

Question 1-a

$$\hat{y}(x) = \text{sign}\left(\sum_{j=1}^N \alpha_j K(x, x_j)\right)$$

Question 1-b

α_{100} and α_{101} are the support vectors

$$\hat{y}(x) = \text{sign}(\alpha_{100} K(x, x_{100}) + \alpha_{101} K(x, x_{101})).$$

Question 2

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w_j} = \frac{\partial L}{\partial f(x_i)} \cdot \frac{\partial f(x_i)}{\partial w_j} = \sum_{i=1}^N 2(f(x_i) - y_i) \frac{\partial f(x_i)}{\partial w_j} = 2 \sum_{i=1}^N (f(x_i) - y_i) v_j \mathbf{1}_{\{w_j^T x_i > 0\}}$$

Question 3

$$\max_x |f(x) - f_r(x)| \leq \|v\|_2 \varepsilon$$

Question 4

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In [5]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

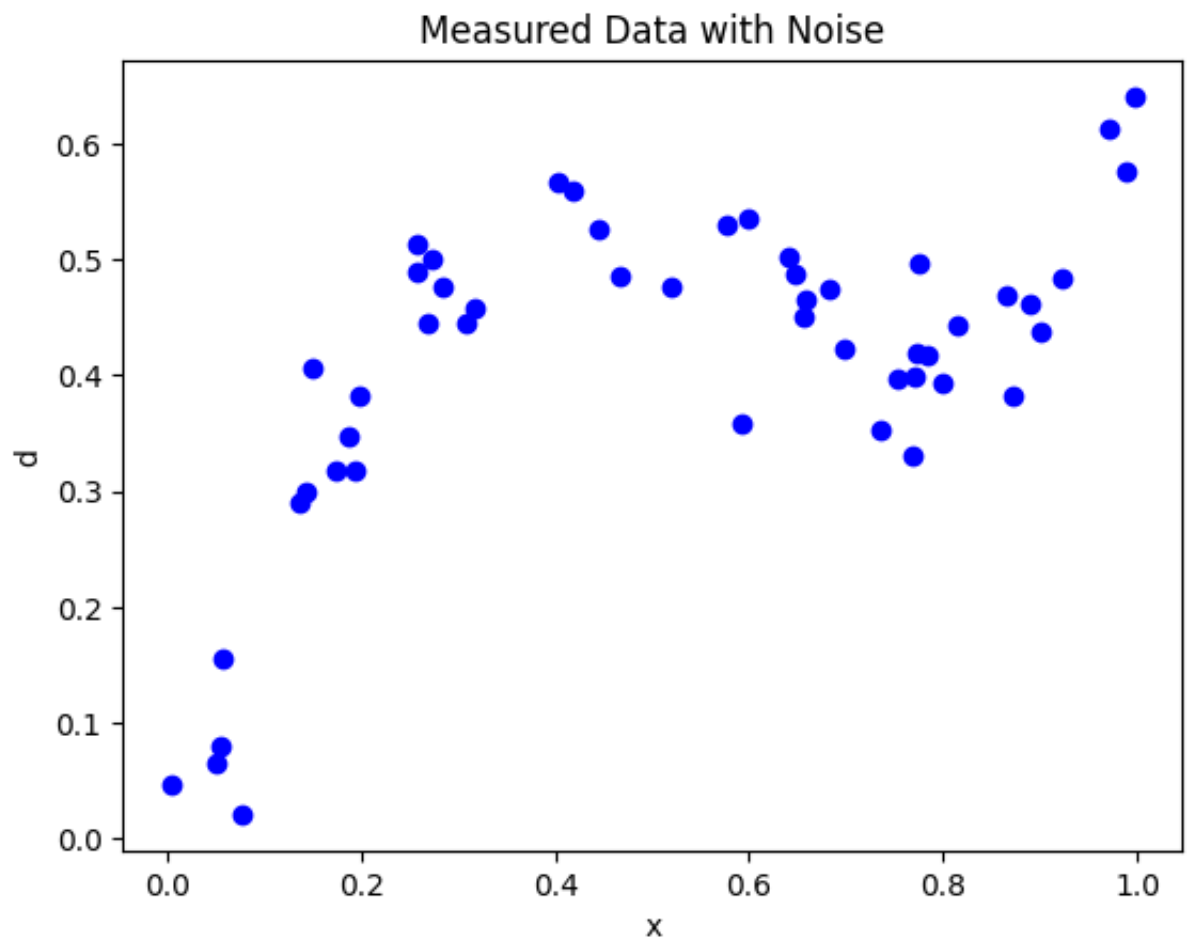
np.random.seed(1024) # ensure same noise for each run

# number of training points
n = 50

# sample n random points between 0 and 1
x = np.random.rand(n,1)

# set d = x^2 + .4 sin(1.5 pi x) + noise
d = x*x + 0.4*np.sin(1.5*np.pi*x) + 0.04*np.random.randn(n,1)

# plot result
plt.plot(x,d,'bo')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('d')
plt.title('Measured Data with Noise')
plt.show()
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Question 4-a

x_i determines the kernel value

σ determines the kernel width

Question 4-b

small σ makes the line overfit the data

large λ makes it smoother

Question 4-c

Least Squares

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In [4]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Part A and B: Data generation
np.random.seed(1024)
n = 50
x = np.random.rand(n, 1)
d = x*x + 0.4*np.sin(1.5*np.pi*x) + 0.04*np.random.randn(n, 1)
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# Part B: Kernel regression for various  $\lambda$  and  $\sigma$ 
sigma_values = [0.04, 0.2, 1.0]
lambda_values = [0.01, 1.0]
x_test = np.linspace(0, 1, 200)[: , None]

def kernel_matrix(x1, x2, sigma):
    return np.exp(-((x1 - x2.T)**2) / (2 * sigma**2))

plt.figure()
plt.plot(x, d, 'o', label='Measured data')
for lam in lambda_values:
    for sigma in sigma_values:
        K = kernel_matrix(x, x, sigma)
        alpha = np.linalg.solve(K + lam * np.eye(n), d)
        y_pred = kernel_matrix(x_test, x, sigma).dot(alpha)
        plt.plot(x_test, y_pred, label=f' $\lambda$ ={lam},  $\sigma$ ={sigma}')
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Predicted y')
plt.title('Kernel Regression: Effects of  $\lambda$  and  $\sigma$ ')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

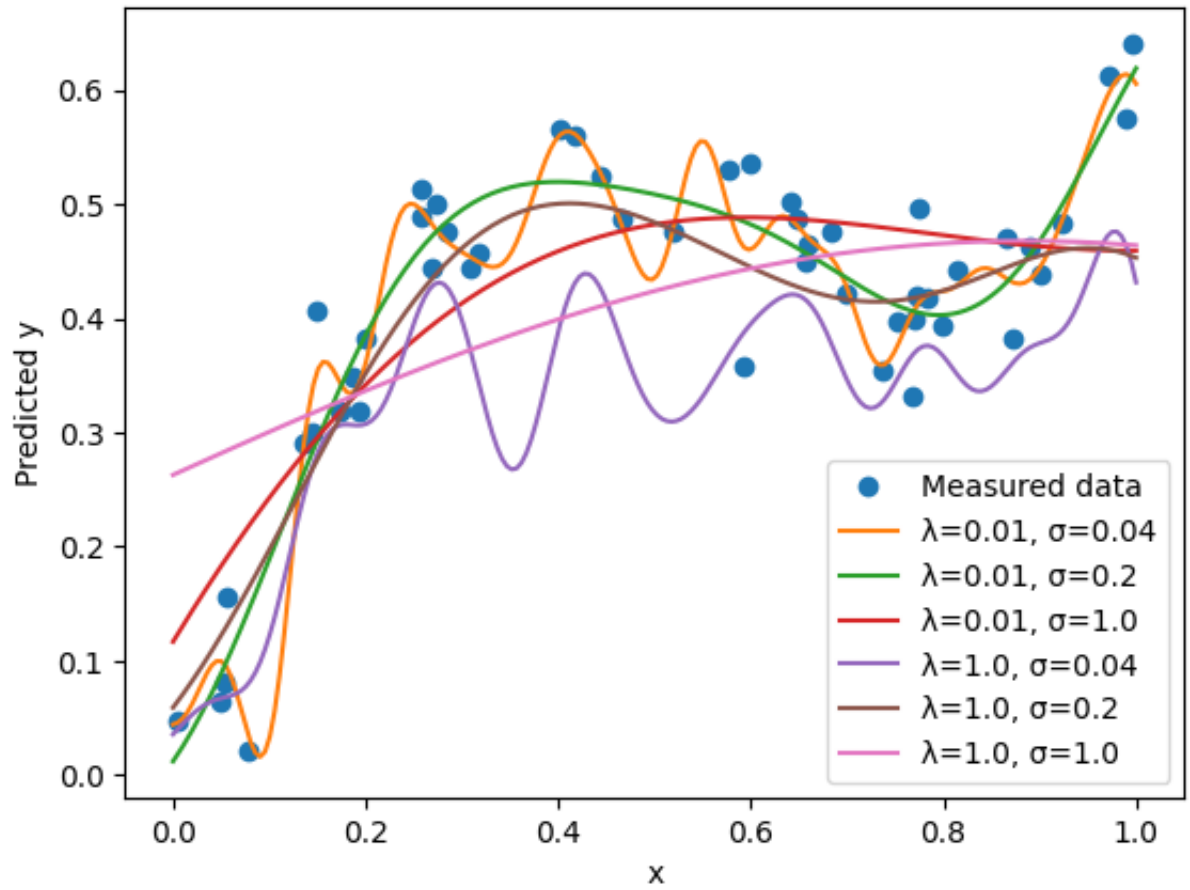
# Part A: Example kernels
p = 100
x_test2 = np.linspace(0, 1, p)
j_list = [5, 36, 46, 96]
sigma = 0.04
Kdisplay = np.array([
    [np.exp(-(x_test2[i] - x_test2[idx])**2 / (2 * sigma**2)) for idx in j_list]
    for i in range(p)
])

plt.figure()
plt.plot(x_test2, Kdisplay)
plt.xlabel('x')
plt.ylabel('Kernel value')
plt.title('Example Gaussian Kernels ( $\sigma=0.04$ )')
plt.show()

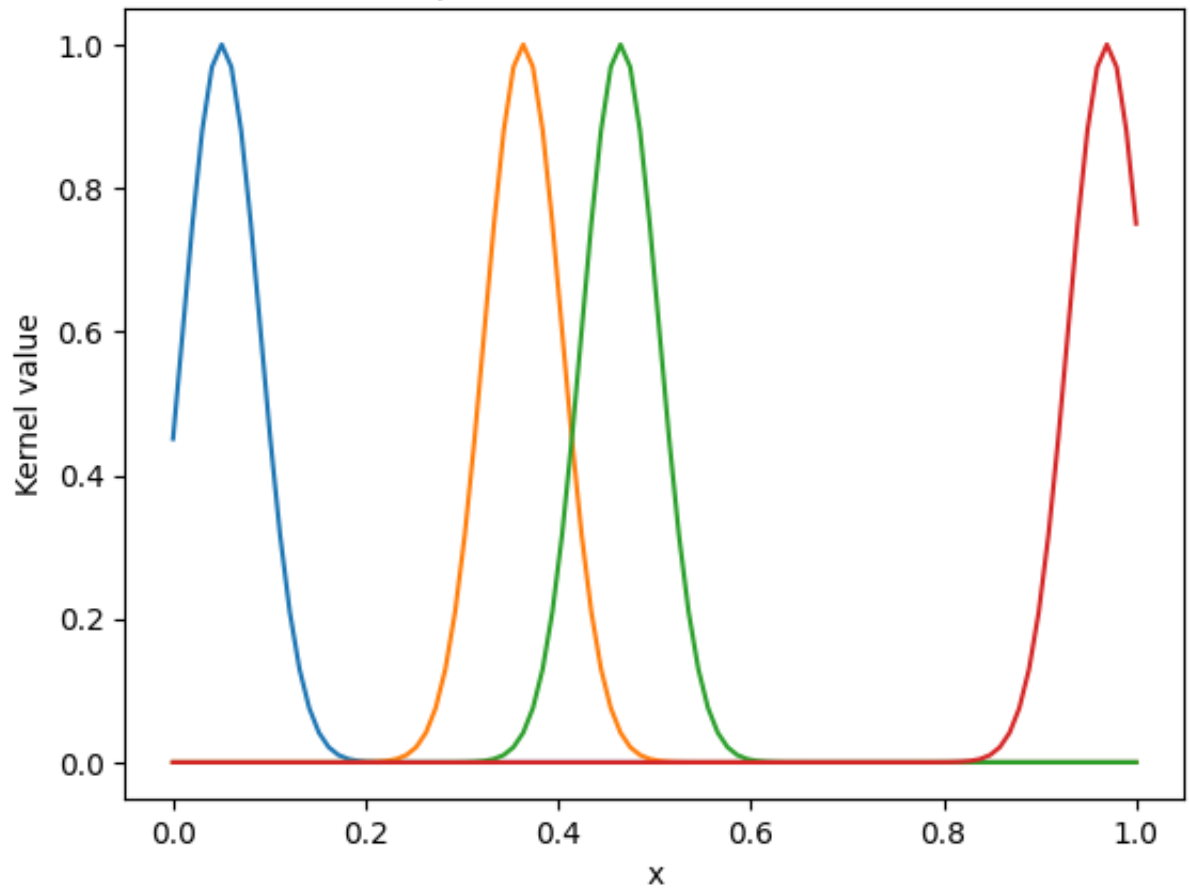
# Show the  $x_i$  for the third peak
print("Value of x_test at index 46 (third peak):", x_test2[46])

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Kernel Regression: Effects of λ and σ



Example Gaussian Kernels ($\sigma=0.04$)



Value of x_{test} at index 46 (third peak): 0.4646464646464647

Question 5

When you choose small σ the model overfits

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In [9]: import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

p = int(2) #features
n = int(1000) #examples

## generate training data
X = np.random.rand(n,p)-0.5
Y1 = np.sign(np.sum(X**2,1)-.1).reshape((-1, 1))

Y2 = np.sign(5*X[:,[0]]**3-X[:,[1]])
Y = np.hstack((Y1, Y2))
# Plot training data for first classification problem
plt.scatter(X[:,0], X[:,1], color=['b' if i==-1 else 'r' for i in Y1[:,0]])
plt.axis('equal')
plt.title('Labeled data, first classifier')
plt.show()
# Plot training data for second classification problem
plt.scatter(X[:,0], X[:,1], color=['b' if i==-1 else 'r' for i in Y2[:,0]])
plt.title('Labeled data, second classifier')
plt.axis('equal')
plt.show()

for sigma in [5, 0.5, 0.005]:
    # Train Classifier 1
    lam = 0.01

    distsq=np.zeros((n,n),dtype=float)

    for i in range(0,n):
        for j in range(0,n):
            d = np.linalg.norm(X[i,:]-X[j,:])
            distsq[i,j]=d**2

    K = np.exp(-distsq/(2*sigma**2))

    alpha = np.linalg.inv(K+lam*np.identity(n))@Y1

    # Predict labels on a grid of points

    X_grid = []
    Y_hat_grid = []

    g = 100 #number of grid points
    Y_hat_grid = np.zeros((g,g))
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x1_grid = np.linspace(-.5,.5,g)
x2_grid = np.linspace(-.5,.5,g)

for i,x1 in enumerate(x1_grid):
    for j,x2 in enumerate(x2_grid):
        Y_hat_grid[i,j] = np.exp(-np.linalg.norm(X - np.array([x1,x2]), ax

plt.contour(x1_grid, x2_grid, Y_hat_grid, np.linspace(-2,2,20))
plt.colorbar()
plt.title('Prediction before thresholding, sigma = '+ str(sigma))
plt.show()

plt.contour(x1_grid, x2_grid, np.sign(Y_hat_grid), np.linspace(-2,2,20))
plt.colorbar()
plt.title('Prediction after thresholding, sigma = '+ str(sigma))

# Train Classifier 2
lam = 0.01

distsq=np.zeros((n,n),dtype=float)

for i in range(0,n):
    for j in range(0,n):
        d = np.linalg.norm(X[i,:]-X[j,:])
        distsq[i,j]=d**2

K = np.exp(-distsq/(2*sigma**2))

alpha = np.linalg.inv(K+lam*np.identity(n))@Y2

# Predict labels on a grid of points
X_grid = []
Y_hat_grid = []

g = 100 #number of grid points
Y_hat_grid = np.zeros((g,g))

x1_grid = np.linspace(-.5,.5,g)
x2_grid = np.linspace(-.5,.5,g)

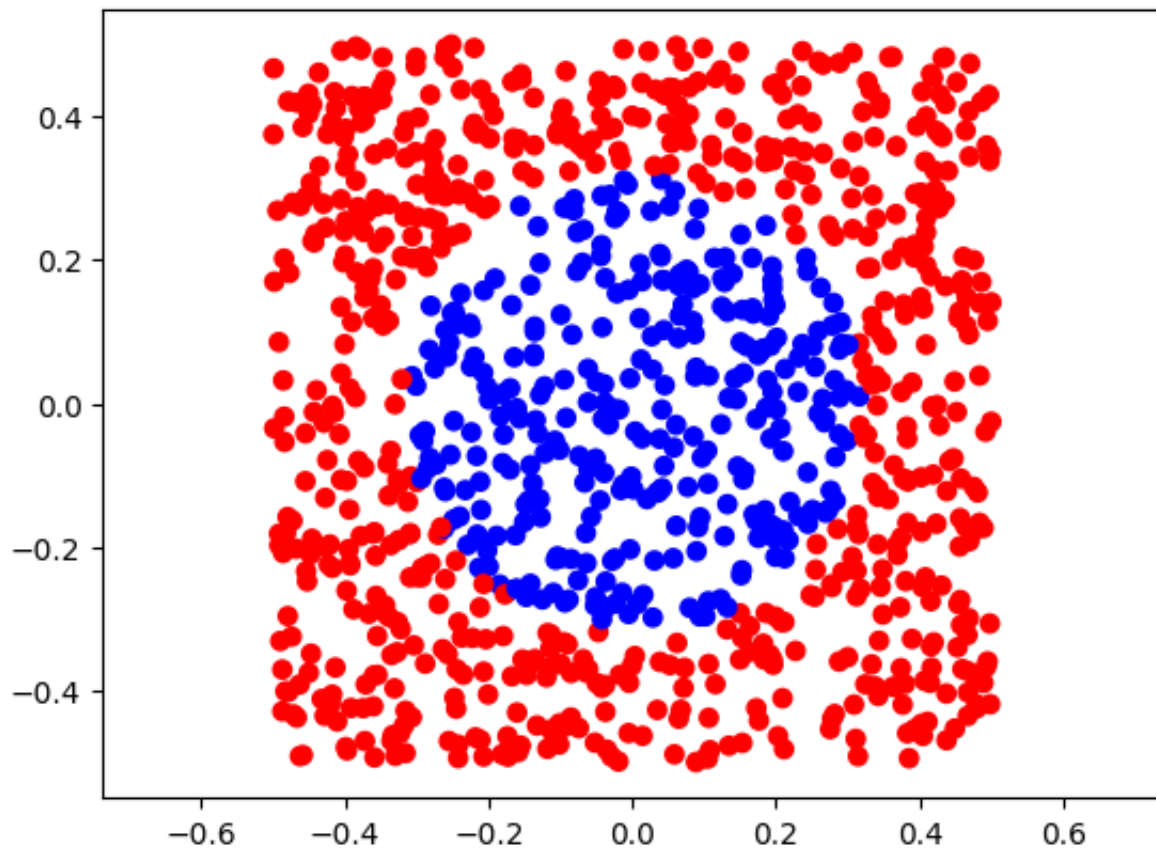
for i,x1 in enumerate(x1_grid):
    for j,x2 in enumerate(x2_grid):
        Y_hat_grid[i,j] = np.exp(-np.linalg.norm(X - np.array([x1,x2]), ax

plt.contour(x1_grid, x2_grid, Y_hat_grid, np.linspace(-2,2,20))
plt.colorbar()
plt.title('Prediction before thresholding, sigma = '+ str(sigma))
plt.show()

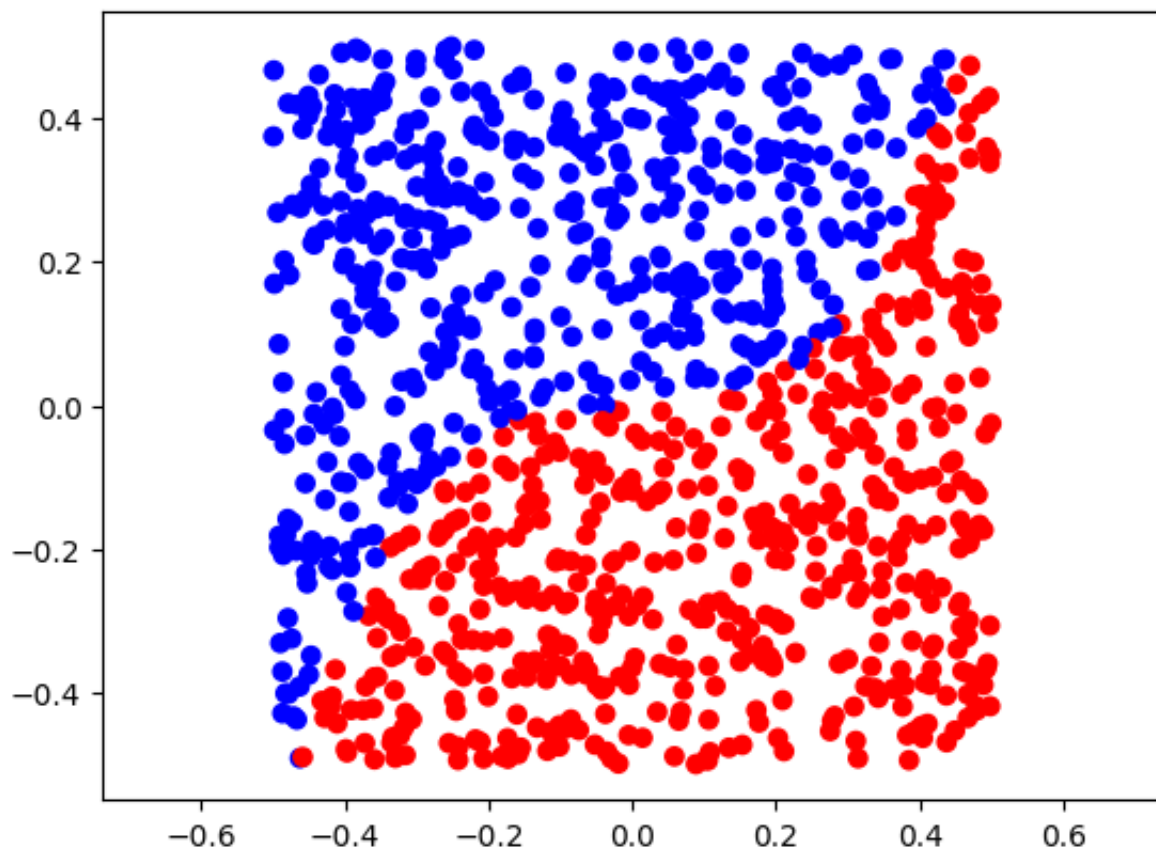
plt.contour(x1_grid, x2_grid, np.sign(Y_hat_grid), np.linspace(-2,2,20))
plt.colorbar()
plt.title('Prediction after thresholding, sigma = '+ str(sigma))

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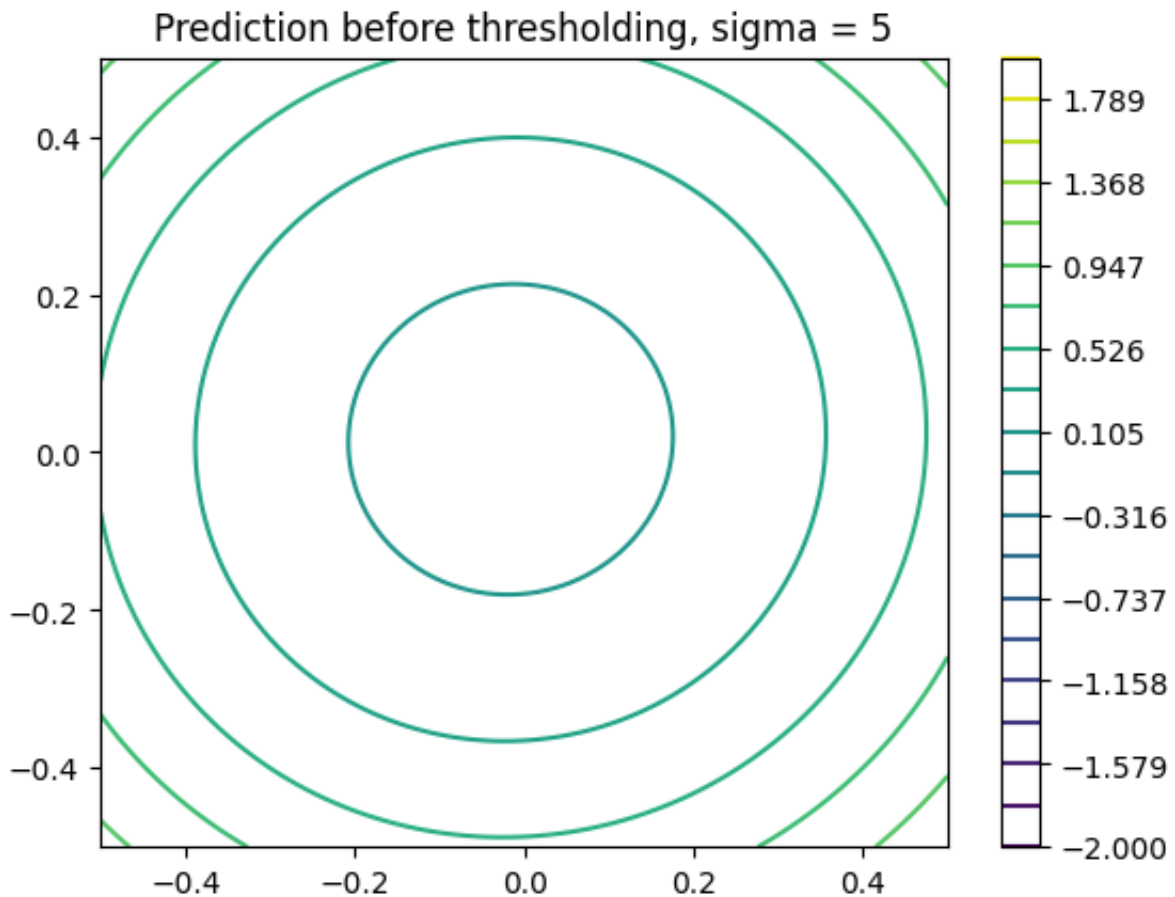
Labeled data, first classifier



Labeled data, second classifier

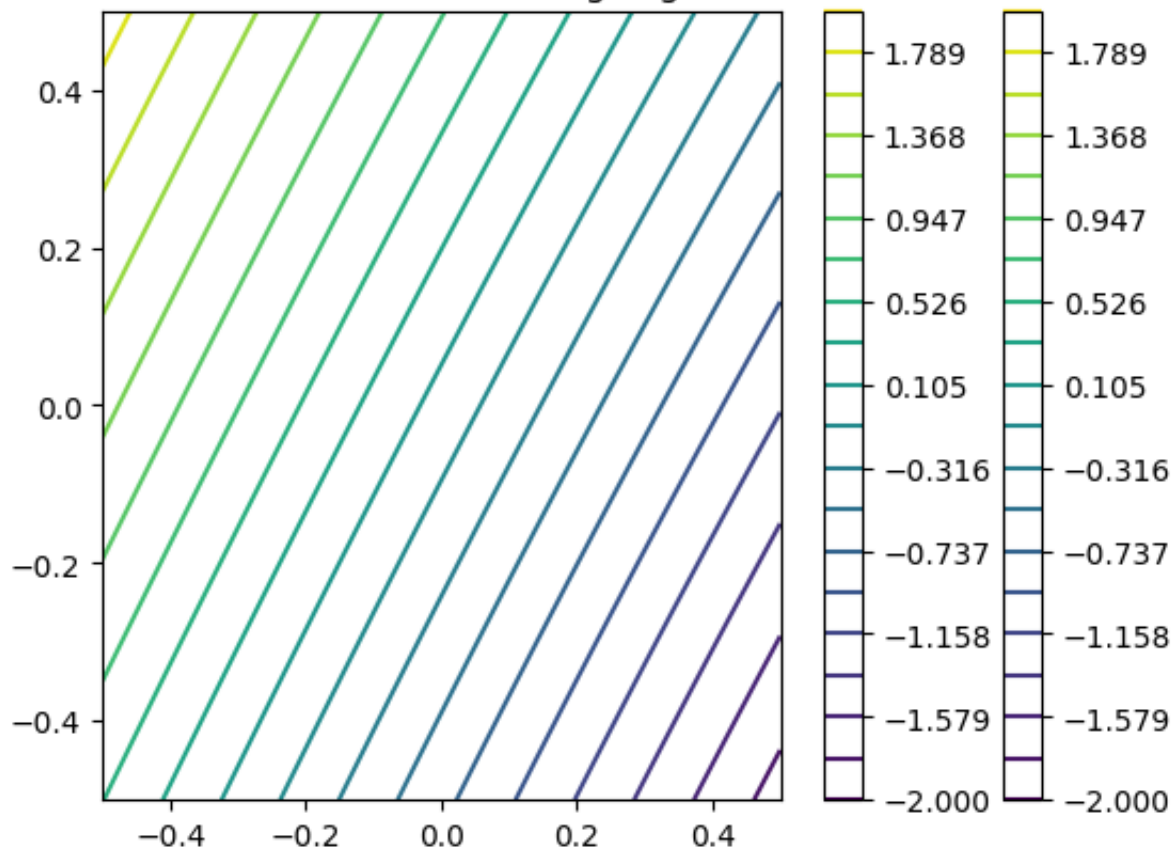


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y:53: DeprecationWarning: Conversion of an array with ndim > 0 to a scalar i
s deprecated, and will error in future. Ensure you extract a single element
from your array before performing this operation. (Deprecated NumPy 1.25.)
Y_hat_grid[i,j] = np.exp(-np.linalg.norm(X - np.array([x1,x2]), axis =
1)**2/(2*sigma**2))@alpha
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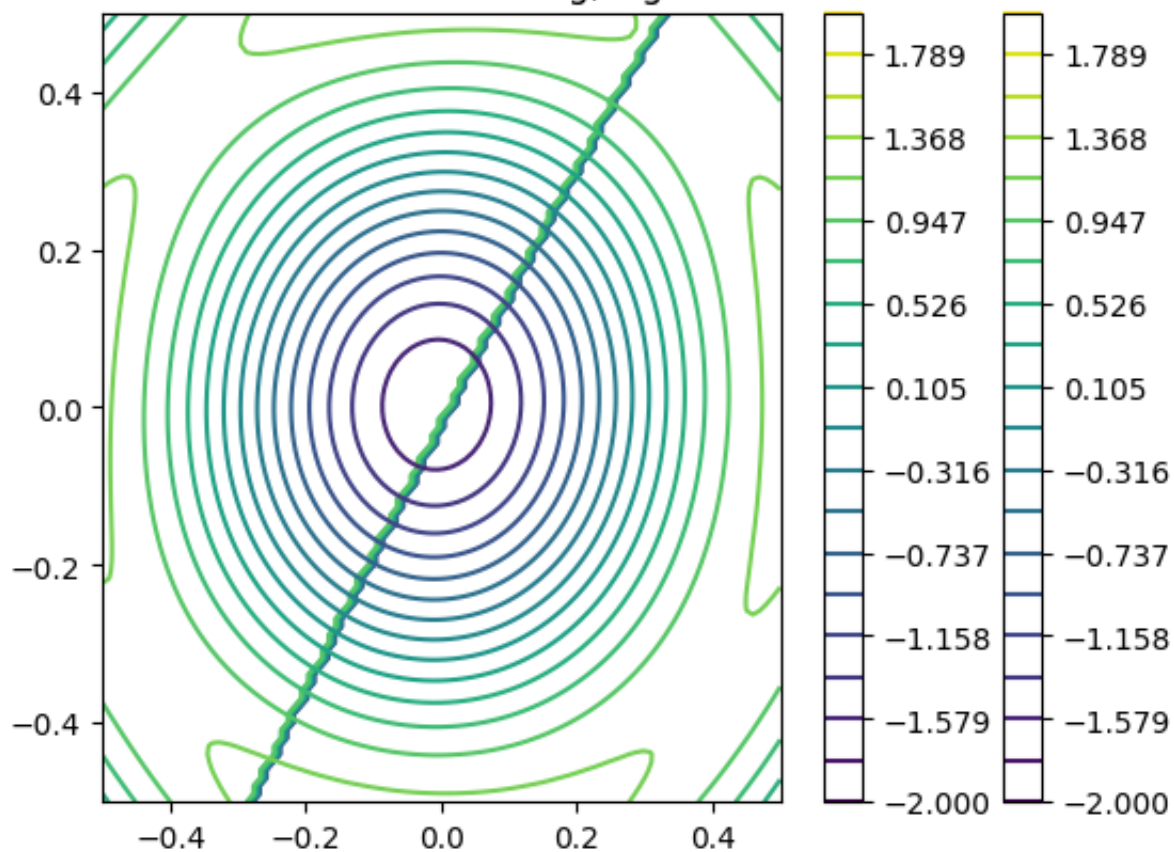


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/var/folders/tn/v9tpvrrs4qgdbw0xd1q0l8qh0000gn/T/ipykernel_27404/802802170.p
y:91: DeprecationWarning: Conversion of an array with ndim > 0 to a scalar i
s deprecated, and will error in future. Ensure you extract a single element
from your array before performing this operation. (Deprecated NumPy 1.25.)
Y_hat_grid[i,j] = np.exp(-np.linalg.norm(X - np.array([x1,x2]), axis =
1)**2/(2*sigma**2))@alpha
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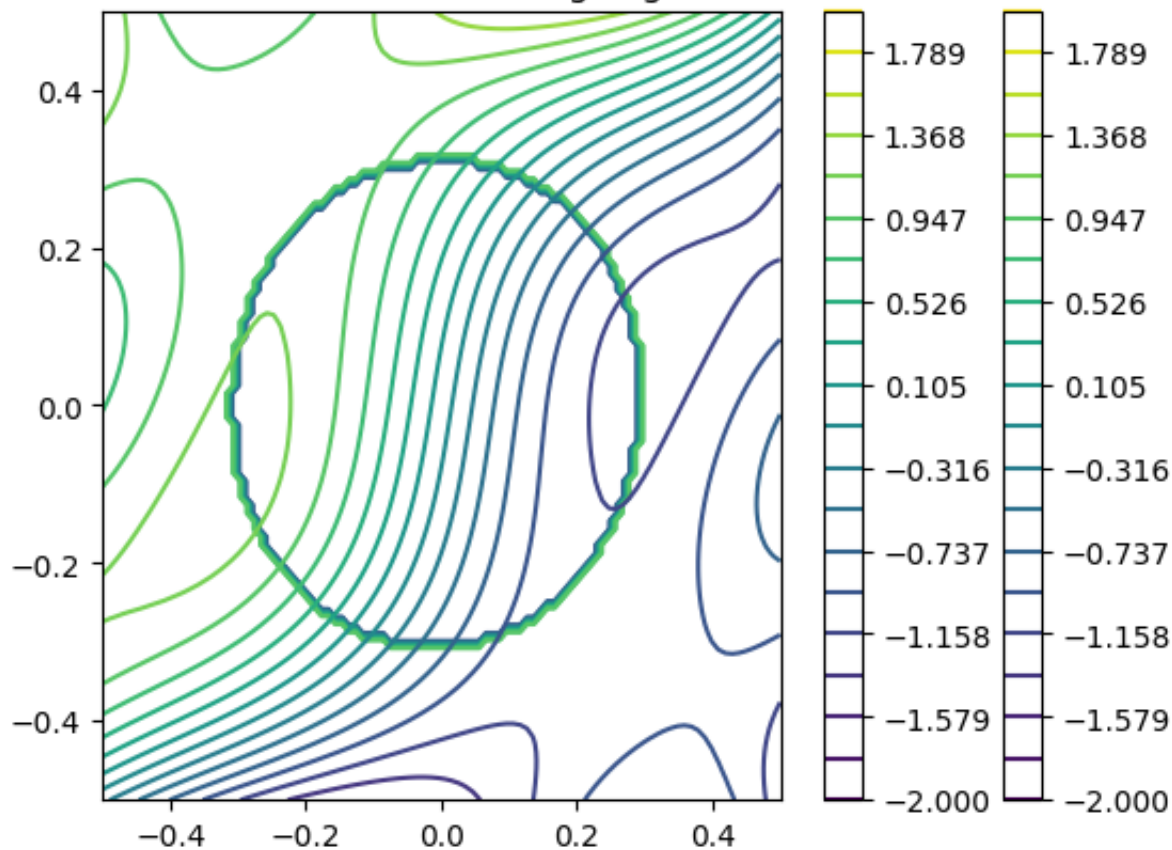

Prediction before thresholding, sigma = 5



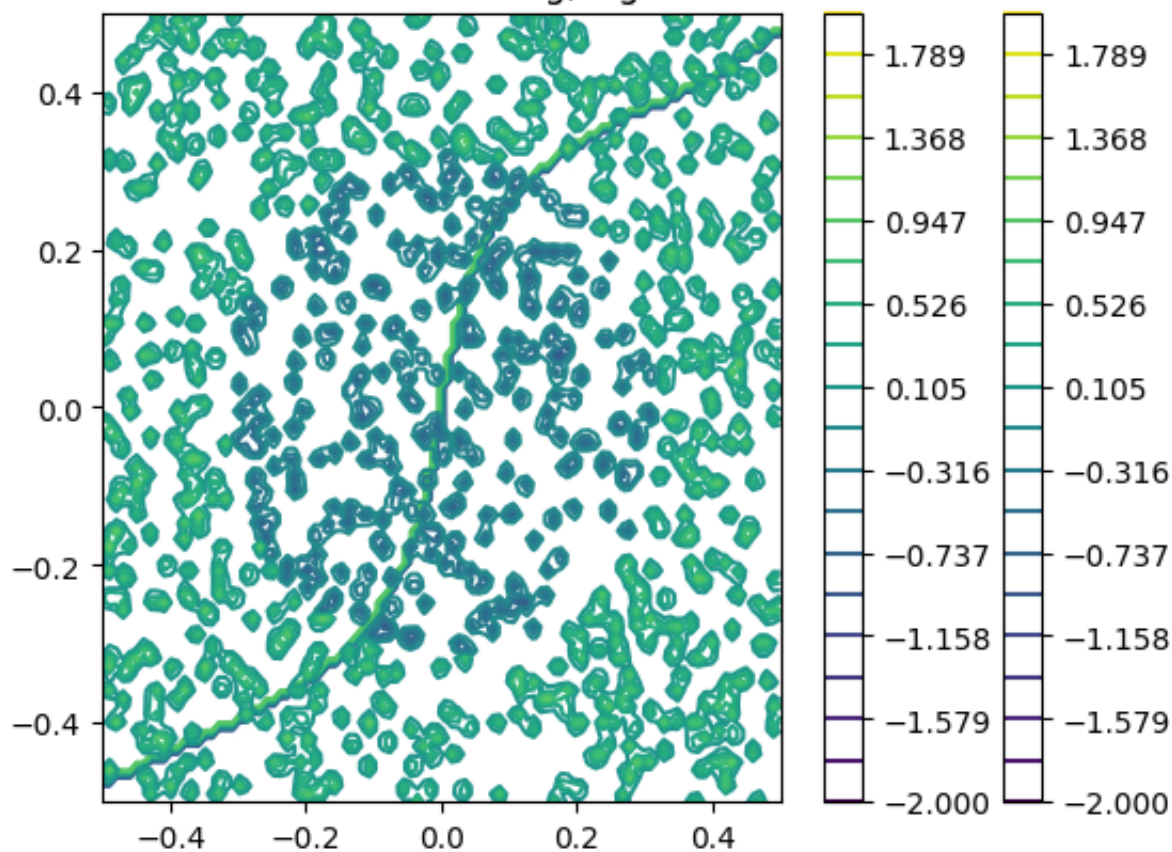
Prediction before thresholding, sigma = 0.5



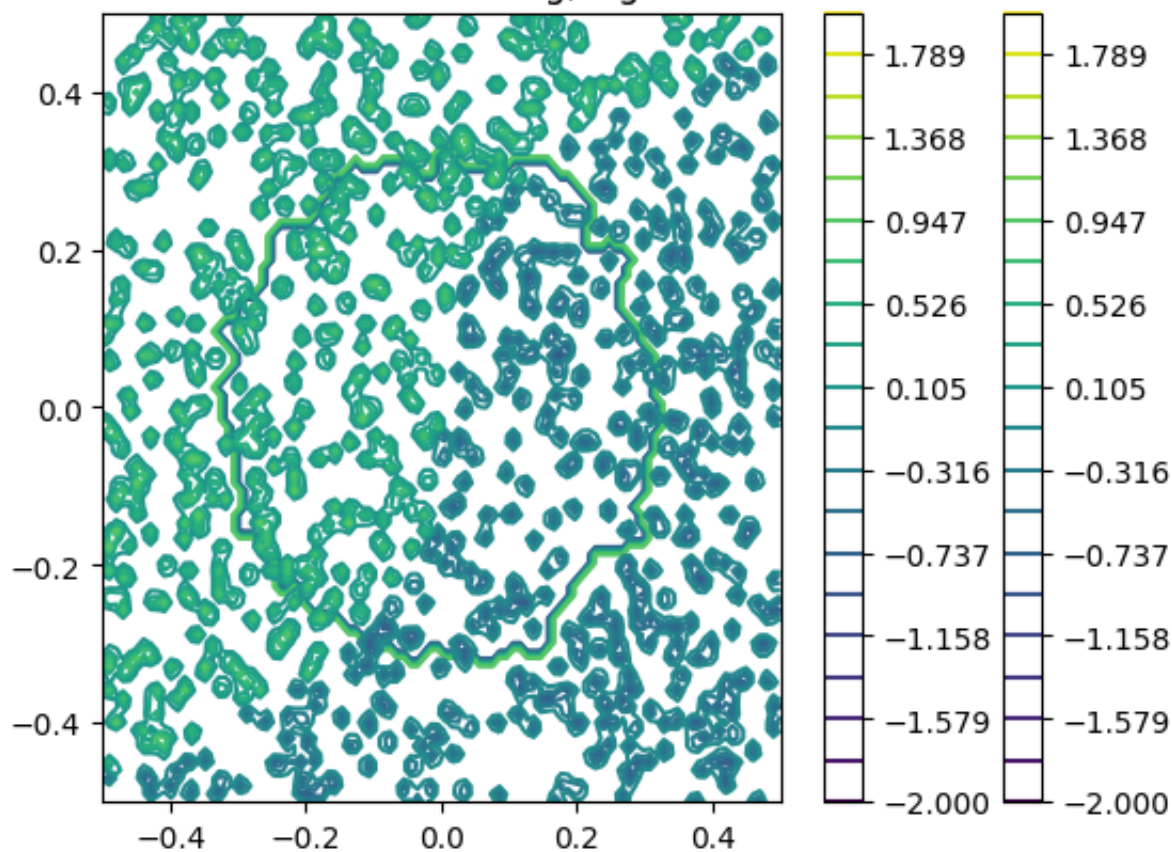
Prediction before thresholding, sigma = 0.5



Prediction before thresholding, sigma = 0.005



Prediction before thresholding, sigma = 0.005



Prediction after thresholding, sigma = 0.005

