

Anomaly Detection: Distance-based Methods

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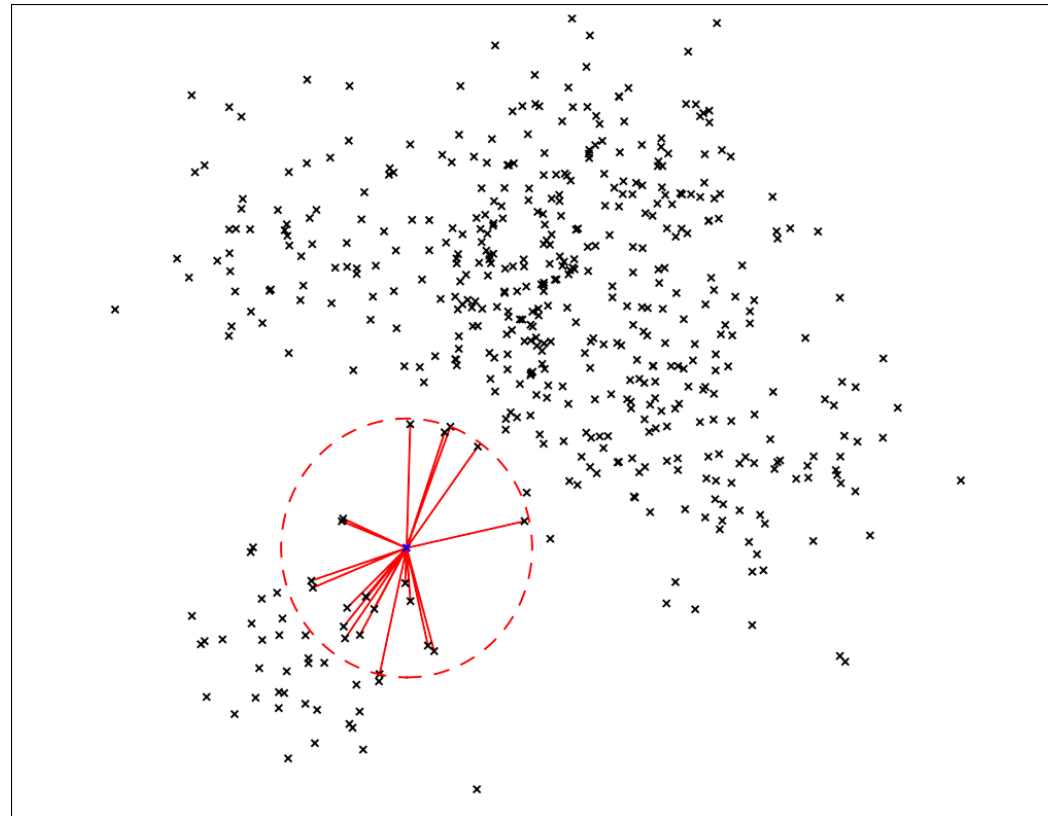
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k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

Harmeling et al. (2006)

- k-Nearest Neighbor-based Approach
 - ✓ Anomaly score of an instance is computed based on the distance information to k nearest neighbors
 - ✓ Does not assume any prior probability distribution for the normal class



<https://erikbern.com/2015/09/24/nearest-neighbor-methods-vector-models-part-1.html>

k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

- Various distance information used for anomaly score

- ✓ Maximum distance to the k-th nearest neighbor

$$d_{max}^k = \kappa(\mathbf{x}) = \|\mathbf{x} - z_k(\mathbf{x})\|$$

- ✓ Average distance to the k-nearest neighbors

$$d_{avg}^k = \gamma(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k \|\mathbf{x} - z_j(\mathbf{x})\|$$

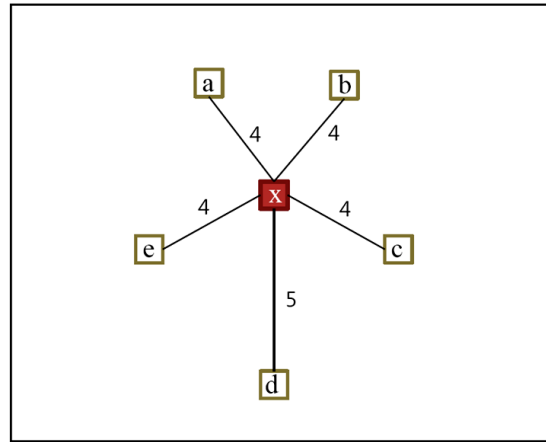
- ✓ Distance to the mean of the k-nearest neighbors

$$d_{mean}^k = \delta(\mathbf{x}) = \left\| \mathbf{x} - \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k z_j(\mathbf{x}) \right\|$$

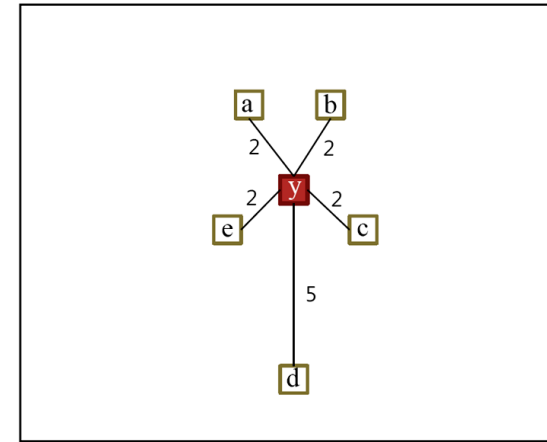
k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

Kang and Cho (2009)

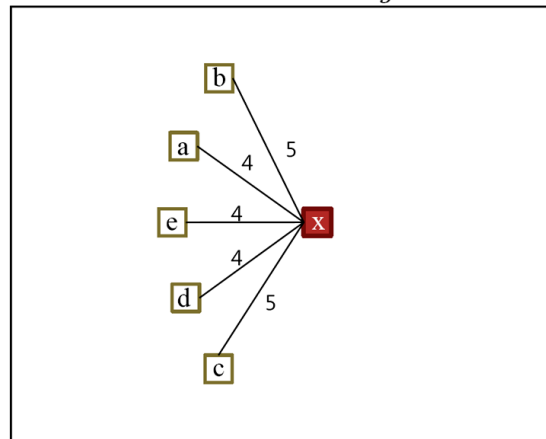
- Various distance information used for anomaly score
 - ✓ Comparison among the maximum, average, and mean distance



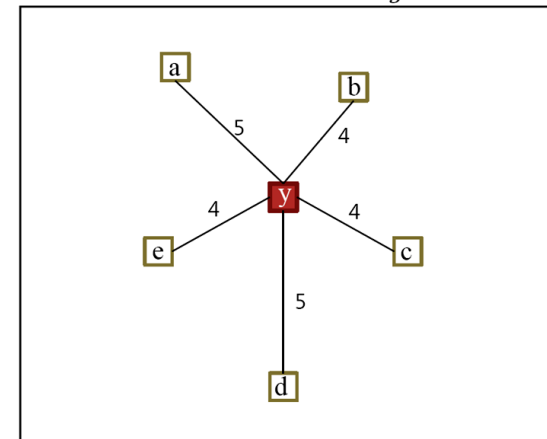
(a) $d_{max}^5 = 5.0$, $d_{avg}^5 = 4.2$.



(b) $d_{max}^5 = 5.0$, $d_{avg}^5 = 2.6$.



(c) $d_{avg}^5 = 4.4$, $d_{mean}^5 = 3.3$.



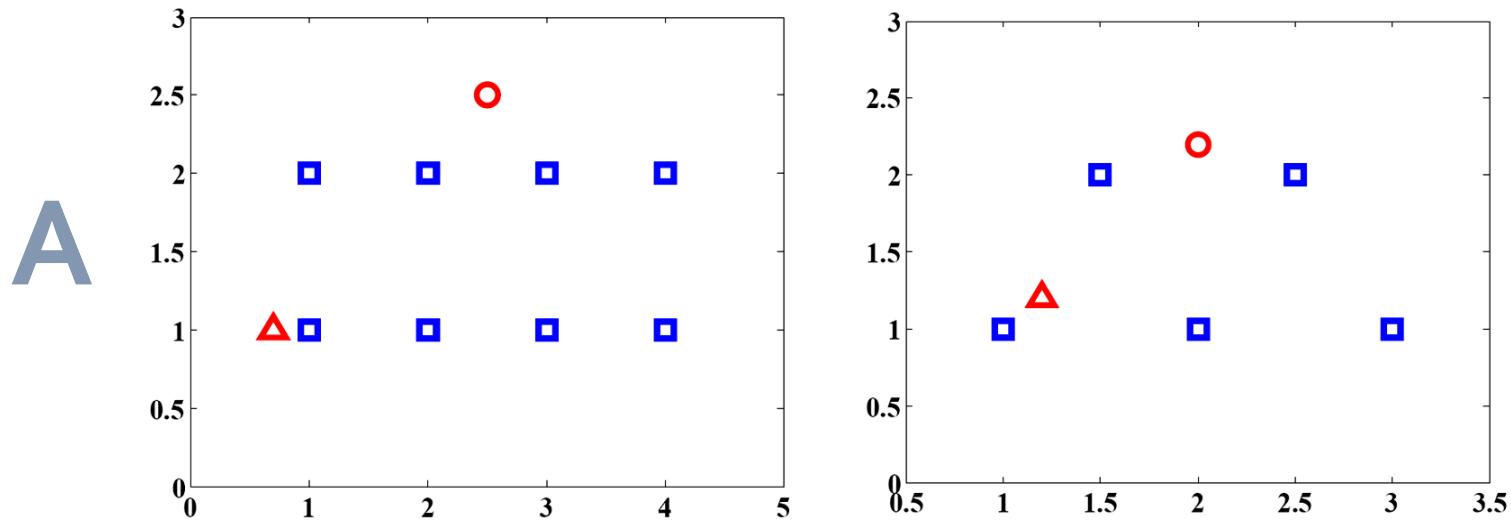
(d) $d_{avg}^5 = 4.4$, $d_{mean}^5 = 2.1$.

k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

Kang and Cho (2009)

- Counter example of the previous anomaly scores

✓ Which one should be identified as abnormal?

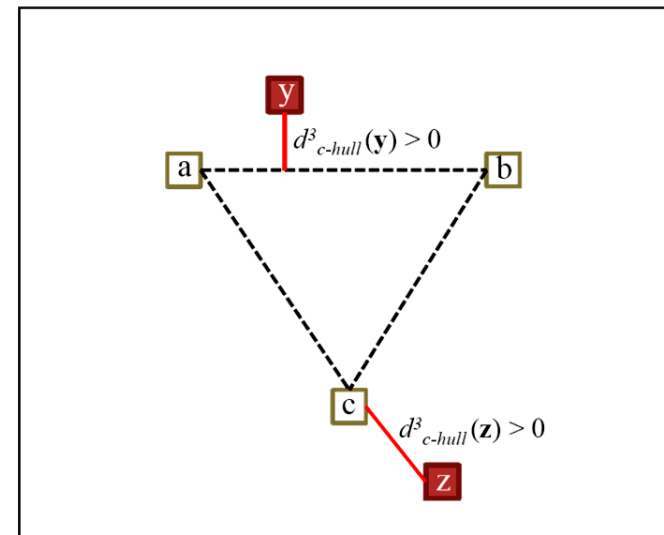
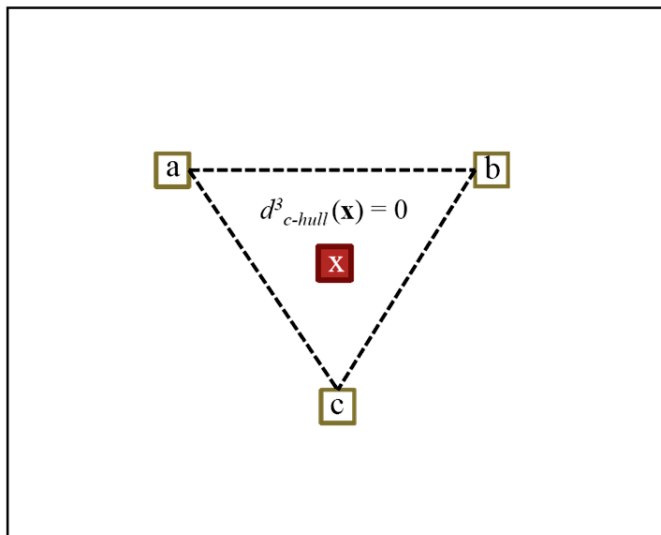


		d_{\max}^k	d_{avg}^k	d_{mean}^k
A (k=4)	Circle	1.58	1.14	0.50
	Triangle	1.64	1.07	0.94
B (k=5)	Circle	1.56	1.08	0.80
	Triangle	1.86	1.09	0.88

k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

- Consider additional factor
 - ✓ whether the new instance is located inside the convex hull of its neighbors

$$\min_{\mathbf{w}} \left(d_{c-hull}^k(\mathbf{x}) \right)^2 = \left\| \mathbf{x}_{new} - \sum_{j=1}^k \mathbf{w}_j \mathbf{z}_j(\mathbf{x}) \right\|^2$$
$$s.t. \sum_{i=1}^k \mathbf{w}_i = 1, \quad \mathbf{w}_i \geq 0, \quad \forall i.$$



k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

- Combine the average distance and convex distance

- ✓ Average distance to the k-nearest neighbors

$$d_{avg}^k = \frac{1}{k} \sum_{j=1}^k ||\mathbf{x} - z_j(\mathbf{x})||$$

- ✓ Convex distance to its k-nearest neighbors

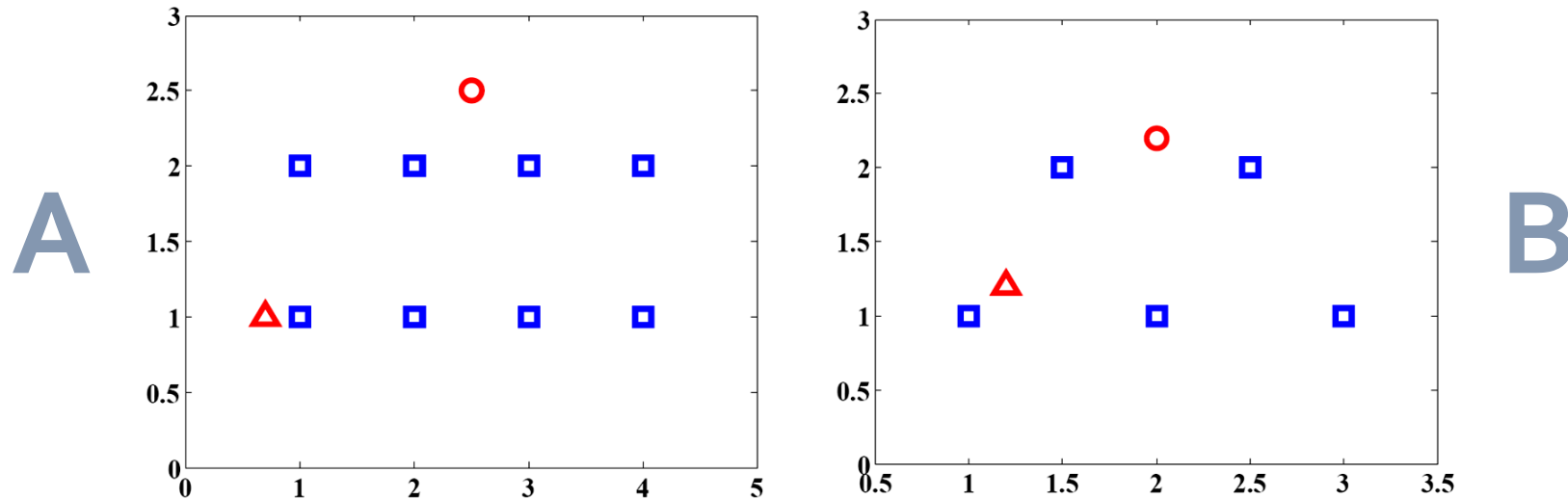
$$d_{c-hull}^k = \left\| \mathbf{x} - \sum_{j=1}^k \mathbf{w}_j z_j(\mathbf{x}) \right\|$$

- ✓ Put the penalty term using the convex distance for those instances located outside the convex hull of its k-nearest neighbors

$$d_{hybrid}^k = d_{avg}^k \times \left(\frac{2}{1 + \exp(-d_{c-hull}^k)} \right)$$

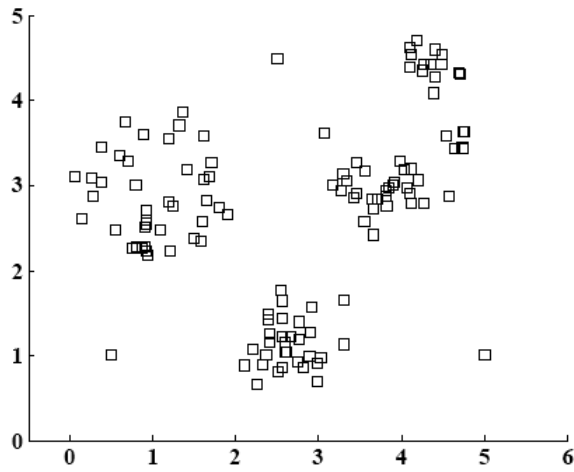
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- Counter example revisited

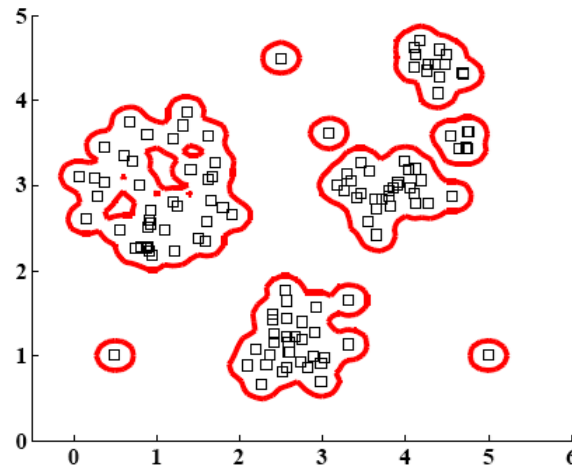


		d_{\max}^k	d_{avg}^k	d_{mean}^k	d_{hybrid}^k
A (k=4)	Circle	1.58	1.14	0.50	1.42
	Triangle	1.64	1.07	0.94	1.18
B (k=5)	Circle	1.56	1.08	0.80	1.18
	Triangle	1.86	1.09	0.88	1.09

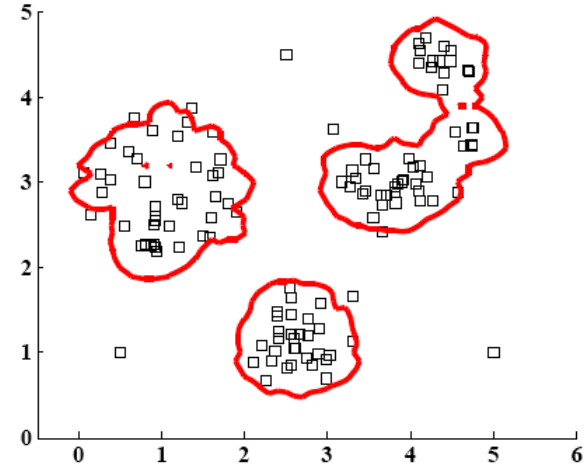
k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection



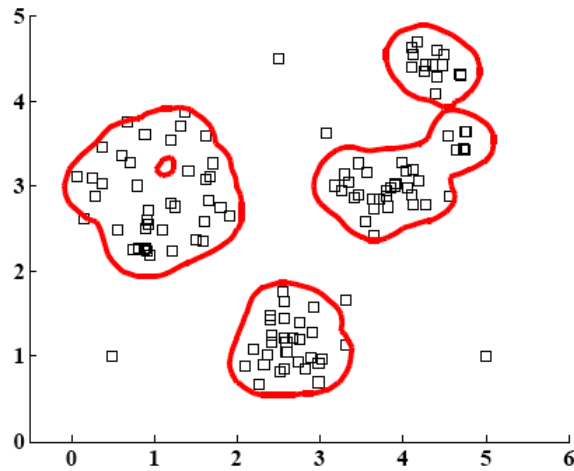
(a) Normal instances



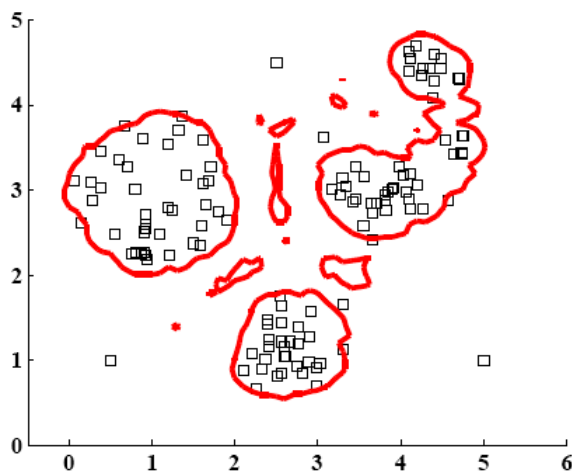
(b) 1-NN



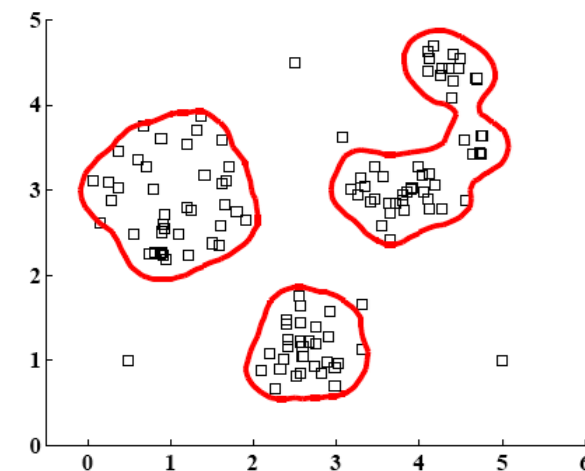
(c) d_{max}^5



(d) d_{avg}^5



(e) d_{mean}^5



(f) d_{hybrid}^5

k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

- Experiment

- ✓ Datasets

No.	Name	Source	Class	Dim.	TrN _n	TsN _n	TsN _o
1	Banana	Räth	-1	2	216	2,708	271
2	Titanic	Räth	-1	3	100	1,390	139
3	Liver	UCI	healthy	6	73	72	7
4	Ecoli	UCI	cp	7	72	71	7
5	Yeast	UCI	0	8	232	231	23
6	Pima	UCI	0	8	250	250	25
7	Diabetes	Räth	-1	8	304	196	20
8	Glass	UCI	1	9	35	35	4
9	Breast	Räth	-1	9	142	54	5
10	Flare	Räth	-1	9	300	178	18
11	Heart	Räth	-1	13	94	56	6
12	Image	Räth	-1	18	554	436	44
13	Twonorm	Räth	-1	20	198	3,499	350
14	German	Räth	-1	20	489	211	21
15	Waveform	Räth	-1	21	268	3,085	308
16	Parkinsons	UCI	parkinsons	22	74	73	7
17	Ionosphere	UCI	0	33	113	112	11
18	Spectf	UCI	0	44	28	27	3
19	Sonar	UCI	mine	60	56	55	6
20	Ozone	UCI	non-ozone	72	29	28	3
21	Arrhythmia	UCI	normal	258	119	118	12

k-Nearest Neighbor-based Anomaly Detection

- Performance (in terms of the Integrated Error)

Data	Dim.	TrN _n	Gauss	MoG	Parzen	1-SVM	KMC	KCC	HC	PCA	d_{max}^k	d_{avg}^k	d_{mean}^k	1-NN	MST-CD	d_{hybrid}^k
Titanic	3	100	19.12	19.12	18.50	17.27	21.12	21.26	22.80	22.48	3.64	3.53	10.00	8.73	1.33*	1.33*
Liver	6	73	44.41	45.04	41.11	38.82	41.90	43.41	40.91	40.68	40.00	38.85	38.96	39.81	39.14	38.18
Ecoli	7	72	3.61	2.58	3.14	2.35	2.45	3.38	3.88	20.12	2.22	2.13	2.84	3.94	2.67	2.11
Glass	9	35	18.82	18.29	22.25	17.43	18.61	22.61	24.42	22.21	13.86	12.25	12.36	18.93	11.54	11.39
Breast	9	142	35.83	31.51	32.04	29.64	34.68	40.68	32.80	31.24	29.58	28.84	29.53	34.62	33.18	26.99*
Banana	2	216	54.91	8.56	7.96	8.30	16.93	12.53	7.65	42.55	8.51	8.08	9.87	10.57	11.67	7.89
Yeast	8	232	31.55	28.98	27.99	26.58	28.78	33.25	27.32	31.47	25.81	24.54	25.87	27.79	26.50	23.40
Pima	8	250	29.86	33.55	26.04	27.50	29.60	32.69	28.46	33.28	24.82	24.57	27.68	28.17	27.72	24.45
Diabetes	8	304	30.61	34.68	27.35	26.60	28.80	35.31	26.45	31.32	23.70	23.29	25.68	26.66	28.21	23.64
Flare	9	300	23.19	23.19	24.82	15.40	29.67	26.65	25.57	26.76	10.49	9.74	17.09	5.62	5.47	6.14
Spectf	44	28	28.33	16.42	21.11	14.75	15.00	28.02	16.36	26.30	14.20	13.40	12.96	17.16	13.33	11.67*
Sonar	60	56	41.59	37.27	34.32	33.80	41.55	40.06	40.07	42.32	39.65	34.67	32.12	33.73	31.30	32.62
Ozone	72	29	23.99	14.64	13.15	12.50	13.51	19.11	16.49	34.46	11.07	10.71	9.76	14.11	12.86	10.30
Arrhythmia	258	119	28.01	40.25	28.03	25.79	25.38	28.62	27.42	28.17	26.10	26.01	25.93	26.16	24.57	23.93
Heart	13	94	21.13	19.05	20.58	18.61	19.84	20.79	18.22	20.21	15.23	14.75	15.72	23.08	23.24	14.30
Image	18	554	13.11	13.61	11.79	10.38	23.22	30.13	31.21	15.87	13.80	11.99	10.32	10.53	9.19*	11.04
Twonorm	20	198	9.83	11.80	11.62	9.48	8.82	12.38	6.13*	9.62	9.62	10.02	10.79	12.87	12.62	10.11
German	20	489	38.16	36.99	37.24	35.72	39.23	42.79	40.56	37.73	34.72	33.95	34.59	37.88	36.35	33.77
Waveform	21	268	42.14	30.25	26.33	22.65*	27.56	31.26	25.44	43.07	23.75	24.58	27.69	29.05	27.09	25.24
Parkinsons	22	74	32.71	46.35	32.14	29.16	32.65	32.66	32.79	34.60	36.95	32.54	31.63	34.22	30.68	30.30
Ionosphere	33	113	4.44	4.93	4.16	2.80	3.54	4.40	4.39	3.68	2.70	2.76	2.75	4.00	2.70	2.72

Clustering-based Approach

- K-Means clustering-based anomaly detection

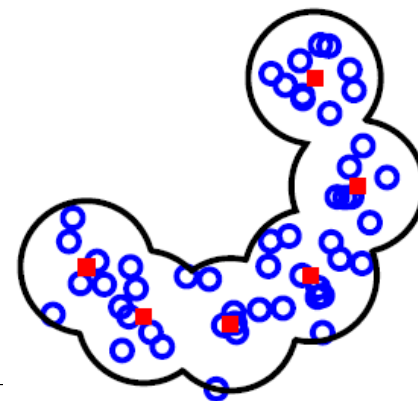
- ✓ anomaly score of an instance is computed based on the distance information to the nearest centroid
- ✓ Does not assume any prior probability distribution for the normal class

$$\mathcal{X} = C_1 \cup C_2 \dots \cup C_K, \quad C_i \cap C_j = \phi, \quad i \neq j.$$

$$\arg \min_{\mathbf{C}} \sum_{i=1}^K \sum_{\mathbf{x}_j \in C_i} \|\mathbf{x}_j - \mathbf{c}_i\|^2$$

- ✓ EM algorithm for K-Means clustering

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- 1: Select K points as the initial centroids.
 - 2: **repeat**
 - 3: Form K clusters by assigning all points to the closest centroid.
 - 4: Recompute the centroid of each cluster.
 - 5: **until** The centroids don't change
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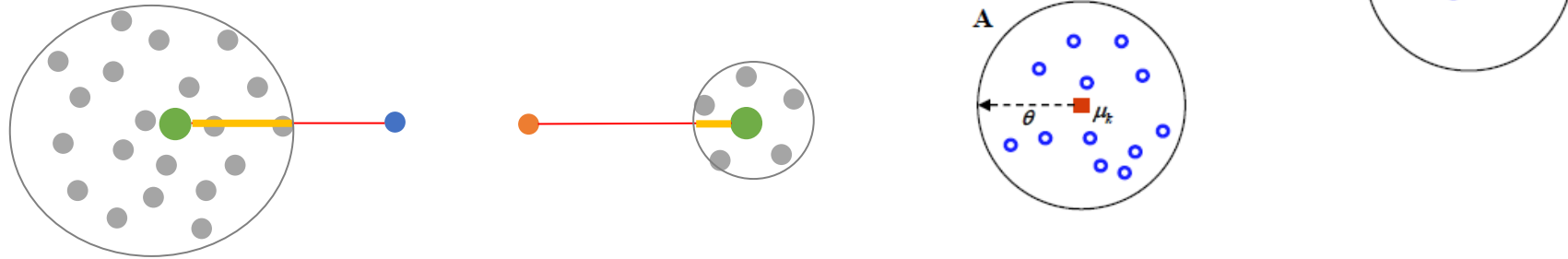


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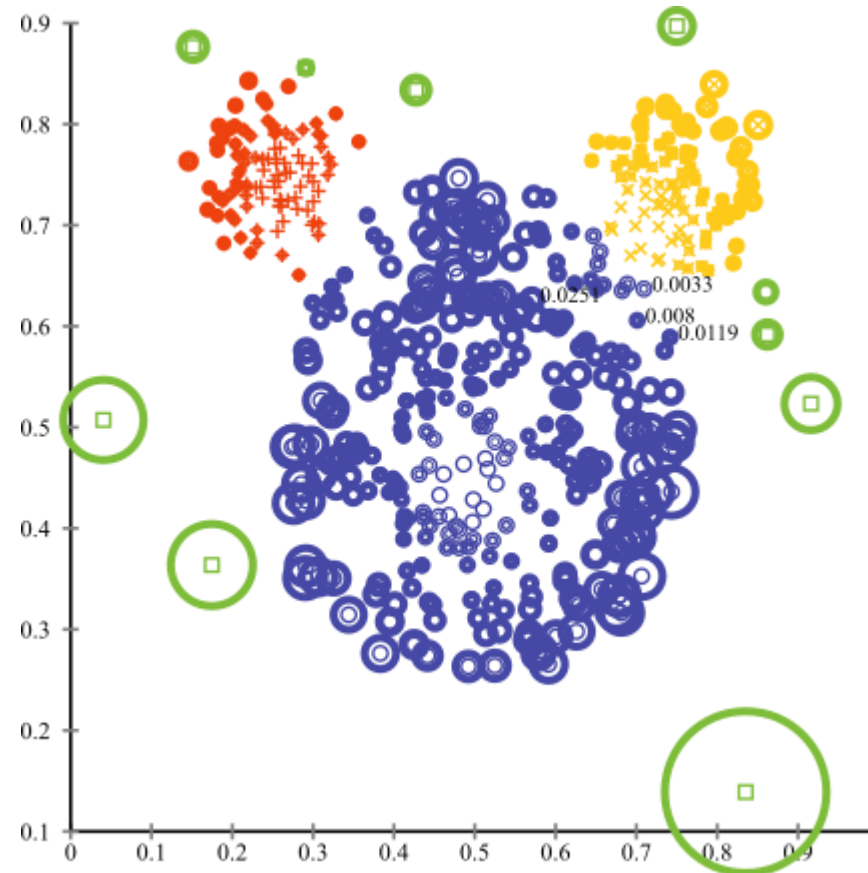
- ✓ Two anomaly scores by KMC

- Absolute distance to the nearest centroid
- Relative distance to the nearest centroid



Clustering-based Approach

- KMC-based anomaly score: Example



Principal Component Analysis-based Anomaly Detection

- PCA revisited

- ✓ Purpose: maximize the variance after projection

$$\begin{aligned} \max \quad & \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w} \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

- ✓ Solution

$$L = \mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w} - \lambda(\mathbf{w}^T \mathbf{w} - 1)$$

$$\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{w}} = 0 \Rightarrow \mathbf{S} \mathbf{w} - \lambda \mathbf{w} = 0 \Rightarrow (\mathbf{S} - \lambda \mathbf{I}) \mathbf{w} = 0$$

Principal Component Analysis-based Anomaly Detection

- PCA as an anomaly detector

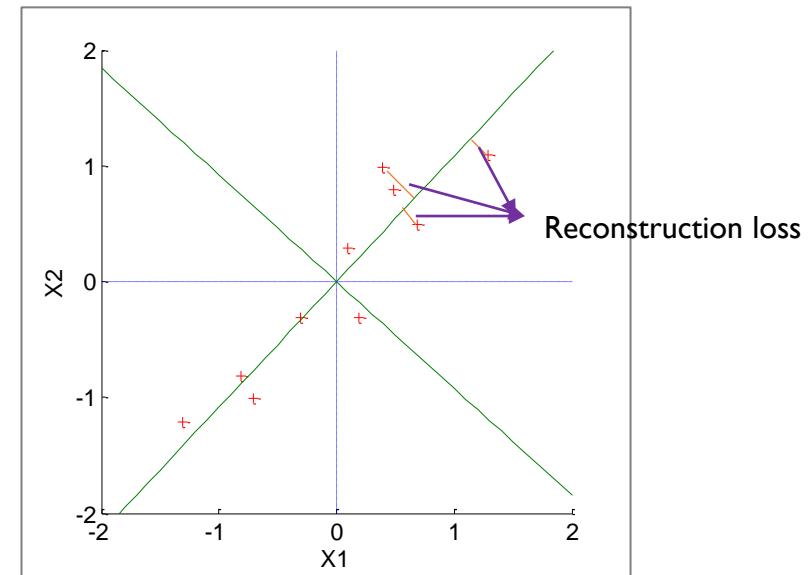
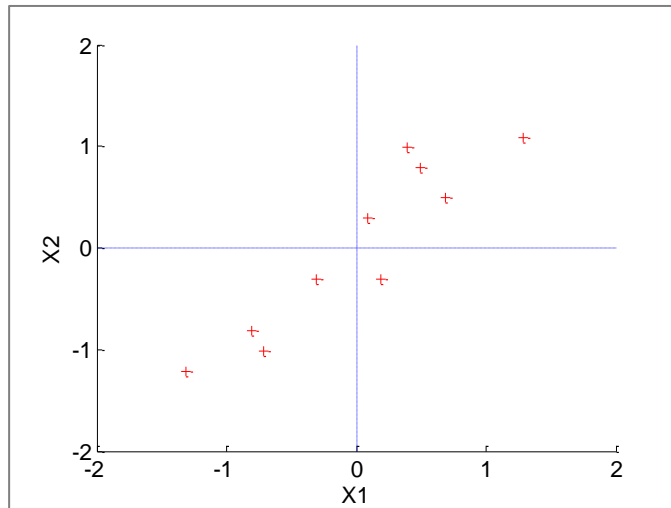
- ✓ Anomaly score: the amount of reconstruction loss from the projected space into the original space



Principal Component Analysis-based Anomaly Detection

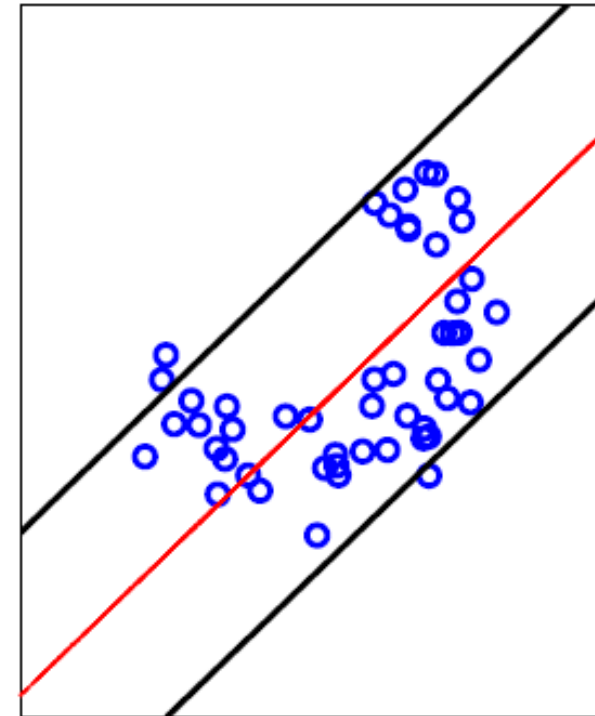
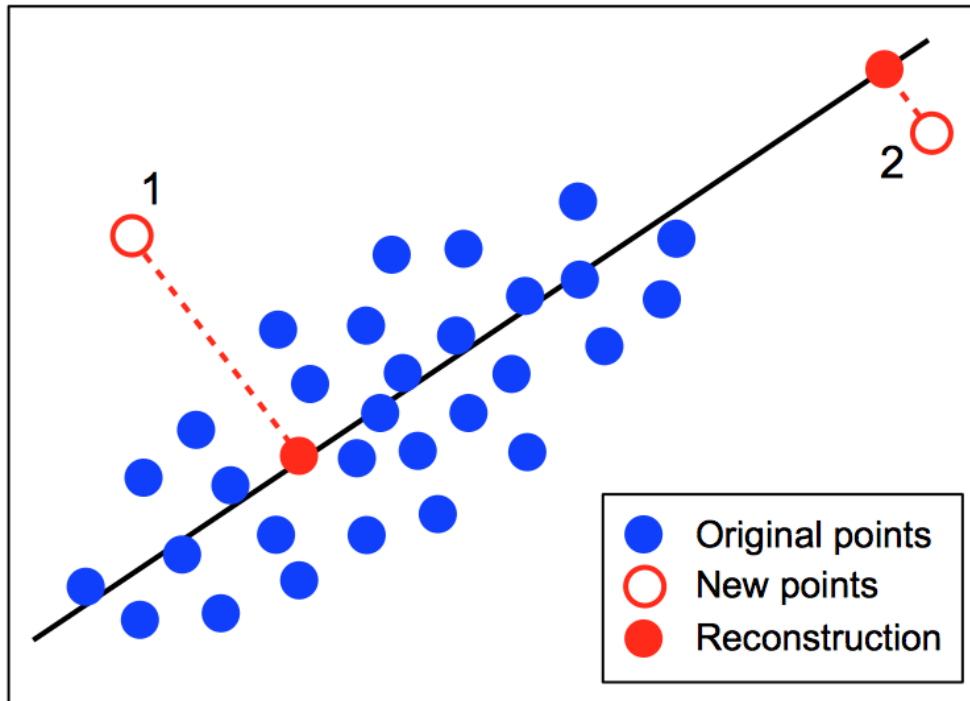
- PCA as an anomaly detector
 - ✓ Compute the reconstruction loss

$$\begin{aligned}\text{error}(\mathbf{x}) &= \|\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x}\|^2 = (\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x})^T(\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x}) \\ &= \mathbf{x}^T\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^T\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^T\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x} + \mathbf{x}^T\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x} \\ &= \mathbf{x}^T\mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}^T\mathbf{w}\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x} = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 - \|\mathbf{w}^T\mathbf{x}\|^2\end{aligned}$$



Principal Component Analysis-based Anomaly Detection

- PCA as an anomaly detector
 - ✓ Graphical interpretation



<https://stats.stackexchange.com/questions/259806/anomaly-detection-using-pca-reconstruction-error>



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