

Log-Sum-Exp

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$$\log(\sum_{i=0}^k \exp(a_i - \max_{j=0,k} \{a_j\}) \exp(\max_{j=0,k} \{a_j\})) = \text{because sum of logs is log of product}$$

$$\log(\sum_{i=0}^k \exp(a_i - \max_{j=0,k} \{a_j\} + (\max_{j=0,k} \{a_j\}))) =$$

$$\log(\sum_{i=0}^k \exp(a_i))$$

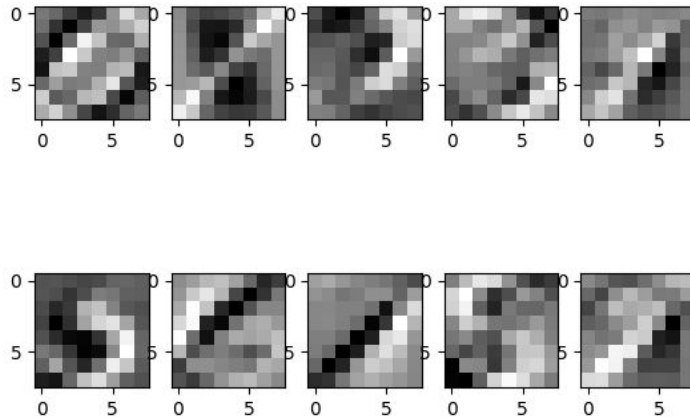
Gaussian Discriminant Analysis

Average conditional log-likelihood for training set: -0.1246244366686302

Average conditional log-likelihood for test set: -0.1966732032552558

Training set accuracy: 0.9814285714285714

Test set accuracy: 0.97275



Dirichlet Distribution

a) Because $p(D|\theta) = \prod_{i=1}^N p(x^{(i)}|\theta)$, we have that

$$p(\theta|D) \propto p(\theta)p(D|\theta) \propto (\theta_1^{\alpha_1-1} \dots \theta_K^{\alpha_K-1}) (\prod_{i=1}^N (\prod_{k=1}^K \theta_k^{x_k^{(i)}})) = (\theta_1^{\alpha_1-1} \dots \theta_K^{\alpha_K-1}) (\theta_1^{N_1} \dots \theta_K^{N_K}), \text{ where}$$

N_i is the number of observations in the dataset that are of category i . This is then equivalent to $(\theta_1^{\alpha_1-1+N_1} \dots \theta_K^{\alpha_K-1+N_K})$, which we recognize to be of the form of a Dirichlet distribution with parameters $\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1, \dots, \alpha_K - 1 + N_K$.

b) From a), have that $\log(p(\theta)p(D|\theta)) = (\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1)\log(\theta_1) + \dots + (\alpha_k - 1 + N_k)\log(\theta_k) + c =$

$$(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1)\log(1 - \sum_{j \neq 1} \theta_j) + \sum_{j \neq 1} (\alpha_j - 1 + N_j)\log(\theta_j) + c \quad \text{for some constant } c. \text{ Taking the}$$

derivative with respect to $\theta_i, i \neq 1$ and setting to 0, we get

$$-(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1)/(1 - \sum_{j \neq 1} \theta_j) + (\alpha_i - 1 + N_i)/\theta_i = 0 \rightarrow \text{because the other terms in the latter}$$

summation don't contain the particular θ_i so they go to 0 when the derivative is taken

$$-\theta_i(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1) + (1 - \sum_{j \neq 1} \theta_j)(\alpha_i - 1 + N_i) = 0 \rightarrow$$

$$\theta_i(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1) = (1 - \sum_{j \neq 1} \theta_j)(\alpha_i - 1 + N_i) \rightarrow$$

$$\theta_i/\theta_1 = (\alpha_i - 1 + N_i)/(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1) \rightarrow \text{because } \theta_1 = 1 - \sum_{j \neq 1} \theta_j$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^K \theta_i/\theta_1 = \sum_{i=1}^K (\alpha_i - 1 + N_i)/(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1) \rightarrow$$

$$1/\theta_1 = \sum_{i=1}^K (\alpha_i - 1 + N_i)/(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1) \rightarrow$$

$$\hat{\theta}_1 = (\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1) / \sum_{i=1}^K (\alpha_i - 1 + N_i)$$

We can repeat this process for any category k , so we have that the k th component of our

MAP estimate of $\vec{\theta}$ is $\hat{\theta}_k = (\alpha_k - 1 + N_k) / \sum_{i=1}^K (\alpha_i - 1 + N_i)$

c) From a), we have that $\theta|D \sim \text{Dirichlet}(\alpha_1 - 1 + N_1, \dots, \alpha_k - 1 + N_k)$, so

$$E(\theta_k|D) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} \theta_k p(\theta_k|D) d\theta_k = \alpha_k - 1 + N_k / \sum_{k'} (\alpha_{k'} - 1 + N_{k'}) \rightarrow$$

$$p(x_k^{(N+1)}|D) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(x_k^{(N+1)}|\theta_k) p(\theta_k|D) d\theta_k = \alpha_k - 1 + N_k / \sum_{k'} (\alpha_{k'} - 1 + N_{k'}) \rightarrow$$

$$p(x^{(N+1)}|D) = \int_{-\infty}^{\infty} p(x^{(N+1)}|\theta) p(\theta|D) d\theta = \prod_{k=1}^K (\alpha_k - 1 + N_k / \sum_{k'} (\alpha_{k'} - 1 + N_{k'}))$$