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- $\mathcal{S}(\theta)$ : score function is  $\nabla_{\theta}^{\mathsf{T}} \ln f_{\boldsymbol{x}}(x;\theta)$ . Logarithm is missing. 1. Notation, p. xlvii,
- 2. Chapter 1, p. 50, Prob. 1.58: all norms should be squared and replaced by  $\|\cdot\|_2^2$ .

- 3. Chapter 2, p. 66, Table 2.1, property 7: replace  $A^{\mathsf{T}}$  by A on RHS. 4. Chapter 2, p. 67, Prob. 2.11, item (c): replace  $A^{\mathsf{T}}$  by A on the RHS. 5. Chapter 3, p. 117, Prob. 3.54: write  $(b-a)^2$  in last bound; square is missing. 6. Chapter 6, p. 226, paragraph before (6.149), change to  $x = r \cos \theta$ .
- 7. Chapter 8, p. 270, Eq. (8.37): a multiplying factor  $\gamma^2$  is missing from the second term on the right-hand side with  $hh^{\mathsf{T}}$ ."
- Chapter 10, p. 332, line before (10.13), change to "upper bound on any function 8. g(z) with a convex dom(g).
- 9. Chapter 11, p. 342, Eq. (11.8): replace  $\mathbb{I}_{C,\infty}(w)$  by  $\mathbb{I}_{C,\infty}[w]$  with brackets.
- 10. Chapter 11, p. 343, rephrase sentence right before (11.15) to "function h(w) is nondifferentiable at several locations, namely, whenever at least one entry of w is 0. The function  $h_p(w)$  becomes"
- Chapter 12, p. 380, rephrase sentence right before (12.11) and in the paragraph 11. after it to "not differentiable when at least one entry of w is 0 for"
- 12. Chapter 14, pp. 498–499, Probs. 14.4 and 14.5: write  $P(w_n^{\text{best}})$  instead of  $P^{\text{best}}(n)$ .
- 13. Chapter 18, p. 645, Eq. (18.10b): write  $h_{\ell}$  instead of  $h(\ell)$ .
- 14. Chapter 19, p. 721, Eq. (19.167), first equality, rightmost term: brackets  $\{\cdot\}$ missing between the  $\lim_{n\to\infty}$  and the = sign, i.e., write  $\lim_{n\to\infty} \{s(n) - \sum_{j=n}^{\infty} b(j)\}$ .
- 15. Chapter 23, p. 832, Listing (23.45): replace Q by  $Q_u$  with subscript u.
- 16. Chapter 28, p. 1104, Eq. (28.65): change to  $(0.5 \times 0.4238)/0.2845 \approx 0.7448$ . In the following sentence, change "less" to "larger" and "virginica" to "setosa".
- 17. Chapter 33, p. 1348, in Prob. 33.1, replace ∂g<sup>-1</sup>(y<sub>m</sub>) by ∂g<sup>-1</sup><sub>m</sub>(y), where g<sup>-1</sup><sub>m</sub>(y) is the *m*th entry of g<sup>-1</sup>(y).
  18. Chapter 34, p. 1372, rephrase sentence after (34.98) as "which can be normalized
- into an exponential pdf using". Also, rephrase after (34.100) as "where we also added the normalization factor. Using expression (34.98) prior to normalization:"
- 19. Chapter 34, pp. 1375–1377, Section 34.4 on ADF. Replace all superscripts  $(\ell 1)$ and  $(\ell)$  by (n-1) and (n) since the iteration is over n and not  $\ell$  in this section.
- 20. Chapter 34, p. 1377. In (34.123)–(34.124) after end command, replace  $(\ell)$  by (N). Initialization is  $q_{z|y}^{(0)}(z|y) = \pi(z), \ \mu^{(0)} = \bar{z}, \ R^{(0)} = R_z, \ \lambda^{(0)} = \mathbb{E}_{\pi}T(z).$
- 21. Chapter 35, p. 1387: rephrase sentence after (35.22) as "As was explained earlier before listing (33.88), if desired ..."
- 22. Chapter 35, p. 1388, paragraph after (35.26), fifth line. Add a sentence before the words "For now" as follows: "Due to the Markovian property, it is generally sufficient to choose the rightmost factor in the form  $\pi_{\boldsymbol{x}_n|\boldsymbol{x}_{n-1},\boldsymbol{y}_n}(x_n|x_{n-1},y_n)$  with conditioning only on  $\boldsymbol{x}_{n-1}$  and  $\boldsymbol{y}_n$ . For now, ...'
- 23. Chapter 35, p. 1389, Eq. (35.29), write  $\pi(x_n^j | x_{0:n-1}^j, y_{0:n-1})$  in denominator of  $w_n^j$ . Also, in last line of Eq. (35.42) on page 1352.
- 24. Chapter 35, p. 1390, Eq. (35.30), add step 5. "Normalize the weights to add up to 1 and repeat the process.'
- 25. Chapter 35, p. 1393: in listing (35.41), move the line "set  $\{x_{0:n}^j\} \leftarrow \{x_{0:n}^{j\star}\}, j =$  $1, 2, \ldots, J$ " before the **end** command above it. Also, set initial conditions to  $x_0^i \sim$  $\pi(x|0, y_0)$  and  $w_0^j = f(x_0^j)f(y_0|x_0^j)/\pi(x_0^j|0, y_0).$
- 26. Chapter 36, p. 1445: second line after (36.185), replace  $h(y_n, z_n)$  by  $T(y_n, z_n)$ .
- 27. Chapter 37, p. 1485: Eqs. (37.20) and (37.21), replace N by  $N_d$ .
- 28. Chapter 39, p. 1571: Eq. (39.28), replace  $Y_{1:N}$  by  $Y_{1:n}$  in the expression for  $\alpha(k, n)$ .
- 29. Chapter 40, p. 1631: Eq. (40.108), replace = by  $\leftarrow$  in the 3rd equation within the for loop over m.

- 30. Chapter 40, p. 1632: Eq. (40.111), 3rd line below repeat, replace  $h'_n$  by  $\mathbb{1}_M \otimes (h'_n)^{\mathsf{T}}$ .
- 31. Chapter 41, p. 1674: Eq. (41.90), remove the fifth line about pathway 8.
- 32. Chapter 42, p. 1707: Eq. (42.84), write instead: " $\{x_k, x_\ell\}$  are independent of each other conditioned on the other entries in x." The trailing part is missing.

- 33. Chapter 49, p. 2109: Prob. 49.5, part (c). Replace  $d^{\pi}(s')$  by  $d^{\pi}(s)$ . 34. Chapter 50, p. 2204, Prob. 50.9:  $w_{\text{reg}}^{\star} = (I_M + \rho Q^{-1})^{-1} w^{\star}$ , with Q inverted. 35. Chapter 52, p. 2283, Prob. 52.5:  $||h h_a|| \le ||h h_a||$ , with no square. 36. Chapter 58, p. 2450, Eq. (58.104): replace argmax by max in the definition of the coherence measure  $\mu(A)$ .
- 37. Chapter 59, p. 2489, Prob. 59.4:  $\sigma(z) = \ln[1/(1+e^{-z})]$ . The log is missing.
- 38. Chapter 61, p. 2544, 2nd paragraph, 4th line:  $\lambda^*(n_2)$ . The star is missing. 39. Chapter 63, p. 2642: Prob. 63.12, part (e), replace s(||h - h'||) by s(h - h') in 2 locations, and the text "is a function of the distance between the feature arguments" by "is translation invariant."
- 40. Chapter 64, p. 2667, Eq. (64.28): replace  $h_n^{\mathsf{T}} w \neq \gamma(n)$  by  $c(w) \neq \gamma(n)$ .
- 41. Chapter 64, p. 2670, Fig. 64.11: replace  $\max(0, y)$  by  $\max(0, -y)$ .
- 42. Chapter 64, p. 2684, Prob. 64.30: replace the statement about h(m) in the first paragraph by "Let h be a scalar random feature that can assume one of M possible discrete values denoted by  $\{h(m)\}$ ." In part (a), the probability expression on the right-hand side should become  $\mathbb{P}(\mathbf{h} = h(\mathbf{m}) | \mathbf{\gamma} = \gamma)$ .
- 43. Chapter 65, p. 2756, Eq. (65.133):  $D_{\text{KL}}(p||s)$ , with || instead of comma.
- 44. Chapter 68, p. 2946, Eq. (68.136): replace z(q) in numerator by  $e^{z(q)}$ .
- 45. Chapter 68, p. 2948, line before Eq. (68.142): the reference should be to Eq. (65.61).
- 46. Chapter 72, p. 3124, Eq. (72.80), replace the superscript <sup>(t)</sup> by <sup>(e)</sup> in the rightmost term inside the summation.