

CSCE 636 Neural Networks (Deep Learning)

Lecture 19: Ensemble Learning

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Based on the interesting lecture of Prof. Hung-yi Lee “Ensemble”

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=tH9FH1DH5n0&list=PLJV_eI3uVTsPy9oCRY30oBPNLCo89yu49&index=32

Ensemble Learning

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Basic idea:

Build multiple models for the same application,
make them collaborate to achieve better performance.

In other words: use Team Work.

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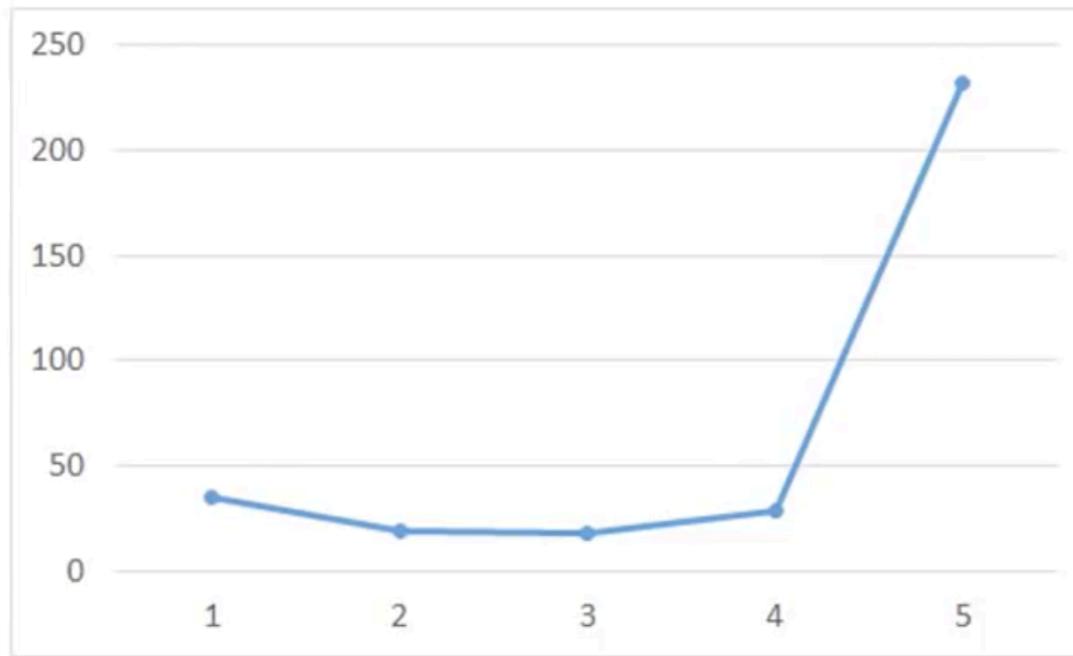
- Aggregate the classifiers (*properly*)

Ensemble is a popular technique for winning machine learning competitions.
It can improve the performance to the next level.
Requirement: need to train multiple models.

Ensemble: Bagging

Combine multiple complex models

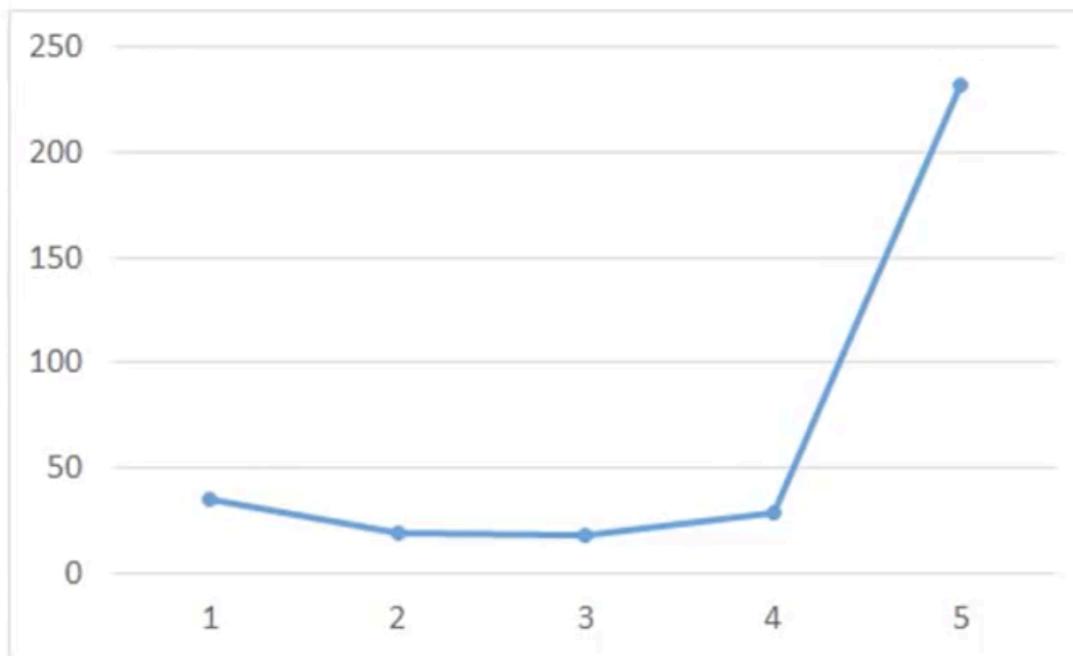
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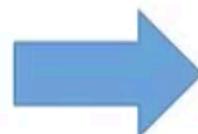
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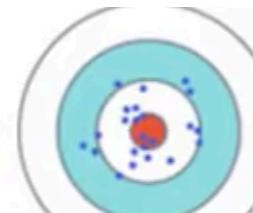
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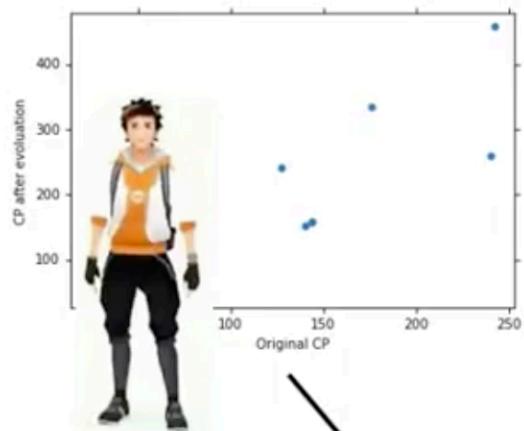
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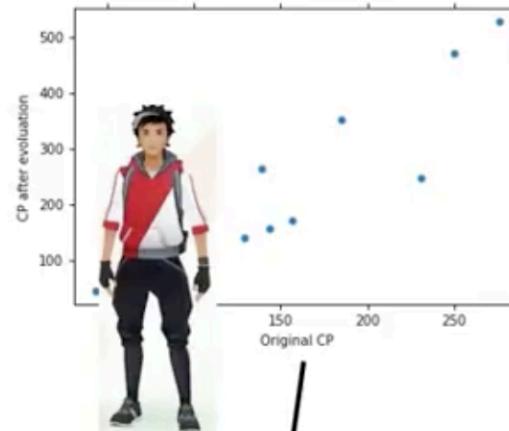
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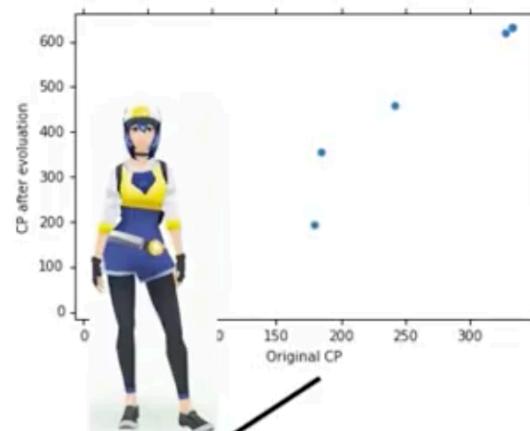
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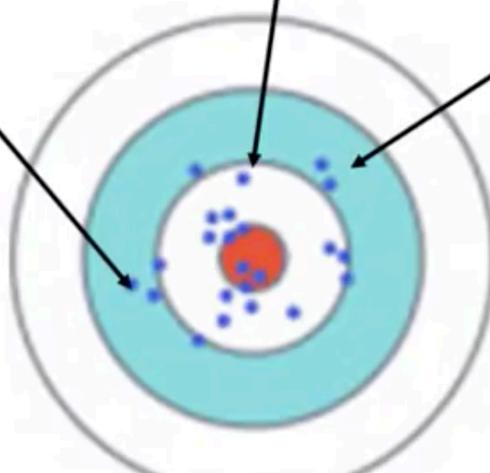
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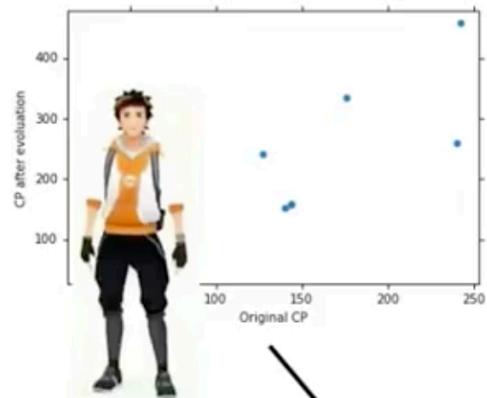


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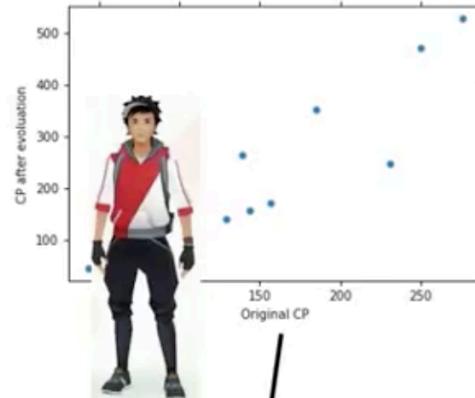


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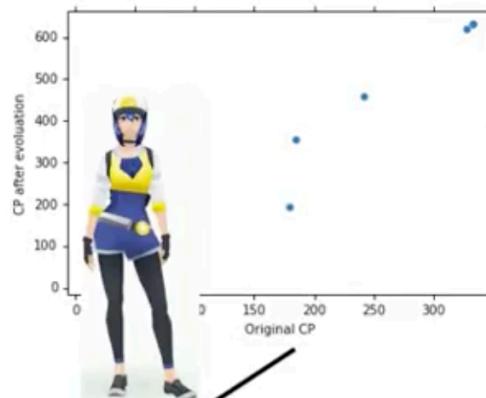
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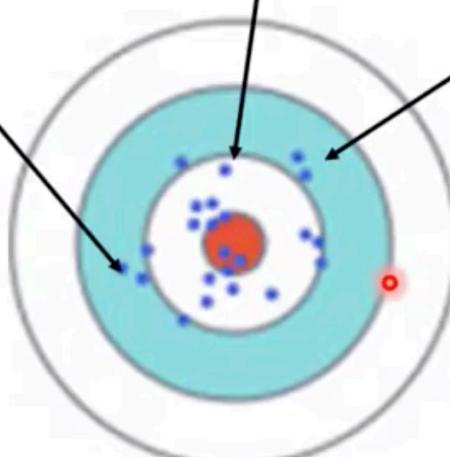
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$$E[f^*] = \hat{f}$$



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An idea:

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But how to create different datasets?

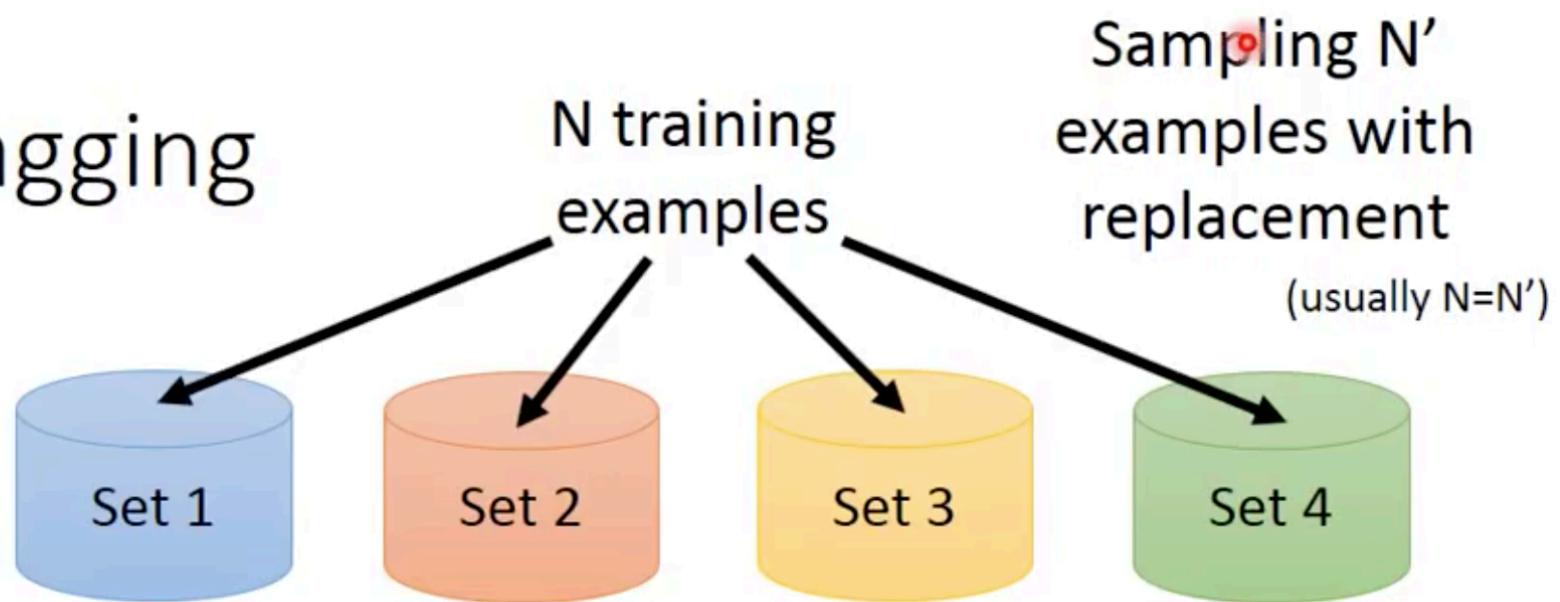
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N training
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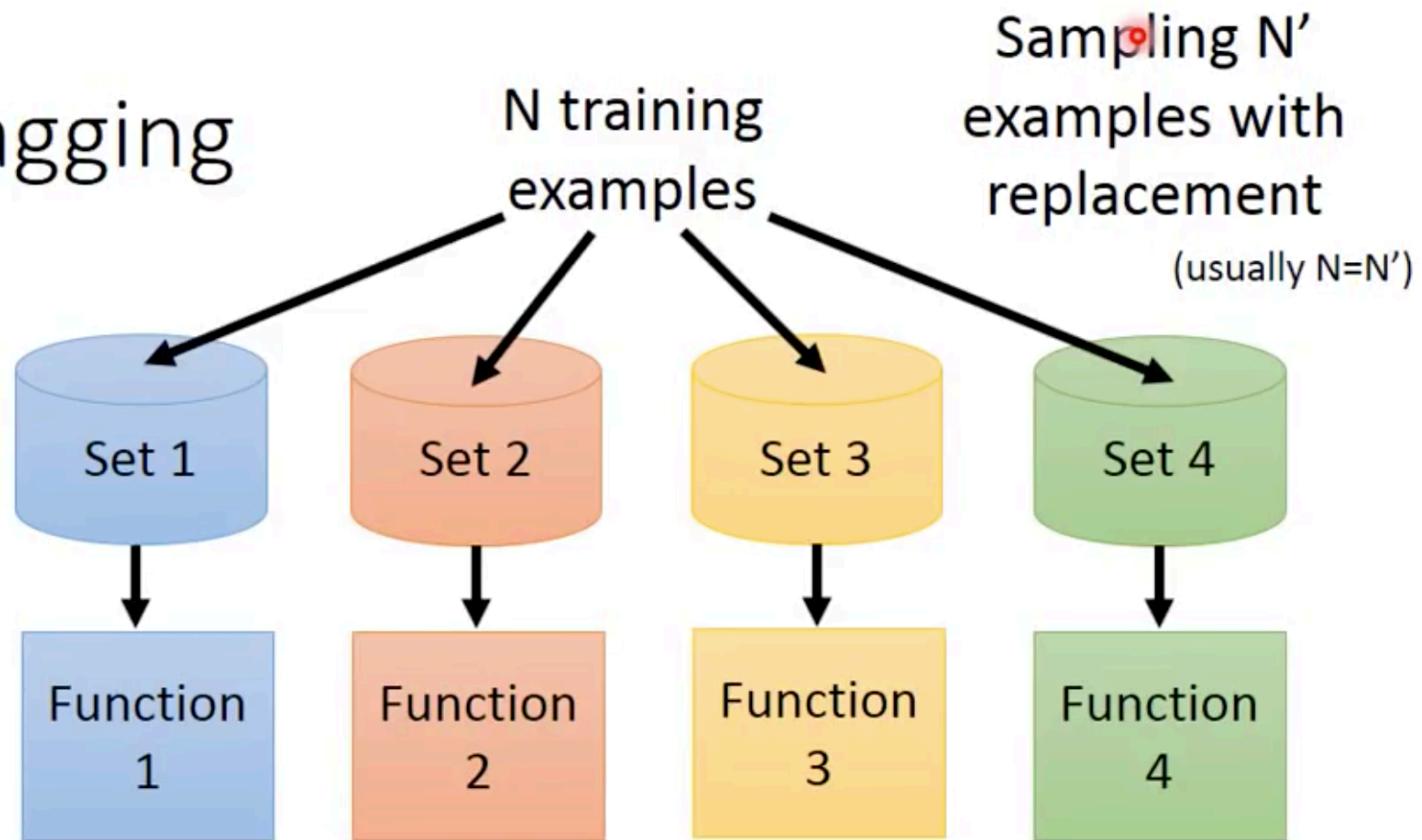
Sampling N'
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(usually $N=N'$)

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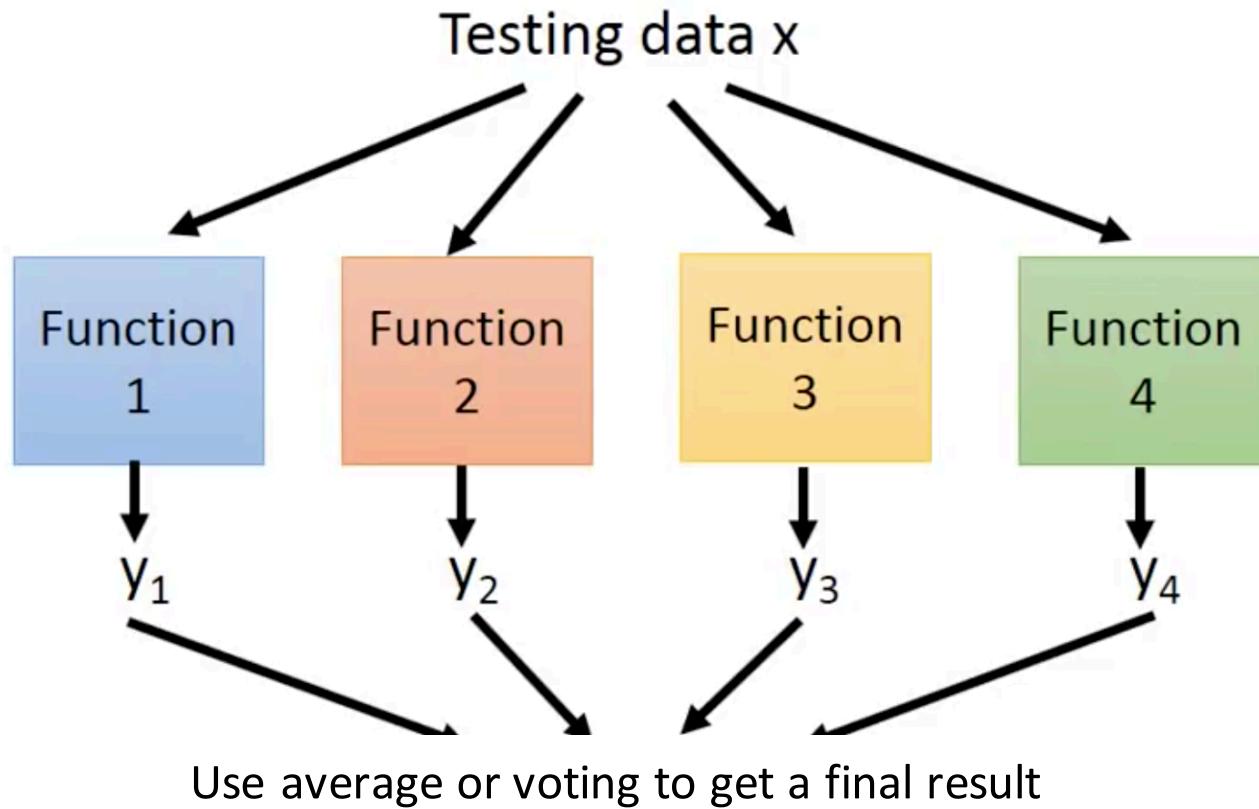


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Use a complex model to train 4 classification functions for the 4 datasets.

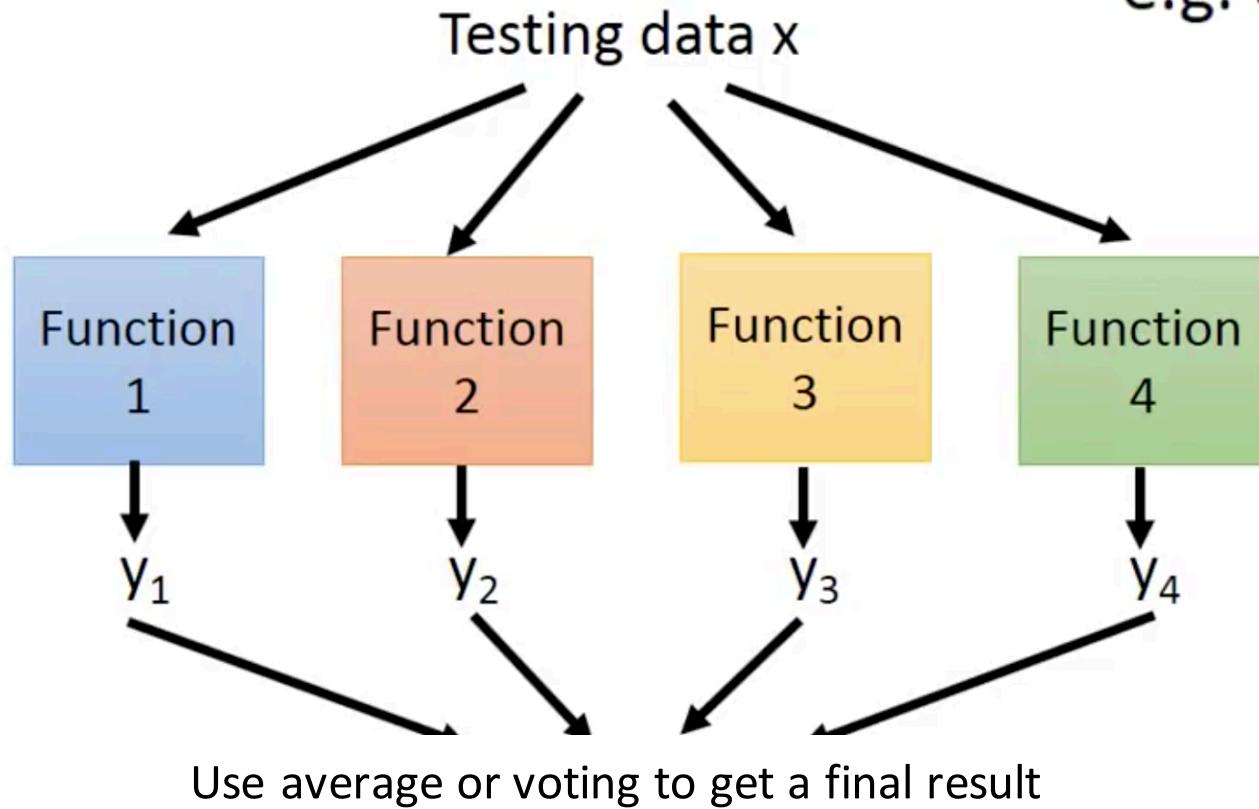
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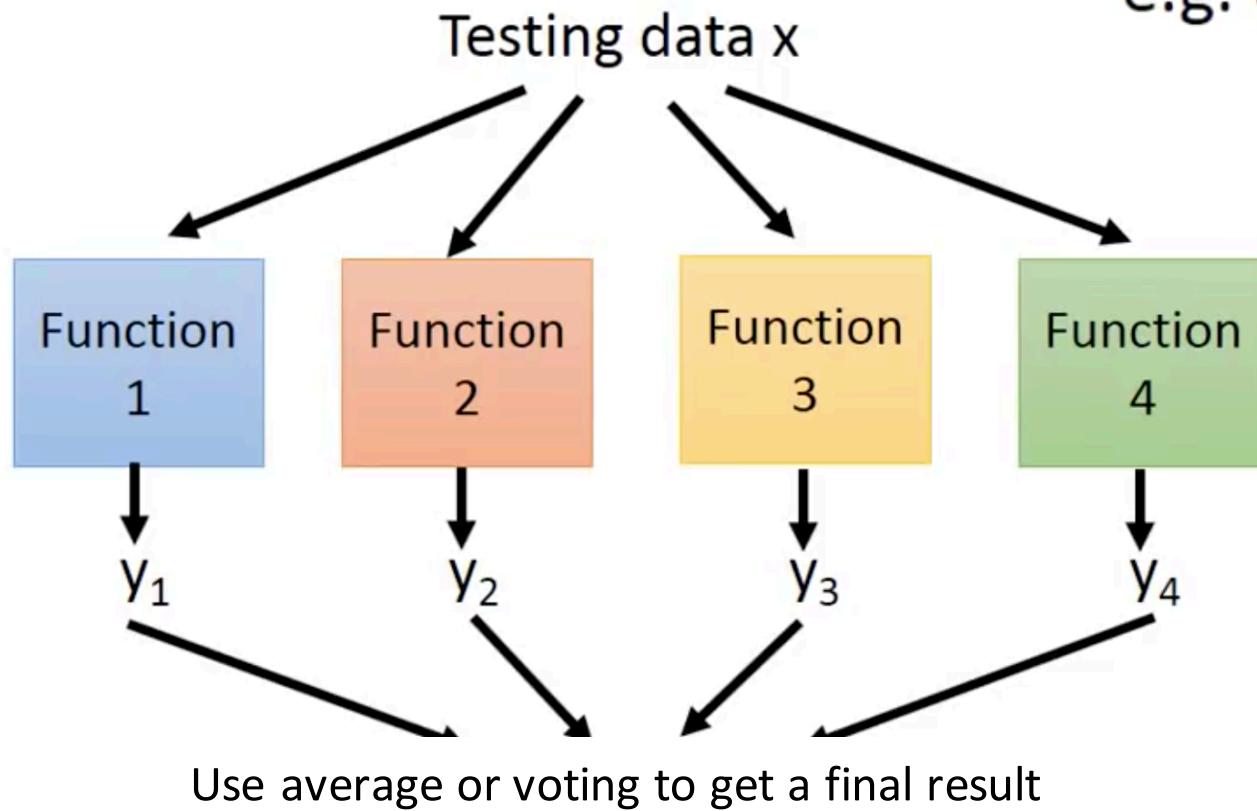
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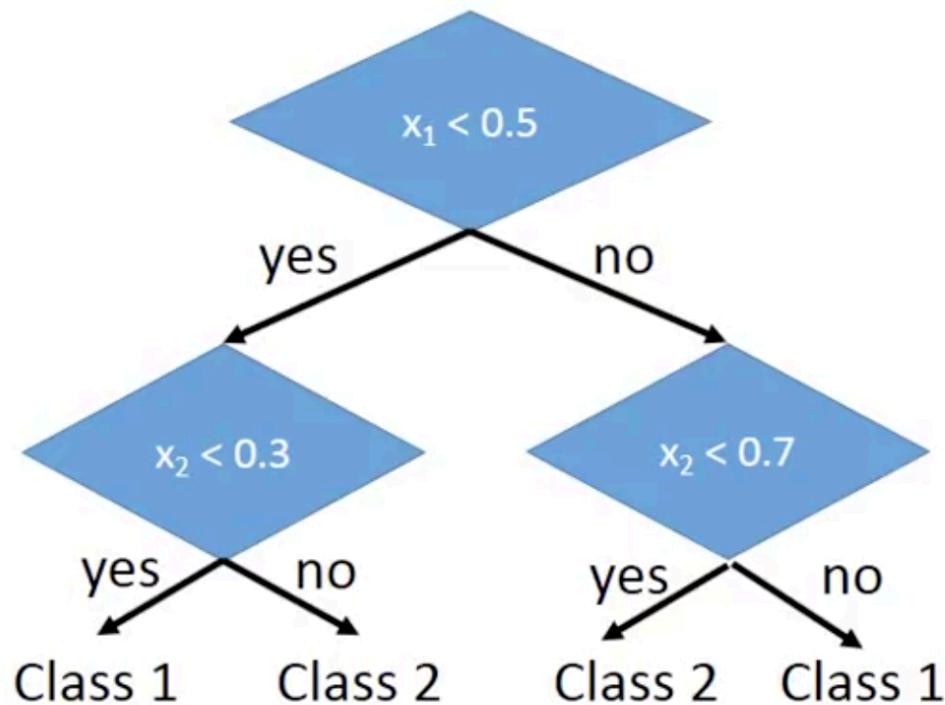


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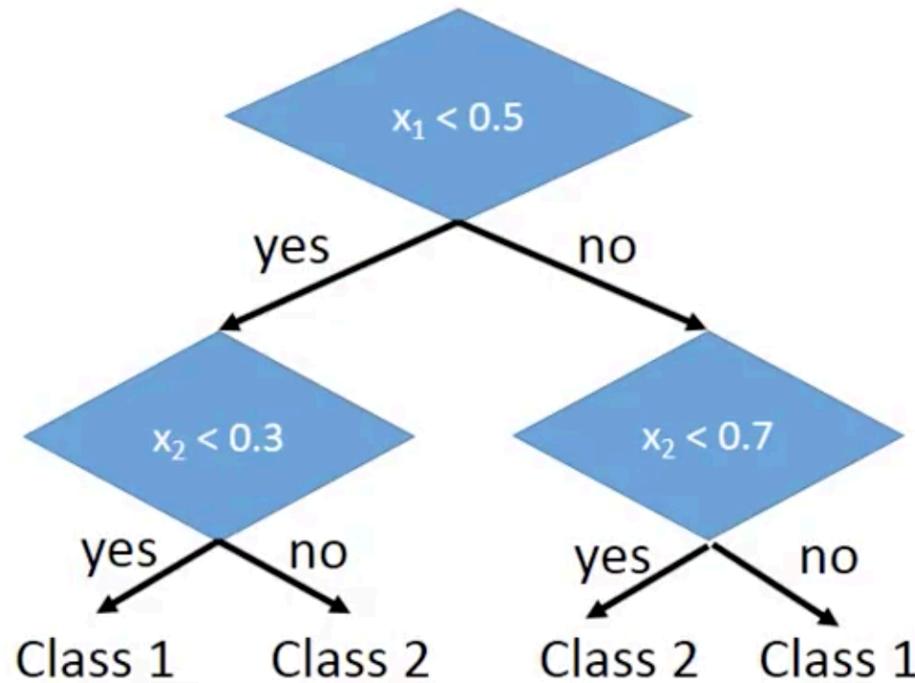
The famous “Random Forest” method: Decision trees with bagging.

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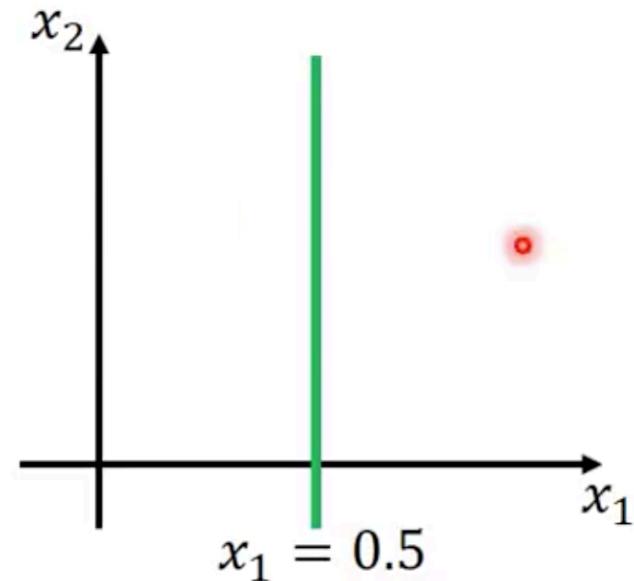
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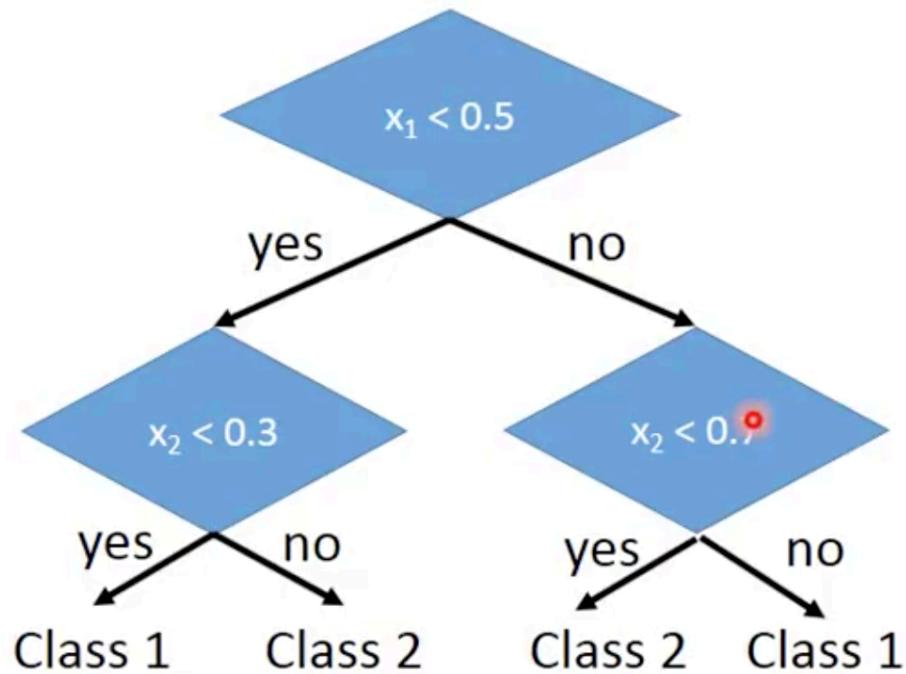
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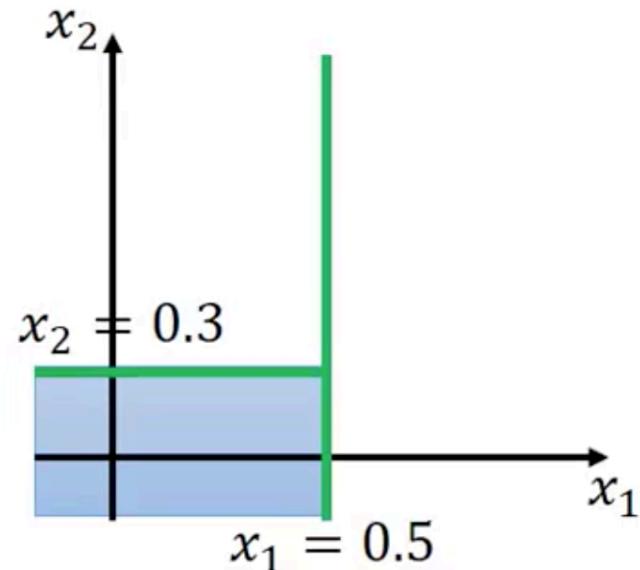
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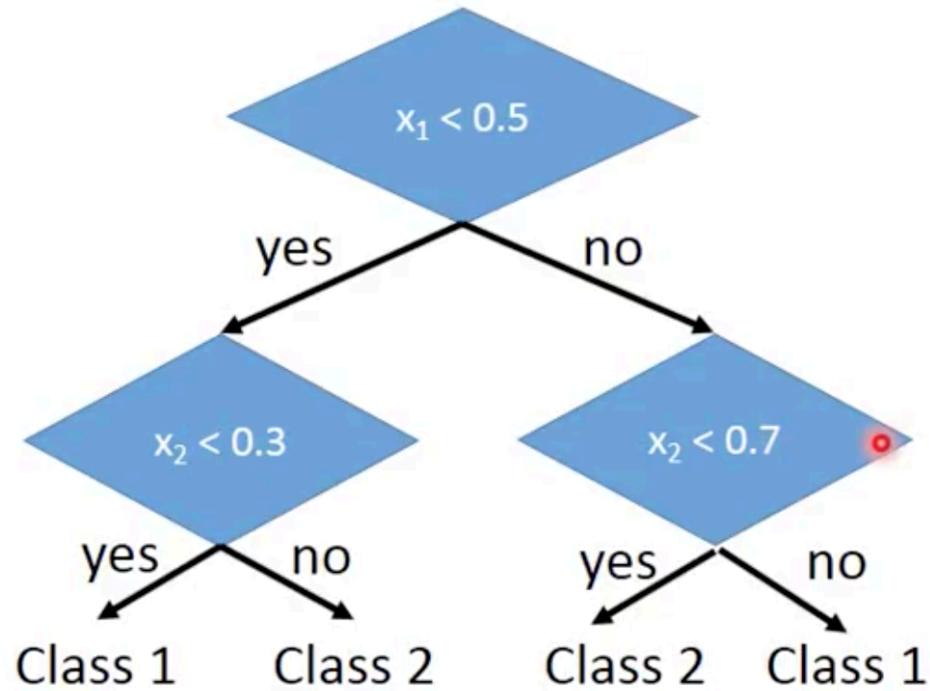
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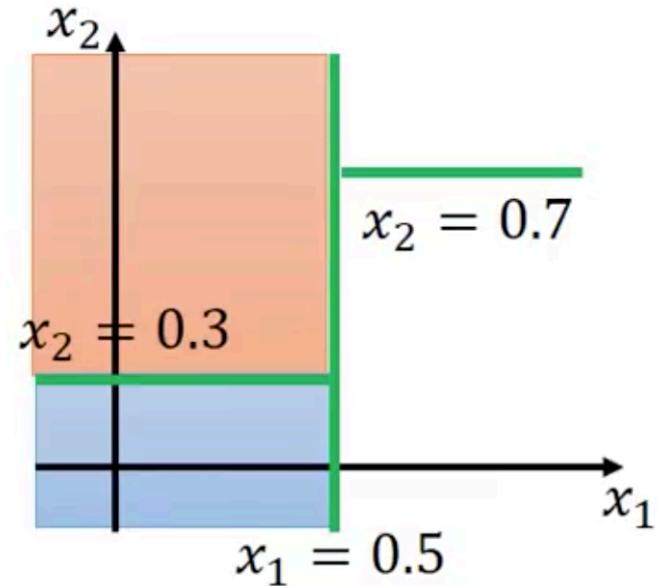
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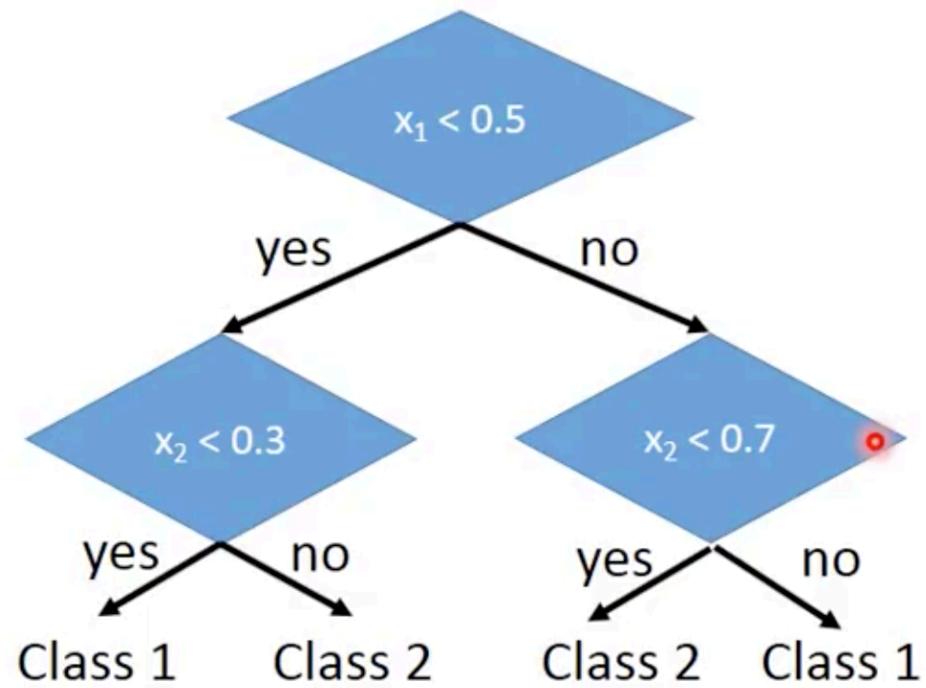
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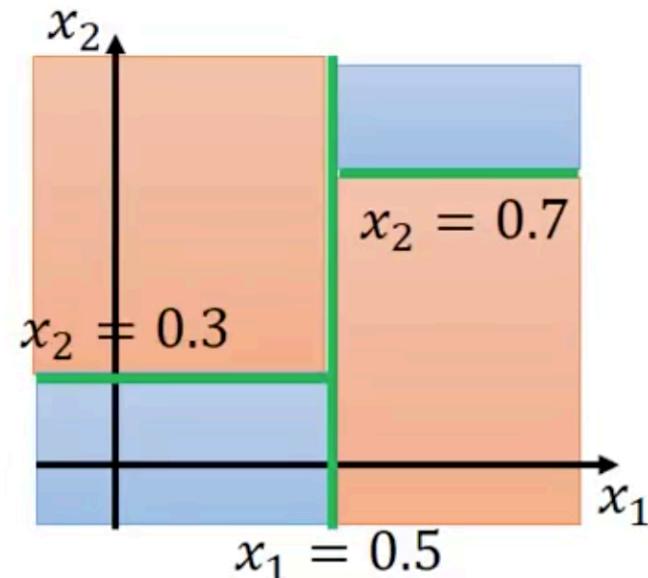
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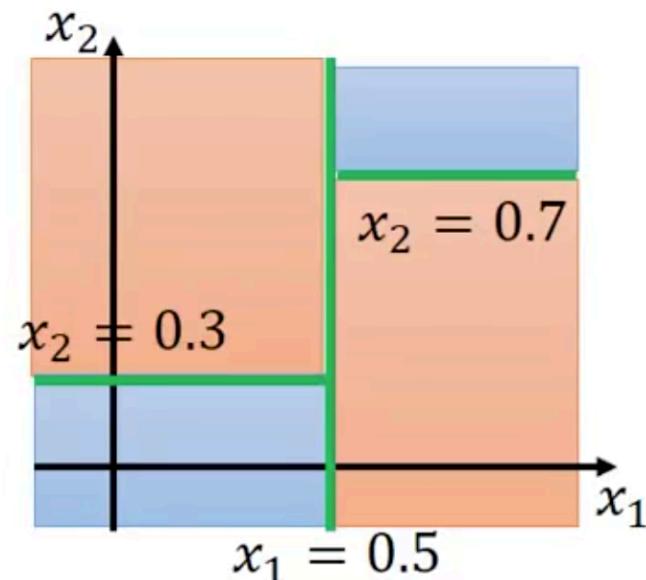
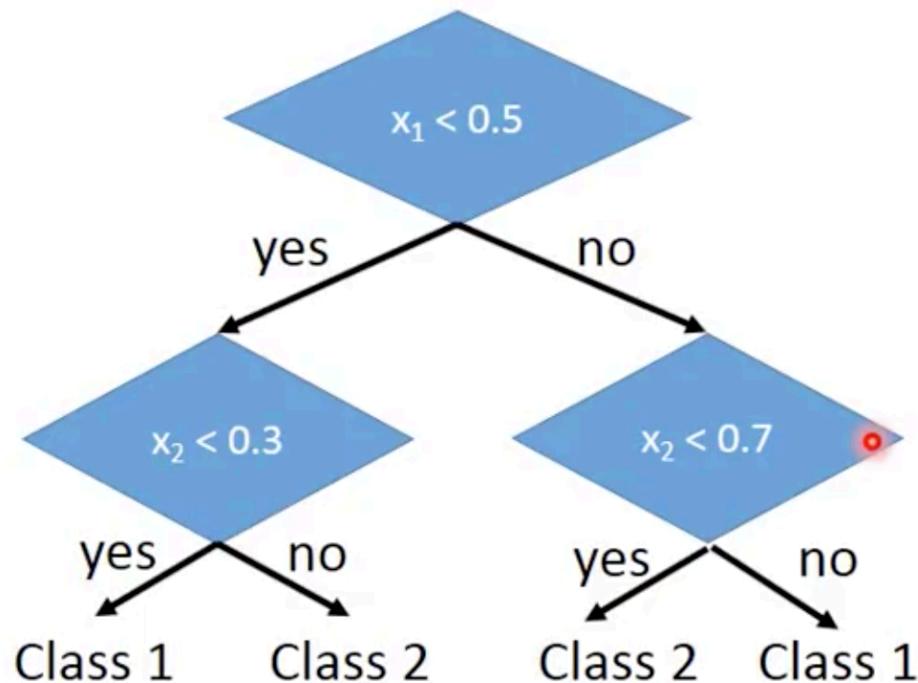


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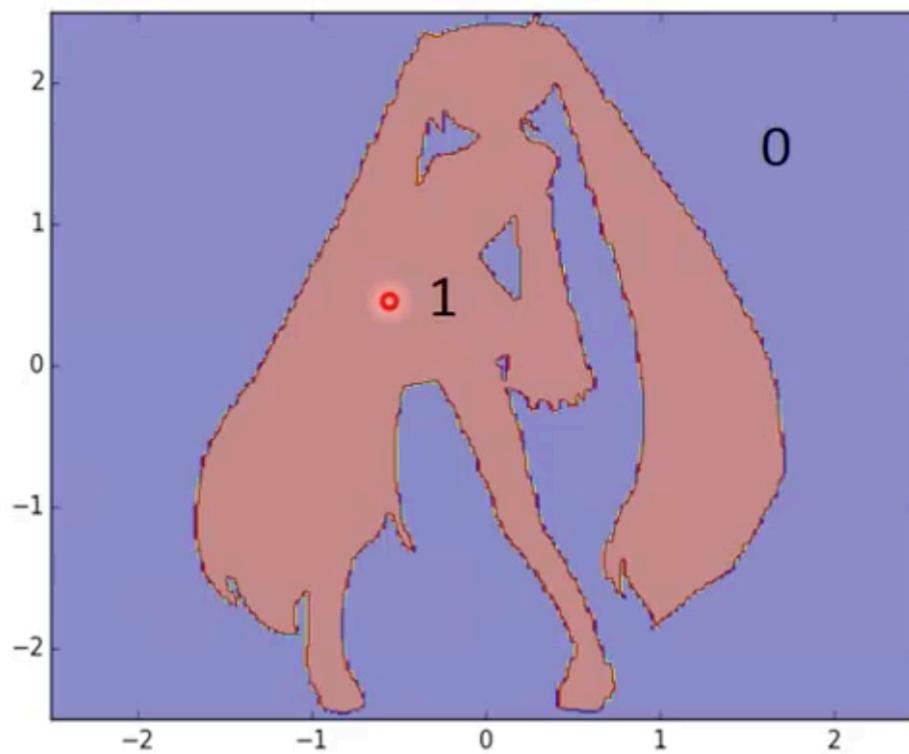
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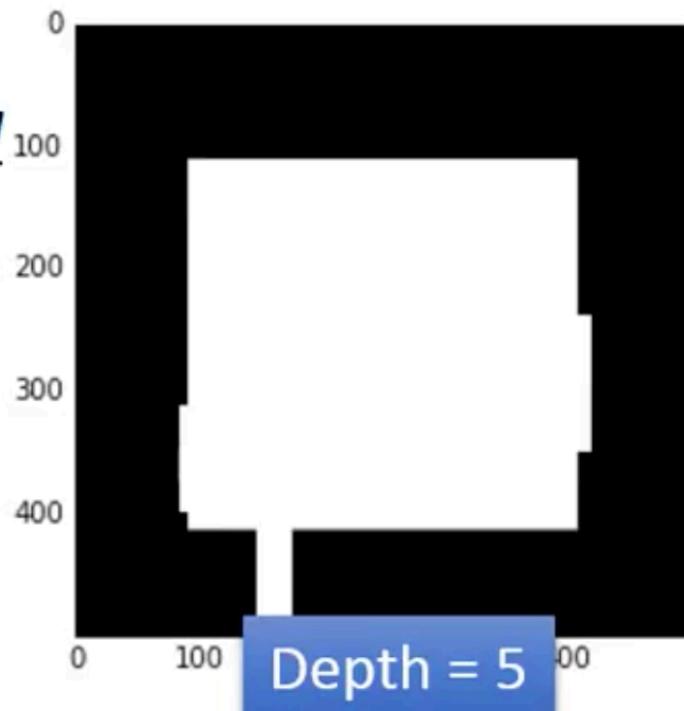
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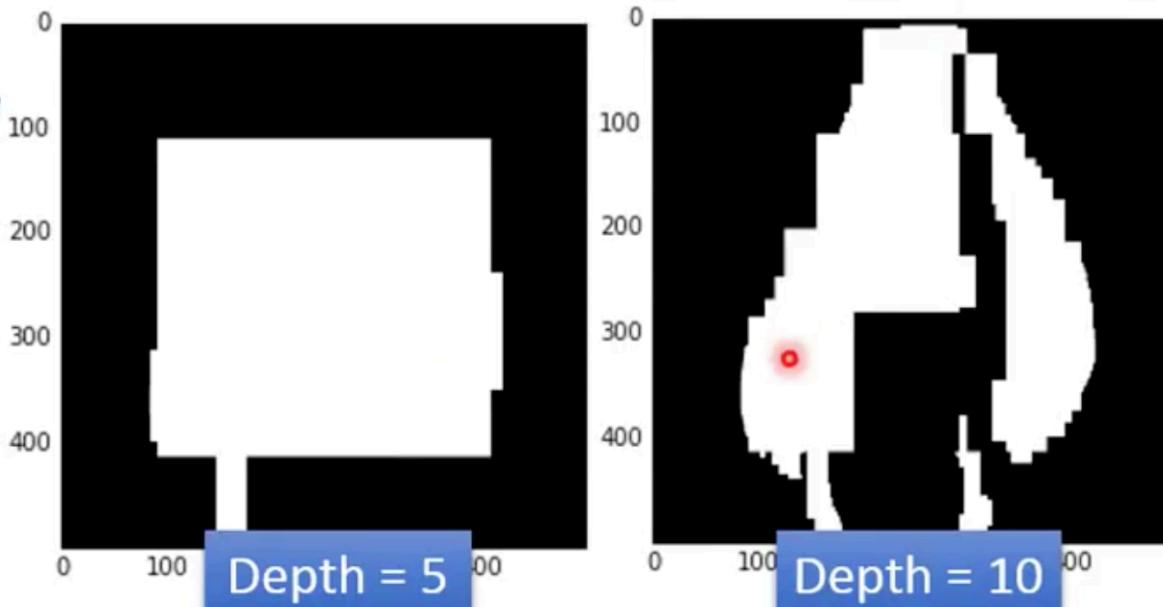
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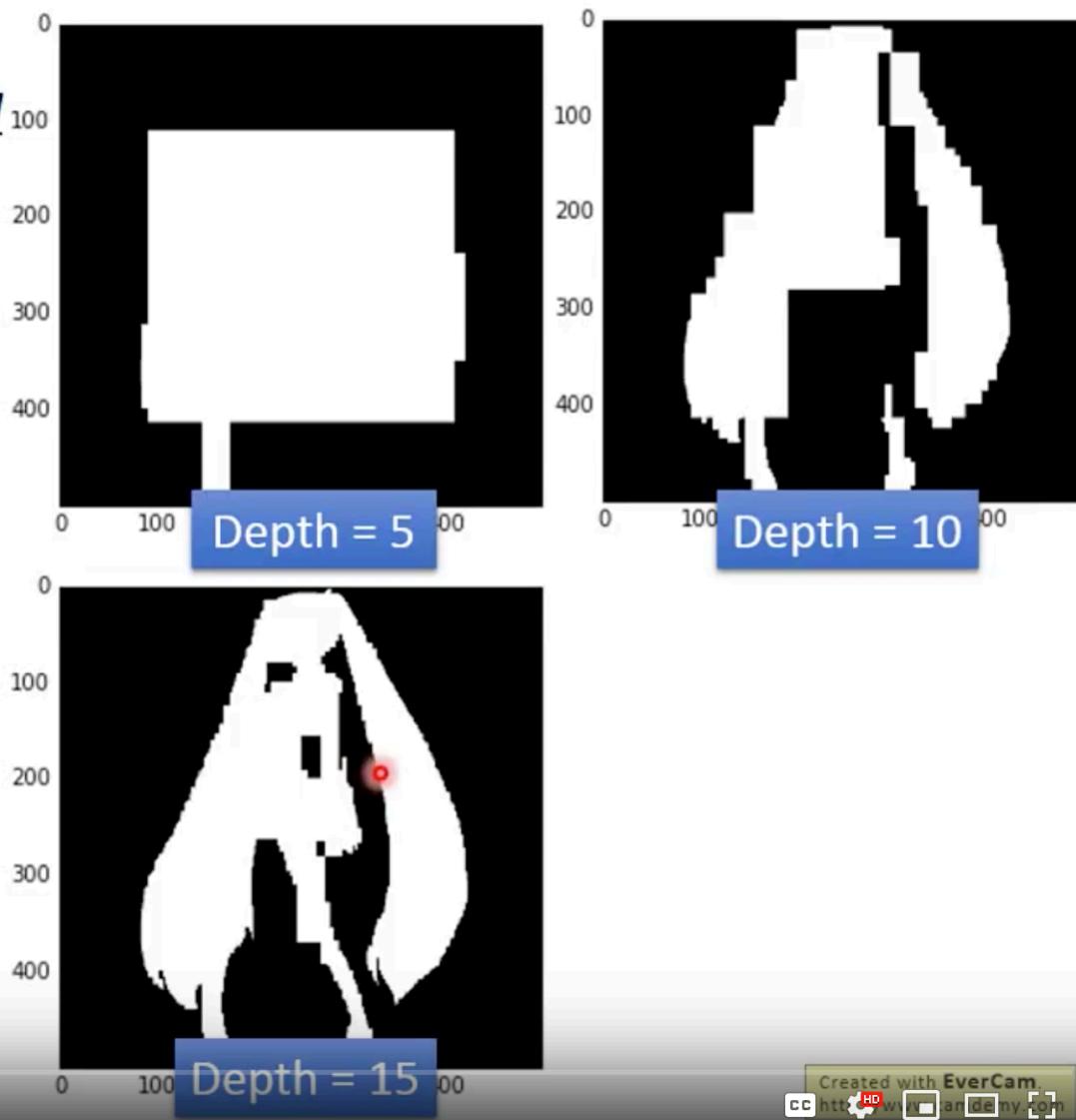
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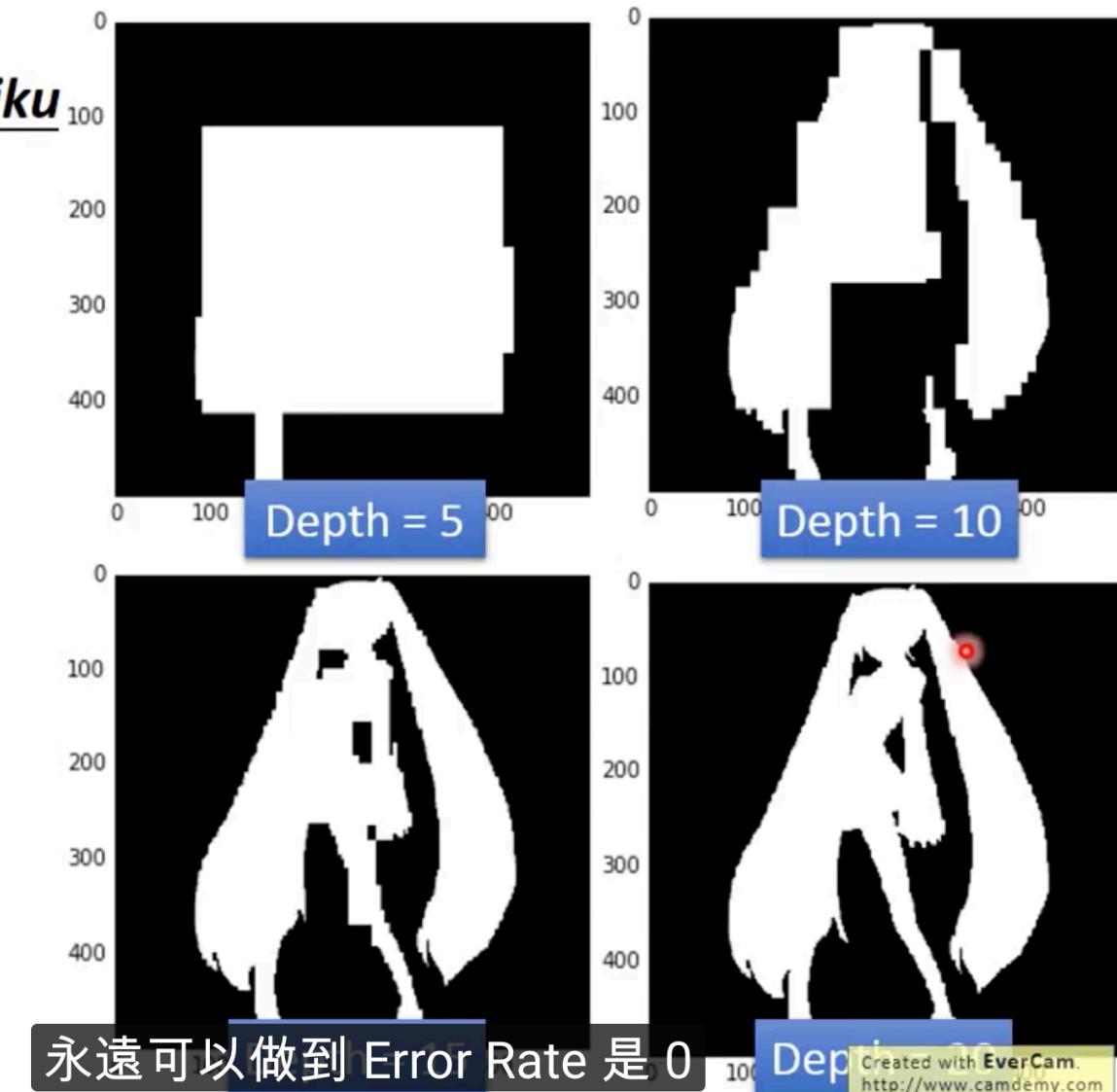
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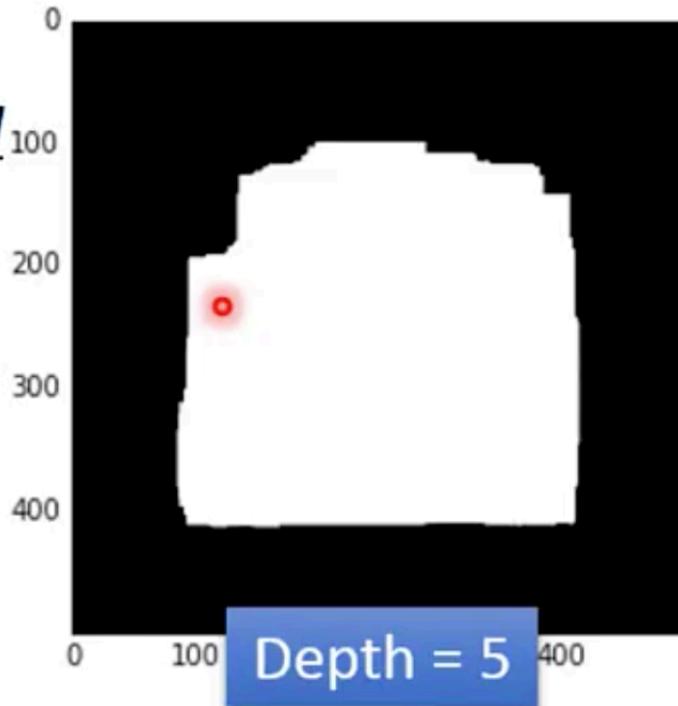
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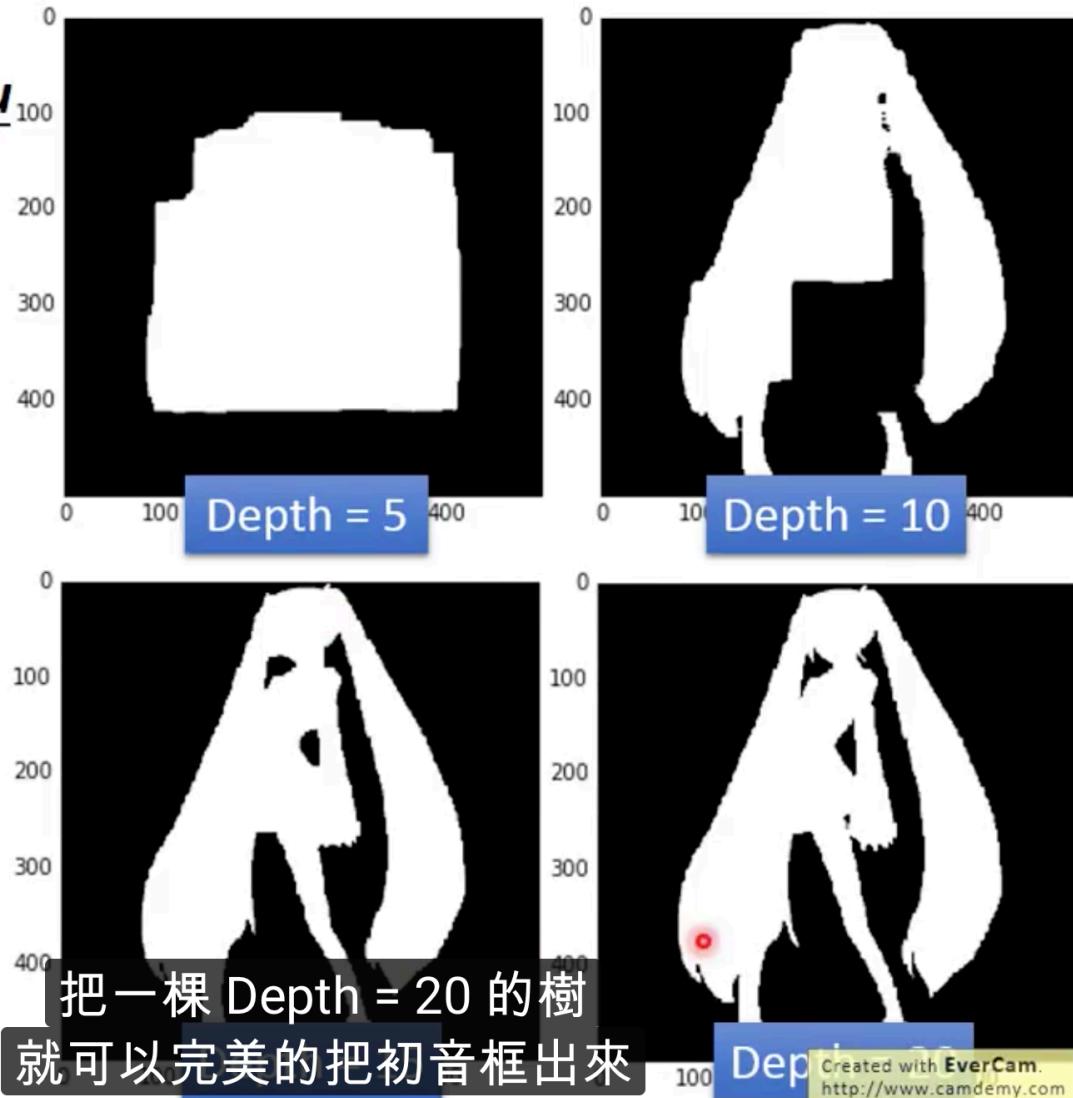
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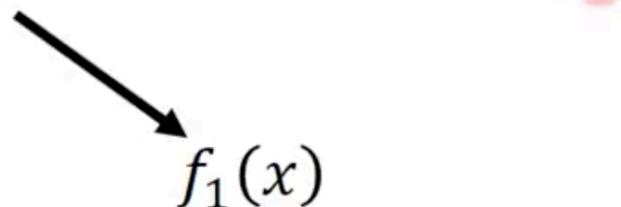
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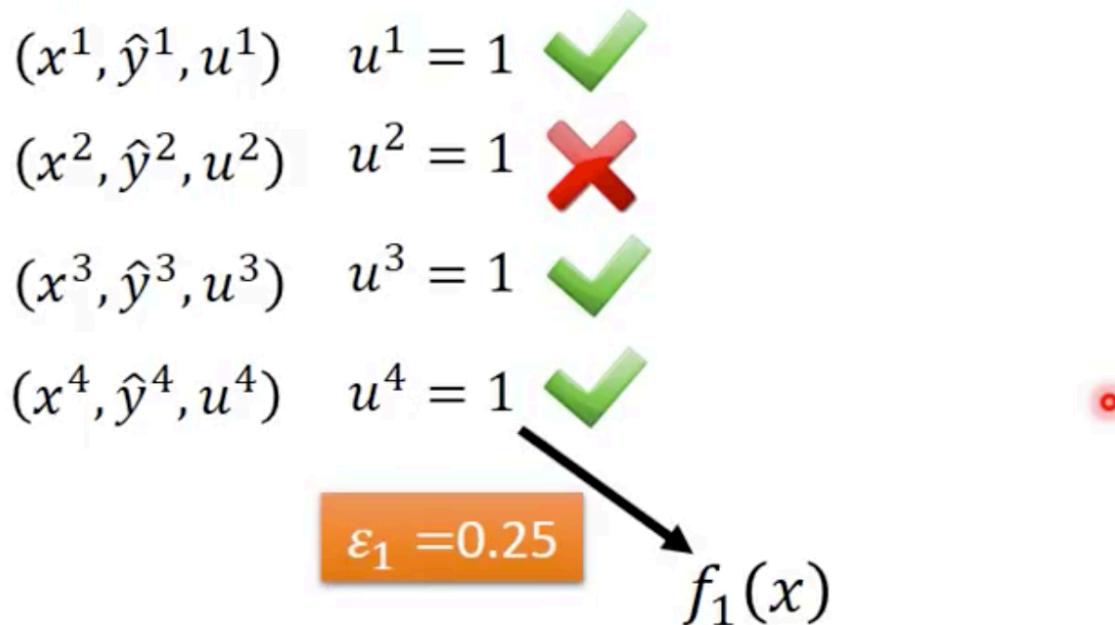
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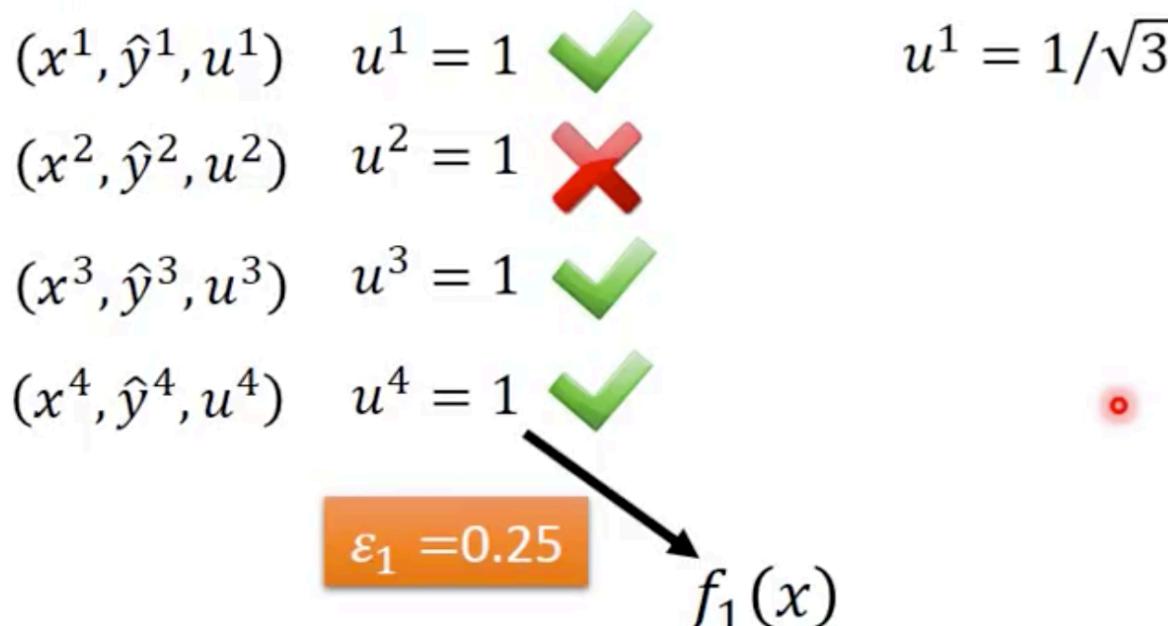
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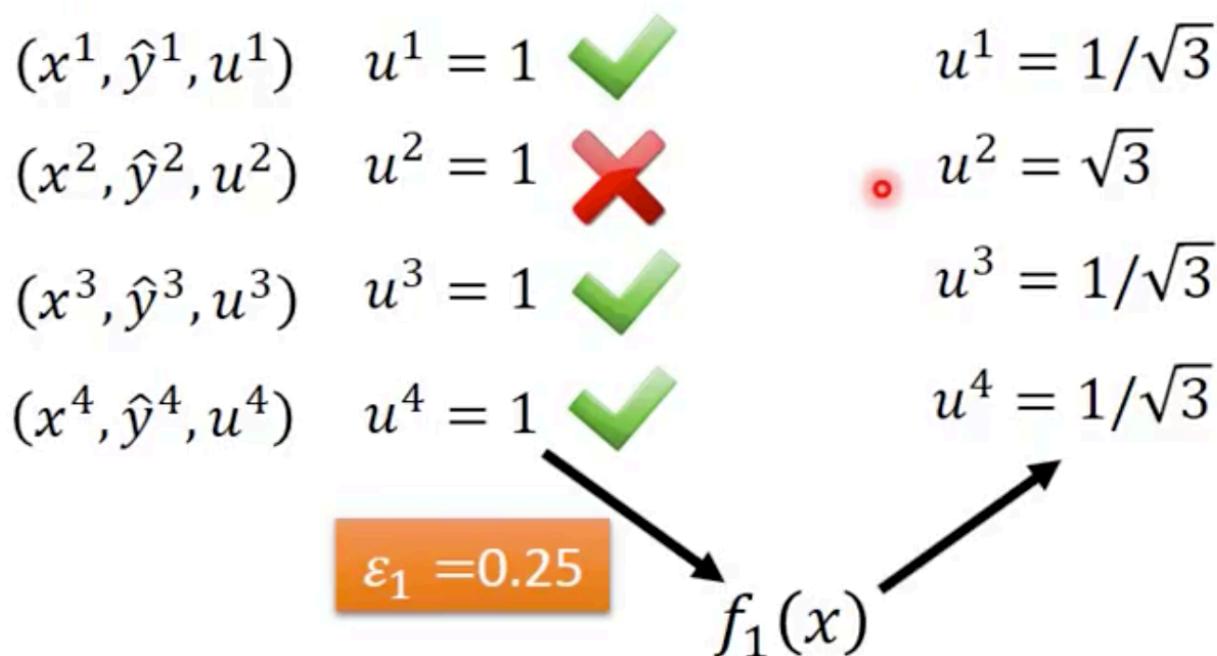
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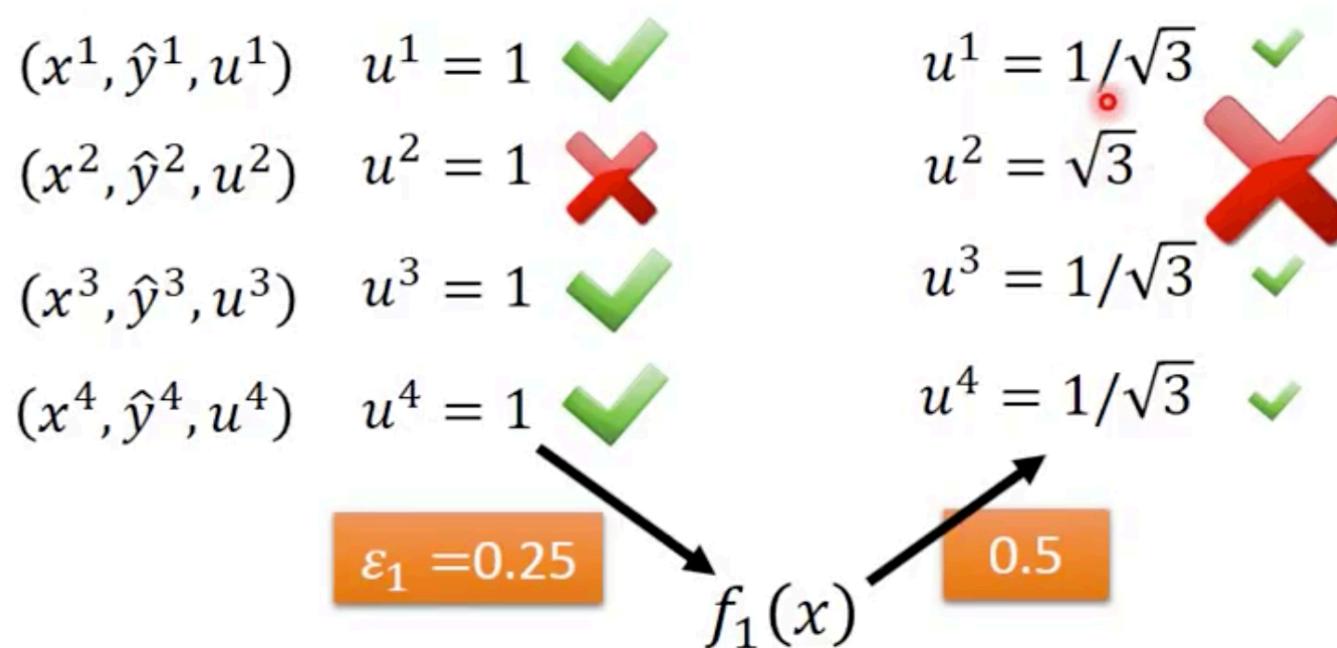
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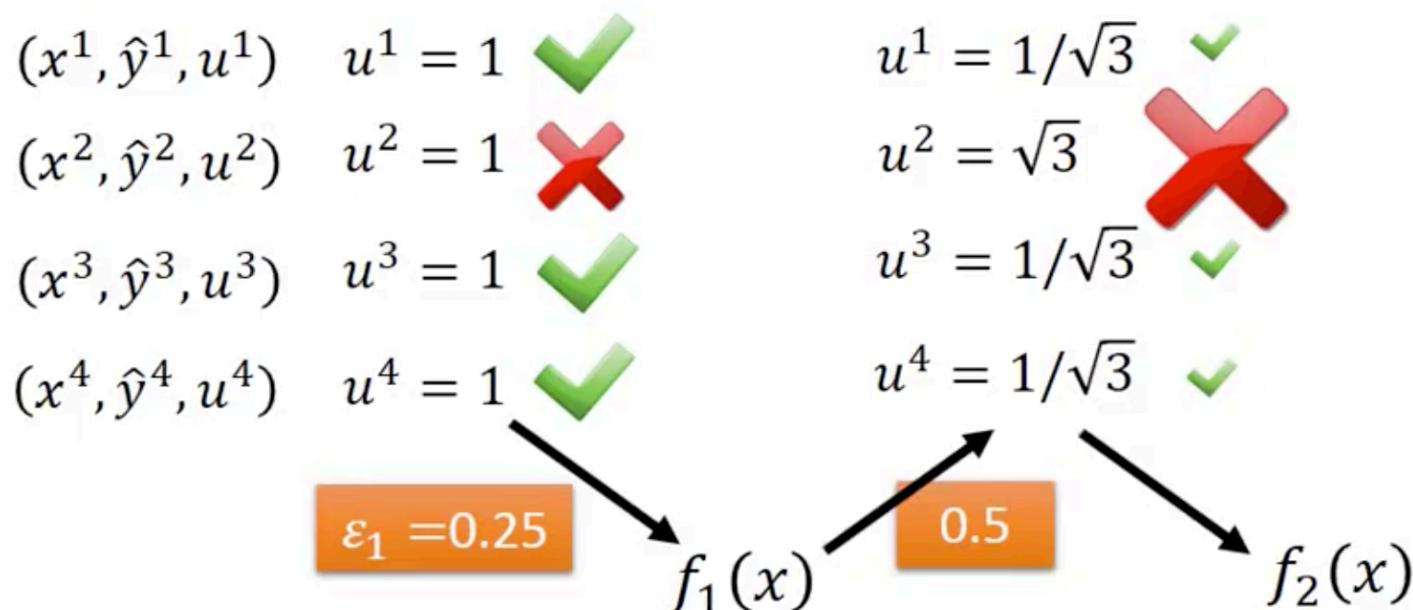
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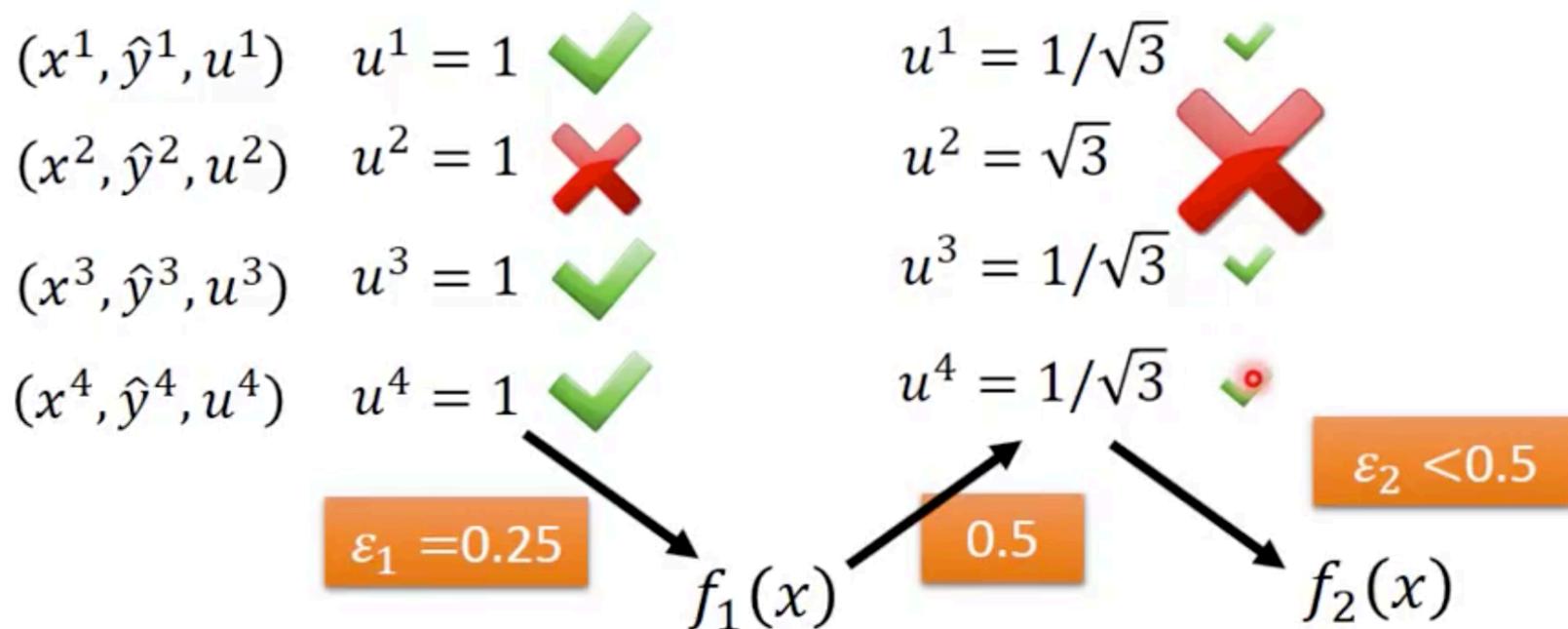
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(Blue arrow points from the Z_1 term in the first equation to the Z_2 term in this equation.)

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然后把分子和分母倒过来

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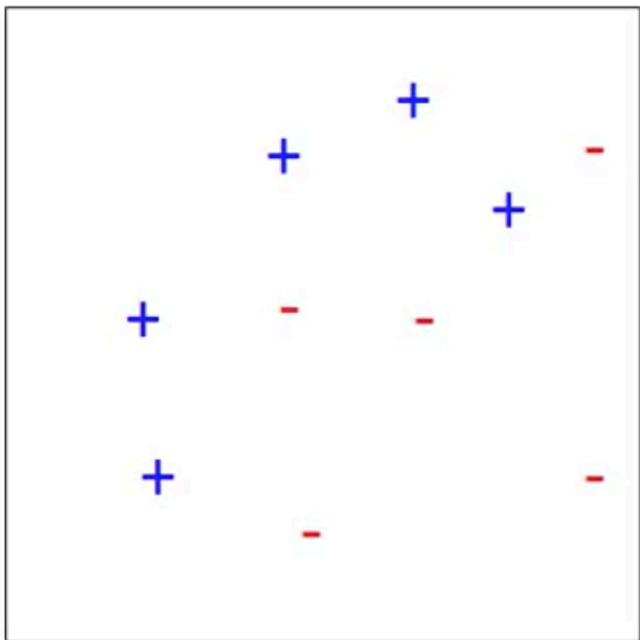
Smaller error ε_t ,
larger weight for
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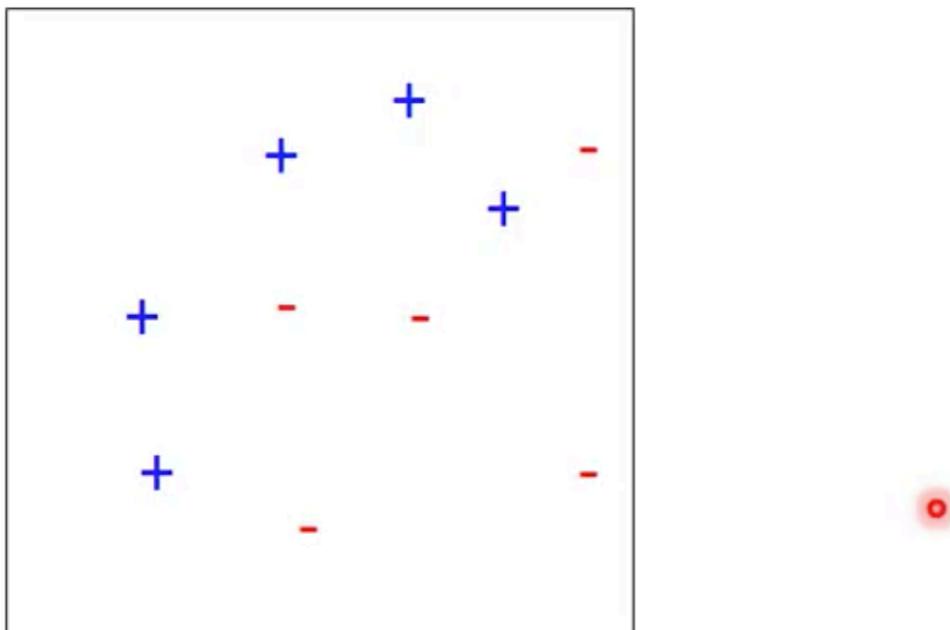


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$T=3$, weak classifier = decision stump

Make a cut along a dimension

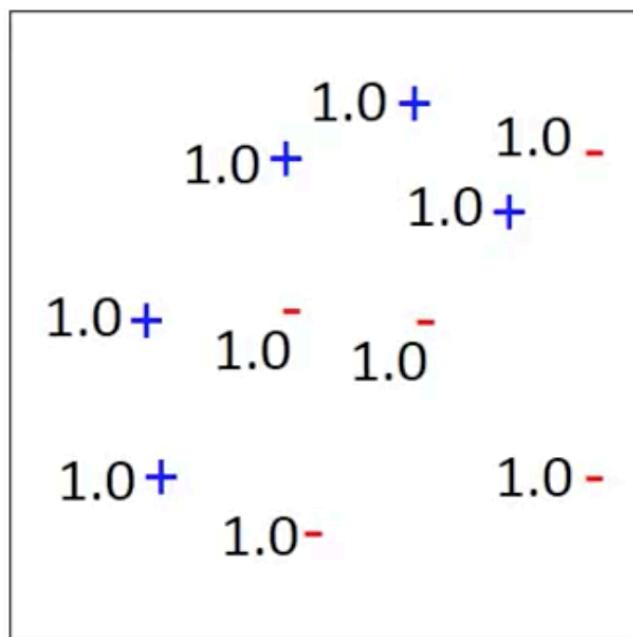
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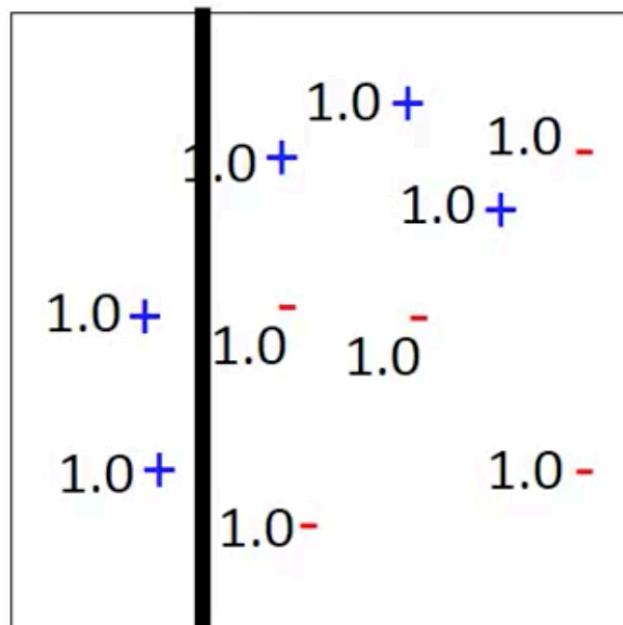
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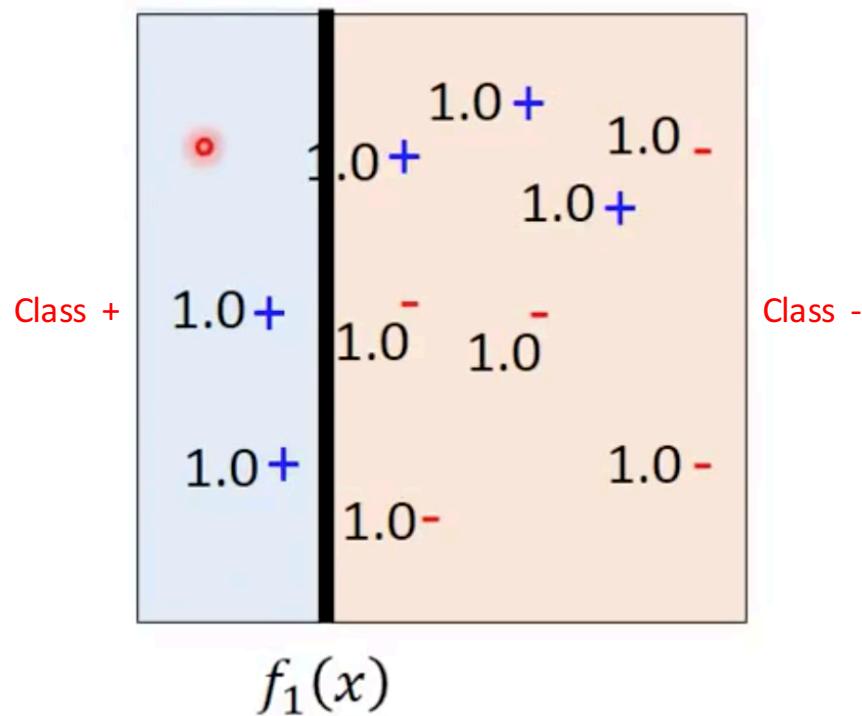


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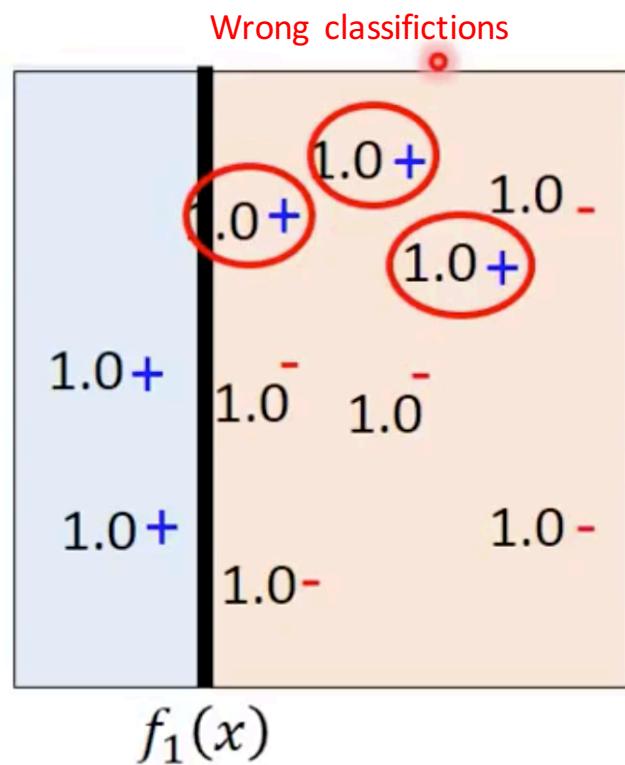
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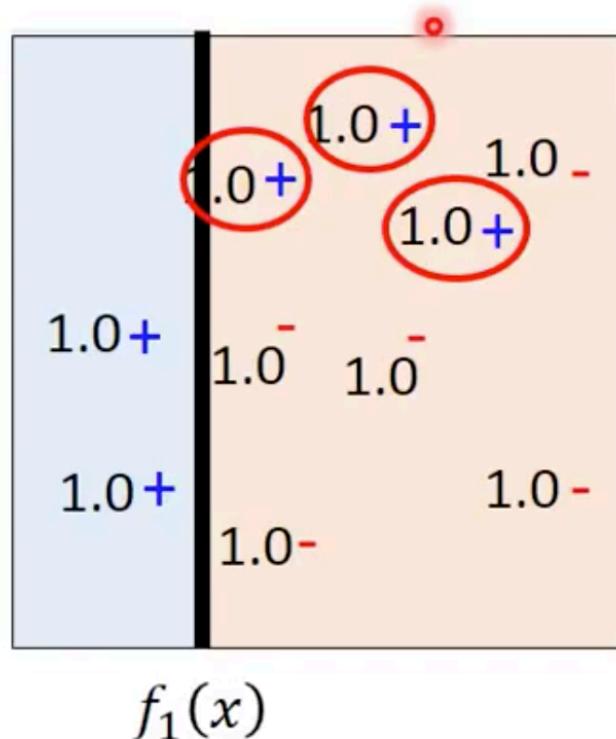
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$$\varepsilon_1 = 0.30$$

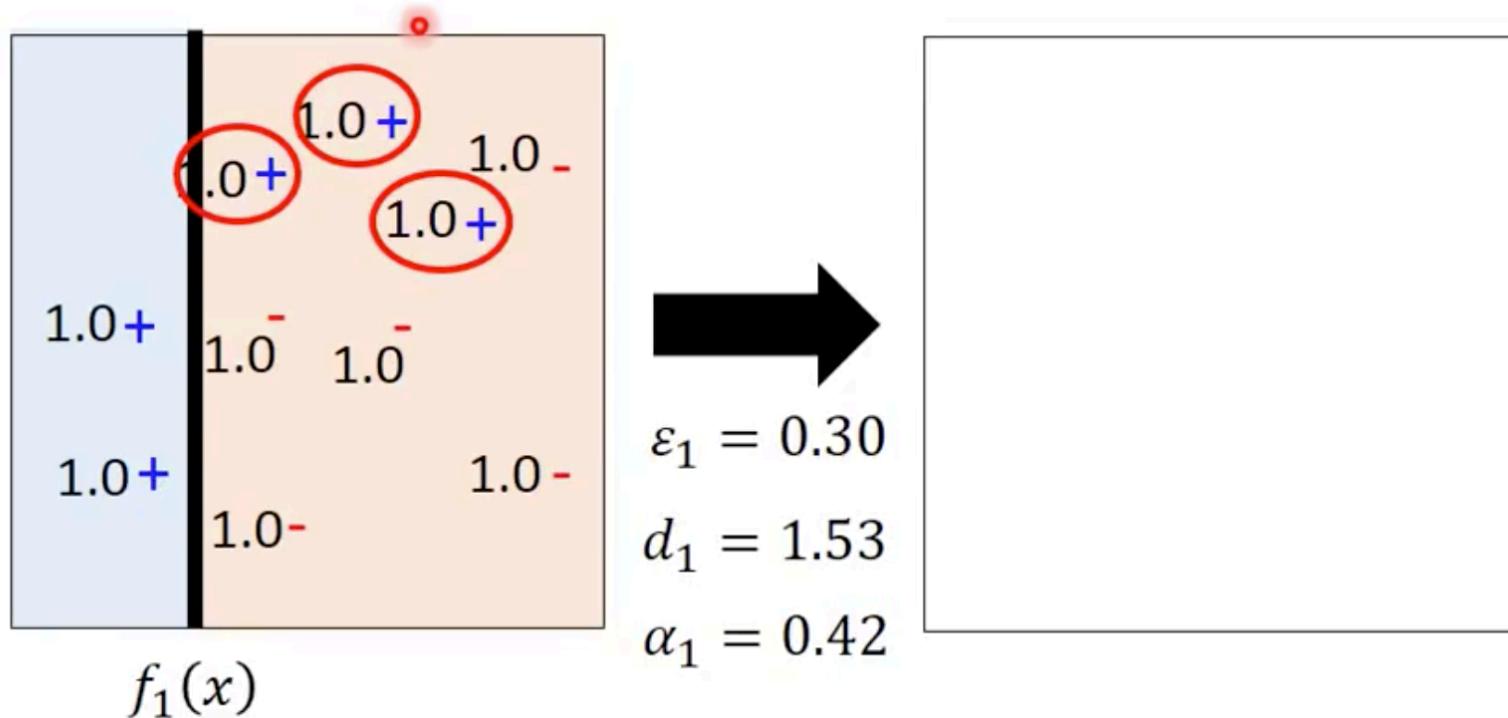
$$d_1 = 1.53$$

$$\alpha_1 = 0.42$$

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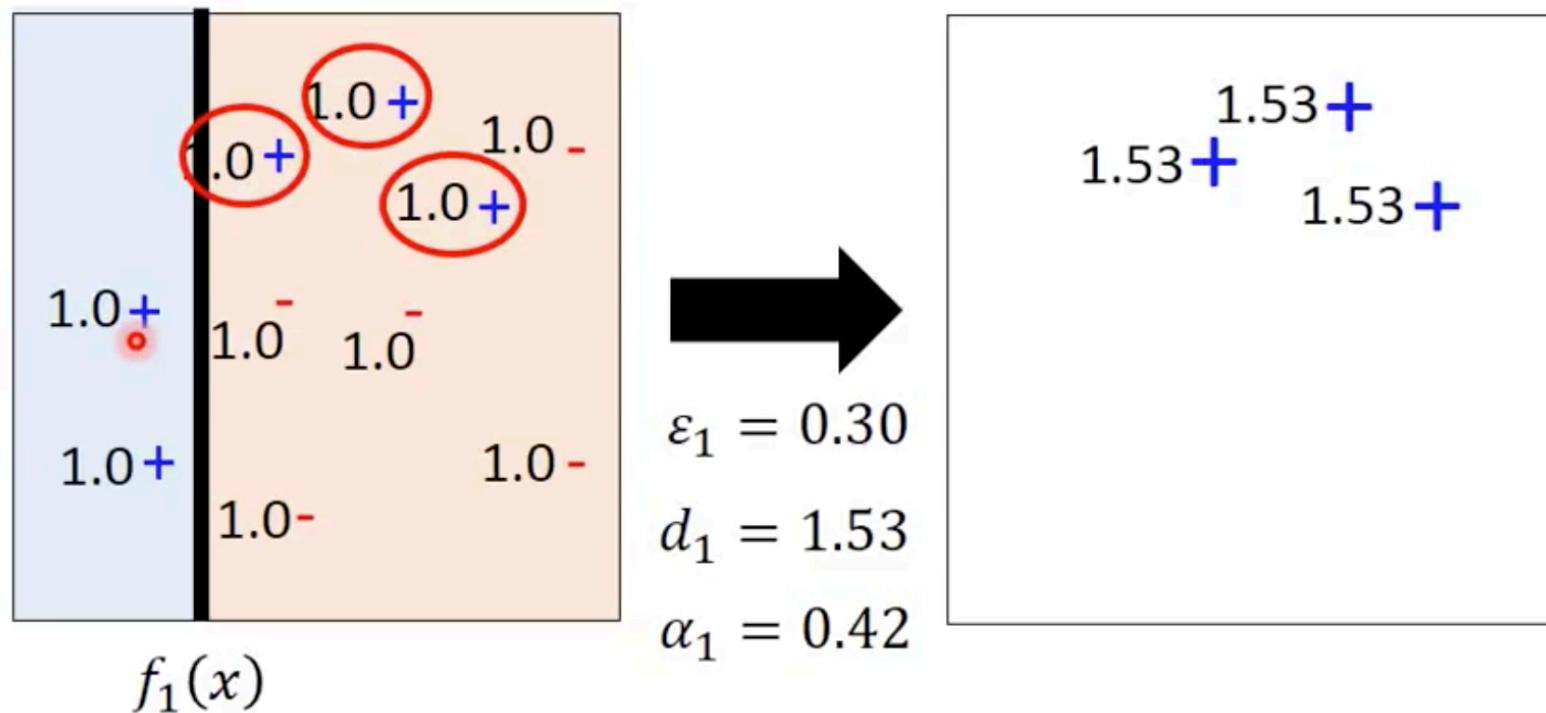
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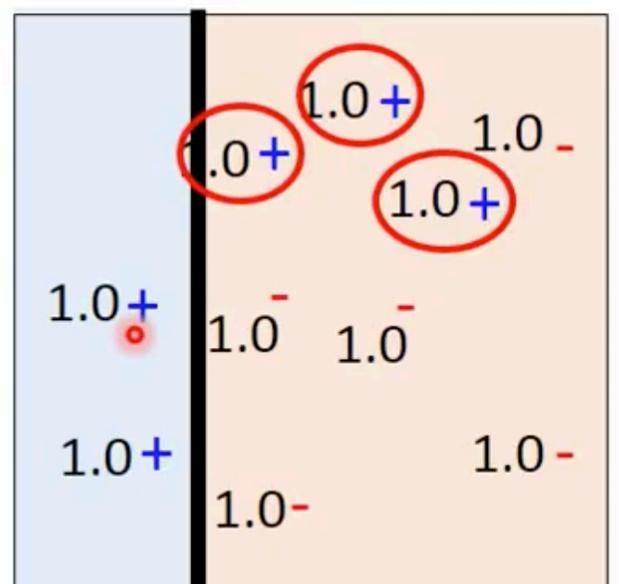
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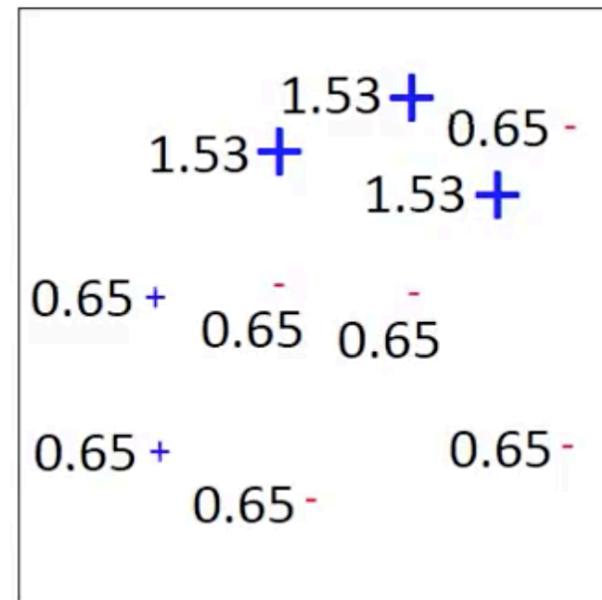
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$f_1(x)$

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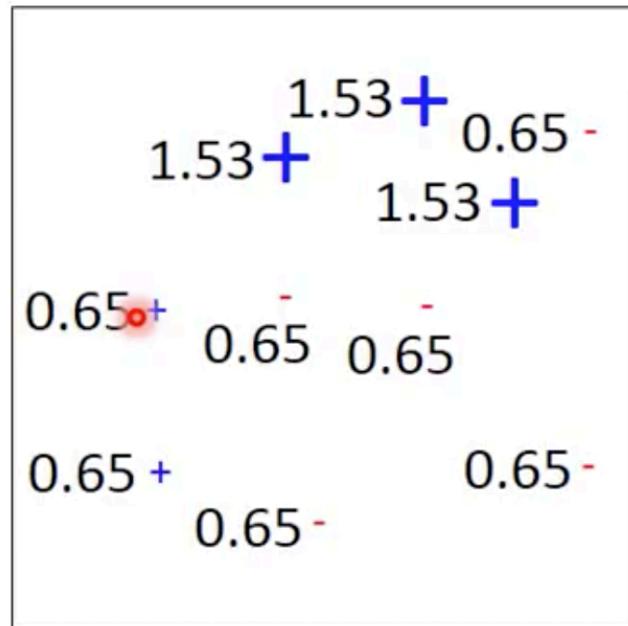
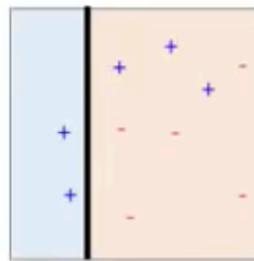
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- t=2

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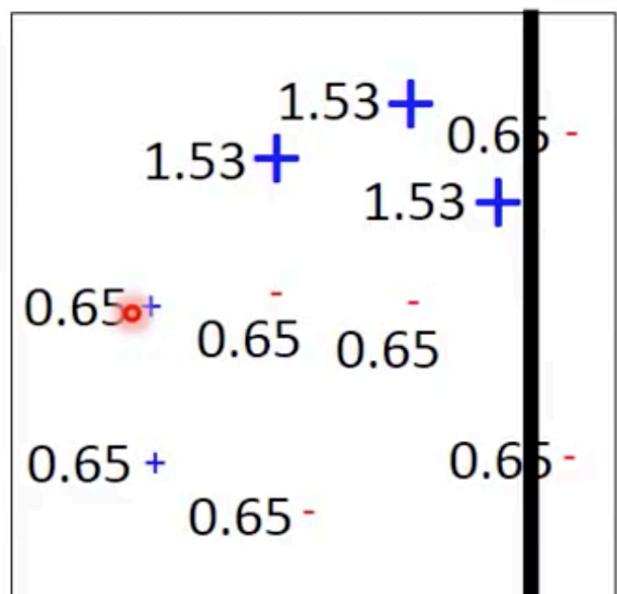
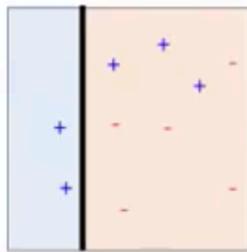
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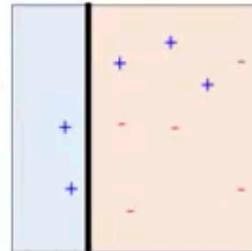
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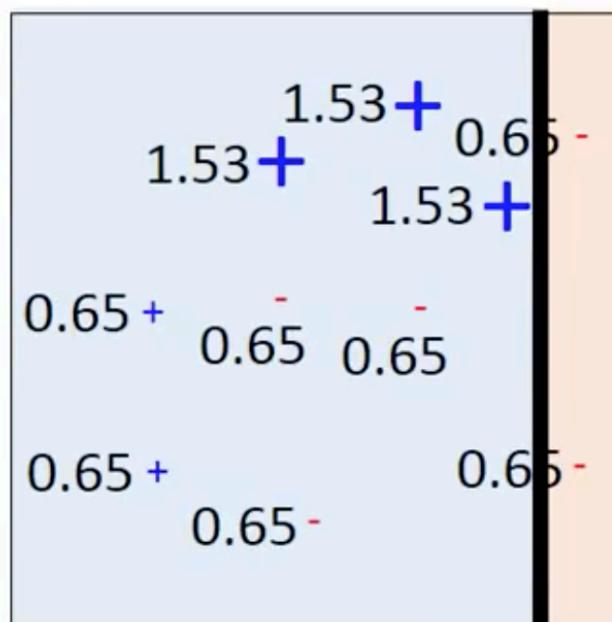
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$$f_2(x)$$



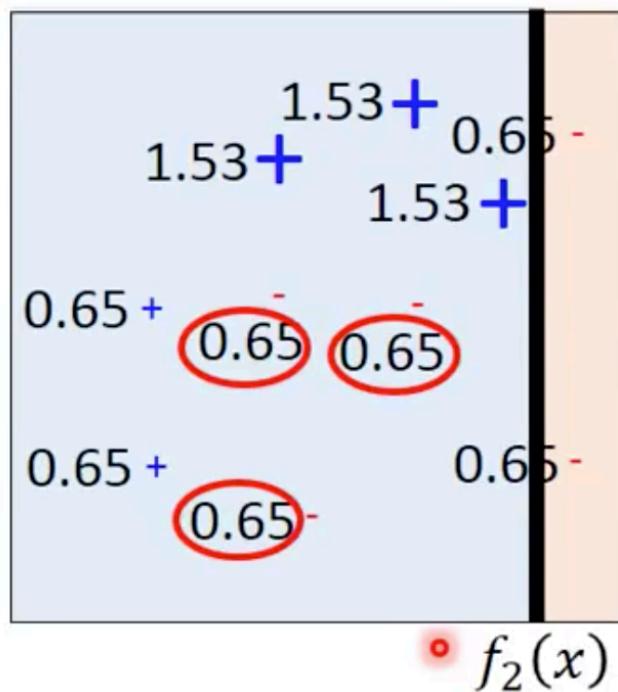
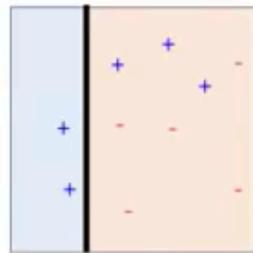
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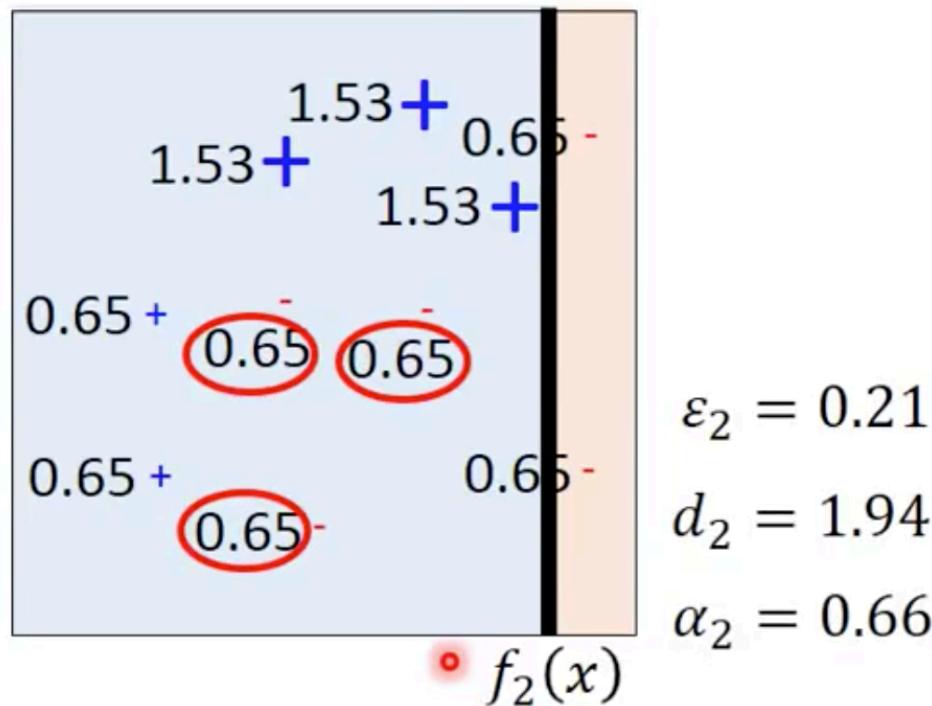
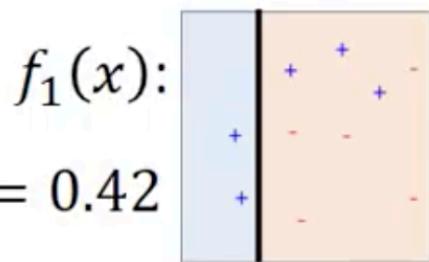


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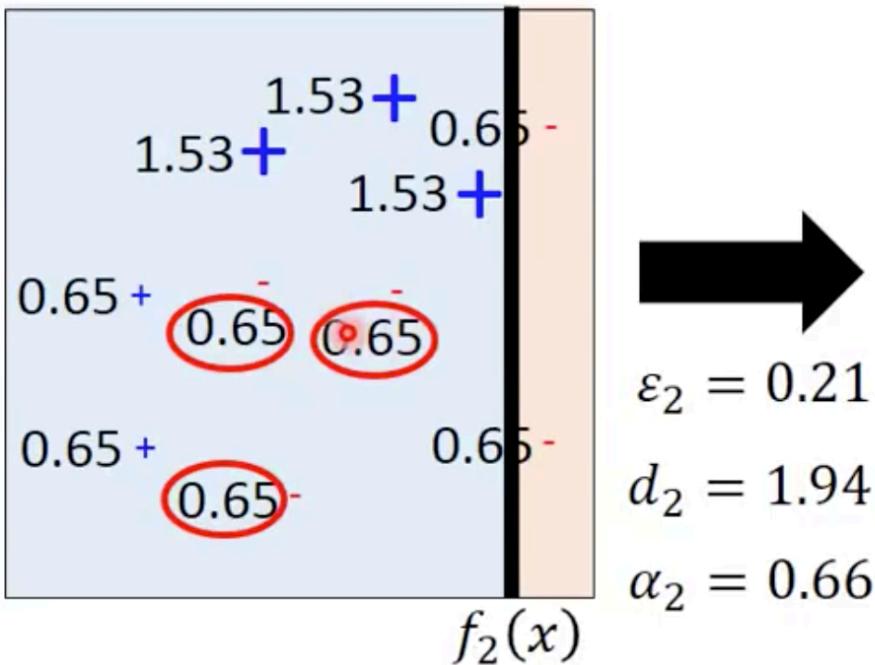
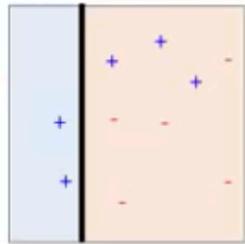
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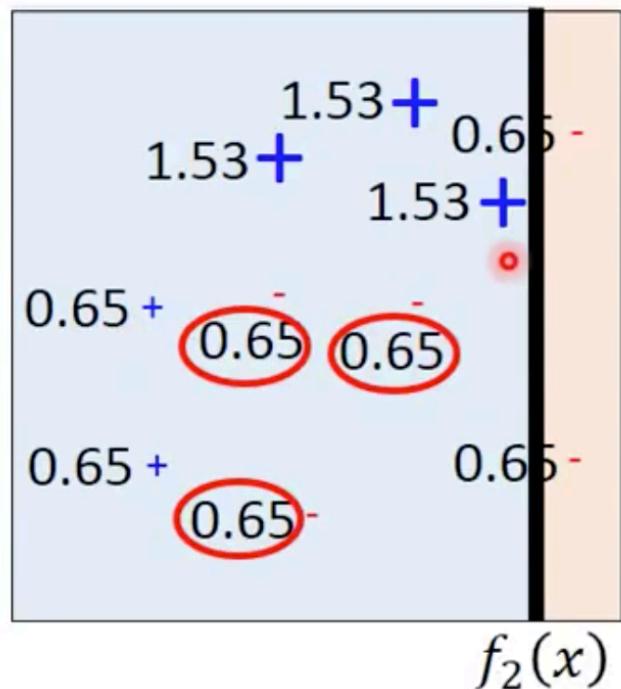
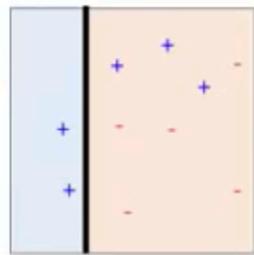
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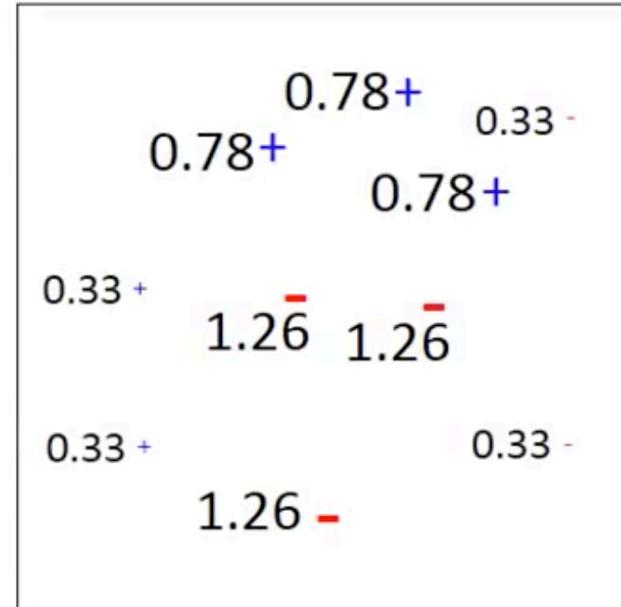


$$\varepsilon_2 = 0.21$$

$$d_2 = 1.94$$

$$\alpha_2 = 0.66$$

$$f_2(x)$$

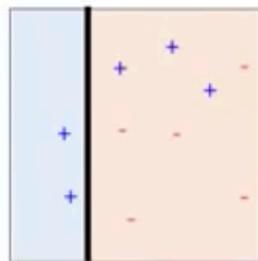


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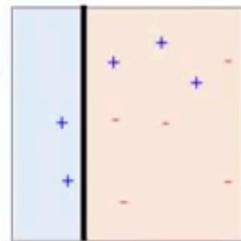


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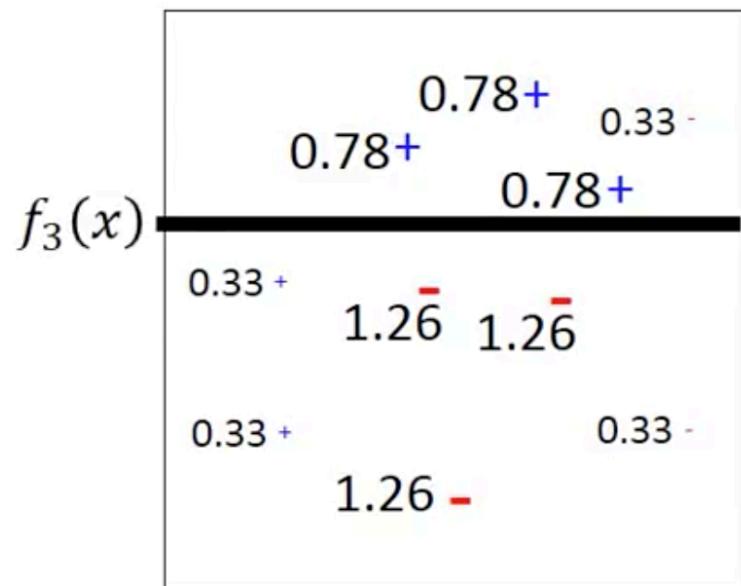
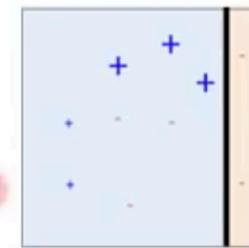
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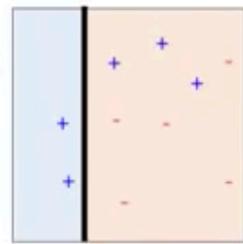


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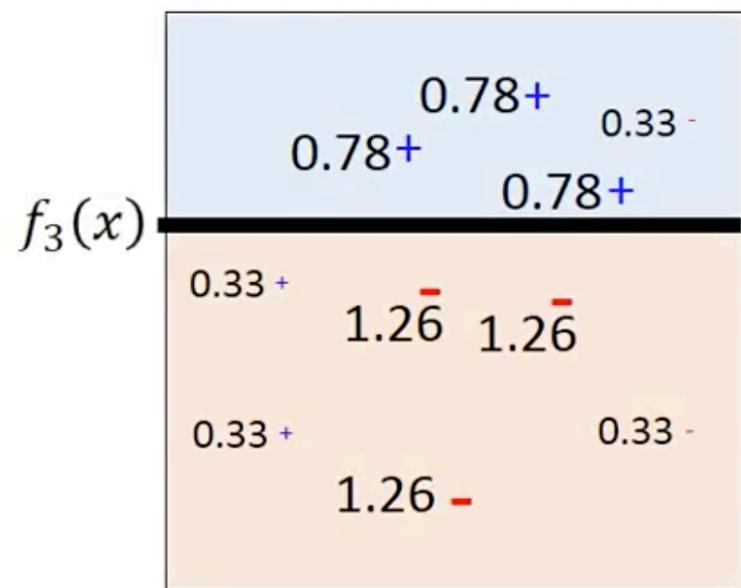
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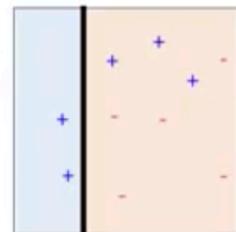


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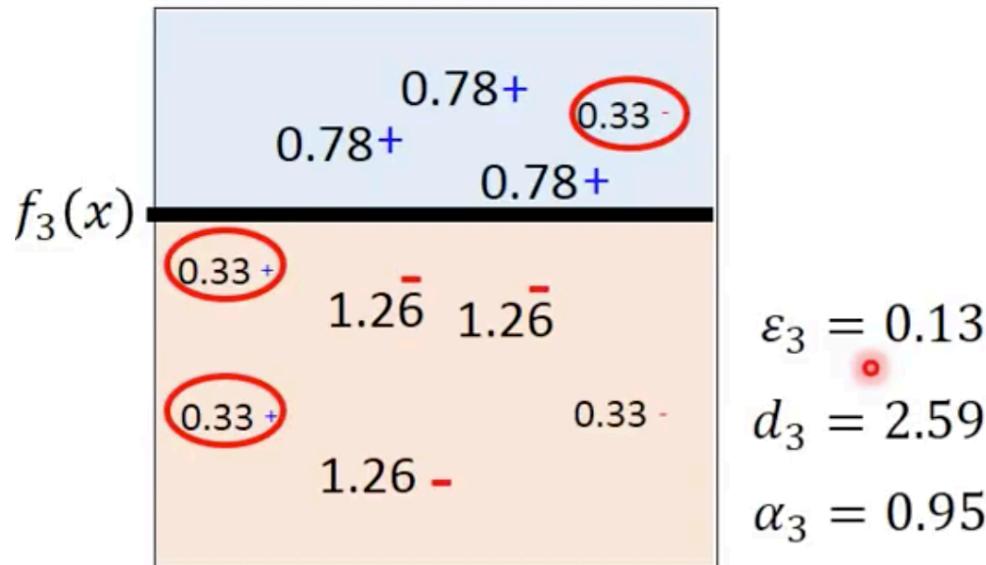
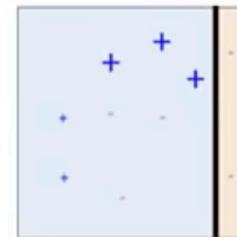
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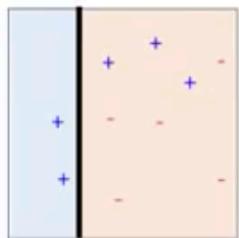


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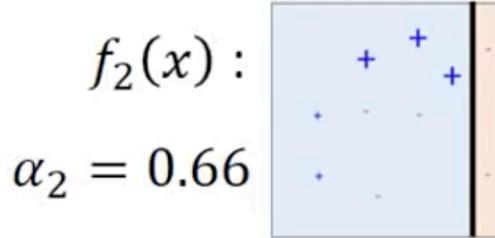
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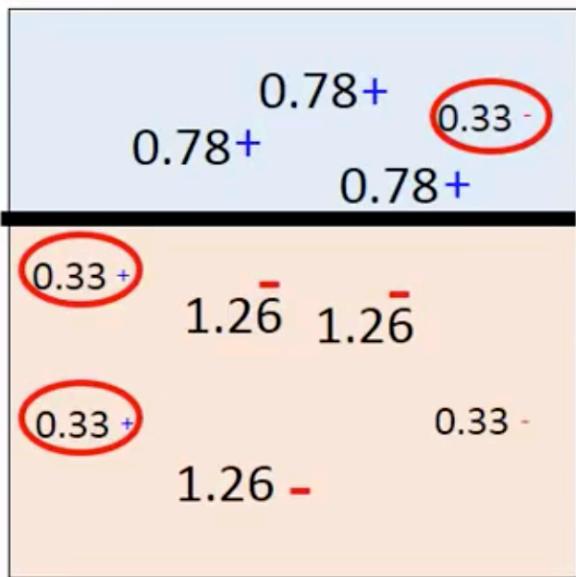
$$f_1(x) :$$



$$f_2(x) :$$

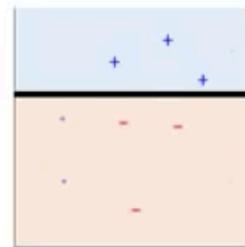


$$f_3(x)$$



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$$\alpha_3 = 0.95$$



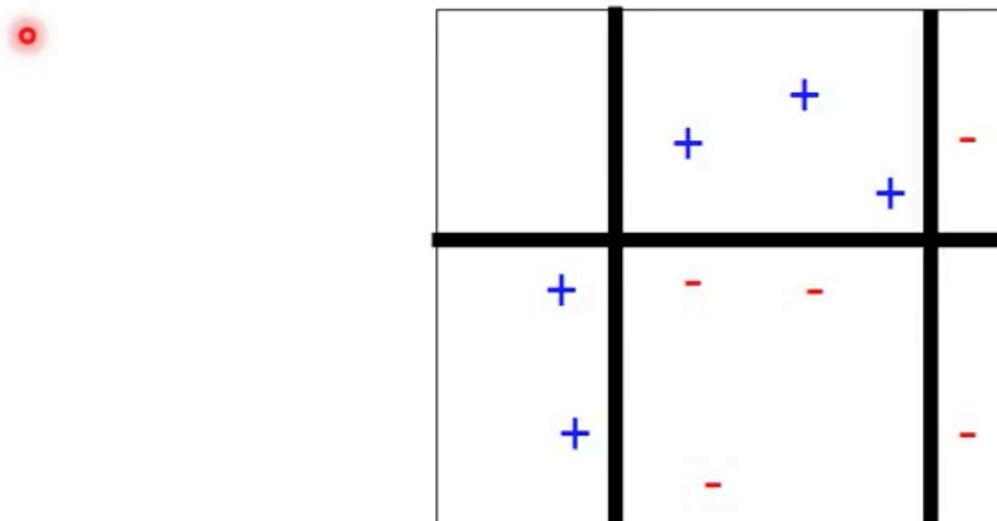
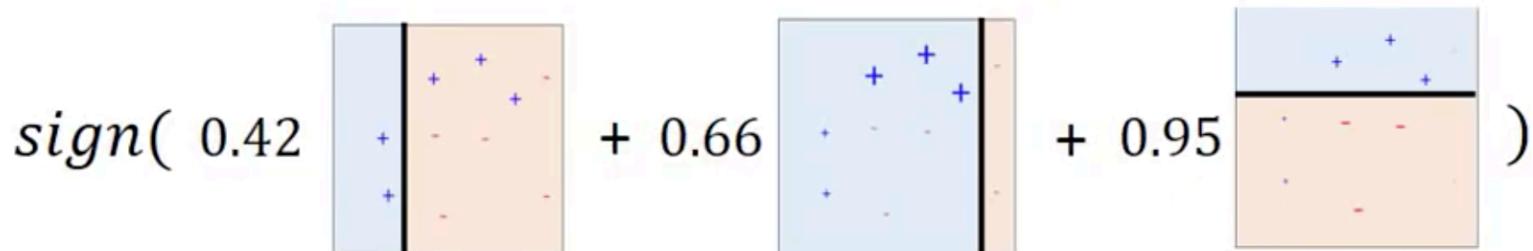
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$$d_3 = 2.59$$

$$\alpha_3 = 0.95$$

Toy Example

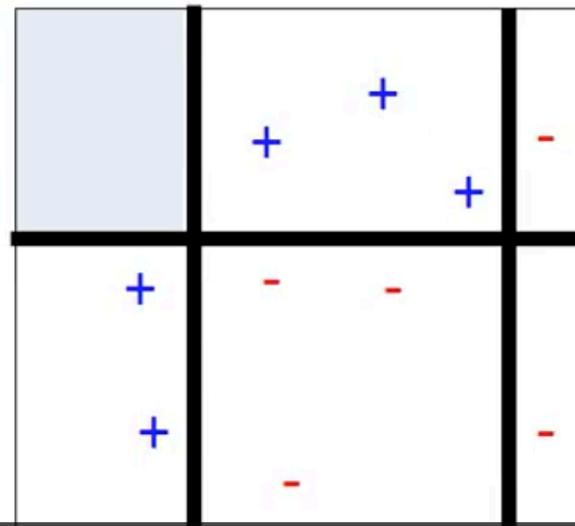
- Final Classifier: $H(x) = \text{sign}(\sum_{t=1}^T \alpha_t f_t(x))$



這個加起來的結果到底是怎麼回事

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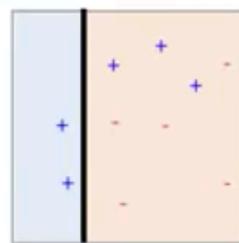


中間這一塊他們兩個覺得是藍的，第一個覺得是紅的

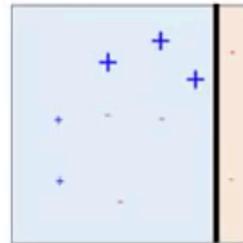
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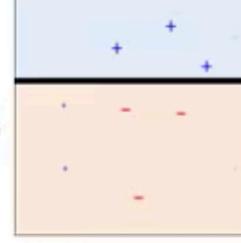
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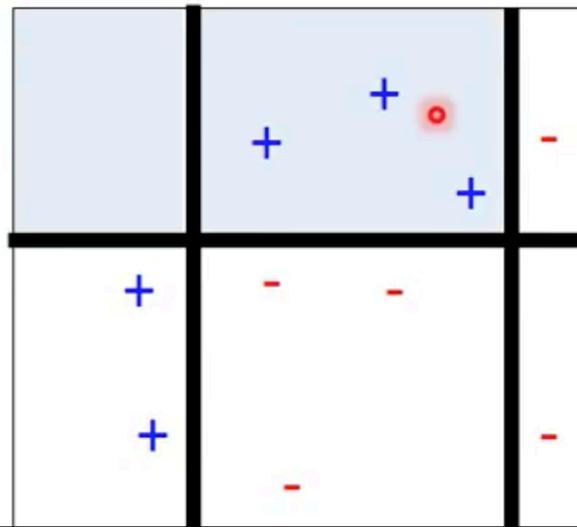
+ 0.66



+ 0.95



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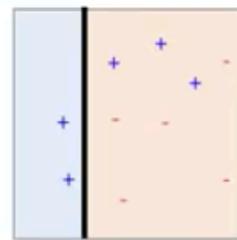


所以上面這組就是藍的

Toy Example

- Final Classifier: $H(x) = \text{sign}(\sum_{t=1}^T \alpha_t f_t(x))$

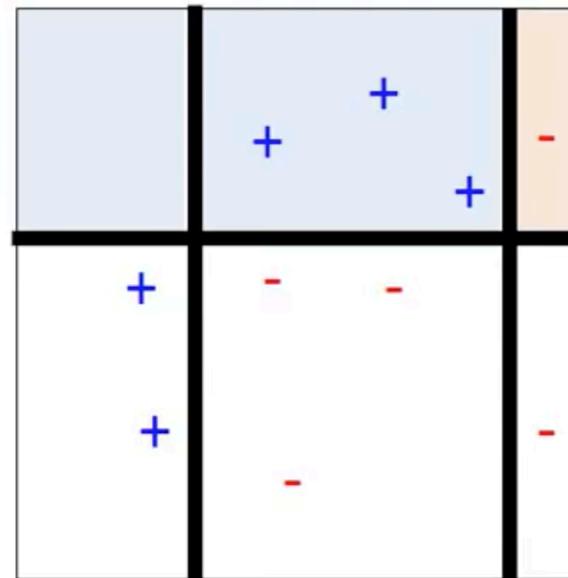
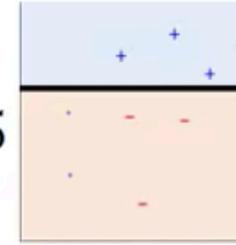
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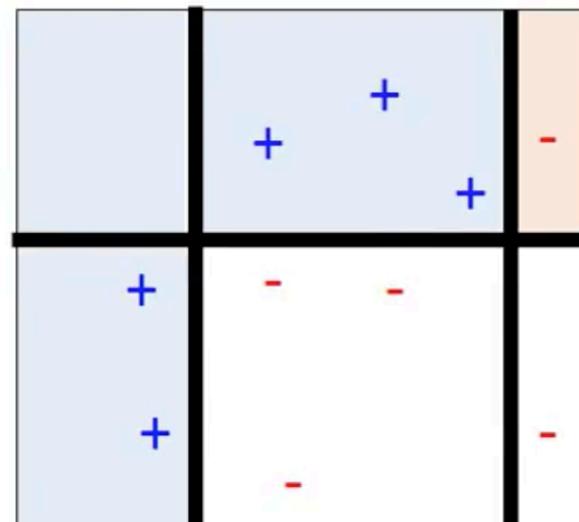
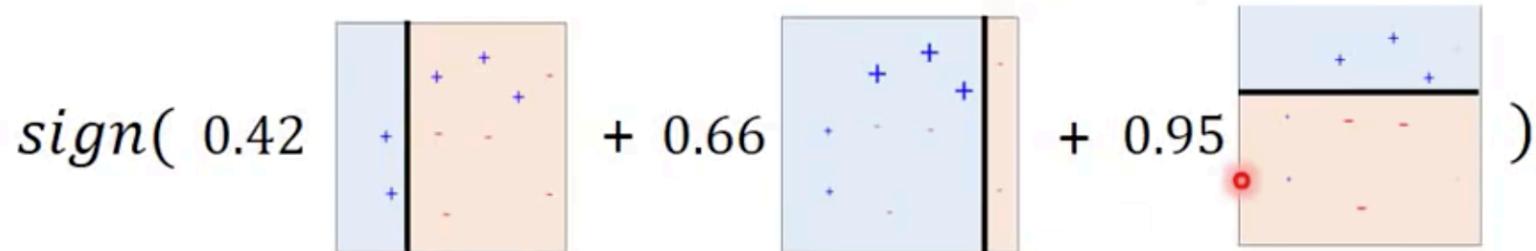


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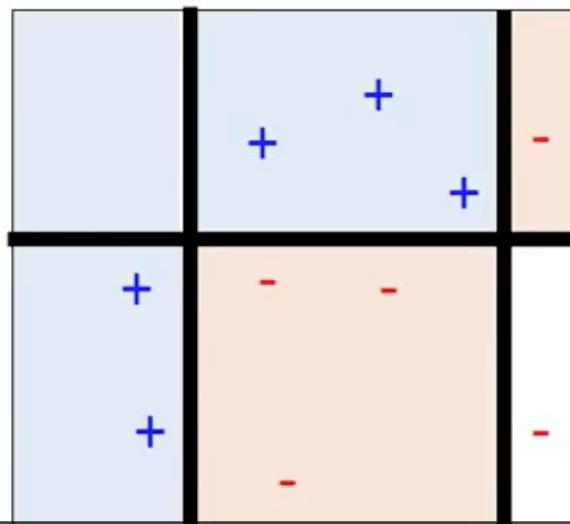
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兩個藍的合起來比紅的大所以是藍的

Toy Example

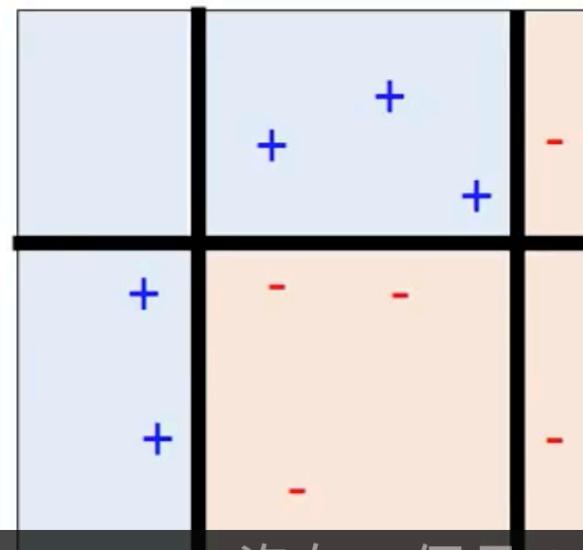
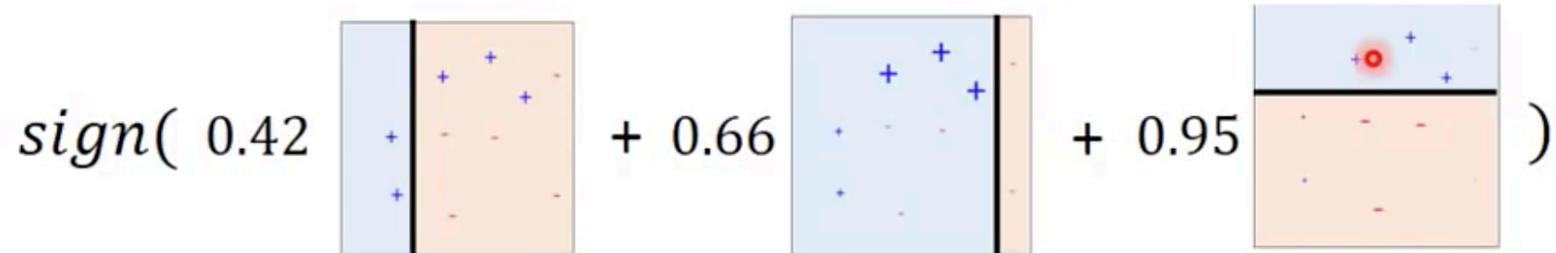
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右下角三個 decision stump 都說是紅的所以是紅的

Toy Example

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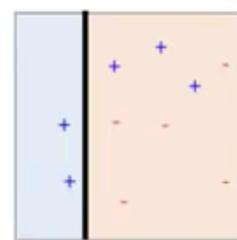


這三個 decision stump 沒有一個是 0% 的 Error Rate

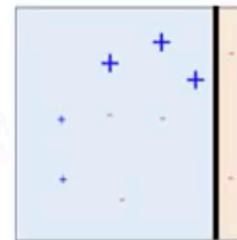
Toy Example

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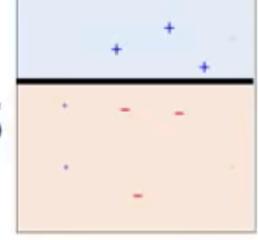
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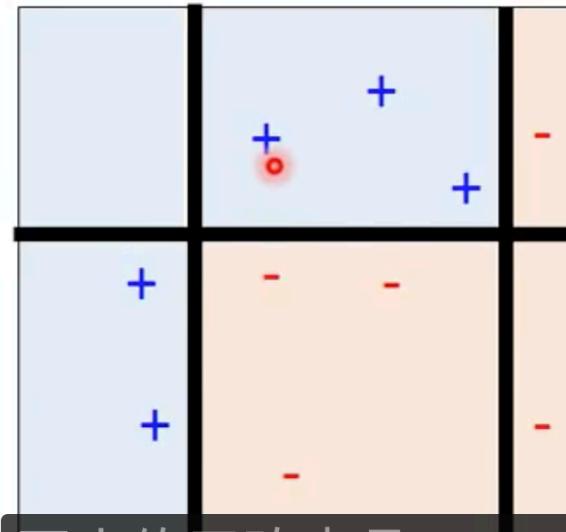


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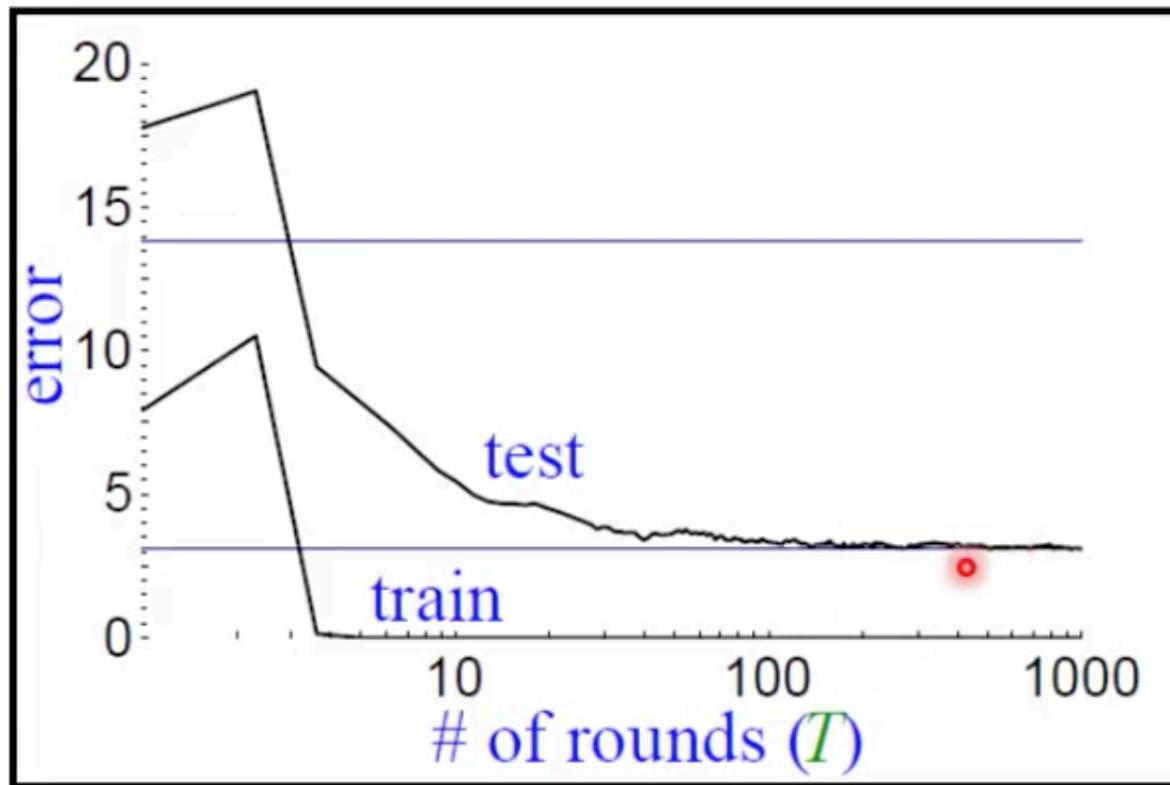


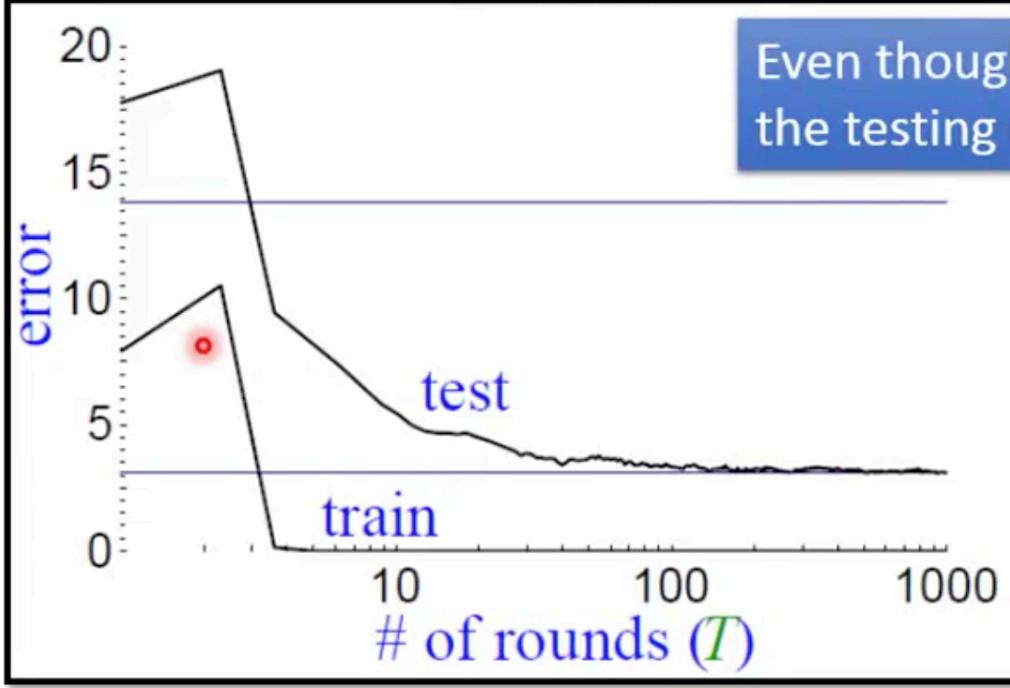
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Final Error Rate = 0

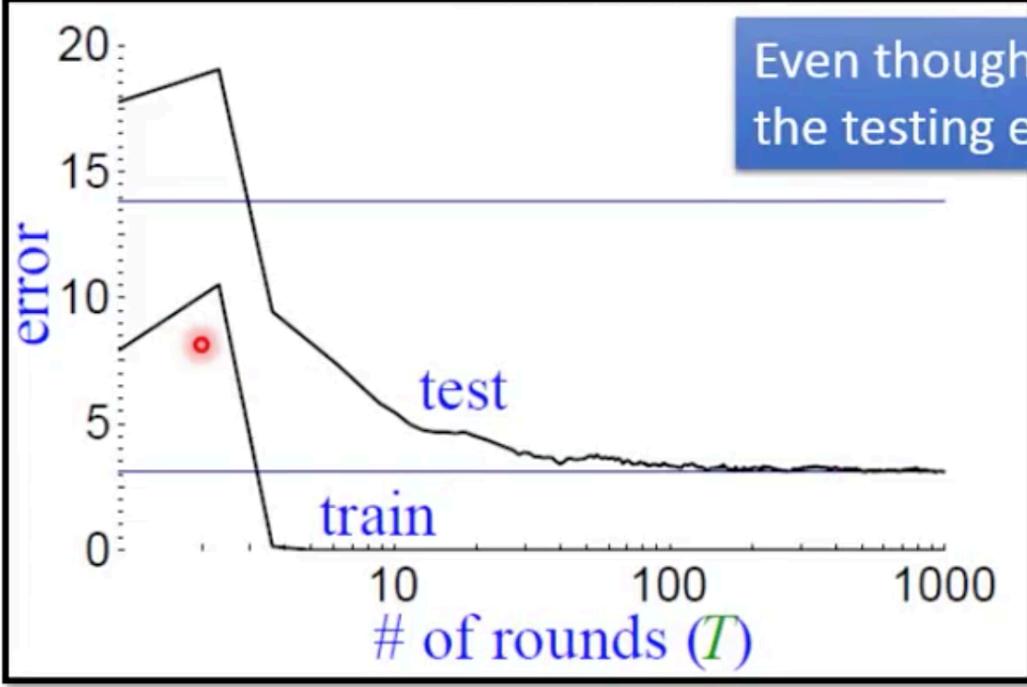


Another example:





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Yes, because even if the combined classifiers have error rate = 0 on training dataset, the last classifier for the training dataset is > 0. So we will continue to find a new classifier.