

$$\begin{aligned}
 1.a) i) \quad & \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k(x_i, x_j) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j a = a \cdot \quad (1) \\
 & \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j = a \left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i \right) \left(\sum_{j=1}^n c_j \right) = a \left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i \right)^2 \geq 0 \\
 ii) \quad & \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k(x_i, x_j) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j \langle x_i, x_j \rangle \\
 & = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j x_i x_j = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i x_i \right) \left(\sum_{j=1}^n c_j x_j \right) = \\
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 & = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i f(x_i) \right) \left(\sum_{j=1}^n c_j f(x_j) \right) = \left(\sum_{i=1}^n c_i f(x_i) \right)^2 \geq 0 \\
 b) i) \quad & \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k(x_i, x_j) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j (k_1(x_i, x_j) \\
 & + k_2(x_i, x_j)) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k_1(x_i, x_j) + \\
 & + \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k_2(x_i, x_j) \geq 0
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since $\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k_1(x_i, x_j) \geq 0$

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ii) $\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n c_i c_j k(x_i, x_j) = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n (c_i c_j k_1(x_i, x_j))$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^n (c_i c_j \langle \psi_1(x_i), \psi_1(x_j) \rangle)$$

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$$\geq 0$$

c) From 1a) ii) $\langle x, x' \rangle$ is a Mercer kernel.

From 1b) i) $\langle x, x' \rangle + \psi$ is a Mercer kernel
since from 1a) i) ψ is a M.K.

From 1b) ii) $(\langle x, x' \rangle + v)^d$ is a M. kernel since ^③
 $(\langle x, x' \rangle + v)^d = \prod_{i=1}^d (\langle x, x' \rangle + v)$ \square

d) $\exp() > 0 \Rightarrow$ from 1a) i): $\exp(-\frac{\|x - x'\|^2}{2\sigma^2})$
 is a M. kernel \square

1 Problem 2

a)

We check if $k(x, y) = \langle \varphi(x), \varphi(y) \rangle_{\mathcal{F}}$ holds:

$$\begin{aligned} \langle \varphi(x), \varphi(y) \rangle_{\mathcal{F}} &= \left\langle \varphi \begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \end{pmatrix}, \varphi \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ y_2 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle_{\mathcal{F}} = \left\langle \begin{pmatrix} x_1^2 \\ \sqrt{2}x_1x_2 \\ x_2^2 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} y_1^2 \\ \sqrt{2}y_1y_2 \\ y_2^2 \end{pmatrix} \right\rangle_{\mathcal{F}} \\ &= x_1^2y_1^2 + 2x_1x_2y_1y_2 + x_2^2y_2^2 = \left(\sum_{i=1}^2 x_iy_i \right)^2 = \langle x, y \rangle^2 = k(x, y) \end{aligned}$$

b)

i)

$$\varphi(\mathcal{C}) = \varphi \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta) \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta)^2 \\ \sqrt{2}\cos(\theta)\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta)^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

for $0 \leq \theta < 2\pi$

ii)

$$\varphi(\mathcal{A}) = \varphi \begin{pmatrix} t \\ s \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} t^2 \\ \sqrt{2}ts \\ s^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

for $s, t \in \mathbb{R}$

c)

We know that $\cos(\theta)^2 + \sin(\theta)^2 = 1$, also that $2\sin(\theta)\cos(\theta) = \sin(2\theta)$.

Now we define $v = \cos(\theta)^2$ and $w = \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\sin(2\theta)$

$$\begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta)^2 \\ \sqrt{2}\cos(\theta)\sin(\theta) \\ \sin(\theta)^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \cos(\theta)^2 \\ \frac{\sqrt{2}}{2}\sin(2\theta) \\ 1 - \cos(\theta)^2 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} v \\ w \\ 1 - v \end{pmatrix}$$

d)

It is easy to show that:

$$P = \begin{pmatrix} P_x \\ P_y \\ P_z \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \notin \varphi(\mathcal{A})$$

We choose $P_x = t^2 = 1$, so it holds that $t=1$ and $P_z = s^2 = 1$, where follows that $s=1$.

In $\varphi(\mathcal{A})$ it should hold that $P_y = \sqrt{2}st$, but it is $\sqrt{2}st = \sqrt{2} \neq 0 = P_y$ instead.