

Introduction to Machine Learning

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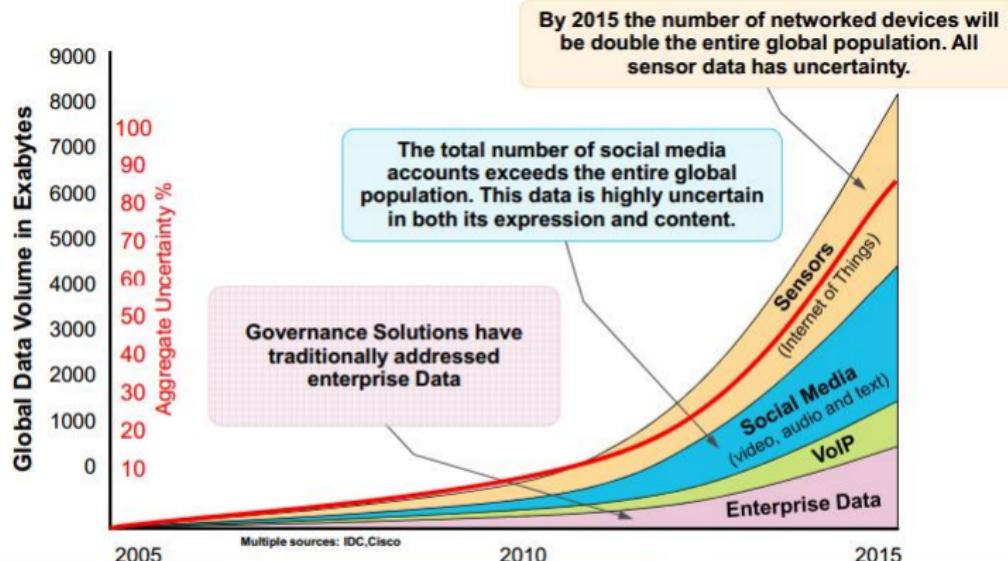
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Leaders don't have the information they need

60%

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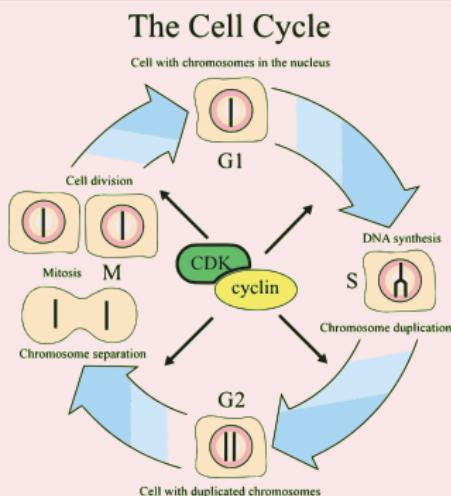
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Poor data quality costs the US
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\$3.1 TRILLION A YEAR



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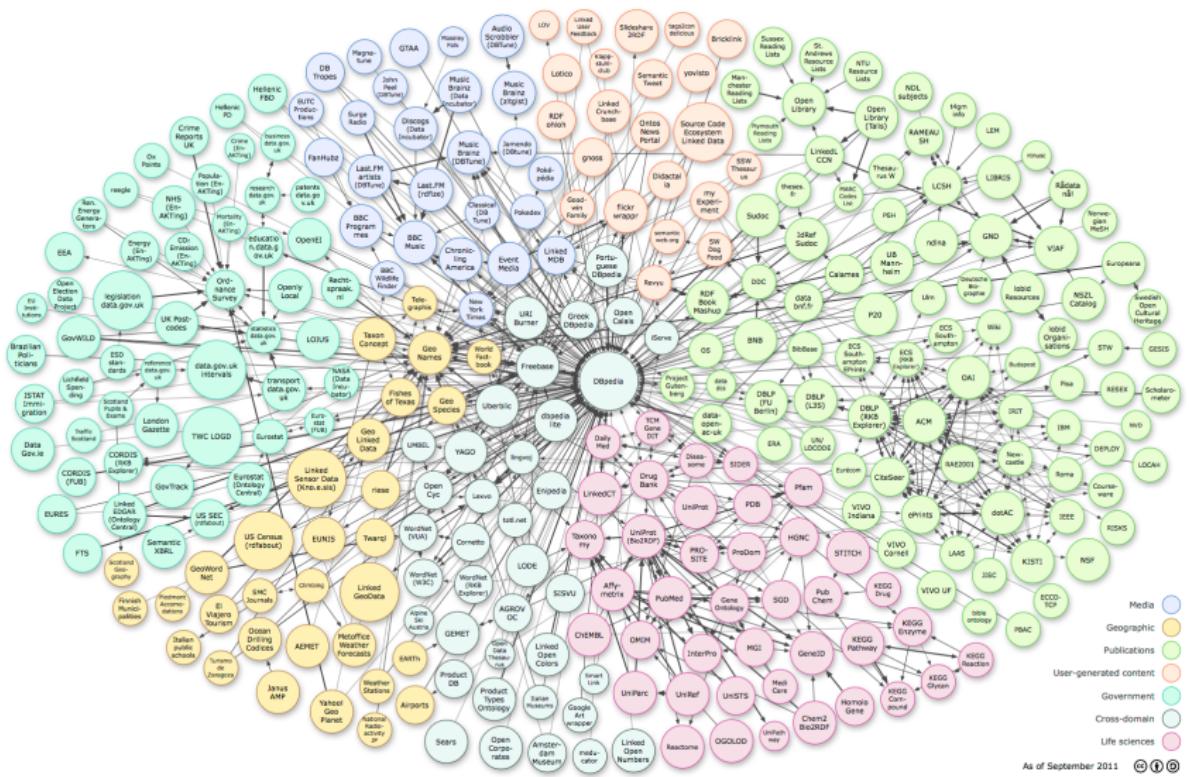
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Example: Linking open-data community project



As of September 2011

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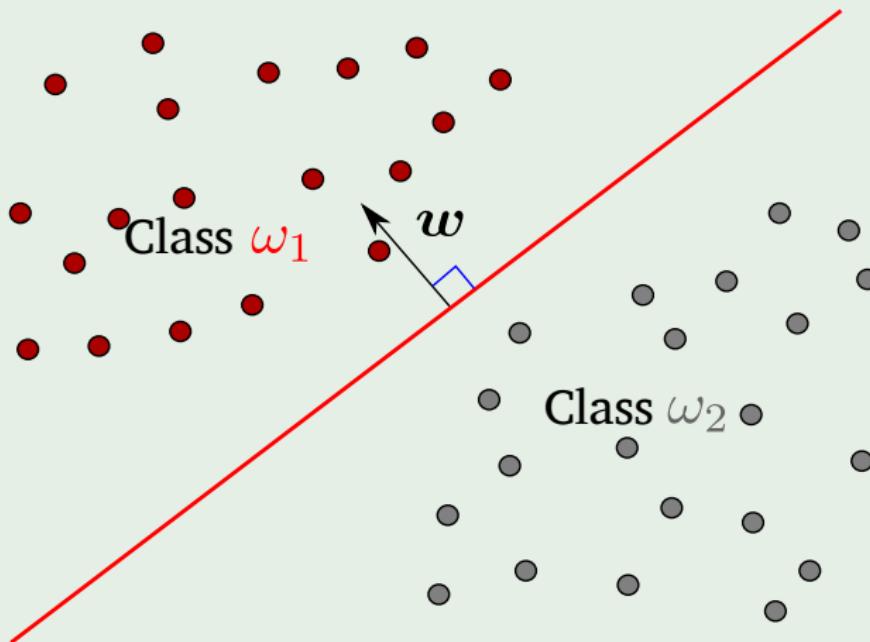
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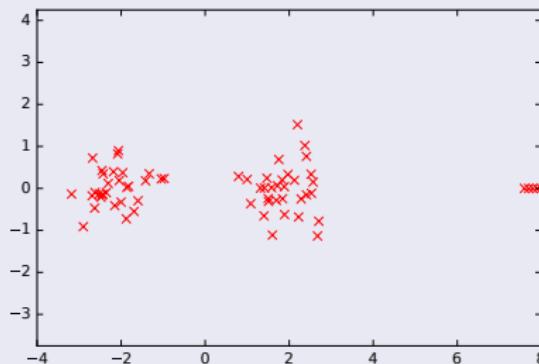
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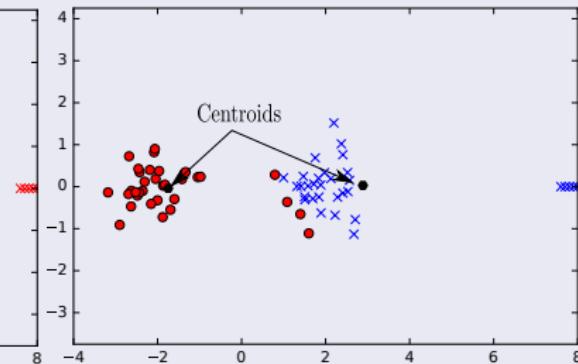
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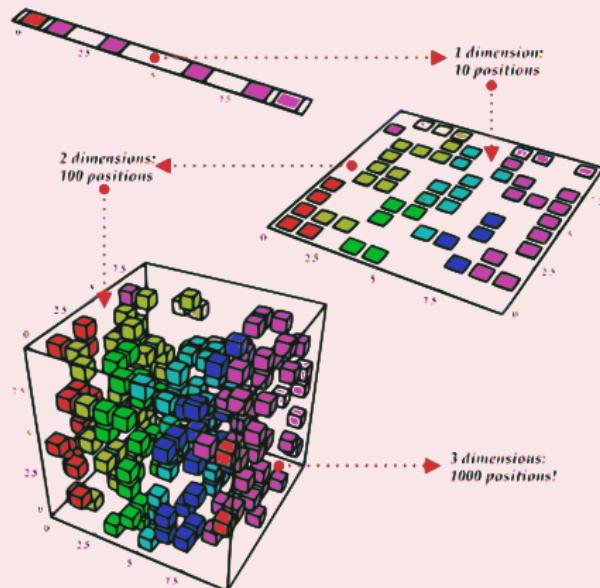
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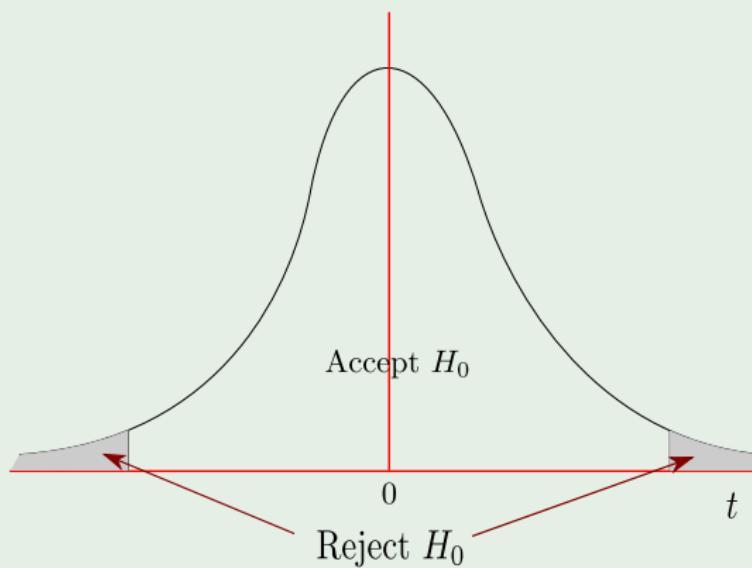


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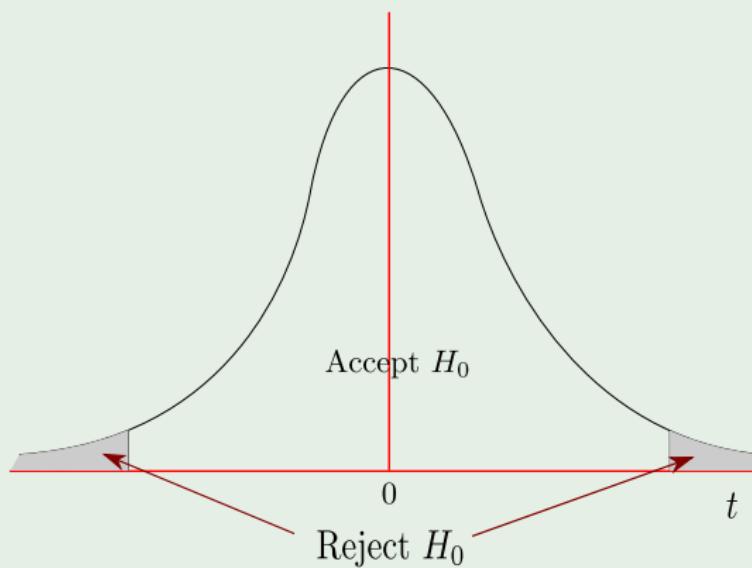


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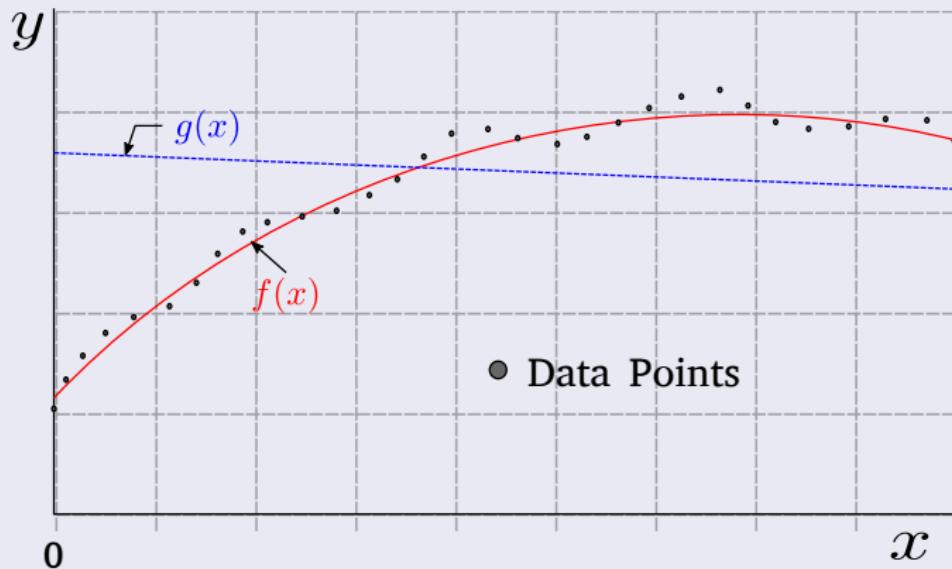
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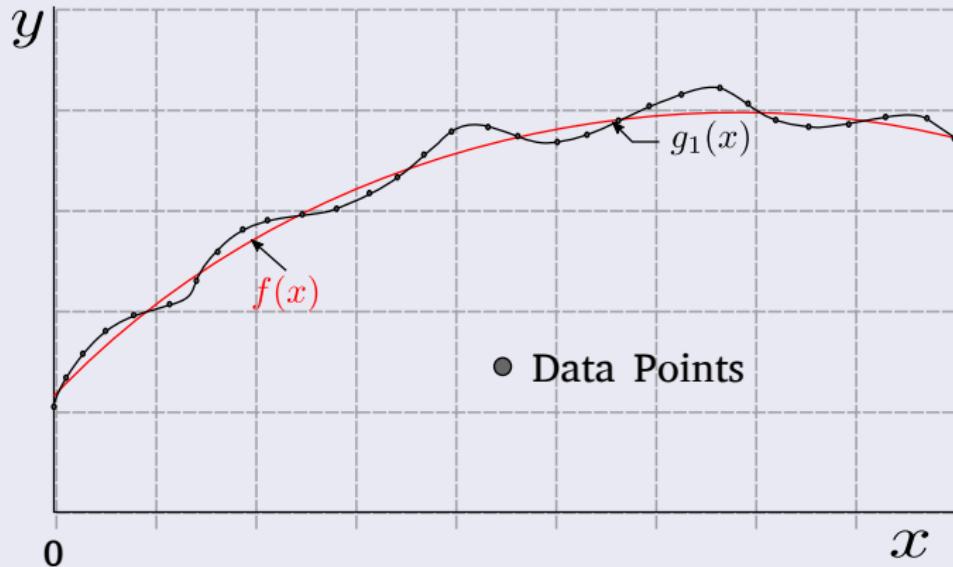
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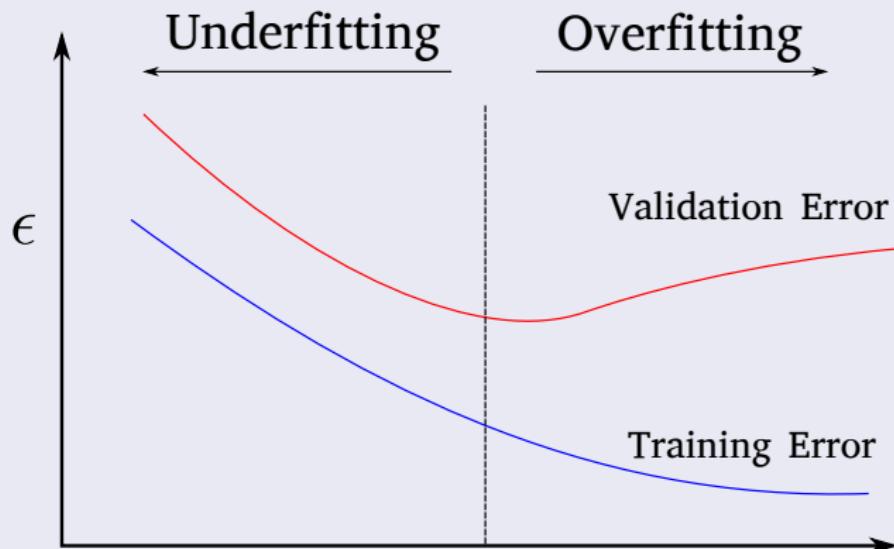
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