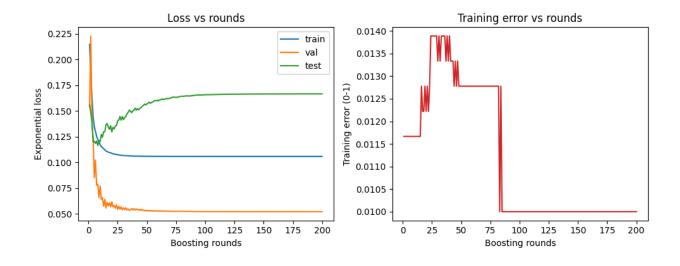
## Q-1 Terminal Results :

Final test accuracy: 99.29%

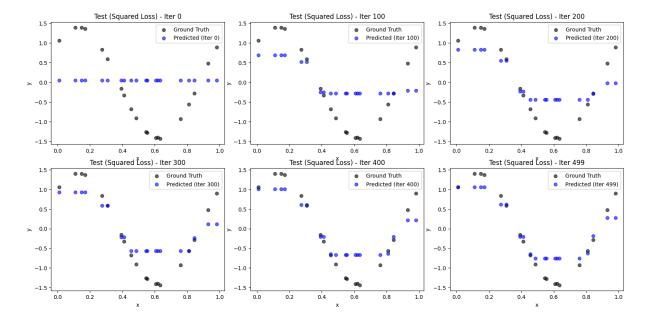
The key metrics here are eps (the error rate of the current weak learner), beta (the weight assigned to the weak learner), and train-err (the training error after adding the weak learner).

As boosting progresses, the error rate of individual weak learners increases, and their contribution (weight) to the final model decreases. However, the model still manages to fit the training data very well, with the training error dropping significantly, even though later learners are not adding much value. This suggests the model might be overfitting, as it becomes increasingly reliant on weak learners with almost no predictive power.

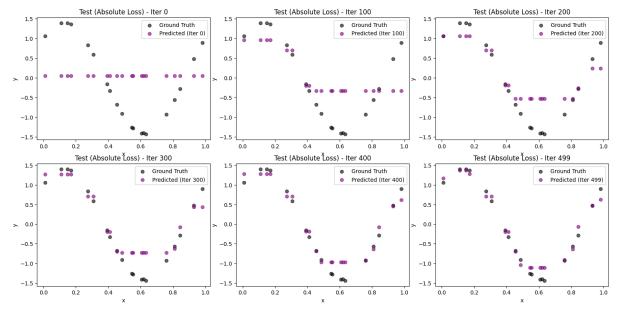


Q-2

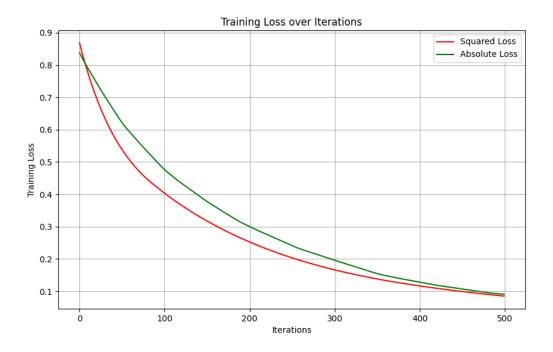
Test Error - Squared Loss



## Test Error - Absolute Loss



Training LOSS over iterations:



## Q-3 Terminal Output :

iteration 0: Training Loss = 0.9464 w1 = [0.75562379 0.20731282], b1 = -0.1201 w2 = [0.39548943], b2 = -0.1305

iteration 100: Training Loss = 0.0355 w1 = [1.60454224 1.27348612], b1 = -0.7329 w2 = [1.37791028], b2 = -0.0920

iteration 200: Training Loss = 0.0275 w1 = [2.21525925 1.73738618], b1 = -1.1516 w2 = [1.31642965], b2 = -0.0674

iteration 300: Training Loss = 0.0227 w1 = [2.70055458 2.10332906], b1 = -1.4440 w2 = [1.28243267], b2 = -0.0630

iteration 400: Training Loss = 0.0196 w1 = [3.09058777 2.39772522], b1 = -1.6720 w2 = [1.25809688], b2 = -0.0608

iteration 500: Training Loss = 0.0174 w1 = [3.41744848 2.64325749], b1 = -1.8616 w2 = [1.23940836], b2 = -0.0590

iteration 600: Training Loss = 0.0158 w1 = [3.70055835 2.85424746], b1 = -2.0260 w2 = [1.22454954], b2 = -0.0572 iteration 700: Training Loss = 0.0145 w1 = [3.95182213 3.0397311 ], b1 = -2.1726 w2 = [1.21242024], b2 = -0.0556

iteration 800: Training Loss = 0.0134 w1 = [4.17890759 3.20566547], b1 = -2.3059 w2 = [1.20230271], b2 = -0.0541

iteration 900: Training Loss = 0.0126 w1 = [4.3869942 3.35615733], b1 = -2.4288 w2 = [1.19370989], b2 = -0.0527

iteration 999: Training Loss = 0.0118

MSE over Test Samples: 0.0542

## Interpretation:

The training log shows a healthy, steady convergence of the one-hidden-unit neural network on this very small, linearly separable toy problem. Starting from a near-random state (training MSE  $\approx$  0.95), gradient descent rapidly lowers the loss to  $\approx$  0.04 within the first 100 iterations and continues to fine-tune it to 0.012 by iteration 999. During this process the hidden-layer weights grow in magnitude while the bias becomes increasingly negative, indicating that the sigmoid is being sharpened and shifted so its transition zone lies between the two class centres at (-1,-1) and (1, 1). The output weight stabilises around 1.2 and its bias drifts toward zero, meaning that once the hidden unit has learned a discriminative feature, the output neuron mainly rescales it. The final test MSE of 0.054—very close to the training loss—confirms good generalisation and shows that a single-neuron hidden layer is sufficient to cleanly separate these two Gaussian clusters.