



# Workshop on Machine learning – Day2

ML development for classification  
Problems

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# Day 2

## Agenda

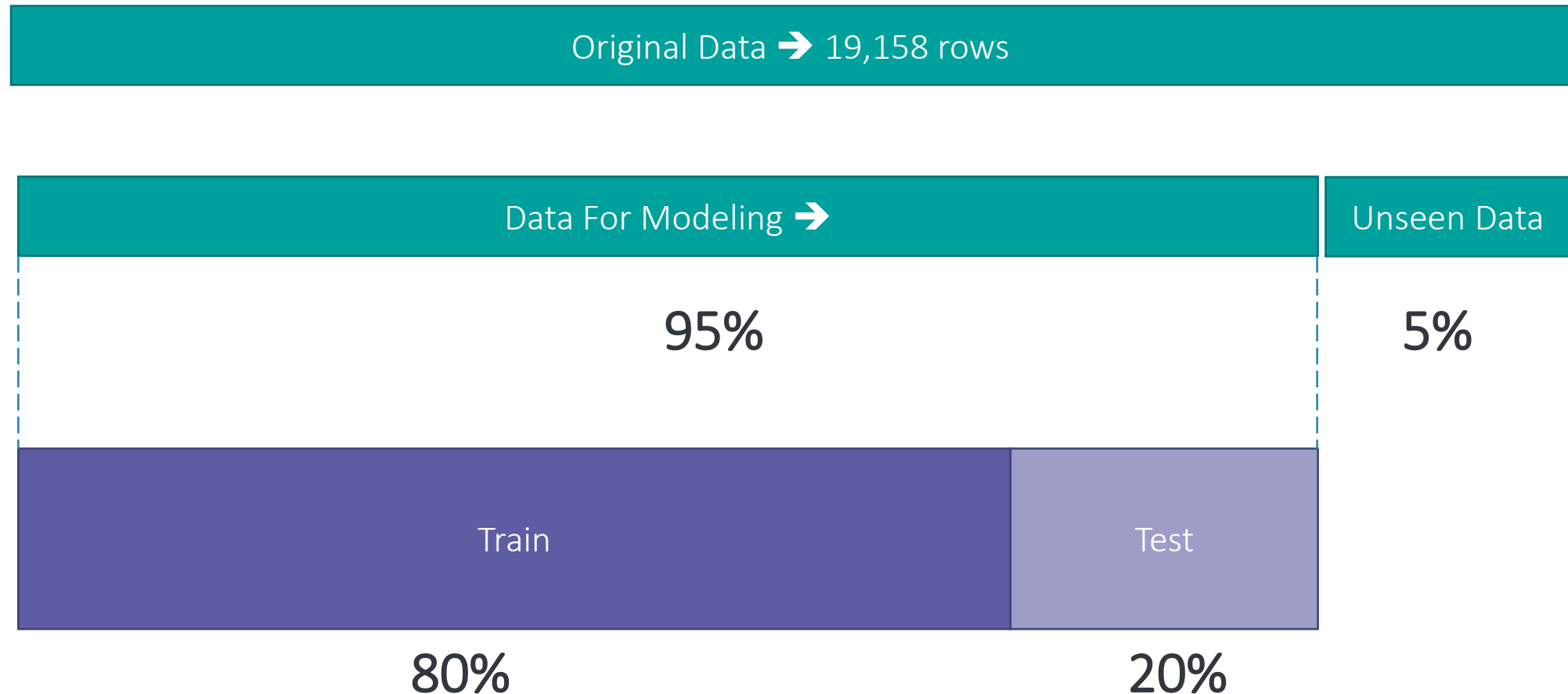
- General ML model evaluation methods
- Sample Split
- Model Development
  - Random Forest Model
  - XGBoost



## Sample Split

# Model Training and Evaluation Sample

## Split Data







## General Classification Model evaluation Methods

# Evaluate the model for classification problems

## Confusion matrix

		ACTUAL VALUES	
		POSITIVE	NEGATIVE
PREDICTED VALUES	POSITIVE	TP	FP
	NEGATIVE	FN	TN

$$\text{Precision} = \frac{TP}{TP + FP}$$

Precision tells us how many of the correctly predicted cases actually turned out to be positive

$$\text{Recall} = \frac{TP}{TP + FN}$$

Recall tells us how many of the actual positive cases we were able to predict correctly with our model.

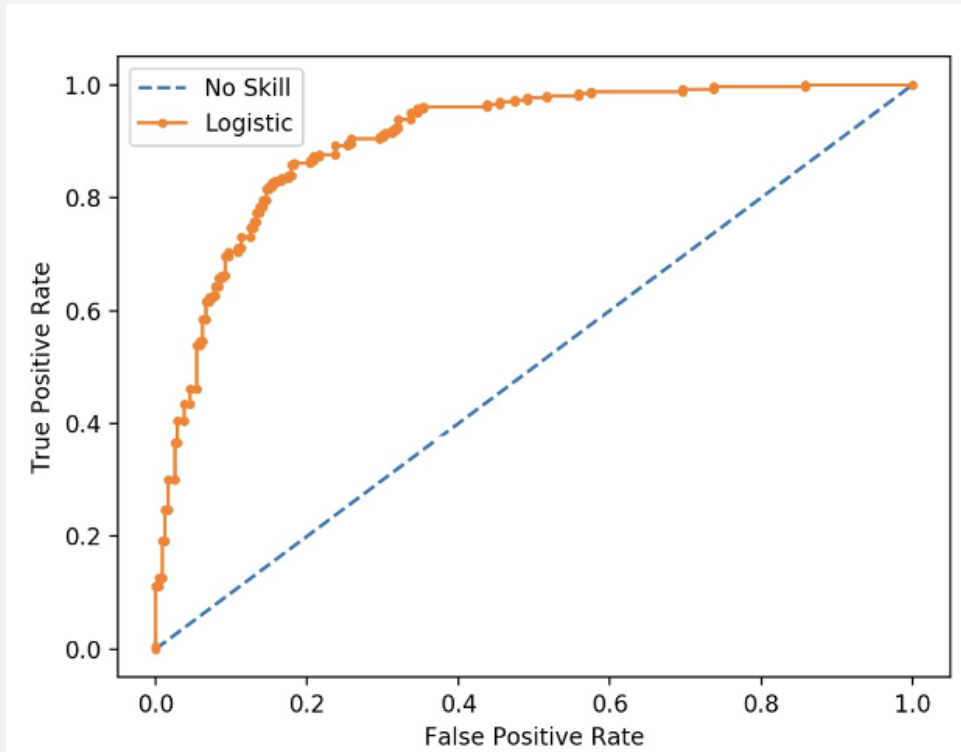
$$F1 - \text{score} = \frac{2}{\frac{1}{\text{Recall}} + \frac{1}{\text{Precision}}}$$

F1-score is a harmonic mean of Precision and Recall, and so it gives a combined idea about these two metrics. It is maximum when Precision is equal to Recall.

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{\text{Number of Correct predictions}}{\text{Total number of predictions made}}$$

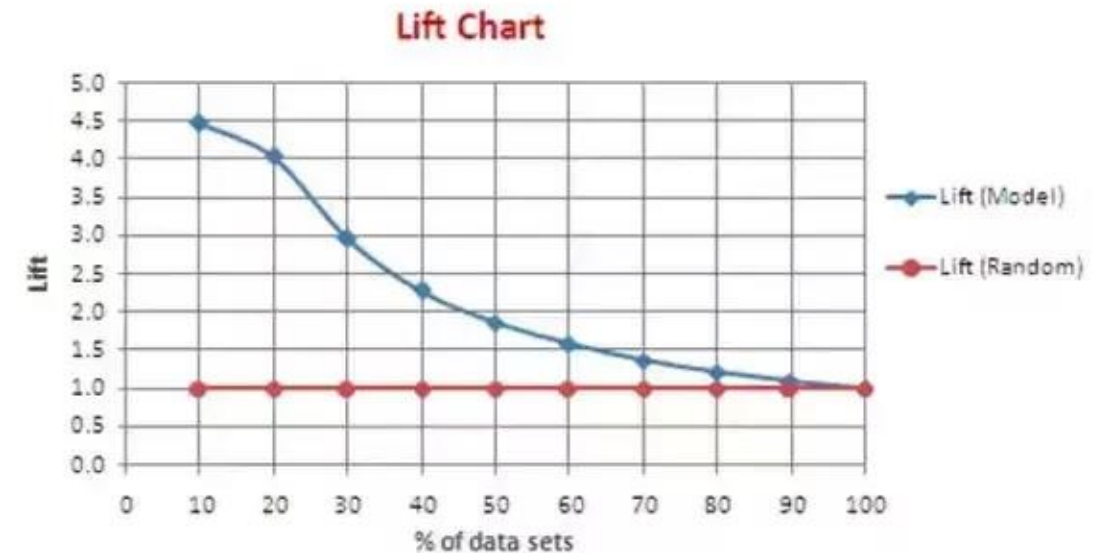
# Evaluate the model for classification problems

## AUC - ROC



ROC is a probability curve and AUC represents the degree or measure of separability

## Lift



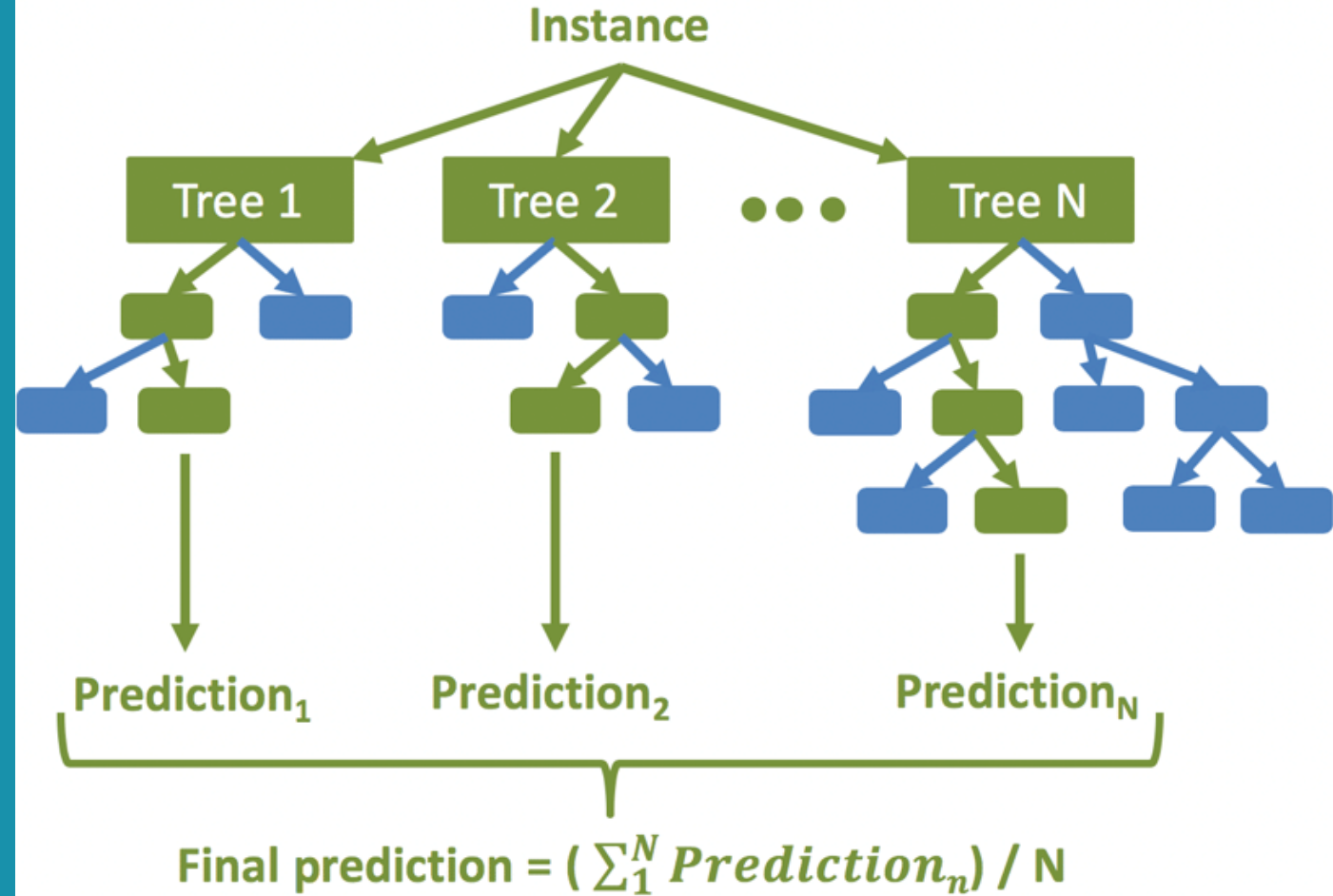
Lift is a measure of the effectiveness of a predictive model calculated as the ratio between the results obtained with and without the predictive model.



# Model Development



# Random Forest Model



# Random Forest Classifier

## What is Random Forest

Random Forest is a method that operates by multiple decision trees during training phase.

The decision of the majority of the trees is chosen by the random forest as the final decision.

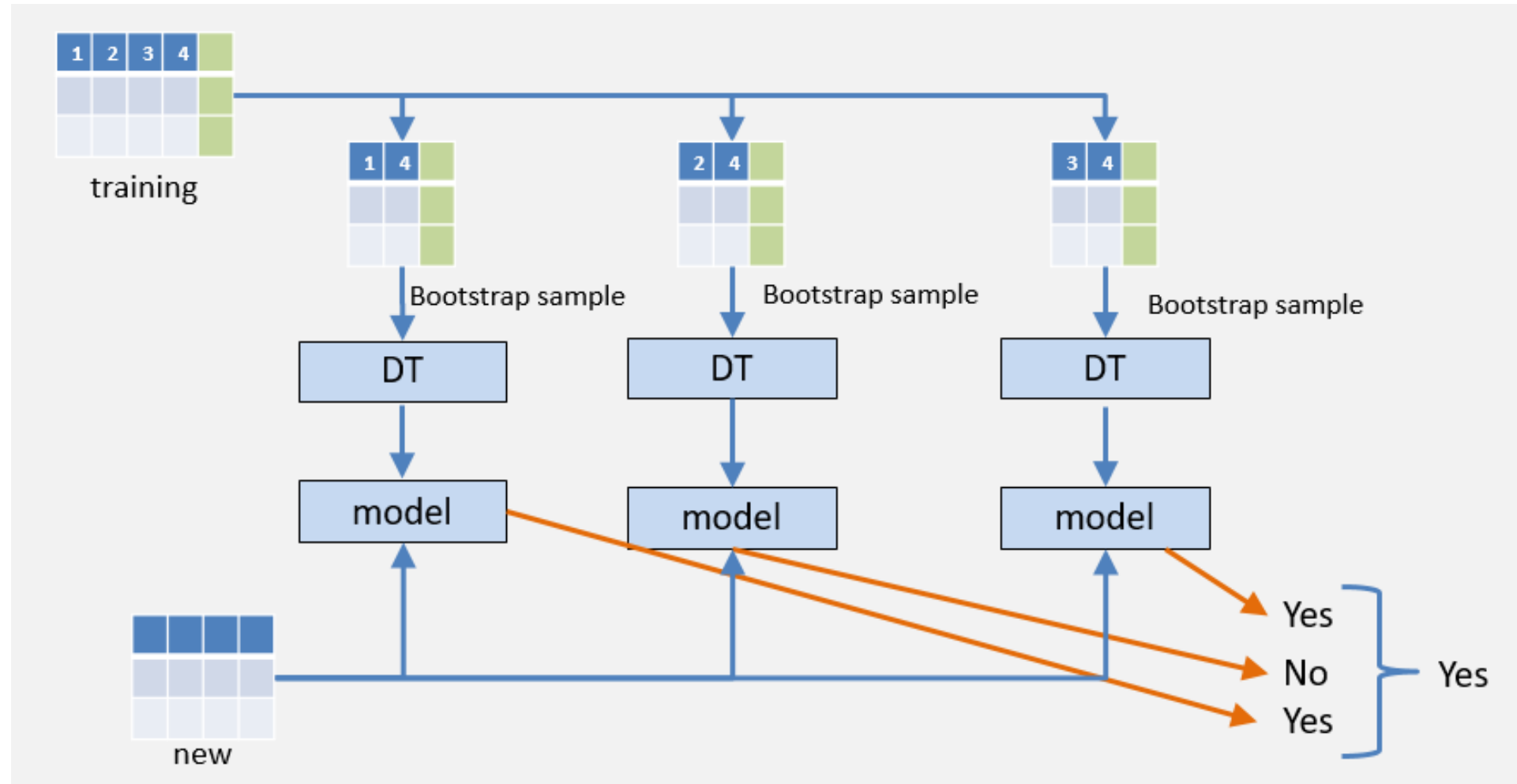
## Why Random Forest

- ❑ No Overfitting
  - Use of multiple trees reduce the risk of overfitting
  - Training time is less
- ❑ High Accuracy
  - Runs efficiently on large database
- ❑ Estimates missing data
  - Random forest maintain accuracy when a large proportion of data is missing

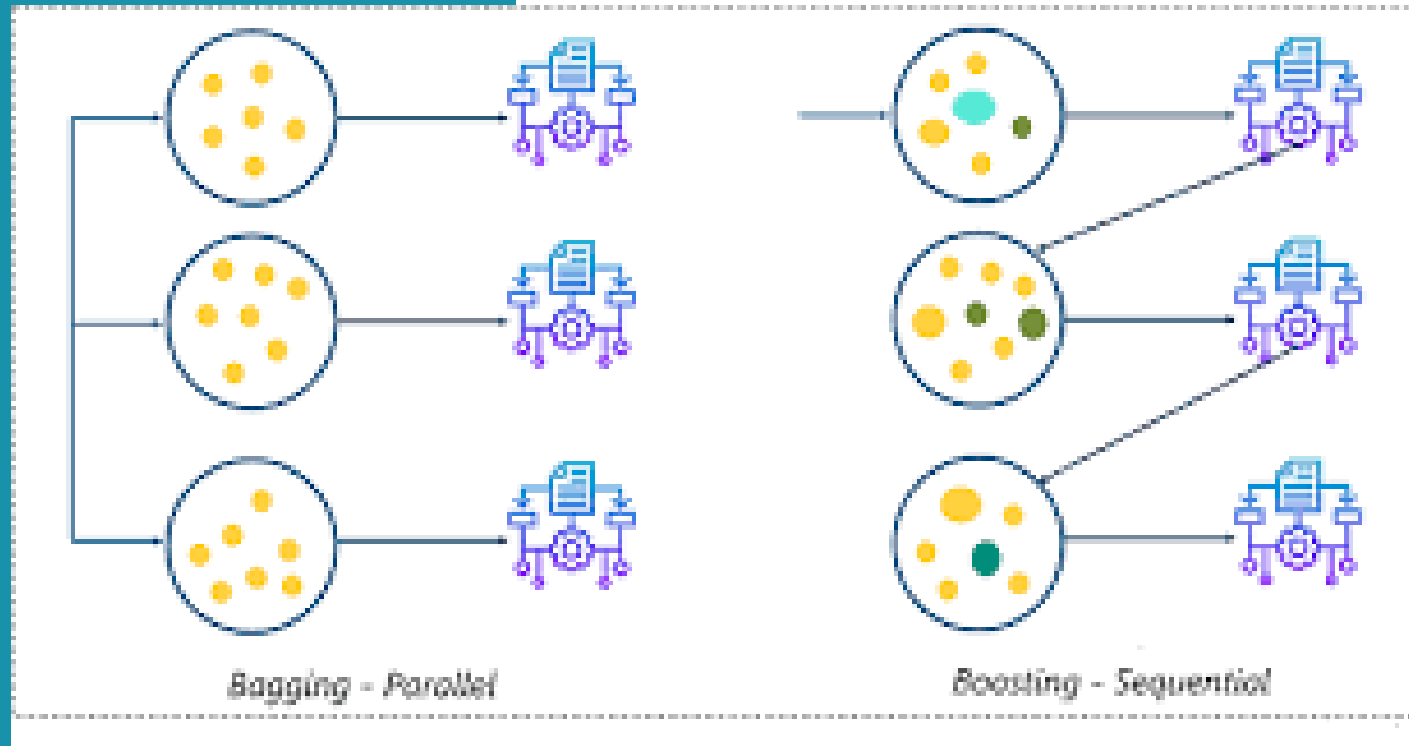
## Random Forest Parameter

- `n_estimators` = number of trees in the forest
- `max_features` = max number of features considered for splitting a node
- `max_depth` = max number of levels in each decision tree
- `min_samples_split` = min number of data points placed in a node before the node is split
- `min_samples_leaf` = min number of data points allowed in a leaf node
- `bootstrap` = method for sampling data points (with or without replacement)

# Random Forest



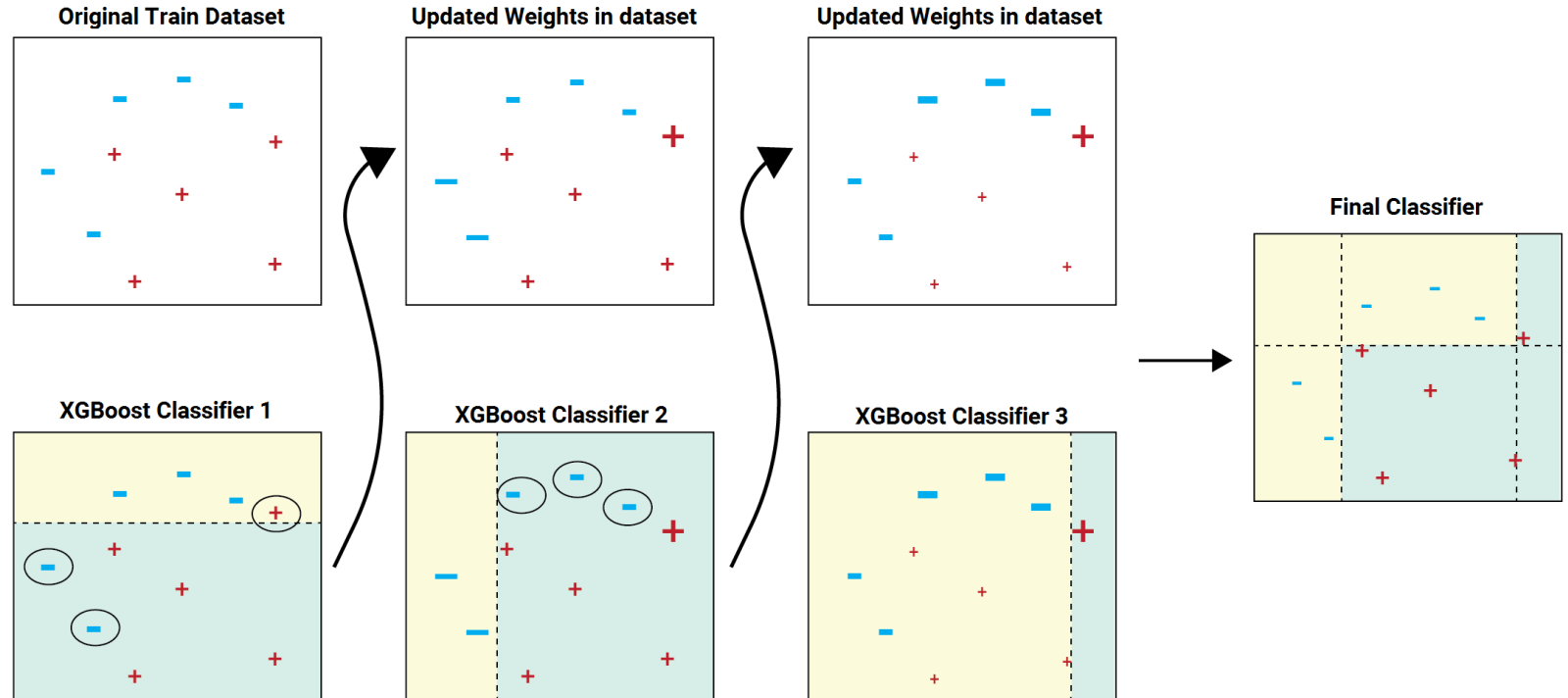
# XGBoost Model





# XGBoost

- What is XGBoost?
- What is boosting?
- What is gradient boosting?
- Why is XGBoost so good?



# XGBoost hyperparameters

Generally, the XGBoost hyperparameters have been divided into 4 categories

General  
parameters

**booster**  
**nthread**  
**verbosity**

Booster  
parameters

**eta ; gamma; max\_depth;**  
**min\_child\_weight**  
**max\_delta\_step**  
**Subsample; tree\_method**  
**scale\_pos\_weight** etc..

Learning task  
parameters

**objective**  
**eval\_metric**  
**seed**

Command line  
parameters

They are only used in the  
console version of XGBoost



# Q&A