

# ML2 Exercise sheet 1

Ex 1 (1)  $E(w) = \sum_i |\vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j|^2$

$\vec{x}_i \rightarrow \alpha \vec{x}_i$   $E_1(w) = \sum_i |\alpha \vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \alpha \vec{x}_j|^2$   
 $= \sum_i |\alpha \vec{x}_i - \alpha \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j|^2$   
 $= \alpha^2 \sum_i |\vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j|^2$   
 $= \alpha^2 E(w)$

Since  $\alpha \in \mathbb{R}^+ \setminus \{0\}$

$$\min_w E_1(w) = \min_w \alpha^2 E(w)$$

(2)  $\vec{x}_i \rightarrow \vec{x}_i + \vec{v}$   $E_2(w) = \sum_i |(\vec{x}_i + \vec{v}) - \sum_j w_{ij} (\vec{x}_j + \vec{v})|^2$   
 $= \sum_i |(\vec{x}_i + \vec{v}) - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{v}|^2$   
 $= \sum_i |\vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j|$  because  $\sum_j w_{ij} = 1$   
 $= E(w)$

(3)  $\vec{x}_i \rightarrow U \cdot \vec{x}_i$   $E_3(w) = \sum_i |U \cdot \vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} U \vec{x}_j|^2$   
 $= \sum_i |U \cdot (\vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j)|^2$   ~~$|\vec{x}_i|^2 = |\vec{x}_i|^2$~~   
 $= \sum_i (\vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j)^T \cdot U^T \cdot U (\vec{x}_i - \sum_j w_{ij} \vec{x}_j)$   
 as  $U$  is orthogonal matrix,  $U^T U = I$   
 so  $E_3(w) = E(w)$

Exercise 2:

$$\begin{aligned}
 (i) \quad \Sigma &= \omega^T C \omega \\
 &= \omega^T (\mathbb{1} \bar{x}^T - \eta) (\mathbb{1} \bar{x}^T - \eta)^T \omega \\
 &= (\omega^T \mathbb{1} \bar{x}^T - \omega^T \eta) (\omega^T \mathbb{1} \bar{x}^T - \omega^T \eta)^T \\
 &= (\bar{x}^T - \omega^T \eta) (\bar{x}^T - \omega^T \eta)^T \quad \text{given } \omega^T \mathbb{1} = 1 \\
 &= |\bar{x}^T - \omega^T \eta|^2 \\
 &= |\bar{x}^T - \sum_k \omega_k \eta_k|^2 \\
 &= \left| \sum_j \omega_j (\bar{x} - \bar{\eta}_j) \right|^2 \\
 &= \sum_{j,k} \omega_j \omega_k C_{jk}
 \end{aligned}$$

(ii) Given constraint optimization problem  
 $\min_{\omega} \omega^T C \omega$  Subject to  $\omega^T \mathbb{1} = 1$

Applying Lagrange's

$$L = \omega^T C \omega + \lambda (1 - \mathbb{1}^T \omega)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \omega} = 2C\omega - \lambda \mathbb{1} = 0$$

$$\omega = \frac{\lambda C^{-1} \mathbb{1}}{2} \dots \dots \textcircled{1}$$

$$\text{we know } \mathbb{1}^T \omega = \frac{\lambda \mathbb{1}^T C^{-1} \mathbb{1}}{2} = 1$$

$$\Rightarrow \lambda = \frac{2}{\mathbb{1}^T C^{-1} \mathbb{1}} \dots \dots \textcircled{2}$$

Substituting ② in ①

$$\omega = \frac{C^{-1} \mathbb{1}}{\mathbb{1}^T C^{-1} \mathbb{1}}$$



iii)  $L = \frac{1}{2} w^T C w - (w^T \mathbf{1} - 1)$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial w} = Cw - \mathbf{1} = 0$$

$$Cw = \mathbf{1}$$

$$w = C^{-1} \mathbf{1} \quad \dots \quad \textcircled{1}$$

Rescaling  $w^T \mathbf{1} = 1$

$$(C^{-1} \mathbf{1})^T \mathbf{1} = 1$$

$$\mathbf{1}^T C^{-1} \mathbf{1} = 1$$

From  $\textcircled{1}$

$$w = \frac{C^{-1} \mathbf{1}}{\mathbf{1}^T C^{-1} \mathbf{1}} \quad \text{which is same as obtained in (ii)}$$

Hence minimum  $w$  can be found from equation  $Cw = \mathbf{1}$

ML EX3: i)

$$C = D_{KL}(P||Q) = \sum_i p_i \log \frac{p_i}{q_i}$$

$$\sum_i p_i = 1 = \sum_i q_i$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_i p_i (\log p_i - \log q_i)$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_i p_i \log p_i - \sum_i p_i \log q_i$$

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial q_i} = - \frac{p_i}{q_i}$$

ii)  $q_i = \frac{e^{x_i}}{\sum_k e^{x_k}}$

$$\Rightarrow C = \sum_i p_i \log p_i - \sum_i p_i \log \frac{e^{x_i}}{\sum_k e^{x_k}}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_i p_i \log p_i - \sum_i p_i \log e^{x_i} + \sum_i p_i \log \sum_k e^{x_k} \quad \text{with } i=k$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_i p_i \log p_i - \sum_i p_i x_i + \sum_i p_i \log \sum_k e^{x_k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_i p_i \log p_i - \sum_i p_i x_i + \log \sum_k e^{x_k}$$

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial x_i} = -p_i + \underbrace{\frac{1}{\sum_k e^{x_k}} \cdot e^{x_i}}_{= q_i} = -p_i + q_i$$

iii) 1)  $\frac{\partial C}{\partial x_i}$  is more stable as  $q_i = \frac{e^{x_i}}{\sum_k e^{x_k}}$  is normalized and thus between 0 and 1.

2)  $\frac{\partial C}{\partial x_i}$  has a higher ability to model varied probability distributions as for  $\frac{\partial C}{\partial q_i} = -\frac{p_i}{q_i}$  some of the denominators (for  $i$ ) might not lie within 0 and 1.