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Radius neighbors classification

Shows the usage of the radius nearest neighbors classifier.

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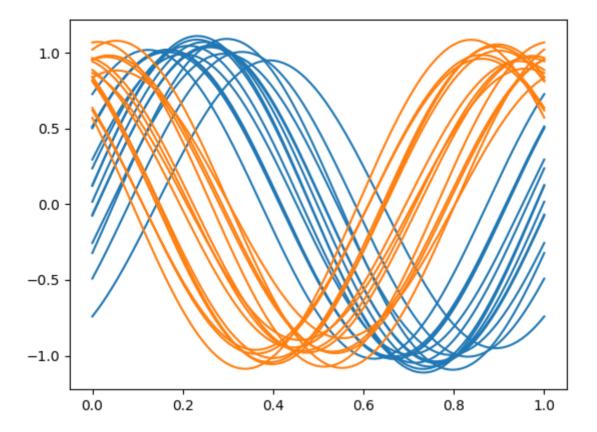
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import skfda
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV, KFold
from skfda.ml.classification import RadiusNeighborsClassifier
from skfda.misc.metrics import pairwise_distance, lp_distance
```

In this example, we are going to show the usage of the radius nearest neighbors classifier in their functional version, a variation of the K-nearest neighbors classifier, where it is used a vote among neighbors within a given radius, instead of use the k nearest neighbors.

Firstly, we will construct a toy dataset to show the basic usage of the API.

We will create two classes of sinusoidal samples, with different locations of their phase.



As in the K-nearest neighbor example, we will split the dataset in two partitions, for training and test, using the sklearn function sklearn.model_selection.train_test_split().

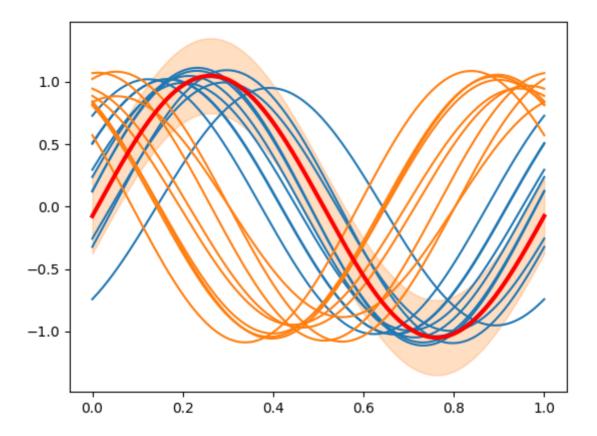
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# Concatenate the two classes in the same FDataGrid
X = fd1.concatenate(fd2)
y = np.array(15*[0] + 15*[1])

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.33, shuffle=True, random_state=0)
```

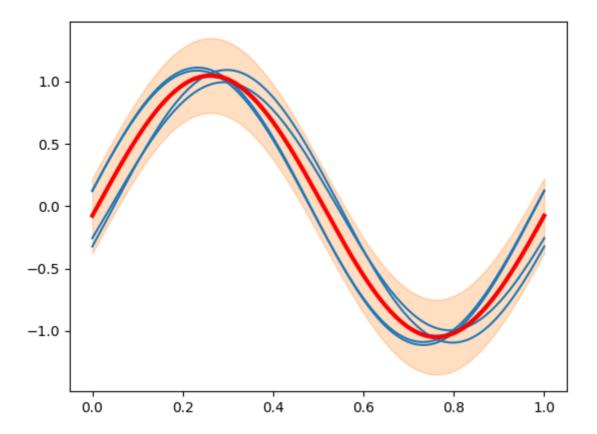
As in the multivariate data, the label assigned to a test sample will be the majority class of its neighbors, in this case all the samples in the ball center in the sample.

If we use the \mathbb{L}^{∞} metric, we can visualize a ball as a bandwidth with a fixed radius around a function.

The following figure shows the ball centered in the first sample of the test partition.



In this case, all the neighbors in the ball belong to the first class, so this will be the class predicted.



We will fit the classifier RadiusNeighborsClassifier, which has a similar API than the sklearn estimator sklearn.neighbors.RadiusNeighborsClassifier but accepting FDataGrid instead of arrays with multivariate data.

The vote of the neighbors can be weighted using the parameter weights. In this case we will weight the vote inversely proportional to the distance.

```
radius_nn = RadiusNeighborsClassifier(radius=.3, weights='distance')
radius_nn.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

We can predict labels for the test partition with predict().

```
pred = radius_nn.predict(X_test)
print(pred)
```

Out:

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[0 1 0 0 1 1 1 0 1 1]
```

In this case, we get 100% accuracy, althouth, it is a toy dataset and it does not have much merit.

```
test_score = radius_nn.score(X_test, y_test)
print(test_score)
```

Out:

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1.0
```

As in the K-nearest neighbor example, we can use a sklearn metric approximately equivalent to the functional \mathbb{L}^2 one, but computationally faster.

We saw that $||f - g||_{\mathbb{L}^2} \approx \sqrt{\triangle h} \ d_{euclidean}(\vec{f}, \vec{g})$ if the samples are equiespaced (or almost).

In the KNN case, the constant $\sqrt{\triangle h}$ does not matter, but in this case will affect the value of the radius, dividing by $\sqrt{\triangle h}$.

In this dataset $\triangle h = 0.001$, so, we have to multiply the radius by 10 to achieve the same result.

The computation using this metric it is 1000 times faster. See the K-neighbors classifier example and the API documentation to get detailled information.

We obtain 100% accuracy with this metric too.

Out:

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1.0
```

If the radius is too small, it is possible to get samples with no neighbors. The classifier will raise and exception in this case.

```
radius_nn.set_params(radius=.5) # Radius 0.05 in the L2 distance
radius_nn.fit(X_train, y_train)

try:
    radius_nn.predict(X_test)
except ValueError as e:
    print(e)
```

Out:

No neighbors found for test samples [3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9], you can try using larger radius, give a label for outliers, or consider removing them from your dataset.

A label to these oulier samples can be provided to avoid this problem.

```
radius_nn.set_params(outlier_label=2)
radius_nn.fit(X_train, y_train)
pred = radius_nn.predict(X_test)
print(pred)
```

Out:

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[0 1 0 2 2 2 2 2 2]
```

This classifier can be used with multivariate funcional data, as surfaces or curves in \mathbb{R}^N , if the metric support it too.

```
plt.show()
```

Total running time of the script: (0 minutes 0.617 seconds)

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