

# KDAC Equation (8)

## 1 Introduction

This is the deduction of equation 8 for the KDAC paper at <http://people.eecs.berkeley.edu/~jordan/papers/niu-dy-jordan-pami.pdf>

$$\Phi(\alpha) = f(w_{k+1}),$$

where

$$w_{k+1} = \sqrt{1 - \alpha^2} w_k + \alpha \nabla f_\perp$$

and

$$\begin{aligned} f(w_k) &= \sum_{ij} \gamma_{ij} k(w_k x_i, w_k x_j) \\ &= \sum_{ij} \gamma_{ij} \exp\left(-\frac{w_1^T A_{ij} w_1}{2\sigma^2}\right) \exp\left(-\frac{w_2^T A_{ij} w_2}{2\sigma^2}\right) \dots \exp\left(-\frac{w_k^T A_{ij} w_k}{2\sigma^2}\right) \end{aligned}$$

Derivative of  $\Phi(\alpha)$  is:

$$\begin{aligned} \Phi'(\alpha) &= \frac{\partial \Phi(\alpha)}{\partial \alpha} = \nabla f(w_{k+1})^T \frac{\partial w_{k+1}}{\partial \alpha} \\ &= \nabla f(w_{k+1})^T \left[ \frac{1}{2} (1 - \alpha^2)^{-\frac{1}{2}} (-2\alpha) w_k + \nabla f_\perp \right] \\ &= \nabla f(w_{k+1})^T \left[ \frac{-\alpha}{\sqrt{1 - \alpha^2}} w_k + \nabla f_\perp \right], \end{aligned}$$

when  $\alpha = 0$

$$\Phi'(0) = \nabla f(w_k)^T \nabla f_\perp,$$

where

$$\nabla f(w_k) = \sum_{ij} -\gamma_{ij} \frac{1}{\sigma^2} g(w_1) g(w_2) \dots g(w_{k-1}) \exp\left(-\frac{w_k^T A_{ij} w_k}{2\sigma^2}\right) A_{ij} w_k,$$

where

$$g(w_k) = \exp\left(-\frac{w_k^T A_{ij} w_k}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$