

# CS 156a Problem Set 8

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## Primal versus Dual Problem

### Problem 1

Recall that the formulation is

$$\min \left( \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w} \right)$$

subject to  $y_n(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{x}_n + b) \geq 1, \forall n$ . The components of  $\mathbf{w}$  and the bias  $b$  compose of all the variables in this problem. Thus it is a  $d + 1$  variable quadratic programming problem. Option **[d]** is correct.

**Note:** Code for all following problems is attached at the end.

## Polynomial Kernels

### Problem 2

We can see that with  $E_{\text{in}} = 0.11$ , **[a]**, 0 versus all, has the highest  $E_{\text{in}}$ .

### Problem 3

We can see that with  $E_{\text{in}} = 0.021$ , **[a]**, 1 versus all, has the highest  $E_{\text{in}}$ .

### Problem 4

We can see that 0 versus all has a vector size of 2179, whereas 1 versus all has a vector size of 386, so  $2179 - 386 = 1793$ , which is closest to option **[c]**.

### Problem 5

We can see that the maximum  $C = 1$  achieves the lowest  $E_{\text{in}} = 0.0032$ , so option **[d]** is correct.

### Problem 6

At  $C = 0.001$ ,  $Q = 2$  has a support vector of size 76 and  $Q = 5$  has a vector of size 25, so **[b]** is correct.

# Cross Validation

## Problem 7

Out of the  $100 \times 10 = 1000$  folds, we can see that  $C = 0.001$  was selected the most times, by having the lowest error 526 times. So **[b]** is correct.

## Problem 8

We get the error for  $C = 0.001$  as 0.0047, closest to 0.005 so **[c]** is correct.

# RBF Kernel

## Problem 9

With  $E_{\text{in}} = 0.006$ , it was  $C = 10^6$  that achieved the lowest  $E_{\text{in}}$ . So option **[e]** is correct.

## Problem 10

With  $E_{\text{out}} = 0.018$ , it was  $C = 100$  that achieved the lowest  $E_{\text{out}}$ . So option **[c]** is correct.

## Problems 2-10

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[161]: import numpy as np
        from sklearn import svm, model_selection
        from sklearn.model_selection import RepeatedStratifiedKFold
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[9]: train_data = np.loadtxt('features.train')
      test_data = np.loadtxt('features.test')
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[152]: x_train = train_data[:,1:]
        y_train = train_data[:,0]

        x_test = test_data[:,1:]
        y_test = test_data[:,0]
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[24]: def binarize(posClass, yvals):
        return np.array([1 if classval == posClass else -1 for classval in yvals])
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[163]: C, Q = [0.01, 2]
        avg_vec_size = 0
        for classval in range(10):
            binary_y_train = binarize(classval, y_train)
            binary_y_test = binarize(classval, y_test)
            model = svm.SVC(kernel='poly', C=C, degree=Q, gamma=1.0, coef0=1.0)
            model.fit(x_train, binary_y_train)
            print('-'*25, end = '\n')
            print('Classifier: ' + str(classval) + ' versus all')
            print('Ein: ' + str(1 - model.score(x_test, binary_y_test)))
            print('Support vector size: ' + str(sum(model.n_support_)))
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Classifier: 0 versus all
Ein: 0.11160936721474835
Support vector size: 2179
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Classifier: 1 versus all
Ein: 0.0219232685600399
Support vector size: 386
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Classifier: 2 versus all
Ein: 0.09865470852017932
Support vector size: 1970
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Classifier: 3 versus all
Ein: 0.08271051320378675
Support vector size: 1964
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Classifier: 4 versus all
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Ein: 0.09965122072745392
Support vector size: 1856
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Classifier: 5 versus all
Ein: 0.07972097658196309
Support vector size: 1585
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Classifier: 6 versus all
Ein: 0.08470353761833582
Support vector size: 1893
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Classifier: 7 versus all
Ein: 0.07324364723467858
Support vector size: 1704
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Classifier: 8 versus all
Ein: 0.08271051320378675
Support vector size: 1776
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Classifier: 9 versus all
Ein: 0.08819133034379667
Support vector size: 1978

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[30]: print(2179 - 386)
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1793
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[153]: def retain_classes(xvals, yvals, classOne, classTwo):
        idxs = []
        for i in range(yvals.shape[0]):
            if yvals[i] not in [classOne, classTwo]:
                idxs.append(i)
        new_y_vals = np.delete(yvals, idxs)
        new_x_vals = np.delete(xvals, idxs, 0)
        return (new_x_vals, new_y_vals)
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[165]: Q = 2
        Cvals = [0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1]

        for C in Cvals:
            x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5 = retain_classes(x_train, y_train, 1, 5)
            x_test_1v5, y_test_1v5 = retain_classes(x_test, y_test, 1, 5)
            model = svm.SVC(kernel='poly', C=C, degree=Q, gamma=1.0, coef0=1.0)
            model.fit(x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5)
            print('-'*25)
            print('For C = ' + str(C), end = '\n')
            print('Support Vector Size: ' + str(sum(model.n_support_)))
            print('Ein: ' + str(1 - model.score(x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5)))
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print('Eout: ' + str(1 - model.score(x_test_1v5, y_test_1v5)))
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For C = 0.001  
Support Vector Size: 76  
Ein: 0.004484304932735439  
Eout: 0.01650943396226412  
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For C = 0.01  
Support Vector Size: 34  
Ein: 0.004484304932735439  
Eout: 0.018867924528301883  
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For C = 0.1  
Support Vector Size: 24  
Ein: 0.004484304932735439  
Eout: 0.018867924528301883  
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For C = 1  
Support Vector Size: 24  
Ein: 0.0032030749519538215  
Eout: 0.018867924528301883  
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[166]: Qvals = [2, 5]  
Cvals = [0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1]  
  
for Q in Qvals:  
    for C in Cvals:  
        x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5 = retain_classes(x_train, y_train, 1, 5)  
        x_test_1v5, y_test_1v5 = retain_classes(x_test, y_test, 1, 5)  
        model = svm.SVC(kernel='poly', C=C, degree=Q, gamma=1.0, coef0=1.0)  
        model.fit(x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5)  
        print('-'*25)  
        print('For C = ' + str(C) + ' and Q = ' + str(Q), end = '\n')  
        print('Support Vector Size: ' + str(sum(model.n_support_)))  
        print('Ein: ' + str(1 - model.score(x_test_1v5, y_test_1v5)))
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For C = 0.001 and Q = 2  
Support Vector Size: 76  
Ein: 0.01650943396226412  
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```

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For C = 0.01 and Q = 2  
Support Vector Size: 34  
Ein: 0.018867924528301883  
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For C = 0.1 and Q = 2  
Support Vector Size: 24  
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Ein: 0.018867924528301883
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For C = 1 and Q = 2
Support Vector Size: 24
Ein: 0.018867924528301883
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For C = 0.001 and Q = 5
Support Vector Size: 25
Ein: 0.021226415094339646
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For C = 0.01 and Q = 5
Support Vector Size: 23
Ein: 0.021226415094339646
-----
For C = 0.1 and Q = 5
Support Vector Size: 25
Ein: 0.018867924528301883
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For C = 1 and Q = 5
Support Vector Size: 21
Ein: 0.021226415094339646

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[167]: Q = 2
rskf = RepeatedStratifiedKFold(n_splits=10, n_repeats=100)
Cvalss = [0.0001, 0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1]
chosenct = []
for idxt, idxv in rskf.split(x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5):
    x_train_iter, x_val_iter = x_train_1v5[idxt], x_train_1v5[idxv]
    y_train_iter, y_val_iter = y_train_1v5[idxt], y_train_1v5[idxv]
    mostaccurate = 0
    chosenOne = None
    for C in Cvals:
        model = svm.SVC(kernel='poly', C=C, degree=Q, gamma=1.0, coef0=1.0)
        model.fit(x_train_iter, y_train_iter)
        acc = model.score(x_val_iter, y_val_iter)
        if acc > mostaccurate:
            mostaccurate = acc
            chosenOne = C
    chosenct.append(chosenOne)

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[117]: for C in Cvals:
        print('C: ' + str(C) + ' was chosen ' + str(chosenct.count(C)) + ' times')

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C: 0.0001 was chosen 364 times
C: 0.001 was chosen 526 times
C: 0.01 was chosen 45 times
C: 0.1 was chosen 25 times
C: 1 was chosen 40 times

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[120]: C = 0.001
rskf = RepeatedStratifiedKFold(n_splits=10, n_repeats=100)
model = svm.SVC(kernel='poly', C=C, degree=Q, gamma=1.0, coef0=1.0)
1 - model_selection.cross_val_score(model, x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5, cv=rskf).
    ↳mean()
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[120]: 0.004753143883717059

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[160]: x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5 = retain_classes(x_train, y_train, 1, 5)
x_test_1v5, y_test_1v5 = retain_classes(x_test, y_test, 1, 5)
Cvals = [0.01, 1, 100, 10000, 1000000]
for C in Cvals:
    model = svm.SVC(kernel='rbf', C=C, degree=Q, gamma=1.0)
    model.fit(x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5)
    print('-'*25, end = '\n')
    print('C: ' + str(C))
    print('Ein: ' + str(1 - model.score(x_train_1v5, y_train_1v5)))
    print('Eout: ' + str(1 - model.score(x_test_1v5, y_test_1v5)))
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C: 0.01
Ein: 0.0038436899423446302
Eout: 0.02358490566037741
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C: 1
Ein: 0.004484304932735439
Eout: 0.021226415094339646
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C: 100
Ein: 0.0032030749519538215
Eout: 0.018867924528301883
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C: 10000
Ein: 0.002562459961563124
Eout: 0.02358490566037741
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C: 1000000
Ein: 0.0006406149903908087
Eout: 0.02358490566037741
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