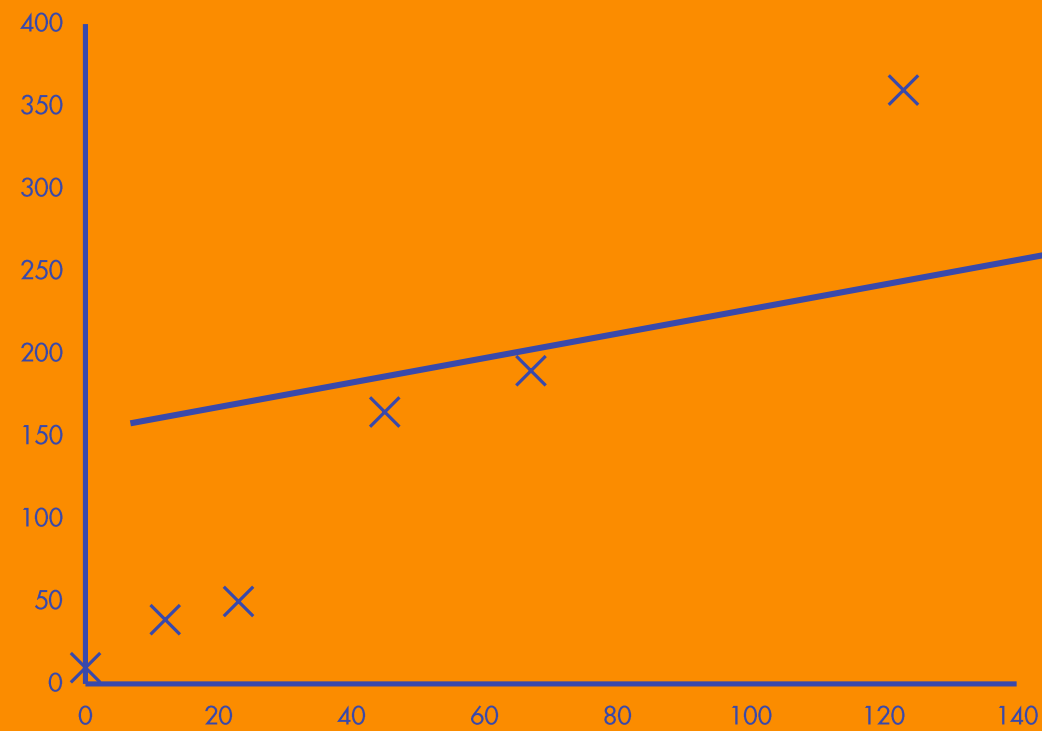
The algorithm is trying to learn the best  $h$  for the training set.

# Model Representation





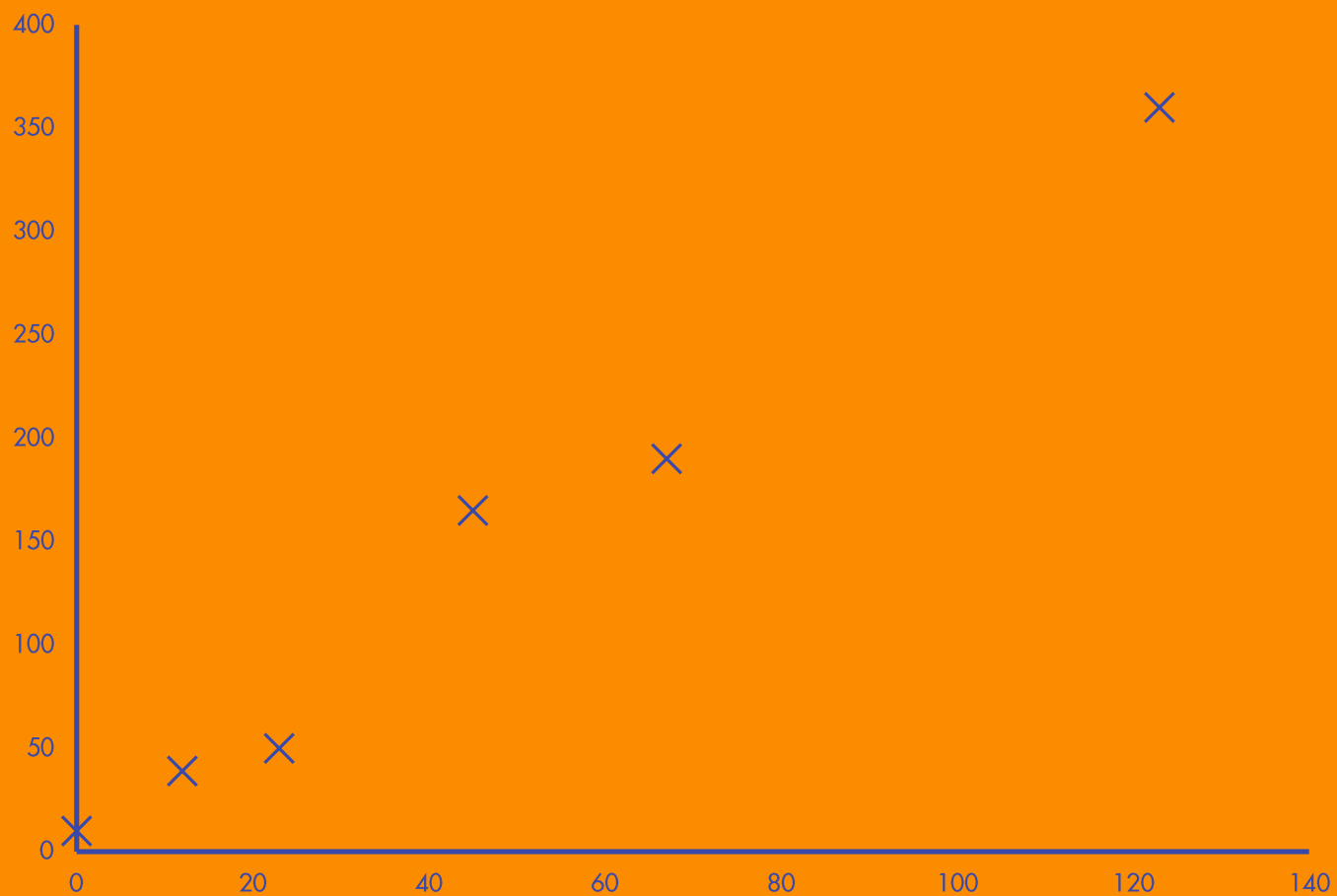
$h_1$



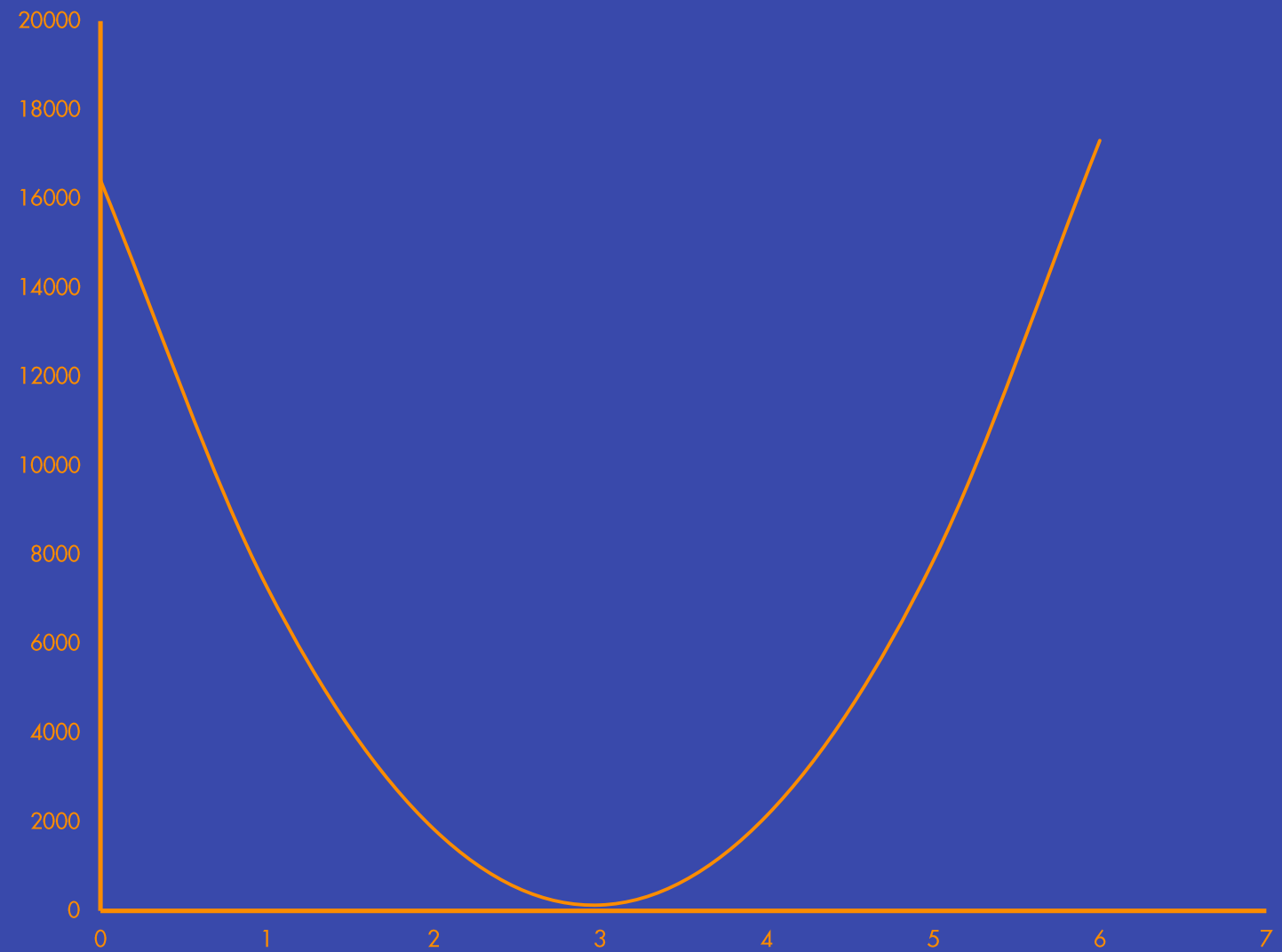
$h_2$

$$J(\theta_0, \theta_1) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m \left( h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)} \right)^2$$

The smaller the value of  $J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$ ,  
the better the fit of the hypothesis to  
the training set



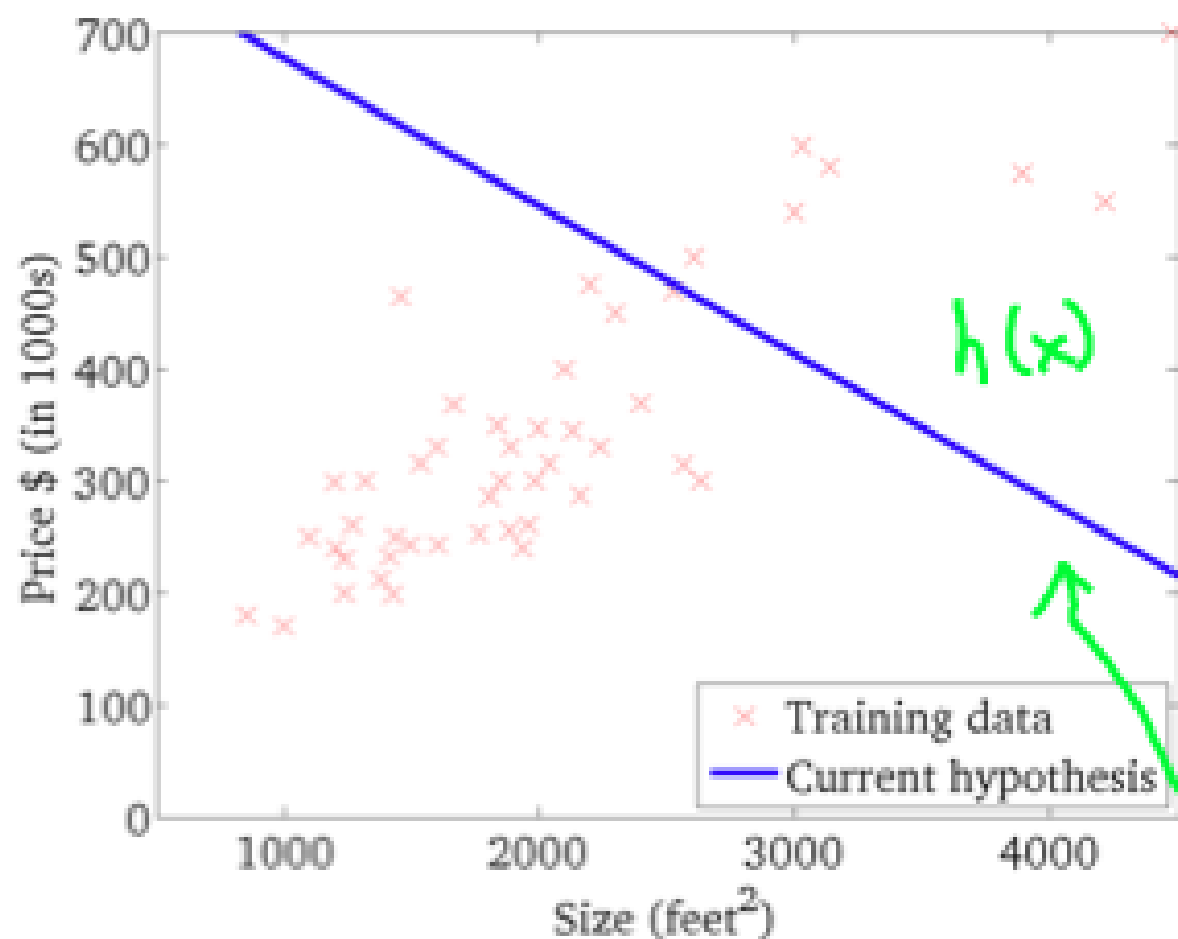
x	y
12	39
23	50
45	165
0	10
123	360
67	190



$\theta_1$	$J(\theta_1)$
0	16420.5
1	7271.3
2	1841.5
3	131
4	2139.8
5	7868
6	17315

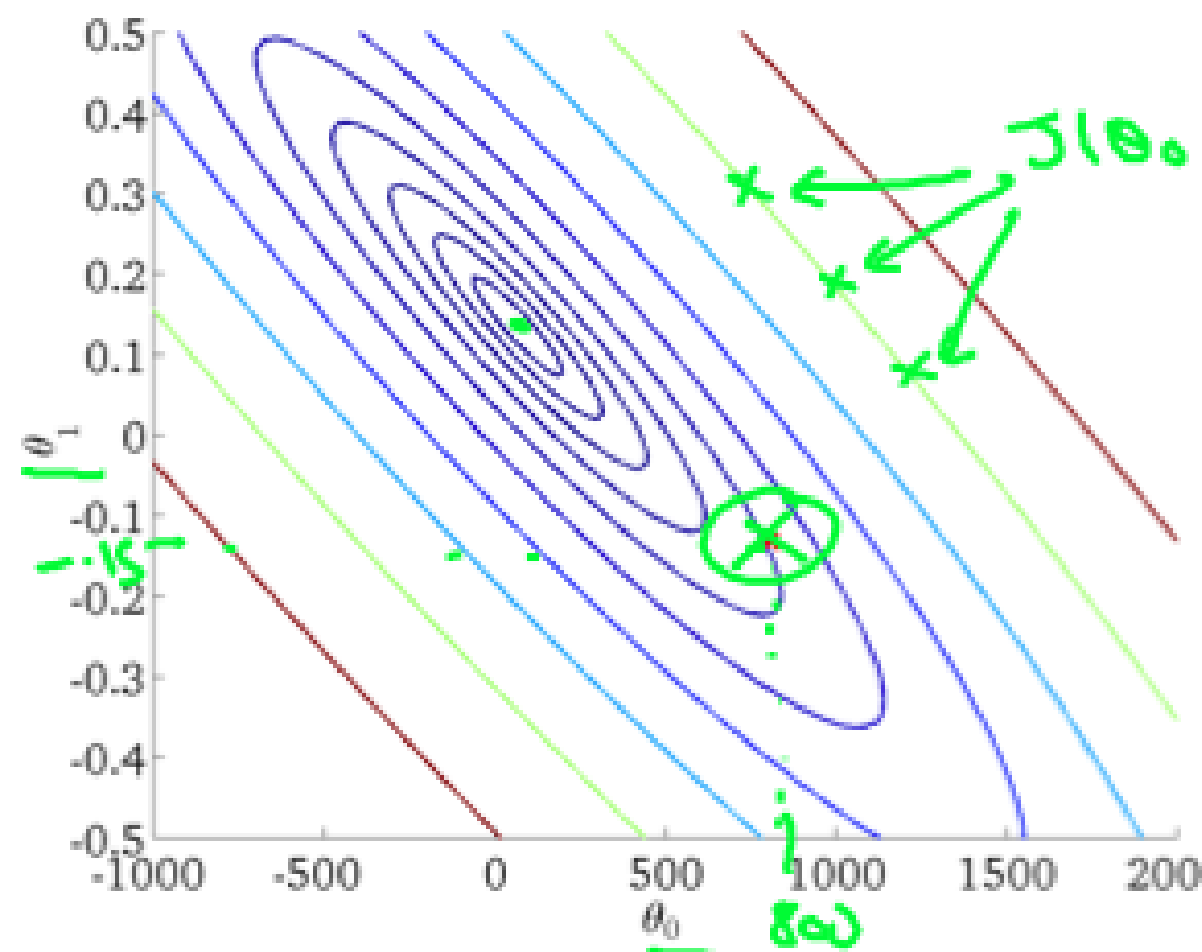
$$h_{\theta}(x)$$

(for fixed  $\theta_0, \theta_1$ , this is a function of  $x$ )



$$J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$$

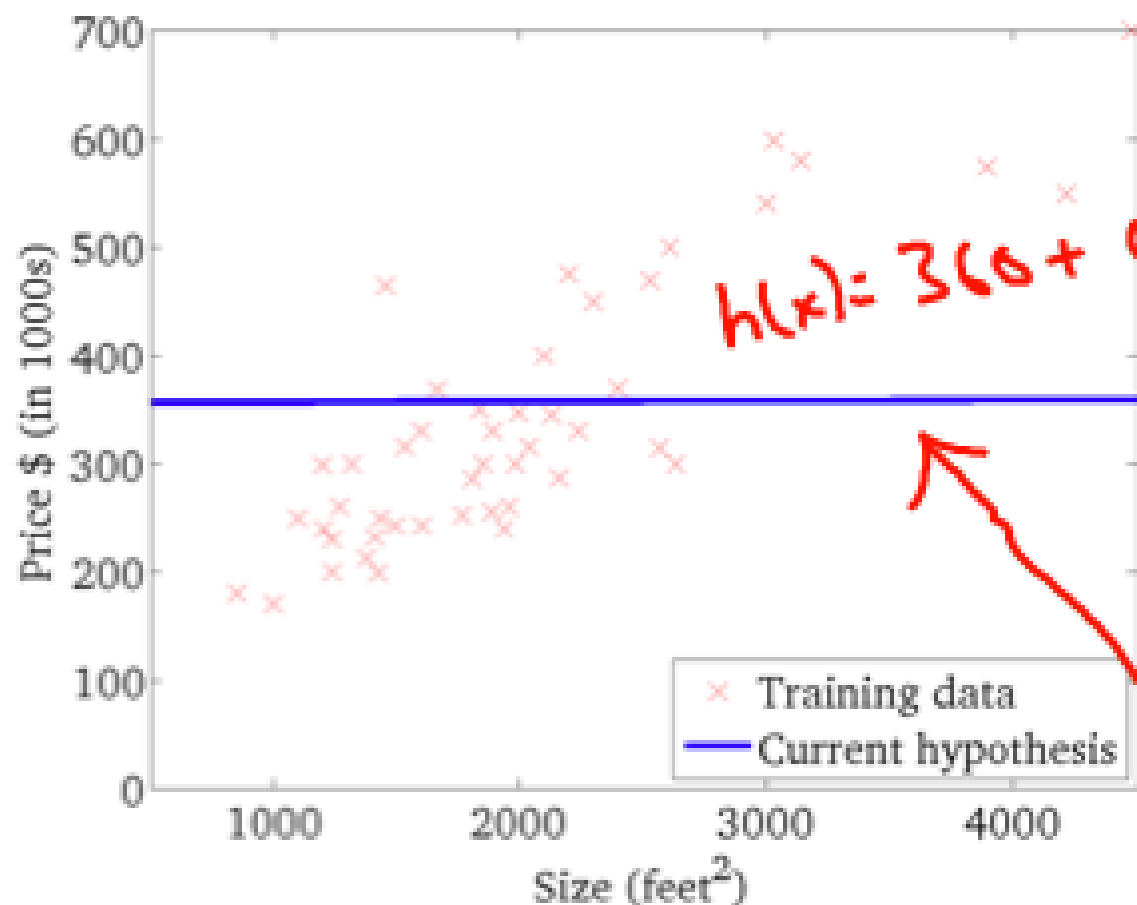
(function of the parameters  $\theta_0, \theta_1$ )





$$h_{\theta}(x)$$

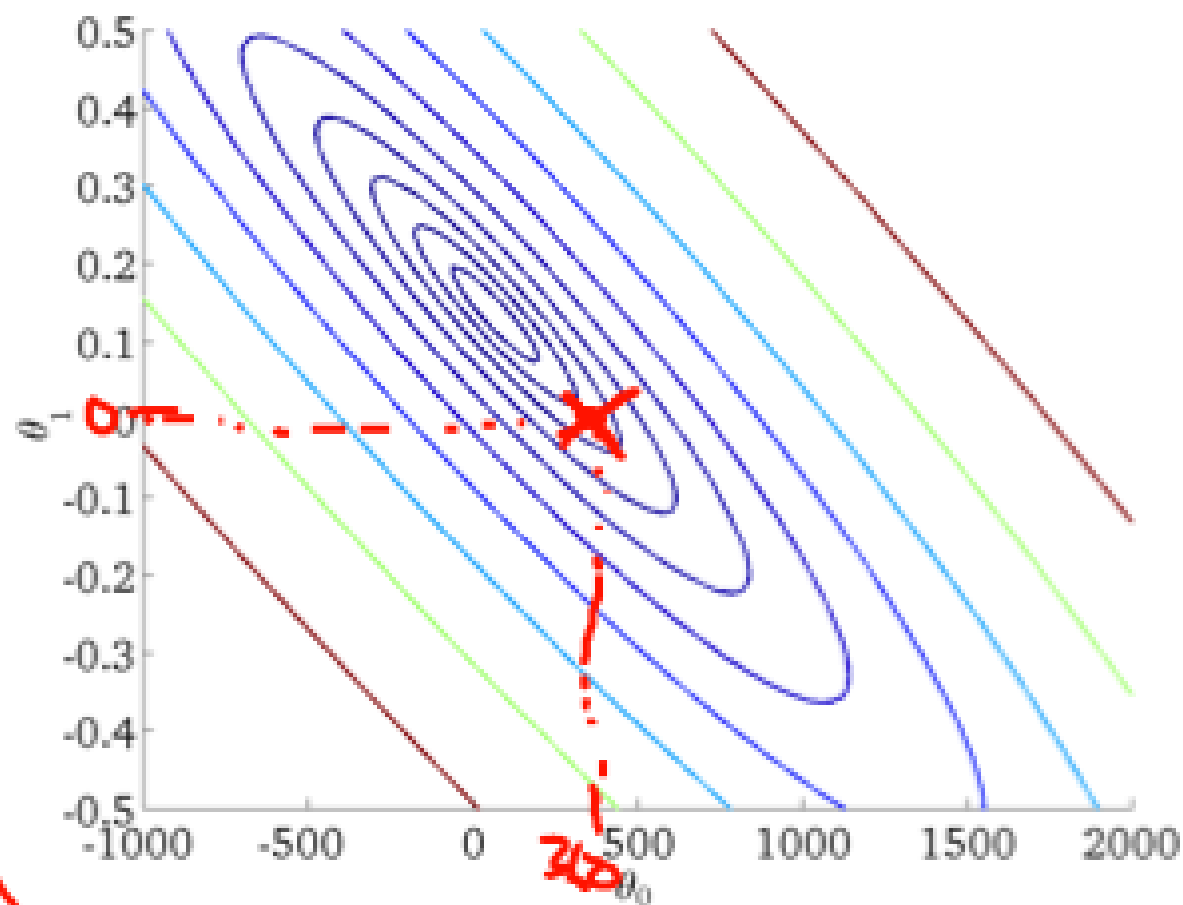
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$$h(x) = 360 + 0 \cdot x$$

$$J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$$

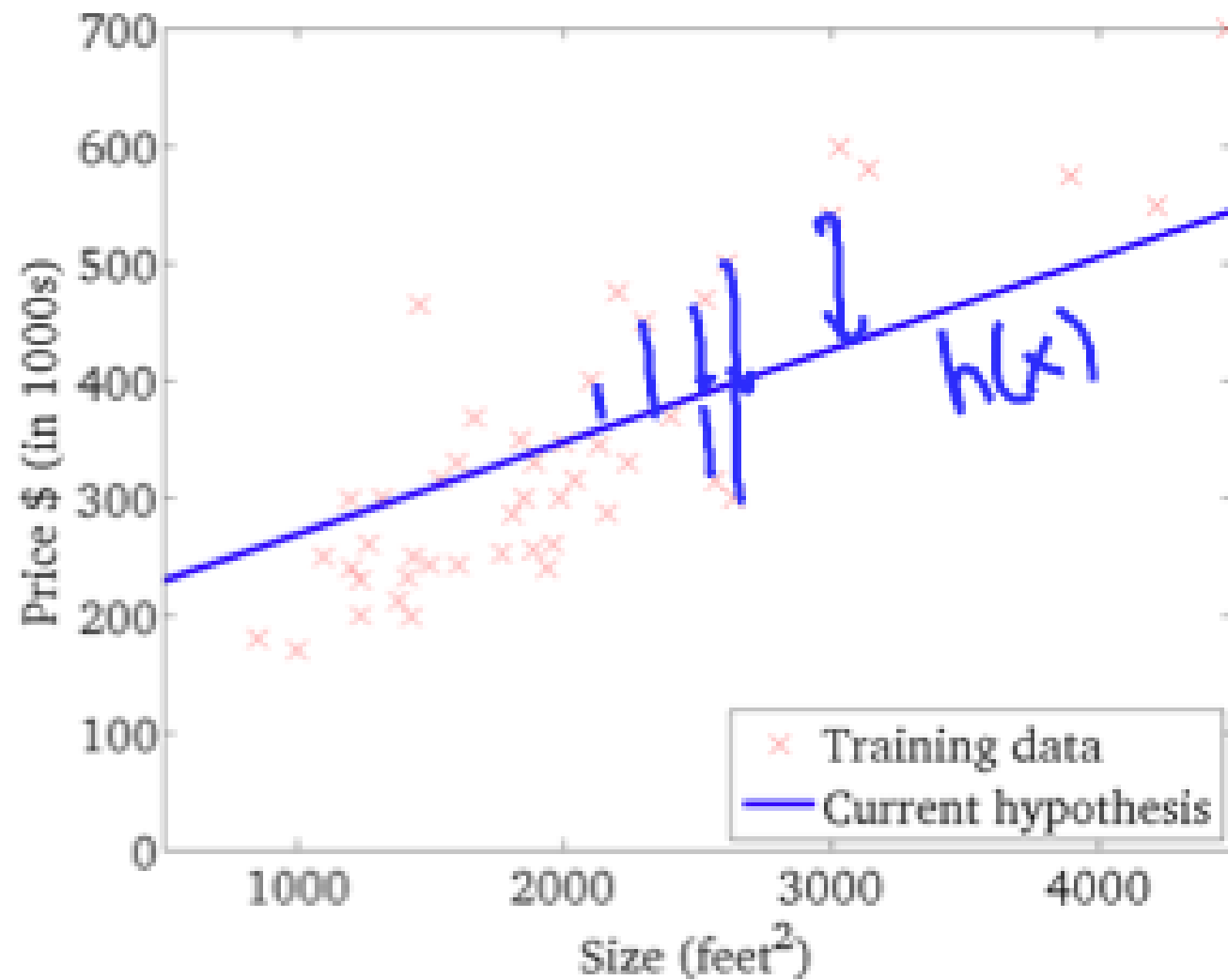
(function of the parameters  $\theta_0, \theta_1$ )



$$\begin{cases} \theta_0 = 360 \\ \theta_1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

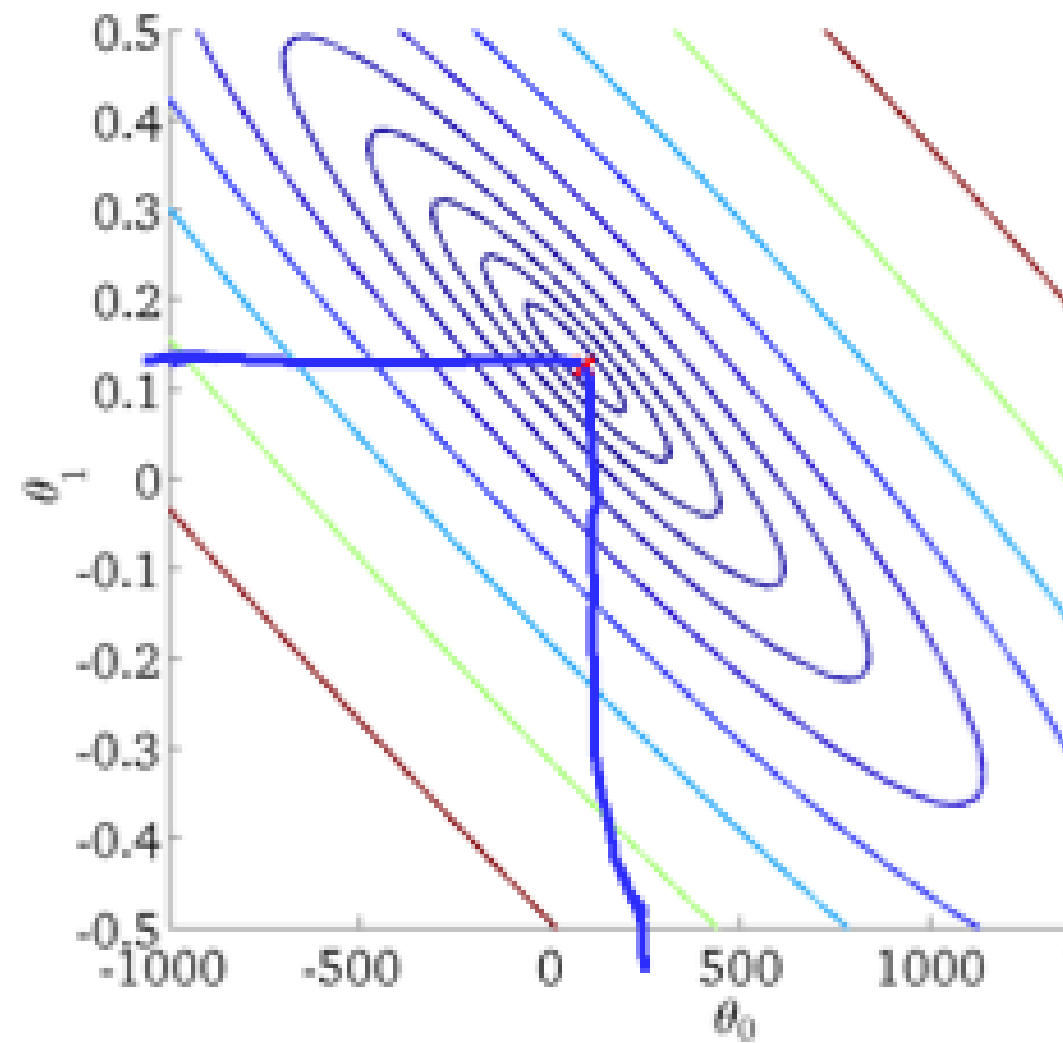
$$h_{\theta}(x)$$

(for fixed  $\theta_0, \theta_1$ , this is a function of  $x$ )



$$J(\theta_0, \theta_1)$$

(function of the parameters)



$$J'(\theta_0, \theta_1) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m ((h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})x^{(i)})$$

Repeat until convergence: {

$$\theta_0 := \theta_0 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_0^{(i)}$$

$$\theta_1 := \theta_1 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_1^{(i)}$$

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$x_1$	$x_2$	$y$
12	2	39
23	-5	50
45	44	165
0	12	10
123	-12	360
67	-20	190

# More Notations

$x_j^{(i)}$  = value of the feature  $j$  in the  $i^{th}$  training example

$x^{(i)}$  = the input features of the  $i^{th}$  training example

$m$  = number of training examples

$n$  = number of features

$$h(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2 + \cdots + \theta_n x_n$$

$$h(x) = [\theta_0 \quad \theta_1 \quad \dots \quad \theta_n] \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} = \theta^T x$$



$$H = X\theta = \begin{bmatrix} x_0^1 & x_1^1 & \cdots & x_n^1 \\ x_0^2 & x_1^2 & \cdots & x_n^2 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_0^m & x_1^m & \cdots & x_n^m \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \theta_0 \\ \theta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \theta_n \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} h(x_0) \\ h(x_1) \\ \vdots \\ h(x_n) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$H - y = \begin{bmatrix} h(x^{(1)}) \\ h(x^{(2)}) \\ \vdots \\ h(x^{(m)}) \end{bmatrix} - \begin{bmatrix} y^{(1)} \\ y^{(2)} \\ \vdots \\ y^{(m)} \end{bmatrix}$$

Repeat until convergence: {

$$\begin{aligned}\theta_0 &:= \theta_0 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_0^{(i)} \\ \theta_1 &:= \theta_1 - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_1^{(i)} \\ &\vdots \\ \theta_n &:= \theta_n - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_n^{(i)}\end{aligned}$$

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Repeat until convergence (*for*  $j$  in  $[0, n]$ ): {

$$\theta_j := \theta_j - \alpha \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$$

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