Deep Learning for Vision & Language

Machine Learning I: Supervised vs Unsupervised Learning
Linear Classifiers / Regressors

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Machine Learning

The study of algorithms that learn from data.

Supervised Learning vs Unsupervised Learning

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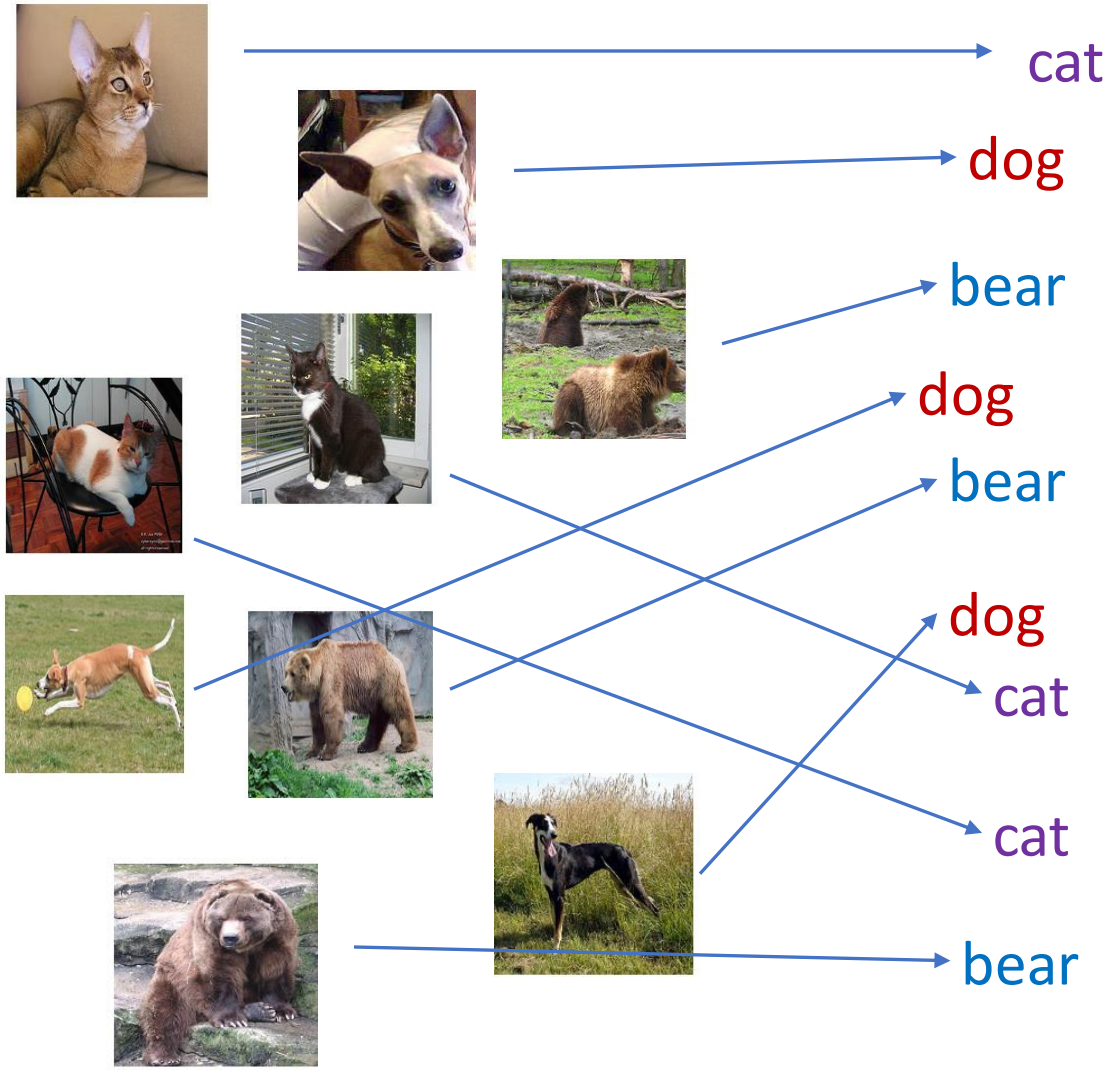

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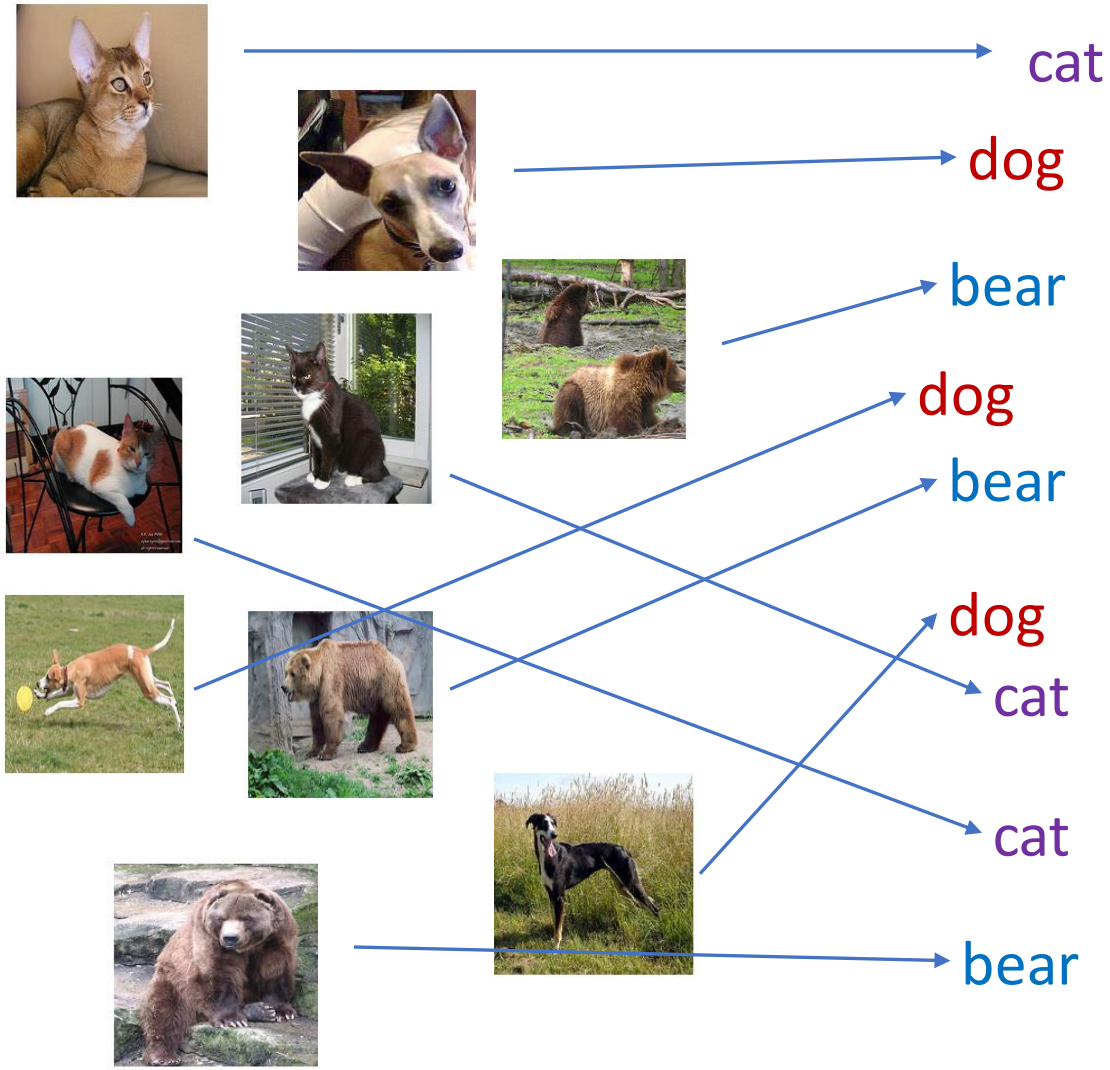

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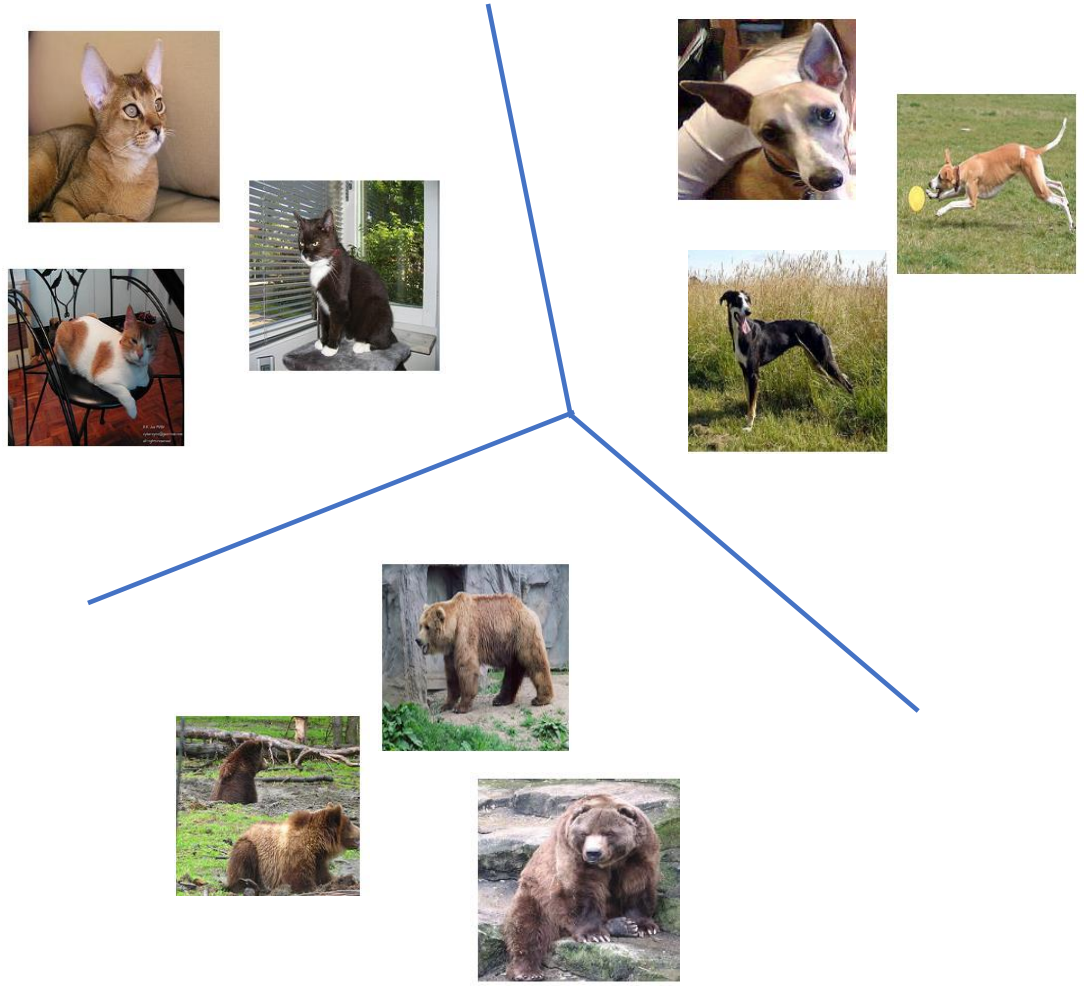

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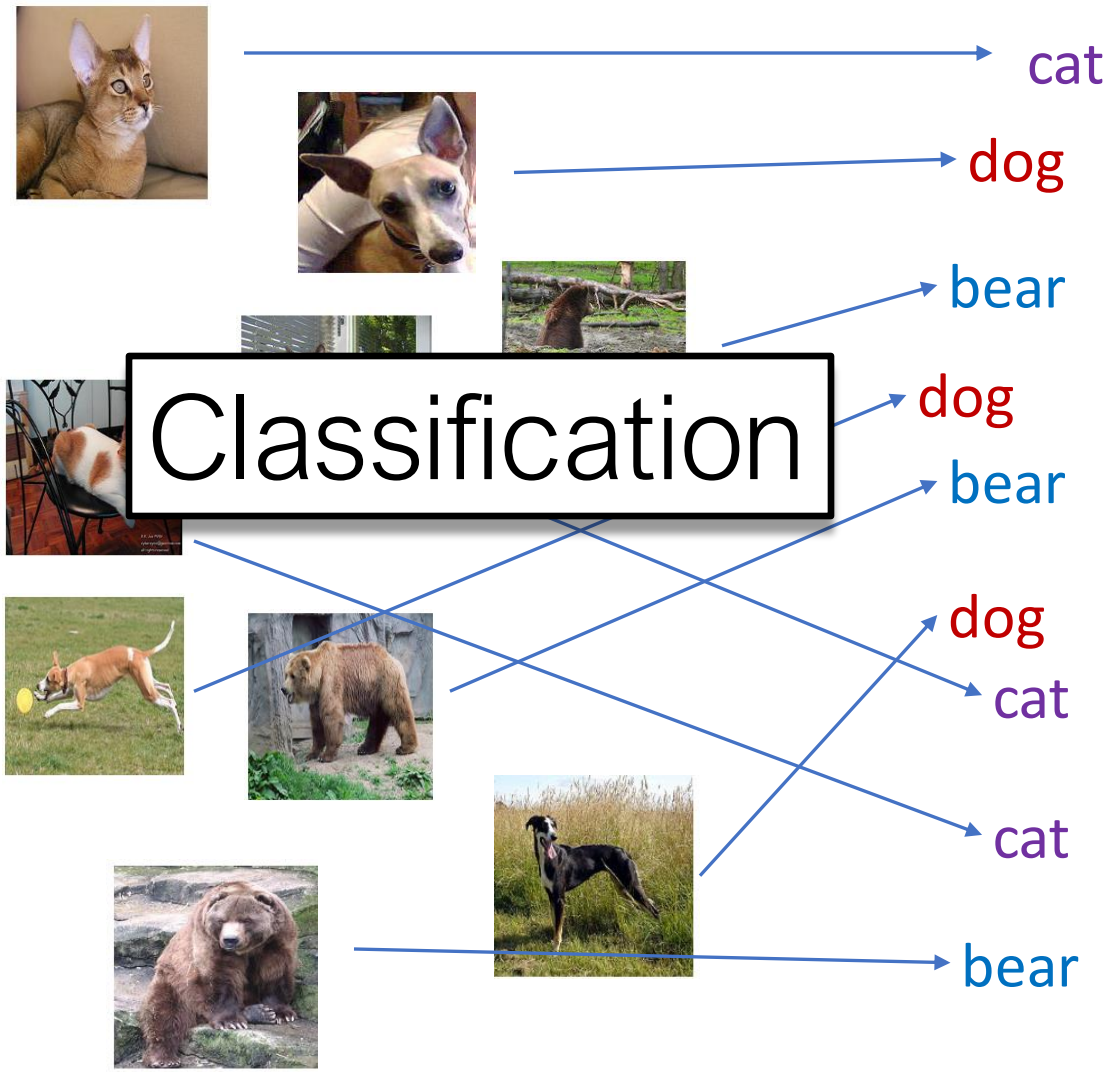

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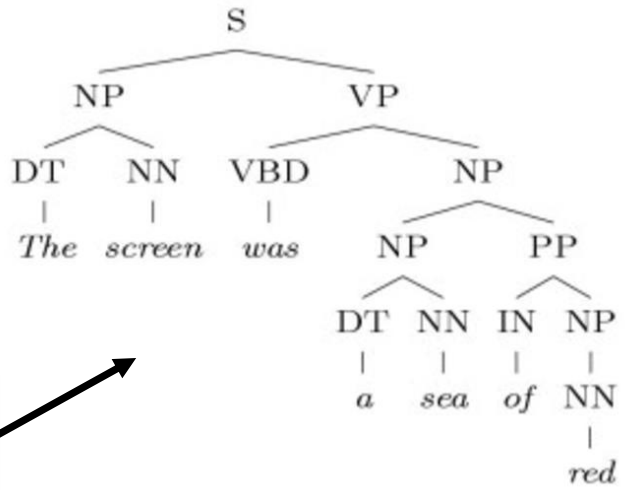
Supervised Learning…

Classification → cat

Face Detection →

The screen was a sea of red

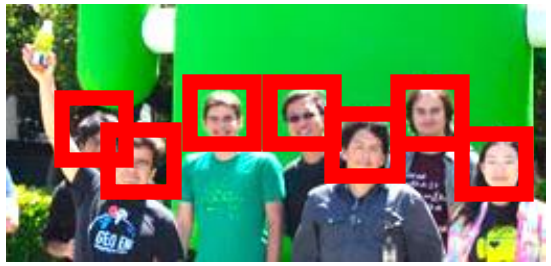
Language Parsing →

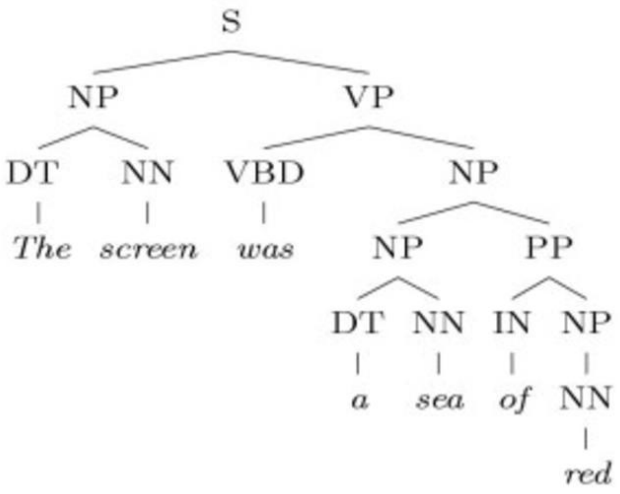


Structured Prediction

Supervised Learning…

cat $= f($  $)$

 $= f($  $)$



$= f($ The screen was a sea of red $)$

Machine Learning – Regression vs Classification

$$y = f(x)$$

- Regression:
  y is a continuous variable e.g. in some interval of values e.g. in (0, 10]

- Classification:
  y is a discrete variable e.g. could take a set of values {0, 1, 2, 3, 4}

Machine Learning – Regression vs Classification

$$y = f(x)$$

- Also notice that both y and x could be vectors – and they usually are for many problems we will study.

- Also notice that f can be any function from the simplest you can think of to the most complicated composition of functions.

For instance, Linear Regression and Classification

$$y = wx + b$$

- Note: (w, b) are the coefficients in the linear regression, and will also be referred as parameters.
- Also notice if *x* is a vector then *w* must also be a vector of coefficients.
- A lot of work in Machine Learning and optimization is finding the right set of parameters (w, b) that can map any pairs of (x,y) values for a given problem.

ML Classifier / Regression models

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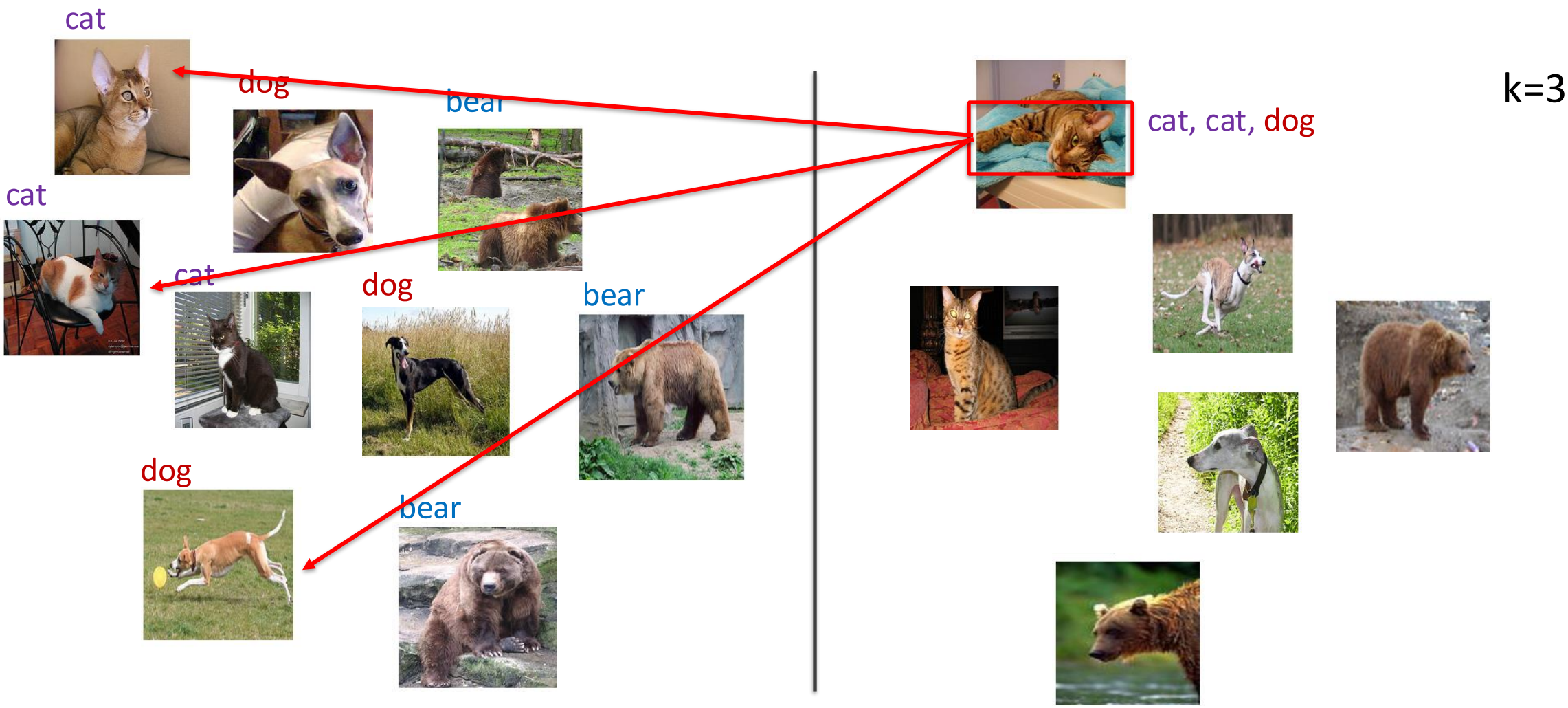
Supervised Learning – k-Nearest Neighbors



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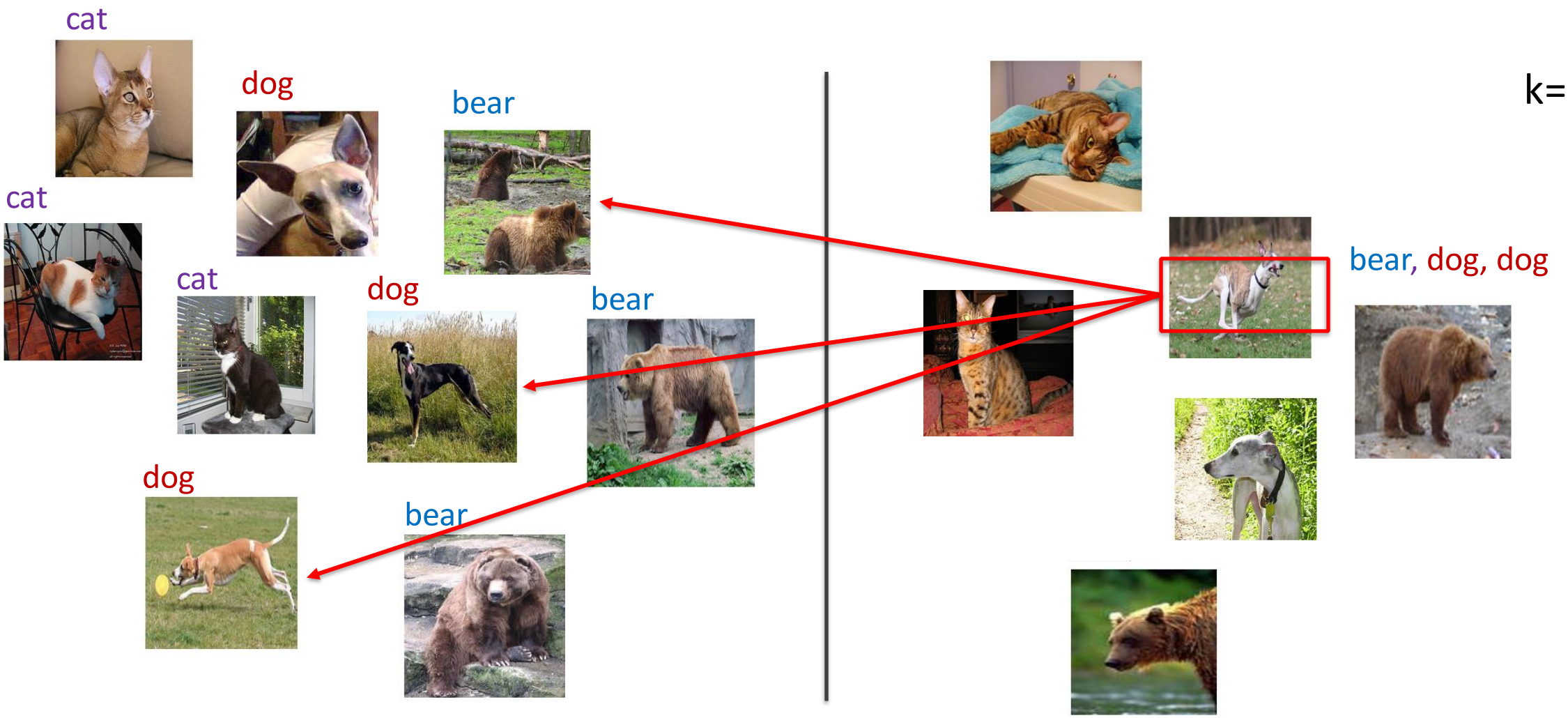

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Linear Regression

$$\hat{y} = \sum_i w_i x_i$$

$$\hat{y} = W^T x$$

Prediction,
Inference,
Testing

$$D = \{(x^{(d)}, y^{(d)})\}$$

$$L(W) = \sum_{d=1}^{|D|} l(\hat{y}^{(d)}, y^{(d)})$$

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Training,
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Objective minimization

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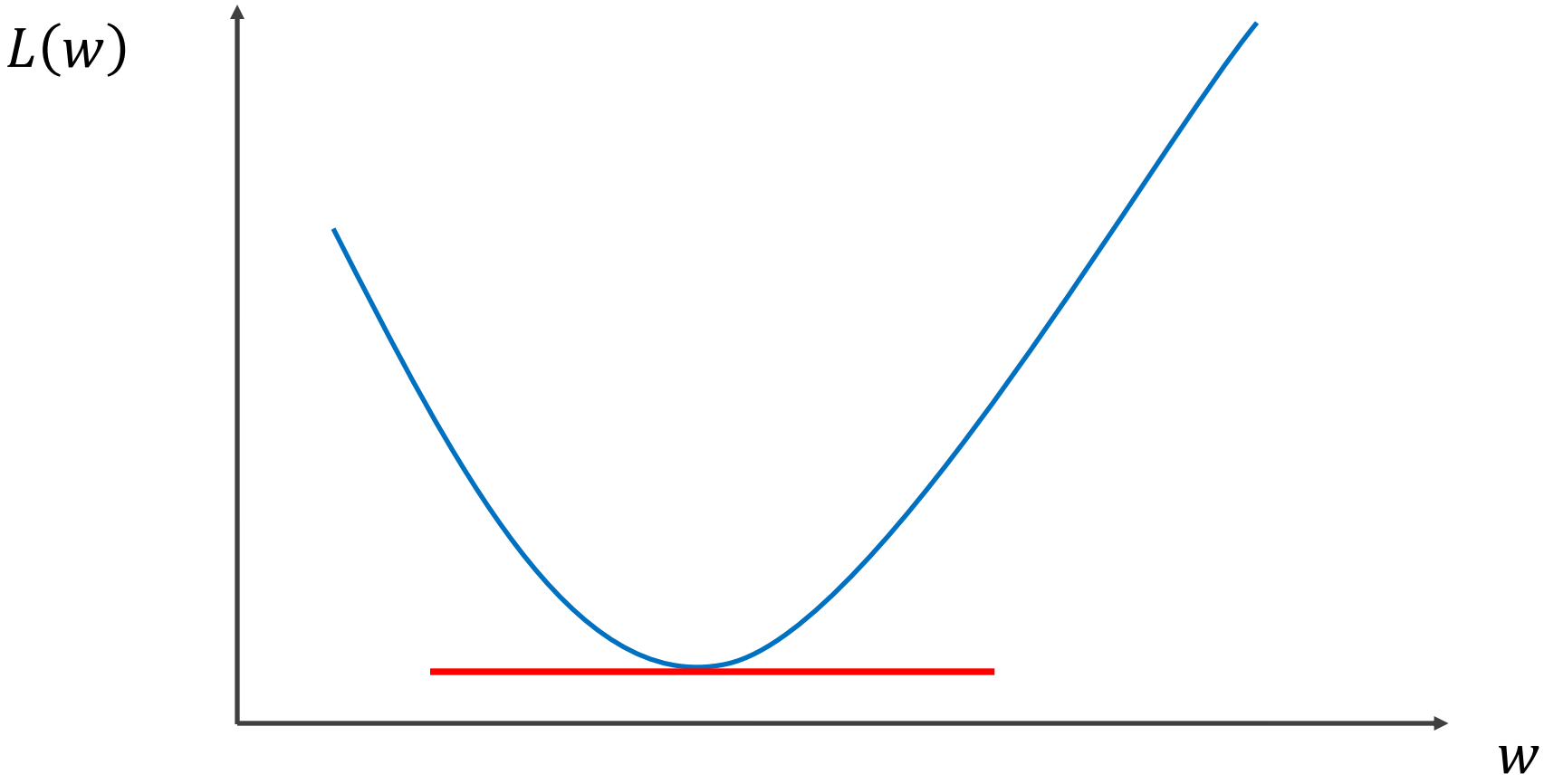
How to find the minimum of a function L(W)?



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Linear Regression – Least Squares

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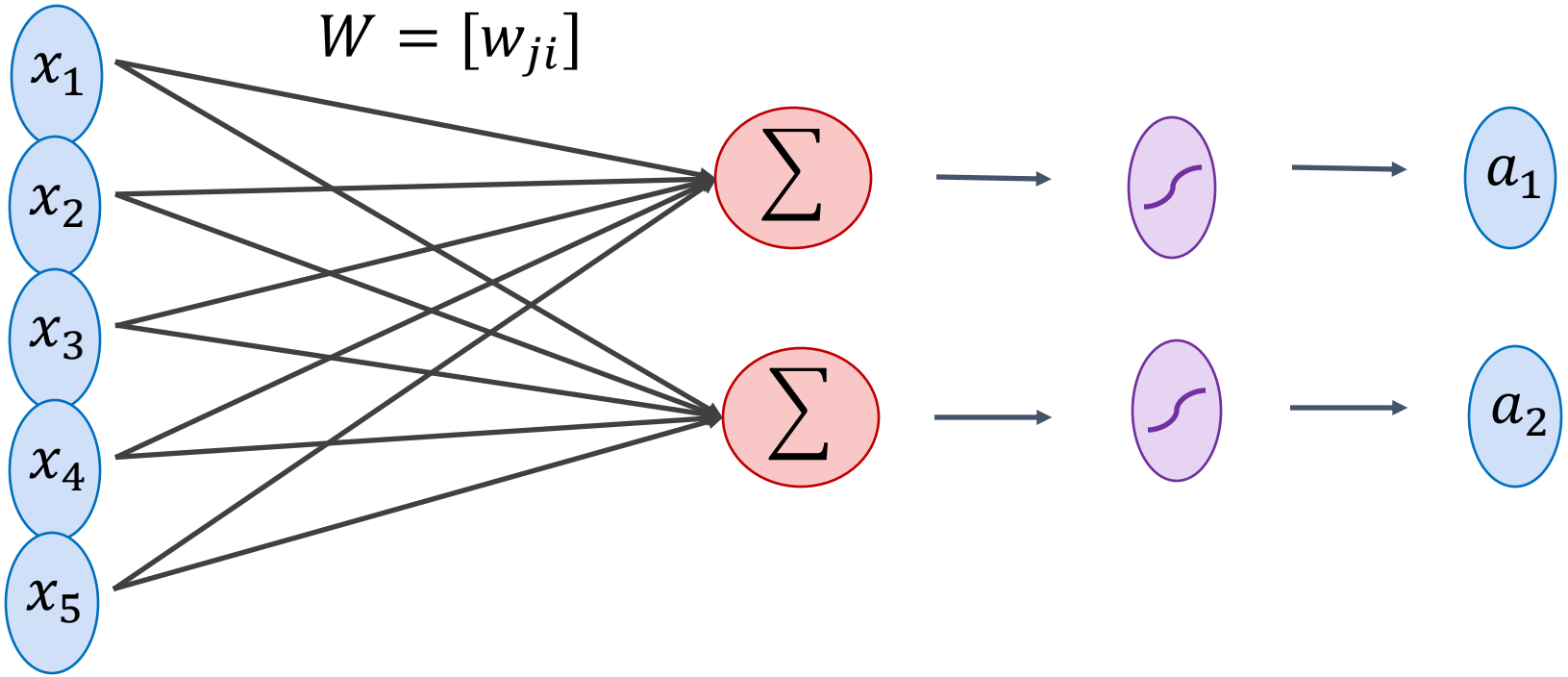
Neural Network with One Layer

$$sigmoid(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$$



$$a_j = sigmoid(\sum_i w_{ji} x_i + b_j)$$

Neural Network with One Layer

$$L(W,b) = \sum_{d=1}^{|D|} \left(a^{(d)} - y^{(d)}\right)^2$$

$$a_j^{(d)} = sigmoid\left(\sum_i w_{ji} x_i^{(d)} + b_j\right)$$

Bias parameters

$$L(W,b) = \sum_{j,d} \left(sigmoid\left(\sum_i w_{ji} x_i^{(d)} + b_j\right) - y_j^{(d)} \right)^2$$

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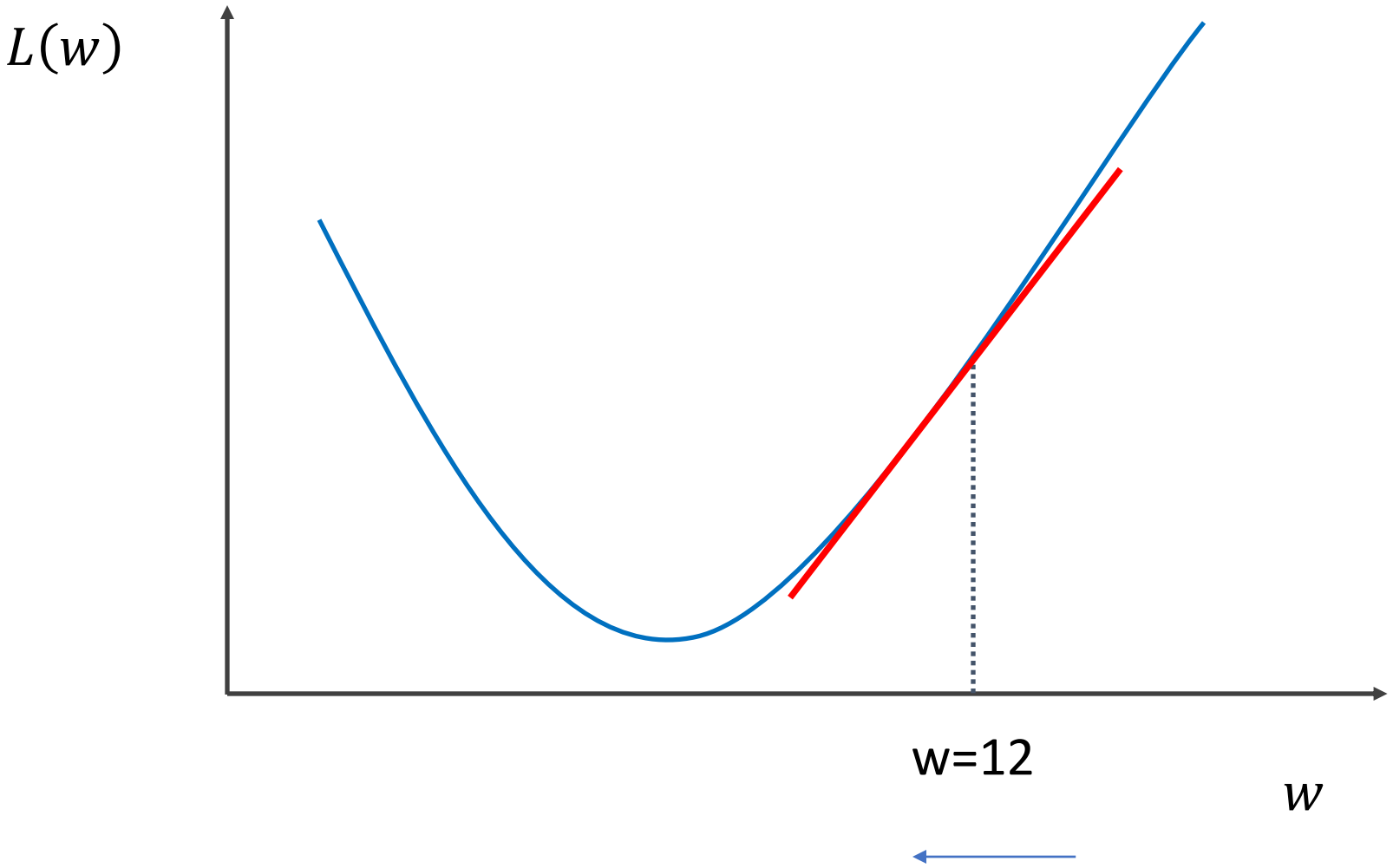
(1) We can compute this derivative but often there will be no closed-form solution for W when dL/dw = 0

(2) Also, even for linear regression where the solution was $W = (X^T X)^{-1} X^T Y$, computing this expression might be expensive or infeasible. e. g. think of computing $(X^T X)^{-1}$ for a very large dataset with a million x_i

Gradient Descent



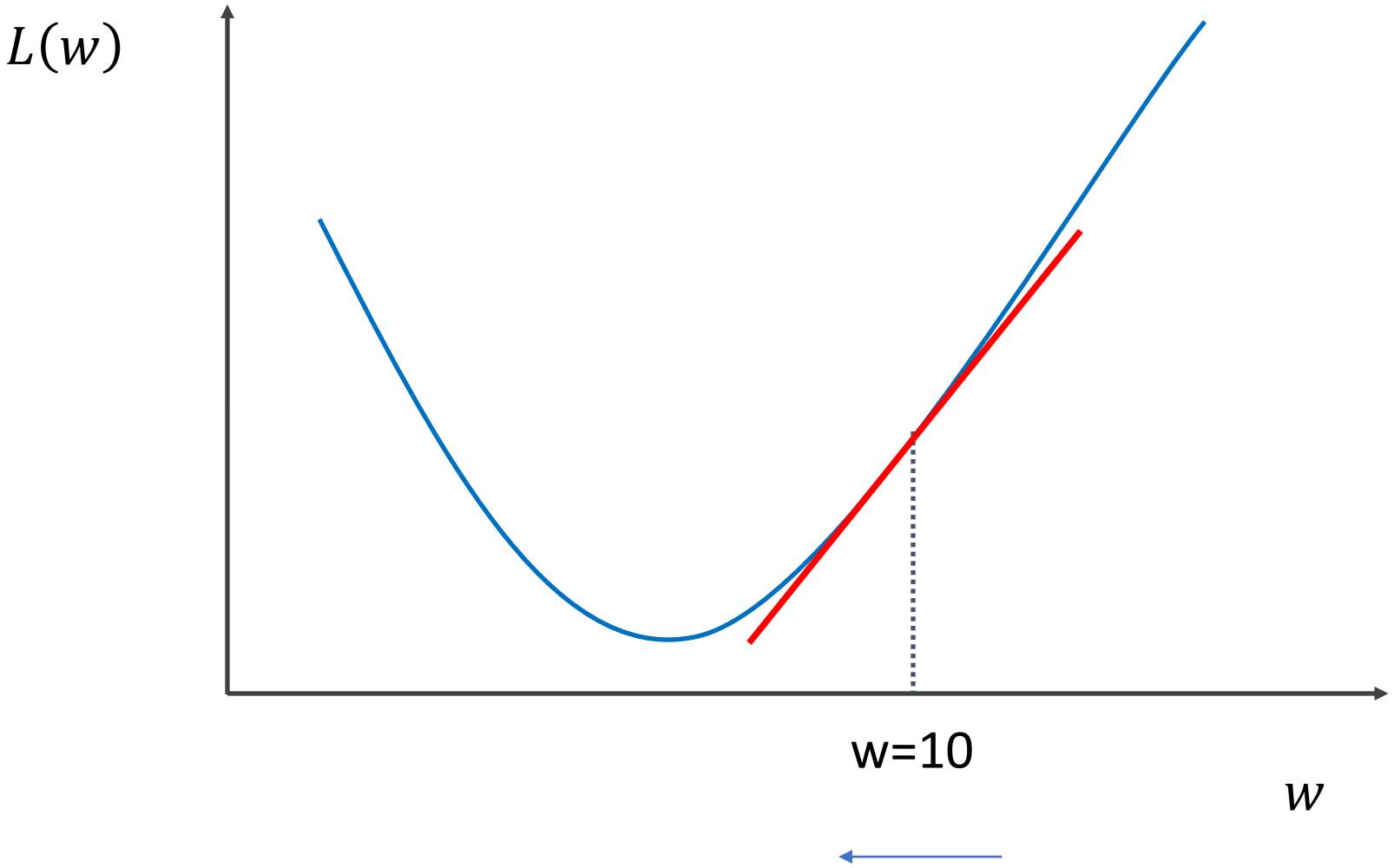
1. Start with a random value of w (e.g. w = 12)

2. Compute the gradient (derivative) of L(w) at point w = 12. (e.g. dL/dw = 6)

3. Recompute w as:

w = w – lambda * (dL / dw)

Gradient Descent



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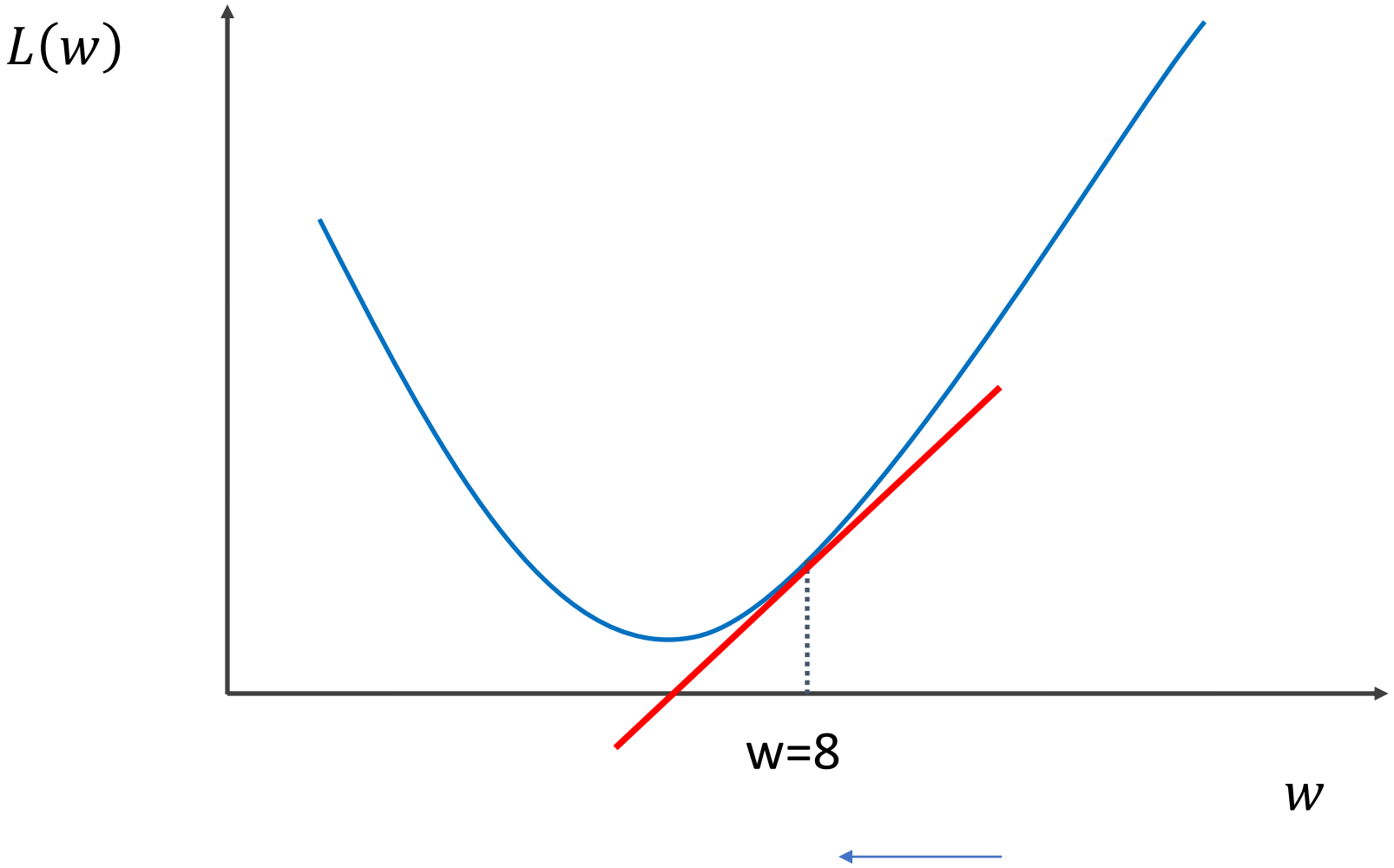

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for e = 0, num_epochs **do**

Compute: $dL(w,b)/dw$ and $dL(w,b)/db$

Update w: $w = w - \lambda\, dL(w,b)/dw$

Update b: $b = b - \lambda\, dL(w,b)/db$

Print: $L(w,b)$ // Useful to see if this is becoming smaller or not.

end

expensive

$$L(w,b) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} l(w,b)$$

Stochastic Gradient Descent (mini-batch)

$\lambda = 0.01$

Initialize w and b randomly

$$L_B(w,b) = \sum_{i=1}^{B} l(w,b)$$

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In this class we will mostly rely on…

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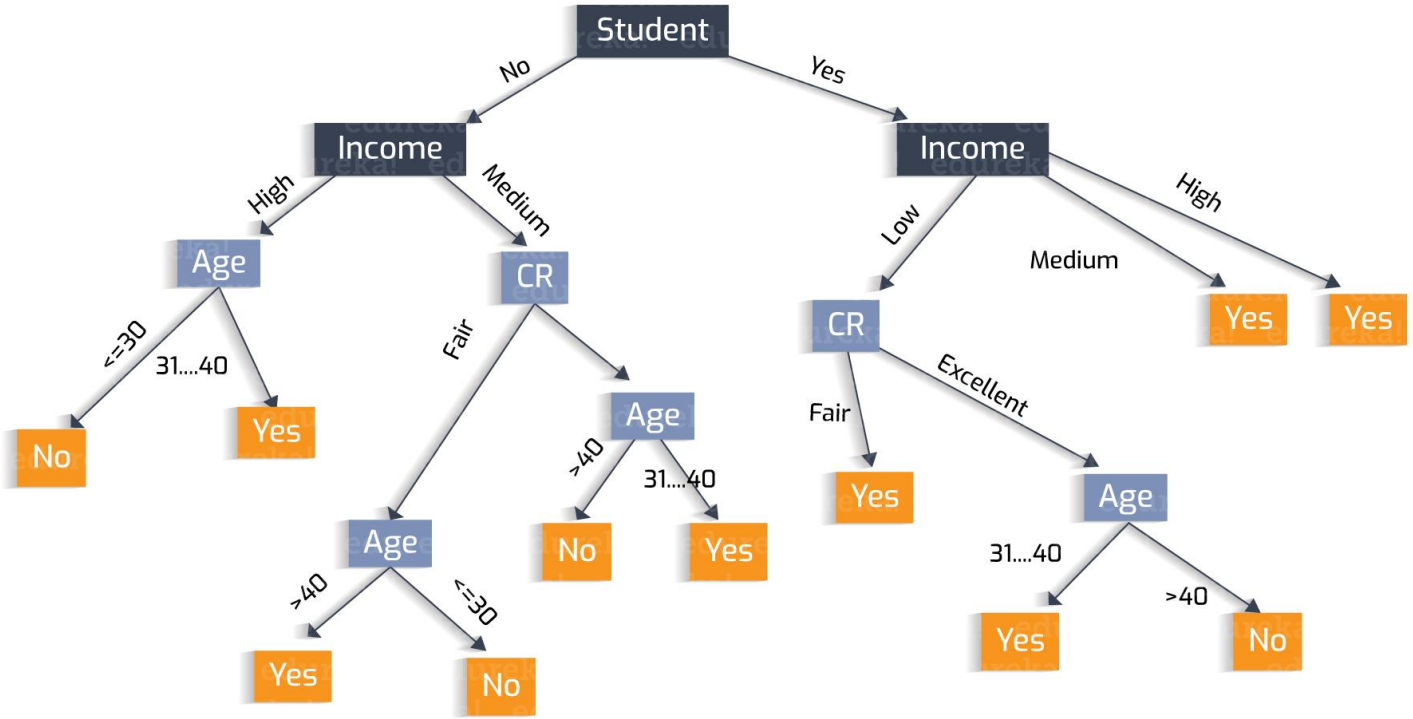
Why?

- Decisions Trees



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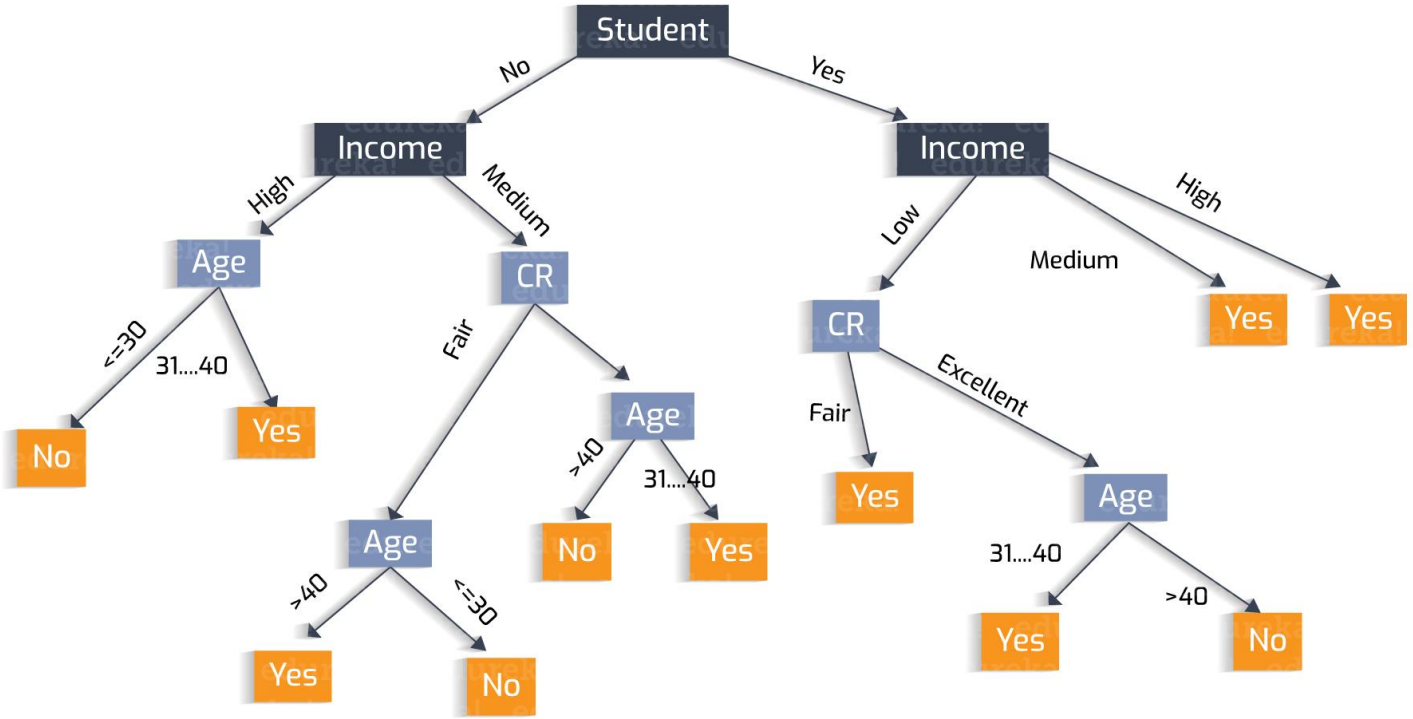
Why?

- Decisions Trees are great because they are often interpretable.
- However, they usually deal better with categorical data – not input pixel data.



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Regression vs Classification

Regression

- Labels are continuous variables – e.g. distance.
- Losses: Distance-based losses, e.g. sum of distances to true values.
- Evaluation: Mean distances, correlation coefficients, etc.

Classification

- Labels are discrete variables (1 out of K categories)
- Losses: Cross-entropy loss, margin losses, logistic regression (binary cross entropy)
- Evaluation: Classification accuracy, etc.

Supervised Learning - Classification

Training Data

cat

dog

cat

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bear

Test Data

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Supervised Learning - Classification

Training Data

$x_1 = [$  $]$ $y_1 = [\text{cat} \quad]$

$x_2 = [$  $]$ $y_2 = [\text{dog} \quad]$

$x_3 = [$  $]$ $y_3 = [\text{cat} \quad]$

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$x_n = [$  $]$ $y_n = [\text{bear} \quad]$

Supervised Learning - Classification

Training Data

inputs

targets / labels / ground truth

predictions

$x_1 = [x_{11} \quad x_{12} \quad x_{13} \quad x_{14}]$ $y_1 = 1$ $\hat{y}_1 = 1$

$x_2 = [x_{21} \quad x_{22} \quad x_{23} \quad x_{24}]$ $y_2 = 2$ $\hat{y}_2 = 2$

$x_3 = [x_{31} \quad x_{32} \quad x_{33} \quad x_{34}]$ $y_3 = 1$ $\hat{y}_3 = 2$

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$x_n = [x_{n1} \quad x_{n2} \quad x_{n3} \quad x_{n4}]$ $y_n = 3$ $\hat{y}_n = 1$

We need to find a function that maps *x* and *y* for any of them.

$$\hat{y}_i = f(x_i; \theta)$$

How do we ”learn” the parameters of this function?

We choose ones that makes the following quantity small:

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} Cost(\hat{y}_i, y_i)$$

Stochastic Gradient Descent

- How to choose the right batch size B?
- How to choose the right learning rate lambda?
- How to choose the right loss function, e.g. is least squares good enough?
- How to choose the right function/classifier, e.g. linear, quadratic, neural network with 1 layer, 2 layers, etc?

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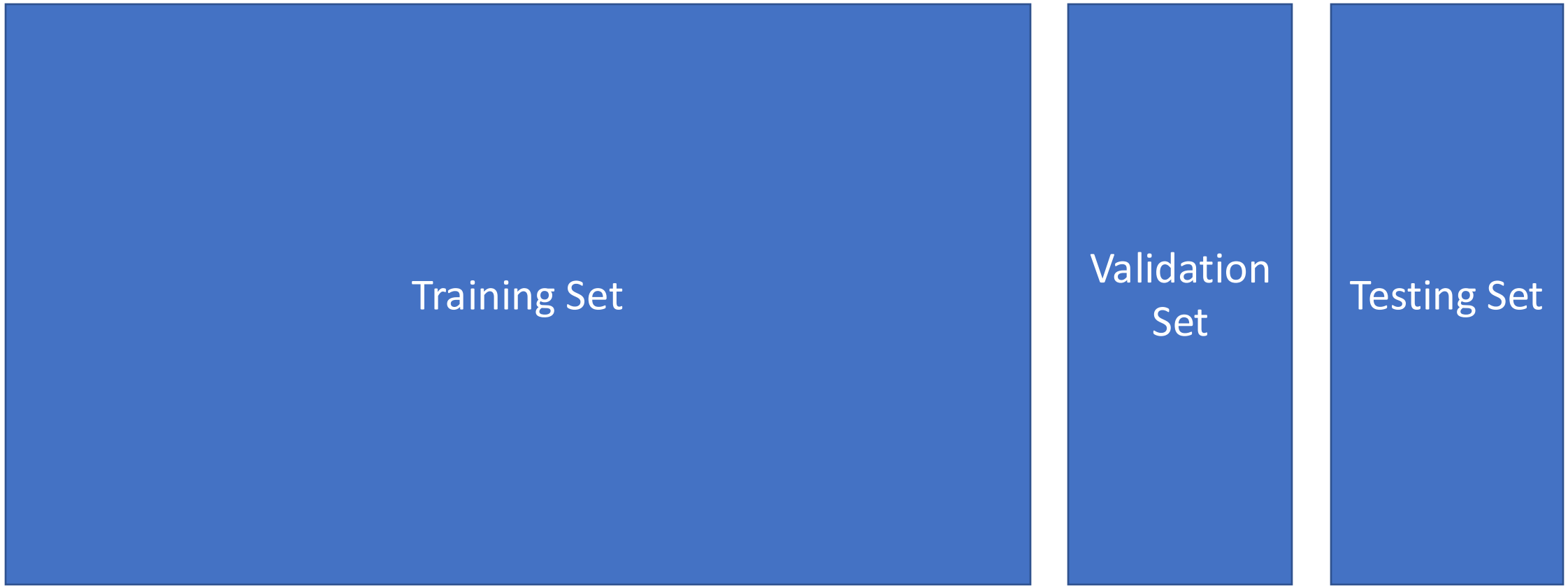
Training, Validation (Dev), Test Sets



Training, Validation (Dev), Test Sets

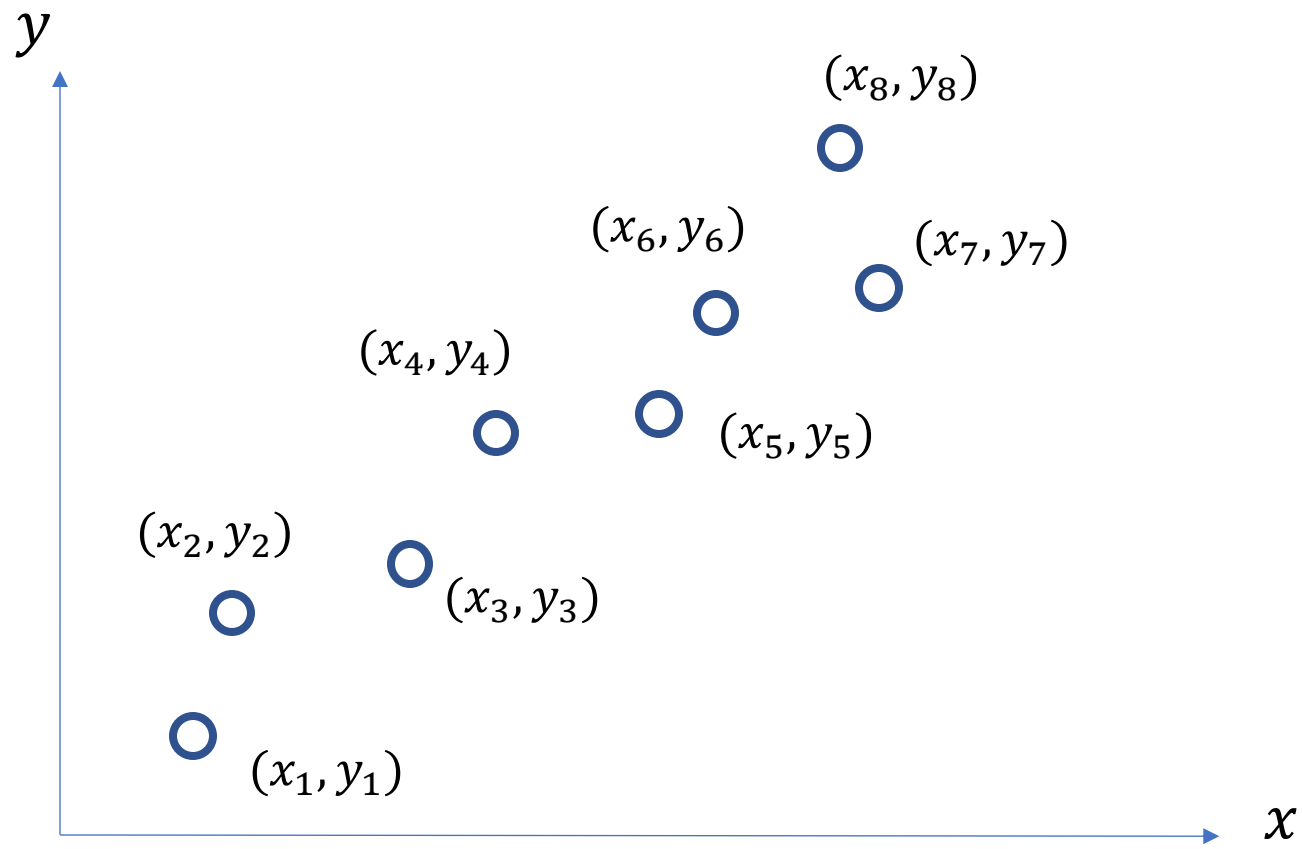
Used during development

Training, Validation (Dev), Test Sets

Only to be used for evaluating the model at the very end of development and any changes to the model after running it on the test set, could be influenced by what you saw happened on the test set, which would invalidate any future evaluation.

How to pick the right model?

Linear Regression – 1 output, 1 input



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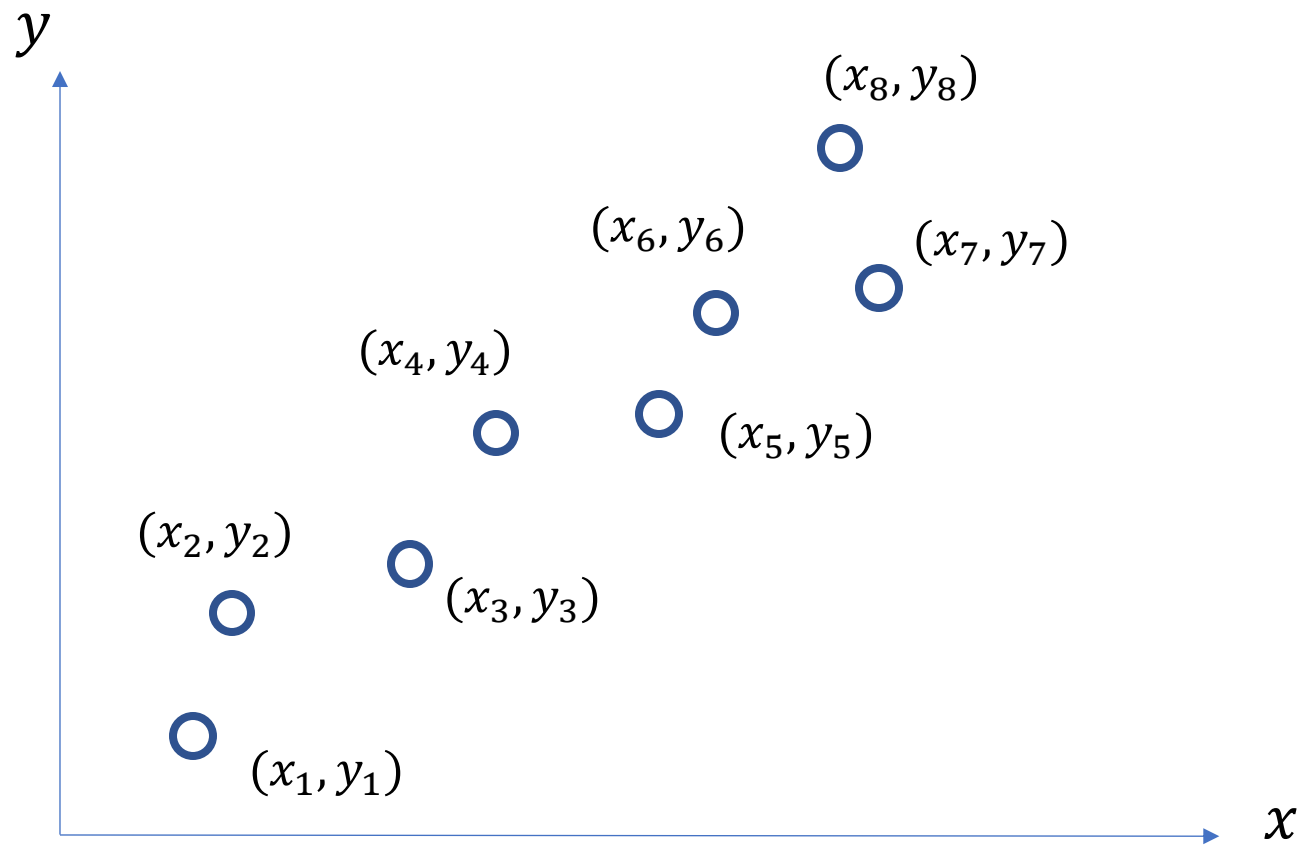

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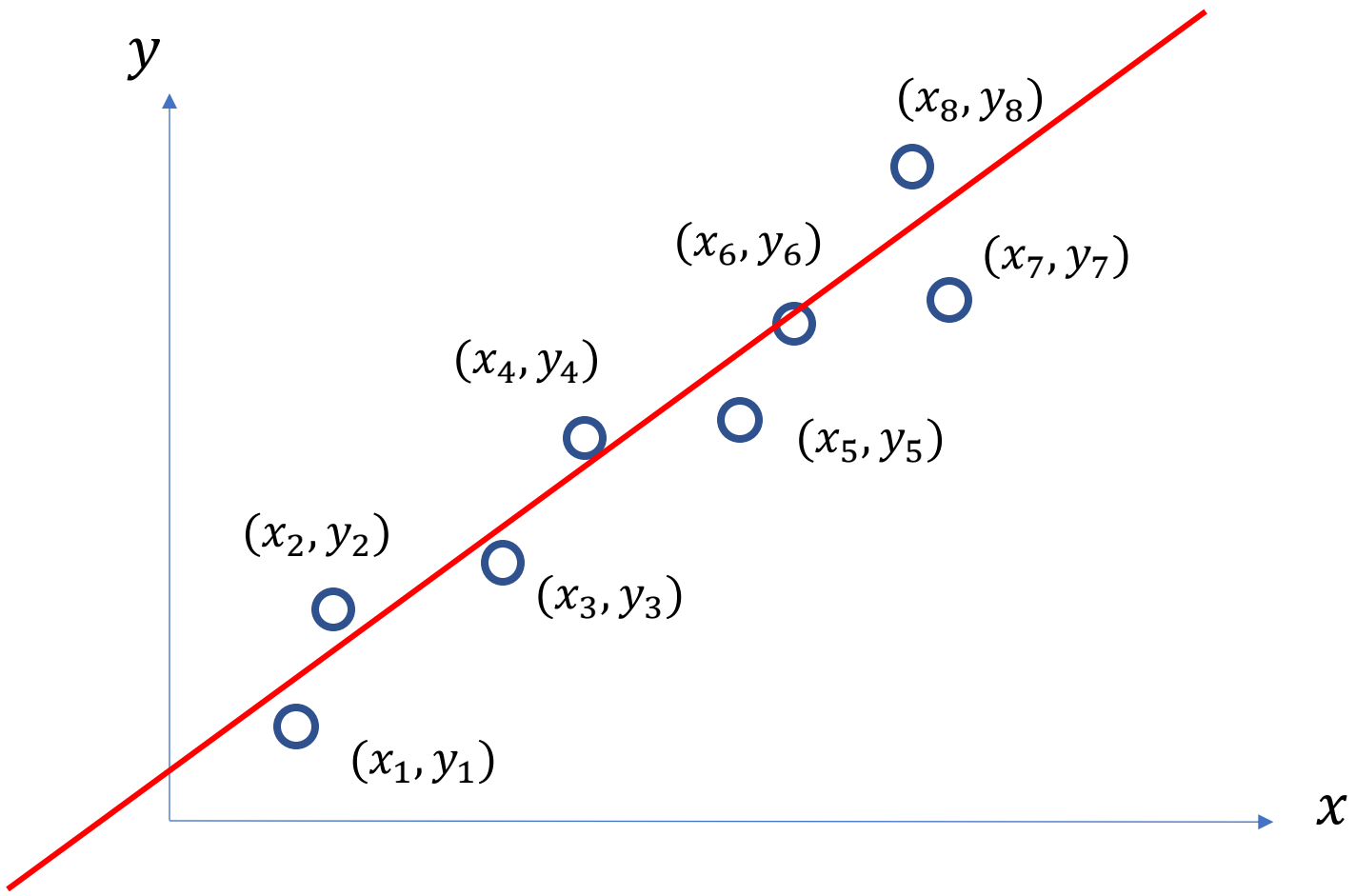

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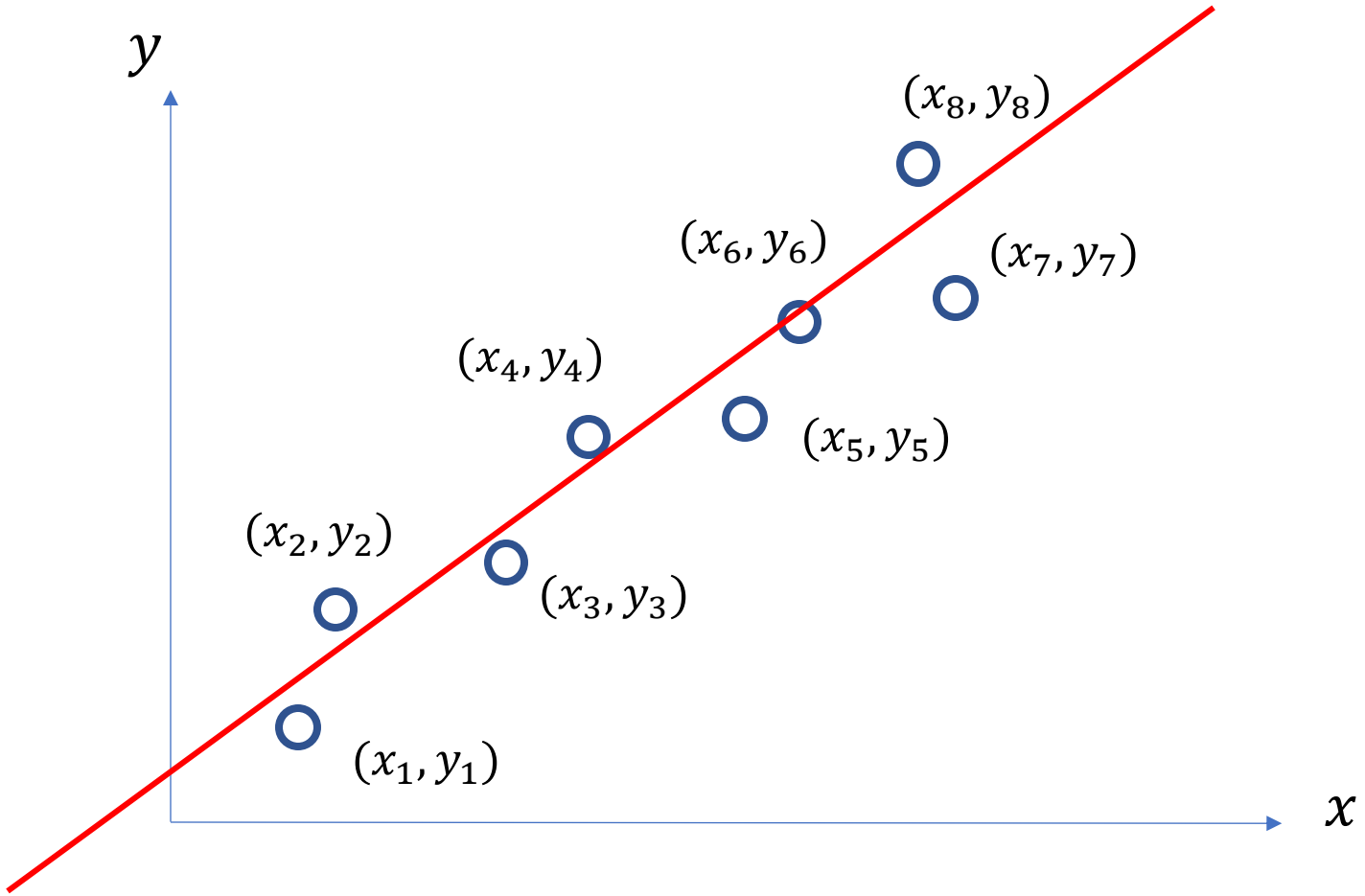

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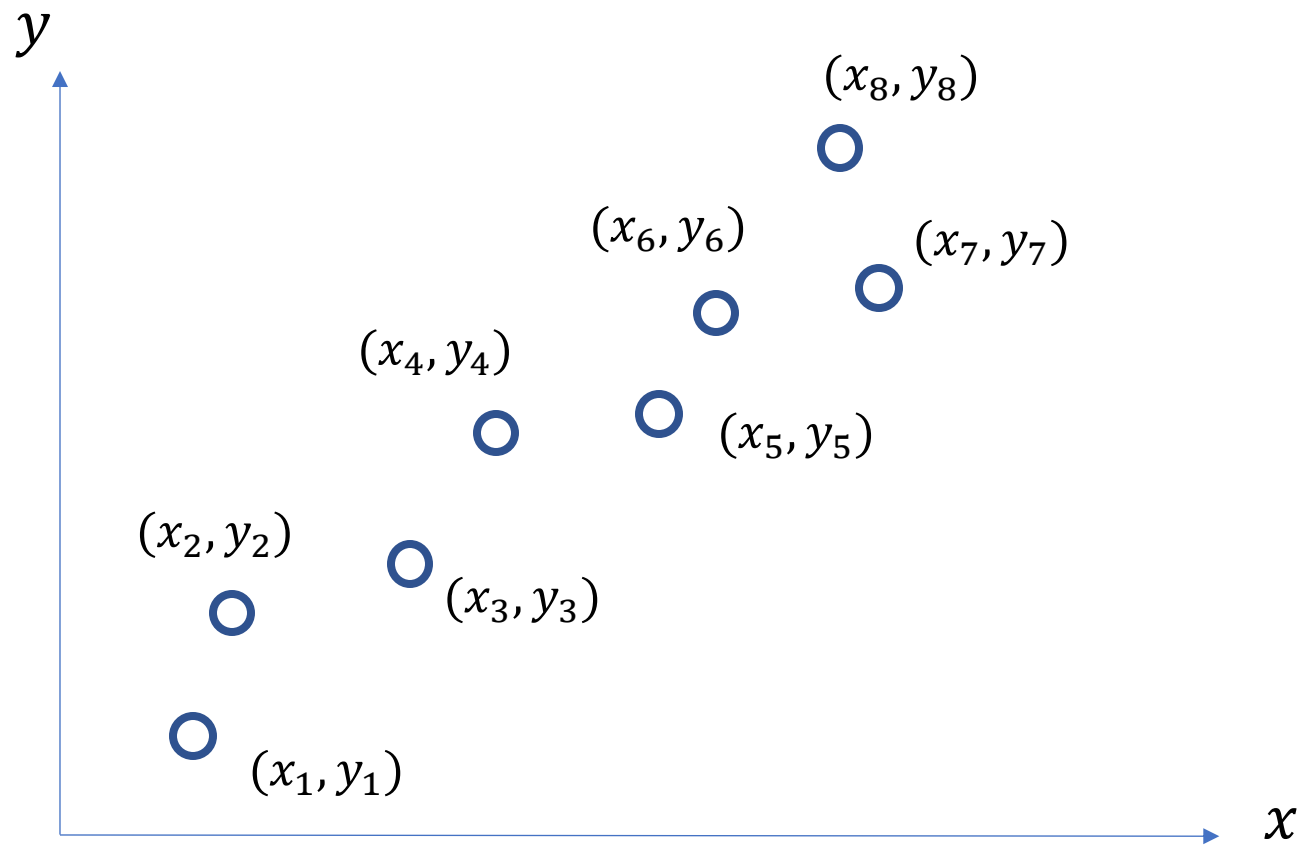
Quadratic Regression



Model: $\hat{y} = w_1 x^2 + w_2 x + b$

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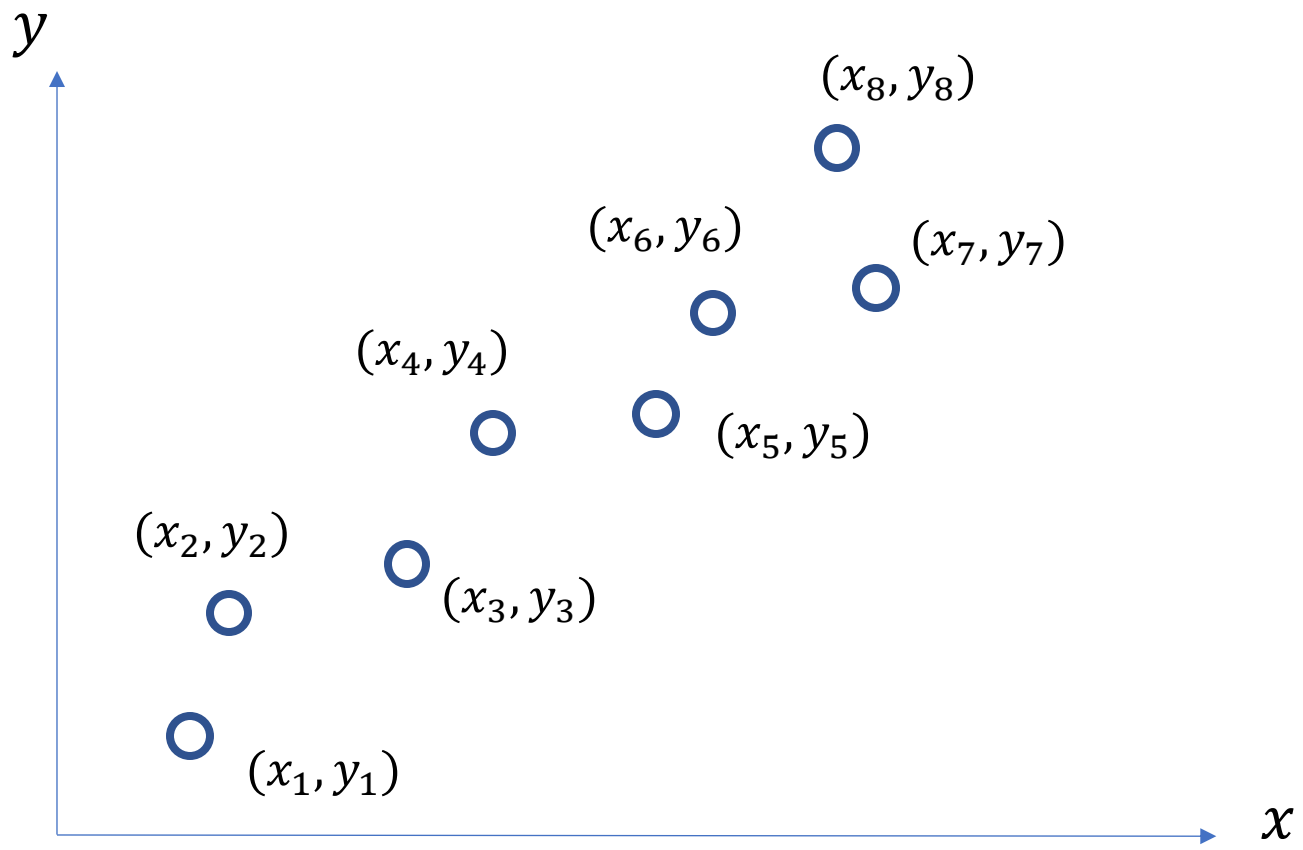
n-polynomial Regression



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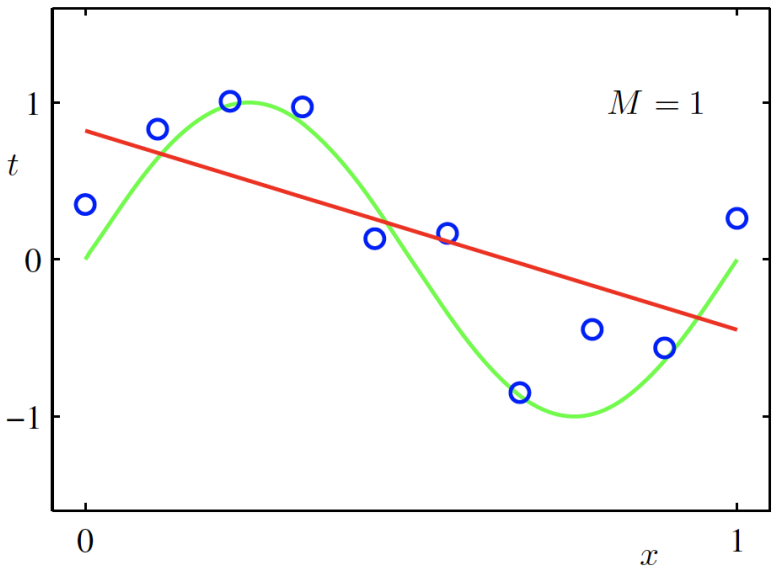
Overfitting

f is linear

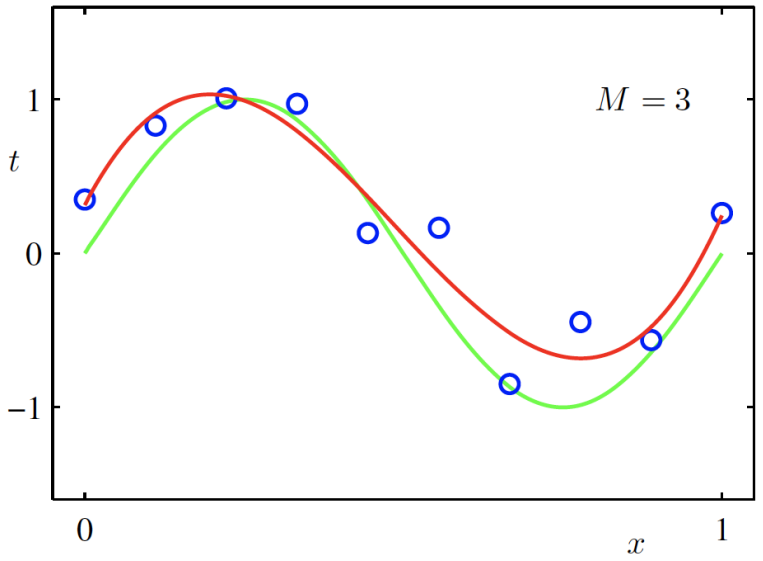


$Loss(w)$ is high

Underfitting

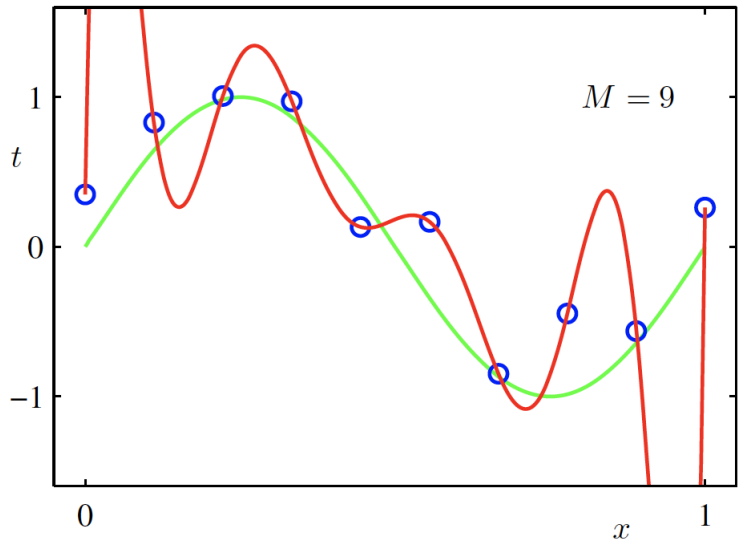
High Bias

f is cubic



$Loss(w)$ is low

f is a polynomial of degree 9



$Loss(w)$ is zero!

Overfitting

High Variance

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Questions?