COL-774: Machine Learning

Assignment 2 Writeup

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Q1. Internet Advertisement Classification

a. **Set of support vectors obtained :** 307 support vectors { 0.000001 < alpha < 0.999999 }

b. **Accuracy** : 98.202 %

c. **Support Vectors** : 2133 {0.000001 < alpha < 0.999999 }

Accuracy : 98.873%

d. Support Vectors linear : 69
Accuracy linear : 98.20 %
Support Vectors linear : 646

Accuracy linear : 98.71 %

The accuracies obtained by LibSVM are almost at par with those obtained by the implementation using CVX package.

Q2. Digit Recognition

a. --

b. **Stopping Criteria used** : Error_Value < 0.0001

c. Binary Neural Network

Training Time : 8s

 Accuracy Digit 3
 : 96.83 %

 Accuracy Digit 8
 : 95.68 %

d. Multi-Class Neural Network: We need 4 output units using which we can represent 16 different outputs (we need only 10) . Also the training time is more than that of the binary setting (which is around 4-5 mins).

Here are the accuracies for each digit :

Digit	Accuracy(%)
0	95.71%
1	97.27%
2	91.28%
3	88.22%
4	90.94%
5	86.43%
6	91.44%
7	89.49%
8	86.04%
9	86.92%