

Homework 2 – Written Portion

- Here we have a prime example of where to apply the Lagrange multiplier with the constraint $a^T W a = 1$ entered as $\lambda(a^T W a - 1)$:

$$l(\lambda) = a^T B a - \lambda(a^T W a - 1)$$

The minimum can be found when the derivative of this function is 0

$$\frac{\partial l}{\partial a} = B a + B^T a - \lambda(W a - W^T a) = (B + B^T)a - \lambda(W + W^T)a = 0$$

$$\lambda a = (W^T + W)^{-1}(B^T + B)a$$

Which is the standard eigenvalue problem.

- With features $x \in \mathbb{R}^p$, a two-class response and class sizes N_1, N_2 coded as $-\frac{N}{N_1}, \frac{N}{N_2}$.

- We know $\delta_1(x) = x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_1^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 + \log \pi_1$ and $\delta_2(x) = x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_2^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 + \log \pi_2$ and that we will classify as class 2 when $\delta_1 < \delta_2$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_2^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 + \log \pi_2 > x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_1^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 + \log \pi_1$$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_2^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 + \log \frac{N_2}{N} > x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_1^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 + \log \frac{N_1}{N}$$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_2^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 > x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_1^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 + \log \frac{N_1}{N} - \log \frac{N_2}{N}$$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1} (\mu_2 - \mu_1) > \frac{1}{2} \mu_2^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_2 + x^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 - \frac{1}{2} \mu_1^T \Sigma^{-1} \mu_1 + \log \frac{N_2}{N_1}$$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1} (\mu_2 - \mu_1) > \frac{1}{2} (\mu_2 + \mu_1)^T \Sigma^{-1} (\mu_2 - \mu_1) + \log \frac{N_2}{N_1}$$

- Because this is a two-class problem we can create $U = U_1 + U_2$ where $U_1 \in \mathbb{R}^N$ is a vector of 1s where the sample is of class 1 and 0 otherwise and vice versa for U_2 .

$$\sum_{i=1}^N (y_i - \beta_0 - x_i^T \beta)^2$$

Can be rewritten as

$$(Y - \beta_0 U - X\beta)^T(Y - \beta_0 U - X\beta)$$

Where $Y = -\frac{N}{N_1}U_1 + \frac{N}{N_2}U_2$. To minimize, we take the derivative and set it to 0.

$$\frac{\partial RSS}{\partial \beta_0} = 2U^T U \beta_0 - 2U^T(Y - X\beta) = 2N\beta_0 - 2U^T(Y - X\beta) = 0$$

$$2N\beta_0 = 2U^T(Y - X\beta)$$

$$B_0 = \frac{1}{N}U^T(Y - X\beta)$$

And

$$\frac{\partial RSS}{\partial \beta} = 2X^T X \beta - 2X^T Y + 2\beta_0 X^T U = 0$$

$$2X^T X \beta - 2X^T Y + 2\left(\frac{1}{N}U^T(Y - X\beta)\right)X^T U = 0$$

$$X^T X \beta - X^T Y + \frac{1}{N}U^T Y X^T U - \frac{1}{N}U^T X \beta X^T U = 0$$

$$X^T X \beta - \frac{1}{N}X^T U U^T X \beta = X^T Y - \frac{1}{N}X^T U U^T Y$$

$$(X^T X - \frac{1}{N}X^T U U^T X)\beta = X^T Y - \frac{1}{N}X^T U U^T Y$$

Note that $X^T U_1 = N_1 \mu_1$ and the same for class 2.

$$X^T X - \frac{1}{N}(X^T U U^T X)\beta = X^T X - \frac{1}{N}(N_1^2 \mu_1 \mu_1^T + N_2^2 \mu_2 \mu_2^T + N_1 N_2 \mu_1 \mu_2^T + N_1 N_2 \mu_2 \mu_1^T)$$

We know that the covariance matrix is

$$(N - 2)\Sigma = \sum (x_i - \mu_1)(x_i - \mu_1)^T + \sum (x_i - \mu_2)(x_i - \mu_2)^T = X^T X - N_1 \mu_1 \mu_1^T - N_1 \mu_2 \mu_2^T$$

From the problem we'll define $\Sigma_\beta \beta = \frac{N_1 N_2}{N^2}(\mu_2 - \mu_1)(\mu_2 - \mu_1)^T$

$$\begin{aligned} (N - 2)\Sigma + \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \Sigma_\beta &= X^T X + \left(\frac{N_1 N_2}{N} - N_1\right) \mu_1 \mu_1^T + \left(\frac{N_1 N_2}{N} - N_2\right) \mu_2 \mu_2^T - \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \mu_2 \mu_1^T - \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \mu_1 \mu_2^T \\ &= X^T X - \frac{N_1^2}{N} \mu_1 \mu_1^T - \frac{N_2^2}{N} \mu_2 \mu_2^T - \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \mu_2 \mu_1^T - \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \mu_1 \mu_2^T \end{aligned}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} (N_1^2 \mu_1 \mu_1^T + N_2^2 \mu_2 \mu_2^T + N_1 N_2 \mu_1 \mu_2^T + N_1 N_2 \mu_2 \mu_1^T)$$

Note that $X^T Y = X^T \left(-\frac{N}{N_1} U_1 + \frac{N}{N_2} U_2 \right) = \frac{-\frac{N}{N_1} N_1^2 + \frac{N}{N_2} N_1 N_2}{N} \mu_1 + \frac{\frac{N}{N_2} N_2^2 - \frac{N}{N_1} N_1 N_2}{n} \mu_2 = \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \left(-\frac{N}{N_1} - \frac{N}{N_2} \right) (\mu_1 - \mu_2)$ and $-\frac{N}{N_1} - \frac{N}{N_2} = \frac{N(N_1 + N_2)}{N_1 N_2} = -\frac{N^2}{N_1 N_2}$ thus $\frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \left(-\frac{N}{N_1} - \frac{N}{N_2} \right) (\mu_1 - \mu_2) = N(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$. Therefore:

$$\left((N - 2) \Sigma + \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \Sigma_\beta \right) \beta = N(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$$

c. We know that

$$\Sigma_\beta \beta \propto (\mu_2 - \mu_1)(\mu_2 - \mu_1)^T \beta = k(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$$

Where $k = (\mu_2 - \mu_1)^T \beta$. And thus, $\Sigma_\beta \beta$ is in the direction $(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$. We can plug this into our equation in part b

$$(N - 2) \Sigma \beta + k(\mu_2 - \mu_1) = N(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$$

$$\beta \propto \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$$

And thus, the least-squares regression coefficient is identical to the LDA coefficient up to a scalar multiple.

d. If we say $a_1 = -\frac{N}{N_1}$ and $a_2 = \frac{N}{N_2}$ then we have

$$\left((N - 2) \Sigma + \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} \Sigma_\beta \right) \beta = \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} (a_1 - a_2)(\mu_1 - \mu_2)$$

Which holds for any encodings for a_1 and a_2 .

e. Note that $U^T Y = -\frac{N}{N_1} N_1 + \frac{N}{N_2} N_2 = 0$. Therefore:

$$\beta_0 = \frac{1}{N} U^T (Y - X\beta) = \frac{1}{N} X\beta = -\frac{N_1}{N} \mu_1^T \beta - \frac{N_2}{N} \mu_2^T \beta = -\left(\frac{N_1}{N} \mu_1^T + \frac{N_2}{N} \mu_2^T \right) \beta$$

With the decision rule $f(x) = \beta_0 + x^T \beta$ we get:

$$f(x) = \beta_0 + x^T \beta = -\left(\frac{N_1}{N} \mu_1^T + \frac{N_2}{N} \mu_2^T \right) \beta + x^T \beta$$

If we're classifying to class 2 when $f(x) > 0$ then

$$x^T \beta > \left(\frac{N_1}{N} \mu_1^T + \frac{N_2}{N} \mu_2^T \right) \beta$$

And from part c we know $\beta \propto \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) > \left(\frac{N_1}{N} \mu_1^T + \frac{N_2}{N} \mu_2^T \right) \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1)$$

And if $N_1 = N_2$ then

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) > \frac{N_1}{N}(\mu_1^T + \mu_2^T)\Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) - 0$$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) > \frac{N_1}{N}(\mu_1^T + \mu_2^T)\Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) - \log(1)$$

$$x^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) > \frac{1}{2}(\mu_1^T + \mu_2^T)\Sigma^{-1}(\mu_2 - \mu_1) - \log\left(\frac{N_1}{N_2}\right)$$

Which is the same as the LDA classification rule for class 2.

3. Given M

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 3 \\ 3 & 7 & 2 \\ 2 & -2 & 8 \\ 0 & -1 & 1 \\ 5 & 8 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$$

a. $M^T M$ is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 39 & 57 & 60 \\ 57 & 118 & 53 \\ 60 & 53 & 127 \end{bmatrix}$$

And MM^T is given by

$$\begin{bmatrix} 10 & 9 & 26 & 3 & 26 \\ 9 & 62 & 8 & -5 & 85 \\ 26 & 8 & 72 & 10 & 50 \\ 3 & -5 & 10 & 2 & -1 \\ 26 & 85 & 50 & -1 & 138 \end{bmatrix}$$

b. The eigenvalues for $M^T M$ are
214.670489196, 9.32587340685e-15, 69.3295108039

Note that the middle element is essentially 0.

The eigenvalues for MM^T are
214.670489196, -8.881784197e-16, 69.3295108039, -3.34838280783e-15,
7.47833226761e-16

Note that all but 214.67048916 and 69.3295108 are essentially 0.

c. The eigenvectors for $M^T M$ are
214.670489196: [0.42615127 0.61500884 0.66344497]
69.3295108039: [-0.01460404 -0.72859799 0.68478587]

The eigenvectors for MM^T are

214.670489196: [-0.16492942 -0.47164732 -0.33647055 -0.00330585 -
0.79820031]

69.3295108039: [0.24497323 -0.45330644 0.82943965 0.16974659 -
0.13310656]

- d. We know that Σ is the diagonal matrix of the square root of $M^T M$'s eigenvalues

$$\begin{bmatrix} 14.65163776 & 0. \\ 0. & 8.32643446 \end{bmatrix}$$

And V is composed of the eigenvectors of $M^T M$, thus V^T is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.42615127 & 0.90453403 & -0.01460404 \\ 0.66344497 & -0.30151134 & 0.68478587 \end{bmatrix}$$

And we know that $M = U\Sigma V^T$ which means $U = MV\Sigma^{-1}$ which is

$$\begin{bmatrix} 0.16492942 & 0.24497323 \\ 0.47164732 & -0.45330644 \\ 0.33647055 & 0.82943965 \\ 0.00330585 & 0.16974659 \\ 0.79820031 & -0.13310656 \end{bmatrix}$$

- e. We can find the one-dimensional approximation to M by taking $U[:, : 1]\Sigma[:, : 1]V^T[:, : 1]$ which gives:

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1.02978864 & 1.48616035 & 1.60320558 \\ 2.94487812 & 4.24996055 & 4.58467382 \\ 2.10085952 & 3.031898 & 3.27068057 \\ 0.02064112 & 0.02978864 & 0.0321347 \\ 4.9838143 & 7.19249261 & 7.75895028 \end{bmatrix}$$

NOTE: All matrix arithmetic was done using python. See *main.ipynb* “Written 3.A” through “Written 3.E” for calculations.