

HW3 libSVM

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Result and command line:

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C:\Users\lou>cd C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows
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C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-train.exe -t 0 training.new Train\Kernel0
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....*....*
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```
optimization finished, #iter = 579
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```
nu = 0.017662
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obj = -0.627017, rho = 1.172955
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nSV = 40, nBSV = 0
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Total nSV = 40
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C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-train.exe -t 1 training.new Train\Kernel1
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.*. *
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optimization finished, #iter = 162
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nu = 0.022567
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obj = -0.801149, rho = 0.404372
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nSV = 57, nBSV = 0
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Total nSV = 57
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C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-train.exe -t 2 training.new Train\Kernel2
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. *
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optimization finished, #iter = 99
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nu = 0.801753
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obj = -30.091940, rho = -0.076980
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nSV = 71, nBSV = 22
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Total nSV = 71
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C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-train.exe -t 3 training.new Train\Kernel3
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optimization finished, #iter = 37
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```
nu = 0.957746
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obj = -65.367107, rho = -0.492870
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nSV = 68, nBSV = 68
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Total nSV = 68
```

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C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-predict.exe validation.new Train\Kernel0 Test\test0
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Accuracy = 85.7143% (30/35) (classification)

C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-predict.exe validation.new Train\Kernel1 Test\test1
Accuracy = 74.2857% (26/35) (classification)

C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-predict.exe validation.new Train\Kernel2 Test\test2
Accuracy = 77.1429% (27/35) (classification)

C:\Users\lou\Downloads\libsvm-3.23\windows>svm-predict.exe validation.new Train\Kernel3 Test\test3
Accuracy = 45.7143% (16/35) (classification)

Question:

How does it vary with different choice of kernel?

Kernels:

0 –Linear : $u \cdot v$

1 -Polynomial: $(g \cdot u \cdot v + \text{coef } 0)^{\text{deg ree}}$

2 -- RBF: $e^{-\frac{1}{2g} \|u - v\|^2}$

3 -- sigmoid: $\tanh(g \cdot u \cdot v + \text{coef } 0)$

From kernel 1-4, the accuracy is high when use Linear kernel. The accuracy is about the same when use polynomial and RBF kernel. When use sigmoid kernel accuracy is low.