

Problem set 4
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Problem 1

We can rewrite the initial problem in the following form:

$$\min_{\omega, \xi} \frac{1}{n} \xi e + \frac{1}{2C} \omega^T \omega$$

S.T.

$$\begin{aligned} \phi(x) \omega^T - y &\leq \xi + \varepsilon e \\ \phi(x) \omega^T - y &\geq -\xi - \varepsilon e \\ \xi &\geq 0 \end{aligned}$$

Where e^T is $(1, 1 \dots 1)^n$

Problem 2

Dual problem has the form:

$$L(\xi, \omega, \lambda, \mu, \nu) = \frac{1}{n} \xi e + \frac{1}{2C} \omega^T \omega + \lambda^T (\phi(x) \omega^T - y - \xi - \varepsilon e) + \mu^T (y - \xi - \varepsilon e - \phi(x) \omega^T) - \nu^T \xi$$

$$g(\lambda, \mu, \nu) = \min_{\xi, \omega} L(\xi, \omega, \lambda, \mu, \nu)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{dL}{d\xi} &= \frac{1}{n} e - \lambda - \mu - \nu \\ \frac{dL}{d\omega} &= \frac{1}{C} \omega + \phi(x)(\lambda - \mu) \end{aligned}$$

The dual problem is:

$$\max_{\lambda, \mu, \nu} g(\lambda, \mu, \nu)$$

S.T

$$\begin{aligned} \lambda, \mu, \nu &\geq 0 \\ \frac{dL}{d\xi} &= 0 \end{aligned}$$

We can rewrite this as:

$$\omega = C \phi(x)(\mu - \lambda)$$

$$\max_{\lambda, \mu, \nu} \frac{1}{2} C (\phi(x)(\mu - \lambda))^T \phi(x)(\mu - \lambda) + (\lambda^T - \mu^T) \phi(x) C (\phi(x)(\mu - \lambda))^T - \lambda^T (y + \varepsilon e) + \mu^T (y - \varepsilon e)$$

S.T.

$$\lambda, \mu, \nu \geq 0$$

$$\frac{1}{n}e - \lambda - \mu - \nu = 0$$

After simplification we can get:

$$\omega = C\phi(x)(\mu - \lambda)$$

$$\max_{\lambda, \mu, \nu} -\frac{1}{2}(\mu - \alpha)K(x, x)(\mu - \alpha) + y^T(\mu - \lambda) - \varepsilon e^T(\mu + \lambda)$$

S.T.

$$\lambda, \mu \geq 0$$

$$\frac{1}{n}e - \lambda - \mu \leq 0$$

Where $K(x, x) = \phi(x)^T \phi(x)$

The dimensionality of the dual problem is $2n$.

Problem 3

The prediction is defined by the following formula:

$$\hat{y}(x_{new}) = C(\phi(x)(\mu - \lambda))^T \phi(x_{new}) = C(\mu^T - \lambda^T) \phi(x)^T \phi(x_{new}) = C(\mu^T - \lambda^T) K(x, x_{new})$$

Problem 4

We want the problem to be in the following form:

$$\min_x \frac{1}{2} x^T P x + q^T x$$

S.T.

$$Gx \leq h$$

So we have to define the following:

$$x = \begin{pmatrix} \lambda_1 \\ \vdots \\ \lambda_n \\ \mu_1 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_n \end{pmatrix}$$

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} K & -K \\ -K & K \end{pmatrix}$$

$$q = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 + \varepsilon \\ \vdots \\ y_n + \varepsilon \\ -y_1 + \varepsilon \\ \vdots \\ -y_n + \varepsilon \end{pmatrix}$$
$$G = \begin{pmatrix} -I(n) & 0 \\ 0 & -I(n) \\ I(n) & I(n) \end{pmatrix}$$
$$h = \begin{pmatrix} \text{zeros}((2n, 1)) \\ \frac{C}{n} \text{ones}((n, 1)) \end{pmatrix}$$

Due to the definition of Kernel function it is positive semidefinite. Thus P is also positive semidefinite.