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## CS781 Quiz 0 (Autumn 2024)

Max marks: 10

Duration: 20 mins

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- *The exam is open book and notes. However, you are not allowed to search on the internet or consult others over the internet for your answers.*
- *Be brief, complete and stick to what has been asked.*
- *Unless asked for explicitly, you may cite results/proofs covered in class without reproducing them.*
- *If you need to make any assumptions, state them clearly.*
- *Do not copy solutions from others. Penalty for offenders: FR grade.*

1. In this question, we will focus on two neurons  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  in a deep neural network  $N$  with ReLU activation functions. The pre-activation values of  $n_1$  and  $n_2$  are given by  $x_1$  and  $x_2$  respectively, and their post-activation values are given by  $y_1$  and  $y_2$  respectively.

Assume  $I$  represents a 3-dimensional vector of inputs of  $N$ , and suppose we know that  $A_{l,i}.I + b_{l,i} \leq x_i \leq A_{u,i}.I + b_{u,i}$ , for  $i \in \{1, 2\}$ , where  $A_{l,1} = [0.5, -0.5, 0.5]$ ,  $A_{l,2} = [-0.5, 0.5, -0.5]$ ,  $A_{u,1} = [0.7, 1, 0.3]$ ,  $A_{u,2} = [-0.3, 0.9, 0.2]$ ,  $b_{l,1} = b_{l,2} = 0.1$ ,  $b_{u,1} = b_{u,2} = 0.2$ .

- (a) [7 marks] Find the best lower and upper bounds you can on  $(y_1 + y_2) - (x_1 + x_2)$ , when  $\|I\|_\infty \leq 1$ .
- (b) [3 marks] Indicate what values of  $I$  achieve the bounds reported in your solution to the above sub-question.