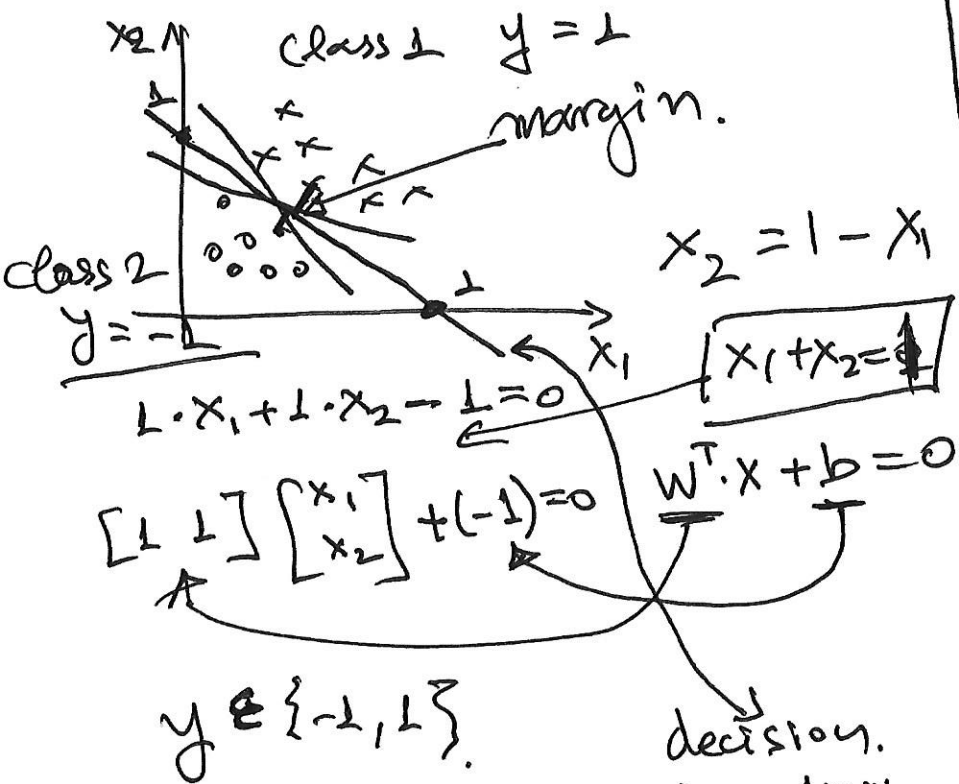


SVM



assign output \downarrow y (class).

$$f(w^T x + b) = \begin{cases} +1 & \text{if } w^T x + b \geq 0 \\ -1 & \text{if } w^T x + b < 0 \end{cases}$$

boundary.

Separating hyperplane

$$w^T x + b \geq 0$$

$$y^{(i)} \cdot (w^T x^{(i)} + b) \geq 0.$$

Assume the problem is ①
"linearly separable" (i.e. there is
a line that perfectly discriminates
class 1 v.s. class 2).

Functional margin

$$\hat{y}^{(i)} = y^{(i)} (w^T x + b) \quad (1)$$

Problem : (w, b) can be arbitrarily large, which will not move the boundary but will have a large γ ("fake")

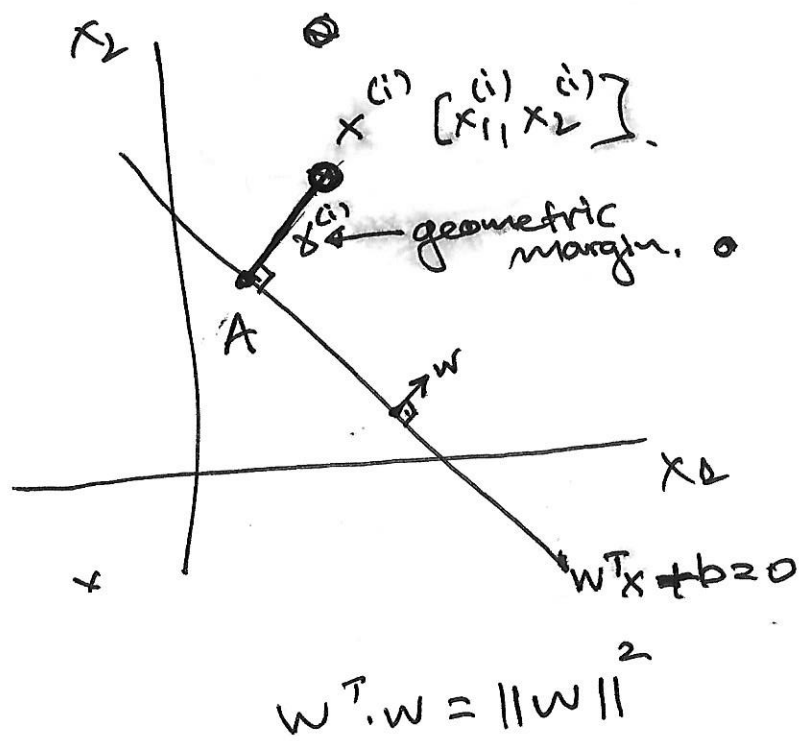
$$(w', b') = (10w, 10b)$$

$$10W^T \cdot x + 10b = 0 \Rightarrow \boxed{W^T x + b = 0}$$

but for $\hat{\gamma}' = y^{(i)T} (10w^T x + 10b) = 10\hat{\gamma}$

Geometric means:

$$\hat{x}^{(i)} = \frac{\hat{y}^{(i)}}{|w|} \stackrel{①}{=} y^{(i)} \left(\frac{w^T}{|w|} \cdot x^{(i)} + \frac{b}{|w|} \right) \quad ②$$



$$w^T \cdot w = \|w\|^2$$

$$y^{(i)} \cdot (w^T x^{(i)} + b) = 0$$

$$\hat{y} = \min_i \hat{y}^{(i)}$$

$$\boxed{\hat{y} = \min_i y^{(i)}}$$

For A : $x^{(i)} - y^{(i)} \frac{w}{\|w\|} \cdot y^{(i)}$ (2)

But A is on the hyperplane (Decision Boundary)

So: $w^T x^{(i)} + b = 0 \Rightarrow$

$$\Rightarrow w^T \left(x^{(i)} - y^{(i)} \frac{w}{\|w\|} \right) + b = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)} \frac{w^T w}{\|w\|} + b = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow w^T x^{(i)} - y^{(i)} \frac{\|w\|^2}{\|w\|} + b = 0 \Rightarrow$$

$$\Rightarrow y^{(i)} = \frac{1}{y^{(i)}} \left(\frac{w^T}{\|w\|} x^{(i)} + \frac{b}{\|w\|} \right)$$

remember $y \in \{-1, 1\}$
 so $y^2 = 1$
 $\Rightarrow y^{(i)} = \frac{1}{y^{(i)}}$

$$\boxed{y^{(i)} = y^{(i)} \cdot \left(\frac{w^T}{\|w\|} x^{(i)} + \frac{b}{\|w\|} \right)} \quad (3)$$

In class, I omitted $y^{(i)}$, which gives the sign of the vector to find the projection of the i th point to the hyperplane.