



PROJECT

Build a Sign Language Recognizer

A part of the Artificial Intelligence Nanodegree and Specializations Program

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NOTES

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1 import math
2 import statistics
3 import warnings
4
5 import numpy as np
6 from hmmlearn.hmm import GaussianHMM
7 from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
8 from asl_utils import combine_sequences
9
10
11 class ModelSelector(object):
12     """
13     base class for model selection (strategy design pattern)
14     """
15
16     def __init__(self, all_word_sequences: dict, all_word_Xlengths: dict, this_word: str,
17                  n_constant=3,
18                  min_n_components=2, max_n_components=10,
19                  random_state=14, verbose=False):
20         self.words = all_word_sequences
21         self.hwords = all_word_Xlengths
22         self.sequences = all_word_sequences[this_word]
23         self.X, self.lengths = all_word_Xlengths[this_word]
24         self.this_word = this_word
25         self.n_constant = n_constant
26         self.min_n_components = min_n_components
27         self.max_n_components = max_n_components
28         self.random_state = random_state
29         self.verbose = verbose
30
31     def select(self):
32         raise NotImplementedError
33
34     def base_model(self, num_states):
35         # with warnings.catch_warnings():
36         warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=DeprecationWarning)
37         # warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=RuntimeWarning)
38         try:
39             hmm_model = GaussianHMM(n_components=num_states, covariance_type="diag", n_iter=1000,
40                                     random_state=self.random_state, verbose=False).fit(self.X, self.lengths)
41             if self.verbose:
42                 print("model created for {} with {} states".format(self.this_word, num_states))
43             return hmm_model
44         except:
45             if self.verbose:
46                 print("failure on {} with {} states".format(self.this_word, num_states))
47             return None
48
49     class SelectorConstant(ModelSelector):
50         """ select the model with value self.n_constant
51
52         """
53
54         def select(self):
55             """ select based on n_constant value
56
57             :return: GaussianHMM object
58             """
59             best_num_components = self.n_constant
60             return self.base_model(best_num_components)
61
62
63     class SelectorBIC(ModelSelector):
64         """ select the model with the lowest Bayesian Information Criterion(BIC) score

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67 http://www2.imm.dtu.dk/courses/02433/doc/ch6_slides.pdf
68 Bayesian information criteria: BIC = -2 * logL + p * logN
69 """
70
71 def select(self):
72     """ select the best model for self.this_word based on
73     BIC score for n between self.min_n_components and self.max_n_components
74
75     :return: GaussianHMM object
76     """
77     warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=DeprecationWarning)
78
79     # TODO implement model selection based on BIC scores
80     lowest_BIC = float('-inf')
81     best_model = None
82     for i in range(self.min_n_components, self.max_n_components + 1):
83         try:
84             model = self.base_model(i)
85             logL = model.score(self.X, self.lengths)
86             logN = np.log(len(self.X))
87             p = i ** 2 + 2 * model.n_features * i - 1
88             #Bayesian Information Criteria (BIC)

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AWESOME

The no. of free parameters has been calculated correctly. This reflects your understanding of the topic and the research done 🍌
Formula is perfectly implemented!

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89         BIC = -2 * logL + p * logN
90         #select model with lowest BIC score
91         if BIC < lowest_BIC:
92             lowest_BIC = BIC
93             best_model = model
94     except:
95         continue
96     return best_model if best_model else self.base_model(self.n_constant)
97
98
99 class SelectorDIC(ModelSelector):
100     """ select best model based on Discriminative Information Criterion
101
102     Biem, Alain. "A model selection criterion for classification: Application to hmm topology optimization."
103     Document Analysis and Recognition, 2003. Proceedings. Seventh International Conference on. IEEE, 2003.
104     http://citeseerx.ist.psu.edu/viewdoc/download?doi=10.1.1.58.6208&rep=rep1&type=pdf
105     https://pdfs.semanticscholar.org/ed3d/7c4a5f607201f3848d4c02dd9ba17c791fc2.pdf
106     DIC = log(P(X(i))) - alpha/(M-1)SUM(log(P(X(all but i)))) with the regularizer alpha is taken to be 1
107     """
108
109     def select(self):
110         warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=DeprecationWarning)
111
112         # TODO implement model selection based on DIC scores
113         highest_DIC = float('-inf')
114         best_model = None
115         M = self.max_n_components - self.min_n_components
116         for i in range(self.min_n_components, self.max_n_components + 1):
117             try:
118                 model = self.base_model(i)
119                 #collect logP(Xj|Til,thetail) over j|i as scores
120                 scores = [model.score(*self.hwords[word]) for word in self.hwords.keys() if word != self.this_word]
121                 #Discriminative Information Criterion (DIC)
122                 DIC = model.score(self.X, self.lengths) - np.sum(scores)/(M-1)

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AWESOME

Very impressive! The score "P(X(all but i))" was a bit difficult to calculate and you nailed it 🍌
Formula for DIC has been perfectly implemented!

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123         #select model with highest DIC score
124         if DIC > highest_DIC:
125             highest_DIC = DIC
126             best_model = model
127     except:
128         continue
129     return best_model if best_model else self.base_model(self.n_constant)
130
131
132 class SelectorCV(ModelSelector):
133     """ select best model based on average log Likelihood of cross-validation folds
134     """
135
136     def select(self):
137         warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=DeprecationWarning)
138
139         # TODO implement model selection using CV
140         highest_cv = float('-inf')
141         best_model = None
142         for i in range(self.min_n_components, self.max_n_components + 1):
143             try:
144                 model = self.base_model(i)
145                 scores = []

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146         #select 2fold cross validation
147         for train, test in KFold(n_splits=2)(self.sequences):
148             self.X, self.lengths = combine_sequences(train, self.sequences)
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AWESOME

Good use of combine_sequences utility 👍

```
149             train_model = self.base_model(i)
150             X, lengths = combine_sequences(test, self.sequences)
151             scores.append(train_model.score(X, lengths))
152             cv = np.mean(scores)
153             #select model with highest CV score
154             if cv > highest_cv:
155                 highest_cv = cv
156                 best_model = model
157             except:
158                 continue
159             return best_model if best_model else self.base_model(self.n_constant)
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