

CSE514, Spring 2022, HW 1 Name: JIANJUN WEI
Note: This homework is worth a total of 15 points

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Q1: Give two examples of the following data types:

Q1a: (2pts) Numerical and Discrete:

- ① the number of students in a class
- ② the results of rolling 2 dice

Q1b: (2pts) Numerical and Continuous:

- ① A person's weight
- ② the length of a leaf

Q1c: (2pts) Categorical and Nominal:

- ① blood type, like A, B, AB, O
- ② film genre: Romance, Comedy, Adventure, Drama

Q1d: (2pts) Categorical and Ordinal:

- ① GPA, like A, B, C, D $A > B > C > D$
- ② Educational experience: high school, elementary school, college

Q2: (2pts) Prove that the L0-norm function

$f(x)$: count the number of non-zero values in x

is not a mathematical norm by giving a counter-example to one of the three norm properties:

Q2a: $f(x) > 0$ for $x \in V$ and $x \neq 0$

Q2b: $f(x+y) \leq f(x) + f(y)$ for $x, y \in V$

① when $p < 1$, L^p does not satisfy triangle inequality
since when $p = 0.5$ for points $(1, 4), (4, 1), (1, 9)$, $\frac{1}{\sqrt{1+2\sqrt{4}}} + \frac{1}{\sqrt{4+2\sqrt{1}}} < \frac{1}{\sqrt{1+2\sqrt{9}}}$

Q2c: $f(\lambda x) = |\lambda| f(x)$ for all $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}$ and $x \in V$

$$x = [0, 0, 1]$$

$$\lambda = 4$$

$$f(\lambda x) = f([0, 0, 4]) = 1$$

$$f(\lambda x) \neq |\lambda| f(x)$$

$$|\lambda| f(x) = 4 \cdot f([0, 0, 1]) = 4 \times 1 = 4$$

Q3: (5pts) You're fitting a univariate linear regression model using the five samples listed on the right to predict the weight (the response variable) values from height (the input feature variable):

$$f(x) = mx + b$$

Using MSE as your loss function:

$$L(m, b) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (mx_i + b))^2$$

You've randomly started your parameter values at

$$m = 1$$

$$b = 10$$

Use gradient descent to update the two parameter values by one step, using a learning rate of $\alpha = 0.01$

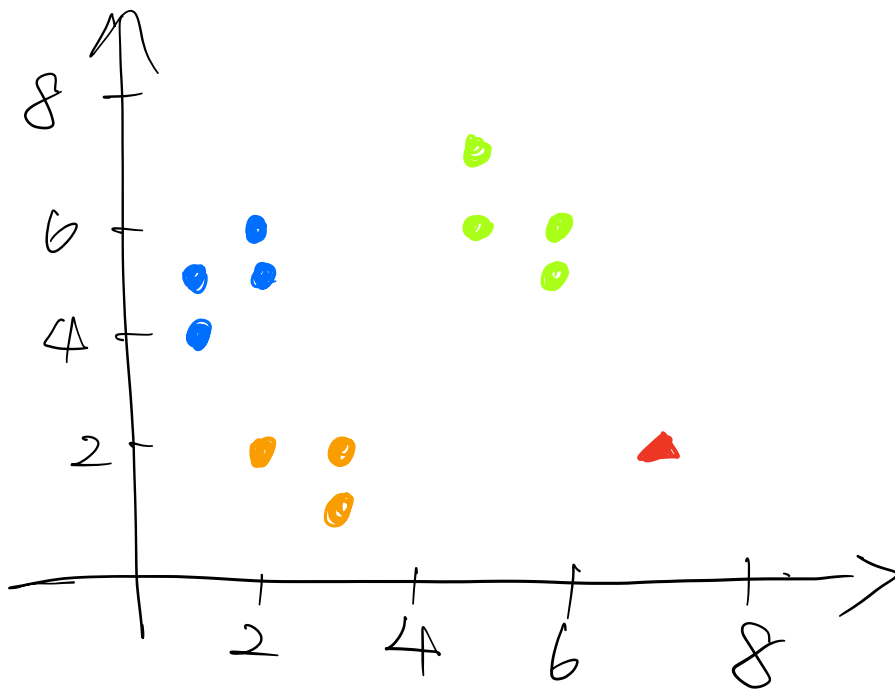
$$\begin{aligned} m_{\text{new}} &= m_{\text{old}} - \frac{\alpha}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n -2x_i (y_i - (m_{\text{old}}x_i + b_{\text{old}})) \\ &= 1 - \frac{0.01}{5} \cdot \sum_{i=1}^n -2x_i (y_i - (x_i + 10)) = -1.004 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} b_{\text{new}} &= b_{\text{old}} - \frac{\alpha}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n -2(y_i - (m_{\text{old}}x_i + b_{\text{old}})) \\ &= 10 - \frac{0.01}{5} \sum_{i=1}^n -2(y_i - (x_i + 10)) = 9.936 \end{aligned}$$

Extra Credit on HW1:

which is most similar using dot product?

| "Height" | "Weight" |
|----------|----------|
| 35 | 38 |
| 31 | 56 |
| 29 | 47 |
| 37 | 36 |
| 26 | 15 |



$\Delta(7, 2)$

yellow: $(7, 2) \cdot (2, 2) = 14 + 4 = 18$

$(7, 2) \cdot (3, 2) = 21 + 4 = 25$

$(7, 2) \cdot (3, 1) = 21 + 2 = 23$

blue: $(7, 2) \cdot (1, 4) = 7 + 8 = 15$

$(7, 2) \cdot (1, 5) = 7 + 10 = 17$

$(7, 2) \cdot (2, 5) = 14 + 10 = 24$

$(7, 2) \cdot (2, 6) = 14 + 12 = 26$

Green: $(7, 2) \cdot (6, 5) = 42 + 10 = 52$

$(7, 2) \cdot (6, 6) = 42 + 12 = 54$

$(7, 2) \cdot (5, 6) = 35 + 12 = 47$

$(7, 2) \cdot (5, 7) = 35 + 14 = 49$

Thus point (6, 6) is most similar to $\Delta(7, 2)$.