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#### Custom Logistic Regression
### Setup
set.seed(12345)
data.iris = as.data.frame(iris)
ids = data.iris$Species %in% c("virginica", "versicolor")
y.iris = ifelse(data.iris[ids,]$Species=="virginica", 1, 0)
X.iris = data.iris[ids,c(1,3)] # Select only Lengths to be able to
X.iris = as.matrix(X.iris / max(X.iris)) # Rescale for faster
convergence
### Functions
## Returns the sigmoid value of given number z
sigmoid = function(z){
  return(1 / (1 + exp(-z)))
## Returns the logistic regression \beta.hat
logistic_reg = function(X, y, epochs, learning.rate=5){
  X = cbind(1, X)
  n = dim(X)[1]
  k = dim(X)[2]
  \beta.hat = rep(1, k)
  for(i in 1:epochs){
    # Calculate the error: yfit - y, yfit = sigmoid(X\beta)
    residuals = sigmoid(X %*% \beta.hat) - y
    #residuals = X % % \beta.hat - Y # linear regression
    # Calculate the gradient at that point
    delta = (t(X) %*% residuals) / n
    # Move β.hat in opposite direction of gradient, to find local
error minima
    \beta.hat = \beta.hat - learning.rate * delta
  rownames(\beta.hat)[1] = "Intercept"
  return(β.hat)
}
## Returns predictions of given logistical regresion
pred = function(\beta.hat, X){
  X = cbind(1, X)
  return(X %*% β.hat)
}
### Implementation
# Plot sigmoid curve
curve(sigmoid, -10, 10)
# Logistical regression
β.logreg = logistic reg(X.iris, y.iris, 300000, 5)
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