## **Description:**

- Implement the *naive Bayes classifier (NBC)* and *logistic regression with gradient descent* algorithms in Python or MATLAB to solve a *binary classification problem* for a dataset of your choosing with continuous input and binary output.
- You may use all built-in functions. The built-in NBC and logistic regression models in Python and MATLAB that can be used for this assignment are:
- o Python Gaussian naïve Bayes (for continuous input): https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.naive\_bayes.GaussianNB.html
- Python logistic regression: https://scikit-

learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.linear\_model.SGDClassifier.html with the "loss" parameter set to 'log\_loss'

MATLAB - Gaussian naïve Bayes (for continuous input):

https://www.mathworks.com/help/stats/classificationnaivebayes.html (default is Gaussian/normal)

o MATLAB – logistic regression:

https://www.mathworks.com/help/stats/incrementalclassificationlinear.html with the "learner" parameter set to 'logistic'

Train and test your models with a dataset of your choosing that meets the following criteria:

- Number of input features: 3+
- o Input characteristics: Continuous real-valued
- Output characteristics: Binary

**Note:** If you find a dataset that has 3 or more output classes, you can use it by removing the data examples from other classes

- Use 80% of the dataset for training and 20% for testing your model.
- Use one of the following sources to find a dataset:
- o University of California, Irvine Machine Learning Repository

https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/index.php

- o Kagglehttps://www.kaggle.com/
- Awesome Public Datasets https://github.com/awesomedata/awesome-public-datasets
- o GoogleDatasetSearchEnginehttps://datasetsearch.research.google.com/o Microsoft Research Open Data https://msropendata.com/
- U.S. Government's Open Data https://www.data.gov/
- o Registry of Research Data Repositories https://www.re3data.org/
- o CMU Libraries <a href="https://guides.library.cmu.edu/machine-learning/datasets">https://guides.library.cmu.edu/machine-learning/datasets</a>

Summarize your approach and results in a report that includes at least the following:

- The dataset you used, its source and characteristics.
- The data preprocessing steps you took (if any).
- $\circ$  The solution  $\boldsymbol{w}$  (parameter vector) for logistic regression. This vector should include the intercept (bias term).

- $\circ$  Relevant evaluation metrics for NBC (accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, f1 score, log loss) for BOTH the training and test datasets.
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