



# Methods of embedding real-world entities into a linear space for implementing the generalized linear approach to dependence estimation

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# The task of dependences estimation on the sets of real-world objects

A set of real-world objects  $\omega \in \Omega$ .

A set of hidden characteristic values  $y \in \mathbb{Y}$ .

Real existing hidden function  $y(\omega): \Omega \to \mathbb{Y}$ .

Observer desire:

To have a tool for estimating the hidden characteristic for the real objects

$$\hat{y}(\omega): \Omega \to \mathbb{Y}; \quad \hat{y}(\omega) \neq y(\omega) - \text{error.}$$

#### Generalized linear approach

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- addition is commutative x' + x'' = x'' + x'and associative (x' + x'') + x''' = x' + (x'' + x''');
- identity element of addition  $x + \phi = x$ ,  $c\phi = \phi$ ;
- inverse element of addition  $(-x) + x = \phi$ ;
- compatibility of scalar multiplication with field multiplication c'(c''x) = (c'c'')x;
- identity element of scalar multiplication 1x = x;
- distributivity of multiplication and addition (c'+c'')x = c'x + c''x, c(x'+x'') = cx' + cx''.

## Generalized Linear Approach

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$$-x'+x''=x''+x', (x'+x'')+x'''=x'+(x''+x''');$$

- zero element 
$$x + \phi = x$$
,  $c\phi = \phi$ ,  $(-x) + x = \phi$ ;

$$-c'(c''x) = (c'c'')x, \quad 1x = x, \quad 0x = \phi;$$

$$-(c'+c'')x = c'x + c''x, c(x'+x'') = cx' + cx''.$$

#### **Indefinite scalar product**

 $x, v \in \mathbb{X}$  – two arbitrary points in linear space,

 $K(x,v): \mathbb{X} \times \mathbb{X} \to \mathbb{R}$  – scalar function of two arguments,

- (1) K(x,v) = K(v,x) symmetry,
- (2) K(x, c'v' + c''v'') = c'K(x,v') + c''K(x,v'') bilinearity.

#### If suggest

(3)  $K(x,x) \ge 0$ , then it will be common inner product, so  $\sqrt{K(x,x)} = ||x|| - is$  a norm.

For our approach it is enough just (1) and (2).

It is so-called indefinite scalar product in the pseudo-Euclidean space. There is no norm.

## **General Linear Model of Dependency**

The object in linear space  $x(\omega) \in X$  – just observer imagination

Inner product (indefinite)  $K(x,v): \mathbb{X} \times \mathbb{X} \to \mathbb{R}$  – just observer imagination

Parameters of model of dependency (v,b)  $v \in \mathbb{X}$  – directional point (vector) in the same space  $b \in \mathbb{R}$  – model shift (intercept)

Generalized linear feature of object z(x,v,b) = K(x,v) + b:  $\mathbb{X} \xrightarrow{(v,b)} \mathbb{R}$ 

Goal characteristic of object  $y(\omega) \in \mathbb{Y}$  – given by nature.

Link function, Usually convex on z

 $q(y,z): \mathbb{Y} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}^+$  – just observer imagination

Parametric Loss function  $q(y, x, v, b) = q(y, z(x, v, b)) : \mathbb{Y} \times \mathbb{X} \xrightarrow{(a,b)} \mathbb{R}^+$ 

Decision rule  $\hat{y}(\boldsymbol{x} \mid \boldsymbol{v}, b) = \underset{\boldsymbol{v} \in \mathbb{Y}}{\operatorname{argmin}} q(\boldsymbol{y}, \boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{v}, b) \colon \mathbb{X} \xrightarrow{(\boldsymbol{v}, b)} \mathbb{Y}$ 

Training set  $(\boldsymbol{X}, \boldsymbol{Y}) = \{ (\boldsymbol{x}(\omega_j), y(\omega_j)) = (\boldsymbol{x}_j, y_j), j = 1, ..., N \}$ 

Family of convex regularized functions

 $V(v | \mu): \mathbb{X} \xrightarrow{\mu} \mathbb{R}^+$  – just observer imagination

Training process – find  $(v \in X, b \in \mathbb{R})$ : Minimization of regularized empirical risk

$$V(v \mid \mu) + c \sum_{j=1}^{N} q(y_j, z(x_j, v, b)) \rightarrow \min(v, b),$$
$$z(x_j, v, b) = K(x_j, v) + b$$

The criterion is convex if regularized function  $V(v | \mu)$  and link function q(y, z) are convex on  $v \in \mathbb{X}$  and  $z \in \mathbb{R}$ .

#### 1. Arbitrary pairwise function of objects comparing

Set of real-world objects  $\omega \in \Omega$ 

The pairwise comparing function in symmetric  $S(\omega', \omega'') = S(\omega'', \omega')$ :  $\Omega \times \Omega \to \mathbb{R}$ 

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Two-argument commonality symmetric function for the center  $\phi \in \Omega$ :

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Let us assume, for simplicity sake, that the set of real-world objects finite  $|\Omega| = M$  (probably, a VERY huge number!)

The symmetric commonality matrix for some center  $\phi \in \Omega$ :

$$\mathbf{K}_{\phi} = \begin{pmatrix} K_{\phi}(\omega_{1}, \omega_{1}) & \cdots & K_{\phi}(\omega_{1}, \omega_{M}) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ K_{\phi}(\omega_{M}, \omega_{1}) & \cdots & K_{\phi}(\omega_{M}, \omega_{M}) \end{pmatrix}, \text{ eigen values are real numbers} \quad \xi_{\phi, i} \in \mathbb{R}, i = 1, ..., M, \text{ real numbers} \quad \mathbf{z}_{\phi, i} \in \mathbb{R}^{M}, \mathbf{z}_{\phi, i}^{T} \mathbf{z}_{\phi, j} = \begin{cases} 1, i = j, \\ 0, i \neq j. \end{cases}$$

Eigen values in decrease order 
$$\underbrace{\xi_{\phi,1} \geq 0,...,\xi_{\phi,p_{\phi}} \geq 0}_{positive},\underbrace{\xi_{\phi,p_{\phi}+1} < 0,...,\xi_{\phi,M} < 0}_{negative}$$

The pair of integers  $p_{\phi} + q_{\phi} = M - \text{signature of commonality matrix}$ 

**Theorem:** The signature of matrix  $\mathbf{K}_{\phi}$  does not depend on the choice of the center  $\phi \in \Omega$ .

Matrix 
$$\mathbf{K}_{\phi} = \sum_{i=1}^{p} \xi_{\phi,i} \mathbf{z}_{\phi,i} \mathbf{z}_{\phi,i}^{T} - \sum_{i=p+1}^{M} \overline{\xi}_{\phi,i} \mathbf{z}_{\phi,i} \mathbf{z}_{\phi,i}^{T} (M \times M) - \text{VERY huge!}$$

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Let assume  $\mathbf{K}_{\phi}$  as a set of inner products

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So, we associate the elements of arbitrary finite set  $\Omega = \{\omega_1, ..., \omega_M\}$ ,  $\phi \in \Omega$  – center, with M -dimensional vectors of real features of objects  $\mathbf{x}_{\phi,1} = \mathbf{x}_{\phi,\omega_1} \in \mathbb{R}^M$ , ...,  $\mathbf{x}_{\phi,M} = \mathbf{x}_{\phi,\omega_M} \in \mathbb{R}^M$ . Zero element – vector of  $\mathbf{x}_{\phi} \in \mathbb{R}^M$ .

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Embedding in to linear space, with two-argument function

$$K(\mathbf{x}', \mathbf{x}'') = \mathbf{x}'^T \mathbf{J}_p \mathbf{x}'' \colon \mathbb{R}^M \times \mathbb{R}^M \to \mathbb{R}$$
 with properties:

symmetry K(x',x'') = K(x'',x'),

bilinearity 
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Not holds  $K(x,x) \ge 0$ .

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Pseudo-Euclidean linear space  $\mathbb{R}^M$  based on  $\Omega = \{\omega_1, ..., \omega_M\}$ . There is no norm.

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How we can search the directional vector in imaginary space  $v \in X$ ?

Basic set of the objects  $\{\omega_1^0,...,\omega_n^0\}\subset\Omega$ , and their mapping image  $\{x_{\phi}(\omega_1^0),...,x_{\phi}(\omega_n^0)\}$ .

Directional vector – linear combination of images (fancies) of basic objects

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#### 2. Distance pairwise function of objects comparing

Set of real-world objects  $\omega \in \Omega$ .

Now as before, the comparison function  $S(\omega', \omega'') = S(\omega'', \omega')$ :  $\Omega \times \Omega \to \mathbb{R}$  symmetric.

**Additional requirements:** 

non-negativity  $S(\omega', \omega'') \ge 0$ , zero value for the same argument  $S(\omega, \omega) = 0$ .

Let us note the distance as  $d(\omega', \omega'') = \sqrt{S(\omega', \omega'')}$ .

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#### 3. Pairwise function of objects comparing is a metric

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## Training Criterion: Minimum of Empirical Regularized Risk

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Embedding (just mental) of objects into linear imaginary space

with inner product, in general with indefinite inner product:

$$x(\omega): \Omega \to \mathbb{X}, K(x',x''): \mathbb{X} \times \mathbb{X} \to \mathbb{R}$$
 – directly following from  $S(\omega',\omega'')$ .

Generalized linear characteristic of object  $z(\mathbf{x}_j, \mathbf{v}, b) = K(\mathbf{x}_j, \mathbf{v}) + b$ ,

 $v \in \mathbb{X}$  – sought for directional vector,  $b \in \mathbb{R}$  – sought for shift.

Link function defines by observer q(y,z):  $\mathbb{Y} \times \mathbb{R} \to \mathbb{R}^+$ , convex on z.

Regularized function defines by observer  $V(v | \mu) \colon \mathbb{X} \to \mathbb{R}^+$ 

Training – finding 
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Convex parametric regularized function  $V(\boldsymbol{a} \mid \boldsymbol{\mu}) \colon \mathbb{R}^n \to \mathbb{R}^+$ 

Parametric training: 
$$V(\boldsymbol{a} \mid \boldsymbol{\mu}) + c \sum_{j=1}^{N} q(y_{j}, z(\omega_{j}, \boldsymbol{a}, b)) + b \rightarrow \min(\boldsymbol{a}, b),$$
 Search  $(\boldsymbol{a} \in \mathbb{R}^{n}, b \in \mathbb{R}),$  
$$z(\omega_{j}, \boldsymbol{a}, b) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (S(\omega, \omega_{i}^{0})) a_{i} + b, \text{ convex criterion.}$$

## Selection of subset of basic objects: $L_1$ and $L_2$ regularization combining

 $V(\boldsymbol{a} \mid \boldsymbol{\mu}) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i^2 + \boldsymbol{\mu} \sum_{i=1}^{n} |a_i|, \ \boldsymbol{\mu} \ge 0 - \text{selectivity parameter.}$ Elastic Net regularization:

Training criterion: 
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} a_i^2 + \mu \sum_{i=1}^{n} |a_i| + \sum_{j=1}^{N} q(y_j, z(\omega_j, \boldsymbol{a}, b)), \quad z(\omega_j, \boldsymbol{a}, b) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (S(\omega_j, \omega_i^0)) a_i + b.$$
**Theorem.** Let's values of  $(\hat{\lambda}_1, ..., \hat{\lambda}_N)$  are decision of dual task of convex programming:

$$\begin{cases}
\frac{1}{2\beta} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left\{ \min \left[ \frac{\mu}{2} + \sum_{j=1}^{N} \lambda_{j} x_{ij}, 0, \mu/2 - \sum_{j=1}^{N} \lambda_{j} x_{ij} \right] \right\}^{2} - \sum_{j=1}^{N} \min_{z \in \mathbb{R}} \left( q(y_{j}, z) + \lambda_{j} z \right) \rightarrow \min(\lambda_{1}, ..., \lambda_{N}), \\
\sum_{i=1}^{N} \lambda_{j} = 0.
\end{cases}$$

Then

$$\hat{a}_{i} = \begin{cases} \left(\sum_{j=1}^{N} \hat{\lambda}_{j} S(\omega_{j}, \omega_{i}^{0}) + \mu/2\right) < 0, \sum_{j=1}^{N} \hat{\lambda}_{j} S(\omega_{j}, \omega_{i}^{0}) < -\mu/2, \\ 0, \quad -\mu/2 \le \sum_{j=1}^{N} \hat{\lambda}_{j} S(\omega_{j}, \omega_{i}^{0}) \le \mu/2, \\ \left(\sum_{j=1}^{N} \hat{\lambda}_{j} S(\omega_{j}, \omega_{i}^{0}) - \mu/2\right) > 0, \sum_{j=1}^{N} \hat{\lambda}_{j} S(\omega_{j}, \omega_{i}^{0}) > \mu/2, \end{cases} \begin{cases} \hat{b} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{j=1}^{N} \left(\hat{z}_{j} - \sum_{i=1}^{n} \hat{a}_{i} x_{ij}\right), \text{ where } \\ \hat{z}_{j} = \arg\min_{z \in \mathbb{R}} \left(q(y_{j}, z) + \hat{\lambda}_{j} z\right). \end{cases}$$

As larger  $\mu \ge 0$ , then more the selectivity degree of basic objects.

## Link Functions for Some Particular Types of Goal Characteristic

Link function

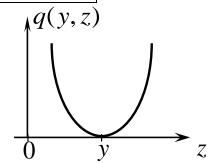
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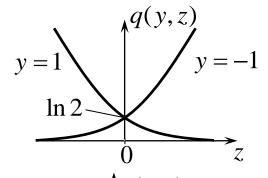
- 1) Regression analysis. Goal characteristic  $y \in \mathbb{Y} = \mathbb{R}$  – real number.  $q(y,z) = (y-z)^2$ .
- 2) Two class pattern recognition task. Goal characteristic  $y \in \mathbb{Y} = \{-1, 1\}$  — class index. Logistic regression:  $q(y, z) = \ln[1 + \exp(-yz)]$ .
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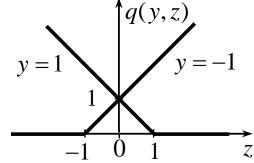
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  Support vector machine:

$$q(y,z) = \max[0, 1-yz] = \begin{cases} 1-yz, & 1-yz > 0, \\ 0, & 1-yz \le 0. \end{cases}$$











## Thank you for your attention!