Ideal Alternatives

• Function (Model):



g(x) > 0

Output = class 1

else

Output = class 2

• Loss function:

$$L(f) = \sum_{n} \delta(f(x^n) \neq \hat{y}^n)$$

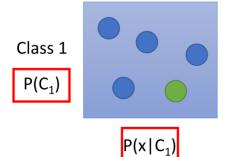
The number of times f get incorrect results on training data.

- Find the best function:
 - Example: Perceptron, SVM

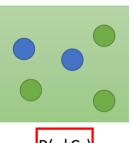
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Two Classes

Estimating the Probabilities From training data



Class 2
P(C₂)



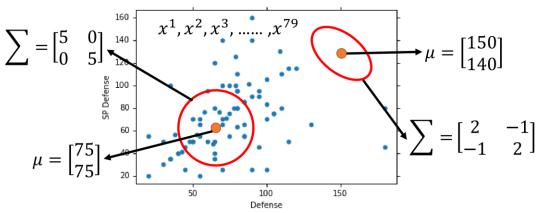
 $P(x | C_2)$

Given an x, which class does it belong to

$$P(C_1|x) = \frac{P(x|C_1)P(C_1)}{P(x|C_1)P(C_1) + P(x|C_2)P(C_2)}$$

Generative Model $P(x) = P(x|C_1)P(C_1) + P(x|C_2)P(C_2)$

$$\underline{\textbf{\textit{Maximum Likelihood}}} \quad f_{\mu,\Sigma}(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{D/2}} \frac{1}{|\Sigma|^{1/2}} exp\left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (x-\mu)^T \Sigma^{-1} (x-\mu) \right\}$$



The Gaussian with any mean μ and covariance matrix Σ can generate these points. Different Likelihood

Likelihood of a Gaussian with mean μ and covariance matrix Σ = the probability of the Gaussian samples $x^1, x^2, x^3, \dots, x^{79}$

$$L(\mu, \Sigma) = f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^1) f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^2) f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^3) \dots \dots f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^{79})$$

Maximum Likelihood

We have the "Water" type Pokémons: $x^1, x^2, x^3, \dots, x^{79}$

We assume $x^1, x^2, x^3, \dots, x^{79}$ generate from the Gaussian (μ^*, Σ^*) with the **maximum likelihood**

$$L(\mu, \Sigma) = f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^{1}) f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^{2}) f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^{3}) \dots \dots f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x^{79})$$
$$f_{\mu, \Sigma}(x) = \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{D/2}} \frac{1}{|\Sigma|^{1/2}} exp\left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (x - \mu)^{T} \Sigma^{-1} (x - \mu) \right\}$$

$$\mu^*, \Sigma^* = arg \max_{\mu, \Sigma} L(\mu, \Sigma)$$

$$\mu^* = \frac{1}{79} \sum_{n=1}^{79} x^n \qquad \qquad \Sigma^* = \frac{1}{79} \sum_{n=1}^{79} (x^n - \mu^*) (x^n - \mu^*)^T$$

Now we can do classification ©

$$\begin{split} f_{\mu^{1},\Sigma^{1}}(x) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{D/2}} \frac{1}{|\Sigma^{1}|^{1/2}} exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (x - \mu^{1})^{T} (\Sigma^{1})^{-1} (x - \mu^{1}) \right\} \\ \mu^{1} &= \begin{bmatrix} 75.0 \\ 71.3 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma^{1} &= \begin{bmatrix} 874 & 327 \\ 327 & 929 \end{bmatrix} \\ P(C_{1}|x) &= \frac{P(x|C_{1})P(C_{1})}{P(x|C_{1})P(C_{1}) + P(x|C_{2})P(C_{2})} \\ f_{\mu^{2},\Sigma^{2}}(x) &= \frac{1}{(2\pi)^{D/2}} \frac{1}{|\Sigma^{2}|^{1/2}} exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (x - \mu^{2})^{T} (\Sigma^{2})^{-1} (x - \mu^{2}) \right\} \\ \mu^{2} &= \begin{bmatrix} 55.6 \\ 59.8 \end{bmatrix} \quad \Sigma^{2} &= \begin{bmatrix} 847 & 422 \\ 422 & 685 \end{bmatrix} \end{split}$$

If $P(C_1|x) > 0.5$ \blacktriangleright x belongs to class 1 (Water)