

# Pattern Recognition Assignment 1

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## Question 1

```
1 close all
2 clear all
3 clc
4 % load dataset
5 load('Example_MNIST_digits.mat');
6 % loop over 10 digits
7 for i = 1: 10
8     % 3/4 subplots
9     subplot(3,4,i)
10    % Get the average of each digit, convert it 8bit integers,
11    % Reshape the row into a matrix and show the resulting image
12    imshow(reshape(uint8(mean(b(labb == i, :), 1)), 28, 28)');
13    % Show the title for the subplot
14    title(i-1)
15 end
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For output please see figure 1

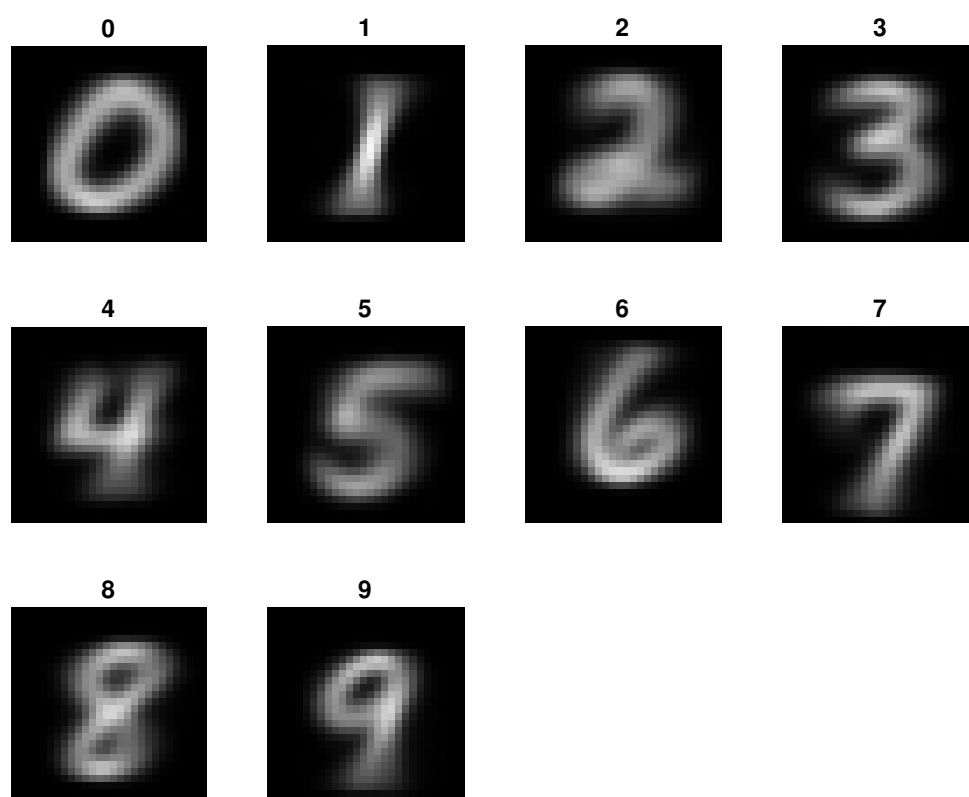


Figure 1: Average digit visualisation

## Question 2

```
1 close all
2 clear all
3 clc
4
5 load('Example_MNIST_digits.mat');
6 % create D and Z variables
7 D = zeros(size(b));
8 Z = zeros(size(b,1), 2);
9 % 1 to number of rows in b
10 for i = 1:size(b, 1)
11     % apply treshhold
12     D(i, :) = (b(i, :) <= 120);
13     % transform each row into a 28X28 matrix
14     c = reshape(D(i, :), 28, 28);
15     % find all values in c that are 0
16     [row, col] = find(~c);
17     % find aspect ratio
18     Z(i, 1) = (max(row)-min(row))/ ...
19               (max(col)-min(col));
20     % find proportion
21     Z(i, 2) = numel(row)/numel(D(i, :));
22 end
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### Question 3

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1 close all
2 clear all
3 clc
4
5 load('Example_MNIST_digits.mat');
6 D = b <= 120;
7 Z = zeros(size(b,1), 2);
8 % 1 to number of rows in b
9 for i = 1:size(b, 1)
10     c = reshape(D(i, :), 28, 28);
11     [row, col] = find(~c);
12     % find aspect ratio
13     Z(i, 1) = (max(row)-min(row))/ ...
14         (max(col)-min(col));
15     % find proportion
16
17 end
18 Z(:,2) = mean(~D, 2);
19
20 % part A
21 % Variable to hold errors
22 ers = zeros(9,1);
23 % Loop over 10 digits
24 for i = 0:9
25     % use supplied classifier with the data and save the labels in nl
26     nl= classifier(Z, labb == i + 1);
27     % count the errors in the new labels
28     ers(i + 1) = 1 - sum(nl == (labb == i + 1)) / size(nl,1);
29 end
30 figure
31 % plot the errors for the 10 digits for comparison further down
32 plot(0:9, ers, 'r-');
33 xlabel('Digit')
34 ylabel('Error rate')
35 print -depsc 3a
36
37 % part c
38 % Variable to hold errors
39 err = zeros(numel(unique(labb)), 1);
40 % Loop over 10 digits
41 for i = 1:10
42     % current label(digit) is positive (1) everything else is negative(0)
43     labba = labb == i;
44     % labes array
45     labels = zeros(size(Z,1),1);
46     %loop over all data in Z
47     for j = 1 : size(Z,1)
48         % assign label for the left out element
49         labels(j) = MyNNMC(Z([1:j, j+1:end], :), ...
50             labba([1:j, j+1:end]), Z(j, :));
51     end
52     % calculate the error rate

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53     err(i) = mean(labels ~= labba);
54 end
55 % plot the error rate for comparison
56 figure
57 plot(0:9, err, 'b-');
58 xlabel('Digit')
59 ylabel('Error rate')
60 print -depsc 3c

1 function NewLabels = MyNMC(Ztr, Ytr, Zts)
2     % Get a variable holding the unique labels
3     labels = unique(Ytr);
4     % grpstats gets mean grouped by the labels
5     mean = grpstats(Ztr, Ytr);
6     for i = 1 : size(Zts,1);
7         % Assign label index by getting the smallest distance when comparing
8         % the current element with the means
9         [~, NewLabels(i)] = min(pdist2(mean, Zts(i,:)));
10    end
11    % Assign label values by indexing the unique labels with
12    % the supplied indeces
13    NewLabels = labels(NewLabels);
14 end

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Using the given classifier indicates that the digit 1 is a more distinct as it will have a lower aspect ratio and lower proportion of black as seen by figure 2

In task 3c we use the MyNMC classifier to classify the data and we notice that the error plot (figure 3) it very similar to that of the given classifier which leads to the conclusion that it is an NMC classifier. The slight differences in error is down to the fact that in figure 3 a leaveone out NMC is being used, whereas in figure 2 the classifier is being trained on all of the data.

Actual error rates below.

|    | 3a     | 3c     |
|----|--------|--------|
| 1  | 0.3338 | 0.3338 |
| 2  | 0.1894 | 0.1894 |
| 3  | 0.3058 | 0.3058 |
| 4  | 0.4680 | 0.4680 |
| 5  | 0.4600 | 0.4600 |
| 6  | 0.3324 | 0.3324 |
| 7  | 0.4654 | 0.4654 |
| 8  | 0.4068 | 0.4068 |
| 9  | 0.4882 | 0.4882 |
| 10 | 0.4138 | 0.4138 |
| 11 |        |        |

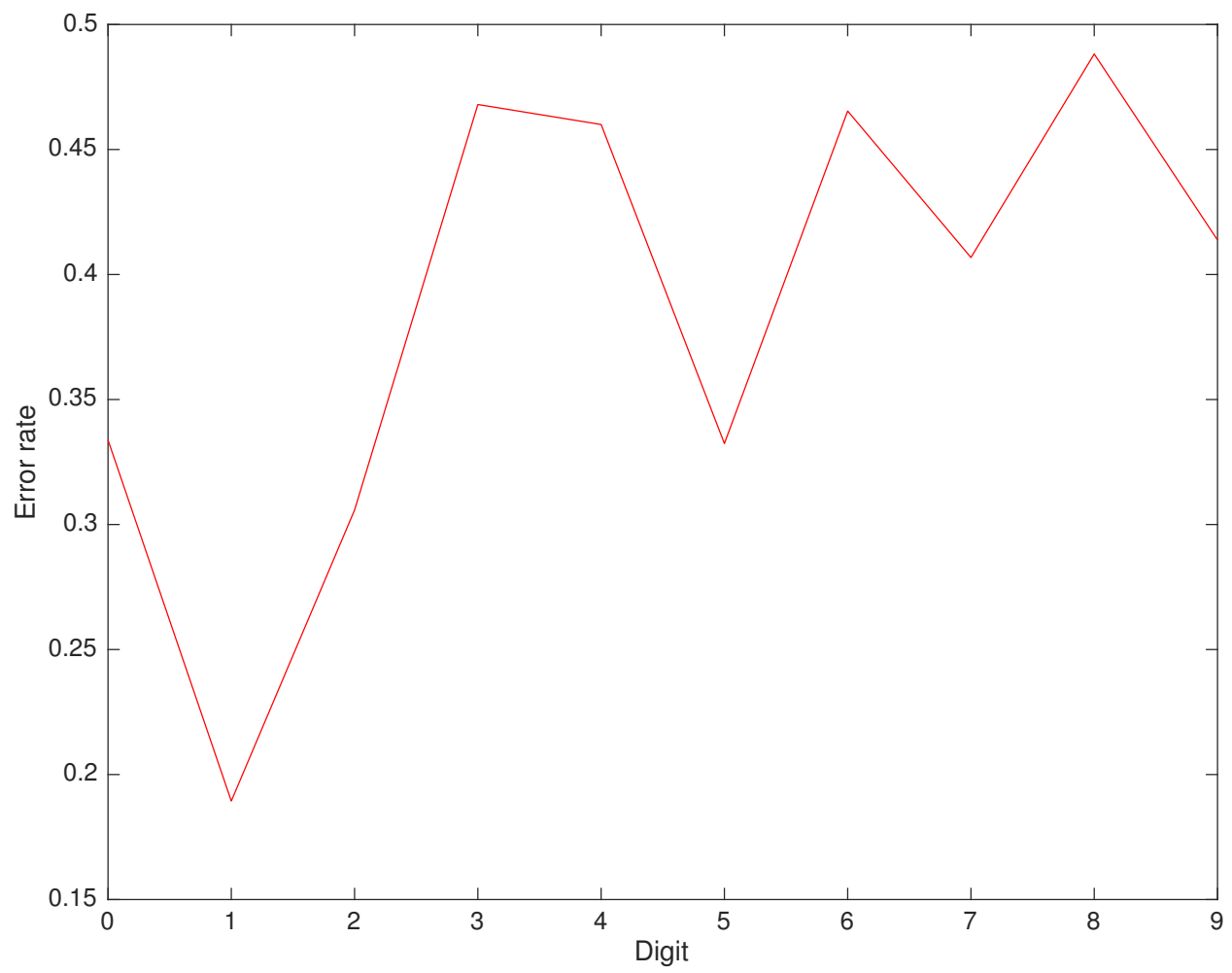


Figure 2: Plot of given classifier error (3a)

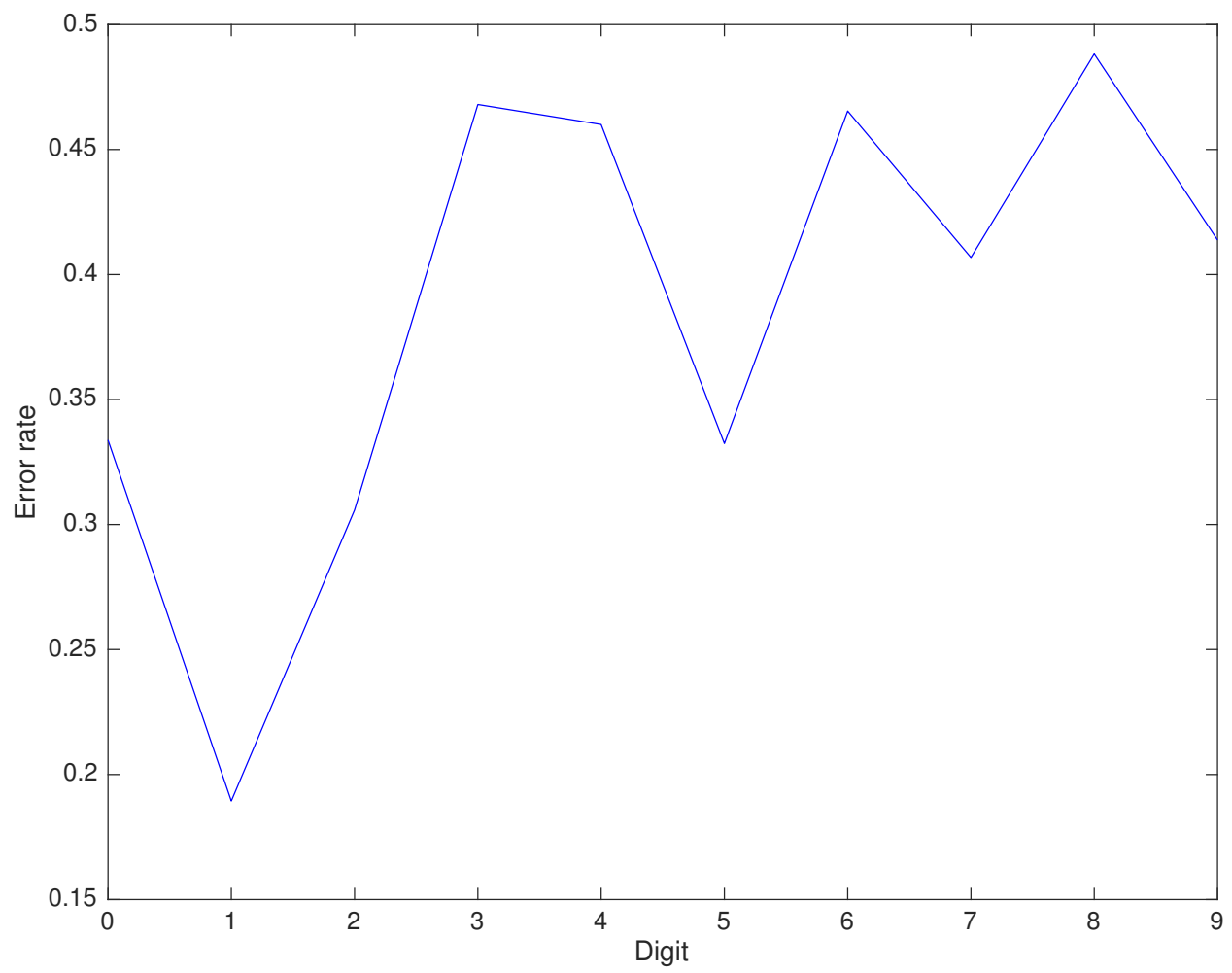


Figure 3: Plot of given classifier error (3c)

## Question 4

```
1 close all
2 clear all
3 clc
4
5 load('Example_MNIST_digits.mat');
6 D = b <= 120;
7
8
9 % part a
10
11 ers = zeros(9,1);
12 for i = 1:10
13     nl= classifier(b, labb == i);
14     ers(i) = 1 - sum(nl == (labb == i)) / size(nl,1);
15 end
16
17 ers2 = zeros(9,1);
18 for i = 0:9
19     nl= classifier(double(D), labb == i + 1);
20     ers2(i + 1) = 1 - sum(nl == (labb == i + 1)) / size(nl,1);
21 end
22
23 figure
24 hold on
25 % plot the error rates for both classifier with Original Data and D
26 plot(0:9, ers, 'r-');
27 plot(0:9, ers2, 'b-');
28 xlabel('Digit')
29 ylabel('Error rate')
30 print -depsc plot4
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When not considering aspect ratio and ink amount the NMC classifier returns different results in terms of error rate, there are differing peaks but better overall error rate as seen in figure 4

Error rates

|    | Original | Threshold |
|----|----------|-----------|
| 1  | 0.0522   | 0.0528    |
| 2  | 0.0646   | 0.0636    |
| 3  | 0.0786   | 0.0770    |
| 4  | 0.1002   | 0.0974    |
| 5  | 0.1268   | 0.1262    |
| 6  | 0.1780   | 0.1774    |
| 7  | 0.0666   | 0.0660    |
| 8  | 0.0784   | 0.0780    |
| 9  | 0.1206   | 0.1220    |
| 10 | 0.1828   | 0.1816    |
| 11 |          |           |



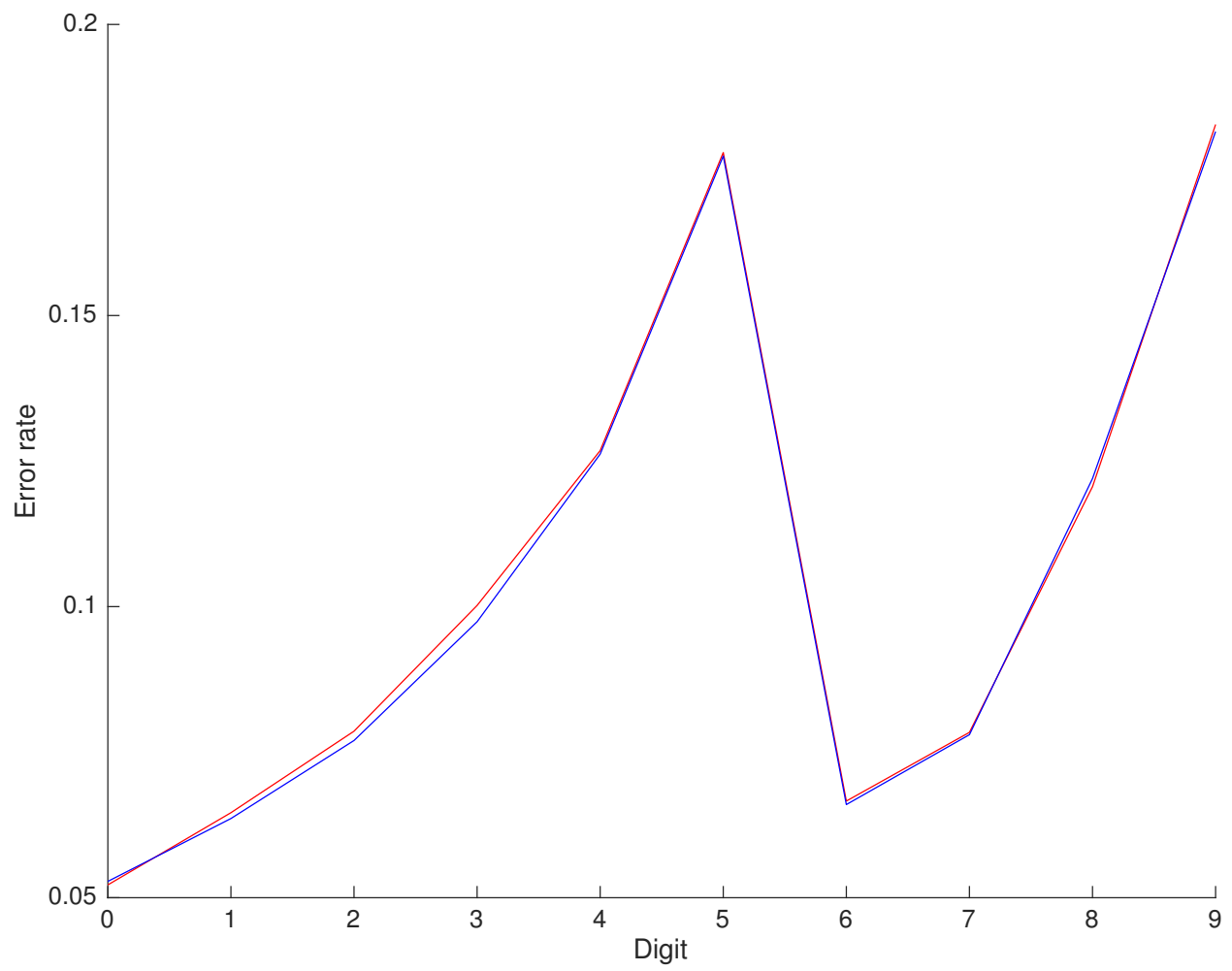


Figure 4: Plot of given classifier error (4)

## Question 5

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1 function [RocMatrix, Closest] = myRoc(data, labels)
2 [~,ind] = sort(data);
3 d = labels(ind);
4
5 RocMatrix = zeros(numel(d), 2);
6     for i = 1:numel(d)
7         % Get current position in the data (split)
8         dstart = d(1:i);
9         dend = d(i+1:end);
10        % Find all the:
11            % True Positives and Negatives and
12            % False Positives and Negatives
13        tPos = sum(dend == 2);
14        tNeg = sum(dstart == 1);
15        fPos = sum(dend == 1);
16        fNeg = sum(dstart == 2);
17        % Put the Sensitivity and specificity for each split
18        % into the roc matrix in columns 1 and 2 respectively
19        RocMatrix(i, 1) = tNeg/(tNeg+fPos);
20        RocMatrix(i, 2) = tPos/(tPos+fNeg);
21    end
22    [~, ind] = min(pdist2([1 - RocMatrix(:,1) RocMatrix(:,2)], [0 1]));
23    Closest = RocMatrix(ind,:);
24 end
```

## Question 6

```

1 close all
2 clear all
3 clc
4
5 load('Example_MNIST_digits.mat');
6 D = b <= 120;
7 Z = zeros(size(b,1), 2);
8 Z(:,2) = mean(~D, 2);
9 % 1 to number of rows in b
10 for i = 1:size(b, 1)
11     c = reshape(D(i, :), 28, 28);
12     [row, col] = find(~c);
13     % find aspect ratio
14     Z(i, 1) = (max(row)-min(row))/ ...
15               (max(col)-min(col));
16     % find proportion
17
18 end
19
20 labbs = labb == 2;
21 % Use the MyRoc function to compare the Aspect Ratio
22 % and Proportion
23 [rocMatrixAspect, aClosest] = MyRoc(Z(:,1), ~labbs + 1);
24 [rocMatrixProportion, pClosest] = MyRoc(Z(:,2), ~labbs + 1);
25 figure
26 hold on
27 grid on
28 axis square
29 set(gca, 'ytick', 0:0.2:1)
30 plot(1 - rocMatrixAspect(:,1), rocMatrixAspect(:,2), 'r-');
31 plot(1 - rocMatrixProportion(:,1), rocMatrixProportion(:,2), 'b-');
32 xlabel('1-specificity')
33 ylabel('sensitivity')
34 legend('Aspect Ratio', 'Proportion Black')
35 print -depsc plot6

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For output, see plot in figure 5 The closest points to [0,1] in each case are

|   |              |        |
|---|--------------|--------|
| 1 | Aspect Ratio |        |
| 2 | 0.8315       | 0.8633 |
| 3 | Proportion   |        |
| 4 | 0.8763       | 0.8204 |

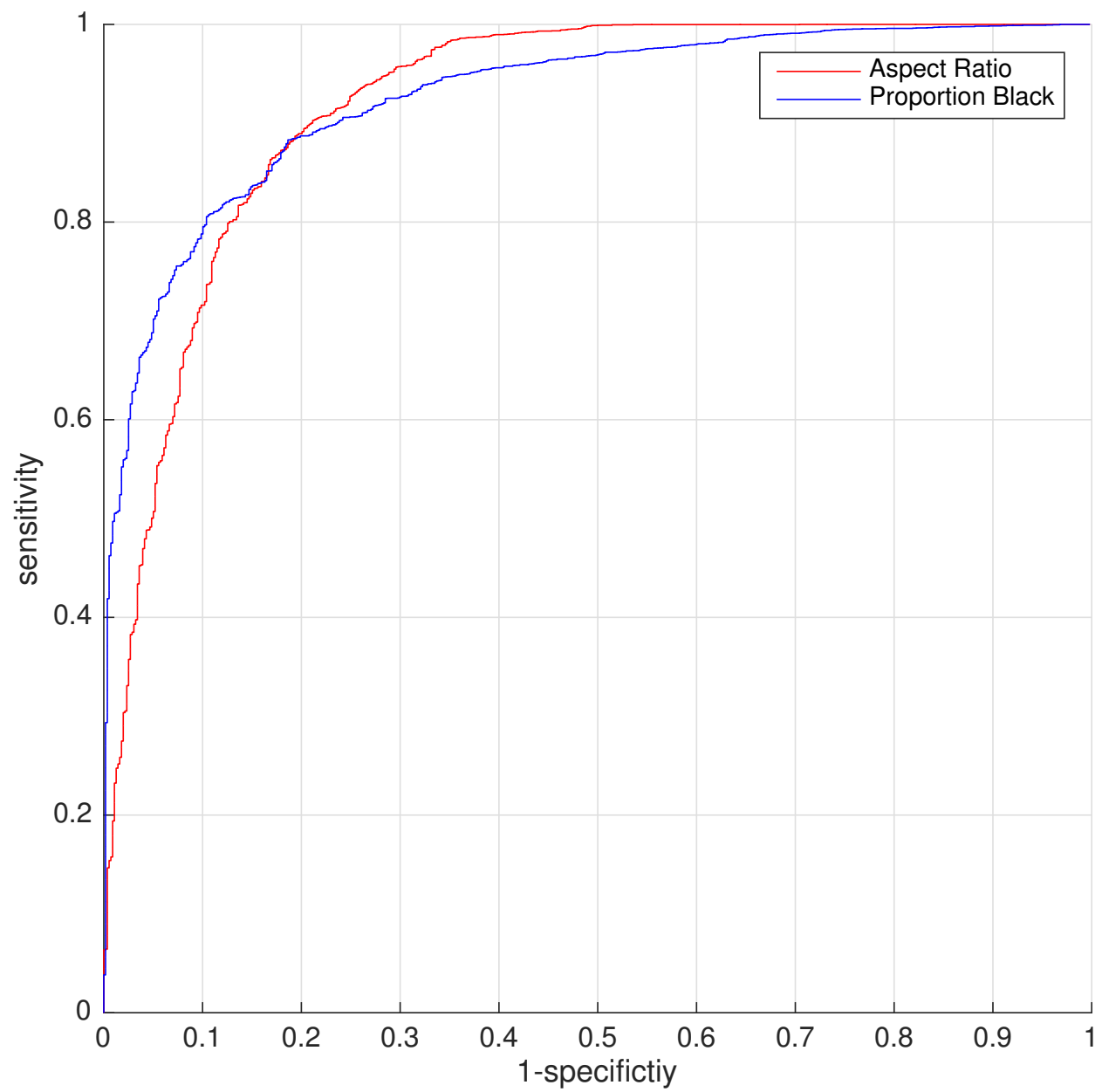


Figure 5: Plot rock curve for aspect ratio and proportion (6)

## Question 7

```
1 close all
2 clear all
3 clc
4
5 load('Example_MNIST_digits.mat');
6 % create variable to hold all assigned labels in bagging
7 assignedLabs = zeros(5000,9);
8 for i = 1 : 9
9     % Build an index of 5000 values with repetition
10    % in the range 1 to length of dataset
11    ind = randi(size(b, 1), size(b, 1), 1);
12    % pass the indexed dataset to the MyNMC function
13    % as well as the full dataset for testing
14    assignedLabs(:,i) = MyNMC(b(ind, :), labb(ind), b);
15 end
16 % Get the assigned label by selecting the most assigned
17 % label from the output for each value
18 alabb = mode(assignedLabs,2);
19 % calculate the accuracy of the classifier ensemble
20 acc = mean(alabb == labb);
21
22 % construct the confusion matrix
23 c = zeros(10);
24 % loop over the rows in the
25 for i = 1 : size(alabb, 1);
26     % increment the value at the position representing where the
27     % assigned label is
28     c(labb(i),alabb(i)) = c(labb(i),alabb(i)) + 1;
29 end
30
31 % used to test accuracy of confusion matrix
32 % con = confusionmat(labb, avgLabs);
33 % mean(c(:)==con(:))
34
35 % run single nmc on the data and output the accuracy
36 snmc = MyNMC(b,labl,b);
37 snmcAcc = mean(snmc==labb)
```

Confusion matrix

|    |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |     |
|----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 1  | 424 | 0   | 2   | 1   | 0   | 46  | 16  | 1   | 2   | 2   |
| 2  | 0   | 537 | 2   | 3   | 0   | 6   | 2   | 0   | 8   | 0   |
| 3  | 10  | 32  | 422 | 17  | 20  | 3   | 15  | 9   | 15  | 2   |
| 4  | 4   | 16  | 13  | 375 | 1   | 29  | 4   | 3   | 25  | 10  |
| 5  | 0   | 7   | 2   | 0   | 393 | 0   | 4   | 1   | 4   | 66  |
| 6  | 7   | 37  | 4   | 56  | 5   | 320 | 11  | 3   | 7   | 19  |
| 7  | 9   | 16  | 6   | 0   | 15  | 17  | 450 | 0   | 3   | 0   |
| 8  | 1   | 28  | 4   | 0   | 9   | 2   | 1   | 422 | 6   | 33  |
| 9  | 4   | 21  | 4   | 48  | 3   | 15  | 4   | 1   | 358 | 19  |
| 10 | 6   | 11  | 3   | 9   | 48  | 4   | 1   | 19  | 8   | 369 |

The accuracy for the ensemble is around 0.81 and the single NMC has a similar accuracy at around 0.81.