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BAYESIAN ANALYSIS
(VE414)

ASSIGNMENT 3

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1 Question 1

a)

We know that

$$f_{\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}|X} \propto f_{X|\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}} \cdot f_{Y|\{\alpha,\beta\}} \cdot f_{\alpha,\beta}$$

And we have

$$f_{X|\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}} = \prod_{i=1}^n \text{Poisson}(y_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{y_i^{x_i} e^{-y_i}}{x_i!}$$

$$f_{\alpha,\beta} = f_{\alpha} \cdot f_{\beta} = \text{Exp}(a) \text{Gamma}(b, c) = a \exp(-a\alpha) \cdot \frac{c^b}{\Gamma(b)} \beta^{b-1} \exp(-c\beta)$$

$$f_{Y|\{\alpha,\beta\}} = \prod_{i=1}^n \text{Gamma}(\alpha, \beta) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{\beta^{\alpha}}{\Gamma(\alpha)} y_i^{\alpha-1} \exp(-\beta y_i)$$

So we have

$$f_{\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}|X} \propto \beta^{n\alpha+b-1} y^{\sum x_i + n\alpha - 1} \exp(-(n+\beta)y_i - c\beta - a\alpha) \cdot \frac{c^b}{\Gamma(\alpha)^n}$$

b)

We've made several assumptions of independence here:

1. X is independent of α and β .
2. α is independent of β .
3. x_i is independent of x_j if $i \neq j$.
4. y_i is independent of y_j if $i \neq j$.

c)

We have

$$f_{\{Y,\beta\}|\{X,\alpha\}} = \frac{f_{\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}|X}}{f_{\alpha|x}}$$

Since we know that α is independent from x , so $f_{\alpha|x} = f_{\alpha}$, so

$$f_{\{Y,\beta\}|\{X,\alpha\}} \propto f_{\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}|X}$$

d)

We have

$$f_{\{\alpha,\beta\}|X} = \frac{f_{\{Y,\alpha,\beta\}|X}}{f_{Y|\{X,\alpha,\beta\}}} \sim \text{Gamma}(-2\boldsymbol{x} + \alpha, \beta + 2)$$

2 Question 2

a)

Let the case that the new data point is considered as a tiger to be $y = 0$, and considered as a greasy to be $y = 1$.

So we have

$$\delta(x) = \arg \min \{ z\lambda f_{Y|x}(0 | x) + (z - 1)(1 - \lambda)f_{Y|x}(1 | x) \}$$

Since we have

$$f_{Y|x}(y = 0 | x) = \frac{L(0; x)f_Y(y = 0)}{f_X(x)} \quad f_{Y|x}(y = 1 | x) = \frac{L(1; x)f_Y(y = 1)}{f_X(x)}$$

And if we times a positive constant to the arg min function, the result will not be changed, so

$$\delta(x) = \arg \min \{ z\lambda L(0; x)f_Y(y = 0) + (z - 1)(1 - \lambda)L(1; x)f_Y(y = 1) \}$$

Since we have

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 6 \end{bmatrix} \quad \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_0 = \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \boldsymbol{\mu}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 13 \\ 10 \end{bmatrix} \quad \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

Therefore, the optimal decision rule should be

$$\begin{aligned} \delta(x) &= \arg \min \left\{ z \cdot \frac{9}{10} \cdot \frac{2}{3} \cdot (2\pi)^{-k/2} (\det \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_0)^{-1/2} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_0^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)\right) \right. \\ &\quad \left. + (z - 1) \cdot \frac{1}{10} \cdot \frac{1}{3} \cdot (2\pi)^{-k/2} (\det \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_1)^{-1/2} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_1^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1)\right) \right\} \\ &= \arg \min \left\{ z \cdot \frac{18}{\sqrt{23}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_0^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)\right) + (z - 1) \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_1^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1)\right) \right\} \end{aligned}$$

So the decision rule should be

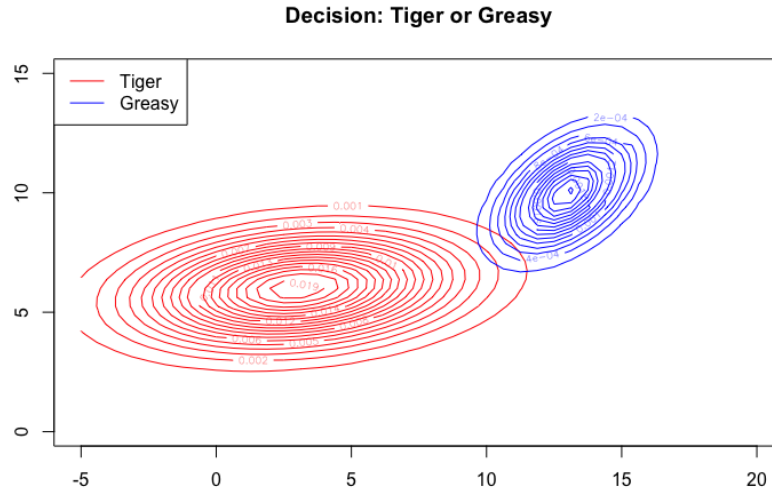
If

$$\frac{18}{\sqrt{23}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_0^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_0)\right) < \frac{1}{\sqrt{3}} \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1)^T \boldsymbol{\Sigma}_1^{-1}(\mathbf{x} - \boldsymbol{\mu}_1)\right)$$

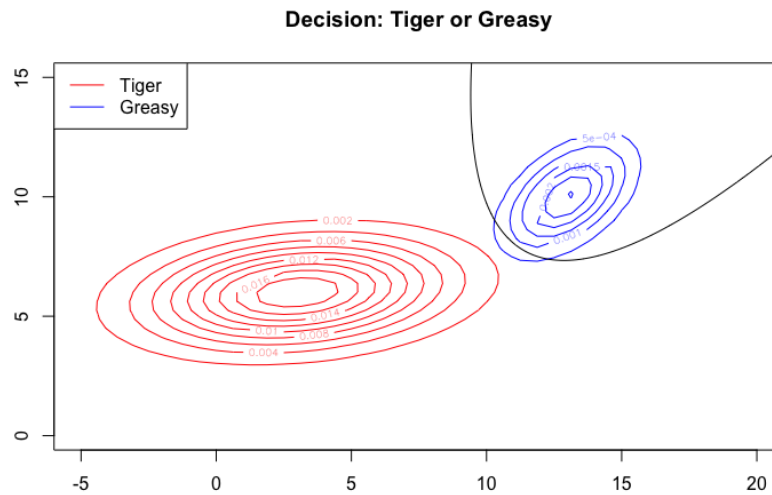
Choose as $y = 1$, which mark the species as a greasy. Otherwise tiger.

b)

We plot the contour of the two values for decision, if the red value is larger than the blue value, we consider this as a tiger, and vice versa.



We draw the contour of the two distribution, and the decision boundary.



c)

The left part is the region where a fish should be classified as a tiger, and the right part is the region where the fish should be classified as a greasy.