

< Goal of the cost function >

① Model : $f_{w,b}(x) = wx + b$

② Parameters : w, b

③ cost function : $J(w,b) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (f_{w,b}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2 \Rightarrow$ To find out the optimal w, b for training data

④ Goal : minimize $J(w,b)$
w, b

= minimize $J(w,b)$

< Comparison of changes in Model (hypothesis) according to Cost function by changing w value >

- Let's use simplified model

model: $f_w(x) = wx$ ($b=0$) \Rightarrow cost func : $J(w) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (f_w(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$

\Rightarrow goal : minimize $J(w)$
w

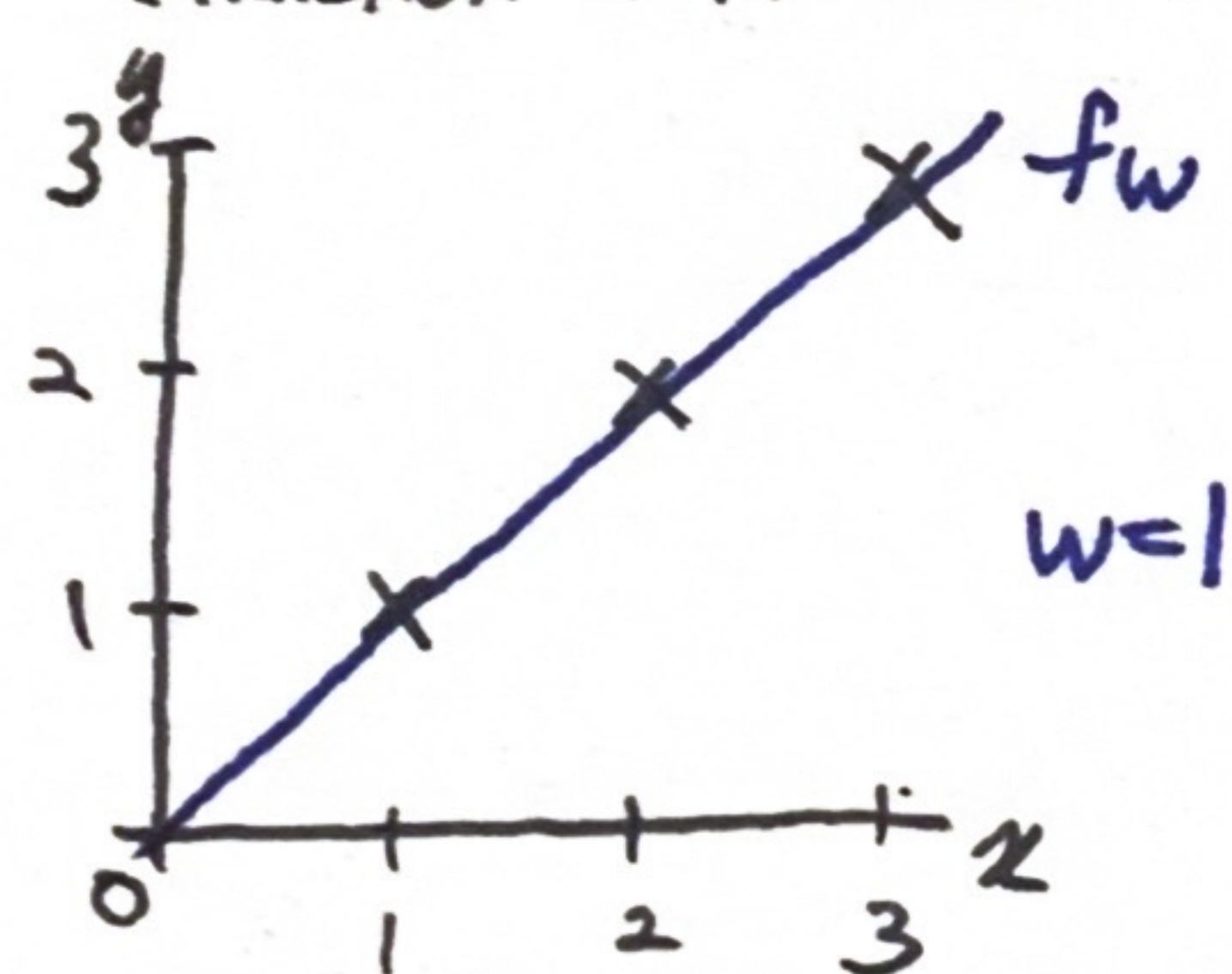
e.g. Training set

x	y
1	1
2	2
3	3

① $w=1$

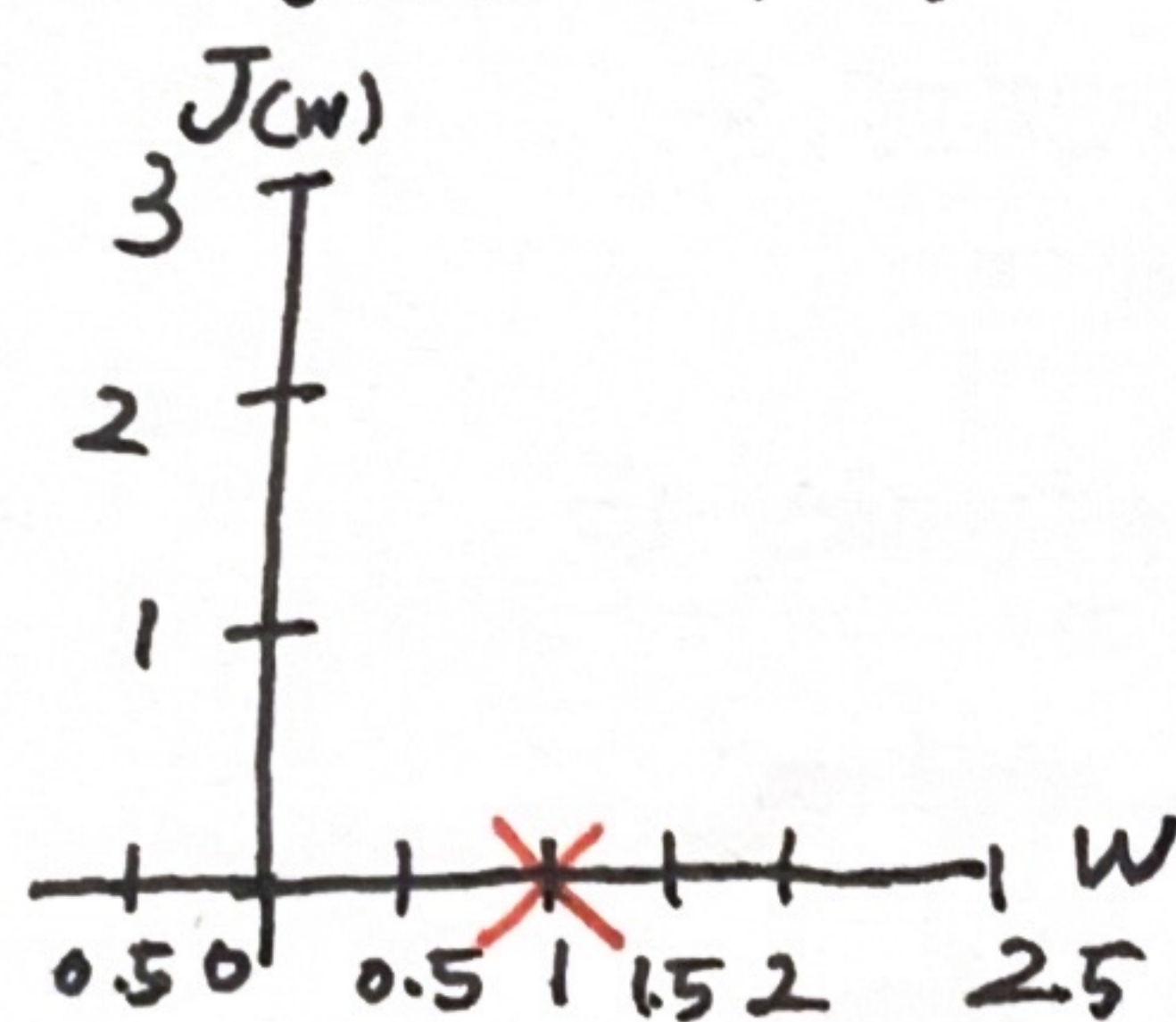
i) $f_w(x)$

(function of x = model)



$J(w)$

(function of w)



$$J(w) = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (f_w(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

$$= \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (wx^{(i)} - y^{(i)})^2$$

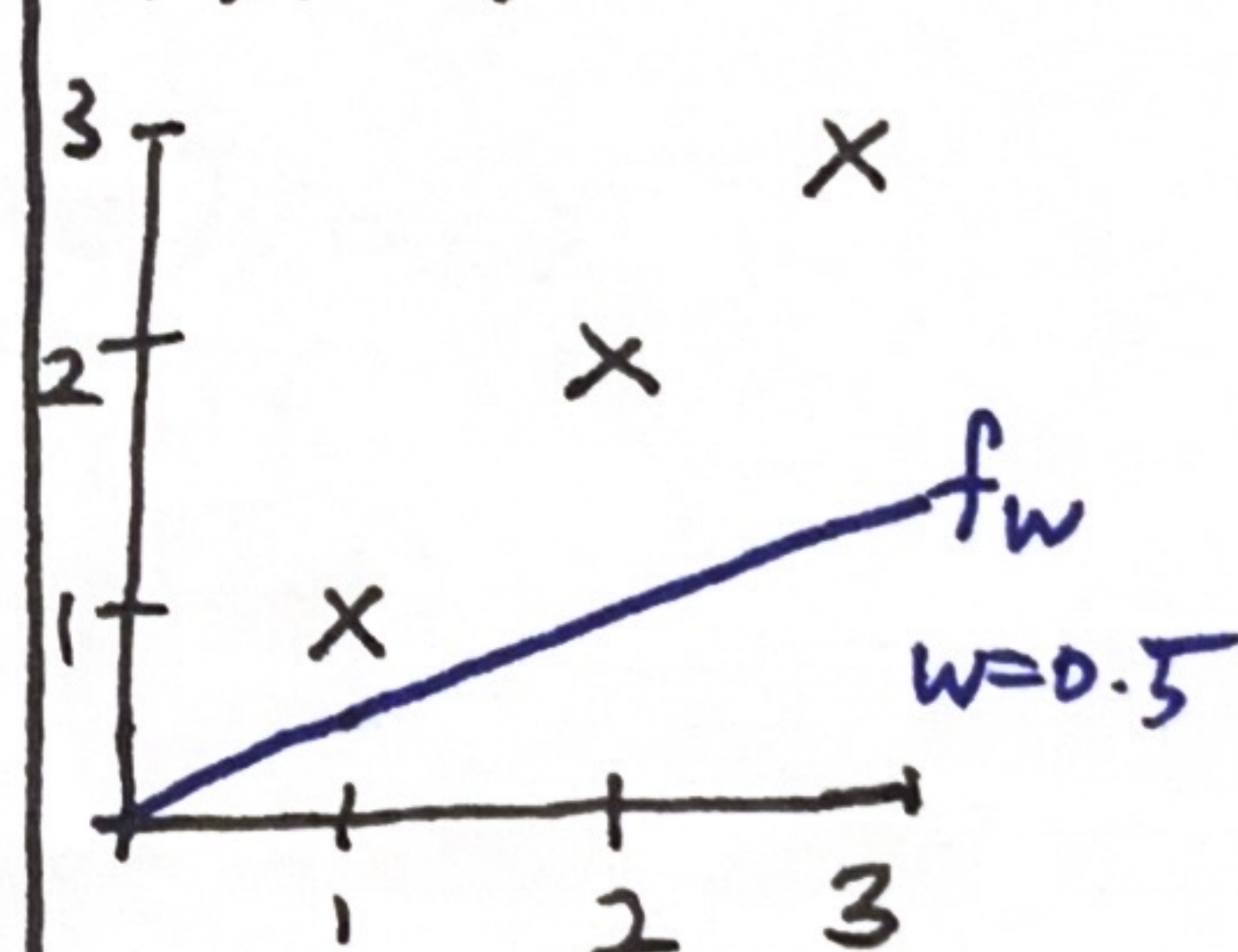
$$= \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x^{(i)} - y^{(i)})^2 \quad (w=1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2m} (0^2 + 0^2 + 0^2) = 0$$

if $w=1$,
 $J(w)=0$
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② $w=0.5$

ii) $f_w(x)$



$$J(0.5) = \frac{1}{2m} [(0.5-1)^2 + (1-2)^2 + (1.5-3)^2]$$

$$= \frac{1}{6} \times 3.5 \approx 0.58$$

(m=3)