

New Fuzzy Methods For Feature Selection

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1. Abstract

2. Objective Functions

From the book named SPEC, we sort the eigenvalues of S increasingly and we let ξ_1 be the first corresponding eigenvector.

In the equation, $x_{t,i}$ denotes the value of instance \mathbf{x}_t on feature \mathbf{f}_i . $NH(\mathbf{x})$ and $NM(\mathbf{x})$ denote the nearest points to \mathbf{x} in the data with the same and different labels, respectively, and $\|\cdot\|$ is a distance measurement.

$$\mathbf{S}_{ij}^{FIS} = \begin{cases} \frac{1}{n_l}, & y_i = y_j = l \\ 0, & otherwise \end{cases} \quad \max_{\mathbb{F}_{sub}} \sum_{F \in \mathbb{F}_{sub}} \hat{\mathbf{f}}^\top \hat{\mathbf{S}} \hat{\mathbf{f}}, \quad \mathbf{S}_{i,j}^{REL} = \begin{cases} 1 & i = j \\ -\frac{1}{k} & x_j \in NH(\mathbf{x}_i) \\ \frac{1}{(c-1)k} & x_j \in NM(\mathbf{x}_i, CL(\mathbf{x}_i)) \end{cases}$$

TABLE 4.1: The similarity matrices and feature vectors used in different algorithms.

Algorithm	Sample Similarity Matrix	Feature Normalization
Fisher Score	\mathbf{S}^{FIS}	$\tilde{\mathbf{f}} = \frac{\mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{f}}{\ \mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{f}\ }, \hat{\mathbf{f}} = \frac{\tilde{\mathbf{f}} - \tilde{\mathbf{f}}^\top \xi_1 \xi_1}{\sqrt{1 - (\tilde{\mathbf{f}}^\top \xi_1)^2}}$
ReliefF	\mathbf{S}^{REL}	$\hat{\mathbf{f}} = \frac{\mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{f}}{\ \mathbf{D}^{\frac{1}{2}} \mathbf{f}\ }$
Trace Ratio Criterion	$\mathbf{L}_b - \lambda^* \mathbf{L}_w$	$\hat{\mathbf{f}} = \mathbf{f}$

From the article named SLEP, ...

Table 3: Applicability of the SLEP package

Penalty	Problem	Function	Description	Section
Lasso	$\min_{\mathbf{x}: \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 \leq z} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2$	eplb	Euclidean projection onto the ℓ_1 ball	2.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda \ \mathbf{x}\ _1$	LeastR	Least squares loss	2.2
		LogisticR	Logistic loss	2.3
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}: \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 \leq z} f(\mathbf{x})$	LeastC	Least squares loss	2.4
		LogisticC	Logistic loss	2.5
	$\min_{\mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda \ \mathbf{x}\ _1$	nnLeastR	Least squares loss	2.6
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}: \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 \leq z, \mathbf{x} \geq \mathbf{0}} f(\mathbf{x})$	nnLogisticR	Logistic loss	2.7
		nnLeastC	Least squares loss	2.8
		nnLogisticC	Logistic loss	2.9
group Lasso ¹	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2 + \lambda \ \mathbf{x}\ _q$	epp	ℓ_q -regularized Euclidean projection	3.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda \ \mathbf{x}\ _{q,1}$	glLeastR	Group Lasso	3.2
		glLogisticR		3.3
		mtLeastR	Multi-task learning	3.4
		mtLogisticR		3.5
		mcLeastR	Multi-class/task learning	3.6
		mcLogisticR		3.7
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}: \ \mathbf{x}\ _{2,1} \leq z} f(\mathbf{x})$	mtLeastC	Multi-task learning	4.1
		mtLogisticC		4.2
		mcLeastC	Multi-class/task learning	4.3
		mcLogisticC		4.4
fused Lasso	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2 + \lambda_1 \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 + \lambda_2 \sum_{i=1}^{p-1} x_i - x_{i+1} $	flsa	fused Lasso signal approximator	5.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda_1 \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 + \lambda_2 \sum_{i=1}^{p-1} x_i - x_{i+1} $	fusedLeastR	Least Squares Loss	5.2
		fusedLogisticR	Logistic Loss	5.3
sparse inverse covariance	$\max_{\Theta \succ \mathbf{0}} \log \Theta - \langle S, \Theta \rangle - \lambda \ \Theta\ _1$	spaInvCov	sparse inverse covariance estimation	6
sparse group Lasso ²	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2 + \lambda_1 \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 + \lambda_2 \sum_{i=1}^g w_i \ \mathbf{x}_{G_i}\ _2$	altra	Moreau-Yosida Regularization	7.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda_1 \ \mathbf{x}\ _1 + \lambda_2 \sum_{i=1}^g w_i \ \mathbf{x}_{G_i}\ _2$	sgLeastR	Least Squares Loss	7.2
		sgLogisticR	Logistic Loss	7.3
		mc_sgLeastR	Logistic Loss	7.4
tree structured group Lasso ³	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^g w_i \ \mathbf{x}_{G_i}\ _2$	altra	Moreau-Yosida Regularization	8.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^g w_i \ \mathbf{x}_{G_i}\ _2$	general_altra	Regularization	
		tree_LeastR	Least Squares Loss	8.2
		tree_LogisticR	Logistic Loss	8.3
		tree_mcLeastR	Least Squares Loss	8.4
		tree_mcLogisticR	Logistic Loss	8.5
		tree_mcLeastR	Least Squares Loss	8.6
		tree_mcLogisticR	Logistic Loss	8.7
overlapping group Lasso ⁴	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2 + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^g w_i \ \mathbf{x}_{G_i}\ _2$	overlapping	Moreau-Yosida Regularization	9.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x}} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda \sum_{i=1}^g w_i \ \mathbf{x}_{G_i}\ _2$	overlapping_LeastR	Least Squares Loss	9.2
		overlapping_LogisticR	Logistic Loss	9.3
Ordered Tree	$\min_{\mathbf{x} \in P} \frac{1}{2} \ \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{v}\ _2^2$	orderTree	Euclidean Projection onto P	10.1
	$\min_{\mathbf{x} \in P} f(\mathbf{x}) + \lambda \ \mathbf{x}\ _1$	orderLeastC	Least Squares Loss	10.2
Least Squares Loss		pathSolutionLeast	Pathwise solutions	12
Logistic Loss		pathSolutionLogistic		
trace norm	$\min_W \frac{1}{2} \ XW - Y\ _F^2 + \lambda \ W\ _*$	accel_grad_mlr	Linear regression	13.1
		mat_primal	Linear regression	13.4
		mat_dual	Linear regression	13.5
	$\min_W \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^k \ X_i w_i - Y_i\ _2^2 + \lambda \ W\ _*$	accel_grad_mtl	Multi-task learning	13.2
	$\min_W \sum_{i=1}^n \ell(y_i, \text{Tr}(W^T X_i)) + \lambda \ W\ _*$	accel_grad_mc	Matrix classification	13.3

¹: The ℓ_1/ℓ_q -norm is defined as the summation of ℓ_q -norm of the non-overlapping groups.

²: In the sparse group Lasso, the indices G_i do not overlap, i.e. $G_i \cap G_j = \emptyset, \forall i \neq j$.

³: In the tree structured group Lasso, the indices G_i overlap. However, note that, G_i 's follow the tree structure, as depicted in Figure 11.

⁴: In the overlapping group Lasso, the indices G_i may overlap, without the restriction in the tree structured group Lasso.

3. Comparative Map — Weights (x_v^h, y^h)

With Pearson's method, if each variance of x_v and y are unitary, then $W_1^3 = \frac{\overline{x_1 y} - \overline{x_1} \cdot \overline{y}}{\sum_{v=1}^n (\overline{x_v y} - \overline{x_v} \cdot \overline{y})}$.

If each mean of x_v and y are all zero, then $W_1^3 = \frac{\overline{x_1 y}}{\sum_{v=1}^n \overline{x_v y}} = \frac{\sum x_1^h y^h}{\sum x_1^h y^h + \dots + \sum x_n^h y^h}$.

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial y^i} = u'v^{-1} + u(-v^{-2})v' = \frac{x_1^i y^i}{\sum x_1^h y^h + \dots + \sum x_n^h y^h} - \frac{\sum x_1^h y^h}{[\sum x_1^h y^h + \dots + \sum x_n^h y^h]^2} (x_1^i + \dots + x_n^i).$$

$$j \geq 2 \Rightarrow \frac{\partial W}{\partial x_j^i} = c(-v^{-2})v' = -\frac{\sum x_1^h y^h}{[\sum x_1^h y^h + \dots + \sum x_n^h y^h]^2} \cdot x_j^i \cdot y^i.$$

$$\frac{\partial W}{\partial x_1^i} = \frac{y^i}{\sum x_1^h y^h + \dots + \sum x_n^h y^h} - \frac{\sum x_1^h y^h}{[\sum x_1^h y^h + \dots + \sum x_n^h y^h]^2} \cdot y^i.$$

By Taylor's expansion, and by the combinatorics $\underbrace{AAACCE}_{c_1 \text{ counts how many indexes} = A? 3.} \sim \frac{5!}{3!0!2!0!1!}$ permutations,

$$f(x_1, \dots, x_n) = f(x^0) + \sum_{g=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{g!} \sum_{1 \leq i_1 \leq i_2 \leq \dots \leq i_g} \frac{g!}{c_1! \dots c_g!} \prod_{k=1}^g (x_{i_k} - x_{i_k}^0) \frac{\partial^g f(x^0)}{\partial x_{i_1} \dots \partial x_{i_g}}. \quad (1)$$

With YNFN-FS, we should numerically get all the first derivatives $\frac{\partial f(x^0)}{\partial x_i}$ at the middle point

$x^0 = \frac{x^i + x^f}{2}$. Then $\frac{\partial^2 f(x^0)}{\partial x_{i_1} \partial x_{i_2}}$ and successively, until a Taylor's good approach (no one with MAPE above 20%); but here we need, whenever $n_{FP} = 3$, at least 2^n series (n -cubic regions).

4. Conclusions and Future Work

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