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2. (9 points) Consider the following data set with 4-dimensional data points (recall that each column represents one data point):

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \quad Y = [1.1 \quad 1.9 \quad 3.1]$$

We perform ridge regression with a linear hypothesis class and no constant offset, i.e. $h(x^{(i)}; \Theta) = \theta^T x^{(i)}$.

- (a) What is an optimal θ^* and its mean-squared error (MSE) for a minimizer of the ridge regression objective with $\lambda = 0$, on this data? (Note, θ^* may not be unique with $\lambda = 0$.)

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| $\theta^* =$ |
| MSE = |

- (b) As λ becomes very large, what will the MSE be of the θ^* that minimizes the ridge regression objective? It is OK to leave unsimplified, e.g. 5^2 .

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- (c) Each one of the following parameter vectors was obtained by minimizing the ridge regression objective with $\lambda = .01, 1, \text{ and } 100$. Which was which? (We rounded to 3 decimals.)

$$\theta = [0.789, 0.078, 0.081, 0.183]^T$$

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| $\lambda =$ |
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$$\theta = [0.045, 0.004, 0.006, 0.010]^T$$

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| $\lambda =$ |
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$$\theta = [0.945, 0.151, 0.010, 0.258]^T$$

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| $\lambda =$ |
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