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Multiple Choice

1/1 point (graded)

For two vectors \mathbf{u} and \mathbf{v} both in \mathbb{R}^d , $\|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|_1 \leq \|\mathbf{u} - \mathbf{v}\|_2$.

☐ TRUE

☒ FALSE

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Multiple Choice

1/1 point (graded)

While there are many factors that go into making a good supervised model, the *key* assumption that makes learning an accurate classifier or regression model possible is

☒ the statistical regularity within the data — past data accurately represents future data

- ☐ there is enough data to learn the classifier
- ☐ we have powerful enough computers to handle big data

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✓ Correct (1/1 point)

Checkboxes

1/1 point (graded)

Which of the following describe a classification problem? (Check all that apply)

- ☐ predicting the gas milage of a car based on its weight and type
- ☒ predicting the presence of a disease based on preliminary tests
- ☒ predicting the monetary value of a check based on a photograph
- ☐ predicting the temperature tomorrow based on the temperature today



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Multiple Choice

1/1 point (graded)

Using a k-nn classifier, the smaller the value of k, the ____ the training error.

☐ larger☒ smaller ✓

You have used 1 of 1 attempt

Checkboxes

1/1 point (graded)

Which of the following are FALSE?

☒ k-nn classifiers are parametric☒ k-nn classifiers always become more accurate as k increases

☐ the training error for 1-nn is zero

☒ the testing error for 1-nn is zero



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Multiple Choice

1/1 point (graded)

The Bayes classifier is the optimal classifier when the data generating distribution is known.

☒ TRUE ✓

☐ FALSE

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Text Input

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The naive Bayes classifier makes the assumption that the dimensions of the covariate vector are conditionally ____ .

independent



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Multiple Choice

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An example of a linear classifier with a quadratic decision boundary is a Bayes classifier using class dependent Gaussians having a ____ covariance matrix.

☐ shared

☒ unique ✓

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Multiple Choice

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For a binary $\{-1, +1\}$ linear classifier, the coefficient vector w points in the direction of the _____ class.

☐ -1

☒ $+1$ ✓

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The perceptron algorithm is a binary classifier that is guaranteed to converge to the _____ solution it can find when the data is _____ separable.

first, linearly ▼



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