## Foundations of Machine Learning Al2000 and Al5000

FoML-19 Probabilistic Discriminative Models - Logistic Regression

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#### So far in FoML

- Intro to ML and Probability refresher
- MLE, MAP, and fully Bayesian treatment
- Supervised learning
  - a. Linear Regression with basis functions (regularization, model selection)
  - b. Bias-Variance Decomposition (Bayesian Regression)
  - c. Decision Theory three broad classification strategies
    - Probabilistic Generative Models Continuous & discrete data
    - (Linear) Discriminant Functions least squares solution, Perceptron





### Probabilistic Discriminative Models





#### Classification Strategies

- Discriminant functions
  - $\circ$  Direct functions of i/p to target  $t=y(\mathbf{x},\mathbf{w})$
- Probabilistic Discriminant models
  - $\circ$  Posterior class probabilities  $p(C_k/\mathbf{x})$
- Probabilistic generative models
  - $\circ$  Class-conditional models  $p(\mathbf{x}/C_k)$
  - $\circ$  Prior class probabilities  $p(C_k)$





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• Basis functions:  $\phi = \phi(\mathbf{x}) =$ 

ullet Probabilistic Discriminative Models: posteriors  $\;p(\mathcal{C}_k|\phi)\;$  are nonlinear functions over a linear function of  $\;\phi\;$ 



$$p(\mathcal{C}_k|\phi,\mathbf{w}) =$$



$$p(\mathcal{C}_1|\phi,\mathbf{w}) = y(\phi) = \sigma(\mathbf{w}^T\phi)$$

$$p(\mathcal{C}_2|\phi,\mathbf{w}) =$$

$$p(t|\phi, \mathbf{w}) = y(\phi) =$$





- Probabilistic discriminative models need less parameters than the Generative models
  - $\qquad \qquad \text{Gaussian class conditional densities} \qquad p(\mathbf{x}|\mathcal{C}_k) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{D/2}} \frac{1}{|\Sigma|^{1/2}} \exp\left\{-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x} \boldsymbol{\mu}_k)^{\mathrm{T}} \boldsymbol{\Sigma}^{-1} (\mathbf{x} \boldsymbol{\mu}_k)\right\}$
  - $\circ$  Class priors  $p(C_k)$





Conditional likelihood of the data:

$$p(\mathbf{t}|\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{w}) =$$

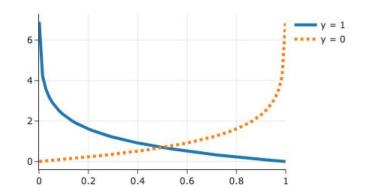
Minimizing the NLL:

$$E(\mathbf{w}) =$$





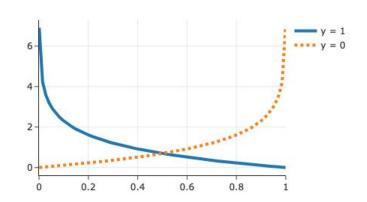
#### Cross-entropy loss

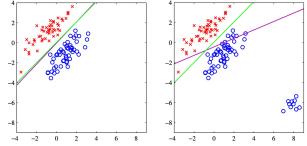




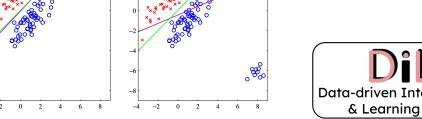


#### Cross-entropy loss (robust to outliers)











# Next Learning the parameters of Logistic Regression



