

CSI 873/MATH 689 Homework 6. Due October 18.

- 1) Implement the Naive Bayes Classifier using your choice of programming language. Please comment your code.
- 2) Use the training and testing data from the file digits.zip. Calculate the percentage of correctly classified digits. Provide confidence intervals.
- 3) Prepare a report on the results of your project. Include your code and instructions how to run it.

Comments on the data.

In the file data.zip:

math.gmu.edu/~igriva/data.zip

you will find 20 files:

10 for training: train0.txt, train1.txt, ..., train9.txt

10 for testing: test0.txt, test1.txt, ..., test9.txt

Each training file has more than 5000 digits. Select an appropriate number of training examples, try to use the same training data set for the midterm project and NBC. Each testing file has at least 1000 digits. Make sure that you use at least 100 from each class for testing classification. Again, use the same testing data for both midterm project and the NBC.

Each line from the files corresponds to each hand written digit. The first entry on each line is the digit it represents: 0, 1, 2 etc... 9 followed by $28 \times 28 = 784$ dimensional grayscale intensity vectors with the entries from 0 to 255. Scale each intensity vector with dividing it by the largest entry. All the entries will be between 0 and 1.