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PROBLEM 4

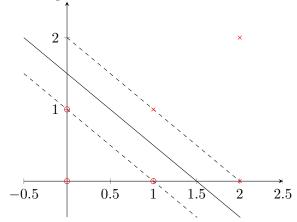
When $\alpha = 0$, $y_i(w^Tx_i + b) > 1$, these points are not support vectors.

When $0 < \alpha < C$, $y_i(w^T x_i + b) = 1$, these points are support vectors on the margin line.

When $\alpha = C$, $y_i(w^Tx_i + b) < 1$, these points are support vectors inside the margin line. They could be even missclassified.

PROBLEM 5

We can plot the data as follow: red x is for label 0 red o is for label 1



The optimal hyperplane is x+y-1=0. Margin is $\sqrt{2}/4$ And support vectors are: (0, 1) (1, 0) (1, 1) (2, 0)