DATA MINING (CSCI-B 565)

Assignment 1
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All the work herein is solely mine

1 Given that d(x,y) = |x-y|, we have to prove that this is a metric. In order to prove that it is a metric, we shall have to prove the following from the definition for a equation to be called a metric. Let X be a finite, non-empty set and $\forall x,y,z\in X$ and $d:X^2\to\mathbb{R}$ where \mathbb{R} is the set of real numbers.

$$d(x,y) \ge 0$$

$$d(x,y) = 0 \leftrightarrow x = y$$

$$d(x,y) = d(y,x)$$

$$d(x,z) \le d(x,y) + d(y,z)$$

If we prove the above conditions, it is called a **metric**. Given that, d(x, y) = |x - y| a) As the absolute value of (x - y) is a non-negative value, it is always greater than or equal to zero.

b) If x = y then |x - y| = 0

c)

$$d(x,y) = |x - y|,$$

$$d(y,x) = |y - x|$$

$$= |-(x - y)|$$

$$= |x - y|$$

$$\therefore d(x,y) = d(y,x)$$

d)

$$\begin{aligned} &d(x,z) \leq d(x,y) + d(y,z) \\ &\text{Case-1} \\ &|x-z| \leq |x-y| + |y-z| \\ &+ (x-z) \leq + (x-y) + (+(y-z)) \\ &x-z \leq x-y+y-z \\ &\text{By simplification,} \\ &x-z \leq x-z \\ &\text{Case-2} \\ &|x-z| \leq |x-y| + |y-z| \\ &- (x-z) \geq - (x-y) + (-(y-z)) \\ &z-x \geq y-x+z-y \\ &\text{By simplification,} \\ &z-x \geq z-x \\ &\therefore d(x,z) \leq d(x,y) + d(y,z) \end{aligned}$$

Hence we proved that |x - y| is a *metric*.

2 Intra-block distances (ℓ^2 – norm or Euclidean distances) between all the unique pairs formed by the given four points.

$$d((x_1, x_2), (y_1, y_2)) = [(x_1 - y_1)^2 + (x_2 - y_2)^2]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

Partition	Total Intra-block Distance
$\{\{(0,1),(2,1)\},\{(3,1),(5,5)\}\}$	$2 + 2\sqrt{5}$ (Given)
$\{\{(0,1),(3,1)\},\{(2,1),(5,5)\}\}$	3 + 5 = 8
$\{\{(0,1),(5,5)\},\{(3,1),(2,1)\}\}$	$1+\sqrt{41}$

3 Output of the given R code

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x <-seq(1,50,by=2)
y <- 2*x - 30
png("Abhishekplot.png")
plot(x,y)
dev.off()</pre>
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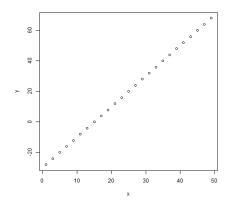


Figure 1: My first graph on Latex

References

- Lectures and notes of Prof.M.M. Dalkilic
- "Introduction to Data Mining" by Tan, Steinbach and Kumar