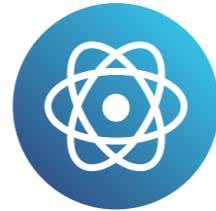


Supervised learning

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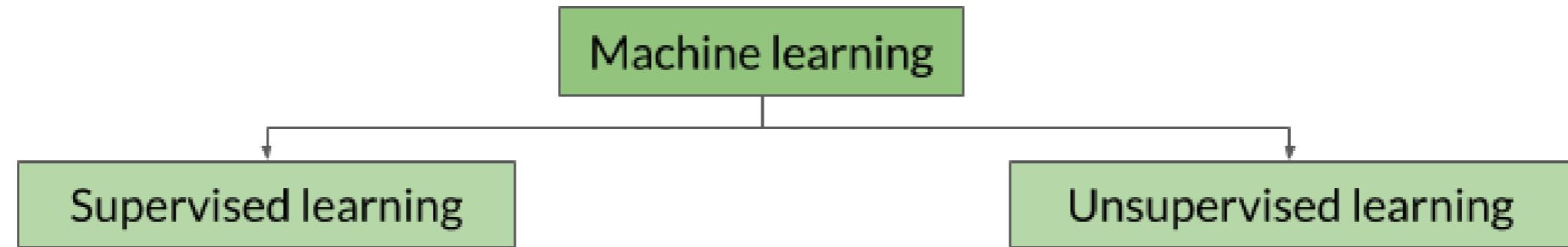
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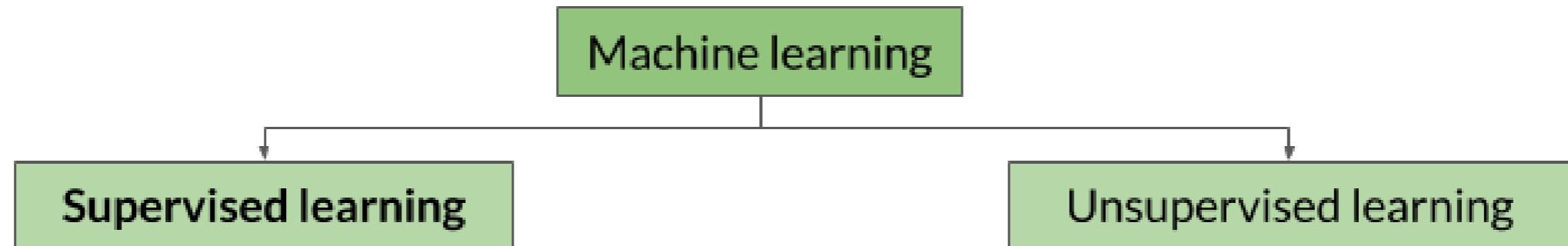
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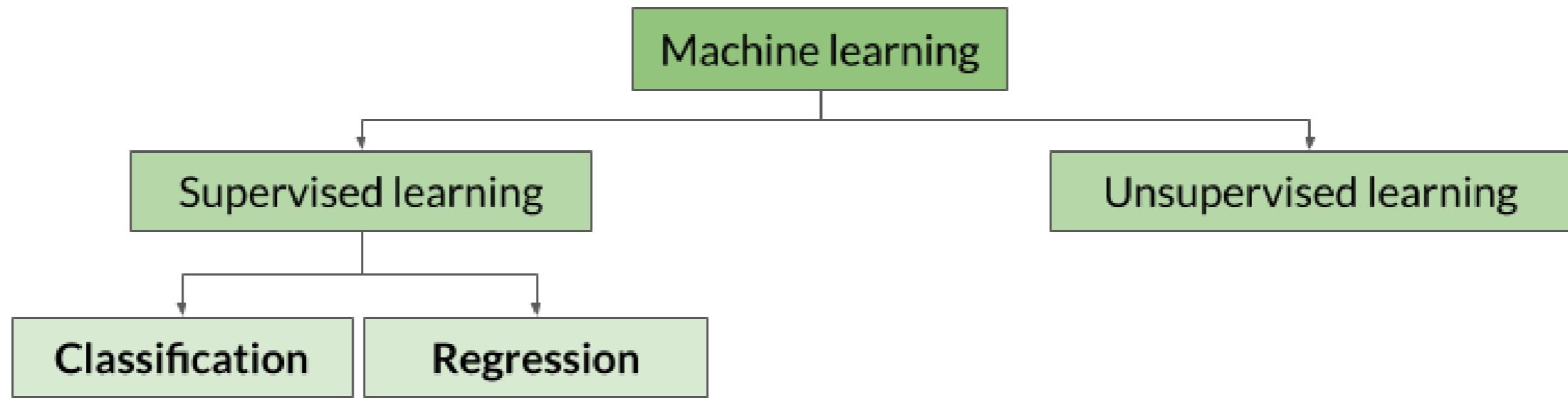
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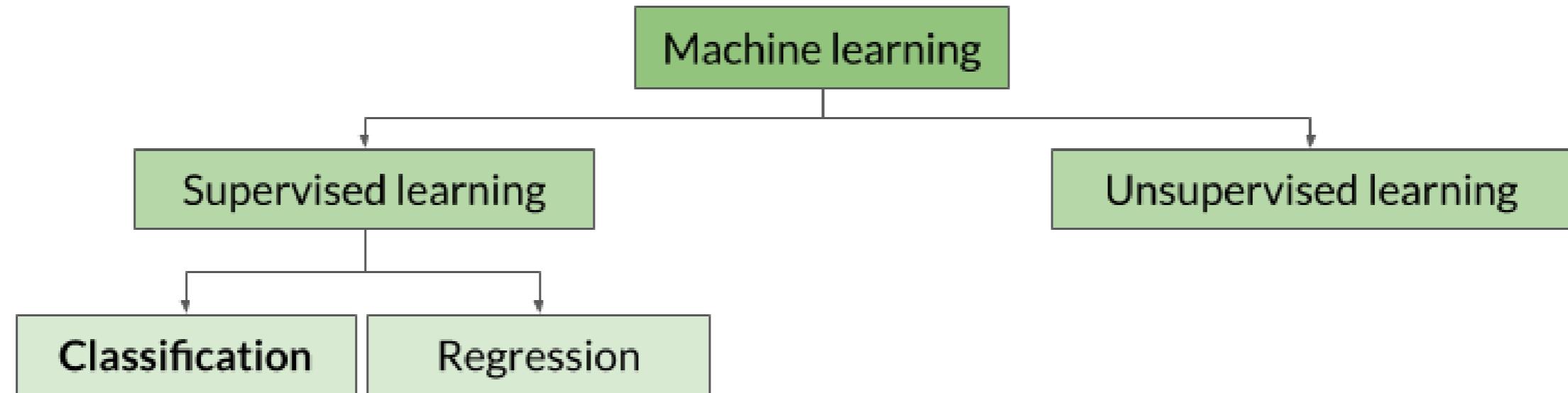
What is supervised learning?



Classification and regression



Classification



Classification

- **Classification** = assigning a category
 - Will this customer stop its subscription?
 - Yes, No
 - Is this mole cancerous?
 - Yes, No
 - What kind of wine is that?
 - Red, White, Rosé
 - What flower is that?
 - Rose, Tulip, Carnation, Lily

Observations

| | Applicant ID | High school GPA | Test results | Accepted |
|--------------------|--------------|-----------------|--------------|----------|
| First observation | 0 | 3.5 | 2.4 | False |
| Second observation | 1 | 4 | 2.2 | False |
| Third observation | 2 | 4.2 | 4.3 | True |
| Fourth observation | 3 | 4.8 | 2.9 | False |
| n observations | ... | ... | ... | ... |

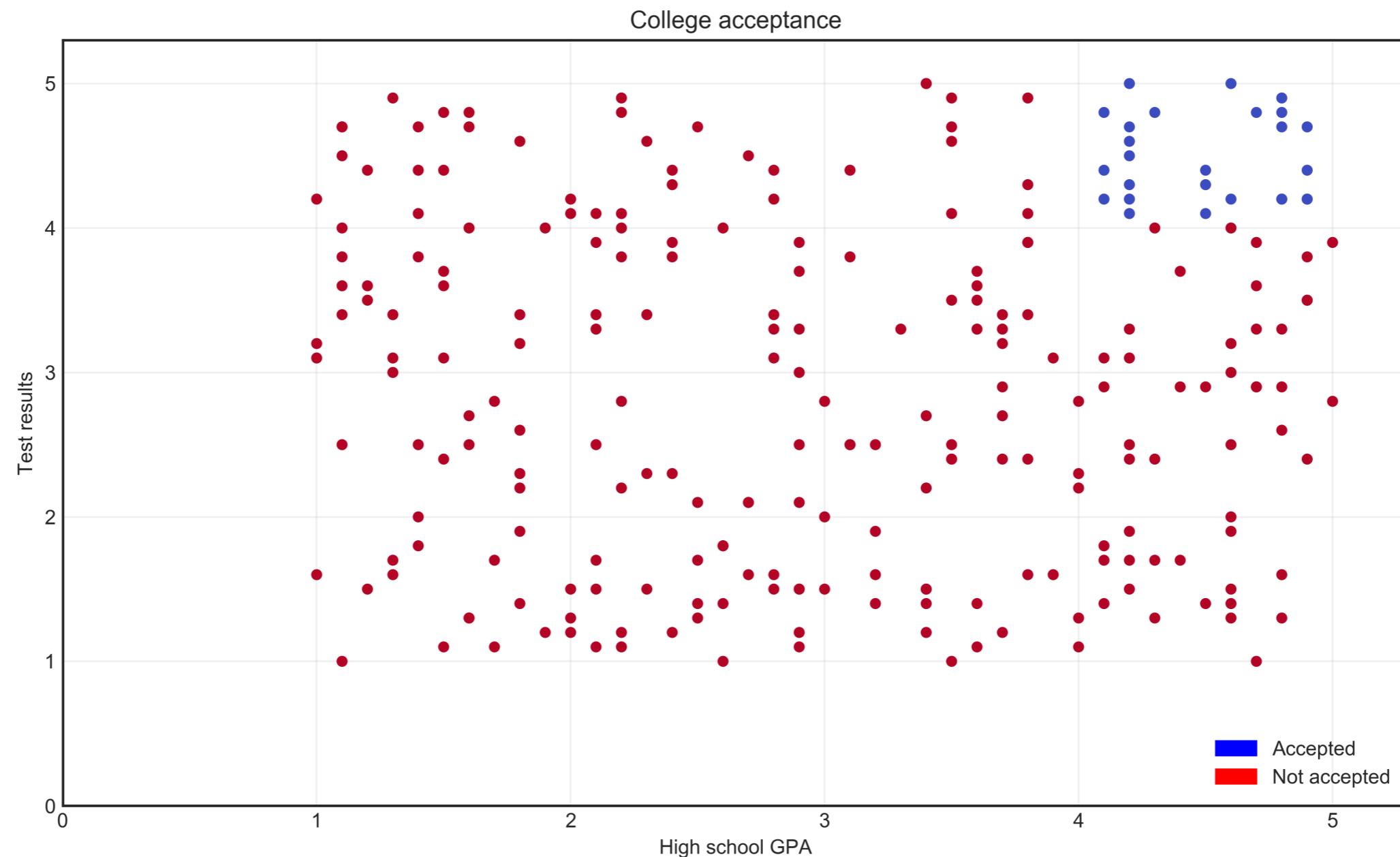
Features

| Applicant ID | High school GPA | Test results | Accepted |
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| 0 | 3.5 | 2.4 | False |
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| ... | ... | ... | ... |

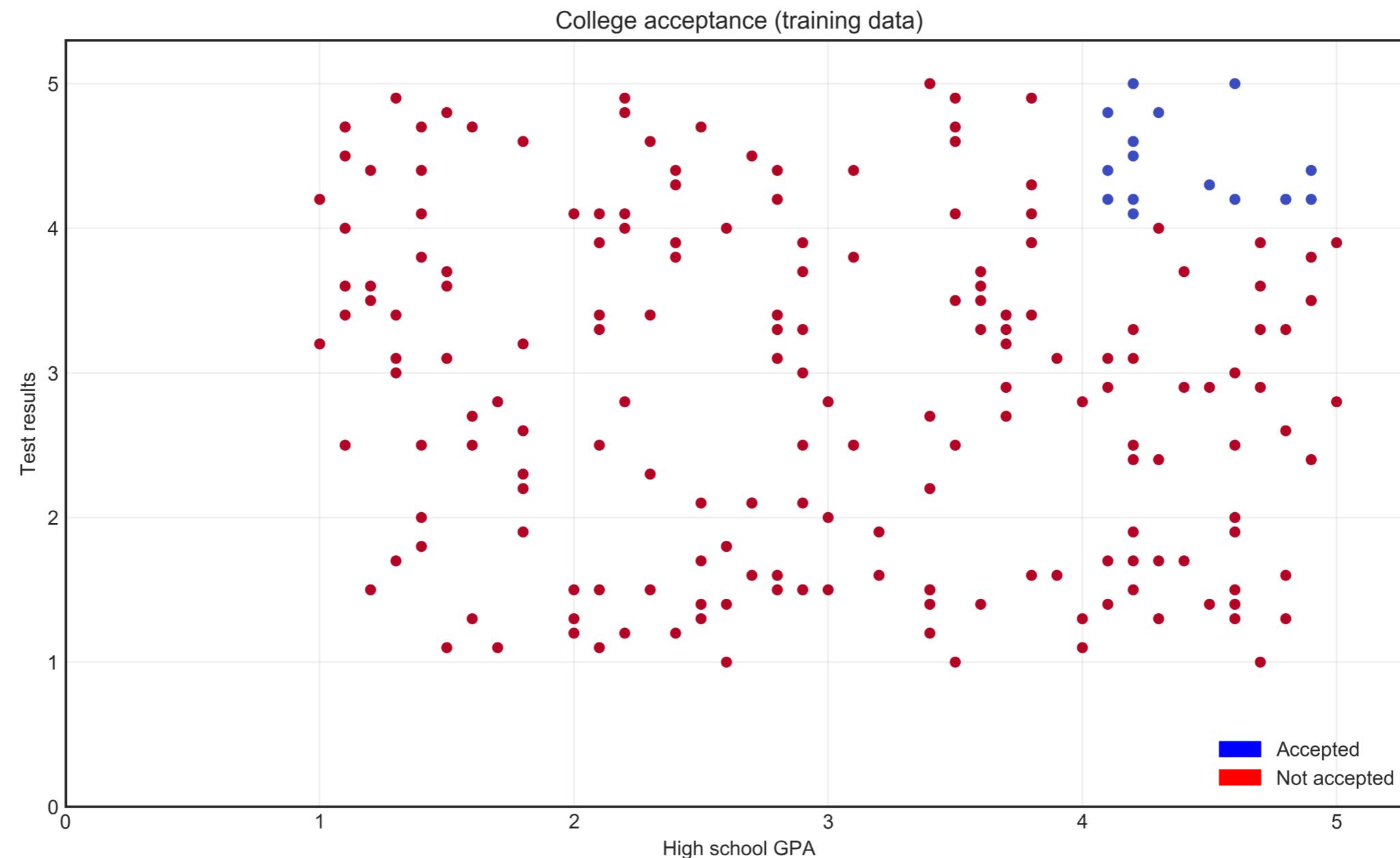
Target

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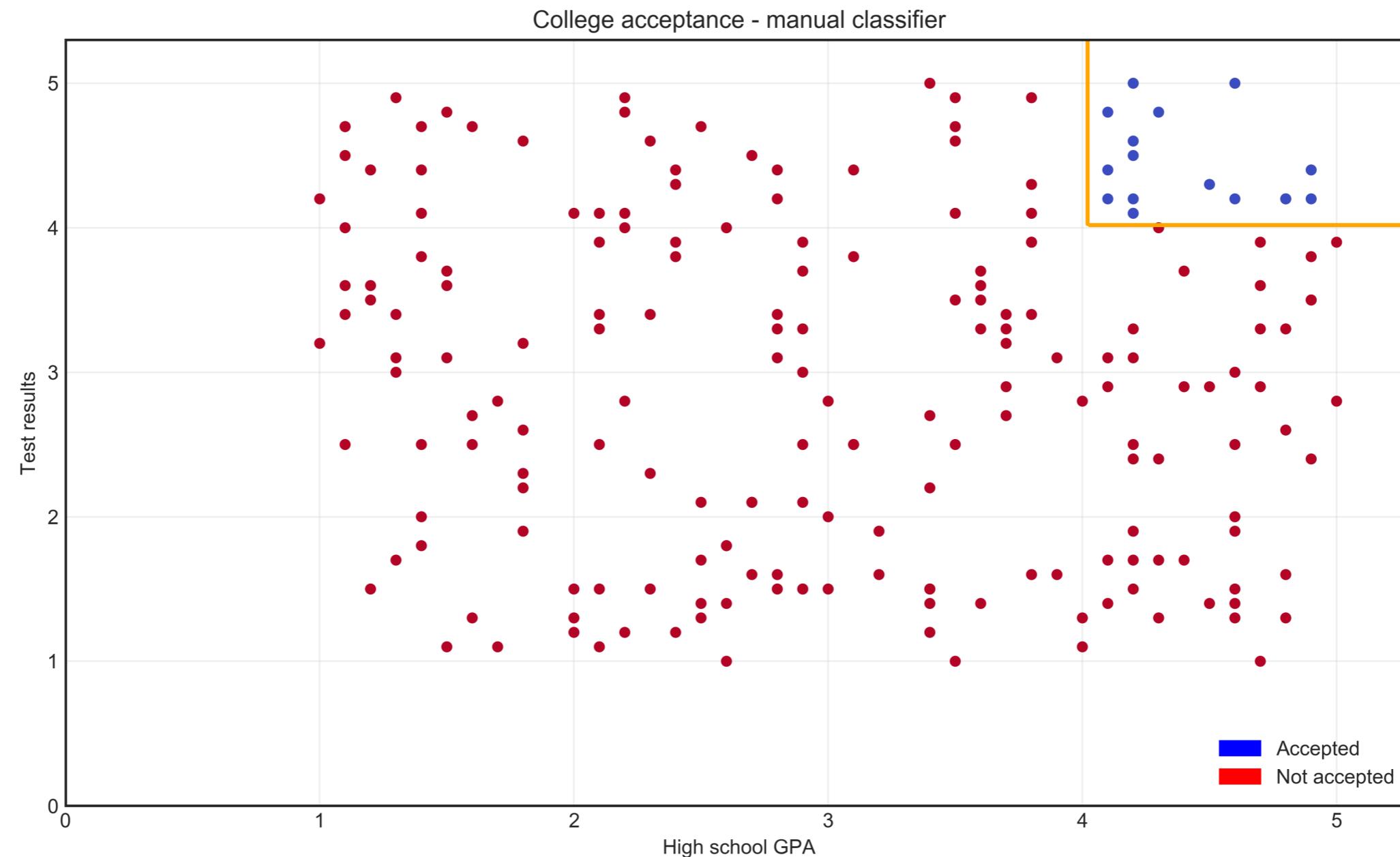
Graphing our data



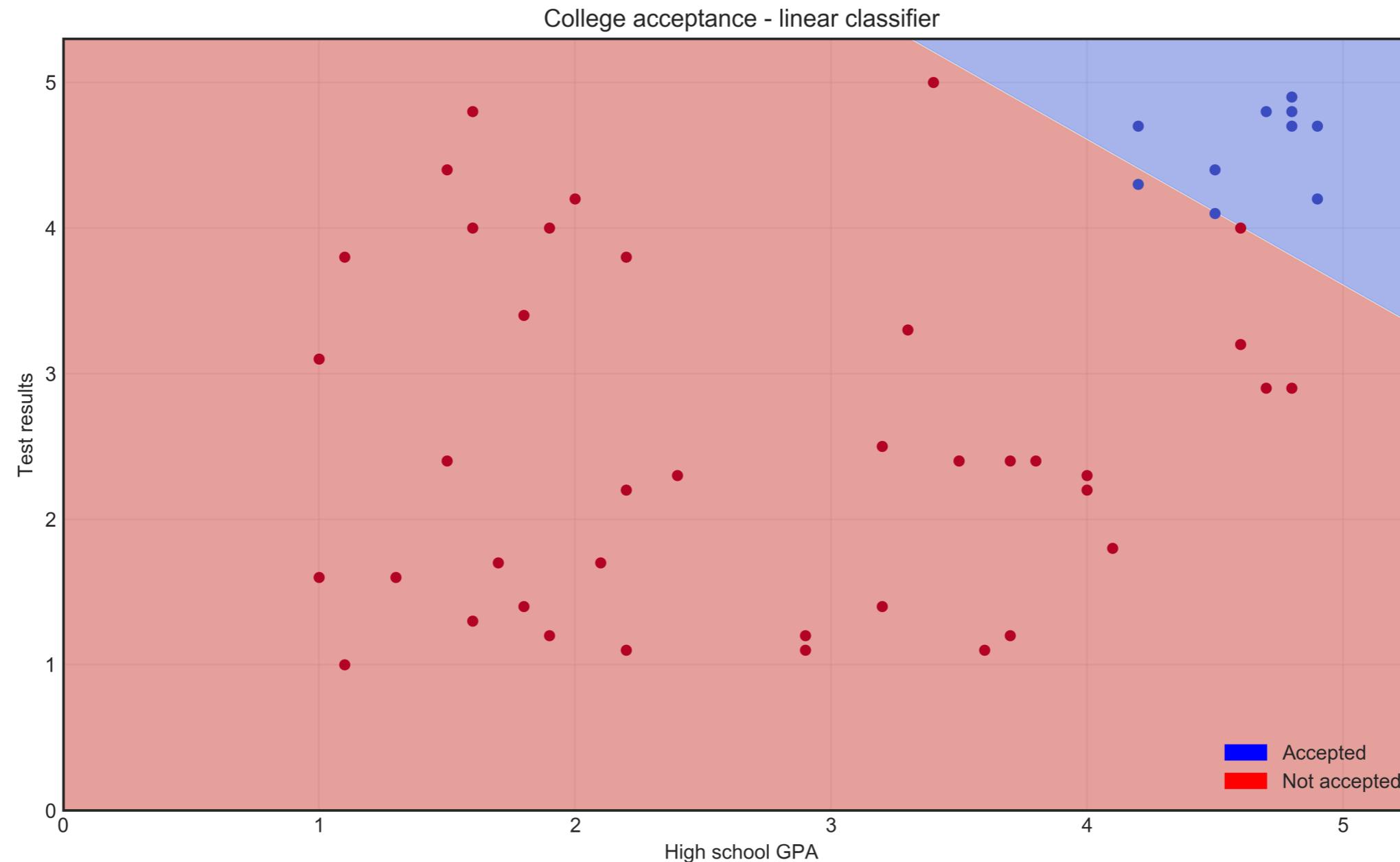
Splitting data



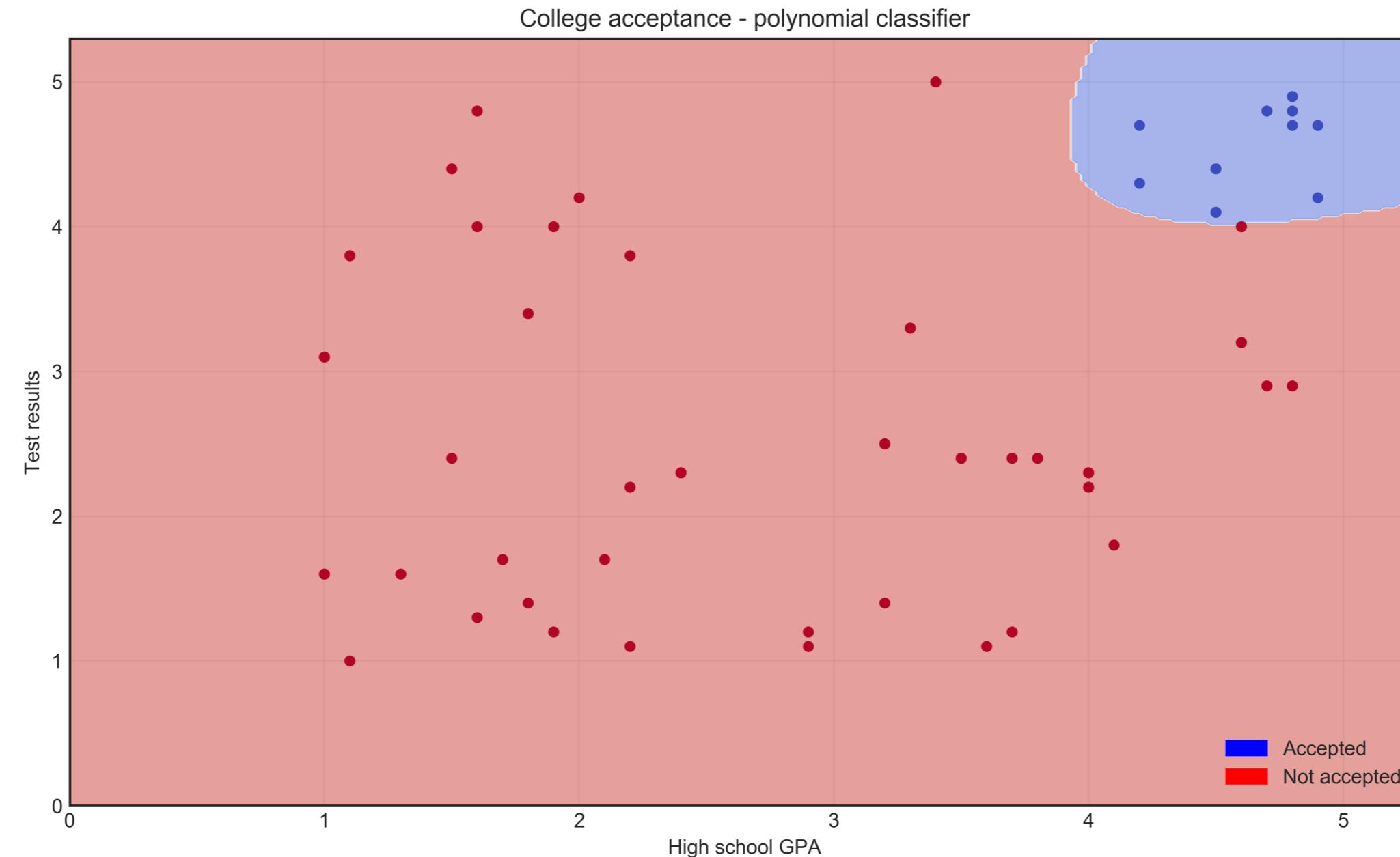
Manual classifier



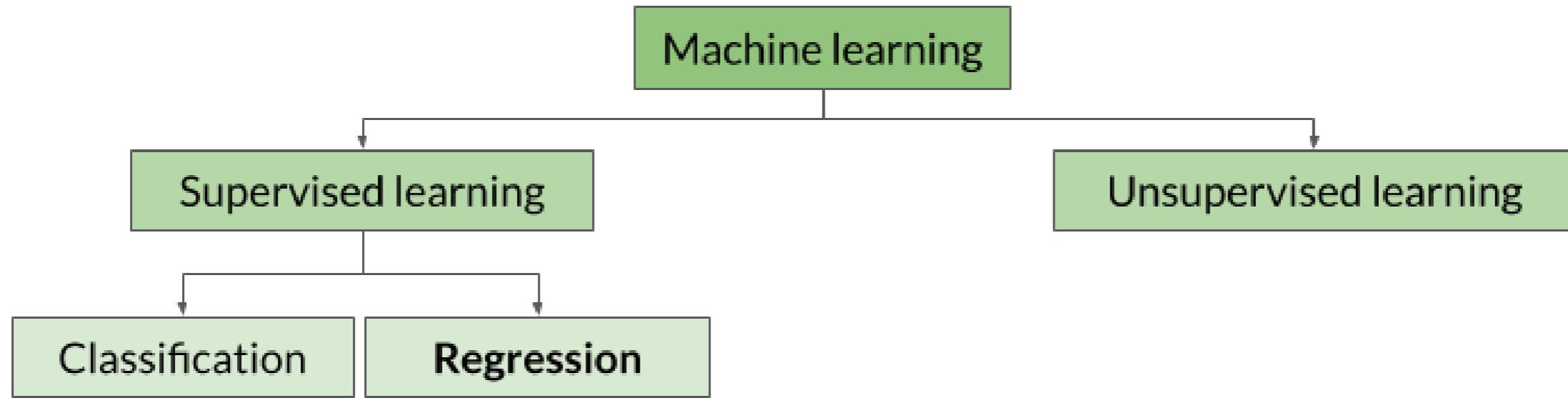
Support vector machine - linear classifier



Support vector machine - polynomial classifier



Regression



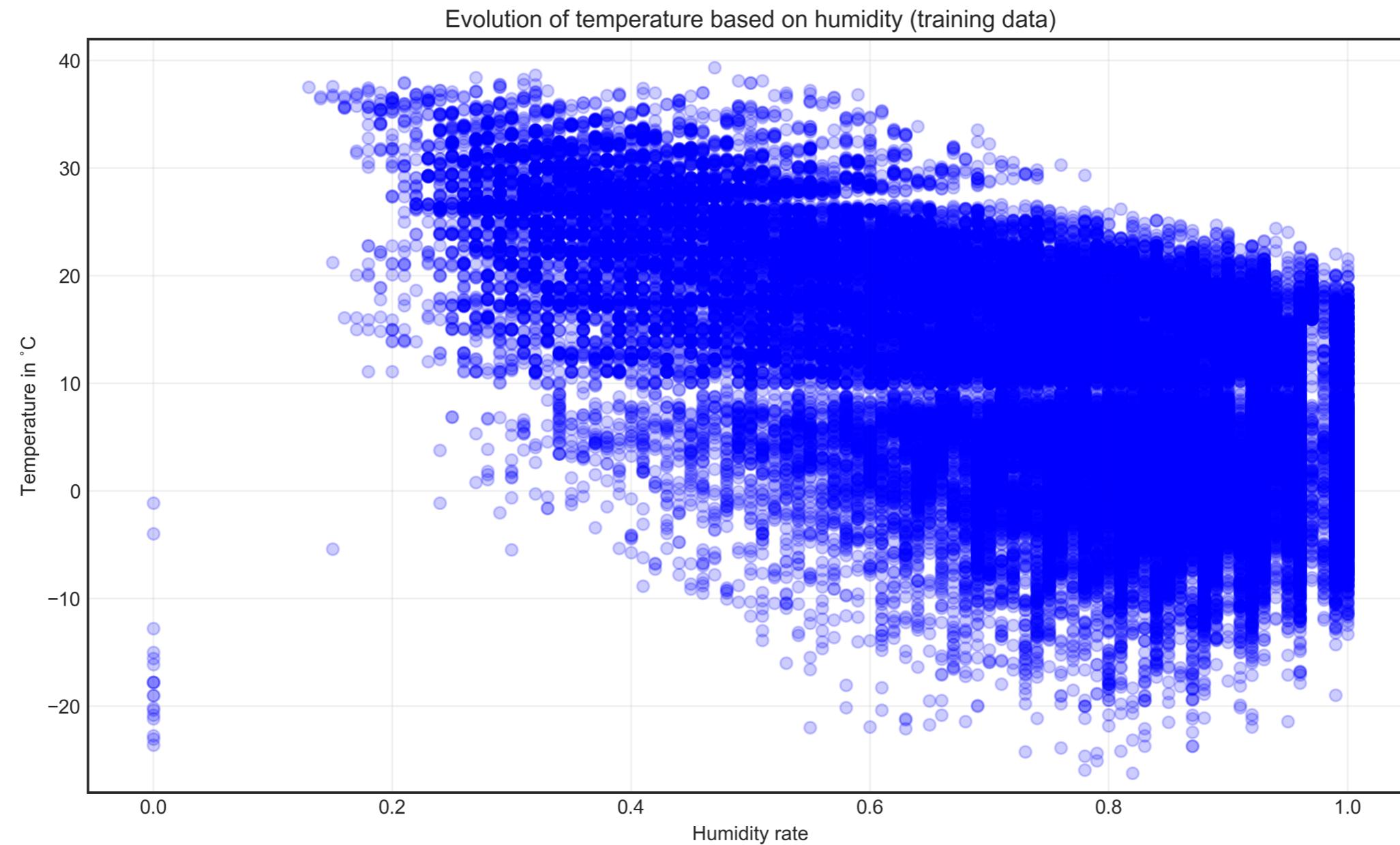
Regression

- **Regression** = assigning a **continuous** variable
 - How much will this stock be **worth**?
 - What is this exoplanet's **mass**?
 - How **tall** will this child be as an adult?

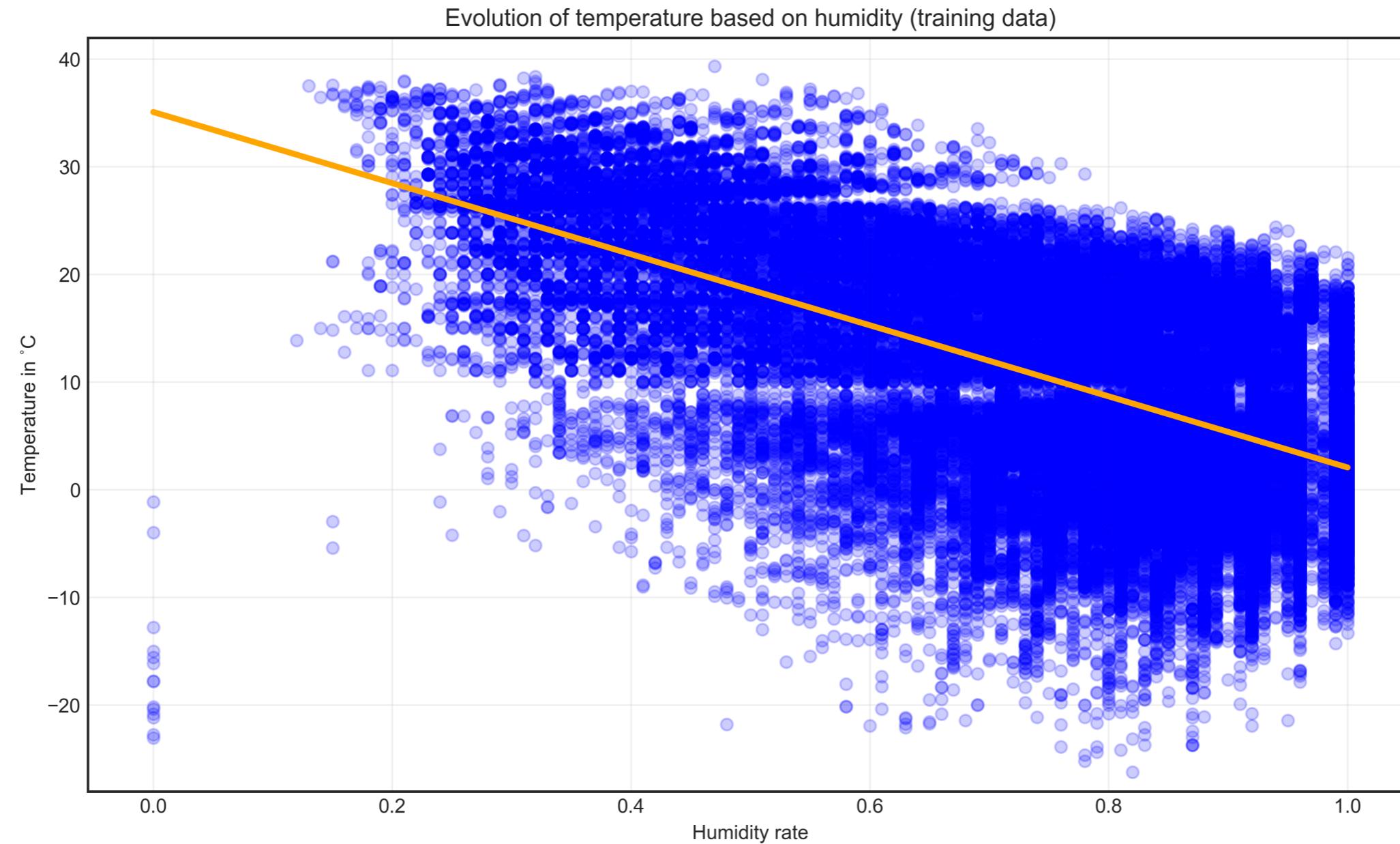
Predicting temperature

| Reading ID | Humidity rate | Temperature in °C |
|------------|---------------|-------------------|
| 0 | 0.89 | 7.388889 |
| 1 | 0.86 | 7.227778 |
| 2 | 0.89 | 9.377778 |
| 3 | 0.83 | 5.944444 |
| ... | ... | ... |

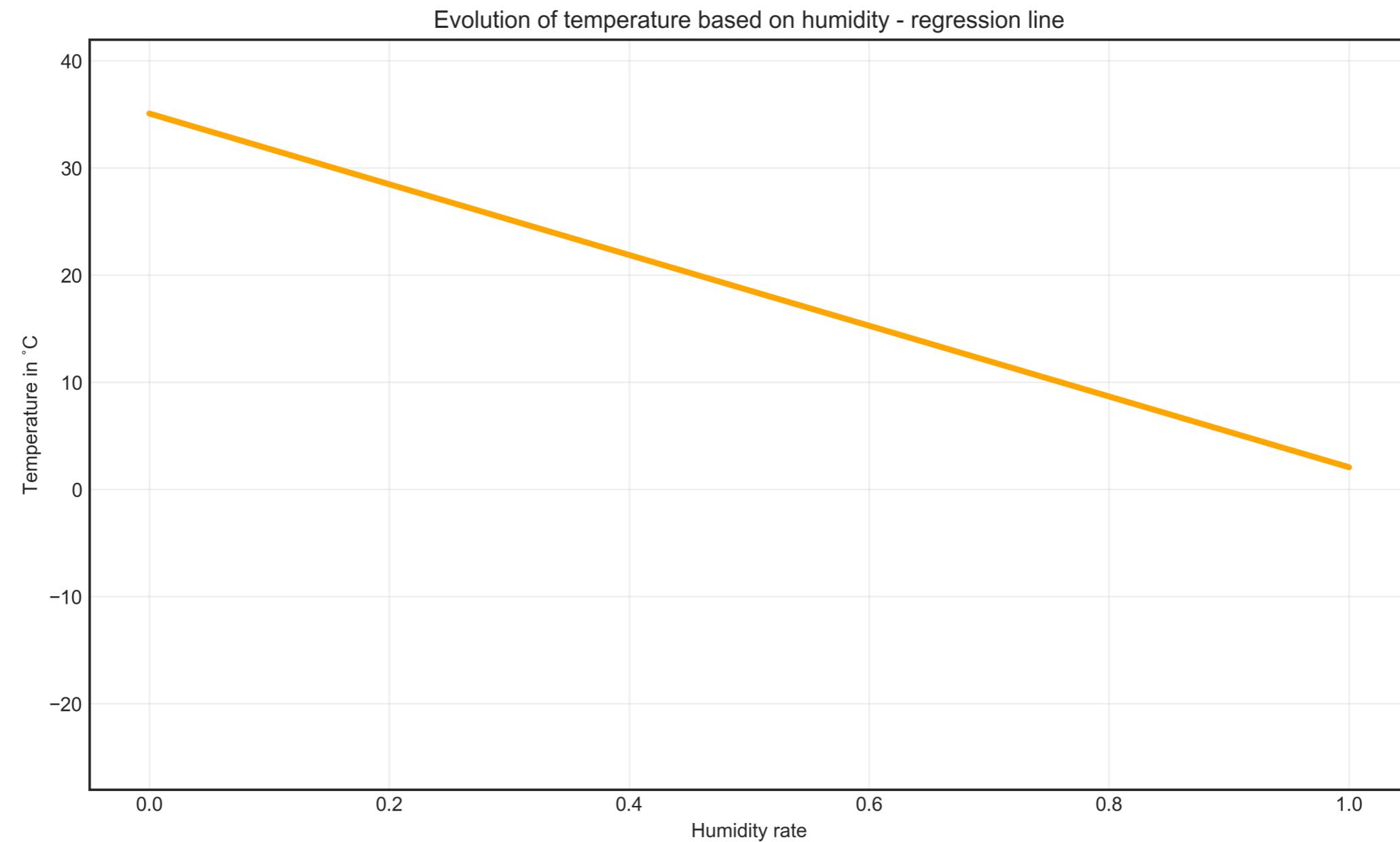
Training data



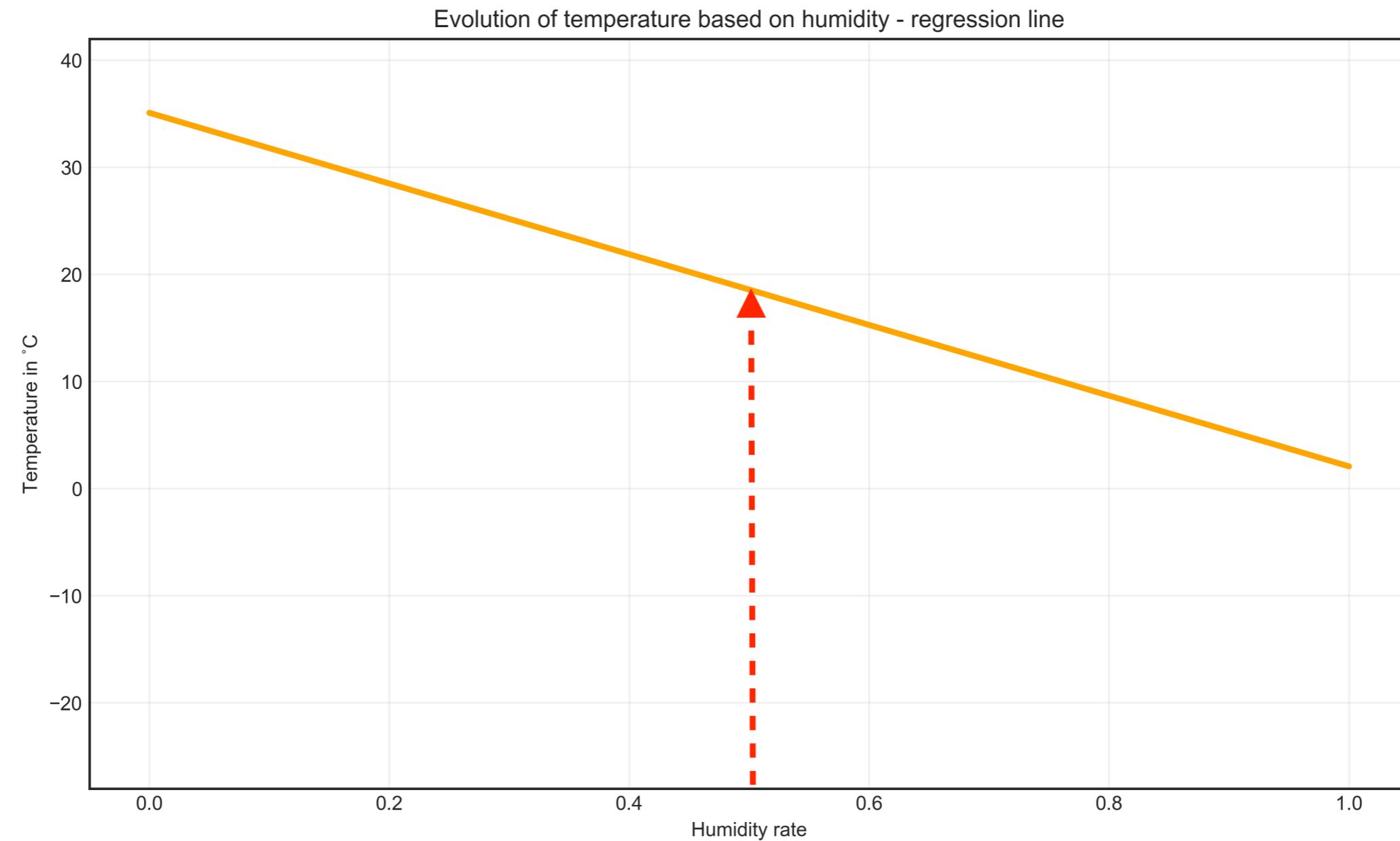
Linear regression



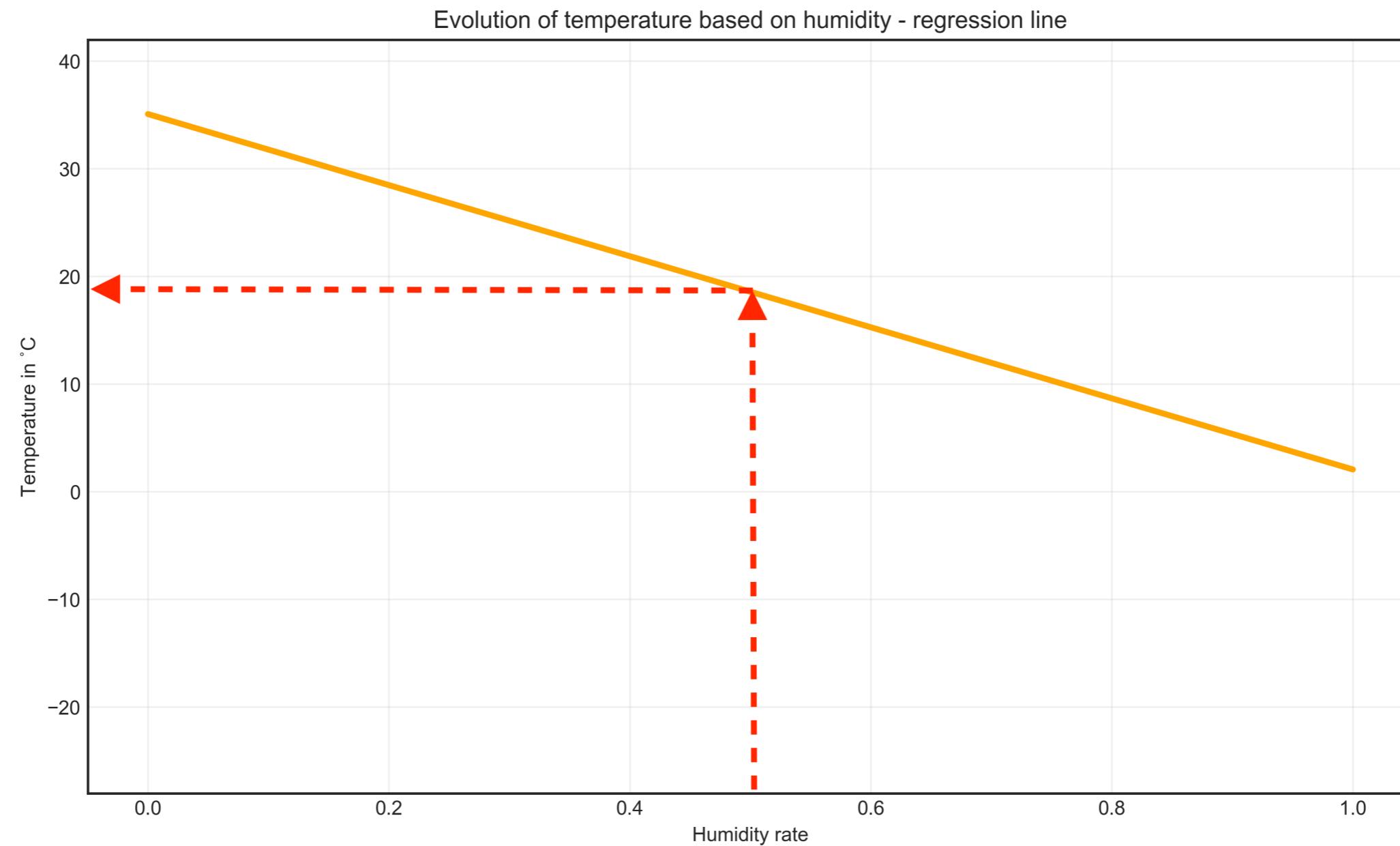
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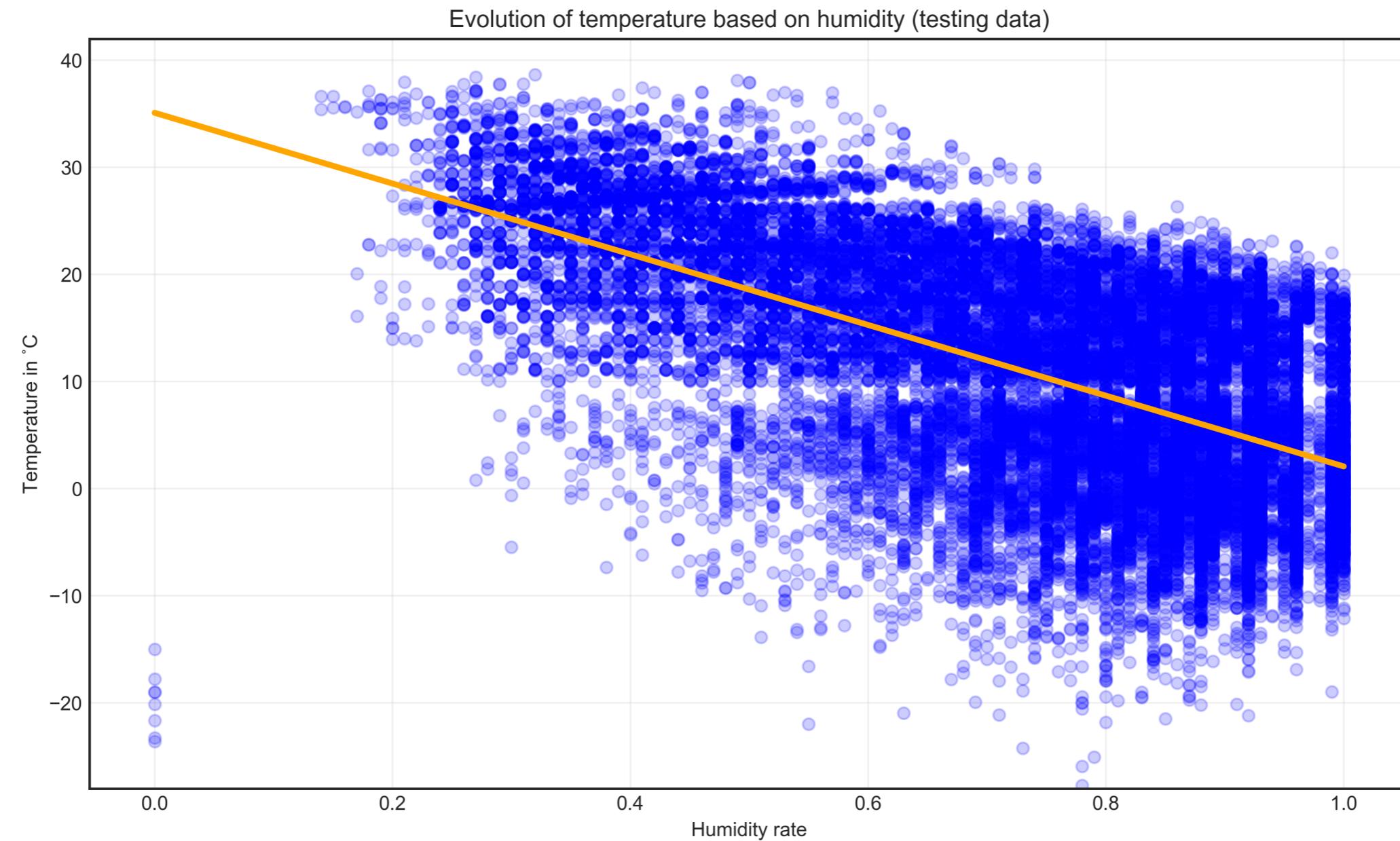
Given humidity...



...find temperature



Testing data



Classification vs regression

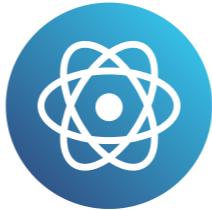
- Regression = **continuous**
 - **Any value** within a finite (*height*) or infinite (*time*) interval
 - $20^{\circ}\text{F}, 20.1^{\circ}\text{F}, 20.01^{\circ}\text{F}...$
- Classification = **category**
 - One of few **specific values**
 - *Cold, Mild, Hot*

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Unsupervised learning

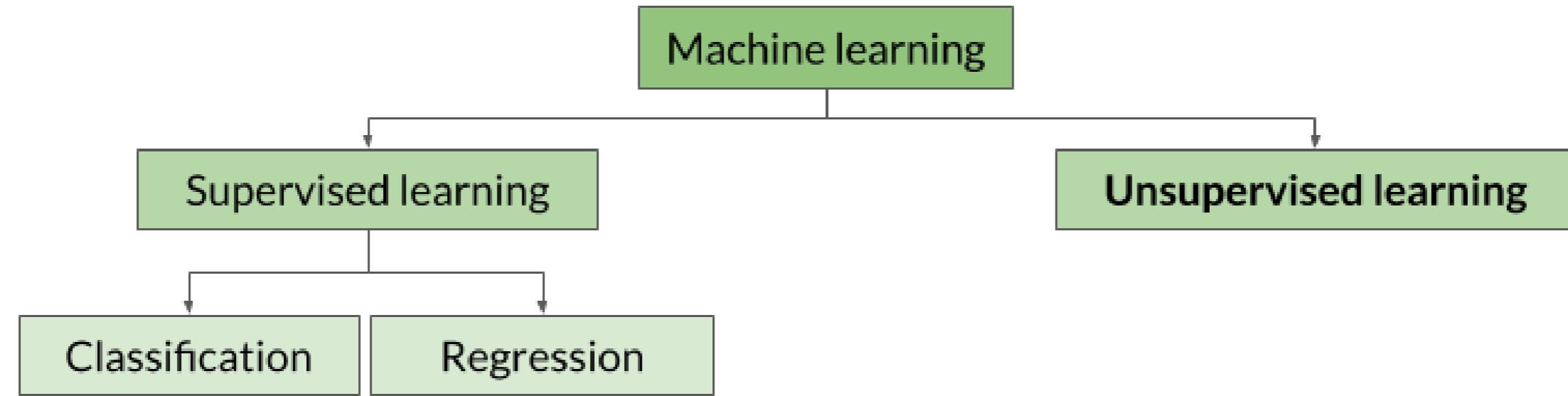
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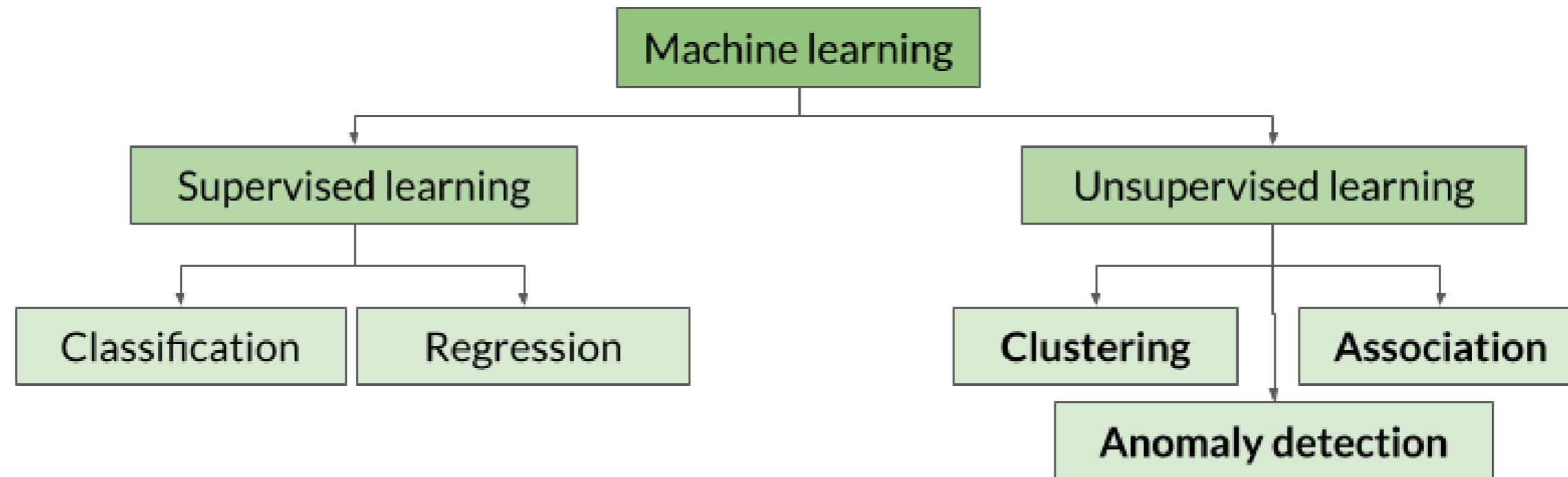
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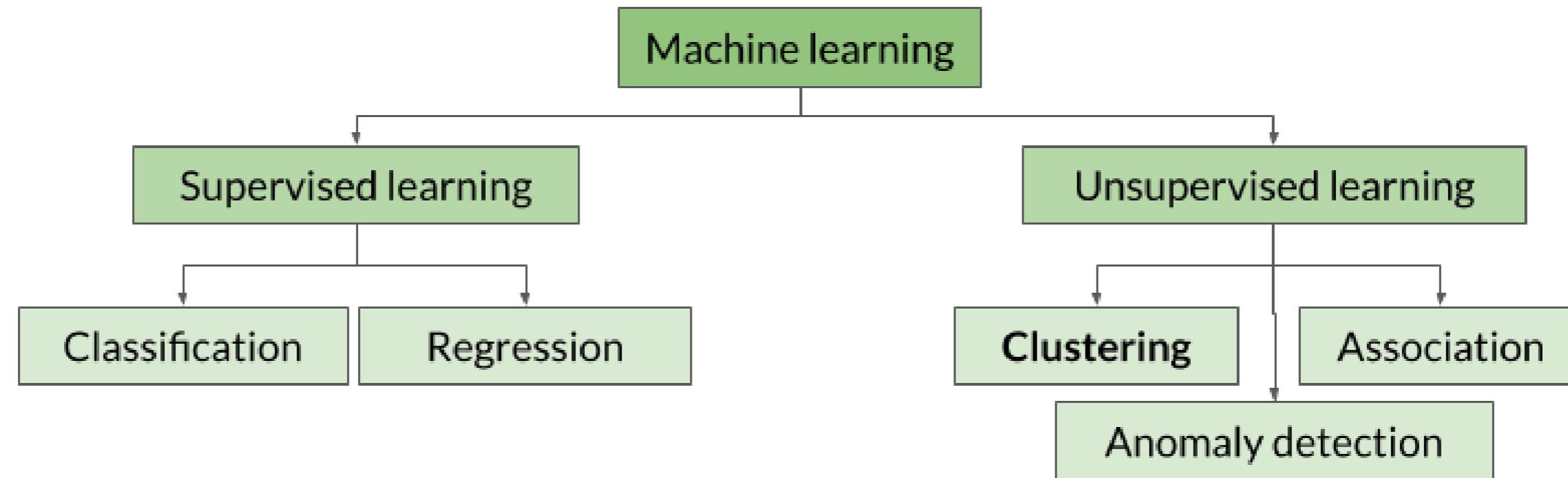
Unsupervised learning

- Unsupervised learning = **no target column**
 - No guidance
 - Looks at the whole dataset
 - Tries to detect patterns

Applications



Clustering



Clustering example

White Swiss Shepherd



Brown Japanese Bobtail



Brown Akita



Black Norwegian Forest



Black German Shepherd

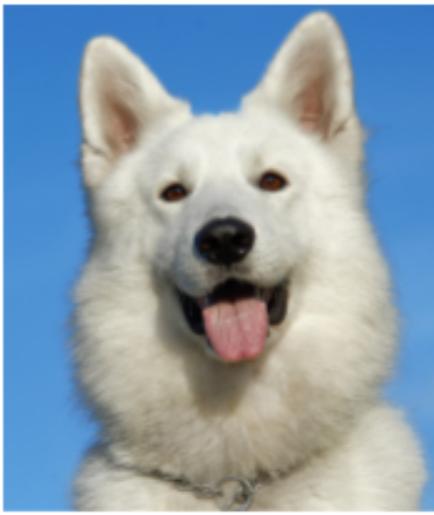


Grey Kurilian Bobtail

Species cluster

DOGS

White Swiss Shepherd



Black German Shepherd



Brown Akita



CATS



Black Norwegian Forest



Brown Japanese Bobtail



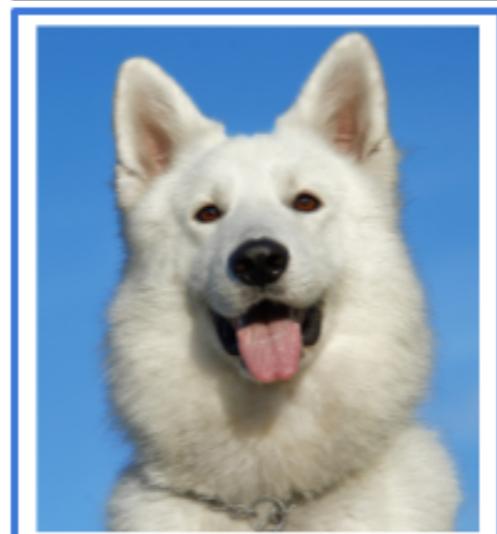
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Color cluster

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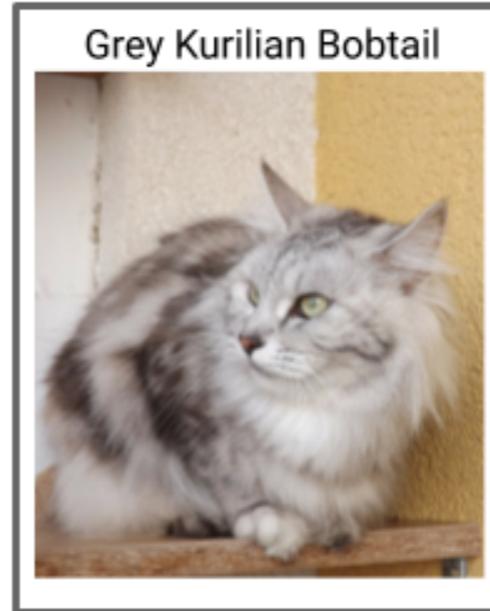


WHITE



White Swiss Shepherd

GREY



BROWN



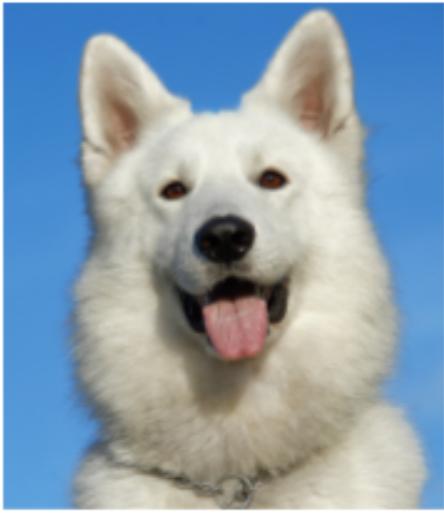
Brown Japanese Bobtail

Brown Akita

Origin cluster



White Swiss Shepherd



Black German Shepherd



Black Norwegian Forest



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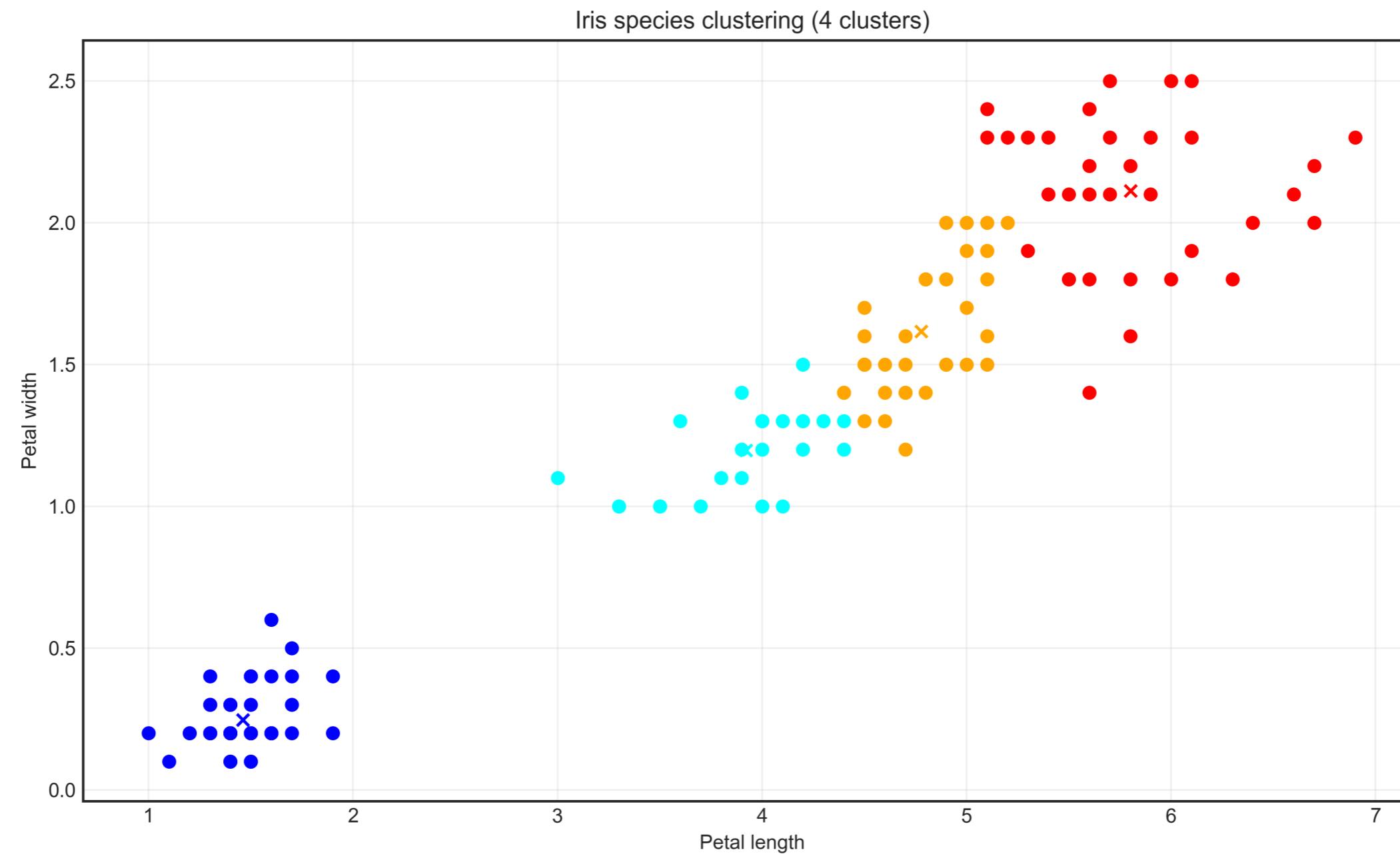
Clustering models

- K Means:
 - Specify the number of clusters
- DBSCAN (density-based spatial clustering of applications with noise):
 - Specify what constitutes a cluster

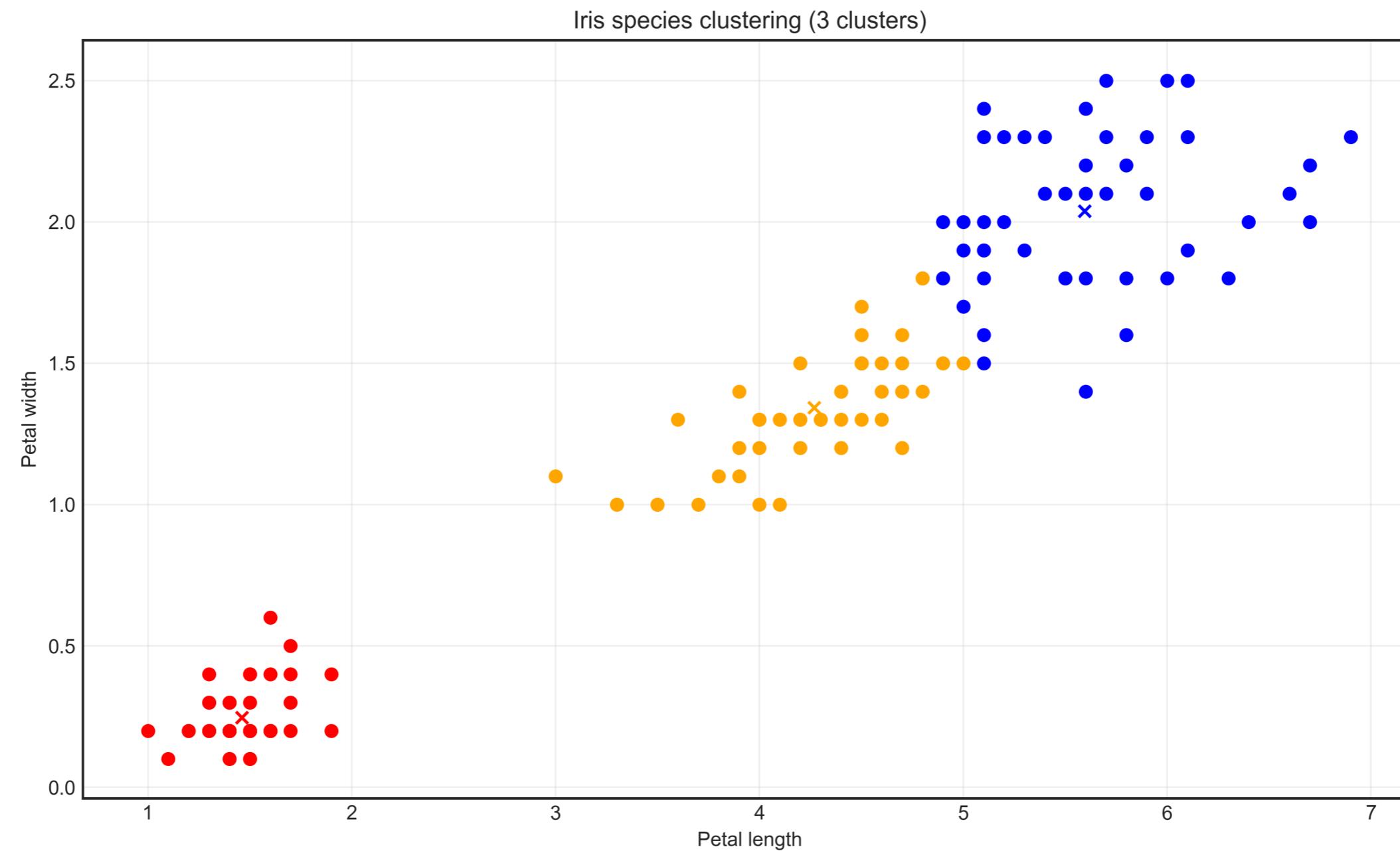
Iris table

| | Petal length | Petal width |
|-----|--------------|-------------|
| 0 | 1.4 | 0.2 |
| 1 | 1.4 | 0.2 |
| 2 | 1.3 | 0.2 |
| 3 | 5.1 | 1.9 |
| ... | ... | ... |

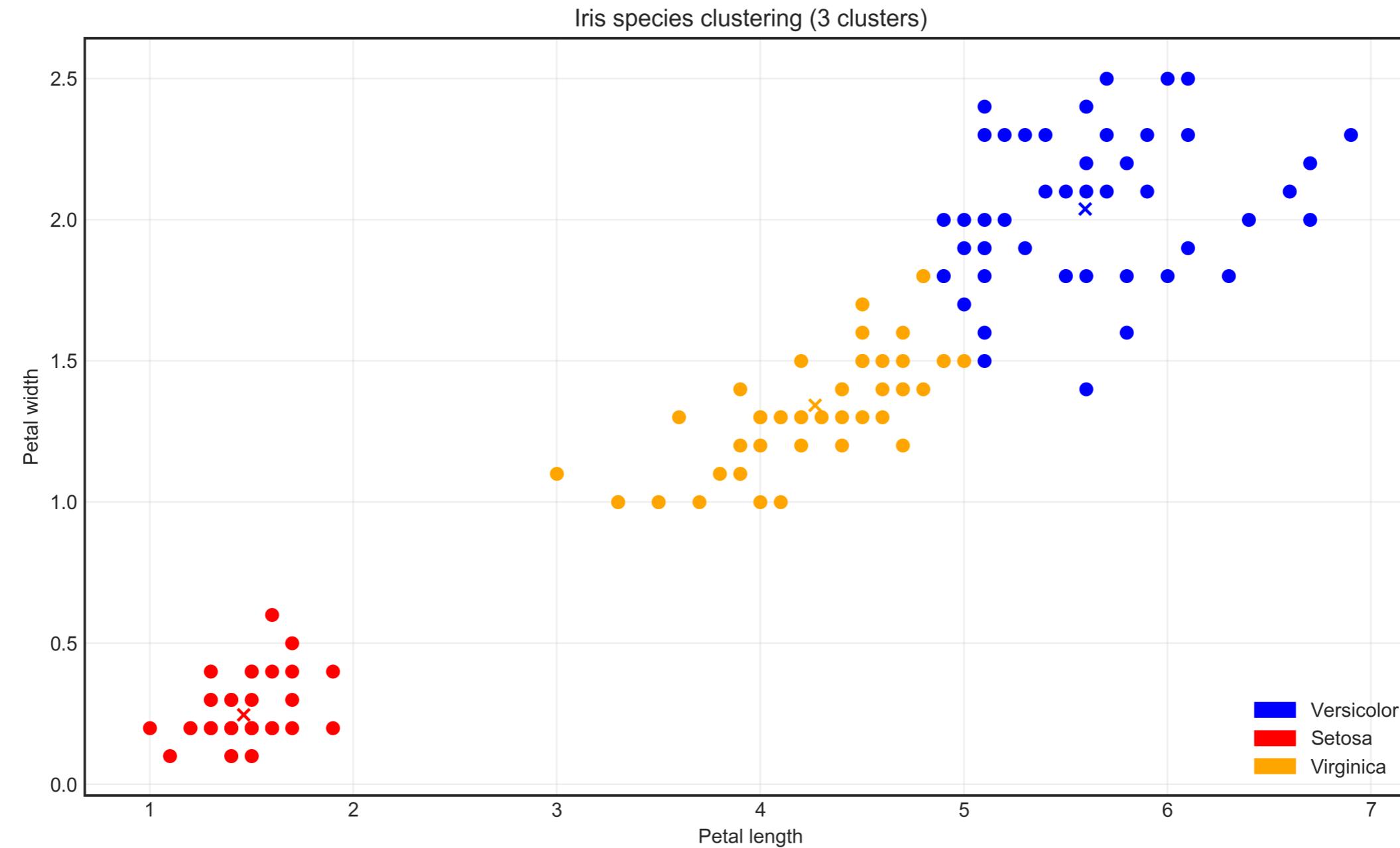
K-Means with 4 clusters



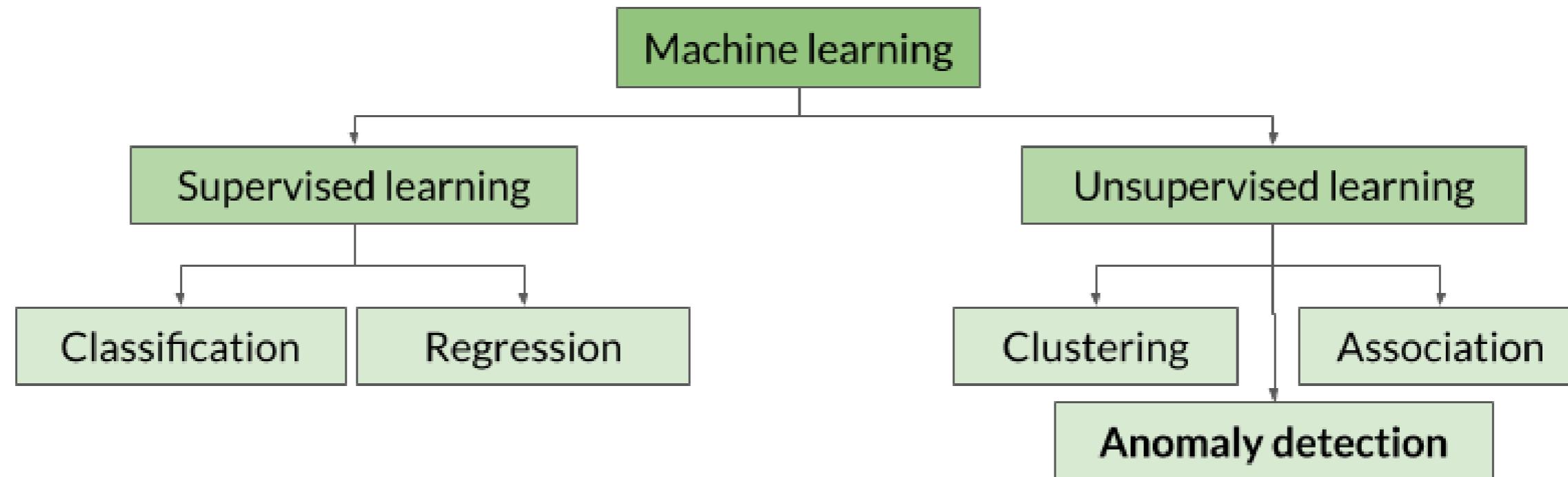
K-Means with 3 clusters



Ground truth



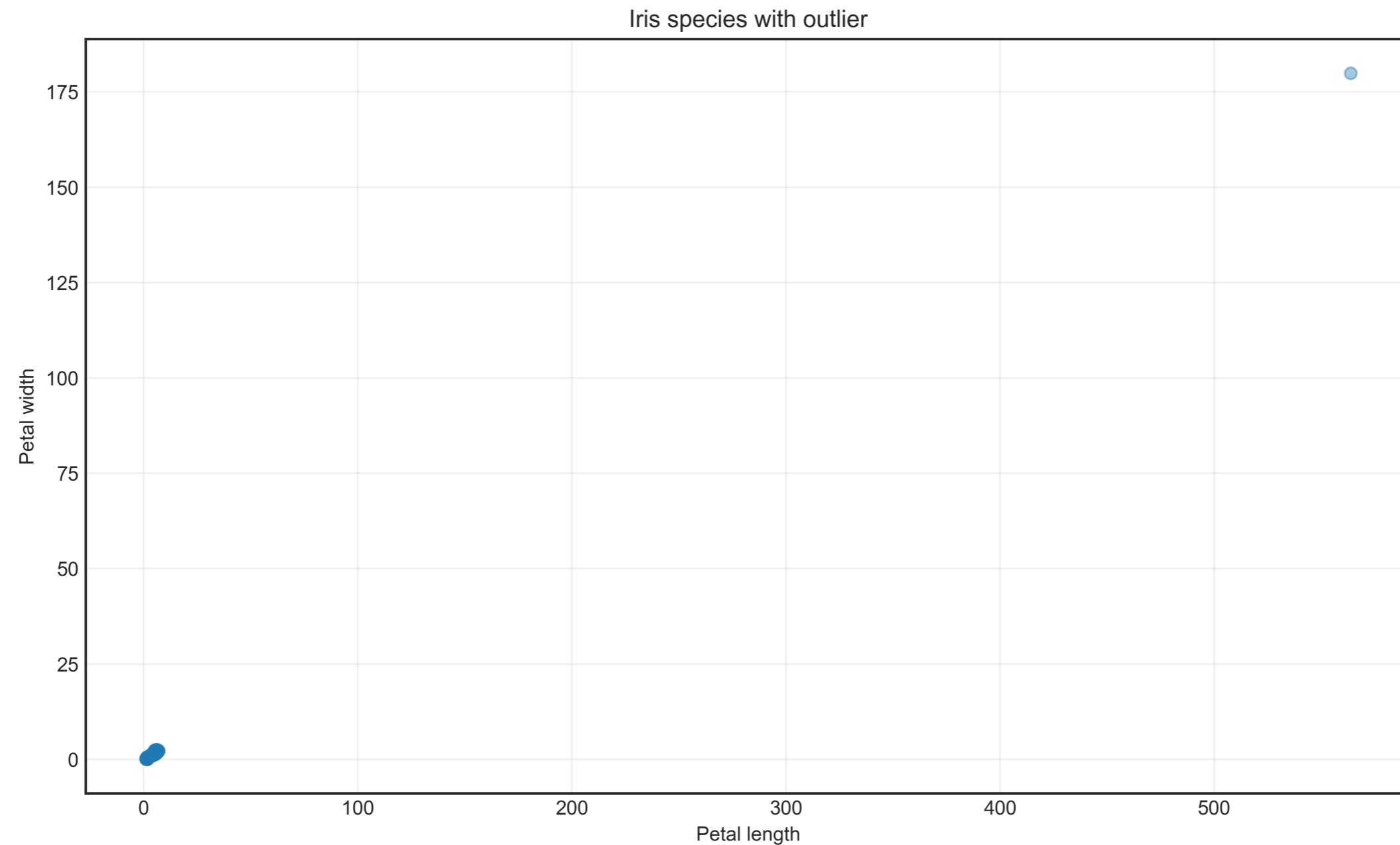
Anomaly detection



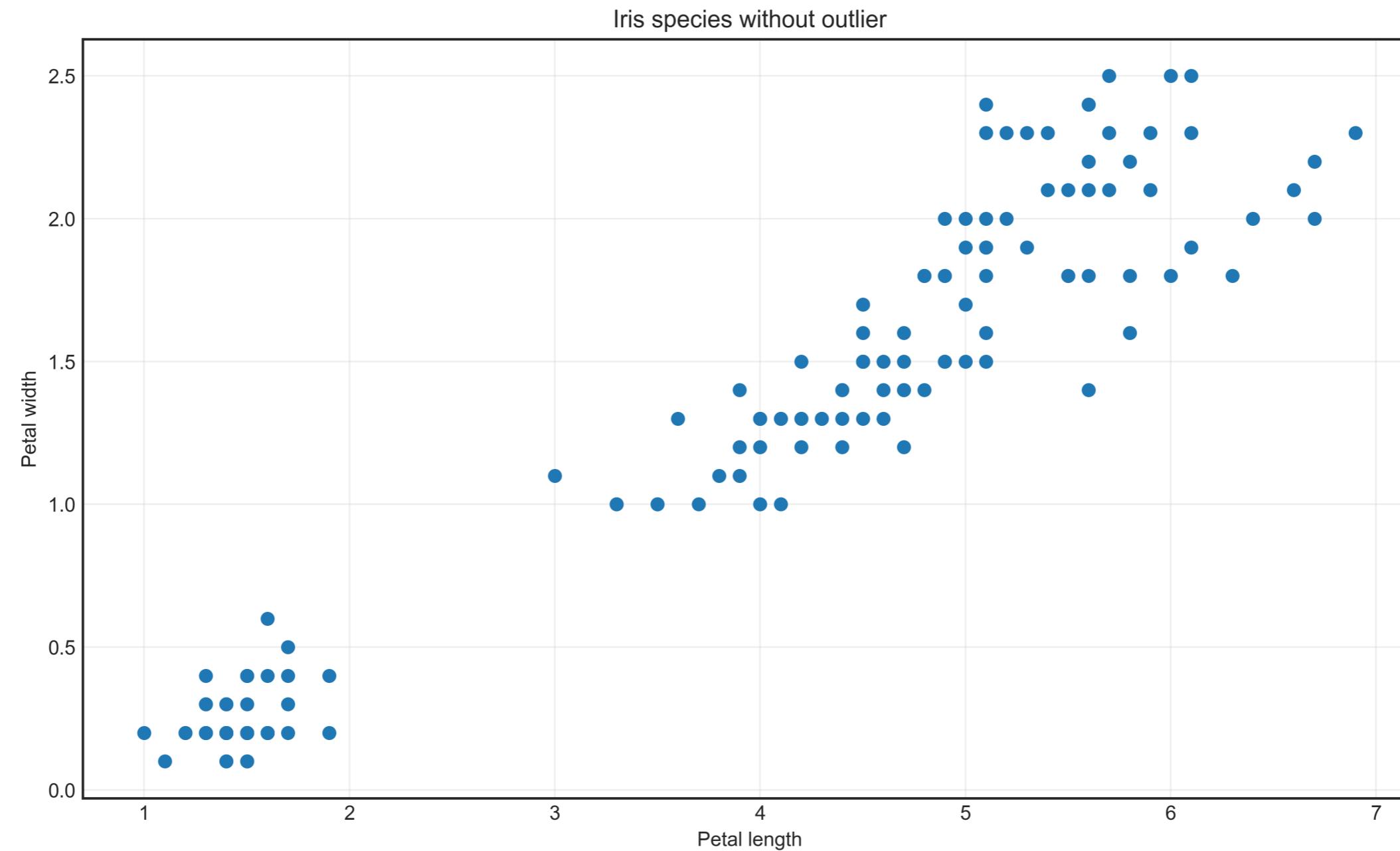
Detecting outliers

- Anomaly detection = **detecting outliers**
- Outliers = observations that **differ from the rest**

Outliers



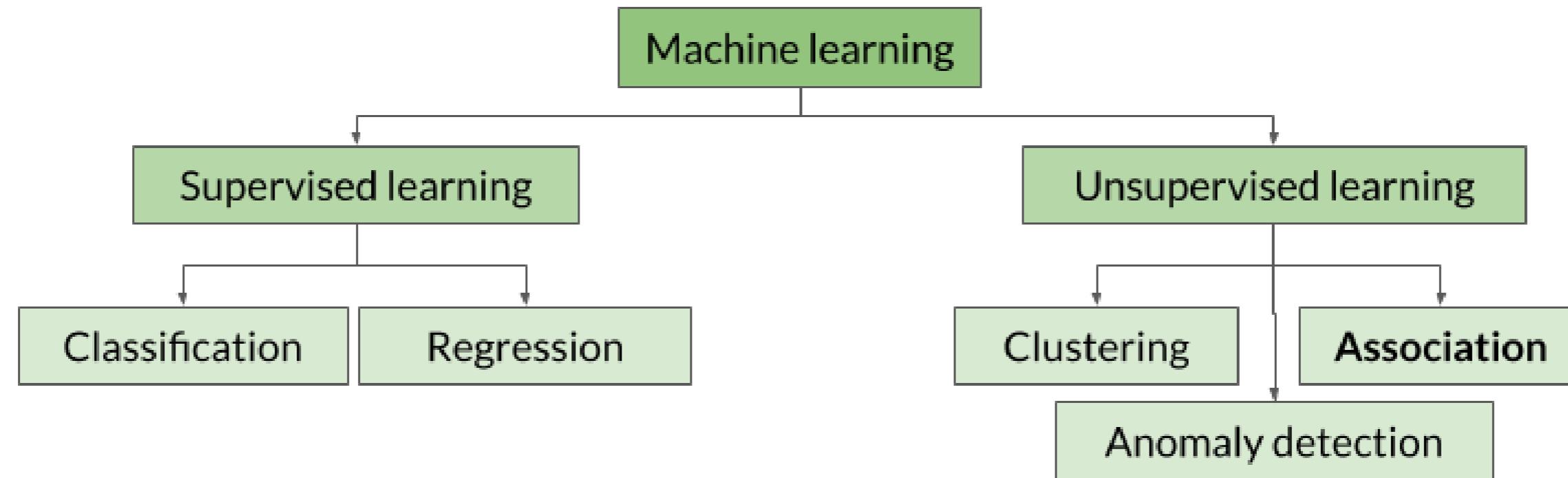
Removing outliers



Some anomaly detection use cases

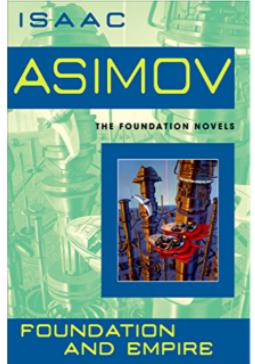
- Discover devices that fail faster or last longer
- Discover fraudsters that manage trick the system
- Discover patients that resist a fatal disease
- ...

Association



Association

Customers who bought this item also bought



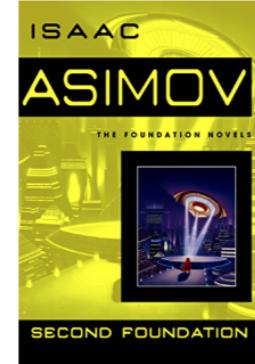
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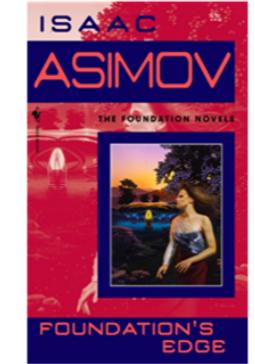
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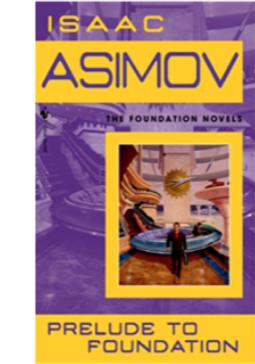
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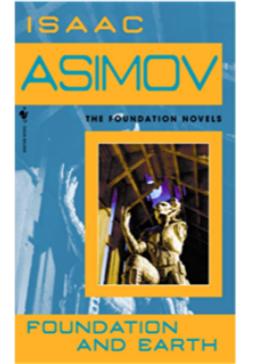
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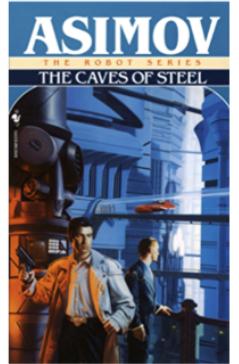
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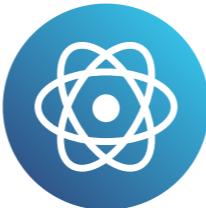
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Evaluating performance

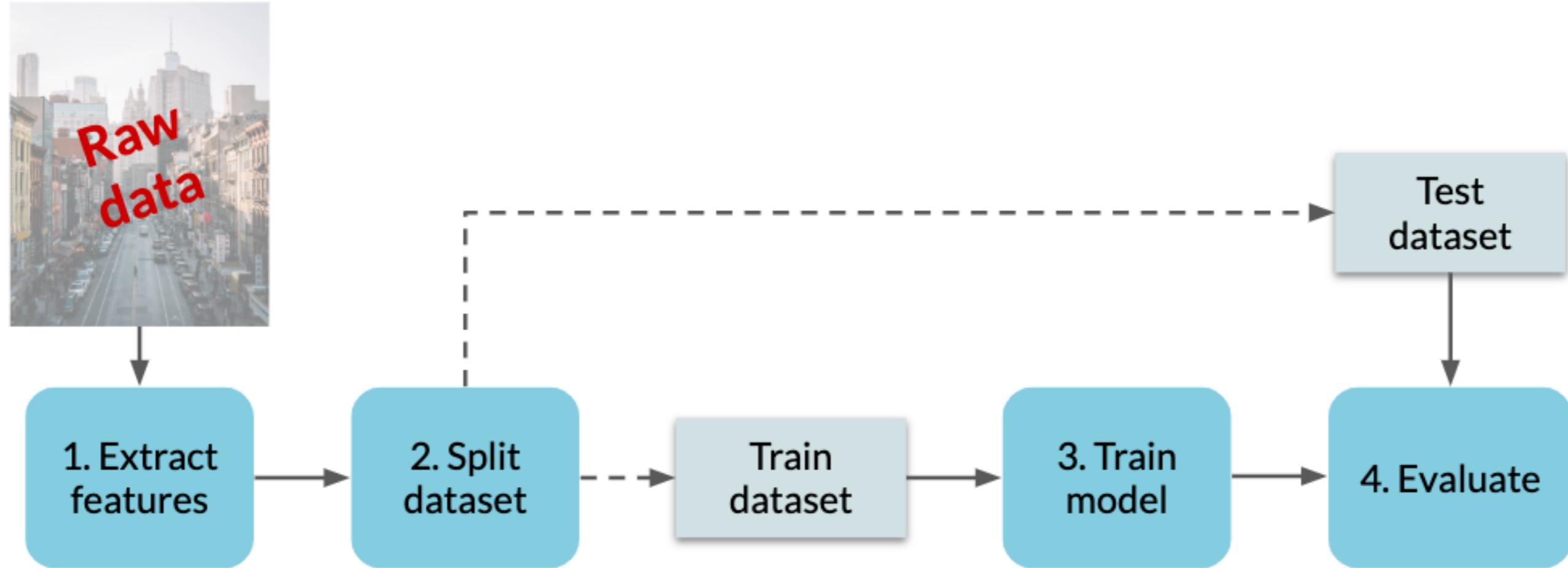
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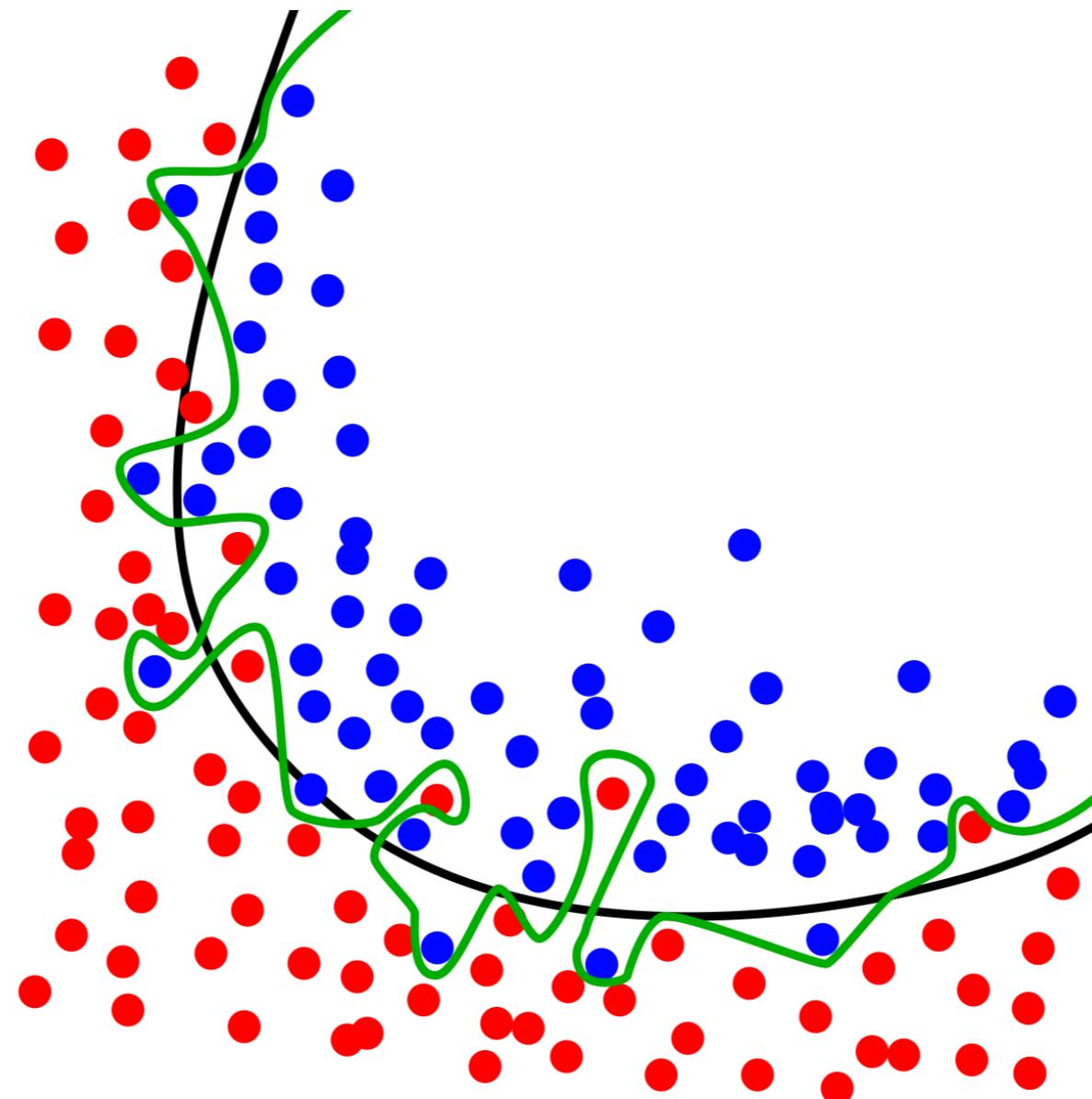
Evaluate step



Overfitting

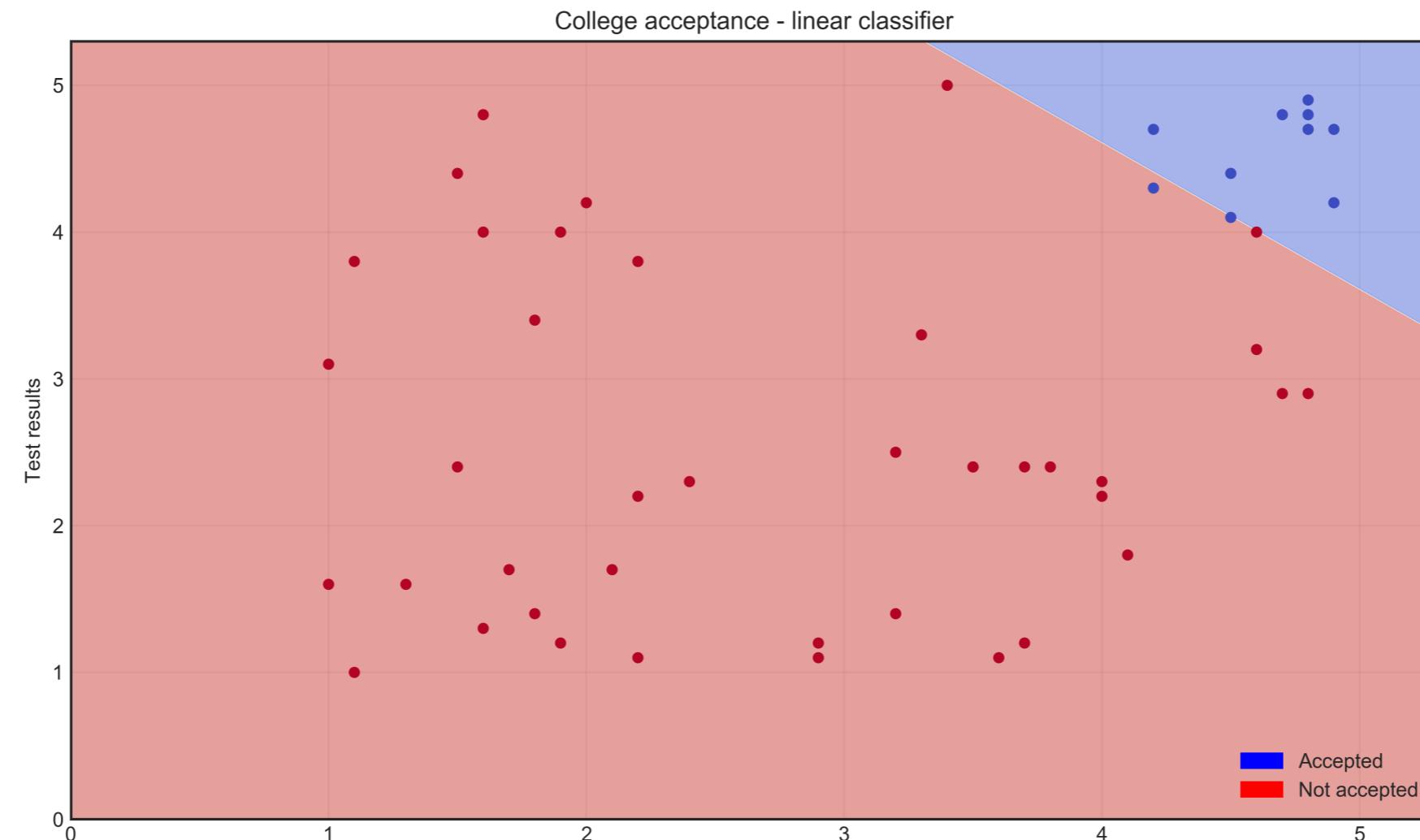
- Performs **great** on **training** data
- Performs **poorly** on **testing** data
- Model memorized **training** data and can't generalize learnings to new data
- Use **testing** set to check model **performance**

Illustrating overfitting

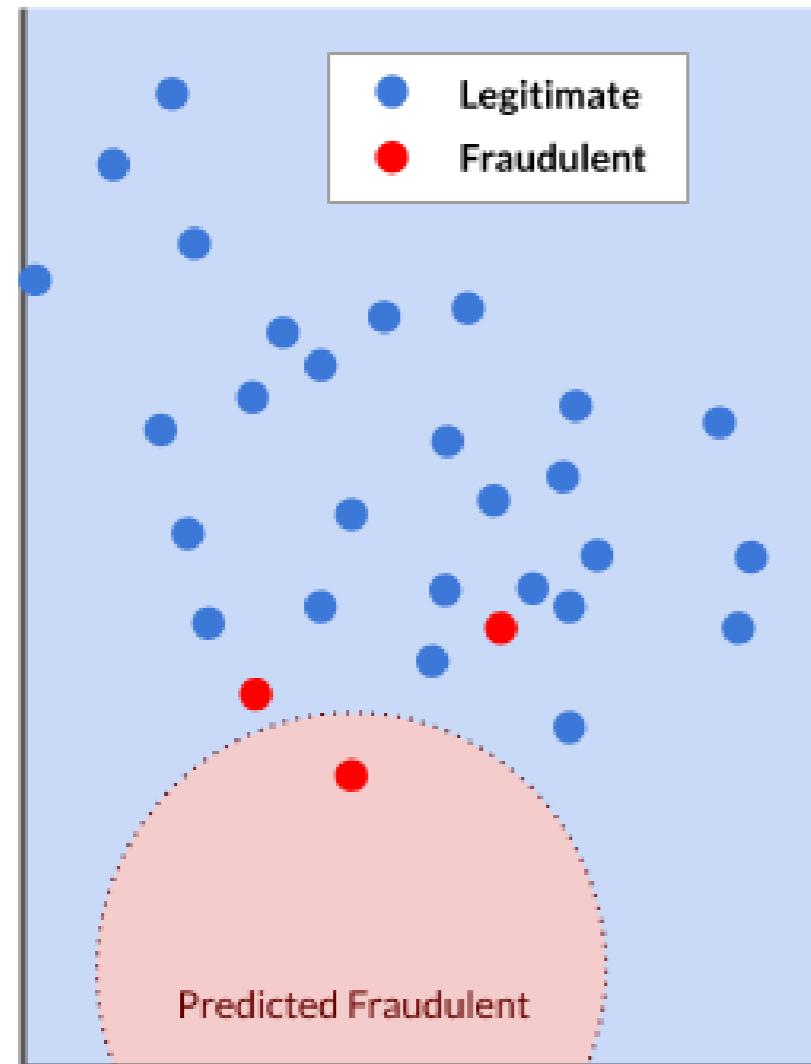


Accuracy

- Accuracy = **correctly classified observations / all observations**
- $48 / 50 = 96\%$



Limits of accuracy: fraud example

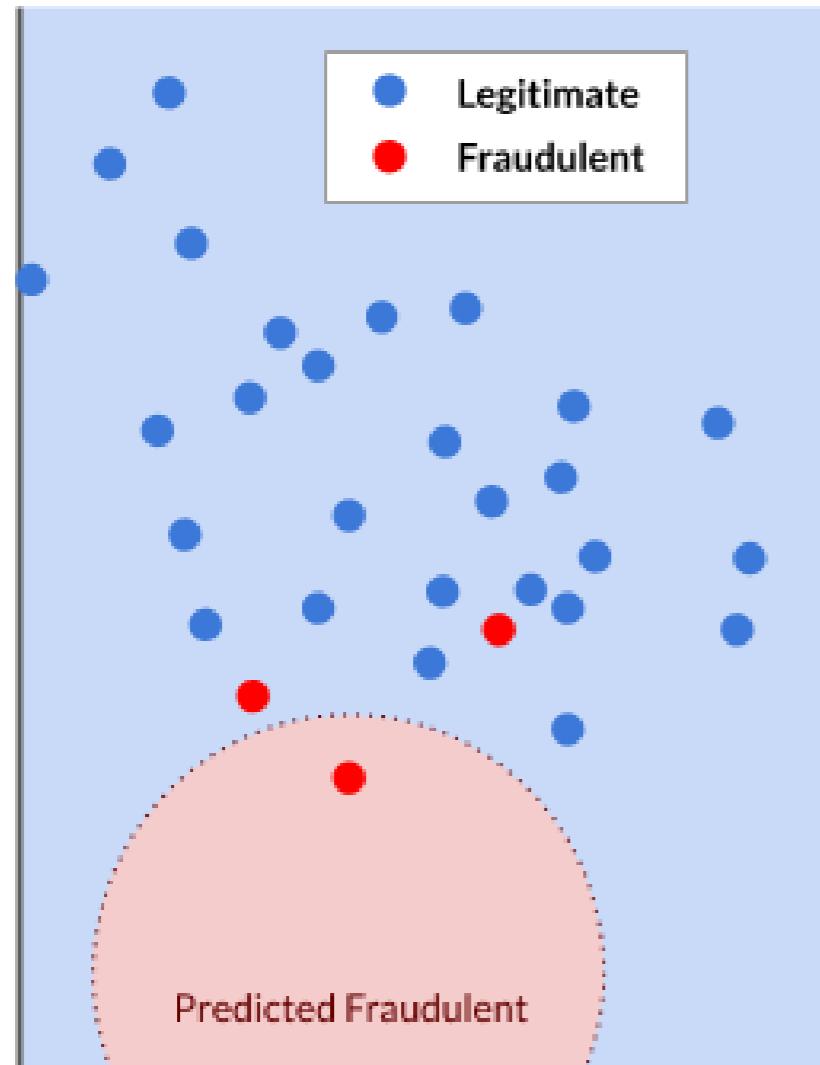


Accuracy of this model:

$$\frac{28 \text{ correctly classified}}{30 \text{ total points}} = 93.33\%$$

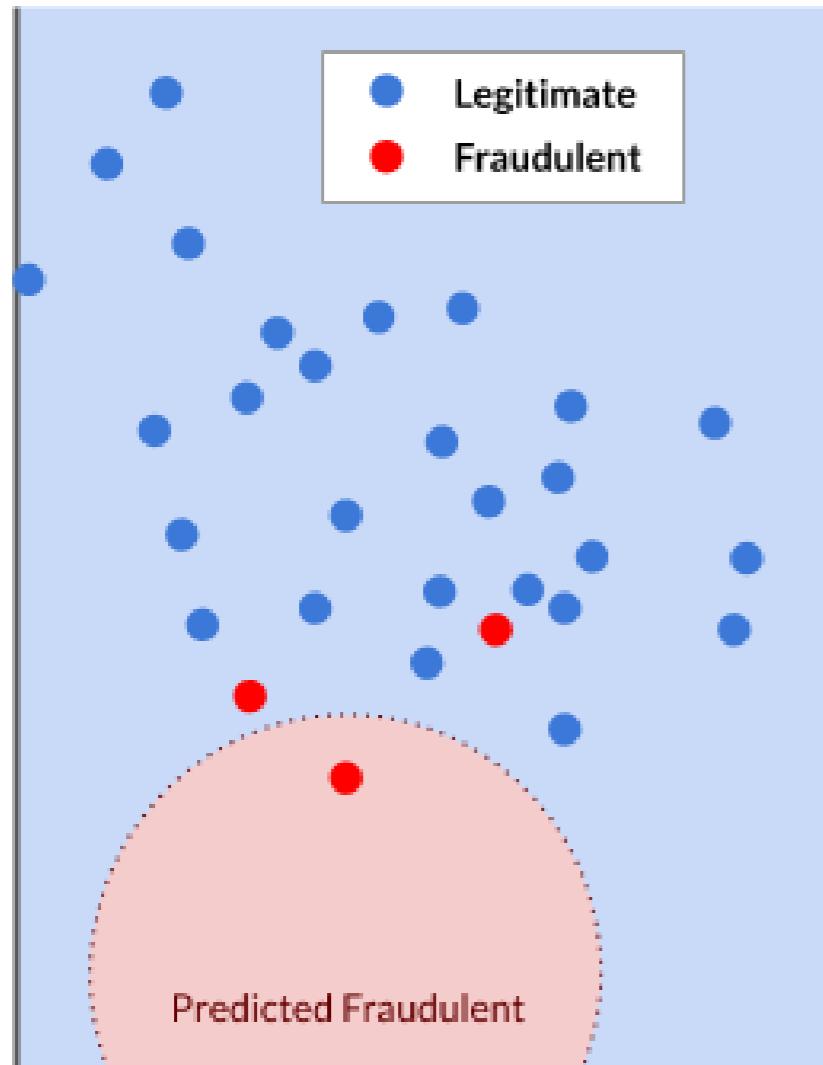
- Misses majority of fraudulent transactions
- Need a better metric

Confusion matrix



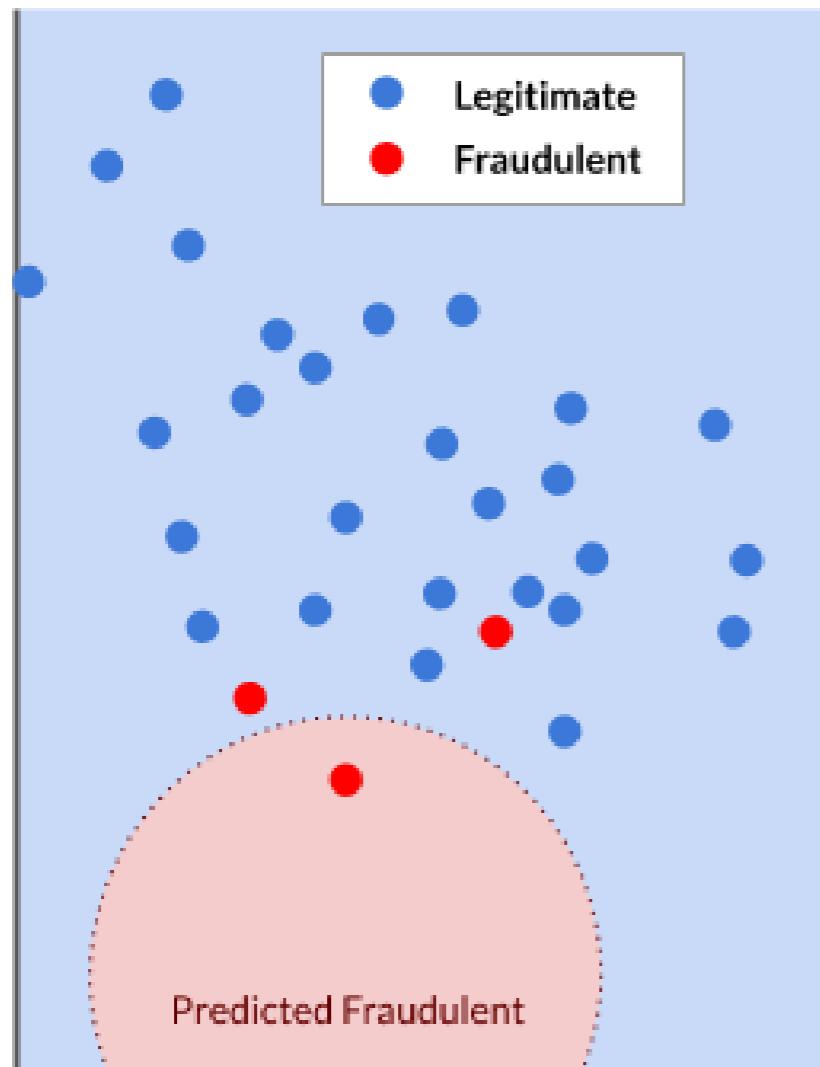
| | | Actual values | |
|------------------|-----------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| | | <i>Fraudulent</i> | <i>Not Fraudulent</i> |
| Predicted | <i>Fraudulent</i> | | |
| | <i>Not Fraudulent</i> | | |

True positives



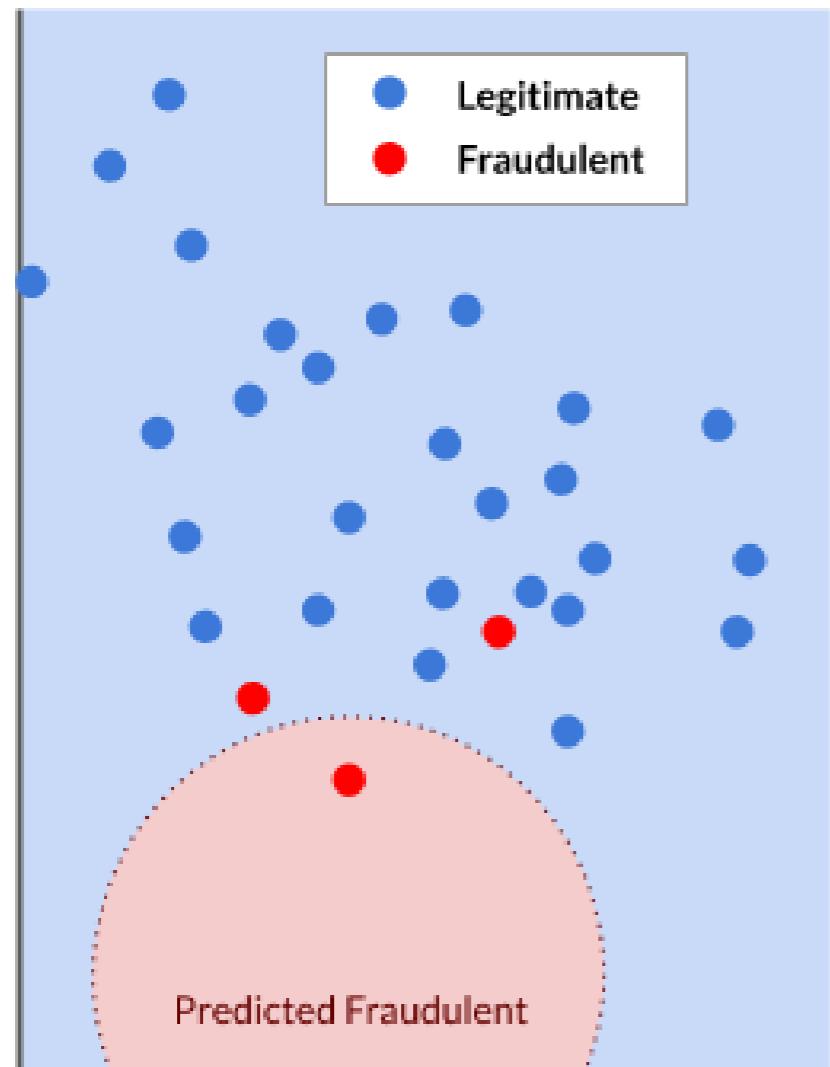
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|-----------|----------------|---------------|----------------|
| | | Fraudulent | Not Fraudulent |
| Predicted | Fraudulent | | |
| | Not Fraudulent | | |

True positives



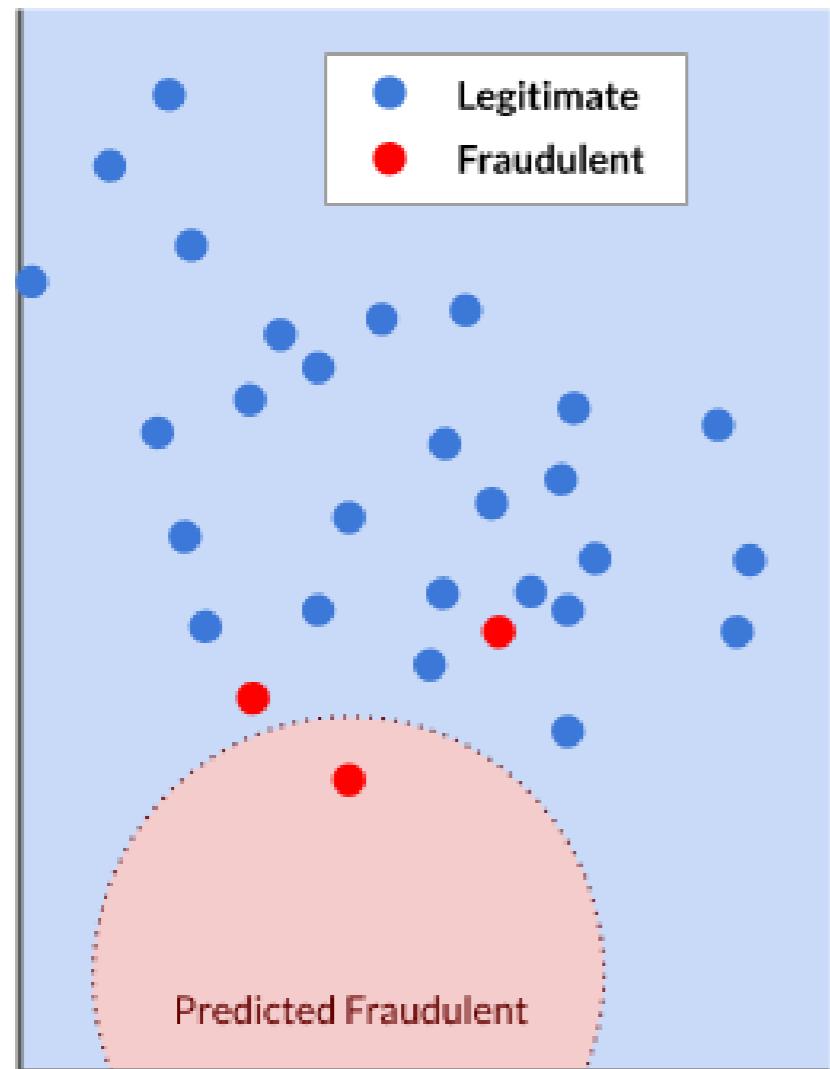
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| | | Fraudulent | Not Fraudulent |
| Predicted | Fraudulent | 1 true positives | |
| | Not Fraudulent | | |

False negatives



| | | Actual values | |
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| | | Fraudulent | Not Fraudulent |
| Predicted | Fraudulent | 1 true positives | |
| | Not Fraudulent | | |

False negatives

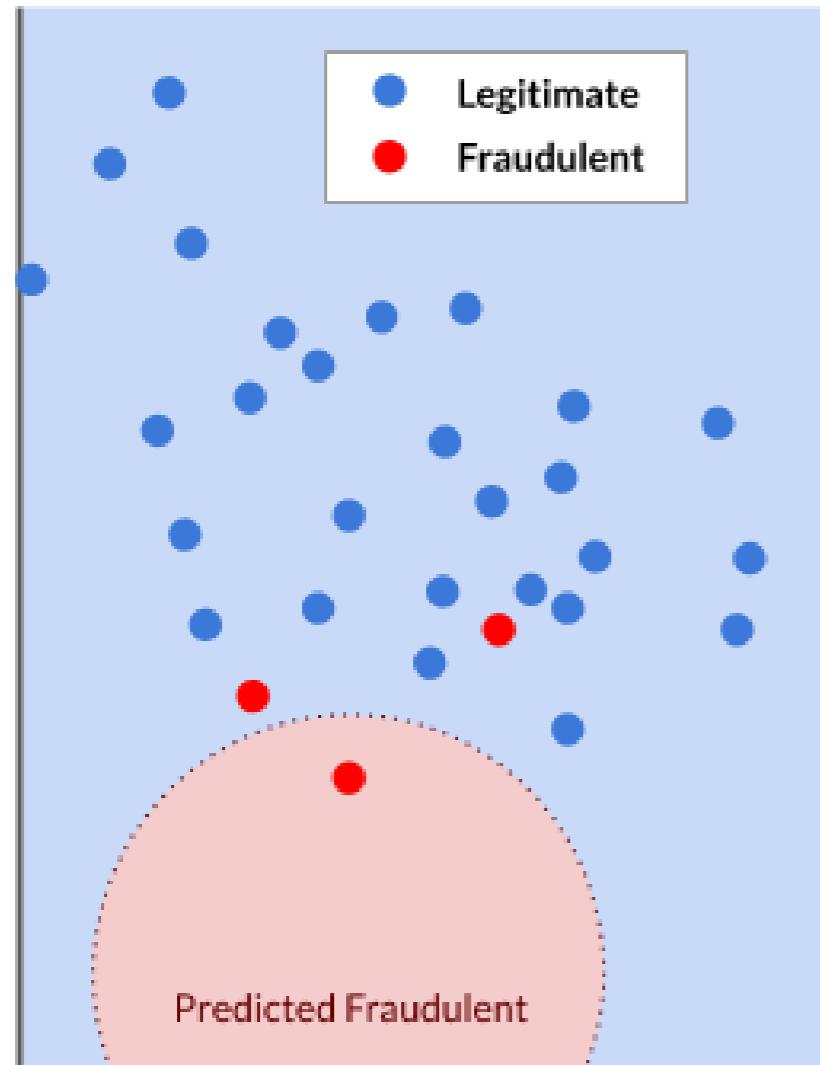


| | | Actual values | |
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| Predicted | Fraudulent | 1 true positives | |
| | Not Fraudulent | 2 false negatives | |

Remembering False Negatives

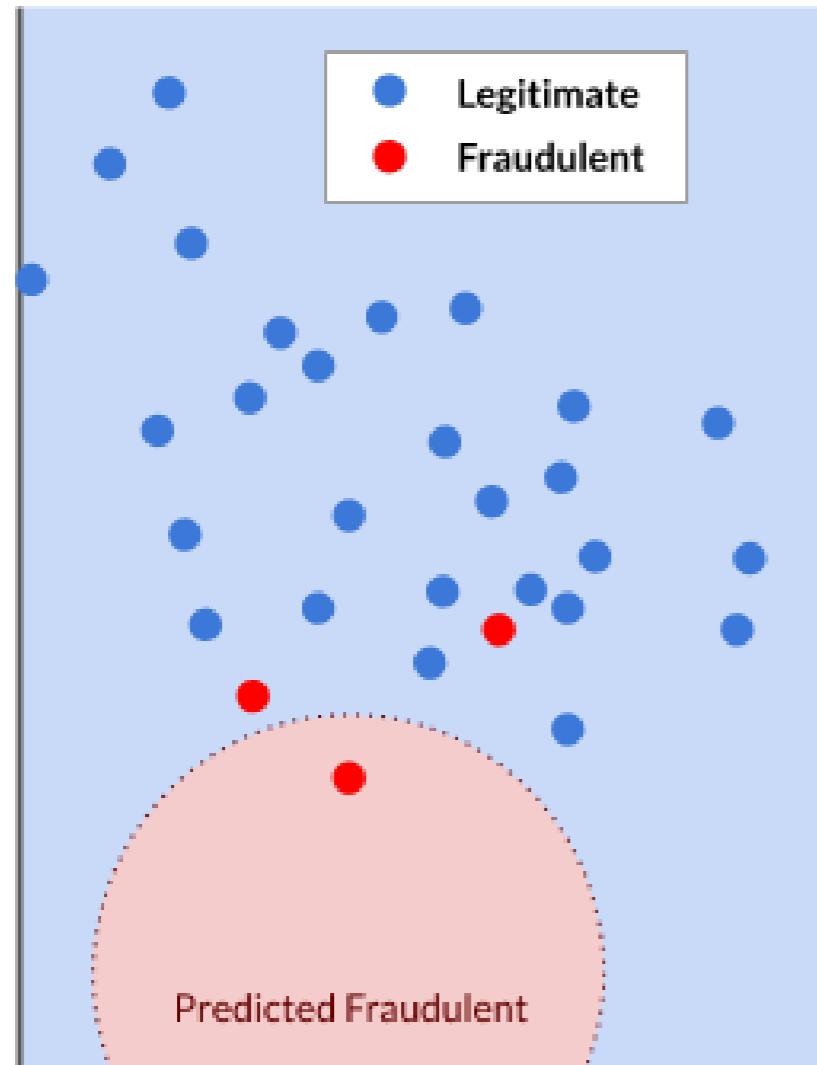


Fill out the rest...



| | | Actual values | |
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| Predicted | Fraudulent | 1 true positives | |
| | Not Fraudulent | 2 false negatives | |

False positives, true negatives



| | | Actual values | |
|-----------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | Fraudulent | Not Fraudulent |
| Predicted | Fraudulent | 1 true positives | 0 false positives |
| | Not Fraudulent | 2 false negatives | 27 true negatives |

Remembering False Positives



¹ <https://www.flickr.com/photos/59632563@N04/6104068209>

Sensitivity

| | | Actual values | |
|-----------|----------------|----------------------|----------------------|
| | | Fraudulent | Not Fraudulent |
| Predicted | Fraudulent | 1 true positives | 0 false positives |
| | Not Fraudulent | 2 false negatives | 27 true negatives |

How many fraudulent transactions did we classify correctly?

$$\text{Sensitivity} = \frac{\text{true positives}}{\text{true positives} + \text{false negatives}} = 1/3 = 33.33\%$$

- Rather mark legitimate transactions as suspicious than authorize fraudulent transactions

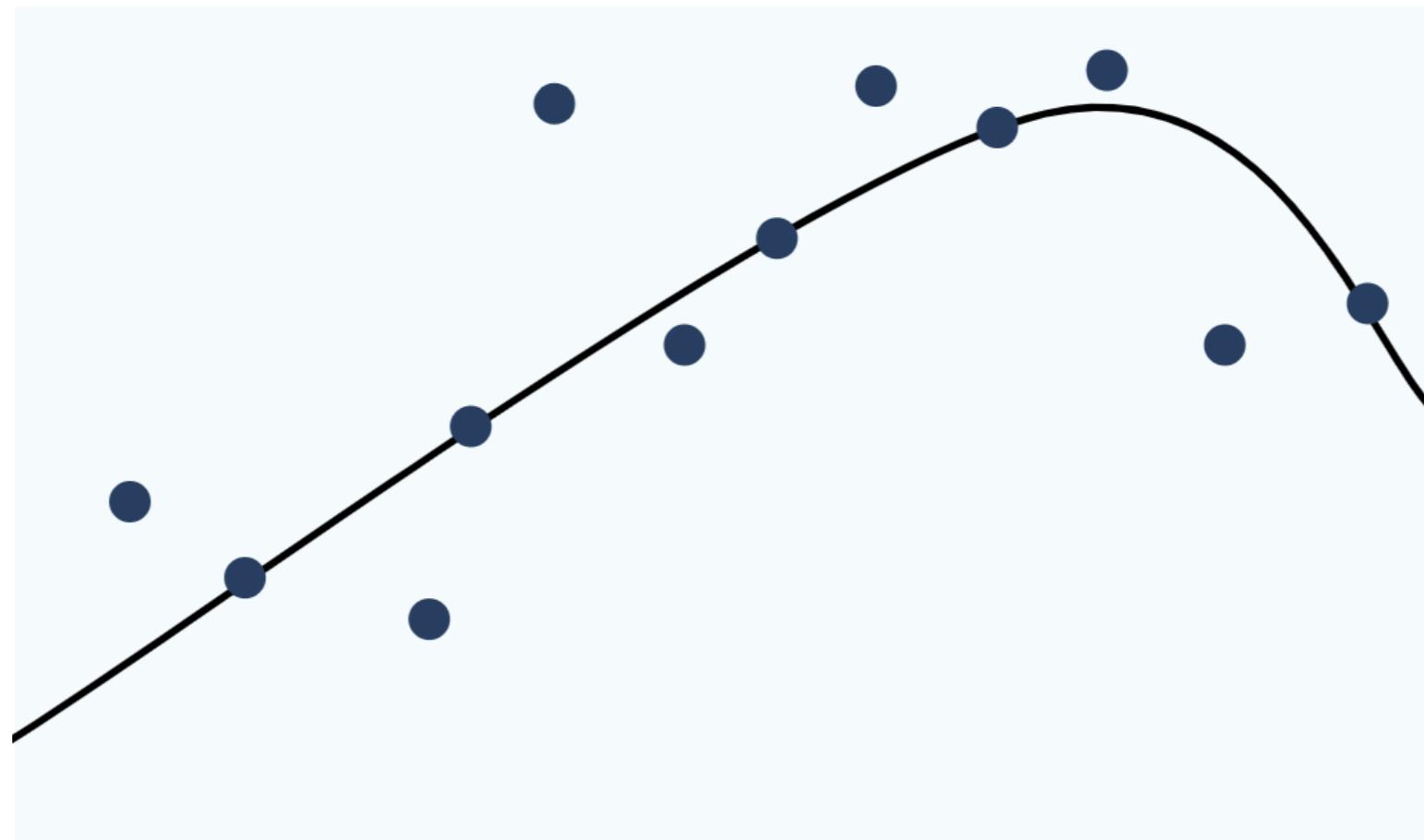
Specificity

$$Specificity = \frac{true\ negatives}{true\ negatives + false\ positives}$$

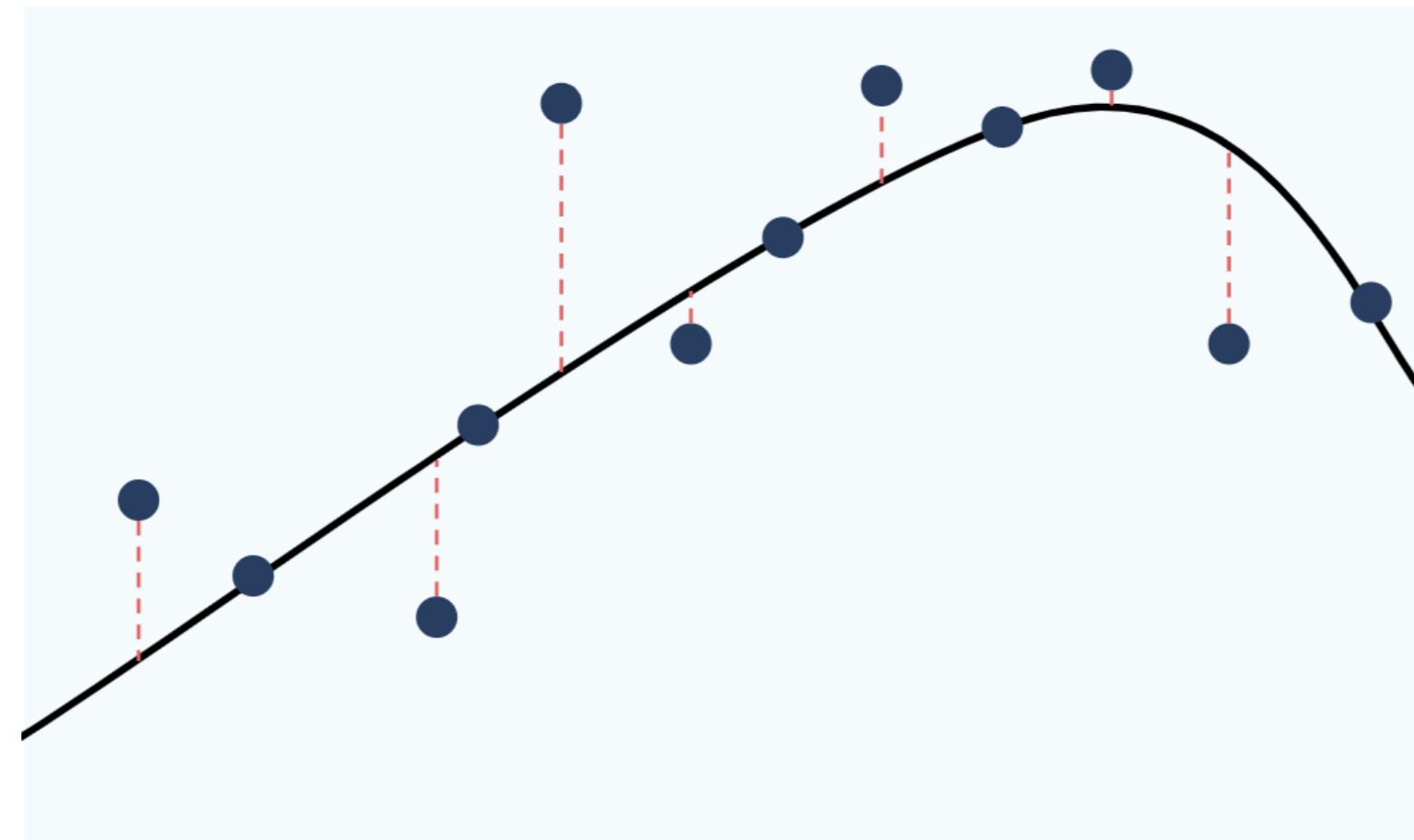
Spam filter:

- Rather send spam to inbox than send real emails to the spam folder

Evaluating regression



Evaluating regression



- Error = distance between point (actual value) and line (predicted value)
- Many ways calculate this. e.g, root mean square error

Unsupervised learning



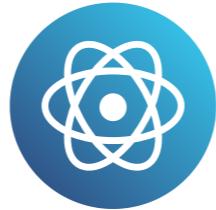
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Improving performance

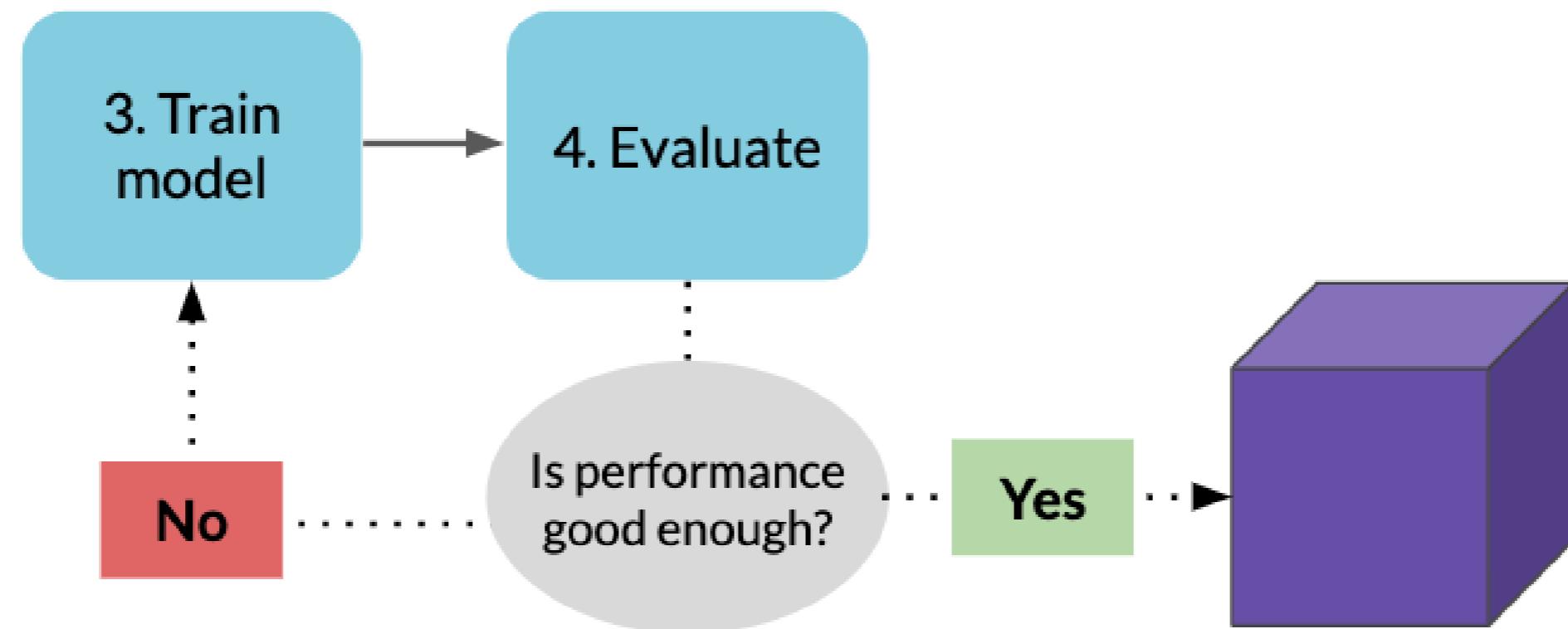
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Machine learning workflow



Several options

- Dimensionality reduction
- Hyperparameter tuning
- Ensemble methods

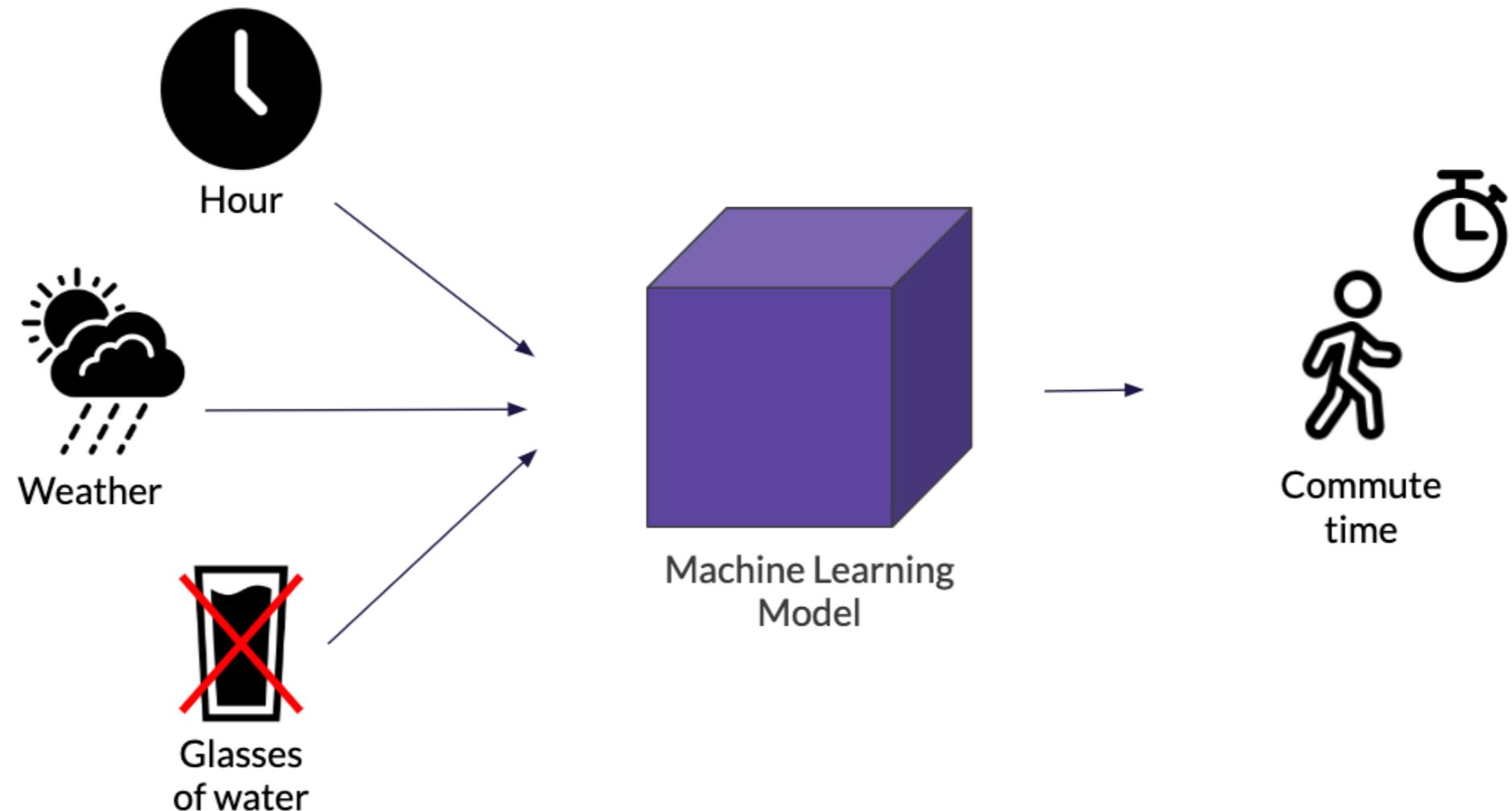
Dimensionality reduction

Reducing the number of features



Dimensionality reduction: example

Irrelevance: some features don't carry useful information



Dimensionality reduction: example

Correlation: some features carry similar information

- Keep only one feature
 - e.g. *height* and *shoe size* --> *height*
- Collapse multiple features into one underlying feature
 - e.g. *height* and *weight* --> *Body Mass Index*

Hyperparameter tuning



Hyperparameter tuning



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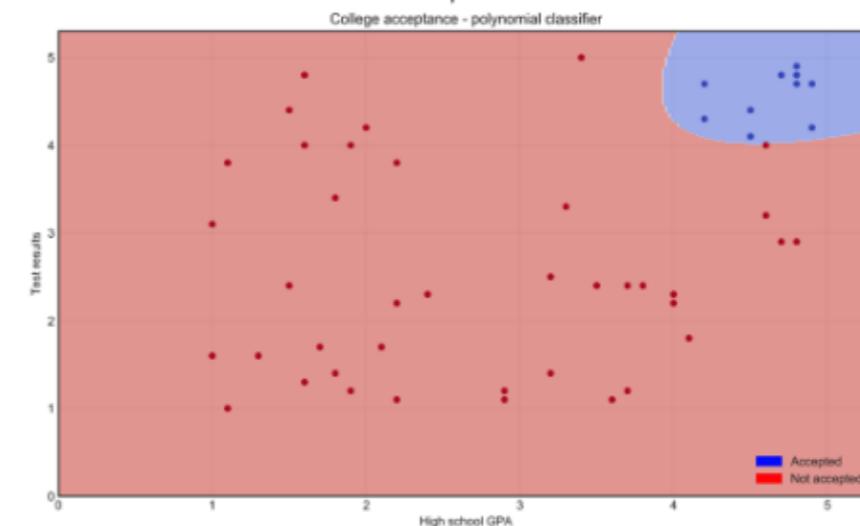
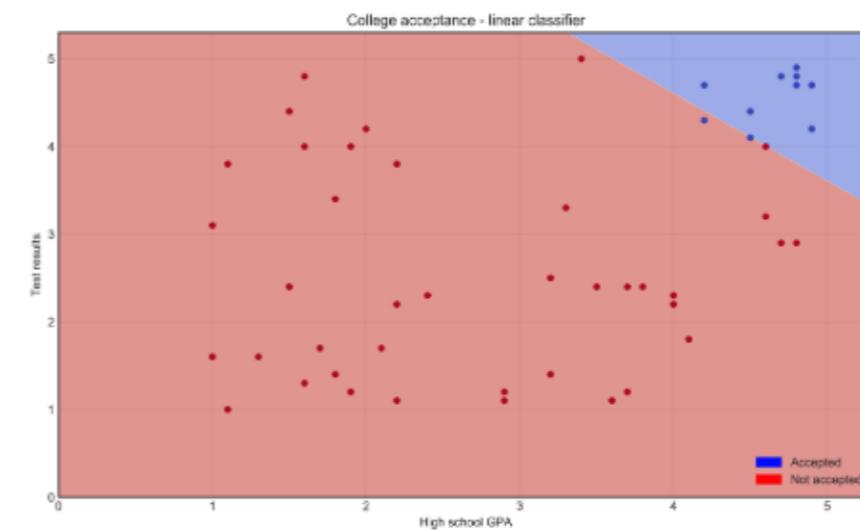
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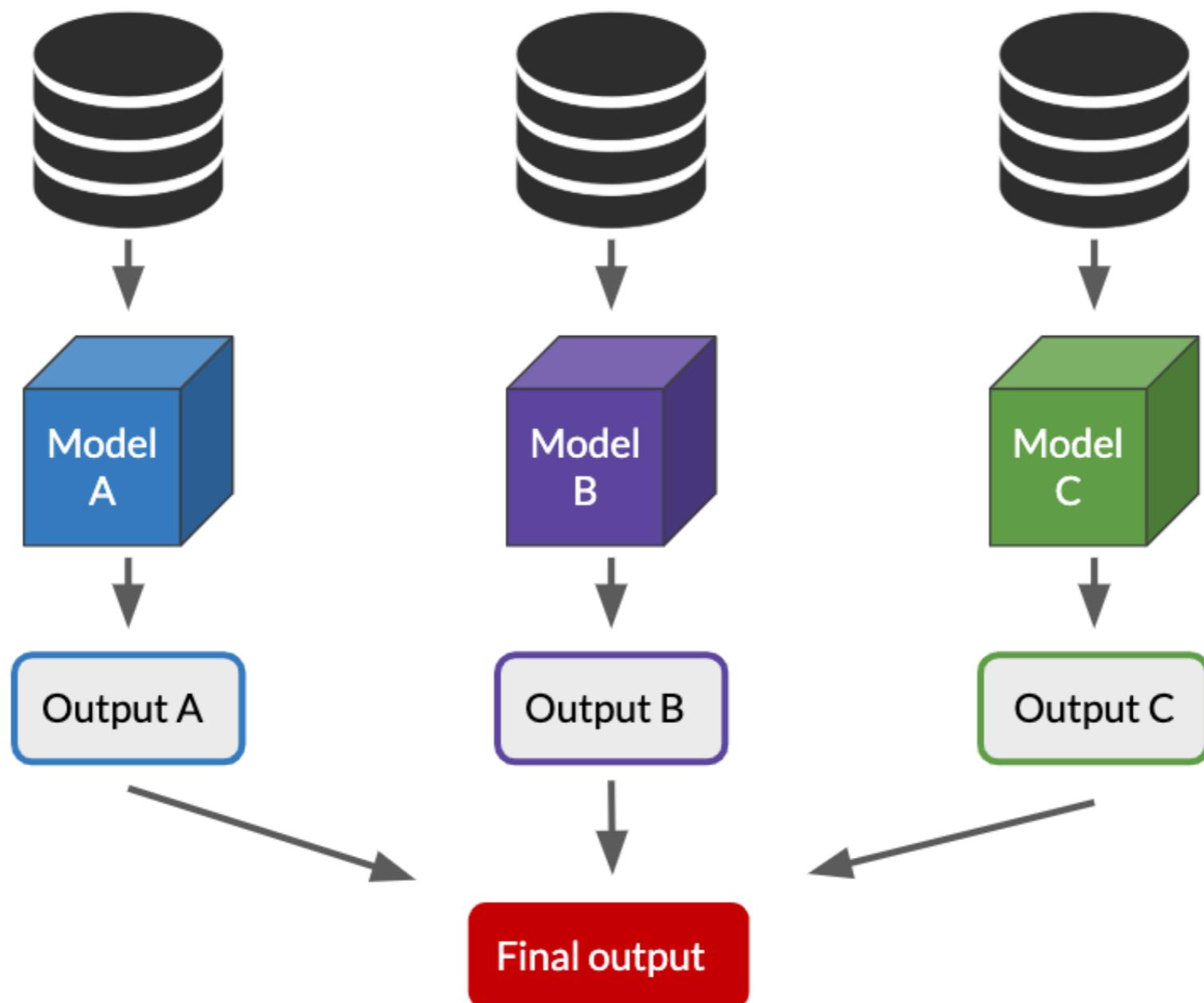
Hyperparameter tuning: example

SVM algorithm hyperparameters:

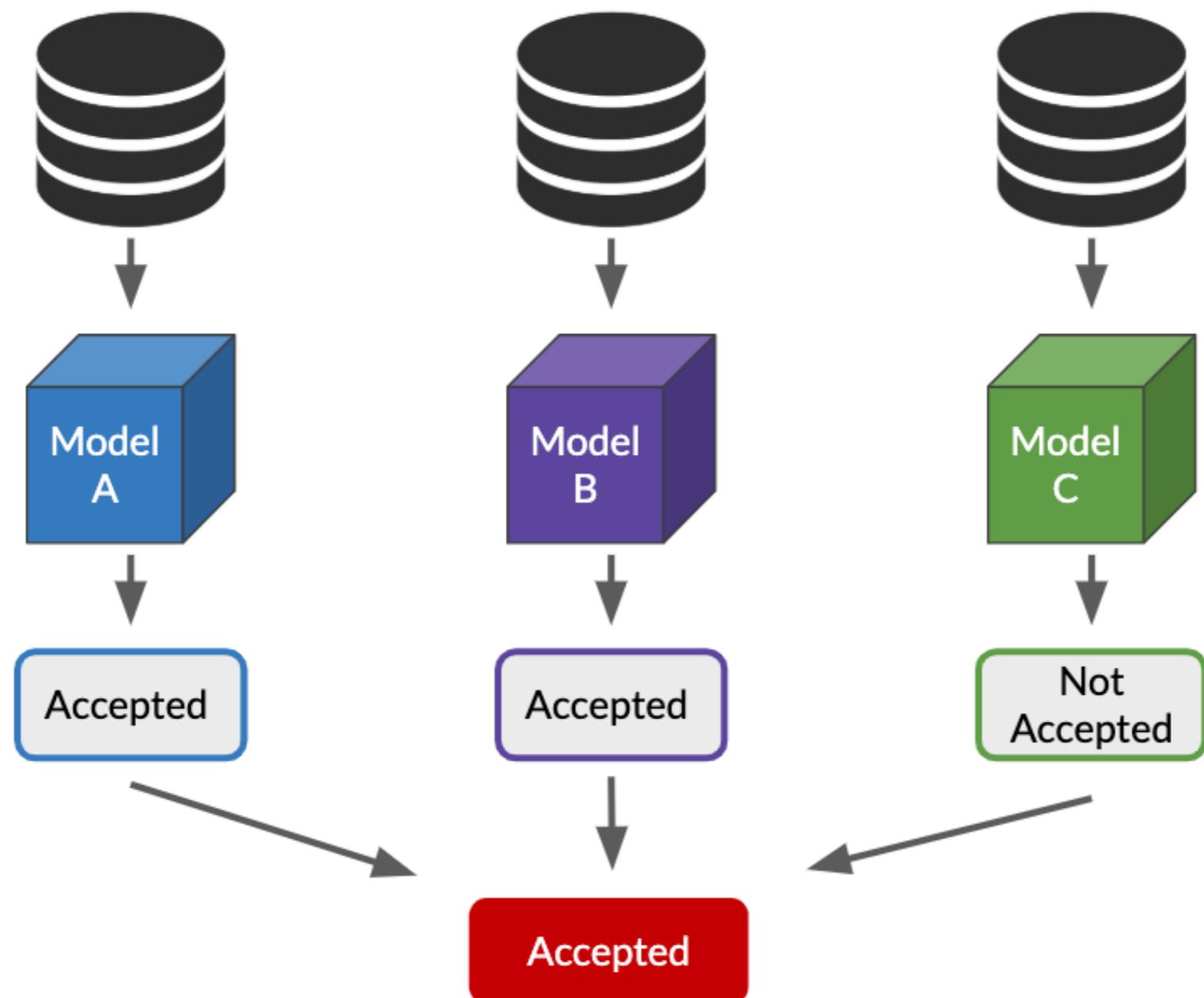
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- ...



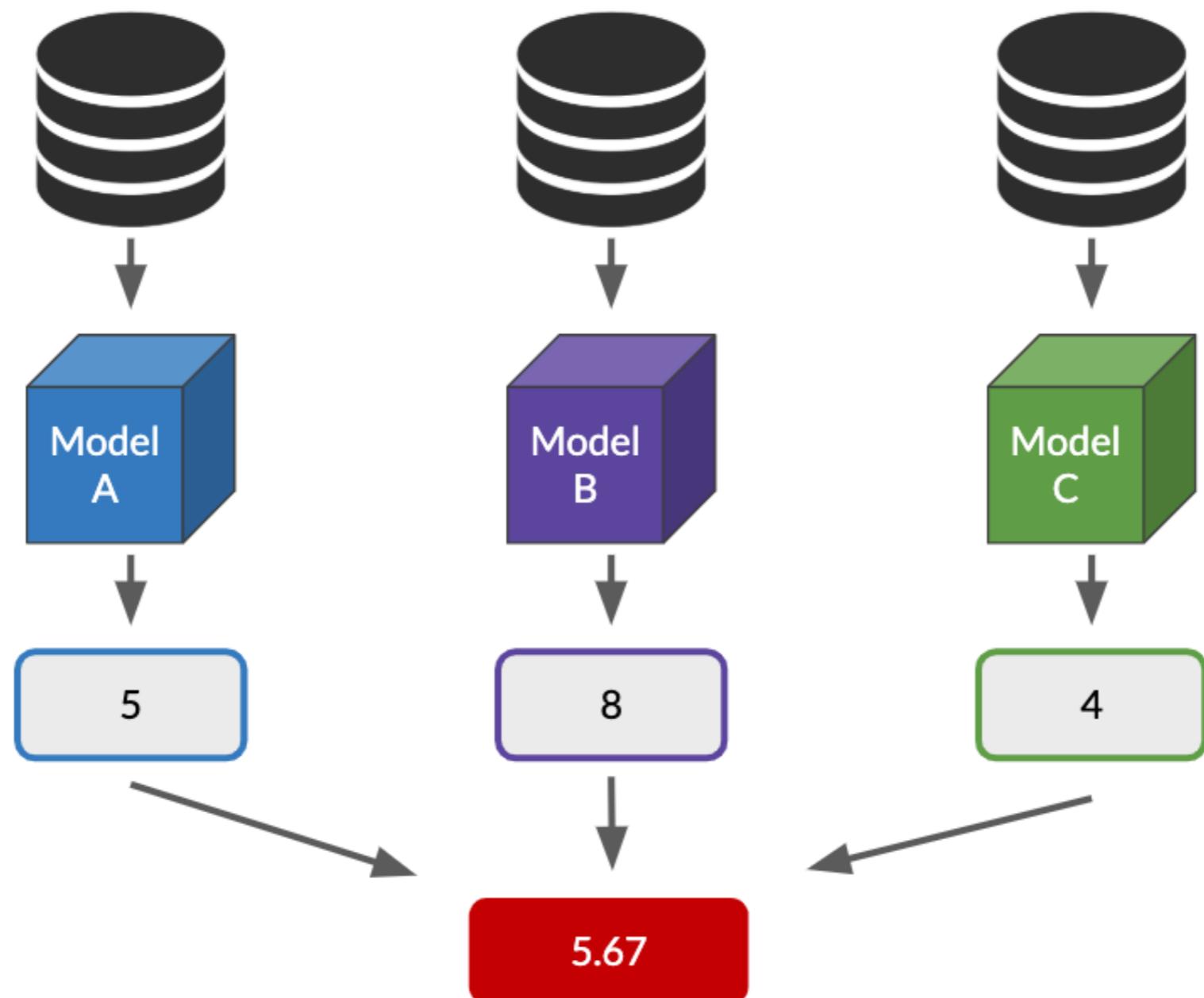
Ensemble methods



Ensemble methods: classification



Ensemble methods: regression



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