

\mathbb{R}^A
 ε Let $f \in L^2(\mathbb{R}^d)$ be a pdf

X_1, \dots, X_n be samples of f

Let $k_\sigma(x, x')$ be smoothing kernel

$$\bar{f}_\sigma^n = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n k_\sigma(\cdot, X_i) \Leftarrow \text{kernel density est}$$

In practice ε is not known. so $\beta = \frac{1}{1-\varepsilon}$

$$Q_\beta(f) \triangleq \max(\beta f(\cdot) - \alpha, 0)$$

$$\alpha = \alpha(\beta)$$

Let D^n be convex hull of $\{k_\sigma(\cdot, X_1), \dots, k_\sigma(\cdot, X_n)\}$

Δ^n probability simplex

$$f_{\sigma, \beta}^n := \arg \min_{f \in D^n} \|\beta f - \bar{f}_\sigma^n\|_{L^2} \quad (\text{hull})$$

\Downarrow represent

$$\textcircled{1} f_{\sigma, \beta}^n = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i k_\sigma(\cdot, X_i)$$

$$\textcircled{2} \text{ vector } a = [a_1, \dots, a_n]^T$$

$$\textcircled{3} \text{ Gram matrix } G_{ij} = \langle k_\sigma(\cdot, X_i), k_\sigma(\cdot, X_j) \rangle_L$$

$$\textcircled{4} \text{ define } b = G \mathbb{1} \frac{\beta}{n}$$

$$\textcircled{5} \text{ solve } \min_{a \in \Delta^n} a^T G a - 2b^T a$$