# Chapter 10: Widrow-Hoff Learning

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## E10.10

We are wanting to classify two groups of patterns:

#### Class 1

$$p_1^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix}, t_1 = 1, \theta_1 = 0.25$$

$$p_2^T = \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, t_2 = 1, \theta_1 = 0.50$$

#### Class 2

$$p_3^T = \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 4 \end{bmatrix}, t_3 = -1, \theta_3 = 0.25$$

Where  $\theta_i$  denotes the probability of the input vector occurring.

#### 1

This part was skipped as I was unable to create a diagram.

#### 3

The maximum stable learning rate is built off the Hessian matrix, H. or the Correlation matrix, R. Our performance index can be written as  $F(x) = c - 2x^T h + x^T R x$ , where  $c = E[t^2]$ ,  $R = E[zz^T]$  and h = E[tz].

$$c = E[t^2] = (1)^2(0.25) + (1)^2(0.5) + (-1)^2(0.25) = 1$$

$$h = E[tz] = 0.25(1) \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} + 0.5(1) \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} + 0.25(-1) \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 3.5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$R = E[zz^T] = 0.25 \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ -4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & -4 \end{bmatrix} + 0.5 \begin{bmatrix} 4 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 4 & 2 \end{bmatrix} + 0.25 \begin{bmatrix} -4 \\ 4 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} -4 & 4 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & -2 \\ -2 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Thus, our optimal weight vector with no bias is:

$$x^* = \begin{bmatrix} 13 & -2 \\ -2 & 10 \end{bmatrix}^{-1} \begin{bmatrix} 3.5 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} 0.26190 \\ -0.04761 \end{bmatrix}$$

The maximum stable learning rate is given by  $\alpha < \frac{2}{\lambda_{max}}$ , where  $\lambda_{max}$  denotes the largest eigen value of the Hessian matrix, H = 2R; or,  $\alpha < \frac{1}{\lambda_{max}}$ , where  $\lambda_{max}$  denotes the largest eigen value of the correlation matrix, R.

```
R = matrix(c(13, -2, -2, 10), ncol=2)
H = 2*R
eigen(R)

## eigen() decomposition
## $values
## [1] 14 9
##
## $vectors
##        [,1]        [,2]
## [1,] -0.8944272 -0.4472136
## [2,] 0.4472136 -0.8944272
```

```
## eigen() decomposition
## $values
## [1] 28 18
##
## $vectors
## [,1] [,2]
## [1,] -0.8944272 -0.4472136
## [2,] 0.4472136 -0.8944272
```

For R, the largest eigen value is 14; thus,  $\alpha < 1/14 = 0.0714$ . For H, the largest eigen value is 28; thus,  $\alpha < 2/28 = 0.0714$ .

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eigen(H)

```
LMS = function(init, bias, learning_rate, input, expect, maxIter, tol, mask, useBias) {
    n = ncol(input)
    w = init
    b = bias

for(i in 1:maxIter) { # loop over iterations

    if(!mask) { # if the user does want to print out statements
        print(sprintf(" Iteration %d", i))
    }

    for(j in 1:n) { # loop over input vectors
```

```
if(useBias) { # does the user want to include a bias
   a = w%*%input[,j]+b
  else {
   a = w%*%input[,j]
  e = expect[j] - a
  w = w + 2*learning_rate*e%*%t(input[,j])
  if(useBias) {
   b = b + 2*learning_rate*e
  if(!mask) { # if the user does want to print out statements
   print(sprintf("INPUT VECTOR: %d", j))
   print("a value: ")
   print(a)
   print("error value: ")
   print(e)
   print("new weight value: ")
   print(w)
   print("new bias value: ")
   print(b)
 }
}
error = 0
for(j in 1:n) {
  if(useBias) { # does the user want to include a bias
   a = w%*%input[,j]+b
  else {
   a = w%*%input[,j]
 e = expect[j] - a
  error = error + e^2
}
# if the square root of the sum of the square
# errors is greater than the tol, then algo
# has not converged
converged = 1
if(sqrt(error)>tol) {
 converged = 0
```

```
if(converged) {
              Algorithm CONVERGED:")
    print("
    print("Current weight is: ")
    print(w)
    if(useBias) { # does the user want to include a bias
      print("Current bias is: ")
      print(b)
    print(sprintf("Iterations taken: %d", i))
    if(useBias) { # does the user want to include a bias
      return(list(w=w, b=b))
    return(list(w=w))
  }
}
error = 0
for(j in 1:n) {
  a = w%*%input[,j]+b
  e = expect[j] - a
  error = error + abs(e)
}
print("MAXIMUM ITERATIONS REACHED")
print("Current weight is: ")
if(useBias) { # does the user want to include a bias
      print("Current bias is: ")
      print(b)
print(sprintf("Iterations taken: %d", i))
print("ERROR: ")
print(error)
if(useBias) { # does the user want to include a bias
      return(list(w=w, b=b))
return(list(w=w))
```

Now we will run our algorithm with the initial zero vector. Even after 1000 our algorithm does not minimize the Least Square Error; however, it did converge to a solution.

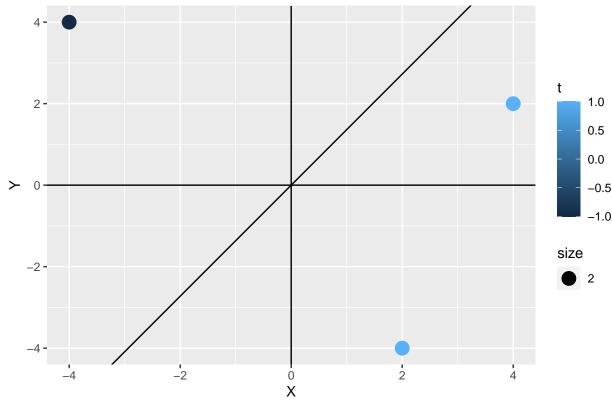
```
init = matrix(c(0, 0), ncol=2)
input = matrix(c(2, -4, -4, 4, 4, 2), ncol=3, byrow=FALSE)
expected=c(1, -1, 1)
val = LMS(init, 0, 0.01, input, expected, 1000, 1e-10, 1, 0)
```

As one can see, our outcome weight matrix is the following: w = [0.24857, -0.033877] with zero bias. This leads to the following decision boundary:  $p_1 = \frac{0.33877}{0.2485714}p_1$ 

```
library(ggplot2) # used for plots
```

```
data =data.frame(p1=c(2, -4, 4), p2=c(-4, 4, 2), t=c(1, -1, 1))
ggplot(data=data, aes(x=p1, y=p2, color=t))+geom_point(aes(size=2))+xlab("X")+
   ylab("Y")+ggtitle("Plot of the two classes and decision boundary with no bias")+
   geom_hline(yintercept=0)+geom_vline(xintercept=0)+
   geom_abline(intercept=0, slope=0.33877/0.2485714)
```

## Plot of the two classes and decision boundary with no bias



Now we will run our algorithm again with the initial zero vector, but this time allow bias.

```
val = LMS(init, 0, 0.01, input, expected, 1000, 1e-10, 1, 1)
```

After 321 iterations, our algorithm converged to a solution, we get the following weight matrix is the following:  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 0.23076, -0.07692 \end{bmatrix}$  with bias b = 0.23076. This leads to the following decision boundary:  $p_2 = \frac{0.2307692}{0.07692308} + \frac{0.2307692}{0.07692308} p_2$ 

```
data =data.frame(p1=c(2, -4, 4), p2=c(-4, 4, 2), t=c(1, -1, 1))
ggplot(data=data, aes(x=p1, y=p2, color=t))+geom_point(aes(size=2))+xlab("X")+
   ylab("Y")+ggtitle("Plot of the two classes and decision boundary with bias")+
   geom_hline(yintercept=0)+geom_vline(xintercept=0)+
   geom_abline(intercept=0.2307692/0.07692308, slope=0.2307692/0.07692308)
```

## Plot of the two classes and decision boundary with bias

