Appendix S1

Section A

Model Development

Logistic Regression Model

Regularized logistic regression was applied to fit the data, as regularization helps in containing the over fitting or high variance problem [1]. We implemented logistic regression parameters θ using gradient descent as convex optimization algorithm with an objective to minimize the cost function. The regularized cost function $J(\theta)$ for our developed multi-class One-vs-All classifier can be represented as:

$$J(\theta) = \left[\frac{1}{m}\sum_{i=1}^{m} \left[-y^{(i)}log(h_{\theta}(x^{(i)})) - (1-y^{(i)})log(1-h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}))\right]\right] + \frac{\lambda}{2m}\sum_{j=1}^{n}\theta_{j}^{2}$$

where $h_{\theta}(x)$ is hypothesis given by the sigmoid function, $m, x^{(i)}$ and $y^{(i)}$ represent training sample size, input and training class target respectively. Parameter θ_0 was not regularized while training the learning model as it was added as an intercept term and value set to 1. The gradient of the cost function is a vector where the j^{th} element is defined as follows:

$$\frac{\partial J(\theta)}{\partial \theta_0} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \left(h_\theta(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)} \right) x_j^{(i)} \qquad \text{for } j = 0$$
$$\frac{\partial J(\theta)}{\partial \theta_j} = \left(\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \left(h_\theta(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)} \right) x_j^{(i)} \right) + \frac{\lambda}{m} \theta_j \qquad \text{for } j \ge 1$$

SVM Model

Support vector machines(SVMs) are a set of supervised learning methods which employ a subset of training points in the decision function (called support vectors) to construct a hyperplane or a set of hyperplanes in a high or infinite dimensional space. SVMs are versatile in decision function as different kernels can be specified for the same. A desirable separation is achieved by the hyperplane that has the largest functional margin, higher the margin the lower the generalization error of the classifier [2]. We

utilized Linear and Radial Basis function(RBF) kernels for model comparison.

Neural Network Model

The Artificial Neural Networks (ANN) model used in this study was a standard feed-forward, backpropagation neural network with three layers: an input layer, a hidden layer and an output layer. Our model consists of 13 input units, 10 hidden units and 1 output unit. The hidden neuron layer extracts important features contained in the input data. The cost function and the gradient of the implemented neural network with regularization is given by:

$$J(\theta) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^{m} \sum_{k=1}^{K} \left[-y_k^{(i)} log(h_\theta(x^{(i)}))_k - (1 - y_k^{(i)}) log(1 - (h_\theta(x^{(i)}))_k) \right] + \frac{\lambda}{2m} \left[\sum_{j=1}^{20} \sum_{k=1}^{13} (\theta_{j,k}^{(1)})^2 + \sum_{j=1}^{1} \sum_{k=1}^{13} (\theta_{j,k}^{(2)})^2 \right]$$

where $h_{\theta}(x)$ is hypothesis, m, x and y represents the sample size, training input and training target.

Section B

Adjusted Mutual Information (AMI)

Adjusted Mutual Information (AMI) accounts for the fact that the MI is generally higher for two clusterings with a larger number of clusters, regardless of whether there is actually more information shared. For two clusterings U and V, the AMI is given as:

$$AMI(U,V) = \frac{[MI(U,V) - E(MI(U,V))]}{[\max(H(U), H(V)) - E(MI(U,V))]}$$

This metric is independent of the absolute values of the labels, score values are independent of the permutation of the class or cluster label values.

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