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Introduction to Machine Learning DATAWorks 2023

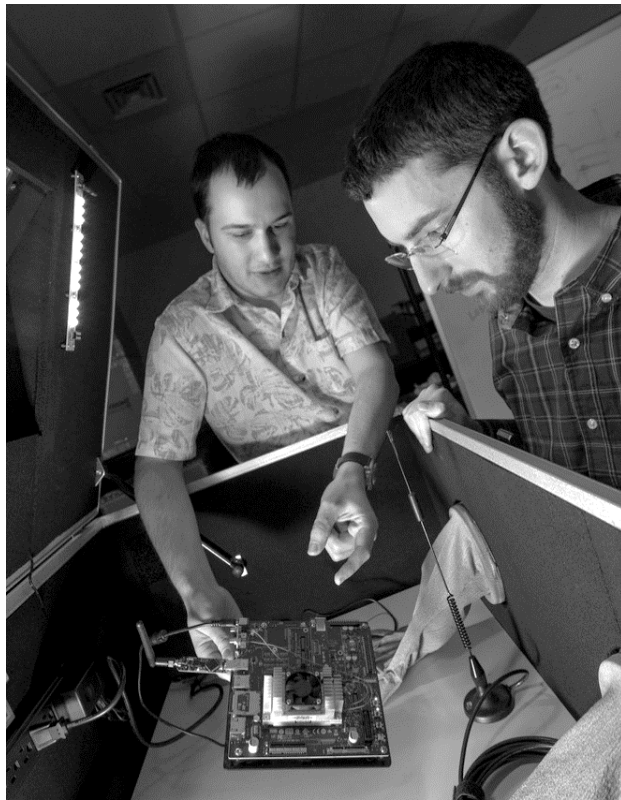
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Overview

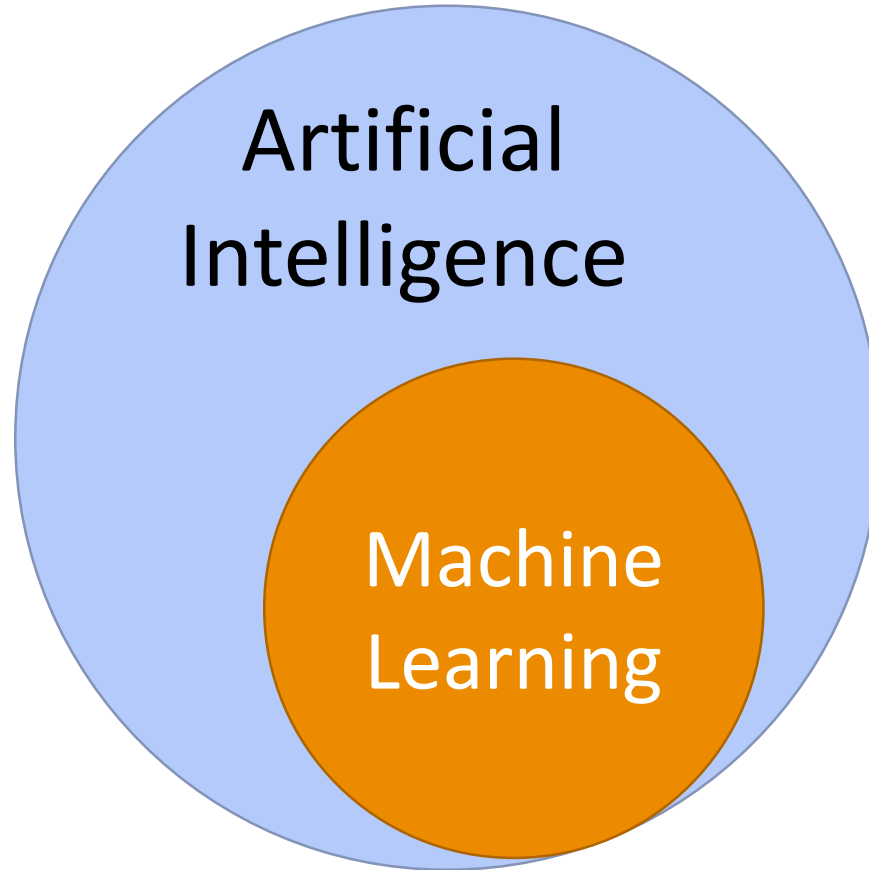
Lectures

- Introduction to Machine Learning
- Supervised Learning
- Unsupervised Learning
- Reinforcement Learning

Demonstrations

- Python
 - Numpy
 - Pandas
 - Matplotlib
 - Seaborn
 - Statsmodels
 - Scikit learn
 - Gymnasium
- Jupyter notebooks





- Artificial intelligence – any system that makes a decision using a computer
 - Rule-based systems
- Machine learning – learns how to make decisions from data or experience
 - ChatGPT

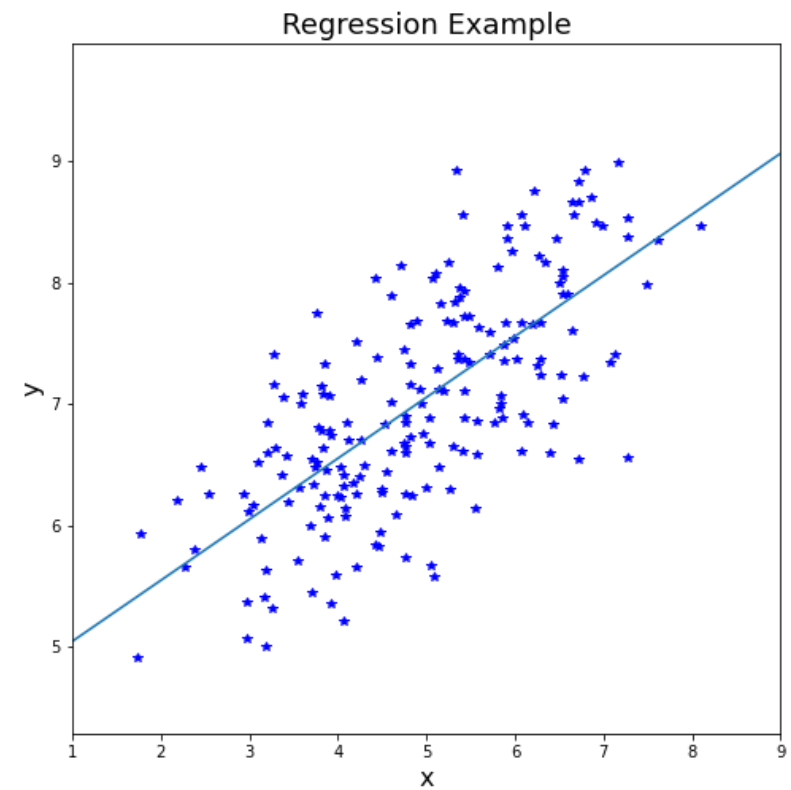
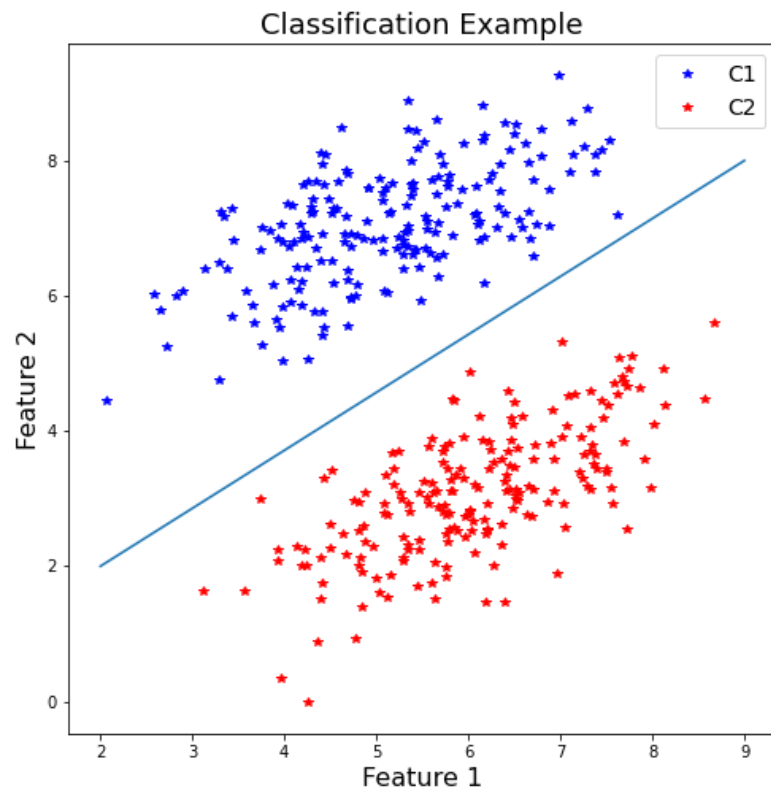
Machine Learning

Supervised
Learning

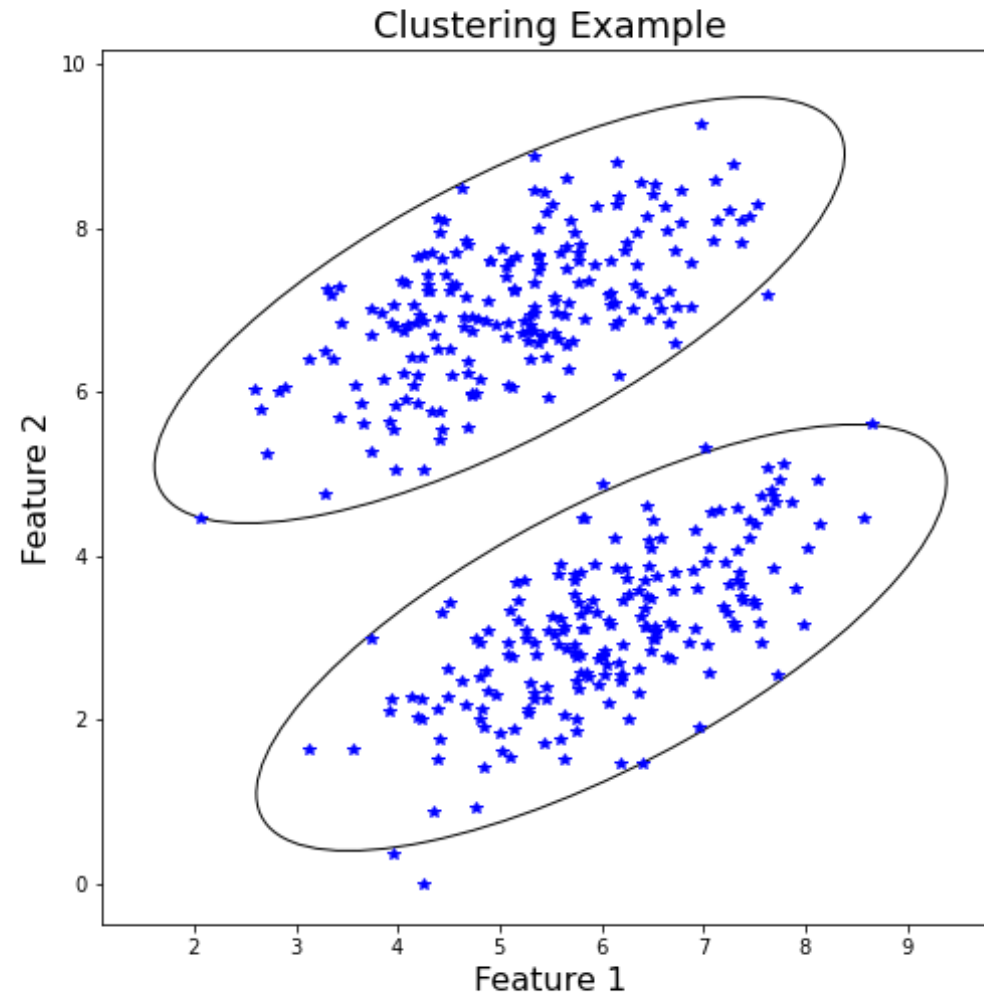
Unsupervised
Learning

Reinforcement
Learning

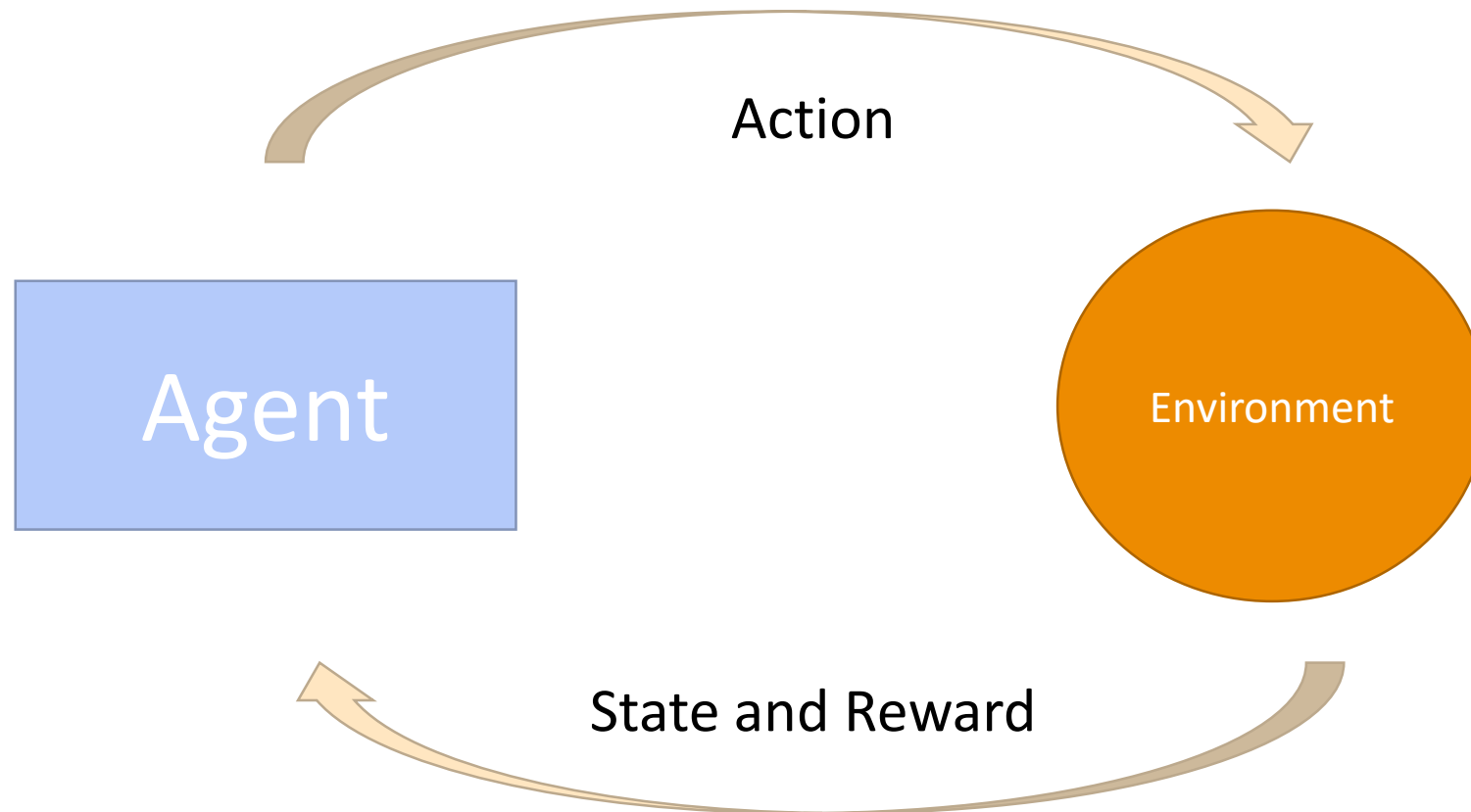
Supervised Learning



Unsupervised Learning



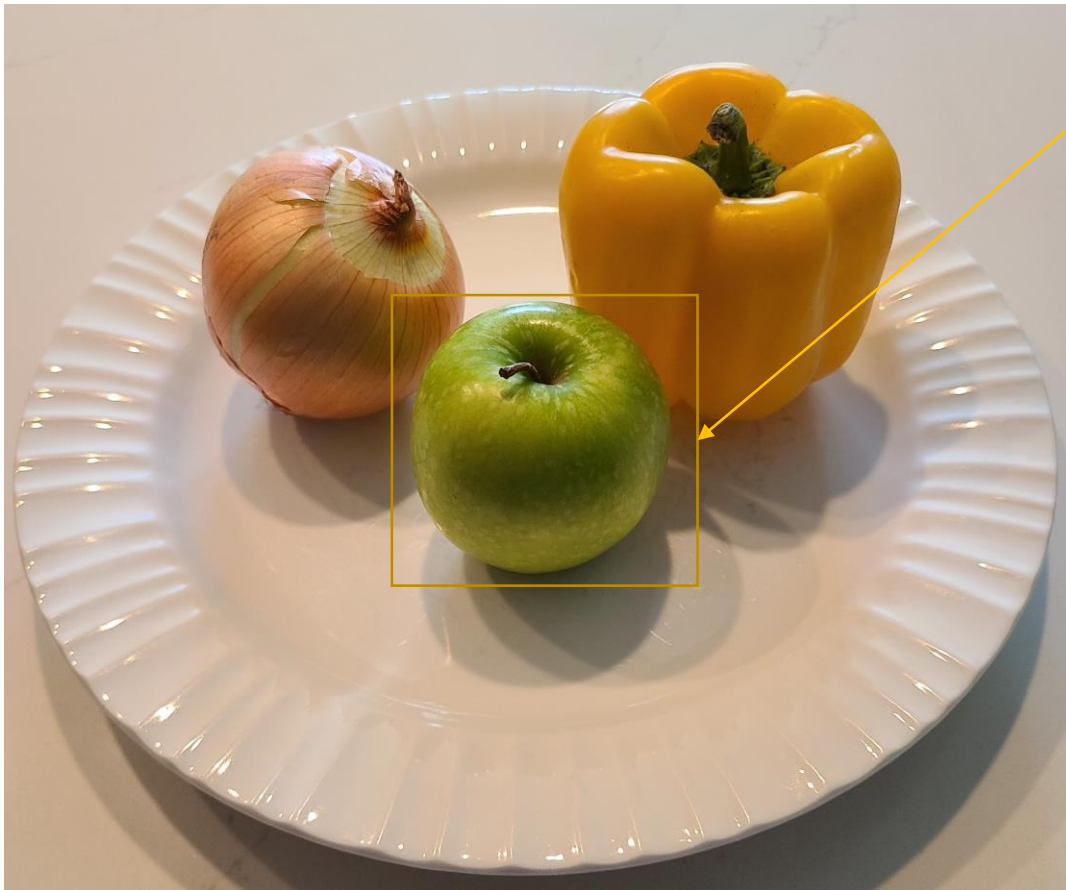
Reinforcement Learning



Machine Learning Applications



Computer Vision



Apple
Confidence: 0.99

Fruit

Apple

Granny
Smith Apple

- Image classification
- Image segmentation
- Video
- Bounding boxes
- Multi-label
- Feature extraction
- Convolution neural networks

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=h_gQHshUtGc



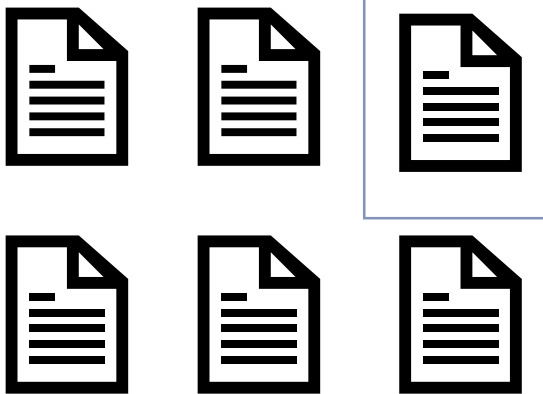
Natural Language Processing

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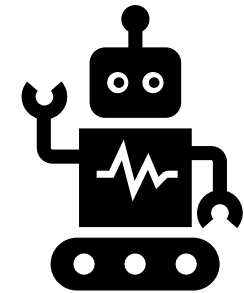
The Introduction to Machine Learning Short Course at DATAWorks 2023 will cover supervised learning, unsupervised learning, and reinforcement learning.

- Proper nouns
- Adjectives

Pertinent



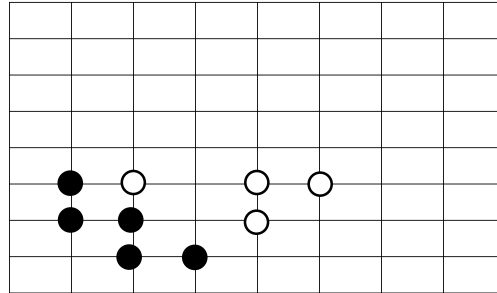
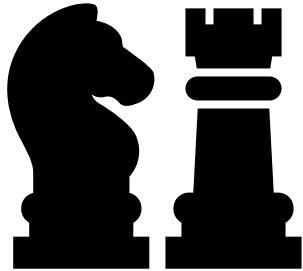
Open AI's ChatGPT



- Topic modeling and clustering
- Document classification
- Part-of-speech identification
- Translation
- Sentence/document completion
- Generative modeling
- Bayesian models
- Recurrent neural networks



Games



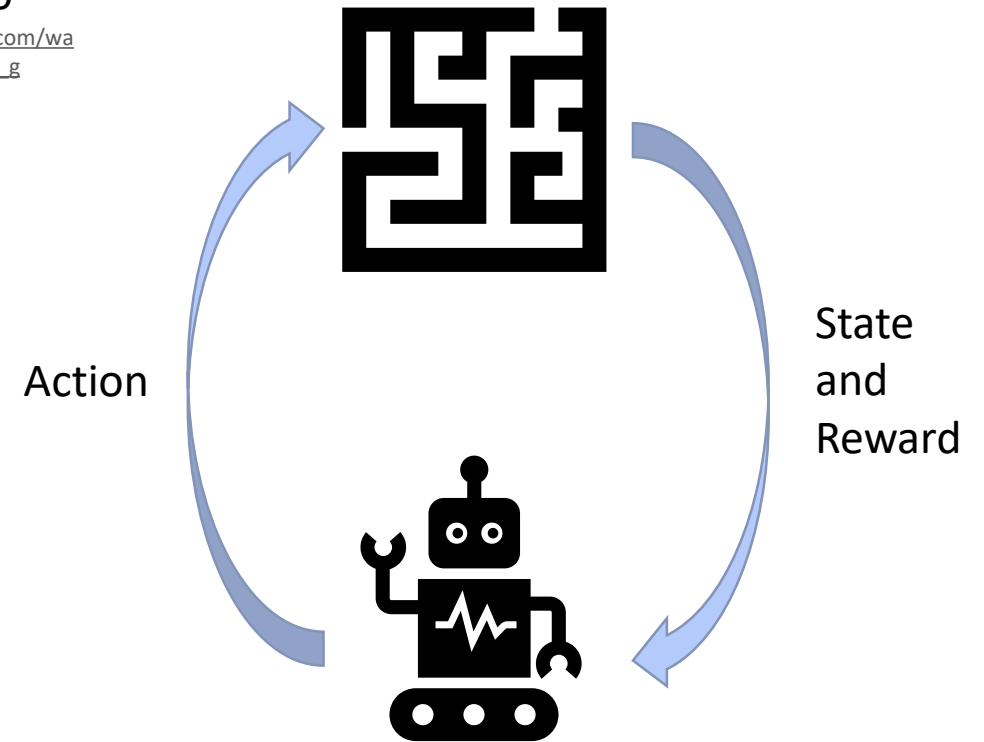
Alpha Go

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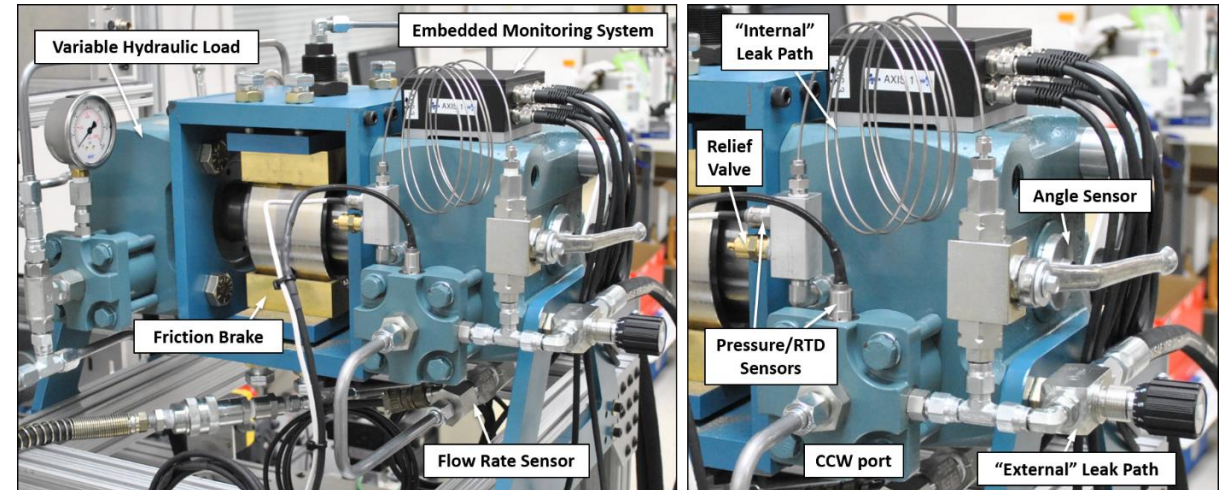
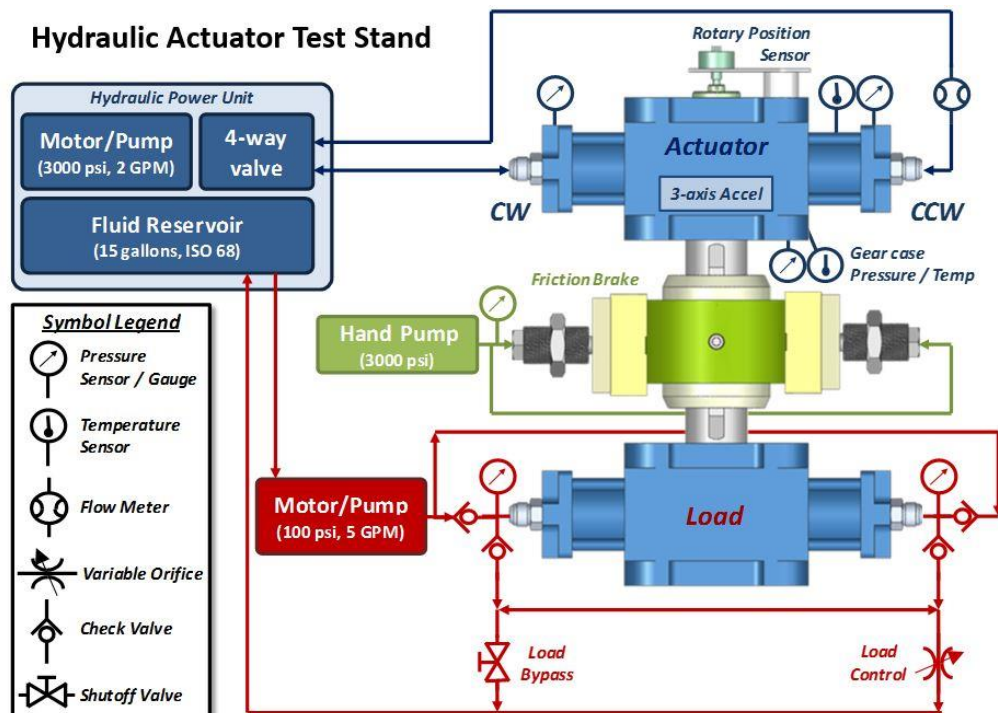


Alpha Star

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Condition Monitoring



Adams, Stephen, et al. "Condition based monitoring for a hydraulic actuator." *Annual Conference of the PHM Society*. Vol. 8. No. 1. 2016.

Other applications

My research:

- Cyber threat detection
- Credit card fraud
- Control of cyber-physical systems
 - Manufacturing
 - Infrastructure
- Sports analytics

Others?



Limitations of ML

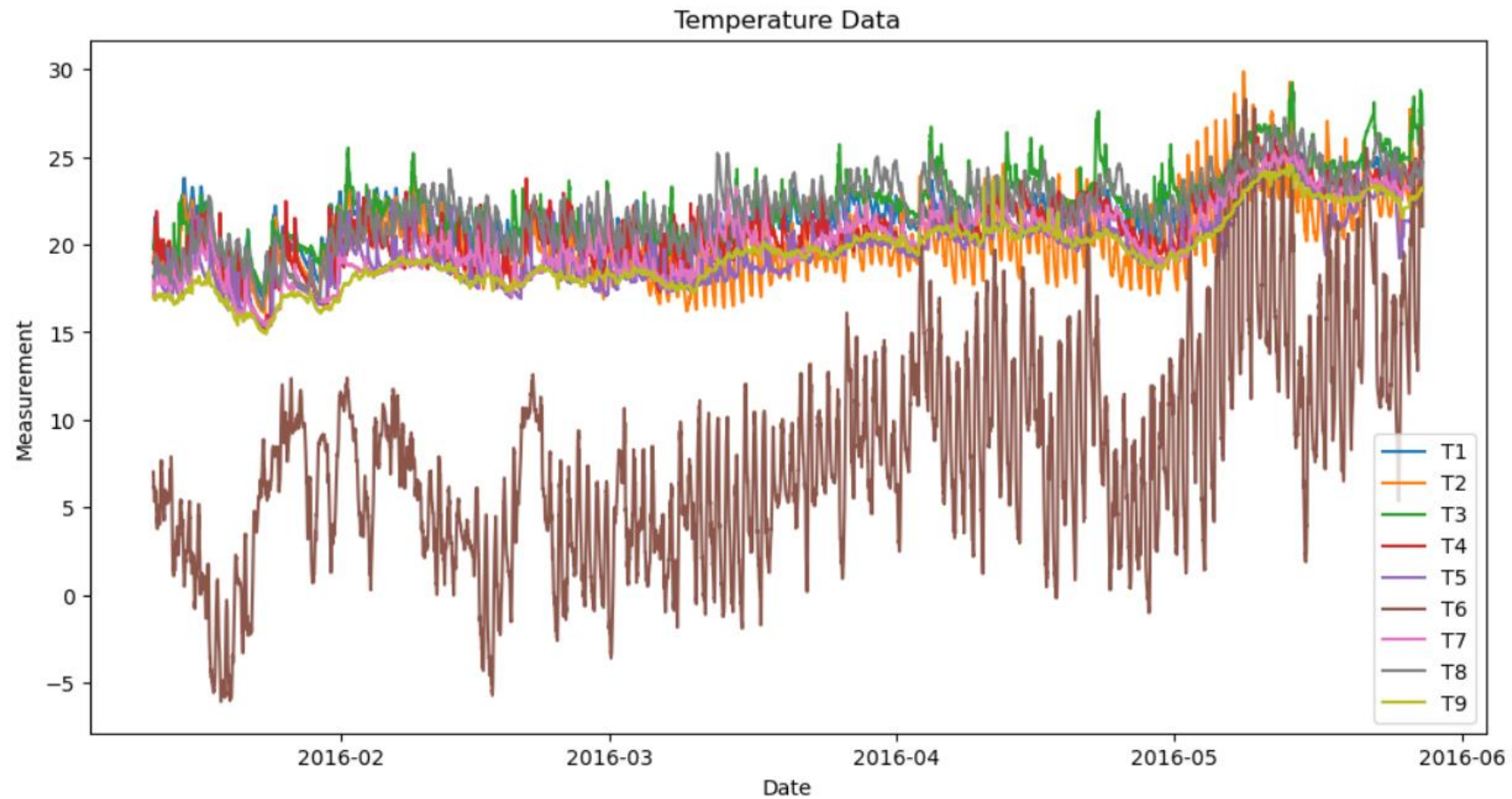
- Requires data (or experience)
 - Collection
 - Labeling
 - Storage
- Generally need a large amount of data
- Computation
- Generalization
 - May make decisions a human would not make
- Can be confidently wrong
- Black-box



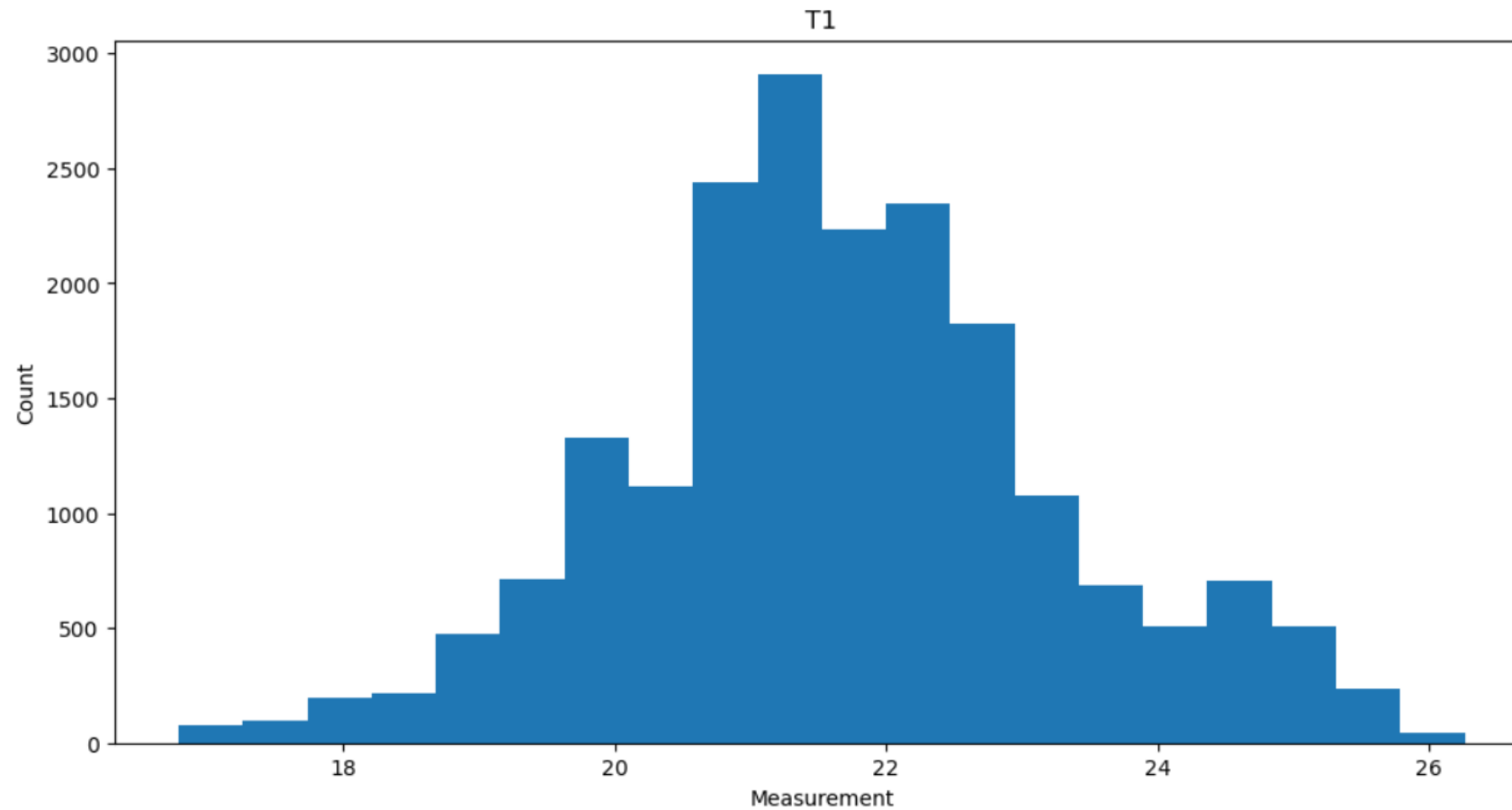
Exploratory Data Analysis



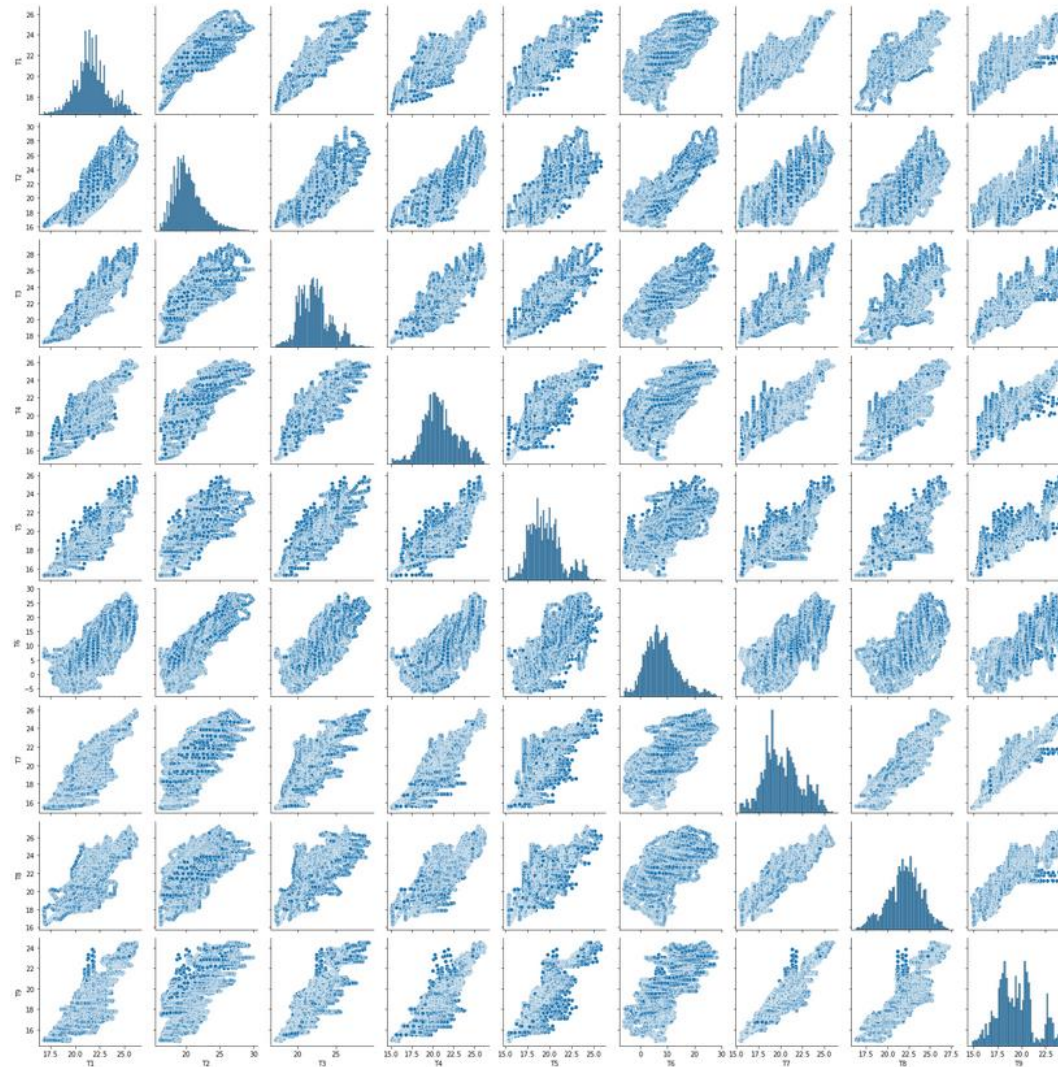
Plots



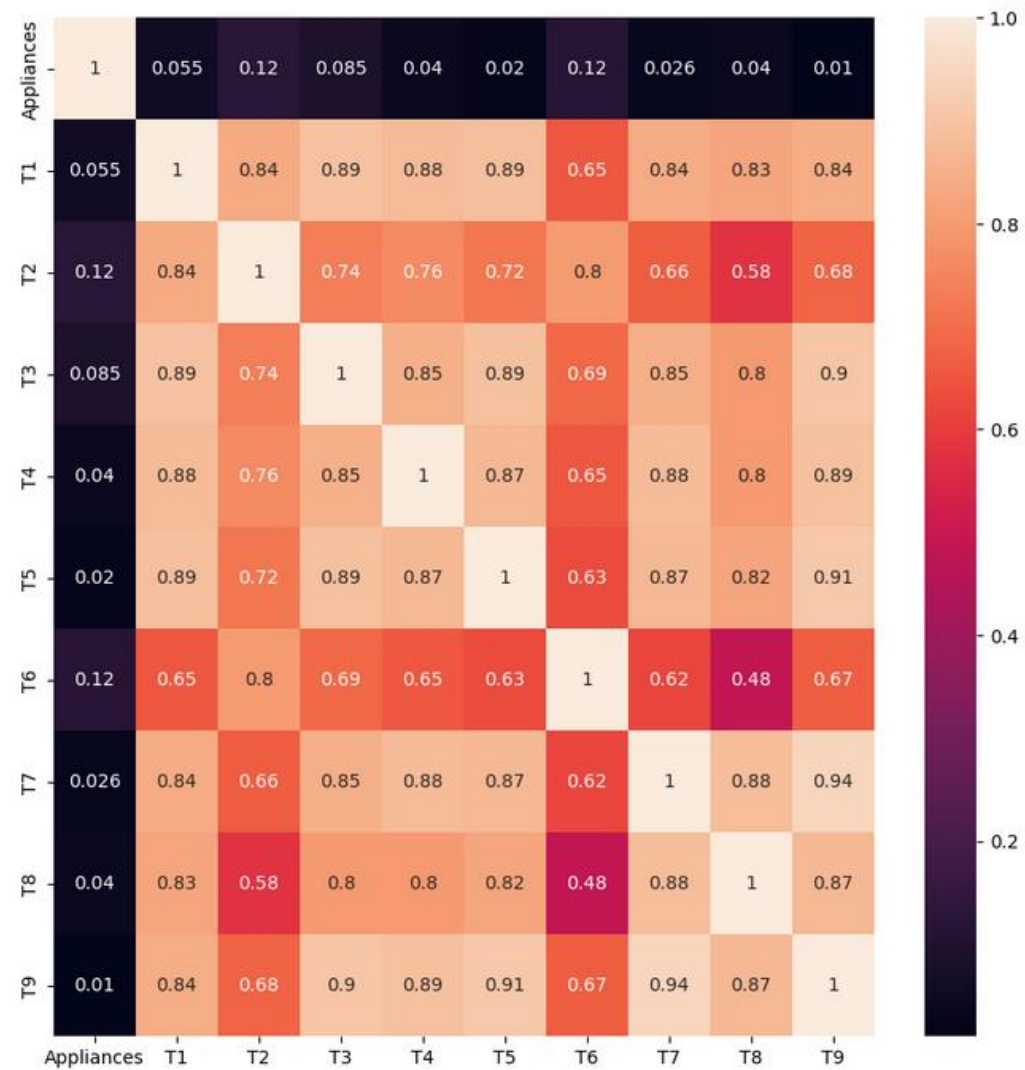
Distributions



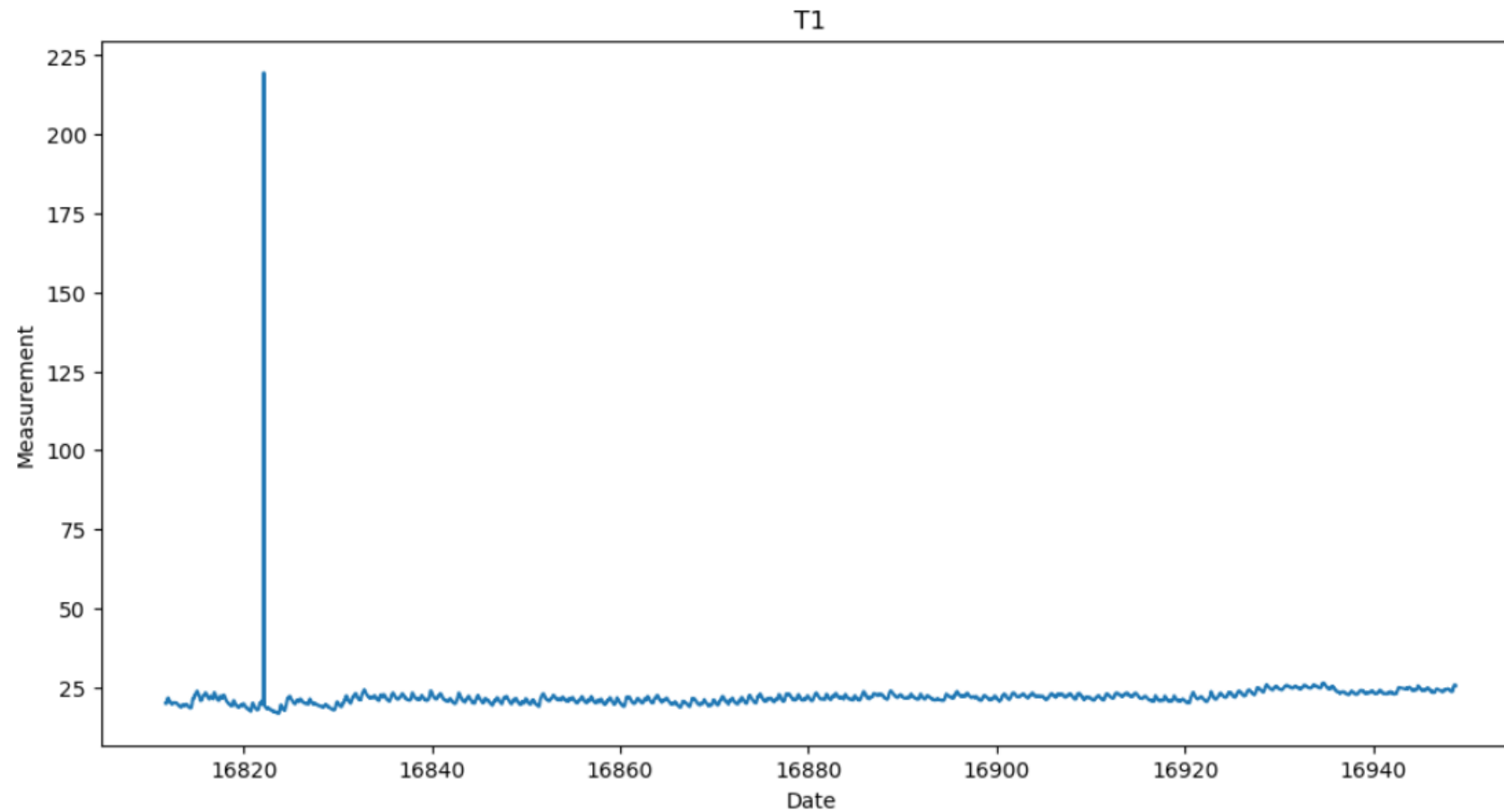
Pair Plots



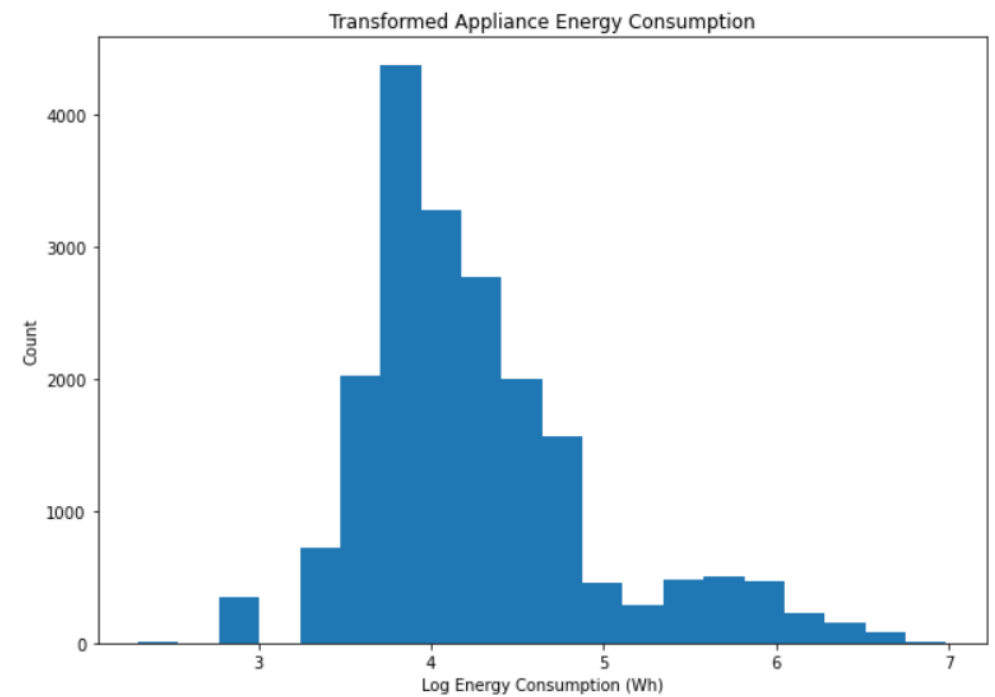
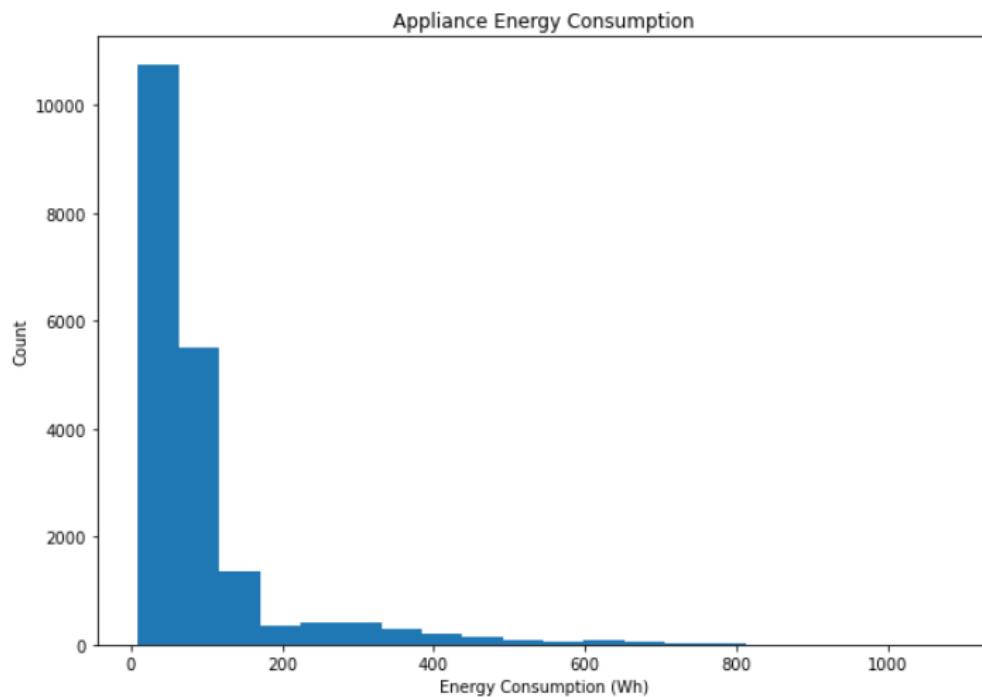
Correlation



Outliers



Transformations



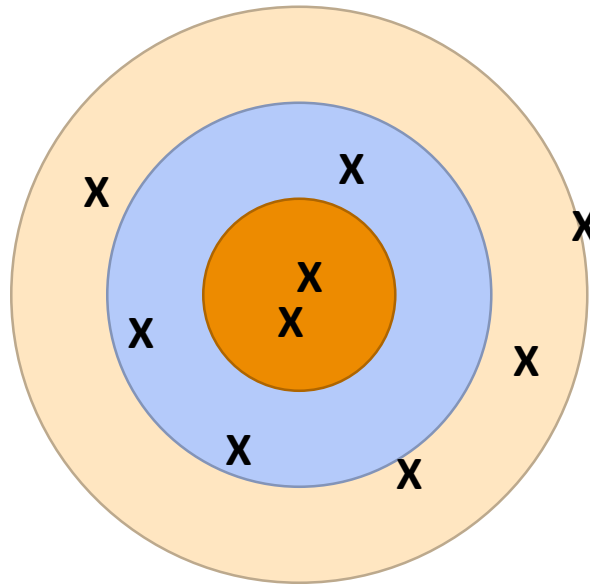
Modeling Considerations



Bias vs Variance

$$\text{Error} = \text{Bias}^2 + \text{Variance} + \text{Irreducible Error}$$

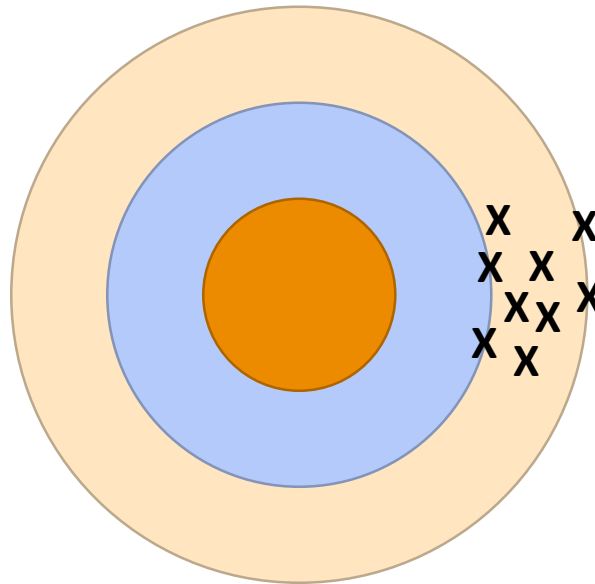
Variance



Bias vs Variance

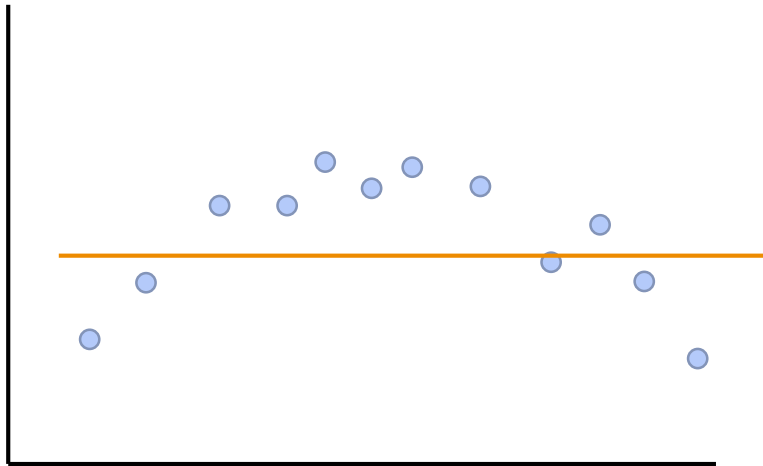
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Bias



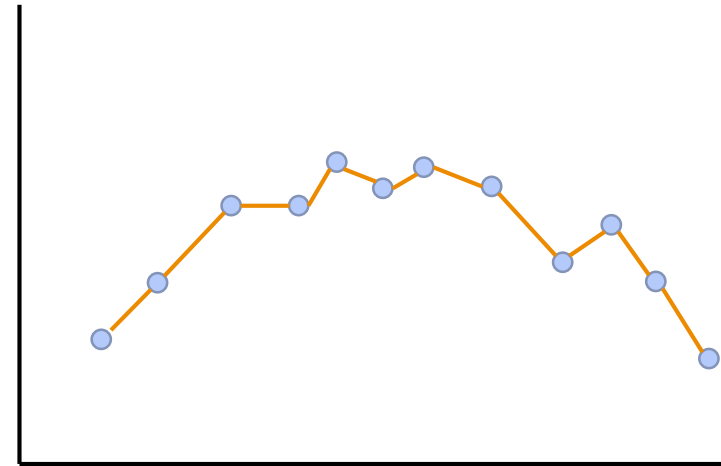
Underfitting vs Overfitting

Underfitting



High Bias

Overfitting

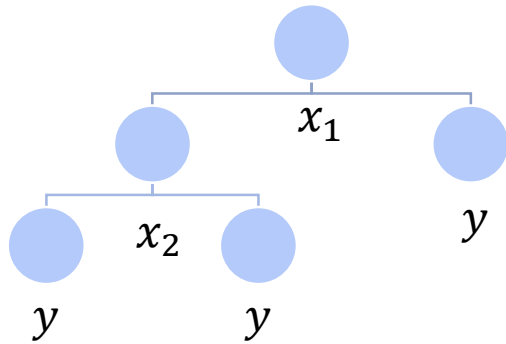


High Variance

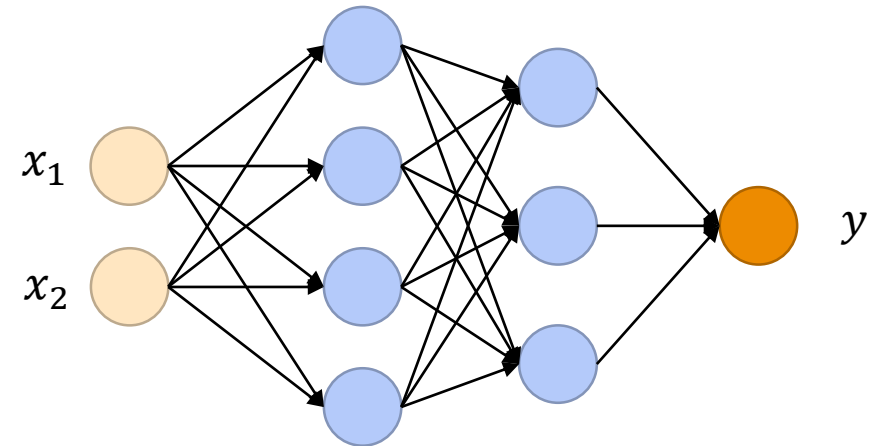
Model Complexity

Low Complexity

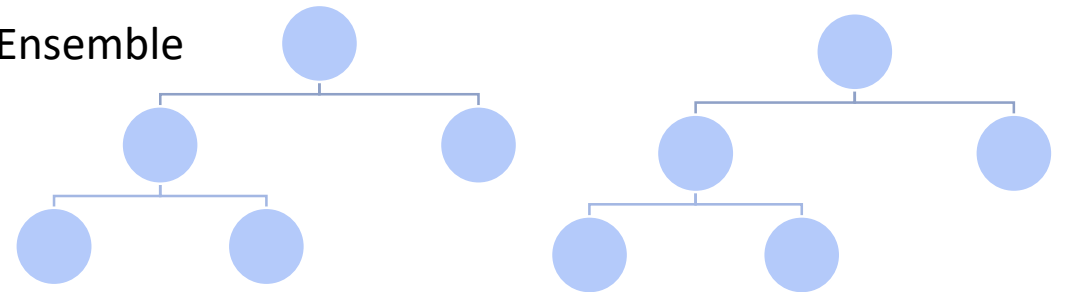
$$y = wx + c$$



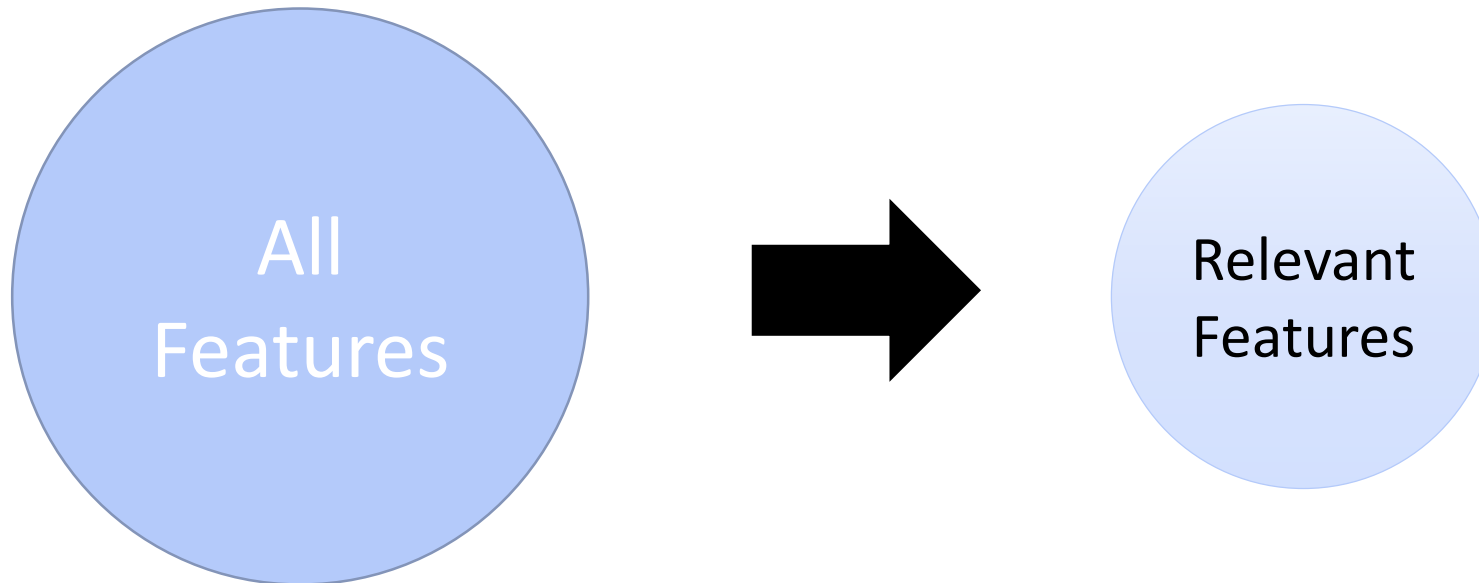
High Complexity



Ensemble



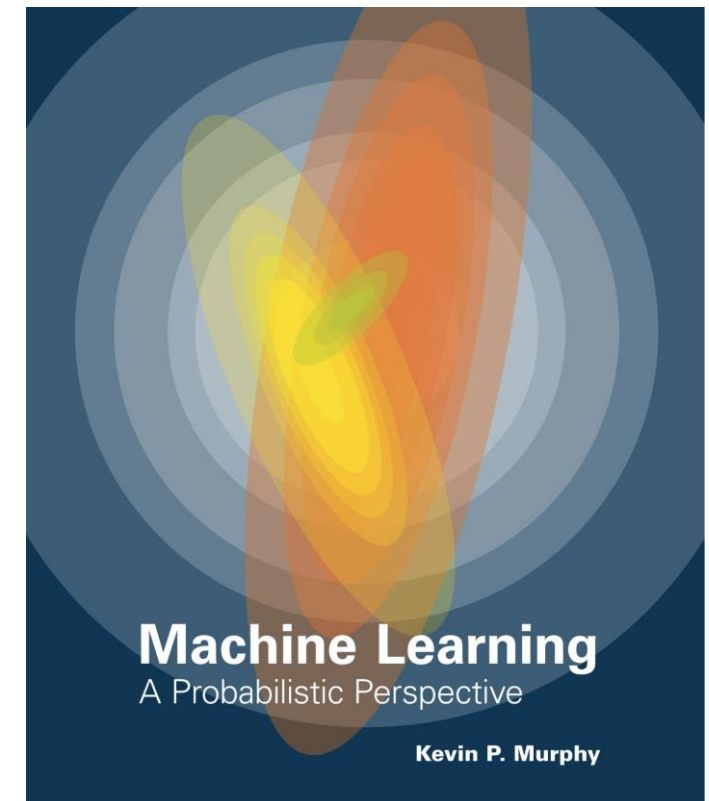
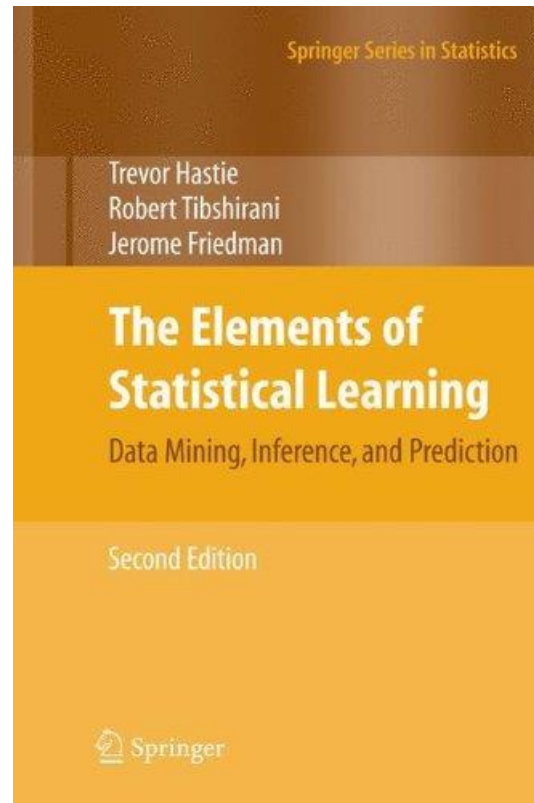
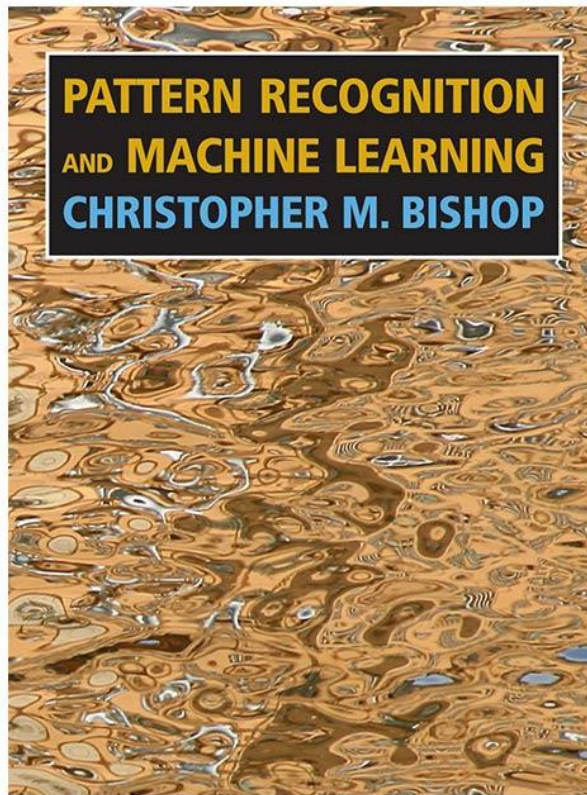
Feature Selection



Resources



Books



Data Repositories



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Questions?

