



Classification

1. Logistic Regression

Classification and Regression

- Classification:
 - predicts categorical class labels
 - Constructs classification models based on training data and uses the models in classifying new data
- Regression:
 - models continuous-valued functions, i.e., predicts unknown or missing numeric values
- Example Applications
 - credit approval- classify loan application by their likelihood of defaulting on payments
 - target marketing
 - medical diagnosis
 - treatment effectiveness analysis

Classification Applications

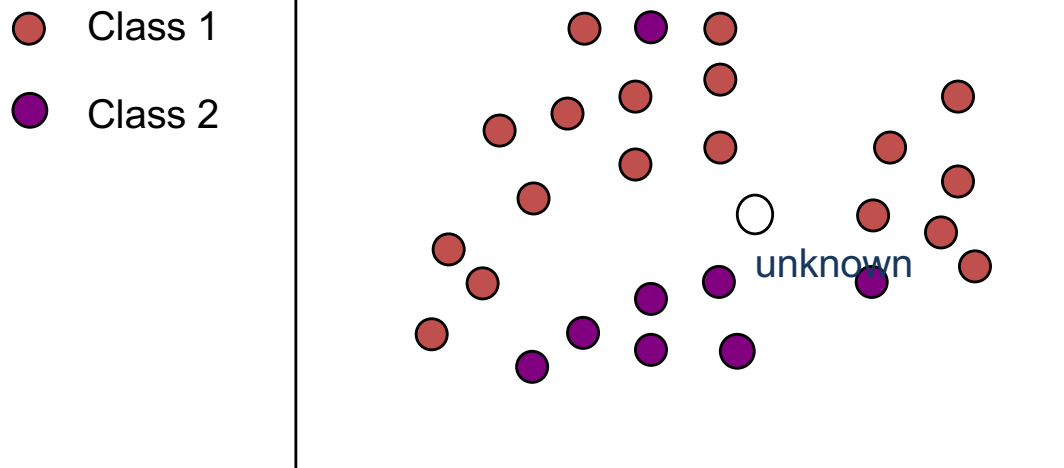
- Example Applications (continued)
 - Image processing : interpretation of digital images in radiology, recognizing 3-D objects, outdoor image segmentation
 - Language processing : text classification
 - Software development : estimate the development effort of a given software module
 - Pharmacology: drug analysis
 - Molecular biology : analyzing amino acid sequences
 - Medicine : cardiology, analyzing sudden infant death syndrome, diagnosing thyroid disorder
 - Manufacturing : classify equipment malfunctions by their cause

Classification—A Two-Step Process

- Model construction: describing a set of predetermined classes
 - Each tuple/sample is assumed to belong to a predefined class, as determined by the **class label attribute**
 - The set of tuples used for model construction: **training set**
 - The model is represented as classification rules, decision trees, mathematical formulae, neural networks, or an ensemble of these
- Model usage: for classifying future or unknown objects
 - Estimate accuracy of the model
 - The set of tuples used for testing the performance of the model: **test data**
 - The known label of test sample is compared with the classified result from the model
 - Accuracy rate is the percentage of test set samples that are correctly classified by the model
 - Test set is independent of training set, otherwise over-fitting will occur

Classification

Learn a method for predicting the instance class from pre-labeled (classified) instances



Many approaches:
Regression,
Decision Trees,
Nearest Neighbor,
Support Vector
Machines, Neural
Networks,

...

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Loan approval problem with a single variable

x_1 : credit score (FICO score)

y : 1-approve, 0-deny

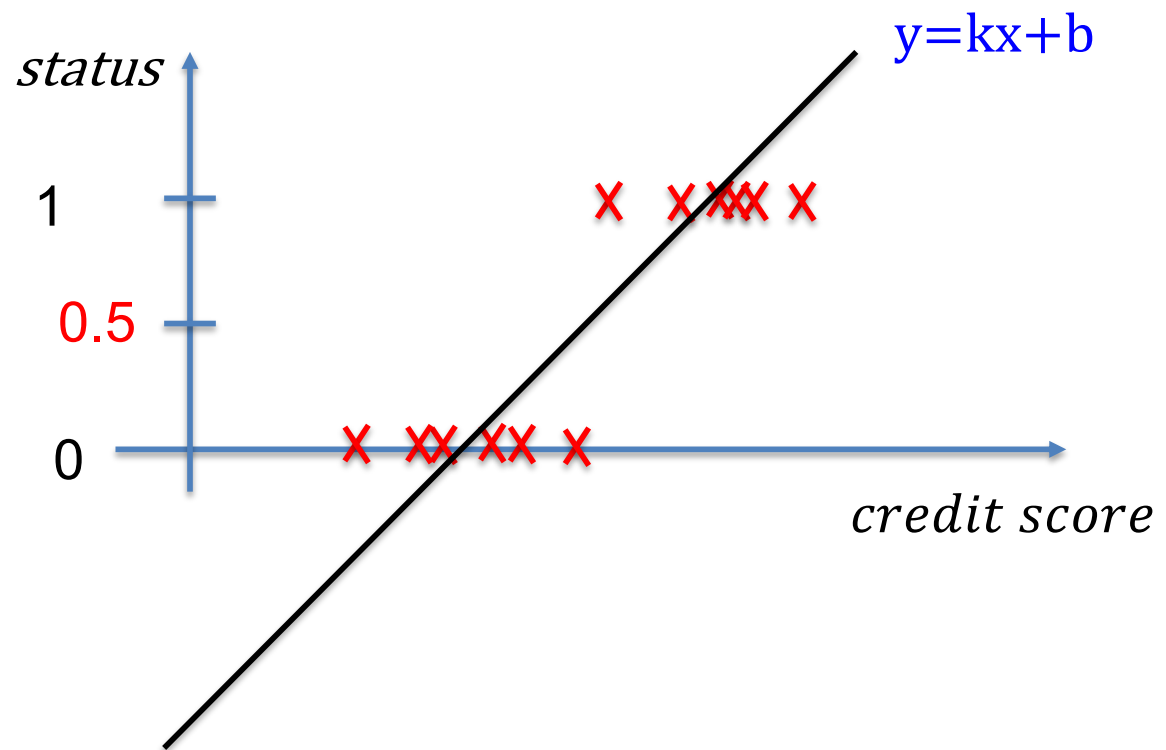
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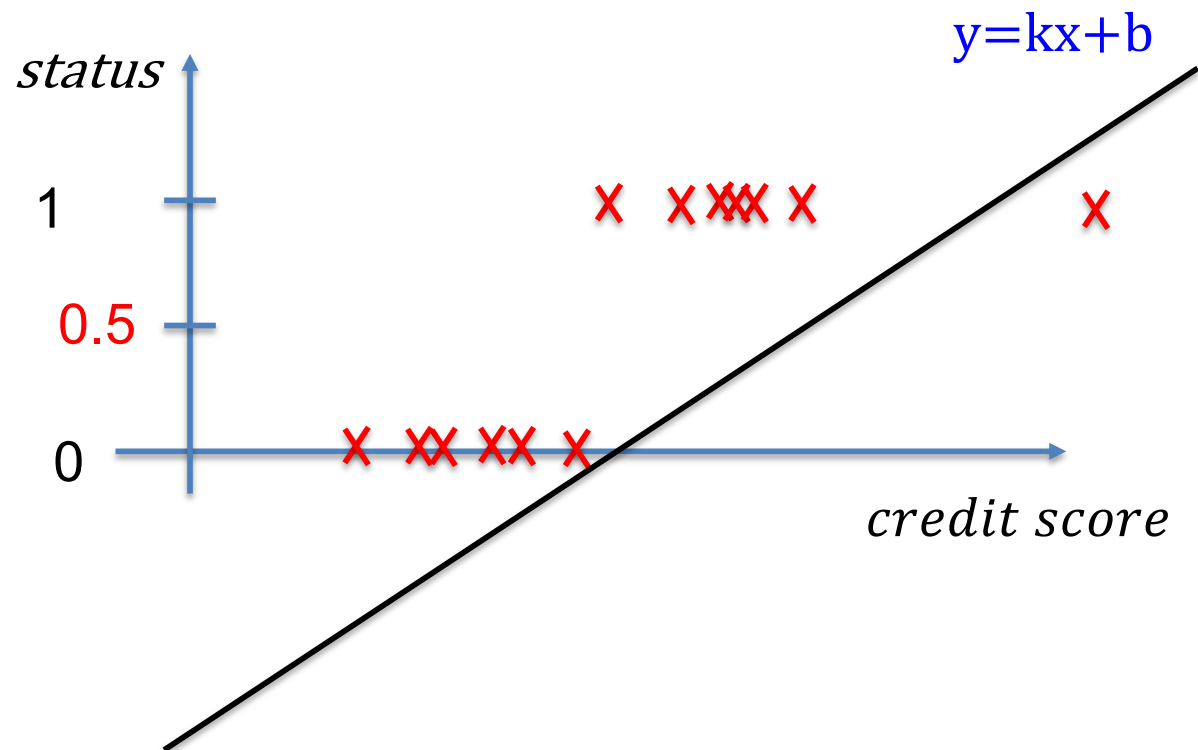
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Loan approval problem

x_1 : credit score (FICO score)

x_2 : income

(may include other features)

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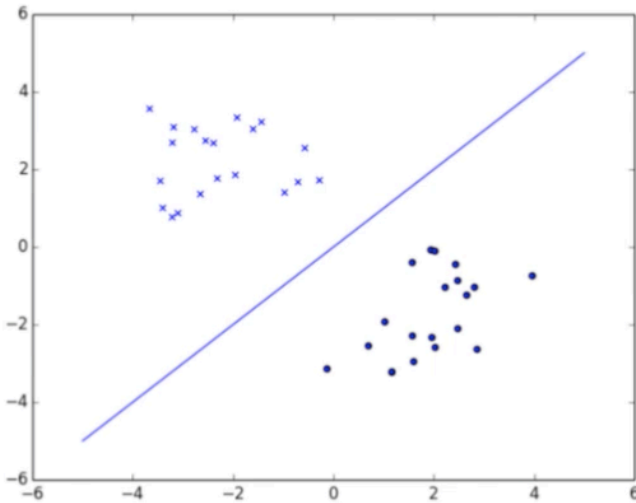
Training Data

| Credit Score | Income | Loan Status |
|--------------|--------|-------------|
| 750 | 113000 | 1 |
| 725 | 26000 | 0 |
| 700 | 54000 | 0 |
| 650 | 45000 | 0 |
| 726 | 89500 | 1 |
| 645 | 78500 | 0 |
| 800 | 87050 | 1 |
| ... | ... | ... |

Test data:

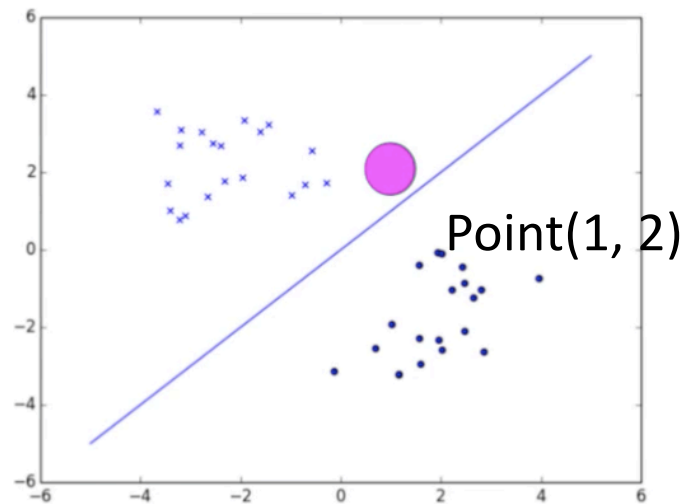
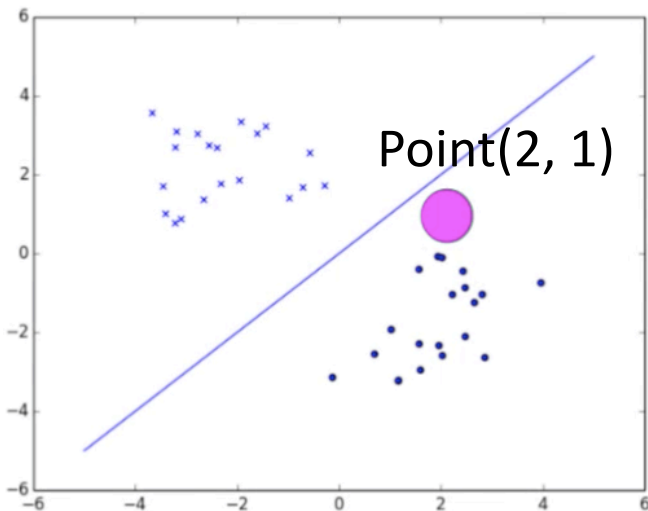
for a new applicant with credit score 715 and income 68500, will the loan application be approved?

Linear Regression



$$y = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2$$

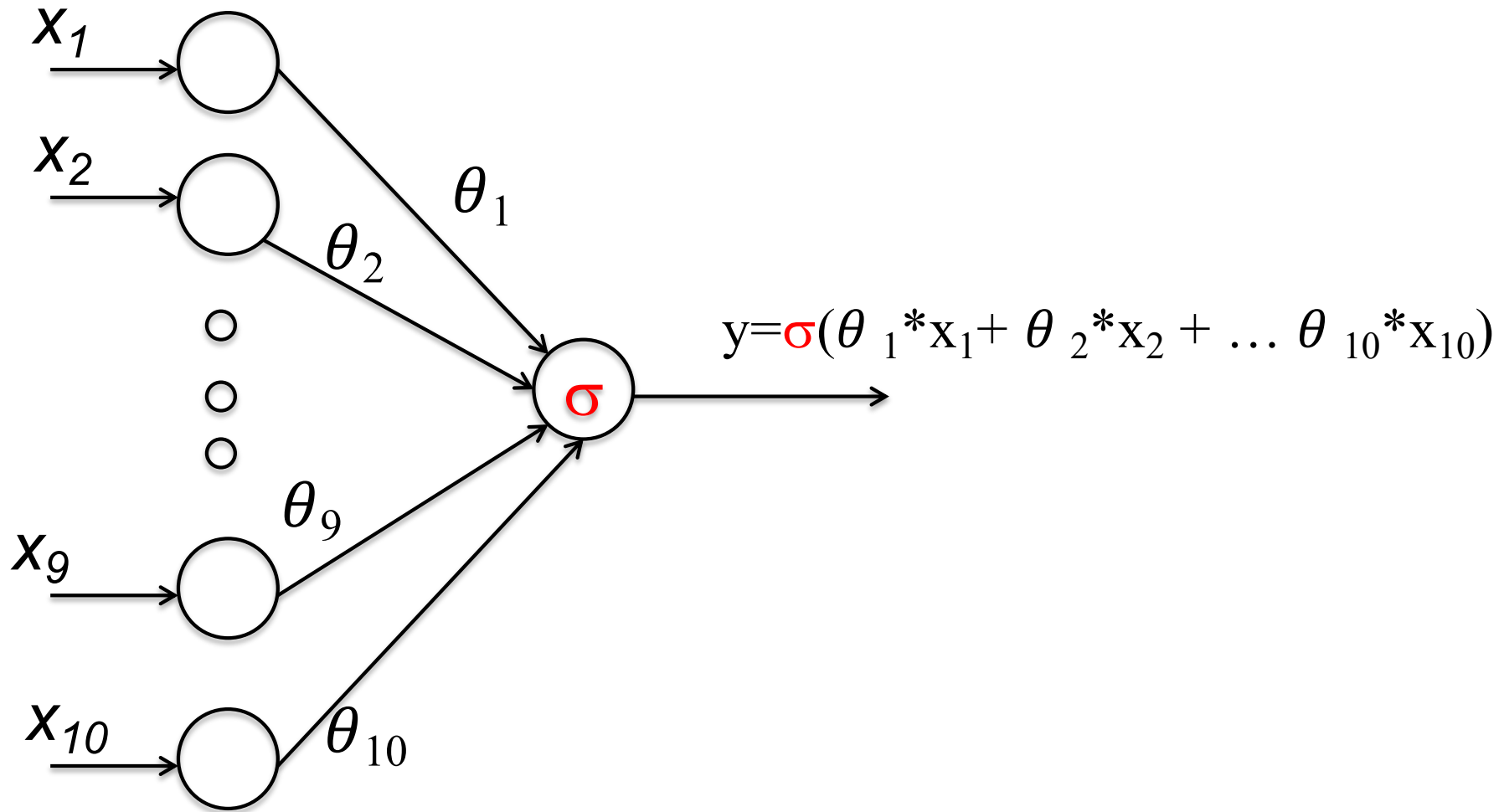
$$h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2$$



Regression

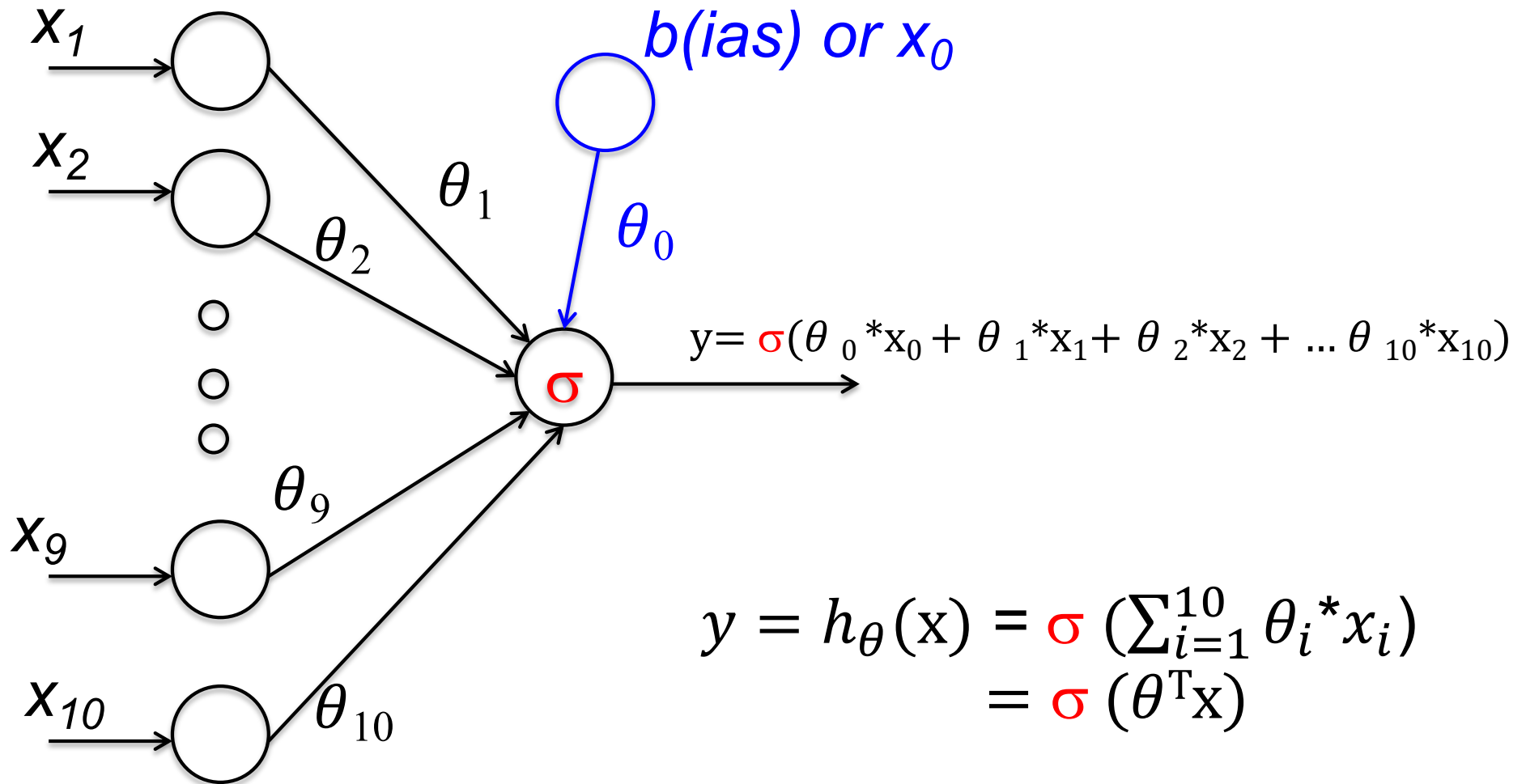
- $h_{\theta}(x) = \theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2$, $h()$ is a linear combination of the components of x
 - In vector form : $h_{\theta}(x) = \theta^T x$
- The class separating function:
 - In 2-dimensions: a line
 - In 3-dimensions: a plane
 - In >3 dimension: hyperplane

Logistic Regression



10 features

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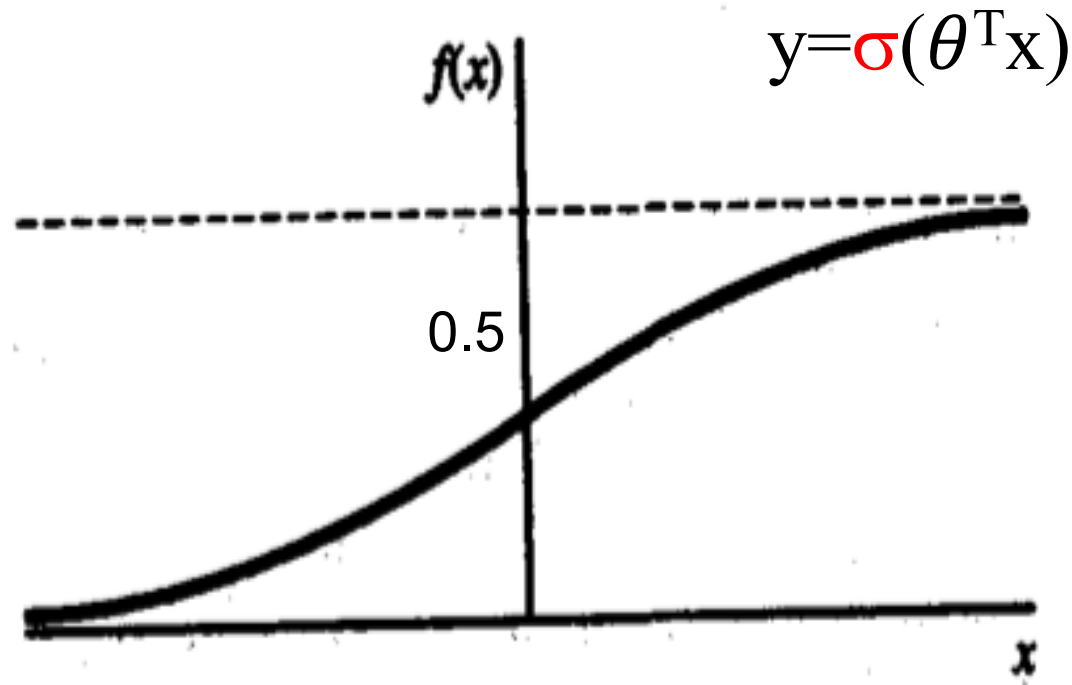


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Activation Function σ

- **Tanh()**
$$f(x) = \frac{2}{1 + e^{-2x}} - 1$$
$$f'(x) = 1 - f(x)^2$$
- **Sigmoid/Logistic**
$$f(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{(-x)}}$$
$$f'(x) = f(x)[1 - f(x)]$$
- **Bipolar Sigmoid**
$$f(x) = \frac{2}{1 + e^{(-x)}} - 1$$
$$f'(x) = \frac{1}{2}[1 + f(x)][1 - f(x)]$$

Sigmoid Function for Classification



if $\sigma(\theta^T x) < 0.5$,
predict class 0

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predict class 0)

if $\sigma(\theta^T x) > 0.5$,
predict class 1

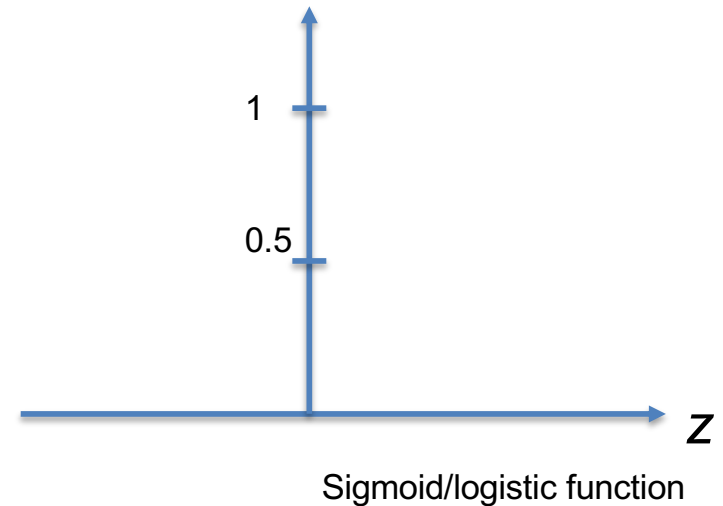
$(\theta^T x \geq 0,$
predict class 1)

Logistic Regression Model

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \sigma(\theta^T x)$$

$$\text{let } z = \theta^T x, \sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-z}}$$

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\theta^T x}}$$



$h_{\theta}(x)$: estimated probability that $y = 1$ on input x

$$p(y=1 \mid x, \theta)$$

$$p(y=0 \mid x, \theta) = 1 - p(y=1 \mid x, \theta)$$

How to use it in credit assignment or medical diagnosis problems?

Estimate the Parameters θ

Given:

Training data set:

$\{ \{x^1, y^1\},$
 $\{x^2, y^2\},$
 $\{x^3, y^3\},$
 \dots
 $\{x^m, y^m\} \}$

$$x = \begin{bmatrix} x_0 \\ x_1 \\ \dots \\ x_n \end{bmatrix} \quad x_0=1, y \in \{0, 1\}$$

m examples

$$h_{\theta}(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\theta^T x}}$$

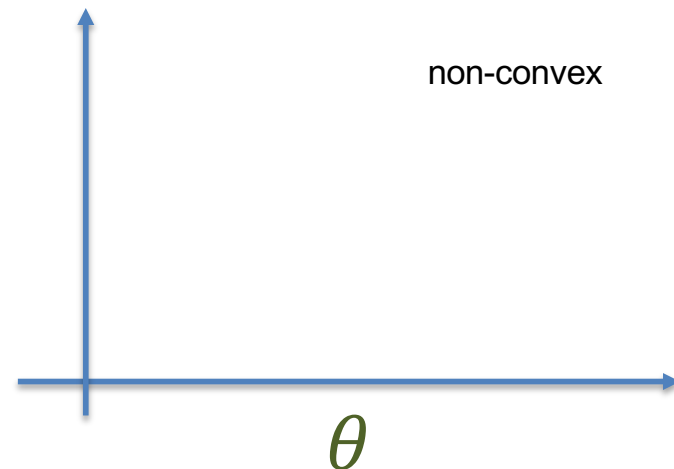
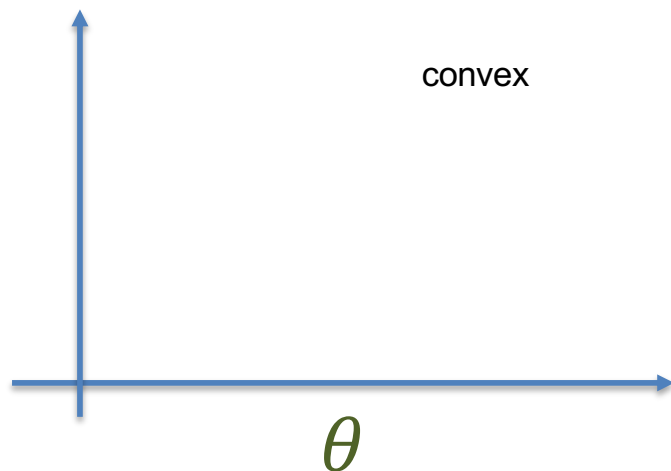
How to estimate the parameters θ from data?

Cost Function

- Linear Regression:

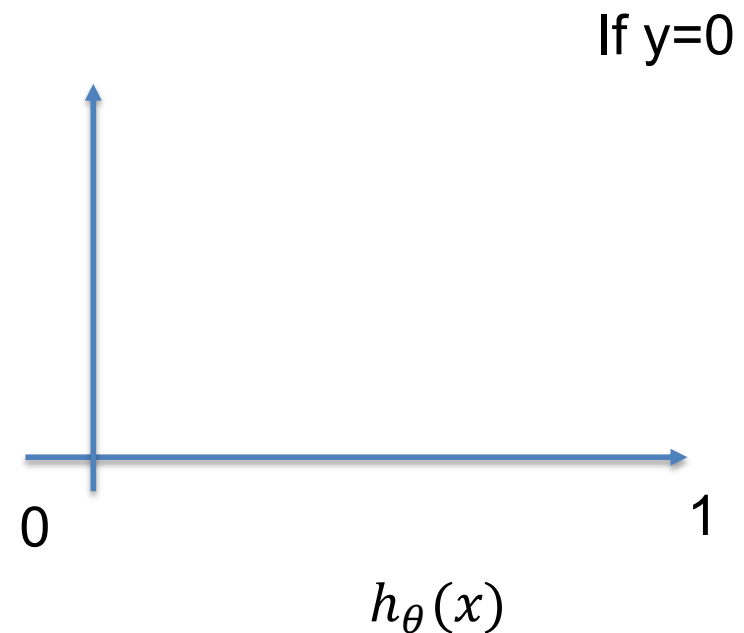
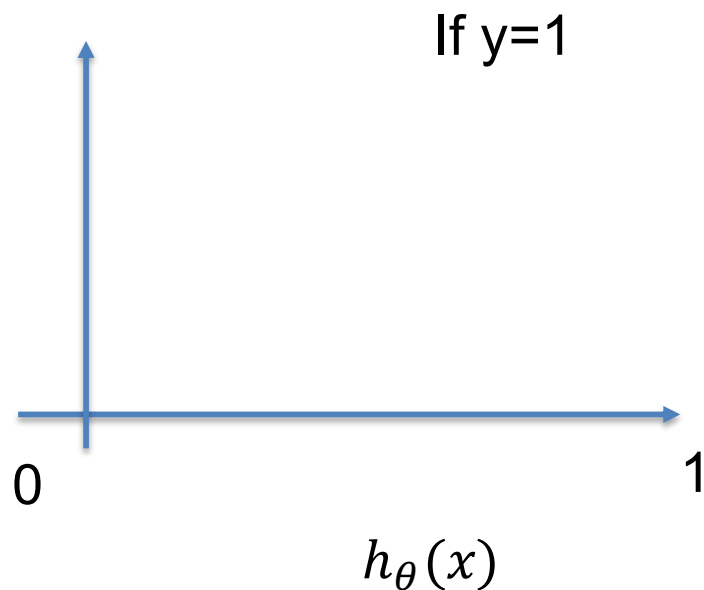
$$J(\theta) = -\frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$$

- In logistic regression, $(h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)})^2$ is not a convex curve, not suitable for gradient descent approximation approach.



Logistic Regression Cost Function

$$Cost(h_{\theta}(x), y) = \begin{cases} -\log(h_{\theta}(x)) & \text{if } y=1 \\ -\log(1 - h_{\theta}(x)) & \text{if } y=0 \end{cases}$$



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Combine these two into one single cost function:

$$Cost(h_{\theta}(x), y) = -y * \log(h_{\theta}(x)) - (1-y) * \log(1 - h_{\theta}(x))$$

If $y=1$, $Cost(h_{\theta}(x), y) = -\log(h_{\theta}(x))$

If $y=0$, $Cost(h_{\theta}(x), y) = -\log(1 - h_{\theta}(x))$

Gradient Descent

- *To minimize the Cost function:*

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

- To minimizing the cost function over the entire data set
 - Generally, there is no closed form solution for this minimization problem, except for special cases
 - Approach: Gradient descent

Repeat for each iteration:

$$\theta_j := \theta_j - \lambda \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta)$$

where:

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} J(\theta) = \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$$

Weight Updates with Gradient Descent

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

Want minimize $J(w)$:

Repeat for each iteration:

$$\theta_j := \theta_j - \lambda \sum_{i=1}^m (h_{\theta}(x^{(i)}) - y^{(i)}) x_j^{(i)}$$

Simultaneously update all θ_j

λ : Learning Rate \rightarrow step size