Introduction to Statistical Machine Learning
Homework 2

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\begin{aligned}
R(h_r; q) &= \int_{\mathbf{x}} \sum_{c=1}^{C} \sum_{c'=1}^{C} L_{0/1}(c', c) q(c_r = c'|\mathbf{x}) p(\mathbf{x}, y = c) d\mathbf{x} \\
&= \int_{\mathbf{x}} R(h_r|\mathbf{x}) p(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x} \\
\text{where } R(h_r|\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{c=1}^{C} \sum_{c'=1}^{C} L_{0/1}(c', c) q(c_r = c'|\mathbf{x}) p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) \\
&= \sum_{c=1}^{C} \sum_{c' \neq c}^{C} q(c_r = c'|\mathbf{x}) p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) \\
&= \sum_{c=1}^{C} (1 - q(c_r = c|\mathbf{x})) p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) \\
R(h^*) &= \int_{\mathbf{x}} R(h^*|\mathbf{x}) p(\mathbf{x}) d\mathbf{x} \\
\text{where } R(h^*|\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{c=1}^{C} L_{0/1}(h^*(\mathbf{x}), c) p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) \\
&= \sum_{c \neq h^*}^{C} p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) \\
&= 1 - p(y = h^*(\mathbf{x})|\mathbf{x}) \\
R(h_r|\mathbf{x}) - R(h^*|\mathbf{x}) &= \sum_{c=1}^{C} (1 - q(c_r = c|\mathbf{x})) p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) - (1 - p(y = h^*(\mathbf{x})|\mathbf{x})) \\
&= p(y = h^*(\mathbf{x})|\mathbf{x}) - \sum_{c=1}^{C} q(c_r = c|\mathbf{x}) p(y = c|\mathbf{x}) \\
&= \sum_{c=1}^{C} q(c_r = c|\mathbf{x}) (p(y = h^*(\mathbf{x})|\mathbf{x}) - p(y = c|\mathbf{x})) \\
&\geq 0 \\
&\therefore \; R(h_r|\mathbf{x}) \geq R(h^*|\mathbf{x}) \\
&\therefore \; R(h_r; q) \geq R(h^*)
\end{aligned}
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2. Let M be the number of augmented data points.

$$\sum_{i=1}^{N+M}(y_i - \mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x}_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^{N}(y_i - \mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x}_i)^2 + \lambda\|\mathbf{w}\|^2$$
$$\sum_{i=N+1}^{N+M}(y_i - \mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x}_i)^2 = \lambda\|\mathbf{w}\|^2$$

Let $y_i = 0$ and $\mathbf{x}_i = [0, a, \ldots, a]^T$.

$$\sum_{i=N+1}^{N+M} a^2\|\mathbf{w}\|^2 = \lambda\|\mathbf{w}\|^2$$
$$Ma^2\|\mathbf{w}\|^2 = \lambda\|\mathbf{w}\|^2$$
$$Ma^2 = \lambda$$

$$\therefore\ \mathbf{y}' = \begin{bmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_N \\ 0 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}, X' = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_{11} & \cdots & x_{1d} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & x_{N1} & \cdots & x_{Nd} \\ 0 & a & \vdots & a \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & a & \vdots & a \end{bmatrix}$$

s.t. $Ma^2 = \lambda$ (where M is the number of augmented data points)

3.

$$\forall i, j, \log\frac{p(c_i|\mathbf{x})}{p(c_j|\mathbf{x})} = \mathbf{w}_{ij}\cdot\mathbf{x}$$
$$\log p(c_i|\mathbf{x}) - \log p(c_j|\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{w}_{ij}\cdot\mathbf{x}$$

Let $\log p(c_i|x) = \mathbf{w}_i \cdot \mathbf{x}$.

$$\mathbf{w}_i\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{w}_j\cdot\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{w}_{ij}\cdot\mathbf{x}$$
$$\mathbf{w}_{ij} = \mathbf{w}_i - \mathbf{w}_j$$

$$p(c_i|\mathbf{x}) = e^{\mathbf{w}_{ij}\cdot\mathbf{x}}p(c_j|\mathbf{x})$$
$$p(c_i|\mathbf{x}) = e^{\mathbf{w}_i\cdot\mathbf{x}}e^{-\mathbf{w}_j\cdot\mathbf{x}}p(c_j|\mathbf{x})$$
$$1 = \sum_{i=1}^{C} e^{\mathbf{w}_i\cdot\mathbf{x}}e^{-\mathbf{w}_j\cdot\mathbf{x}}p(c_j|\mathbf{x})$$
$$p(c_j|\mathbf{x}) = \frac{e^{\mathbf{w}_j\cdot\mathbf{x}}}{\sum_{i=1}^{C} e^{\mathbf{w}_i\cdot\mathbf{x}}}$$

$\therefore$ the softmax model corresponds to modeling the log-odds between any two classes.
If the number of classes equals 2,

$$\frac{e^{\mathbf{w}_j \cdot \mathbf{x}}}{\sum_{i=1}^{C} e^{\mathbf{w}_i \cdot \mathbf{x}}} = \frac{1}{\sum_{i=1}^{C} e^{(\mathbf{w}_i - \mathbf{w}_j) \cdot \mathbf{x}}} \qquad = \sigma((\mathbf{w}_i - \mathbf{w}_j) \cdot \mathbf{x}) = \sigma(\mathbf{v} \cdot \mathbf{x})$$