

# Lecture 19

## §1 Maxima convolution 的 ANN representation

### 1. Lemma: Maxima convolution 的 ANN representation (4.2.9)

令 ① 维度:  $d \in \mathbb{N}$

② mesh points (插值点) 的个数:  $K \in \mathbb{N}$

③ Lipschitz parameter:  $L \in [0, \infty)$

④ mesh points (插值点):  $x_1, x_2, \dots, x_K \in \mathbb{R}^d$

⑤ 插值函数值:  $y = (y_1, y_2, \dots, y_K) \in \mathbb{R}^K$

⑥ Maxima convolution 的 ANN representation:  $\Phi \in \mathbb{N}$ , 其满足

$$\Phi = M_K \cdot \underbrace{A_{-L I_K, y}}_{\text{构造 } (y_i - L \|x - x_i\|_1)_{i \in \{1, \dots, K\}}} \cdot \underbrace{P_K(L_d \cdot A_{I_d, -x_1}, L_d \cdot A_{I_d, -x_2}, \dots, L_d \cdot A_{I_d, -x_K})}_{\text{构造 } (\|x - x_1\|_1, \|x - x_2\|_1, \dots, \|x - x_K\|_1)} \cdot \underbrace{T_{d, K}}_{\text{将 } x \in \mathbb{R}^d \text{ 复制 } K \text{ 份}}$$

则 ①  $I(\Phi) = d$

②  $D(\Phi) = 1$

③  $H(\Phi) = \lceil \log_2(K) \rceil + 1$

④  $D_1(\Phi) = 2dK$

⑤  $D_i(\Phi) \leq 3 \lceil \frac{K}{2^{i-1}} \rceil, i \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots\}$

⑥  $\|T(\Phi)\|_\infty \leq \max\{1, L, \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|x_k\|_\infty, 2\|y\|_\infty\}$

⑦  $(R_V^N(\Phi))(x) = \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} (y_k - L \|x - x_k\|_1)$

证明:

Proof of Lemma 4.2.9. Throughout this proof, let  $\Psi_k \in \mathbb{N}, k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$ , satisfy for all  $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  that  $\Psi_k = \mathbb{L}_d \bullet \mathbf{A}_{I_d, -x_k}$ , let  $\Xi \in \mathbb{N}$  satisfy

$$\Xi = \mathbf{A}_{-L I_K, y} \bullet \mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K) \bullet \mathbb{T}_{d, K}, \quad (4.56)$$

and let  $\|\cdot\|: \bigcup_{m, n \in \mathbb{N}} \mathbb{R}^{m \times n} \rightarrow [0, \infty)$  satisfy for all  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}, M = (M_{i, j})_{i \in \{1, \dots, m\}, j \in \{1, \dots, n\}} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$  that  $\|M\| = \max_{i \in \{1, \dots, m\}, j \in \{1, \dots, n\}} |M_{i, j}|$ . Observe that (4.55) and Proposition 2.1.2 ensure that  $\mathcal{O}(\Phi) = \mathcal{O}(\mathbb{M}_K) = 1$  and  $\mathcal{I}(\Phi) = \mathcal{I}(\mathbb{T}_{d, K}) = d$ . This proves items (i) and (ii). Moreover, observe that the fact that for all  $m, n \in \mathbb{N}, \mathbb{W} \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}, \mathbb{B} \in \mathbb{R}^m$  it holds that  $\mathcal{H}(\mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{W}, \mathbb{B}}) = 0 = \mathcal{H}(\mathbb{T}_{d, K})$ , the fact that  $\mathcal{H}(\mathbb{L}_d) = 1$ , and Proposition 2.1.2 assure that

$$\mathcal{H}(\Xi) = \mathcal{H}(\mathbf{A}_{-L I_K, y}) + \mathcal{H}(\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)) + \mathcal{H}(\mathbb{T}_{d, K}) = \mathcal{H}(\Psi_1) = \mathcal{H}(\mathbb{L}_d) = 1. \quad (4.57)$$

Proposition 2.1.2 and Proposition 4.2.7 hence ensure that

$$\mathcal{H}(\Phi) = \mathcal{H}(\mathbb{M}_K \bullet \Xi) = \mathcal{H}(\mathbb{M}_K) + \mathcal{H}(\Xi) = \lceil \log_2(K) \rceil + 1 \quad (4.58)$$

(cf. Definition 4.2.6). This establishes item (iii). Next observe that the fact that  $\mathcal{H}(\Xi) = 1$ , Proposition 2.1.2, and Proposition 4.2.7 assure that for all  $i \in \{2, 3, 4, \dots\}$  it holds that

$$\mathbb{D}_i(\Phi) = \mathbb{D}_{i-1}(\mathbb{M}_K) \leq 3 \lceil \frac{K}{2^{i-1}} \rceil. \quad (4.59)$$

This proves item (v). Furthermore, note that Proposition 2.1.2, Proposition 2.2.4, and Proposition 4.2.2 assure that

$$\mathbb{D}_1(\Phi) = \mathbb{D}_1(\Xi) = \mathbb{D}_1(\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)) = \sum_{i=1}^K \mathbb{D}_1(\Psi_i) = \sum_{i=1}^K \mathbb{D}_1(\mathbb{I}_d) = 2dK. \quad (4.60)$$

This establishes item (iv). Moreover, observe that (2.2) and Lemma 4.2.8 imply that

$$\Phi = ((\mathcal{W}_{1,\Xi}, \mathcal{B}_{1,\Xi}), (\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K} \mathcal{W}_{2,\Xi}, \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K} \mathcal{B}_{2,\Xi}), (\mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbb{M}_K}, 0), \dots, (\mathcal{W}_{\mathcal{L}(\mathbb{M}_K), \mathbb{M}_K}, 0)). \quad (4.61)$$

Next note that the fact that for all  $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  it holds that  $\mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_k} = \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{I}_d, -\mathbf{r}_k}} \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} = \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d}$  assures that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{W}_{1,\Xi} &= \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d, K} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_1} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_2} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_K} \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} \mathbb{I}_d \\ \mathbb{I}_d \\ \vdots \\ \mathbb{I}_d \end{pmatrix} \\ &= \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_1} \\ \mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_2} \\ \vdots \\ \mathcal{W}_{1,\Psi_K} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} \\ \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} \\ \vdots \\ \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned} \quad (4.62)$$

Lemma 4.2.3 hence demonstrates that  $\|\mathcal{W}_{1,\Xi}\| = 1$ . In addition, note that (2.2) implies that

$$\mathcal{B}_{1,\Xi} = \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d, K} + \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} = \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} = \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{B}_{1,\Psi_1} \\ \mathcal{B}_{1,\Psi_2} \\ \vdots \\ \mathcal{B}_{1,\Psi_K} \end{pmatrix}. \quad (4.63)$$

Furthermore, observe that Lemma 4.2.3 implies that for all  $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  it holds that

$$\mathcal{B}_{1,\Psi_k} = \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{I}_d, -\mathbf{r}_k}} + \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} = -\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} \mathbf{r}_k. \quad (4.64)$$

This, (4.63), and Lemma 4.2.3 show that

$$\|\mathcal{B}_{1,\Xi}\|_\infty = \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|\mathcal{B}_{1,\Psi_k}\|_\infty = \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{I}_d} \mathbf{r}_k\|_\infty = \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|\mathbf{r}_k\|_\infty \quad (4.65)$$

(cf. Definition 3.3.4). Combining this, (4.61), Lemma 4.2.8, and the fact that  $\|\mathcal{W}_{1,\Xi}\| = 1$  shows that

$$\begin{aligned} \|\mathcal{T}(\Phi)\|_\infty &= \max\{\|\mathcal{W}_{1,\Xi}\|, \|\mathcal{B}_{1,\Xi}\|_\infty, \|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K} \mathcal{W}_{2,\Xi}\|, \|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K} \mathcal{B}_{2,\Xi}\|_\infty, 1\} \\ &= \max\{1, \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|\mathbf{r}_k\|_\infty, \|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K} \mathcal{W}_{2,\Xi}\|, \|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K} \mathcal{B}_{2,\Xi}\|_\infty\} \end{aligned} \quad (4.66)$$

(cf. Definition 1.3.5). Next note that Lemma 4.2.3 ensures that for all  $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  it holds that  $\mathcal{B}_{2,\Psi_k} = \mathcal{B}_{2,\mathbb{I}_d} = 0$ . Hence, we obtain that  $\mathcal{B}_{2,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} = 0$ . This implies that

$$\mathcal{B}_{2,\Xi} = \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbf{A}_{-L\mathbb{I}_K, \mathbf{y}}} \mathcal{B}_{2,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} + \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbf{A}_{-L\mathbb{I}_K, \mathbf{y}}} = \mathcal{B}_{1,\mathbf{A}_{-L\mathbb{I}_K, \mathbf{y}}} = \mathbf{y}. \quad (4.67)$$

In addition, observe that the fact that for all  $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  it holds that  $\mathcal{W}_{2,\Psi_k} = \mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbb{I}_d}$  assures that

$$\begin{aligned} \mathcal{W}_{2,\Xi} &= \mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbf{A}_{-L\mathbb{I}_K, \mathbf{y}}} \mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} = -L \mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K)} \\ &= -L \begin{pmatrix} \mathcal{W}_{2,\Psi_1} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & \mathcal{W}_{2,\Psi_2} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & \mathcal{W}_{2,\Psi_K} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} -L \mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbb{I}_d} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\ 0 & -L \mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbb{I}_d} & \cdots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \cdots & -L \mathcal{W}_{2,\mathbb{I}_d} \end{pmatrix}. \end{aligned} \quad (4.68)$$

Item (v) in Lemma 4.2.3 and Lemma 4.2.8 hence imply that

$$\|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K}\mathcal{W}_{2,\Xi}\| = L\|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K}\| \leq L. \quad (4.69)$$

Moreover, observe that (4.67) and Lemma 4.2.8 show that

$$\|\mathcal{W}_{1,\mathbb{M}_K}\mathcal{B}_{2,\Xi}\|_\infty \leq 2\|\mathcal{B}_{2,\Xi}\|_\infty = 2\|\mathfrak{y}\|_\infty. \quad (4.70)$$

Combining this with (4.66) and (4.69) establishes item (vi). Next observe that Proposition 4.2.2 and Lemma 2.3.3 show that for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$ ,  $k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  it holds that

$$(\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Psi_k))(x) = (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbb{I}_d) \circ \mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{I}_d, -\mathfrak{x}_k}))(x) = \|x - \mathfrak{x}_k\|_1. \quad (4.71)$$

This, Proposition 2.2.3, and Proposition 2.1.2 imply that for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$  it holds that

$$(\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K) \bullet \mathbb{T}_{d,K}))(x) = (\|x - \mathfrak{x}_1\|_1, \|x - \mathfrak{x}_2\|_1, \dots, \|x - \mathfrak{x}_K\|_1). \quad (4.72)$$

(cf. Definitions 1.2.4 and 1.3.4). Combining this and Lemma 2.3.3 establishes that for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$  it holds that

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Xi))(x) &= (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbf{A}_{-L\mathbb{I}_K, \mathfrak{y}}) \circ \mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbf{P}_K(\Psi_1, \Psi_2, \dots, \Psi_K) \bullet \mathbb{T}_{d,K}))(x) \\ &= (\mathfrak{y}_1 - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_1\|_1, \mathfrak{y}_2 - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_2\|_1, \dots, \mathfrak{y}_K - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_K\|_1). \end{aligned} \quad (4.73)$$

Proposition 2.1.2 and Proposition 4.2.7 hence demonstrate that for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$  it holds that

$$\begin{aligned} (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Phi))(x) &= (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbb{M}_K) \circ \mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Xi))(x) \\ &= (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\mathbb{M}_K))(\mathfrak{y}_1 - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_1\|_1, \mathfrak{y}_2 - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_2\|_1, \dots, \mathfrak{y}_K - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_K\|_1) \\ &= \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} (\mathfrak{y}_k - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_k\|_1). \end{aligned} \quad (4.74)$$

This establishes item (vii). The proof of Lemma 4.2.9 is thus complete.  $\square$

## §2 Constructive ANN approximation results (构造一个ANN来达到目标近似精度)

### 1. Proposition: ANN approximation through maxima convolutions (4.3.1)

令 ① 维度:  $d \in \mathbb{N}$

② mesh points (插值点) 的个数:  $K \in \mathbb{N}$

③ Lipschitz parameter:  $L \in [0, \infty)$

④ 被近似的函数的定义域:  $E \subseteq \mathbb{R}^d$

⑤ mesh points (插值点):  $\mathfrak{x}_1, \mathfrak{x}_2, \dots, \mathfrak{x}_K \in E$

⑥ 被近似的函数:  $f: E \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , 且满足

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \leq L \cdot \|x - y\|_1, \quad \forall x, y \in E \quad (\text{先前只要求 } y \in \text{mesh point set})$$

⑦ 插值函数值:  $\mathfrak{y} \in \mathbb{R}^K$ , 且满足:

$$\mathfrak{y} = (f(\mathfrak{x}_1), f(\mathfrak{x}_2), \dots, f(\mathfrak{x}_K))$$

⑧ Maxima convolution 的 ANN representation:  $\Phi \in \mathbb{N}$ , 其满足

$$\Phi = \underbrace{M_K \cdot \mathbf{A}_{-L\mathbb{I}_K, \mathfrak{y}}}_{\text{构造 } (\mathfrak{y}_1 - L\|x - \mathfrak{x}_1\|_1)_{i \in \{1, \dots, K\}}} \cdot \underbrace{P_K(Ld \cdot \mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{I}_d, -\mathfrak{x}_1}, Ld \cdot \mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{I}_d, -\mathfrak{x}_2}, \dots, Ld \cdot \mathbf{A}_{\mathbb{I}_d, -\mathfrak{x}_K})}_{\text{构造 } (\|x - \mathfrak{x}_1\|_1, \|x - \mathfrak{x}_2\|_1, \dots, \|x - \mathfrak{x}_K\|_1)} \cdot \underbrace{T_{d,K}}_{\text{将 } x \in \mathbb{R}^d \text{ 复制 } K \text{ 份}}$$

$$\text{则 } ① \sup_{x \in E} |(\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Phi))(x) - f(x)| \leq 2L \left[ \sup_{x \in E} \left( \min_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|x - \mathfrak{x}_k\|_1 \right) \right]$$

注:  $2 \sup_{x \in E} \left( \min_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|x - \mathfrak{x}_k\|_1 \right) = \sup_{i, j \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} (\|\mathfrak{x}_i - \mathfrak{x}_j\|_1)$  插值点的最大间距

## 证明:

*Proof of Proposition 4.3.1.* Throughout this proof, let  $F: \mathbb{R}^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$  satisfy for all  $x \in \mathbb{R}^d$  that

$$F(x) = \max_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} (f(\mathbf{r}_k) - L\|x - \mathbf{r}_k\|_1). \quad (4.77)$$

Observe that Corollary 4.1.4, (4.77), and the assumption that for all  $x, y \in E$  it holds that  $|f(x) - f(y)| \leq L\|x - y\|_1$  establish that

$$\sup_{x \in E} |F(x) - f(x)| \leq 2L \left[ \sup_{x \in E} \left( \min_{k \in \{1, 2, \dots, K\}} \|x - \mathbf{r}_k\|_1 \right) \right]. \quad (4.78)$$

Moreover, note that Lemma 4.2.9 ensures that for all  $x \in E$  it holds that  $F(x) = (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Phi))(x)$ . Combining this and (4.78) establishes (4.76). The proof of Proposition 4.3.1 is thus complete.  $\square$

2. **Corollary:** 给定 error tolerances 时, ANN 的近似结果 (implicit) 和 asymptotic parameter bounds (explicit) (4.3.11)

全 ① 被近似的函数维度:  $d \in \mathbb{N}$

② 被近似的函数各维度定义域下、上限:  $a \in \mathbb{R}, b \in [a, \infty)$

③ 被近似的函数的 Lipschitz constant:  $L \in [0, \infty)$

被近似的函数:  $f: [a, b]^d \rightarrow \mathbb{R}$ , 且满足:

$$|f(x) - f(y)| \leq L \|x - y\|_1, \quad \forall x, y \in [a, b]^d$$

则存在  $C \in \mathbb{R}$ , s.t. 对  $\forall \varepsilon \in (0, 1]$ , 存在  $F \in \mathbb{N}$ , 其满足:

①  $R_F^N(F) \in C(\mathbb{R}^d, \mathbb{R})$  注意不是  $\infty$

②  $\sup_{x \in [a, b]^d} |(R_F^N(F))(x) - f(x)| \leq \varepsilon$

③  $P(F) \leq C \cdot \varepsilon^{-2d}$

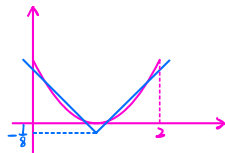
**例 1:** Exercise 4.3.1. Prove or disprove the following statement: There exists  $\Phi \in \mathbb{N}$  such that  $I(\Phi) = 2$ ,  $O(\Phi) = 1$ ,  $P(\Phi) < 20$ , and

$$\sup_{v=(x,y) \in [0,2]^2} |x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 2 - (\mathcal{R}_\tau^N(\Phi))(v)| \leq \frac{3}{8}. \quad (4.79)$$

*Intuition:* 注意到  $f(x, y) = x^2 + y^2 - 2x - 2y + 2 = (x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2$ , 因此我们可以在两个维度上分别用  $G(x)$  与  $G(y)$  近似, 并确保:

$$\begin{aligned} \sup_{(x,y) \in [0,2]^2} |f(x,y) - G(x) - G(y)| &\leq \sup_{(x,y) \in [0,2]^2} |(x-1)^2 - G(x)| + |(y-1)^2 - G(y)| \\ &= \sup_{x \in [0,2]} 2 \cdot |(x-1)^2 - G(x)| \\ &\leq \frac{3}{8} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sup_{x \in [0,2]} |(x-1)^2 - G(x)| \leq \frac{3}{16}$$



令  $\Phi \in \mathbb{N}$  with  $I(\Phi) = 2$ ,  $O(\Phi) = 1$ ,  $P(\Phi) = 17 < 20$ , s.t.

$$\Phi = \left( \left( \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ 1 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{bmatrix} \right), \left( [1 \ 1 \ 1 \ 1], [-\frac{1}{4}] \right) \right)$$

then it holds that for  $\forall x, y \in [0, 2]$ ,

$$(R_\tau^N(\Phi))(x, y) = \max\{x-1, 0\} + \max\{-(x-1), 0\} + \max\{y-1, 0\} + \max\{-(y-1), 0\} - \frac{1}{4}$$

$$= |x-1| - \frac{1}{8} + |y-1| - \frac{1}{8}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sup_{(x,y) \in [0,2]^2} |(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2 - (R'_r(\Phi))(x,y)| = \sup_{(x,y) \in [0,2]^2} |(x-1)^2 + (y-1)^2 - |x-1| + \frac{1}{8} - |y-1| + \frac{1}{8}|$$

$$\leq 2 \cdot \sup_{x \in [0,2]} \underbrace{|(x-1)^2 - |x-1| + \frac{1}{8}|}_{\text{关于 1 symmetric}}$$

$$= 2 \cdot \sup_{x \in [0,1]} |x^2 - x + \frac{1}{8}|$$

$$= 2 \cdot \max\{|0^2 - 0 + \frac{1}{8}|, |1^2 - 1 + \frac{1}{8}|, |(\frac{1}{2})^2 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{8}|\}$$

$$= \frac{1}{4}$$

$$\leq \frac{3}{8}$$