

Machine Learning for Time Series and **Anomaly Detection**

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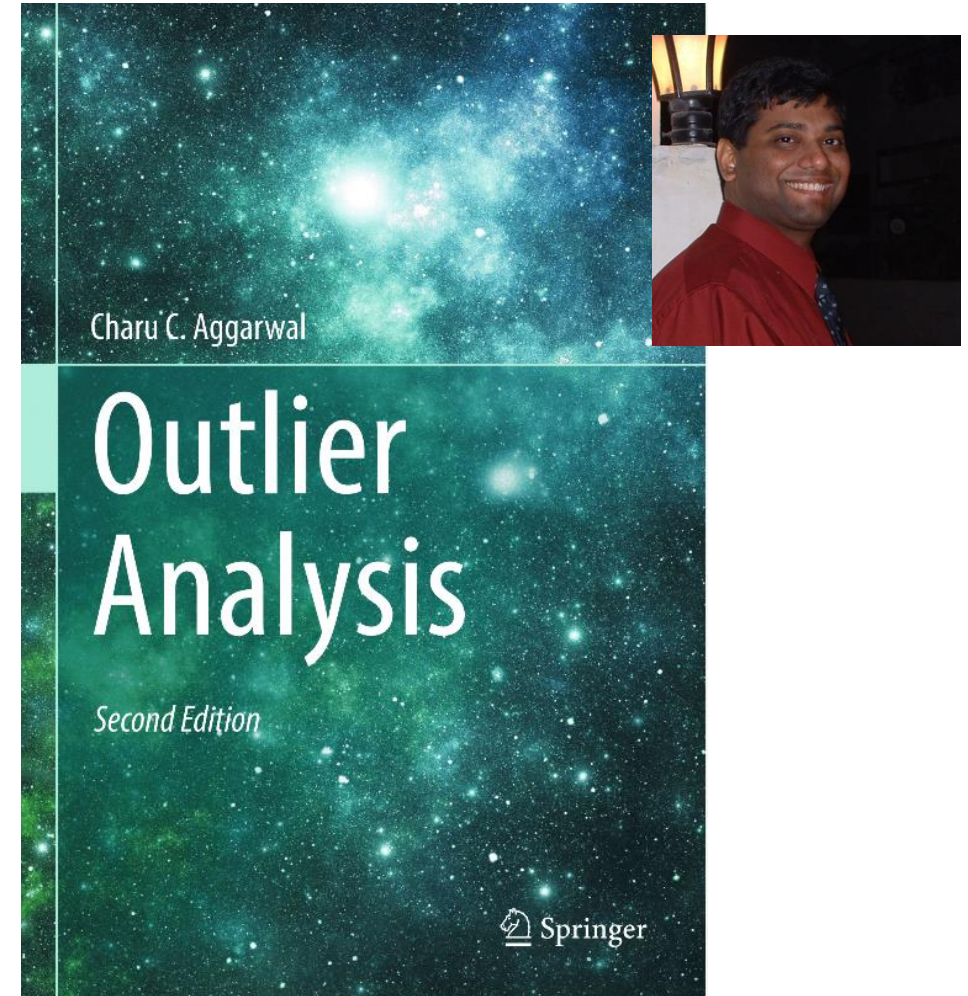


1. Introduction
2. Overview over model families
3. Evaluation
4. Linear and kernel models
5. Distance- and density-based models
6. (Deep-Learning-based models)

Text book

<https://link.springer.com/book/10.1007/978-3-319-47578-3>

- Parts of the lecture are based on:
Outlier Analysis by Aggarwal
- E-book can be accessed from the
university for free!



Lecture 1: Introduction to Anomaly Detection

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“The data arise from two distributions. One of these, the 'basic distribution', generates 'good' observations, while another, the 'contaminating distribution', generates 'contaminants'.”

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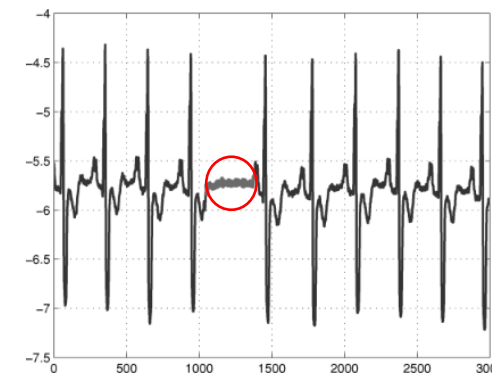
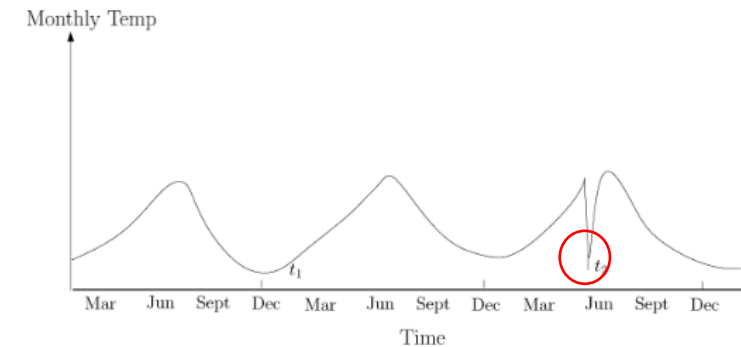
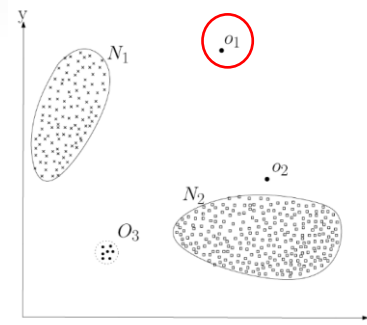
Application examples

- Intrusion detection
- Credit-card fraud
- Sensor events
- Medical diagnosis
- Law enforcement
- Earth science



Types of Anomalies

- Point anomalies: present or absent with respect to all other data points
- Contextual anomalies: not conspicuous in isolation but in context
 - Temporal context
 - Spatial context
 - Other dependencies
- Collective anomalies: a group or sequence of data points is anomalous



- Kaggle: Bitcoin Historical Data
- <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/mczielinski/bitcoin-historical-data/>

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Bitcoin Historical Data

Bitcoin data at 1-min intervals from select exchanges, Jan 2012 to March 2021

Data Card

Code (411)

Discussion (45)

About Dataset

Context

Bitcoin is the longest running and most well known cryptocurrency, first released as open source in 2009 by the anonymous Satoshi Nakamoto. Bitcoin serves as a decentralized medium of digital exchange, with transactions verified and recorded in a public distributed ledger (the blockchain) without the need for a trusted record keeping authority or central intermediary. Transaction blocks contain a SHA-256 cryptographic hash of previous transaction blocks, and are thus "chained" together, serving as an immutable record of all transactions that have ever occurred. As with any

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Expected update frequency

Quarterly

Tags

Finance

Currencies and Foreign Exchange

History

Example: Types of Anomalies (cont.)

```
# download the bitcoin history file if needed
import os
from urllib.request import urlretrieve

url = ("https://www.dropbox.com/scl/fi/ufra7gag7g1l5ktbtk43w/bitstampUSD_1-min_data_2012-01-01_to_2021-03-31.csv?rlkey=bcj9imqn8muw29urg8gt1tda9&dl=1")
filename = "bitstampUSD_1-min_data_2012-01-01_to_2021-03-31.csv"

if not os.path.exists("bitstampUSD_1-min_data_2012-01-01_to_2021-03-31.csv"):
    urlretrieve(url, filename)
```

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from matplotlib.dates import date2num
from datetime import datetime, timedelta

# Load the Data
df = pd.read_csv('bitstampUSD_1-min_data_2012-01-01_to_2021-03-31.csv')

df['Timestamp'] = pd.to_datetime(df['Timestamp'], unit='s')
df.set_index(df['Timestamp'], inplace=True)
df.drop('Timestamp', axis=1, inplace=True)

# We look at a specific time frame
data_slice = df[(df.index > '2012-01-01 00:00') & (df.index < '2017-01-28 23:59')]

# Plot data of the "Low" column
ax = data_slice['Low'].plot()

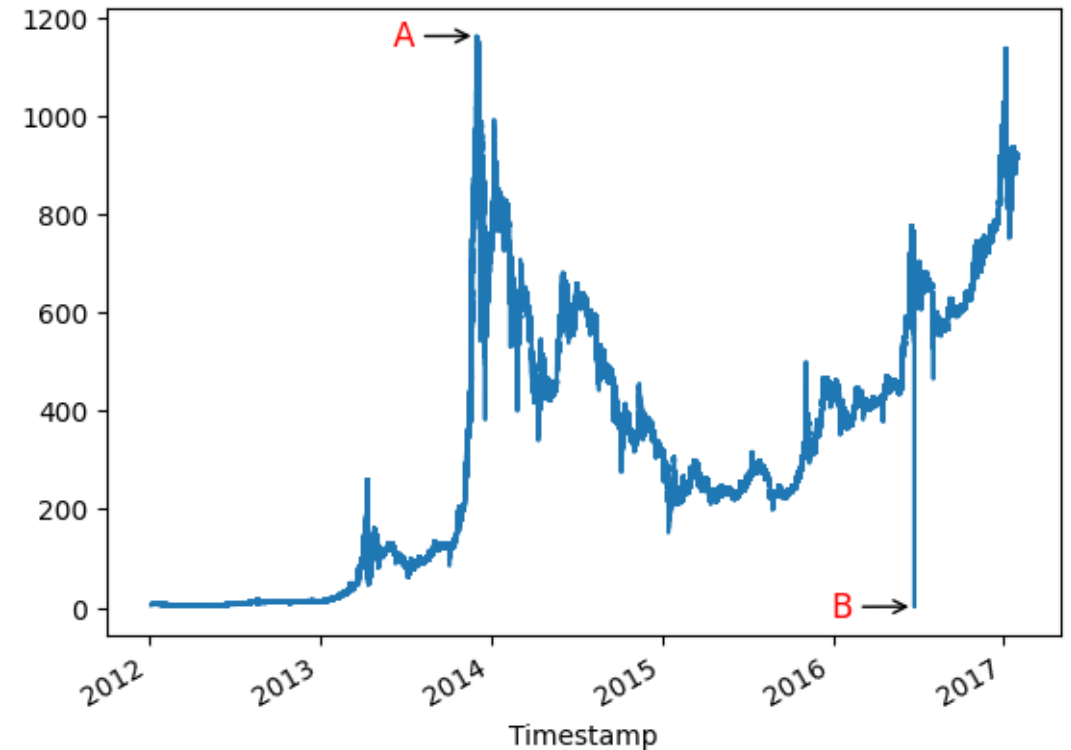
plt.show()
```

Example: Types of Anomalies (cont.)

```
# Annotate two specific points
annotate_times = {'A': '2013-11-30 03:38:00', 'B': '2016-06-23 12:36:00'}
for name, annotate_time in annotate_times.items():
    annotate_value = data_slice.loc[annotate_time, 'Low']
    annotate_time_dt = datetime.strptime(annotate_time, '%Y-%m-%d %H:%M:%S') -
timedelta(days=180)
    ax.annotate(name, xy=(annotate_time, annotate_value),
xytext=(date2num(annotate_time_dt), annotate_value - 20),
            arrowprops=dict(facecolor='black', arrowstyle='->'),
            fontsize=12, color='red')
```


Question:

What type of anomalies are A and B?



Example: Types of Anomalies (cont.)

```
# Point A:
# Get the maximum 'Low' value and the corresponding date
print("Point A:")
max_low_row = data_slice.loc[data_slice['Low'].idxmax()]

max_low_value = max_low_row['Low']
max_low_date = max_low_row.name

print(f"The maximum 'Low' value is {max_low_value} on {max_low_date}")

display(df[(df.index > '2013-11-30 03:34:00') & (df.index < '2013-11-30 03:42:00')][['Low']])
```

Point A:
The maximum 'Low' value is 1162.99 on 2013-11-30 03:38:00

Timestamp

2013-11-30 03:35:00	1162.00
2013-11-30 03:36:00	1162.00
2013-11-30 03:37:00	1162.97
2013-11-30 03:38:00	1162.99
2013-11-30 03:39:00	1162.99
2013-11-30 03:40:00	1162.67
2013-11-30 03:41:00	1162.67

Name: Low, dtype: float64

```
# Point B:
print("Point B:")
min_low_row = data_slice.loc[data_slice['Low'].idxmin()]

# Get the minimum 'Low' value and the corresponding date
min_low_value = min_low_row['Low']
min_low_date = min_low_row.name

print(f"The minimum 'Low' value is {min_low_value} on {min_low_date}")

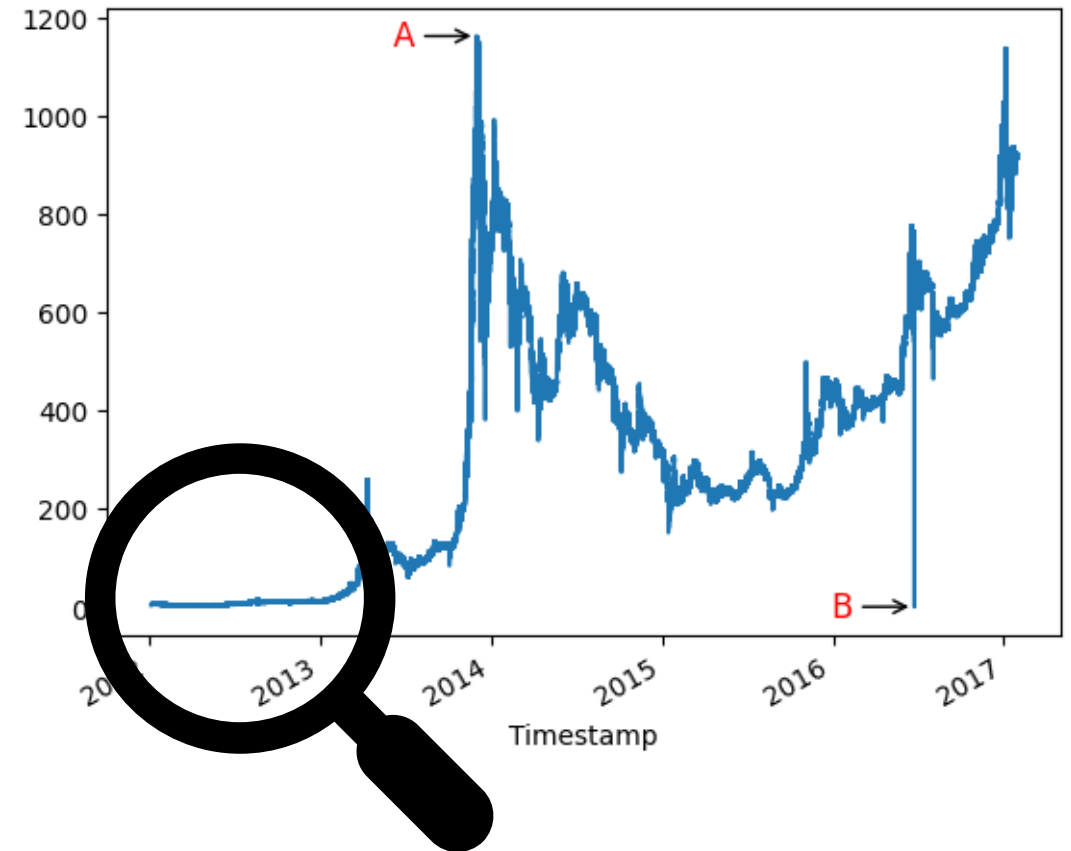
display(df[(df.index > '2016-06-23 12:32') & (df.index < '2016-06-23 12:40')][['Low']])
```

```
Point B:
The minimum 'Low' value is 1.5 on 2016-06-23 12:36:00
Timestamp
2016-06-23 12:33:00    590.54
2016-06-23 12:34:00    590.40
2016-06-23 12:35:00    586.71
2016-06-23 12:36:00     1.50
2016-06-23 12:37:00    584.06
2016-06-23 12:38:00    587.15
2016-06-23 12:39:00    586.43
Name: Low, dtype: float64
```

Question:

What type of anomalies are A and B?

- A seems to be a collective anomaly (anomalous group of points)
- B might be a point or contextual anomaly



Example: Types of Anomalies (cont.)

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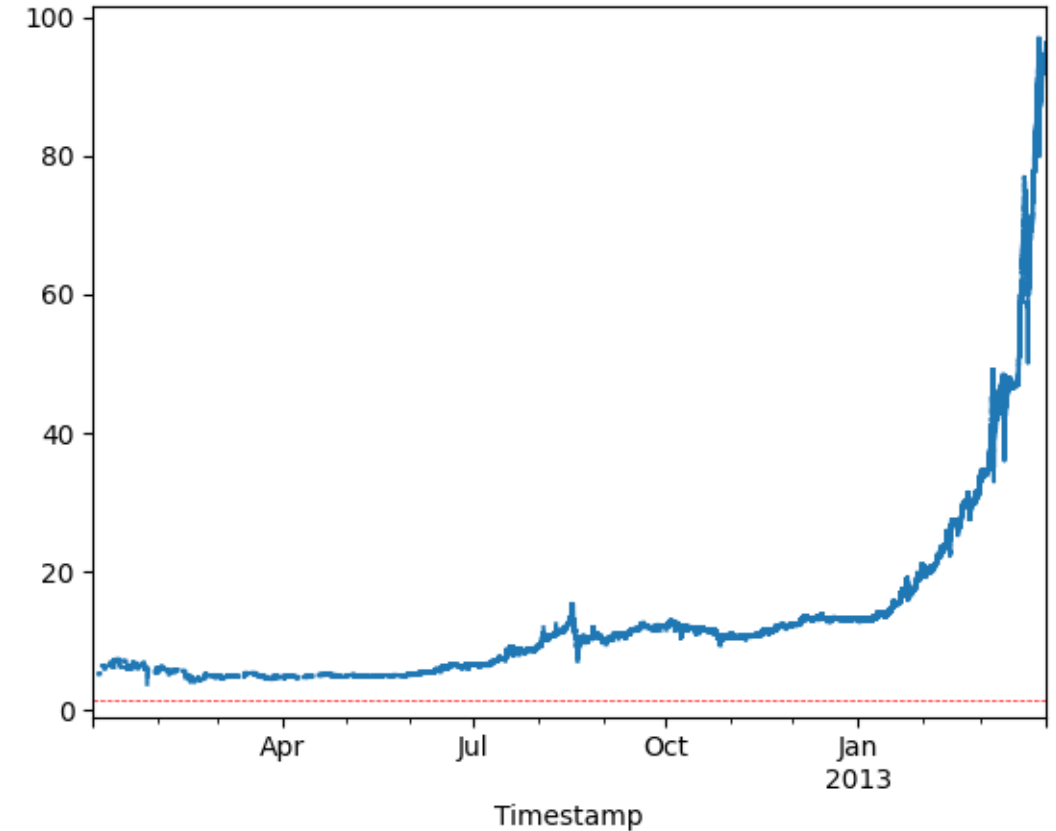
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data_slice = df[(df.index > '2012-01-01 00:00')
& (df.index < '2013-03-31 23:59')]
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ax = data_slice['Low'].plot()
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ax.axhline(y=1.5, color='red', linestyle='--',
linewidth=0.5)
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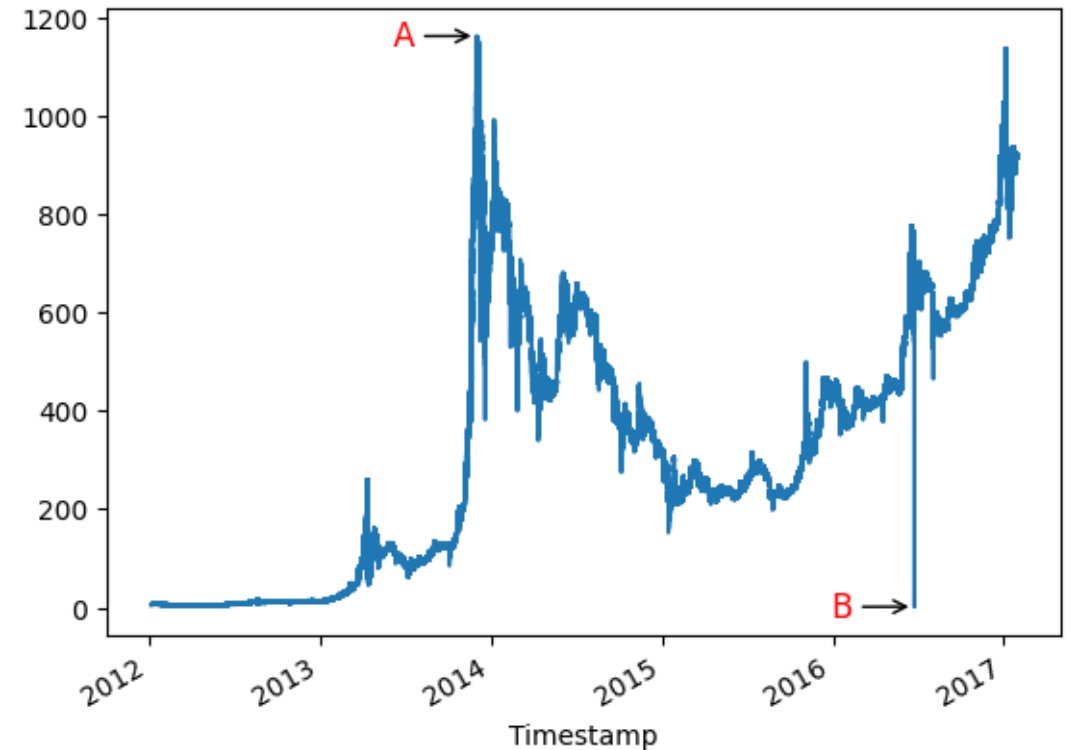
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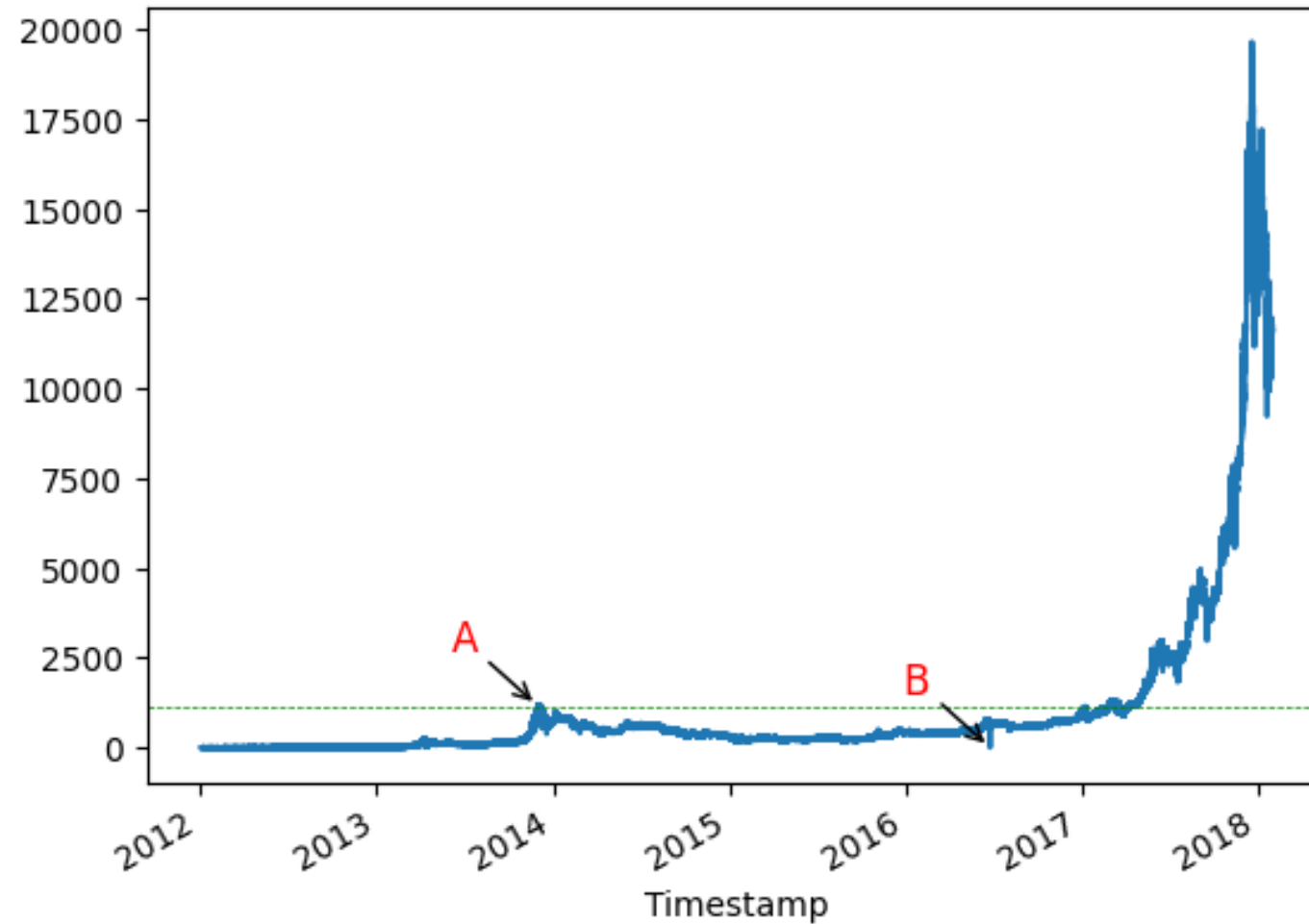
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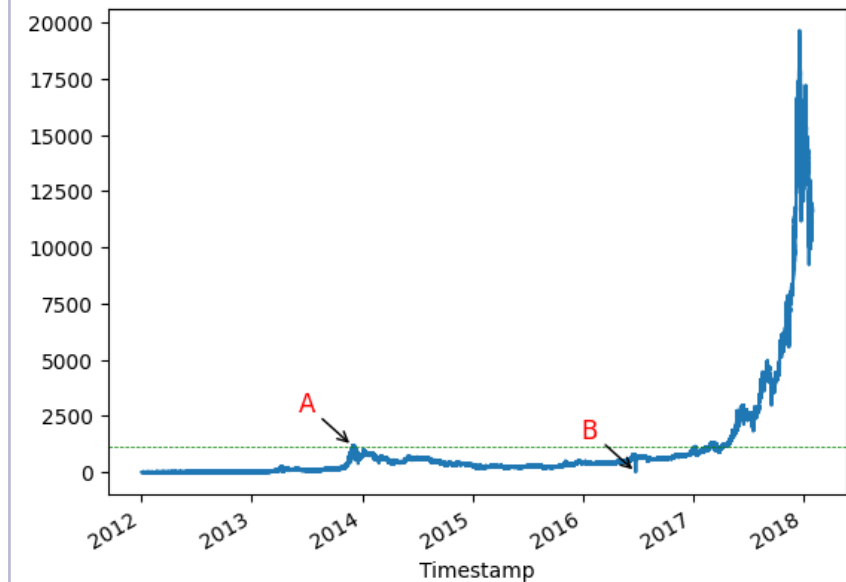


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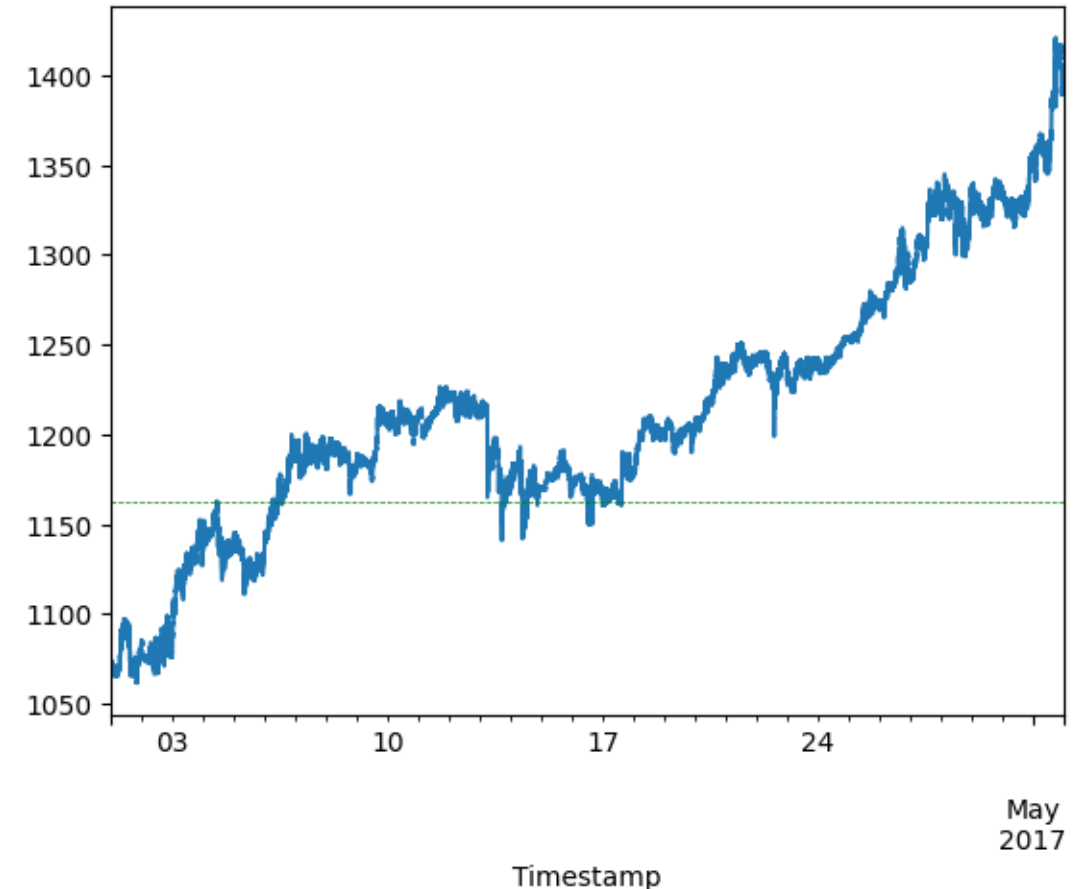
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ax.axhline(y=1162.99, color='green', linestyle='--', linewidth=0.5)
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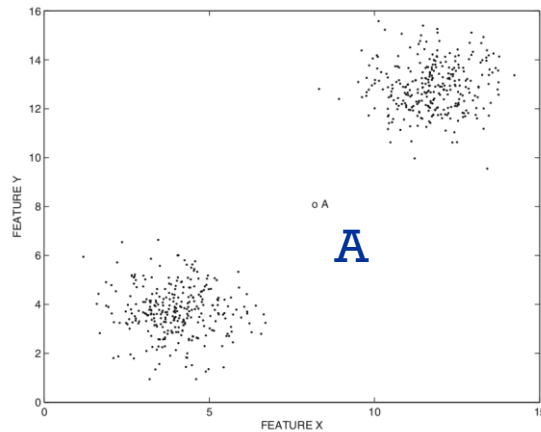
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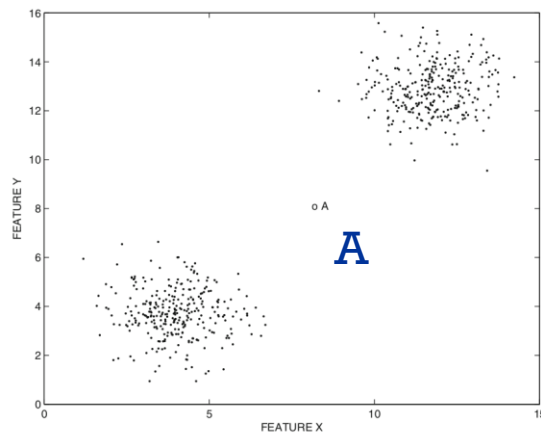


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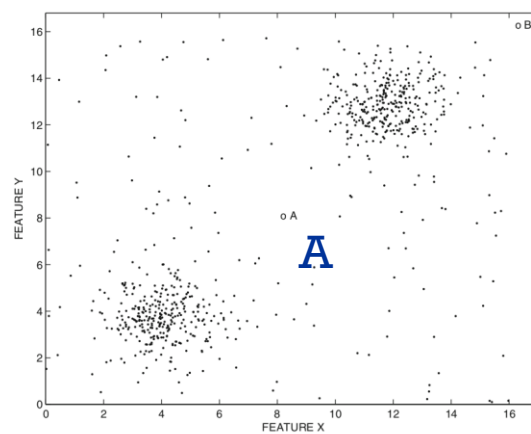
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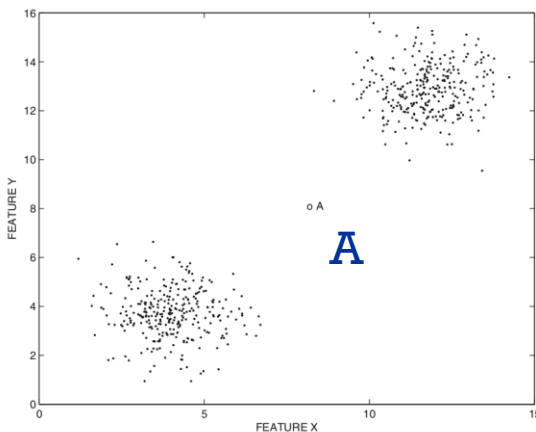


(b) With noise

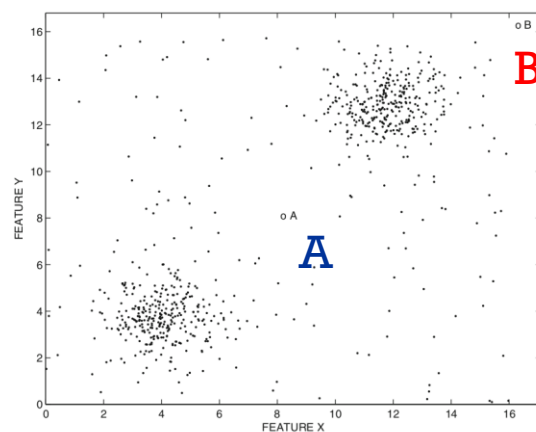
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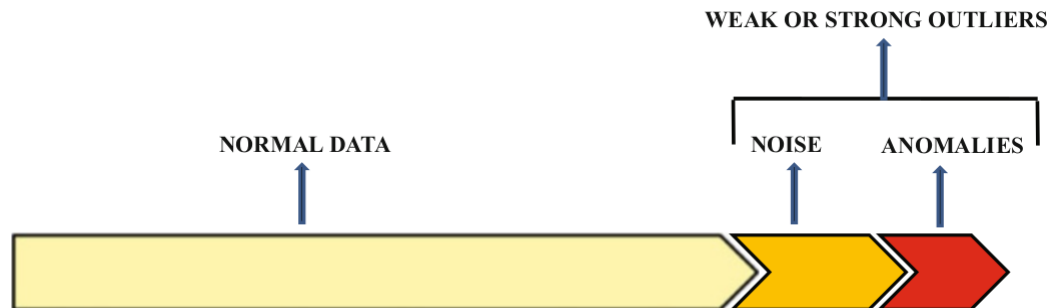
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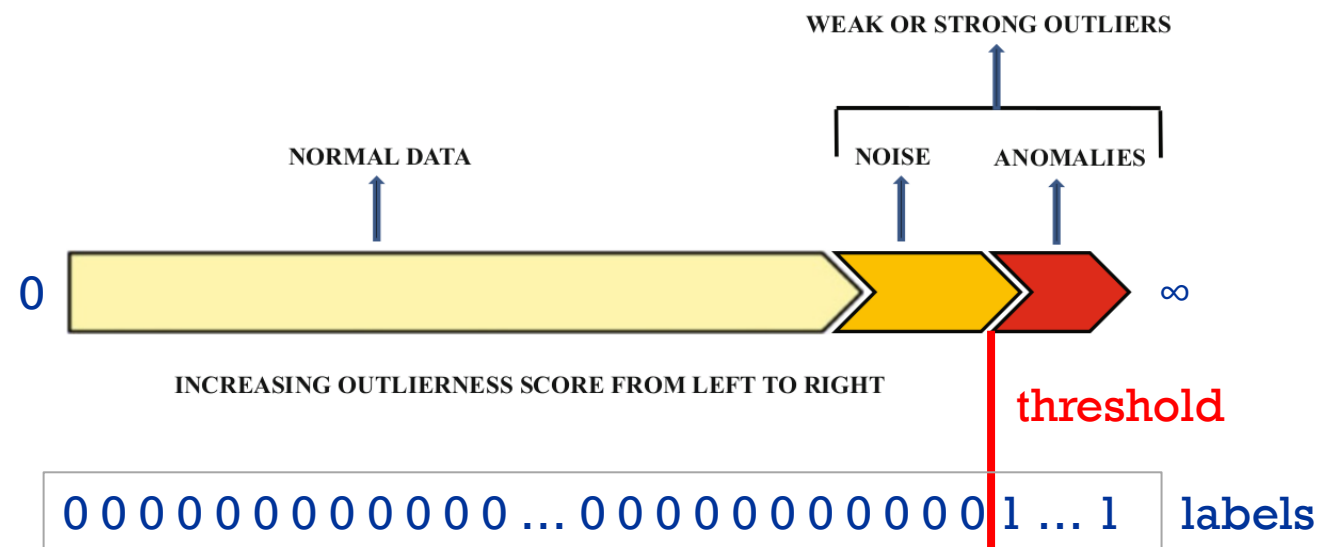
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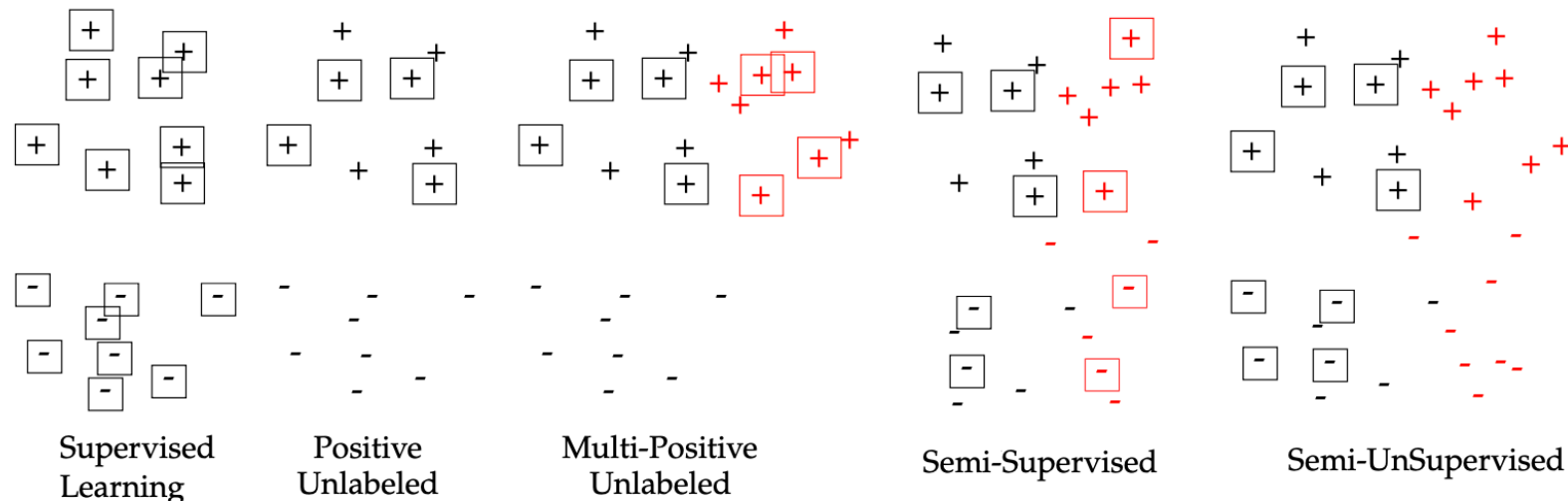
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- Binary labels (is an outlier or not)
 - Outlier scores (level of outlierness)
 - Outlier score can be converted to binary
 - By threshold
 - By extreme value analysis
 - As a machine learning task
 - Often important: Are known anomalies available / is training data available
- => supervision vs. unsupervised



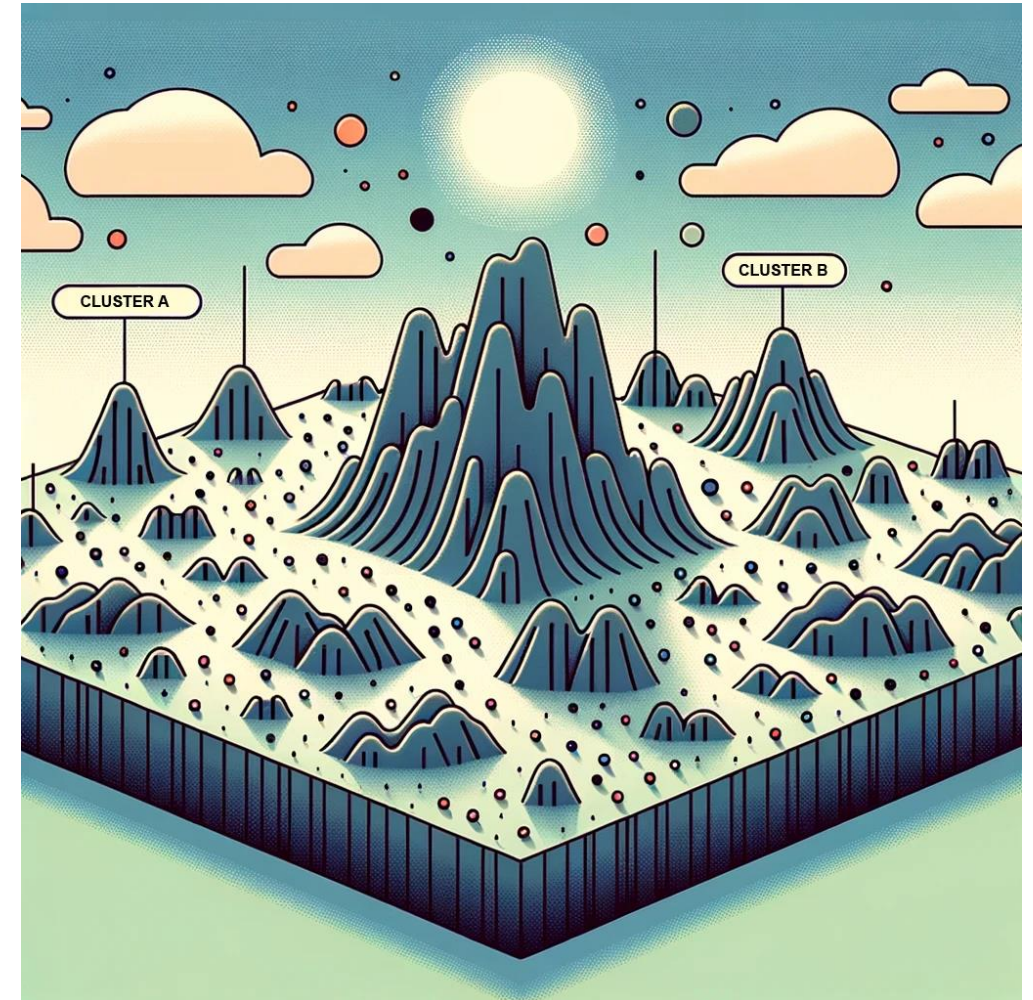
- Unsupervised methods
 - Either for noise removal or anomaly detection
 - Often used in an exploratory setting
- Supervised methods: application-specific anomaly detection

- Different levels of supervision:
 - Fully supervised: normal and abnormal data available
 - PU learning / contaminated supervised: examples of outliers given, normal data may contain outliers
 - Semi-supervised: only normal / only outliers available
 - Semi-unsupervised: some but not all classes are known



The Data Model is Everything

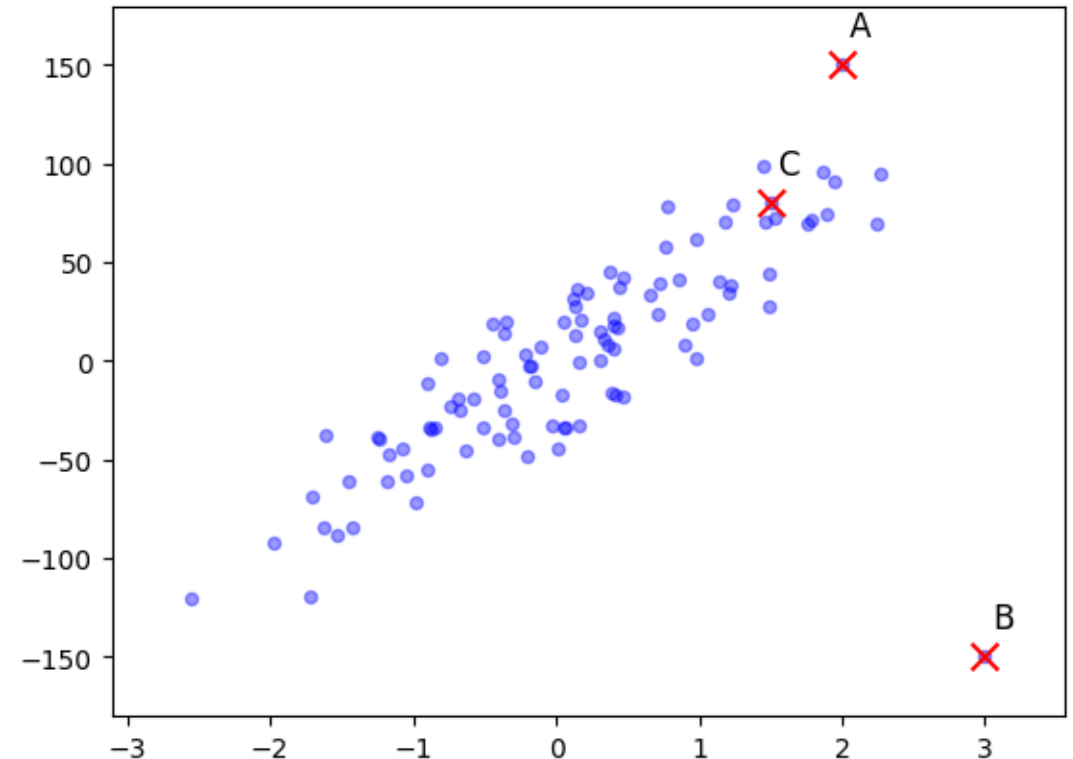
- Outlier detection algorithms:
learn a model of **normal** data
- Outlier score of a data:
deviations from this model
- Models make different assumptions
about the data



Example 1

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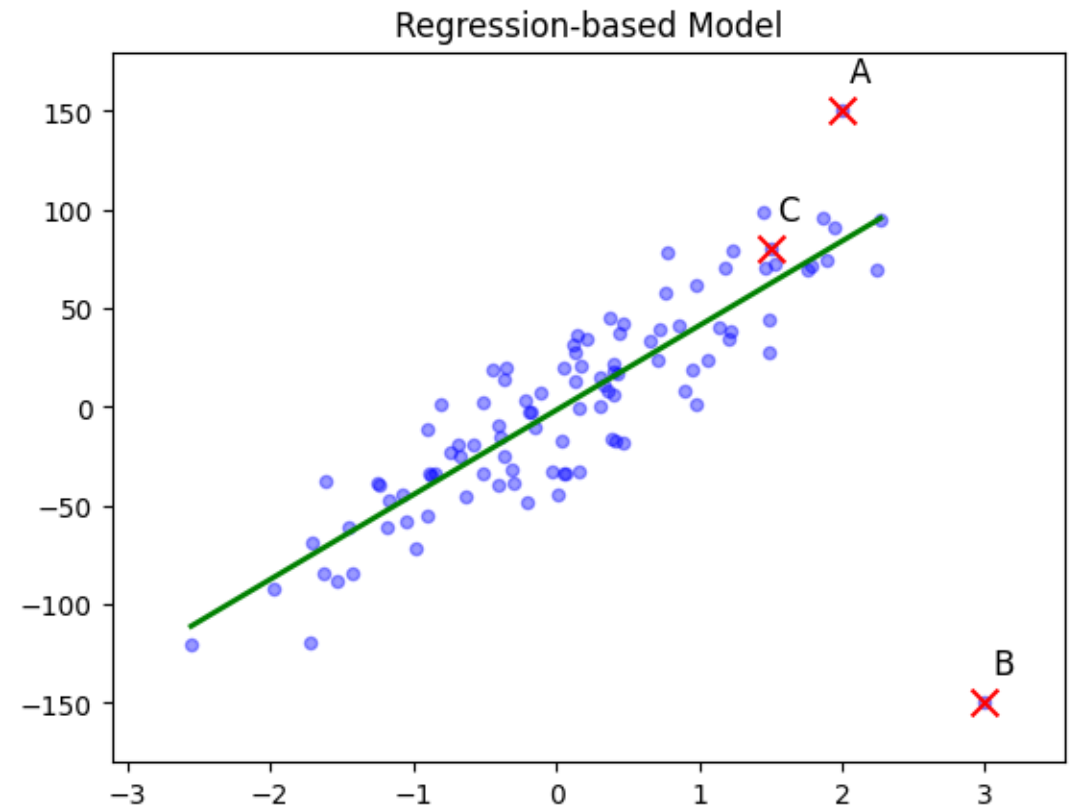


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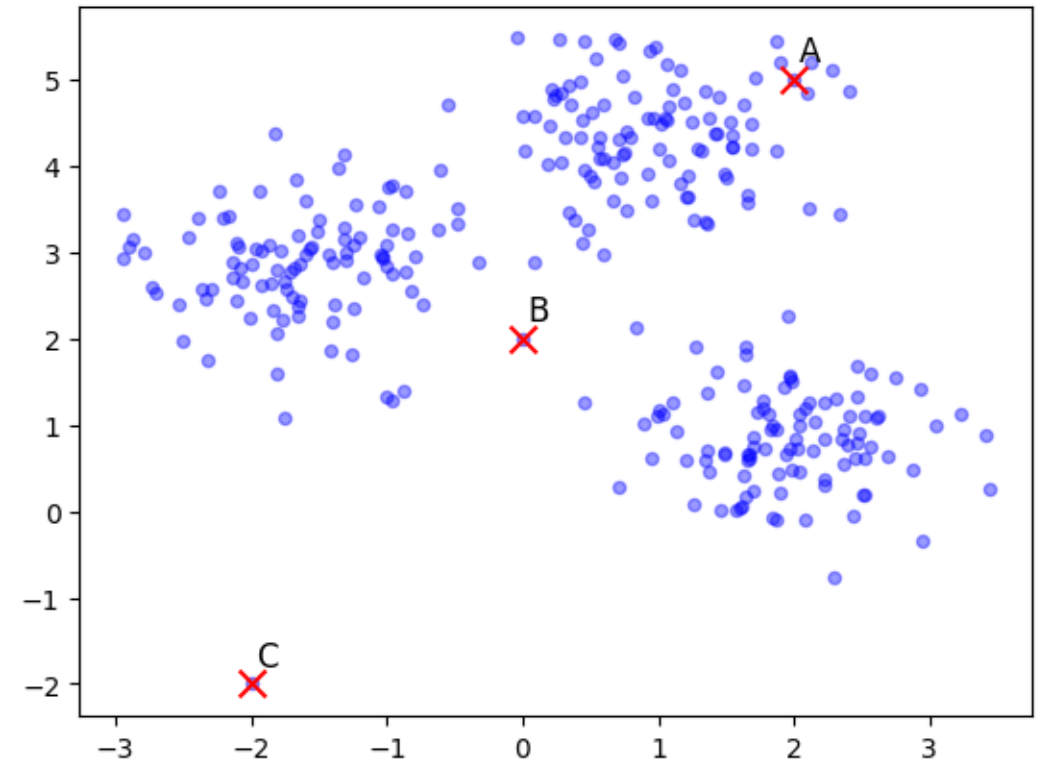
Linear model, distance to the line



Example 2

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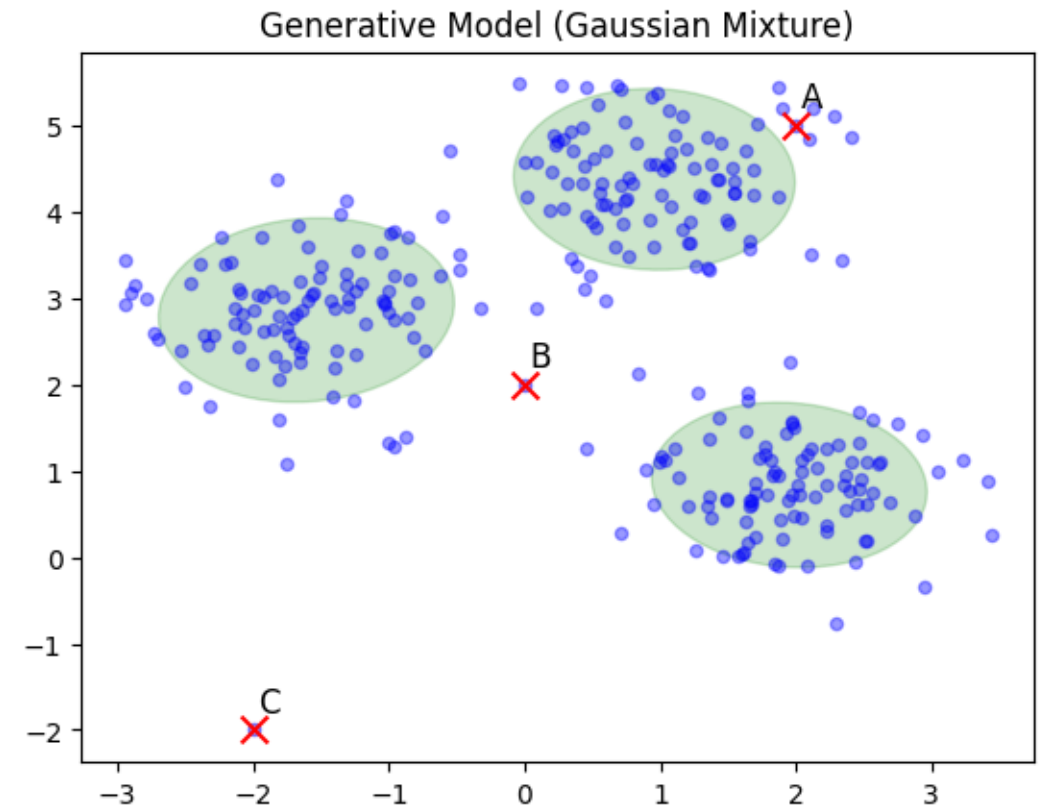


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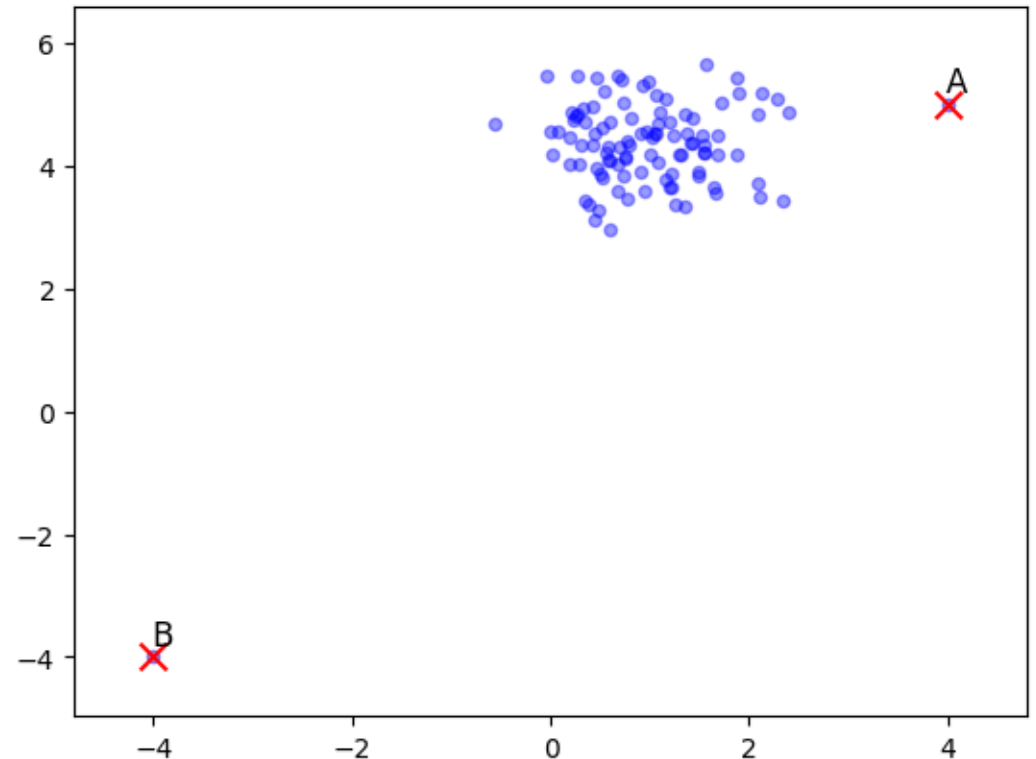
Clustering based model, distance to cluster centroid



Example 3

Question:

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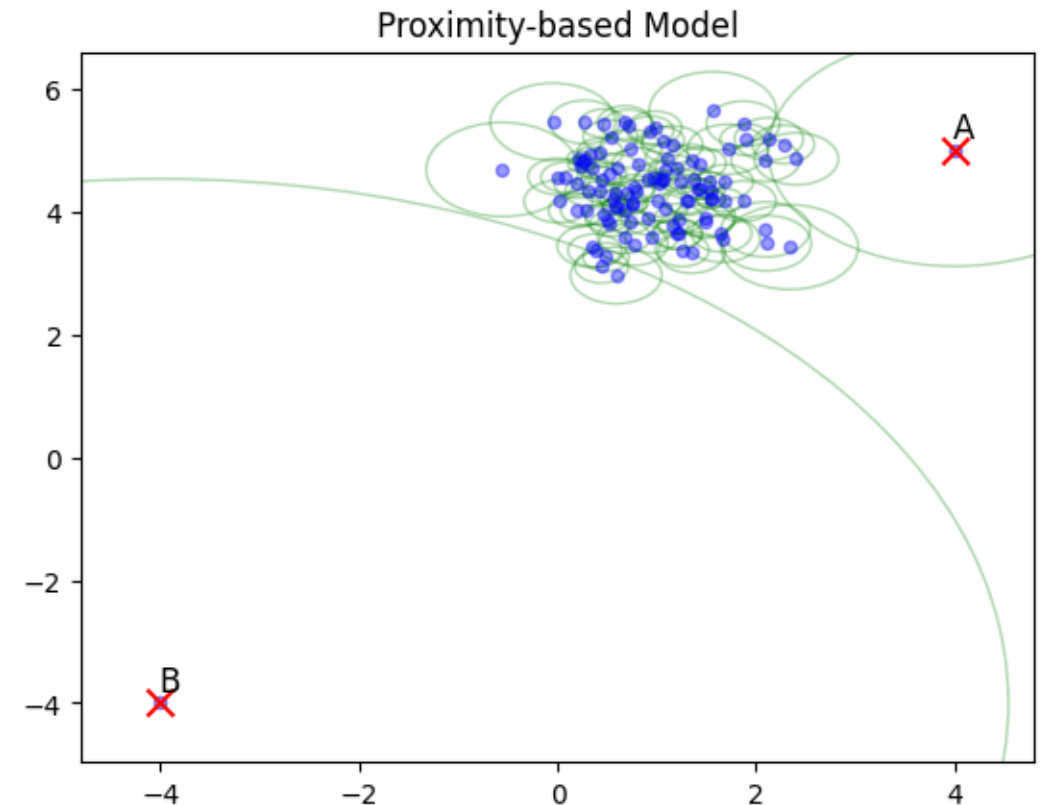


Example 3

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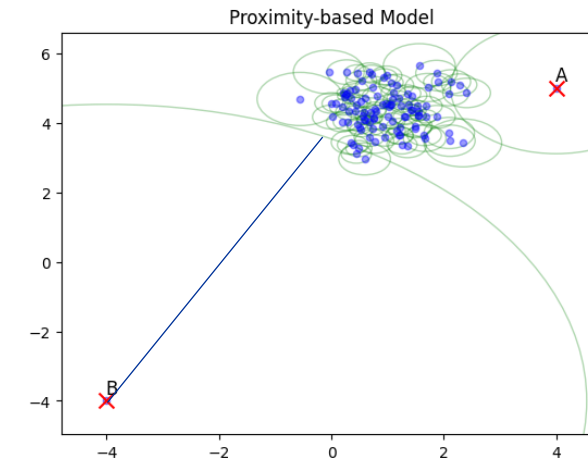
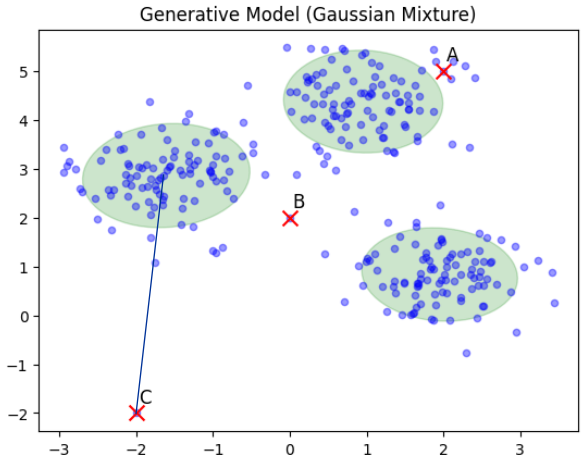
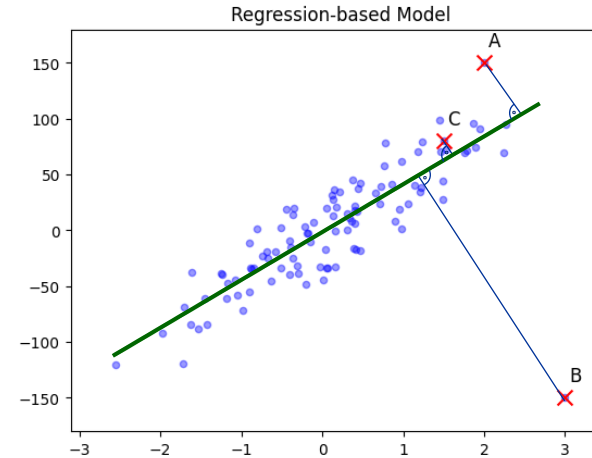
How would you model the following examples, and can you make up a criterion on the “outlierness”?

Density- / proximity-based models,
distance to n neighbors



The Data Model is Everything (cont.)

- Outlier score corresponds to the fit between data point and model
- Choice of data model is crucial
- Anomaly detection is **typically an unsupervised problem**
 - Examples of outliers are not given to learn the best model
 - Understanding of data and data deviations important



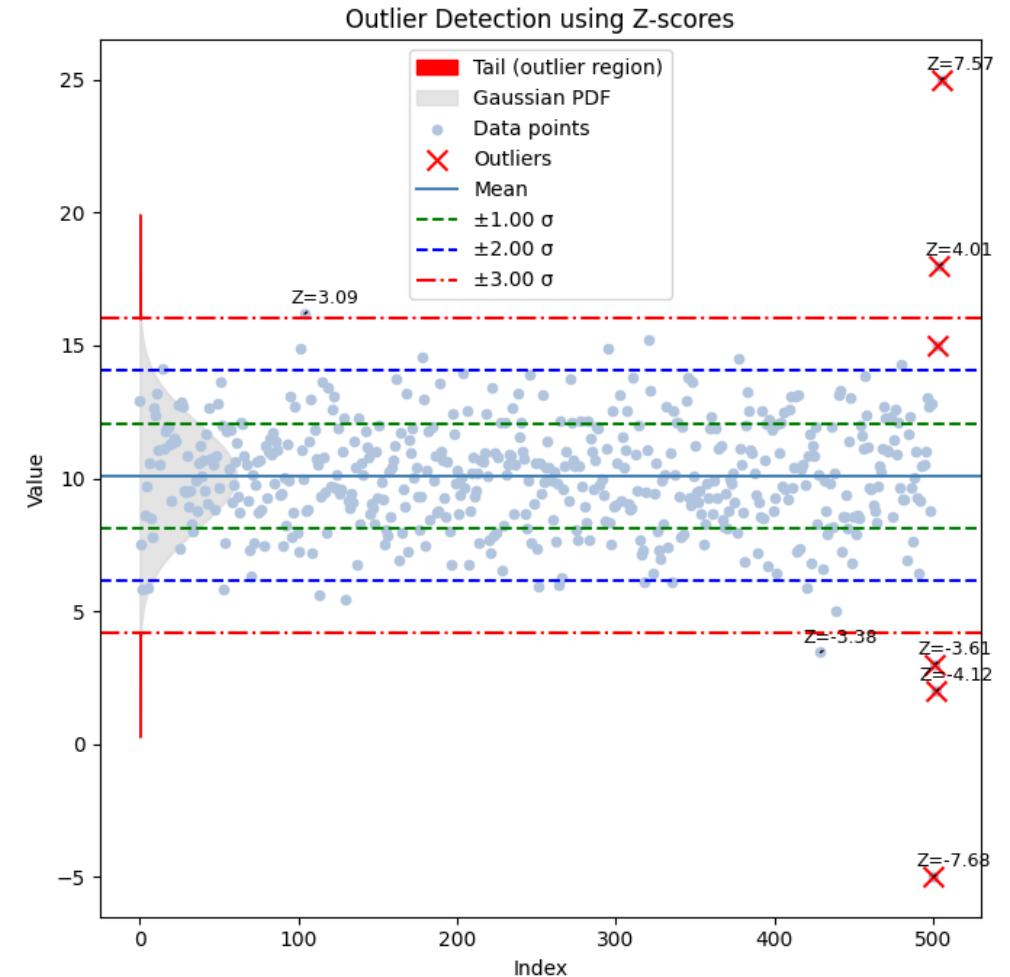
Overview of Anomaly Detection Methods

Z-value Test for Outlier Detection

- Simple model for outlier detection
- One-dimensional data X_i, \dots, X_N with mean μ and standard deviation σ
- Z-value for a data point X_i :

$$Z_i = \frac{|x_i - \mu|}{\sigma}$$

- Z-value denotes the number of standard deviations to mean
- **Implicit assumption: data follows normal distribution**



Z-value Test for Outlier Detection

- “3 σ rule-of-thumb”: $z_i \geq 3$ as decision criterion for anomalies:

$$P(z < 3) = 0.9973$$

- Typically: μ and σ not explicitly known
 - For enough data ($n > 30$) assumption of normality
 - For few data interpretation by *Student's t-distribution* and the (absolute of the) *t-value*

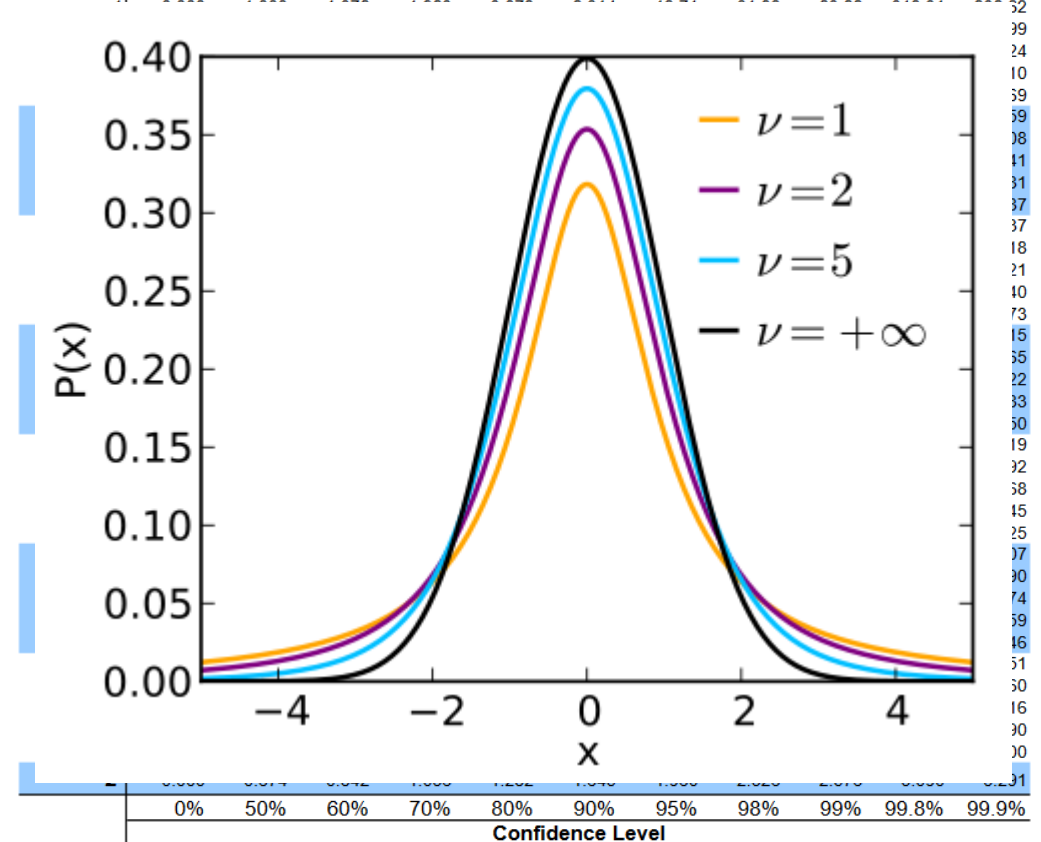
$$t_i = \left| \frac{x_i - \mu}{\sigma / \sqrt{n}} \right|$$

for sample size n

$$\text{unbiased } \sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_i (x_i - \mu)^2}{n-1}}$$

t Table

cum. prob	t _{.50}	t _{.75}	t _{.80}	t _{.85}	t _{.90}	t _{.95}	t _{.975}	t _{.99}	t _{.995}	t _{.999}	t _{.9995}
one-tail	0.50	0.25	0.20	0.15	0.10	0.05	0.025	0.01	0.005	0.001	0.0005
two-tails	1.00	0.50	0.40	0.30	0.20	0.10	0.05	0.02	0.01	0.002	0.001
df											



<https://www.sjsu.edu/faculty/gerstman/StatPrimer/t-table.pdf>

Example: Z-value Test

Given 100 samples S with estimated

mean: 7.13

std.dev: 1.86

including $x = \{1, 2, 13, 14\} \subset S$.

1. Calculate the Z-values for these points.
2. Decide, which will be labeled as outliers according to the “ 3σ rule-of-thumb”.

Calculate: $z = |x - \mu| / \sigma$

Data point (1):

$$z\text{-score} = 6.13 / 1.86 = 3.2957$$

Data point (2):

$$z\text{-score} = 5.13 / 1.86 = 2.7581$$

Data point (13):

$$z\text{-score} = 5.87 / 1.86 = 3.1559$$

Data point (14):

$$z\text{-score} = 6.87 / 1.86 = 3.6935$$

Outliers: 1, 13, 14 $z \geq 3$

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```
mean = 7.13
std = 1.86
p = [1, 2, 13, 14]

z_val = [abs(x - mean) / std for x in p]
print("z-values", z_val)

# > z-values [3.2956989247311825, 2.758064516129032,
3.1559139784946235, 3.693548387096774]

out = [p[i] for i, z in enumerate(z_val) if abs(z) > 3]
print("Outliers:", out)

# > Outliers: [1, 13, 14]
```

Example: Z-value Test

Given the following data points:

3, 8, 6, 15, 13, 7

1. Calculate the mean and sample standard deviation.
2. Compute the t-values for each data point.
3. Identify if any points are outliers for a tail probability mass of 0.05.

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two-tails	1.00	0.50	0.40	0.30	0.20	0.10	0.05	0.02	0.01	0.002	0.001
df											
1	0.000	1.000	1.376	1.963	3.078	6.314	12.71	31.82	63.66	318.31	636.62
2	0.000	0.816	1.061	1.386	1.886	2.920	4.303	6.965	9.925	22.327	31.599
3	0.000	0.765	0.978	1.250	1.638	2.353	3.182	4.541	5.841	10.215	12.924
4	0.000	0.741	0.941	1.190	1.533	2.132	2.776	3.747	4.604	7.173	8.610
5	0.000	0.727	0.920	1.156	1.476	2.015	2.571	3.365	4.032	5.893	6.869
6	0.000	0.718	0.906	1.134	1.440	1.943	2.447	3.143	3.707	5.208	5.959
7	0.000	0.711	0.896	1.119	1.415	1.895	2.365	2.998	3.499	4.785	5.408
8	0.000	0.706	0.889	1.108	1.397	1.860	2.306	2.896	3.355	4.501	5.041
9	0.000	0.703	0.883	1.100	1.383	1.833	2.262	2.821	3.250	4.297	4.781
10	0.000	0.700	0.879	1.093	1.372	1.812	2.228	2.764	3.169	4.144	4.587

Example: Z-value Test

Given the following data points:

3, 8, 6, 15, 13, 7

1. Calculate the mean and sample standard deviation.
2. Compute the t-values for each data point.
3. Identify if any points are outliers for a tail probability mass of 0.05.

```
import numpy as np
data = [3, 8, 6, 15, 13, 7]
mean = np.mean(data)
print("Mean:", mean)

# > Mean: 8.666666666666666

std = np.std(data, ddof=1)
print("Sample Standard Deviation:", std)

# > Sample Standard Deviation: 4.501851470969102

n = len(data)
t_val = [(x - mean) / (std / np.sqrt(n)) for x in data]
print("t-values:", t_val)

# > t-values: [-3.083274062967549, -
0.36273812505500547, -1.4509525002200228,
3.4460121880225554, 2.357797812857538, -
0.9068453126375141]

t_critical = 2.571 # df = 5 and alpha = 0.05
outliers = [data[i] for i, t in enumerate(t_val) if
abs(t) > t_critical]
print("Outliers:", outliers)

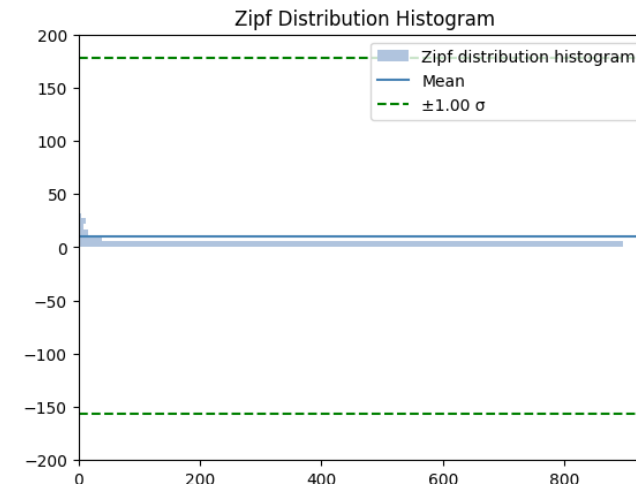
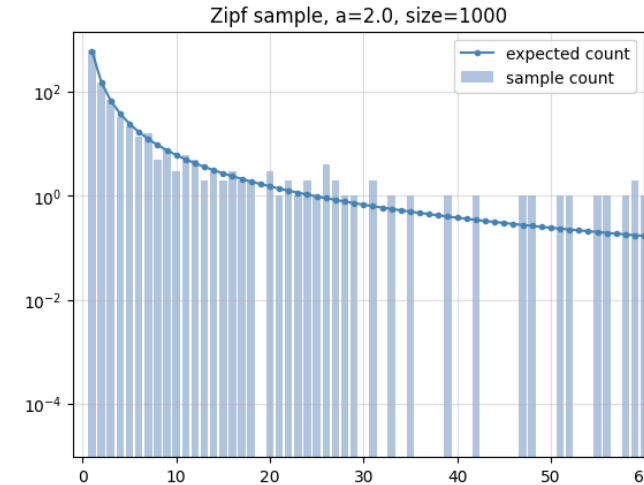
# > Outliers: [3, 15]
```

- What if data is not normal distributed?
- E.g. zipf with $k \geq 1, a > 1$

$$\text{zipf}(k; a) = \frac{k^{-a}}{\zeta(a)}$$

with the Riemann Zeta function

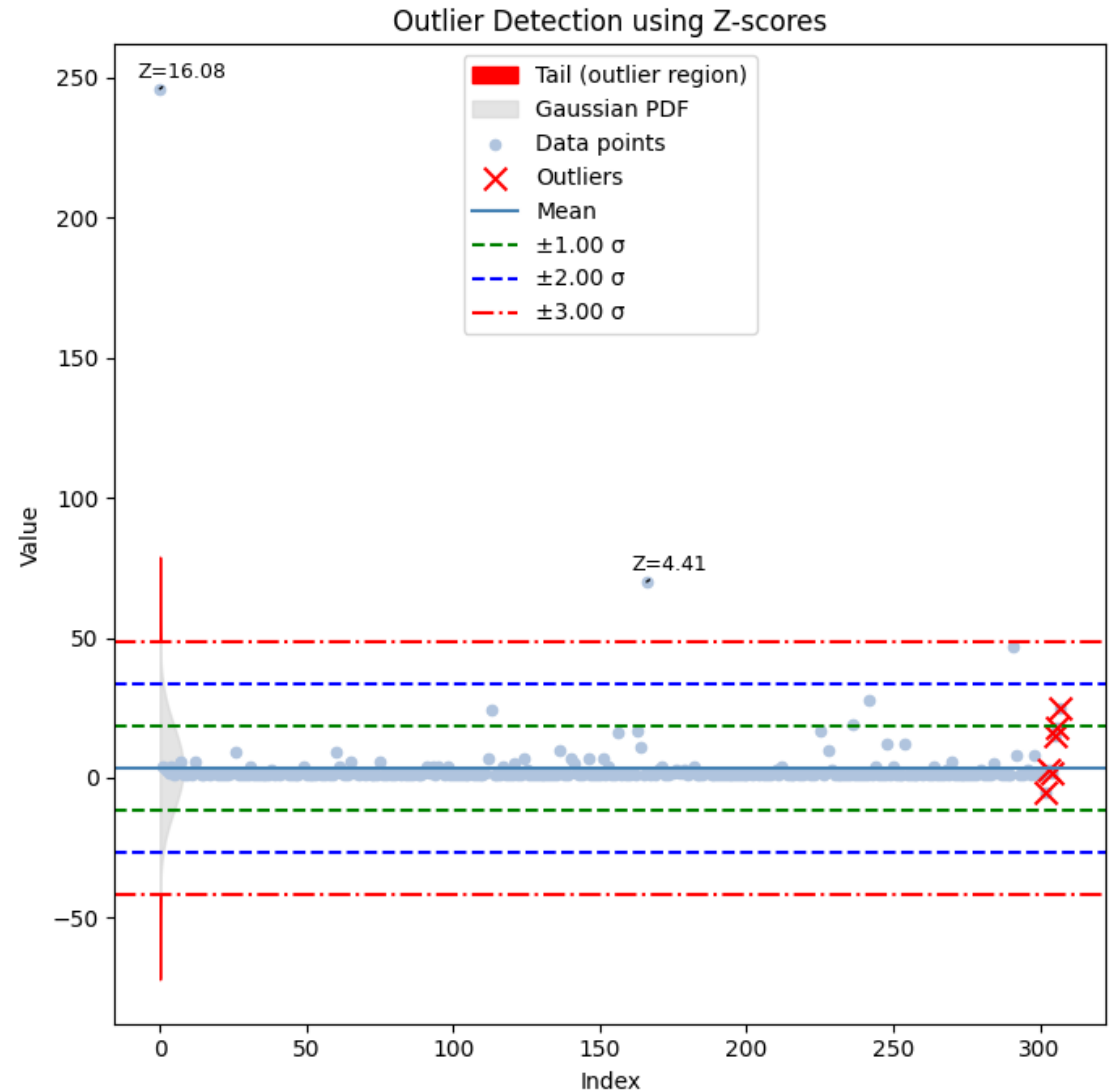
$$\zeta(s) := \sum_{n=1}^{\infty} \frac{1}{n^s}$$



Z-value Test for Outlier Detection (cont.)

- What if data is not normal distributed?

Standard deviation and mean (and thus Z-value) are not meaningful



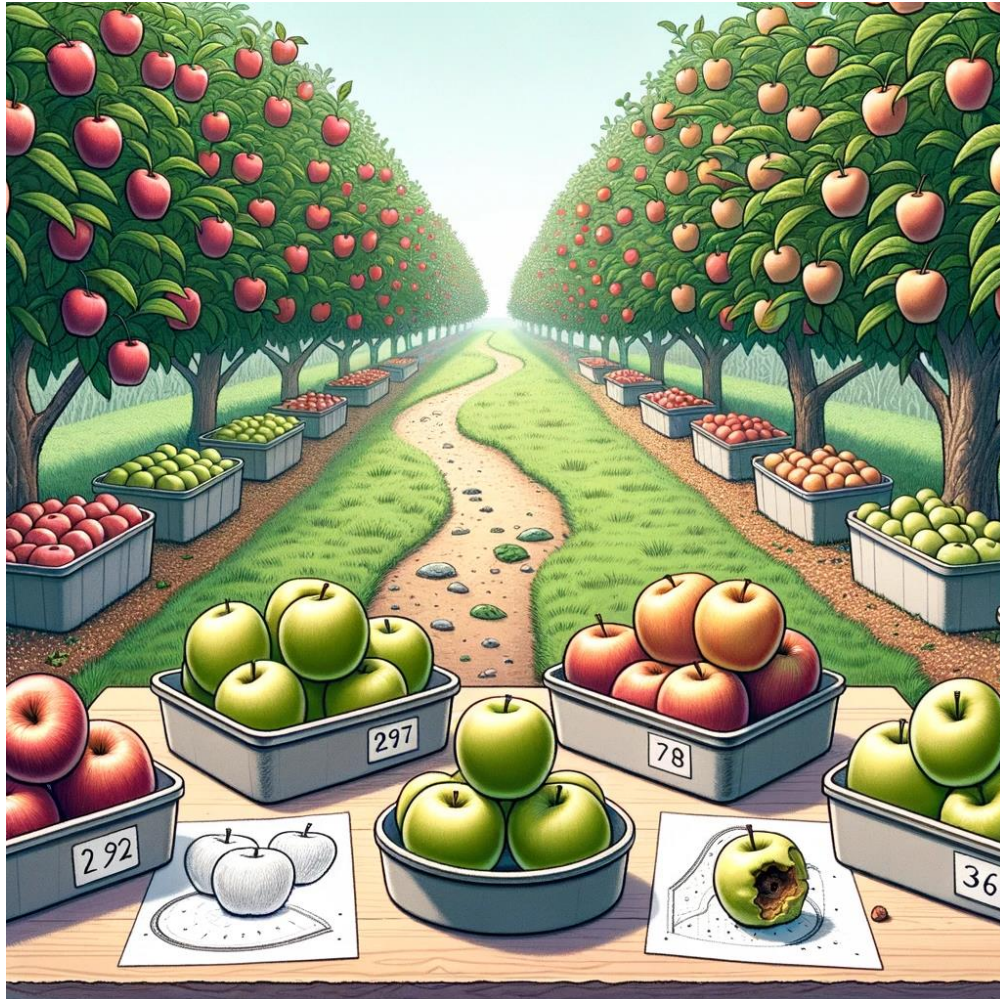
The Data Model is Everything (cont.)

- Mistakes made at the modeling stage can result in incorrect understanding of the data
- Best choice of a model is often data-specific
- Core principle based on assumptions about the structure of normal patterns
- Choice of the “normal” model: understanding of data patterns in that particular domain

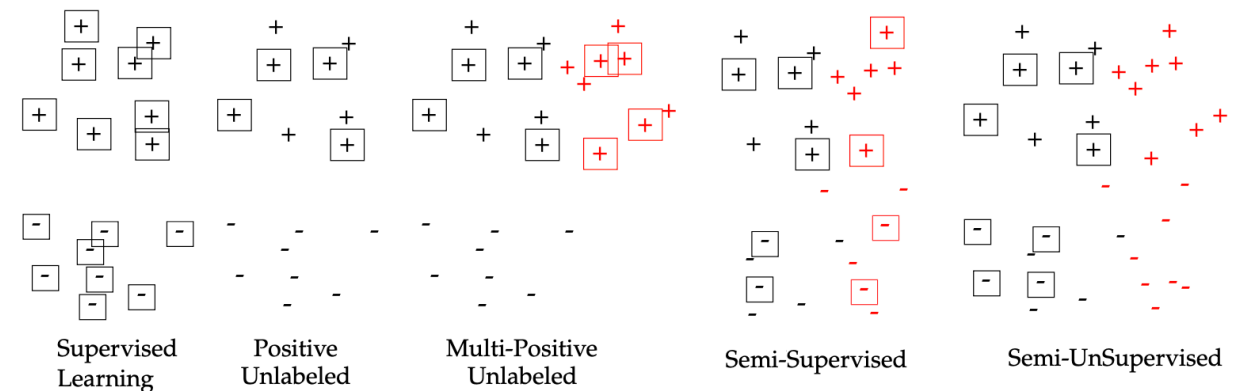
- Anomaly detection: classification problem for which (one) class label is unobserved
- As $\# \text{normal samples} \gg \# \text{anomalies}$
 - Treat whole unlabeled (contaminated) data as normal and create a (noisy) model
 - Deviation from normal model treated as outliers

=> Theory and methods from classification can generalize to anomaly detection





- One-class analog of multi-class classification
- Unobserved nature of labels (or outlier scores) typically “unsupervised” perspective
- If labels are given, anomaly detection simplifies to imbalanced classification

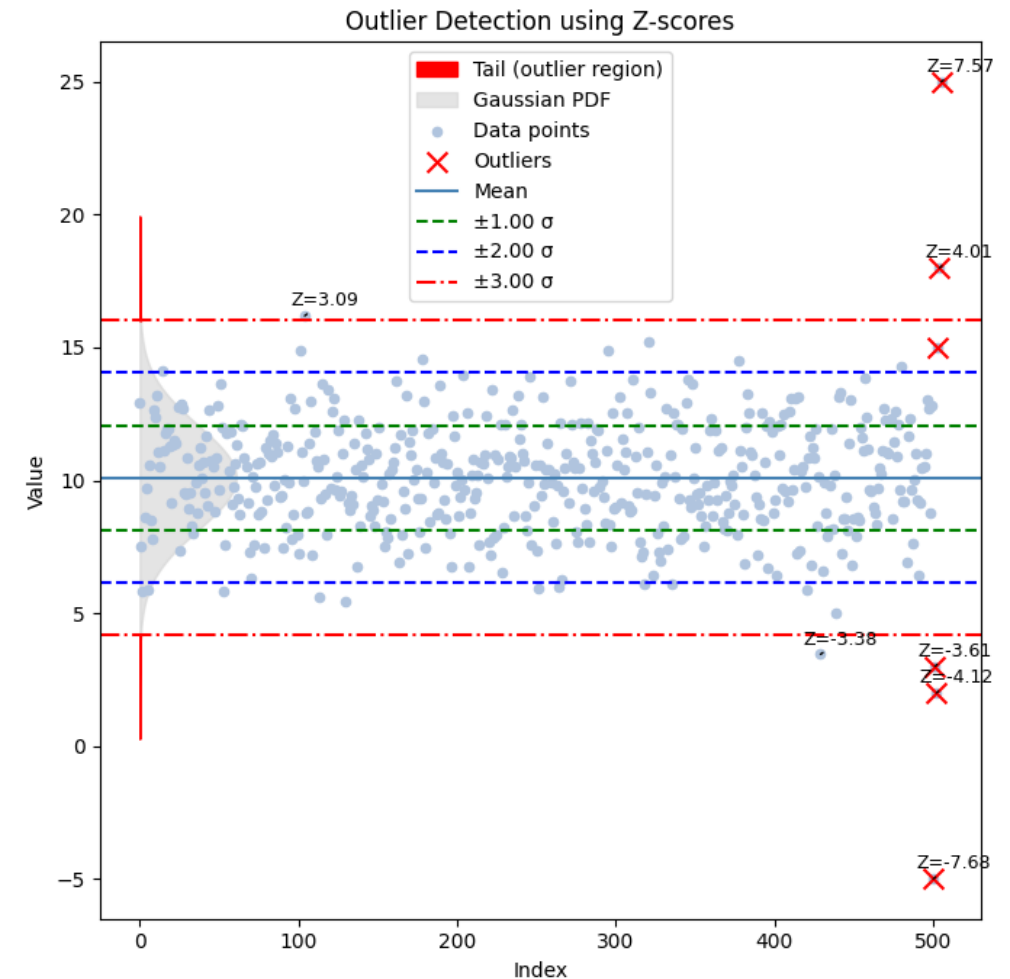


- Differentiation between instance-based and explicit generalization to model normal behavior
- Instance-based: No model constructed up front, most relevant instance from training used to make predictions
- Explicit Generalization: (Summarizing) model created up front, outlierness scored based on this model of normal behavior

Supervised Model	Unsupervised Analog	Type
k-nearest neighbor	<u>k-NN distance, LOF, LOCI</u>	Instance-based
Linear Regression	<u>Principal component Analysis</u>	Explicit Generalization
Naive Bayes	Expectation-maximization	Explicit Generalization
Rocchio	<u>Mahalanobis method</u>	Explicit Generalization
Decision Trees	<u>Isolation Trees</u>	Explicit Generalization
Random Forest	<u>Isolation Forest</u>	Explicit Generalization
Rule-based	FP-Outlier	Explicit Generalization
Support Vector Machines	<u>One-class Support Vector Machines</u>	Explicit Generalization
Neural Networks	<u>Replicator Neural Networks (Auto-Encoder)</u>	Explicit Generalization
Matrix Factorization	Principle Component Analysis, Matrix Factorization	Explicit Generalization

Question:

- Is z-value test for outlier detection instance-based or explicit generalization?



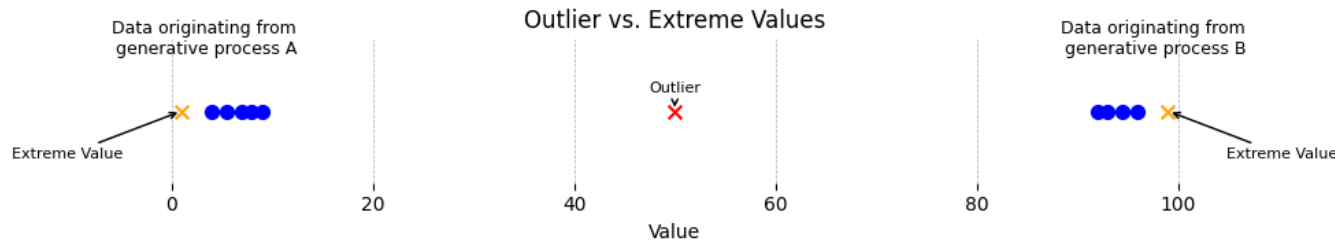
Overview of Anomaly Detection Methods

- Extreme-Value Analysis
- Probabilistic and Statistical Models
- Linear Models
- Proximity-Based Models
- Information-Theoretic Models
- Outlier Ensembles
- High-Dimensional Outlier Detection

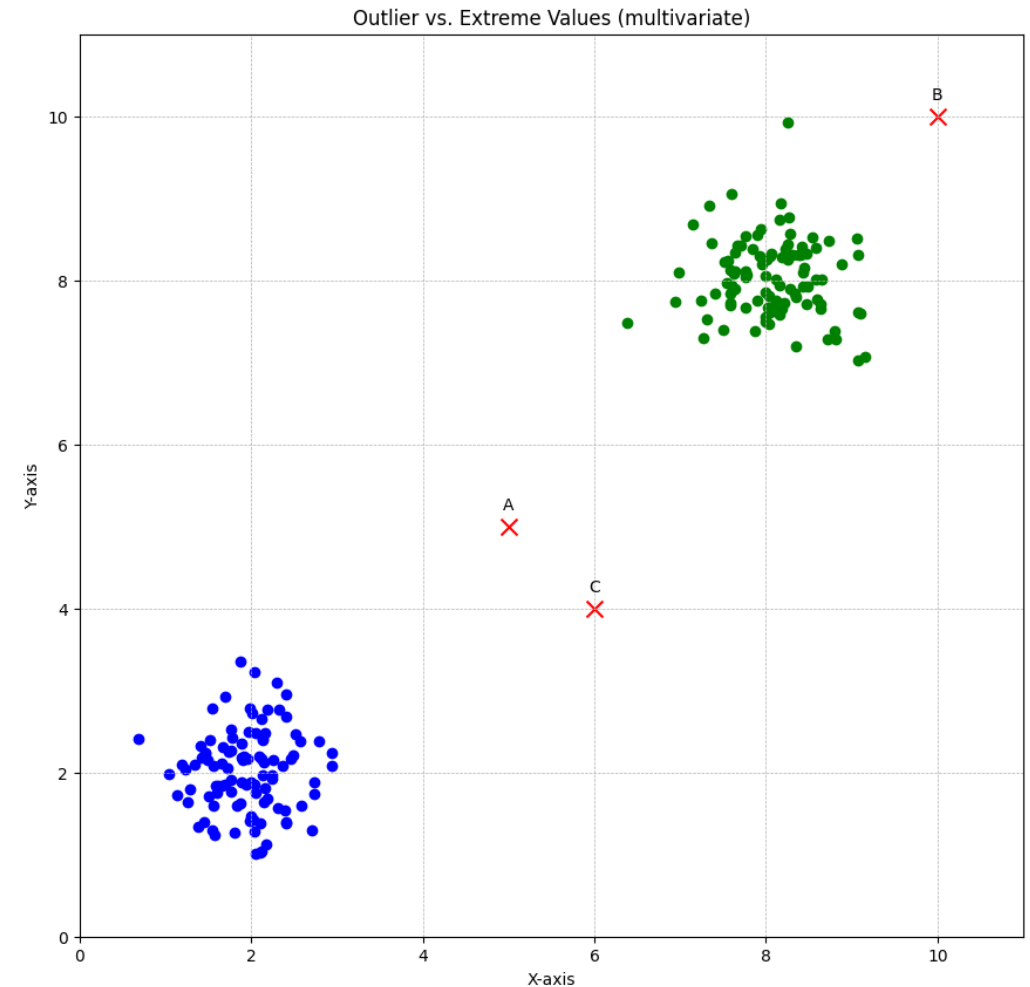
- Most basic form of outlier detection
- Assumption: Values that are too large or too small are outliers
- Determining the statistical tails of the underlying distribution
- z-value Test:
 - Normal distributed data: statistical interpretation
 - Arbitrary distributions: rather “heuristic idea of the outlier score”
- Extreme-value statistics is different from the general definition of outliers
- generative probabilities vs. extremity in value



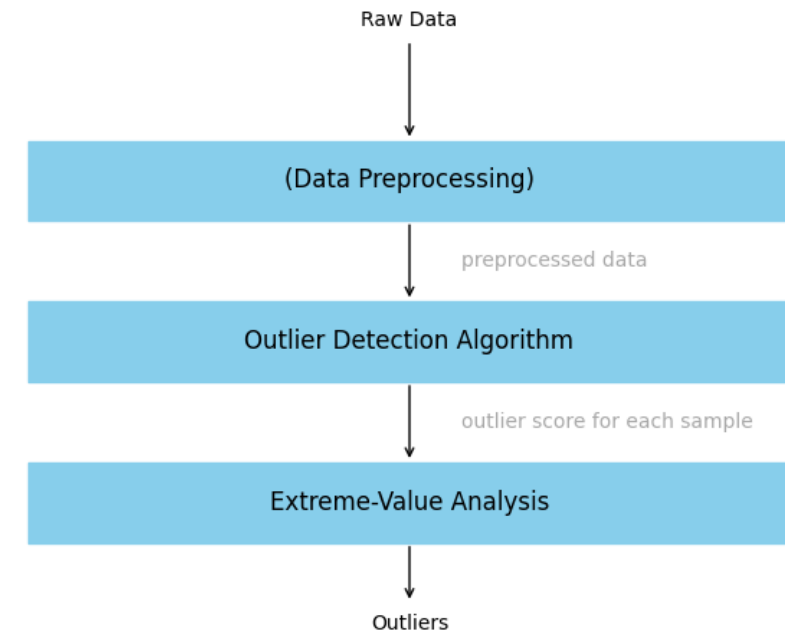
- [1, 4, 5.5, 7, 8, 9, **50**, 92, 93, 94.5, 96, 99]



- Probabilistic and density-based models: Outlier is 50 (in line with outlier definition)
- Extreme-Value Analysis: 1 and 99 are outliers from an extreme-value perspective
- Special kinds of outliers even in the multivariate case



- Extreme-value analysis for outlier detection algorithms as final step
- Algorithms quantify deviations of data from normal patterns as (univariate) outlier score
- Outlier scores can be analyzed with (multivariate) extreme-value methods



Probabilistic and Statistical Models

- Data is modeled as closed-form probability distribution
- The **parameters** of this model are learned
- Key assumption: choice of data distribution
- The likelihood fit of a data point to a generative model is the outlier score

Example:

- Gaussian PDF:

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

- „Fit“ the parameters μ, σ to the data x_i

$$\mu = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n x_i, \sigma = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_i (x_i - \mu)^2}{n - 1}}$$

Probabilistic and Statistical Models (cont.)

Example (cont.):

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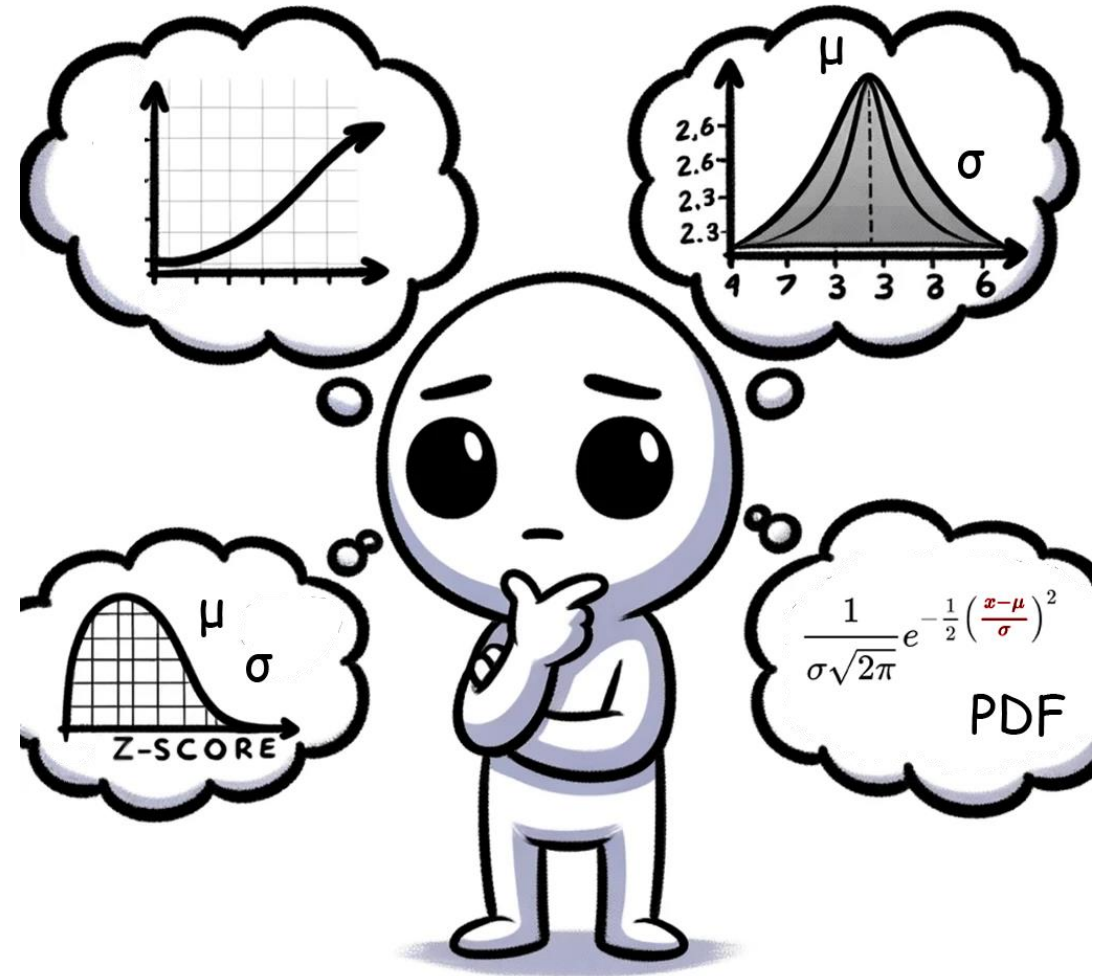
3. Likelihood for \hat{x} : $g(\hat{x}; \mu, \sigma)$
4. $\text{NLL}(\hat{x}) = -\log(g(\hat{x}; \mu, \sigma))$

Probabilistic and Statistical Models (cont.)

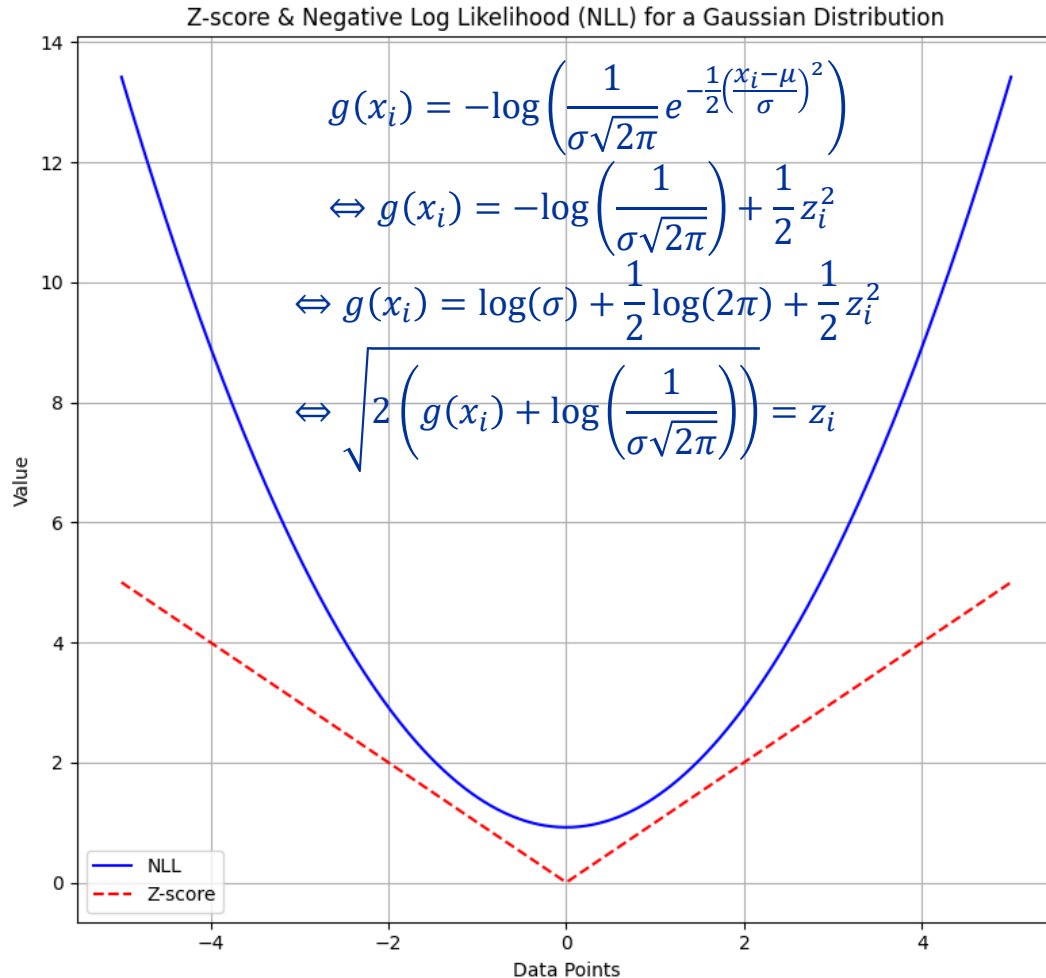
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Probabilistic and Statistical Models (cont.)



```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

mu = 0
sigma = 1

x = np.linspace(-5, 5, 400)      # Generate data points

# Calculate Z-scores for these data points
z_scores = abs(x - mu) / sigma

# Calculate the PDF likelihood for these data points
pdf_likelihood = (1 / (np.sqrt(2 * np.pi) * sigma)) * \
    np.exp(-0.5 * ((x - mu) / sigma)**2)

plt.figure(figsize=(8, 7.5))
plt.plot(x, -np.log(pdf_likelihood), label='NLL', color='blue')
plt.plot(x, z_scores, label='Z-score', color='red', linestyle='--')
plt.xlabel('Data Points')
plt.ylabel('Value')
plt.title('Z-score & Negative Log Likelihood (NLL) for a Gaussian Distribution')
plt.legend()
plt.grid(True)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

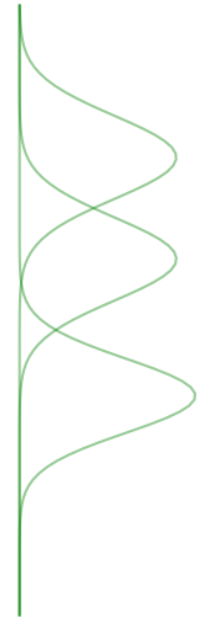
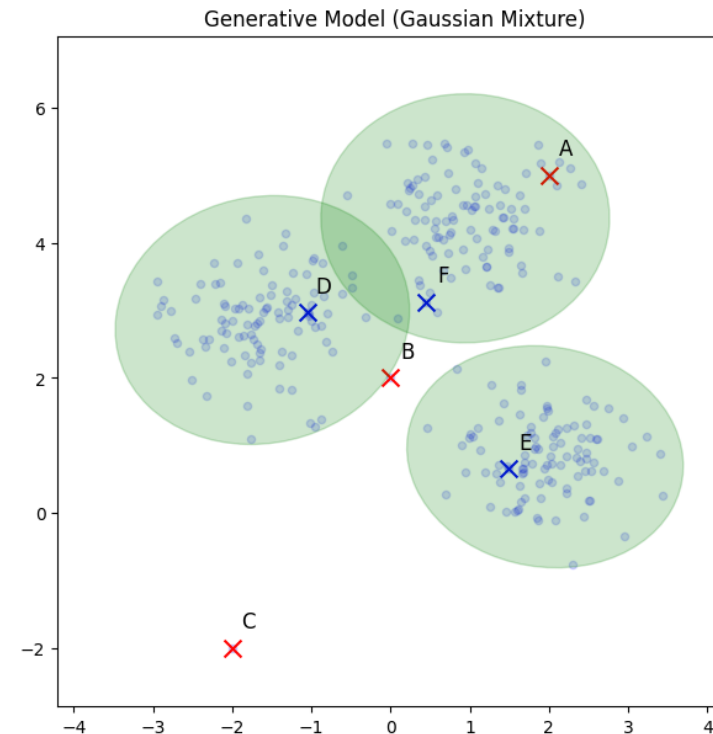
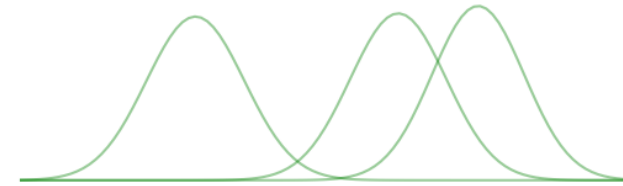
Probabilistic and Statistical Models (cont.)

Gaussian Mixture Models

- Probabilistic model
- Assumption: Data is generated from a mixture of Gaussians
- Data is described as combination of K Gaussians

$$p(x; \boldsymbol{\pi}, \boldsymbol{\mu}, \boldsymbol{\Sigma}) = \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k g(x; \mu_k, \Sigma_k)$$

- Parameters are learned via EM algorithm



Gaussian Mixture Modelling Example:
http://localhost:8888/notebooks/AD02-S94-GMM_Example.ipynb