

Lecture Three

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1 Gaussian Classifiers

$$(\vec{x} - \vec{\mu})(\frac{1}{N} \sum (\vec{x} - \vec{\mu})(\vec{x} - \vec{\mu})^T)(\vec{x} - \vec{\mu}) \quad (1)$$

$$(\vec{x} - \vec{\mu})\Sigma^{-1}(\vec{x} - \vec{\mu})^T \quad (2)$$

Multi-dimensional Gaussian distribution

$$P(\vec{x}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{||2\pi\Sigma||}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\vec{x}-\vec{\mu})^T\Sigma^{-1}(\vec{x}-\vec{\mu})} \quad (3)$$

Steps for developing a gaussian classifier

1. Center the data
2. Compute the covariance matrix

Projection of the Mean Value

$$\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (\vec{x}_i^T \vec{a}) = (\frac{1}{N} \sum \vec{x}_i)^T \vec{a} = \vec{\mu}^T \vec{a} \quad (4)$$

Projection of the Variance

$$\sigma^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (\vec{a}^T \vec{x}_i - \vec{a}^T \vec{\mu})(\vec{x}_i^T \vec{a} - \vec{\mu}^T \vec{a}) \quad (5)$$

2 Homework 2

- Part A: Redo Homework 1
 - Use Gaussian Classifiers
- Part B: Do the cancer problem in the book and apply subset selection
 - Redraw Chapter 3 Fig. 3.5 with the data from the book for the cancer set selection.

– prostate cancer example

If the covariance matrix is not invertible then you can add a piece of the identity matrix to make the matrix more invertible.

$$(\Sigma + \lambda I)^{-1} \tag{6}$$