

Orlicz Random Fourier Features

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Notations



- Task: speed up kernel machines on \mathbb{R}^d .
- Technique: random Fourier features.
- Interest: high-order derivatives.

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Optimization over function spaces.

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Finite-dimensional optimization problem $\left[\partial^{\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}} k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) := \frac{\partial^{\sum_{i=1}^d (p_i + q_i)} k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})}{\partial x_1^{p_1} \dots \partial x_d^{p_d} \partial y_1^{q_1} \dots \partial y_d^{q_d}} \right]$:

$$\min_{\mathbf{a}} C \left(\left\{ \sum_{\substack{m \in [M] \\ \mathbf{q} \in D_m}} a_{m,\mathbf{q}} \partial^{\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}} k(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{x}_m) \right\}_{\substack{n \in [M] \\ \mathbf{p} \in D_n}}, \sum_{\substack{n,m \in [M] \\ \mathbf{p} \in D_n \\ \mathbf{q} \in D_m}} a_{n,\mathbf{p}} a_{m,\mathbf{q}} \partial^{\mathbf{p},\mathbf{q}} k(\mathbf{x}_n, \mathbf{x}_m) \right).$$

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- Estimate \mathbf{w} by leveraging fast linear primal solvers.

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- Kernel ridge regression [Rudi and Rosasco, 2017, Li et al., 2019]:
 - $\mathcal{O}\left(\frac{1}{\sqrt{N}}\right)$ generalization with $M = o(N) = \mathcal{O}\left(\sqrt{N \log N}\right)$ / less RFFs.

- Kernel PCA [Sriperumbudur and Sterge, 2018, Ullah et al., 2018], classification with 0-1 loss [Gilbert et al., 2018]: $M = o(N)$ RFFs, spectrum decay.

- Kernel derivatives [Szabó and Sriperumbudur, 2019]: same bound as for kernel values (unbounded empirical processes, Bernstein condition).

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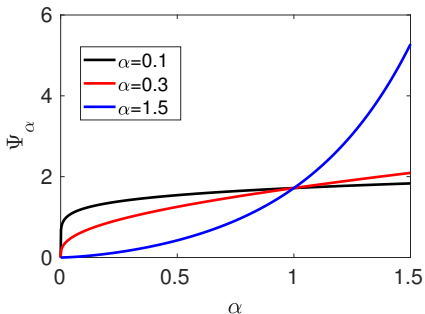
Our question

- Avoid the Bernstein condition.
- With (essentially) $f_\Lambda(\omega) \propto e^{-|\omega|^\alpha}$: guarantees for $\frac{\alpha}{n} \leq 1$.

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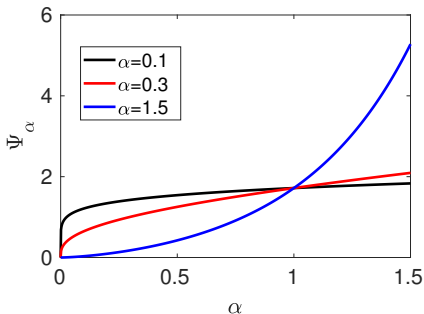
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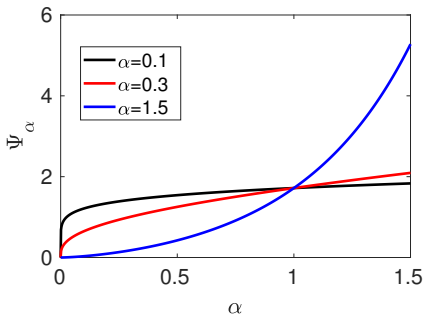


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Kernel examples with α -exp. Orlicz spectrum: $d = 1$

| Spectrum | $f_{\Lambda}(\omega)$ | α |
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| Gaussian | $\frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} e^{-\frac{\omega^2}{2\sigma^2}}$ | 2 |
| Laplace | $\frac{\sigma}{2} e^{-\sigma \omega }$ | 1 |
| generalized Gaussian | $\frac{\alpha}{2\beta\Gamma(\frac{1}{\alpha})} e^{-\frac{ \omega }{\beta}^{\alpha}}$ | α |
| variance Gamma | $\frac{\sigma^{2b} \omega ^{b-\frac{1}{2}} K_{b-\frac{1}{2}}(\sigma \omega)}{\sqrt{\pi}\Gamma(b)(2\sigma)^{b-\frac{1}{2}}}$ | 1 |
| Weibull (S) | $\frac{s}{2\lambda} \left(\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}\right)^{s-1} e^{-\left(\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}\right)^s}$ | s |
| exponentiated exponential (S) | $\frac{\alpha}{2\lambda} \left(1 - e^{-\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}}\right)^{\alpha-1} e^{-\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}}$ | 1 |

$I_a(z) = \sum_{n \in \mathbb{N}} \frac{1}{n! \Gamma(n+a+1)} \left(\frac{z}{2}\right)^{2n+a}$, $K_a(z) = \frac{\pi}{2} \frac{I_{-a}(z) - I_a(z)}{\sin(a\pi)}$ for $z \in \mathbb{R}$ and non-integer a ; when a is an integer the limit is taken.

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| exponentiated Weibull (S) | $\frac{\alpha s}{2\lambda} \left(\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}\right)^{s-1} \left[1 - e^{-\left(\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}\right)^s}\right]^{\alpha-1} \times$ $\times e^{-\left(\frac{ \omega }{\lambda}\right)^s}$ | s |
| Nakagami (S) | $\frac{m^m}{\Gamma(m)\Omega^m} \omega ^{2m-1} e^{-\frac{m\omega^2}{\Omega}}$ | 2 |
| chi-squared (S) | $\frac{1}{2^{\frac{s}{2}+1}\Gamma(\frac{s}{2})} \omega ^{\frac{s}{2}-1} e^{-\frac{ \omega }{2}}$ | 1 |
| Erlang (S) | $\frac{\lambda^s \omega ^{s-1} e^{-\lambda \omega }}{2(s-1)!}$ | 1 |
| Gamma (S) | $\frac{1}{2\Gamma(s)\theta^s} \omega ^{s-1} e^{-\frac{ \omega }{\theta}}$ | 1 |
| generalized Gamma (S) | $\frac{p/a^D}{2\Gamma(\frac{D}{p})} \omega ^{D-1} e^{-\left(\frac{ \omega }{a}\right)^p}$ | p |

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| Rayleigh (S) | $\frac{ \omega }{2\sigma^2} e^{-\frac{\omega^2}{2\sigma^2}}$ | 2 |
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| chi (S) | $\frac{1}{2^{\frac{s}{2}} \Gamma(\frac{s}{2})} \omega ^{s-1} e^{-\frac{\omega^2}{2}}$ | 2 |
| exponential-logarithmic (S) | $-\frac{1}{2 \log(p)} \frac{\beta(1-p)e^{-\beta \omega }}{1-(1-p)e^{-\beta \omega }}$ | 1 |
| Weibull-logarithmic (S) | $-\frac{1}{2 \log(p)} \frac{\alpha\beta(1-p) \omega ^{\alpha-1} e^{-\beta \omega ^{\alpha}}}{1-(1-p)e^{-\beta \omega ^{\alpha}}}$ | α |
| Gamma/Gompertz (S) | $\frac{bse^{b \omega }\beta^s}{2(\beta-1+e^{b \omega })^{s+1}}$ | bs |

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| logistic | $\frac{e^{-\frac{\omega}{s}}}{s\left[1+e^{-\frac{\omega}{s}}\right]^2} = \frac{1}{4s} \operatorname{sech}^2\left(\frac{\omega}{2s}\right)$ | 1 |
| normal-inverse Gaussian | $\frac{\alpha\delta K_1\left(\alpha\sqrt{\delta^2+\omega^2}\right)}{\pi\sqrt{\delta^2+\omega^2}} e^{\delta\alpha}$ | 1 |
| hyperbolic | $\frac{1}{2\delta K_1(\delta\alpha)} e^{-\alpha\sqrt{\delta^2+\omega^2}}$ | 1 |
| generalized hyperbolic | $\frac{(\alpha/\delta)^\lambda}{\sqrt{2\pi}K_\lambda(\delta\gamma)} \frac{K_{\lambda-\frac{1}{2}}\left(\alpha\sqrt{\delta^2+\omega^2}\right)}{\left(\frac{\sqrt{\delta^2+\omega^2}}{\alpha}\right)^{\frac{1}{2}-\lambda}}$ | 1 |

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+Analytical kernel values: generalized Gaussian, Weibull (S), chi-squared (S), Erlang (S), Gamma (S), Rayleigh (S), chi (S), Weibull-logarithmic (S), Gamma/Gompertz (S), normal-inverse Gaussian, hyperbolic, generalized hyperbolic.

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$$\left\| \partial^{\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}} k - \widehat{\partial^{\mathbf{p}, \mathbf{q}} k} \right\|_{L^\infty(S_M)} = \mathcal{O}_{a.s.} \left(|S_M| \frac{\log^r(M)}{\sqrt{M}} \right), \quad r = \frac{n}{\alpha}.$$

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Decomposition into 3 terms:

- ① Unbounded part: Talagrand & Hoffman-Jorgensen inequalities.
- ② Bounded part: Klein-Rio inequality & Dudley entropy integral bound.
- ③ Truncation: bound on the incomplete Gamma function.

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