

$$\begin{aligned}
 & 1. \\
 (a) \quad & p(x) \log_2 \left( \frac{1}{p(x)} \right) \\
 &= p(x) (\log_2 1 - \log_2 p(x)) \\
 &= p(x) (-\log_2 p(x))
 \end{aligned}$$

since  $p(x) \in [0, 1]$

then  $-\log_2 p(x) \in [0, +\infty)$

so the multiplication of  $p(x) \cdot (-\log_2 p(x))$  is non-negative

since  $H(X) = \sum_x p(x) \log_2 \left( \frac{1}{p(x)} \right)$

which is the sum of non-negative numbers.

So  $H(X)$  is non-negative.

$$(b). KL(p||q) = \sum_x p(x) \log_2 \frac{p(x)}{q(x)} = - \sum p(x) \log_2 \frac{q(x)}{p(x)}$$

$$= \sum p(x) \left[ -\log_2 \frac{q(x)}{p(x)} \right]$$

$$= -E\left(\log_2 \frac{q}{p}\right)$$

since  $\log_2 x$  is concave.

$-\log_2 x$  is convex

$$\geq -\log_2 \left( E\left[\frac{q}{p}\right] \right)$$

$$= -\log_2 \left( \sum p(x) \frac{q(x)}{p(x)} \right)$$

$$= -\log_2 \sum q(x)$$

$$= -\log_2 1 = 0$$

so  $KL(p||q)$  is non-negative.

$$\begin{aligned}
 1. (c) \quad I(Y; X) &= H(Y) - H(Y|X) \\
 &= \sum_x p(x) \log \frac{1}{p(x)} - \sum_{x,y} p(y) \log H(X|Y=y) \\
 &= \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{1}{p(x)} - \sum_{x,y} p(x,y) \log \frac{1}{p(x|y)} \\
 &= \sum p(x,y) \log \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x)} \\
 &= \sum p(x,y) \log \frac{p(y) p(x,y)}{p(x) p(y)} \\
 &= \sum p(x,y) \log \frac{p(x,y)}{p(x) p(y)} \\
 &= KL(p(x,y) \| p(x) p(y))
 \end{aligned}$$

$$2. \quad L(\bar{h}(x), t) = \frac{1}{2} (\bar{h}(x) - t)^2 = \frac{1}{2} \left( \frac{1}{m} \sum h_i(x) - t \right)^2 \\ = \frac{1}{2} (E(h_i(x)) - t)^2$$

since  $y = x^2$  is convex.

so

$$\frac{1}{2} (E(h_i(x)) - t)^2 \leq E \left( \frac{1}{2} (h_i(x) - t)^2 \right) \\ = \frac{1}{m} \sum L(h_i(x), t)$$

$$\text{so } L(\bar{h}(x), t) \leq \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m L(h_i(x), t)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 3. \quad \text{err}' &= \frac{\sum_{i \in E} w_i'}{\sum_{i=1}^N w_i'} \\
 &= \frac{\sum_{i \in E} w_i'}{\sum_{i \in E} w_i' + \sum_{i \in E^c} w_i'} \\
 &= \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sum_{i \in E^c} w_i'}{\sum_{i \in E} w_i'}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i \in E} w_i' &= \sum_E w_i \exp\{-\alpha_t t^{(i)} h_t(x^{(i)})\} \\
 t^{(i)} h_t(x^{(i)}) &= -1 \text{ since these are in set } E. \\
 &= \sum_E w_i \exp(\alpha_t) \\
 &= \sum_E w_i \exp\left\{\frac{1}{2} \log \frac{1 - \text{err}_t}{\text{err}_t}\right\} \\
 &= \sum_E w_i \left(\frac{1 - \text{err}_t}{\text{err}_t}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \sum_{i \in E^c} w_i' &= \sum_{E^c} w_i \exp\{-\alpha_t t^{(i)} h_t(x^{(i)})\} \\
 t^{(i)} h_t(x^{(i)}) &= 1 \text{ since these are in set } E^c \\
 &= \sum_{E^c} w_i \exp(-\alpha_t) \\
 &= \sum_{E^c} w_i \left(\frac{1 - \text{err}_t}{\text{err}_t}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \frac{\sum_{i \in E^c} w_i'}{\sum_{i \in E} w_i'} &= \frac{\sum_{E^c} w_i \left(\frac{1 - \text{err}_t}{\text{err}_t}\right)^{-\frac{1}{2}}}{\sum_E w_i \left(\frac{1 - \text{err}_t}{\text{err}_t}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}}} = \left(\frac{1 - \text{err}_t}{\text{err}_t}\right)^{-1} \cdot \frac{\sum_{E^c} w_i}{\sum_E w_i} \\
 &= \frac{\text{err}_t}{1 - \text{err}_t} \cdot \frac{\sum_{E^c} w_i}{\sum_E w_i} = \frac{\left(\frac{\sum_{i \in E} w_i}{\sum_{i=1}^N w_i}\right) \left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^N w_i}{1 - \frac{\sum_{i \in E} w_i}{\sum_{i=1}^N w_i}}\right) \cdot \frac{\sum_{E^c} w_i}{\sum_E w_i}}{\sum_E w_i} = \frac{\sum_E w_i}{\sum_{E^c} w_i} \cdot \frac{\sum_{E^c} w_i}{\sum_E w_i} = 1
 \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Therefore } \text{err}' = \frac{1}{1+1} = \frac{1}{2}$$