

Machine Learning HW5

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Transforms: Explicit versus Implicit

1.

- $\phi_1(X) = 2x_2^2 - 4x_1 + 1$ and $\phi_2(X) = x_1^2 - 2x_2 - 3$
- $X_i = (x_1, x_2) \rightarrow Z_i = (\phi_1(X_i), \phi_2(X_i)) = (z_1, z_2)$
- $X_1 = (1, 0) \rightarrow Z_1 = (-3, -2), Y_1 = -1$
 $X_2 = (0, 1) \rightarrow Z_2 = (3, -5), Y_2 = -1$
 $X_3 = (0, -1) \rightarrow Z_3 = (3, -1), Y_3 = -1$
 $X_4 = (-1, 0) \rightarrow Z_4 = (5, -2), Y_4 = +1$
 $X_5 = (0, 2) \rightarrow Z_5 = (5, -7), Y_5 = +1$
 $X_6 = (0, -2) \rightarrow Z_6 = (9, 1), Y_6 = +1$
 $X_7 = (-2, 0) \rightarrow Z_7 = (9, 1), Y_7 = +1$
- $z_1 = 4$ is the optimal separating “hyperplane” in Z space

2.

- Polynomial kernel with penalty parameter $C = 10^6$, independent term $\zeta = 2$, kernel coefficient $\gamma = 1$, degree $d = 2$.
- Optimal $\alpha \approx [0.0, 0.4591, 0.4741, 0.5333, 0.1962, 0.2037, 0.0]$
- Support vectors: $[(0, 1), (0, -1), (-1, 0), (0, 2), (0, -2)]$

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from sklearn import svm
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X = [[1, 0], [0, 1], [0, -1], [-1, 0], [0, 2], [0, -2], [-2, 0]]  
y = [-1, -1, -1, 1, 1, 1, 1]
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clf = svm.SVC(C=1000000.0, kernel='poly', coef0=2, degree=2, gamma=1)  
clf.fit(X, y)  
print("support vectors:")  
print(clf.support_vectors_)  
print("alpha * y:", clf.dual_coef_)
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3.

- $b = y_s - \sum_{SV \text{ indices } n} \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x_s)$ with support vector x_s and label y_s .

- $w = \left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n} \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x) \right) + b$ with a new vector x to predict.
- The corresponding nonlinear curve $\approx \frac{8}{15}(x_1)^2 + \frac{2}{3}(x_2)^2 - \frac{32}{15}x_1 - \frac{5}{3}$

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from sklearn import svm
import numpy as np
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b = []
for i in clf.support_:
    b.append([])
    for j, ya in zip(clf.support_, clf.dual_coef_[0]):
        b[-1].append(ya * (X[i][0] * X[j][0] + X[i][1] * X[j][1] + 2)**2)
    b[-1] = (y[i] - sum(b[-1]))
print("b:", np.array(b))

ayk = []
# ay is alpha * y
for x, ya in zip(clf.support_vectors_, clf.dual_coef_[0]):
    # kernel is (2 + XX')^2 = 4 + 4XX' + (XX')(XX')
    # the coefficient is 4 + 4X + XX --> (x1)^2 + (x2)^2 + 4(x1) + 4(x2) + 4
    ayk.append([ya * x[0]**2, ya * x[1]**2, ya * 4 * x[0], ya * 4 * x[1], ya * 4])
print("w:", np.sum(np.array(ayk), axis=0))
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4.

- $z_1 = 2(x_2)^2 - 4x_1 + 1 = 4$ and $\frac{8}{15}(x_1)^2 + \frac{2}{3}(x_2)^2 - \frac{32}{15}x_1 - \frac{5}{3}$ are different because they are learned with respect to different Z space.

Dual Problem of L2-Error Soft-Margin Support Vector Machines

5.

- $\mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha, \beta) = \frac{1}{2}w^T w + C \sum_{n=1}^N (\xi_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - \xi_n - y_n (w^T x_n + b)) + \sum_{n=1}^N \beta_n (-\xi_n)$
- Partial differentiated by ξ_n

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha, \beta)}{\partial \xi_n} = 2C\xi_n - \alpha_n - \beta_n = 0, \Rightarrow 2C\xi_n - \alpha_n = \beta_n \geq 0$$

$$0 \leq \alpha_n \leq 2C\xi_n \Rightarrow \beta \text{ can be removed. } \xi \geq 0 \text{ is explicit.}$$
- $\mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2}w^T w + C \sum_{n=1}^N (\xi_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - \xi_n - y_n (w^T x_n + b)) + \sum_{n=1}^N (2C\xi_n - \alpha_n) (-\xi_n)$

$$\mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2}w^T w + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - y_n (w^T x_n + b)) + \sum_{n=1}^N C (\xi_n)^2 - \alpha_n \xi_n - 2C\xi_n + \alpha_n \xi_n$$

$$\mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2}w^T w + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - y_n (w^T x_n + b)) - \sum_{n=1}^N C (\xi_n)^2$$

6.

- $\mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} w^T w + C \sum_{n=1}^N (\xi_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - \xi_n - y_n (w^T x_n + b))$
- Partial differentiated by ξ_n

$$\frac{\partial \mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha)}{\partial \xi_n} = 2C\xi_n - \alpha_n = 0, \Rightarrow C\xi_n - \alpha_n = -C\xi_n$$
- Finally we obtain

$$\mathcal{L}((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} w^T w + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - y_n (w^T x_n + b)) - C \sum_{n=1}^N (\xi_n)^2$$

7.

- $L((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} w^T w + \sum_{n=1}^N C (\xi_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - \xi_n - y_n (w^T x_n + b))$
- $\frac{\partial L((b, w, \xi), \alpha)}{\partial b} = \sum_{n=1}^N -\alpha_n y_n = 0 \Rightarrow b$ can be removed.

$$\Rightarrow L((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} w^T w + \sum_{n=1}^N C (\xi_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n (1 - \xi_n - y_n w^T x_n)$$
- $\frac{\partial L((b, w, \xi), \alpha)}{\partial w_i} = w_i - \alpha_n y_n x_{n,i} = 0 \Rightarrow w = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n y_n x_n$

$$\Rightarrow L((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = -\frac{1}{2} \left\| \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n y_n x_n \right\|^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N C (\xi_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n - \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n \xi_n$$
- $\frac{\partial L((b, w, \xi), \alpha)}{\partial \xi_n} = 2C\xi_n - \alpha_n = 0 \Rightarrow \xi_n = \frac{\alpha_n}{2C}$

$$\Rightarrow L((b, w, \xi), \alpha) = -\frac{1}{2} \left\| \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n y_n x_n \right\|^2 - \frac{1}{4C} \sum_{n=1}^N (\alpha_n)^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n$$
- KKT conditions
 - Primal feasible: $y_n (w^T x_n + b) \geq 1 - \xi_n$
 - Dual feasible: $\alpha_n \geq 0$
 - Dual-inner optimal: $\sum_{n=1}^N -\alpha_n y_n = 0, w = \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n y_n x_n$
 - Primal-inner optimal: $\alpha_n (1 - \xi_n - y_n (w^T x_n + b)) = 0$

8.

- If we use $z_n = \phi(x_n)$, it will cost more computation power to calculate $\phi(x_n) \phi(x_m)$. Therefore we use a kernel $K(x_n, x_m)$ to compute the transformation and inner product in an efficient way.
- Optimization problem with kernel trick:
 - Quadratic coefficient: $q_{n,m} = y_n y_m z_n^T z_m = y_n y_m K(x_n, x_m), p = -1_N, (A, c)$ for equation and bound constraints.
 - $\alpha = QP(Q_D, p, A, c)$
 - Optimal bias from free SV (x_s, y_s) : $b = y_s - \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x_s)$
 - Optimal hypothesis g_{svm} for test input x : $g_{svm}(x) = \text{sign} \left(\sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x) + b \right)$

Operation of Kernels

9.

- Valid kernel \Rightarrow positive-semidefinite matrix \Rightarrow eigenvalue non-negative

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_N \end{bmatrix}, K = \begin{bmatrix} K_{11} & \cdots & K_{1N} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ K_{N1} & \cdots & K_{NN} \end{bmatrix}$$

We need to prove $x^T K x = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^N x_i K_{ij} x_j \geq 0$

- Denote K as $K_1(x, x')$, and set $K = 0.5I = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$, $eigen(K) = \begin{bmatrix} 0.5 \\ 0.5 \end{bmatrix}$

- [a]

$$eigen((1 - K)^1) = \begin{bmatrix} 1.5 \\ -0.5 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{not valid kernel}$$

- [b]

Any matrix with 0-th power always results into matrix filled with ones.

$$eigen((1 - K)^0) = eigen\left(\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}\right) = \begin{bmatrix} 2 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix} \Rightarrow \text{valid kernel}$$

- [c]

Positive semi-definite matrix is closed under addition and multiplication

$\Rightarrow I + K^1 + K^2 + K^3 + \cdots + K^n$ is valid kernel.

We have known that $0 < K < 1 \Rightarrow \lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} K^n = 0$, thus:

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} I + K^1 + K^2 + K^3 + \cdots + K^n = \frac{(I - K^n) \cdot I}{I - K} = (I - K)^{-1} \text{ is also a valid kernel.}$$

- [d]

From [c], we have known is a valid kernel, and we known its closeness under multiplication and addition.

$$(I - K)^{-1}(I - K)^{-1} = (I - K)^{-2} \text{ is also a valid kernel.}$$

10. Kernel Scaling and Shifting

- $\tilde{K}(x, x') = pK(x, x') + q$

- We need to prove $\tilde{g}_{svm}(x) = g_{svm}(x)$

- $b = y_s - \sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x_s)$ on bounded SV (x_s, y_s)

$$\begin{aligned} g_{svm}(x) &= \text{sign} \left(\left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x) \right) + b \right) \\ &= \text{sign} \left(\left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x) \right) + y_s - \sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \alpha_n y_n K(x_n, x_s) \right) \\ &= \text{sign} \left(\left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \alpha_n y_n (K(x_n, x) - K(x_n, x_s)) \right) + y_s \right) \end{aligned}$$

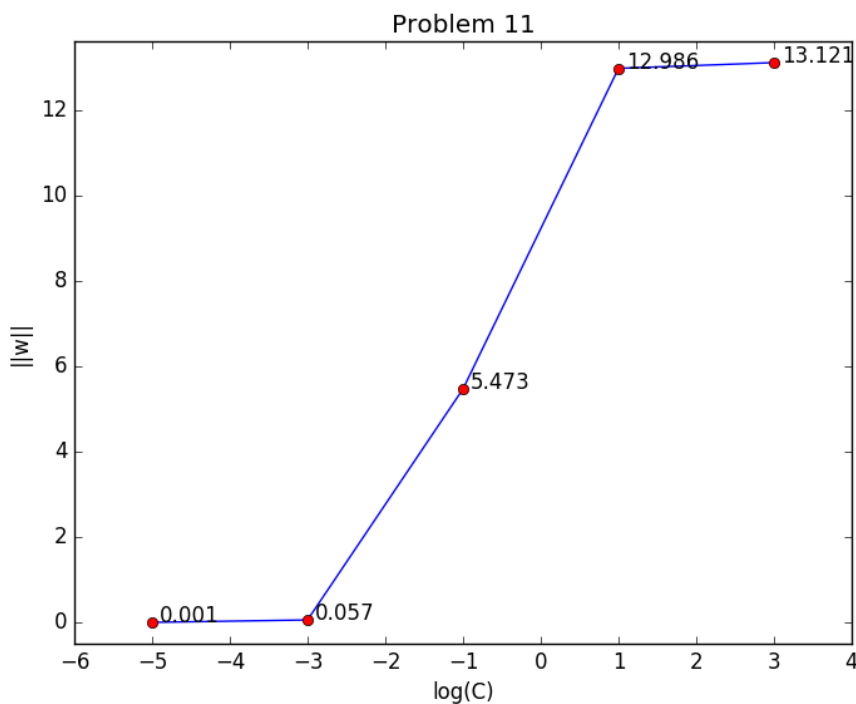
- $$\tilde{b} = y_s - \sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \tilde{\alpha}_n y_n \tilde{K}(x_n, x_s) = y_s - \sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \tilde{\alpha}_n y_n (pK(x_n, x_s) + q)$$

on bounded SV (x_s, y_s)

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{g}_{svm}(x) &= \text{sign} \left(\left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \tilde{\alpha}_n y_n \tilde{K}(x_n, x) \right) + \tilde{b} \right) \\ &= \text{sign} \left(\left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \tilde{\alpha}_n y_n (pK(x_n, x) + q) \right) + y_s - \sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N \alpha_n y_n (pK(x_n, x_s) + q) \right) \\ &= \text{sign} \left(\left(\sum_{SV \text{ indices } n}^N p \tilde{\alpha}_n y_n (K(x_n, x) - K(x_n, x_s)) \right) + y_s \right) \\ &= g_{svm}(x) \end{aligned}$$
- $$\tilde{\alpha}_n = \frac{1}{p} \alpha_n \Rightarrow \tilde{C} = \frac{1}{p} C$$

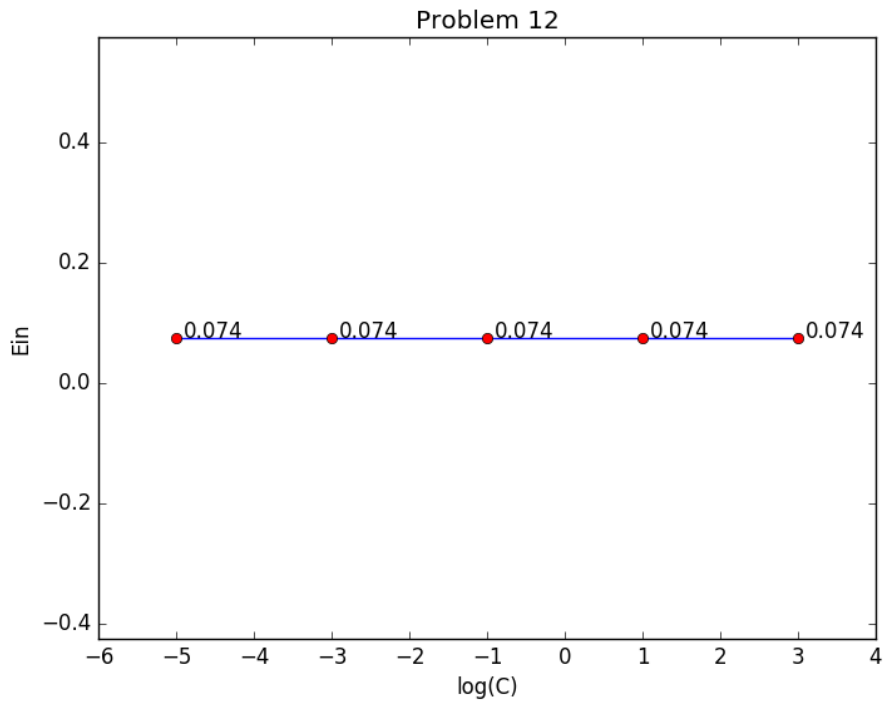
Experiments with Soft-Margin Support Vector Machine

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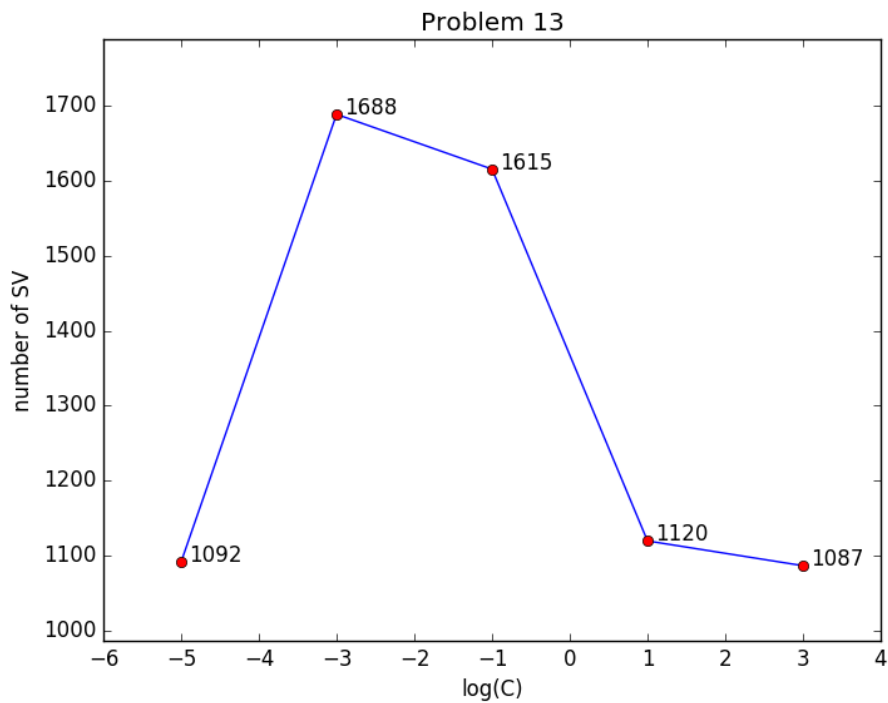
- Larger C will cause larger $\|w\|$.

12.



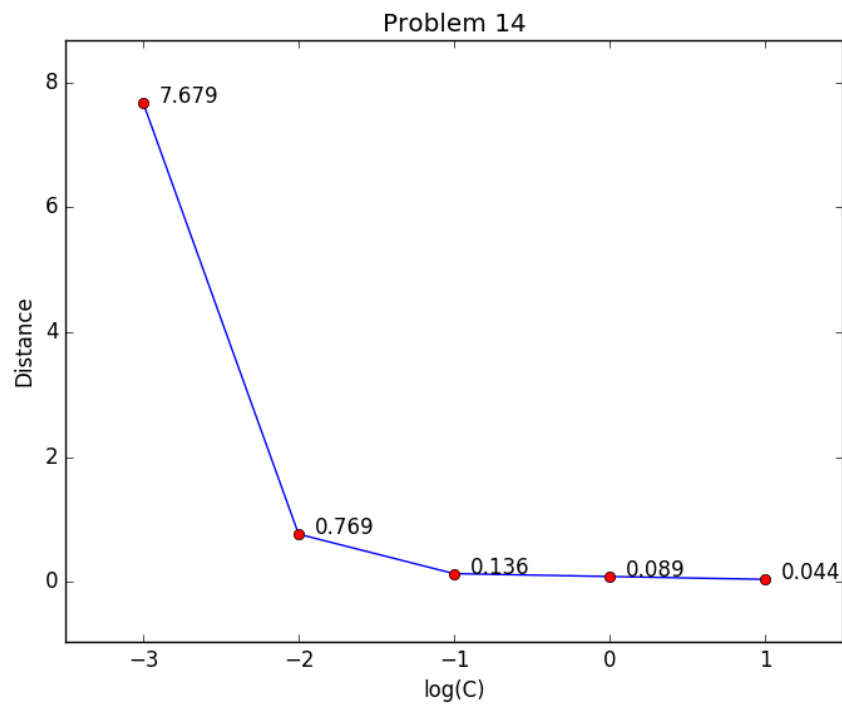
- All E_{in} are the same.

13.



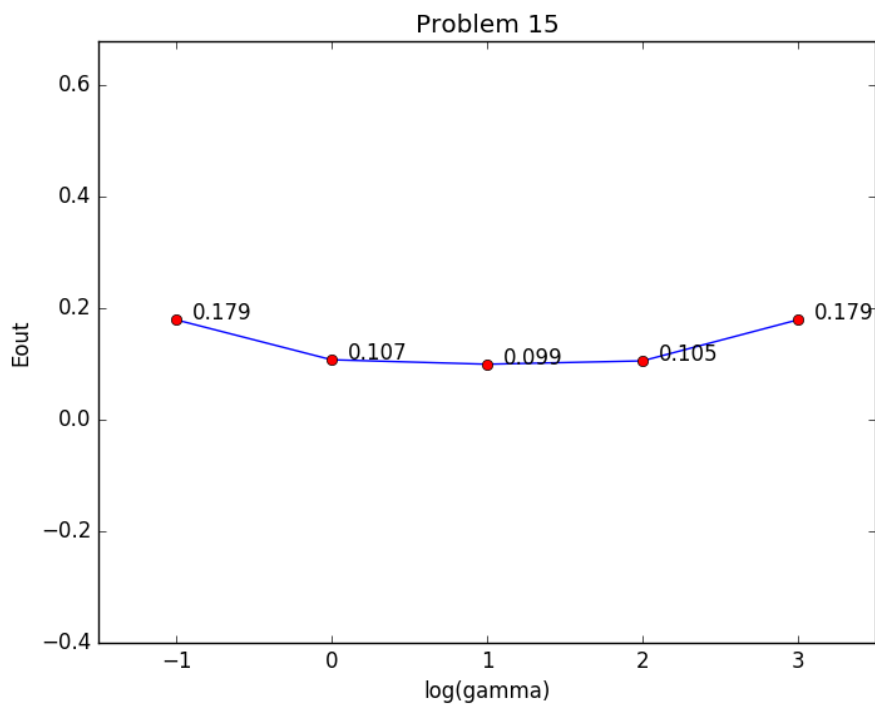
- When $\log_{10} C$ is around $-3 \sim -1$, the number of SVs is higher.

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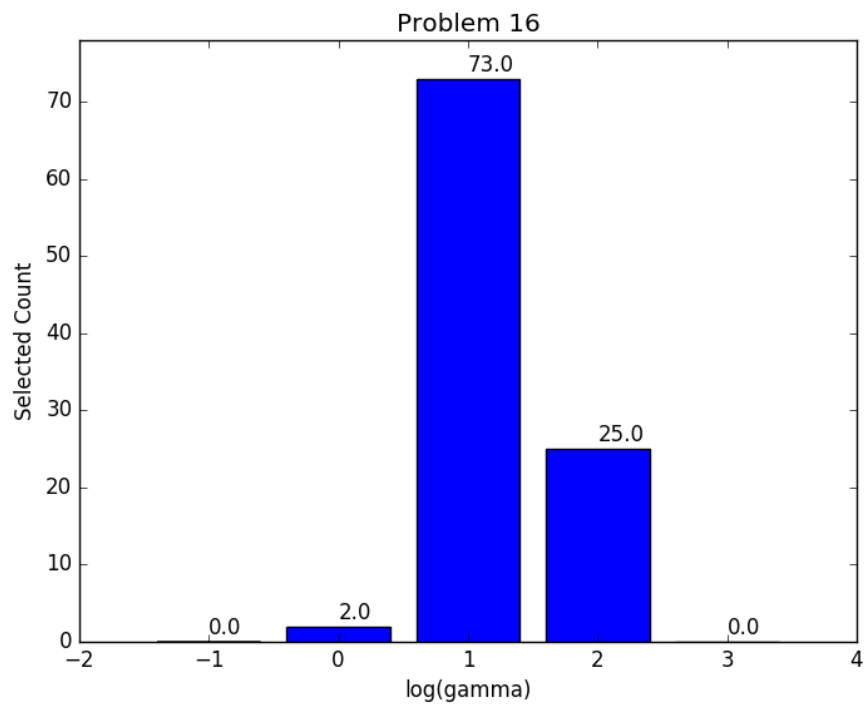
- Larger C will cause smaller distance between free SVs and hyperplane.

15.



- When $\log_{10} \gamma = 1$, E_{out} is the lowest.

16.



- By 100 iteration of validation, we found $\log_{10} \gamma = 1$ has the lowest E_{val} .