

Voting Loss function

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MSE loss [mean square error]

1. take the **difference** between your predictions and the ground truth
2. **square** it
3. **average** it out across the whole dataset

Why it is not good enough?

Abnormal data affect normal data decision.

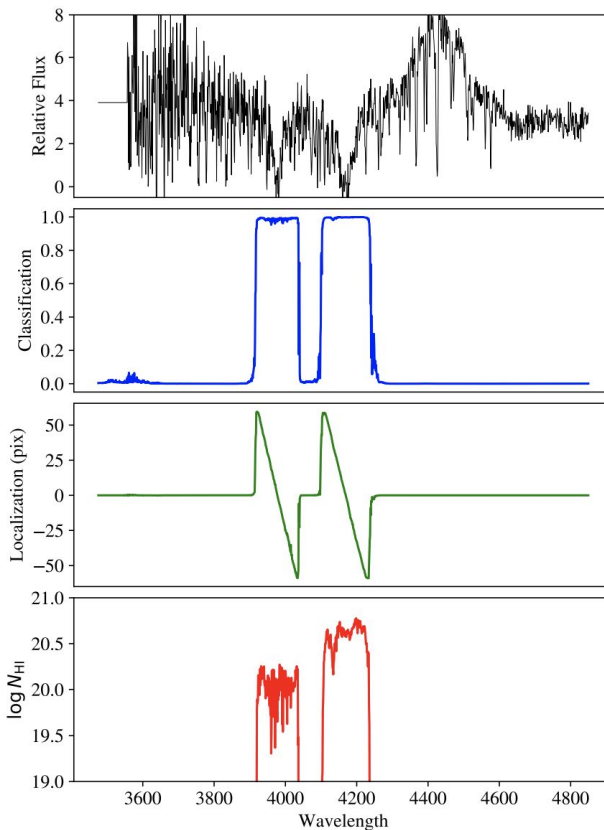
Not smooth; Bias Introduced.

Motivation

Rich set features:

1, Classification

2, Localization



Parks, D., Prochaska, J. X., Dong, S., & Cai, Z. (2017). Deep Learning of Quasar Spectra to Discover and Characterize Damped Lya Systems. *arXiv preprint arXiv:1709.04962*.

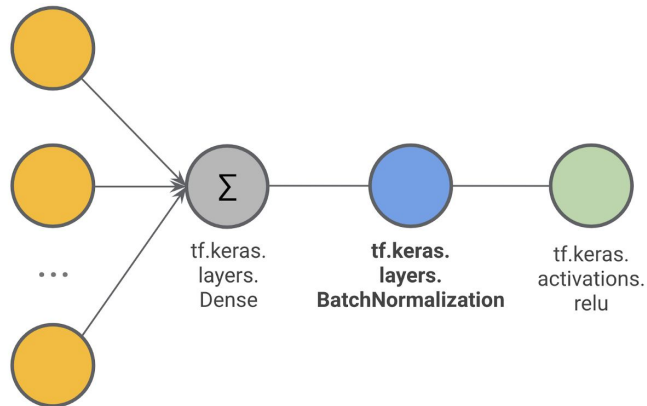
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Regularization:

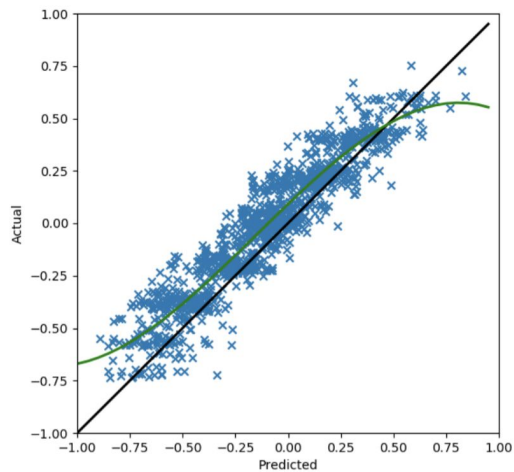
1, L2 :
$$\sum_{i=1}^n \left(y_i - \sum_{j=1}^p x_{ij} \beta_j \right)^2 + \lambda \sum_{j=1}^p \beta_j^2$$

2, L1

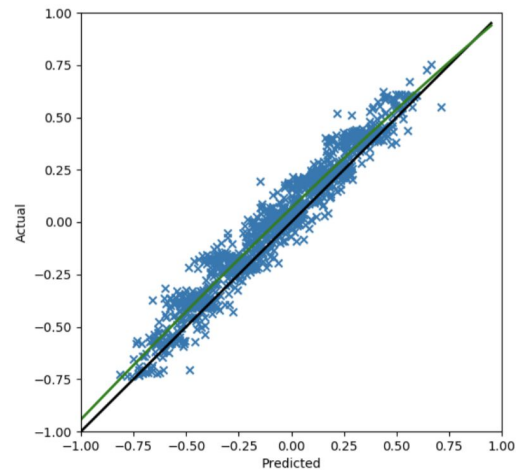
3, Batch Normal **Regularization**



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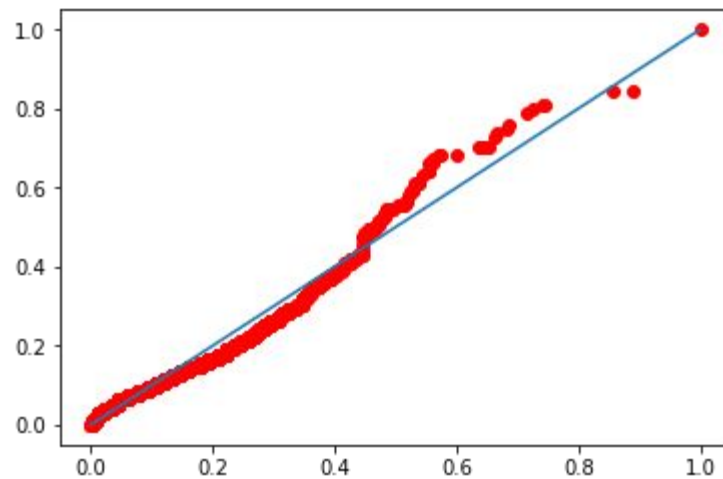
MSE



Voting loss

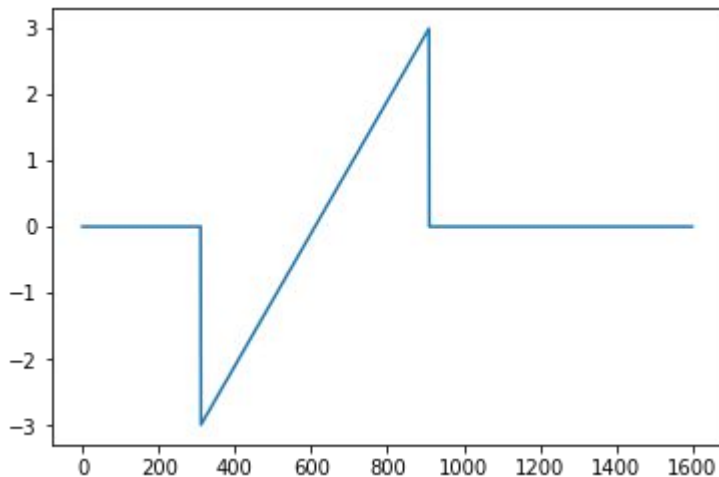
Experiment result from David Park's current work.

True VS Preds



Basic Idea: Convert label to a high dimension

600 =>



How voting works?

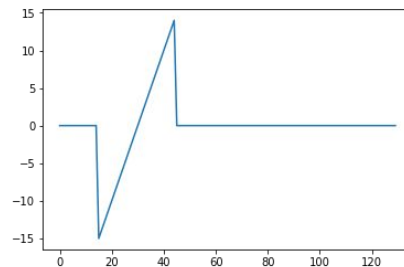
Giving one Apple to only one of N people;

Each people to **give a vote** for who they think which one people has the Apple;

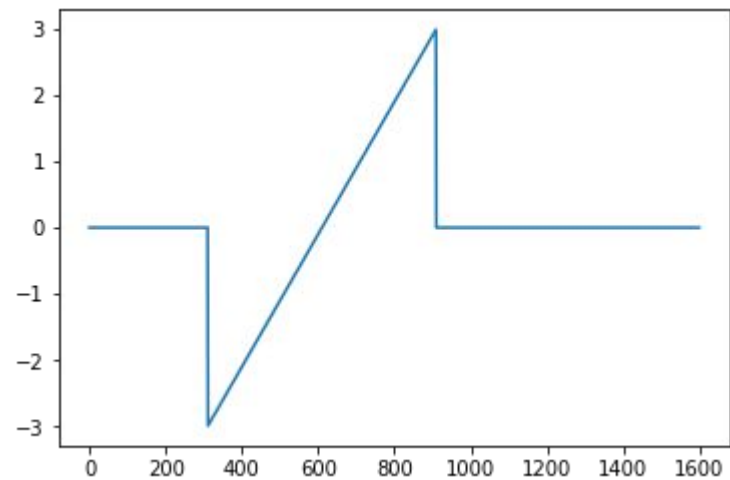
-1 votes for his/her **right 1 position** ; **+1** votes for **his/her left 1 position**

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|--------------|---|----|----|----|---|----|----|----|---|---|
| Voting_Value | 0 | -3 | -2 | -1 | 0 | +1 | +2 | +3 | 0 | 0 |
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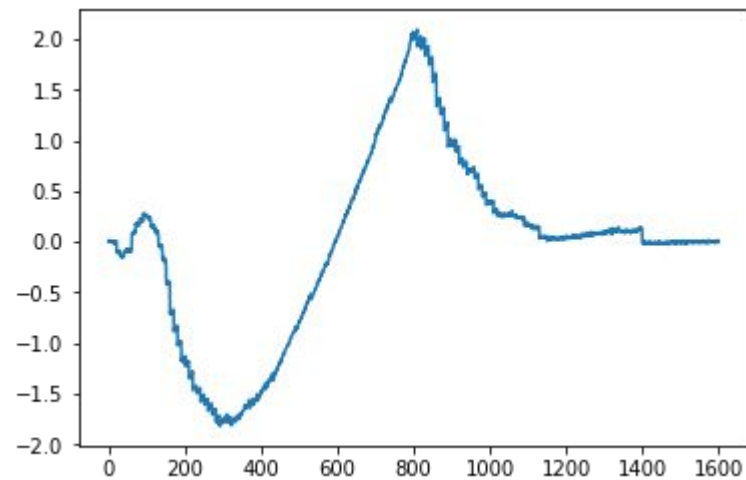
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|--------------|---|---|---|---|----------|---|---|---|---|----|
| Index_People | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 6 | 7 | 8 | 9 | 10 |
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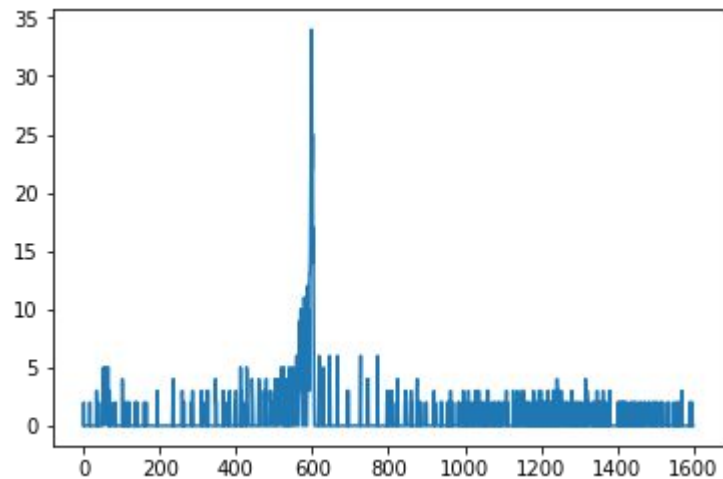
Label



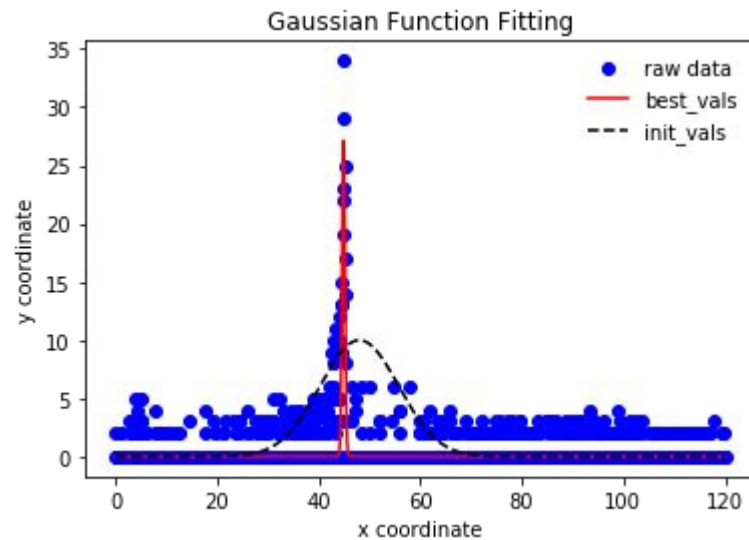
preds



Voting Result

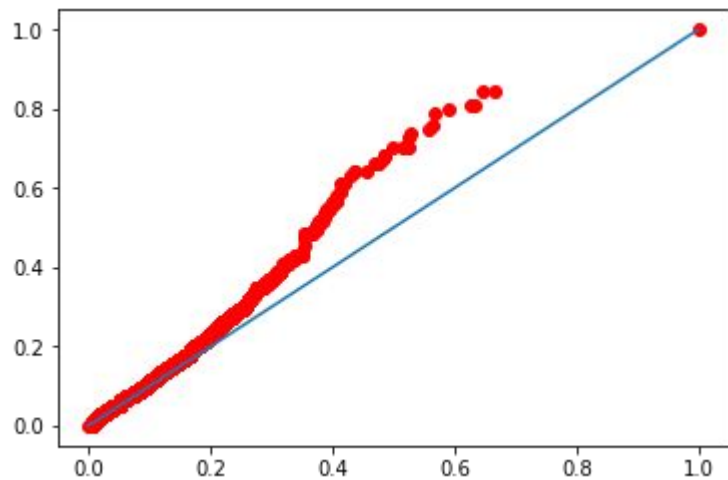


Fitting

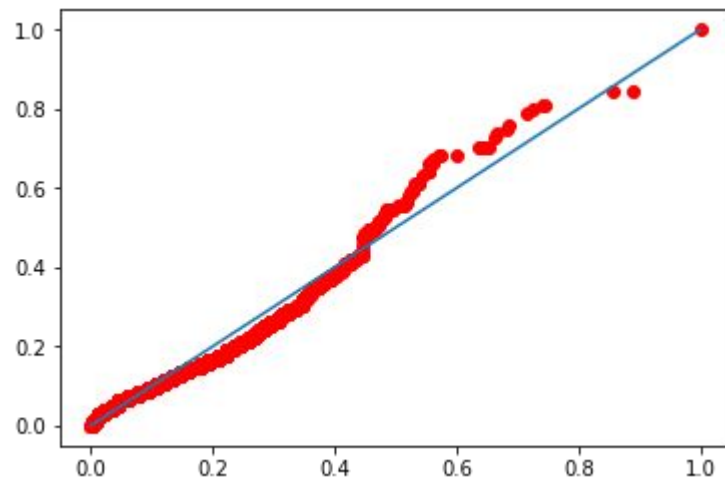


compare

MSE

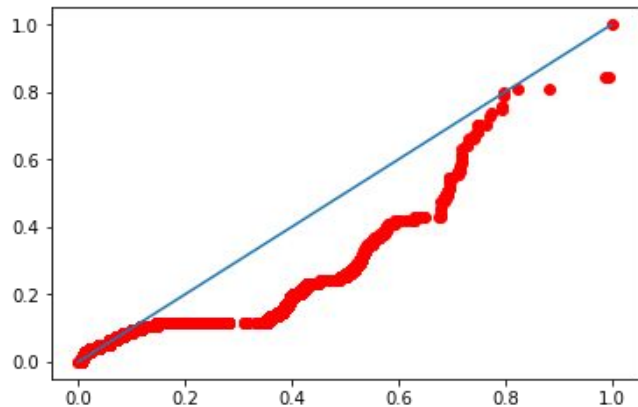
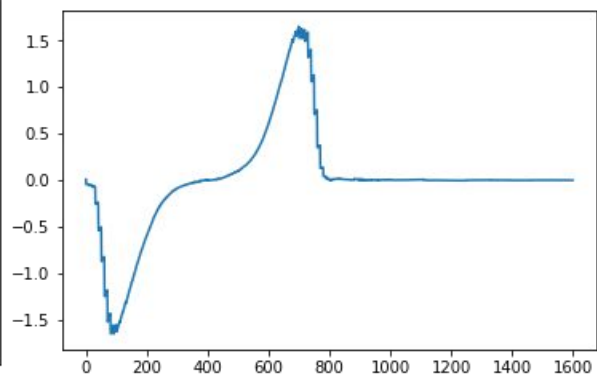
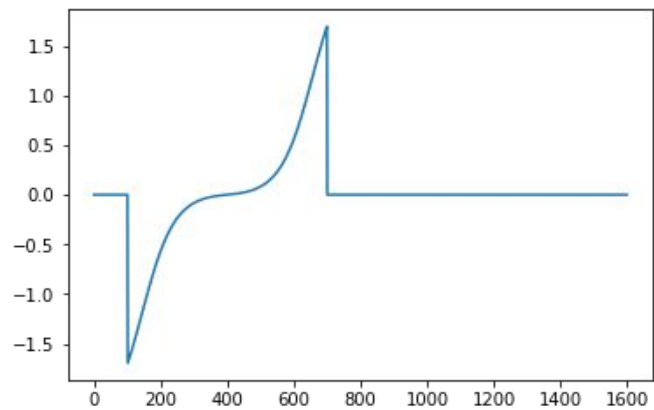
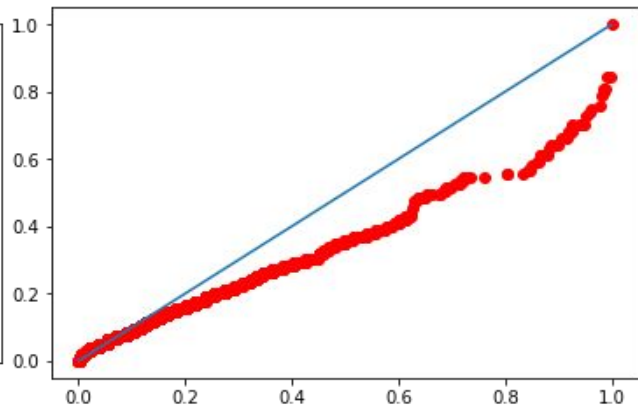
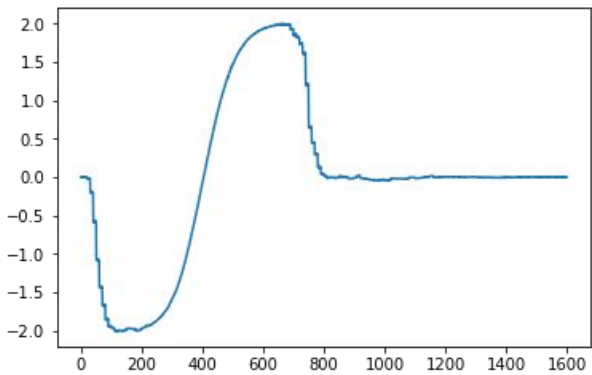
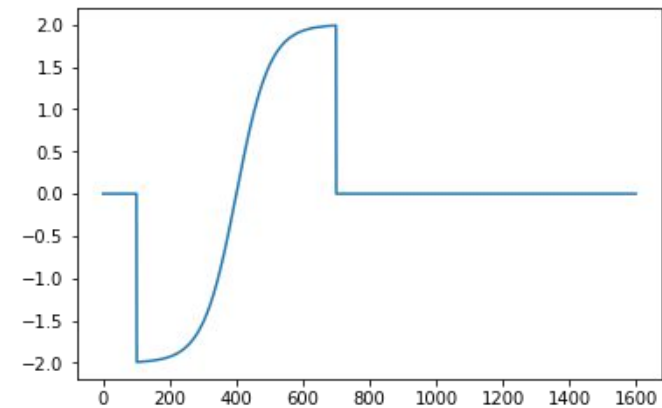


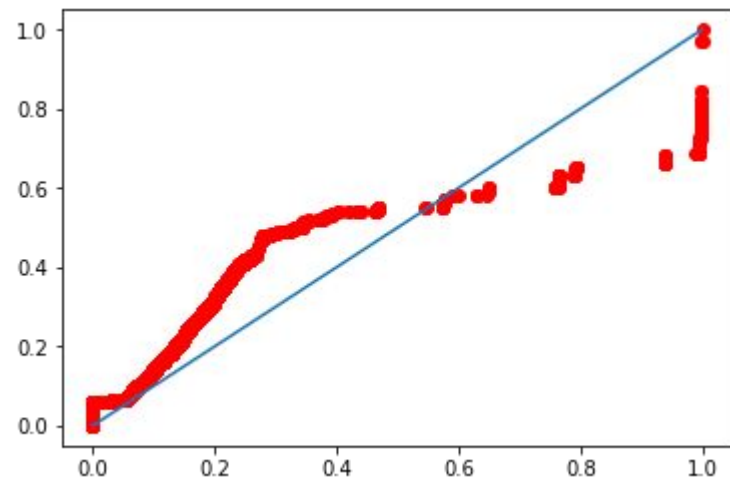
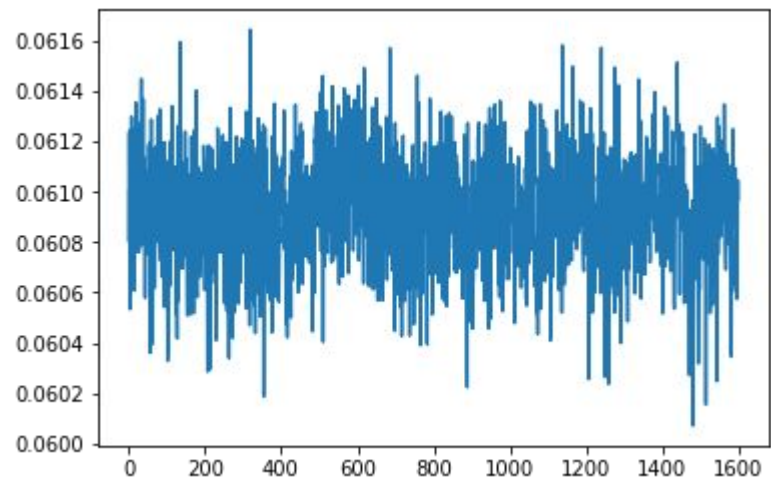
Voting loss



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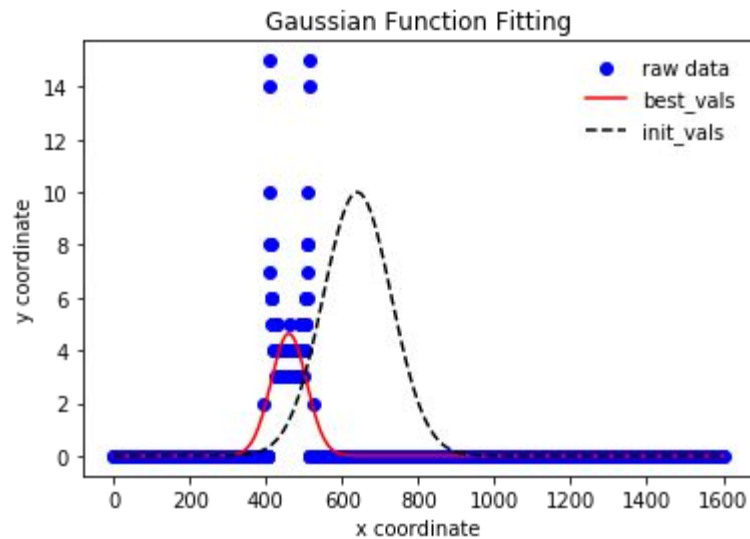
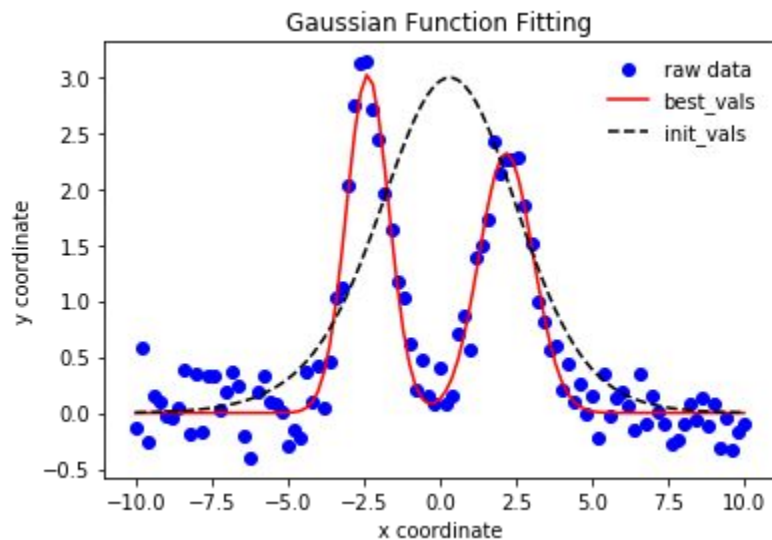




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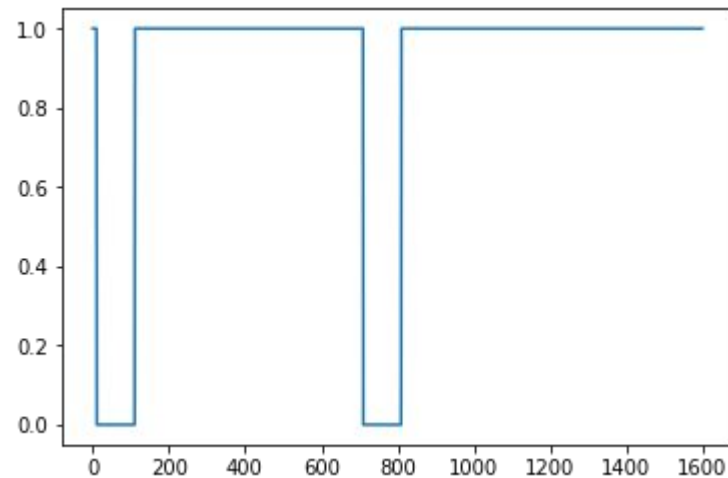
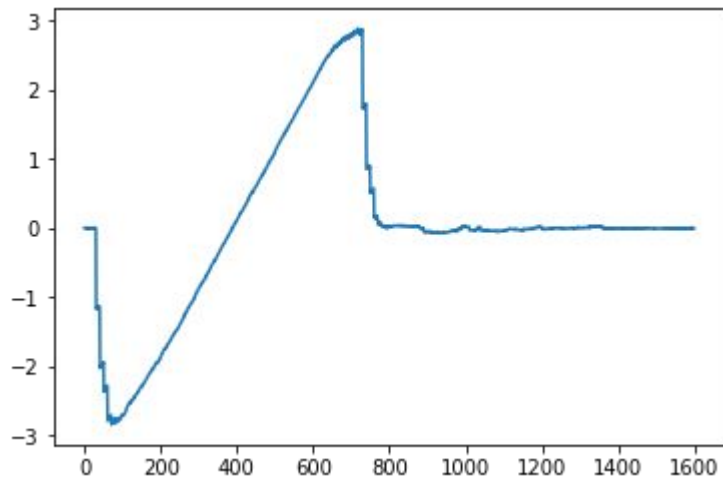
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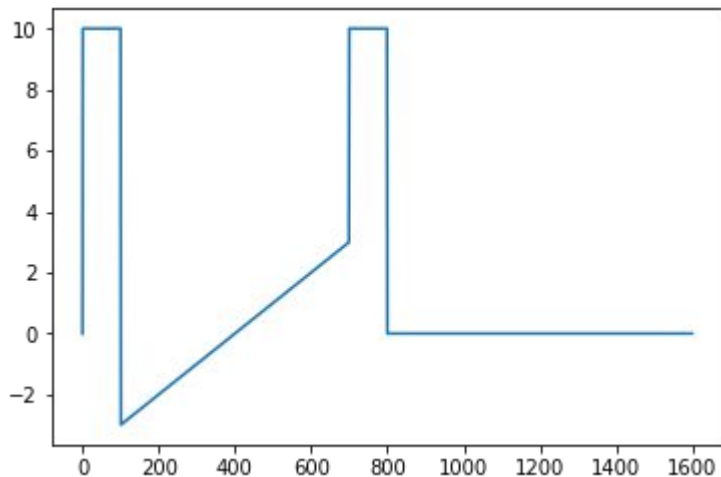
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$$L = (y' - y)^2 * \text{mask}$$

Speed up in loss calculation



tf.boolean_mask

y1
y2
y3
y4
y5
y6
y7
y8
y9
y10

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$$MSE = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - y_i^p)^2}{n}$$

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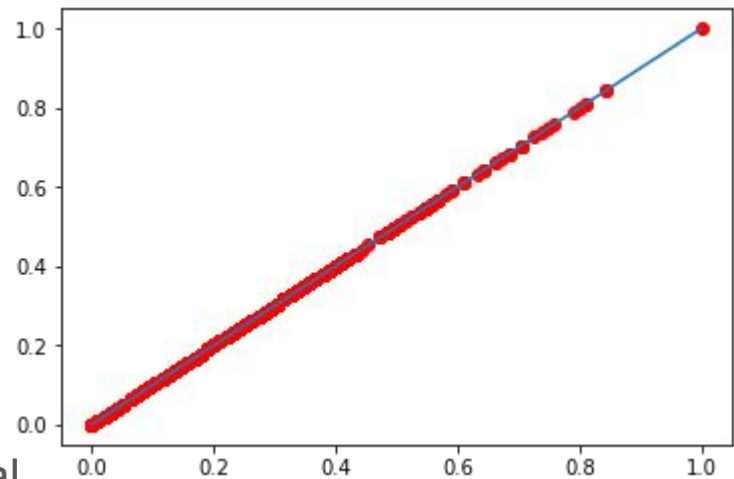
Distribution of dataset, abnormal data;

Difficult problem.

Special signal detection from sequence signal

multi-Object detection

saliency eye tracking



Thank you!