AGENDA

- Homework and project
 - Due Saturday
 - Talk to me
- Answer exit survey tickets
- Review Last time (ML, regression)
- Continue with Linear regression
 - Multiple linear regression
 - Interactions
 - Categorical
 - Non-linear
- Training and testing
- KNN

QUESTIONS FROM EXIT SURVEY

- P-Values
- What statements do we need to make concerning the accuracy of prediction obtained from our model
- How does linear regression compare to other models?
 - Speed?
 - Polynomial, non-linear regression?
- Assumptions of linear regression
 - Checking assumptions

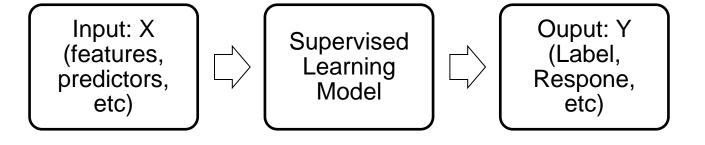
REVIEW FROM LAST TIME

- Intro to Machine Learning
 - What is machine learning
 - Different types of machine learning
 - Parts of machine learning
 - Machine learning in practice
- Vocabulary
 - Observations
 - Features, predictors, attributes
 - · Response, labels
 - Dimensionality
 - Supervised, unsupervised, regression, classification
- Simple linear regression
- Multivariate linear regression

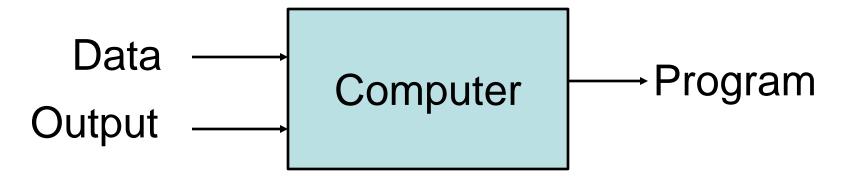
CONTINUE WITH LINEAR REGRESSION

TRAINING AND TESTING

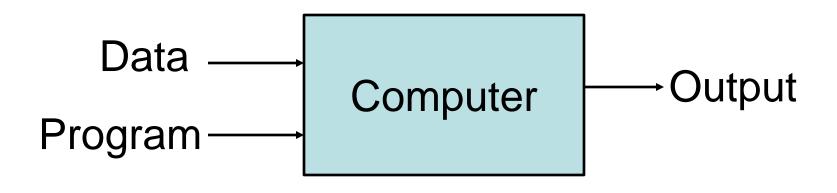
How does a prediction, supervised problem work?



Model gets built



Use the model to predict new outputs



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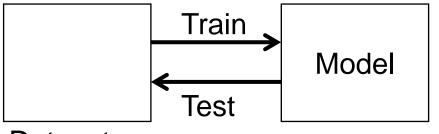
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How would this work? Issues?



Training Error

Dataset

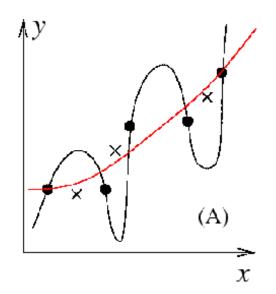
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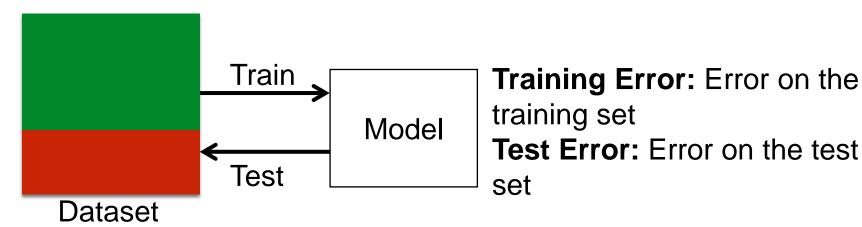
Q: How small can we make our training error?

A: We can make the training error go to zero. We just need to memorize.



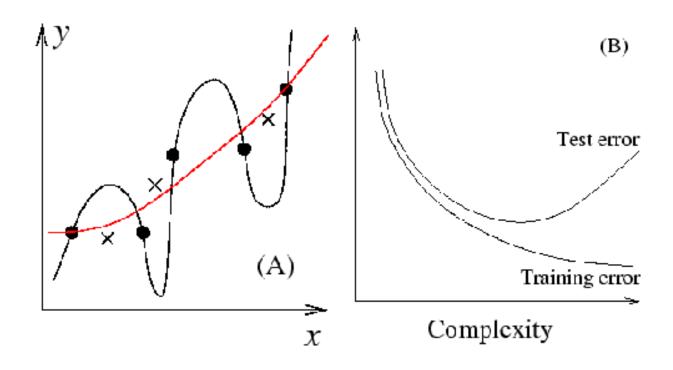
This is called over fitting

Want performance on new observations. Data that we haven't seen



In general:

- Training error goes to zero by adding complexity
- Test error goes down initially but then goes up (Overfitting)



K NEAREST NEIGHBOR

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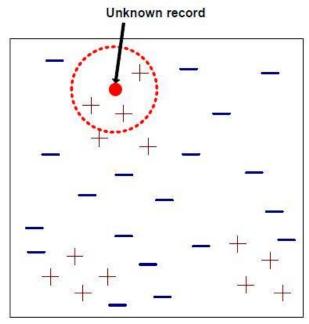
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Q: How does this work?

- Choose a k
- Calculate distances
- Average or vote



Advantages:

- Training is very fast
- Learn complex target functions
- Don't lose information

Disadvantages:

- Slow at query time
- Lot's of storage
- Easily fooled by irrelevant features and high dimensions