

MSPR 7 Evaluation (Due: 18.10.2015, 12 p.m. (noon))

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1. (Feedback) Please give us feedback on the last lecture and homework:
<http://goo.gl/forms/bQqfdx0XWh> Thanks!
2. From the iris dataset take instances 51-75, 101-125 as the training data and instances 76-100, 126-150 as test data for classes *versicolor* and *virginica*. Train a **linear discriminant analysis** (=minimum Mahalanobis classifier) with the training data set and use the trained classifier to classify the test data.
 - (a) Use Matlab and PRTools to calculate the confusion matrix. (20 P)
 - (b) What are true positive, false negative, false positive, true negative? (10 P)
 - (c) Calculate precision, precision, recall, f-measure, false alarm, accuracy. (10 P)
 - (d) Plot the performance graph in the ROC space. Calculate the AUC. (10 P)
3. Based on the **adult** data set from the UCL machine learning repository, predict whether someone is rich ('>50K') or not, based on the following features: **age, fnlwgt, education-num, race, sex, capital-gain, capital-loss, hours-per-week, native country**. Convert the string attributes race, sex, native-country into a number, white → 1, non-white → 0, male → 1, female → 0, US-born → 1, non-US born → 0, '>50K' → 2, '<=50K' → 1. (*not 0,1* as in the previous exercise) Perform **10-fold cross-validation** with the classifiers: minimum-distance classifier, minimum Mahalanobis classifier (=linear discriminant analysis), quadratic classifier. Calculate the f-measure. Compare the results of the 3 classifiers to random guess using prior knowledge on the different sizes of the rich and poor class. Comment on the results! (50 P)
4. Self Assessment: Check the exercises that you have seriously worked on.

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