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Classification

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Learning goals

- Logistic Regression
 - Logistic Loss
- Support Vector Machines
 - Hinge loss
 - Maximum margin principle
- The perceptron algorithm
- Multiclass and multilabel problems

Outline

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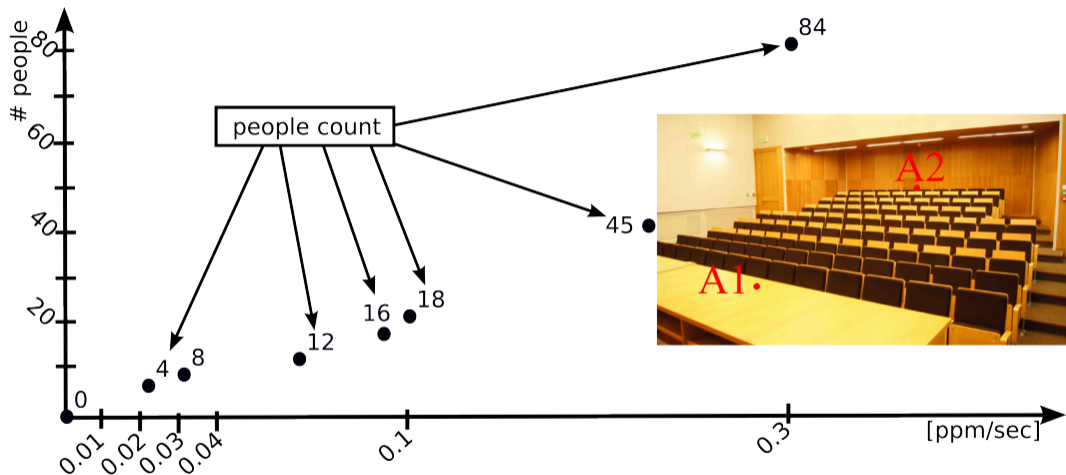
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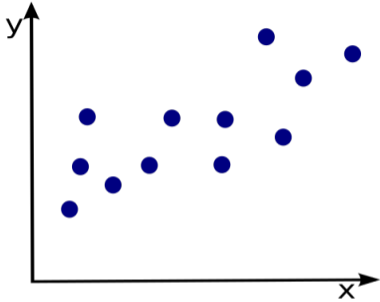
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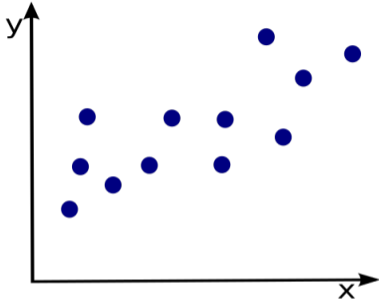
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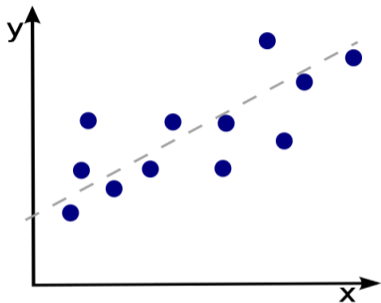


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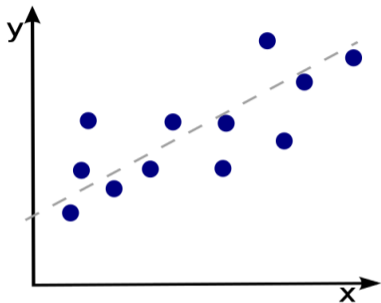
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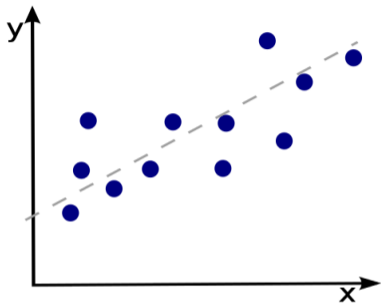
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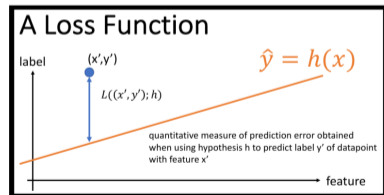
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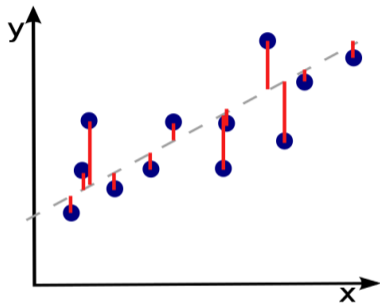


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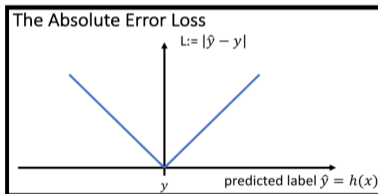
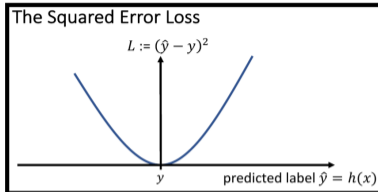
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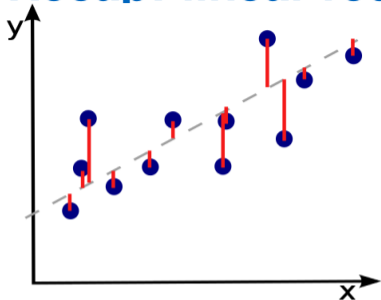
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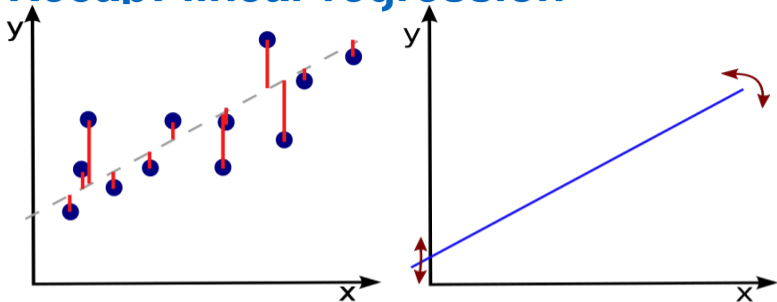
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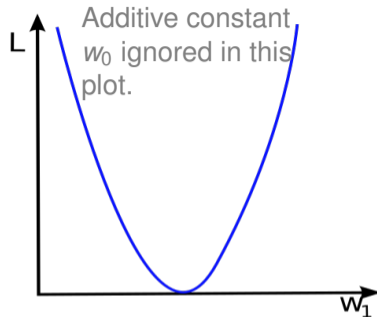
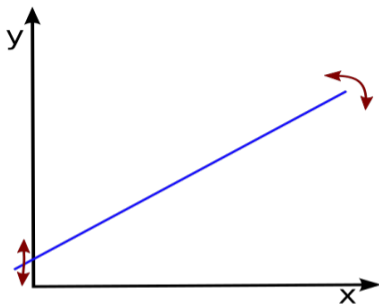
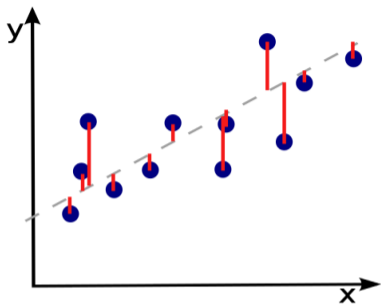
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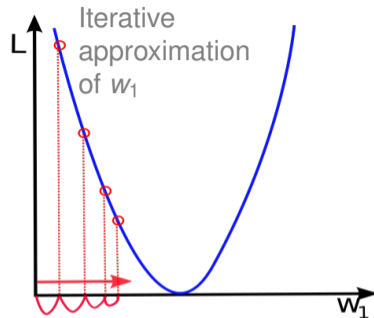
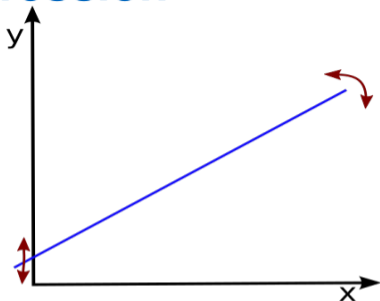
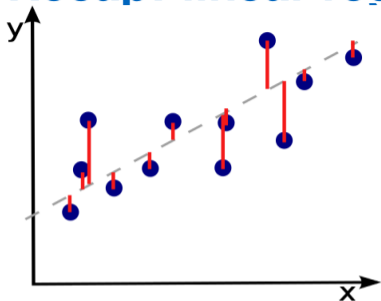


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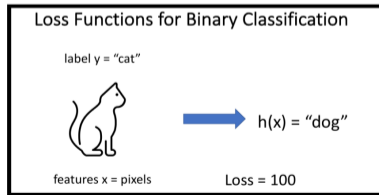
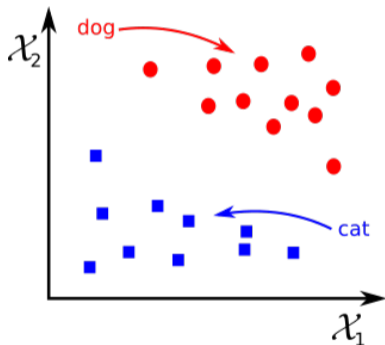
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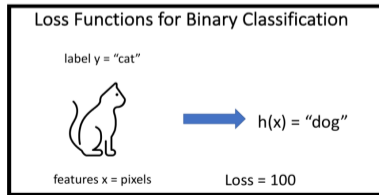
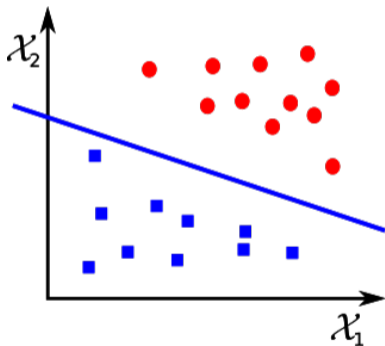
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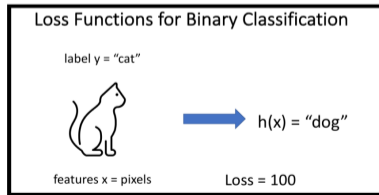
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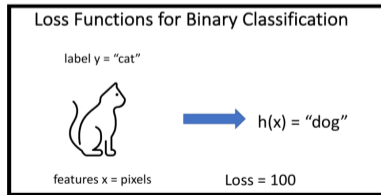
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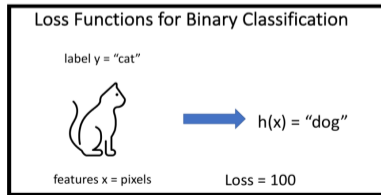
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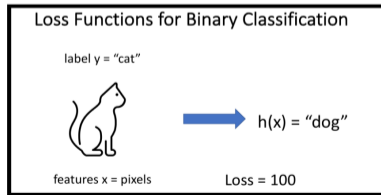
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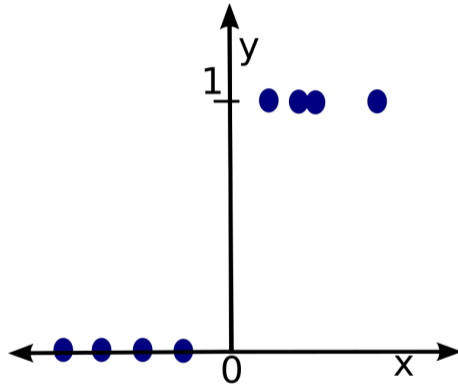
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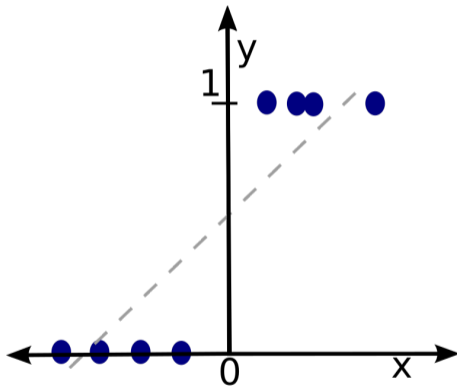
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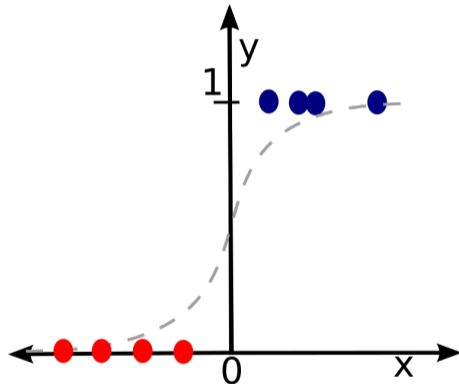
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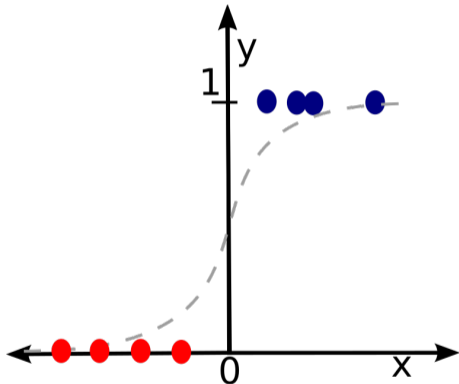
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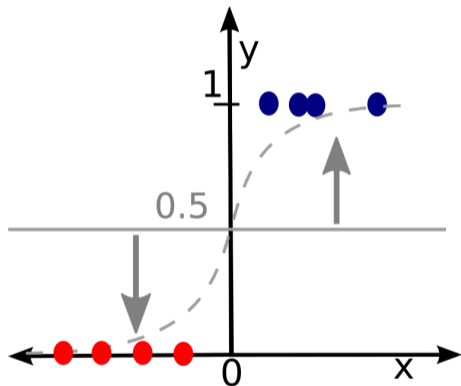
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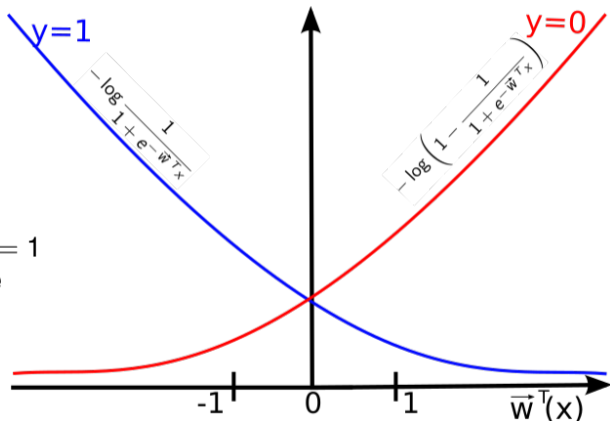


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We define a nonlinear hypothesis function as:

$$h(\vec{w}^T \vec{x}) = \begin{cases} +1, & \vec{w}^T \vec{x} \geq 0 \\ -1, & \vec{w}^T \vec{x} < 0. \end{cases}$$

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Apply stochastic gradient descent to this loss function:

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Interpretation of the learning function

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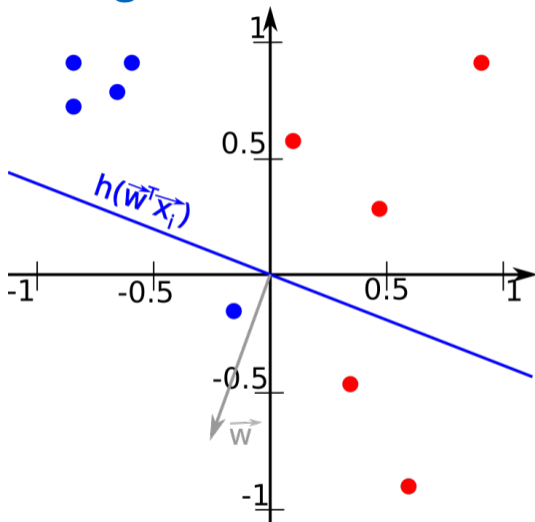
for each x_i :

correct classification: weight vector remains unchanged

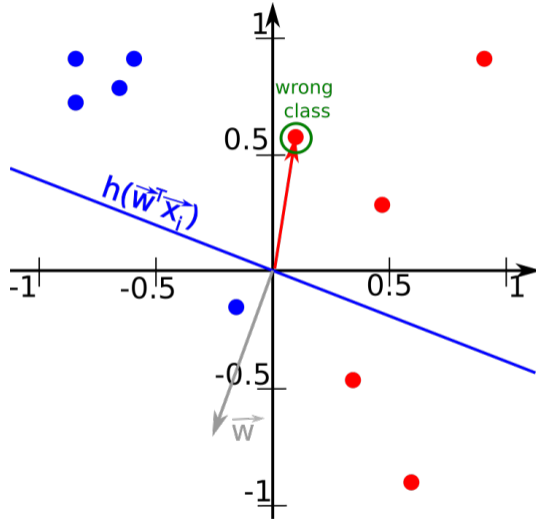
incorrect classification:

$$y_i = 1 : \text{ add vector } \vec{x}_i$$
$$y_i = -1 : \text{ subtract vector } \vec{x}_i$$

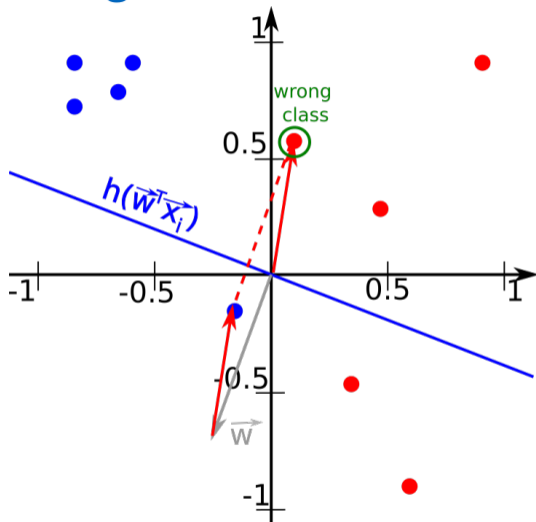
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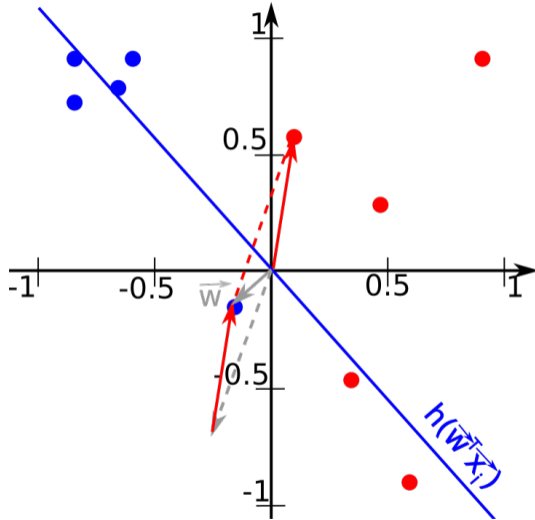
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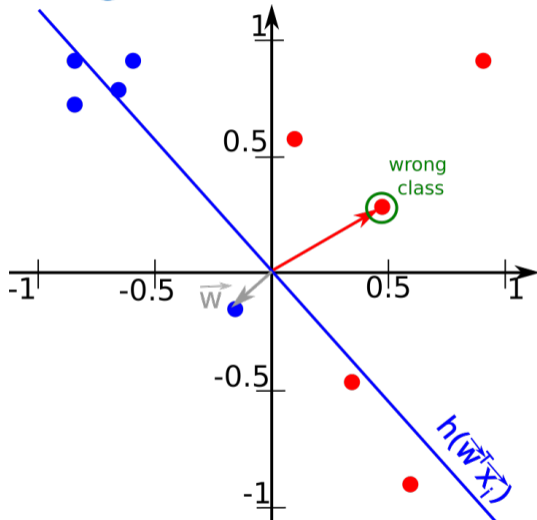
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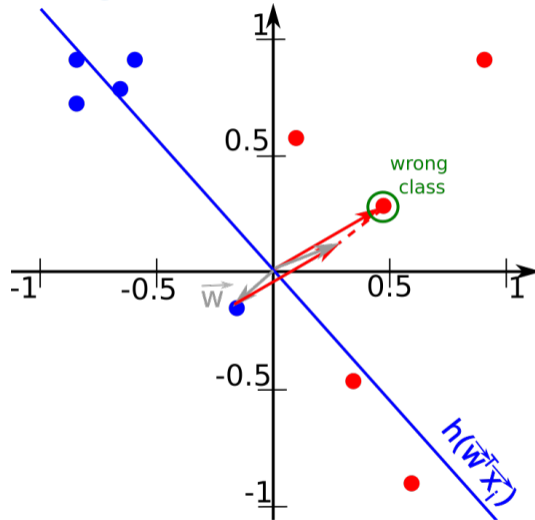
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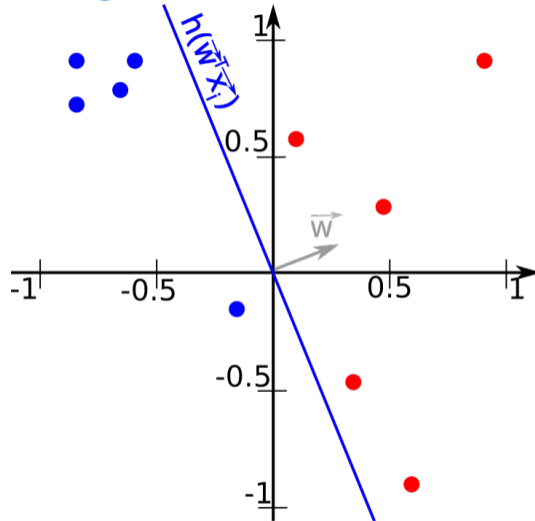
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Perceptron convergence theorem

IFF the training data is linearly separable, then the perceptron learning algorithm will always find an exact solution in finite number of steps.

- Number of steps required might be large
- Until convergence, not possible to distinguish separable problem from non-separable
- For non-separable data sets the algorithm will never converge

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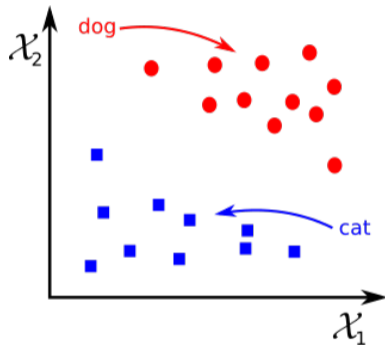
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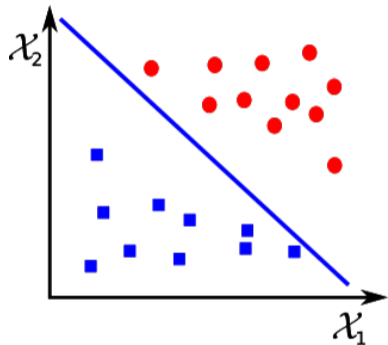
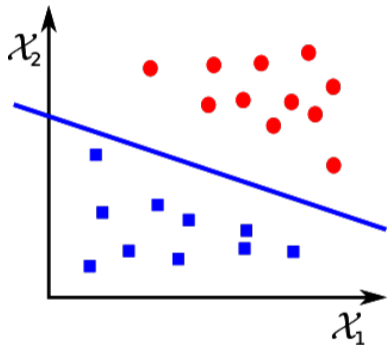
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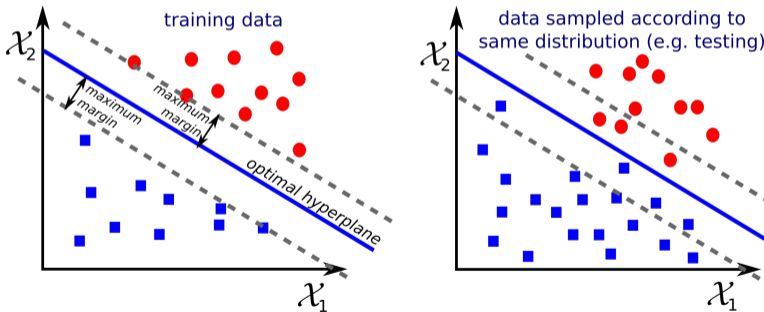


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The goal for support vector machines is to find a linear and separating hyperplane with the largest margin to the outer points in all sets

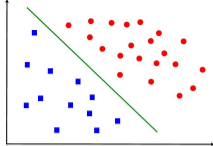
If needed, map all points into a higher dimensional space until such a plane exists



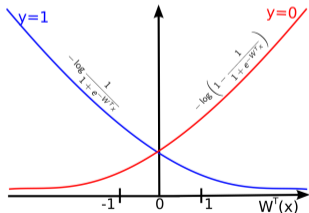
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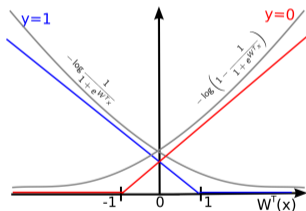


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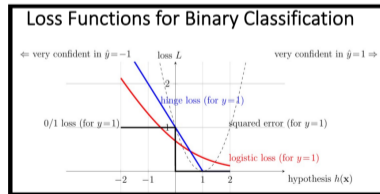
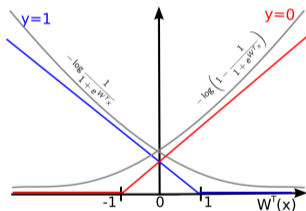


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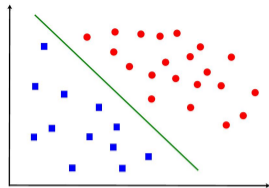
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$$\min_W \frac{1}{m} \left[\sum_{i=1}^m y_i \left(-\log \left(1 - \frac{1}{1+e^{-\vec{w}^T x_i}} \right) \right) + (1 - y_i) \left(-\log \frac{1}{1+e^{-\vec{w}^T x_i}} \right) \right] + \frac{\lambda}{2m} \sum_{j=1}^n w_j^2$$

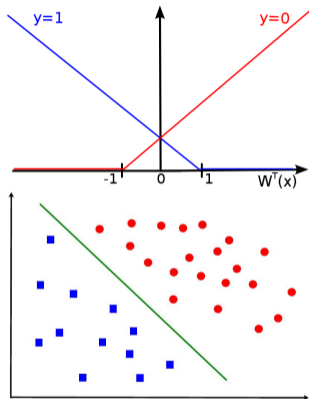
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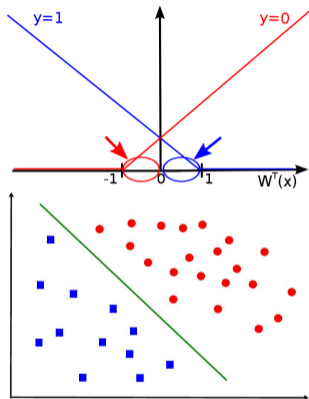
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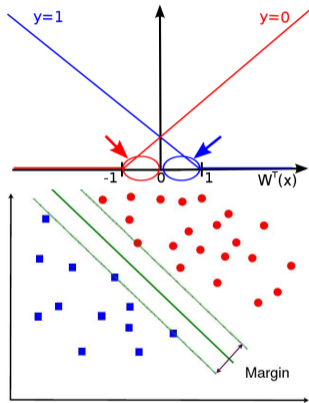


$$\vec{w}^T x \begin{cases} \geq 0 \\ < 0 \end{cases} \text{ sufficient}$$

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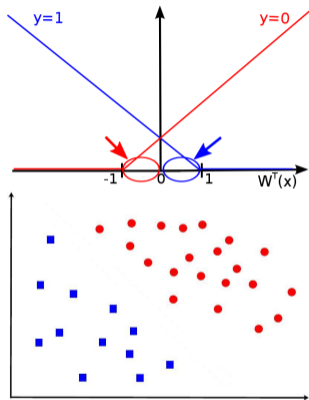
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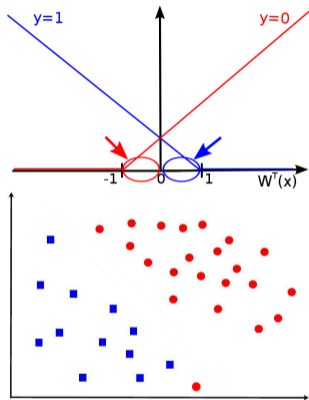
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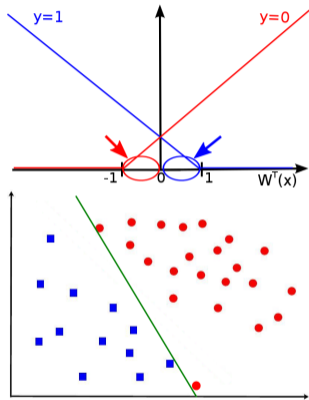
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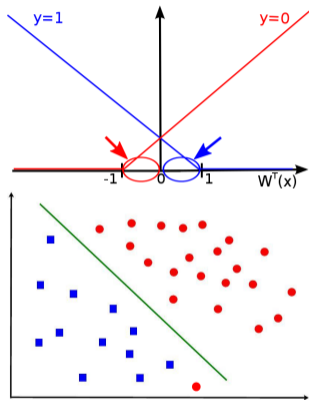
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small λ' stricter boundary at the cost
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Rewrite the SVM optimisation problem as

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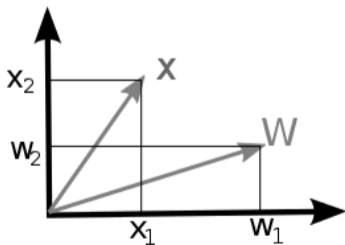
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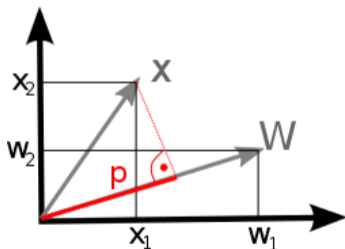


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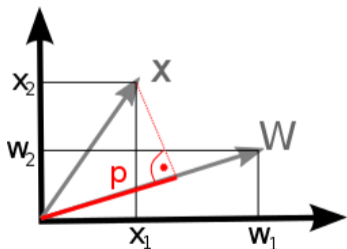


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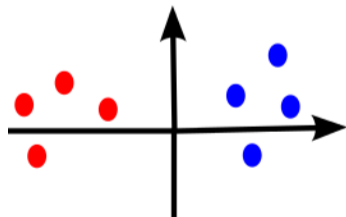


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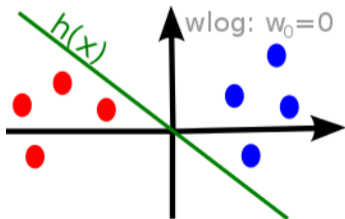


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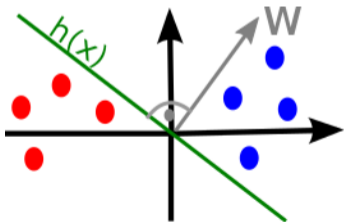


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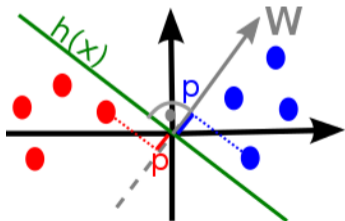
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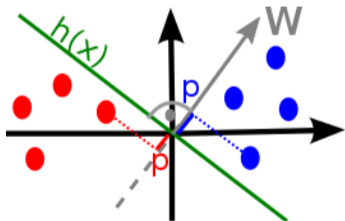
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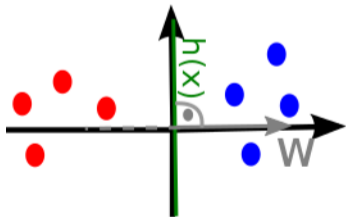
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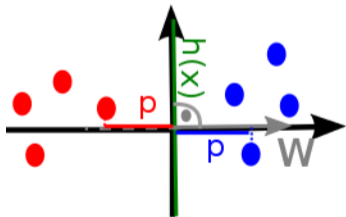
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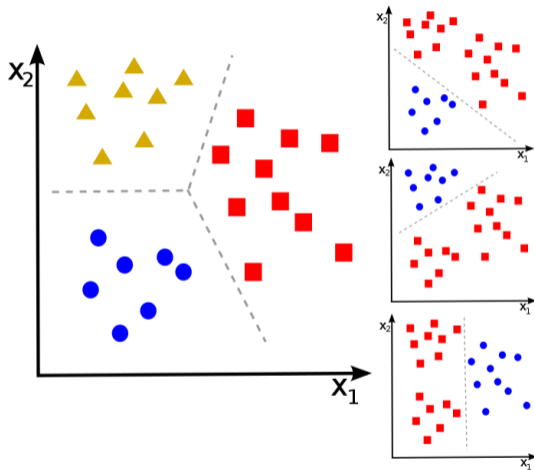
Multi-class: One-versus-all:

Train classifiers for each class to obtain probability that x belongs to class i :

$$h_i(x) = P(y = i | \vec{x}, \vec{W})$$

then, choose

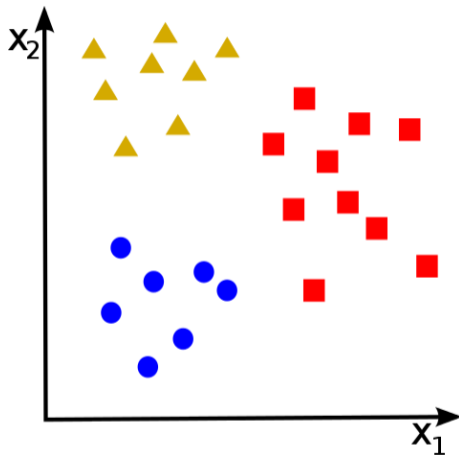
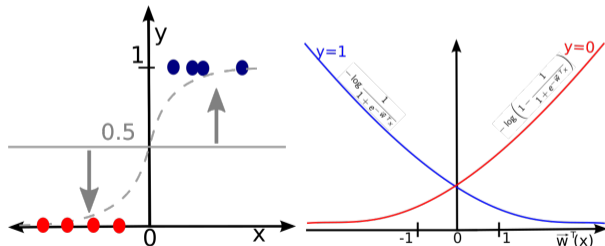
$$\max_j (h_j(x))$$



Multiclass classification

Multiple classes

Can we use logistic regression for problems with more than two classes?

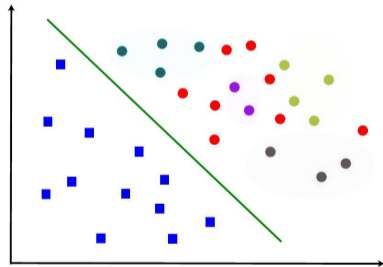


Application to several classes iteratively: One-versus-all

belongs to class 1 or not?

belongs to class 2 or not?

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Questions?

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