

partial codes in week_7 code assignment.

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gaussianKernel.m

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dist=sum((x1-x2).^2);  
sim=exp(-dist/(2*sigma^2));
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dataset3Params.m

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C_list=[0.01, 0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30];  
sigma_list=[0.01, 0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30];  
lc=length(C_list);  
lsigma=lc;  
errors=ones(length(C_list)*lsigma,1);  
  
%debug  
format_debug='indice: i=%4d,j=%4d,subscript=%4d\n';  
  
for i=1:lc  
    for j=1:lsigma  
        fprintf(format_debug,i,j,(i-1)*lc+j);  
  
        model= svmTrain(X, y, C_list(i), @(x1, x2) gaussianKernel(x1, x2, sigma_list(j)));  
        predictions = svmPredict(model, Xval);  
  
        %use Determine inequality to measure.  
        %A ~= B returns a logical array with elements set to logical 1 (true)  
        %where arrays A and B are not equal; otherwise, the element is logical 0(false).  
        %matlab's subscript begin with 1, so remember to 'i-1'
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        errors((i-1)*lc+j)=mean(double(predictions ~= yval))
    end
end

error_min=min(errors);
subscript=find(errors==error_min);
C=C_list(floor(subscript/lc));
sigma=sigma_list(mod(subscript,lsigma));

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- use Determine inequality :A ~= B returns a logical array
- matlab's subscript begin with 1, so remember to 'i-1'

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%better version
%from @github/benoitvallon
%sincerly thanks.
bestPrediction = 1000;
for C_i = [0.01, 0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30]
    for sigma_i = [0.01, 0.03, 0.1, 0.3, 1, 3, 10, 30]
        model= svmTrain(X, y, C_i, @(x1, x2) gaussianKernel(x1, x2, sigma_i));
        predictions = svmPredict(model, Xval);
        prediction = mean(double(predictions ~= yval));
        if prediction < bestPrediction;
            bestPrediction = prediction;
            C = C_i;
            sigma = sigma_i;
        end
    end
end
end

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Spam Filter

1. --normalize-- the email
2. extract features
3. compare with vocabulary
4. training

most of the SVM library:no need to add this extra feature $x_0 = 1$ yourself.