

# Quiz 4

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## Quiz Instructions

### Question 1

1 pts

We have examples in the form of 20 boolean variables,  $\langle x_1, x_2, \dots, x_{20} \rangle$ , and know the true function  $f(\mathbf{X})$  is in the class of monotone conjunctions. Say we have a "teacher" who knows the true function and must teach the true function through a set of examples; the true function is  $y(\mathbf{X}) = x_1 \wedge x_2 \wedge x_4 \wedge x_9 \wedge x_{13} \wedge x_{18}$ . What is the minimum number of examples that are required to learn this function?

- 20
- 7
- 6
- 1

### Question 2

1 pts

Consider a function  $f$  that we are trying to learn over the feature space  $\{x_1, x_2\}$ . We are given the following examples:

$x_1$	$x_2$	$y$
0	0	0
0	1	1
1	0	1

1	1	0
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The Perceptron algorithm can correctly identify a hyperplane for  $f$  that separates positive from negative examples.

- True
- False

### Question 3

1 pts

Suppose we have a weight vector  $w \in \mathbb{R}^2$  with input vectors  $x_i \in \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $y_i \in \{-1, 1\}$ , let us initialize our 2-dimensional weight vector to be  $w = \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$ . Also,

suppose we only have 2 examples in our dataset:  $\left(x_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, y_1 = -1\right)$ ,

$\left(x_2 = \begin{bmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \end{bmatrix}, y_2 = 1\right)$ . After training a model based on the Perceptron algorithm

on the above dataset over 1 epoch, which option represents the correct final state of the weight vector if the linear threshold function is  $\hat{y} = \text{sgn}\{w^T \cdot x \geq 0\}$ ?

- [-1,1]
- [0,-1]
- [-1,-1]
- [0,-2]

### Question 4

1 pts

We have previously introduced the SGD-LMS algorithm with an update rule of

$$w_{t+1} = w_t + c \cdot (\text{target}_i - \text{output}_i) x_i$$

The latter part, after the learning rate  $c$ , is also called the gradient  $g_t$  where  $t$  represents the  $t^{\text{th}}$  update, so the update rule can also be written as

$$w_{t+1} = w_t + c \cdot g_t$$

Note that we were using a constant learning rate  $c$ . Instead, we now change the algorithm and use (1) a per-feature learning rate, and (2) an adaptive learning rate over time. Specifically, the learning rate at the  $t^{\text{th}}$  update now becomes a vector  $r_t$ , of the same dimensionality as  $w_t$ . We can then write the weight update rule as:

$$w_{t+1} = w_t + r_t^T g_t$$

$$\text{where } r_t[j] = \frac{1}{\sqrt{\sum_{k=1}^t g_k[j]^2}}, j \in [0, \text{dimensionality}(r_t))$$

Which of the following statement is true?

(The notation  $x[i]$  represents the  $i^{\text{th}}$  element in vector  $x$ )

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- The learning rate for features that are more likely to be activated will be smaller over time
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## Question 5

1 pts

Consider a perceptron algorithm performed over three training instances  $e_1$ ,  $e_2$ ,  $e_3$  in this order, where  $e_2$  and  $e_3$  are identical.

If the algorithm makes a mistake on  $e_2$  and an update is performed to the weight vector, will the model correctly predict  $e_3$  next?

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- Yes
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- No
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Unknown

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