

Extension to M-ary Bayes Classifier

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$$H_y : \underline{x} \sim p(\underline{x}|y), y=1, \dots, M$$

$$\text{priors } \pi_y = P\{Y=y\}, y=1, \dots, M$$

$$\hat{y}_{\text{Bayes}} = f_{\text{Bayes}}(\underline{x}) =$$

f_{Bayes} minimizes

Multivariate Gaussian Distribution

Recall : Gaussian random variable X with df

$$f_x(x) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} e^{-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$$

Generalization to d-dimensional vector \underline{x} :

$$\phi(\underline{x}, \underline{\mu}, C) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{d}{2}} \sqrt{|C|}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} (\underline{x}-\underline{\mu})^T C^{-1} (\underline{x}-\underline{\mu})}$$

$$\underline{\mu} = , \quad C =$$

$$\underline{\mu}_l = , \quad C_{l,m} =$$

Compact Notation :

M-ary Classification with Multivariate Gaussians

$$H_y : p(\underline{x}|y) = \phi(\underline{x}, \underline{\mu}_y, C_y)$$

$$\hat{y}_{\text{Bayes}} = f_{\text{Bayes}}(\underline{x}) = \arg \max_y (\ln H_y + \ln p(\underline{x}|y))$$

$$p(\underline{x}|y) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{d}{2}} \sqrt{|C_y|}} e^{-\frac{1}{2} (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_y)^T C_y^{-1} (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_y)}$$

$$\ln p(\underline{x}|y) =$$

$$\hat{y}_{\text{Bayes}} = \arg \max_y$$

If C_y 's are different,

If $C_y = C$, for all y , then

$$\frac{1}{2} (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_y)^T C_y^{-1} (\underline{x} - \underline{\mu}_y) = \frac{1}{2} \left(\underbrace{\underline{x}^T C^{-1} \underline{x}}_{\rightarrow} - \underbrace{\underline{\mu}_y^T C^{-1} \underline{x}}_{\leftarrow} - \underline{x}^T C^{-1} \underline{\mu}_y + \underline{\mu}_y^T C^{-1} \underline{\mu}_y \right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \hat{y}_{\text{Bayes}} = \arg \max_y$$

Linear Discriminant Analysis (LDA) Classifier

- Assuming $C_y = C$, for all y ,

$$f_{\text{Bayes}}(x) = \arg \max_y \left[\ln \pi_y + \underline{\mu}_y^T C^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \underline{\mu}_y^T C^{-1} \underline{\mu}_y \right]$$

- LDA approach replaces $\{\pi_l, \underline{\mu}_l\}_{l=1}^M$ and C by estimates and that are obtained from

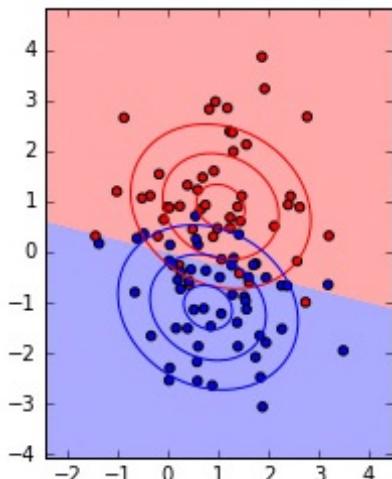
Estimation Let $N_l = \# \text{ training data with class label } l$

$$\hat{\pi}_l = \quad , \quad \hat{\underline{\mu}}_l =$$

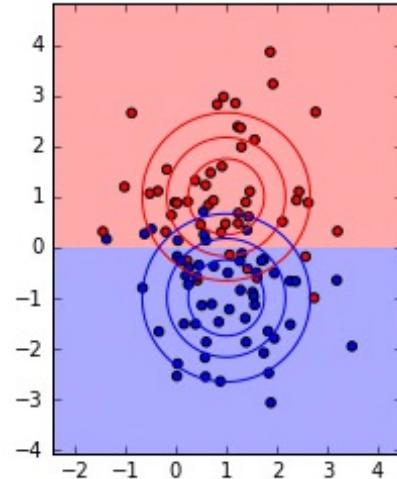
$$\hat{C} =$$

$$\text{Let } \delta_l(x) = \ln \hat{\pi}_l + \hat{\underline{\mu}}_l^T \hat{C}^{-1} x - \frac{1}{2} \hat{\underline{\mu}}_l^T \hat{C}^{-1} \hat{\underline{\mu}}_l$$

$$\text{Then } \hat{y}_{\text{LDA}} = f_{\text{LDA}}(x) =$$



LDA



Bayes

Linear Classifiers

- Linear classifiers (e.g. LDA) are classifiers for which the objective $\delta_l(\underline{x})$ is linear

$$\delta_l(\underline{x}) =$$

For LDA, $\underline{a}_l^T =$, $b_l =$

$$\hat{y}_{\text{lin}} = f_{\text{lin}}(\underline{x}) =$$

- Decision between classes l and m :

$$a_l^T \underline{x} + b_l \stackrel{l}{\gtrless} \stackrel{m}{\gtrless} a_m^T \underline{x} + b_m$$

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- Define $g_{lm}(\underline{x}) =$

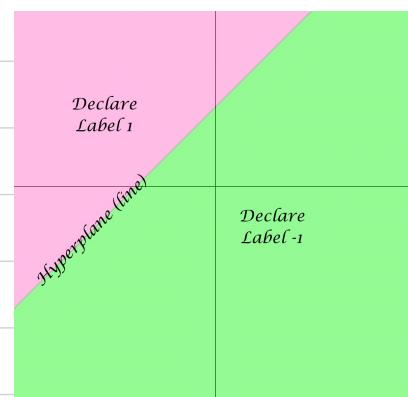


Then

- $g_{lm}(\underline{x}) = 0$ defines a

Binary Linear Classifier

$$\hat{y}_{\text{lin}} = f_{\text{lin}}(\underline{x}) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \underline{w}^T \underline{x} \geq \beta \\ -1 & \text{if } \underline{w}^T \underline{x} < \beta \end{cases}$$



Example $M = 3, d = 2, \underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{bmatrix}$

$$\delta_1(\underline{x}) = x_1 + 2x_2 + 1$$

$$\delta_2(\underline{x}) = 2x_1 - x_2 + 2$$

$$\delta_3(\underline{x}) = -x_1 + 2x_2 + 1$$

Linear discriminant functions :

Suppose we want to classify $\underline{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}$.

1. Using $\delta_e(\underline{x})$:

2. Using $g_{\text{em}}(\underline{x})$: