

Chapter 7

Indices and Evaluation Methods

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Introduction

- Evaluation of the aggregation methods and their parameters
 - Graphical representations
 - Indices for fuzzy measures (fuzzy games)
 - * Shapley, Banzhaf
 - Interaction index
 - Dispersion (entropy) for weights (but also for fuzzy measures)
 - Degree of disjunction
 - Tools in robust statistics
 - * Influence function, gross-error sensitivity, local-shift sensitivity

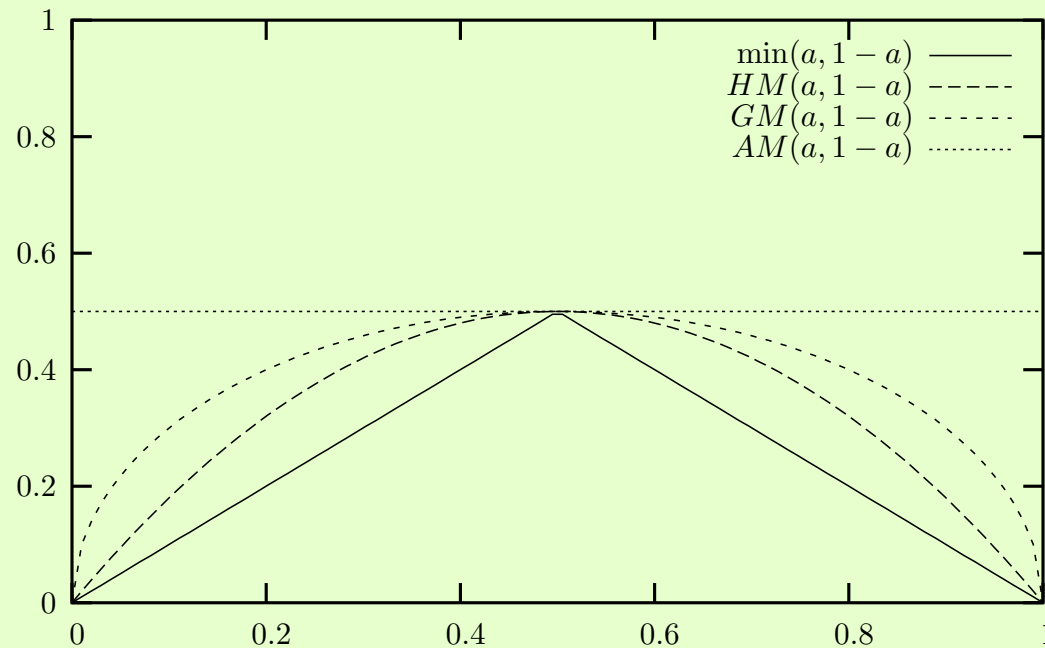
Graphical representation

- Representation of $\mathcal{C}_{\mathcal{C}}(x) = \mathbb{C}(x, \text{neg}(x))$:

- $\mathcal{C}_{AM}(x) = (x + 1 - x)/2 = 1/2$

- $\mathcal{C}_{GM}(x) = \sqrt{x(1-x)}$

- $\mathcal{C}_{HM}(x) = 2(1-x)x$



Indices of power: Shapley and Banzhaf

- 0-1 fuzzy measures on X can be used to model coalitions on X (games)
 $\mu(A) = 1$ is A is a winning coalition
 - Indices to model the power of x in X
- Interest in information fusion because for crisp sets:

$$CI_{\mu}(\chi_A) = \mu(A)$$

$$SI_{\mu}(\chi_A) = \mu(A)$$

χ_A the characteristic function of the set A

- Different indices, different ways of defining the power

Indices of power: Shapley and Banzhaf

- Shapley-Shubik of μ for x_i (μ a 0-1 measure)
 - $\varphi_{x_i}(\mu)$ counts the number of times that x_i changes a losing coalition into a winning one.
I.e., $\mu(S \cup \{x_i\}) = 1$ while $\mu(S) = 0$
 - For fuzzy measures (Shapley index) measures the difference.
I.e., $\mu(S \cup \{x_i\}) - \mu(S)$
 - This is achieved considering all orderings ρ_X ($X!$ different orders):

$$\varphi_{x_i}(\mu) = \frac{1}{N!} \sum_{r \in \rho_X} (\mu(r_{x_i} \cup \{x_i\}) - \mu(r_{x_i}))$$

there are different alternative expressions

- There are characterizations of this value (see Theorem 7.5)

Indices of power: Shapley and Banzhaf

- Banzhaf Value of μ for x_i
 - Shapley counts twice some sets. E.g.,
 - * $X = \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}$ s.t. $\mu(\{x_1, x_2\}) = 0$ and $\mu(\{x_1, x_2, x_3\}) = 1$.
 - * The Shapley value for x_3 counts twice the fact that x_3 changes $\mu(\{x_1, x_2\})$, equal to 0 to $\mu(\{x_1, x_2, x_3\})$ equal to 1.
 - This is so because both orderings, $r_1 = (x_1, x_2, x_3)$ and $r_2 = (x_2, x_1, x_3)$, will be considered when computing $\varphi_{x_3}(\mu)$.
 - This is solved considering the pairs S and $S \setminus \{x_i\}$:
unnormalized (or nonstandardized or absolute) Banzhaf index:

$$\beta'_{x_i}(\mu) := \frac{\sum_{S \subseteq X} (\mu(S) - \mu(S \setminus \{x_i\}))}{2^{N-1}}.$$

Average values

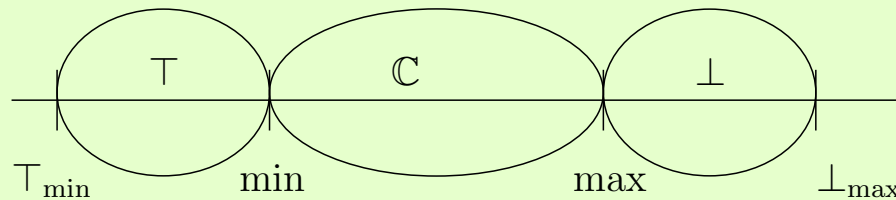
- Average value of \mathbb{C} (function on $[0, 1]^N$ with parameter P):

$$AV(\mathbb{C}_P) := \int_0^1 \dots \int_0^1 C_P(a_1, \dots, a_N) da_1 \dots da_N.$$

- $AV(\min) = N/(N + 1)$
- $AV(\max) = 1/(N + 1)$
- $AV(AM) = 1/2$

Orness or the Degree of Disjunction

- t-norms (conjunction), binary aggregation operators, and t-conorms (disjunction):



- Orness of \mathbb{C}_P : similarity to the maximum:

$$orness(\mathbb{C}_P) := \frac{AV(\mathbb{C}_P) - AV(\min)}{AV(\max) - AV(\min)}$$

- Andness: $andness = 1 - orness$

Orness or the Degree of Disjunction

- A few orness:

- $orness(\max) = 1$

- $orness(\min) = 0$

- $orness(AM) = 1/2$

- $orness(WM_{\mathbf{p}}) = 1/2$

- $orness(GM_{\mathbf{p}=(p_1, \dots, p_N)}) = \frac{N+1}{N-1} \left(\frac{N}{N+1}\right)^N - \frac{1}{N-1}$

- $orness(OWA_{\mathbf{w}}) = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{i=1}^N (N-i)w_i$

- $orness(HM_{\mathbf{p}=(p_1, p_2)}) = 0.2274$; $orness(HM_{\mathbf{p}=(p_1, p_2, p_3)}) = 0.2257$

- $orness(CI_{\mu}) = \frac{1}{N-1} \sum_{A \subseteq X} \frac{N-|A|}{|A|+1} m(A)$ (m : Definition 5.14)

- Properties:

- $orness(GM)_{\mathbf{p}=(p_1, \dots, p_N)} < orness(GM)_{\mathbf{p}=(p_1, \dots, p_{N+1})}$.

- E.g., for $N = 2$, $orness(GM) = 1/3 = 0.3333$

- for $N = 3$ $orness(GM) = 11/32 = 0.3437$.

Orness or the Degree of Disjunction

- Continuous Orness for a Fuzzy Quantifiers Q (OWA)

- Definition:

$$\textit{orness}(Q) := \int_0^1 Q(x) dx.$$

- Examples of quantifiers

Sugeno λ -quantifier: ($\lambda > -1$)

- * if $\lambda = 0$, $Q_\lambda(x) = x$

- * if $\lambda \neq 0$, $Q_\lambda(x) = (e^{x \ln(1+\lambda)} - 1)/\lambda$.

Yager α -quantifier: ($\alpha > 0$)

$$Q_\alpha(x) = x^\alpha.$$

Orness or the Degree of Disjunction

- Continuous Orness for a Fuzzy Quantifiers Q (OWA)
 - Orness of the Sugeno λ -quantifier: ($\lambda = 0$, $orness(Q_\lambda) = 1/2$)

$$orness(Q_\lambda) = \frac{1}{\ln(1 + \lambda)} - \frac{1}{\lambda}.$$

- Orness of the Yager α -quantifier:

$$orness(Q_\alpha) = \frac{1}{\alpha + 1}.$$

Orness or the Degree of Disjunction

- Orness of the Q_λ , $\lambda \in (-1, 100]$ (left) and of Q_α , $\alpha \in (0, 100]$

