

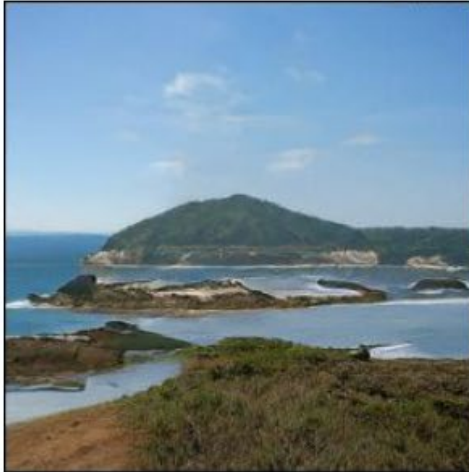
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Answer: A.

Let  $y = h(x) \cdot w = (x^2 + 1) \cdot w$  where  $h(x) = (x^2 + 1)$ . According to the chain rule,

$$\frac{\partial y}{\partial x} = \frac{\partial y}{\partial h} \cdot \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = w \cdot 2x.$$

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Answer: A. All units in a linear perceptron are linear. Thus, the model can not present non-linear functions.

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Answer: D. This is the same as linear regression (a convex optimization problem)



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