

Note Of Lecture 8 Probabilistic Dimension Reduction

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1 Why Dimension Reduction In Distance Preserving

- n -dimension data $\implies O(n)$
- $\log n$ -dimension data $\implies O(\log n)$

2 Johnson and Lindenstrauss Theorem

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Johnson%E2%80%93Lindenstrauss_lemma, according to the theory, we propose the probabilistic dimension reduction idea.

- project a d -dimensional random variable to a k -dimensional random subspace with a low error rate for its square length.
- the project has the same probability distribution as projection to a fixed k -dimension space.

3 A Gaussian Example.

- Let X_1, X_2, \dots, X_d be i.i.d $N(0,1)$ random variables.
- Let $Y = (X_1, X_2, \dots, X_d) / \|X\|$.
- Let Z be a projection of Y into its first k -coordinates.

- For $k < d$ we have:

- (a) If $\beta < 1$, then (1+1/x)^x <= e^x
 $Pr[L \leq \frac{\beta k}{d}] \leq \beta^{k/2} (1 + \frac{(1-\beta)k}{(d-k)})^{(d-k)/2} \leq \exp(\frac{k}{2}(1 - \beta + \ln \beta)).$
- (b) If $\beta > 1$, then
 $Pr[L \leq \frac{\beta k}{d}] \leq \beta^{k/2} (1 + \frac{(1-\beta)k}{(d-k)})^{(d-k)/2} \leq \exp(\frac{k}{2}(1 - \beta + \ln \beta)).$

3.1 prove

- $X \sim N(0, 1)$ & $s < \frac{1}{2}$,
 $\implies E[e^{sX^2}] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}} \int e^{(sx^2 - \frac{x^2}{2})} dx = 1/\sqrt{1-2s}.$
- $Pr[d(X_1^2 + X_2^2 + \dots + X_k^2) \leq k\beta(X_1^2 + X_2^2 + \dots + X_d^2)] \leq \beta^{k/2} (1 + \frac{k(1-\beta)}{d-k})^{(d-k)/2}$
- Proof:

$$\begin{aligned}
 & Pr[d(X_1^2 + \dots + X_k^2) \leq k\beta(X_1^2 + \dots + X_d^2)] = \\
 & = Pr[d(X_1^2 + \dots + X_k^2) - k\beta(X_1^2 + \dots + X_d^2) \leq 0] \leq \\
 \text{markov inequality} & \leq E[\exp\{t(k\beta(X_1^2 + \dots + X_d^2) - d(X_1^2 + \dots + X_k^2))\}] \leq \\
 & \leq E[\exp\{t(k\beta)X_1^2\}]^{(d-k)} * E[\exp\{t(k\beta - d)X_1^2\}]^k = \\
 & = (1 - 2tk\beta)^{-(d-k)/2} (1 - 2t(k\beta - d))^{-k/2} \\
 \text{RHS} & \leq (\frac{d-k\beta}{d-k})^{(d-k)/2} \beta^{k/2}
 \end{aligned}$$

3.2 some details

3.2.1 markov inequality step

https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Markov%27s_inequality

$$P(X \geq a) \leq \frac{E(X)}{a}$$

so that $Pr[d(x_1^2 + \dots + x_k^2) - k\beta(x_1^2 + \dots + x_d^2) \leq 0] = Pr[\exp\{k\beta(x_1^2 + \dots + x_d^2) - d(x_1^2 + \dots + x_k^2)\} \geq 1] \leq E[\exp\{k\beta(x_1^2 + \dots + x_d^2) - d(x_1^2 + \dots + x_k^2)\}]$

3.2.2 the last inequality.

- Let $f(x) = x \ln(1 + \frac{1}{x}) - 1 (x > 0)$
- so that $f'(x) = \ln(1 + \frac{1}{x}) - \frac{1}{x+1} (x > 0)$

- and $f''(x) = -\frac{1}{x(x+1)^2} (x > 0)$

so we can get $f''(x) < 0$

so that $f'(x) < \lim_{x \rightarrow 0} f'(0) = 0$

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- so we know $1 > x \ln(1 + \frac{1}{x}) (x > 0)$. i.e $(1 + \frac{1}{x})^x \leq e$

- $\beta^{\frac{k}{2}} [1 + \frac{(1-\beta)k}{(d-k)}]^{\frac{(d-k)}{2}} = \exp\{\ln(LHS)\} = \exp\{\frac{k}{2} \ln \beta + \ln(1 + \frac{1}{\frac{d-k}{(1-\beta)k}})^{\frac{d-k}{(1-\beta)k} \frac{(1-\beta)k}{2}}\} \leq$
 $\exp\{\frac{k}{2}(1 - \beta + \ln \beta)\}$