

- In general, Distance of a point from a plane (d) is

$$d = \frac{W^T p}{\|W\|}$$

or

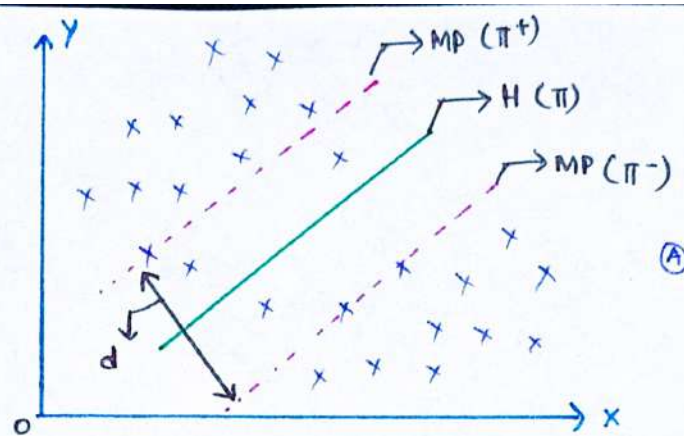
$$d = \|W\| \cdot \|\Pi\| \cdot \cos \theta$$

### Observation:

- Points above the plane make  $\theta_1$  angle with  $\hat{W}$  and from formula and fact that  $\theta_1$  is always less than  $90^\circ$  as  $\hat{W} \perp \Pi$   
 $\therefore$  value of  $\cos \theta$  for  $\theta < 90$  is always +ve.  
 $\Rightarrow$  Points above plane always have +ve 'd'.
- Points below plane make  $\theta_2$  angle with  $\hat{W}$  and from formula and fact  $\theta_2$  always more than  $90^\circ$   
 $\therefore$  value of  $\cos \theta$  for  $\theta > 90$  is always -ve.  
 $\Rightarrow$  Points below plane always have -ve 'd'.

### Support Vector Classifier

- Support Vectors (sv):** Data points that are closer to hyperplane and influence the position and orientation of hyperplane.
- Marginal Plane (MP):** Planes closer to the sv are marginal plane and help in choosing hyperplane.
- Margin (d):** Distance between two marginal plane.
- Hyperplane (H):** Best plane which clearly separates data points with highest margin.



- Our aim is to find best plane which can clearly separate data points.
- This plane has maximum margin and called hyperplane ( $\Pi$ ).
- Our goal is to maximize the margin (d), classifier using such methodology is called **maximal margin classifier** and that maximum margin plane is called **margin maximizing plane**.
- Maximizing margin (M) given,  

$$C + x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_m$$

$$L(i)$$

$$y_i (C + W_1 x_{i1} + W_2 x_{i2} + \dots + W_n x_{in}) \geq M, i = 1, \dots, n$$

$$L(i)$$

- This equation means define margin M by tuning coefficients of all variables such that margin is maximized and product of predicted (observed) value with equation of respective input features should be greater than margin (M).

- If hyperplane able to clearly separate data points like fig A then it is called **Hard margin SVC**.

In such case,

$$\Pi^+ = W^T x_1 + C = +1$$

$$\Pi^- = W^T x_2 + C = -1$$

If we add these two we get,

$$d = \frac{W^T (x_1 - x_2)}{\|W\|}$$

$$\therefore d = \frac{2}{\|W\|}$$

$$\text{as } (\Pi^+ + \Pi^-) = W^T (x_1 - x_2) = 2$$

So,  $d = 2/\|W\|$  is margin in case of hard margin classifier.

- We need to maximize 'd' by changing coefficients of features in matrix X which are present in matrix  $W^T$ .

- This margin is basically observed values distances under constraint,

$$y_i \begin{cases} 1, & W^T x + C \geq 1 \\ -1, & W^T x + C \leq -1 \end{cases}$$

for all points which is basically error.  
 Combining constraints we get,

$$y_i (W^T x + C) \geq 1$$