

Machine Learning (LAB 02)
Feature Engineering/Preprocessing

Exercise Programs

1. Create a vector (array) of 1XN dimension representing N-dimensional feature vector of a sample. Write a program to compute the mean and variance of the elements present in the array.

$$s^2 = \frac{\sum (x - \bar{x})^2}{n - 1} \quad \text{Sample Variance}$$

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{\sum (x - \mu)^2}{N} \quad \text{Population Variance}$$

$\sigma^2 = \text{variance}$

$X_i = \text{the value of the } i\text{th element}$

$\bar{X} = \text{the mean of } X$

$N = \text{the number of elements}$

Comment what the mean and variance of sample represents.

2. Create two vectors each of dimension 1XM each representing N-dimensional feature vector of a sample. Write a program to compute the Covariance between them.

$$\text{COV}(x, y) = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{n - 1}$$

Comment what Covariance between two vectors represents.

3. Create two vectors each of dimension 1XN. Write a program to compute the Correlation between them.

$$\frac{\text{Cov}(X, Y)}{\sqrt{\text{Var}(X)\text{Var}(Y)}}$$

Comment what the Correlation represents.

4. Create a Matrix of MXN dimension representing the M-dimensional feature vector for N number of samples i. e $(i, j)^{\text{th}}$ entry of the matrix represents the i^{th} feature of j^{th} sample. Write a program to compute the covariance matrix and correlation matrix. Comment on takeaways from these matrixes.