# Classification Algorithms

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# 1 Perceptron Learning Algorithm

# 1.1 Data Cleaning

For the perceptron algorithm to work efficiently, we first remove the id column since it consists of large values that can disturb the learning process while not contributing to it semantically, as the id assigned to any sample does not determine the type of the tumour. We then map the target attribute, diagnosis, to numeric values using the map function. We assign value 1 to Malignant and -1 to Benign tumours.

# 1.2 Perceptron Algorithm

The Perceptron algorithm is implemented using a Perceptron class which is implemented as follows:

```
class Perceptron:
      def __init__(self, lr=0.001, epochs=10):
2
          self.lr = lr
3
          self.epochs = epochs
          self.weights = None
      def train(self, X, y):
          n_samples, n_features = X.shape
          self.weights = np.zeros(n_features)
9
          for _ in range(self.epochs):
               y_h=np.dot(X,self.weights)
12
               for idx, x_i in X.iterrows():
                   y_hat = np.dot(x_i, self.weights)
14
                   if y_hat*y[idx]<=0:</pre>
                       self.weights += x_i*y[idx]
16
17
      def predict(self, X):
18
          y_hat=np.dot(X, self.weights)
19
          return np.where(y_hat >= 0, 1, -1)
20
```

### 1.3 Task 1

In this task, we train the perceptron algorithm on the raw data (PM1) and on shuffled data (PM2). We can see that PM1 gives an accuracy of 72.3% while sPM2 gives an accuracy of 79.3%, suggesting that the data is linearly separable and shuffling the data improves the learning of the perceptron algorithm.

## Task 1: Perceptron on raw data (PM1)

Figure 1: PM1

### Task 1: Perceptron on shuffled data (PM2)

```
In [8]: 1 df shuffled = df.sample(frac=1, random state=42) #suffling dataset
         2 y_shuffled = df_shuffled['diagnosis']
         3 X_shuffled = df_shuffled.drop(['diagnosis'], axis=1)
         4 split_idx = int(len(df_shuffled) * 0.67)
         5 | X_train, X_test = X_shuffled[:split_idx], X_shuffled[split_idx:]
         6 y_train, y_test = y_shuffled[:split_idx], y_shuffled[split_idx:]
In [9]:
        1 PM2 = Perceptron(lr = 0.01, epochs = 500)
         2 PM2.train(X_train, y_train)
         3 y_pred2 = PM1.predict(X_test)
         5 accuracy2 = evaluate(y_test, y_pred2)
        Confusion Matrix: {'true_positive': 73, 'true_negative': 76, 'false_positive':
        36, 'false_negative': 3}
        Accuracy: 79.25531914893617%
        Precision: 66.97247706422019%
        Recall: 96.05263157894737%
```

Figure 2: PM2

### 1.4 Task 2

In this task, we attempt to improve the learning by normalising the data based on the formula:

 $X = \frac{X - \mu}{\sigma} \tag{1}$ 

where  $\mu, \sigma$  are the mean and standard deviation of X respectively.

We call the model that trains on normalised data PM3, and it classifies with an accuracy of 93.1% as shown below. Comparing this model with PM1, we see that normalising the data greatly improves the accuracy of classification, and this is because the change in weights in each iteration is not large since the data is small due to normalisation.

# Task 2: Perceptron on normalised data without shuffling (PM3)

#### **Normalising**

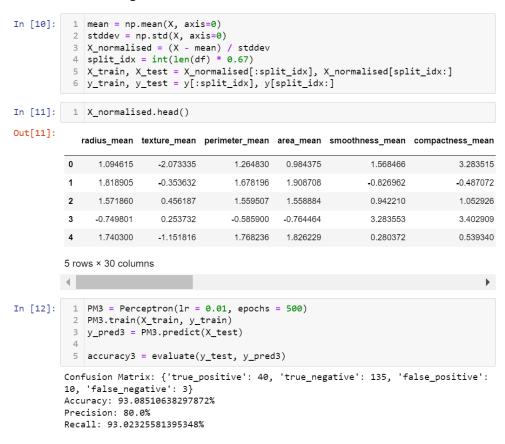


Figure 3: PM3

## 1.5 Task 3

In the final task for the perceptron algorithm, we train the model, PM4 on normalised data with the features shuffled. PM4 classifies with an accuracy of 93.1%, exactly the same as PM3, which implies that while shuffling data improves accuracy, shuffling the feature tuple does not. This still performs much better than PM1, but this is due to normalisation and not the shuffled feature tuple, since the accuracies of both PM3 and PM4 are identical.

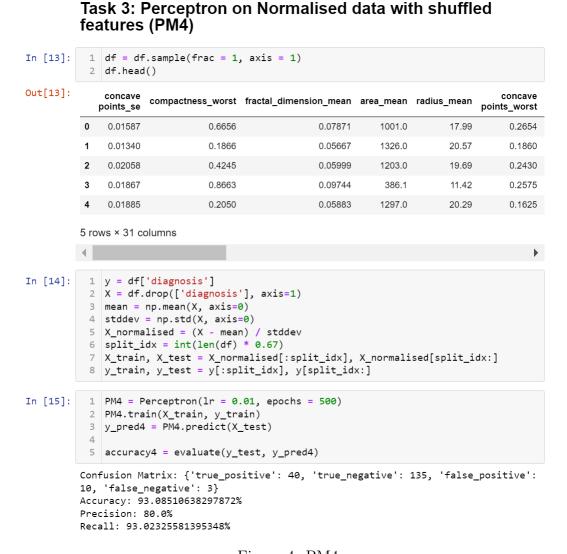
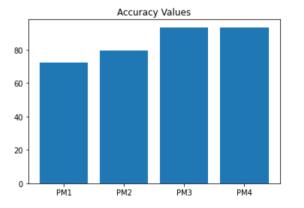


Figure 4: PM4

### 1.6 Results

We finally plot the accuracies of all the models in a bar chart for a comparative study as shown:

### Results



{'PM1': 72.34042553191489, 'PM2': 79.25531914893617, 'PM3': 93.08510638297872, 'PM4': 93.08510638297872}

Figure 5: Results

# 2 Fisher's Linear Discriminant Analysis

### 2.1 Task 1

We use the linear discriminant model from scikitlearn and call it FLDM1. Implementation is done as shown below:

# Task 1: FLDM on raw data (FLDM1)

```
In [3]:
         1 # build the FLDM model
         2 fldm1 = LinearDiscriminantAnalysis(n_components=1)
         3 fldm1.fit(X_train, y_train)
         5 # project the training data onto the 1-dimensional FLDM space
         6  X_train_lda = fldm1.transform(X_train)
In [4]:
        1 # find the decision boundary in the 1-dimensional FLDM space
         2 mean_pos = np.mean(X_train_lda[y_train == 1])
         3 mean_neg = np.mean(X_train_lda[y_train == -1])
         4 std_pos = np.std(X_train_lda[y_train == 1])
         5 std_neg = np.std(X_train_lda[y_train == -1])
         7 threshold = (mean_pos + mean_neg) / 2
         9 # project the testing data onto the 1-dimensional FLDM space
        10 X_test_lda = fldm1.transform(X_test)
        12 # evaluate the performance of the model on the testing data
        13 y_pred = np.where(X_test_lda > threshold, 1, -1)
        14 accuracy_fldm1 = evaluate(y_test, y_pred)
        Confusion Matrix: {'true_positive': 41, 'true_negative': 142, 'false_positive':
        3, 'false_negative': 2}
        Accuracy: 97.34042553191489%
        Precision: 93.1818181818189%
        Recall: 95.34883720930233%
```

Figure 6: FLDM1

We obtain an accuracy of 97.3%.

### 2.2 Task 2

In this task, we shuffle the feature tuple and then call this model FLDM2. The implementation is shown below. As we can see, the accuracy is 97.3%, identical to that produced by FLDM1, and this implies that shuffling the features does not change the learning for this algorithm.

#### Task 2: FLDM on data with shuffled columns (FLDM2)

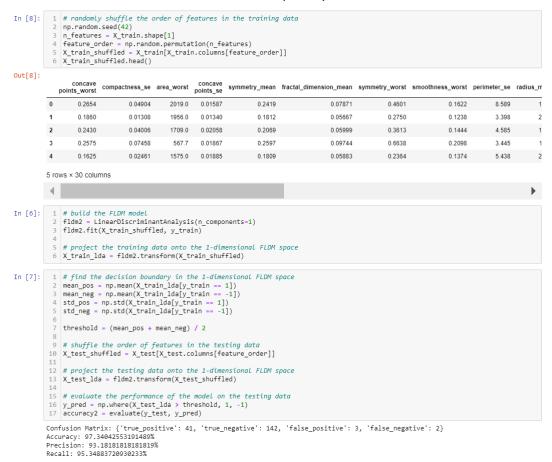


Figure 7: FLDM2

# 3 Logistic Regression

# 3.1 Implementation

We have implemented vanilla, stochastic and minibatch gradient descent in the objectoriented paradigm by defining various classes as shown below:

### 3.1.1 Vanilla Gradient Descent

LogisiticRegressionGD as follows:

```
class LogisticRegressionGD:
```

```
def __init__(self, learning_rate=0.01, n_iters=1000, random_state=
     None, threshold = 0.5):
          self.learning_rate = learning_rate
          self.n_iters = n_iters
4
          self.random_state = random_state
5
          self.threshold=threshold
6
      def sigmoid(self, x):
          return 1 / (1 + np.exp(-x))
10
11
      def fit(self, X, y):
          n_samples, n_features = X.shape
12
          self.weights = np.zeros(n_features)
          self.bias = 0
14
          self.costs = []
16
          # set random seed for reproducibility
17
          if self.random_state is not None:
              np.random.seed(self.random_state)
19
20
          # gradient descent
21
          for i in range(self.n_iters):
22
              # calculate predicted probabilities and gradients
23
              linear_model = np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.bias
24
              y_pred = self.sigmoid(linear_model)
25
              dw = np.dot(X.T, (y_pred - y)) / n_samples
              db = np.sum(y_pred - y) / n_samples
27
28
              # update weights and bias
29
30
              self.weights -= self.learning_rate * dw
31
              self.bias -= self.learning_rate * db
32
              # calculate cost and add to list for graphing
33
               y_pred = self.sigmoid(np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.
     bias)
              y_pred[y_pred == 0] = 1e-15 # add small constant value
35
     to avoid NaN in cost
              y_pred[y_pred == 1] = 1 - 1e-15 \# add small constant
36
     value to avoid NaN in cost
              cost = -1/n_samples * np.sum(y * np.log(y_pred) + (1-y)
     * np.log(1-y_pred))
              self.costs.append(cost)
38
39
      def predict(self, X):
40
          linear_model = np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.bias
41
          y_pred = self.sigmoid(linear_model)
42
          y_pred_class = [1 if i > self.threshold else 0 for i in
43
     y_pred]
```

```
return y_pred_class
44
45
      def plot_cost(self):
46
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 8))
47
          plt.plot(np.arange(1, len(self.costs)+1), self.costs)
48
          plt.xlabel('Iterations')
49
          plt.ylabel('Cost')
          plt.title('Gradient Descent Cost Graph')
          plt.show()
          fig.savefig('unormalizedLR_graphs/'+"GD"+str(len(str(self.
     learning_rate)))+str(self.threshold)[-1]+".png")
```

#### 3.1.2 Stochastic Gradient Descent

```
class LogisticRegressionSGD:
      def __init__(self, learning_rate=0.01, n_iters=1000, batch_size
     =1, random_state=None,threshold=0.5):
          self.learning_rate = learning_rate
          self.n_iters = n_iters
          self.batch_size = batch_size
5
          self.random_state = random_state
6
          self.threshold=threshold
8
      def sigmoid(self, x):
9
          return 1 / (1 + np.exp(-x))
      def fit(self, X, y):
          n_samples, n_features = X.shape
          self.weights = np.zeros(n_features)
14
          self.bias = 0
          self.costs = []
16
17
          # set random seed for reproducibility
18
          if self.random_state is not None:
19
               np.random.seed(self.random_state)
20
21
          # stochastic gradient descent
22
23
          for i in range(self.n_iters):
               # shuffle data
24
               idx = np.arange(n_samples)
25
               np.random.shuffle(idx)
26
               X_{shuffled} = X[idx]
27
               y_shuffled = y[idx]
28
29
               # loop over batches
30
               for j in range(0, n_samples, self.batch_size):
31
                   # get mini-batch
32
```

```
X_batch = X_shuffled[j:j+self.batch_size]
33
                   y_batch = y_shuffled[j:j+self.batch_size]
34
35
                   # calculate predicted probabilities and gradients
36
                   linear_model = np.dot(X_batch, self.weights) + self.
     bias
                   y_pred = self.sigmoid(linear_model)
                   dw = np.dot(X_batch.T, (y_pred - y_batch)) / self.
39
     batch_size
                   db = np.sum(y_pred - y_batch) / self.batch_size
40
41
                   # update weights and bias
42
                   self.weights -= self.learning_rate * dw
43
                   self.bias -= self.learning_rate * db
44
45
              # calculate cost and add to list for graphing
46
              y_pred = self.sigmoid(np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.
47
     bias)
              y_pred[y_pred == 0] = 1e-15 # add small constant value
     to avoid NaN in cost
              y_pred[y_pred == 1] = 1 - 1e-15 # add small constant
49
     value to avoid NaN in cost
              cost = -1/n_samples * np.sum(y * np.log(y_pred) + (1-y)
50
     * np.log(1-y_pred))
              self.costs.append(cost)
      def predict_proba(self, X):
          linear_model = np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.bias
54
          y_pred = self.sigmoid(linear_model)
56
          return y_pred
      def predict(self, X):
58
          y_pred_proba = self.predict_proba(X)
59
          y_pred_class = [1 if i > self.threshold else 0 for i in
     y_pred_proba]
          return y_pred_class
61
62
      def plot_cost(self):
63
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 8))
64
          plt.plot(np.arange(1, len(self.costs)+1), self.costs)
65
          plt.xlabel('Iterations')
66
          plt.ylabel('Cost')
67
          plt.title('Stochastic Gradient Descent Cost Graph')
68
          plt.show()
          fig.savefig('unormalizedLR_graphs/'+"SGD"+str(len(str(self.
     learning_rate)))+str(self.threshold)[-1]+".png")
```

### 3.1.3 MiniBatch Gradient Descent

```
class LogisticRegressionMiniBatchGD:
      def __init__(self, learning_rate=0.01, n_iters=1000, batch_size
     =32, random_state=None, threshold=0.5):
          self.learning_rate = learning_rate
3
          self.n_iters = n_iters
4
          self.batch_size = batch_size
6
          self.random_state = random_state
          self.threshold=threshold
      def sigmoid(self, z):
9
          return 1 / (1 + np.exp(-z))
10
      def fit(self, X, y):
          # initialize weights and bias to zero
13
          self.weights = np.zeros(X.shape[1])
14
          self.bias = 0
16
          # initialize costs list for storing costs at each iteration
          self.costs = []
18
19
          # set random seed for reproducibility
20
          n_samples, n_features = X.shape
21
          if self.random_state is not None:
22
              np.random.seed(self.random_state)
24
          # minibatch gradient descent
          for i in range(self.n_iters):
26
              # shuffle data
27
              idx = np.arange(X.shape[0])
              np.random.shuffle(idx)
29
              X = X[idx]
30
              y = y[idx]
31
              # loop over batches
33
              for j in range(0, X.shape[0], self.batch_size):
34
                   # get minibatch
35
                   X_batch = X[j:j+self.batch_size]
                   y_batch = y[j:j+self.batch_size]
37
38
                   # calculate predicted probabilities and gradients
39
                   y_pred = self.sigmoid(np.dot(X_batch, self.weights)
40
     + self.bias)
                   dw = np.dot(X_batch.T, (y_pred - y_batch)) / self.
     batch_size
                   db = np.sum(y_pred - y_batch) / self.batch_size
43
```

```
# update weights and bias
44
                   self.weights -= self.learning_rate * dw
45
                   self.bias -= self.learning_rate * db
47
              # calculate cost and add to list for graphing
48
              y_pred = self.sigmoid(np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.
49
     bias)
              y_pred[y_pred == 0] = 1e-15  # add small constant value
50
     to avoid NaN in cost
              y_pred[y_pred == 1] = 1 - 1e-15 \# add small constant
     value to avoid NaN in cost
              cost = -1/n_samples * np.sum(y * np.log(y_pred) + (1-y)
52
     * np.log(1-y_pred))
              self.costs.append(cost)
54
          return self
56
      def predict_proba(self, X):
          return self.sigmoid(np.dot(X, self.weights) + self.bias)
58
      def predict(self, X):
          return np.where(self.predict_proba(X) > self.threshold, 1,
61
     0)
62
      def plot_cost(self):
63
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 8))
          plt.plot(range(1, len(self.costs) + 1), self.costs)
          plt.xlabel('Iteration')
66
          plt.ylabel('Cost')
67
          plt.title('Logistic Regression Cost Graph')
69
          plt.show()
          fig.savefig('unormalizedLR_graphs/'+"minibatchGD"+str(len(
70
     str(self.learning_rate)))+str(self.threshold)[-1]+".png")
```

### 3.2 Task 1: Raw Data

Varying thresholds did not change the accuracies much, but we got the best accuracy of 92.6% when the threshold was 0.5 and the learning rate of 0.001 using vanilla gradient descent, while we got the worst accuracy of 32.9% when the threshold was 0.6 and the learning rate 0.01.

### 3.3 Task 2: Normalised Data

In this task, we run the same algorithms after normalising data using the code shown below:

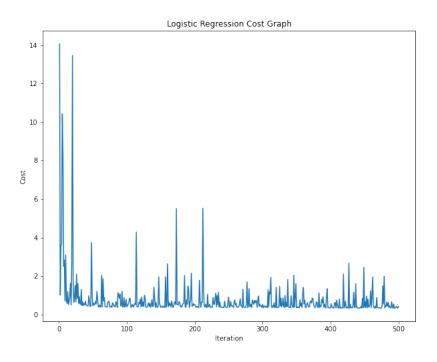


Figure 8: Mini-batch GD on raw Data

```
y = df["diagnosis"]
X = df.drop(["diagnosis"], axis=1)
mean = np.mean(X, axis=0)
stddev = np.std(X, axis=0)
X = (X - mean) / stddev
df = pd.concat([X, y], axis=1)
```

After normalising, while accuracy remained relatively small, from 92.6% to 98.9%, we noticed that the graphs for cost curves were significantly more stable, and this is because there are no large changes in weights in each iteration.

We obtained the highest accuracy of 98.9% with a learning rate of 0.001 and a threshold of 0.5 using the minibatch gradient descent. While the worst was an accuracy of 96.2% with a learning rate, of 0.01, and the threshold of 0.4 using stochastic gradient descent.

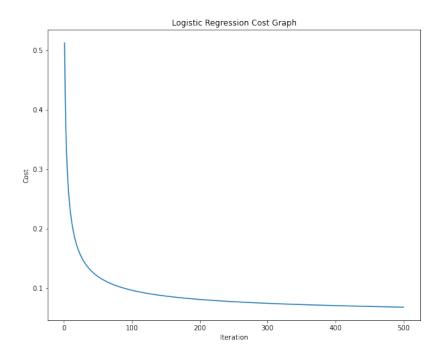


Figure 9: Mini-batch GD on normalised Data

Note: It, however, should be noted that with extremely low learning rates (0.0001), the gradient descent does not converge to the global minima in > 500 iterations.

# References

[1] GitHub Repository