

0.1 Perceptron

0.1.1 Abstract

As we know, linear classification is divided into two types:

- hard output (directly output the class of the samples):
 - perceptron
 - LDA(linear discriminant analysis)
- soft output(output the probability that samples belong to some class):
 - gaussian discriminant analysis
 - logistic regression

In this chapter, we will introduce a simple linear binary classification model: Perceptron. Its requirements are relatively loose, as long as we can find a hyperplane to separate positive and negative samples.

0.1.2 Idea

Error driven

Literally, we can see that the idea of the perceptron model is to randomly initialize the parameters of the model, and then update its own parameters via errors according to whether the current parameters can correctly separate the positive and negative samples.

0.1.3 Algorithm

Firstly, given the object function of the model:

$$f(x) = \text{sign}(w^T x)$$

In this formula, *sign* is a symbolic function.

$$\text{sign}(a) = \begin{cases} +1, & a > 0 \\ -1, & a \leq 0 \end{cases}$$

then, according to the idea of perceptron mentioned above: error driven
It's easy to obtain the loss function of the model:

$$L(w) = \sum_{i=1}^n I\{w^T x_i y_i < 0\}$$

In this formula, *I* is a indicator function, indicating which elements belong to the collection.

And it's easy to understand the judgment conditions. We note that:

- when $y_i > 0$, it indicates y_i is a positive sample:
 - then, if $w^T x_i < 0$, it indicates the sample is classified incorrectly ($w^T x_i y_i < 0$)
 - if $w^T x_i > 0$, it indicates the sample is classified correctly ($w^T x_i y_i > 0$)
- when $y_i < 0$, it indicates y_i is a negative sample:
 - then, if $w^T x_i < 0$, it indicates the sample is classified correctly ($w^T x_i y_i > 0$)
 - if $w^T x_i > 0$, it indicates the sample is classified incorrectly ($w^T x_i y_i < 0$)

We finally find out when $w^T x_i y_i < 0$, it indicates the sample is classified incorrectly by model. Well, let's look back on the loss function. We are surprised to find that it's non differentiable, thus we can't use gradient descent. Um, how can we solve the issue?

We could loose the conditions, and the loss function is updated to:

$$L(w) = \sum_{(x_i, y_i) \in M} -w^T x_i y_i$$

M represents the collection classified incorrectly.

Then adding a minus sign in front of $w^T x_i y_i$, we will obtain a positive loss value. And then we can use gradient descent to update the parameters w .

As for the derivative of the loss function, it's also easy to solve:

$$\frac{dL(w)}{dw} = \sum_{(x_i, y_i) \in M} -x_i y_i$$

0.1.4 Implement

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%matplotlib inline
import os
os.chdir("../")
import numpy as np
from models.linear_models import Perceptron

model = Perceptron(10000, lr=1e-2)
x = np.linspace(0, 100, num=100)
w1, b1 = 0.1, 5
w2, b2 = 0.2, 10
epsilon = 2
k = 0.15
b = 8
w = np.asarray([-k, 1])
v1 = x * w1 + b1 + np.random.normal(scale=epsilon, size=x.shape)
v2 = x * w2 + b2 + np.random.normal(scale=epsilon, size=x.shape)
x1 = np.c_[x, v1]
x2 = np.c_[x, v2]
x = np.r_[x1, x2]
y = np.sign(x.dot(w) - b)
model.fit(x, y)
model.draw(x)
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