Lecture notes in data mining and multidimensional statistical analysis

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1 Multiple Regression

1.1 Introduction

We assume that we have the *p*-dimensional input vectors $x_i = (x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{ip})$, and we want to predict the real-valued output Y_i 's for $i = 1, \dots, n$ where n is the number of datapoints. The linear regression model has the form

$$Y_i = \beta_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p x_{ij}\beta_j + \varepsilon_i, \tag{1}$$

where ε_i is a residual term with $E[\varepsilon_i] = 0$ and $var(\varepsilon_i) = \sigma^2$. Here the β_j 's are unknown coefficients, and the input variables can come from different sources: quantitative inputs; transformations of quantitative inputs, such as log, square-root or square; interactions between variables, for example, $x_{i3} = x_{i1}x_{i2}$.

1.2 Least Squares

1.2.1 Solution of least squares

We assume that we have a set of training data $((x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n))$ from which to estimate the parameters β of regression equation (1). Each $x_i = (x_{i1}, x_{i2}, \dots, x_{ip})$ is a vector of measurements for the i^{th} individual and y_i is the i^{th} output. The most popular estimation method is least squares, in which we choose the coefficients $\beta = (\beta_0, \dots, \beta_p)$ that minimize the residual sum of squares

$$RSS(\beta) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left(y_i - \beta_0 - \sum_{j=1}^{p} x_{ij} \beta_j \right)^2.$$
 (2)

We can show that the unique solution is

$$\hat{\beta} = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T y, \tag{3}$$

where X is the design matrix

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & \cdots & x_{1p} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{n1} & \cdots & x_{np} \end{pmatrix}, \text{ and } y = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix}.$$

The regression model can also be expressed in matrix form as

$$y = X\beta + \varepsilon, \tag{4}$$

where $\varepsilon = (\varepsilon_1, \dots, \varepsilon_n)$.

1.2.2 Coefficient of determination

We denote by y_i^* the fitted values from regression analysis

$$y_i^* = \hat{\beta}_0 + \sum_{j=1}^p x_{ij} \hat{\beta}_j.$$

The coefficient of determination is defined as

$$R^2 = \operatorname{Cor}^2(y_i^*, y_i),$$

where Cor denotes the empirical correlation coefficient. We can show that

$$R^{2} = \frac{\operatorname{Var}(y_{i}) - \operatorname{Var}(\hat{\varepsilon}_{i})}{\operatorname{Var}(y_{i})},\tag{5}$$

where the $\hat{\varepsilon}_i = y_i - y_i^*$ are the residuals from the regression. The numerator of equation (5) is equal to the difference between the total variance $\operatorname{Var}(y_i)$ and the residual variance $\operatorname{Var}(\hat{\varepsilon}_i)$ and is called the explained variance. The coefficient of determination $R^2 \in [0,1]$ is therefore interpreted as the proportion of variance that is explained by the p predictors of the regression. The residual variance is a biased estimator of σ^2 ; however, $\hat{\sigma}^2 = n\operatorname{Var}(\hat{\varepsilon}_i)/(n-p-1)$ is an unbiased estimator.

Remark: regression as conditional expectation For this paragraph only, we assume that x_{ip} is not fixed but rather a realization of a random variable X_{ip} for each i and p. Assuming that Y_i has finite variance, it can be shown that the best approximation

$$\arg\min_{f} E[(Y_i - f(X_{i1}, \dots, X_{ip}))^2]$$

of Y_i by a function $f(X_{i1}, ..., X_{ip})$ with finite variance is the function $E[Y_i|X_{i1}, ..., X_{ip}]$. Since the functional form of the conditional expectation of Y_i given $X_{i1}, ..., X_{ip}$ is unknown, we have to assume a particular

parametric form for f. When f belongs to a parametric family $\{f_{\beta}\}_{{\beta}\in B}$, the regression model has the general form

$$Y_i = f_{\beta}(x_{i1}, \dots, x_{i1}) + \varepsilon_i,$$

where ε_i is the residual term with $E[\varepsilon_i] = 0$ and $Var(\varepsilon_i) = \sigma^2$. If f is assumed to depend linearly on its parameters β , we obtain the linear regression model of equation (1).

1.3 Gaussian model

So far, we did not assume any parametric model for the residuals. However, if we want to perform statistical hypothesis-testing, we have to resort to parametric approximations. The most standard parametric approach assumes the following Gaussian model

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

1.3.1 Multivariate Gaussian distributions

Some random vector $Z = (Z_1, ..., Z_n)$ has a multivariate Gaussian distribution iff its probability density function has the form

$$f_{m,\Sigma}(z) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{\frac{n}{2}}\sqrt{|\Sigma|}} \exp\left[-\frac{1}{2}(z-m)^T \Sigma^{-1}(z-m)\right]$$

where m (n-dimensional vector) and Σ ($n \times n$ symetric positive definite matrix) are parameters. This is denoted by $Z \leadsto \mathcal{N}(m, \Sigma)$. In this case, E[Z] = m, $\forall (i,j) \operatorname{cov}(Z_i, Z_j) = \Sigma_{i,j}$ and $Z_i \leadsto \mathcal{N}(m_i, \Sigma_{i,i})$. Moreover: (i) Z_i and Z_j are independent iff $\Sigma_{i,j} = 0$ (ii) for any deterministic matrix A and vector b, $AZ + b \leadsto \mathcal{N}(Am + b, A\Sigma A^T)$ (some components of AZ + b may be degenerate Gaussian – in other words deterministic).

In the Gaussian regression model, the least square estimators have the following properties:

- $\hat{\beta} \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{N}(\beta, \sigma^2(X^TX)^{-1})$
- $\bullet \ \ \frac{n-p-1}{\sigma^2} \hat{\sigma}^2 \ \leadsto \ \chi^2_{n-p-1}$
- both statistics are independent.

1.3.2 *F*-test

F-test for a group of variables. With the Gaussian hypothesis, we can use the F-test to test if a group of variables, let us say the p'^{th} to the p^{th} variable $(p \geq p')$, significantly improves the fit of the regression. The null hypothesis is $H_0: (\forall j \in [p', p], \beta_j = 0)$ against $H_1: (\exists j \in [p', p], \beta_j \neq 0)$. The test statistic is the F statistic,

$$F = \frac{(RSS_{p'} - RSS_p)/(p - p')}{RSS_p/(n - p - 1)}$$
(6)

where RSS_p is the residual sum-of-squares of the larger model with p+1 parameters, and $RSS_{p'}$ is the same for the *nested* model with p'+1 parameters. The F statistic measures the decrease in residual sum-of-squares per additional parameter (the numerator of equation (6)), and it is normalized by an estimate of σ^2 (the denominator of equation (6)). Under H_0 , the F statistic follows a Fisher distribution $F_{p-p',n-p-1}$ with p-p'and n-p-1 degrees of freedom.

The result of a statistical test is nowadays reported using P-values. The P-value is the probability under the null hypothesis to have a test statistic more atypical—in the direction of the alternative hypothesis than the observed one. Here, we will reject H_0 for large enough values of F

$$P$$
-value = $P(F \ge f)$,

where f is the F-statistic computed for the data and $F \leadsto F_{p-p',n-p-1}$. The null hypothesis is rejected when the P-value is small enough (P < 5%, P < 1%, P < 0.1%, ..., depending on the context).

This test can be generalized to the null hypothesis that β belongs to an affine subspace E of \mathbb{R}^{p+1} of dimension p'+1, i.e. when β satisfies a given set of linear constraints. As an example, the null hypothesis could be $H_0: \beta_1 = 2\beta_3$ against $H_1: \beta_1 \neq 2\beta_3$. The test statistic is still given by equation (6), where $RSS_{p'}$ now refers to the residual sum-of-squares for the model estimated under the linear constraints. Note that if A is a $(p+1) \times (p'+1)$ matrix whose columns represent a basis of E, the least-square estimates that satisfy the linear constraints are provided by equation (3) using XA as design matrix.

F-test of the regression. There is an instance of the F-test that is of particular interest. It is the situation where the bigger model is the complete model that includes all explanatory variables whereas the nested model is the model with parameter β_0 only. This test is called the F-test of the regression and it

assesses whether there is an effect of the predictors on the variable to predict Y. Formally, the null hypothesis is $H_0: (\forall j \ge 1, \beta_j = 0)$ against $H_1: (\exists j \ge 1, \beta_j \ne 0)$. We can show that the F statistic of the regression is

$$F = \frac{n - p - 1}{p} \frac{R^2}{1 - R^2},\tag{7}$$

and it follows a Fisher distribution $F_{p,n-p-1}$ with p and n-p-1 degrees of freedom under H_0 . The formula of the F statistic given in equation (7) can be derived using equations (6) and (5) (an excercise for you!).

Here, we will reject H_0 for large enough values of R^2 , i.e. large enough values of F so that the P-value is equal to $P(F \ge f)$, where f is the F-statistic computed for the data and $F \rightsquigarrow F_{p,n-p-1}$.

1.3.3 t-tests of the regression

We test the hypothesis that a particular coefficient is null. The null hypothesis is $H_0: \beta_j = 0$, and the alternative one is $H_1: \beta_j \neq 0$. The T statistic is

$$T = \frac{\hat{\beta}_j}{\hat{\sigma}\sqrt{v_j}},$$

where v_j is the jth diagonal element of $(X^TX)^{-1}$. Because of the distributions of the maximum likelihood estimators, the T statistic follows under H_0 a Student's t distribution with n-p-1 degrees of freedom.

1.3.4 R Example

In this example, we regress the murder rate, obtained for each of the 50 US states in 1973, by two potential explicative variables: the assault rate and the percentage of urban populations.

Violent Crime Rates by US State

This data set contains statistics, in arrests per 100,000 residents for assault, murder, and rape in each of the 50 US states in 1973. Also given is the percent of the population living in urban areas.

Format:

A data frame with 50 observations on 4 variables.

- [,1] Murder numeric Murder arrests (per 100,000)
- [,2] Assault numeric Assault arrests (per 100,000)
- [,3] UrbanPop numeric Percent urban population

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[,4] Rape
                       numeric Rape arrests (per 100,000)
> mylm<-lm(Murder~UrbanPop+Assault,data=USArrests)</pre>
>summary(mylm)
lm(formula = Murder ~ UrbanPop + Assault, data = USArrests)
Coefficients:
             Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)
            3.207153
                        1.740790
                                   1.842
                                           0.0717 .
UrbanPop
            -0.044510
                        0.026363
                                  -1.688
                                           0.0980 .
             0.043910
                        0.004579
                                   9.590 1.22e-12 ***
Assault
Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
Residual standard error: 2.58 on 47 degrees of freedom
Multiple R-squared: 0.6634, Adjusted R-squared: 0.6491
F-statistic: 46.32 on 2 and 47 DF, p-value: 7.704e-12
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There is a significative effect of the explicative variables on the murder rate because the P-value of the F-test is 7.704×10^{-12} . Once the percentage of urban population has been accounted for, the assault rate has a significative effect on the murder rate because the P-value of the t-test is 1.22×10^{-12} . However, once the assault rate is accounted for, there is no additional effect of the percentage of urban population on the murder rate (P = 0.0980) unless we accept a large enough type I error (e.g. $\alpha = 10\%$).

1.4 Variable selection

Variable selection or *feature* selection consists of selecting a subset of relevant variables (or features) among the p initial variables. There are two main reasons to perform variable selection.

• The first is *prediction accuracy*: the least squares estimates often have low bias but large variance (see subsection 1.4.1) especially when the number of variables p is large, of the same order as the sample size n. Prediction accuracy can be improved by variable selection, which consists of choosing a subsample

of the initial set of predictive variables.

• The second reason is *interpretation*. With a large number of predictors, we want to sacrifice some of the small details in order to get the 'big picture' carried by a smaller subset of variables that exhibit the strongest effects.

1.4.1 The bias-variance decomposition

Assume that we want to make a prediction for an input $x_0 = (x_{01}, \dots, x_{0p})$. Denoting by \hat{f} the regression function $\hat{f}(x_0) = \hat{\beta}_0 + \sum_{j=1}^p x_{0j}\hat{\beta}_j$, the prediction error is given by

$$E_{\text{pred}}(x_0) = E[(Y - \hat{f}(x_0))^2]$$
 (8)

$$= E[(f(x_0) + \varepsilon - \hat{f}(x_0))^2]$$
 (9)

$$= \sigma^2 + \operatorname{bias}^2\left(\hat{f}(x_0)\right) + \operatorname{Var}\left(\hat{f}(x_0)\right) \tag{10}$$

= irreducible error +
$$\underline{\text{bias}^2 + \text{variance}}_{\text{mean square error of }} \hat{f}(x_0)$$

When p is large (e.g. large number of predictors, large-degree polynomial regression...), the model can accommodate complex regression functions (small bias) but because there are many β parameters to estimate, the variance of the estimates may be large. For small values of p, the variance of the estimates gets smaller but the bias increases. There is therefore an optimal value to find for the number of predictors that reaches the so-called bias-variance tradeoff.

To give a concrete example, assume that we make a polynomial regression $f(x) = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \cdots + \beta_p x^p$ with p = n - 1. Since p = n - 1, the regression function will interpolate all of the n points. This is not a desirable feature and it suffers from *overfitting*. Rather than fitting all the points in the training sample, the regression function should rather provides a good *generalization*, i.e. be able to make good predictions for new points that have not been used during the fit. This is the reason why choosing the model that minimizes the residual squared error computed from the whole dataset is not a reasonable strategy. In subsections 1.4.2 and 1.4.3, we present different methods to compute the prediction error so that we can choose a model that achieves optimal generalization.

1.4.2 Split-validation

If we are in a data-rich situation, a standard approach to estimate the prediction error is to randomly divide the dataset into two parts: a training set with n_1 datapoints, and a validation set with n_2 datapoints $(n_1+n_2=n)$. The training set is used to fit the models, i.e. to provide estimates of the regression coefficients $(\hat{\beta}_0,\ldots,\hat{\beta}_p)$ and the validation set is used to estimate the prediction error. The prediction error is estimated by averaging the squared errors over the points of the validation set

$$E_{\text{pred}} = \frac{1}{n_2} \sum_{(x_i, y_i) \in \text{Validation Set}} \left(y_i - (\hat{\beta}_0 + \sum_{j=1}^p x_{ij} \hat{\beta}_j) \right)^2.$$
 (11)

We typically choose the model that generates the smallest prediction error.

1.4.3 Cross-validation

The caveat of the split-validation approach is that the prediction error may severely depend on a specific choice of the training and validation sets. To overcome this problem, the following cross-validation approaches consider a rotation of the validation and training sets.

• K-fold cross-validation. The idea is to split the data into K parts. To start with, K-1 subsets are used as the training sets and the remaining subset is used as a validation subset to compute a prediction error E^1_{pred} as given by equation (11). This procedure is repeated K times by considering each subset as the validation subset and the remaining subsets as the training sets. The average prediction error is defined as

$$E_{\text{pred}} = \frac{1}{K} \sum_{k=1}^{K} E_{\text{pred}}^{k}$$

• Leave-one-out. It is the same idea as K-fold cross validation with K = n. The prediction error is computed as

$$E_{\text{pred}} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (y_i - \hat{f}_{-i}(x_{i\cdot}))^2,$$
(12)

where \hat{f}_{-i} denotes the estimated regression function when the i^{th} point x_i has been removed from the training dataset.

To show the potential of cross-validation, we consider the following polynomial example

$$Y = X - X^{2} + X^{3} + \varepsilon,$$

$$\varepsilon \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^{2} = 10^{2}).$$
(13)

We simulate a dataset with n = 100 using the polynomial model of equation (13) (see the left panel of Figure 1). We then consider a polynomial regression to smooth the data

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \dots + \beta_p x^p + \varepsilon$$

We consider a range of polynomial degrees $p=1,\ldots,20$ for polynomial regression. In the right panel of Figure 1, we show the leave-one-out prediction error (equation (12)) and the residual squared error for the entire data set $(RSS(\hat{\beta}))$ in equation (2) as a function of the number of degrees. The residual squared error is a decreasing function of the number of degrees so that minimizing naively the residual squared error would lead to the selection of the most complex model. The prediction error has a nonmonotonous behavior and points to a polynomial regression of degree 3, which is consistent with the generating mechanism given in equation (13). We provide below the R code that we used to generate Figure 1.

```
{ fm <- lm(yy ~ poly(xx, degree=degree[i],raw=T))
lines(zz, predict(fm, data.frame(xx=zz)), col = i,lwd=2) }
legend("top",col=1:3,legend=c("degree=1","degree=3","degree=20"),lwd=c(2,2,2))
########Choice of the degree with cross-validation
####First, compute the residual squared errors
####It is not the right criterion for model selection because the more complex model is chosen
maxdeg<-20
res<-vector(mode="numeric",length=maxdeg)
for (i in 1:20)
{ fm <- lm(yy ~ poly(xx, degree=i,raw=T))
res[i] <-mean( (fitted(fm)-yy)^2 ) }</pre>
########Compute the prediction errors with cross validation (10-fold cross validation)
mycross_val<-function(yy,xx,degree)</pre>
{res<-NULL
for (i in (1:10))
{ torm<-i+seq(0,90,by=10); aux<-xx[-torm]
fm <- lm(yy[-torm] ~ poly(aux, degree=degree,raw=T))</pre>
  res<-c(res,mean((predict(fm, data.frame(aux=xx))[torm] - yy[torm] )^2)) }</pre>
return (c(mean(res))) }
res2<-vector(mode="numeric",length=maxdeg)
for (i in 1:maxdeg)
{ aux<-mycross_val(yy,xx,i);res2[i]<-aux[1] }
########Display the 2 errors as a function of the degree used in the polynomial regression
plot(1:maxdeg,res,pch=19,ylim=c(min(res,res2)-100,max(res,res2)+100),xlab="Degree",ylab="Error")
points(1:maxdeg,res2,pch=22,col=2,bg=2)
legend("top",c("Residual squared error","Prediction error"),pch=c(19,22),col=1:2,pt.bg=1:2,cex=1.5)
```

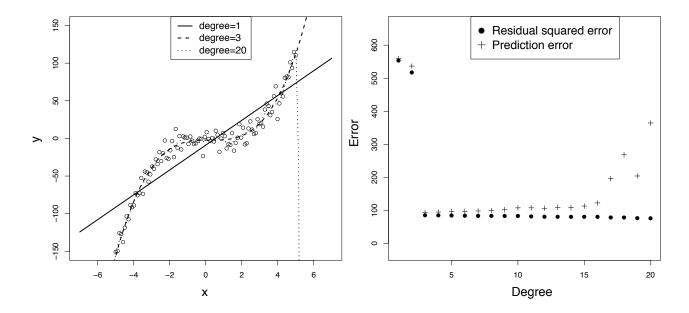


Figure 1: Polynomial regression for artificial data points. The data points are generated with the model given in equation (13). The prediction error is estimated with a leave-one-out cross-validation method.

1.4.4 Akaike information criterion (AIC)

The computation of a prediction error based on cross-validation is time consuming because the regression function must be fitted several times. Alternative criteria, such as the Akaike Information Criterion (AIC), do not require several trainings of the regression function. Model selection by AIC picks the model that minimizes

$$AIC = n \log \frac{RSS(\hat{\beta})}{n} + 2p, \tag{14}$$

where $RSS(\cdot)$ is the residual sum of squares given in equations (2). The AIC is obtained as an approximation of an information-theoretic criterion. It achieves a tradeoff between model fit (1st term in equation (14)) and model complexity (2nd term in equation (14)).

1.4.5 Optimization algorithms

If there are p predictors, the number of potential subsets (i.e. regression models) to explore is 2^p and estimating a prediction error for all models might be impossible. Instead, greedy algorithms are usually considered. Forward algorithms start with one predictor, keep the best predictor according to one of the

criteria proposed above, and add a second predictor if it decreases the prediction error. The procedure is continued until 1) it is not possible to decrease the prediction error or until 2) all predictors have been included. Backward algorithms work similarly but start with the complete regression model that includes all predictors (X_1, \ldots, X_p) and remove the predictors one after another. Using the USArrests example, we show how to perform in R the backward algorithm with AIC.

```
> mylm<-lm(Murder~.,data=USArrests)
####By default, the step function proceeds backward
> stepAIC(mylm)
Start: AIC=98.39
Murder ~ Assault + UrbanPop + Rape
           Df Sum of Sq
                           RSS
                                   AIC
                                97.689
            1
                  8.041 312.87
- Rape
<none>
                        304.83 98.387
- UrbanPop
                 25.503 330.33 100.404
                300.020 604.85 130.648
Step: AIC=97.69
Murder ~ Assault + UrbanPop
           Df Sum of Sq
                           RSS
                                   AIC
<none>
                        312.87 97.689
- UrbanPop 1
                  18.98 331.85 98.633
                 612.18 925.05 149.891
- Assault
Call:
lm(formula = Murder ~ Assault + UrbanPop, data = USArrests)
Coefficients:
(Intercept)
                 Assault
                             UrbanPop
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3.20715

0.04391

-0.04451

2 Analysis of variance (ANOVA)

Quoting Wikipedia (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Analysis_of_variance),

Analysis of variance (ANOVA) is a collection of statistical models, and their associated procedures, in which the observed variance in a particular variable is partitioned into components attributable to different sources of variation. In its simplest form ANOVA provides a statistical test of whether or not the means of several groups are all equal, and therefore generalizes t-test to more than two groups.

2.1 Introduction to one-way ANOVA

In one-way ANOVA, we test if a qualitative variable called a *factor* has a significant effect on a quantitative variable. Generalizing this approach to two qualitative explicative variables is possible with two-way ANOVA as shown in subsection 2.5.

To give a concrete example, one-way ANOVA will provide a statistical framework to test if the Ensimag specialization (mathematical finance, telecommunications,...) influences the marks of the students in the course of introductory statistics (PMS, Principes et Méthodes Statistiques). The factor corresponding to the students' specialization can take K = 7 different levels (in 2009/2010, the levels were MMIS, TEL, ISI, MIF, SIF, SLE, m1rmosig). In ANOVA, we assume that the data—the marks in the example—are Gaussian

$$Y_k^i \leadsto \mathcal{N}(m_k, \sigma^2), i = 1, \dots, n_k$$

where m_k and n_k denotes the mean and the sample size for the data in the k^{th} level. We test the null hypothesis $H_0: m_1 = \ldots = m_K$ against the alternative one $H_1: \exists k, l \quad m_k \neq m_l$.

2.2 The F-test for one-way ANOVA

We denote by S_W^2 the residual variance or the variance within groups. It is defined by

$$S_W^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^K \sum_{i=1}^{n_k} (Y_k^i - \bar{Y}_k)^2,$$

where \bar{Y}_k denotes the empirical mean for the data in the k^{th} level. We denote by S_B^2 the variance that is attributable to the factor or the variance between groups. It is defined by

$$S_B^2 = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^K n_k (\bar{Y} - \bar{Y}_k)^2.$$

We finally denote by S^2 the total variance

$$S^{2} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^{K} \sum_{i=1}^{n_{k}} (Y_{k}^{i} - \bar{Y})^{2}.$$

The total variance can be partitioned as

$$S^2 = S_R^2 + S_W^2. (15)$$

Using equation (15), it can be shown that under the null hypothesis, the F-statistic

$$\frac{S_B^2/(K-1)}{S_W^2/(n-K)} \rightsquigarrow F_{K-1,n-K},$$

where F_{df_1,df_2} is the Fisher distribution with df_1 and df_2 degrees of freedom. The P-value of the test equals

$$P$$
-value = $\Pr(F \ge f)$, where $F \leadsto F_{K-1,n-K}$,

and f is the F-statistic computed for the data.

2.3 ANOVA in R

In R, the one way ANOVA to test if the students' specialization influences their mark in introductory statistics (PMS) is performed as follows

#Read the data

- > alldata<-read.table("pms_anova.data",header=TRUE)</pre>
- > #What is in the data
- > names(alldata)
- [1] "marks" "corrector" "specialization"
- > #E.g. first mark in the list
- > alldata[1,]

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marks corrector specialization
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1 14.5 1 MMIS

#convert the column corresponding to the specialization into a factor

> alldata[,3]<-factor(alldata[,3])</pre>

#Perform anova

> anova(lm(marks~specialization,data=alldata))

Analysis of Variance Table

Response: marks

Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)

specialization 6 245.84 40.973 3.601 0.002097 **

Residuals 190 2161.83 11.378

Signif. codes: 0 '***, 0.001 '**, 0.01 '*, 0.05 '., 0.1 ', 1

Since P = 0.2%, there is a significant effect of the student's specialization on the marks in introductory statistics. To interpret the results of ANOVA, it is often useful to compute empirical means (together with the n_k 's, referred to as rep) for each level of the factor, which is obtained by:

> model.tables(aov(marks~specialization,data=alldata), type="means")

Tables of means

Grand mean

11.30711

specialization

ISI m1rmosig MIF MMIS SIF SLE TEL

10.79 9 12.85 11.67 10.25 8.731 10.21

rep 50.00 1 43.00 64.00 14.00 13.000 12.00

2.4 Estimation of the effects

The model of one-way ANOVA can be written with a linear model as follows

$$Y_k^i = \mu + \alpha_k + \varepsilon_k^i$$

$$\varepsilon_k^i \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2).$$
(16)

The model is not identifiable because we clearly have $\mu + \alpha_k = \bar{y}_k$, k = 1, ..., K, so that there is an infinite number of solutions for the (K+1) parameters $(\mu, \alpha_1, ..., \alpha_K)$. To solve this problem, we usually add the constraint (also called contrast) that the mean of the effects is null $\sum_{k=1}^K n_k \alpha_k = 0$, so that the least squares solution is

$$\hat{\mu} = \bar{y}$$

$$\hat{\alpha}_k = \bar{y}_k - \bar{y}.$$

With this constraint, the α_k 's measure the difference between the mean for the data in the k^{th} level and the global mean. By default in R, fullpagethe contrast is $\alpha_1 = 0$ rather than $\sum_{k=1}^K n_k \alpha_k = 0$, which leads to a different interpretation of the other α_k 's.

Using matrix notations, the model of one-way ANOVA can be described with a regression model of the same form as equation (4)

$$\begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_n \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & & & & \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & \cdots & 1 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mu \\ \alpha_1 \\ \vdots \\ \alpha_K \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} \varepsilon_1 \\ \vdots \\ \varepsilon_n \end{pmatrix}$$

The matrix that contains the 0's and 1's is the design matrix X of the regression. In the i^{th} raw and $(j+1)^{\text{th}}$ column of the matrix, there is a 1 if the factor of the i^{th} individual corresponds to the j^{th} level and a 0 otherwise. The 2^{nd} to the $(p+1)^{\text{th}}$ columns of X correspond to the so-called dummy variables. To account for the constraint $\sum_{k=1}^{K} n_k \alpha_k = 0$, we can suppress one of the column of X and replace all the remaining columns by their difference with the removed column. The results established for multiple regression now hold with the design matrix X, which contains the 0's and 1's. For instance, the least-squares solution of ANOVA is given by equation (3) and testing if the α_k 's are significantly different from 0 can be done with the t-test.

Analyzing in R the effects of the different specializations produces the following output

```
#Read the data file
>load("pms_anova.data")
#We set the constraints/contrasts
> options(contrasts=c("contr.sum","contr.sum"))
#What are the different levels
> levels(alldata$specialization)
              "MIF"
[1] "ISI"
                         "MMIS"
                                    "SIF"
                                              "SLE"
                                                         "TEL"
                                                                    "m1rmosig"
#Estimation of the effects
> summary(lm(marks~specialization,data=alldata))
Call:
lm(formula = marks ~ specialization, data = alldata)
Residuals:
Min
       1Q Median
                     3Q
                           Max
-9.790 -2.231 0.000 2.250 8.328
Coefficients:
Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)
                10.5000
                            0.5474 19.181 < 2e-16 ***
specialization1 0.2900
                            0.6799 0.427 0.670159
specialization2 -1.5000
                            2.9029 -0.517 0.605957
                            0.6991 3.360 0.000942 ***
specialization3
                 2.3489
                          0.6532 1.794 0.074386 .
specialization4 1.1719
specialization5 -0.2500
                            0.9382 -0.266 0.790186
                            0.9617 -1.840 0.067375 .
specialization6 -1.7692
Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1
```

Residual standard error: 3.373 on 190 degrees of freedom

Multiple R-squared: 0.1021, Adjusted R-squared: 0.07375

F-statistic: 3.601 on 6 and 190 DF, p-value: 0.002097

The two values of the linear model that are significantly different from 0~(P < 5%) are

• The intercept: the mean μ of the marks is unsurprisingly significantly different from 0 (P < 2e - 16).

• The parameter α_2 : the mean of the marks for the students with the MIF specialization (mathematical finance) is significantly larger than the average marks (P = 0.1%).

Note that the variance σ^2 is assumed to be constant across groups in ANOVA (equation (16)). Although this assumption should be in principle tested before performing ANOVA (using for instance the Bartlett test), it is actually rarely tested.

2.5 Two-way ANOVA

In two-way ANOVA, we test simultaneously the effect of two qualitative variables on a quantitative variable.

We will not give the mathematical details of two-way ANOVA. The model is simply defined as

$$Y_{k,l}^{i} \rightsquigarrow \mathcal{N}(m_{k,l}; \sigma^{2}), \quad k = 1, \dots, K, \ l = 1, \dots, L, \ i = 1, \dots, n_{k,l},$$

where $m_{k,l} = \mu + \alpha_k + \beta_l + \gamma_{k,l}$, K and L are the number of levels of the two factors, and $n_{k,l}$ is the number of measurements for the couple of levels (k,l). We show that it can be easily performed using the anova function in R. We consider the same example of the marks in introductory statistics. In addition to the specialization of the students, we now consider the person who corrected the copies as a second factor. To test simultaneously the effect of the two factors we use the following command line. The command as.factor(alldata\$corrector) ensures that the number indicating the professor is considered as a categorical (as opposed to numerical) variable. We first consider the model with additive effect of specialization and corrector: $m_{k,l} = \mu + \alpha_k + \beta_l$.

> alldata\$corrector <- as.factor(alldata\$corrector)</pre>

> anova(lm(marks~specialization+corrector,data=alldata))

Analysis of Variance Table

```
Response: marks
```

Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)

specialization 6 245.84 40.973 3.6913 0.00173 **

corrector 5 108.36 21.672 1.9525 0.08772 .

Residuals 185 2053.47 11.100

Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1

The p-values result from a F-test for testing linear hypotheses (see Section 1.3.2). For instance, when testing the effect of specialization (the first factor), the null hypothesis is $H_0: \alpha_1 = \cdots = \alpha_K = 0$. This two-way ANOVA analysis confirms that there is a significative effect of the specialization on the marks (P = 0.2%). By contrast, we do not find a clear evidence that the identity of the corrector impacts the marks once the specialization has been accounted for (P = 9%).

Interaction effects can be tested, the null hypothesis being $H_0: \gamma_{1,1} = \cdots = \gamma_{K,L} = 0$.

> anova(lm(marks~specialization*corrector,data=alldata))

Analysis of Variance Table

Response: marks

Df Sum Sq Mean Sq F value Pr(>F)

specialization 6 245.84 40.973 3.6225 0.002043 **

corrector 5 108.36 21.672 1.9161 0.093765 .

specialization:corrector 6 28.88 4.814 0.4256 0.861259

Residuals 179 2024.59 11.311

Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1

Here again, the test does not highlight any evidence in favour of interactions (P = 86%). The average marks by pairs of factors can be obtained by

> model.tables(aov(marks~specialization*corrector,data=alldata), type="means")

Tables of means

Grand mean

11.30711

specialization

ISI m1rmosig MIF MMIS SIF SLE TEL

10.79 9 12.85 11.67 10.25 8.731 10.21

rep 50.00 1 43.00 64.00 14.00 13.000 12.00

corrector

1 2 3 4 5 6

11.78 10.92 11.36 10.6 11.64 11.58

rep 32.00 36.00 32.00 32.0 33.00 32.00

specialization:corrector

corrector

specialization 1 2 3 4 5 6

ISI 10.85 10.73

rep 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 26.00 24.00

m1rmosig 9.00

rep 1.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00

MIF 18.00 13.14 11.81

rep 0.00 1.00 29.00 13.00 0.00 0.00

MMIS 12.33 11.13

rep 29.00 35.00 0.00 0.00 0.00 0.00

SIF				10.25		
rep	0.00	0.00	0.00	14.00	0.00	0.00
SLE	6.75		6.50	5.00	9.50	10.00
rep	2.00	0.00	1.00	1.00	3.00	6.00
TEL			8.00	8.87	12.00	11.50
rep	0.00	0.00	2.00	4.00	4.00	2.00

3 Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

The data consist of n individuals and for each of these individuals, we have p measurements (or variables). The data are given in the following $n \times p$ design matrix

$$X = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} x_{11} & \cdots & x_{1p} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{n1} & \cdots & x_{np} \end{array}\right).$$

Quoting once again Wikipedia (http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Principal_component_analysis)

Principal component analysis (PCA) is a mathematical procedure that uses an orthogonal transformation to convert a set of observations of possibly correlated p variables into a set of values of d uncorrelated variables called principal components ($d \le p$). This transformation is defined in such a way that the first principal component has as high a variance as possible (that is, accounts for as much of the variability in the data as possible), and each succeeding component in turn has the highest variance possible under the constraint that it be orthogonal to (uncorrelated with) the preceding components.

3.1 Preliminary notations

3.1.1 Covariance and correlation matrices

We denote by c_{kl} the empirical covariance between the $k^{\rm th}$ and $l^{\rm th}$ variable

$$c_{kl} = \frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_{ik} - \bar{x}_{\cdot k})(x_{il} - \bar{x}_{\cdot l}).$$

The covariance matrix of the design matrix X is

$$\Sigma = \left(\begin{array}{ccc} c_{11} & \cdots & c_{1p} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ c_{p1} & \cdots & c_{pp} \end{array} \right).$$

Note that the diagonal of the covariance matrix contains the vector of the variances. Next, we denote by X' the $n \times p$ matrix obtained from the design matrix X after we have centered all of the columns (i.e. all of the columns of X' have a mean of 0), then we have

$$\Sigma = \frac{1}{n-1} X'^T X'.$$

Next, we define the empirical correlation between the k^{th} and l^{th} variable

$$r_{kl} = \frac{c_{kl}}{s_k s_l}$$
, where $s_k = \sqrt{c_{kk}}$.

Accordingly the correlation matrix can be written as

$$R = D^{-1} \Sigma D^{-1}$$
,

where

$$D = \begin{pmatrix} s_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & s_2 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & s_p \end{pmatrix}.$$

3.1.2 Eigenvectors and eigenvalues

We rank the p eigenvectors of the covariance matrix Σ by decreasing order of their corresponding eigenvalues. The first eigenvector, the column vector a_1 , has the largest eigenvalue λ_1 , the second eigenvector, the column vector a_2 , has the second largest eigenvalue λ_2 , etc.

The $(p \times p)$ matrix A of the eigenvectors is

$$A = [a_1 \ a_2 \ \dots \ a_p],$$

and the matrix of the eigenvalues is the diagonal matrix

$$\Sigma_Y = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & \lambda_2 & \ddots & \vdots \\ \vdots & \ddots & \ddots & 0 \\ 0 & \dots & 0 & \lambda_p \end{pmatrix}.$$

By definition of the matrix of the eigenvectors, we have

$$\Sigma = A \, \Sigma_Y \, A^T.$$

3.2 Solution of PCA

We can show that PCA can be done by eigenvalue decomposition of the data covariance matrix Σ . The first principal component corresponds to the eigenvector a_1 . It means that a_1 defines the one-dimensional

projection that maximizes the variance of the projected values. The second eigenvector a_2 defines the onedimensional projection that maximizes the variance of the projected values among the vectors orthogonal to a_1 , and so on.

The $(n \times p)$ matrix Y of the projected values on the principal component axes is

$$Y = X'A$$
.

In the first column of Y, we read the projections of the data on the first principal component, in the second column of Y, we read the projections of the data on the second principal component, and so on.

3.3 Variance captured by the principal components

We can easily show that 1) the variance-covariance matrix of the projected values Y is given by Σ_Y , and that 2) the sum of the variances of the original data $\sum_{j=1}^p s_j^2$ is equal to the sum of the eigenvalues $\sum_{j=1}^p \lambda_j$. This means that the k^{th} principal component captures a fraction $\lambda_k / \sum_{j=1}^p \lambda_j$ of the total variance, and that the k first principal components capture a fraction $\sum_{j=1}^k \lambda_j / \sum_{j=1}^p \lambda_j$ of the total variance.

3.4 Scale matters in PCA

Assume that we record the following information for n sampled individuals: their weight in grams, their height in centimeters, their percentage of body fat and their age (in years). The corresponding design matrix X has n lines and p=4 columns. If we perform PCA naively using the variance-covariance matrix Σ , it is quite clear that the first principal component will be almost equal to the first column (weight in grams). Indeed the choice of the unity of measure, gram here, is such that the variance of the first column will be extremely large compared to the variances of the remaining columns. The fact that the result of PCA depends on the choice of scale, or unity of measure, might be unsatisfactory in several settings. To overcome this problem, PCA may be performed using the correlation matrix R rather than using the variance-covariance matrix Σ . It is the same as performing PCA after having standardized all of the columns of X (i.e. the columns of the standardized matrix have an empirical variance equal to 1).

3.5 PCA in R

We consider the same USArrests dataset than in the section about multiple regression. This dataset contains four variables measuring three criminality measures and the percentage of urban population in each of the 50 US states in 1973. Using PCA, we can display the dataset in two dimensions (Figure 2).

Murder -0.5358995 0.4181809 -0.3412327 0.64922780

Assault -0.5831836 0.1879856 -0.2681484 -0.74340748

UrbanPop -0.2781909 -0.8728062 -0.3780158 0.13387773

Rape -0.5434321 -0.1673186 0.8177779 0.08902432

> summary(res)

Importance of components:

PC1 PC2 PC3 PC4

Standard deviation 1.57 0.995 0.5971 0.4164

Proportion of Variance 0.62 0.247 0.0891 0.0434

Cumulative Proportion 0.62 0.868 0.9566 1.0000

##The following function displays the observations on the PC1, PC2 axes

but also the original variables on the same axis (see Figure 2)

>biplot(res,xlim=c(-.3,.3),ylim=c(-.3,.3),cex=.7)

To obtain a view of variables with appropriate metrics (correlation):

P = res\$rotation

for(i in 1:4) P[,i] <- P[,i] * res\$sdev[i]

```
plot(P[,1],P[,2], xlab=paste("Axis", 1), ylab = paste("Axis", 2), xlim=c(-1,1), ylim=c(-1,1))
text(P[, i], P[, j]-0.05, names(USArrests))
abline(h=0, v=0)
x = (-100:100)/100; y = sqrt(1-x^2)
lines(x, y); lines(x, -y) # draw a circle
```

We see that the proportion of the total variance captured by the first 2 principal components is 0.86%. In Figure 2, it is tempting to interpret the first axis as a 'violence' axis and the second one as the 'Urban versus Rural' axis although this kind of interpretation should be done with caution.

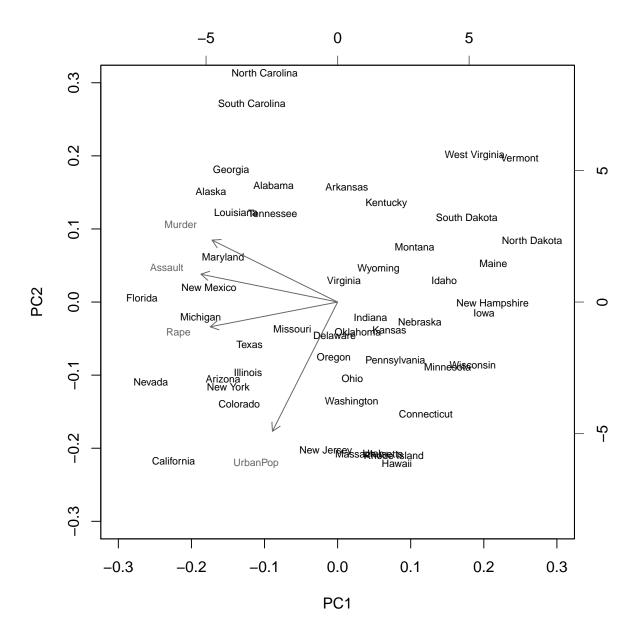


Figure 2: The 50 US states projected into the first two principal components. Here we use the biplot function in order to display additionally the original 4 variables to the PC1-PC2 graph.

4 Classification

4.1 Principles

4.1.1 The Classification problem

We introduce the classification problem with the classical example of handwritten digit recognition. The data from this example come from the handwritten ZIP codes on envelopes from U.S. postal mail. Each image is a segment from a five digit ZIP code, isolating a single digit. The images are 16×16 eight-bit greyscale maps, with each pixel ranging in intensity from 0 to 255. Some sample images are shown in Figure 3. The task is to predict, from the 16×16 matrix of pixel intensities, the identity of each image in (0, 1, ..., 9) (for sake of simplicity we consider only the 3 digits (1, 2, 3) in the numerical example). If it is accurate enough, the resulting algorithm would be used as part of an automatic sorting procedure for envelopes.

Mathematically, the classifier is a function \hat{G} that takes as input an image $X \in \mathcal{R}^p$ $(p = 16 \times 16)$ and returns as an output Y a digit in $\mathcal{G} = \{0, 1, \dots, 9\}$. In this example of image classification, each pixel corresponds to a variable so that an image is coded as a vector with 16×16 variables. To build the classifier, we have a training set $((x_1, y_1), \dots, (x_n, y_n))$, where the data $x_i \in \mathcal{R}^p$ and the label $y_i \in \mathcal{G}$. We refer to binary classification when $\mathcal{G} = \{0, 1\}$ and more generally we have $\mathcal{G} = \{0, K\}$.

We do not address the related problem of clustering. Clustering occurs when the data—the x_i 's—are not labelled in the training set. Classification is also referred as supervised learning and clustering as unsupervised learning.

4.1.2 Optimal/Bayes classifier

This subsection is quite technical and can be skipped. We assume to have a loss function L that measures the cost of replacing the true and unknown label Y with the label given by the classifier $\hat{G}(x)$. We want to minimize the expected loss function

$$C(x) = E[L(Y, \hat{G}(x))],$$

where E refers to the expectation with respect to the conditional distribution of Y given x. Using the law of total probability, we have

$$C(x) = \sum_{k=1}^{K} L(k, \hat{G}(x)) \Pr(Y = k | X = x).$$

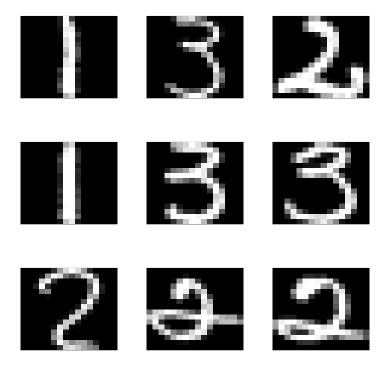


Figure 3: Examples of handwritten digits from U.S. postal envelopes. We consider only the 1, 2 and 3.

If we take the 0-1 loss function that is equal to 0 when the classifier is right and 1 otherwise, we have

$$C(x) = 1 - \Pr(Y = \hat{G}(x)|X = x).$$

Minimizing the expected loss C(x) amounts at choosing the class

$$\hat{G}(x) = \underset{k \in \mathcal{G}}{\operatorname{arg\,max}} \Pr(Y = k | X = x)$$

This solution is known as the *Bayes classifier*, and says that we classify to the most probable class, using the conditional (discrete) distribution Pr(Y|X). Using the Bayes theorem

$$\Pr(Y = k | X = x) = \frac{\Pr(X = x | Y = k) \Pr(Y = k)}{\Pr(X = x)},$$

we find that the Bayes classifier maximizes the product of the conditional probability of the data given the class and the prior for the class

$$\hat{G}(x) = \operatorname*{arg\,max}_{k \in \mathcal{G}} \Pr(X = x | Y = k) \Pr(Y = k). \tag{17}$$

If we assume an uniform prior, the Bayes classifier proceeds as maximum likelihood that chooses the parameter—here the class—that makes the data x the most likely.

4.1.3 Evaluating the classification error

Evaluating the classification error is an important task to compare different classifiers and to asses the overall performance of the classifier. We can use the same methods as for regression: split-validation, K-fold cross-validation, leave-one-out cross-validation. For split-validation, we split the data into two parts, use one part of the data to build the classifier and use the other part to estimate the error. A standard criterion for evaluating the classification error is the misclassification rate.

4.2 Classic classifiers

4.2.1 k-nearest neighbor classifier

The k-nearest neighbor classifier is based on a simple counting procedure. A new individual x is classified by a majority vote of its neighbors, with the individual being assigned to the most common class amongst its k nearest neighbors ($k \ge 1$). A distance has to be defined in order to find the k-nearest neighbors. For image classification, a simple Euclidean distance between two images can be used although more elaborate versions of distances that are robust to deformations may be appropriate. If k = 1, then the individual is simply assigned to the class of its nearest neighbor. Using the methodology of subsection 4.1.3, we can choose the value of k that minimizes a misclassification rate estimated with a validation technique.

4.2.2 Linear discriminant analysis (LDA)

In LDA, we assume that the probability distribution of X given the class k is a Gaussian distribution $\mathcal{N}(\mu_k, \Sigma)$. We denote by f_k the p.d.f. of the multivariate Gaussian $\mathcal{N}(\mu_k, \Sigma)$

$$f_k(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{p/2} |\Sigma|^{1/2}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(x-\mu_k)^T \Sigma^{-1}(x-\mu_k)},$$

where $|\Sigma|$ denotes the determinant of Σ . What is particularly important in LDA is that we assume that the variance-covariance matrices are the same for all classes. Using the Bayes classifier given by equation (17), we assign an individual to the class k so that

$$k = \operatorname*{arg\,max}_{k \in \mathcal{G}} f_k(x) \pi_k,$$

where π_k is the prior for the class k. With standard algebra, we can show that it is equivalent to assigning x to the class k that maximizes the linear discriminant functions

$$\delta_k(x) = {}^{T}x\Sigma^{-1}\mu_k - \frac{1}{2}\mu_k {}^{T}\Sigma^{-1}\mu_k + \log \pi_k.$$

To compute the linear discriminant functions, the μ_k 's are estimated using the empirical means in each class and Σ is estimated as the (weighted) average of the covariance matrices estimated in each class.

In the following, we show how to perform LDA in R using the example of handwritten digit recognition.

```
########################Classification for the ZIP code data
require (MASS)
require(ElemStatLearn)
#####Read the data
zippict<-zip.train
####### keep only the 1, 2, and 3
bool<-(zippict[,1]==1 |zippict[,1]==2) | zippict[,1]==3
#bool<-(zippict[,1]==1 |zippict[,1]==2)</pre>
zipaux<-zippict[bool,]</pre>
######Dimension of the data
n<-dim(zipaux)[1]</pre>
p<-dim(zipaux)[2]
#####Display 9 images
par(mfrow=c(3,3), mar=c(2, 2, 4, 2)+0.1)
for (i in 10+(1:9)){mm<-(matrix(as.numeric((zipaux[i,2:257])),nrow=16,byrow=F))</pre>
image(z=mm[,16:1],col=grey((0:256)/256),xaxt="n",yaxt="n")}
####Definition of a data frame
###First column is the digit
data.zip<-data.frame(cbind(as.factor(zipaux[,1]),zipaux[,-c(1,16)]))</pre>
names(data.zip)[1]<-"number"</pre>
#######We remove the pixels with a constant variance within each group
```

```
#######Otherwise LDA returns an error message because the covariance matrix is not invertible
torm<-NULL
for (var in 1:3)
{thevar<-(zipaux[,1]==var)
for (i in 2:p)
{if(length(unique(zipaux[thevar,i]))==1 )
torm<-c(torm,i)}}</pre>
####Definition of a data frame
data.zip<-data.frame(cbind(as.factor(zipaux[,1]),zipaux[,-c(1,torm)]))</pre>
names(data.zip)[1]<-"number"</pre>
####Training set
train <- sample(1:n,floor(n/2))</pre>
table(data.zip$number[train])
###Linear discriminant analysis
z \leftarrow lda(number \sim ., data.zip, prior = c(1,1,1)/3, subset = train)
####Prediction
myp<-predict(z, data.zip[-train, ])$class</pre>
####Counts of the images to classify
table(data.zip[-train,1])
486
       380
             331
###Confusion matrix
myconf<-table(data.zip[-train,1],myp)</pre>
      1
          2
               3
  1 484
          2
     0 372
     0 9 322
```

```
###Display of the confusion matrix (bar plot)
mycol<-c("black","grey40","lightgrey")
barplot(t(myconf),col=mycol)
legend("topright",paste(1:3),col=mycol,lwd=2,cex=2)
####Misclassification rate
1-sum(diag(myconf))/sum(myconf)
[1] 0.01587302</pre>
```

We consider a split-sample validation approach and find a misclassification rate of 1.6%. In addition to the misclassification rate, we compute in the variable myconf a confusion matrix, where each row of the matrix represents the instances in an actual class and each column represents the instances in a predicted class. For intense, there is a total of 486 images containing the digit 1 and 484 are correctly classified. One benefit of a confusion matrix is that it is easy to see if the classifier is confusing two classes, e.g. the digits 2 and 3 here. Figure 4 displays the confusion matrix using the barplot function.

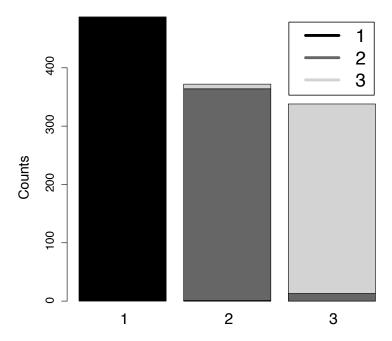


Figure 4: Confusion matrix for the LDA classifier. In each bar there are the instances in an actual class.

4.2.3 Quadratic discriminant analysis (QDA)

In QDA, we no longer assume that the variance-covariance matrices are the same for all classes. The densities f_k are now the p.d.f. of multivariate Gaussian $\mathcal{N}(\mu_k, \Sigma_k)$, k = 1, ..., K. Using the Bayes classifier, we can show that we assign an individual x to the class k that maximizes the quadratic discriminant functions

$$\delta_k(x) = -\frac{1}{2}\log \Sigma_k - \frac{1}{2}(x - \mu_k)^T \Sigma_k^{-1}(x - \mu_k) + \log \pi_k.$$

4.3 Logistic regression

Logistic regression is a useful way of describing the relationship between quantitative variables (e.g., age, weight, etc.) and a binary response variable that has only two possible values. Logistic regression models are used mostly as a data analysis and inference tool, where the goal is to understand the role of the input variables in explaining the outcome. It is widely used in biostatistical applications where binary responses (two classes) occur quite frequently. For example, patients survive or die, have heart disease or not, pass a test or not... Compared to discriminant analysis, logistic regression does not assign deterministically an individual x to the classes 0 or 1 but rather provides a probabilistic classifier because it computes P(Y = 0|X = x) and P(Y = 1|X = x).

Unsurprisingly, logistic regression relies on the logistic function (see Figure 5)

$$f(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}, z \in \mathcal{R},$$

which maps an input value in \mathcal{R} to an output confined between 0 and 1. The inverse of the logistic function is the logit function

$$g(p) = \log \frac{p}{1-p}, p \in [0,1],$$

and can therefore map a probability to a value between $-\infty$ and $+\infty$. In logistic regression, we use the logit function to link the probability P(Y = 1|X = x) to a linear combination of the explanatory variables

$$\log \frac{P(Y=1|X=x)}{1-P(Y=1|X=x)} = \beta_0 + \sum_{j=1}^{p} x_j \beta_j,$$
(18)

and we assume a Bernoulli distribution for the response variables

$$Y_i \leadsto \text{Ber}(P(Y = 1 | X = x_i)).$$

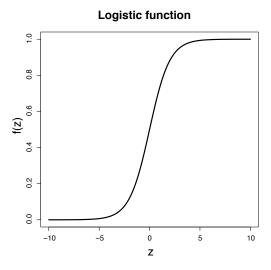


Figure 5: Graph of the logistic function.

Estimation of the β parameters can be obtained with maximum likelihood. Although there is no closed-form formula for finding the optimal β values, an optimization algorithm—derived from a Newton's method—called the *Fisher scoring algorithm* is usually used. Logistic regression can be extended to handle responses that are polytomous (more than two alternative categories).

In the following, we show how to use R to perform logistic regression. We consider a dataset where the response variable is the presence or absence of myocardial infarction (MI) at the time of the survey. There are 160 cases in the data set, and a sample of 302 controls. The aim of the study was to establish the intensity of some heart disease risk factors.

#Load the library where there are the data

#The library contains the examples from the book of Hastie et al. (2009)

- > library(ElemStatLearn)
- > ?SAheart

SAheart package:ElemStatLearn R Documentation

South African Hearth Disease Data

Description:

A retrospective sample of males in a heart-disease high-risk

region of the Western Cape, South Africa.

Usage:

data(SAheart)

Format:

A data frame with 462 observations on the following 10 variables.

sbp systolic blood pressure

tobacco cumulative tobacco (kg)

ldl low density lipoprotein cholesterol

adiposity a numeric vector

famhist family history of heart disease, a factor with levels 'Absent' 'Present'

typea type-A behavior

obesity a numeric vector

alcohol current alcohol consumption

Details:

age age at onset

chd response, coronary heart disease

A retrospective sample of males in a heart-disease high-risk region of the Western Cape, South Africa. There are roughly two controls per case of CHD. Many of the CHD positive men have undergone blood pressure reduction treatment and other programs to reduce their risk factors after their CHD event. In some cases the measurements were made after these treatments. These data are taken from a larger dataset, described in Rousseauw et al, 1983, South African Medical Journal.

#Perform logistic regression with the glm function
For more details about glm, look in Venables and Ripley (2002)
>myfit<-glm(chd~.,data=SAheart,family=binomial())</pre>

> summary(myfit)

Call:

glm(formula = chd ~ ., family = binomial(), data = SAheart)

Deviance Residuals:

Min 1Q Median 3Q Max -1.7781 -0.8213 -0.4387 0.8889 2.5435

Coefficients:

Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)

(Intercept) -6.1507209 1.3082600 -4.701 2.58e-06 ***
sbp 0.0065040 0.0057304 1.135 0.256374

tobacco 0.0793764 0.0266028 2.984 0.002847 **

ldl 0.1739239 0.0596617 2.915 0.003555 **

adiposity 0.0185866 0.0292894 0.635 0.525700

famhistPresent 0.9253704 0.2278940 4.061 4.90e-05 ***

typea 0.0395950 0.0123202 3.214 0.001310 **

obesity -0.0629099 0.0442477 -1.422 0.155095

alcohol 0.0001217 0.0044832 0.027 0.978350

age 0.0452253 0.0121298 3.728 0.000193 ***

Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 596.11 on 461 degrees of freedom

Residual deviance: 472.14 on 452 degrees of freedom

AIC: 492.14

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5

The summary provided by R shows the Z-scores associated with the different variables. A Z-score is equal to the value of the β coefficient divided by its standard error and follows a standardized centered Gaussian

variable under the null hypothesis ($\beta = 0$). Quoting Hastie et al. (2009),

there are some surprises in this table of coefficients, which must be interpreted with caution. Systolic blood pressure (sbp) is not significant! Nor is obesity, and its sign is negative. This confusion is a result of the correlation between the set of predictors. On their own (i.e. simple linear regression), both sbp and obesity are significant, and with positive sign. However, in the presence of many other correlated variables, they are no longer needed (and can even get a negative sign). At this stage the analyst might do some model (variable) selection.

Let us do that in R

```
> stepAIC(myfit)->newfit
> summary(newfit)
Call:
glm(formula = chd ~ tobacco + ldl + famhist + typea + age, family = binomial(),
   data = SAheart)
Deviance Residuals:
   Min
              1Q
                   Median
                                3Q
                                         Max
-1.9165 -0.8054
                 -0.4429
                            0.9329
                                      2.6139
Coefficients:
               Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)
               -6.44644
                           0.92087
                                    -7.000 2.55e-12 ***
tobacco
                0.08038
                           0.02588
                                     3.106 0.00190 **
ldl
                0.16199
                           0.05497
                                     2.947 0.00321 **
famhistPresent 0.90818
                           0.22576
                                     4.023 5.75e-05 ***
                0.03712
                           0.01217
                                     3.051 0.00228 **
typea
                0.05046
                           0.01021
                                     4.944 7.65e-07 ***
age
```

Signif. codes: 0 '*** 0.001 '** 0.01 '* 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' 1

(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)

Null deviance: 596.11 on 461 degrees of freedom

Residual deviance: 475.69 on 456 degrees of freedom

AIC: 487.69

Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5

Here we see that the retained variables are: tobacco consumption, cholesterol, family history, type A behavior and age.

To understand what the coefficient means in logistic regression, we give the last words to Hastie and colleagues (2009).

How does one interpret a coeffcient of 0.080 (Std. Error = 0.026) for tobacco, for example? Tobacco is measured in total lifetime usage in kilograms. Thus an increase of 1kg in lifetime tobacco usage accounts for an increase in the odds of coronary heart disease (the odds are p/(1-p)) of $e^{0.080} = 1.083$ or 8.4% (see equation (18)). Incorporating the standard error we get an approximate 95% confidence interval of $e^{0.080\pm2\times0.026} = (1.03, 1.14)$.

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The reference book for modern statistics in S (or R that is almost the same)

5 Frequent Itemset Mining

NB: For the next two sections the notes are succinct and should be only used for reference of main definitions and algorithms. They are only a complement to your class notes.

Goal: Find regularities, called patterns, in the data.

Applications: Market basket analysis,

5.1 Definitions

Let $I = \{i_1, ..., i_n\}$ be a set of elements called **items**. An **itemset** P is a set of items: $P \subseteq I$. A **dataset** \mathcal{D} is a multiset of **transactions**, where a transaction is an itemset. More formally, $\mathcal{D} = \{t_1, ..., t_m\}$, where $\forall i \ t_i \subseteq I$. i is called the *transaction identifier* (**tid** for short) of transaction t_i .

Definition 1 (Tidlist) Let $P \subseteq I$ be an itemset and \mathcal{D} a dataset. The **tidlist** of P is the set of transactions of \mathcal{D} containing P:

$$tidlist_{\mathcal{D}}(P) = \{t \mid t \in \mathcal{D}, P \subseteq t\}$$

In the following, the tidlist of P will be denoted tidlist(P) when \mathcal{D} is clear from context.

Definition 2 (Support) Let $P \subseteq I$ be an itemset and \mathcal{D} a dataset. The support of P in \mathcal{D} , denoted $support_{\mathcal{D}}(P)$, is the number of transactions of \mathcal{D} in which P appears:

$$support_{\mathcal{D}}(P) = |tidlist_{\mathcal{D}}(P)|$$

In the following, the support of P will be denoted support(P) when \mathcal{D} is clear from context.

Definition 3 (Frequent itemset) Let $P \subseteq I$ be an itemset and \mathcal{D} a dataset. Given a frequency threshold $\varepsilon \in [0, m]$, P is **frequent** if $support(P) \ge \varepsilon$.

From a frequent itemset P such as $P = X \cup Y$, one can derive an **association rule** $X \to Y$ that can lead to further insights on the data. The quality of such association rule is estimated with the measure of **confidence**:

Definition 4 (Confidence) Let $X \subseteq I$, $Y \subseteq I$ such as $X \cap Y = \emptyset$ and $X \cup Y$ is a frequent itemset. Then $X \to Y$ is an association rule, its confidence is:

$$conf(X \to Y) = \frac{support(X \cup Y)}{support(X)}$$

Similarly to frequency, it is possible to filter association rules with a minimum confidence threshold.

5.2 Apriori algorithm

Apriori is, historically, the first algorithm that allowed to efficiently mine frequent itemsets (1993). It performs a *levelwise* search in a breadth-first manner, and exploits an **anti-monotonicity** property of support:

Property 1 (Anti-monotonicity) Any super-itemset of an infrequent itemset is infrequent.

In Algorithm 1, $subset(C_k, d)$ in line 6 returns all subsets of d that occur in C_k . Lines 17-20 exploit the anti-monotonicity property for pruning the set of candidates.

5.3 Backtracking algorithm

Due to its breadth-first search, Apriori's space complexity is exponential, which prevents it to handle large real-world datasets due to memory saturation. Many depth-first algorithms with polynomial space complexity have been proposed, to allow mining large datasets. They are all based on the schema of backtracking algorithms, presented in Algorithm 2. For this algorithm, we assume that there is a total order on I (such order can always be arbitrarily imposed). For any $P \subseteq I$, $max_item(P)$ is the maximum item of P according to the order on I.

```
Data: Dataset \mathcal{D}, minimum support threshold \varepsilon
   Result: Output all frequent itemsets in \mathcal{D}
 1 begin
 2
        F_1 \leftarrow \{\text{Frequent 1-itemsets}\}\
       for (k = 2 ; F_{k-1} \neq \emptyset ; k++) do
 3
           C_k \leftarrow apriori\_gen(F_{k-1})
 4
           for
each transaction \ d \in \mathcal{D} \ \mathbf{do}
 5
                c_d \leftarrow subset(C_k, d)
 6
                foreach candidate c \in c_d do
 7
                 c.count + +
 8
           F_k = \{c \in C_k \mid c.count \ge \varepsilon\}
 9
       return \cup_k F_k
11 Function apriori\_gen(F_{k-1})
       Data: F_{k-1}: frequent (k-1)-itemsets
        Result: C_k: candidate k-itemsets
       begin
12
           insert into C_k
13
           select p[1], ..., p[k-1], q[k-1]
14
           from p, q \in F_{k-1}
15
            where p[1] = q[1], ..., p[k-2] = q[k-2], p[k-1] < q[k-1]
16
            foreach itemset c \in C_k do
17
                foreach (k-1)-subset s of c do
18
                    if s \notin F_{k-1} then
19
                       delete c from C_k
20
  Algorithm 2: Backtracking
   Data: Dataset \mathcal{D}, minimum support threshold \varepsilon
   Result: Output all frequent itemsets in \mathcal{D}
 1 begin
    backtracking(\emptyset)
 \mathbf{3} Function backtracking(P)
       Data: Frequent itemset P
       Result: Output all frequent itemsets having P has a prefix
       begin
 4
           print P
 5
           foreach i \in I, i > max item(P) do
 6
```

Algorithm 1: Apriori

if $support(P \cup \{i\}) \ge \varepsilon$ then

 $backtracking(P \cup \{i\})$

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Algorithm 3: LCM

```
Data: dataset \mathcal{D}, minimum support threshold \varepsilon
     Result: Output all closed frequent itemsets in \mathcal{D}
 1
          \emptyset_{clo} \leftarrow clo(\emptyset) = \bigcap_{t \in \mathcal{D}} t
 \mathbf{2}
          print \emptyset_{clo}
 3
          foreach e \in I s.t. support(e, \mathcal{D}) \geq \varepsilon do
 4
                expand(\emptyset_{clo}, e, \mathcal{D}, \varepsilon)
 6 Function expand (P, e, \mathcal{D}_P, \varepsilon)
          Data: Closed frequent itemset P, frequent item e, reduced dataset D_P, frequency threshold \varepsilon
          Result: Output all closed frequent itemsets containing \{e\} \cup P
 7
          begin
                Q \leftarrow clo(\{e\} \cup P)
 8
                if max(Q \setminus P) = e then
 9
                      \mathbf{print}\ Q
10
                      D_Q = \{t \mid t \in \mathcal{D}_P, \ Q \subseteq t \ \}
11
                      foreach i \in I s.t. support(i, D_Q) \ge \varepsilon and i < e do
12
                           expand(Q, i, \mathcal{D}_Q, \varepsilon)
13
```

5.4 Closed frequent itemsets and the LCM algorithm

A problem of frequent itemsets is that they contain a high amount of redundancy. It is possible to reduce such redundancy without loosing information by considering closed frequent itemsets.

Definition 5 (Closed frequent itemsets) Let \mathcal{D} be a dataset, ε a minimum support threshold, and \mathcal{F} the set of frequent itemsets on \mathcal{D} with a support greater or equal to ε . A frequent itemset $P \in \mathcal{F}$ is **closed** if $\exists Q \in \mathcal{F} \ s.t.: P \subset Q \ and \ support(P) = support(Q)$.

Let $P \in \mathcal{F}$ be a frequent itemset. The closure of P, denoted clo(P), is computed as:

$$clo(P) = \bigcap_{\{d \mid d \in \mathcal{D}, \ P \subseteq d\}} d$$

clo(P) is a closed frequent itemset.

The LCM algorithm is, to date, one of the most efficient algorithms to compute closed frequent itemsets. It's simplified pseudo-code is presented in Algorithm 3. It is based on the backtracking algorithm.

For further efficiency, this algorithm uses the concept of **dataset reduction**: for any pattern Q constructed at line 8, it is guaranteed to contain P. Thus to compute it's closure, one only needs the transactions of \mathcal{D} that contain P. Such set of transaction is called a **reduced dataset** for itemset P and denoted \mathcal{D}_P . The construction of the reduced dataset of Q is shown on line 11.

6 Clustering

The goal of clustering is, given a dataset and a distance (or similarity) measure, to constitute groups of elements of the dataset where the distance between the elements within a group (intra-cluster distance) is small and the distance between elements of different groups (inter-cluster distance) is high.

A very well-known algorithm for this task is the **k-means** algorithm.

The input data \mathcal{D} is a set of p-dimensional vectors $x_i = (x_{i1}, ..., x_{ip})$ with n data points. We suppose that we have a distance measure $dist(x_i, x_j) \in [0, 1]$ between these vectors.

The algorithm takes as parameter an integer $k \in [1, n]$ which indicates the expected number of clusters. It's simplified pseudo-code is given in Algorithm 4.

The algorithm is based on the notion of **centroid** of a group of points, which is the geometric center of these points.

```
Algorithm 4: k-means
  Data: Dataset \mathcal{D}, k \in [1, n]
  Result: A partitioning of \mathcal{D} in k clusters
1
      Select k points as the initial centroids
2
3
      repeat
          Form k clusters by a assigning each point of \mathcal{D} to its closest centroid
4
          Recompute the centroid of each cluster
```

until the centroids don't change; 6

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7 Catégorisation documentaire

Il existe de nombreuses situations en Recherche d'Information (RI) dans lesquelles le but est de discriminer les documents par rapport à un ensemble de besoins d'information fixes. Les exemples les plus courants dans ce cas sont la détection de pourriels (spam en anglais), le filtrage des rapports positifs écrits sur un produit ou de façon générale la catégorisation d'une collection de documents (par exemple des articles de journaux, des courriels, des messages de blog, des documents internes d'une entreprise, etc.) suivant des classes prédéfinies. Jusqu'aux années 1980, les deux approches usuelles employées pour s'acquitter de cette tâche étaient l'assignation manuelle des étiquettes de classe aux documents et l'application de règles simples, à base de combinaison de mots-clés, construites à la main pour trouver les documents traitant de sujets ou thèmes spécifiques. Ces deux techniques, bien qu'efficaces en termes de performance sur des collections de petite taille, ne supportent pas le passage à grande échelle et ne peuvent être appliquées en temps réel sur des corpus de textes usuels. Dans ce chapitre, nous allons présenter des techniques automatiques de catégorisation de documents issues du domaine de l'apprentissage statistique, techniques qui sont maintenant largement utilisées dans les systèmes de RI.

7.1Modèles génératifs

Les modèles génératifs sont les premiers modèles d'apprentissage automatique développés en RI pour la tâche de catégorisation. L'hypothèse fondamentale des modèles génératifs est que chaque vecteur représentatif d'un document, d, est la réalisation d'une variable aléatoire multidimensionnelle et, est généré par le mélange de K densités de probabilité avec des proportions (ou probabilités a priori) $\pi_1, ..., \pi_K$ vérifiant:

$$\sum_{k=1} \pi_k = 1 \quad \text{et} \quad \pi_k \ge 0 \ (k = 1, ..., K).$$

Chaque fonction de densité de ce mélange est une fonction paramétrique modélisant la distribution de probabilité conditionnelle de classe associée à une classe $k \in \mathcal{Y}$ donnée:

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, P(\mathbf{d} \mid C_k = 1) = f_k(\mathbf{d}, \theta_k)$$

où C_k est la variable aléatoire binaire exprimant l'appartenance $(C_k = 1)$ ou non $(C_k = 0)$ d'un document à la k^e classe. La densité de mélange modélise ainsi la génération de **d** par ces K densités de probabilité, et elle s'exprime comme une combinaison linéaire convexe de ces dernières:

$$P(\mathbf{d}, \Theta) = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \pi_k f_k(\mathbf{d}, \theta_k)$$
(19)

où Θ est l'ensemble des proportions π_k et de tous les paramètres définissant les fonctions de densité f_k :

$$\Theta = \{\theta_k, \pi_k : k \in \{1, ..., K\}\}\$$

Le but de l'apprentissage est alors d'estimer l'ensemble des paramètres Θ pour que le modèle de mélange explique au mieux, au sens du maximum de vraisemblance, les exemples de la base d'entraînement. Une fois l'estimation de ces paramètres terminée, un nouveau document d' est affecté à une classe de l'ensemble $\mathcal Y$ d'après la règle de décision Bayésienne:

$$d'$$
 appartient à la classe k ssi $k = \underset{h \in \mathcal{Y}}{argmax} P(C_h = 1 \mid \mathbf{d}')$

ou, de façon équivalente et d'après la règle de Bayes:

$$d'$$
 appartient à la classe k ssi $k = \underset{h \in \mathcal{Y}}{argmax} \pi_h f_h(\mathbf{d}', \theta_h)$ (20)

Dans les sections suivantes, nous présentons les deux modèles génératifs les plus utilisés et connus en catégorisation automatique de documents. Ces deux modèles font l'hypothèse d'indépendance conditionnelle des termes par rapport aux différentes classes (hypothèse de Naive Bayes) et, de ce fait, ils sont tous les deux dénommés modèles de Naive Bayes dans la littérature. Ils se distinguent par la représentation utilisée pour les documents, qui conduit à des expressions de densités conditionnelles différentes. Nous dénommons ces modèles par rapport à cette distinction.

7.1.1 Modèle multivarié de Bernoulli

Avec le modèle multivarié de Bernoulli, on suppose que chaque document d a une représentation vectorielle binaire $\mathbf{d} = (w_{id})_{i \in \{1,...,V\}}$ où une caractéristique w_{id} est soit égale à 1 ou à 0, selon que le terme d'indice i du vocabulaire est présent ou non dans le document d. D'après l'hypothèse $Naive\ Bayes$, les densités conditionnelles pour un document d donné ont la forme suivante:

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, f_k(\mathbf{d}, \theta_k) = P(\mathbf{d} = (w_{1d}, ..., w_{Vd}) \mid C_k = 1) = \prod_{i=1}^{V} P(w_{id} \mid C_k = 1)$$

La terminologie modèle multivarié de Bernoulli vient du fait que les événements modélisant l'absence ou la présence de tous les termes du vocabulaire dans les différentes classes suivent une loi de Bernoulli dont les paramètres sont propres à chaque terme. En posant $\theta_{t_i|k} = P(w_{id} = 1 \mid C_k = 1)$, la probabilité de présence du terme d'indice i du vocabulaire dans la classe k, ces densités conditionnelles s'écrivent ainsi :

$$\forall d; \forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, f_k(\mathbf{d}, \theta_k) = \prod_{i=1}^{V} \theta_{t_i|k}^{w_{id}} (1 - \theta_{t_i|k})^{1 - w_{id}}$$

$$\tag{21}$$

Le paramètre θ_k représente ici l'ensemble des probabilités de présence des termes du vocabulaire dans la k^e classe (ou composante du mélange), et les paramètres Θ du modèle de Bernoulli sont :

$$\Theta = \{\theta_{t_i|k}: i \in \{1,...,V\}, k \in \{1,...,K\}; \pi_k: k \in \{1,...,K\}\}$$

En notant $df_t(k)$ le nombre de documents de la classe d'étiquette k contenant le terme t du vocabulaire, S_k l'ensemble des documents de la base d'entraînement qui appartiennent à la classe k et $N_k(S) = |S_k|$ le cardinal de S_k , les estimations, au sens du maximum de vraisemblance, des paramètres Θ du modèle de Bernoulli s'écrivent :

$$\forall i \in \{1, ..., V\}, \forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \quad \hat{\theta}_{t_i|k} = \frac{\mathrm{df}_{t_i}(k)}{N_k(S)}$$

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \quad \hat{\pi}_k = \frac{N_k(S)}{m}$$

$$(22)$$

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \quad \hat{\pi}_k = \frac{N_k(S)}{m} \tag{23}$$

Pour appliquer la règle de décision bayésienne (équation 20), on utilise en fait le logarithme des expressions $\pi_h f_h(\mathbf{d}', \theta_h)$. La raison principale de ce passage est que d'après la propriété additive des logarithmes, le calcul de produits des probabilités dans les équations 20 et 21 va se ramener à un calcul de sommes de logarithmes de ces probabilités, ce qui va empêcher un dépassement de capacité par le bas (le produit d'un très grand nombre de probabilités donne généralement un nombre trop petit pour pouvoir être stocké). En outre, le logarithme est une fonction bijective strictement croissante, ce qui ne change pas l'ordre des scores calculés dans l'équation 20. De plus, en pratique, pour gérer les cas des termes rares qui n'apparaissent dans aucun document d'une classe donnée et conduisent ainsi à des probabilités de présence nulles et des erreurs de calculs au moment du passage au logarithme, on lisse les probabilités, bien souvent à l'aide du lissage de Laplace qui consiste à ajouter un 1 au nombre de documents d'une classe contenant un terme, soit :

$$\forall i \in \{1, ..., V\}, \forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \hat{\theta}_{t_i|k} = \frac{\mathrm{df}_{t_i}(k) + 1}{N_k(S) + 2}$$
(24)

L'algorithme 5 présente le pseudo-code pour estimer les paramètres du modèle de Bernoulli sur une base d'apprentissage S donnée. En comptant le nombre de documents par classe ainsi que le nombre de fois où tous les termes du vocabulaire sont présents dans les documents d'une classe donnée, les probabilités a priori et les probabilités conditionnelles de classes sont facilement calculées en utilisant les équations 22 et 24.

Une fois ces paramètres estimés, on va utiliser le vocabulaire extrait de la base d'entraînement pour obtenir le vecteur représentatif d'un nouveau document d' pour lequel on cherche son étiquette de classe. L'affection de d' à une classe donnée suit la règle de l'équation 20 qui, d'après la forme des densités conditionnelles (équation 21) et le passage au logarithme, se traduit par :

$$d' \in \text{classe } k \text{ ssi } k = \underset{h \in \mathcal{Y}}{\operatorname{argmax}} \ln \hat{\pi}_h + \sum_{t \in \mathcal{V}, t \in d'} \ln \hat{\theta}_{t|h} + \sum_{t \in \mathcal{V}, t \notin d'} \ln (1 - \hat{\theta}_{t|h})$$

Cette règle d'affectation est utilisée dans l'algorithme 6. Nous allons maintenant présenter le modèle multinomial qui est l'autre modèle génératif populaire pour la catégorisation automatique basé sur l'hypothèse de Naive Bayes.

7.1.2Modèle multinomial

Dans le modèle multinomial, on considère un document $d = \langle t_1, \dots, t_{l_d} \rangle$ comme une séquence ordonnée de termes, générée à partir d'un vocabulaire \mathcal{V} donné. Avec l'hypothèse de Naive Bayes qui, rappelonsle, suppose que la probabilité de génération d'un terme par une composante du mélange (ou une classe) est indépendante du contexte et de la position de ce terme dans le document, les densités de probabilité s'écrivent:

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, P(d = \langle t_1, \dots, t_{l_d} \rangle \mid C_k = 1) = \prod_{t_h \in d} \theta_{t_h \mid k}$$
(25)

Algorithm 5: Modèle multivarié de Bernoulli, phase d'apprentissage

Entrée

• une base d'entraînement $S = ((\mathbf{d}_1, c_1), ..., (\mathbf{d}_m, c_m)).$

Initialisation:

- extraire le vocabulaire $\mathcal{V} = \{t_1, \dots, t_V\}$ de S;
- initialiser $N[.] \leftarrow 0$,
- $df[.][.] \leftarrow 0.$

```
Pour chaque: k \in \{1, \dots, K\}
```

- 1 $N[k] \leftarrow \sum_{d \in S_k} 1$; $/\!\!/ S_k = \{d \in S \mid d \text{ appartient à la classe } k\}$ 2 $Pi[k] \leftarrow \frac{N[k]}{m}$; $/\!\!/$ équation 22

 Pour chaque: $i \in \{1, \dots, V\}$

3 $df[k][i] \leftarrow \sum_{d \in \text{classe } k} w_{id} ; //\!\!/ \mathbf{d} = (w_{id})_{i \in \{1,...,V\}}, \forall i, w_{id} \in \{0,1\}$ Pour chaque: $k \in \{1,...,K\}$

Pour chaque: $i \in \{1, ..., V\}$ 4 $PC[k][i] \leftarrow \frac{df[k][i]+1}{N[k]+2}$; // équation 24 Sortie : les tableaux Pi[.] et PC[.][.]

Algorithm 6: Modèle multivarié de Bernoulli, phase de test

Entrée

- un document d', un vocabulaire $\mathcal{V} = \{t_1, \ldots, t_V\};$
- les tableaux Pi[.] et PC[.][.] obtenus avec l'algorithme 5.

Initialisation:

- obtenir la représentation vectorielle $\mathbf{d}' = (w'_{id})_{i \in \{1,\dots,V\}}$ avec \mathcal{V} ;
- initialiser $PiF[.] \leftarrow 0$.

Pour chaque: $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$

 $1 PiF[k] \leftarrow \ln(Pi[k])$;

Pour chaque: $i \in \{1, \dots, V\}$

 $: w'_{id} = 1$

 $\mathbf{2} \ PiF[k] \leftarrow PiF[k] + \ln(PC[k][i]);$

: $PiF[k] \leftarrow PiF[k] + \ln(1 - PC[k][i]);$ Sinon : classe de $d' = argmax_{h \in \mathcal{Y}} PiF[h]$ Sortie

où, $\forall h \in \{1, \dots, V\}, \theta_{t_h|k} = P(t_h \mid C_k = 1)$ représente la probabilité de génération du terme t_h du vocabulaire par la k^e composante du mélange. Ces probabilités vérifient: $0 \le \theta_{t_h|k} \le 1$ et $\sum_{h=1}^V \theta_{t_h|k} = 1$. Bien que les paramètres de ce modèle génératif soient représentés comme dans le cas précédent par l'ensemble :

$$\Theta = \{\theta_{t_i|k} : i \in \{1, ..., V\}, k \in \{1, ..., K\}; \pi_k : k \in \{1, ..., K\}\}$$

le modèle multinomial capture l'information de fréquence des termes dans les documents, et non plus seulement l'information de présence/absence. Avec les notations de la section précédente, les estimations, au sens du maximum de vraisemblance, des paramètres de ce modèle avec le lissage de Laplace s'obtiennent :

$$\forall i \in \{1, ..., V\}, \forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \quad \hat{\theta}_{t_i|k} = \frac{\sum_{d \in S_k} \operatorname{tf}_{t_i, d} + 1}{\sum_{i=1}^{V} \sum_{d \in S_k} \operatorname{tf}_{t_i, d} + V}$$

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \quad \hat{\pi}_k = \frac{N_k(S)}{m}$$

$$(26)$$

$$\forall k \in \mathcal{Y}, \quad \hat{\pi}_k = \frac{N_k(S)}{m} \tag{27}$$

Pour l'estimation des probabilités conditionnelles des termes d'une classe k donnée (équation 26), on compte le nombre d'occurrences des termes du vocabulaire dans les documents de cette classe. En pratique, il est plus simple de concaténer les documents d'une classe donnée avant de réaliser ce comptage. L'algorithme 7 montre le procédé d'estimation des paramètres du modèle multinomial pour la phase d'apprentissage et l'algorithme 8 présente la phase de test avec ce modèle.

Algorithm 7: Modèle multinomial, phase d'apprentissage

Entrée

• une base d'entraînement $S = ((\mathbf{d}_1, c_1), ..., (\mathbf{d}_m, c_m)).$

Initialisation:

- extraire le vocabulaire $\mathcal{V} = \{t_1, \dots, t_V\}$ de S;
- initialiser $N[.] \leftarrow 0, tf[.][.] \leftarrow 0, D[.] \leftarrow 0.$

Pour chaque: $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$

- 1 $N[k] \leftarrow \sum_{d \in S_k} 1$; $/\!\!/ S_k = \{d \in S \mid d \text{ appartient à la classe } k\}$ 2 $Pi[k] \leftarrow \frac{N[k]}{m}$; $/\!\!/$ équation 27
 Pour chaque: $i \in \{1, \dots, V\}$

- з $tf[k][i] \leftarrow \sum_{d \in S_k} \mathsf{tf}_{id}$;
- 4 $D[k] \leftarrow D[k] + tf[k][i]$;

Pour chaque: $k \in \{1, \dots, K\}$

Pour chaque: $i \in \{1, ..., V\}$ 5 $PC[k][i] \leftarrow \frac{tf[k][i]+1}{D[k]+V}$; // équation 26 Sortie : les tableaux Pi[.] et PC[.][.]

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Algorithm 8: Modèle multinomial, phase de test

Entrée

- un document d', un vocabulaire $\mathcal{V} = \{t_1, \dots, t_V\}$;
- \bullet les tableaux Pi[.] et PC[.][.] obtenus avec l'algorithme 7.

Initialisation:

- obtenir la représentation vectorielle $\mathbf{d}' = (w'_{id})_{i \in \{1, \dots, V\}}$ avec $\mathcal{V};$
- initialiser $PiF[.] \leftarrow 0$.

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Pour chaque: k \in \{1, \dots, K\}

1 PiF[k] \leftarrow \ln(Pi[k]);
Pour chaque: i \in \{1, \dots, V\}

2 PiF[k] \leftarrow PiF[k] + w'_{id} \times \ln(PC[k][i]);
Sortie
: classe de d' = argmax_{h \in \mathcal{Y}} PiF[h]
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