



Hinge Loss, Support Vector Machines and the Loss of Users

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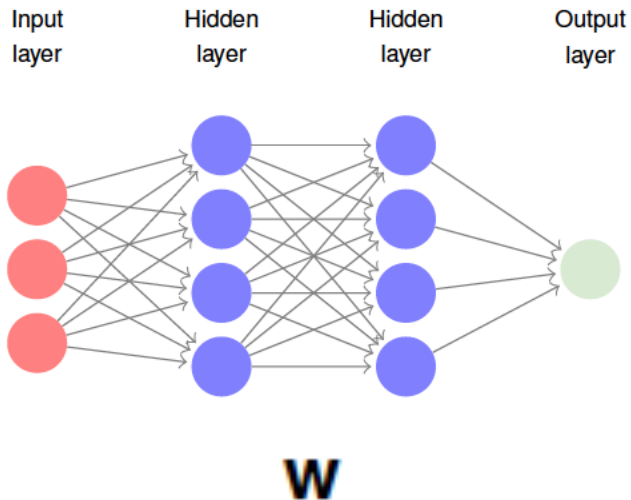


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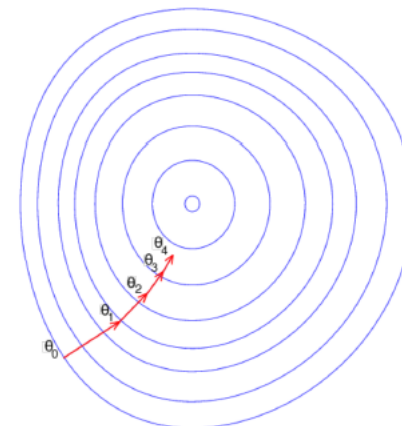
Loss Function

- Tells a network the merit of its output

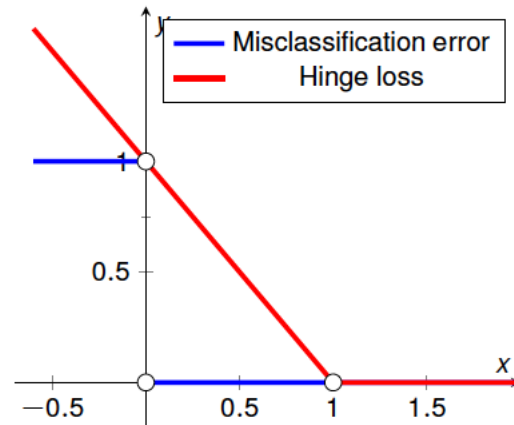


$$\underset{\mathbf{w}}{\text{minimize}} \quad \{L(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})\}$$

$$\mathbf{w}^{k+1} = \mathbf{w}^k - \eta \nabla_{\mathbf{w}} \frac{1}{M} \sum_{m=1}^M L(\mathbf{w}, \mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y})$$



Hinge Loss



$$L(\mathbf{w}) = \sum_{m=1}^M \max(0, 1 - y_m \hat{y}_m(\mathbf{x}_m, \mathbf{w}))$$

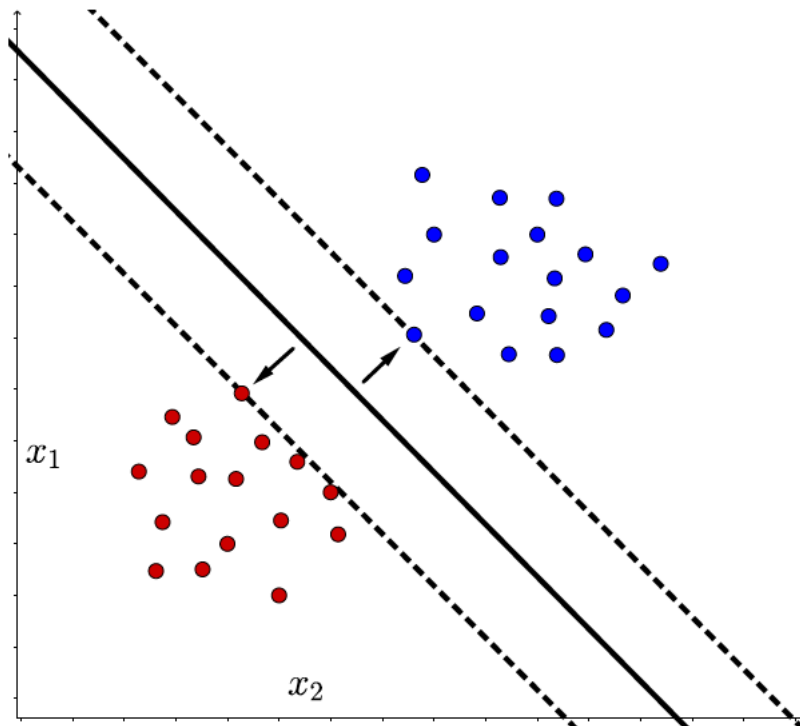
- **Accepts correct output equally**
- **Punishes misclassification in a linear fashion**



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Support Vector Machines



$$\hat{y}(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{x} + b$$

$$\arg \min_{\mathbf{w}, b} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2$$

$$\text{s. t. } \forall n : y_n (\mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{x}_n + b) \geq 1$$

Support Vector Machines – Soft Margin

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{w}, b, \xi_n} \quad & \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + C \sum_{n=1}^N \xi_n \\ \text{s. t. } \forall n : \quad & y_n(\mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{x}_n + b) \geq 1 - \xi_n \\ & \forall n : \xi_n \geq 0, \end{aligned}$$

- **Choose slack variables as:**

$$\xi_n = \max(0, 1 - y_n(\mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{x}_n + b))$$

- **Simplified optimization problem:**

$$\min_{\mathbf{w}, b} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + C \sum_{n=1}^N \max(0, 1 - y_n(\mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{x}_n + b))$$

- **Equivalent to hard margin with**

$$\begin{aligned} \alpha_n = \frac{C}{N} \quad & \mathcal{L}(\mathbf{w}, b, \alpha) = \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + \sum_{n=1}^N \alpha_n \max(1 - y_n(\mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{x}_n + b), 0) \\ & \text{s. t. } \forall n : \alpha_n \geq 0. \end{aligned}$$



Support Vector Machines – Observations

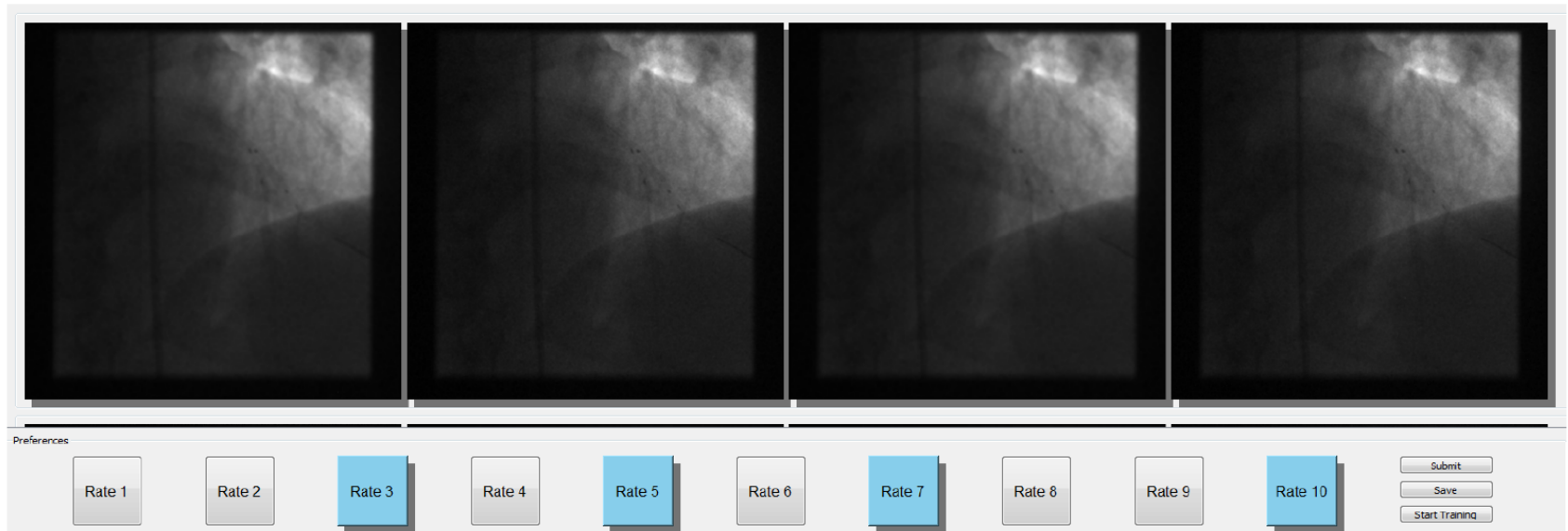
- **Soft margin support vector machines can be formulated with hinge loss**
- **Duality and notion of support vectors are lost**
- **Integration into deep networks is easy**
- **Read details in Vincent Christlein's PhD Thesis [1]**



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Loss of Users [2]



$$\text{argmin}_q \left\| \mathbf{x}_{\text{ref}} - \mathbf{x}_{\text{NN}} \right\|_2^2$$



Loss of Users [2]

- Experts can pick one choice:

$$e = \|\mathbf{x}_{\text{pref}} - \mathbf{x}\|_2^2$$

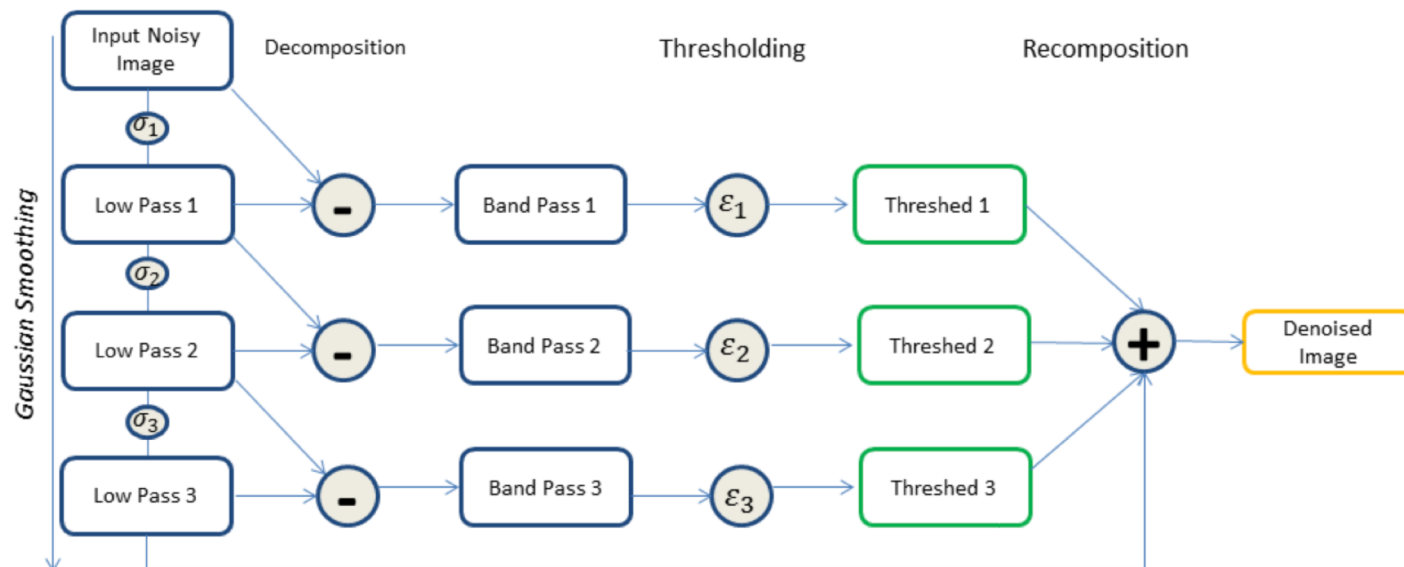
- The other choices in Frame \mathbf{s} are sub-optimal

$$e_{s,*} \leq e_{s,q} \quad \forall q \in \{0, \dots, Q-1\}$$

$$* = 2 \quad \longrightarrow \quad \begin{aligned} e_{s,2} &< e_{s,0} \\ e_{s,2} &< e_{s,1} \\ e_{s,2} &< e_{s,3} \end{aligned}$$

Loss of Users [2]

- Will only work with few parameters
- Here Precision Learning [3] approach to Laplacian Pyramid Filter



Loss of Users [2]

- Net needs to mimick the ideal image:

$$e = \|\mathbf{x}_{\text{NN}} - \mathbf{x}\|_2^2$$

- Three constraints per click:

$$* = 2$$



$$\begin{array}{llll} e_{s,2} < e_{s,0} & \rightarrow & e_{s,2} - e_{s,0} < 0 & \rightarrow & \max(e_{s,2} - e_{s,0}, 0) \\ e_{s,2} < e_{s,1} & \rightarrow & e_{s,2} - e_{s,1} < 0 & \rightarrow & \max(e_{s,2} - e_{s,1}, 0) \\ e_{s,2} < e_{s,3} & \rightarrow & e_{s,2} - e_{s,3} < 0 & \rightarrow & \max(e_{s,2} - e_{s,3}, 0) \end{array}$$

Loss of Users

- **Constraint only loss function:**

$$\operatorname{argmin}_{\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \tau_0, \tau_1, \tau_2} \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} \sum_{q=0}^{Q-1} \max(e_{s,*} - e_{s,q}, 0)$$

- **Best-case only loss function:**

$$\operatorname{argmin}_{\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \tau_0, \tau_1, \tau_2} \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e_{s,*}$$

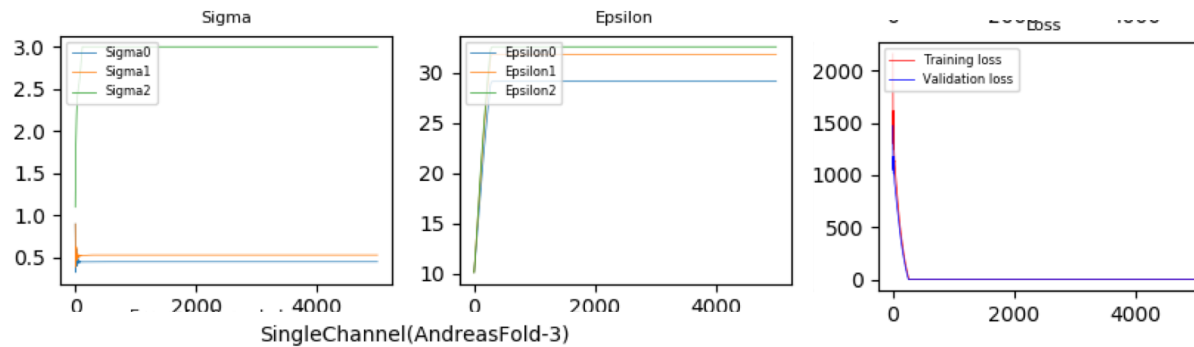
- **Hybrid loss:**

$$\operatorname{argmin}_{\sigma_0, \sigma_1, \sigma_2, \tau_0, \tau_1, \tau_2} \sum_{s=0}^{S-1} e_{s,*} + \sum_{q=0}^{Q-1} \max(e_{s,*} - e_{s,q}, 0)$$

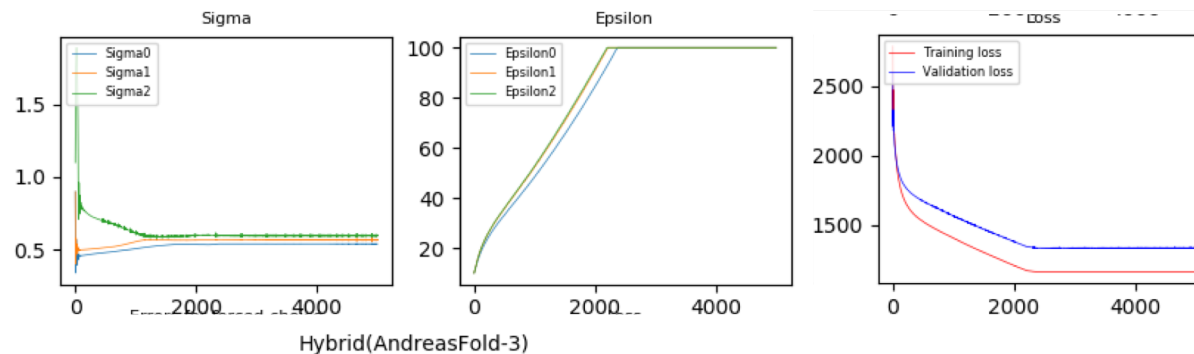
Any similarities with SVM?

Loss of Users – Results – User1

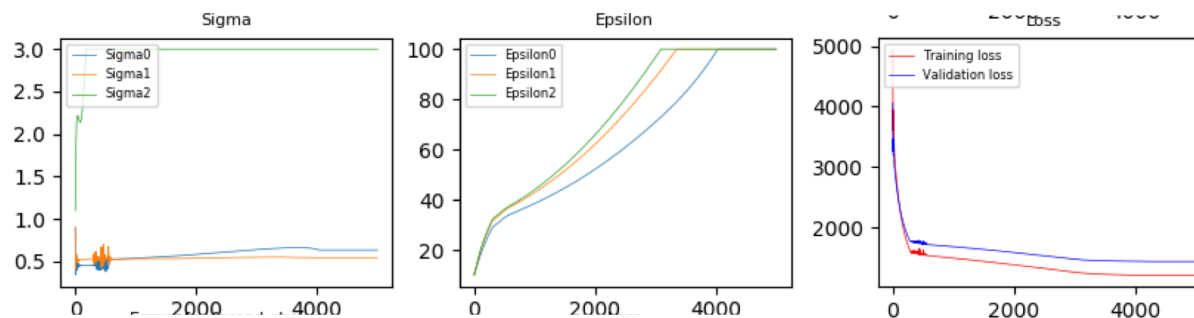
MultiChannel(AndreasFold-3)



SingleChannel(AndreasFold-3)

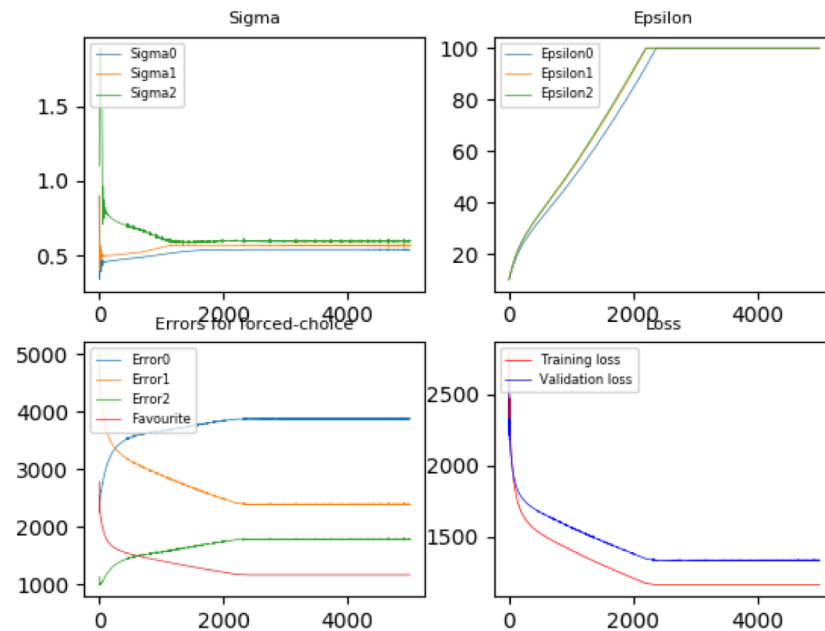


Hybrid(AndreasFold-3)

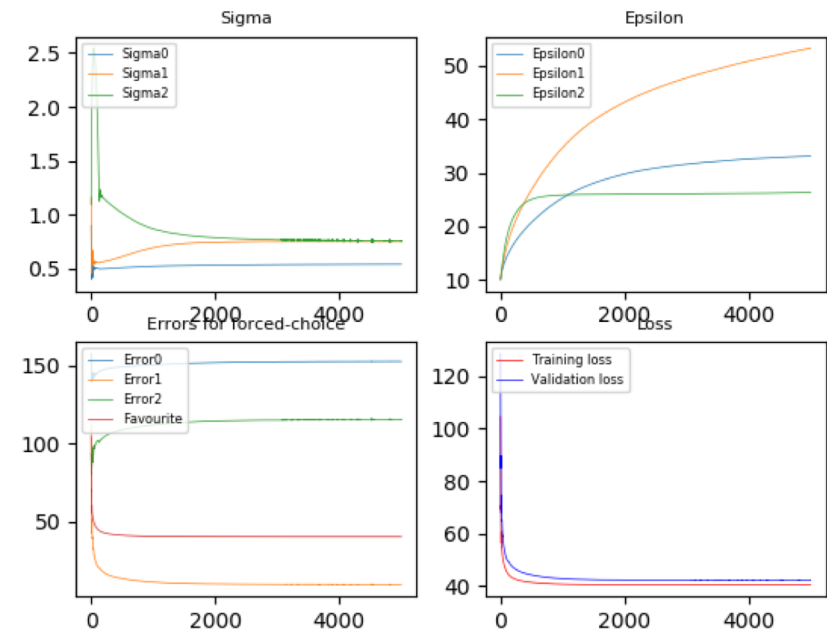


Loss of Users – Results – User1 vs User2

User1



User2





Summary

- **Hinge Loss**
- **Support Vector Machines**
- **Loss of Users**
- **More Results in [2]**



Thank you for your attention!

[1] Vincent Christlein. Hand-written Document Analysis with Focus on Writer Identification and Writer Retrieval. PhD Thesis. Friedrich-Alexander-University Erlangen-Nuremberg, 2018.

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