

EE 657 : Quiz 2

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Please outline all the steps systematically in the supplementary sheet. Careful transfer the required answers on the answer sheet

1. Consider a training set of five data points $\{(x_i, t_i)\}_{i=1}^5$, where each input x_i is 2-dimensional and its corresponding target t_i is a real valued scalar. We wish to learn a suitable regression function, that can perfectly pass through all these points. To this goal, consider adopting a Multi layer perceptron (MLP) neural network with single hidden layer.
 - (a) Draw a schematic representation of the neural network for this regression problem. Clearly specify:
 - i. the number of nodes in the input layer
 - ii. the number of basis functions in the hidden layer
 - iii. the number of nodes in the output layer.
 - (b) What is the training error for this network. Justify your answer.
 - (c) How many weights are to be learnt for this regression task.

[1.5 + 1 + 1.5 = 4 marks]

2. You are given 2 training examples (comprising 2 dimensions) for two equally likely classes ω_1 and ω_2 .

$$\omega_1 : \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 3 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \omega_2 : \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

A two dimensional Gaussian probability density function (with spherical covariance matrix) is centred on each of the examples and the estimation is performed using the Parzen Window. Classify the vector $\mathbf{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \end{bmatrix}$ by stating the maximum posterior probability value. Assume the zero-one loss function case.

The Gaussian distribution in d -dimensions is given by

$$p(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{d/2} |\Sigma|^{0.5}} e^{-\frac{1}{2}(\mathbf{x}-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1}(\mathbf{x}-\mu)}$$

$\phi(x - x_i)$

[3 marks]

3. You are given a data set $\{\mathbf{x}_i, y_i\}_{i=1}^N$ of size N . Each input \mathbf{x}_i is d -dimensional and its corresponding target y_i takes any real value. The formulation of the SVM for the regression problem can be written as :

$$\min_{\mathbf{w}, b, \xi, \hat{\xi}} \quad \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + \frac{C}{2} \sum_{i=1}^N (\xi_i^2 + \hat{\xi}_i^2)$$

subject to the constraints for $i = 1, 2, 3, \dots, N$

$$\mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_i) + b - y_i \leq \epsilon + \xi_i$$

$$y_i - \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_i) - b \leq \epsilon + \hat{\xi}_i$$

$$\xi_i \geq 0, \hat{\xi}_i \geq 0$$

- (a) Write down the Lagrangian Function $L(\mathbf{w}, b, \xi, \hat{\xi})$ corresponding to this optimization problem. Here $\xi = \{\xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_N\}$, and $\hat{\xi} = \{\hat{\xi}_1, \hat{\xi}_2, \dots, \hat{\xi}_N\}$.
- (b) State the KKT conditions, that are to be satisfied at optimality, together with expressions for weights, biases, violations, complementary slackness conditions and other constraints (if necessary).

[1+4.5 = 5.5 marks]