

RBE549 - Homework 7

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Problem 1

In this problem we are shown a number of shapes and then wish to find the $r(\theta)$ for the given shapes. The image below shows this:

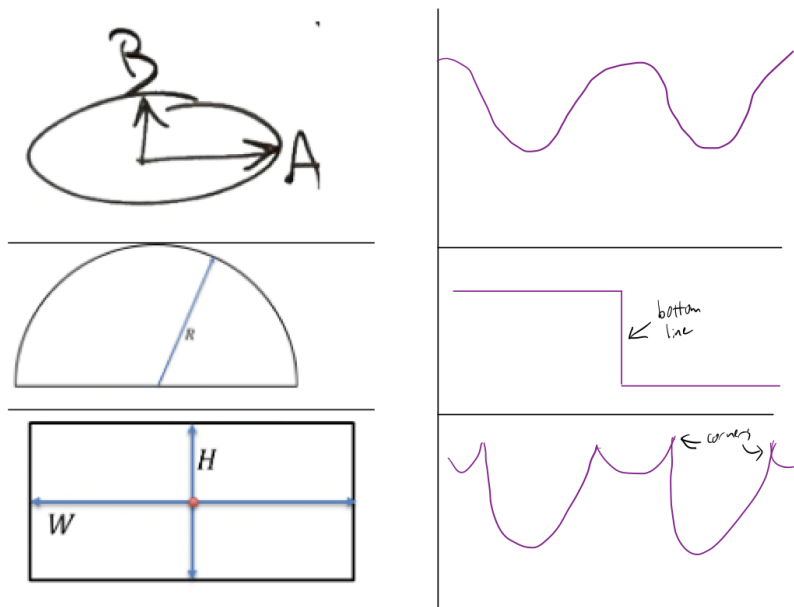


Figure 1: $r(\theta)$

Problem 2

In this problem we are asked a hypothetical problem. Supposing that we have a 2-class classification problem with centroid points μA and μB , and that each class is equally likely, we need to show that the Nearest Mean classifier decision boundary is midway along the line segment connecting μA to μB .

First, we can look at the problem in 1, 2, and 3 dimensions. For a 1D classifier, the resulting points would fall on a line and the resulting boundary would be between the centroids. If we looked at a 2D classifier, we would see the resulting decision boundary would be a line. Finally, for a 3D classifier, the decision boundary would be a plane. In each we depict the boundaries at a set distance d between centroids.

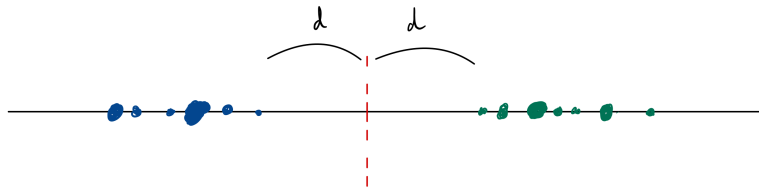


Figure 2: 1D Classifier

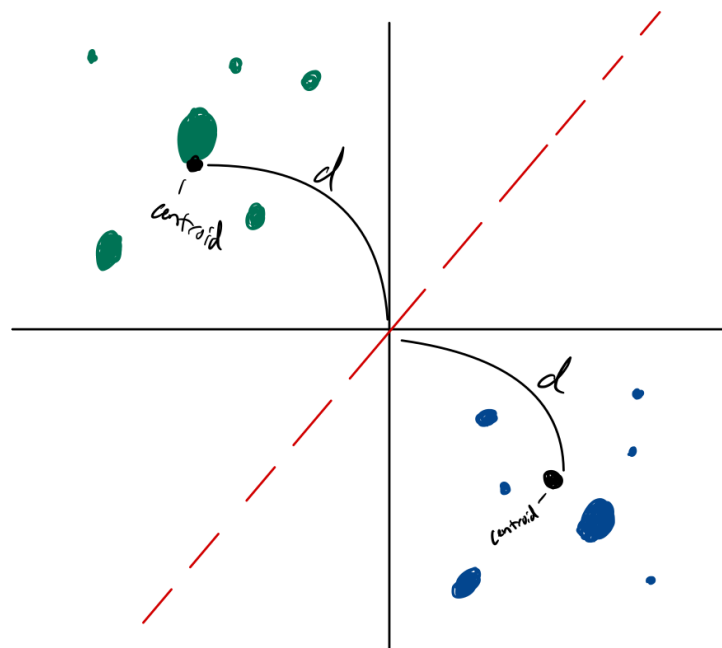


Figure 3: 1D Classifier

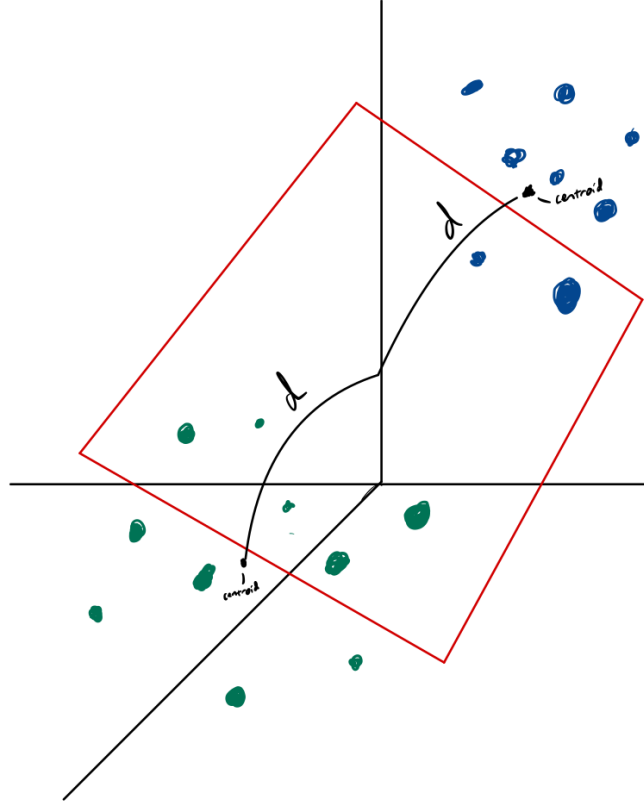


Figure 4: 3D Classifier

Since the problem states that the two classes A and B are equally likely, it means the the resulting centroids would be equidistant from a properly calculated Nearest Mean decision boundary. If either class had a higher probability than the other, the decision boundary as calculated via Nearest Mean would be closer to the centroid of that class.

Problem 3

In this problem we are asked to represent an object by its boundary $(x(s), y(s)), 0 \leq s \leq S$ where S is the length of the object's boundary and s is distance along that bonudary from some arbitrary starting point. Combine x and y into a single complex function $z(a) = x(s) + jy(s)$. The Discrete Fourier Transform (DFT) of z is:

$$Z(k) = \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} z(s), 0 \leq k \leq S-1 \quad (1)$$

We can use the coefficients $Z(k)$ to represent the object boundary. The limit onf s is $S-1$ because for a closed contour $Z(S) = z(0)$. The Inverse Discrete Fourier Transform is:

$$z(s) = \frac{1}{S} \sum_{k=0}^{S-1} e^{+2\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} Z(k), 0 \leq s \leq S-1 \quad (2)$$

A

Here we suppose that the object is translated by $(\Delta x, \Delta y)$, such that $z'(s) = z(s) + \Delta x + j\Delta y$. How is z' 's DFT $Z'(k)$ related to $Z(k)$? Stating again, that we start with:

$$Z(k) = \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} z(s), 0 \leq k \leq S-1 \quad (3)$$

Which we can define $z'(s)$ as:

$$z'(s) = z(s) + \Delta x + j\Delta y \quad (4)$$

If we plug this into our original equation, we get...

$$Z'(k) = \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} z(s) + \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} (\Delta x + j\Delta y)(1) \quad (5)$$

Here we see that we have a segment that is equivalent to our defined $Z(k)$, so we can simplify by expressing:

$$Z(k) + (1)(\Delta x + j\Delta y) \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} \quad (6)$$

With Δx and $j\Delta y$ isolated, we can use a table of known Fourier Transforms to identify the resulting conversion. Based on our problem's definition ΔX and Δy are both constants, so we can state that:

$$Z'(k) = Z(k) + (\Delta x + j\Delta y) \sigma\left(\frac{2\pi k}{S}\right) \quad (7)$$

...where $\frac{1}{S}$ acts as our scaling factor.

B

What object has $z(s) = R \cos(\frac{2\pi s}{S}) + jR \sin(\frac{4\pi s}{S})$? Below we see a graph drawing the shape, and included code to generate it. Random values were chosen for the S and r for the sake of plotting it.

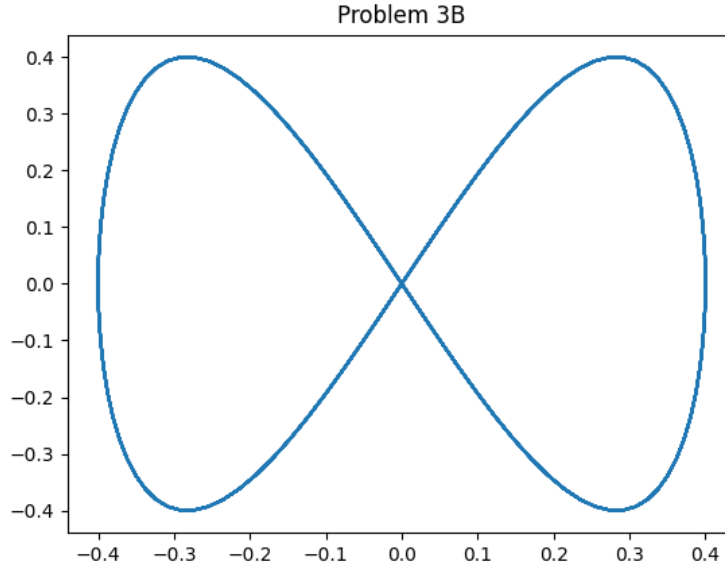


Figure 5: Our resulting shape

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import numpy as np
from numpy import cos, sin, pi
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

figure = plt.figure()
plt.title("Problem 3B")

S = 10
r = 4

theta = [theta for theta in np.arange(0, S, 0.01)]
X = [
    r * cos(2*pi*theta)/S
    for theta in theta
]
Y = [
    r * sin(4*pi*theta)/S
    for theta in theta
]

# Plot the results
plt.plot(X, Y)
plt.savefig("./imgs/prob3_b.png")

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C

In this problem we are tasked with showing what $Z(k)$ is corresponding to $z(s)$. We begin with our equation from *B*:

$$z(s) = R \cos\left(\frac{2\pi s}{S}\right) + jR \sin\left(\frac{4\pi s}{S}\right) \quad (8)$$

We can utilize the inverse of Euler's formula; $\cos(x) = \frac{e^{ix} + e^{-ix}}{2}$ and $\sin(t) = \frac{e^{ix} - e^{-ix}}{2j}$. This allows us to expand our starting equation:

$$z(s) = \frac{R(e^{j\frac{2\pi s}{S}} + e^{-j\frac{2\pi s}{S}})}{2} + \frac{R(e^{j\frac{4\pi s}{S}} - e^{-j\frac{4\pi s}{S}})}{2} \quad (9)$$

We can then begin simplifying our equation by moving out constants ($\frac{R}{2}$) and repositioning terms:

$$\frac{R}{2}(e^{j\frac{2\pi s}{S}} + e^{-j\frac{2\pi s}{S}} + e^{j\frac{4\pi s}{S}} - e^{-j\frac{4\pi s}{S}}) \quad (10)$$

Looking at the discrete fourier transform (DFT) from earlier in our problem, specifically, we can then begin to expand on this equation. Our starting equation is:

$$Z(k) = \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2*\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} z(s), 0 \leq k \leq S-1 \quad (11)$$

...which can lead us to:

$$Z(k) = \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-2*\pi j \frac{ks}{S}} \left(\frac{R}{2} (e^{j\frac{2\pi s}{S}} + e^{-j\frac{2\pi s}{S}} + e^{j\frac{4\pi s}{S}} - e^{-j\frac{4\pi s}{S}}) \right) \quad (12)$$

$$Z(k) = \frac{R}{2} \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e^{-j2\pi(k-1)\frac{s}{S}} + e^{-j2\pi(k+1)\frac{s}{S}} + e^{-j2\pi(k-2)\frac{s}{S}} + e^{-j2\pi(k+2)\frac{s}{S}} \quad (13)$$

We know from a Fourier Transform lookup table that $e^{j2\pi\omega x_0}$ transforms to $2\pi\sigma(x - x_0)$, so applying this here:

$$Z(k) = \sigma\left(2\pi\frac{k-1}{S}\right) + \sigma\left(2\pi\frac{k+1}{S}\right) + \sigma\left(2\pi\frac{k-2}{S}\right) + \sigma\left(2\pi\frac{k+2}{S}\right) \quad (14)$$