

## CS412: Introduction to Data Mining, Fall 2023, Midterm

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### 1 Q1

- a. To get the answer of  $P(S = T, M = F, G = T, V = T, A = F)$ , we could compute the answer of:

$$P(S = T) \times P(M = F) \times P(G = T) \times P(V = T) \times P(A = F)$$

From the figure 1, we could get the answer for:

$$P(S = T) = 0.30$$

$$P(M = F) = 1 - P(M = T) = 1 - 0.40 = 0.60$$

$$P(G = T) = 0.60, (S = T, M = F)$$

$$P(V = T) = 0.75, (G = T)$$

$$P(A = F) = 1 - P(A = T) = 1 - 0.80 = 0.20, (G = T)$$

So the answer is

$$P = 0.30 * 0.60 * 0.60 * 0.75 * 0.20 = 0.0162$$

- b.  $P(G = T|S = T)$  means that when  $S=T$ , the probability that  $G=T$ . One is that  $P(G = T|S = T, M = T)$  One is that  $P(G = T|S = T, M = F)$  Then we could get the final result:

$$P(G = T|S = T) = P(G = T|S = T, M = T) + P(G = T|S = T, M = F)$$

$$P(G = T|S = T) = 0.40 * 0.80 + (1 - 0.40) * 0.60 = 0.68$$

- c.  $P(G = T|S = F)$  means that when  $S=F$ , the probability that  $G=T$ . One is that  $P(G = T|S = F, M = T)$  One is that  $P(G = T|S = F, M = F)$  Then we could get the final result:

$$P(G = T|S = F) = P(G = T|S = F, M = T) + P(G = T|S = F, M = F)$$

$$P(G = T|S = F) = 0.40 * 0.50 + (1 - 0.40) * 0.25 = 0.35$$

- d. For this question, the log-likelihood formula is:

$$L(D|\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n \log P(x^i|\theta)$$

*And we could easily get this from the figure network:*

$$P(x^i|\theta) = P(s^i) \times P(m^i) \times P(g^i|s^i, m^i) \times P(v^i|g^i) \times P(a^i|g^i)$$

*Then by expanding, we could get*

$$L(D|\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^n [\log P(s^i) + \log P(m^i) + \log P(g^i|s^i, m^i) + \log P(v^i|g^i) + \log P(a^i|g^i)]$$

## 2 Q2

1. For Model M1:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a. Sensitivity (M1)} &= \frac{TP}{P} = \frac{a}{a+b} = \frac{300}{300+20} = 93.750\% \\
 \text{b. Specificity (M1)} &= \frac{TN}{N} = \frac{d}{d+c} = \frac{11670}{11670+10} = 99.914\% \\
 \text{c. Accuracy (M1)} &= \frac{TP+TN}{ALL} = \frac{a+d}{a+b+c+d} = \frac{300+11670}{300+20+10+11670} = 99.750\% \\
 \text{d. Precision (M1)} &= \frac{TP}{TP+FP} = \frac{a}{a+c} = \frac{300}{300+10} = 96.774\% \\
 \text{e. Recall (M1)} &= \frac{TP}{TP+FN} = \text{Sensitivity (M1)} = 93.750\% \\
 \text{f. F1 Score (M1)} &= \frac{2 \cdot \text{Precision (M1)} \cdot \text{Recall (M1)}}{\text{Precision (M1)} + \text{Recall (M1)}} \\
 &= 2 \cdot \frac{0.968 \cdot 0.938}{0.968 + 0.938} = 95.238\%
 \end{aligned}$$

2. For Model M2:

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{a. Sensitivity (M2)} &= \frac{TP}{P} = \frac{a}{a+b} = \frac{320}{320+1} = 99.688\% \\
 \text{b. Specificity (M2)} &= \frac{TN}{N} = \frac{d}{d+c} = \frac{11677}{11677+2} = 99.982\% \\
 \text{c. Accuracy (M2)} &= \frac{TP+TN}{ALL} = \frac{a+d}{a+b+c+d} = \frac{320+11677}{320+1+2+11677} = 99.975\% \\
 \text{d. Precision (M2)} &= \frac{TP}{TP+FP} = \frac{a}{a+c} = \frac{320}{320+2} = 99.379\% \\
 \text{e. Recall (M2)} &= \frac{TP}{TP+FN} = \text{Sensitivity (M2)} = 99.688\% \\
 \text{f. F1 Score (M2)} &= \frac{2 \cdot \text{Precision (M2)} \cdot \text{Recall (M2)}}{\text{Precision (M2)} + \text{Recall (M2)}} \\
 &= 2 \cdot \frac{0.9938 \cdot 0.9969}{0.9938 + 0.9969} = 99.533\%
 \end{aligned}$$

### 3 Q3

- a. As we know that to calculate the degree of freedom of  $k$ -fold cross-validation is  $k - 1$ . And here we know that  $k=10$ , so the degrees of freedom is  $10-1=9$ .

$$DOF = 9$$

- b. We could use equation below to calculate  $t$ :

$$t = \frac{\overline{err}(M1) - \overline{err}(M2)}{\sqrt{\frac{var(M1-M2)}{k}}}$$

and the equation below:

$$var(M1 - M2) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^{10} [err(M1)_i - err(M2)_i - (err(M1) - err(M2))]^2$$

And from the question, we know that the two datasets are

$$err1 = [0.092, 0.038, 0.122, 0.044, 0.061, 0.045, 0.056, 0.067, 0.119, 0.051]$$

$$err2 = [0.551, 0.415, 0.619, 0.567, 0.525, 0.57, 0.48, 0.41, 0.435, 0.557]$$

And to calculate the mean value, we could use:

$$\overline{err}(M1) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err1_i}{10}$$

$$\overline{err}(M2) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err2_i}{10}$$

So

$$\overline{err}(M1) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err1_i}{10} = 0.0695$$

$$\overline{err}(M2) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err2_i}{10} = 0.5129$$

And as

$$var(M1 - M2) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^{10} [err(M1)_i - err(M2)_i - (err(M1) - err(M2))]^2 = 0.005155$$

Then

$$t = \frac{\overline{err}(M1) - \overline{err}(M2)}{\sqrt{\frac{var(M1-M2)}{k}}} = \frac{0.0695 - 0.5129}{\sqrt{\frac{0.005155}{10}}} = -19.529$$

From Python script:

$$p = 1.120 \times 10^{-8}$$

The  $p$ -value is smaller than 0.05, so we could reject the null hypothesis, Which means that there is a significant difference between the two models.

c. We could use equation below to calculate  $t$ :

$$t = \frac{\overline{err}(M1) - \overline{err}(M2)}{\sqrt{\frac{var(M1-M2)}{k}}}$$

and the equation below:

$$var(M1 - M2) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^{10} [err(M1)_i - err(M2)_i - (err(M1) - err(M2))]^2$$

And from the question, we know that the two datasets are

$$err1 = [0.092, 0.038, 0.122, 0.044, 0.061, 0.045, 0.056, 0.067, 0.119, 0.051]$$

$$err2 = [0.032, 0, 0.05, 0.006, 0.011, 0.011, 0, 0.006, 0.034, 0.034]$$

And to calculate the mean value, we could use:

$$\overline{err}(M1) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err1_i}{10}$$

$$\overline{err}(M2) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err2_i}{10}$$

So

$$\overline{err}(M1) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err1_i}{10} = 0.0695$$

$$\overline{err}(M2) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{10} err2_i}{10} = 0.0184$$

And as

$$var(M1 - M2) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{i=1}^{10} [err(M1)_i - err(M2)_i - (err(M1) - err(M2))]^2 = 0.00036$$

Then

$$t = \frac{\overline{err}(M1) - \overline{err}(M2)}{\sqrt{\frac{var(M1-M2)}{k}}} = \frac{0.0695 - 0.0184}{\sqrt{\frac{0.00036}{10}}} = 8.5322$$

From Python script:

$$p = 1.3184 \times 10^{-5}$$

The  $p$ -value is smaller than 0.05, so we could reject the null hypothesis, Which means that there is a significant difference between the two models.

## 4 Q4

a. The sigmoid function is defined as:

$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-z)}$$

The 2-class cross-entropy loss for a true label  $y$  and predicted probability  $p$  is:

$$\ell(y, \hat{y}) = -y \log(\hat{y}) - (1 - y) \log(1 - \hat{y})$$

Given the model  $f_\theta(x)$ , which is:

$$f_\theta(x) = \sigma(\theta^T x) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x)}$$

The loss for a single data point  $(x_i, y_i)$  is:

$$\ell(y_i, f_\theta(x_i)) = -y_i \log\left(\frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x_i)}\right) - (1 - y_i) \log\left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x_i)}\right)$$

Therefore, the empirical loss  $L(\theta)$  on the training set, which is the average loss over all training examples, is:

$$L(\theta) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n \left[ -y_i \log\left(\frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x_i)}\right) - (1 - y_i) \log\left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x_i)}\right) \right]$$

b. likelihood of label  $y \in \pi^y(1 - \pi)^{1-y}$  where  $\pi = \sigma(x^T w)$

Maximize likelihood of training set w.r.t  $W$ :

$$\max \prod_{i=1}^n p_w(y|x)$$

Taking log of  $\prod_{i=1}^n p_w(y|x)$ , it became to

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left[ y_i \log\left(\frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x_i)}\right) + (1 - y_i) \log\left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T x_i)}\right) \right]$$

So by observation, the difference between this and loss function in a). is a negative sign and  $\frac{1}{n}$ . So when  $\max \prod_{i=1}^n p_w(y|x)$  reached the max value, the loss function in a). will be the minimum value.

c. KL Divergence: The KL divergence for two distributions  $p(x)$  and  $q(x)$  is given by:

$$D_{kl}(p(x)||q(x)) = \sum_{x \in X} p(x) \ln \frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$$

For the Bernoulli distributions  $Bern(p^i)$  and  $Bern(\hat{p}^i)$ , the divergence is:

$$KL(Bern(p_i)||Bern(\hat{p}_i)) = y^i \log\left(\frac{y^i}{\hat{y}^i}\right) + (1 - y^i) \log\left(\frac{1 - y^i}{1 - \hat{y}^i}\right)$$

Given the 2-class cross-entropy loss from problem (a):

$$\begin{aligned} L(\theta) &= \left[ y^i \log\left(\frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T \mathbf{x}^i)}\right) + (1 - y^i) \log\left(1 - \frac{1}{1 + \exp(-\theta^T \mathbf{x}^i)}\right) \right] \\ &= [y^i \log(\hat{y}^i) + (1 - y^i) \log(1 - \hat{y}^i)] \end{aligned}$$

And from a). we know that

$$\ell(y, \hat{y}) = -y \log(\hat{y}) - (1 - y) \log(1 - \hat{y})$$

The difference between the KL divergence and the loss is then:

$$KL(\text{Bern}(p_i), \text{Bern}(\hat{p}_i)) - \ell(y^i, \hat{y}^i) = y^i \log y^i + (1 - y^i) \log(1 - y^i)$$

d. When the features are one-dimensional and the dataset is linearly separable, the optimal solution without any constraints can lead to infinite weights in a logistic regression model. This is because the model will try to push the decision boundary infinitely far from the training examples to perfectly classify them. This is because only when  $|\theta^*| \rightarrow \infty$  all the  $x_i$  could be classified into two groups. (In question a. For sigmoid function, two groups are 0 and 1) Therefore, Professor Astral's claim that  $|\theta^*| \rightarrow \infty$  is correct. The intuition is that as  $|\theta|$  grows, the output of  $\sigma(\theta^T x)$  gets closer to either 0 or 1, which can perfectly classify linearly separable data.