

Mk. Assignment: Theory

Q. a) Naive Bayes assumption is that the features are independent to each other.

It helps in predicting the class from a test data.

(i) When it the assumption is independent, then it performs better when compare to other models like logistic regression.

(ii) It needs less training data, when features are independent.

Ex:- Consider a dataset based on the weather conditions person will play the game or not.

* features are:-

(i) Hot (Temperature).

(ii) Rainy (outlook).

If the temperature is 'hot', then no need of doing anything with humidity & outlook of 'Rainy'.

Q. d)

(i) Given, $\sigma_{ij} = 0$, $\sigma_{ii} = \sigma_i^2$

$$\Sigma = \text{diag}(\sigma_1^2, \dots, \sigma_d^2)$$

$$= \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_1^2 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & \sigma_2^2 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & \sigma_3^2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \sigma_d^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$|\Sigma| = \prod_{i=1}^d \sigma_i^2$$

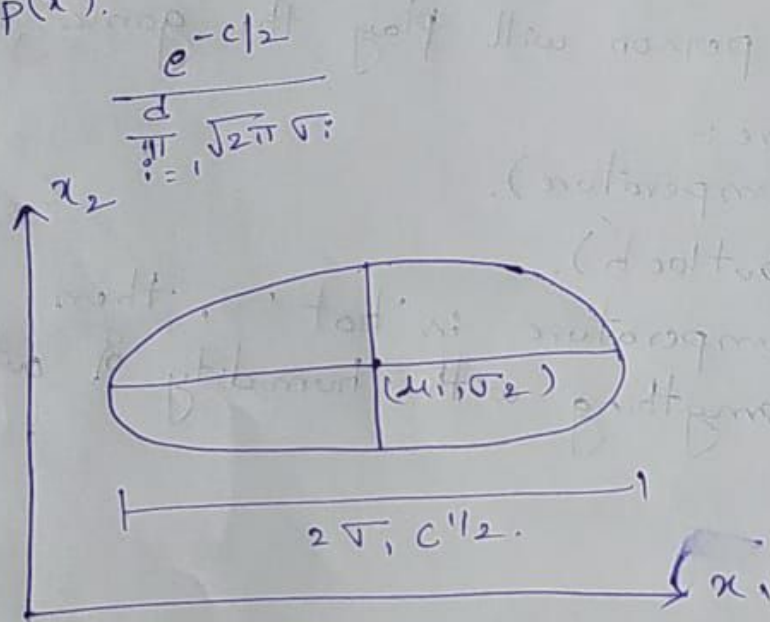
$$\Sigma^{-1} = \text{diag}(\frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}, \dots, \frac{1}{\sigma_d^2})$$

density as:

$$p(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2} |\Sigma|^{1/2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} (x-\mu)^T [\text{diag}(\frac{1}{\sigma_1^2}, \dots, \frac{1}{\sigma_d^2})] (x-\mu)\right]$$

$$= \frac{1}{\prod_{i=1}^d \sqrt{2\pi\sigma_i^2}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^d \left(\frac{x_i - \mu_i}{\sigma_i}\right)^2\right]$$

ii Contours of density are concentric ellipses in d dimensions whose centers are at $(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_d)^T = \mu$, axes in the i th direction are of length $2\sigma_i \sqrt{c}$ for the density $p(x)$.



b The structural assumption the one that most affects the trade-off between overfitting & under fitting is:

iii, Whether we assume full class covariance matrices or diagonal class covariance matrices.

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Given, $P(x|w_1) = N(0, 1)$.

$$P(x|w_2) = N(1, 2).$$

$$\mu_1 = 0$$

$$\sigma_1 = 1$$

$$\mu_2 = 1$$

$$\sigma_2 = 2.$$

assume equal prior probabilities, means

$$P(w_1) = P(w_2) = 0.5.$$