

Kademacher Complexity

$$A \subset \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$R(A) := \frac{1}{m} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sup_{a \in A} \sum \sigma_i a_i \right]$$

$$A = \mathcal{L} \circ \mathcal{H} \circ \mathcal{S} = \{ (\mathcal{L}(h, z_1), \dots, \mathcal{L}(h, z_m)) : h \in \mathcal{H} \}$$

Rademacher Calculus

Lemma 1

For $A \subset \mathbb{R}^m$, $c \in \mathbb{R}$ and $q_0 \in \mathbb{R}^m$

$$R(\{ca + q_0 : a \in A\}) \leq |c| R(A)$$

Pf

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{1}{m} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sup_{a \in A} \sum \sigma_i (ca_i + q_{0i}) \right] &= \frac{1}{m} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sum \sigma_i q_{0i} + \sup_{a \in A} \sum \sigma_i ca_i \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{m} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sup_{a \in A} \sum \sigma_i ca_i \right] \\
 &\leq |c| R(A)
 \end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2

$A \subset \mathbb{R}^m$, $A' = \{ \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j a^{(j)} : N \in \mathbb{N}, \forall j, a^{(j)} \in A, \alpha_j \geq 0, \|\alpha\|_1 = 1 \}$

Then,

$$R(A') = R(A)$$

Fact, $\forall \alpha \geq 0, \|\alpha\|_1 = 1$

$$\sum \alpha_j v_j = \max_j v_j$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 m R(A') &= \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sup_{a' \in A'} \sum \sigma_i a'_i \right] = \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sup_{\substack{\alpha \geq 0 \\ \|\alpha\|_1 = 1 \\ a_1, \dots, a_N \in A \\ N \in \mathbb{N}}} \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j a_{ij} \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

$$= E \left[\sup_{\sigma} \left[\sup_{\alpha \geq 0, \|\alpha\|_1 = 1} \sup_{a_1, \dots, a_N} \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i \sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j a_i^{(j)} \right] \right]$$

$$= E \left[\sup_{\sigma} \left[\sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j \sup_{a_j} \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i a_i^{(j)} \right] \right]$$

$$= E \left[\sup_{\sigma} \left[\sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i \sup_{a_i \in A} a_i \right] \right] = m R(A)$$

Linear Classes

$$\mathcal{H}_2 = \{x \mapsto \langle w, x \rangle : \|w\|_2 \leq 1\}$$

Thm: $S = (x_1, \dots, x_m)$ ~~defn~~ $\mathcal{H}_2 \circ S = \{\langle w, x_1 \rangle, \dots, \langle w, x_m \rangle\} : \|w\|_2 \leq 1\}$

$$R(\mathcal{H}_2 \circ S) \leq \frac{\max_i \|x_i\|_2}{\sqrt{m}}$$

Pf

$$m R(\mathcal{H}_2 \circ S) = E \left[\sup_{\sigma} \left[\sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i a_i \right] \right]$$

$$= E \left[\sup_{\sigma} \left[\sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i \langle w, x_i \rangle \right] \right]$$

$$= E \left[\sup_{\sigma} \left[\langle w, \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i x_i \rangle \right] \right]$$

$$\leq E \left[\left\| \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i x_i \right\|_2 \right]$$

$$\begin{aligned}
&= E_{\sigma} \left[\left(\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i x_i \right\|_2^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \right] \leq \left(E_{\sigma} \left[\left\| \sum_{i=1}^n \sigma_i x_i \right\|_2^2 \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \left(E_{\sigma} \left[\sum_{i,j} \sigma_i \sigma_j \langle x_i, x_j \rangle \right] \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \left(\sum_{i \neq j} \langle x_i, x_j \rangle E_{\sigma} [\sigma_i \sigma_j] + \sum_i \langle x_i, x_i \rangle E_{\sigma} [\sigma_i^2] \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \\
&= \left(\sum_i \|x_i\|_2^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq \sqrt{n} \max_i \|x_i\|_2
\end{aligned}$$

Lemma 2: (Massart) $a_i \in \mathbb{R}^m$

$$A = \{a_1, \dots, a_N\} \quad N \in \mathbb{N}$$

$$\bar{a} := \frac{1}{N} \sum_i a_i$$

Lemma 3: (Massart)

$$a_i \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$\bar{a} := \frac{1}{N} \sum_i a_i \quad N \text{ finite}$$

$$A = \{a_1, \dots, a_N\}$$

$$R(A) \leq \max_{a \in A} \|a - \bar{a}\| \frac{\sqrt{2 \log N}}{n}$$

Pf: from Lemma 1 wlog $\bar{a} = 0$
 $\lambda > 0$

$$\text{Let } A' = \{\lambda a_1, \dots, \lambda a_n\}$$

$$n R(A') = E_{\sigma} \left[\max_{A'} \langle \sigma, a \rangle \right] = E_{\sigma} \left[\log \left(\max_{A'} e^{\langle \sigma, a \rangle} \right) \right]$$

$$\leq \mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\log \left(\sum_{A'} e^{\langle \sigma, a \rangle} \right) \right]$$

$$\leq \log \left(\mathbb{E}_{\sigma} \left[\sum_{A'} e^{\langle \sigma, a \rangle} \right] \right)$$

$$= \log \left(\sum_{A'} \prod_{\sigma} \underbrace{\mathbb{E}_{\sigma_i} [e^{\sigma_i a_i}]} \right)$$

$$\frac{1}{2} e^{a_i} + \frac{1}{2} e^{-a_i} \leq e^{a_i^2/2}$$

$$\leq \log \left(\sum_{A'} \prod_{\sigma} e^{a_i^2/2} \right) = \log \left(\sum_{A'} e^{\|a_i\|^2/2} \right)$$

$$\leq \log \left(|A'| \max_{A'} e^{\|a\|^2/2} \right) = \log |A'| + \max_{A'} \|a\|^2/2$$

Lemma 1 $\rightarrow R(A) = \frac{1}{\lambda} R(A')$

$$R(A) = \frac{\log |A| + \lambda^2 \max_A \|a\|^2/2}{\lambda m}$$

Set $\lambda = \sqrt{2 \log |A| / \max_A \|a\|^2}$

$$R(A) \leq \max_A \|a - \bar{a}\| \frac{\sqrt{2 \log(N)}}{m}$$

Lemma 4: For each $i \in [m]$, $\phi_i: \mathbb{R} \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ ϵ -lipschitz

$$\hookrightarrow \alpha, \beta \in \mathbb{R} \quad |\phi_i(\alpha) - \phi_i(\beta)| \leq \epsilon |\alpha - \beta|$$

For $a \in \mathbb{R}^m$, let $\phi(a)$ denote $(\phi_1(a_1), \dots, \phi_m(a_m))$

$$\text{Let } \phi \circ A = \{\phi(a) : a \in A\}$$

$$R(\phi \circ A) \leq \epsilon R(A)$$

Pf: Let $\rho = 1$ (lemma 1) $\phi = \frac{1}{\epsilon} \phi'$

$$\text{Let } A_i = \{(a_1, \dots, a_{i-1}, \phi_i(a_i), a_{i+1}, \dots, a_m) : a \in A\}$$

Wlog $i=1$

$$\begin{aligned} mR(A_i) &= \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{\sigma} \sum_{A_i} \sigma_i a_i \right] \\ &= \mathbb{E} \left[\sup_{\sigma} \sigma_1 \phi_1(a_1) + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a_i \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_m} \left[\sup_A \left(\phi_1(a_1) + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a_i \right) + \sup_A \left(-\phi_1(a_1) + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a_i \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_m} \left[\sup_{a, a'} \left(\phi_1(a_1) - \phi_1(a'_1) + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a_i + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a'_i \right) \right] \\ &\leq \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_m} \left[\sup_{a, a'} \left(|a_1 - a'_1| + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a_i + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a'_i \right) \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \mathbb{E}_{\sigma_2, \dots, \sigma_m} \left[\sup_{a, a'} \left(a_1 - a'_1 + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a_i + \sum_{i=2}^m \sigma_i a'_i \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$