

**CS 557: STATISTICAL PATTERN RECOG & LEARNING**

Sessional 1, Fall 2016

**Total Marks:30****Total Time: 60 Minutes****NOTE:**

1. You are allowed to bring one A4 sheet of paper with you (printed or handwritten).
2. Sharing of calculators and A4 sheet is **STRICTLY NOT ALLOWED**
3. None of the questions below require lengthy or complex calculations. Use simple methods for solving.
4. In case of any ambiguity make a reasonable assumption

Good luck!

**QUESTION 1 (Marks: 5+5+2+3)**

We have two classes, where the likelihood of data is modelled by Gaussian distribution. Suppose you are given the following statistics with two attributes  $x_1$  and  $x_2$ :

$$\begin{aligned} \text{For class 1: } \mu_1 &= (0,0), & \Sigma_1 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{For class 2: } \mu_2 &= (2,1), & \Sigma_2 &= \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 2 \end{pmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

**Part a**

What do the contours of the two distributions look like. Draw them separately on two graphs.

**Part b**

Find the decision boundary between the two classes assuming that we use Maximum a posteriori classifier and both classes are equally likely. Show all working.

**Part c**

On a separate graph plot both means and the decision boundary. Clearly write the coordinates of the points that meet the graph at any of the coordinate axis.

**Part d**

What is the classification of the points (1,1), (0.5,0.5) and (-1,-1). (No marks without proper working.)

**QUESTION 2 (Marks: 5+5+5)**

We have three types of documents fiction, politics and sports. We check whether the three words, i.e., *player*, *game*, *winner* occur in a document or not. Here are some statistics that we gather:

- Word *player* occurs in 40% of fiction, 60% of politics and 80% of sports documents.
- Word *game* occurs in 20% of fiction, 70% of politics and 90% of sports documents
- Word *winner* occurs in 50% of fiction, 30% of politics and 70% of sports documents
- There are 50% fiction documents, 20% politics documents and 30% sports documents

**PART a**

What is the probability that we observe no occurrence of *player* but occurrences of *game* and *winner* in any document if we use **naive Bayes' assumption**. Write the formula you are using as well.

**PART b**

If we observe no occurrences of *player* and *game* but an occurrence of *winner* in a document then which category of documents does it belong to? **You have to use Naive Bayes' assumption and MAP classification**. Show all working.

**PART c**

Suppose we are allowed to modify the statistics related to the word *winner* found in documents related to politics. What should be the minimum probability  $P(\text{word}=\text{winner} \mid \text{document}=\text{politics})$  for a document to be classified as politics when we observe all three words *winner*, *player* and *game* in it and the classification is done via **naive Bayes' and maximum likelihood classification**. Show all working.