

Problem 2.22

References for LFD book page 63, 64.

Bias = To prove =

$$E_D(E_{out}(g^{(D)})) = E_{n,y} \{ \sigma^2 + \text{bias} + \text{var.} \}$$

\therefore We know, $\text{bias} = (\bar{y}(n)^2 - f(n)^2)$ where $\bar{y}(n) = E_D[g^{(D)}(n)]$

Given,

$$E_D[E_{out}(g^{(D)})] = E_{n,y}[(g^{(D)}(n) - y(n))^2]$$

LHS

where $y(n) = f(n) + \epsilon$

$$\therefore E_{n,y}[(g^{(D)}(n) - y(n))^2]$$

$$= \therefore E_D[E_{out}(g^{(D)})] = E_D[E_{n,y}[(g^{(D)}(n) - y(n))^2]]$$

LHS

RHS.

LHS =

$$E_{n,y}[E_D[(g^{(D)}(n) - y(n))^2]]$$

! ... from page 63.
of LFD.

$$= E_{n,y}[(E_D[g^{(D)}(n)] - y(n))^2]$$

$$= E_{n,y}[E_D[g^{(D)}(n)^2] + (y(n))^2 - 2E_D[g^{(D)}(n)]y(n)]$$

$$= E_{n,y}[E_D[g^{(D)}(n)^2] + (f(n) + \epsilon)^2 - 2E_D[g^{(D)}(n)](f(n) + \epsilon)]$$

→ put $y(n) = f(n) + \epsilon$

$$= E_{n,y} \left[E_D \left[(g^{(D)}(x))^2 \right] - 2 E_D \left[g^{(D)}(x) \right] (f(x) + \epsilon) + (f(x) + \epsilon)^2 \right]$$

~~Add~~ we know, $\bar{g}(x) = E_D [g^{(D)}(x)]$

substituting with $\bar{g}(x)$,

$$= E_{n,y} \left[E_D \left[g^{(D)}(x)^2 \right] - 2 \bar{g}(x) (f(x) + \epsilon) + f(x)^2 + \epsilon^2 + 2f(x)\epsilon \right]$$

$$= E_{n,y} \left[E_D \left[g^{(D)}(x)^2 \right] - 2 \bar{g}(x) f(x) - 2 \bar{g}(x) \epsilon + f(x)^2 + \epsilon^2 + 2f(x)\epsilon \right]$$

Now, Add & subtract $\bar{g}(x)^2$

$$\therefore = E_{n,y} \left[E_D \left[g^{(D)}(x)^2 \right] - \bar{g}(x)^2 + \bar{g}(x)^2 - 2 \bar{g}(x) f(x) - 2 \bar{g}(x) \epsilon + f(x)^2 + \epsilon^2 + 2f(x)\epsilon \right]$$

$$= E_{n,y} \left[\underbrace{E_D \left[g^{(D)}(x)^2 \right] - \bar{g}(x)^2}_{\text{var}(x)} + \underbrace{\bar{g}(x)^2 - 2 \bar{g}(x) f(x) + f(x)^2 - 2 \bar{g}(x) \epsilon + \epsilon^2 + 2f(x)\epsilon}_{\text{bias}(x)} \right]$$

$$= E_{n,y} \left[\underbrace{(E_D \left[g^{(D)}(x)^2 \right] - \bar{g}(x)^2)}_{\text{var}(x)} + \underbrace{(\bar{g}(x) - f(x))^2}_{\text{bias}(x)} - 2 \bar{g}(x) \epsilon + 2f(x) \epsilon + \epsilon^2 \right]$$

$$= E_{n,y} \left[\text{var}(x) + \text{bias}(x) - 2 \bar{g}(x) \epsilon + 2f(x) \epsilon + \epsilon^2 \right]$$

$$= E_x [\text{var}(x)] + E_x (\text{bias}(x)) - 2 \epsilon E_x (\bar{g}(x) - f(x)) + \epsilon^2$$

$$= \text{Var} + \text{bias} + \sigma^2$$

where $\sigma^2 = -2(E)E_x [\bar{y}(n) - f(n)] + (E)^2$