

Pattern Classification Homework 2 Solutions

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(a). Yes, they are separable by a higher order polynomial discriminant functions.

The 2nd order polynomial function would separate them.

(b) Let $\phi = w_1x_1^2 + w_2x_2^2 + w_3x_1x_2 + w_4x_1 + w_5x_2 + w_6$

Then $g(x) = w^T x = [w_1 \ w_2 \ w_3 \ w_4 \ w_5 \ w_6] [x_1^2 \ x_2^2 \ x_1x_2 \ x_1 \ x_2 \ 1]^T$

Convert and reflect prototypes according to this.

Then (1 1 1 1 1 1)

(1 1 -1 1 -1 1)

(16 25 20 4 5 1)

(-4 -4 -4 -2 -2 -1)

(0 -4 0 0 -2 -1)

(-4 -9 -6 -2 -3 -1)

(c) Implement the perceptron algorithm.

(c) Find the weight vector

The Perceptron algorithm is coded with the step size $\alpha=1$
Source Code executable in MATLAB is given below

```
START -----  
%hw2 2c.m
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%reflected prototypes  
%Each row is one prototype  
yy=[1 1 1 1 1 1  
    1 1 -1 1 -1 1  
    16 25 20 4 5 1  
    -4 -4 -4 -2 -2 -1  
    0 -4 0 0 -2 -1  
    -4 -9 -6 -2 -3 -1];
```

```
% Initial weight vector  
w=[-1 -1 -1 1 1 1];
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% Maximum iteration for epoch is set to be 2000  
for epoch=1:2000  
    for i=1:6  
        y=yy(i,:);  
        g=w*y;  
        if g<=0  
            w=w+y'; % alpha=1;  
        end  
        if g>0  
            w=w;  
        end  
        k(i)=g;  
    end  
  
    if min(k)>0  
        min(k)  
        w  
        break  
    end  
end % for epoch
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END -----
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The algorithm converges at 245 iterations or epochs.
The weight vector w is obtained as
 $W=[8 \ -6 \ 24 \ -22 \ -66 \ 63]$

(d) Plot the discriminant function
To plot the discriminant function, ϕ must be solved for 0.
To solve this the symbolic toolbox in MATLAB is used.
Let $x_1=x$, $x_2=y$
In Matlab do this

```
>> solve('8*x^2-6*y^2+24*x*y-22*x-66*y+63');  
this returns answer for y
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The following x1 and x2 are the answers for y
 $x1 = -3/2*y + 11/8 + 1/8*(192*y.^2 + 264*y - 383).^(1/2)$
 $x2 = -3/2*y + 11/8 - 1/8*(192*y.^2 + 264*y - 383).^(1/2)$

to plot the discriminant function, the following code is written

```
START-----  
% to solve for the roots for the quadratic terms in x1 and x2  
tmp1=roots([192 264 -383])  
max_roots=max(tmp1);  
  
% sample y values  
y=max_roots:0.1:6  
  
% compute x1 and x2 for each y  
x1=-3/2*y+11/8+1/8*(192*y.^2+264*y-383).^(1/2)  
x2=-3/2*y+11/8-1/8*(192*y.^2+264*y-383).^(1/2)  
  
plot(x1,y,x2,y)  
hold  
  
% Class S1 and S2  
s1xy=[ 1 1  
       1 -1  
       4 5];  
s2xy=[2 2  
       0 2  
       2 3];  
  
plot(s1xy(:,1),s1xy(:,2),'+',s2xy(:,1),s2xy(:,2),'o');  
plot(s1xy(:,1),s1xy(:,2),'+',s2xy(:,1),s2xy(:,2),'o');  
xlabel('x1')  
ylabel('x2')  
title('Homework#2 2 (d)')  
END-----
```

The plot is given at the next page.

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