

High-dimensional Consistencies of Efficient Screening Methods Based on Information and MER Criteria in Discriminant Analysis

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1. Two Groups Discriminant Analysis
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Two-Groups Discriminant Analysis

p -variate: $\mathbf{x} = (x_1, \dots, x_p)'$

$$\mathbf{x} \mid \Pi^{(i)} \sim N(\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(i)}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}), \quad i = 1, 2$$

Samples:

$$\mathbf{x}_1^{(i)}, \dots, \mathbf{x}_{n_i}^{(i)}, \quad i = 1, \dots, n_i; \quad i = 1, 2$$

Mean Vectors, Sample Covariance Matrix, Matrix due to Within Groups,

$$\bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(i)}, \quad \mathbf{S}, \quad \mathbf{W} = (n - 2)\mathbf{S}$$

Linear Discriminant Function:

$$(\bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(1)} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(2)})' \mathbf{S}^{-1} \left\{ \mathbf{x} - \frac{1}{2}(\bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(1)} + \bar{\mathbf{x}}^{(2)}) \right\}$$

Main Purposes in Discriminant Analysis

Data Analysis:

- (1) Classification of new observations x
- (2) Interpretation of discriminant function

Theoretical Interests:

- (1) How to find a "best" subvector of x
- (2) Study for properties of variable selection methods

Notation for subsets of variables:

$$\mathbf{x}_j = \{x_{j_1}, \dots, x_{j_{p_j}}\} \iff j = \{j_1, \dots, j_{p_j}\} \subset \omega = \{1, \dots, p\}$$

Asymptotic Framework

A0: Large-Sample AF

$$p; \text{ fix, } n_1 \rightarrow \infty, n_2 \rightarrow \infty$$

$$n_i/n \rightarrow k_i, \quad 0 < k_i < 1, \quad i = 1, 2$$

A1: High-Dimensional AF

$$p, n_1, n_2 \rightarrow \infty$$

$$p/n \rightarrow c \in (0, 1)$$

$$n_i/n \rightarrow k_i \quad 0 < k_i < 1, \quad i = 1, 2$$

Motivation for High-Dimensional Asymptotic Framework

(1) Real Data:

$(p, n) = (30, 100), (50, 200), \text{ etc.}$

(2) Data set after reduced by naive criteria

Original microarray data; $p = 3571, n_1 = 47, n_2 = 25$

By applying the BW (Between-Within) Criterion:

$p = 20, n_1 = 47, n_2 = 25$. Dudoit et al. (2002)

Variable Selection Models

Coefficient Vector of Linear Discriminant Function:

$$\beta = \Sigma^{-1}(\mu^{(1)} - \mu^{(2)}) = (\beta_1, \dots, \beta_p)'$$

Variable Selection Models:

$$M_j : \beta_i \neq 0 \text{ for } i \in j, \quad \beta_i = 0 \text{ for } i \notin j$$

No Additional Information Models:

$$\widetilde{M}_j : \beta_i = 0 \text{ for } i \notin j$$

Information Criterion IC_d

AIC:

$$\begin{aligned} A_j &= AIC_j - AIC_\omega \\ &= n \log \left\{ 1 + \frac{g^2(D_\omega^2 - D_j^2)}{n - 2 + g^2 D_j^2} \right\} - 2(p_\omega - p_j) \end{aligned}$$

D_j and D_ω : Mahalanobis Distances based on x_j and x

Information Criterion:

$$IC_{d,j} = n \log \left\{ 1 + \frac{g^2(D_\omega^2 - D_j^2)}{n - 2 + g^2 D_j^2} \right\} - d(p_\omega - p_j)$$

AIC; $d = 2$ BIC; $d = \log n$

ER (Error Rate) Criterion - LS

Expected Error Rate by Linear Discriminant Function W

$$\text{ER} = \frac{1}{2}P(W < 0|\Pi^{(1)}) + \frac{1}{2}P(W > 0|\Pi^{(2)})$$

LS-Estimator for ER based on x_j : $\Phi(\tilde{G}_j)$

$$\begin{aligned}\tilde{G}_j = & -\frac{1}{2}D_j + \frac{1}{2}(p_j - 1)\frac{1}{D_j} \left(\frac{1}{n_1} + \frac{1}{n_2} \right) \\ & + \frac{1}{32(n-2)}D_j \{4p_j(4p_j - 1) - D_j^2\}\end{aligned}$$

(McLachlan (1976,1980))

ER (Error Rate) Criterion - HD

Expected Error Rate by Linear Discriminant Function W

$$\text{ER} = \frac{1}{2}P(W < c_0|\Pi^{(1)}) + \frac{1}{2}P(W > c_0|\Pi^{(2)})$$

$$c_0 = \frac{1}{2} \frac{n}{n-p} \left(\frac{p}{n_2} - \frac{p}{n_1} \right)$$

HD-Estimator for ER based on x_j : $\Phi(G_j)$

$$G_j = -\frac{1}{2} \tilde{\Delta}_j^2 \{ \tilde{\Delta}_j^2 + g^{-2}(p_j - 2) \}^{-1/2} \{ (n - p_j) / (n - 1) \}^{1/2}$$

$$\tilde{\Delta}_j^2 = \{ (n - p_j - 1) / (n - 2) \} D_j^2 - g^{-2}(p_j - 2)$$

$$g^2 = (n_1 n_2) / n$$

(Hyodo and Kubokawa (2014), Yamada, Sakurai and Fujikoshi (2017))

Large-Sample Results

1. AIC is not consistent
2. BIC is consistent
3. AIC and ERC are asymptotically equivalent

Efficient Screening (ES) Methods , Based on IC

Subset and Subvector

$$\omega(i) = \omega \cap \{i\}^c \Leftrightarrow \mathbf{x}_{\omega(i)}, \quad \omega = \{1, 2, \dots, p\}$$

(ES) Methods based on IC_d (Zho et al (1986), etc.)

$$IC_{d,\omega(i)} (= IC_{d,\omega(i)} - IC_{d,\omega}) > 0 \Rightarrow \text{Select } x_i$$

$$IC_{d,\omega(i)} (= IC_{d,\omega(i)} - IC_{d,\omega}) < 0 \Rightarrow \text{Delete } x_i$$

Computations:

$$IC_d : 2^p, \quad ES_{IC_d} : p$$

Main Theorem I

- (1) The dimension of j_* is finite
 - (2) For any $i \in j_*$, $\lim \Delta_{\{i\} \cdot \omega(i)}^2 / \Delta^2 > 0$
 - (3) $d = \sqrt{n}$
- \Rightarrow $\text{ES}_{\text{IC}\sqrt{n}}$ is consistent

Simulation Experiments for $ES_{IC\sqrt{n}}$

Set-up

$$j_* = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$\Sigma = \mathbf{I}_p$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(1)} = (1, 1, 1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(2)} = (-1, -1, -1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

Selected Probabilities

Table for $d=2$

			$d = 2$		
n_1	n_2	p	Under	True	Over
50	50	5	0.00	0.68	0.32
100	100	5	0.00	0.69	0.31
200	200	5	0.00	0.71	0.29
50	50	25	0.00	0.01	0.99
100	100	50	0.00	0.00	1.00
200	200	100	0.00	0.00	1.00
50	50	50	0.00	0.00	1.00
100	100	100	0.00	0.00	1.00
200	200	200	0.00	0.00	1.00

Selected Probabilities

Table for $d = \log n$ and $d = n^{1/2}$

$d = \log n$			$d = \sqrt{n}$		
Under	True	Over	Under	True	Over
0.01	0.92	0.08	0.04	0.95	0.01
0.00	0.95	0.05	0.00	1.00	0.00
0.00	0.97	0.03	0.00	1.00	0.00
0.01	0.28	0.72	0.06	0.82	0.12
0.00	0.14	0.86	0.00	0.94	0.06
0.00	0.05	0.95	0.00	0.99	0.01
0.02	0.01	0.97	0.13	0.33	0.54
0.00	0.00	1.00	0.01	0.53	0.46
0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.75	0.25

Efficient Screening (ES) Methods , Based on IC

$$Bc_j = N \log \left\{ 1 + \frac{\frac{N_1 N_2}{N} (D_\omega^2 - D_{\omega(j)}^2)}{N - 2 + \frac{N_1 N_2}{N} D_{\omega(j)}^2} \right\} - \log N \left(1 + \frac{N}{N - p} \right)$$

Selected Probabilities Table for Bc_j

n_1	n_2	p	Bc_j		
			Under	True	Over
50	50	5	0.04	0.96	0.01
100	100	5	0.00	1.00	0.00
200	200	5	0.00	1.00	0.00
50	50	25	0.09	0.81	0.10
100	100	50	0.00	0.89	0.11
200	200	100	0.00	0.88	0.12
50	50	50	0.29	0.49	0.23
100	100	100	0.01	0.64	0.35
200	200	200	0.00	0.63	0.37

Lemma

p -variate: $x = (x_1', x_2)'$, $x_i : p_i \times 1$

D and D_1 ; Mahalanobis distances based on x and x_1

$$(1) D_1^2 = (n - 2)g^{-2}R, \quad R = \frac{\chi_{p_1}^2 (g^2 \Delta_1^2)}{\chi_{n-p_1-1}^2}$$

$$(2) D_{2.1}^2 = (n - 2) \frac{\chi_{p_2}^2 \left(g^2 \Delta_{2.1}^2 \cdot \frac{1}{1+R} \right)}{\chi_{n-p-1}^2} \times (1 + R)$$

$$(3) \frac{g^2(D^2 - D_1^2)}{n - 2 + g^2 D_1^2} = \frac{\chi_{p_2}^2 (g^2 \Delta_{2.1}^2 (1 + R)^{-1})}{\chi_{n-p-1}^2}$$

Here, $\chi_{p_1}^2$, $\chi_{n-p_1-1}^2$, $\chi_{p_2}^2$ and χ_{n-p-1}^2 are independent. $g^2 = n_1 n_2 / n$.

Efficient Screening (ES) Methods Based on ER

$$G_j = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}\tilde{\Delta}_j^2}{\sqrt{\left\{ \tilde{\Delta}_j^2 + \frac{n(p_j - 2)}{n_1 n_2} \right\} \frac{n - 1}{n - p_j}}}$$

$$\tilde{\Delta}_j^2 = \frac{n - p_j - 1}{n - 2} D_j^2 - \frac{n(p_j - 2)}{n_1 n_2}$$

$$D_j^2 = (\bar{\mathbf{x}}_{1j} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}_{2j})' \mathbf{S}_j^{-1} (\bar{\mathbf{x}}_{1j} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}_{2j})$$

$$\mathbf{S}_j = \frac{1}{n - 2} \sum_{i=1}^2 \sum_{k=1}^{n_i} (\mathbf{x}_{ik,j} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}_{kj})(\mathbf{x}_{ik,j} - \bar{\mathbf{x}}_{kj})'$$

Efficient Screening (ES) Methods Based on ER

Method; $ES_{ER,d}$

$$G_{\omega(i)} - G_{\omega} > d \Rightarrow \text{Select } x_i$$

$$G_{\omega(i)} - G_{\omega} < d \Rightarrow \text{Delete } x_i$$

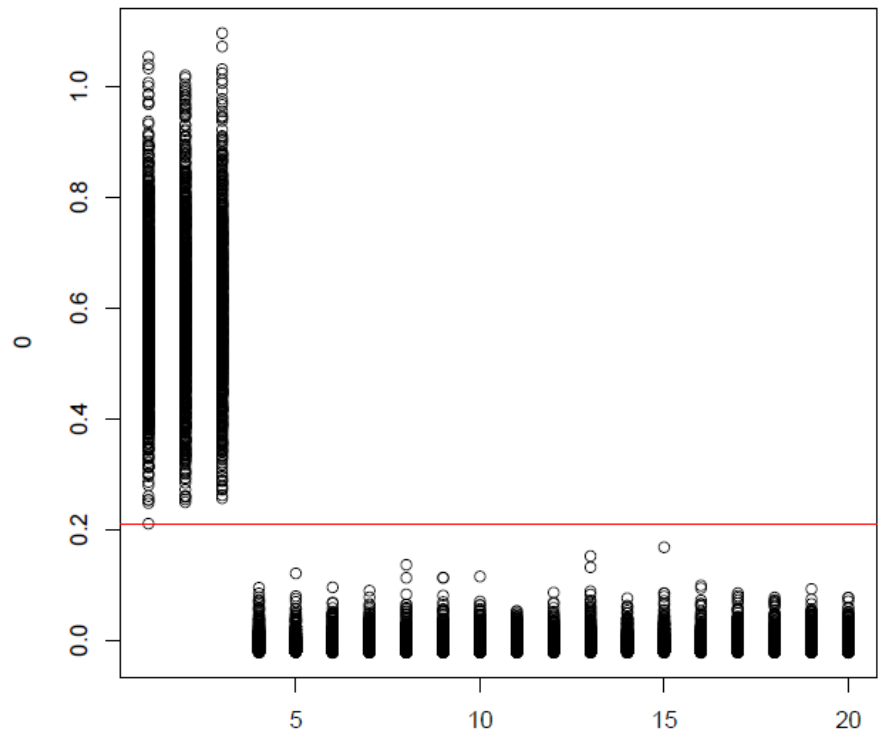
Some Candidates for d :

$$d_1 = 0, \quad d_2 = \frac{1}{\sqrt{n}} \sqrt{\frac{p}{n}} |G_{\omega}|$$

Plots of $G_{\omega(j)} - G_{\omega}$

$\omega = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, p\}$, $p = 20$, $n_1 = n_2 = 100$, $\Sigma = \mathbf{I}_p$

$\mu^{(1)} = (2, 2, 2, 0, \dots, 0)'$, $\mu^{(2)} = (-2, -2, -2, 0, \dots, 0)'$



Simulation Experiments for $ES_{ER,d}$

Set-up

$$j_* = \{1, 2, 3\}$$

$$\Sigma = \mathbf{I}_p$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(1)} = (1, 1, 1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

$$\boldsymbol{\mu}^{(2)} = (-1, -1, -1, 0, \dots, 0)$$

Selected Probabilities (ESER)

Table for $d=d_1, d_2$

n_1	n_2	p	$d = d_1$			$d = d_2$		
			Under	True	Over	Under	True	Over
50	50	5	0.00	0.69	0.31	0.01	0.94	0.05
100	100	5	0.00	0.70	0.30	0.00	0.96	0.04
200	200	5	0.00	0.71	0.29	0.00	0.96	0.04
50	50	25	0.00	0.03	0.97	0.05	0.81	0.14
100	100	50	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.90	0.10
200	200	100	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.96	0.04
50	50	50	0.02	0.00	0.99	0.23	0.52	0.25
100	100	100	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.02	0.71	0.27
200	200	200	0.00	0.00	1.00	0.00	0.86	0.14



Future Subjects

(1) Consistency Properties of $ES_{IC,d}$

under HD-Asymptotic Framework when :

$$j_*; \text{ infinite, } \Delta^2 = O(n^\gamma)$$

(2) Choice of d in $ES_{ER,d}$

under HD-Asymptotic Framework:

(3) Theoretical study of variable selection methods

under $p \gg n$



Thank you for your attention