Intégration de données Introduction to Supervised Learning

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Credit Default, Credit Score, Bank Risk, Market Risk Management



- Data: Client profile, Client credit history ...
- Input: Client profile
- Output: Credit risk

Spam detection (Text classification)



- Data: email collection
- Input: email
- Output : Spam or No Spam

Face Detection



- Data: Annotated database of images
- Input : Sub window in the image
- Output : Presence or no of a face...

Number Recognition



- Data: Annotated database of images (each image is represented by a vector of $28 \times 28 = 784$ pixel intensities)
- Input: Image
- Output: Corresponding number



A definition by Tom Mitchell (http://www.cs.cmu.edu/~tom/)

A computer program is said to learn from experience E with respect to some class of tasks T and performance measure P, if its performance at tasks in T, as measured by P, improves with experience E.

Supervised Learning Framework

- Input measurement $\mathbf{X} = (X^{(1)}, X^{(2)}, \dots, X^{(d)}) \in \mathcal{X}$
- Output measurement $Y \in \mathcal{Y}$.
- $(\mathbf{X}, Y) \sim \mathbf{P}$ with \mathbf{P} unknown.
- Training data : $\mathcal{D}_n = \{(\mathbf{X}_1, Y_1), \dots, (\mathbf{X}_n, Y_n)\}$ (i.i.d. $\sim \mathbf{P}$)
- Often
 - $X \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and $Y \in \{-1,1\}$ (classification)
 - or $\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^d$ and $Y \in \mathbb{R}$ (regression).
- A classifier is a function in $\mathcal{F} = \{f : \mathcal{X} \to \mathcal{Y}\}$

Goal

- Construct a good classifier \hat{f} from the training data.
- Need to specify the meaning of good.
- Formally, classification and regression are the same problem!

Loss function

- Loss function : l(f(x), y) measure how well f(x) "predicts"
 y.
- Examples:
 - Prediction loss: $\ell(Y, f(\mathbf{X})) = \mathbf{1}_{Y \neq f(\mathbf{X})}$
 - Quadratic loss: $\ell(Y, \mathbf{X}) = |Y f(\mathbf{X})|^2$

Risk of a generic classifier

• Risk measured as the average loss for a new couple:

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• **Beware:** As
$$\hat{f}$$
 depends on \mathcal{D}_n

Experience, Task and Performance measure

- Training data : $\mathcal{D} = \{(\mathbf{X}_1, Y_1), \dots, (\mathbf{X}_n, Y_n)\}$ (i.i.d. $\sim \mathbf{P}$)
- Predictor: $f : \mathcal{X} \to \mathcal{Y}$
- Cost/Loss function : $\ell(f(\mathbf{X}), Y)$
- Risk: $\mathcal{R}(f) = \mathbb{E}\left[\ell(Y, f(\mathbf{X}))\right]$
- Often $\ell(f(\mathbf{X}), Y) = |f(\mathbf{X}) Y|^2$ or $\ell(f(\mathbf{X}), Y) = \mathbf{1}_{Y \neq f(\mathbf{X})}$

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• Learn a rule to construct a classifier $\hat{f} \in \mathcal{F}$ from the training data \mathcal{D}_n s.t. the risk $\mathcal{R}(\hat{f})$ is small on average or with high probability with respect to \mathcal{D}_n .

Machine Learning

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Canonical example: Empirical Risk Minimizer

- One restricts f to a subset of functions $S = \{f_{\theta}, \theta \in \Theta\}$
- One replaces the minimization of the average loss by the minimization of the empirical loss

$$\widehat{f} = f_{\widehat{\theta}} = \underset{f_{\theta}, \theta \in \Theta}{\operatorname{argmin}} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \ell(Y_i, f_{\theta}(\mathbf{X}_i))$$

• Examples:

• Linear discrimination with

$$\mathcal{S} = \{\mathbf{x} \mapsto \operatorname{sign}\{\beta^{\mathsf{T}}\mathbf{x} + \beta_0\} \, / \beta \in \mathbb{R}^d, \beta_0 \in \mathbb{R}\}$$

Synthetic Dataset

- Two features/covariates.
- Two classes.
- Dataset from *Applied Predictive Modeling*, M. Kuhn and K. Johnson, Springer
- Numerical experiments with **R** and the **caret** package.









- Different behavior for different model complexity
- Under-fit : Low complexity models are easily learned but too simple to explain the truth.
- Over-fit : High complexity models are memorizing the data they have seen and are unable to generalize to unseen examples.



- We can determine whether a predictive model is underfitting or overfitting the training data by looking at the prediction error on the training data and the test data.
- How to estimate the test error ?

Empirical Risk Minimizer

$$\widehat{f} = \operatorname*{argmin}_{f \in \mathcal{S}} \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \ell^{0/1}(Y_i, f(\mathbf{X}_i))$$



- Classification loss: $\ell^{0/1}(y, f(x)) = \mathbf{1}_{y \neq f(x)}$
- Not convex and not smooth!

• The best solution f^* (which is independent of \mathcal{D}_n) is

$$f^* = rg\min_{f \in \mathcal{F}} R(f) = rg\min_{f \in \mathcal{F}} \mathbb{E}\left[\ell(Y, f(\mathbf{X}))
ight]$$

Bayes Predictor (Ideal solution)

In binary classification with 0-1 loss:

$$f^*(\mathbf{X}) = egin{cases} +1 & ext{if} \quad \mathbb{P}\left\{Y = +1 | \mathbf{X}
ight\} \geq \mathbb{P}\left\{Y = -1 | \mathbf{X}
ight\} \ -1 & ext{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

Issue: Explicit solution requires to know $\mathbb{E}[Y|X]$ for all values of X!

Conditional prob. and Bayes Predictor





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Classical convexification

- Logistic loss: $\ell(y, f(x)) = \log(1 + e^{-yf(x)})$ (Logistic / NN)
- Hinge loss: $\ell(y, f(x)) = (1 yf(x))_+$ (SVM)
- Exponential loss: $\ell(y, f(x)) = e^{-yf(x)}$ (Boosting...)



k Nearest-Neighbors

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