

Lecture 21

Polyfit function in Matlab (cont'd)

```
N = 4
% Generate 4 data points for training
rng(1);
x = 10*rand(1, N);

Z = 1 + 2*x + 3*x.^2; % Target values

% Formulate the input data matrix
Fx = zeros(3,N);
for i = 1:N
    Fx(:,i) = [1, x(i), x(i)^2];
end

W = Z / Fx
W2 = Z * pinv(Fx)

W =

    1.0000    2.0000    3.0000

W2 =

    1.0000    2.0000    3.0000

[p,s] = polyfit(x, Z, 2); % notice the reversed order

>> p

p =

    3.0000    2.0000    1.0000
```

Structure Returned by polyfit ()

`[p,S] = polyfit(x,y,n)` also returns a structure `S` that can be used to obtain error estimates.

`S` is a structure containing three elements:

- (1) The triangular factor from a QR decomposition of the Vandermonde matrix,
- (2) The degrees of freedom and,
- (3) The norm of the residuals.

```
S.R = R;
S.df = max(0, length(y) - (n+1));
r = y - V*p;
S.normr = norm(r);
```

```
>> s.R
```

```
ans =
```

```
-55.4817 -8.5417 -1.4134
         0  2.3359  0.9953
         0   0 -1.0058
```

```
>> s.normr
```

```
ans =
```

```
6.6613e-16
```

```
% Now with noise added
```

```
N = 4
```

```
rng(1);
```

```
x = 10*rand(1, N);
```

```
rng(1);
```

```
Z = 1 + 2*x + 3*x.^2 + randn(1, N);
```

```
% Formulat the input data matrix
```

```
Fx = zeros(3,N);
```

```
for i = 1:N
```

```
    Fx(:,i) = [1, x(i), x(i)^2];
```

```
end
```

```
W = Z / Fx
```

```
W = Z / Fx
```

```
N =
```

```
4
```

```
W =
```

```
0.2300  1.6518  3.0862
```

```
% Mimic the Matlab implemenation
```

```
% The Vondermonde matrix
```

```
V = fliplr(Fx'); % Transpose followed by left to right flip
```

```
[Q,R] = qr(V,0); % Economy-size QR decomposition
```

```
% Orthornormal columns
```

```
Q'*Q
```

```
p2 = mldivide(R, Q'*Z');
```

```
p2'
```

```
ans =
```

```
3.0862  1.6518  0.2300
```

```
% Compared wit the structure returned by polyfit( )
```

```
[p,s] = polyfit(x, Z, 2);
```

```
p
```

```
s.R
```

```
s.normr
```

```
% Compare the norm of the residues
```

```
normr2 = norm(W*Fx - Z)
```

```
normr3 = norm(V*p2 - Z')
```

regression_demo.py

```
import numpy as np
infile = "regression_dataset.csv"
dataset = np.loadtxt(infile, delimiter=',')
xdata = dataset[:, 0]
ydata = dataset[:, 1]

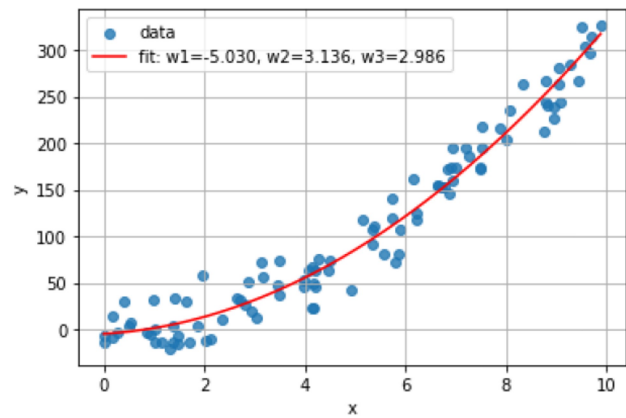
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.preprocessing import PolynomialFeatures

poly = PolynomialFeatures(degree=2)
xdata = xdata[:, np.newaxis]

xdata_poly = poly.fit_transform(xdata)

reg = LinearRegression(fit_intercept=False).fit(xdata_poly, ydata)
# reg = LinearRegression().fit(xdata_poly, ydata)

reg.coef_
# reg.intercept_
```



Logistic Regression

- Here we adopt a generative approach, where we model the class-conditional densities, and class priors, then use these to compute posterior probabilities through Bayes' theorem (using the two-class problem as an example):

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathcal{C}_1|\mathbf{x}) &= \frac{p(\mathbf{x}|\mathcal{C}_1)p(\mathcal{C}_1)}{p(\mathbf{x}|\mathcal{C}_1)p(\mathcal{C}_1) + p(\mathbf{x}|\mathcal{C}_2)p(\mathcal{C}_2)} \\ &= \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-a)} = \sigma(a) \end{aligned}$$

where

$$a = \ln \frac{p(\mathbf{x}|\mathcal{C}_1)p(\mathcal{C}_1)}{p(\mathbf{x}|\mathcal{C}_2)p(\mathcal{C}_2)}$$

$\sigma(a)$ is the *logistic sigmoid* function defined by $\sigma(a) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-a)}$

The logistic sigmoid function is sometimes called **logistic** function.