

★ Spring 2012 Midterm

Problem 1

1] False. Naive Bayes is a linear classifier only in a particular case when we assume class independent variance.

2] False.

Classifier A overfits the training data so that is why it has lower test accuracy. ~~classification~~

Performance is measured in terms of overall accuracy i.e. test set accuracy.

3] False.

Perceptron rule updates error for each wrong classification. Gradient descent is based on total reduction is squared error.

4] False. LR & Naive Bayes can represent even boolean feature concepts.

5] False.

D Tree can have 2^n nodes, where n is number of features.

Perceptron uses n weights which is smaller.

Problem 2]

$$1] \rightarrow \frac{\partial \text{Loss}}{\partial w_1} = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (y_i - w_1 x_i - w_0)^4 x_i$$

2] (Online is not in syllabus i guess so I am implementing stochastic instead)
which is similar i guess

=> Loop Until convergence

for i in training dataset

$$w_1 = w_1 - \frac{\eta}{m} (y_i - w_1 x_i - w_0)^4 x_i$$

end for

end loop

* η is learning rate

3] • stochastic gradient descent converges faster

↳ we can compute loss at every step.

• Batch gradient is more stable

as it calculates loss over entire dataset.

Problem 3

1] $F_1 = a, F_2 = c, F_3 = b$

$$P(+)=\frac{2}{5}, \quad P(-)=\frac{3}{5}$$

$$P(F_1=a|+)=\frac{1}{2}, \quad P(F_1=a|-)=\frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(F_2=c|+)=\frac{1}{2}, \quad P(F_2=c|-)=\frac{2}{3}$$

$$P(F_3=b|+)=0, \quad P(F_3=b|-)=\frac{1}{3}$$

$$P(+|F) = 0$$

$$P(-|F) = \frac{2}{5} \times \frac{1}{2} + \frac{2}{3} \times \frac{1}{3} = \frac{2}{45}$$

2] Not taught

Problem 4

1] T -weight original = $\frac{1}{7}$ if has 0 loss

choose A, $\text{loss} = \frac{1}{7}, \quad d_m = \log(6)$

\Rightarrow misclassified weight = $\frac{6}{7}$

Now,

take C as boundary

$$\text{loss} = \frac{2}{7} = \frac{2}{13}$$
$$\frac{\frac{13}{7}}{7}$$

take B as boundary

$$\text{loss} = \frac{1}{7} = \frac{1}{13}$$
$$\frac{\frac{13}{7}}{7}$$

\therefore It will choose B

- 2] c] Use smaller value of $\eta = 0.1$ because it seems that $\eta = 0.03$ increases $J(\theta)$ faster & instead of reaching optimum it might be surpassing it

- 3] • True. MLE is same but MAP is NOT
• False. MAP of Humback is larger

$$\text{MAP coin} = \frac{100 + 60 - 1}{300 - 2} = \frac{159}{298}$$

$$\text{MAP Humback} = \frac{1 + 60 - 1}{3102 - 2} = \frac{60}{100} = \frac{3}{5}$$

* Problem 5 & 6 out of syllabus