## 5 HSIC to MLE

Assume that we are maximizing HSIC in the IDS space. The formulation becomes

$$\max_{W} \operatorname{Tr}(\Phi W W^{T} \Phi H K_{y} H) \tag{18}$$

$$\max_{W} \operatorname{Tr}(W^T \Phi^T H K_y H \Phi W). \tag{19}$$

- Without a loss of generality, for now assume that  $W \in \mathbb{R}^{d \times q}$  and q = 1. Under our Kernel Chain formulation,
- 70 W is simply a vector in RKHS that can represent a function. Here we will let W = f to emphasize its role as a
- 71 function. We also not the reproducing property of the function in RKHS where

$$f(x) = \langle f, \phi(x) \rangle. \tag{20}$$

Next, we denote  $\hat{\Phi} = H\Phi$  as feature maps that have already been centered. The objective becomes

$$\max_{f} \operatorname{Tr}(f^{T} \hat{\Phi} Y Y^{T} \hat{\Phi} f) \tag{21}$$

$$\max_{f} \operatorname{Tr}(f^{T} \begin{bmatrix} \hat{\phi}(x_{1}) & \dots & \hat{\phi}(x_{n}) \end{bmatrix} Y Y^{T} \hat{\Phi} f). \tag{22}$$

Since each column of Y is an indicator vector indicating if a vector belongs to a class, we get

$$\max_{f} \operatorname{Tr}(f^{T} \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{1}} \hat{\phi}(x_{i}) \dots \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{c}} \hat{\phi}(x_{c}) \right] Y^{T} \hat{\Phi} f)$$
(23)

$$\max_{f} \operatorname{Tr}(\left[\sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{1}} f(x_{i}) \dots \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{c}} f(x_{c})\right] Y^{T} \hat{\Phi} f)$$
(24)

$$\max_{f} \operatorname{Tr}(\left[\sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{1}} f(x_{i}) \dots \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{c}} f(x_{c})\right] \left[\sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{1}} f(x_{i}) \dots \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{c}} f(x_{c})\right]^{T})$$
(25)

$$\max_{f} \quad \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^1} f(x_i) \right]^2 + \dots + \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^c} f(x_i) \right]^2 \tag{26}$$

$$\max_{f} \exp \left\{ \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^1} f(x_i) \right]^2 + \dots + \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^c} f(x_i) \right]^2 \right\}$$
 (27)

$$\max_{f} \exp \left\{ \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{1}} f(x_{i}) \right]^{2} \right\} \quad \dots \quad \exp \left\{ \left[ \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}^{c}} f(x_{i}) \right]^{2} \right\}$$
(28)

The final objective is the maximum likelihood for an exponential family distribution.