Soft margin kernel SVM ( $SVM_{s1}$ ):

minimize 
$$-\delta + K \left( \sum_{i=1}^{p} \epsilon_{i} + \sum_{j=1}^{q} \xi_{j} \right)$$
 subject to 
$$\langle w, \varphi(u_{i}) \rangle - b \geq \delta - \epsilon_{i}, \quad \epsilon_{i} \geq 0 \qquad i = 1, \dots, p$$
$$-\langle w, \varphi(v_{j}) \rangle + b \geq \delta - \xi_{j}, \quad \xi_{j} \geq 0 \qquad j = 1, \dots, q$$
$$\langle w, w \rangle \leq 1.$$

Tracing through the computation that led us to the dual program with  $u_i$  replaced by  $\varphi(u_i)$  and  $v_i$  replaced by  $\varphi(v_i)$ , we find the following version of the dual program:

## Dual of Soft margin kernel SVM (SVM $_{s1}$ ):

minimize 
$$(\lambda^{\top} \quad \mu^{\top}) \mathbf{K} \begin{pmatrix} \lambda \\ \mu \end{pmatrix}$$
  
subject to
$$\sum_{i=1}^{p} \lambda_{i} - \sum_{j=1}^{q} \mu_{j} = 0$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^{p} \lambda_{i} + \sum_{j=1}^{q} \mu_{j} = 1$$

$$0 \le \lambda_{i} \le K, \quad i = 1, \dots, p$$

$$0 \le \mu_{j} \le K, \quad j = 1, \dots, q,$$

where **K** is the  $\ell \times \ell$  kernel symmetric matrix (with  $\ell = p + q$ ) given by

$$\mathbf{K}_{ij} = \begin{cases} \kappa(u_i, u_j) & 1 \le i \le p, \ 1 \le j \le q \\ -\kappa(u_i, v_{j-p}) & 1 \le i \le p, \ p+1 \le j \le p+q \\ -\kappa(v_{i-p}, u_j) & p+1 \le i \le p+q, \ 1 \le j \le p \\ \kappa(v_{i-p}, v_{j-q}) & p+1 \le i \le p+q, \ p+1 \le j \le p+q. \end{cases}$$

We also find that

$$w = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{p} \lambda_i \varphi(u_i) - \sum_{j=1}^{q} \mu_j \varphi(v_j)}{\left( \begin{pmatrix} \lambda^\top & \mu^\top \end{pmatrix} K \begin{pmatrix} \lambda \\ \mu \end{pmatrix} \right)^{1/2}}.$$