

Multi-Class Protein Fold Recognition using Large Margin Logic based Divide and Conquer Learning

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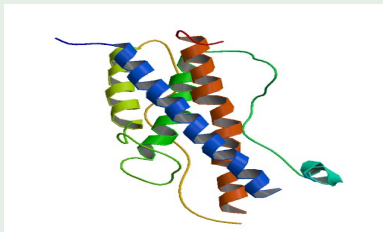
Protein Fold Recognition: Multi-class Learning Problem

Alphabet {A,R,N,D,C,E,Q,G,H,I,L,K,M,F,P,S,T,W,Y,V }

Protein: A finite sequence of characters from alphabet of 20 amino acids

Protein Folding

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FPTIPLSRLFQNA MLRAHRLHQLAFDTYEE  
FEEAYIPKEQKYSFLQAPQASLCFSESIPT  
PSNREQAQQKSNLQLLRISLLLIQSWLEPV  
GFLRSV FANSLVYGASDSVDYDLLKDLEEG  
IQTLMGRLEDGSPRTGQAFKQTYAKFDANS  
HNDDALLKNYGLLYCFRKDMDKVETFLRIV  
QCRSVEGSCGF
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Challenges

- Structured data
- Skewed class distribution

Distinguishing Characteristics: Kernel Methods & Inductive Logic Programming

Inductive Logic Programming (ILP)

- Ease of incorporation of background knowledge
- Expressive language formalism

Kernel Methods (KMs)

- High generalization ability
- Strong theoretical foundation

Problem

Methodologies for regression estimation and multi-class pattern classification

- Handles arbitrary type of data
- Methodology for regression estimation
- Algorithms for multi-class pattern classification

Support Vector Inductive Logic Programming (SVILP): An Instance of Logic based Kernel Learning

- At the intersection of Support Vector Machines and Inductive Logic Programming

Learning with SVILP

- A set of rules \mathcal{H} is obtained from an ILP system, where a first order rule, $h \in \mathcal{H}$, can be viewed as a boolean function of the form, $h : D \rightarrow \{0, 1\}$
- A subset $H \in \mathcal{H}$ is selected

Feature Map

The subset of rules defines a mapping ϕ

$$\phi : d \rightarrow \left(\sqrt{\pi(h_1(d))}, \sqrt{\pi(h_2(d))}, \dots, \sqrt{\pi(h_t(d))} \right)^T$$

- A kernel function is constructed by using the selected set of rules

SVILP Kernel

$$k(d_i, d_j) = \langle \phi(d_i), \phi(d_j) \rangle = \sum_{l=1}^t \sqrt{\pi(h_l(d_i))} \sqrt{\pi(h_l(d_j))}$$

- Construct Gaussian RBF kernels in ILP space

$$k_{RBF}(d_i, d_j) = \exp\left(\frac{-\|(\phi(d_i) - \phi(d_j))\|^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

$$\|(\phi(d_i) - \phi(d_j))\| = \sqrt{k(d_i, d_i) - 2k(d_i, d_j) + k(d_j, d_j)}$$

- Learning is performed by using an SVM in conjunction with the SVILP kernel.

- For each rule compute goodness of fit by using compression

$$C = \frac{PT * (ps - (ng + c))}{ps}$$

ps = number of positive examples correctly deducible from the rule

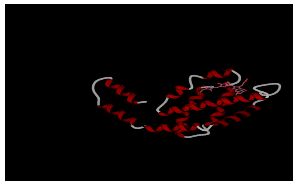
ng = number of negative examples that satisfy the conditions of the rules

c = length of the rule

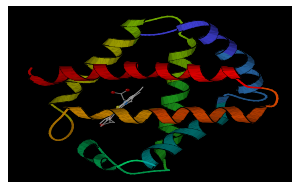
PT = total number of positive examples

- Select k rules with positive compression values.

Protein domain 1alla



Protein domain 2hbg



Relationally encoded features of protein domain
'd1alla_'.

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dom_t(d1alla_).  
len(d1alla_, 161). nb_alpha(d1alla_,7).  
nb_beta(d1alla_,0). has_pro(d1alla_h1).  
sec_struc(d1alla_, d1alla_h3).  
unit_t(d1alla_h3).  
sst(d1alla_h3,4,4,a,104,9,h,0.443,  
3.003,116.199, [v,t,p,i,e,e,i,g,v]).  
unit_hmom(d1alla_h2, hi). . .
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Relational encoded features of protein domain
'd2hbg_'.

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dom_t(d2hbg_).  
len(d2hbg_, 147). nb_alpha(d2hbg_,6).  
nb_beta(d2hbg_,0). has_pro(d2hbg_h5).  
sec_struc(d2hbg_, d2hbg_h2).  
unit_t(d2hbg_h2).  
sst(d2hbg_h2,3,3,blank,40,7,h,0.540,  
1.812, 213.564,  
[q,m,a,a,v,f,g]). . .
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SVILP Kernel

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fold(Globinlike,A) ←  
adjacent(A,B,C,1,h,h), adjacent(A,C,D,2,h,h), coil(B,C,4).  
/*A domain is classified 1 (belongs to Fold 'Globinlike') if heli-  
ces B(at position 1) and C are adjacent, C (at position 2) and  
D are adjacent and length of loop connecting B and C is 4.*/  
  
fold(Globinlike,A) ←  
adjacent(A,B,C,1,h,h), has_pro(C).  
/*A domain is classified 1 if helices B(at position 1) and C are  
adjacent and C has proline.*/  
  
fold('Globinlike',A) ←  
adjacent(A,B,C,1,h,h), coil(B,C,4), nb_α_interval(4=<(A=<8)).  
/*A domain is classified 1 if helices B (at position 1) and C are  
adjacent, number of α helices are in range [4,8] and length of  
loop connecting B and C is 4*/.
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Feature Map and SVILP Kernel

$$\phi(d1alla_) = \phi(d1) = (1 * 1 \ 1 * 1 \ 1 * 1)^T = (1 \ 1 \ 1)^T$$

$$\phi(d2hbg_) = \phi(d2) = (1 * 1 \ 0 * 1 \ 1 * 1)^T = (1 \ 0 \ 1)^T$$

$$k(d1, d2) = k(d2, d1) = 2, \quad k(d1, d1) = 3 \text{ and } k(d2, d2) = 2$$

Multi-class Classification: Decision List based SVILP (DL_SVILP)

Require: A set of training examples $d_i \in D$ and $c_i \in \{1, 2, \dots, r\}$ and a vector *index* that represents learned structure of the list.

for $j = 1$ to $r - 1$ **do**

$p = \text{index}[j]$ /* Select a class p from r classes */

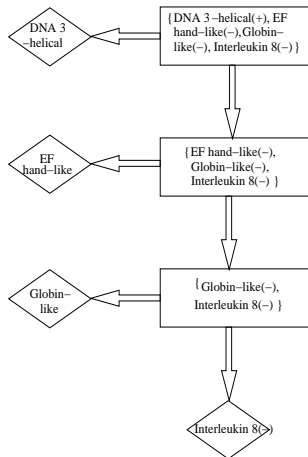
/* Formulate the binary class problem by assigning label '1' to examples of class p and '-1' to examples of remaining classes */

$f_i : D_i \rightarrow \{1, -1\}$ /* Induce a binary classification function f_i by applying SVILP to set D_i */

$D_{i+1} = D_i \setminus D_p$ /* Reduce the size of set D_i by removing the examples belonging to class p */

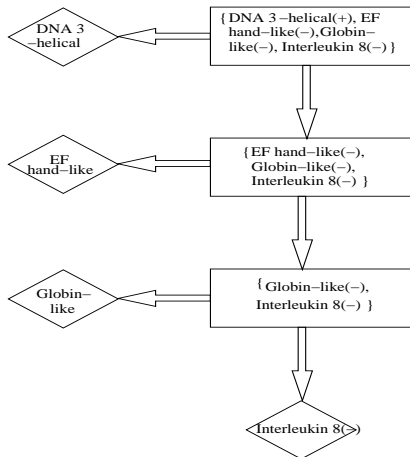
end for

return f_i for $i = 1, \dots, r - 1$



Multi-class Classification: Decision list-based SVILP (DL_SVILP)

- 1 Begin at the root node
- 2 Apply the classifier associated with the node to example d
- 3 Travel down the edge labeled by the classifier's output
- 4 If the edge is labeled positive output the class associated with the leaf. If the edge is labeled negative repeat steps 2 and 3 until the last positive edge is reached. Output the label given by the node.



Learning underlying Structure for DL_SVILP

Require: Training set, d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n , validation set, d'_1, d'_2, \dots, d'_s , r classes and a logic based kernel learning algorithm (such as SVILP)

for $j = 1$ to r **do**

/* Formulate the binary class problem by assigning label '1' to examples of class j and '-1' to examples of remaining classes */

/* Induce a binary classification function by applying SVILP to training data, d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n */

/* Apply the learned function to validation set, d'_1, d'_2, \dots, d'_s */

/* Measure performance of classifier by using expression */

$$S[j]' = W_P * P^- + W_N * N^+$$

where P = total number of positive example, N = total number of negative examples, P^- = number of misclassified positive examples, N^- = number of misclassified negative examples, $W_P = \frac{N}{P}$ and $W_N = 1$

$$index[j]' = j$$

end for

/* Sort list S' in ascending order and reorder list $index'$ accordingly */

$S = sort(S')$

$index = reorder(index')$

return $index$ and S

Evaluation Measures

$$P_j = \text{\#examples in class } j$$

$$P = \sum_{j=1}^{j=k} P_j = \text{\#examples in } k \text{ classes}$$

$$TP_j = \text{\#correctly classified examples in class } j$$

$$\text{Accuracy}_j = \frac{TP_j}{P_j}$$

$$\text{Overall accuracy (OA)} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^{j=k} TP_j}{P}$$

Experiments: Recognizing Protein Folds

- 381 protein domains
- 20 folds of SCOP categorized into 4 structural classes, namely α , β , α/β $\alpha + \beta$
- SCOP folds:
1: DNA 3-helical, 2: EF hand-like, 3: Globin-like, 4: 4-Helical cytokines, 5: Lambda repressor, 6: Ig beta-sandwich, 7: Tryp ser proteases, 8: OB-fold, 9: SH3-like barrel, 10: Lipocalins, 11: α/β TIM-barrel, 12: Rossmann-fold, 13: P-loop, 14: Periplasmic II, 15: α/β -Hydrolases, 16: Ferredoxin-like, 17: Zincin-like, 18: SH2-like, 19: β -Grasp, and 20: Interleukin.

Experiments: Recognizing Protein Folds

Table: 5-fold cross-validated accuracies for 20 SCOP folds.

Fold	#Exm	MC_ILP	DL_SVILP	MC_SVM
α				
1	30	93.3 \pm 4.6	66.7 \pm 8.6	43.3 \pm 9.1
2	14	28.6 \pm 12.1	57.1 \pm 13.2	14.3 \pm 9.4
3	13	46.2 \pm 13.8	53.9 \pm 13.8	46.2 \pm 13.8
4	10	10.0 \pm 9.5	30.0 \pm 14.5	0.0 \pm 0.0
5	10	40.0 \pm 15.5	40.0 \pm 15.5	30.0 \pm 14.5
OA		55.8 \pm 5.7	54.6 \pm 5.7	31.2 \pm 5.3
β				
6	45	73.3 \pm 6.6	88.9 \pm 4.7	68.9 \pm 6.9
7	21	57.1 \pm 10.8	90.5 \pm 6.4	66.7 \pm 10.3
8	20	0.0 \pm 0.0	35.0 \pm 10.7	25.0 \pm 9.7
9	16	43.8 \pm 12.4	75.0 \pm 10.8	68.8 \pm 12.0
10	14	64.3 \pm 12.8	71.4 \pm 12.1	71.4 \pm 12.1
OA		52.6 \pm 4.6	75.9 \pm 4.0	61.2 \pm 4.5

Experiments: Recognizing Protein Folds

Table: 5-fold cross-validated accuracies for 20 SCOP folds.

Fold	#Exm	MC_ILP	DL_SVILP	MC_SVM
α/β				
11	55	52.7 \pm 6.7	76.4 \pm 5.7	56.4 \pm 6.7
12	21	52.4 \pm 10.9	90.5 \pm 6.4	28.6 \pm 9.7
13	14	28.6 \pm 12.1	50.0 \pm 13.4	21.4 \pm 11.0
14	13	7.7 \pm 7.4	38.5 \pm 13.5	0.0 \pm 0.0
15	12	0.0 \pm 0.0	8.3 \pm 8.0	16.7 \pm 10.8
OA		39.1 \pm 4.6	64.4 \pm 4.5	36.5 \pm 5.0
$\alpha + \beta$				
16	26	53.9 \pm 9.8	69.2 \pm 9.1	34.6 \pm 9.3
17	13	15.4 \pm 10.0	53.9 \pm 13.8	30.8 \pm 12.8
18	13	7.7 \pm 7.4	53.8 \pm 13.8	38.5 \pm 13.5
19	12	0.0 \pm 0.0	25.0 \pm 12.5	33.3 \pm 13.6
20	9	77.8 \pm 13.9	66.7 \pm 15.7	22.2 \pm 13.9
OA		32.9 \pm 5.7	54.8 \pm 5.6	32.9 \pm 5.6
OA		45.4 \pm 2.6	64.0 \pm 2.5	42.3 \pm 2.5

Experiments: Recognizing Protein Folds

Table: Accuracy \pm standard deviation for 45 protein folds.

Fold	MC_ILP	DL_SVILP
α	57.78 \pm 5.21	62.22 \pm 5.11
β	33.64 \pm 4.57	45.79 \pm 4.82
α/β	56.45 \pm 4.45	62.90 \pm 4.33
$\alpha + \beta$	66.67 \pm 5.41	72.62 \pm 5.27
All	52.84 \pm 2.48	60.25 \pm 2.43

Conclusion

- Logic based multi-class classification method
- Accurate solutions to protein fold recognition problems