

6.16 The gradient of f is:

$$\nabla_{\mathbf{w}} J = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_1} + \frac{g(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})}{\partial w_1} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_2} + \frac{g(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})}{\partial w_2} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_M} + \frac{g(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})}{\partial w_M} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_m} &= \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_n)} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_n)}{\partial w_m} \\ &= \sum_{n=1}^N \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_n)} \cdot \phi_m(\mathbf{x}_n) \\ &= (\nabla_{(\Phi \mathbf{w})} f)^T \phi_m \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{g(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})}{\partial w_m} &= \frac{g(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w}} \cdot \frac{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w}}{\partial w_m} \\ &= g'(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w}) \cdot 2w_m \end{aligned}$$

Setting the gradient to 0, we get:

$$\begin{aligned} (\nabla_{(\Phi \mathbf{w})} f)^T \phi_m + 2g'(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})w_m &= 0 \\ \implies w_m &= -\frac{(\nabla_{(\Phi \mathbf{w})} f)^T \phi_m}{2g'(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \mathbf{w} = -\frac{1}{2g'(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})} \begin{bmatrix} - & - & -\phi_1 & - & - \\ - & - & -\phi_2 & - & - \\ & & \vdots & & \\ - & - & -\phi_M & - & - \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_1)} \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_2)} \\ \vdots \\ \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_N)} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$= -\frac{1}{2g'(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})} \sum_{n=1}^N \phi(\mathbf{x}_n) \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_n)}$$

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_n = -\frac{1}{2g'(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w})} \cdot \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_n)}$$

and

$$\mathbf{w}_\perp = \mathbf{0}$$