

**Cover page for answers.pdf CSE512 Fall 2019 - Machine Learning - Homework 3**

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(1.1.1) As we know that the optimal Bayes risk for data point  $x$  is

$$r^*(x) = \min_i \left\{ \sum_{j=1}^M \hat{n}_j(x) L(i, j) \right\}$$

$L(i, j)$  is the loss value when a data point is predicted as ' $j$ ' instead of actual class ' $i$ '.

It is given for us that

		True class $i$	
		0	1
Assigned $j$	0	0	$\alpha$
	1	1	0

0 - positive  
1 - Negative

Loss matrix.

$$L(0, 1) = 1 \quad \& \quad L(1, 0) = \alpha.$$

when  $j=0$

$$r^*(x) = \sum_{i=0}^1 \hat{n}_i(x) \cdot L(i, j)$$

$$= \hat{n}_0(x) \cdot L(0, 0) + \hat{n}_1(x) \cdot L(1, 0)$$

$$= \hat{n}_0(x) \cdot (0) + (1 - \eta(x)) \cdot \alpha$$

$$= (1 - \eta(x)) \alpha.$$

$\eta(x)$  is prob. that  $x$  is positive  
So  $(1 - \eta(x))$  is prob. that  $x$  is -ve

when  $j=1$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^1 \hat{n}_i(x) \cdot L(i, 1)$$

$$= \hat{n}_0(x) \cdot L(0, 1) + \hat{n}_1(x) \cdot L(1, 1)$$

$$= \eta(x) \cdot (1) + 0 = \eta(x).$$

$$\text{So } r^*(x) = \min \{ \eta(x) + (1 - \eta(x)) \cdot \alpha \}.$$

(1.1.2) Asymptotic risk

$\delta(x)$  can be given by

$$\delta(x) = P(Y=1) \cdot P(Y_{\text{neighbor}}=0) + \alpha \cdot P(Y=0) \cdot P(Y_{\text{neighbor}}=1)$$

$$= \eta(x) \cdot [1 - \eta(x)] + \alpha \cdot (1 - \eta(x)) \cdot \eta(x)$$

hence

$$\delta(x) = \eta(x) - \eta(x) \cdot \eta(x) + \alpha \cdot \eta(x)$$

$$\delta(x) = \eta(x) \cdot [1 - \eta(x) + \alpha - \alpha \cdot \eta(x)]$$

$$= \eta(x) \cdot [(1 - \eta(x)) \cdot (1 + \alpha)]$$

$$\boxed{\delta(x) = \eta(x) \cdot (1 - \eta(x)) \cdot (1 + \alpha)}$$



(1.1.3) We know that

$$\gamma^*(x) = \min \{ \eta(x), (1-\eta(x)) \cdot \alpha \}$$

case: 1 consider  $\eta(x)$  is maximum in above two terms.  
i.e.  $\eta(x) \geq \alpha(1-\eta(x))$

$$\eta(x) + \alpha\eta(x) \geq \alpha$$

$$\eta(x) \geq \frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha}$$

We know that  $\eta(x) \leq 1$

hence 
$$\frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha} \leq \eta(x) \leq 1. \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

$$\gamma^*(x) = \alpha(1-\eta(x)).$$

$$\eta(x) = 1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha} \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

substituting (2) in (1)

$$\frac{\alpha}{1+\alpha} \leq 1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha} \leq 1$$

$$\frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha} \leq \frac{1}{1+\alpha}$$

$$\frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha} \cdot (1+\alpha) \leq 1$$

$$\gamma^*(x) \left(1 + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) - 1 \leq 0 \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

from 1.1.2 we've

$$\gamma(x) = (1+\alpha)\eta(x)(1-\eta(x))$$

$$= (1+\alpha) \left(1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \cdot \left(1 - 1 + \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \quad \text{from (2)}$$

$$= (1+\alpha) \left(1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \quad \text{--- (4)}$$

Now consider

$$= \left(1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \cdot \left(\frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) - (1 - \gamma^*(x)) \cdot \gamma^*(x)$$

$$= \left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha^2} - 1 + \gamma^*(x)\right) \cdot \gamma^*(x)$$

$$= \left(\left(\frac{1}{\alpha} - 1\right) + \gamma^*(x)\left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha^2}\right)\right) \gamma^*(x)$$

$$= \left(\gamma^*(x)\left(1 + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) - 1\right) \cdot \gamma^*(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right)$$

here

$$\gamma^*(x)\left(1 + \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) - 1 \text{ is } \leq 0 \text{ from (3).}$$

$$\text{and } \gamma^*(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{1}{\alpha}\right) > 0 \text{ since } 1 - \frac{1}{\alpha} > 0.$$

hence The above multiplication is  $\leq 0$ .

$$\left(1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \left(\frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) - (1 - \gamma^*(x)) \gamma^*(x) \leq 0.$$

$$\left(1 - \frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \left(\frac{\gamma^*(x)}{\alpha}\right) \leq (1 - \gamma^*(x)) \gamma^*(x). \quad \text{--- (5)}$$

from (4) & (5)

We get

$$\gamma(x) \leq (1 + \alpha)(1 - \gamma^*(x)) \gamma^*(x) \quad \text{--- (5)}.$$

Case 2:

Now consider

$$\eta(x) < \alpha(1 - \eta(x))$$

$$\eta(x) + \alpha\eta(x) < \alpha.$$

$$\eta(x) < \frac{\alpha}{1 + \alpha}.$$

$$\text{So } \gamma^*(x) = \eta(x) \quad \text{i.e. } \min\{\eta(x), \alpha(1 - \eta(x))\}.$$



substituting in 1.1.2 .

we get

$$\begin{aligned}\gamma(x) &= (1+\alpha)\eta(x)(1-\eta(x)) \\ &= (1+\alpha)\gamma^*(x)(1-\gamma^*(x)) \quad \text{--- (6)}\end{aligned}$$

from (5) & (6) it is clear that

$$\boxed{\gamma(x) \leq (1+\alpha)\gamma^*(x)(1-\gamma^*(x))}$$

1.1.4

(1.1.4)

Let  $R$  be the asymptotic risk of the 1-NN classifier  
 &  $R^*$  be the bayes risk.

Since

$$R(x) = E(\gamma(x))$$

from 1.1.3

$$\gamma(x) \leq (1+\alpha) \gamma^*(x)(1-\gamma^*(x))$$

$$E(\gamma(x)) \leq E[(1+\alpha) \gamma^*(x)(1-\gamma^*(x))]$$

$$\leq (1+\alpha) E[\gamma^*(x) - \gamma^{*2}(x)]$$

$$\leq (1+\alpha) [E(\gamma^*(x)) - E(\gamma^{*2}(x))]$$

$$\leq (1+\alpha) \left[ E(\gamma^*(x)) - \left[ \text{Var}(\gamma^*(x)) + [E(\gamma^*(x))]^2 \right] \right]$$

$$\text{since } E(x^2) = \text{Var}(x) + [E(x)]^2$$

$$\leq (1+\alpha) [E(\gamma^*(x))(1-E(\gamma^*(x))) - \text{Var}(\gamma^*(x))]$$

$$\leq (1+\alpha) [R^*(1-R^*) - \text{Var}(\gamma^*(x))]$$

$$\leq (1+\alpha) R^*(1-R^*) - (1+\alpha) \text{Var}(\gamma^*(x))$$

$$\text{hence. } \boxed{R \leq (1+\alpha) R^*(1-R^*)} \quad \text{since } 1+\alpha \geq 0 \quad \text{Var}(\gamma^*(x)) \geq 0$$

## 1.2.1

(1.2)

(1.2.1) As we know that

Asymptotic risk in k-NN classifier

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(x) = & P(Y=1) \cdot P(Y_{\text{majority-neighbors}} = 0) \\ & + P(Y=0) \cdot P(Y_{\text{majority-neighbors}} = 1) \end{aligned}$$

given ~~is from~~ in the data that

$$P(Y=1) = \eta(x), \quad P(Y_{\text{majority-neighbors}} = 1) = g(\eta, k)$$

$$\text{hence } P(Y=0) = 1 - \eta(x), \quad P(Y_{\text{majority-neighbors}} = 0) = 1 - g(\eta, k)$$

Substituting in the above eqn.

$$\boxed{\delta(x) = \eta(x) \cdot [1 - g(\eta, k)] + (1 - \eta(x)) \cdot g(\eta, k)}$$



(1.2.2) As we know

$$\gamma^*(x) = \min\{\eta(x), 1-\eta(x)\}$$

from the above derivation we've

$$\gamma(x) = \eta(x) \cdot (1-g(\eta, k)) + (1-\eta(x)) \cdot g(\eta, k) \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

So when  $\eta(x) \leq \frac{1}{2}$

$$\gamma^*(x) = \min\{\eta(x), 1-\eta(x)\}$$

$$= \eta(x)$$

$$\text{i.e. } \eta(x) = \gamma^*(x)$$

Substituting in (1)

$$\gamma(x) = \gamma^*(x) (1-g(\eta, k)) + (1-\gamma^*(x)) g(\eta, k)$$

$$= \gamma^*(x) - \gamma^*(x) \cdot g(\eta, k) +$$

$$= \gamma^*(x) - \gamma^*(x) \cdot g(\eta, k) + (1-\gamma^*(x)) \cdot g(\gamma^*(x), k)$$

$$\gamma(x) = \gamma^*(x) + (1-2\gamma^*(x)) \cdot g(\gamma^*(x), k) \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

when  $\eta(x) \geq \frac{1}{2}$

$$\gamma^*(x) = 1-\eta(x) \Rightarrow \eta(x) = 1-\gamma^*(x)$$

substituting in (1)

$$\gamma(x) = (1-\gamma^*(x)) \cdot (1-g(\eta, k)) + (1-\gamma^*(x) + \gamma^*(x)) \cdot g(\eta, k)$$

$$= [1-\gamma^*(x) + [\gamma^*(x) - 1 + \gamma^*(x)] \cdot g(\eta, k)]$$

$$= 1-\gamma^*(x) + [2\gamma^*(x) - 1] \cdot g(1-\gamma^*(x), k)$$

$$= 1-\gamma^*(x) + (2\gamma^*(x) - 1) \cdot [1-g(\gamma^*(x), k)]$$

$$\gamma(x) = \gamma^*(x) + (1-2\gamma^*(x)) \cdot g(\gamma^*(x), k) \quad \text{--- (3)}$$

1.2.3

So from (2), (3), it is clear for us that  
in any case

$$\gamma(x) = \gamma^*(x) + (1 - 2\gamma^*(x)) \cdot g(\gamma^*(x), k)$$

(1.2.3) Hoeffding's inequality ~~pro~~ is

$$P(H(n)) \geq (p + \epsilon)n \leq \exp(-2\epsilon^2 n)$$

$H(n) \rightarrow$  No. of points that are positive

$p \rightarrow$  probability that a point is positive

$n =$  total points.

$$g(\gamma^*(x), k) = \begin{cases} P(H(n) \geq \frac{k}{2}) & \text{when } n \text{ is even} \\ P(H(n) \geq \frac{k}{2}) & \text{when } n \text{ is odd.} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{So } P(H \geq \frac{k}{2}) = P(H \geq (\gamma^*(x) + 0.5 - \gamma^*(x))k)$$

observing with Hoeffding's inequality

it's clear that  $p = \gamma^*(x)$

$$\epsilon = 0.5 - \gamma^*(x)$$

$$n = k.$$

So we'll get

$$g(\gamma^*(x), k) = \left[ P(H \geq \frac{k}{2}) \leq \exp(-2(0.5 - \gamma^*(x))^2 k) \right]$$



(1.2.4)

We need to prove

$$\gamma(x) \leq \gamma^*(x) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K}}$$

from 1.2.2, we know that

$$\gamma(x) = \gamma^*(x) + (1 - 2\gamma^*(x)) g(\gamma^*(x), K)$$

rewriting the equation as follows

$$\gamma(x) = \gamma^*(x) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K}} \left[ \sqrt{2K} (1 - 2\gamma^*(x)) g(\gamma^*(x), K) \right] \quad (7)$$

from 1.2.3

$$g(\gamma^*(x), K) \leq \exp(-2(0.5 - \gamma^*(x))^2 K) \quad (8)$$

substitute (8) in (7).

$$\begin{aligned} \gamma(x) &\leq \gamma^*(x) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K}} \left[ \sqrt{2K} (1 - 2\gamma^*(x)) \cdot \exp(-2(0.5 - \gamma^*(x))^2 K) \right] \\ &\leq \gamma^*(x) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K}} \left[ 2\sqrt{2K} (0.5 - \gamma^*(x)) \cdot \exp(-2(0.5 - \gamma^*(x))^2 K) \right] \end{aligned}$$

Let  $z = \sqrt{2K} (0.5 - \gamma^*(x))$

the above eqn. will be of form

$$\leq \gamma^*(x) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K}} \left[ 2z \exp(-z^2) \right]$$

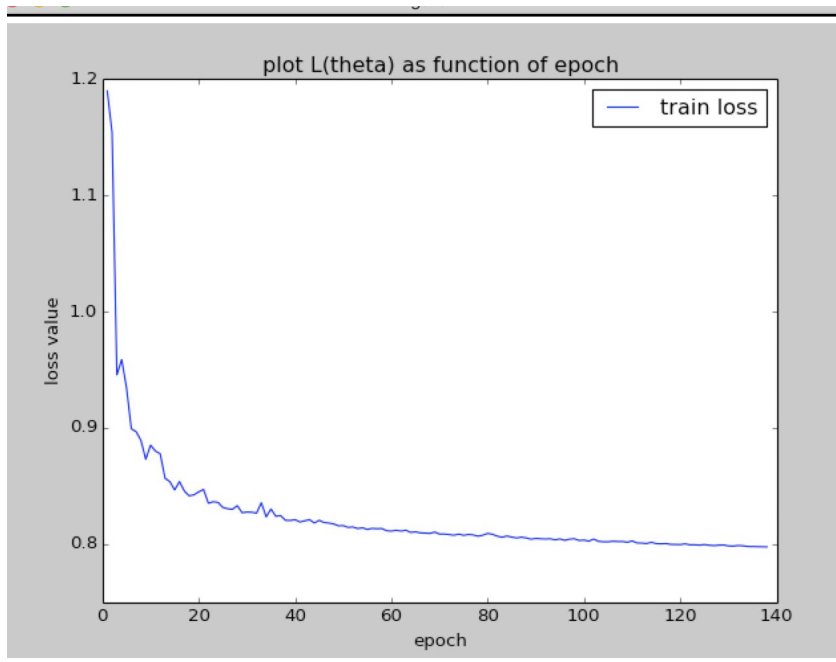
The values for  $2z \exp(-z^2)$  lies between  $[-0.858, 0.858]$   
which is  $\leq 1$ .

hence  $\boxed{\gamma(x) \leq \gamma^*(x) + \frac{1}{\sqrt{2K}}}$



### 2.3.1

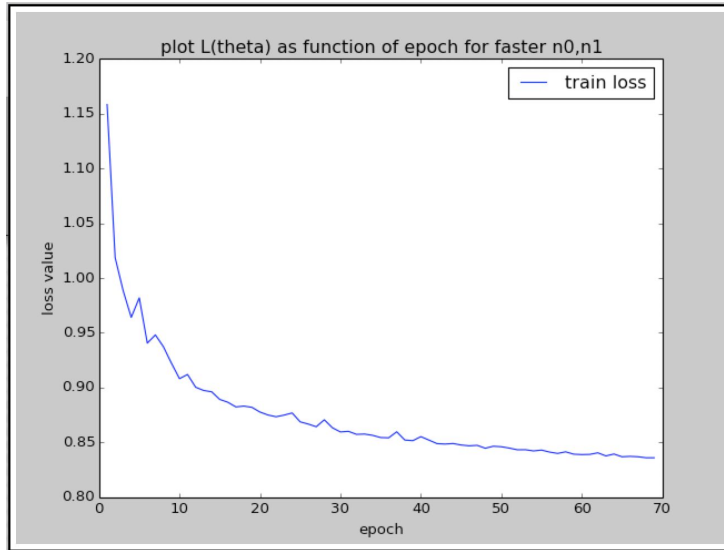
- a. Number of epochs before exiting = 138
- b. Plot showing  $L(\theta)$  as a function of epoch



- c. Final value of  $L(\theta)$  after the optimization = 0.8

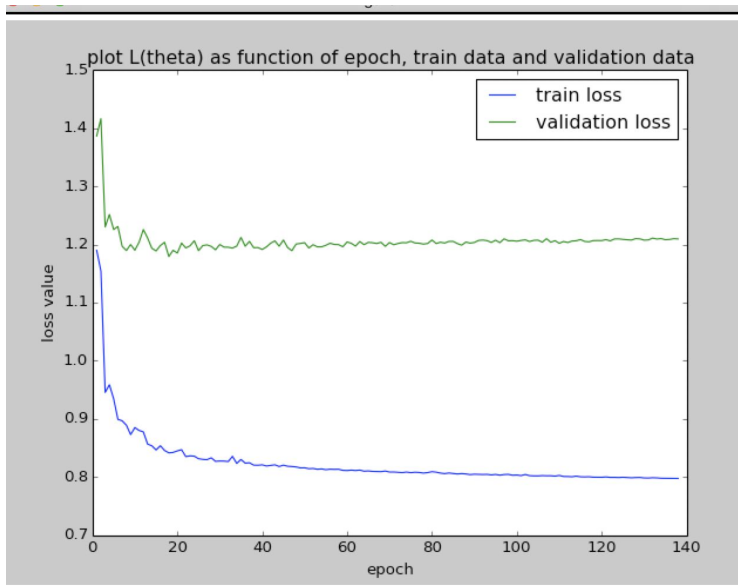
### 2.3.2.

- a. The pair of  $n_0, n_1$  that leads to faster convergence is 0.1, 5.  
The no of epochs taken is 70.  
Final value of  $L(\theta)$  = 0.85
- b.

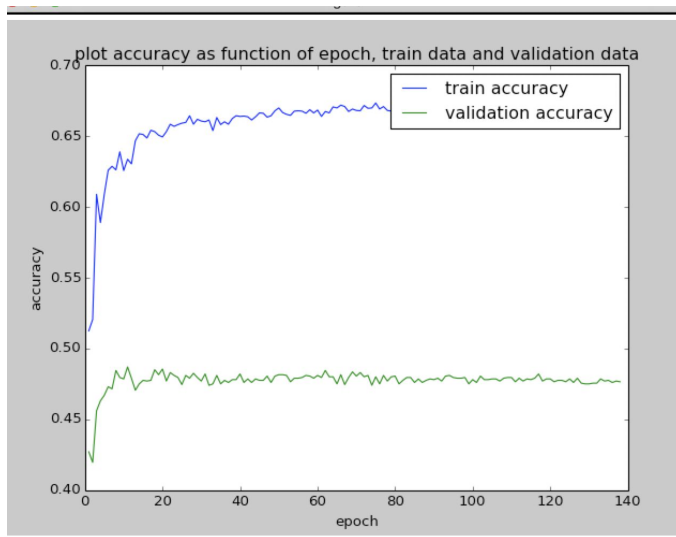


### 2.3.3

a.



b.



#### 2.3.4. Confusion matrix

On Train Data

		Predicted Values			
		1	2	3	4
Actual Values	1	536	185	28	34
	2	139	911	114	105
	3	40	231	353	192
	4	29	113	93	897

On Validation Data

		Predicted Values			
		1	2	3	4
Actual Values	1	169	94	26	27
	2	133	359	77	91
	3	39	197	77	125
	4	25	116	90	355

#### 2.4

1. Best accuracy obtained on test data on kaggle - 46%