Here we provide the pseudo code for linear SVM. We assume that the following parameters are known.

- $\mathbf{w}, w_0$ : the weights/parameters to be updated by SGD
- m: the size of minibatch
- n: the size of data
- *l*: the learning rate

And the gradient under different cases are as follows: (you need to compute  $\mathbf{f}_1, \mathbf{f}_2, g_1, g_2$  by taking the derivatives of the objective function)

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$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}} = \begin{cases} \mathbf{f}_1, if \ 1 - y^t(\mathbf{w}^T x + w_0) \le 0 \\ \mathbf{f}_2, if \ 1 - y^t(\mathbf{w}^T x + w_0) > 0 \end{cases}$$

• 
$$\frac{\partial f}{\partial w_0} = \begin{cases} g_1, if \ 1 - y^t(\mathbf{w}^T x + w_0) \le 0\\ g_2, if \ 1 - y^t(\mathbf{w}^T x + w_0) > 0 \end{cases}$$

In SVM, the Labels y are 1/-1 rather than 0/1, you need to make corresponding adjustment with the input data

## **Algorithm 1** fit(X, y)

- 1: **for** epoch = 1, 2, ... **do**
- for  $batch = 1, 2, \dots, \frac{n}{m}$  do 2:
- Compute the gradient  $\partial f$  (you need to choose between  $\mathbf{f}_1, \mathbf{f}_2, g_1, g_2$ 3: by considering  $1 - y^t(\mathbf{w}^T x + w_0)$  (notice the x used here is the set that containing only the data in the corresponding mini-batch. Update weight:  $\mathbf{w} \leftarrow \mathbf{w} - l \frac{\partial f}{\partial \mathbf{w}}, w_0 \leftarrow w_0 - l \frac{\partial f}{\partial w_0}$
- 4:
- 5:
- (Optional) Early Stopping to terminate training when the models has already converge before the end of pre-defined number of epochs.
- 7: end for

## **Algorithm 2** predict(X)

- 1: **for** x = 1, 2, ..., n **do** (we iterate over all the testing data instances)
- $score = \mathbf{w}^{\mathbf{t}}x + w_0$
- if score>0 then 3:
- Set corresponding label y as 1 4:
- 5:
- Set corresponding label y as -1 6:
- end if
- 8: end for