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Quiz 7

Problem 1

1/1 point (graded)

Suppose we use a basis expansion $\Phi(x)$ for the purposes of getting a quadratic decision boundary. For two-dimensional data, we can do this by expanding to five features. What decision boundary is represented by $w \cdot \Phi(x) + b = 0$ for $w = (2, 1, 2, -1, 0)$ and $b = -1$?

☐ $2x_1^2 + x_2^2 + 2x_1 - x_2 - 1 = 0$

☐ $2x_1^2 + x_1 + 2x_2^2 - x_2 - 1 = 0$

☒ $2x_1 + x_2 + 2x_1^2 - x_2^2 - 1 = 0$

☐ $2x_1 + x_1^2 + 2x_2 - x_2^2 - 1 = 0$



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Problem 2

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True or false: When using a basis expansion of $x \in \mathbb{R}^6$ to get a quadratic boundary, the expanded feature vector $\Phi(x)$ has 36 pairwise features of the form x_1x_6 or x_2x_4 .

☐ True

☒ False



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Problem 3

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We want to use basis expansion of two-dimensional inputs $x = (x_1, x_2)$ to get a quadratic boundary. If the target boundary is given by the equation $(x_1 - 2)^2 + (x_2 - 1)^2 = 16$, what is the coefficient vector, w , and constant, b , such that the boundary has the form $w \cdot \Phi(x) + b = 0$?

☒ $w = (-4 \quad -2 \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 0), b = -11$

☐ $w = (-4 \quad -2 \quad 1 \quad 1 \quad 0), b = -16$

☐ $w = (1 \quad 1 \quad -4 \quad -2 \quad 5), b = -11$

☐ $w = (1 \quad -2 \quad 1 \quad -11 \quad 0), b = 16$



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Problem 5

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For 12-dimensional x , what is the dimension of the basis expansion $\Phi(x)$ that we use for getting a quadratic boundary?

☐ 24

☐ 57

☒ 90

☐ 144



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Problem 6

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Given a data set with n data points, each of d dimensions, what is the dimension of the vector, α , which is used in the dual form of the perceptron algorithm?

☐ d

☒ n

☐ d^2

☐ n^2



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Given vectors $v, w \in \mathbb{R}^d$, which of the following expressions can be used in place of $\Phi(v) \cdot \Phi(w)$, where Φ is the basis expansion used for a quadratic boundary?

☐ $\|w - v\|^2$

☐ $1 + (v \cdot w)^2$

☒ $(1 + v \cdot w)^2$

☐ $(1, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_d) \cdot (1, w_1, w_2, \dots, w_d)$



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Problem 8

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Which vector are we solving for when using the dual form of the SVM?

☐ w

☒ α

☐ x

☐ none of the above



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✓ Correct (1/1 point)

Problem 9

1/1 point (graded)

Which expression(s) can be used to classify a new point with the kernel SVM? Select all that apply.

☒ $\text{sign} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n \alpha_i y^{(i)} (\Phi(x^{(i)}) \cdot \Phi(x)) + b \right)$

☐ $\text{sign} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n w \cdot \Phi(x^{(i)}) + b \right)$

☒ $\text{sign} (w \cdot \Phi(x) + b)$

☐ $\text{sign} \left(\sum_{i=1}^n (\Phi(x^{(i)}) \cdot \Phi(x)) + b \right)$



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Problem 10

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If you are finding a degree 4 decision boundary and if $x \in \mathbb{R}^7$, then the term $x_1 x_3 x_4 x_7^2$ is part of the expanded feature vector, $\Phi(x)$.

☐ True

☒ False



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Problem 11

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Which is/are the correct kernel function(s), $k(x, z)$, that is used to find a degree 3 decision boundary? (Here Φ refers to the basis expansion for a degree-3 polynomial boundary.)

☐ $k(x, z) = x \cdot z$

☒ $k(x, z) = (1 + x \cdot z)^3$

☒ $k(x, z) = \Phi(x) \cdot \Phi(z)$

☐ $k(x, z) = (1 + \Phi(x) \cdot \Phi(z))^3$



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Problem 12

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Vectors that produce high values with the kernel function are more similar or less similar than vectors that produce low values?

☒ More similar

☐ Less similar

☐ Not a measure of similarity



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Problem 13

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True or false: Decision trees typically perform best when they are grown until the training error is 0%.

☐ True

☒ False



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Problem 14

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Overfitting the data with a decision tree will result in which of the following?

☐ Training error going up

☒ Training error going down

☒ Test error going up

☐ Test error going down



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Problem 15

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True or false: When decision stumps are used as weak classifiers for AdaBoost, the final decision boundary is linear.

☐ True

☒ False



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