

## CSE512 Fall 2018 - Machine Learning - Homework 5

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$$(1.1) \quad H(x) = \text{sgn} \{f(x)\}$$

$$f(x) = \sum_{t=1}^T \alpha_t h_t(x)$$

To show:

$$E_{\text{Training}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \delta(H(x^j) \neq y^j) \leq \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \exp(-f(x^j)y^j)$$

$$\delta(H(x^j) \neq y^j) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } H(x^j) \neq y^j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$H(x^j) = \text{sgn} \{f(x^j)\}$$

$$\therefore \delta(H(x^j) \neq y^j) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } y^j \cdot f(x^j) < 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\therefore E_{\text{Training}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } y^j \cdot f(x^j) < 0 \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Now } \exp(-f(x^j) \cdot y^j) \geq 1 \text{ if } y^j \cdot f(x^j) < 0$$

$$\therefore \exp(+ve) \geq 1$$

$$\text{and } \exp(-f(x^j) \cdot y^j) \geq 0 \text{ if } y^j \cdot f(x^j) > 0$$

Hence,

$$E_{\text{Training}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \delta(H(x^j) \neq y^j) \leq \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \exp(-f(x^j)y^j)$$

$$(1.2) \quad w_j^{(t+1)} = \frac{w_j^{(t)} \exp(-\alpha_t y^j h_t(x^j))}{Z_t}$$

$$Z_t = \sum_{j=1}^N w_j^{(t)} \exp(-\alpha_t y^j h_t(x^j))$$

$$\text{To show: } \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \exp(-f(x^j) y^j) = \prod_{t=1}^T Z_t$$

$$f(x^j) = \sum_{t=1}^T \alpha_t h_t(x^j)$$

$$w_j^{(t+1)} = w_j^{(t)} \cdot \frac{\exp(-\alpha_t y^j h_t(x^j))}{Z_t}$$

$$= w_j^{(1)} \cdot \frac{\prod_{t=1}^T \exp(-\alpha_t y^j h_t(x^j))}{Z_t}$$

All  $w_j$ 's are initialized to  $\frac{1}{N}$

$$w_j^{(t+1)} = \frac{1}{N} \cdot \frac{\exp\left(\sum_{t=1}^T -\alpha_t y^j h_t(x^j)\right)}{\prod_{t=1}^T Z_t}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \cdot \frac{\exp\left(-y^j \sum_{t=1}^T \alpha_t h_t(x^j)\right)}{\prod_{t=1}^T Z_t}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \cdot \frac{\exp(-y^j f(x^j))}{\prod_{t=1}^T Z_t}$$



$$\sum_{j=1}^N w_j^{(t+1)} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \exp(-y^j f(x^j)) = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^N \exp(-f(x^j) y^j) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{t=1}^T z_t$$

(1.3)  
(a)  $z_t = (1 - \epsilon_t) \exp(-\alpha_t) + \epsilon_t \exp(\alpha_t)$

To minimize  $z_t$  w.r.t  $\alpha_t$

$$\frac{\partial z_t}{\partial \alpha_t} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow -(1 - \epsilon_t) \exp(-\alpha_t) + \epsilon_t \exp(\alpha_t) = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_t \exp(\alpha_t) = (1 - \epsilon_t) \exp(-\alpha_t)$$

$$\Rightarrow (\exp(\alpha_t))^2 = \frac{1 - \epsilon_t}{\epsilon_t}$$

$$\Rightarrow \exp(\alpha_t) = \sqrt{\frac{1 - \epsilon_t}{\epsilon_t}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\alpha_t = \ln\left(\sqrt{\frac{1 - \epsilon_t}{\epsilon_t}}\right)}$$

$$z_t^{\text{opt}} = (1 - \epsilon_t) \exp\left(-\ln\sqrt{\frac{1 - \epsilon_t}{\epsilon_t}}\right) + \epsilon_t \exp\left(\ln\sqrt{\frac{1 - \epsilon_t}{\epsilon_t}}\right)$$

$$= (1 - \epsilon_t) \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\epsilon_t}{1 - \epsilon_t}} + \epsilon_t \cdot \sqrt{\frac{1 - \epsilon_t}{\epsilon_t}}$$

$$= \sqrt{\epsilon_t(1-\epsilon_t)} + \sqrt{\epsilon_t(1-\epsilon_t)}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{\epsilon_t(1-\epsilon_t)}$$

$$\therefore Z_t^{\text{opt}} = 2\sqrt{\epsilon_t(1-\epsilon_t)}$$

$$(b) \quad \epsilon_t = \frac{1}{2} - \gamma_t$$

$$Z_t = Z_t^{\text{opt}} = 2\sqrt{\epsilon_t(1-\epsilon_t)}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{\left(\frac{1}{2} - \gamma_t\right)\left(\frac{1}{2} + \gamma_t\right)}$$

$$= 2\sqrt{\frac{1}{4} - \gamma_t^2}$$

$$= \sqrt{1 - 4\gamma_t^2}$$

$$1+x \leq e^x \quad \forall x \in \mathbb{R}$$

$\therefore 1+x$  is a tangent to  $e^x$  at  $x=0$  and since  $e^x$  is convex, it will always be above its tangent

$$\Rightarrow 1+(-x) \leq e^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow 1-x \leq e^{-x}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{1-x} \leq e^{-x/2}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sqrt{1-4\gamma_t^2} \leq e^{-2\gamma_t^2}$$



$$\Rightarrow \boxed{Z_t \leq \exp(-2r_t^2)}$$

(c) from 1.1 and 1.2 we have

$$\epsilon_{\text{Training}} \leq \sum_{t=1}^T Z_t$$

$$= \exp\left(-2 \sum_{t=1}^T r_t^2\right)$$

each classifier is better than random

$$\Rightarrow r_t \geq r \text{ for } r > 0 \text{ \& } t$$

$$\Rightarrow \epsilon_{\text{Training}} \leq \exp\left(-2 \sum_{t=1}^T r^2\right)$$

$$\Rightarrow \boxed{\epsilon_{\text{Training}} \leq \exp(-2Tr^2)}$$

This is because

$$-2Tr^2 \leq -\sum_{t=1}^T r_t^2 \times 2$$

$$\therefore r_t \geq r$$

Q2.5.1)

For  $k = 2$

Sum of squares =  $5.3648 \times 10^8$

$p_1 = 79.8157$

$p_2 = 54.8055$

$p_3 = 67.3106$

For  $k = 4$

Sum of squares =  $4.6111 \times 10^8$

$p_1 = 67.8812$

$p_2 = 86.8329$

$p_3 = 77.3571$

For  $k = 6$

Sum of squares =  $4.3135 \times 10^8$

$p_1 = 55.1765$

$p_2 = 94.435$

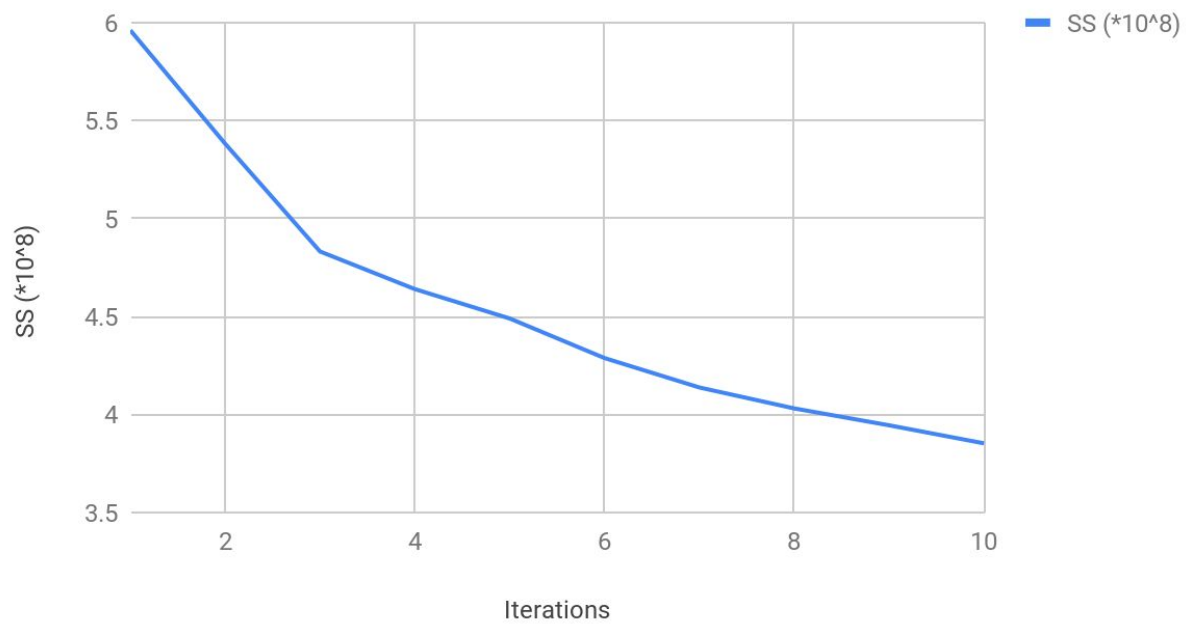
$p_3 = 74.8058$

Q2.5.2) 8 iterations for  $K = 6$

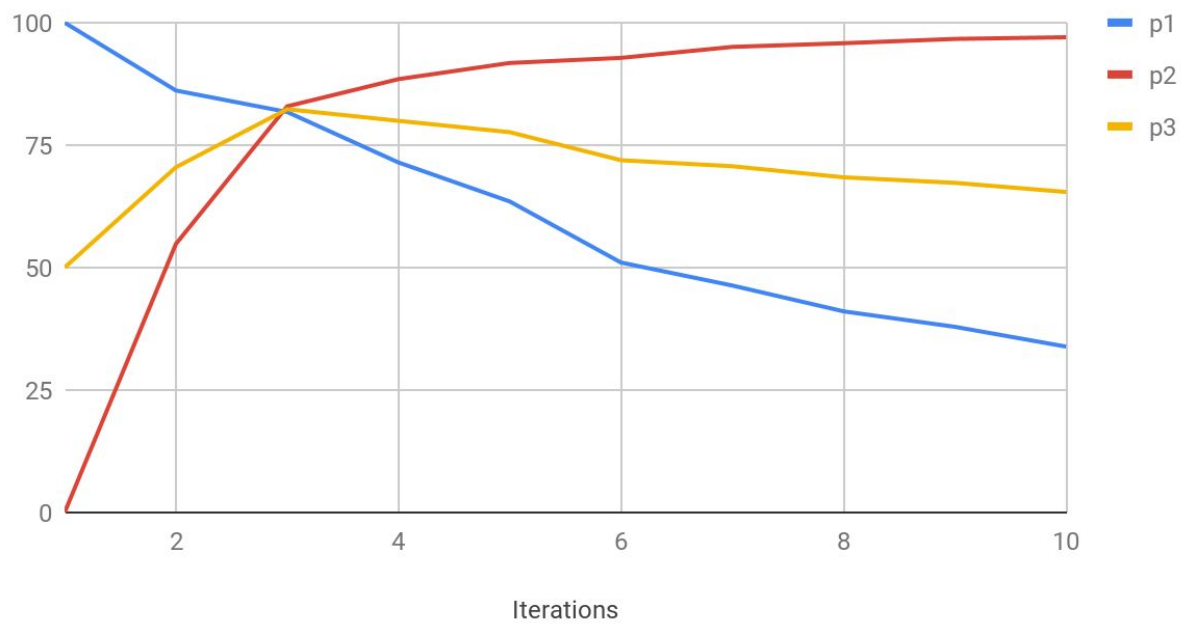
Q2.5.3 and 2.5.4)

| K                | 1     | 2     | 3     | 4     | 5     | 6     | 7     | 8     | 9     | 10    |
|------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| SS<br>( $10^8$ ) | 5.961 | 5.382 | 4.832 | 4.640 | 4.490 | 4.288 | 4.138 | 4.031 | 3.945 | 3.853 |
| $p_1$            | 100   | 86.14 | 81.75 | 71.45 | 63.49 | 51.02 | 46.33 | 41.06 | 37.90 | 33.86 |
| $p_2$            | 0     | 54.82 | 82.91 | 88.46 | 91.76 | 92.80 | 95.04 | 95.79 | 96.67 | 97.01 |
| $p_3$            | 50    | 70.48 | 82.33 | 79.95 | 77.63 | 71.91 | 70.68 | 68.42 | 67.29 | 65.43 |

SS (\*10<sup>8</sup>) vs. Iterations



p1, p2 and p3





Q3.4.2) 5-fold cross-validation accuracy = 15.6443%

Q3.4.3) Tuned the values of C and gamma for 12 different values each i.e. 144 iterations and found out the best value of C to be  $2^{11}$  and gamma to be 2.

For C = 2048 and gamma = 2, 5-fold cross-validation accuracy = 87.90%

Value of C is varied from  $2^{-5}$  to  $2^{17}$  with new C =  $4 \times \text{old\_C}$

Value of gamma is varied from  $2^{-15}$  to  $2^7$  with new gamma =  $4 \times \text{gamma}$

Attached models.mat which contains the accuracies at other C and gamma.

Each row corresponds to same C value and varying gamma.

Q3.4.5) Tuned the values of C and gamma for 12 different values each i.e. 144 iterations and found out the best value of C to be 32 and gamma to be 2.

For C = 32 and gamma = 2, 5-fold cross-validation accuracy = 93.75%

Value of C is varied from  $2^{-5}$  to  $2^{17}$  with new C =  $4 \times \text{old\_C}$

Value of gamma is varied from  $2^{-15}$  to  $2^7$  with new gamma =  $4 \times \text{gamma}$

Attached models\_2.mat which contains the accuracies at other C and gamma.

Each row corresponds to same C value and varying gamma.

Q3.4.6) Kaggle accuracy 82.5%