



# Synthetic data



# LIME - mechanism

1. Choose the data point to explain.
- 2. Generate synthetic data in its proximity.**
3. Obtain the black box predictions for the data from 2.
4. Obtain the distance between synthetic data and original data point.
5. Train a white box with the perturbed data (2) to predict the black box predictions (3), weighted by their locality (4).
6. Interpret the white box.



# Text





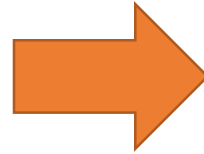
# Text

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**Generate synthetic data by randomly removing words from the text.**

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- Use synthetic data to obtain black box predictions.
- Process new text as needed for black box, i.e., embeddings

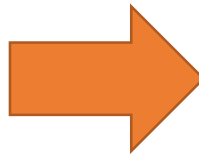
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British	scientists	unveil	laptop	powered	computer	owners
1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	0	1
1	1	1	1	0	1	1

We create bag of words to train the surrogate.

➔ They are easy to understand.



# Images





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Divide image into interpretable components (**super-pixels**)



Original Image



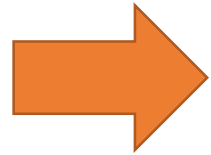
Interpretable  
Components

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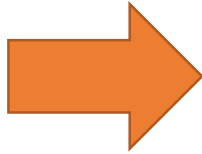
Original Image



Switch-off 1 or more of those components at random.

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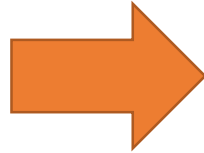
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- Use synthetic data to obtain black box predictions.
- Process new images as needed for the black box.

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Superpix 1	Superpix 2	Superpix 3	Superpix ...	Superpix n
0	1	1	1	0
0	0	0	0	1
1	1	1	1	0

- Each superpixel is 1 feature.
- It can be on or off

➔ It is easy to understand

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