

$x$  - known  $x_n$

$y$  - unknown parameters

$z_n$  - unknown mode measurements

It is difficult to exactly or partially determined the  $x$  and  $y$  together i.e. coupled. However, if we decouple them then determining them becomes a relatively easy solution. This is where EM (Expectation Maximization) Algorithm comes into play.

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We have bad/missing data  $z$  and that is to be eliminated.

In the eq<sup>n</sup>:

$$Q(\theta) = \int \ln p(\underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{we need to eliminate}}}{x}, \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{we need to eliminate}}}{z}, \underset{\substack{\uparrow \\ \text{we need to eliminate}}}{\theta}) p(z | x, \theta) dz$$

Hence we do this step  $p(z | x, \theta)$

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Apply the general EM algorithm to special GMM model.

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MATLAB : gm distribution

GMM classifier : $C$  GMM models

- one GMM  $p(\underline{x} | \omega_j; \underline{\mu}_j)$  per class  $\omega_j$   $1 \leq j \leq C$



No of modes  $M_j$  per class  $\omega_j$  may not be same for each class.

- run EM algorithm  $C$  times
- then have a better idea

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QMM classifier contains

Gaussian classifier

$$: M_j = 1 \quad \forall j$$

and naive " "

$$: M_j = 1, \quad \underline{C}_j \text{ diagonal } \forall j$$

as special cases

Q How to choose the no of modes?

Model order estimation :

But model orders are  $M_j$  are usually unknown

→ need order estimation : Estimate

$M_j$  (and  $\underline{C}_j$ ) from data  
↑ discrete valued      ↑ continuous valued

2 popular criteria :

Akaike Information Criteria (AIC)

Bayesian " " (BIC)

Q How to know which one to use?

Intuition + perform over all possibilities and then find the one which gives the best result.

for one GMM:

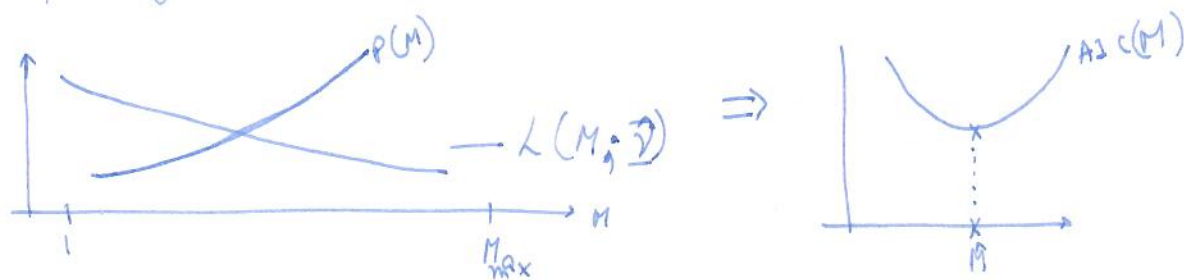
- Try EM for  $M = 1 \dots M_{\max}$

- Compute  $AIC(M) = \underset{\uparrow}{-2} - \underset{\uparrow}{L}(M; \hat{\mathcal{D}}) + \underset{\downarrow \text{penalty term}}{p(M)}$

log likelihood  $\ln P(X, Z; \mathcal{D})$  in EM

- $\hat{M} = \arg \min_M (AIC(M))$

Q Why penalty term



Reason for decay - if we increase  $M$ , then we have more parameters  $\rightarrow$  better fit of data to data  $\rightarrow L(M; \mathcal{D}) \uparrow$   
 $\rightarrow$  overfitting

Hence we add  $p(M)$  to avoid overestimation of  $M$

Difference b/w AIC and BIC:

Choice of penalty term  $p(M)$

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## 4.4 Density estimation

Idea

- Non-parametric estimate of  $p(\underline{x} | w_j)$
- Apply Bayesian decision theory

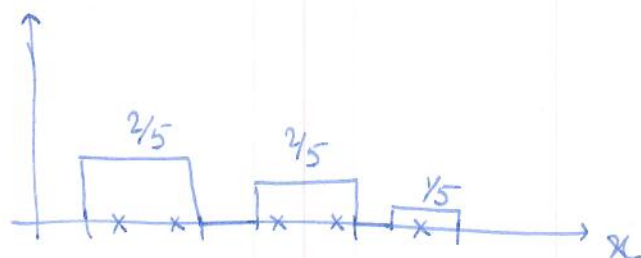
eg Parzen window method

For one class:

Given:  $N$  iid sample of  $\underline{x}_n$  from an unknown  $p(\underline{x})$

Desired: PDF estimate  $\hat{p}(\underline{x})$

Simple: Normalized histogram



Total area under curve should be 1, however this is not smooth. To smooth this, we need kernels.

Better: Kernel based PDF



Kernel: in  $\mathbb{R}^d$ : a mathematical PDF-like function  $\phi(\underline{x})$

- $\phi(\underline{x}) \geq 0 \quad \forall \underline{x}$
- $\int \phi(\underline{x}) d\underline{x} = 1$

Gaussian kernel :  $N(\underline{0}, \underline{I})$

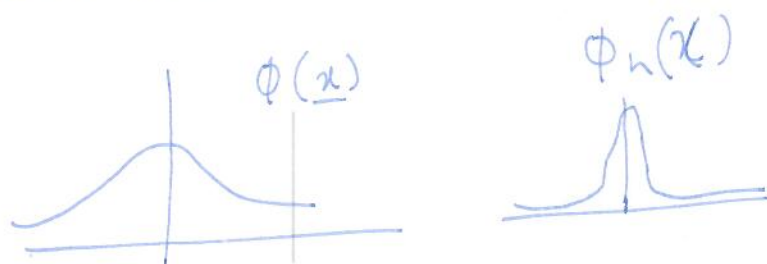
$$\phi(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2} \|\underline{x}\|^2\right),$$

has a fixed width (SD)

Scaled kernel :  ~~$N$~~

$$\phi_h(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{h} \phi\left(\frac{1}{h} \underline{x}\right) \geq 0, \quad \int \phi_h(\underline{x}) d\underline{x} = 1$$

$h \rightarrow$  bandwidth parameter  $h > 0$



$h \downarrow$  = narrow kernel  $\rightarrow$  detailed, however sometimes too much details in PDF

$h \uparrow$  = broad kernel  $\rightarrow$  less details.

PDF estimate:  $\hat{p}(\underline{x}) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \phi_h(\underline{x} - \underline{x}_n) \geq 0, \quad \int \hat{p}(\underline{x}) d\underline{x} = 1$

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