# Foundations of Machine Learning Al2000 and Al5000

FoML-31 Kernelized Linear Models

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#### So far in FoML

- Intro to ML and Probability refresher
- MLE, MAP, and fully Bayesian treatment
- Supervised learning
  - Linear Regression with basis functions
  - Bias-Variance Decomposition
  - Decision Theory & three broad classification strategies
  - Neural Networks
- Unsupervised learning
  - K-Means, Hierarchical, GMM for clustering, and PCA





#### For today

- Equivalent Kernel
- Kernelizing Linear models





#### Recap

Bayesian Regression (foml-11)





# Equivalent Kernel





#### Equivalent Kernel formuluation

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$$k(x, x_n) = y(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{m}_N) =$$





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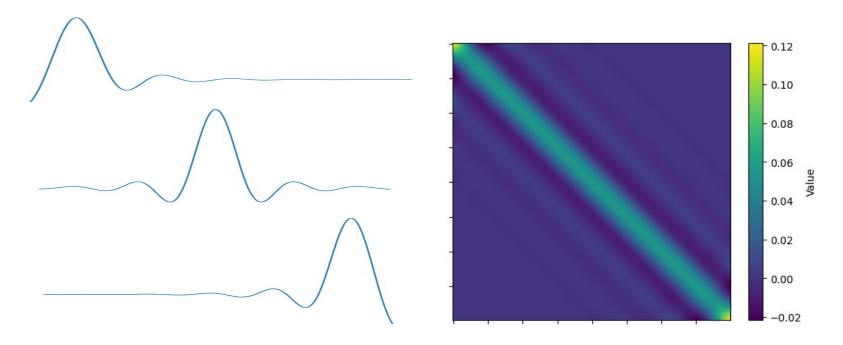
$$k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_n) = \beta \phi(\mathbf{x})^T \mathbf{S_N} \phi(\mathbf{x_n})$$
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- K smoother matrix or equivalent kernel
  - o It depends on all the input samples
- Functions that make predictions by taking linear combinations of the training set target values - linear smoothers





#### Equivalent kernel for Gaussian Basis functions





Training samples close to x contribute more!



#### Covariance between two predictions

$$Cov[t_1, t_2 | \mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2] =$$





#### Alternate approach to parametric modeling

- Instead of working with basis functions
- Define a localized kernel to make predictions for new points
  - Gaussian Processes





#### Summary - Parametric Models

- Use fixed basis function to project the data
  - Learning: regression, classification
- Learnable basis functions: neural networks
- Training
  - MLE, MAP → point estimate W
  - Full Bayesian → posterior on W
- Test time
  - Don't need the training data
  - Work with W or its distribution





#### Memory-based Methods

- Training data is kept and used for inference
  - KDE
  - KNN
- Fast 'training', slow 'inference'





## Non-parametric Kernel Methods





#### Non-parametric methods

- Kernel methods
  - Use training data for test time predictions
- 'Dual representation' for the linear parametric models
  - Equivalent kernels





$$J(\mathbf{w}) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{n=1}^{N} \left\{ \mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}} \boldsymbol{\phi}(\mathbf{x}_{n}) - t_{n} \right\}^{2} + \frac{\lambda}{2} \mathbf{w}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{w}$$

Solution to w takes a form of linear combination of basis vectors





Instead of working with w, let us work with a

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• Introduce a gram matrix K  $K_{nm} = \phi(\mathbf{x}_n)^{\mathrm{T}} \phi(\mathbf{x}_m) = k(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{x}_m)$ 





Optimizing for a

$$J(\mathbf{a}) = \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{a}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{a} - \mathbf{a}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{t} + \frac{1}{2} \mathbf{t}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{t} + \frac{\lambda}{2} \mathbf{a}^{\mathrm{T}} \mathbf{K} \mathbf{a}.$$

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$$\mathbf{a} = (\mathbf{K} + \lambda \mathbf{I}_N)^{-1} \, \mathbf{t}.$$



#### Primal and Dual perspectives

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- $\circ$  O(M<sup>3</sup>) vs. O(N<sup>3</sup>)
- Compute (inference)
  - O(M) vs. O(NM)



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#### Next

• Kernel methods with 'sparsity' in solutions



