

1 Problem 1.3

a, Let $\rho = \min_{1 \leq n \leq N} y_n(w^T x_n)$. Show that $\rho > 0$

Since w^* separates the data perfectly

$$\hookrightarrow y_n(w^T x_n) \text{ always } > 0 \Rightarrow \rho > 0$$

$$b, w^T(t)w^* \geq w^T(t-1)w^* + \rho$$

$$\text{We have: } w(t) = w(t-1) + y(t-1)\alpha(t-1)$$

$$\rightarrow w^T(t) = (w(t-1) + y(t-1)\alpha(t-1))^T$$

$$\rightarrow w^T(t)w^* = (w(t-1) + y(t-1)\alpha(t-1))^T w^*$$

$$\begin{aligned} \rightarrow w^T(t)w^* &= w^T(t-1)w^* + \underbrace{y(t-1)\alpha(t-1)w^{*T}}_{\geq \rho} \\ &\geq \rho \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow w^T(t)w^* \geq w^T(t-1)w^* + \rho$$

- $w^T(t)w^* \geq t\rho \quad (1)$

- Base Case: $t=0$

$$\hookrightarrow w^T(0)w^* \geq 0\rho = 0 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow 0 \geq 0 : \text{true}$$

We assume $w(0) = 0$

- Induction: Assume (1) is true at t , need to prove (1) is true at $t+1$

$$w(t+1) = w(t) + y(t)x(t)$$

$$\Rightarrow w^T(t+1)w^* = (w(t) + y(t)x(t))^T w^*$$

$$= \underbrace{w^T(t)w^*}_{\geq t\rho(1)} + \underbrace{w^{*\top}(y(t)x(t))}_{\geq \rho}$$

$$\Rightarrow w^T(t+1)w^* \geq t\rho + \rho = \rho(t+1)$$

\hookrightarrow true at $t+1$

$$\therefore w^T(t)w^* \geq t\rho$$

$$C, \|w(t)\|^2 \leq \|w(t-1)\|^2 + \|x(t-1)\|^2$$

we have : $\|w(t)\|^2 = \|w(t-1) + y(t-1)x(t-1)\|^2$

$$\begin{aligned} &= (w(t-1) + y(t-1)x(t-1)) (w(t-1) + y(t-1)x(t-1))^T \\ &= \|w(t-1)\|^2 + \underbrace{(y(t-1))^2}_{\perp} \|x(t-1)\|^2 + \underbrace{2 y(t-1)x(t-1) w^T(t-1)}_{\leq 0} \end{aligned}$$

$$\Rightarrow \|w(t)\|^2 \leq \|w(t-1)\|^2 + \|x(t-1)\|^2$$

$$d, (2) \|w(t)\|^2 \leq tR^2, R = \max_{1 \leq n \leq N} \|x_n\|$$

. Base case : $t = 0$

$$\hookrightarrow \|w(0)\|^2 = 0 = 0R^2 \quad (\text{assume } w(0) = 0)$$

. Induction : Assume (2) is true at t , need to prove (2) is true at $t+1$

$$(t+1)R^2 = tR^2 + R^2 \geq \|w(t)\|^2 + R^2 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \\ \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow$$

$$R \geq \|x_n\| \rightarrow R^2 \geq \|x_n\|^2$$

$$\Rightarrow (t+1)R^2 \geq \|w(t)\|^2 + \|x(t)\|^2 \geq \|w(t+1)\|^2$$

$$\hookrightarrow \|w(t+1)\|^2 \leq (t+1)R^2 \rightarrow (2) \text{ is true at } t+1$$

$$e_j \cdot \frac{w^T(t)}{\|w(t)\|} w^* \geq \sqrt{t} \cdot \frac{\rho}{R}$$

From b, we have: $w^T(t)w^* \geq w^T(t-1)w^* + \rho$

$$\hookrightarrow \frac{w^T(t)w^*}{\|w(t)\|} \geq \frac{w^T(t-1)w^* + \rho}{\|w(t)\|}$$

$$\geq \frac{(t-1)\rho + \rho}{\|w(t)\|} = \frac{t\rho}{\|w(t)\|} \textcircled{A} (w^T(t)w^* \geq t\rho)$$

From d, we have $\|w(t)\|^2 \leq tR^2 \rightarrow \frac{1}{\|w(t)\|^2} \geq \frac{1}{tR^2}$

$$\rightarrow \frac{1}{\|w(t)\|} \geq \frac{1}{\sqrt{t}R} \textcircled{B}$$

$$\textcircled{A}, \textcircled{B} \rightarrow \frac{w^T(t)w^*}{\|w(t)\|} \geq \frac{t\rho}{\sqrt{t}R} = \sqrt{t} \frac{\rho}{R}$$

$$\bullet \quad t \leq \frac{R^2 \|w^*\|^2}{\rho^2}$$

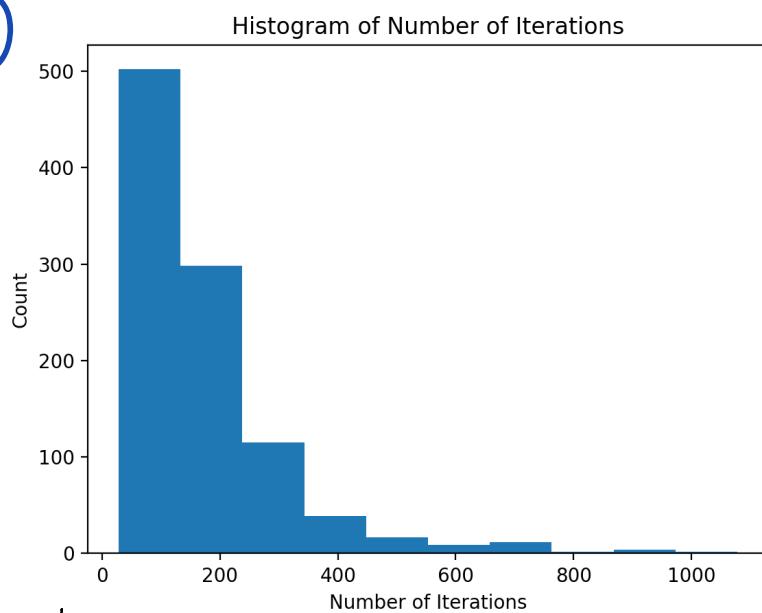
Assume θ is the angle between $w^T(t)$ and w^*

$$\hookrightarrow \cos \theta = \frac{w^T(t) w^*}{\|w^T(t)\| \|w^*\|} \leq 1$$

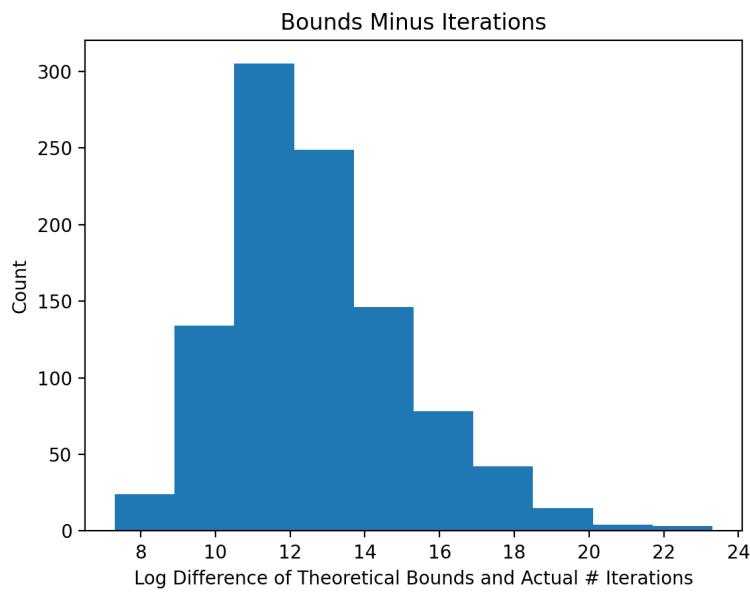
$$\Rightarrow \|w^*\| \geq \frac{w^T(t) w^*}{\|w^T(t)\|} \geq \sqrt{t} \frac{\rho}{R}$$

$$\Rightarrow \frac{\|w^*\|^2 R^2}{\rho^2} \geq t$$

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- Histogram of Number of Iterations: looked normal with some right skew



- Bounds Minus Iterations : the data seemed normal with some right skew . The theoretical bounds are much larger than the actual number of iterations (Log Difference ≈ 11)

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LFO Exercise 1.10

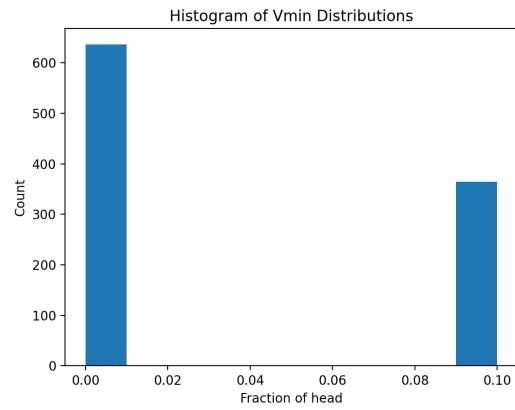
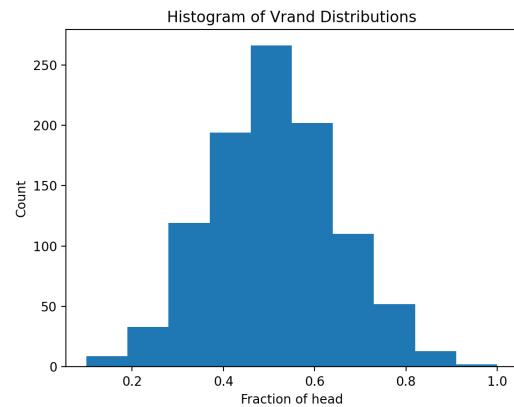
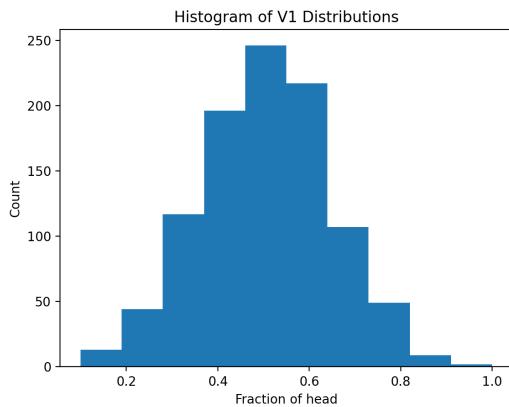
a, Since μ = true probability of flipping heads

$$\hookrightarrow P[\text{heads}] = 0.5$$

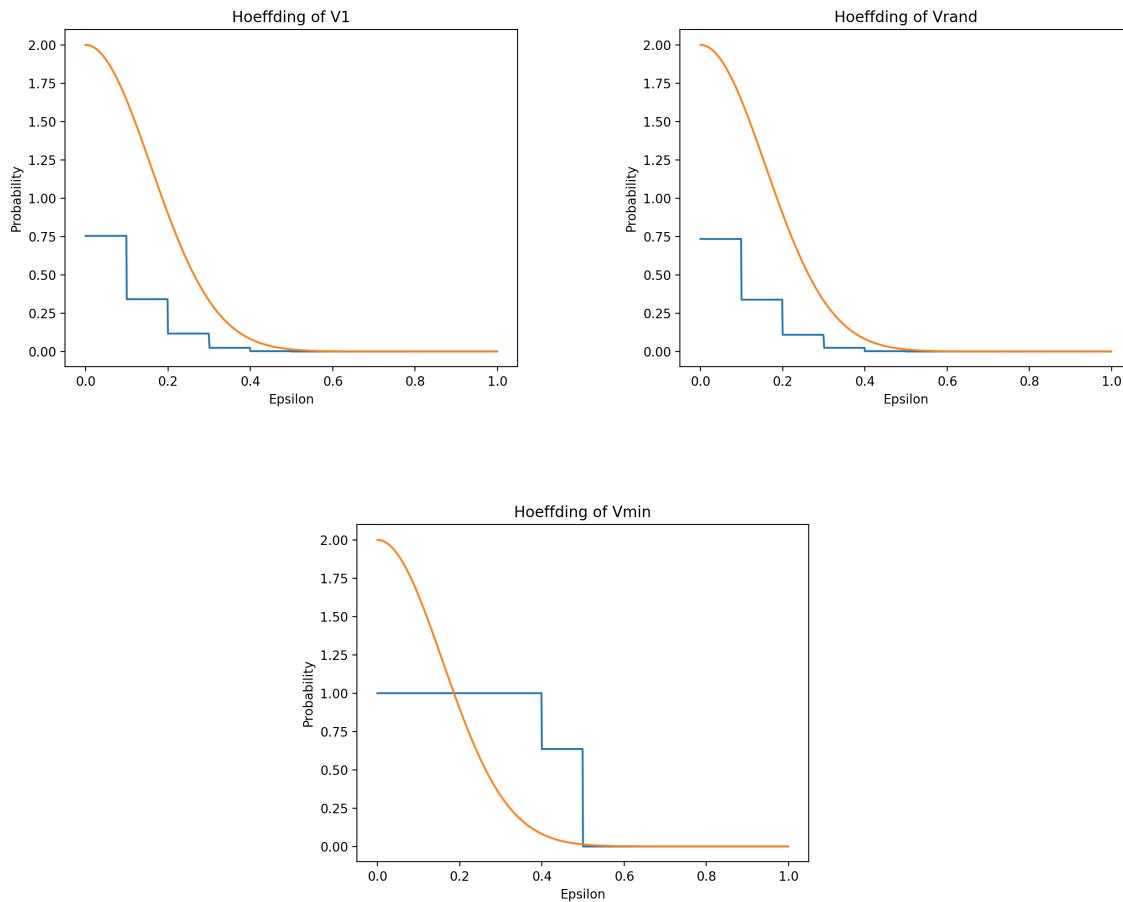
$c_1, c_{\text{rand}}, c_{\text{min}}$ are all fair coins

$$\hookrightarrow \mu_1 = \mu_{\text{rand}} = \mu_{\text{min}} = 0.5$$

b,



c,



d, V_1 and V_{rand} obey the Hoeffding bound
since their histograms show normal distributions.
This is because c_1 and c_{rand} are picked
randomly. Meanwhile, c_{min} is always the one
with smallest value, no randomness
 $\hookrightarrow V_{min}$ does not obey Hoeffding bound

4 LFD Problem 1.8

a, Prove $P[t > \alpha] \leq \frac{E(t)}{\alpha}$

$$E(t) = \underbrace{E(t | t > \alpha)}_{\geq \alpha (t > 0)} P(t > \alpha) + \underbrace{E(t | t < \alpha)}_{\geq 0 (t > 0)} P(t < \alpha)$$

$$\hookrightarrow E(t) = E(t | t > \alpha) P(t > \alpha) + 0 P(t < \alpha) \geq \alpha P(t > \alpha)$$

$$\Rightarrow P(t > \alpha) \leq \frac{E(t)}{\alpha}$$

b, Prove $P[(u - \mu)^2 > \alpha] \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{\alpha}$

$$\text{From a } \rightarrow P[(u - \mu)^2 > \alpha] \leq \frac{E[(u - \mu)^2]}{\alpha} = \frac{E[u^2 - 2\mu u + \mu^2]}{\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{[E(u^2) - 2E(u)\mu + \mu^2]}{\alpha} = \frac{E(u^2) - \mu^2}{\alpha}$$

$$= \frac{E(u^2) - E^2(u)}{\alpha} = \frac{\sigma^2}{\alpha}$$

c, Prove $P[(u - \mu)^2 > \alpha] \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{N\alpha}$

$$E(u) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \mu = \mu ; \quad \sigma^2(u) = \frac{1}{N^2} \sum_{n=1}^N \sigma^2 = \frac{\sigma^2}{N}$$

$$\Rightarrow P[(u - \mu)^2 > \alpha] \leq \frac{\sigma^2}{N\alpha}$$

5 LFD Problem 1.12

a, $E_{in}(h) = \sum_{n=1}^N (h - y_n)^2$

$$\rightarrow \frac{d E_{in}(h)}{dh} = 2 \sum_{n=1}^N (h - y_n) \rightarrow \frac{d^2 E_{in}(h)}{dh^2} = 2 \sum_{n=1}^N 1 = 2N > 0$$

Since $\frac{d E_{in}(h)}{dh} = 0 \rightarrow h = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N y_n = h_{\text{mean}}$

b, $E_{in}(h) = \sum_{n=1}^N |h - y_n|$

$$\rightarrow \frac{d E_{in}(h)}{dh} = \sum_{n=1}^N (h - y_n) = 0$$

$$\rightarrow h = h_{\text{med}} \text{ as } \frac{d E_{in}(h)}{dh} = 0 \Leftrightarrow \text{number of positive terms} = \text{number of negative terms}$$

c, When $y_N \rightarrow \infty$, we get $h_{\text{mean}} \rightarrow \infty$ and h_{med} remains unchanged

6 LFD Problem 2.3

a, $H = \text{positive/negative rays} \rightarrow m_H(N) = N+1$

- when all points are $+1$ & all points are -1 are overlap

$$\Rightarrow m_H(N) = 2(N+1) - 2 = 2N$$

$$\Rightarrow m_H(N) = 2N \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow N=2 \rightarrow d_{VC} = 2$$

Since $m_H(N) \leq 2^N$

b, $H = \text{positive intervals} \rightarrow m_H(N) = \frac{N^2}{2} + \frac{N}{2} + 1$

- 2 cases are counted double

$$\Rightarrow m_H(N) = \frac{N^2}{2} + \frac{N}{2} + 1 + N - 2 = \frac{N^2}{2} + \frac{3N}{2} - 1 \leq 2^N$$

$$\Rightarrow N=3 \rightarrow d_{VC} = 3$$

c, $a \leq (x_1^2 + \dots + x_d^2)^{\frac{1}{2}} \leq b$

This can be equivalent to positive intervals in \mathbb{R}

$$\Rightarrow m_H(N) = \frac{N^2}{2} + \frac{N}{2} + 1 \quad \left. \begin{array}{l} \\ \end{array} \right\} \rightarrow N=2 \rightarrow d_{VC} = 2$$

$$m_H(N) \leq 2^N$$