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In [2]: # Implementation: simplified UMAP-like layout (analytic gradients)

from __future__ import annotations

import math
import random
from typing import Tuple

import numpy as np
from sklearn.neighbors import NearestNeighbors

def build_symmetrized_knn(X: np.ndarray, k: int = 15) -> np.ndarray:
    """Compute k nearest neighbor indices for each point and return indices array.

    Note: the returned array does not include the point itself.
    """
    nbrs = NearestNeighbors(n_neighbors=k + 1, algorithm="auto").fit(X)
    distances, indices = nbrs.kneighbors(X)
    # drop self at column 0
    return indices[:, 1:]

def symmetrize_edges(knn_idx: np.ndarray) -> Tuple[np.ndarray, np.ndarray]:
    """Symmetrize directed KNN edges and return arrays of endpoints (i_idx, j_idx).

    Each undirected edge appears once with i < j.
    """
    N, k = knn_idx.shape
    edges = set()
    for i in range(N):
        for j in knn_idx[i]:
            a, b = (i, int(j))
            if a == b:
                continue
            if a > b:
                a, b = b, a
            edges.add((a, b))
    edges = sorted(edges)
    if not edges:
        return np.zeros((0,)), np.zeros((0,))
    i_idx = np.array([e[0] for e in edges], dtype=int)
    j_idx = np.array([e[1] for e in edges], dtype=int)
    return i_idx, j_idx

def sample_random_pairs(N: int, m: int, exclude_pairs: set | None = None, rng: random.Random | None = None) -> Tuple[np.ndarray, np.ndarray]:
    """Sample m random unordered pairs (i<j) from range(N), avoiding exclude_pairs.

    Returns two integer arrays (i_idx, j_idx) each of length m.
    """
    if rng is None:
        rng = random
    exclude_pairs = exclude_pairs or set()
    pairs = set()
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max_pairs = N * (N - 1) // 2
if m >= max_pairs - len(exclude_pairs):
    # take all possible pairs except excluded
    for i in range(N):
        for j in range(i + 1, N):
            if (i, j) in exclude_pairs:
                continue
            pairs.add((i, j))
    pairs = list(pairs)
    rng.shuffle(pairs)
    pairs = pairs[:m]
    if not pairs:
        return np.zeros((0,)), dtype=int, np.zeros((0,)), dtype=int
    i_idx = np.array([p[0] for p in pairs], dtype=int)
    j_idx = np.array([p[1] for p in pairs], dtype=int)
    return i_idx, j_idx

attempts = 0
while len(pairs) < m:
    i = rng.randrange(0, N)
    j = rng.randrange(0, N - 1)
    if j >= i:
        j = j + 1
    a, b = (i, j) if i < j else (j, i)
    if (a, b) in exclude_pairs:
        attempts += 1
        if attempts > m * 10:
            # fallback to enumerating remaining pairs
            for ii in range(N):
                for jj in range(ii + 1, N):
                    if (ii, jj) in exclude_pairs:
                        continue
                    pairs.add((ii, jj))
                    if len(pairs) >= m:
                        break
                if len(pairs) >= m:
                    break
            break
        continue
    pairs.add((a, b))

pairs = list(pairs)
i_idx = np.array([p[0] for p in pairs], dtype=int)
j_idx = np.array([p[1] for p in pairs], dtype=int)
return i_idx, j_idx

def layout_force_directed(
    X: np.ndarray,
    dim: int = 2,
    k: int = 15,
    R_mult: int = 5,
    c: float = 10.0,
    epochs: int = 400,
    lr: float = 1.0,
    seed: int | None = None,
    verbose: bool = True,
) -> np.ndarray:
    """Run the simplified UMAP-like optimization and return low-dim positions Z.

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The implementation uses analytic gradients and resamples R each epoch.
"""
rng = np.random.default_rng(seed)
N = X.shape[0]
knn_idx = build_symmetrized_knn(X, k=k)
i_e, j_e = symmetrize_edges(knn_idx)

edge_set = set((int(a), int(b)) for a, b in zip(i_e, j_e))

Z = 0.01 * rng.standard_normal((N, dim))

R_size = int(R_mult * N)
if verbose:
    print(f"N={N}, edges={len(i_e)}, R_size={R_size}, epochs={epochs}")

for epoch in range(epochs):
    t = epoch / max(1, epochs - 1)
    eta = lr * (1.0 - 0.9 * t)

    grads = np.zeros_like(Z)

    # Attractive gradients
    if len(i_e) > 0:
        diffs = Z[i_e] - Z[j_e]
        d2 = np.sum(diffs * diffs, axis=1)
        denom = 1.0 + d2
        coeff = 2.0 / denom
        coeff = coeff.reshape(-1, 1)
        gi = coeff * diffs
        np.add.at(grads, i_e, gi)
        np.add.at(grads, j_e, -gi)

    # Repulsive pairs resampled each epoch
    ri, rj = sample_random_pairs(N, R_size, exclude_pairs=edge_set, rng=rng)
    if len(ri) > 0:
        rdiffs = Z[ri] - Z[rj]
        rd2 = np.sum(rdiffs * rdiffs, axis=1)
        rden = (1.0 + rd2) ** 2
        rcoeff = -2.0 * c / rden
        rcoeff = rcoeff.reshape(-1, 1)
        rgi = rcoeff * rdiffs
        np.add.at(grads, ri, rgi)
        np.add.at(grads, rj, -rgi)

    Z -= eta * grads

    if verbose and (epoch % max(1, epochs // 10) == 0 or epoch == epochs - 1):
        E_attr = 0.0
        if len(i_e) > 0:
            d2 = np.sum((Z[i_e] - Z[j_e]) ** 2, axis=1)
            E_attr = np.sum(np.log1p(d2))
        if len(ri) > 0:
            rd2 = np.sum((Z[ri] - Z[rj]) ** 2, axis=1)
            E_rep = np.sum(c / (1.0 + rd2))
        else:
            E_rep = 0.0
        print(f"epoch {epoch+1}/{epochs}: eta={eta:.4f}, E_attr={E_attr:.4f}")

return Z

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In [3]: # Demo: generate data, run layout, and plot result

# matplotlib inline for Jupyter
%matplotlib inline

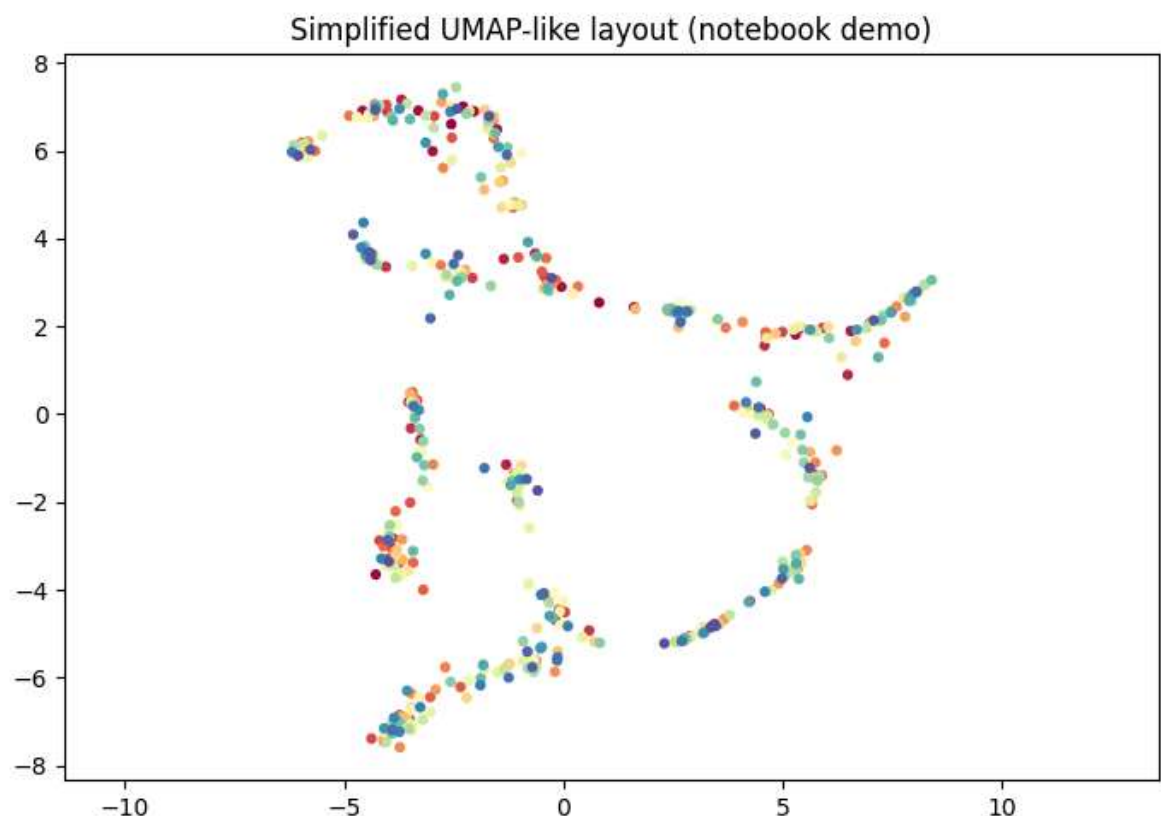
from sklearn.datasets import make_swiss_roll
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Create a moderate-size dataset for the notebook demo
X, _ = make_swiss_roll(n_samples=500, noise=0.1)

# Run simplified UMAP layout (this cell may take a little time depending on epoch
Z = layout_force_directed(X, dim=2, k=15, R_mult=5, c=10.0, epochs=200, lr=0.5,

# Plot
plt.figure(figsize=(7, 5))
plt.scatter(Z[:, 0], Z[:, 1], s=12, c=np.arange(Z.shape[0]), cmap="Spectral")
plt.title("Simplified UMAP-like layout (notebook demo)")
plt.axis('equal')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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N=500, edges=4318, R\_size=2500, epochs=200  
epoch 1/200: eta=0.5000, E\_attr=5146.5979, E\_rep=7845.5083  
epoch 21/200: eta=0.4548, E\_attr=9260.1773, E\_rep=1251.2211  
epoch 41/200: eta=0.4095, E\_attr=8319.2187, E\_rep=986.9747  
epoch 61/200: eta=0.3643, E\_attr=7703.3698, E\_rep=989.0607  
epoch 81/200: eta=0.3191, E\_attr=7524.9539, E\_rep=804.1073  
epoch 101/200: eta=0.2739, E\_attr=6721.4429, E\_rep=843.7179  
epoch 121/200: eta=0.2286, E\_attr=6228.2542, E\_rep=851.4307  
epoch 141/200: eta=0.1834, E\_attr=5215.0602, E\_rep=847.7466  
epoch 161/200: eta=0.1382, E\_attr=4189.6373, E\_rep=925.2879  
epoch 181/200: eta=0.0930, E\_attr=3143.0645, E\_rep=960.6862  
epoch 200/200: eta=0.0500, E\_attr=2169.9199, E\_rep=1079.6674



## 2 Kernel Density Estimation

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In [4]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
def k(x_line, x_i, w):
    x_diff = x_line[:, None] - x_i[None, :]
    return 1/(w*np.sqrt(2*np.pi))*np.exp(-(x_diff)**2/(2*w**2))
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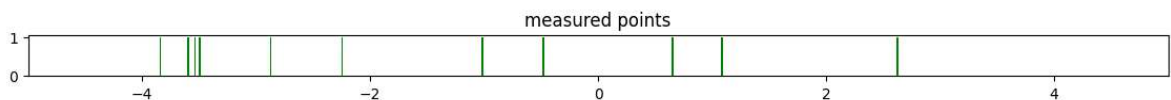
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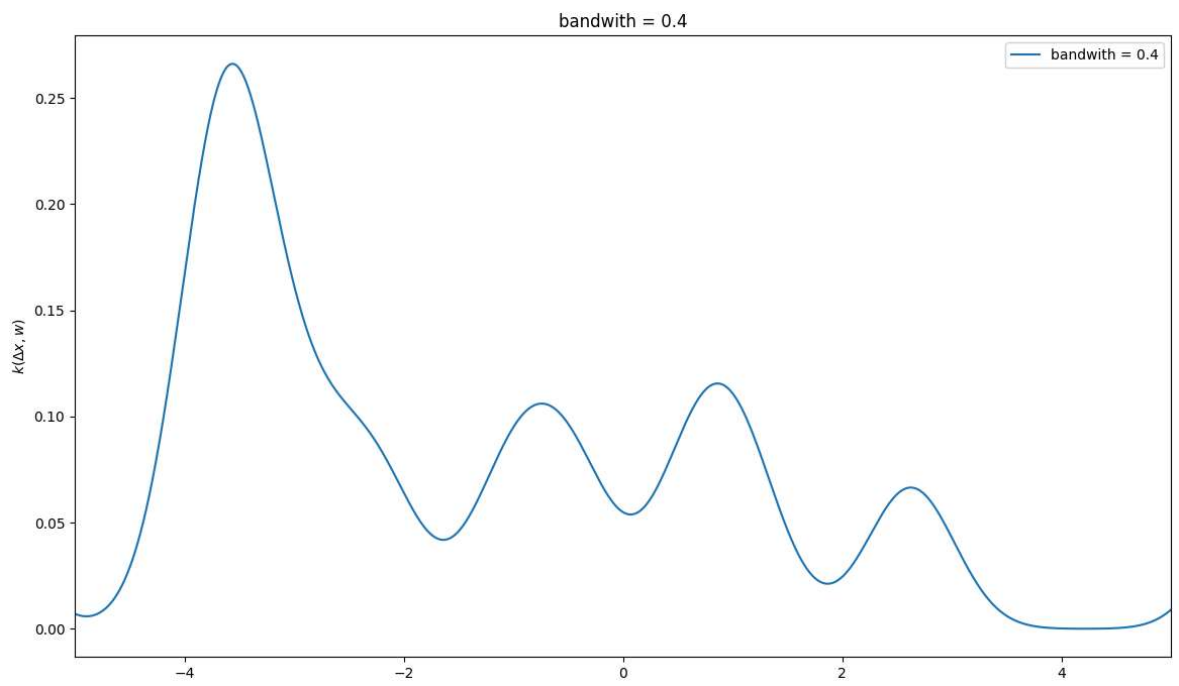
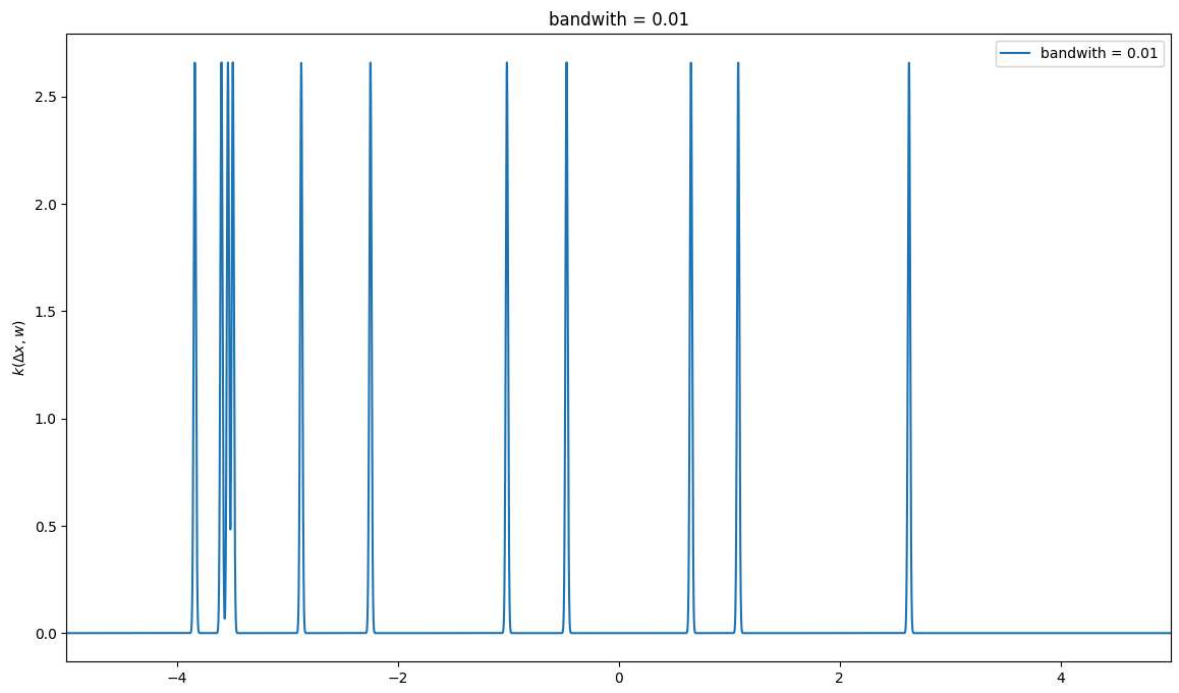
#generate N=15 measurement points, similar to those in exercise

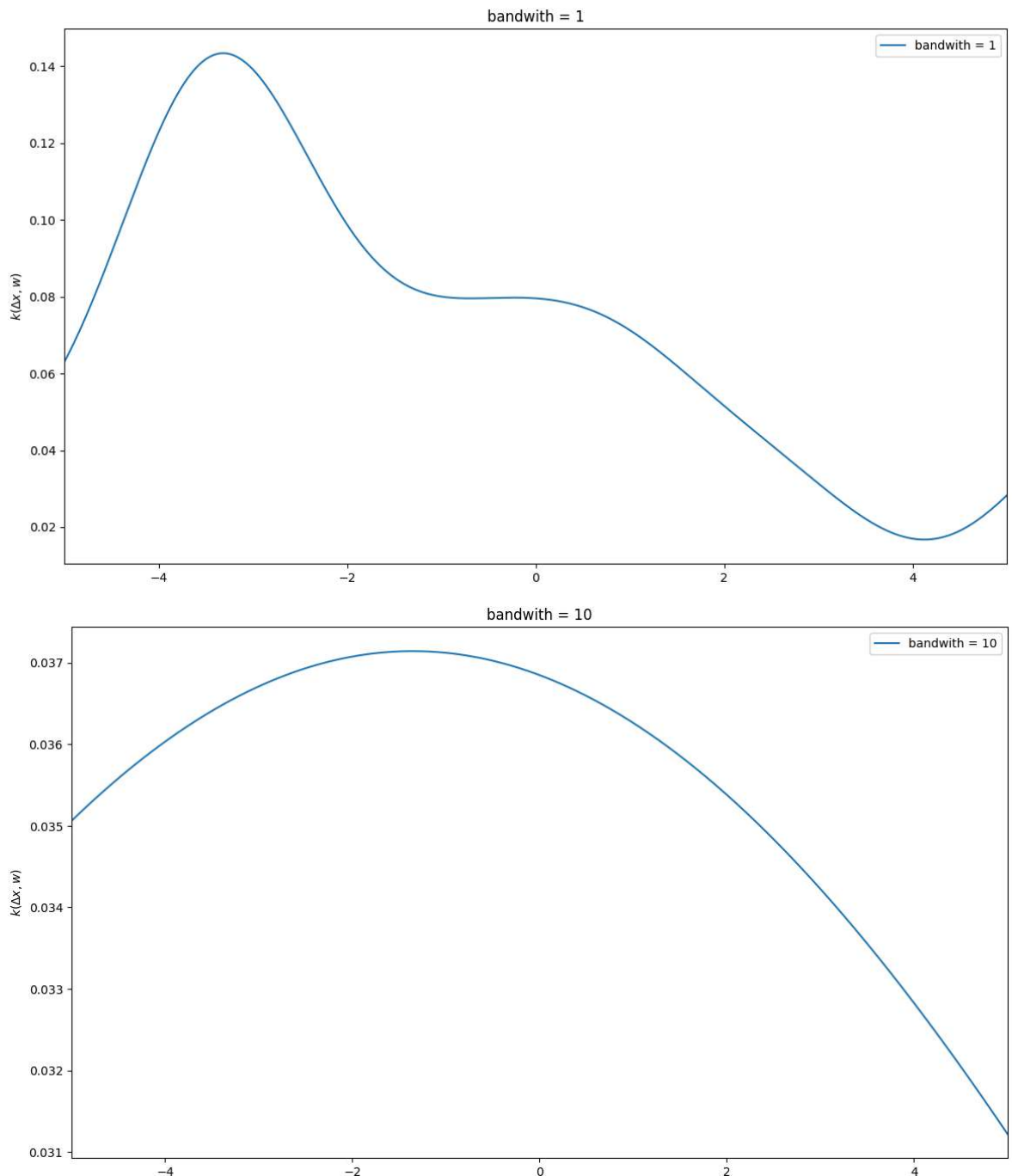
data = np.load('kde_1d_data.npy')
N=len(data)
#plot it
plt.figure(figsize=(14,.5))
plt.title('measured points')
plt.xlim(-5,5)
plt.hist(x, bins=1000, color='g')

#use kernel density estimation, to estimate probability density,
#with normal distribution
x_line = np.linspace(-5,5,10000)
k_bw = lambda bw: k(x_line, x, bw)

bandwidth = [0.01,0.4,1,10]
for w in bandwidth:
    plt.figure(figsize=(14,8))
    plt.title(f'bandwith = {w}')
    plt.xlim(-5,5)
    plt.ylabel(r'$k(\Delta x, w)$')
    kvals= k_bw(w)
    density_est = kvals.mean(axis=1)
    plt.plot(x_line, density_est, label=f'bandwith = {w}')
    plt.legend()
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a)

As we would expect, narrow bandwidths (f.ex.  $w = 0.01$ ) lead to a overfit wherethe set of datapoint are too dominant, while too wide bandwidths tend to generalize too much, such that the KDF dominates.

b)

To locally adjust bandwidth, we have to adapt it to the density of the given n data points, in a way, that high densities don't dominate too much. We could use the following scheme:

1. We start with kNN algorithm, to give each datapoint a weighted bandwidth  $w_i^*$ . Calculate the weight vector  $\vec{b}^*$  by applying kNN on each point and returning the mean distance of its k nearest neighbors. This vector can further be normalized by

dividing it by the mean or median of all sampled distances. With a more robust version, taking the median.  $b^* = b^*/\text{median}(b^*)$

2.

use adapted bandwidths  $w^*_i$  such that overfitting will be prevented. Therefore we take  $w^* = w\mathbb{1}_n b^*$  where  $w$  is a predetermined bandwidth,  $\mathbb{1}_n$  is a quadratic identity matrix with the rank of our data vector and  $b^*$  is the kNN weight.#

3.

Apply it now onto the KDF such that we get the output:

$$k(w^*, x_{\text{data}}, x) = \sum_i \frac{1}{w_i^* \sqrt{2\pi}} \exp\left(\frac{(x-x_i)^2}{2w_i^{*2}}\right)$$



3.

$$\begin{aligned}
 \hat{\beta} &= \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \sum_{n=1}^N \log \mathcal{N}(y_n | \beta^T x, \sigma^2) \\
 &= \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \sum_{n=1}^N \log \left( \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma^2} \exp\left(-\frac{(y_n - \beta^T x)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \right) \\
 &= \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \sum_{n=1}^N -\log(\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma) - \frac{(y_n - \beta^T x)^2}{2\sigma^2} \\
 &= \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmax}} -\log(\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma) \cdot N - \underbrace{\frac{\sum_{n=1}^N (y_n - \beta^T x)^2}{2\sigma^2}}_{\text{ignore non } \beta\text{-dependent part}} =: Q \\
 \Rightarrow &= \underset{\beta}{\operatorname{argmin}} \underbrace{\sum_{n=1}^N (y_n - \beta^T x)^2}_{= \text{SSQ}}
 \end{aligned}$$

To find  $\hat{\beta}$  we find the minimum of  $\text{SSQ} : \|\bar{y} - \beta^T X\|_2^2$

$$X = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^T \\ \vdots \\ x_N^T \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N} \Rightarrow \bar{X} \beta = \begin{bmatrix} x_0^T \\ \vdots \\ x_N^T \end{bmatrix} \beta = \begin{bmatrix} x_0^T \beta \\ \vdots \\ x_N^T \beta \end{bmatrix}$$

as  $x_i^T \beta$  is a scalar we can write it as  $\bar{X} \beta = \begin{bmatrix} \beta^T x_0 \\ \vdots \\ \beta^T x_N \end{bmatrix}$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{n=0}^N (y_n - \beta^T x_n)^2 = \|\bar{y} - \bar{X} \beta\|_2^2 = (\bar{y} - \bar{X} \beta)^T (\bar{y} - \bar{X} \beta) =: Q$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 Q &= [\bar{y}^T - (\bar{X} \beta)^T] (\bar{y} - \bar{X} \beta) = \bar{y}^T \bar{y} - \underbrace{\beta^T \bar{X}^T \bar{y}}_{\text{is scalar s.t.}} - \bar{y}^T \bar{X} \beta + \beta^T \bar{X}^T \bar{X} \beta \\
 &= \bar{y}^T \bar{y} - 2 \beta^T \bar{X}^T \bar{y} + \beta^T \bar{X}^T \bar{X} \beta
 \end{aligned}$$

$\beta^T \bar{X}^T \bar{y} = (\bar{X}^T \bar{y})^T \beta = \bar{y}^T \bar{X} \beta$

$\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \beta^T \bar{a} = \bar{a} \equiv \bar{X}^T \bar{y}$   
 $\frac{\partial}{\partial \beta} \beta^T \underbrace{\bar{X}^T \bar{X} \beta}_{\substack{\text{is } \mathbb{R}^{N \times N} \\ \text{symmetric}}} = (\bar{X}^T \bar{X} + \bar{X}^T \bar{X}) \beta$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\partial Q}{\partial \beta} = -2 \bar{X}^T \bar{y} + 2 \bar{X}^T \bar{X} \beta \stackrel{!}{=} 0$$

$$\Rightarrow \bar{X}^T \bar{X} \beta = \bar{X}^T \bar{y} \quad \text{as } \bar{X} \text{ should be positive definite}$$

$$\hat{\beta} = (\bar{X}^T \bar{X})^{-1} \bar{X}^T \bar{y} \quad \text{this equals the least-squares estimator}$$

Knowing this we now can calculate the  $\sigma$ -estimator  $\hat{\sigma}$ :

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \underset{\sigma^2}{\operatorname{argmax}} \sum_{n=1}^N \log \mathcal{N}(y_n | \hat{\beta}^T x, \sigma^2) =$$

$$= \underset{\sigma^2}{\operatorname{argmax}} -\log(\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma) N - \frac{\|\bar{y} - \bar{X} \hat{\beta}\|_2^2}{2\sigma^2}$$

$$= \underset{\sigma^2}{\operatorname{argmin}} \log(\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma) N - \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \|\bar{y} - \bar{X} \hat{\beta}\|_2^2$$

$$\Rightarrow 0 \stackrel{!}{=} N \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \log \sigma + \frac{\partial}{\partial \sigma} \frac{1}{2\sigma^2} \cdot \frac{\|\bar{y} - \bar{X} \hat{\beta}\|_2^2}{2}$$

$$0 = \frac{N}{\sigma} - \frac{2}{\sigma^3} \frac{\|\bar{y} - \bar{X} \hat{\beta}\|_2^2}{2}$$

$$N\sigma^2 = \|\bar{y} - \bar{X} \hat{\beta}\|_2^2 \Rightarrow \hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{\text{SSQ}}{N}$$

b) apply SSQ problem on  $y_n = \beta^T x_n + \varepsilon_n$

$\leadsto \|y_n - (X\beta + \varepsilon)\| \Rightarrow$  we get an additional term

$$= (y - (X\beta + \varepsilon))^T (y - (X\beta + \varepsilon)) = y^T y - (X\beta + \varepsilon)^T y - y^T (X\beta + \varepsilon) + \underbrace{(X\beta + \varepsilon)^T (X\beta + \varepsilon)}_{= \beta^T X^T X \beta + \beta^T X^T \varepsilon + \varepsilon^T X \beta + \varepsilon^T \varepsilon}$$

ignore terms w.o.  $\beta$

$$= -\beta^T X^T y - y^T X \beta + \beta^T X^T X \beta + \beta^T X^T \varepsilon + \varepsilon^T X \beta \equiv Q$$

apply logic that  $\beta^T X \varepsilon$  is a scalar  
we say:  $\|\beta^T X \varepsilon\| = \|(X^T \beta)^T \varepsilon\| = \|\varepsilon^T X \beta\|$

$$\partial_\beta Q = -2\beta^T X^T y + 2\beta^T X^T \varepsilon + \beta^T X^T X \beta$$

$$0 \stackrel{!}{=} -2(X^T y - X \varepsilon) + 2X^T X \beta$$

$$\hat{\beta}(c) = (X^T X)^{-1} (X^T y - X \varepsilon) = \hat{\beta} - (X^T X)^{-1} X \varepsilon$$