



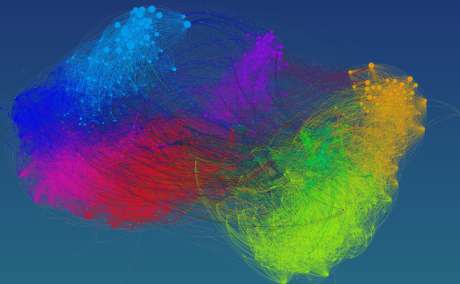
Graphs in Machine Learning

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Previous Lecture

- ▶ Semi-Supervised Learning
 - ▶ Why and when it helps?
 - ▶ Self-training
 - ▶ Semi-supervised SVMs
- ▶ Graph-based semi-supervised learning
- ▶ SSL with MinCuts
- ▶ Gaussian random fields and harmonic solution
- ▶ Regularization of harmonic solution
- ▶ Soft-harmonic solution
- ▶ Inductive and transductive semi-supervised learning
- ▶ Manifold regularization

This Lecture

- ▶ Max-Margin Graph Cuts
- ▶ Theory of Laplacian-based manifold methods
- ▶ Transductive learning stability based bounds
- ▶ Online Semi-Supervised Learning
- ▶ Online incremental k -centers

Previous Lab Session

- ▶ 24. 10. 2016 by Daniele.Calandriello@inria.fr
- ▶ Content
 - ▶ Graph Construction
 - ▶ Test sensitivity to parameters: σ , k , ε
 - ▶ Spectral Clustering
 - ▶ Spectral Clustering vs. k -means
 - ▶ Image Segmentation
- ▶ Short written report
- ▶ Questions to piazza (without giving away solutions)
- ▶ **Deadline:** 7. 11. 2016 **Today!**
- ▶ If you have 32bit OS, send a post to Daniele on piazza

Next Lab Session

- ▶ 14. 11. 2016 by Daniele Calandriello
- ▶ Content
 - ▶ Semi-supervised learning
 - ▶ Graph quantization
 - ▶ Online face recognizer
- ▶ AR: **record a video with faces**
- ▶ Install VM (in case you have not done it yet for TD1)
- ▶ Short written report
- ▶ Questions to piazza
- ▶ **Deadline: 28. 11. 2016**

Final Class projects

- ▶ detailed description on the class website
- ▶ preferred option: you come up with the topic
- ▶ theory/implementation/review or a combination
- ▶ one or two people per project (exceptionally three)
- ▶ grade 60%: report + short presentation of the **team**
- ▶ deadlines
 - ▶ 21. 11. 2016 - strongly recommended DL for taking projects
 - ▶ 28. 11. 2016 - hard DL for taking projects
 - ▶ 05. 01. 2017 - submission of the project report
 - ▶ 09. 01. 2017 or later - project presentation
- ▶ list of suggested topics on piazza

Master internships in Lille



Master internships in Machine Learning are offered at **Inria Lille** (Magnet team), **with possibility to pursue a PhD**. Lille is 1h away from Paris, 30min from Brussels, 1h30 from London and 2h30 from Amsterdam.

Available topics:

- ▶ **Decentralized machine learning:** Consider a large set of users in a peer-to-peer network, each with a personal dataset. How can users efficiently learn predictive models over the union of their datasets? How can we formally guarantee that their privacy is preserved?
2 offers: <http://goo.gl/EgYFAs> and <http://goo.gl/EPjSZi>
- ▶ **Natural Language Processing:** How to learn dense vector representations of words (or higher-order linguistic entities) from huge text corpora using graph-based spectral algorithms?
1 offer: <http://goo.gl/0hJjRf>

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Checkpoint 1

Semi-supervised learning with graphs:

$$\min_{\mathbf{f} \in \{\pm 1\}^{n_l+n_u}} (\infty) \sum_{i=1}^{n_l} w_{ij} (f(\mathbf{x}_i) - y_i)^2 + \lambda \sum_{i,j=1}^{n_l+n_u} (f(\mathbf{x}_i) - f(\mathbf{x}_j))^2$$

Regularized harmonic Solution:

$$\mathbf{f}_u = (\mathbf{L}_{uu} + \gamma \mathbf{I})^{-1} (\mathbf{W}_{ul} \mathbf{f}_l)$$

Checkpoint 2

Unconstrained regularization in general:

$$\mathbf{f}^* = \min_{\mathbf{f} \in \mathbb{R}^N} (\mathbf{f} - \mathbf{y})^T \mathbf{C} (\mathbf{f} - \mathbf{y}) + \mathbf{f}^T \mathbf{Q} \mathbf{f}$$

Out of sample extension: Laplacian SVMs

$$f^* = \arg \min_{f \in \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{K}}} \sum_i^{n_i} \max(0, 1 - y f(\mathbf{x})) + \lambda_1 \|f\|_{\mathcal{K}}^2 + \lambda_2 \mathbf{f}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{f}$$

SSL with Graphs: Laplacian SVMs

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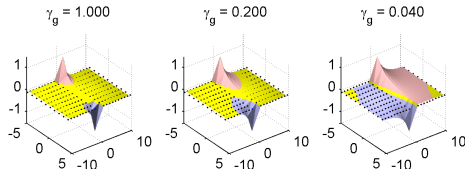
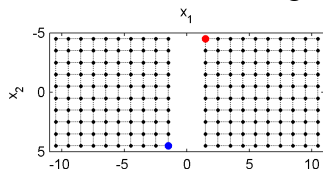
$\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{K}}$ is nice and expressive.

Can there be a problem with certain $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{K}}$?

We look for f only in $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{K}}$.

If it is simple (e.g., **linear**) minimization of $\mathbf{f}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{f}$ can perform badly.

Consider again this 2D data and linear \mathcal{K} .



SSL with Graphs: Laplacian SVMs

Linear $\mathcal{K} \equiv$ functions with slope α_1 and intercept α_2 .

$$\min_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2} \sum_i^{n_l} V(f, \mathbf{x}_i, y_i) + \lambda_1 [\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_2^2] + \lambda_2 \mathbf{f}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{f}$$

For this simple case we can write down $\mathbf{f}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{f}$ explicitly.

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{f}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{f} &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} w_{ij} (f(\mathbf{x}_i) - f(\mathbf{x}_j))^2 \\ &= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i,j} w_{ij} (\alpha_1(\mathbf{x}_{i1} - \mathbf{x}_{j1}) + \alpha_2(\mathbf{x}_{i2} - \mathbf{x}_{j2}))^2 \\ &= \frac{\alpha_1^2}{2} \underbrace{\sum_{i,j} w_{ij} (\mathbf{x}_{i1} - \mathbf{x}_{j1})^2}_{\Delta=218.351} + \frac{\alpha_2^2}{2} \underbrace{\sum_{i,j} w_{ij} (\mathbf{x}_{i2} - \mathbf{x}_{j2})^2}_{\Delta=218.351} \end{aligned}$$

SSL with Graphs: Laplacian SVMs

2D data and linear \mathcal{K} objective

$$\min_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2} \sum_i^{n_l} V(f, \mathbf{x}_i, y_i) + \left(\lambda_1 + \frac{\lambda_2 \Delta}{2} \right) [\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_2^2]$$

Setting $\lambda^* = \left(\lambda_1 + \frac{\lambda_2 \Delta}{2} \right)$:

$$\min_{\alpha_1, \alpha_2} \sum_i^{n_l} V(f, \mathbf{x}_i, y_i) + \lambda^* [\alpha_1^2 + \alpha_2^2]$$

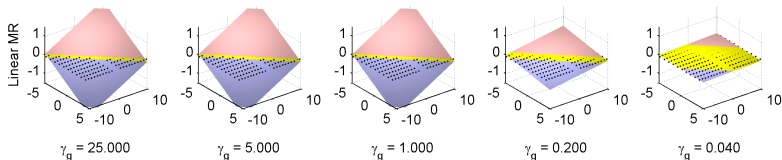
What does this objective function correspond to?

The only influence of unlabeled data is through λ^* .

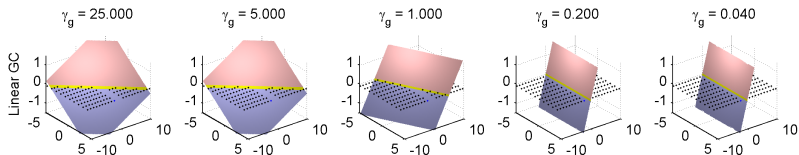
The same value of the objective as for supervised learning for some λ **without the unlabeled data!** This is not good.

SSL with Graphs: Laplacian SVMs

MR for 2D data and linear \mathcal{K} only changes the slope



What would we like to see?



One solution: We use the unlabeled data **before** optimizing over $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{K}}$!

SSL with Graphs: Max-Margin Graph Cuts

Let's take the confident data and use them as true!

$$\begin{aligned} f^* &= \min_{f \in \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{K}}} \sum_{i: |\ell_i^*| \geq \varepsilon} V(f, \mathbf{x}_i, \text{sgn}(\ell_i^*)) + \gamma \|f\|_{\mathcal{K}}^2 \\ \text{s.t. } \ell^* &= \arg \min_{\ell \in \mathbb{R}^N} \ell^T (\mathbf{L} + \gamma_g \mathbf{I}) \ell \\ \text{s.t. } \ell_i &= y_i \text{ for all } i = 1, \dots, n_I \end{aligned}$$

Wait, but this is what we did not like in self-training!

Will we get into the same trouble?

Representer theorem is still cool:

$$f^*(\mathbf{x}) = \sum_{i: |f_i^*| \geq \varepsilon} \alpha_i^* \mathcal{K}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x})$$

SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

Why is this not a witchcraft?

We take GC as an example. MR or HFS are similar.

What kind of guarantees we want?

We may want to bound the **risk**

$$R_P(f) = \mathbb{E}_{P(\mathbf{x})} [\mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}), y(\mathbf{x}))]$$

for some **loss**, e.g., 0/1 loss

$$\mathcal{L}(y', y) = \mathbb{1}\{\text{sgn}(y') \neq y\}$$

What makes sense to bound $R_P(f)$ with?

empirical risk + **error terms**

SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

True risk vs. empirical risk

$$R_P(f) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i (f_i - y_i)^2$$

$$\hat{R}_P(f) = \frac{1}{n_I} \sum_{i \in I} (f_i - y_i)^2$$

We look for the bound in the form

$$R_P(f) \leq \hat{R}_P(f) + \text{errors}$$

$$\text{errors} = \text{transductive} + \text{inductive}$$

SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

Bounding **inductive** error (using classical SLT tools)

With probability $1 - \eta$, using Equations 3.15 and 3.24 [vapnik1995nature]

$$R_P(f) \leq \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}_i), y_i) + \Delta_I(h, n, \eta).$$

$n \equiv$ number of samples , $h \equiv$ VC dimension of the class

$$\Delta_I(h, n, \eta) = \sqrt{\frac{h(\ln(2n/h) + 1) - \ln(\eta/4)}{n}}$$

How to bound $\mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}_i), y_i)$? For any $y_i \in \{-1, 1\}$ and ℓ_i^*

$$\mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}_i), y_i) \leq \mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}_i), \text{sgn}(\ell_i^*)) + (\ell_i^* - y_i)^2.$$

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Bounding **transductive** error (using stability analysis)

<http://www.cs.nyu.edu/~mohri/pub/str.pdf>

How to bound $(\ell_i^* - y_i)^2$?

Bounding $(\ell_i^* - y_i)^2$ for hard case is difficult \rightarrow we bound soft HFS:

$$\ell^* = \min_{\ell \in \mathbb{R}^N} (\ell - \mathbf{y})^T \mathbf{C} (\ell - \mathbf{y}) + \ell^T \mathbf{Q} \ell$$

Closed form solution

$$\ell^* = (\mathbf{C}^{-1} \mathbf{Q} + \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$

SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

Bounding **transductive** error

$$\ell^* = \min_{\ell \in \mathbb{R}^N} (\ell - \mathbf{y})^T \mathbf{C} (\ell - \mathbf{y}) + \ell^T \mathbf{Q} \ell$$

Think about **stability** of this solution.

Consider two datasets differing in exactly one *labeled* point.

$$\mathcal{C}_1 = \mathbf{C}_1^{-1} \mathbf{Q} + \mathbf{I} \text{ and } \mathcal{C}_2 = \mathbf{C}_2^{-1} \mathbf{Q} + \mathbf{I}$$

What is the maximal difference in the solutions?

$$\begin{aligned} \ell_2^* - \ell_1^* &= \mathcal{C}_2^{-1} \mathbf{y}_2 - \mathcal{C}_1^{-1} \mathbf{y}_1 \\ &= \mathcal{C}_2^{-1} (\mathbf{y}_2 - \mathbf{y}_1) - (\mathcal{C}_2^{-1} - \mathcal{C}_1^{-1}) \mathbf{y}_1 \\ &= \mathcal{C}_2^{-1} (\mathbf{y}_2 - \mathbf{y}_1) - (\mathcal{C}_1^{-1} [(\mathbf{C}_1^{-1} - \mathbf{C}_2^{-1}) \mathbf{Q}] \mathcal{C}_2^{-1}) \mathbf{y}_1 \end{aligned}$$

Note that $\mathbf{v} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times 1}$, $\lambda_m(A) \|\mathbf{v}\|_2 \leq \|\mathbf{A}\mathbf{v}\|_2 \leq \lambda_M(A) \|\mathbf{v}\|_2$

$$\|\ell_2^* - \ell_1^*\|_2 \leq \frac{\|\mathbf{y}_2 - \mathbf{y}_1\|_2}{\lambda_m(\mathcal{C}_2)} + \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{Q}) \|\mathbf{C}_1^{-1} - \mathbf{C}_2^{-1}\|_2 \cdot \|\mathbf{y}_1\|_2}{\lambda_m(\mathcal{C}_2) \lambda_m(\mathcal{C}_1)}$$

SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

Bounding **transductive** error

$$\ell^* = \min_{\ell \in \mathbb{R}^N} (\ell - \mathbf{y})^T \mathbf{C}(\ell - \mathbf{y}) + \ell^T \mathbf{Q} \ell$$

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Using $\lambda_m(\mathbf{C}) \geq \frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C})} + 1$

$$\|\ell_2^* - \ell_1^*\|_2 \leq \frac{\|\mathbf{y}_2 - \mathbf{y}_1\|_2}{\frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C}_1)} + 1} + \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{Q}) \|\mathbf{C}_1^{-1} - \mathbf{C}_2^{-1}\|_2 \cdot \|\mathbf{y}_1\|_2}{\left(\frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C}_2)} + 1\right) \left(\frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C}_1)} + 1\right)}$$

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Bounding **transductive** error

$$\|\ell_2^* - \ell_1^*\|_\infty \leq \beta \leq \frac{\|\mathbf{y}_2 - \mathbf{y}_1\|_2}{\frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C}_1)} + 1} + \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{Q}) \|\mathbf{C}_1^{-1} - \mathbf{C}_2^{-1}\|_2 \cdot \|\mathbf{y}_1\|_2}{\left(\frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C}_2)} + 1\right) \left(\frac{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q})}{\lambda_M(\mathbf{C}_1)} + 1\right)}$$

Now, let us plug in the values for our problem.

Take $c_l = 1$ and $c_l > c_u$. We have $|y_i| \leq 1$ and $|\ell_i^*| \leq 1$.

$$\beta \leq 2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q}) + 1} + \sqrt{2n_l} \frac{1 - c_u}{c_u} \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{Q})}{(\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q}) + 1)^2} \right]$$

\mathbf{Q} is reg. \mathbf{L} : $\lambda_m(\mathbf{Q}) = \lambda_m(\mathbf{L}) + \gamma_g$ and $\lambda_M(\mathbf{Q}) = \lambda_M(\mathbf{L}) + \gamma_g$

$$\beta \leq 2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\gamma_g + 1} + \sqrt{2n_l} \frac{1 - c_u}{c_u} \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{L}) + \gamma_g}{\gamma_g^2 + 1} \right]$$

This algorithm is β -stable!

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Bounding **transductive** error

http://web.cse.ohio-state.edu/~mbelkin/papers/RSS_COLT_04.pdf

By the generalization bound of Belkin [**belkin2004regularization**]

$$R_P^W(\ell^*) \leq \widehat{R}_P^W(\ell^*) + \underbrace{\beta + \sqrt{\frac{2 \ln(2/\delta)}{n_I}} (n_I \beta + 4)}_{\text{transductive error } \Delta_T(\beta, n_I, \delta)}$$

$$\beta \leq 2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\gamma_g + 1} + \sqrt{2n_I} \frac{1 - c_u}{c_u} \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{L}) + \gamma_g}{\gamma_g^2 + 1} \right]$$

holds with probability $1 - \delta$, where

$$R_P^W(\ell^*) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_i (\ell_i^* - y_i)^2$$
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SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

Bounding **transductive** error

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$$\beta \leq 2 \left[\frac{\sqrt{2}}{\gamma_g + 1} + \sqrt{2n_I} \frac{1 - c_u}{c_u} \frac{\lambda_M(\mathbf{L}) + \gamma_g}{\gamma_g^2 + 1} \right]$$

Does the bound say anything useful?

- 1) The error is controlled.
- 2) Practical when error $\Delta_T(\beta, n_I, \delta)$ decreases at rate $O(n_I^{-\frac{1}{2}})$.
Achieved when $\beta = O(1/n_I)$. That is, $\gamma_g = \Omega(n_I^{\frac{3}{2}})$.

We have an idea how to set γ_g !

SSL with Graphs: Generalization Bounds

Combining **inductive** + **transductive** error

With probability $1 - (\eta + \delta)$.

$$R_P(f) \leq \frac{1}{n} \sum_i \mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}_i), \text{sgn}(\ell_i^*)) + \widehat{R}_P^W(\ell^*) + \Delta_T(\beta, n_I, \delta) + \Delta_I(h, N, \eta)$$

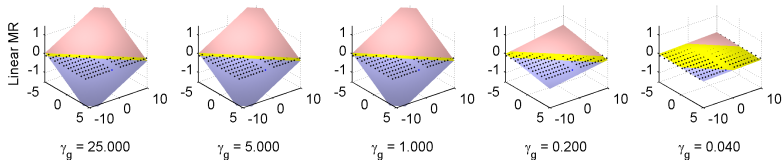
We need to account for ε . With probability $1 - (\eta + \delta)$.

$$R_P(f) \leq \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i: |\ell_i^*| \geq \varepsilon} \mathcal{L}(f(\mathbf{x}_i), \text{sgn}(\ell_i^*)) + \frac{2\varepsilon n_\varepsilon}{N} + \widehat{R}_P^W(\ell^*) + \Delta_T(\beta, n_I, \delta) + \Delta_I(h, N, \eta)$$

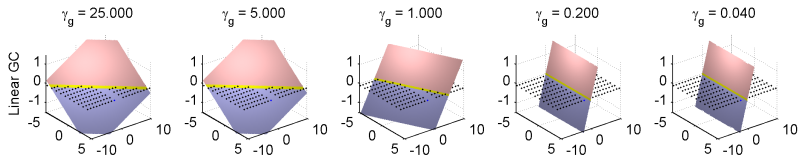
We should have $\varepsilon \leq n_I^{-1/2}$!

SSL with Graphs: LapSVMs and MM Graph Cuts

MR for 2D data and **linear** \mathcal{K} only changes the slope

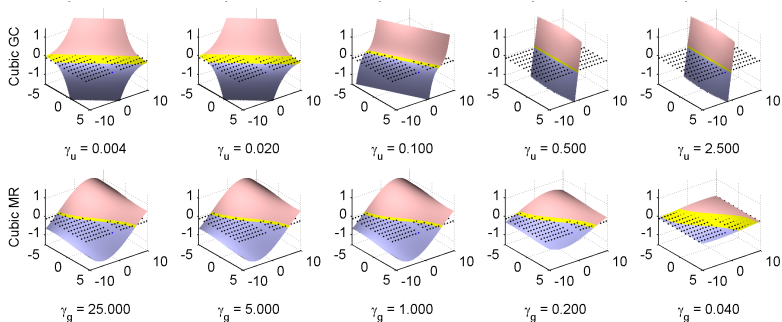


MMGC for 2D data and **linear** \mathcal{K} works as we want



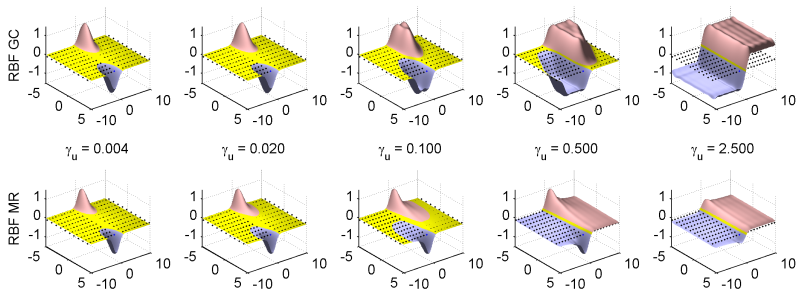
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MR for 2D data and **cubic** \mathcal{K} is also not so good

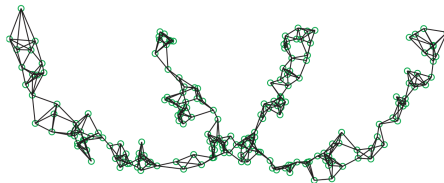


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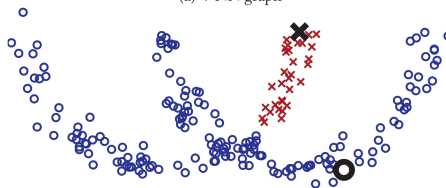
MMGC and MR for 2D data and RBF \mathcal{K}



SSL with Graphs



(a) 4-NN graph



(b) Harmonic function predictions

Graph-based SSL is obviously sensitive to graph construction!

Online SSL with Graphs

Offline learning setup

Given $\{\mathbf{x}_i\}_{i=1}^N$ from \mathbb{R}^d and $\{y_i\}_{i=1}^{n_l}$, with $n_l \ll n$, find $\{y_i\}_{i=n_l+1}^N$ (**transductive**) or find f predicting y well beyond that (**inductive**).



Online learning setup

At the beginning: $\{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^{n_l}$ from \mathbb{R}^d

At time t :

receive \mathbf{x}_t

predict y_t

Online SSL with Graphs

Online HFS: Straightforward solution

- 1: **while** new unlabeled example \mathbf{x}_t comes **do**
- 2: Add \mathbf{x}_t to graph $G(\mathbf{W})$
- 3: Update \mathbf{L}_t
- 4: Infer labels

$$\mathbf{f}_u = (\mathbf{L}_{uu} + \gamma \mathbf{g} \mathbf{I})^{-1} (\mathbf{W}_{ul} \mathbf{f}_l)$$

- 5: Predict $\hat{y}_t = \text{sgn}(\mathbf{f}_u(t))$
 - 6: **end while**
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What is wrong with this solution?

The cost and memory of the operations.

What can we do?

Online SSL with Graphs

Let's keep only k vertices!

Limit memory to k **centroids** with $\widetilde{\mathbf{W}}^q$ weights.

Each centroid represents *several* others.

Diagonal $\mathbf{V} \equiv$ **multiplicity**. We have \mathbf{V}_{ij} copies of centroid i .

Can we compute it compactly? Compact harmonic solution.

$$\ell^q = (\mathbf{L}_{uu}^q + \gamma_g V)^{-1} \mathbf{W}_{ul}^q \ell_l \quad \text{where} \quad \mathbf{W}^q = V \widetilde{\mathbf{W}}^q V$$

Proof? Using electric circuits.

Why do we keep the multiplicities?

Online SSL with Graphs

Online HFS with Graph Quantization

- 1: **Input**
 - 2: k number of representative nodes
 - 3: **Initialization**
 - 4: \mathbf{V} matrix of multiplicities with 1 on diagonal
 - 5: **while** new unlabeled example \mathbf{x}_t comes **do**
 - 6: Add \mathbf{x}_t to graph G
 - 7: **if** # nodes $> k$ **then**
 - 8: *quantize* G
 - 9: **end if**
 - 10: Update \mathbf{L}_t of $G(\mathbf{V}\mathbf{W}\mathbf{V})$
 - 11: Infer labels
 - 12: Predict $\hat{y}_t = \text{sgn}(\mathbf{f}_u(t))$
 - 13: **end while**
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Online SSL with Graphs: Graph Quantization

An idea: incremental k -centers

Doubling algorithm of Charikar et al. [**charikar1997incremental**]

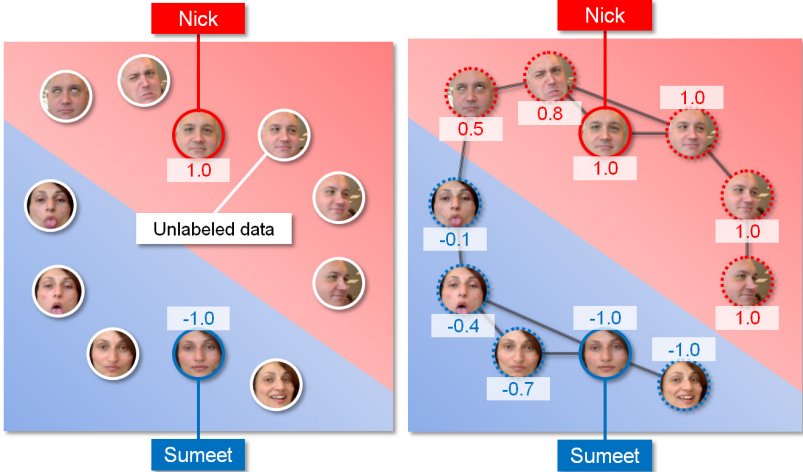
Keeps up to k centers $C_t = \{\mathbf{c}_1, \mathbf{c}_2, \dots\}$ with

- ▶ Distance $\mathbf{c}_i, \mathbf{c}_j \in C_t$ is at least $\geq R$
- ▶ For each new \mathbf{x}_t , distance to some $\mathbf{c}_j \in C_t$ is less than R .
- ▶ $|C_t| \leq k$
- ▶ if not possible, R is doubled

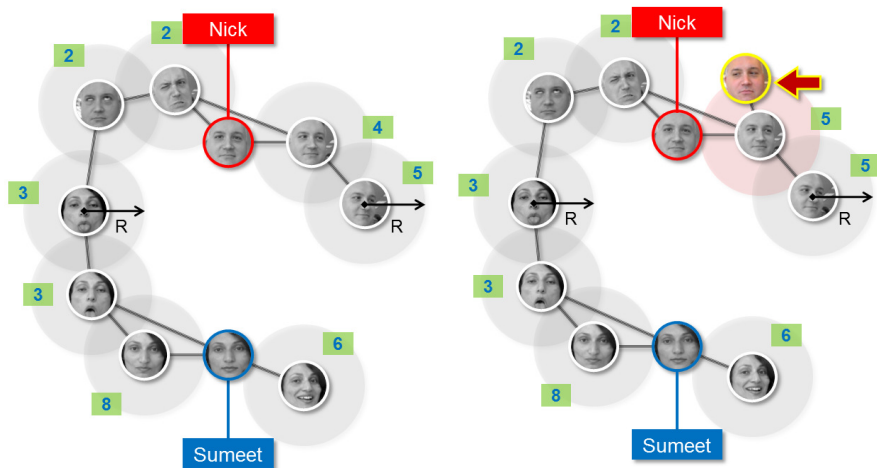
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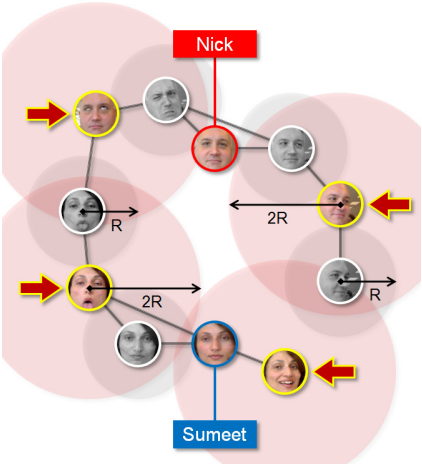
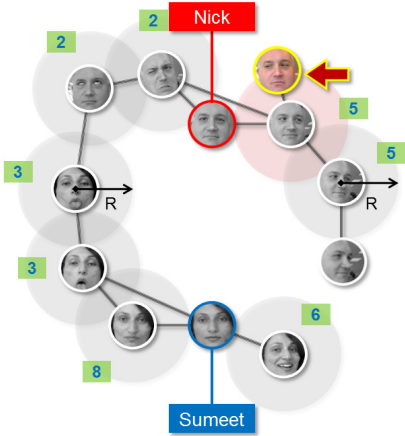
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Online SSL with Graphs: Graph Quantization

Doubling algorithm [**charikar1997incremental**]

To reduce growth of R , we use $R \leftarrow m \times R$, with $m \geq 1$

C_t is changing. How far can \mathbf{x} be from some \mathbf{c} ?

$$R + \frac{R}{m} + \frac{R}{m^2} + \dots = R \left(1 + \frac{1}{m} + \frac{1}{m^2} + \dots \right) = \frac{Rm}{m-1}$$

Guarantees: $(1 + \varepsilon)$ -approximation algorithm.

Why not incremental k -means?

Online SSL with Graphs: Graph Quantization

Online k -centers

- 1: an unlabeled \mathbf{x}_t , a set of centroids C_{t-1} , multiplicities \mathbf{v}_{t-1}
 - 2: **if** ($|C_{t-1}| = k + 1$) **then**
 - 3: $R \leftarrow mR$
 - 4: greedily repartition C_{t-1} into C_t such that:
 - 5: no two vertices in C_t are closer than R
 - 6: for any $\mathbf{c}_i \in C_{t-1}$ exists $\mathbf{c}_j \in C_t$ such that $d(\mathbf{c}_i, \mathbf{c}_j) < R$
 - 7: update \mathbf{v}_t to reflect the new partitioning
 - 8: **else**
 - 9: $C_t \leftarrow C_{t-1}$
 - 10: $\mathbf{v}_t \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_{t-1}$
 - 11: **end if**
 - 12: **if** \mathbf{x}_t is closer than R to any $\mathbf{c}_i \in C_t$ **then**
 - 13: $\mathbf{v}_t(i) \leftarrow \mathbf{v}_t(i) + 1$
 - 14: **else**
 - 15: $\mathbf{v}_t(|C_t| + 1) \leftarrow 1$
 - 16: **end if**
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