## **Assignment 04**

## To be solved individually

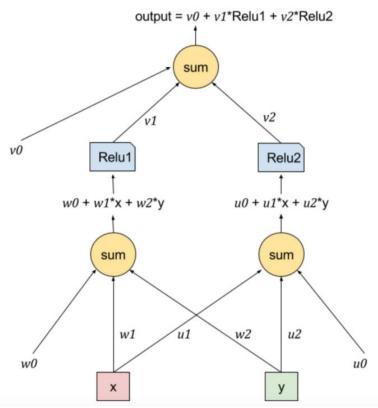
## Submit by 9 Dec, 2018, 23h59 by email to jaime.cardoso@fe.up.pt

- **1.** Modify the code (script myProject.m / myProject.py) provided in lecture 6. For the SVM model and splitting the given data in suitable subsets:
- -make sure the kernel is set to RBF.
- -simultaneously optimize the gamma in the set {0.5, 1, 2} and the C parameter in the set {1/4, 1/2, 1, 2, 4, 8}
- a. What's the selected optimal set of parameters {gamma, C}?
- b. What's the estimated performance for the chosen parameterization?

Provide explicitly the results obtained and the Matlab/Python code supporting your answers.

## 2. Neural networks

Consider the following neural network, where the activation functions in the first layer are ReLUs and are linear in the output.



Assume the initial values  $w_0 = +5$ ,  $w_1 = -2$ ,  $w_2 = +1$ .

Assume the initial values  $u_0 = -5$ ,  $u_1 = +2$ ,  $u_2 = +1$ .

Assume the initial values  $v_0 = 1$ ,  $v_1 = 1$ ,  $v_2 = 1$ .

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- a) If we remove the ReLU activation functions, what model do we get?
- b) Indicate the values of the  $w_1$ ,  $u_1$ ,  $v_1$  after the one iteration of back-propagation (each iteration corresponding to the processing of one data point). In your computations use the learning rate  $\eta = 0.3$  and the dataset D = {([1, 0.1]<sup>T</sup>, 2.3); ([-0.5, 1]<sup>T</sup>, 1.1)}, and as loss function the squared error.
- **3.** Research a bit about support tensor machine and variations. Summarize in at most one page the main ideas, advantages/disadvantages over SVM, when one should prefer one over the other, etc. List the references supporting your summary.

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