

Day53_Support_Vector_Machine_(SVM)_Classifier

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Support Vector Machine (SVM) Classifier

Understanding SVM

- Suppose we have **two classes**, like A and B.
- **SVM** tries to find a line called the **hyperplane** that best separates these two classes.
- The points closest to the decision boundary are called **support vectors**.
- The distance between these support lines is called **marginal distance**.
- SVM tries to **maximize the margin** — which means better generalization and fewer errors.

Linear vs Non-linear SVM

- **Linear SVM**: Can separate classes using a straight line.
- **Non-linear SVM**: When data is not linearly separable, it uses a **kernel function** to project data into higher dimensions.
- This way, SVM converts a **non-linear problem** into a **linear one** in higher-dimensional space.

Examples:

- 1D \rightarrow 2D
- 2D \rightarrow 3D

Important SVM Concepts

- **Kernel function** helps move data to higher dimensions to make it separable.
- **Maximum margin = better generalization** (small errors can be adjusted, leading to more accuracy).
- Common kernels: `linear`, `rbf`, `poly`.

Now, let's implement an SVM Classifier in Python using scikit-learn!

1 Import Libraries

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[2]: # Step 1: Import Libraries
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')

from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
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from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.svm import SVC
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix,   

↳classification_report

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2 Load and Prepare Data

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[3]: # Step 2: Load Dataset
dataset = pd.read_csv(r"C:\Users\Lenovo\Downloads\logit_classification.csv") #   

↳adjust path if needed
dataset.head()

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[3]:      User ID  Gender  Age  EstimatedSalary  Purchased
0   15624510    Male   19           19000           0
1   15810944    Male   35           20000           0
2   15668575  Female   26           43000           0
3   15603246  Female   27           57000           0
4   15804002    Male   19           76000           0

```

3 Feature Selection & Train-Test Split

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[4]: # Step 3: Select Features and Target
X = dataset[["Age", "EstimatedSalary"]].values
y = dataset["Purchased"].values

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[5]: # Split into train-test sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.25,   

↳random_state=0)

```

4 Feature Scaling

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[6]: # Step 4: Scale Features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
X_test_scaled = scaler.transform(X_test)

```

5 Train SVM Classifier

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[7]: # Step 5: Train the SVM model
svm_model = SVC(kernel='rbf', C=1.0, gamma='scale') # Try 'linear' or 'poly'   

↳as well
svm_model.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)

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[7]: SVC()

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6 Model Evaluation

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[8]: # Step 6: Make Predictions and Evaluate
y_pred_svm = svm_model.predict(X_test_scaled)

print("SVM Classifier Results")
print("Accuracy:", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_svm))
print("Confusion Matrix:\n", confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_svm))
print("Classification Report:\n", classification_report(y_test, y_pred_svm))
```

SVM Classifier Results

Accuracy: 0.93

Confusion Matrix:

[[64 4]

[3 29]]

Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.96	0.94	0.95	68
1	0.88	0.91	0.89	32
accuracy			0.93	100
macro avg	0.92	0.92	0.92	100
weighted avg	0.93	0.93	0.93	100

7 Future Prediction

Once the model is trained, you can pass new user data (like Age and Estimated Salary) for prediction:

Example:

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new_data = [[30, 87000]]
scaled_data = scaler.transform(new_data)
svm_model.predict(scaled_data)
```

8 Predicting from Future Data CSV

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[15]: # Step 7: Load Future Data for Prediction

import pandas as pd

future_data = pd.DataFrame({
    "User ID": [1674381, 1674382, 1674383, 1674384, 1674385, 1674386, 1674387,
                1674388, 1674389, 1674390, 1674391, 1674392, 1674393, 1674394],
    "Gender": ["Male", "Female", "Male", "Female", "Female", "Male", "Male",
               "Female", "Male", "Female", "Female", "Male", "Male", "Female"],
})
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    "Age": [29, 14, 28, 58, 80, 90, 100, 45, 37, 48, 59, 60, 61, 62],
    "EstimatedSalary": [39000, 34500, 40000, 56490, 59000, 41000, 23000, 20000,
                        33000, 23000, 64000, 33000, 23000, 45000]
})

# or

# future_data = pd.read_csv(r"C:
↪ \Users\Lenovo\OneDrive\Desktop\future_prediction.csv")

# Assuming your future file has columns: "Age", "EstimatedSalary"
print(future_data)

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	User ID	Gender	Age	EstimatedSalary
0	1674381	Male	29	39000
1	1674382	Female	14	34500
2	1674383	Male	28	40000
3	1674384	Female	58	56490
4	1674385	Female	80	59000
5	1674386	Male	90	41000
6	1674387	Male	100	23000
7	1674388	Female	45	20000
8	1674389	Male	37	33000
9	1674390	Female	48	23000
10	1674391	Female	59	64000
11	1674392	Male	60	33000
12	1674393	Male	61	23000
13	1674394	Female	62	45000

9 Scale the future data using the same scaler used during training

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[16]: future_scaled = scaler.transform(future_data[["Age", "EstimatedSalary"]])
```

10 Predict using trained SVM model

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[17]: future_predictions = svm_model.predict(future_scaled)
```

11 Append predictions to the DataFrame

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[18]: future_data["Predicted_Purchase"] = future_predictions

print("\n Future Predictions:\n")
print(future_data)
```

Future Predictions:

	User ID	Gender	Age	EstimatedSalary	Predicted_Purchase
0	1674381	Male	29	39000	0
1	1674382	Female	14	34500	0
2	1674383	Male	28	40000	0
3	1674384	Female	58	56490	1
4	1674385	Female	80	59000	1
5	1674386	Male	90	41000	1
6	1674387	Male	100	23000	1
7	1674388	Female	45	20000	1
8	1674389	Male	37	33000	0
9	1674390	Female	48	23000	1
10	1674391	Female	59	64000	1
11	1674392	Male	60	33000	1
12	1674393	Male	61	23000	1
13	1674394	Female	62	45000	1

Future Prediction Summary (SVM Classifier)

- **Goal:** Predict if a user will purchase based on **Age** and **EstimatedSalary**.
- **Output:** Predicted_Purchase = 1 (Will buy), 0 (Will not buy)

Key Insights:

- **Older users (Age 58+)** are mostly predicted as buyers, even with lower salaries.
- **Younger users (<30)** are predicted as non-buyers, especially with average income.
- Model prioritizes **Age** more than **Salary** when making predictions.

Example:

Age	Salary	Prediction
29	39000	No
58	56490	Yes
90	41000	Yes

This helps companies **target real buyers** and reduce **marketing costs**.

12 Real-Time Use Case Explanation

How Does SVM Work in Real-Time Product Predictions?

Imagine a company like **Amazon** or **Flipkart** wants to predict whether a user will buy a product or not.

Here's how this real-time prediction happens using models like SVM:

Step-by-Step Real-Time Flow

1. User visits the website

The system captures user features like:

- Age
- Estimated salary
- Location, device, or browsing history

2. Features are passed to a trained model

The features are **scaled** using the same scaler used during model training.

3. Model gives prediction

The model outputs:

- 1 (User is likely to purchase)
- 0 (User is not likely to purchase)

4. Personalization kicks in

- If the user is likely to buy → show **targeted offers, add-to-cart prompts**, urgency messages like “Only 1 left!”
- If unlikely → offer **discounts, alternative recommendations**, etc.

Example

A user with:

Age	Estimated Salary
30	87,000

The system passes this to the model:

```
model.predict([[30, 87000]])
```

If **result = 1**, the product page shows:

“Special deal just for you!”

Business Impact

- Increases conversion rate
- Improves customer experience
- Reduces ad wastage by targeting the right users

13 Final Reflection

In this notebook, I explored how **Support Vector Machines (SVM)** can be used not just as a mathematical model, but as a **real-world decision-making tool**.

From training on historical data to making predictions on unseen users, this project shows how machine learning can:

- Improve business efficiency
- Personalize user experiences
- Reduce marketing costs
- Increase product conversions

This is just one use case. The same logic applies to **finance, healthcare, e-commerce, and more.**

This project boosted my understanding of:

- Classification models
- Real-time prediction systems
- Data preprocessing (scaling, splitting)
- Model evaluation and deployment thinking

“A model is only as good as the data and questions we ask of it.”