

Implementing Minimum Error Rate Classifier

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Abstract—The main aim of this experiment is to design a minimum error rate classifier for a two class problem with given sample data.

Index Terms—Multivariate normal distribution; contour; probability distribution function;

I. INTRODUCTION

The main objective of Minimum Error Rate Classifier is to decrease the the risk function and increase Posterior Probability. Maximum Discriminant function corresponds to maximum posterior probability. Posterior probability can be broken down to Likelihood and prior as shown in Eq. 1.

$$P(\omega_i|x) = P(x|\omega_i) * P(\omega_i) \quad (1)$$

where $P(\omega_i|x)$ is the posterior probability, $P(x|\omega_i)$ is the likelihood and $P(\omega_i)$ is the prior. Eq. 1 can be also written like this:

$$\ln P(\omega_i|x) = \ln P(x|\omega_i) + \ln P(\omega_i) \quad (2)$$

$$g_i(X) = P(x|\omega_i) * P(\omega_i) \quad (3)$$

Posterior probability equals to discriminate function hence discriminant is equal to Likelihood * Prior.

The decision Rule of this classifier is:

If $g_1(X) > g_2(X)$ then $\in \omega_1$

IF $g_2(X) > g_1(X)$ then $\in \omega_2$

Multivariate Gaussian distribution is needed since dimension of data sample is more than one. The equation of Gaussian multivariate normal distribution is given in Eq. 4.

$$N(\mu_i, \Sigma_i) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{d}{2}} |\Sigma_i|^{\frac{1}{2}}} \exp^{-0.5(x-\mu_i)^t \Sigma_i^{-1} (x-\mu_i)} \quad (4)$$

Where Σ is the co-variance matrix and μ is the mean and d is 2 since our data sample is 2 dimensional and i is the class.

II. EXPERIMENTAL DESIGN / METHODOLOGY

A dataset named test.txt was provided which contain data points of two classes. Data in the dataset are shown in Table I. The following task were performed on this dataset.

1) Task-1:

Design a minimum error rate classifier for a two class

TABLE I
DATA POINTS IN THE TRAIN-PERCEPTRON.TXT DATASET.

x1	x2
1	1
1	-1
4	5
-2	2.5
0	2
2	-3

problem with given data (assuming they follow normal distribution):

$$P(x|\omega_1) = N(\mu_1, \Sigma_1)$$

where, $\mu_1 = [0, 0]$

and $\Sigma_1 = [0.25, 0.3; 0.3, 1]$;

$$P(\omega_1 = 0.5)$$

$$P(x|\omega_2) = N(\mu_2, \Sigma_2)$$

where, $\mu_2 = [2, 2]$

and $\Sigma_2 = [0.5, 0.0; 0.0, 0.5]$;

$$P(\omega_2 = 0.5)$$

Classify the sample points from “test.txt”.

Solution:-

Putting Eq. 4 in Eq. 3 and taking ln we get:

$$g_i(x) = \frac{1}{2}(x-\mu_i)^t \Sigma_i^{-1} (x-\mu_i) - \frac{d}{2} \ln(2\pi) - \frac{1}{2} \ln |\Sigma_i| + \ln P(\omega_i) \quad (5)$$

I calculated the value of g_x for every data points then using decision rule mentioned in introduction classified the data points into respective class.

2) Task-2:

Classified samples should have different colored markers according to the assigned class label.

Solution:-

Data points were plotted using matplotlib as shown in Fig 1. Here if $g_1(X) > g_2(X)$ then the red circles represent data points of class-1 and if $g_2(X) > g_1(X)$ the the blue star marks represent data points of class-2.

3) Task-3:

Draw a figure which should include these points, the corresponding probability distribution function along

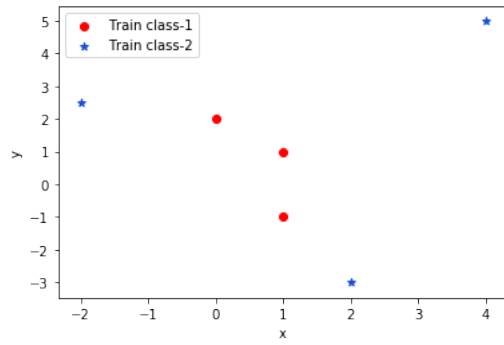


Fig. 1. Graphical representation of training data using matplotlib.

with its contour.

Solution:-

The contour plot with the classified data points are shown in 2 and the probability distribution function along with its contour and classified data points are illustrated in Fig 3

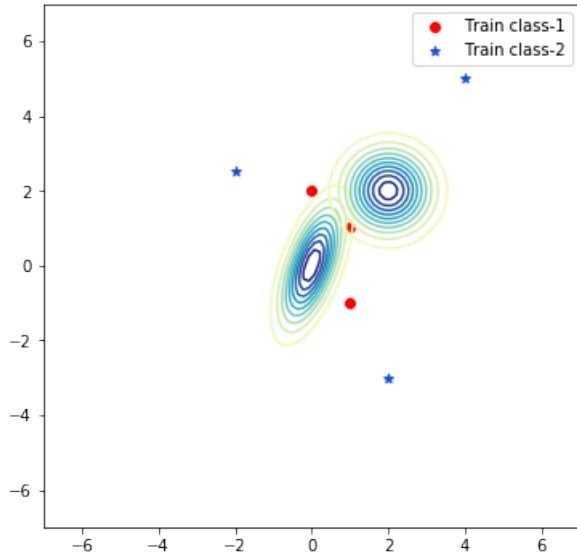


Fig. 2. The contour plot with the classified data points

4) Task-4:

Draw decision boundary.

Solution:-

The equation of the decision boundary was generated by subtracting the discriminant of two classes $g_1 - g_2 = 0$ where g_i is given in Eq. 4. The 3D plot of classified data points, probability distribution along with decision boundary is shown in Fig 4.

III. CONCLUSION

Minimum error rate classifier tries to minimize error. As a result, if parameters of multivariate Gaussian distribution mean and variance are changed the sample values will be shifted to another class.

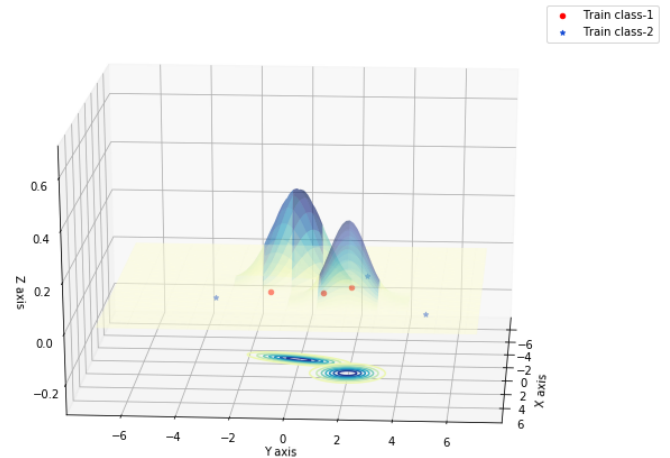


Fig. 3. 3D representation of the probability distribution function along with its contour and classified data points

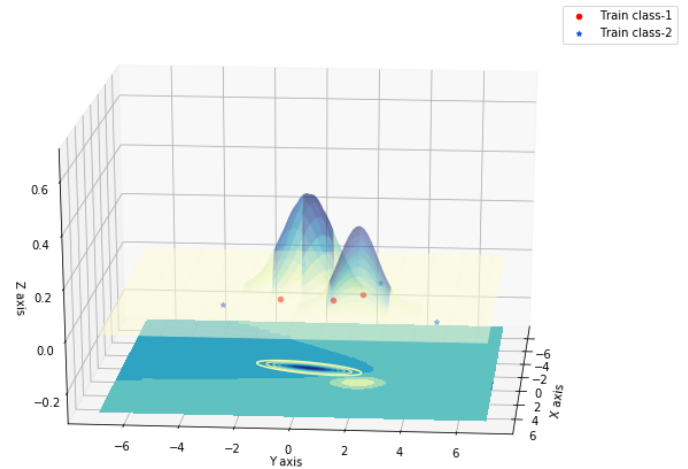


Fig. 4. 3D representation of the probability distribution function along with its contour, classified data points and decision boundary.

IV. ALGORITHM IMPLEMENTATION / CODE

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1 import numpy as np
2 import pandas as pd
3 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
4 from scipy.stats import multivariate_normal
5 from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D
6 from matplotlib import cm
7
8
9 #Plotting training data
10 xd,yd = np.loadtxt('test.txt',unpack=True, delimiter
11                  =' ')
12
13 print (type(xd),xd)
14 print (yd)
15
16
17 #Sigma1
18 signal = np.array([[.25,.3], [.3,1]])
19 detsignal=np.linalg.det(signal)
20 print (signal)
21 print (detsignal)
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19
20 #Sigma=2
21 sigma2 = np.array([[.5,0], [0,.5]])
22 detsigma2=np.linalg.det(sigma2)
23 print(sigma2)
24 print(detsigma2)
25
26 #mean
27 mu1=np.array([0, 0])
28 mu2=np.array([2, 2])
29
30 print(type(mu1), mu1)
31 print(mu2)
32
33 #Prior
34 prior1=0.5
35 prior2=0.5
36
37 #Data before classification
38 data = np.zeros((len(xd),2))
39 print(data, data.shape, data.ndim)
40
41 for h in range(len(xd)):
42     data[h][0]=xd[h]
43     data[h][1]=yd[h]
44 print(data, type(data))
45
46 #classifying data
47 cl=[]
48 plt.xlabel('x1')
49 plt.ylabel('x2')
50 for i in range(len(xd)):
51     for j in range(1,3):
52         if j==1:
53             g1 = -0.5*np.dot(np.dot((data[i,:]-mu1).T,np.linalg.inv(sigma1)), (data[i,:]-mu1))-np.log(
54                 (2*np.pi)-0.5*np.log(np.linalg.det(sigma1))+np.
55                 log(prior1)
56             elif j==2:
57                 g2 = -0.5*np.dot(np.dot((data[i,:]-mu2).T,np.linalg.inv(sigma2)), (data[i,:]-mu2))-np.
58                 log(2*np.pi)-0.5*np.log(np.linalg.det(sigma2))+
59                 np.log(prior2)
60
61         if g1>g2:
62             xc1=plt.scatter(data[i,0], data[i,1], color=
63                 'r')
64             cl.append(1)
65         else:
66             xc2=plt.scatter(data[i,0], data[i,1], marker
67                 ='*', color='#184DD5')
68             cl.append(2)
69
70 plt.legend([xc1, xc2], ["Train class-1", "Train
71     class-2"])
72 plt.show()
73
74 #data with class
75 datacl = np.zeros((len(xd),3))
76 print(datacl, datacl.shape, datacl.ndim)
77
78 for h in range(len(xd)):
79     datacl[h][0]=xd[h]
80     datacl[h][1]=yd[h]
81     datacl[h][2]=cl[h]
82 print(datacl, type(datacl))
83
84 #seperating two class data
85 c11 =([(ar[0],ar[1],ar[2])] for ar in datacl if ar
86     [2] == 1)
87 c11 = np.array(c11)
88 c12 =([(ar[0],ar[1],ar[2])] for ar in datacl if ar
89     [2] == 2)
90 c12 = np.array(c12)
91 print(c11)
92
93 print(c12)
94
95 #contour plot with data
96 d=2
97
98 def multivariate_normal(x, d, mean, covariance):
99     """pdf of the multivariate normal distribution.
100     """
101     x_m = x - mean
102     return (1. / (np.sqrt((2 * np.pi)**d * np.linalg
103         .det(covariance))) *
104         np.exp(-(np.linalg.solve(covariance, x_m
105             ).T.dot(x_m)) / 2))
106
107 # Plot bivariate distribution
108 def generate_surface(mean, covariance, d):
109     """Helper function to generate density surface.
110     """
111     nb_of_x = 100 # grid size
112     xls = np.linspace(-7.0, 7, num=nb_of_x)
113     x2s = np.linspace(-7.0, 7, num=nb_of_x)
114     x1, x2 = np.meshgrid(xls, x2s) # Generate grid
115     pdf = np.zeros((nb_of_x, nb_of_x))
116     # Fill the cost matrix for each combination of
117     # weights
118     for i in range(nb_of_x):
119         for j in range(nb_of_x):
120             pdf[i,j] = multivariate_normal(
121                 np.matrix([[x1[i,j]], [x2[i,j]]]),
122                 d, mean, covariance)
123     return x1, x2, pdf # x1, x2, pdf(x1,x2)
124
125 bivariate_mean = np.matrix([[0.], [0.]]) # Mean
126 bivariate_covariance = np.matrix([
127     [0.25, 0.3],
128     [0.3, 1.]]) # Covariance
129 x1, x2, p = generate_surface(
130     bivariate_mean, bivariate_covariance, d)
131 # Plot bivariate distribution
132 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(6,6))
133 d = 2
134 ax.contour(x1, x2, p, 10, cmap=cm.YlGnBu)
135 bivariate_mean = np.matrix([[2.], [2.]]) # Mean
136 bivariate_covariance = np.matrix([
137     [0.5, 0.],
138     [0., 0.5]]) # Covariance
139 x1, x2, p = generate_surface(
140     bivariate_mean, bivariate_covariance, d)
141 ax.contour(x1, x2, p, 10, cmap=cm.YlGnBu)
142
143 for i in range(len(xd)):
144     if datacl[i][2]==1:
145         xc1=plt.scatter(data[i,0], data[i,1], color=
146             'r')
147     else:
148         xc2=plt.scatter(data[i,0], data[i,1], marker
149             ='*', color='#184DD5')
150 plt.legend([xc1, xc2], ["Train class-1", "Train
151     class-2"])
152 plt.show()
153
154 #3d plot
155 # Our 2-dimensional distribution will be over
156 # variables X and Y
157 N = 32
158 X = np.linspace(-7, 7, N)
159 Y = np.linspace(-7, 7, N)
160 X, Y = np.meshgrid(X, Y)
161
162 # Mean vector and covariance matrix
163 mu = np.array([0., 0.])
164 Sigma = np.array([[.25 , 0.3], [.3, 1.]])
165 mul = np.array([2.,2.])

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147 Sigma1 = np.array([[ .5 , 0.], [0., .5]])
148
149 # Pack X and Y into a single 3-dimensional array
150 pos = np.empty(X.shape + (2,))
151 pos[:, :, 0] = X
152 pos[:, :, 1] = Y
153 print(X)
154 def multivariate_gaussiandb(pos, mu, Sigma):
155     n = mu.shape[0]
156     print(n)
157     Sigma_det = np.linalg.det(Sigma)
158     Sigma_inv = np.linalg.inv(Sigma)
159     N = np.sqrt((2*np.pi)**n * Sigma_det)
160     # This einsum call calculates (x-mu)T.Sigma-1.(
161     # x-mu) in a vectorized
162     # way across all the input variables.
163     fac = np.einsum('...k,kl,...l->...', pos-mu,
164     Sigma_inv, pos-mu)
165     print(fac)
166     return np.exp(-fac / 2) / N
167
168 Z = multivariate_gaussiandb(pos, mu, Sigma)
169 print(mu.shape[0])
170 Z1 = multivariate_gaussiandb(pos, mu1, Sigma1)
171 # Create a surface plot and projected filled contour
172 # plot under it.
173 db=Z-Z1
174
175 # Create grid and multivariate normal
176 def multivariate_normal(x, d, mean, covariance):
177     """pdf of the multivariate normal distribution.
178     """
179     x_m = x - mean
180     return (1. / (np.sqrt((2 * np.pi)**d * np.linalg
181     .det(covariance))) *
182     np.exp(-(np.linalg.solve(covariance, x_m
183     ).T.dot(x_m)) / 2))
184
185 # Plot bivariate distribution
186 def generate_surface(mean, covariance, d):
187     """Helper function to generate density surface.
188     """
189     nb_of_x = 100 # grid size
190     x1s = np.linspace(-7.0, 7, num=nb_of_x)
191     x2s = np.linspace(-7.0, 7, num=nb_of_x)
192     x1, x2 = np.meshgrid(x1s, x2s) # Generate grid
193     pdf = np.zeros((nb_of_x, nb_of_x))
194     # Fill the cost matrix for each combination of
195     # weights
196     for i in range(nb_of_x):
197         for j in range(nb_of_x):
198             pdf[i,j] = multivariate_normal(
199                 np.matrix([[x1[i,j]], [x2[i,j]]]),
200                 d, mean, covariance)
201     return x1, x2, pdf # x1, x2, pdf(x1,x2)
202
203 # Make a 3D plot
204 fig = plt.figure(figsize=[12,8])
205
206 ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
207 d = 2
208
209 bivariate_mean = np.matrix([[0.], [0.]]) # Mean
210 bivariate_covariance = np.matrix([
211     [0.25, 0.3],
212     [0.3, 1.]]) # Covariance
213 x1, x2, p = generate_surface(
214     bivariate_mean, bivariate_covariance, d)
215 #ax.contourf(x1, x2, p, 100, alpha=0.4, cmap=cm.
216     YlGnBu)
217 surf = ax.plot_surface(x1, x2, p, rstride=8, cstride
218     =1,alpha=0.4, cmap=cm.YlGnBu)
219 cset = ax.contour(x1, x2, p,offset=-0.3, cmap=cm.
220     YlGnBu)
221
222 bivariate_mean = np.matrix([[2.], [2.]]) # Mean
223 bivariate_covariance = np.matrix([
224     [0.5, 0.],
225     [0., 0.5]]) # Covariance
226 x1, x2, p = generate_surface(
227     bivariate_mean, bivariate_covariance, d)
228
229 surf = ax.plot_surface(x1, x2, p, rstride=8, cstride
230     =1, alpha=0.3, cmap=cm.YlGnBu)
231 cset = ax.contourf(X, Y, db, zdir='z', offset=-0.3,
232     cmap=cm.YlGnBu)
233
234 for i in range(len(xd)):
235     if datacl[i][2]==1:
236         xc1=ax.scatter(data[i,0], data[i,1], color='
237             r')
238     else:
239         xc2=ax.scatter(data[i,0], data[i,1], marker=
240             '*', color='#184DD5')
241 plt.legend([xc1, xc2], ["Train class-1", "Train
242     class-2"])
243
244 ax.set_xlabel('X axis')
245 ax.set_ylabel('Y axis')
246 ax.set_zlim(-0.3, 0.7)
247 ax.set_zlabel('Z axis')
248 ax.view_init(elev=20, azimuth=5)
249 plt.show()

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