

Lab 4 - SVM Classification

Lab 4 on SVM Classification for DS3010 - Machine Learning

OVERVIEW & PURPOSE

In this lab, you will experiment with the SVM classifier.

Instructions

1. Please submit the assignment through Moodle in .ipynb format (python notebook)
2. The submission should contain a single notebook containing all the solutions, including the requested documentation, observations, and findings.
3. The naming convention for the notebook is
`<firstname>_<lastname>_<rollnumber>.ipynb`
4. You must adequately comment on the code to improve its readability.
5. The lab is worth 5 points
6. This graded lab is due on September 29th at 5.00 pm

Lab

SVM Classifier

- 1. Linear Data Classification (1.5 points)**
 - a. Read through the documentation of the SVM class in the SKLearn and describe the parameters - *C*, *kernel*, *gamma*, and *degree*.
 - b. Load the train and test CSV file with the names `data_linear_train.csv` and `data_linear_test.csv`.
 - c. Plot the data points in a 2D plot with different colors for the two classes.
 - d. Create an instance of the `SVC(kernel="linear", C=0.1)` and fit the model.
 - e. Plot the SVM boundary regions learned by the classifier.
 - f. Print the classification report for training data.

- g. Predict the labels y for the data points provided in `data_linear_test.csv` and store them in a new column named 'linear_kernel_prediction' in this CSV file.
- h. Submit the updated test CSV file.

2. Non-Linear Data Classification (1.5 points)

- a. Load the train and test CSV file with the names `data_nonlinear_train.csv` and `data_nonlinear_test.csv`.
- b. Plot the data points in a 2D plot with different colors for the two classes.
- c. Create an instance of the SVC($C=0.1$) for different kernels ("**linear**", "**poly**", "**rbf**") and fit the model.
- d. Plot the SVM boundary regions learned by each kernel classifier.
- e. Print the classification report for training data.
- f. Predict the labels y for the data points provided in `data_nonlinear_test.csv` and store them in this CSV file's new column named 'nonlinear_[kernel]_prediction'.
- g. Submit the updated test CSV file

3. Observations (0.5 point)

- a. Write your observations with comparisons for the above two questions.

4. Hyper-Parameter Tuning (1.5 points)

- a. Load the CSV file (`wine_fraud.csv`) and use the `train_test_split` function to create the train and test splits.
- b. Do the pre-processing on the dataset.
- c. Define a `param_grid` dictionary with the list of permissible values for the hyper-parameters "**C**", "**kernel**", "**gamma**", and "**degree**".
 - i. Kernel - [**'kernel'**, '**poly**', '**rbf**']
 - ii. Vary C between **1e-5 to 1 in multiples of 10**.
 - iii. Gamma - [**'scale'**, '**auto**']
 - iv. Degree - [**2,3,4**]
- d. Select the best hyperparameter value to train the final model.
- e. Print the classification report for test data.