

# Assignment 2 COL-774

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## 1 Question 1

### 1.1 Part a

$C = 1$  has been used.

Support vectors obtained from training using linear kernel have been attached in a separate file.

Number of support vectors when threshold is  $1e-4$  : 281.

### 1.2 Part b

Vector  $w$  has been saved in a separate file.

Value of  $b$  is: 1.5557.

Accuracy obtained : 98.33/100

### 1.3 Part c

$C = 1$  has been used.

Support vectors obtained from training using gaussian kernel have been attached in a separate file.

Number of support vectors when threshold is  $1e-4$  : 435.

Value of  $b$  is : 0.8377

Accuracy obtained : 98.72/100

Accuracy obtained here is more than the linear kernel.

### 1.4 Part d

Support vectors (indices) obtained from training using linear and gaussian kernel have been attached in separate files for libSvm.

Number of support vectors when linear kernel : 329.

Number of support vectors when gaussian kernel : 663.

Accuracy obtained when linear kernel : 97.8177/100

Accuracy obtained when gaussian kernel : 98.7163/100

LibSvm performed faster than the CVX package and give almost similar accuracy in both the cases. Here also accuracy obtained using gaussian is more than the linear kernel.

$C=1$  was used here too for both kernels. All calculations for gaussian were done with  $\gamma = 2.5e-4$ .

## **2 Question 2**

### **2.1 Part a**

The code for such a situation can be found in render.m.  
Will take file-name(test4,train5,etc.) and index as input.

### **2.2 Part b**

The data for classes 3 and 8 from the original MNIST data have been extracted using extract38.m.  
Stopping criteria used is: error-difference to be accounted as 0.0001 between two successive error costs.

### **2.3 Part c**

Training time for binary classification: 1458 seconds  
Accuracy obtained against the test data: 97.43/100

### **2.4 Part d**

Used script extract.m to segregate features and labels on original MNIST data.  
Number of units in output layer used for multi-class: 10  
Training time: 8168.02 seconds  
Accuracy against the test data: 93.4/100  
Training time is more as the size of data is more and dimensions increase many-fold here.