Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning Homework 1

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1.

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{w}} R(\mathbf{w}) = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \mathbf{w}} E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x})^2 \right] = 0$$

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[2(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x})(-\mathbf{x}) \right] = 0$$

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) \mathbf{x} \right] = 0$$

$$\mathbf{a}^T E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) \mathbf{x} \right] = 0$$

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) \mathbf{a}^T \mathbf{x} \right] = 0$$

2.

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x} \right] = 0$$

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) E_{p(\mathbf{x})} \left[\mathbf{x} \right] \right] = 0$$

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) \mathbf{x} \right] + E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) E_{p(\mathbf{x})} \left[\mathbf{x} \right] \right] = 0$$

$$E_{p(\mathbf{x},y)} \left[(y - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}) (\mathbf{x} - E_{p(\mathbf{x})} \left[\mathbf{x} \right]) \right] = 0$$

 \therefore the correration between data and prediction errors is 0.

3.

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}} = \underset{\mathbf{w}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{i=1}^{N} (y_i - \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}_i)^2$$
$$= (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y$$

Let $C \in \mathbb{R}^{(d+1) \times (d+1)}$ be a diagonal matrix s.t. $\tilde{X} = XC$

$$\begin{split} \hat{\tilde{\mathbf{w}}} &= \underset{\mathbf{w}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{i=1}^{N} (y_i - \mathbf{w}^T \tilde{\mathbf{x}}_i)^2 \\ &= (\tilde{X}^T \tilde{X})^{-1} \tilde{X}^T y \\ &= ((XC)^T X C)^{-1} (XC)^T y \\ &= (CX^T X C)^{-1} CX^T y \\ &= C^{-1} (X^T X)^{-1} C^{-1} CX^T y \\ &= C^{-1} (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y \\ \tilde{X} \hat{\tilde{\mathbf{w}}} &= XCC^{-1} (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y \\ &= X(X^T X)^{-1} X^T y \\ &= X \hat{\mathbf{w}} \text{ as required} \end{split}$$

4.