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1.0.1 Topics

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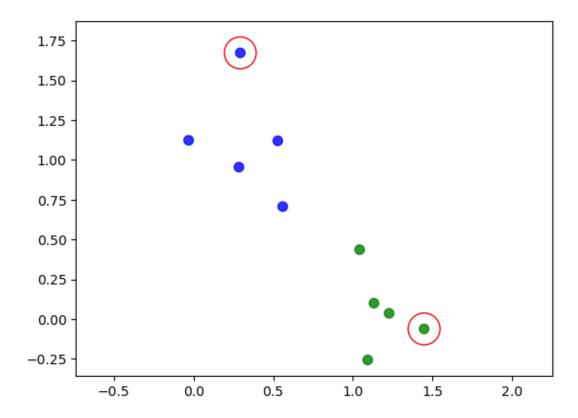
a) Follow along in class to implement the perceptron algorithm and create an animation of the algorithm.

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[22]: import numpy as np
      from PIL import Image as im
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      import sklearn.datasets as datasets
      TEMPFILE = "temp.png"
      CENTERS = [[0, 1], [1, 0]]
      # Dataset
      X, labels = datasets.make_blobs(n_samples=10, centers=CENTERS, cluster_std=0.2,_
       →random_state=0)
      Y = np.array(list(map(lambda x : -1 if x == 1 else 1, labels.tolist())))
      # Initializing w and b
      w = np.array([1, 1])
      b = 0.1
      # Perceptron Parameters
      epochs = 100
      alpha = .05
      expanding_rate = .99
      retracting_rate = 1.1
      def snap(x, w, b, error):
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Plot the street induced by w and b.
        Circle the point x in red if it was
        misclassified or in yellow if it was
        classified correctly.
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    xplot = np.linspace(-3, 3)
    cs = np.array([x for x in 'gb'])
    svm = (-w[1]/w[0]) * xplot - b / w[0]
    left_svm = - (1 / w[0]) - (w[1] / w[0]) * xplot - b / w[0]
    right_svm = (1 / w[0]) - (w[1] / w[0]) * xplot - b / w[0]
    fig, ax = plt.subplots()
    ax.scatter(X[:,0],X[:,1],color=cs[labels].tolist(), s=50, alpha=0.8)
    if error:
        ax.add_patch(plt.Circle((x[0], x[1]), .2, color='r',fill=False))
        ax.add_patch(plt.Circle((x[0], x[1]), .2, color='y',fill=False))
    ax.plot(xplot, left_svm, 'g--', lw=2)
    ax.plot(xplot, svm, 'r-', lw=2)
    ax.plot(xplot, right_svm, 'b--', lw=2)
    ax.set_xlim(min(X[:, 0]) - 1, max(X[:, 0]) + 1)
    ax.set_ylim(min(X[:, 1]) - 1, max(X[:,1]) + 1)
    fig.savefig(TEMPFILE)
    plt.close()
    return im.fromarray(np.asarray(im.open(TEMPFILE)))
images = []
for _ in range(epochs):
    # pick a point from X at random
    i = np.random.randint(0, len(X))
    x, y = X[i], Y[i]
    error = False
    y_predict = w[0] * x[0] + w[1] * x[1] + b
    if (y < 0 \text{ and } y \text{-predict} < 0) or (y >= 0 \text{ and } y \text{-predict} >= 0):
        # classified correctly
        # are you in the street?
        if y_predict < 1 and y_predict > -1:
            # in the street
            w = w + x * y * alpha * retracting_rate
            b = b + y * alpha * retracting_rate
        else:
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w = w * expanding_rate
            b = b * expanding_rate
    else:
        # misclassified
        w = w + x * y * alpha * expanding_rate
        b = b + y * alpha * expanding_rate
        error = True
    images.append(snap(x, w, b, error))
images[0].save(
    'svm.gif',
    optimize=False,
    save_all=True,
    append_images=images[1:],
    loop=0,
    duration=100
)
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b) Consider the following dataset:



if we fit an SVM to the above dataset, moved the points circled in red, and re-fit the SVM, describe how the fit would change depending on how the points are moved.

The fit of the SVM wouldn't change much if the circled points were moved just a little since they would be far from the decision boundary and margins. The fit would only change if the points were moved very close to the original fit's decision boundary.

c) If we were to fit an SVM to the above dataset, which points do you think would affect the decision boundary the most? Circle them in red.

The points closest to the decision boundary would affect it the most.

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[5]: _, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.scatter(X[:,0],X[:,1],color=cs[Y].tolist(), s=50, alpha=0.8)
ax.set_aspect('equal', adjustable='datalim')

ax.add_patch(plt.Circle((X[2][0], X[2][1]), .1, color='r',fill=False))
ax.add_patch(plt.Circle((X[6][0], X[6][1]), .1, color='r',fill=False))
plt.show()
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