# Sheet 1

Our Names

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## Exercise 1

1. Equation of the decision boundary

$$0 = x_1 - 2x_2 + 3x_3 - 1$$

The equation is a hyperplane since the result of this 3-dimensional equation is a 1 dimensionally lower, 2 dimensional surface which hence a hyperplane.

2. Normal vector n to the decision boundary

$$n = w = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix}$$

Its Direction shows to the points of the class with y = 1.

3. (a)  $d(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{\mathbf{w}^{\top} \mathbf{x} + b}{\|\mathbf{w}\|} = \frac{1 - 2 + 3 - 1}{\sqrt{1^2 + (-2)^2 + 3^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{14}} \approx 0,267$ 

- (b) If the sign of d is positive the output of y is going to be 1, if it's negative the output will be 0.
- (c) The higher the distance, the more confident the model is in its prediction.

(d) 
$$x - d(x) ||w|| w = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} - \frac{1}{14} \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -2 \\ 3 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{13}{14} \\ \frac{16}{14} \\ \frac{11}{14} \end{bmatrix}$$

The maximal margin classifier uses the support vectors to find the optimal margin between points. These support vectors require that orthogonal projection to be built.

### EX02

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## 1 Machine Learning Essentials SS25 - Exercise Sheet 1

#### 1.1 Instructions

- TODO's indicate where you need to complete the implementations.
- You may use external resources, but write your own solutions.
- Provide concise, but comprehensible comments to explain what your code does.
- Code that's unnecessarily extensive and/or not well commented will not be scored.

#### 1.2 Exercise 2: The Perceptron Algorithm

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[1]: import numpy as np
  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
  from matplotlib.pyplot import legend
  from sklearn.datasets import load_breast_cancer
  from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
  from IPython.display import display
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[6]: def make_scatter_plot(X, x_values, y, title="Scatter Plot") -> None:
         Creates a scatter plot for visualising data: y and the specified features ⊔
      \hookrightarrow of X.
         Uses different colors for each feature.
         :param X: DataFrame containing the features
         :param x_values: List of feature names to plot
         :param y: Target variable
         :param title: Title of the plot
         :return: None
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         fig, ax = plt.subplots()
         colors = ['purple', 'yellow', 'green', 'blue', 'red', 'orange']
         for value, color in zip(x_values, colors):
             # alpha = opacity
             ax.scatter(X[value], y, c=color, label=value, alpha=0.2)
         ax.legend()
```

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ax.set_title(title)
ax.grid(True)
plt.show()
```

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[7]: # ==========
     # 1. Load & Visualize the Dataset
     # + TODO: Load dataset, print feature names
    dataset = load_breast_cancer(return_X_y=True, as_frame=True)
    print("Feature Names:", *dataset[0].keys(), sep='\n\t- ', end='\n\n')
    # + TODO: Select features & corresponding labels
    features = ['mean radius', 'mean texture']
    X = dataset[0][features]
    # target labels
    y = dataset[1]
    # Convert labels from \{0,1\} to \{-1,1\} to match Perceptron convention from sheet
    y = 2 * (y - 0.5)
    # Before the standardization, the data instances look hardly separable, they
      ⇔seem to be more uniform.
    make_scatter_plot(X, features, y, "Breast Cancer Dataset _before_u

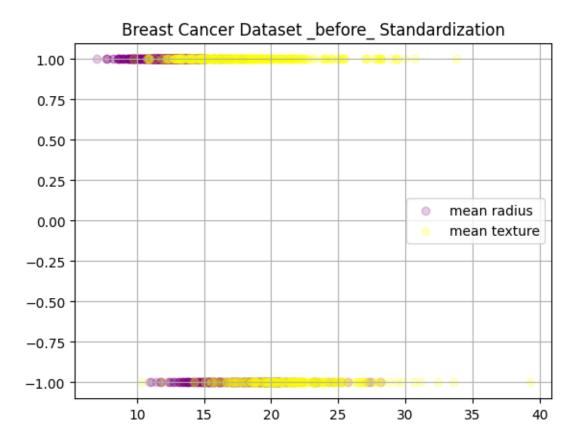
→Standardization")
    \# + TODO: Standardize the data to zero mean and unit variance, explain why it's
     ∽useful
    X = (X - X.mean()) / X.std()
    # Standardising data allows one to compare measurements from different people_
     \hookrightarrow excluding
    # their differences (biases). Otherwise, the data might be not grouped.
     ⇔properly, leading
     # to finding a wrong hyperplane or not finding it at all.
    # + TODO: Visualize dataset using plt.scatter()
    make_scatter_plot(X, features, y, "Breast Cancer Dataset _after_u

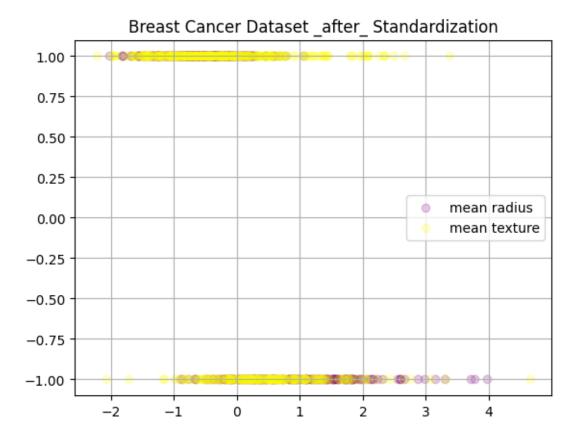
⇔Standardization")
     # We observe that 'mean radius' values are set a bit further apart than 'mean,
     ⇔texture' values,
     # potentially making them easier to separate.
```

#### Feature Names:

- mean radius
- mean texture
- mean perimeter
- mean area

- mean smoothness
- mean compactness
- mean concavity
- mean concave points
- mean symmetry
- mean fractal dimension
- radius error
- texture error
- perimeter error
- area error
- smoothness error
- compactness error
- concavity error
- concave points error
- symmetry error
- fractal dimension error
- worst radius
- worst texture
- worst perimeter
- worst area
- worst smoothness
- worst compactness
- worst concavity
- worst concave points
- worst symmetry
- worst fractal dimension



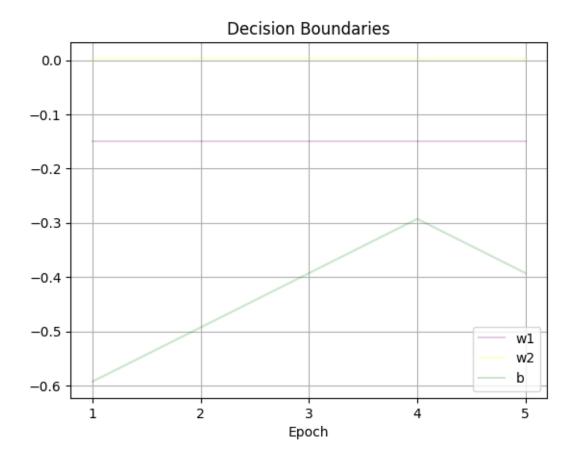


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# 2. Implement the Perceptron's training algorithm
     # ==========
     class Perceptron:
         def __init__(self, learning_rate=0.1, num_epochs=10):
             self.learning_rate = learning_rate
             self.num_epochs = num_epochs
             self.w = None # Weights
             self.b = None # Bias
             self.history = [] # Store parameters for decision boundary @ each_
       →update for visualization
         def train(self, X, y):
             """Train the perceptron using the online Perceptron algorithm."""
             \# n\_samples = N, n\_features = D
             n_samples, n_features = X.shape
             # + TODO: Initialize weights and bias
             self.w = np.random.randn(n_features)
             self.b = np.random.randn()
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# Train for num_epochs iterations
              for _ in range(self.num_epochs):
                  for i in range(n_samples):
                      # I used ChatGPT to figure out how to access the i-th row of a_{\sqcup}
       \rightarrow DataFrame
                      X_i = X.iloc[i].values
                      y_i = y.iloc[i]
                      # + TODO: Implement the update rule
                      if self.predict(X_i) != y_i:
                          multiplication = self.learning_rate * y_i
                          self.w += multiplication * X_i
                          self.b += multiplication
                          self.history.append((self.w, self.b)) # Save state for_
       \hookrightarrow visualization
          def predict(self, X):
              """Predict the label of a sample."""
              # + TODO: Implement the prediction function
              # With weights transposed, the dimensions were not compatible
              return np.sign(self.w.dot(X.transpose()) + self.b)
[57]: def get_accuracy(y_true, y_pred):
          """Compute the accuracy of the predictions."""
          return np.mean(y_true == y_pred)
[58]: # ==========
      # 3. Train the Perceptron & Evaluate Performance
      # ===========
      # + TODO: Split the data into training and test set
      X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, train_size=0.8, 
       ⇔random_state=14)
      # + TODO: Initialize the Perceptron and train it on the training set
      perceptron = Perceptron()
      perceptron.train(X_train, y_train)
      # + TODO: Use the trained Perceptron to compute the accuracy on the training
       ⇔set and on the test set
      train_acc = get_accuracy(perceptron.predict(X_train), y_train)
      test_acc = get_accuracy(perceptron.predict(X_test), y_test)
      print(f"Training Accuracy: {train_acc:.3f}")
      print(f"Test Accuracy: {test_acc:.3f}")
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Training Accuracy: 0.824
Test Accuracy: 0.833

```
# 4. Plot decision boundary evolution
     # ===========
     # Visualize the first 5 consecutive decision boundaries for data
     decision_boundaries = perceptron.history[:5] # Get the parameters of the first\Box
      ⇔5 decision boundaries used during training
     # + TODO: Plot decision boundaries for iterations 1-5
     w1 = [w[0] for w, b in decision_boundaries]
     w2 = [w[1] for w, b in decision_boundaries]
     b = [b for w, b in decision_boundaries]
     fig, ax = plt.subplots()
     labels = ["w1", "w2", "b"]
     colors = ['purple', 'yellow', 'green']
     for value, color, label in zip((w1, w2, b), colors, labels):
         # alpha = opacity
         ax.plot(value, c=color, label=label, alpha=0.2)
     ax.legend()
     ax.set_title("Decision Boundaries")
     ax.grid(True)
     ax.set_xlabel("Epoch")
     ax.set_xticks(range(5))
     ax.set_xticklabels(range(1, 6))
     plt.show()
```



## [78]: len(perceptron.history)

[78]: 796

#### 1.2.1 5.

• TODO: How many updates do you need until convergence (i.e. until no more model updates occur)? Explain why.

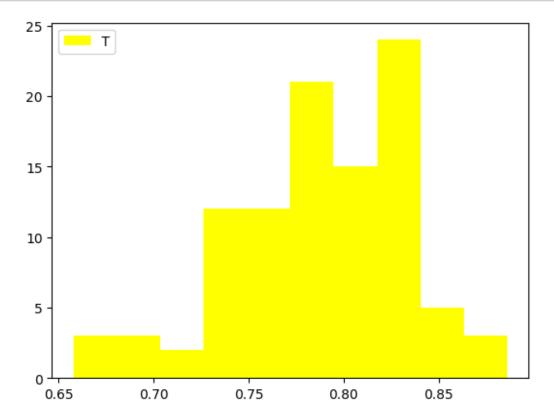
Around 750-800 updates were necessary to reach convergence. The model arrived at a point where either it could predict any label correctly or the epochs went out. We see that the performance on the testing set is even higher than on the training set, so it generalized well.

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X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, train_size=0.8,u
orandom_state=14)

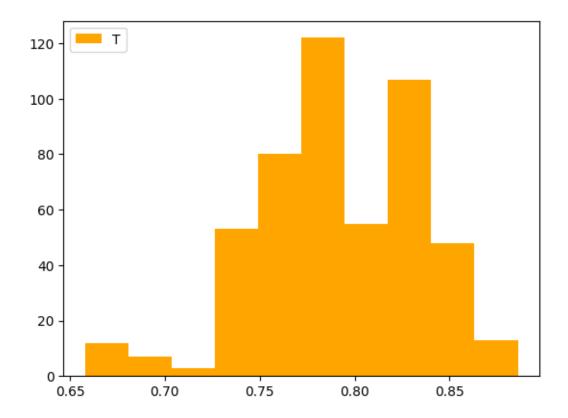
perceptron = Perceptron()
perceptron.train(X_train, y_train)

test_accuracies.append(get_accuracy(perceptron.predict(X_test), y_test))
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[79]: # TODO: Plot histogram for the test accuracies
# WITH 100 RUNS
plt.hist(test_accuracies, color="yellow")
legend("Test Accuracies", loc="upper left")
plt.show()
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[81]: # TODO: Plot histogram for the test accuracies
     # WITH 500 RUNS
    plt.hist(test_accuracies, color="orange")
    legend("Test Accuracies", loc="upper left")
    plt.show()
```



### 1.2.2 (a)

• TODO: What does the shape of the histogram tell you?

At the first glance, the histogram looks as a bell-curve with gaps. I assumed that with more runs, the distribution would approximate a normal distribution closer but with 500 runs instead of 100, it didn't happen.

The range of accuracies is between 0.7 and 0.9, with the most frequent values around 0.73 and 0.83. None of them is prevalent.

On the good side, the mean and the median are almost equal, and the standard deviation is relatively low, which indicates that the distribution is not skewed.

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[4]: # (b)
# + TODO: Compute the sample mean and standard deviation of the test accuracy

[82]: np.mean(test_accuracies)

[82]: np.float64(0.790719298245614)

[83]: np.median(test_accuracies)

[83]: np.float64(0.7894736842105263)
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[84]: np.std(test_accuracies)
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[84]: np.float64(0.044419095187048466)

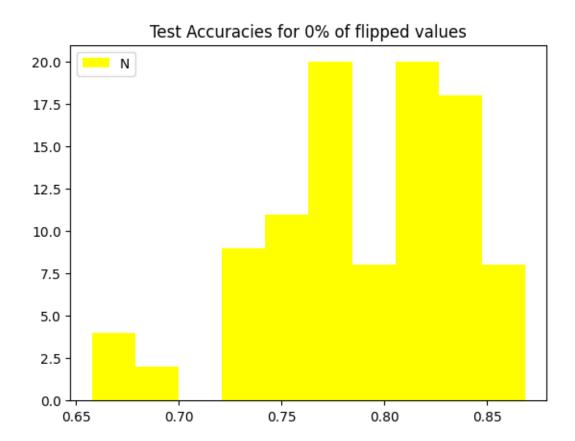
#### 1.2.3 (c)

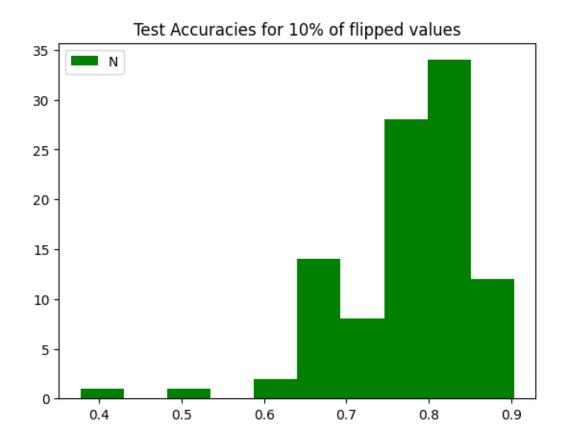
• TODO: Given enough data points and for many training runs, what type of probability distribution would the histogram approximate and what is the reason for that?

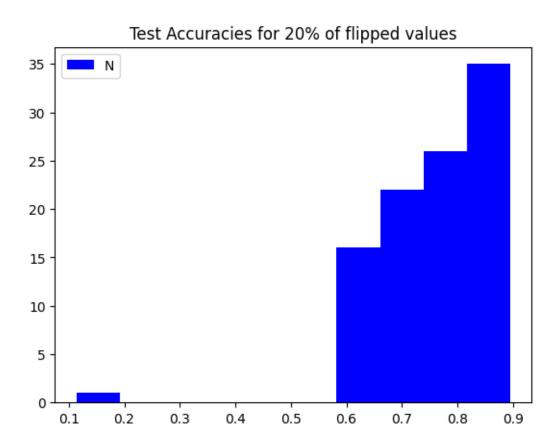
The histogram would approach the bimodal distribution. I suppose that the peaks might correspond to the two features we based the training on.

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[85]: # (d)
      #TODO: Add noise by flipping p% of labels. Visualize the effect using_
       \hookrightarrowhistograms for each p.
      test accuracies = {}
      p_values = [0, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50] # % of flipped training labels
      for p_value in p_values:
          test_accuracies[p_value] = []
          for _ in range(100):
              X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, train_size=0.
       ⇔8, random_state=14)
              flipped values = 0
              for random_i in np.random.permutation(range(len(y_train))):
                  if flipped_values >= p_value:
                      break
                  # Flip the labels
                  y_train.iloc[random_i] = - y_train.iloc[random_i]
                  flipped_values += 1
              perceptron = Perceptron()
              perceptron.train(X_train, y_train)
              test_accuracies[p_value].append(get_accuracy(perceptron.
       →predict(X_test), y_test))
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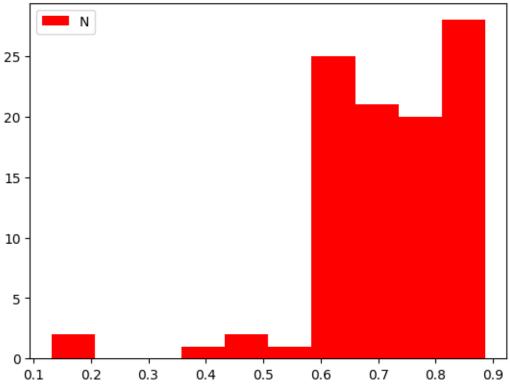
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[87]: colors = ['yellow', 'green', 'blue', 'red', 'orange', 'purple']
for (p_value, accuracies), color in zip(test_accuracies.items(), colors):
    plt.hist(accuracies, color=color)
    legend(f"Number of Accuracies", loc="upper left")
    plt.title(f"Test Accuracies for {p_value}% of flipped values")
    plt.show()
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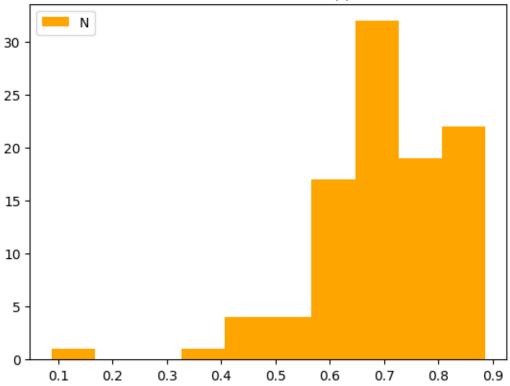




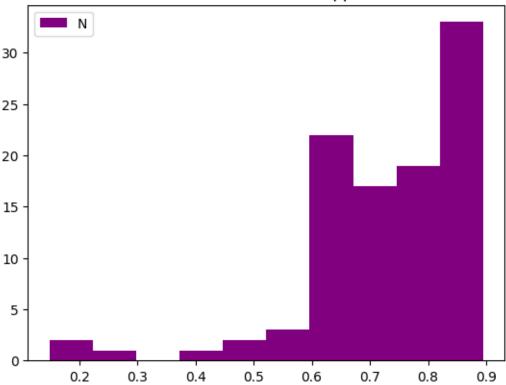












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[89]: display(np.mean(test_accuracies[20]))
display(np.median(test_accuracies[20]))

np.float64(0.7599122807017545)

np.float64(0.7719298245614035)

np.float64(0.10351364097974108)

[90]: display(np.mean(test_accuracies[50]))
display(np.median(test_accuracies[50]))
display(np.std(test_accuracies[50]))

np.float64(0.7275438596491226)

np.float64(0.7456140350877193)

np.float64(0.14046497555164827)
```

We can clearly observe that the noise introduced randomness into the models, leading to both way worse (10% of accuracy) and slightly better (90% of accuracy) models. The distributions generally stayed the same, except for the one with 20% noise, which doesn't look bimodal anymore but rather

• TODO: Interpret the results

unsymmetrical, skewed to the right. Furthermore, the mean and median got a bit higher, while still staying close to each other. The standard deviation increased a bit, too, which seems a logical consequence of randomness.

On the other hand, for the case of 50% noise, the mean and median didn't degrade much, but the standard deviation increased significantly. Therefore, the deviation seems to be a more reliable metric than the mean or median.

I think that if there were drastic improvements happening under this setting, it would mean that the dataset quality has to be questioned.

## Task 03

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#### 0.1 Exercise 3: SVM

[1]: import numpy as np

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     from sklearn.datasets import make_circles, make_blobs
     from cvxopt import matrix, solvers # Install cvxopt via "pip install cvxopt"
[2]: # ==========
     # 1. Complete SVM implementation
     # ==========
     \#Note for correctors: I comment more than Van Rossum would prefer, comments_{\sqcup}
      ⇒include links to websites.
     \#This\ first\ version\ is\ a\ bit\ incosistent.\ I\ underestimated\ the\ workload\ a\ bit,
      ⇔so yeah...
     #There are several things wrong with the code and I will be really pleased to \Box
      see the solution...
     class DualSVM:
         def __init__(self, C=1.0, kernel="linear", gamma=1.0):
             self.C = C # Regularization constant
             self.kernel = kernel # Kernel type: "linear" or "rbf"
             self.gamma = gamma # Kernel parameter ("bandwith")
             self.alpha = None # Lagrange multipliers
             self.sv X = None # Support vectors
             self.sv_y = None # Support vector labels
             self.w = None # Weights
             self.b = None # Bias
         def linear_kernel(self, X1, X2) -> np.array:
             #interestingly enough, I found all kinds of versions for the linear
      ⇒kernel: transpoe x1. no, x2... and others didn't even bother at all
             #this version was the one that worked first, after the 1 to 1_{\sqcup}
      →implementation of the instructions seemed to fail.
             return np.dot(X1,X2.T)
         def rbf kernel(self, X1, X2):
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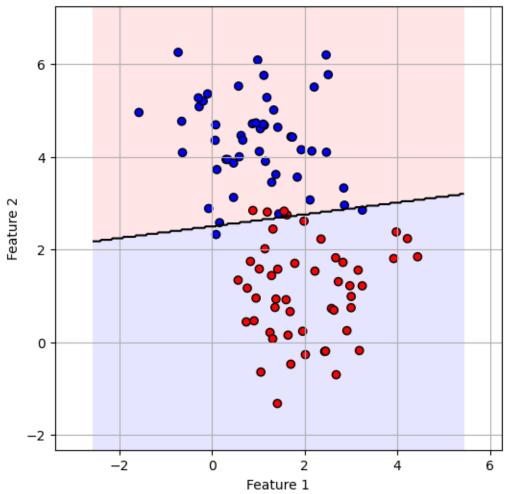
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# there are a few ways to compute the rbf kernel, notably different are
→ the one for vectors and for matrixes :
       """was the version I found first, but it failed me in task 5
       return np.exp(-self.gamma * np.linalg.norm(X1 - X2)**2)"""
       # https://github.com/xbeat/Machine-Learning/blob/main/
→ The%20Mathematics%20of%20RBF%20Kernel%20in%20Python.md:
       X1_sq = np.sum(X1**2, axis=1).reshape(-1, 1)
      X2_{sq} = np.sum(X2**2, axis=1).reshape(1, -1)
      dist_sq = X1_sq + X2_sq - 2 * np.dot(X1, X2.T)
      return np.exp(-self.gamma * dist_sq)
  def compute_kernel(self, X1, X2):
      if self.kernel == "linear":
           return self.linear_kernel(X1, X2)
       elif self.kernel == "rbf":
           return self.rbf_kernel(X1, X2)
           raise ValueError("Unknown kernel type.")
  def fit(self, X, y):
       #in fit, we are referring back to the dual formulation we were given at
⇔the beginning (hence optimization objective & constraints)
      n samples, n features = X.shape
       # Compute kernel matrix K: K[i,j] = K(x_i, x_j)
      K = self.compute_kernel(X, X)
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       The dual objective is:
           max sum_i alpha_i - 1/2 sum_i sum_j alpha_i alpha_j y_i y_j K(x_i, y_i)
\hookrightarrow x_{j}
       subject to:
           sum_i \ alpha_i \ y_i = 0 and 0 \le alpha_i \le C \ for \ all \ i.
       In QP formulation:
           P = (y_i \ y_j \ K(x_i, x_j))_{i,j}, \quad q = -1 \ (vector),
           A = y^T, b = 0, and G, h implement O \iff alpha_i \iff C.
       #It seems to be recommended to reshape y for cuxopt into a 2D array\Box
⇔column vector
      Y = y.reshape(-1, 1)
       #To create the y_i * y_j matrix part of the formula, we are recommended
\hookrightarrow to do
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yiyj = np.outer(y,y)
       P = matrix(yiyj * K )
       q = matrix(-np.ones(n_samples))
       A = \text{matrix}(y.\text{reshape}(-1,1).\text{astype}("double"), (1, n_samples), "d") # Use_{\square}
_{
m J}"d" flag to make sure that the matrix is in double precision format (labels_{
m L}
→are integers)
       b = matrix(0.0)
       #after the inequality constraints in the enoncé, we require some_
\hookrightarrowprerequisits to do G and h
       I_minus = - np.eye(n_samples)
       I = np.eye(n_samples)
       G = matrix(np.vstack((I_minus, I)))
       zeros = np.zeros(n_samples)
       c_matrix = np.ones(n_samples) * self.C
       h = matrix(np.hstack((zeros, c_matrix)), tc="d")
       # Solve the QP problem using cvxopt
       solvers.options["show_progress"] = False
       solution = solvers.qp(P, q, G, h, A, b)
       alphas = np.ravel(solution["x"]) # Get optimal alphas
       # Get support vectors (i.e. data points with non-zero lagrange_
→multipliers, that are on the margin)
       sv = alphas > 1e-5 \# alpha > 1e-5 to account for numerical errors
       self.alpha = alphas[sv]
       self.sv_X = X[sv]
       self.sv_y = y[sv]
       # The bias corresponds to the average error over all support vectors:
       # Why does the bias corresponds to the average error over all support
⇒vectors?
       # The answer is that the bias is the average of the differences between \Box
⇔the true labels and the predicted labels
       # for the support vectors. The predicted labels are computed by the \Box
\hookrightarrow decision function f(x) = sum(alpha_i \ y_i \ K(x,x_i)) + b.
       # The difference between the true labels and the predicted labels is i
→ the error for each support vector.
       # The bias is the average of these errors.
       self.b = np.mean(self.sv_y - np.sum(self.alpha * self.sv_y * K[sv][:,__
\hookrightarrowsv], axis=1))
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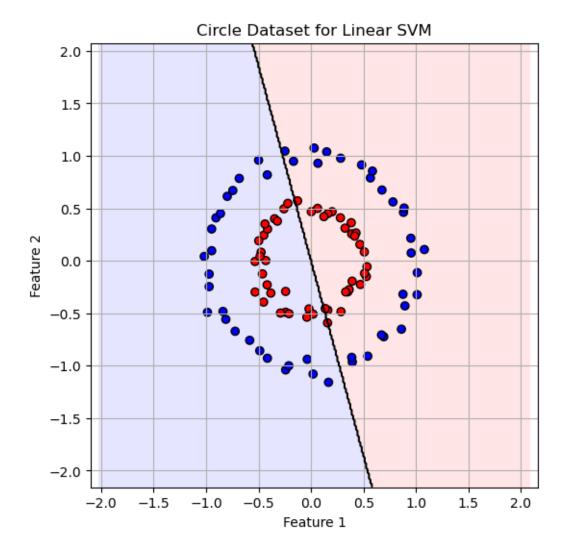
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def predict(self, X):
    y_pred = []
    for x in X:
        s = 0
        for alpha_i, y_i, x_i in zip(self.alpha, self.sv_y, self.sv_X):
            s += alpha_i * y_i * self.compute_kernel(x, x_i)
            y_pred.append(s + self.b)
    return np.sign(y_pred)
```

```
[3]: # ==========
     # 2. Apply linear SVM on blobs
     # ==============
     # TODO: Generate blobs dataset
    X_linear, y_linear = make_blobs(n_samples=100, centers=2, n_features=2,
                      random_state=0)
     # Convert labels from {0,1} to {-1,1}
    y_{linear} = 2 * (y_{linear} - 0.5)
    #TODO: Train SVM with linear kernel
    SVM Linear = DualSVM()
    SVM_Linear.fit(X_linear,y_linear)
    #TODO: Plot decision boundary
    # most of the following instructions are purely to make it prettier.
    plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))
    plt.title("Blobs Dataset for Linear SVM")
    plt.xlabel("Feature 1")
    plt.ylabel("Feature 2")
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.axis("equal")
     # Draw decision boundary and margin
     # There are a few extra steps to making the decision boundary onto the graph:
     screate a meshgrid, contour it (and color it in case you want it a bit more
     ⇔chique)
    xx, yy = np.meshgrid(
        np.linspace(X_linear[:, 0].min() - 1, X_linear[:, 0].max() + 1, 300),
        np.linspace(X_linear[:, 1].min() - 1, X_linear[:, 1].max() + 1, 300)
    grid = np.c_[xx.ravel(), yy.ravel()] # shape (300*300, 2)
    # Compute predictions over the grid
    Z = SVM_Linear.predict(grid).reshape(xx.shape)
```

### Blobs Dataset for Linear SVM



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X_circles, y_circles = make_circles(n_samples=100, noise=0.05, factor=0.5, __
 →random_state=0)
y\_circles = 2 * (y\_circles - 0.5) # Convert labels from {0,1} to {-1,1}
# TODO: Train SVM with linear kernel
SVM Linear Circle = DualSVM()
SVM_Linear_Circle.fit(X_circles, y_circles)
#TODO: Plot decision boundary
xx_2, yy_2 = np.meshgrid(
   np.linspace(X_circles[:, 0].min() - 1, X_circles[:, 0].max() + 1, 300),
   np.linspace(X_circles[:, 1].min() - 1, X_circles[:, 1].max() + 1, 300)
new_grid = np.c_[xx_2.ravel(), yy_2.ravel()]
Z_2 = SVM_Linear_Circle.predict(new_grid).reshape(xx_2.shape)
plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))
plt.title("Circle Dataset for Linear SVM")
plt.xlabel("Feature 1")
plt.ylabel("Feature 2")
plt.grid(True)
plt.axis("equal")
plt.contourf(xx_2, yy_2, Z_2, levels=[-1, 0, 1], colors=["#FFAAAA", "#AAAAFF"], __
⇒alpha=0.3)
plt.contour(xx_2, yy_2, Z_2, levels=[0], colors='k', linewidths=1.5)
plt.scatter(X_circles[:, 0], X_circles[:, 1], c=y_circles, cmap="bwr",_
 ⇔edgecolors="k")
plt.show()
```



```
def plot_decision_boundary_transformed(X, y, model, title="SVM Decision_
 →Boundary (Transformed)"):
    # TODO: Implement plotting function for decision boundary in the
 → transformed feature space
    # Hint: You could do this by creating a 2D meshgrid which you transform
 ⇔using the feature mapping.
    # Then, after evaluating the model on it, you can plot the result as a_{\sqcup}
 ⇔contour plot (plt.contourf).
    xx, yy = np.meshgrid(
    np.linspace(X[:, 0].min() - 1, X[:, 0].max() + 1, 300),
    np.linspace(X[:, 1].min() - 1, X[:, 1].max() + 1, 300)
    grid = np.c_[xx.ravel(), yy.ravel()]
    grid_transformed = transform_features(grid)
    Z = model.predict(grid_transformed).reshape(xx.shape) # it always fails_u
 ⇔here due to reshaping, can't seem to fix it.
    #I know the error has to do with the transformation, but I can't seem to I
 ⇔find the right way to do it.
    plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))
    plt.title("Circle Dataset for Linear SVM")
    plt.xlabel("Feature 1")
    plt.ylabel("Feature 2")
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.axis("equal")
    plt.contourf(xx, yy, Z, levels=[-1, 0, 1], colors=["#FFAAAA", "#AAAAFF"], __
 \rightarrowalpha=0.3)
    plt.contour(xx, yy, Z, levels=[0], colors='k', linewidths=1.5)
    plt.scatter(X[:, 0], X[:, 1], c=y, cmap="bwr", edgecolors="k")
    plt.show()
#TODO: Plot decision boundary in the transformed feature space
plot_decision_boundary_transformed(X_circles, y_circles, SVM_Linear_Circle_tf,_
 stitle="SVM Decision Boundary with Feature Transformation")
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ValueError Traceback (most recent call last)

Cell In[5], line 42
39 plt.show()
41 #TODO: Plot decision boundary in the transformed feature space
---> 42

plot_decision_boundary_transformed(X_circles, y_circles, SVM_Linear_Circle_tf

Cell In[5], line 27, in plot_decision_boundary_transformed(X, y, model, title)
25 grid = np.c_[xx.ravel(), yy.ravel()]
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26 grid_transformed = transform_features(grid)
---> 27 Z = model.predict(grid_transformed).reshape(xx.shape) # it always fails
-here due to reshaping, can't seem to fix it.

28 #I know the error has to do with the transformation, but I can't seem to
-find the right way to do it.

30 plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))

ValueError: cannot reshape array of size 100 into shape (300,300)
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[6]: # ===========
     # 5. SVM with RBF Kernel on Circular Data
     # -----
     #TODO: Train SVM with RBF kernel on circular data
    SVM RBF = DualSVM(1., "rbf")
    SVM_RBF.fit(X_circles, y_circles)
    #TODO: Plot decision boundary
    xx_3, yy_3 = np.meshgrid(
        np.linspace(X_circles[:, 0].min() - 1, X_circles[:, 0].max() + 1, 300),
        np.linspace(X_circles[:, 1].min() - 1, X_circles[:, 1].max() + 1, 300)
    new_grid_2 = np.c_[xx_3.ravel(), yy_3.ravel()]
    Z_3 = SVM_RBF.predict(new_grid_2).reshape(xx_3.shape) #Isn't this nice? Failing_
     →at the same place tiwce, but for different reasons.
    #In this case the error is a dimension error.
    plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))
    plt.title("Circle Dataset for RBF SVM")
    plt.xlabel("Feature 1")
    plt.ylabel("Feature 2")
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.axis("equal")
    plt.contourf(xx_3, yy_3, Z_3, levels=[-1, 0, 1], colors=["#FFAAAA", "#AAAAFF"], __
      \Rightarrowalpha=0.3)
    plt.contour(xx_3, yy_3, Z_3, levels=[0], colors='k', linewidths=1.5)
    plt.scatter(X_circles[:, 0], X_circles[:, 1], c=y_circles, cmap="bwr",_
      ⇔edgecolors="k")
    plt.show()
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AxisError Traceback (most recent call last)
Cell In[6], line 19
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14 \text{ xx}_3, yy_3 = \text{np.meshgrid}(
            np.linspace(X_circles[:, 0].min() - 1, X_circles[:, 0].max() + 1,__
 ⇒300),
            np.linspace(X_circles[:, 1].min() - 1, X_circles[:, 1].max() + 1,__
     16
 →300)
     17 )
     18 new grid 2 = np.c [xx 3.ravel(), yy 3.ravel()]
---> 19 Z_3 = SVM_RBF.predict(new_grid_2).reshape(xx_3.shape) #Isn't this nice?
 Failing at the same place tiwce, but for different reasons.
     20 #In this case the error is a dimension error.
     21 plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))
Cell In[2], line 109, in DualSVM.predict(self, X)
    107
            s = 0
    108
            for alpha_i, y_i, x_i in zip(self.alpha, self.sv_y, self.sv_X):
--> 109
                s += alpha_i * y_i * self.compute_kernel(x, x_i)
    110
            y_pred.append(s + self.b)
    111 return np.sign(y_pred)
Cell In[2], line 43, in DualSVM.compute kernel(self, X1, X2)
            return self.linear kernel(X1, X2)
     42 elif self.kernel == "rbf":
            return self.rbf kernel(X1, X2)
---> 43
     44 else:
     45
            raise ValueError("Unknown kernel type.")
Cell In[2], line 33, in DualSVM.rbf_kernel(self, X1, X2)
     29 """was the version I found first, but it failed me in task 5
     30 return np.exp(-self.gamma * np.linalg.norm(X1 - X2)**2)"""
     32 # https://github.com/xbeat/Machine-Learning/blob/main/
 →The%20Mathematics%20of%20RBF%20Kernel%20in%20Python.md:
---> 33 X1_{sq} = \frac{np.sum(X1**2, axis=1)}{np.sum(X1**2, axis=1)}.reshape(-1, 1)
     34 X2_{sq} = np.sum(X2**2, axis=1).reshape(1, -1)
     35 \text{ dist\_sq} = X1\_sq + X2\_sq - 2 * np.dot(X1, X2.T)
File /opt/homebrew/Caskroom/miniconda/base/envs/ml homework/lib/python3.13/
 ⇒site-packages/numpy/_core/fromnumeric.py:2466, in sum(a, axis, dtype, out, u
 →keepdims, initial, where)
   2463
                return out
   2464
            return res
-> 2466 return wrapreduction(
   2467
            a, np.add,
                             , axis, dtype, out,
   2468
            keepdims=keepdims, initial=initial, where=where
   2469
File /opt/homebrew/Caskroom/miniconda/base/envs/ml homework/lib/python3.13/
 →site-packages/numpy/_core/fromnumeric.py:86, in _wrapreduction(obj, ufunc, __
 →method, axis, dtype, out, **kwargs)
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83 else:
84 return reduction(axis=axis, out=out, **passkwargs)
---> 86 return ufunc.reduce(obj, axis, dtype, out, **passkwargs)

AxisError: axis 1 is out of bounds for array of dimension 1
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#### 0.1.1 6.

TODO: Compare the decision boundaries from Tasks 3, 4, and 5. How does feature transformation differ from using an RBF kernel? When would one approach be preferable to the other?

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#### 0.1.2 7.

TODO: Besides the dual formulation, SVMs also have an equivalent primal formulation. The key factor in choosing which one to use as the optimization criterion is the dimensionality of the features. Explain why.