

Data 609 - Module7

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```
# Libraries
library(e1071)
library(caret)
```

```
## Loading required package: lattice
```

```
## Loading required package: ggplot2
```

Ex.1

Use the `svm()` algorithm of the `e1071` package to carry out the support vector machine for the `PlantGrowth` data set. Then, discuss the number of support vectors/samples. [Install the `e1071` package in R if needed.]

Solution

```
# PlantGrowth dataset
data(PlantGrowth)
head(PlantGrowth)
```

```
##   weight group
## 1   4.17  ctrl
## 2   5.58  ctrl
## 3   5.18  ctrl
## 4   6.11  ctrl
## 5   4.50  ctrl
## 6   4.61  ctrl
```

```
svm_pg <- svm(group ~ ., data = PlantGrowth)
summary(svm_pg)
```

```
##
## Call:
## svm(formula = group ~ ., data = PlantGrowth)
##
##
## Parameters:
##   SVM-Type:  C-classification
```

```
## SVM-Kernel: radial
##      cost: 1
##
## Number of Support Vectors: 29
##
## ( 10 9 10 )
##
##
## Number of Classes: 3
##
## Levels:
## ctrl trt1 trt2
```

It comes out that there are 29 support vectors out of 30 samples that are closer to the hyperplane and influence the orientation and position of the hyperplane. There are 3 classes.

Ex.2

Do a similar SVM analysis as that in the previous question using the `iris` data set. Discuss the number of support vectors/samples.

Solution

```
# iris dataset
data("iris")
head(iris)
```

```
## Sepal.Length Sepal.Width Petal.Length Petal.Width Species
## 1          5.1          3.5          1.4          0.2 setosa
## 2          4.9          3.0          1.4          0.2 setosa
## 3          4.7          3.2          1.3          0.2 setosa
## 4          4.6          3.1          1.5          0.2 setosa
## 5          5.0          3.6          1.4          0.2 setosa
## 6          5.4          3.9          1.7          0.4 setosa
```

```
svm_iris <- svm(Species ~ ., data = iris)
summary(svm_iris)
```

```
##
## Call:
## svm(formula = Species ~ ., data = iris)
##
##
## Parameters:
##   SVM-Type: C-classification
## SVM-Kernel: radial
##      cost: 1
##
## Number of Support Vectors: 51
##
## ( 8 22 21 )
##
##
## Number of Classes: 3
##
## Levels:
```

```
## setosa versicolor virginica
```

There are 51 support vectors and 3 classes in this case out of 150 samples in the dataset. In this case there is very less data for support vectors as compared to PlantGrowth dataset.

Ex.3

Use the iris data set (or any other data set) to select 80% of the samples for the training svm(), then use the rest 20% for validation. Discuss your results.

Solution

```
set.seed(609)

# partitioning for training and validation
partition <- createDataPartition(iris$Species, p=0.80, list = FALSE)
training <- iris[partition,]
validation <- iris[-partition,]

svm_train_iris <- svm(Species ~ ., data = training)
summary(svm_train_iris)
```

```
##
## Call:
## svm(formula = Species ~ ., data = training)
##
##
## Parameters:
##   SVM-Type:  C-classification
##   SVM-Kernel: radial
##       cost:  1
##
## Number of Support Vectors:  45
##
##   ( 8 18 19 )
##
##
## Number of Classes:  3
##
## Levels:
## setosa versicolor virginica
pred_valid <- predict(svm_train_iris, validation)
confusionMatrix(validation$Species, pred_valid)
```

```
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##               Reference
## Prediction  setosa versicolor virginica
##   setosa      10          0          0
##   versicolor   0          9          1
##   virginica    0          0         10
##
## Overall Statistics
##
```

```

##              Accuracy : 0.9667
##              95% CI : (0.8278, 0.9992)
##      No Information Rate : 0.3667
##      P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 4.476e-12
##
##              Kappa : 0.95
##
##  McNemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##              Class: setosa Class: versicolor Class: virginica
## Sensitivity              1.0000              1.0000              0.9091
## Specificity              1.0000              0.9524              1.0000
## Pos Pred Value           1.0000              0.9000              1.0000
## Neg Pred Value           1.0000              1.0000              0.9500
## Prevalence               0.3333              0.3000              0.3667
## Detection Rate           0.3333              0.3000              0.3333
## Detection Prevalence     0.3333              0.3333              0.3333
## Balanced Accuracy         1.0000              0.9762              0.9545

```

The accuracy of the model has comeout as 96.67%.Here the training model shows 45 support vectors.