

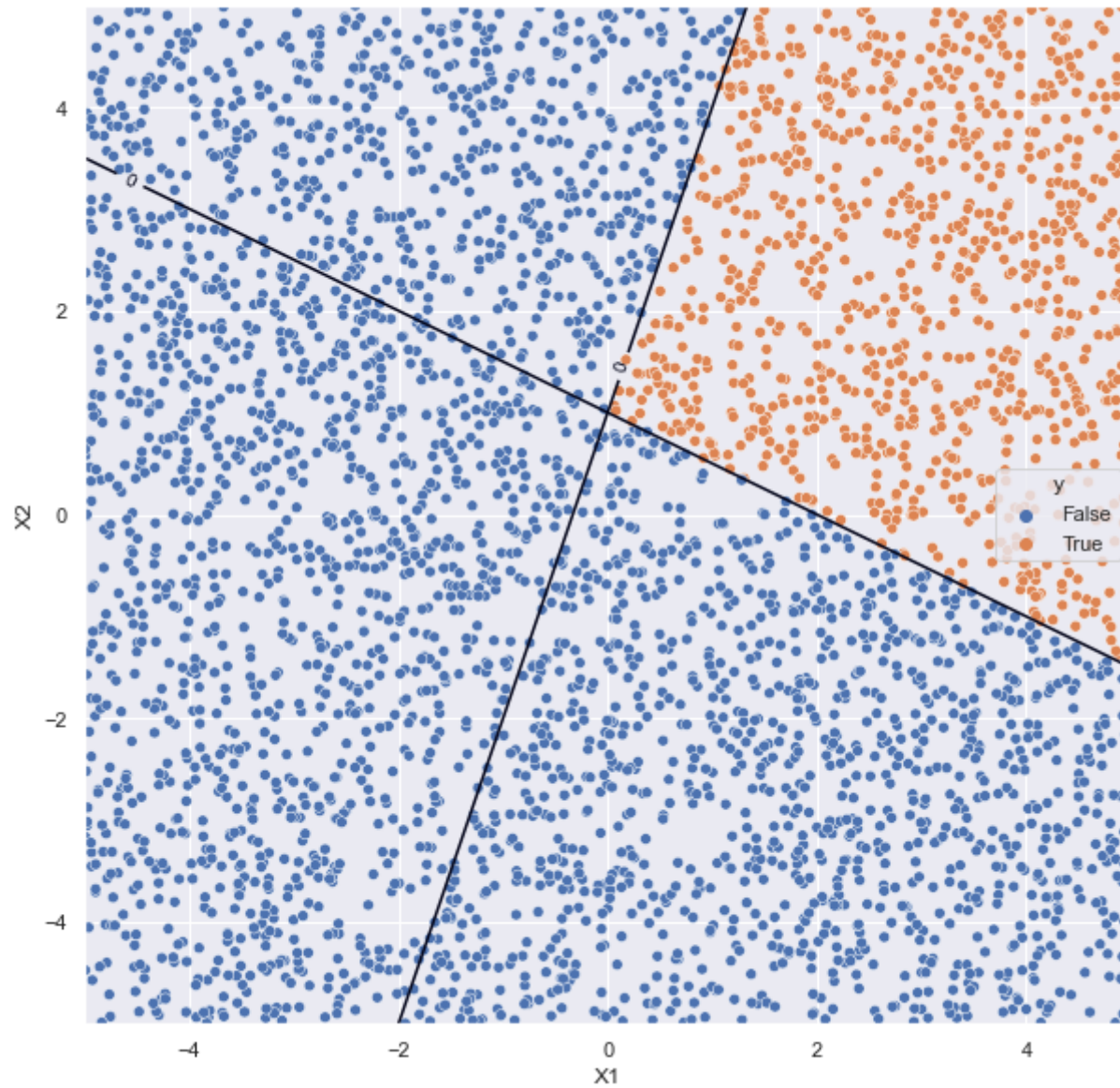
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```
In [1]: 1 import numpy as np
        2 import pandas as pd
        3 import patsy as pt
        4 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        5 import seaborn as sns
        6 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
        7 from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder, StandardScaler
        8 from sklearn.impute import SimpleImputer
        9 from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
       10 from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
       11 from sklearn.svm import SVC
       12 from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
       13 from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
       14 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, roc_auc_score
       15
       16 sns.set()
```

9.7.1 A & B

```
In [2]: 1 x1 = np.linspace(-5.0, 5.0, 100)
2 x2 = np.linspace(-5.0, 5.0, 100)
3 X1, X2 = np.meshgrid(x1,x2)
4 Y1 = 1 + 3*X1 -X2
5 Y2 = -2 + X1 + 2*X2
6
7
8 x1 = np.random.uniform(-1, 1, 4000) * 5
9 x2 = np.random.uniform(-1, 1, 4000) * 5
10 y1 = ((1 + 3*x1 -x2) > 0)*1
11 y2 = ((-2 + x1 + 2*x2) > 0)*1
12 y = np.all([y1, y2], axis=0)
13
14 df = pd.DataFrame({'x1':x1, 'x2':x2, 'y':y})
15
16
17 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,10))
18 CS1 = ax.contour(X1,X2,Y1, [0])
19 ax.clabel(CS1, inline=1, fontsize=10)
20 CS2 = ax.contour(X1,X2,Y2, [0])
21 ax.clabel(CS2, inline=1, fontsize=10)
22 sns.scatterplot(x='x1', y='x2', hue='y', data=df)
23 plt.xlabel('X1')
24 plt.ylabel('X2')
25
```

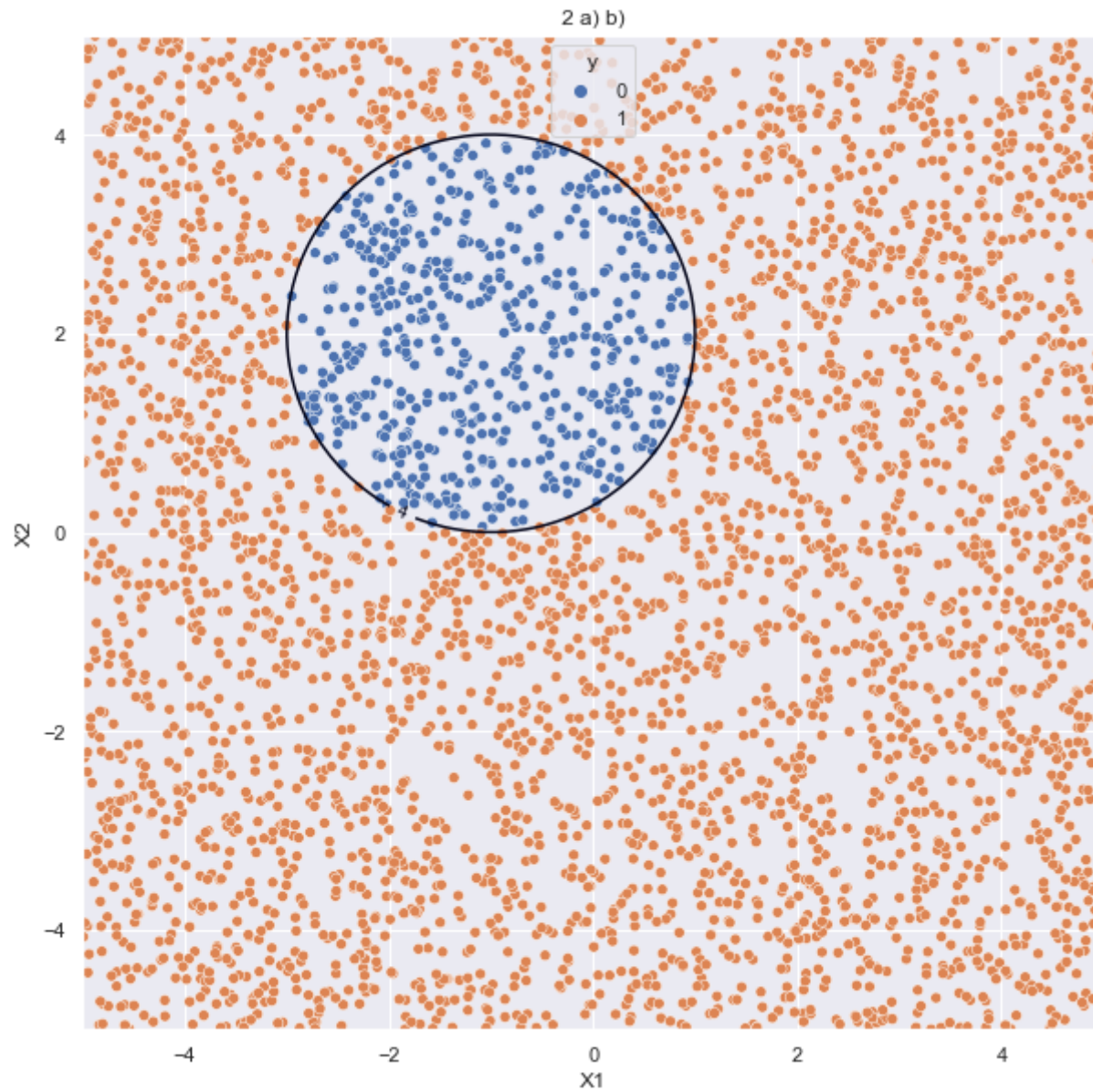
```
Out[2]: Text(0, 0.5, 'X2')
```



9.7.2

A & B

```
In [3]: 1 np.random.seed(0)
        2
        3 # Gen samples
        4 x1 = np.random.uniform(-1, 1, 4000) * 5
        5 x2 = np.random.uniform(-1, 1, 4000) * 5
        6 y = 1*(((1+x1)**2 + (2-x2)**2) > 4)
        7 df = pd.DataFrame({'x1':x1, 'x2':x2, 'y':y})
        8
        9 # Draw decision line
       10 x1 = np.linspace(-5.0, 5.0, 100)
       11 x2 = np.linspace(-5.0, 5.0, 100)
       12 X1, X2 = np.meshgrid(x1,x2)
       13 Y = (1+X1)**2 + (2-X2)**2
       14
       15 # Plot data
       16 fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,10))
       17 CS = ax.contour(X1,X2,Y, [4])
       18 sns.scatterplot(x='x1', y='x2', hue='y', data=df)
       19 ax.clabel(CS, inline=1, fontsize=10)
       20 plt.xlabel('X1')
       21 plt.ylabel('X2')
       22 ax.set_title('2 a) b)');
```

**C**

(0, 0) is orange, (-1, 1) is blue, (2, 2) is orange, (3, 8) is orange

D

$$\begin{aligned}
 &(1+X_1)^2 + (2-X_2)^2 > 4 \\
 \rightarrow &X_1^2 + 2X_1 + 1 + X_2^2 - 2X_2 + 4 > 4 \\
 \rightarrow &2X_1 - 2X_2 + X_1^2 + X_2^2 + 5 > 4 \\
 \rightarrow &4 < \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_2 + \beta_3 X_1^2 + \beta_4 X_2^2
 \end{aligned}$$

$\downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow \quad \downarrow$
 $(5) \quad (2) \quad (-2) \quad (1) \quad (1)$

SVMs

```
In [4]: 1 df = pd.read_csv("Desktop/Cars.csv")
```

In [5]:

1 df

Out[5]:

	Sales	CompPrice	Income	Advertising	Population	Price	ShelveLoc	Age	Education	Urban	US
0	9.50	138	73	11	276	120	Bad	42	17	Yes	Yes
1	11.22	111	48	16	260	83	Good	65	10	Yes	Yes
2	10.06	113	35	10	269	80	Medium	59	12	Yes	Yes
3	7.40	117	100	4	466	97	Medium	55	14	Yes	Yes
4	4.15	141	64	3	340	128	Bad	38	13	Yes	No
...
395	12.57	138	108	17	203	128	Good	33	14	Yes	Yes
396	6.14	139	23	3	37	120	Medium	55	11	No	Yes
397	7.41	162	26	12	368	159	Medium	40	18	Yes	Yes
398	5.94	100	79	7	284	95	Bad	50	12	Yes	Yes
399	9.71	134	37	0	27	120	Good	49	16	Yes	Yes

400 rows × 11 columns

```
In [6]: 1 df.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 400 entries, 0 to 399
Data columns (total 11 columns):
 #   Column          Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
 0   Sales           400 non-null    float64
 1   CompPrice       400 non-null    int64
 2   Income          400 non-null    int64
 3   Advertising     400 non-null    int64
 4   Population      400 non-null    int64
 5   Price           400 non-null    int64
 6   ShelveLoc       400 non-null    object
 7   Age             400 non-null    int64
 8   Education       400 non-null    int64
 9   Urban           400 non-null    object
10   US              400 non-null    object
dtypes: float64(1), int64(7), object(3)
memory usage: 34.5+ KB
```

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In [7]: 1 df['Sales1'] = df.Sales.map(lambda x: 1 if x>8 else 0)
```


In [8]: 1 df

Out[8]:

	Sales	CompPrice	Income	Advertising	Population	Price	ShelveLoc	Age	Education	Urban	US	Sales1
0	9.50	138	73	11	276	120	Bad	42	17	Yes	Yes	1
1	11.22	111	48	16	260	83	Good	65	10	Yes	Yes	1
2	10.06	113	35	10	269	80	Medium	59	12	Yes	Yes	1
3	7.40	117	100	4	466	97	Medium	55	14	Yes	Yes	0
4	4.15	141	64	3	340	128	Bad	38	13	Yes	No	0
...
395	12.57	138	108	17	203	128	Good	33	14	Yes	Yes	1
396	6.14	139	23	3	37	120	Medium	55	11	No	Yes	0
397	7.41	162	26	12	368	159	Medium	40	18	Yes	Yes	0
398	5.94	100	79	7	284	95	Bad	50	12	Yes	Yes	0
399	9.71	134	37	0	27	120	Good	49	16	Yes	Yes	1

400 rows × 12 columns

```
In [9]: 1 X1 = df.drop(['Sales', 'Sales1'], axis=1)
2 Y1 = df['Sales1']
3 X1_train, X1_test, Y1_train, Y1_test = train_test_split(X1, Y1, test_size=0.25, random_state=425)
```

```
In [10]: 1 num_features = ['CompPrice', 'Income', 'Advertising', 'Population', 'Price', 'Age', 'Education']
2 cat_features = ['Urban', 'US', 'ShelveLoc']
3 features = np.concatenate([num_features, cat_features])
```

```
In [11]: 1 categorical_tf = Pipeline(steps = [  
2     ("cat_impute", SimpleImputer(strategy = 'most_frequent')),  
3     ("encoder", OneHotEncoder())  
4 ])  
5  
6 # Transformer for continuous variables  
7 numeric_tf = Pipeline(steps = [  
8     ("num_impute", SimpleImputer(strategy = 'mean')),  
9 ])  
10  
11 # Column transformer  
12 col_tf = ColumnTransformer(transformers = [  
13     ('num', numeric_tf, num_features),  
14     ('cat', categorical_tf, cat_features)  
15 ])
```

Linear Kernel

```
In [12]: 1 svm_mod = SVC(  
2     C = 1.0,  
3     kernel = 'linear',  
4     gamma = 'scale',  
5     probability = True,  
6     random_state = 425  
7 )
```

```
In [13]: 1 pipe = Pipeline(steps = [
2         ("col_tf", col_tf),
3         ("model", svm_mod)
4         ])
5         pipe
```

```
Out[13]: Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                           ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                              Pipeline(steps=[('num_impute',
                                                                 SimpleImputer()))],
                                                              ['CompPrice', 'Income',
                                                                 'Advertising', 'Population',
                                                                 'Price', 'Age',
                                                                 'Education']),
                                                              ('cat',
                                                                 Pipeline(steps=[('cat_impute',
                                                                 SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent'))],
                                                                 ('encoder',
                                                                 OneHotEncoder()))],
                                                              ['Urban', 'US',
                                                                 'ShelveLoc'])])),
                           ('model',
                            SVC(kernel='linear', probability=True, random_state=425))])
```

```
In [14]: 1 C_grid = [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0]
2         gamma_grid = np.logspace(start = -3, stop = 0, base = 10, num = 10)
3         tuned_parameters = {
4             "model__C": C_grid,
5             "model__gamma": gamma_grid
6         }
7         tuned_parameters
```

```
Out[14]: {'model__C': [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0],
          'model__gamma': array([0.001, 0.00215443, 0.00464159, 0.01, 0.02154435,
                                0.04641589, 0.1, 0.21544347, 0.46415888, 1.])}}
```

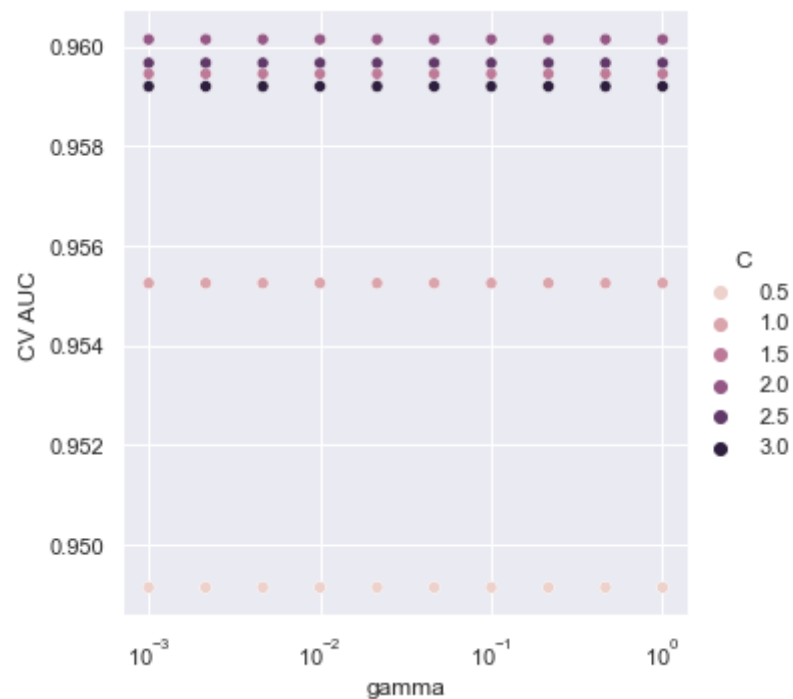
```
In [15]: 1 n_folds = 5
          2 search = GridSearchCV(
          3     pipe,
          4     tuned_parameters,
          5     cv = n_folds,
          6     scoring = "roc_auc",
          7     refit = True
          8 )
```

```
In [16]: 1 search.fit(X1_train, Y1_train)
          2
```

```
Out[16]: GridSearchCV(cv=5,
                      estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                                                  ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                                                      Pipeline(steps=[('num_imp
                                                                                      ute',
                                                                                      puter()))]),
                                                                                      SimpleIm
                                                                                      [ 'CompPrice',
                                                                                      'Income',
                                                                                      'Advertising',
                                                                                      'Population',
                                                                                      'Price',
                                                                                      'Age',
                                                                                      'Education'])),
                                                                                      ('cat',
                                                                                      Pipeline(steps=[('cat_imp
                                                                                      ute',
                                                                                      puter(strategy='most_frequent'))],
                                                                                      r',
                                                                                      coder()))]),
                                                                                      [ 'Urban',
                                                                                      'US',
                                                                                      'ShelveLoc']]))),
                      ('model',
                      SVC(kernel='linear', probability=True,
                          random_state=425))),
          param_grid={'model__C': [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0],
                      'model__gamma': array([0.001, 0.00215443, 0.00464159, 0.01, 0.02154435,
                                                0.04641589, 0.1, 0.21544347, 0.46415888, 1.])},
                      scoring='roc_auc')
```

```
In [23]: 1 cv_res = pd.DataFrame({
2         "C": np.array(search.cv_results_[ "param_model__C" ]),
3         "auc": search.cv_results_[ "mean_test_score" ],
4         "gamma": search.cv_results_[ "param_model__gamma" ]
5     })
6
7 plt.figure()
8 sns.relplot(
9     # kind = "line",
10    data = cv_res,
11    x = "gamma",
12    y = "auc",
13    hue = "C"
14 ).set(
15     xscale = "log",
16     xlabel = "gamma",
17     ylabel = "CV AUC"
18 );
19 plt.show()
```

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```
In [24]: 1 search.best_score_  
        2
```

```
Out[24]: 0.9601389432911173
```

```
In [25]: 1 accuracy_score(  
        2     Y1_train,  
        3     search.best_estimator_.predict(X1_train)  
        4 )
```

```
Out[25]: 0.9333333333333333
```

```
In [26]: 1 search.best_estimator_  
        2
```

```
Out[26]: Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',  
                           ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',  
                                                            Pipeline(steps=[('num_impute',  
                                                                    SimpleImputer())]),  
                                                            ['CompPrice', 'Income',  
                                                            'Advertising', 'Population',  
                                                            'Price', 'Age',  
                                                            'Education']),  
('cat',  
 Pipeline(steps=[('cat_impute',  
                   SimpleImputer(strategy='most_fr  
equent'))],  
           ('encoder',  
            OneHotEncoder())]),  
           ['Urban', 'US',  
            'ShelveLoc'])])),  
               ('model',  
                SVC(C=2.0, gamma=0.001, kernel='linear', probability=True,  
                    random_state=425))])
```

```
In [27]: 1 roc_auc_score(  
        2     Y1_test,  
        3     search.best_estimator_.predict_proba(X1_test)[:, 1]  
        4 )
```

```
Out[27]: 0.9281413087113609
```

```
In [28]: 1 accuracy_score(  
        2     Y1_test,  
        3     search.best_estimator_.predict(X1_test)  
        4 )
```

```
Out[28]: 0.84
```

radial kernel

```
In [29]: 1 svm_mod = SVC(
2         C = 1.0,
3         kernel = 'rbf',
4         gamma = 'scale', # 1 / (n_features * X.var())
5         probability = True,
6         random_state = 425
7         )
```

```
In [30]: 1 pipe = Pipeline(steps = [
2         ("col_tf", col_tf),
3         ("model", svm_mod)
4         ])
5 pipe
```

```
Out[30]: Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                           ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                              Pipeline(steps=[('num_impute',
                                                                                      SimpleImputer())]),
                                                              [ 'CompPrice', 'Income',
                                                                'Advertising', 'Population',
                                                                'Price', 'Age',
                                                                'Education']),
                                                              ('cat',
                                                               Pipeline(steps=[('cat_impute',
                                                                                      SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent'))],
                                                                ('encoder',
                                                                 OneHotEncoder()))],
                                                              [ 'Urban', 'US',
                                                                'ShelveLoc' ])])),
                          ('model', SVC(probability=True, random_state=425))])
```

```
In [31]: 1 C_grid = [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0]
          2 gamma_grid = np.logspace(start = -3, stop = 0, base = 10, num = 10)
          3 tuned_parameters = {
          4     "model__C": C_grid,
          5     "model__gamma": gamma_grid
          6 }
          7 tuned_parameters
```

```
Out[31]: {'model__C': [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0],
          'model__gamma': array([0.001, 0.00215443, 0.00464159, 0.01, 0.02154435,
                                0.04641589, 0.1, 0.21544347, 0.46415888, 1.])}}
```

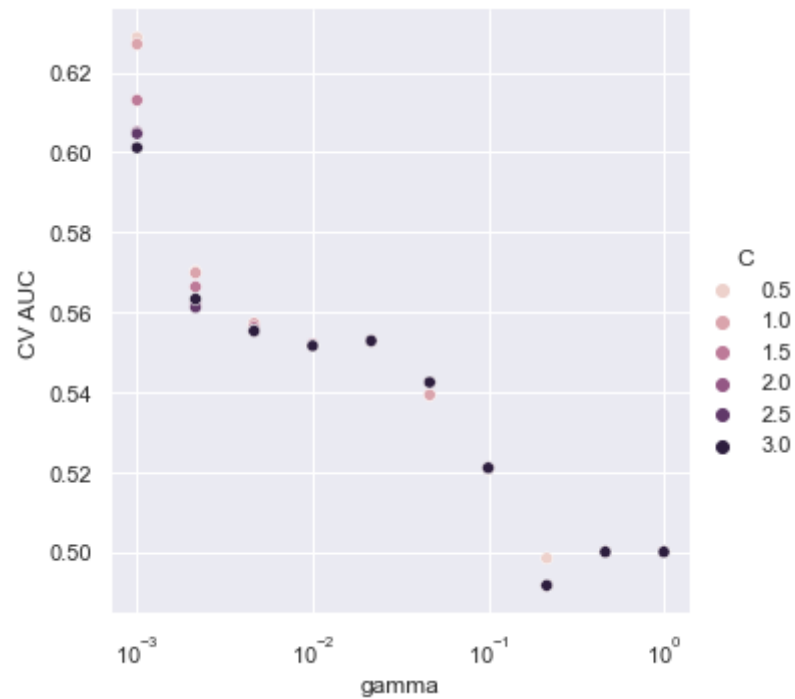
```
In [32]: 1 n_folds = 5
          2 search = GridSearchCV(
          3     pipe,
          4     tuned_parameters,
          5     cv = n_folds,
          6     scoring = "roc_auc",
          7     # Refit the best model on the whole data set
          8     refit = True
          9 )
```

```
In [33]: 1 search.fit(X1_train, Y1_train)
          2
```

```
Out[33]: GridSearchCV(cv=5,
                      estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                                                  ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                                                      Pipeline(steps=[('num_imp
                                                                                      ute',
                                                                                      SimpleIm
                                                                                      puter()))]),
                                                                                      [ 'CompPrice',
                                                                                      'Income',
                                                                                      'Advertising',
                                                                                      'Population',
                                                                                      'Price',
                                                                                      'Age',
                                                                                      'Education']]),
                                                                                      ('cat',
                                                                                      Pipeline(steps=[('cat_imp
                                                                                      ute',
                                                                                      SimpleIm
                                                                                      puter(strategy='most_frequent'))],
                                                                                      r',
                                                                                      OneHotEn
                                                                                      coder()))]),
                                                                                      [ 'Urban',
                                                                                      'US',
                                                                                      'ShelveLoc']]))),
                      ('model',
                      SVC(probability=True,
                          random_state=425))),
          param_grid={'model__C': [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0],
                      'model__gamma': array([0.001, 0.00215443, 0.00464159, 0.01, 0.02154435,
                                                0.04641589, 0.1, 0.21544347, 0.46415888, 1.])},
          scoring='roc_auc')
```

```
In [34]: 1 cv_res = pd.DataFrame({
2         "C": np.array(search.cv_results_[ "param_model__C" ]),
3         "auc": search.cv_results_[ "mean_test_score" ],
4         "gamma": search.cv_results_[ "param_model__gamma" ]
5     })
6
7 plt.figure()
8 sns.relplot(
9     # kind = "line",
10    data = cv_res,
11    x = "gamma",
12    y = "auc",
13    hue = "C"
14 ).set(
15     xscale = "log",
16     xlabel = "gamma",
17     ylabel = "CV AUC"
18 );
19 plt.show()
```

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```
In [35]: 1 search.best_score_  
         2
```

```
Out[35]: 0.6288059798929363
```

```
In [36]: 1 accuracy_score(  
         2     Y1_train,  
         3     search.best_estimator_.predict(X1_train)  
         4 )
```

```
Out[36]: 0.7533333333333333
```

```
In [37]: 1 search.best_estimator_  
        2
```

```
Out[37]: Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',  
                          ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',  
                                                          Pipeline(steps=[('num_impute',  
                                                                    SimpleImputer())]),  
                                                          ['CompPrice', 'Income',  
                                                            'Advertising', 'Population',  
                                                            'Price', 'Age',  
                                                            'Education']),  
('cat',  
 Pipeline(steps=[('cat_impute',  
                  SimpleImputer(strategy='most_fr  
equent'))],  
          ('encoder',  
           OneHotEncoder())]),  
          ['Urban', 'US',  
            'ShelveLoc'])])),  
              ('model',  
               SVC(C=0.5, gamma=0.001, probability=True, random_state=425))])
```

```
In [39]: 1 roc_auc_score(  
        2     Y1_test,  
        3     search.best_estimator_.predict_proba(X1_test)[: , 1]  
        4 )
```

```
Out[39]: 0.6724207145724608
```

```
In [40]: 1 accuracy_score(  
        2     Y1_test,  
        3     search.best_estimator_.predict(X1_test)  
        4 )
```

```
Out[40]: 0.55
```

Poly Kernel

```
In [41]: 1 svm_mod = SVC(
2         C = 1.0,
3         kernel = 'poly',
4         degree = 3,
5         gamma = 'scale', # 1 / (n_features * X.var())
6         probability = True,
7         random_state = 425
8         )
```

```
In [42]: 1 pipe = Pipeline(steps = [
2         ("col_tf", col_tf),
3         ("model", svm_mod)
4         ])
5 pipe
```

```
Out[42]: Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                           ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                              Pipeline(steps=[('num_impute',
                                                                                      SimpleImputer())]),
                                                              [ 'CompPrice', 'Income',
                                                                'Advertising', 'Population',
                                                                'Price', 'Age',
                                                                'Education']),
                                                              ('cat',
                                                               Pipeline(steps=[('cat_impute',
                                                                                      SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent'))],
                                                                ('encoder',
                                                                 OneHotEncoder()))],
                                                              [ 'Urban', 'US',
                                                                'ShelveLoc' ])])),
                          ('model',
                           SVC(kernel='poly', probability=True, random_state=425))])
```

```
In [43]: 1 C_grid = [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0]
          2 d_grid = [2, 3, 4, 5]
          3 tuned_parameters = {
          4     "model__C": C_grid,
          5     "model__degree": d_grid
          6     }
          7 tuned_parameters
```

```
Out[43]: {'model__C': [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0], 'model__degree': [2, 3, 4, 5]}
```

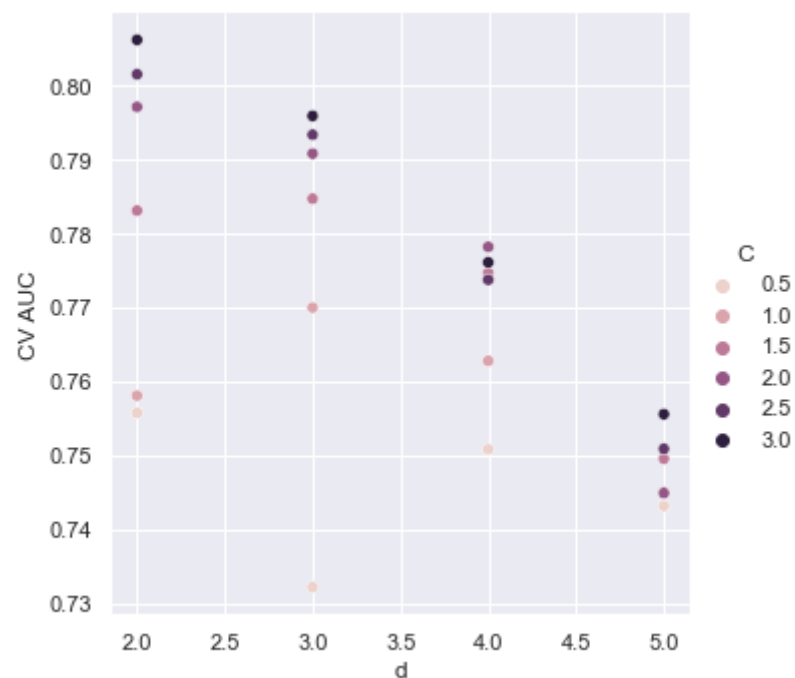
```
In [44]: 1 n_folds = 5
          2 search = GridSearchCV(
          3     pipe,
          4     tuned_parameters,
          5     cv = n_folds,
          6     scoring = "roc_auc",
          7     # Refit the best model on the whole data set
          8     refit = True
          9     )
```

```
In [45]: 1 search.fit(X1_train,Y1_train)
         2
```

```
Out[45]: GridSearchCV(cv=5,
                      estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                                                  ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                                                      Pipeline(steps=[('num_imp
                                                                                      ute',
                                                                                      SimpleIm
                                                                                      puter()))]),
                                                                                      [ 'CompPrice',
                                                                                      'Income',
                                                                                      'Advertising',
                                                                                      'Population',
                                                                                      'Price',
                                                                                      'Age',
                                                                                      'Education']]),
                                                                                      ('cat',
                                                                                      Pipeline(steps=[('cat_imp
                                                                                      ute',
                                                                                      SimpleIm
                                                                                      puter(strategy='most_frequent'))],
                                                                                      r',
                                                                                      OneHotEn
                                                                                      coder()))]),
                                                                                      [ 'Urban',
                                                                                      'US',
                                                                                      'ShelveLoc']]))]),
                      ('model',
                      SVC(kernel='poly', probability=True,
                          random_state=425))),
          param_grid={'model__C': [0.5, 1.0, 1.5, 2.0, 2.5, 3.0],
                      'model__degree': [2, 3, 4, 5]},
          scoring='roc_auc')
```

```
In [46]: 1 cv_res = pd.DataFrame({
2         "C": np.array(search.cv_results_[ "param_model__C" ]),
3         "auc": search.cv_results_[ "mean_test_score" ],
4         "d": search.cv_results_[ "param_model__degree" ]
5     })
6
7 plt.figure()
8 sns.relplot(
9     # kind = "line",
10    data = cv_res,
11    x = "d",
12    y = "auc",
13    hue = "C"
14 ).set(
15     xlabel = "d",
16     ylabel = "CV AUC"
17 );
18 plt.show()
```

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```
In [47]: 1 search.best_score_
          2
```

```
Out[47]: 0.8061800931366149
```

```
In [48]: 1 accuracy_score(
          2     Y1_train,
          3     search.best_estimator_.predict(X1_train)
          4     )
```

```
Out[48]: 0.7233333333333334
```

```
In [49]: 1 search.best_estimator_
          2
```

```
Out[49]: Pipeline(steps=[('col_tf',
                           ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                             Pipeline(steps=[('num_impute',
                                                                 SimpleImputer()))],
                                                             ['CompPrice', 'Income',
                                                                 'Advertising', 'Population',
                                                                 'Price', 'Age',
                                                                 'Education']),
                                                             ('cat',
                                                              Pipeline(steps=[('cat_impute',
                                                                 SimpleImputer(strategy='most_fr
equent'))],
                                                             ('encoder',
                                                              OneHotEncoder()))],
                                                             ['Urban', 'US',
                                                                 'ShelveLoc'])])),
                           ('model',
                            SVC(C=3.0, degree=2, kernel='poly', probability=True,
                                random_state=425))])
```

```
In [50]: 1 roc_auc_score(  
2     Y1_test,  
3     search.best_estimator_.predict_proba(X1_test)[: , 1]  
4     )
```

Out[50]: 0.7460859092733841

```
In [51]: 1 accuracy_score(  
2     Y1_test,  
3     search.best_estimator_.predict(X1_test)  
4     )
```

Out[51]: 0.65

The linear kernel achieved the best test scores with an accuracy of 84%, however it was not able to outperform the boosting classification from HW4 which achieved a test score of 86%.

Comparing all models from HW4 and HW5, their accuracy performances ranks as follows:

- 1) Boosting 86%,
- 2) SVM(Linear) 84%,
- 3) Random Forest 83%,
- 4) DecisionTree 77%,
- 5) SVM(Poly) 65%,
- 6) SVM(radial) 55%

The models also ranked the same with roc_auc_score.

BONUS

We can use the formula for the signed distance from a point x to a hyperplane with normal vector w and intercept b : $d = (w^T x + b) / ||w||$

First, we need to find the normal vector of the hyperplane $f(X) = 0$. This can be done by taking the gradient of $f(X)$ with respect to X and setting it equal to zero:

$$\nabla f(X) = [B_1, B_2, \dots, B_p]^T = 0$$

So the normal vector is simply $[B_1, B_2, \dots, B_p]^T$.

Next, we can plug in this normal vector and set the intercept b to 0 into the formula for the signed distance:

$$d = ([B_1, B_2, \dots, B_p]^T)^T x / \|[B_1, B_2, \dots, B_p]\|$$

Simplifying, we get:

$$d = B^T x / \|B\|$$

which shows that $f(x)$ is proportional to the signed distance of x to the hyperplane $f(X) = 0$. Specifically, if $f(x) > 0$, then x is on one side of the hyperplane, and if $f(x) < 0$, then x is on the other side. If $f(x) = 0$, then x is on the hyperplane itself.