


Anomaly Detection Example:

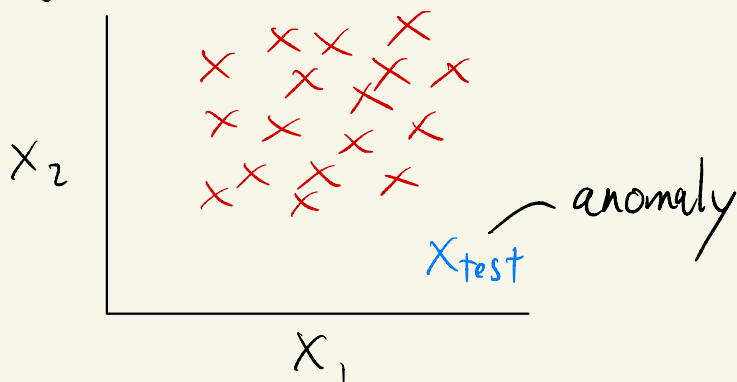
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e.g. x_1 = heat generated

x_2 = vibration intensity

Dataset: $\{x^{(1)}, x^{(2)} \dots x^{(m)}\}$

New Engine: x_{test}

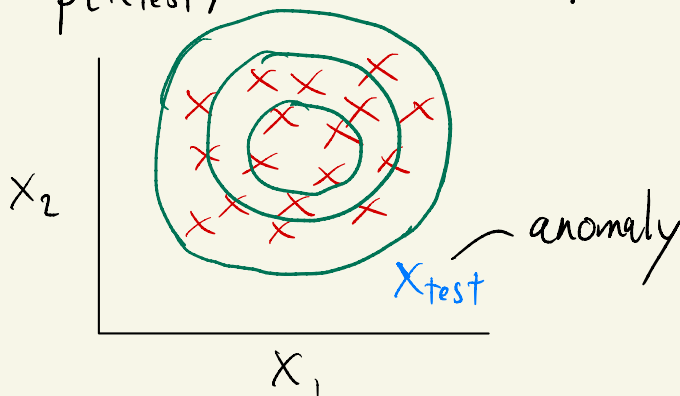


So how do we determine if x_{test} is anomalous?

Create probability function $p(x)$.

$\hookrightarrow p(x_{\text{test}}) < \epsilon \rightarrow \text{flag anomaly}$

$p(x_{\text{test}}) \geq \epsilon \rightarrow \text{normal}$



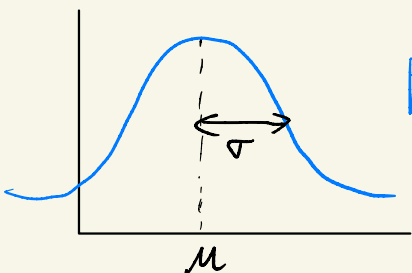
What is the probability that x is normal?

Gaussian (Normal) Distribution!

Let $x \in \mathbb{R}$. If x is a distributed Gaussian w/ mean μ and variance σ^2 !

$$x \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu, \sigma^2) \quad \mu = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m x^{(i)} \quad \sigma^2 = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x^{(i)} - \mu)^2$$

↳ "distributed as"



$$p(x; \mu, \sigma^2) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi} \sigma} \exp\left(-\frac{(x-\mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

⊛ Gaussian function

Density Estimation!

$$x_1 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_1, \sigma_1^2)$$

$$x_2 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_2, \sigma_2^2)$$

$$x_3 \sim \mathcal{N}(\mu_3, \sigma_3^2)$$

$$\otimes \prod_{i=1}^n i = 1 \times 2 \times \dots \times n$$

$$\begin{aligned} p(x) &= p(x_1; \mu_1, \sigma_1^2) p(x_2; \mu_2, \sigma_2^2) \dots p(x_n; \mu_n, \sigma_n^2) \\ &= \prod_{j=1}^n p(x_j; \mu_j, \sigma_j^2) \end{aligned}$$

Anomaly Detection Algorithm;

1. Choose features x_i that you think are indicative of anomalous examples.

2. Fit parameters $\mu_1, \dots, \mu_n, \sigma_1^2, \dots, \sigma_n^2$

$$\rightarrow \mu_j = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m x_j^{(i)} \longrightarrow \begin{bmatrix} \mu_1 \\ \mu_2 \\ \vdots \\ \mu_n \end{bmatrix} = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m x^{(i)}$$

$$\rightarrow \sigma_j^2 = \frac{1}{m} \sum_{i=1}^m (x_j^{(i)} - \mu_j)^2$$

3. Given new example x , compute $p(x)$.

$$p(x) = \prod_{j=1}^n p(x_j; \mu_j, \sigma_j^2)$$

$$= \prod_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma_j} \exp\left(-\frac{(x_j - \mu_j)^2}{2\sigma_j^2}\right)$$

Anomaly if $p(x) < \epsilon$.