

Introduction to Machine Learning - CS725
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Lecture 5 - Linear Regression - Bayesian Inference and
Regularization

Building on questions on Least Squares Linear Regression

- ① Is there a probabilistic interpretation?
 - Gaussian Error, Maximum Likelihood Estimate
- ② Addressing overfitting
 - Bayesian and Maximum A posteriori Estimates, Regularization
- ③ How to minimize the resultant and more complex error functions?
 - Level Curves and Surfaces, Gradient Vector, Directional Derivative, Gradient Descent Algorithm, Convexity, Necessary and Sufficient Conditions for Optimality

Recap: Bayesian Inference with Coin Tossing

Let $\mathcal{D} \mid H$ follow a distribution $Ber(p)$ (p is probability of heads) and p follow a distribution $Beta(p; \alpha, \beta) \sim \frac{p^{(\alpha-1)}(1-p)^{(\beta-1)}}{B(\alpha, \beta)}$,

① *The Maximum Likelihood Estimate:* $\hat{p} = \operatorname{argmax}_p {}^nC_h p^h (1-p)^{n-h} = \frac{h}{n}$

② *The Posterior Distribution:* $\Pr(p \mid \mathcal{D}) = Beta(p; \alpha + h, \beta + n - h)$

③ *The Maximum a-Posterior (MAP) Estimate:* The mode of the posterior distribution $\tilde{p} = \operatorname{argmax}_H \Pr(H \mid \mathcal{D}) = \operatorname{argmax}_p \Pr(p \mid \mathcal{D})$

$$= \operatorname{argmax}_p Beta(p; \alpha + h, \beta + n - h) = \frac{\alpha + h - 1}{\alpha + \beta + n - 2}$$

Intuition for Bayesian Linear Regression

- The Bayesian interpretation of probabilistic estimation is a logical extension that enables reasoning with uncertainty **but in the light of some background belief**
- **Bayesian linear regression**: A Bayesian alternative to **Maximum Likelihood** least squares regression
- Continue with Normally distributed errors
- Model the \mathbf{w} using a prior distribution and use the posterior over \mathbf{w} as the result
- **Intuitive Prior: Components of \mathbf{w} should not become too large!**

Prior Distribution for \mathbf{w} for Linear Regression

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$$\varepsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$$

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- Q1: How do deal with Bayesian Estimation for Gaussian distribution?

Q: How to estimate distr for \mathbf{w} & $\mathbf{w} | \mathcal{D}$

$$p_{\mathbf{r}}(\mathbf{w}) \quad \square \quad \square \quad p_{\mathbf{r}}(\mathbf{w} | \mathcal{D})$$

$$P_1(w) = P_1(w_1, w_2 \dots w_n)$$

$$\text{s.t. } P_1(w_i) = \frac{\sqrt{\lambda}}{\sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\lambda w_i^2/2} = \mathcal{N}(0, \frac{1}{\lambda})$$

$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{\lambda}$

$$\underline{P_1(w)} = \mathcal{N}([0 \dots 0], \frac{1}{\lambda} \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix})$$

Density fn shown as concentric circles in 2-D

Q: What to do abt $\Pr(w|D)$?

We will start with the simpler setting:

$$X \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2)$$

$$\Pr(X|D) \sim ?$$

Evolve tricks

in simplex setting

Conjugate Prior for (univariate) Gaussian

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Interested in Posterior: $\Pr(\mu | \mathcal{D})$

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$$(\mu_{MLE}, \sigma_{MLE}^2) = \arg \max_{\mu, \sigma^2} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^m \prod_{i=1}^m \exp \left(\frac{-1}{2\sigma^2} (x_i - \mu)^2 \right)$$

How: Set $\frac{\partial}{\partial \mu} = 0$ & $\frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma^2} = 0$

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- Answer: $\Pr(\mu|x_1 \dots x_m) = \mathcal{N}(\mu_m, \sigma_m^2)$ such that $\mu_m = \dots$ and $\frac{1}{\sigma_m^2} = \dots$
- Helpful tip: Product of Gaussians is always a Gaussian

$$P(\mu | \underline{x_1 \dots x_m}) = \frac{P(\underline{x_1 \dots x_m} | \mu) P(\mu)}{P(\underline{x_1 \dots x_m})}$$

Will be accounted for through
normalization factor

$$= \frac{1}{Z} P(\underline{x_1 \dots x_m} | \mu) P(\mu)$$

$$= \frac{1}{Z} \left(\prod_{i=1}^m \left(\frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \right) \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (x_i - \mu)^2 \right) \right) \frac{1}{\sigma_0 \sqrt{2\pi}}$$

$$= \frac{1}{Z} \left(\frac{1}{\sigma \sqrt{2\pi}} \right)^m \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_0 \sqrt{2\pi}} \right) \exp \left[\sum_{i=1}^m -\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (x_i - \mu)^2 + \frac{(\mu - \mu_0)^2}{2\sigma_0^2} \right] \exp \left(\frac{(\mu - \mu_0)^2}{2\sigma_0^2} \right)$$

Detailed derivation

$$\Pr(\mu) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_0^2}} \exp\left(\frac{-(\mu - \mu_0)^2}{2\sigma_0^2}\right)$$

$$\Pr(x_i|\mu; \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}} \exp\left(\frac{-(x_i - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$\Pr(\mathcal{D}|\mu) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}}\right)^m \exp\left(\frac{-1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^m (x_i - \mu)^2\right)$$

$$\Pr(\mu|\mathcal{D}) \propto \Pr(\mathcal{D}|\mu) \Pr(\mu) = \left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma^2}}\right)^m \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\sigma_0^2}} \exp\left(\frac{-1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^m (x_i - \mu)^2 - \frac{(\mu - \mu_0)^2}{2\sigma_0^2}\right) \propto$$

$$\exp\left(\frac{-1}{2\sigma^2} \sum_{i=1}^m (x_i - \mu)^2 - \frac{(\mu - \mu_0)^2}{2\sigma_0^2}\right) = \exp\left(\frac{-1}{2\sigma_m^2} (\mu - \mu_m)^2\right) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_m, \sigma_m^2)$$

Trick: Determine params
by matching coefficients
of random variable (μ)

①

②

Match: Coefficients of
 μ, μ^2 (Random var)

Detailed derivation (contd.)

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Matching coefficients of μ^2 , we get

$$-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2}m - \frac{1}{2\sigma_0^2} = -\frac{1}{2\sigma_m^2}$$

$$\text{ie } \frac{m}{\sigma^2} + \frac{1}{\sigma_0^2} = \frac{1}{\sigma_m^2} \rightarrow \text{Precision of posterior as } m \text{ increases}$$

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$$\stackrel{\text{MLE}}{\text{MMLE}} \frac{\sum x_i}{\sigma^2} + \frac{\mu_0}{\sigma_0^2} = \frac{\mu_m}{\sigma_m^2} \rightarrow \text{already computed}$$

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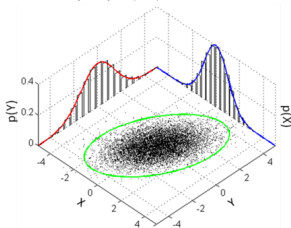
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As $m \rightarrow \infty$, $\mu_m \rightarrow \mu_{MLE}$
 $\sigma_m^2 \rightarrow 0$

Multivariate Normal Distribution and MLE estimate

- ① The multivariate Gaussian (Normal) Distribution is:

$$\mathcal{N}(\mathbf{x}; \mu, \Sigma) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} |\Sigma|^{\frac{1}{2}}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x}-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mathbf{x}-\mu)} \text{ when } \Sigma \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n} \text{ is positive-definite and}$$



$$\mu \in \mathbb{R}^n$$

② $\mu_{MLE} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \mathbf{x}_i \sim \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \phi(\mathbf{x}_i)$ and

$$\Sigma_{MLE} \sim \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (\phi(\mathbf{x}_i) - \mu_{MLE})(\phi(\mathbf{x}_i) - \mu_{MLE})^T$$

Similar to univariate

$$\Sigma[\cdot]$$

$$\frac{e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x}-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mathbf{x}-\mu)}}{(2\pi)^{n/2} |\Sigma|^{1/2}}$$

$(\Sigma_{MLE})_{ij} \propto$ correlation of ϕ_i with ϕ_j averaged across all data pts

$$\Sigma[\cdot] = \Sigma[\begin{pmatrix} \cdot & \cdot \end{pmatrix}] = \text{sum of rank 1 matrices}$$

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Generalizing the inverse of a matrix
 1×1

$$\Sigma_m^{-1}$$

$$\mu_m^T \Sigma_m^{-1}$$

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} Univariate case

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Look at projection of mean on correlation of all vars.

$$(\mu_m^T \Sigma_m^{-1})^T = \Sigma_m^{-1} \mu_m$$

$$\Sigma_m^{-1} = m \Sigma_{mle}^{-1} + \Sigma_0^{-1}$$

$$\Sigma_m^{-1} \mu_m = m \Sigma_{mle}^{-1} \mu_{mle} + \Sigma_0^{-1} \mu_0$$

For each j : $\sum_i (\mu_m)_i (\Sigma_m^{-1})_{ji} = m \sum_i (\mu_{mle})_i (\Sigma_{mle}^{-1})_{ji}$

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- We now conclude our discussion on Bayesian Linear Regression..

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Goal!
 $P_r(\mathbf{w} | \mathcal{D})$?

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- Q2: Then what is the (collective) prior distribution of the n -dimensional vector \mathbf{w} ?

✓ Done

Multivariate Normal Distribution and MAP estimate

Recall: $x \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \Sigma)$ $\mu \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_0, \Sigma_0)$ $y = \phi^T w + \epsilon$ [!]

Here: $\epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$ $w \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \frac{1}{\lambda} \mathbf{I})$ $y = w^T \phi(x) + \epsilon$

① If $w_i \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \frac{1}{\lambda})$ then $\mathbf{w} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{0}, \frac{1}{\lambda} \mathbf{I})$ where \mathbf{I} is an $n \times n$ identity matrix

② \Rightarrow That is, \mathbf{w} has a multivariate Gaussian distribution $\Pr(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda})^{\frac{n}{2}}} e^{-\frac{\lambda}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|_2^2}$

with $\mu_0 = \mathbf{0}$. $\Sigma_0 = \frac{1}{\lambda} \mathbf{I} \rightarrow (w_i \perp w_j)$

③ We will specifically consider Bayesian Estimation for multivariate Gaussian (Normal) Distribution on \mathbf{w} : $\frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}} (\frac{1}{\lambda})^{\frac{n}{2}}} e^{-\frac{\lambda}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|_2^2}$

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$$\Pr(w|\mathcal{D}) = \mathcal{N}(\mu_m, \Sigma_m)$$

$$\Sigma_m^{-1} = \lambda \mathbf{I} + \underbrace{\Phi^T \Phi}_{\text{surprisingly independent of } y} \times \frac{1}{\sigma^2}$$

$$\Sigma_m^{-1} \mu_m = \Sigma_0^{-1} \mu_0 + \underbrace{\Phi^T y}_{\text{owing to linear eq (x)}} / \sigma^2$$

Surprisingly independent of y owing to linear eq (x)

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Invoking the Bayes Estimation results from before:

$$\frac{1}{|\Sigma_m|^{1/2}} (2\pi)^{n/2} e^{-\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w} \cdot \frac{1}{\lambda}} = P(\mathbf{w})$$

$$P(\mathbf{w}|D) \propto P(\mathbf{w}) * P(D|\mathbf{w}) \dots$$

$$\prod \left(\frac{1}{\sigma\sqrt{2\pi}} \right) e^{-\frac{1}{2\sigma^2} (y - \mathbf{w}^T \phi(x_i))^2}$$

[Do coeff matching]

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Finding μ_m & Σ_m for \mathbf{w}

Setting $\Sigma_0 = \frac{1}{\lambda}I$ and $\mu_0 = \mathbf{0}$

$$\Sigma_m^{-1} \mu_m = \Phi^T \mathbf{y} / \sigma^2$$

$$\Sigma_m^{-1} = \lambda I + \Phi^T \Phi / \sigma^2$$

$$\mu_m = \frac{(\lambda I + \Phi^T \Phi / \sigma^2)^{-1} \Phi^T \mathbf{y}}{\sigma^2}$$

or

$$\mu_m = (\lambda \sigma^2 I + \Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} \Phi^T \mathbf{y}$$

MAP and Bayes Estimates

- $\Pr(\mathbf{w} \mid \mathcal{D}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{w} \mid \mu_m, \Sigma_m)$
- The **MAP estimate** or mode under the Gaussian posterior is the mode of the posterior \Rightarrow

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}}_{MAP} = \underset{\mathbf{w}}{\operatorname{argmax}} \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{w} \mid \mu_m, \Sigma_m) = \underline{\mu_m}$$

- Similarly, the **Bayes Estimate**, or the expected value under the Gaussian posterior is the mean \Rightarrow

$$\hat{\mathbf{w}}_{Bayes} = E_{\Pr(\mathbf{w} \mid \mathcal{D})}[\mathbf{w}] = E_{\mathcal{N}(\mu_m, \Sigma_m)}[\mathbf{w}] = \underline{\mu_m}$$

- Summarily:

$$\mu_{MAP} = \mu_{Bayes} = \mu_m = (\lambda \sigma^2 I + \Phi^T \Phi)^{-1} \Phi^T \mathbf{y}$$
$$\Sigma_m^{-1} = \lambda I + \frac{\Phi^T \Phi}{\sigma^2}$$

From Bayesian Estimates to (Pure) Bayesian Prediction

	Point?	$p(x D)$
MLE	$\hat{\theta}_{MLE} = \operatorname{argmax}_{\theta} LL(D \theta)$	$p(x \theta_{MLE})$
Bayes Estimator	$\hat{\theta}_B = E_{p(\theta D)} E[\theta]$	$p(x \theta_B)$
MAP	$\hat{\theta}_{MAP} = \operatorname{argmax}_{\theta} p(\theta D)$	$p(x \theta_{MAP})$
Pure Bayesian	$p(y x, w, \frac{1}{\lambda} \dots)$ $= \mathcal{N}(\mu_0 \phi(x) + \dots)$	$p(\theta D) = \frac{p(D \theta)p(\theta)}{\int_m p(D \theta)p(\theta)d\theta}$ $p(D \theta) = \prod_{i=1} p(x_i \theta)$ $p(x D) = \int_{\theta} p(x \theta)p(\theta D)d\theta$

where θ is the parameter