

# Machine Learning

## Homework 3

- ① Distance between two hyperplanes,  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid w^T x = \beta_1\}$  &  $\{x \in \mathbb{R}^n \mid w^T x = \beta_2\}$

→ Let the two hyperplanes be,

$$w^T x_1 = \beta_1 \quad \text{and} \quad w^T x_2 = \beta_2$$

and let's minimize  $\|x_1 - x_2\|^2$

So, the optimization problem is,

$$\underset{x_1, x_2}{\text{minimize}} \quad \|x_1 - x_2\|^2$$

$$\text{subject to,} \quad w^T x_1 = \beta_1$$

$$w^T x_2 = \beta_2$$

$$\text{combining constraints,} \quad w^T (x_1 - x_2) = \beta_1 - \beta_2 \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{constraint ①} - \text{constraint ②} \end{array} \right.$$

By Cauchy Schwarz inequality,  $|a^T b| \leq \|a\| \|b\|$

The equation reduce becomes,

$$\|w\| \|x_1 - x_2\| \geq |\beta_1 - \beta_2|$$

$$\therefore \|x_1 - x_2\| \geq \frac{|\beta_1 - \beta_2|}{\|w\|} \quad \text{--- ②}$$

from,  $w^T x_1 = \beta_1$  and  $w^T x_2 = \beta_2$  we can write,

$$x_1 = \frac{\beta_1}{\|w\|} w \quad x_2 = \frac{\beta_2}{\|w\|} w$$

Then

$$\|x_1 - x_2\| = \frac{|\beta_1 - \beta_2|}{\|w\|} \quad \text{--- ③}$$

which is the lowerbound of the inequality ②.

∴ The distance between hyperplanes,

$$\frac{|\beta_1 - \beta_2|}{\|w\|}$$

② 
$$\phi(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx$$

fact:  $\phi$  is log-concave - if  $\phi''(t)\phi(t) \leq (\phi'(t))^2$

(a) Verify  $\phi''(t)\phi(t) \leq (\phi'(t))^2$  for  $t \geq 0$ .

→ 
$$\phi'(t) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2}$$

$$\phi''(t) = \frac{-1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} \cdot \frac{2t}{2}$$

$$\phi''(t) = \frac{-t}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2}$$

$$\text{LHS, } \phi''(t)\phi(t) \Rightarrow \frac{-t}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx$$

for  $t \geq 0$ , LHS is always going to be negative

$$\therefore \phi''(t)\phi(t) \leq 0 \quad \left| \text{Its } = 0 \text{ when } t=0, \right.$$

$$\text{RHS, } (\phi'(t))^2 = \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} \right)^2 \geq 0 \text{ for } t \geq 0$$

$$\therefore \phi''(t)\phi(t) \leq (\phi'(t))^2 \text{ for } t \geq 0$$



(b)  $\frac{t^2}{2} \geq -\frac{t^2}{2} + tx$  verify

→ We know differentiable  $f$  with convex domain follows,

$$f(\theta) \geq f(\tilde{\theta}) + \nabla f(\tilde{\theta})^T (\theta - \tilde{\theta})$$

$f(\theta) = \frac{t^2}{2}$ , and  $\frac{t^2}{2}$  is convex and substituting it

$$\frac{t^2}{2} \geq \frac{x^2}{2} + \frac{x}{2} (t-x)$$

$$\frac{t^2}{2} \geq \frac{x^2}{2} + tx$$

$$-\frac{t^2}{2} \leq \frac{x^2}{2} - tx$$

$$\frac{-t^2}{2} + tx \leq \frac{x^2}{2} \quad \text{and it holds with no assumptions on } x \text{ and } t.$$

(c) From ~~Range~~ (b),

$$\frac{x^2}{2} \geq -\frac{t^2}{2} + tx$$

$$-\frac{x^2}{2} \leq \frac{t^2}{2} - tx$$

Since it holds for all  $x$  and  $t$  taking exponent won't affect inequality.

$$\therefore e^{-x^2/2} \leq e^{t^2/2 - tx}$$

Integrate over  $x$  from  $-\infty$  to  $t$

$$\int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \leq \int_{-\infty}^t e^{t^2/2 - tx} dx$$

Simplifying,

$$\int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \leq e^{t^2/2} \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-tx} dx$$

(d) Verify  $\phi''(t)\phi(t) \leq (\phi'(t))^2$  for  $t < 0$ .

→ LHS and RHS from (a) and comparing/reducing them

$$\begin{array}{ccc} \text{LHS} & & \text{RHS} \\ -\frac{t}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} & \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx & \square \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-t^2/2} \end{array}$$

$$-t \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \square e^{-t^2/2} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} \text{We don't know the} \\ \text{inequality yet.} \end{array} \right.$$

→ ①

from (c),  $\int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \leq e^{t^2/2} \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-tx} dx \rightarrow ②$

$$\frac{-e^{-tx}}{+} \Big|_{-\infty}^t$$

$$\therefore \lim_{x \rightarrow -\infty} e^{-tx} = 0 \text{ since } t < 0$$



$$\therefore \frac{d}{dt} \left( -\frac{e^{-t^2}}{t} + 0 \right) = \frac{e^{-t^2}}{t^2} + 0$$

$$\therefore \frac{d}{dt} \left( -\frac{e^{-t^2}}{t} \right) = \frac{e^{-t^2}}{t^2} \quad \text{substituting } t \text{ in (2)}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \leq e^{t^2/2} \cdot \frac{e^{-t^2}}{t}$$

$$\int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \leq -\frac{e^{-t^2/2}}{t}$$

Since  $-t$  is  $> 0$  since  $t < 0$ , multiplying both sides by  $-t$ , doesn't change inequality

$$-t \int_{-\infty}^t e^{-x^2/2} dx \leq e^{-t^2/2}$$

This is  $LHS \leq RHS$  from (1).

$$\therefore \phi''(t) \phi(t) \leq (\phi'(t))^2 \text{ for } t < 0.$$

$$(3) \quad \theta \in \mathbb{R}^m, \quad \mathcal{X} \text{ set.} \quad p(x; \theta) = a(\theta) \exp(\theta^T \phi(x))$$

$$x \in \mathcal{X}, \quad \phi: \mathcal{X} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

$$a(\theta) = \left( \int_{\mathcal{X}} \exp(\theta^T \phi(x)) dx \right)^{-1} \quad p(x; \theta) \text{ is density}$$

$$a(\theta) = \left( \sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \exp(\theta^T \phi(x)) \right)^{-1} \quad p(x; \theta) \text{ is distribution}$$

Show that  $\log p(x; \theta)$  is ~~convex~~ concave in  $\theta$ .

$$p(x; \theta) = a(\theta) \exp(\theta^T \phi(x))$$

$$\log p(x; \theta) = \log(a(\theta)) + \log(\exp(\theta^T \phi(x)))$$

$$\log(\exp(\theta^T \phi(x))) = \theta^T \phi(x)$$

is linear in  $\theta$ , hence nothing can be said about convex/concave of  $\log(p(x; \theta))$ .

Let's take,  $\log a(\theta)$  when  $\mathcal{X}$  is finite.

$$\log(a(\theta)) = \log\left(\sum_{x \in \mathcal{X}} \exp(\theta^T \phi(x))\right)^{-1}$$

$$= -\log\left(\sum \exp(\theta^T \phi(x))\right)$$

This expression is of form log-sum-exp which is known to be convex.

$\therefore -\log\left(\sum \exp(\theta^T \phi(x))\right)$  is concave.

$\therefore \log(a(\theta))$  is concave

$\therefore \log p(x; \theta)$  is concave when  $x \in \mathcal{X}$  and  $\mathcal{X}$  is finite.

Since sum of concave and linear function is concave.

For discrete but infinite  $X$  and continuous  $X$  can be handled by taking limits of finite sums as the concavity property is preserved under pointwise limits.

The maximum likelihood estimate of  $p(x; \theta)$ ,  
$$\max_{\theta} \log p(x; \theta) \Leftrightarrow \min_{\theta} -\log p(x; \theta)$$

and since  $-\log(p(x; \theta))$  is convex the MLE for  $p(x; \theta)$  is a convex optimization problem.



# Homework3\_4

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[40]: import cvxpy as cp
      from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
      from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
      import pandas as pd
      import numpy as np

[25]: def mean_absolute_error(y_true, y_pred):
      mae = 0
      for i in range(len(y_true)):
          mae += abs(y_true[i] - y_pred[i])
      return mae/len(y_true)

[34]: df = pd.read_csv("wine+quality/winequality-red.csv", sep=';')
      X = df.iloc[:, :-1].values
      y = df.iloc[:, -1].values
      X_train, y_train = X[:1400], y[:1400]
      X_test, y_test = X[1400:], y[1400:]

      # Standardize the features (x-mean(x))/std(x)
      scaler = StandardScaler()
      # Use X_train to get the mean and standard deviation
      X_train_std = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
      # Use the mean and standard deviation from X_train to standardize X_test
      # as having X_train and X_test with same standardization terms makes sense.
      X_test_std = scaler.transform(X_test)

      def addBiasToSamples(data):
          return np.hstack([data, np.ones((data.shape[0], 1))])

      X_train_std = addBiasToSamples(X_train_std)
      X_test_std = addBiasToSamples(X_test_std)

[52]: # Model 1 using least square loss
      model1 = LinearRegression().fit(X_train_std, y_train)
      y_pred1 = model1.predict(X_test_std)
      print(mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred))
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0.5329671066366284

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[54]: # Model 2 using Huber loss
w = cp.Variable(X_train.shape[1])
b = cp.Variable()
r = X_train @ w + b - y_train

obj_fn = cp.sum(cp.huber(r, M=0.5))
model2 = cp.Problem(cp.Minimize(obj_fn))
obj_values = model2.solve()

y_pred2 = X_test @ w.value + b.value
print(mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred2))
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0.5304108520987247

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[60]: # Model 3 using hinge loss
w = cp.Variable(X_train.shape[1])
b = cp.Variable()
r = X_train @ w + b - y_train

obj_fn = cp.sum(cp.maximum(0, cp.abs(r) - 1/2 ))
model3 = cp.Problem(cp.Minimize(obj_fn))
obj_values = model3.solve()

y_pred3 = X_test @ w.value + b.value
print(mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred3))
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0.5481057947573722

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# Homework3\_5

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[26]: import pandas as pd
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
import numpy as np
import cvxpy as cp
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[27]: df = pd.read_csv(r'/Users/rohitbogulla/Desktop/Sem 2/ML/Assignments/3/
↳ionosphere/ionosphere.data', header=None)
X = df.iloc[:, :-1].values
y = df.iloc[:, -1].values

y = (y == 'g').astype(int) * 2 - 1
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[28]: # The dataset in original form has last 51 samples as positive which is giving↳
↳very high
# accuracy for predicting all 1's. Hence randomizing the data split

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2,↳
↳random_state=2)

# Standardizing features
scaler = StandardScaler()
X_train_std = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
X_test_std = scaler.transform(X_test)

# adding constant term to each sample
X_train_std = np.hstack([np.ones((X_train_std.shape[0], 1)), X_train_std])
X_test_std = np.hstack([np.ones((X_test_std.shape[0], 1)), X_test_std])
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[29]: # Classifier 1 Least square loss
classifier1 = LinearRegression()
classifier1.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_pred = np.sign(classifier1.predict(X_test))
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print("Accuracy of Classifier using least square loss =",  
      ↪accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred))
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Accuracy of Classifier using least square loss = 0.7605633802816901

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[30]: # Classifier 2 Logistic loss  
w = cp.Variable(X_train.shape[1])  
b = cp.Variable()  
equation = X_train @ w + b  
  
obj_fn = cp.sum(cp.logistic(-cp.multiply( y_train, equation )))  
classifier2 = cp.Problem(cp.Minimize(obj_fn))  
# obj_value = classifier2.solve(verbose=True)  
obj_value = classifier2.solve()  
  
y_pred2 = np.sign(X_test @ w.value + b.value)  
  
print("Accuracy of Classifier using logistic loss =", accuracy_score(y_test,  
      ↪y_pred2))
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Accuracy of Classifier using logistic loss = 0.8309859154929577

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[31]: # Classifier 3 Hinge loss  
w = cp.Variable(X_train.shape[1])  
b = cp.Variable()  
equation = X_train @ w + b  
  
obj_fn = cp.sum(cp.maximum(0, 1 - cp.multiply(y_train, equation)))  
classifier3 = cp.Problem(cp.Minimize(obj_fn))  
obj_value = classifier3.solve()  
  
y_pred3 = np.sign(X_test @ w.value + b.value)  
  
print("Accuracy of Classifier using hinge loss =", accuracy_score(y_test,  
      ↪y_pred3))
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Accuracy of Classifier using hinge loss = 0.8309859154929577

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[32]: y_test
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[32]: array([-1,  1,  1,  1, -1,  1,  1,  1, -1,  1,  1,  1, -1, -1,  1, -1, -1,  
            1, -1,  1, -1,  1,  1,  1,  1, -1, -1, -1,  1, -1, -1, -1,  1, -1,  
            1, -1,  1,  1, -1,  1, -1,  1,  1,  1, -1,  1, -1, -1, -1, -1, -1,  
            1,  1, -1, -1,  1, -1,  1,  1, -1, -1,  1, -1,  1,  1,  1, -1, -1,  
            -1, -1,  1])
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