

Introduction to Machine Learning

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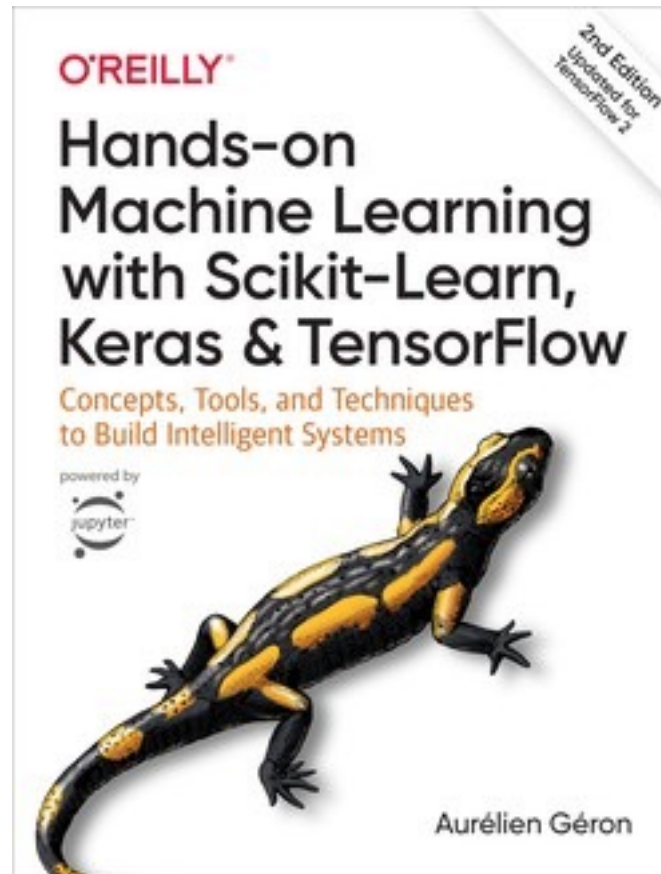
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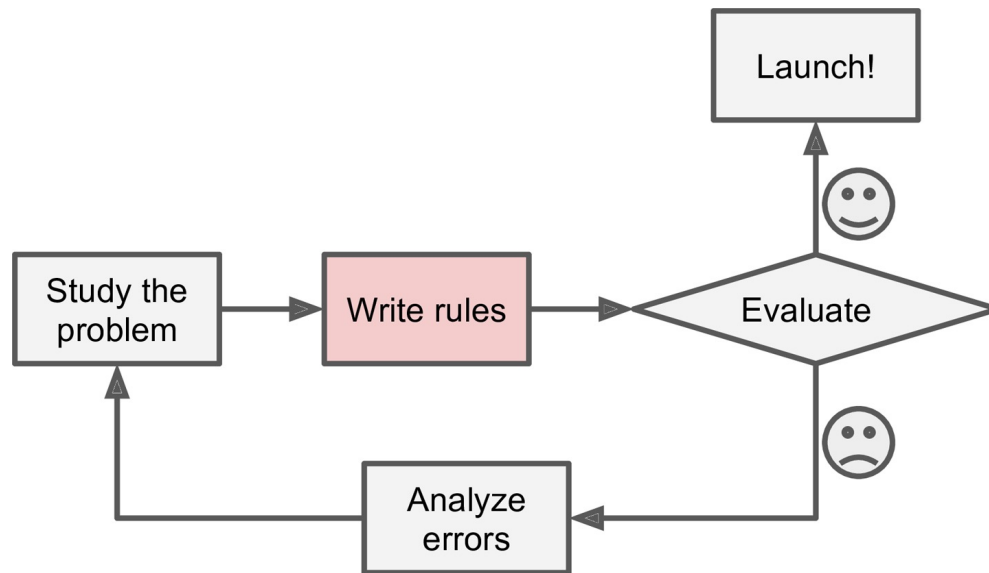
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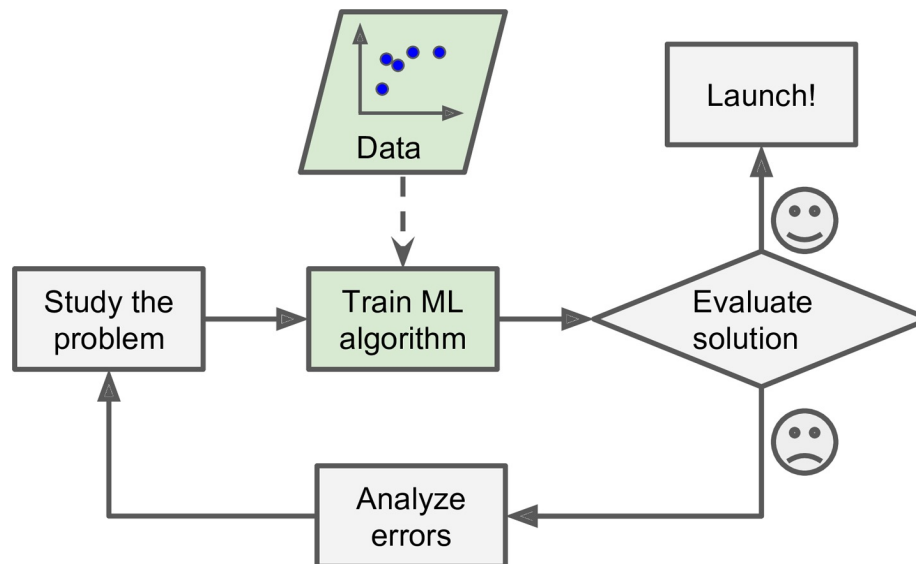
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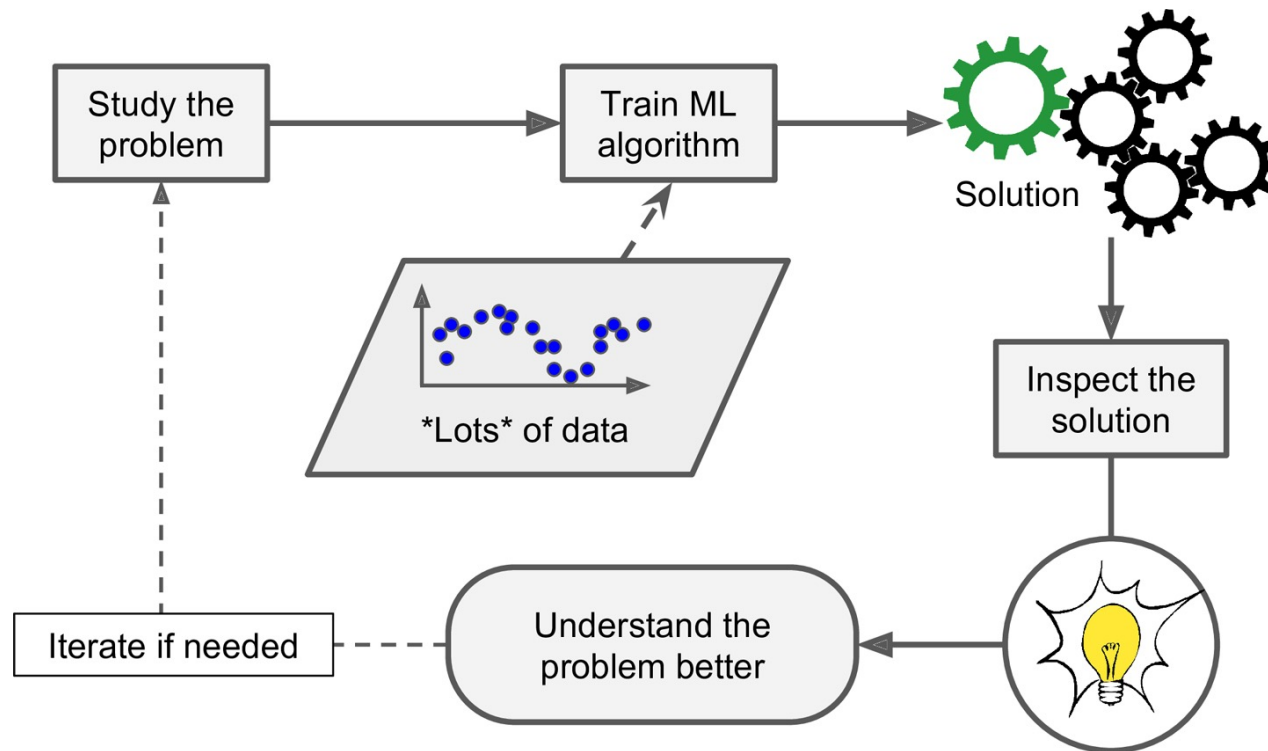
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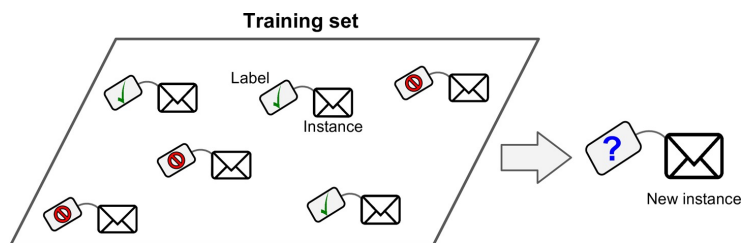
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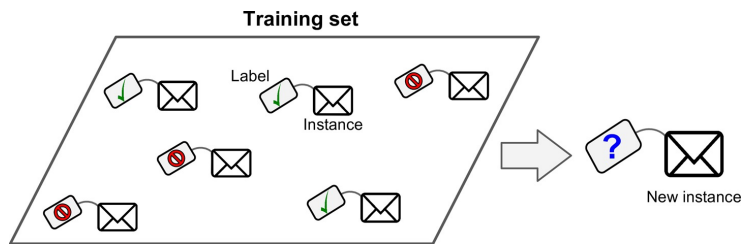
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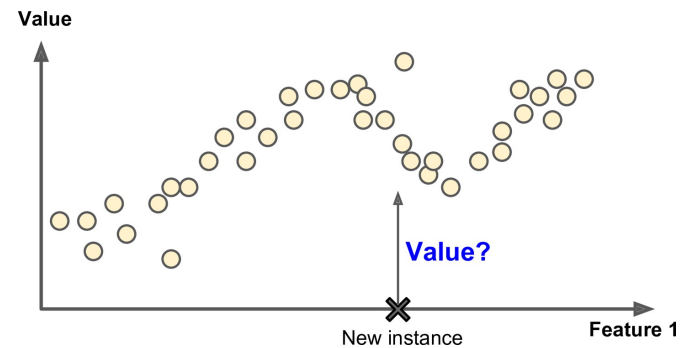
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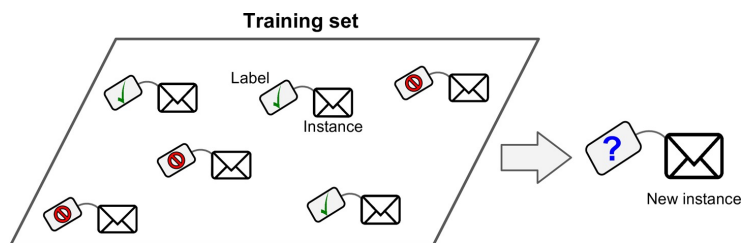
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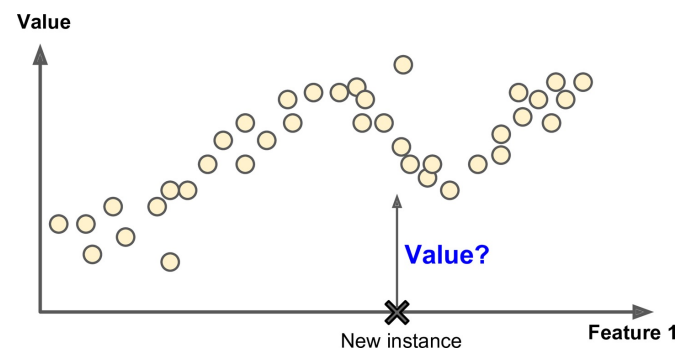
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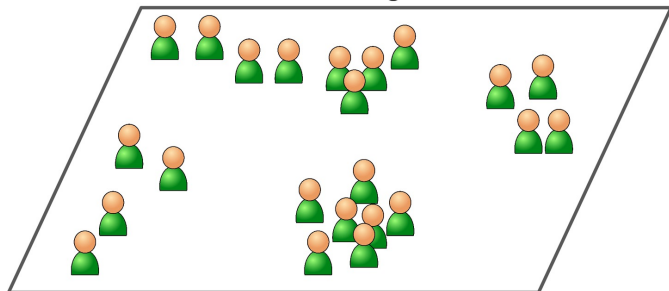


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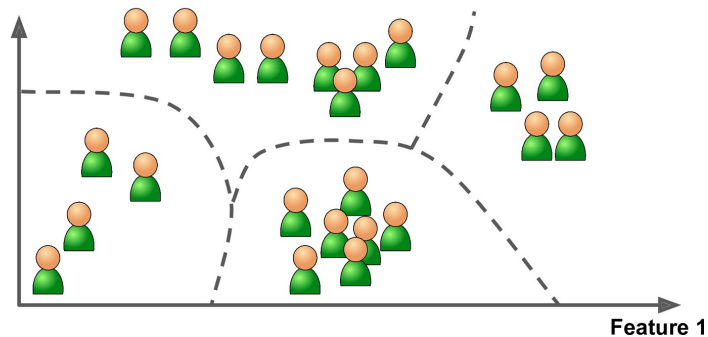


- Un-supervised

Training set

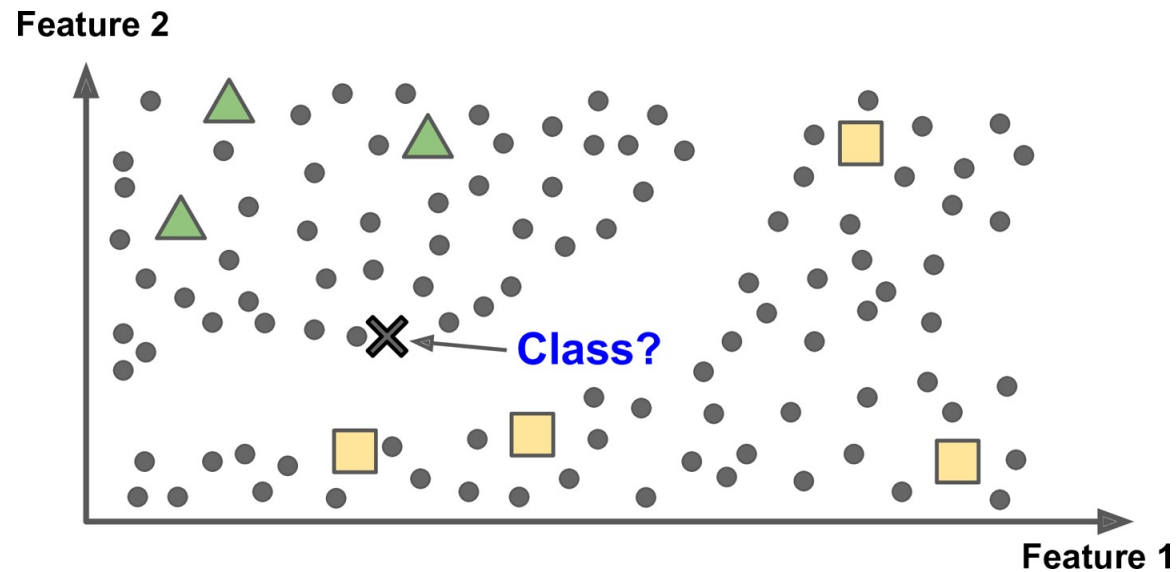


Feature 2



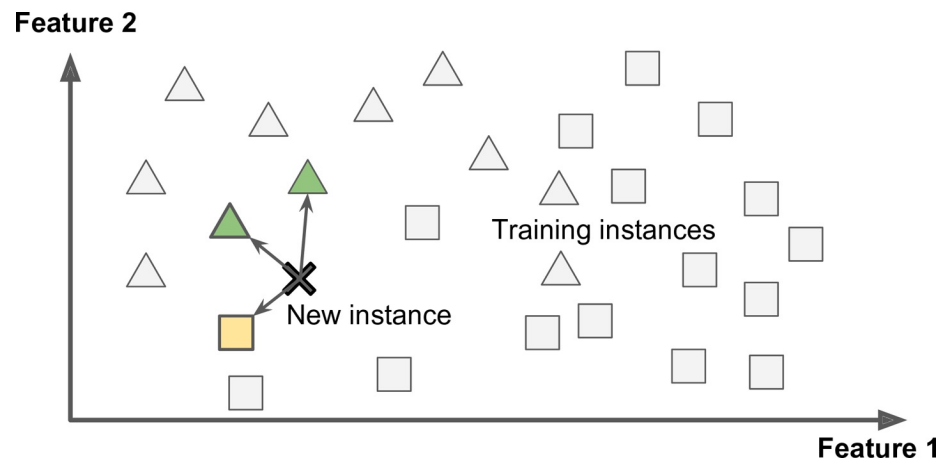
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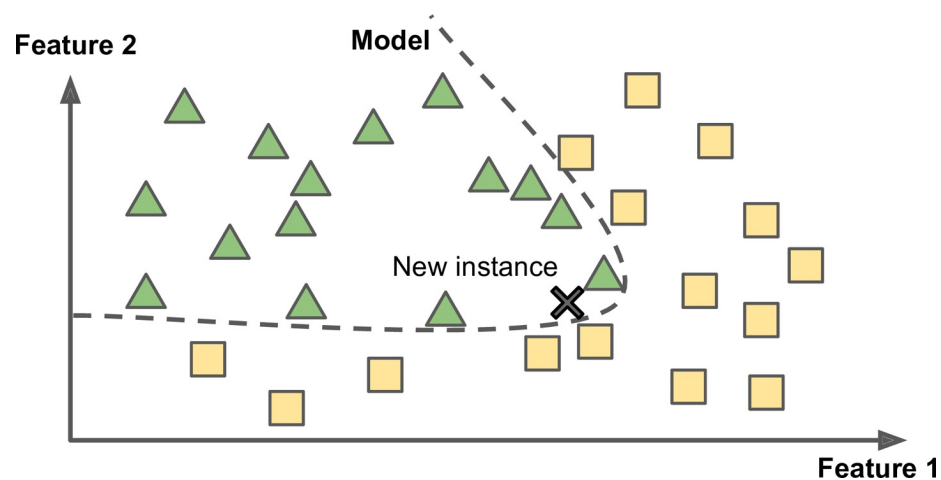
Instance- vs. Model-based ML

- Instance-based

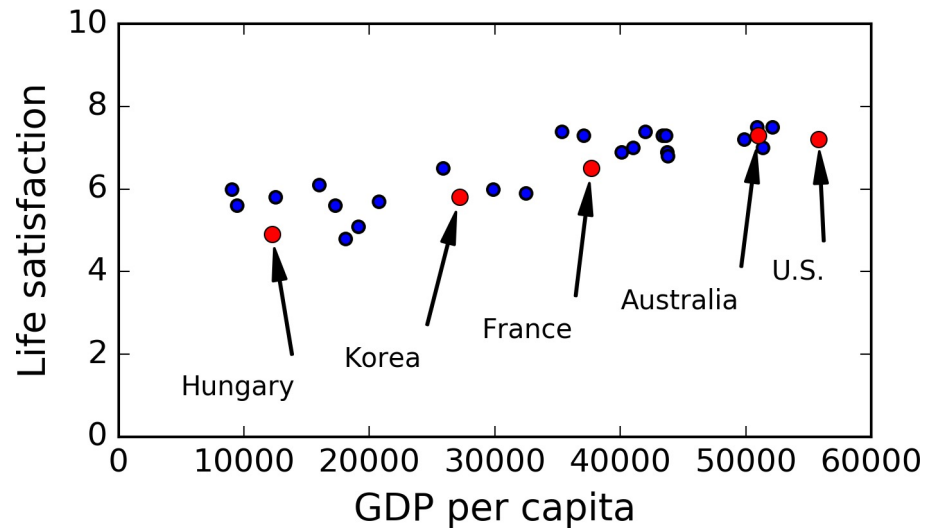


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Linear Models



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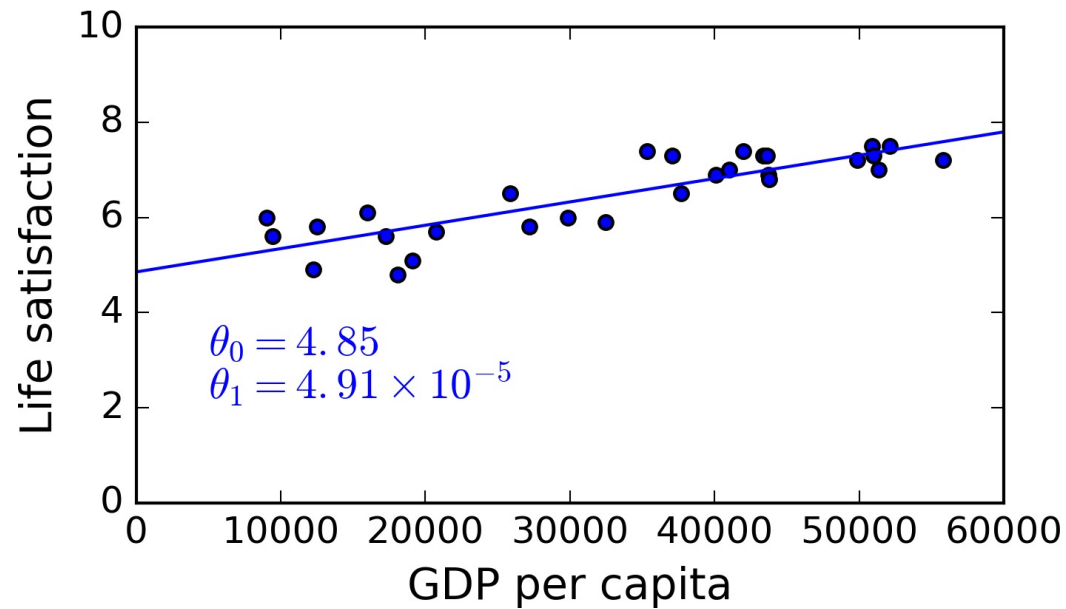
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θ : parameter

x : feature

$\hat{y}$: predicted value

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Linear Regression as ML problem

$$\hat{y} = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2 + \dots + \theta_n x_n$$

feature vector

$$\mathbf{x} = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

parameter vector

$$\boldsymbol{\theta} = (\theta_1, \theta_2, \dots, \theta_n)$$

$$\hat{y} = \boldsymbol{\theta} \cdot \mathbf{x}$$

Dataset:

Samples

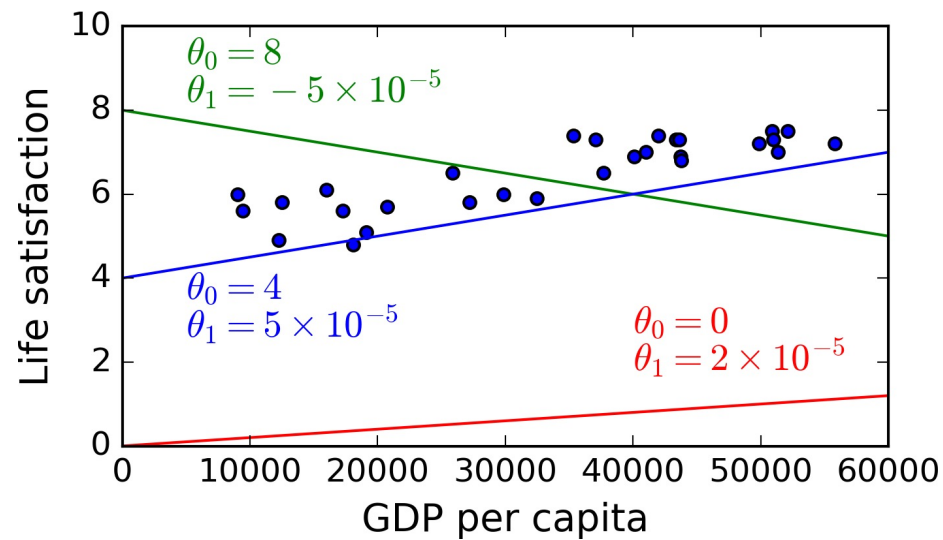
$$\mathbf{X} = \begin{bmatrix} x_{1,1} & \cdots & x_{1,n} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_{m,1} & \cdots & x_{m,n} \end{bmatrix}$$

Labels

$$\mathbf{y} = \begin{pmatrix} y_1 \\ \vdots \\ y_m \end{pmatrix}$$

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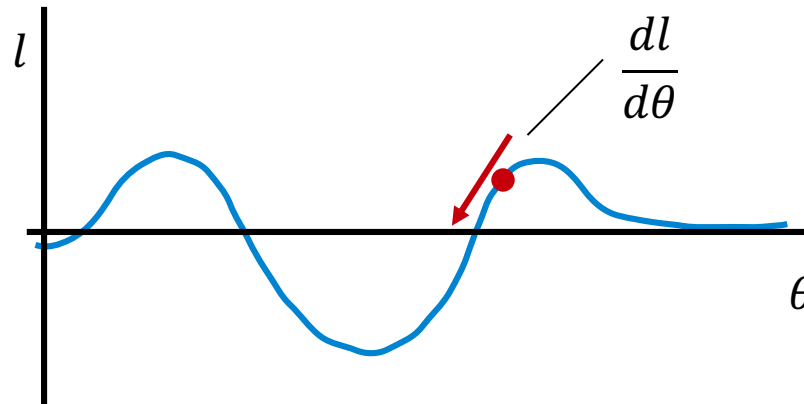
- Loss function



$$MSE(\mathbf{X}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (\boldsymbol{\theta}^T \mathbf{x}_i - y_i)^2$$

Gradient Descent

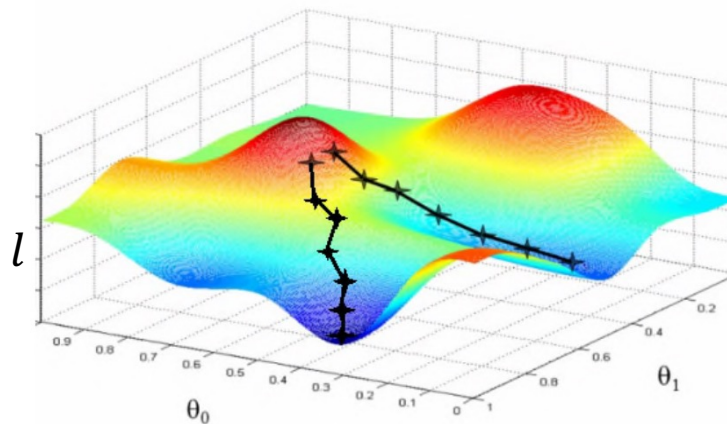
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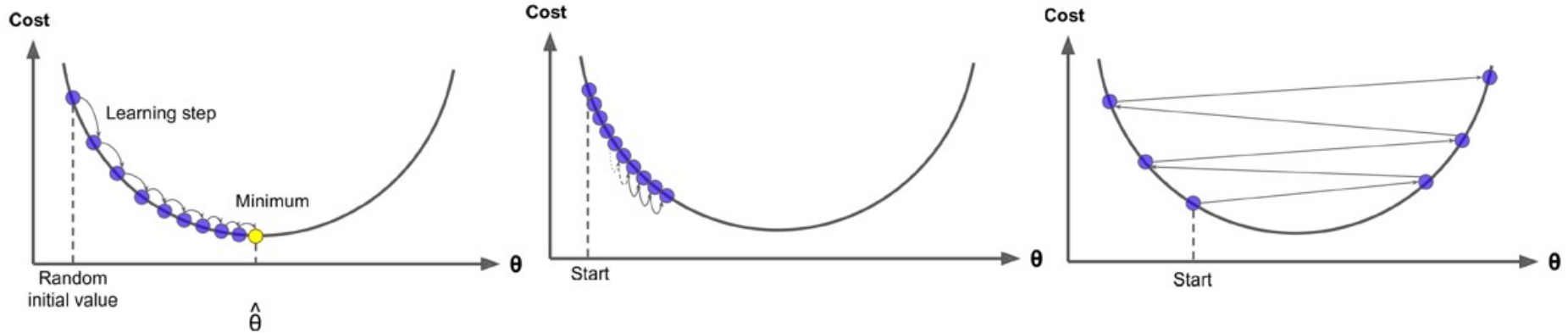
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- How far should each step be? - Select an appropriate learning rate

$$\theta^{(next\ step)} = \theta - \eta \nabla_{\theta} MSE(\theta)$$

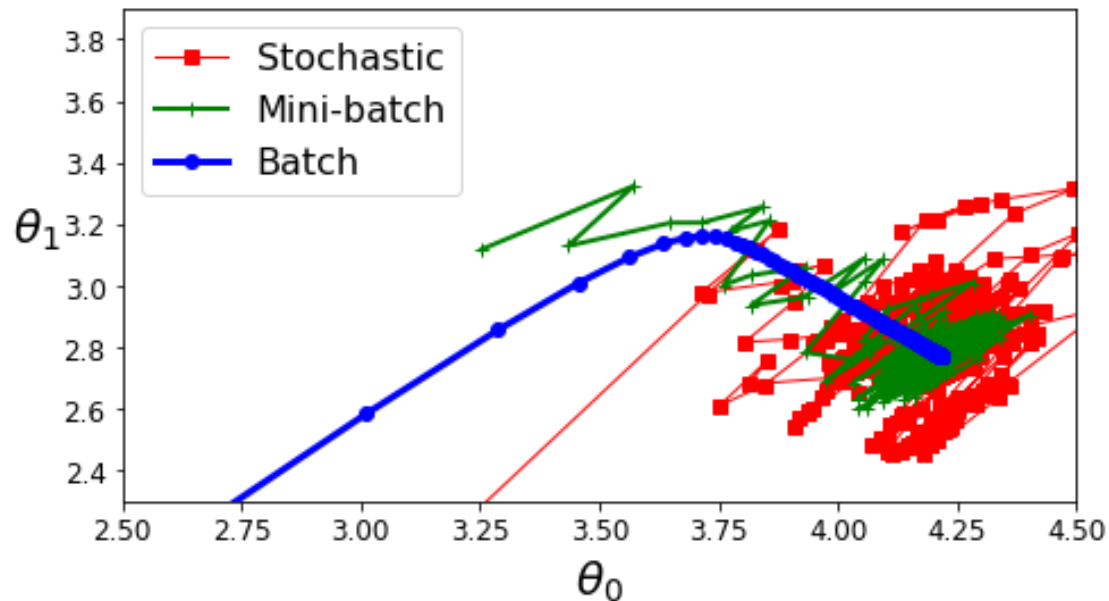
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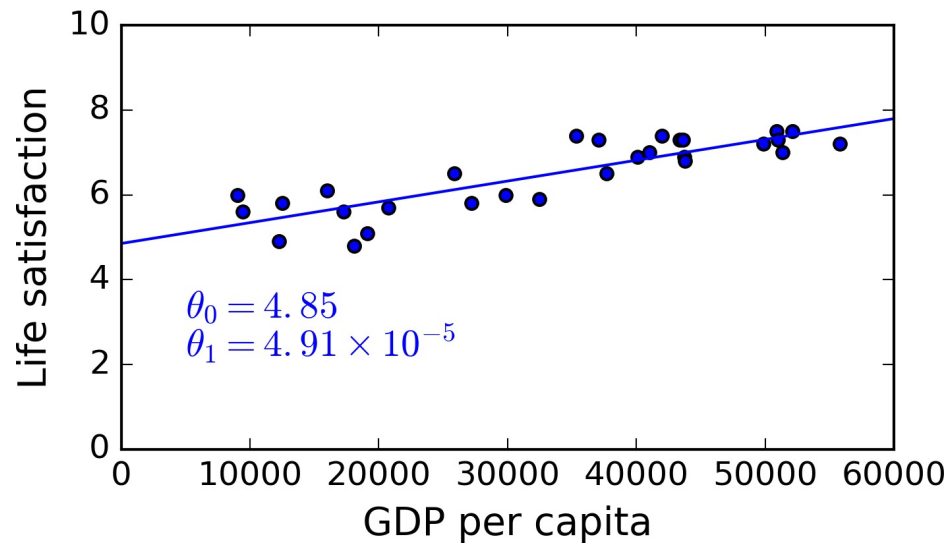


Gradient Descent

- Batch – whole training set at a time
- Stochastic – one training example at a time
- Mini-batch – a mini batch (set) of training examples at a time

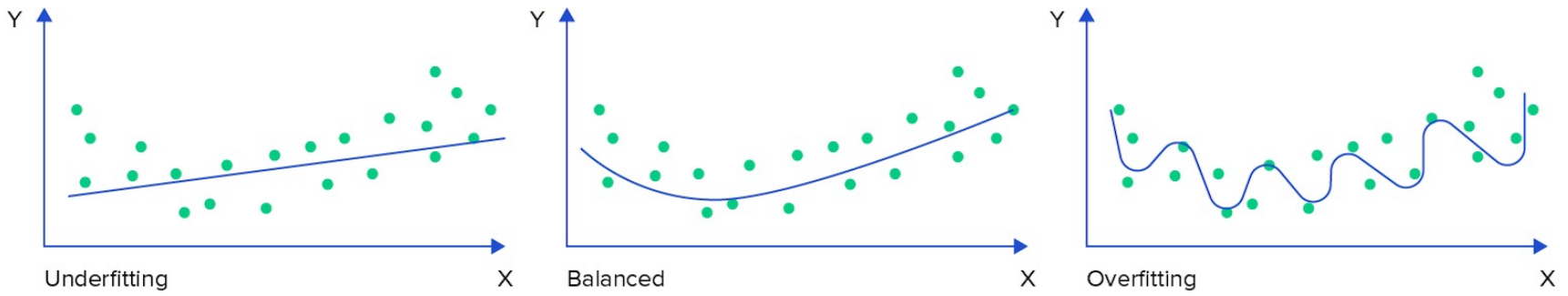


Overfitting / Underfitting



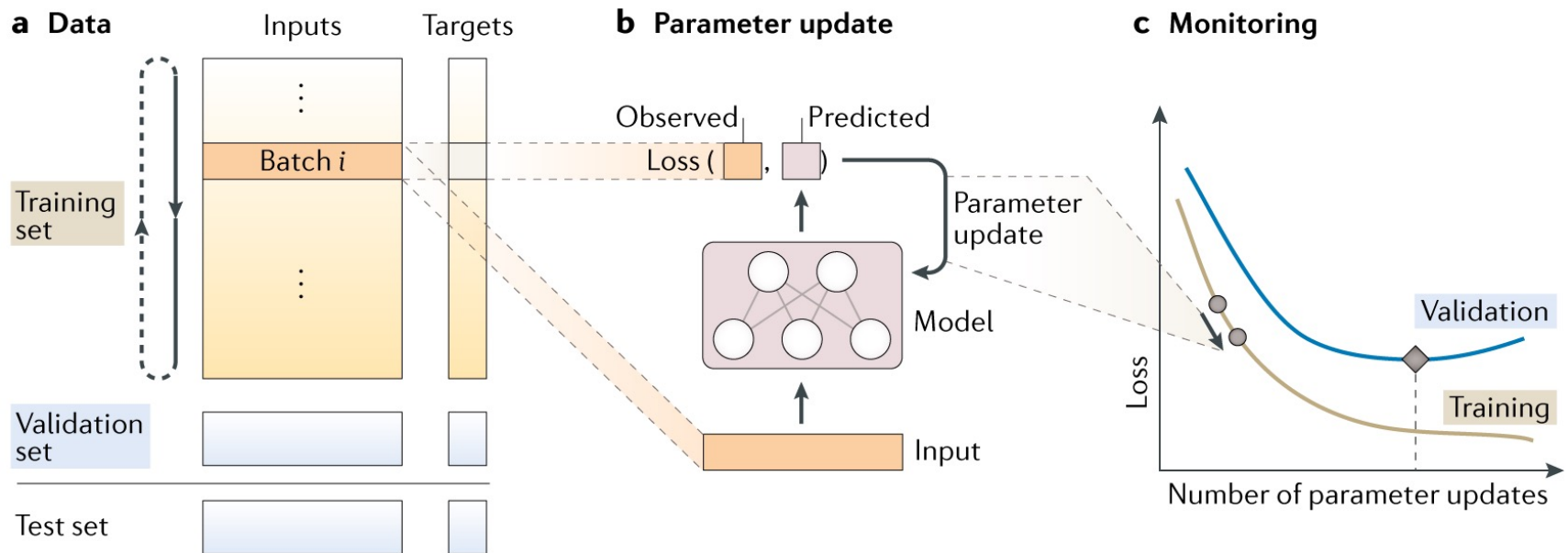
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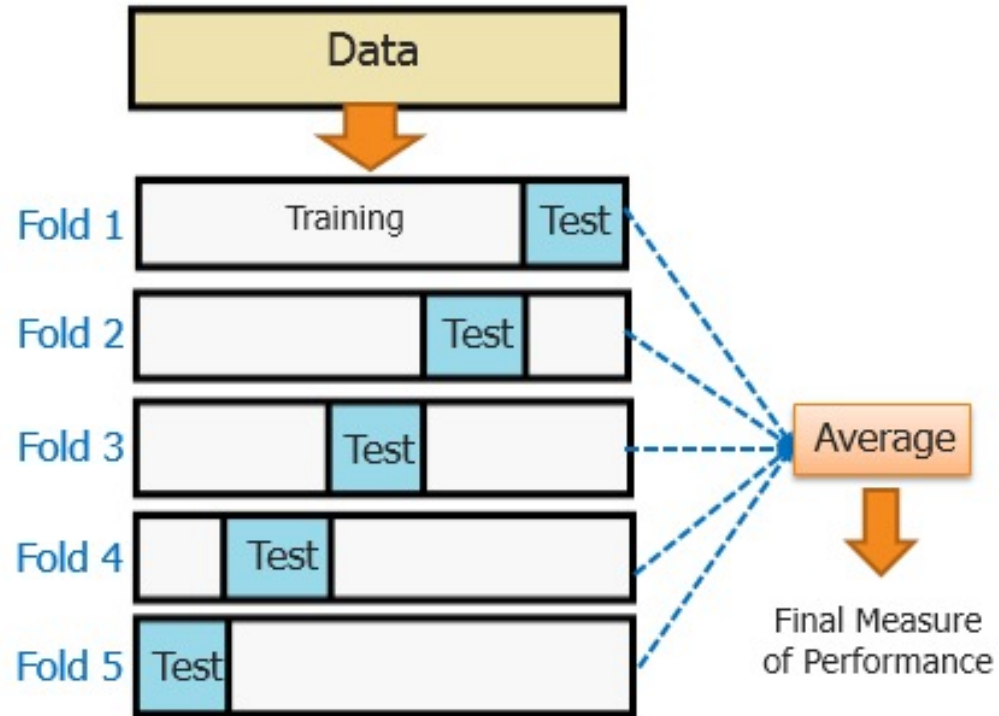
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Test & Validation Sets



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Cross-Validation



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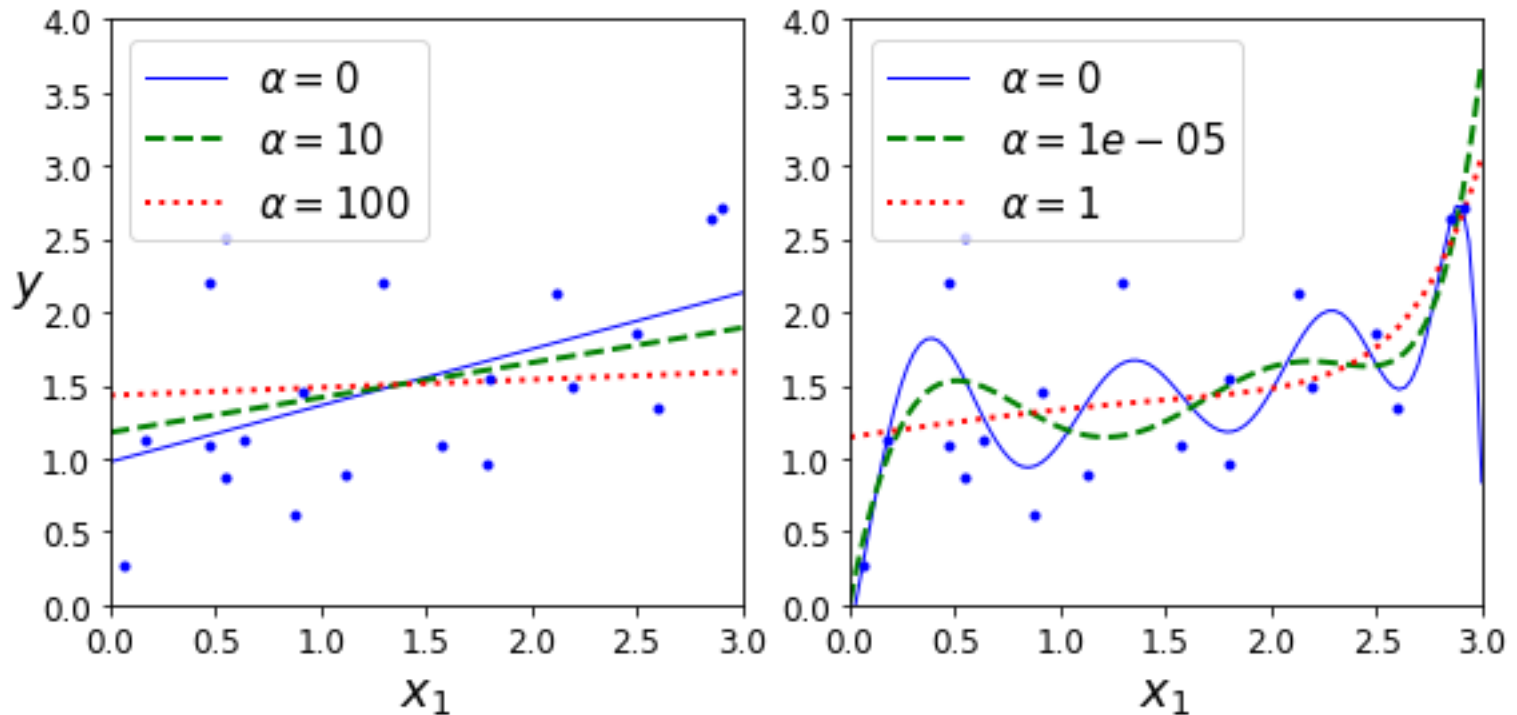
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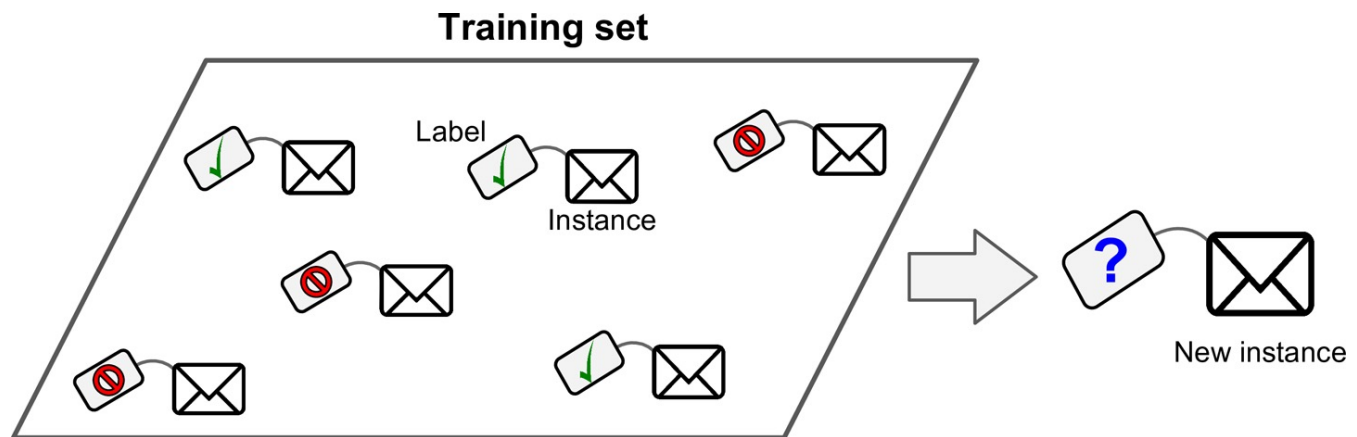
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- Lasso (l1): $J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = MSE(\boldsymbol{\theta}) + \alpha \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^n |\theta_i|$
- Dropout ...

Coffee Break!



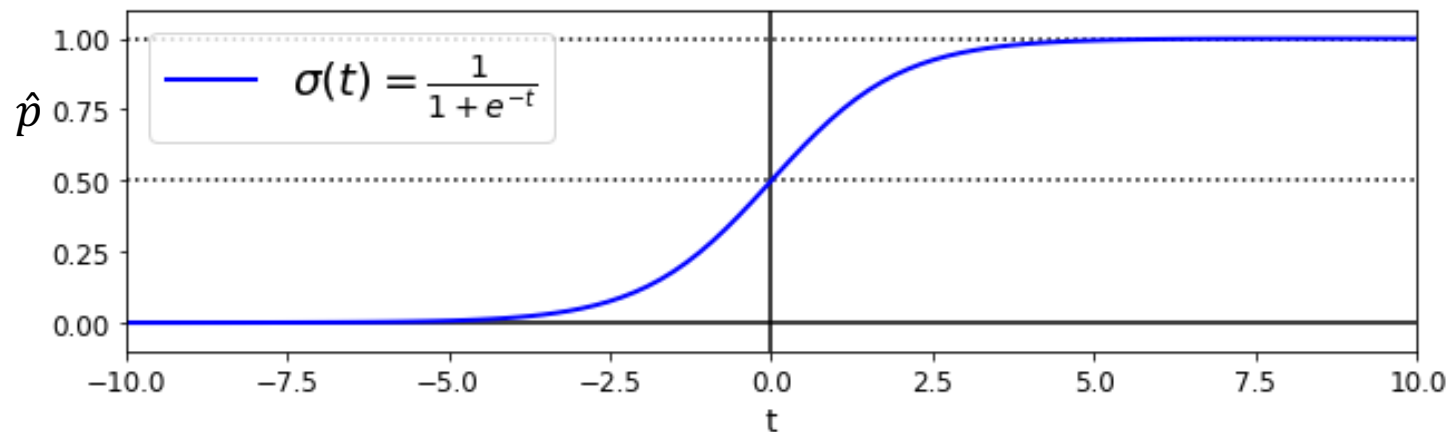
Classification



Logistic Regression

Predict class probabilities for 1 (2) class(es)

$$\hat{p} = \sigma(\theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2^2 + \dots + \theta_n x_n^n)$$



Model prediction

$$\hat{y} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \hat{p} < 0.5 \\ 1 & \text{if } \hat{p} \geq 0.5 \end{cases}$$

Logistic Regression

Loss function (one instance)

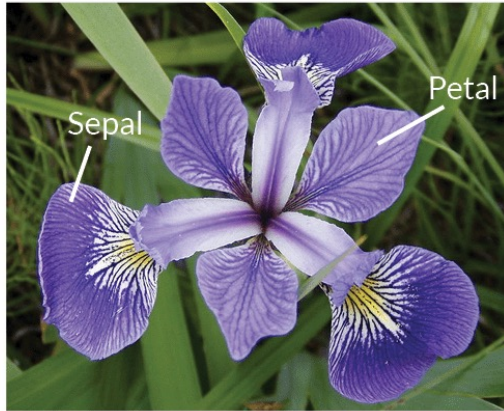
$$c(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \begin{cases} -\log(\hat{p}) & \text{if } y = 1 \\ -\log(1 - \hat{p}) & \text{if } y = 0 \end{cases}$$

Log loss

$$J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m [y^{(i)} \log(\hat{p}) + (1 - y^{(i)}) \log(1 - \hat{p})]$$

Softmax Regression

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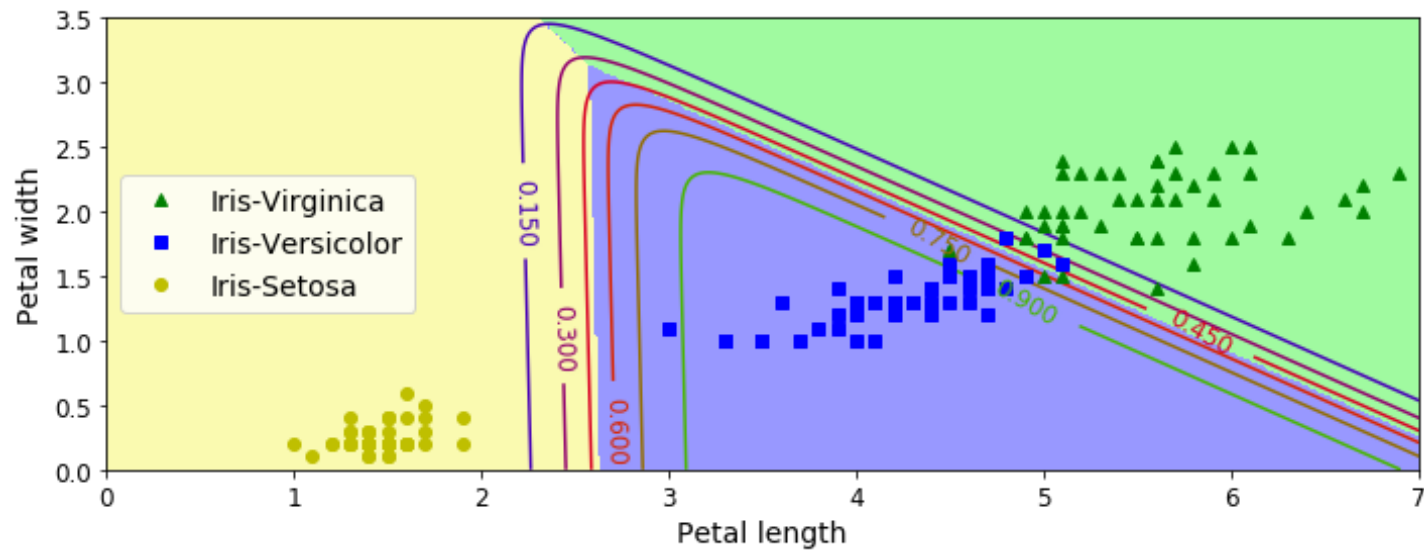
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Cross entropy $J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m \sum_{k=1}^K y_k^{(i)} \log(\hat{p}_k^{(i)})$

$\boldsymbol{\theta}$: parameter matrix $y_k^{(i)}$: probability that i^{th} instance belongs to class k

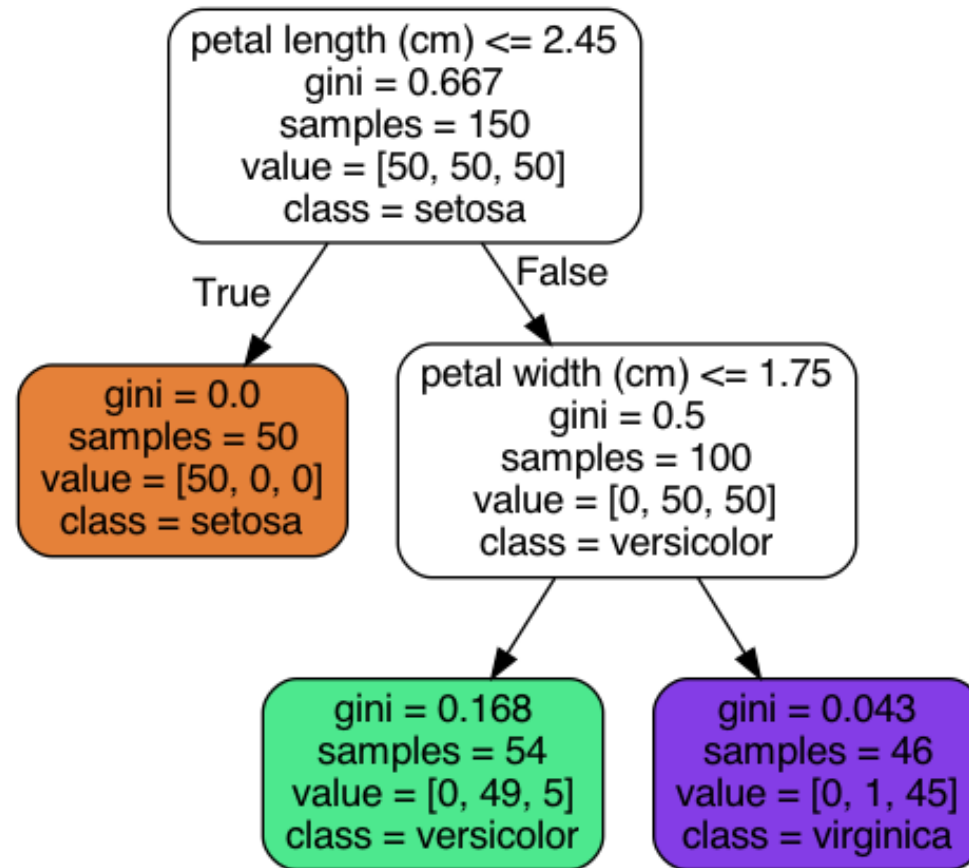
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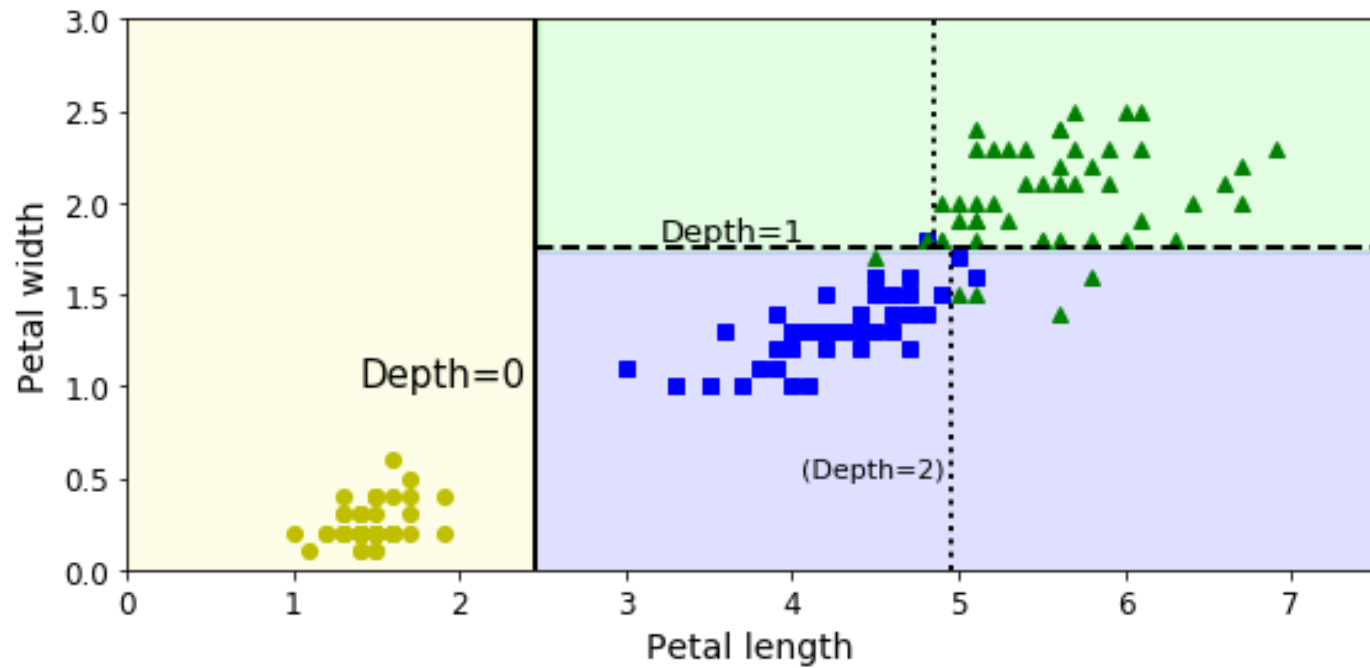


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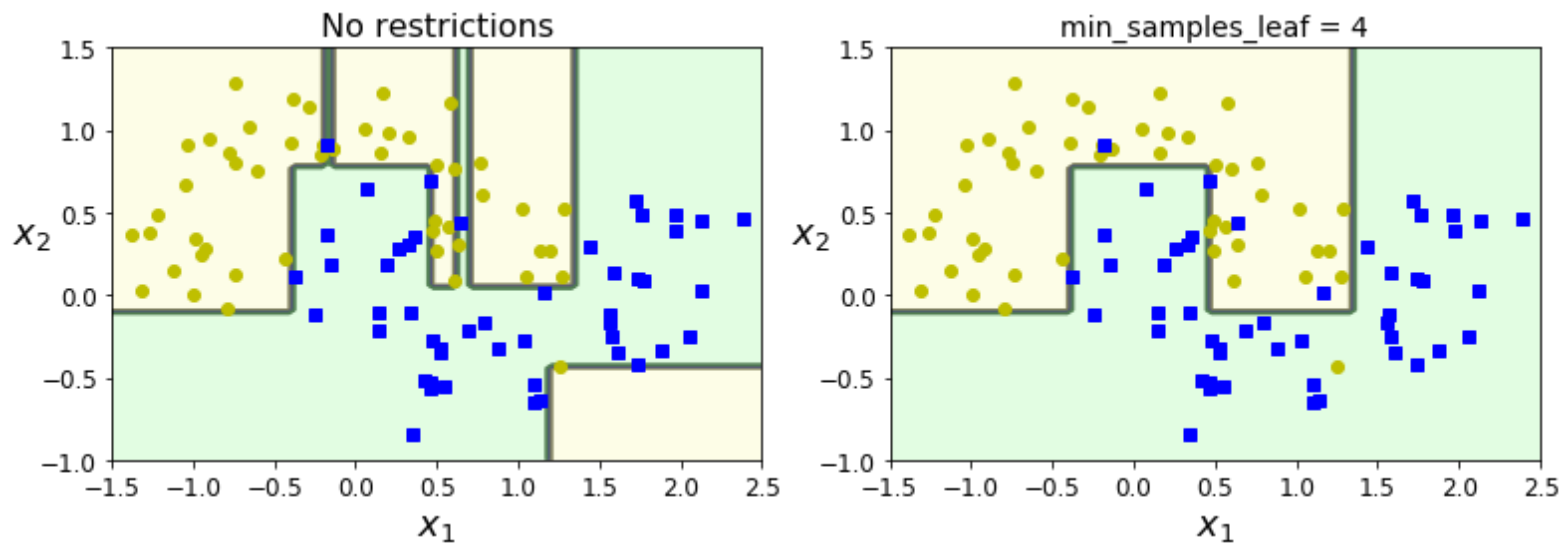
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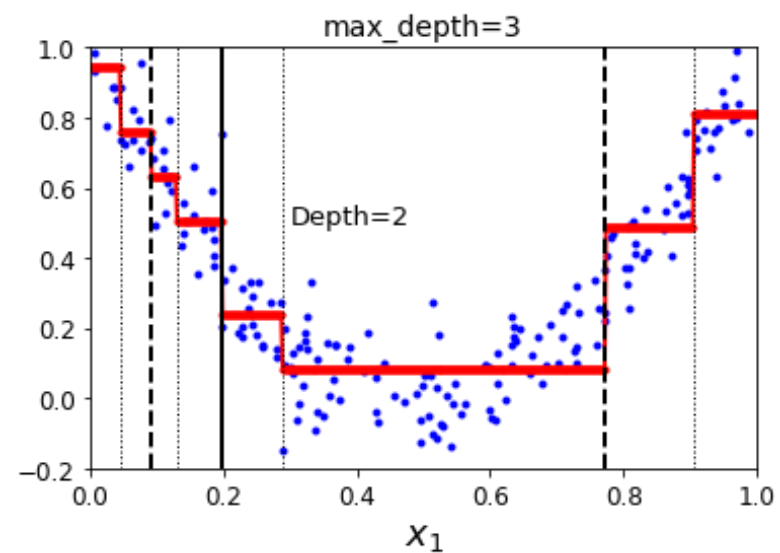
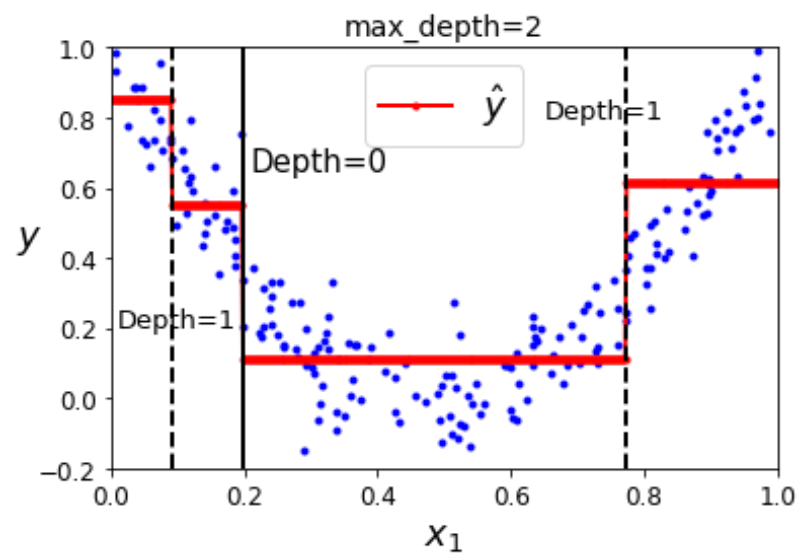
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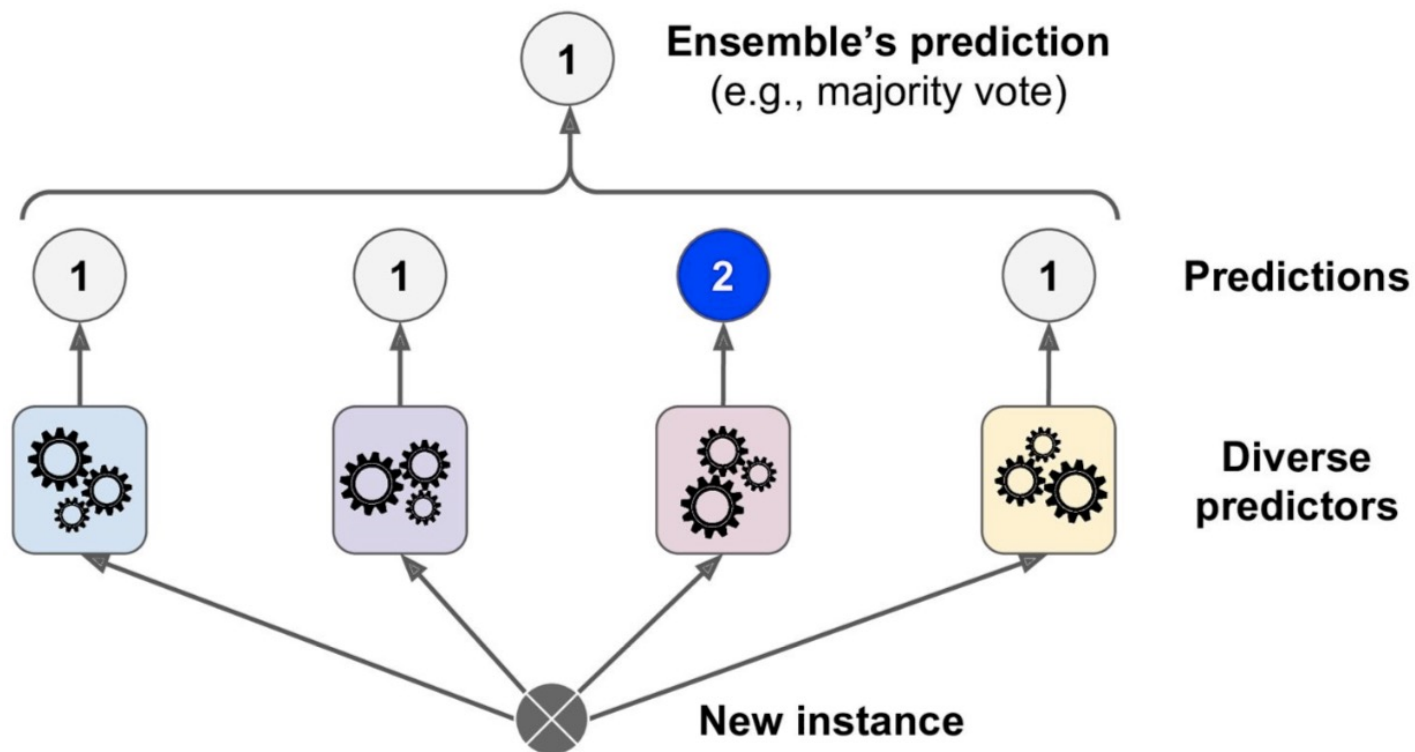
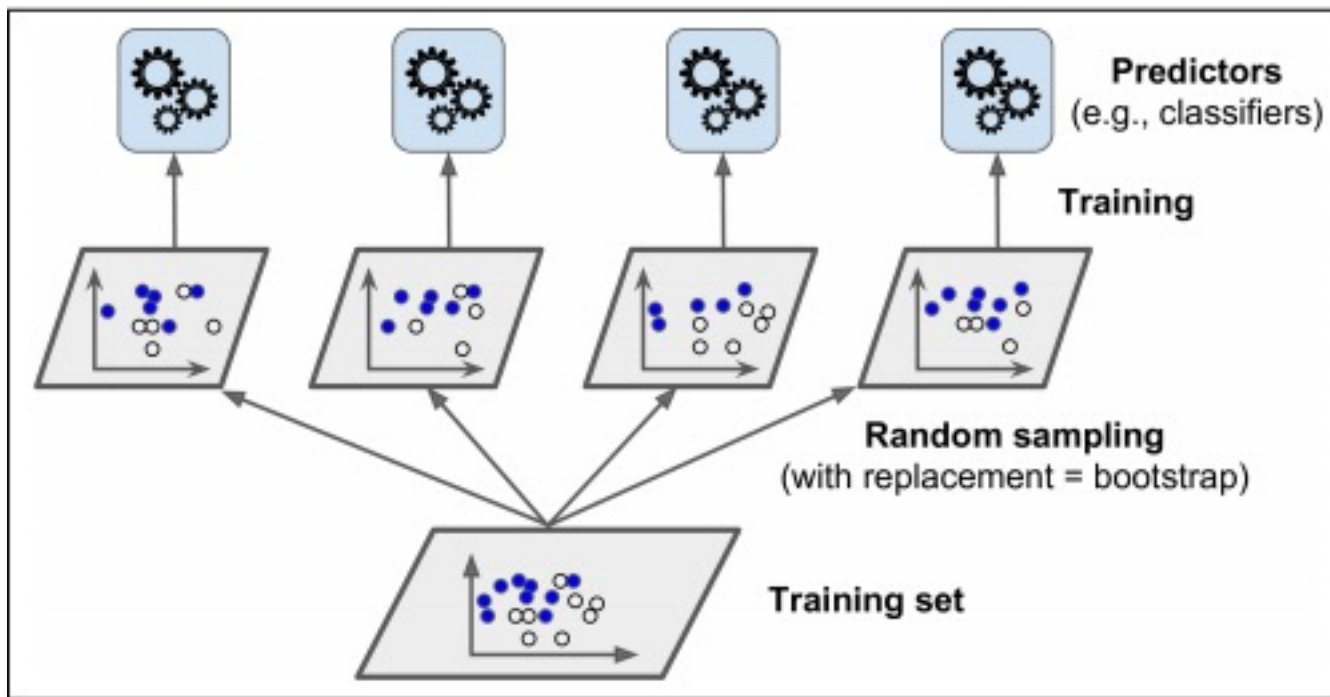


Figure 7-2. Hard voting classifier predictions

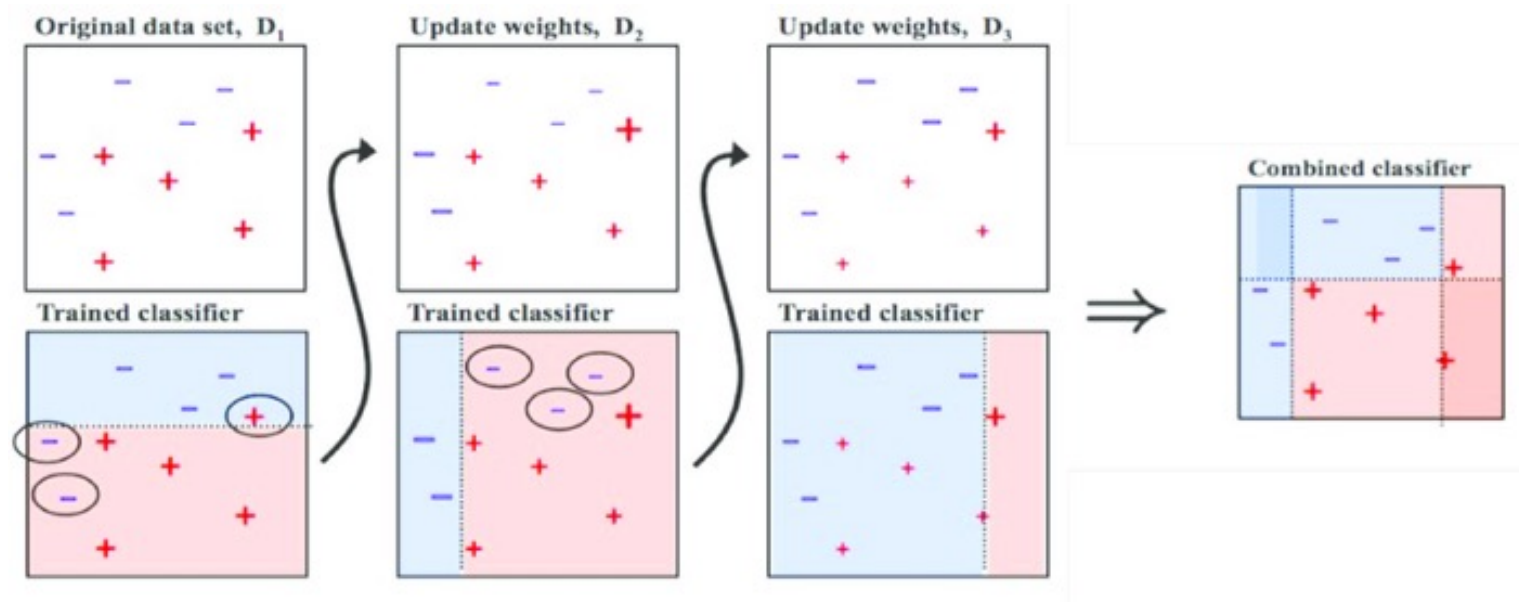
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- Works best if single models are as independent as possible:
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- Boosting
 - AdaBoost – upweight miss classified instances for subsequent models



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- Boosting
 - Gradient boosting – train classifiers on the residuals of initial predictions

