

Theoretical Sciences

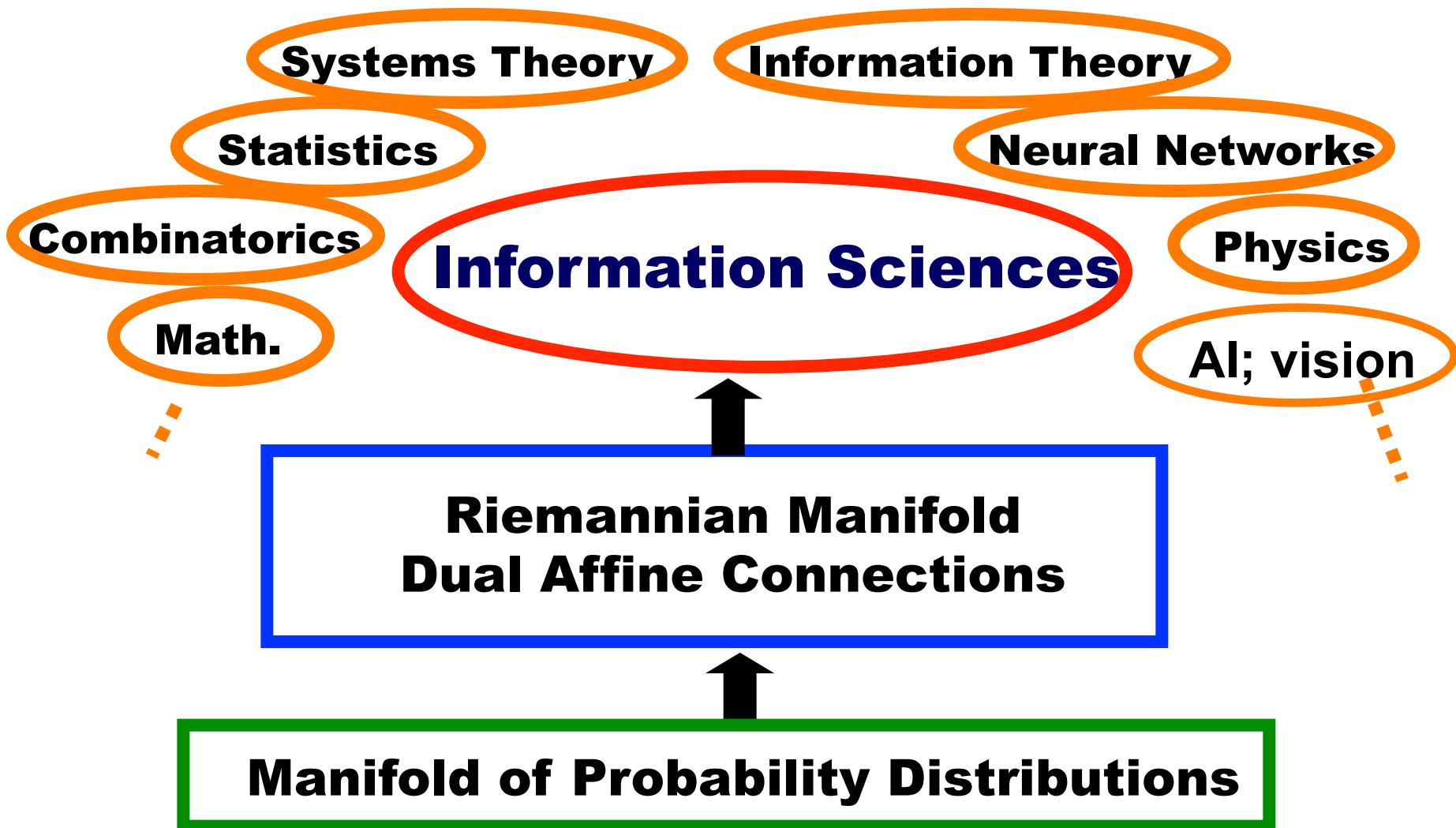
# Information Geometry and Its Applications

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# **Information Geometry: A Unifying Framework**

**Statistical Inference,  
Information Sciences  
Signal Processing,  
Machine Learning  
Convex Analysis  
Physics  
Brain Science**

# Information Geometry



# **Information Geometry**

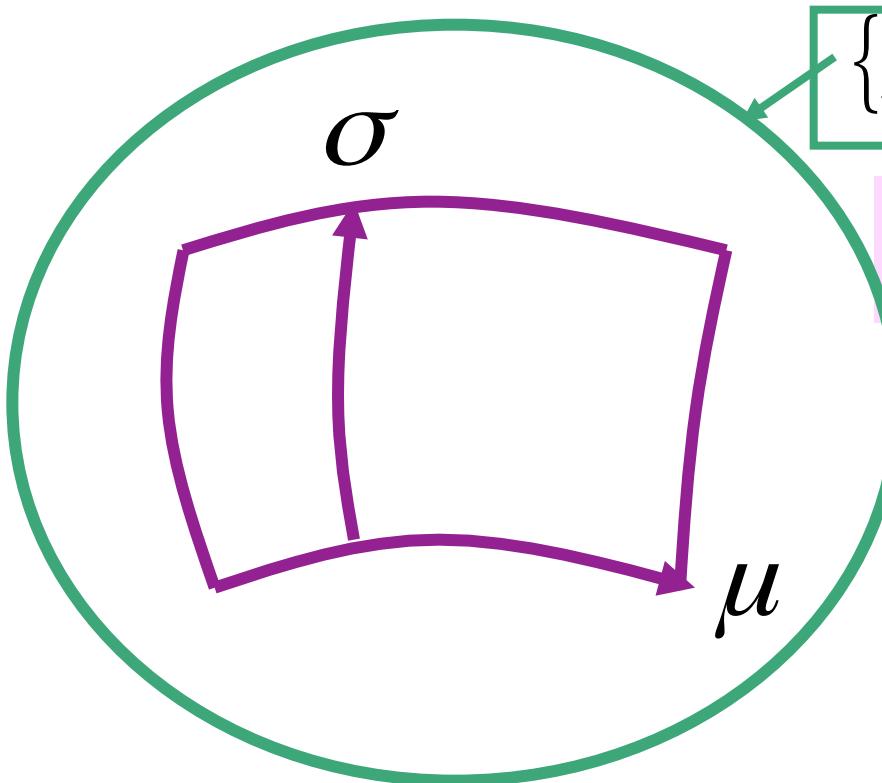
**-- Manifolds of  
Probability Distributions**

# Information Geometry ?

Gaussian distributions

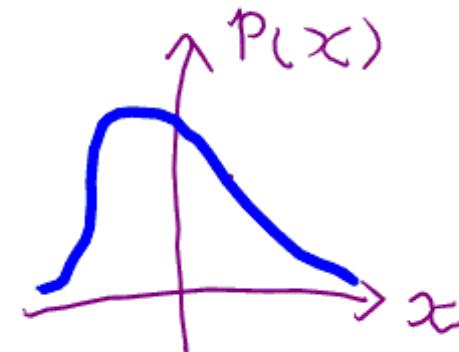
$$S = \{p(x; \mu, \sigma)\}$$

$$p(x; \mu, \sigma) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}\sigma} \exp\left\{-\frac{(x - \mu)^2}{2\sigma^2}\right\}$$



$$S = \{p(x; \theta)\}$$

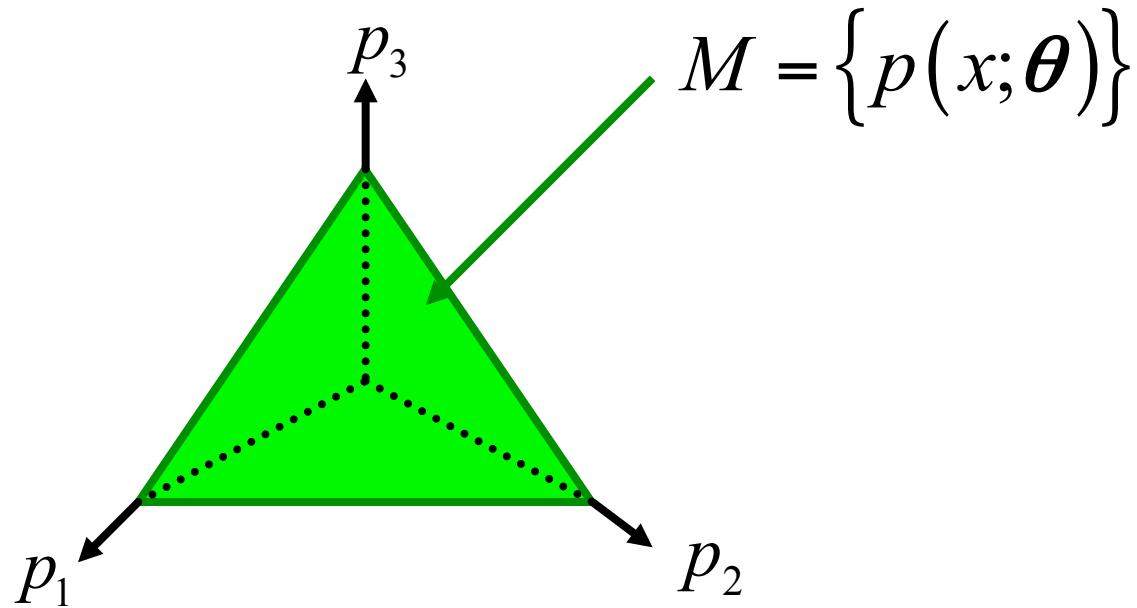
$$\theta = (\mu, \sigma)$$



# Manifold of Probability Distributions

$$x = 1, 2, 3 \quad \{p(x)\}$$

$$P = (p_1, p_2, p_3) \quad p_1 + p_2 + p_3 = 1$$



# Invariance

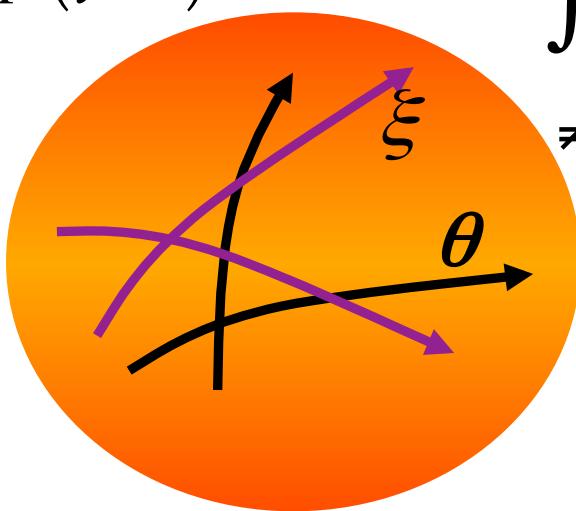
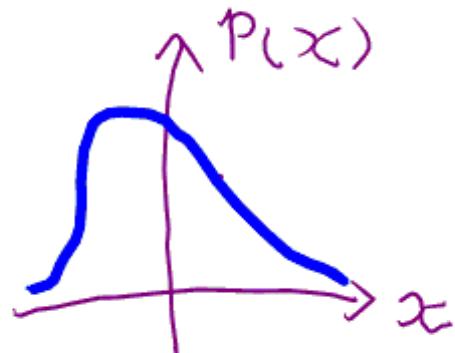
$$S = \{p(x, \theta)\}$$

1. *Invariant under reparameterization*

$$p(x, \theta) = \bar{p}(x, \xi) \quad D = \sum \theta_i^2 \neq \sum \xi_i^2$$

2. *Invariant under different representation*

$$y = y(x), \quad \bar{p}(y, \theta)$$

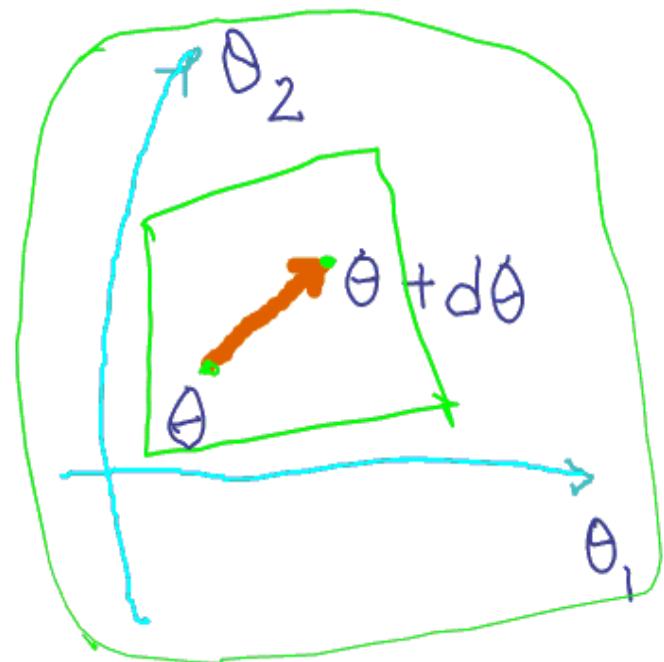


$$\int |p(x, \theta_1) - p(x, \theta_2)|^2 dx \\ \neq \int |\bar{p}(y, \theta_1) - \bar{p}(y, \theta_2)|^2 dy$$

# Two Structures

*Riemannian metric*

*affine connection ---  
geodesic*



# Riemannian Structure

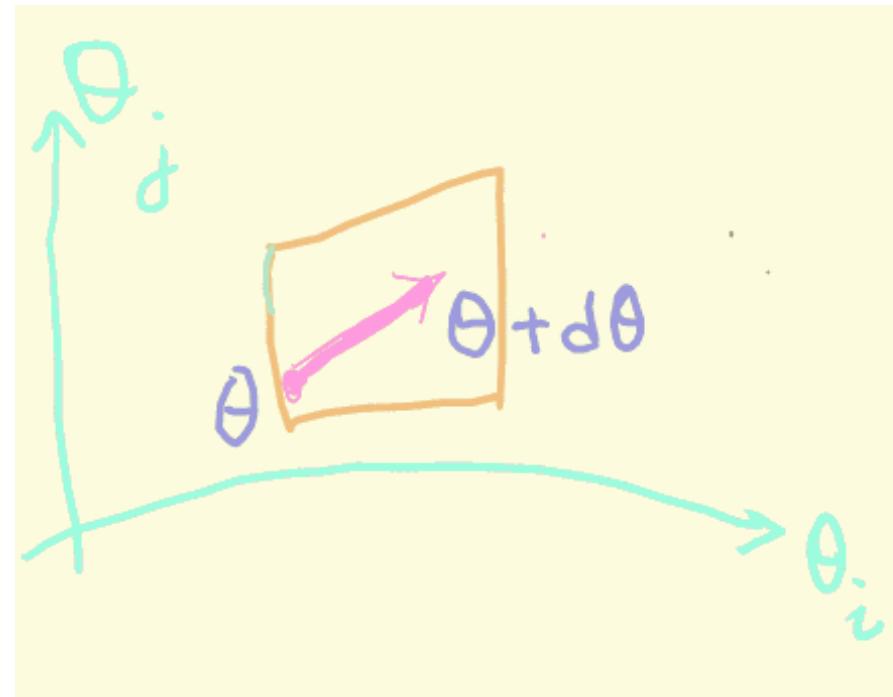
$$\begin{aligned}ds^2 &= \sum g_{ij}(\theta) d\theta^i d\theta^j \\&= d\theta^T G(\theta) d\theta\end{aligned}$$

Fisher information

$$g_{ij} = E \left[ \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_i} \log p \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta_j} \log p \right]$$

$$G(\theta) = (g_{ij})$$

Euclidean  $G = E$



# Affine Connection

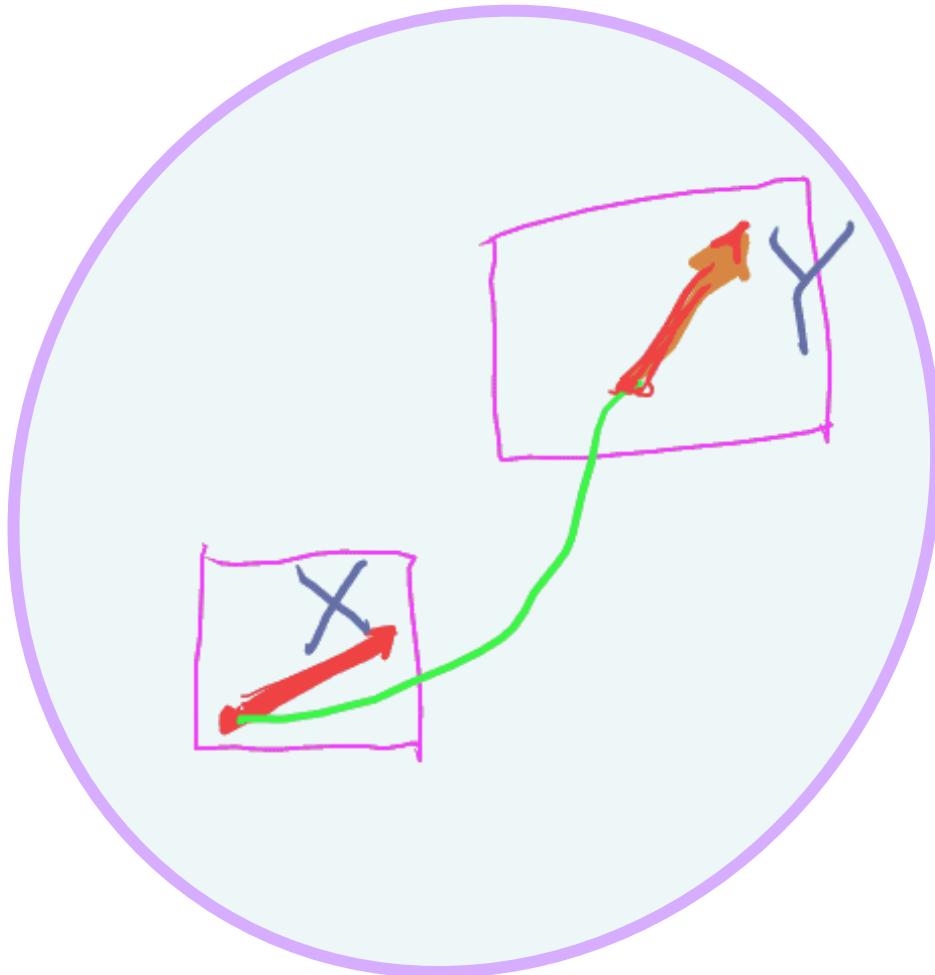
## covariant derivative; parallel transport

$$\nabla_X Y, \quad \Pi_c X = Y$$

$$\text{geodesic} \quad \Pi \dot{X} = \ddot{X} \quad X=X(t)$$

$$s = \int \sqrt{\sum g_{ij}(\theta) d\theta^i d\theta^j}$$

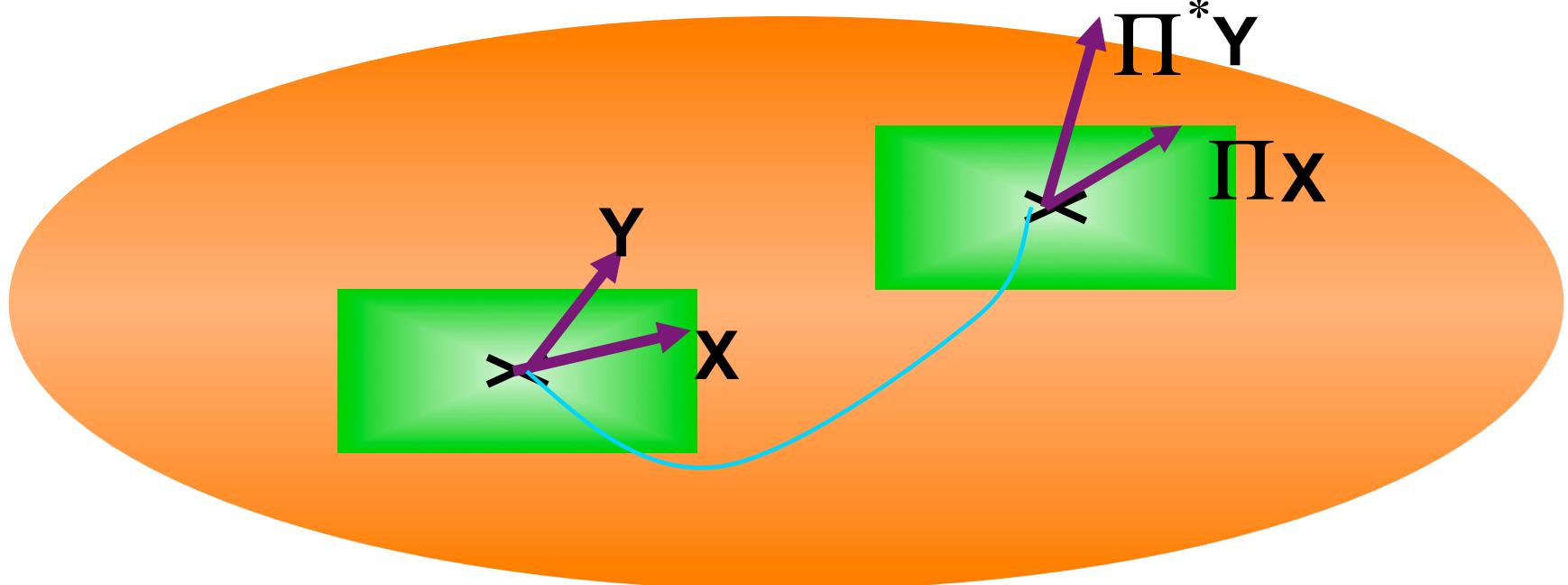
minimal distance  
straight line  
different concepts



# Duality: two affine connections

$$\{S, g, \nabla, \nabla^*\}$$

$$\langle X, Y \rangle = \langle \Pi X, \Pi^* Y \rangle \quad \langle X, Y \rangle = \sum g_{ij} X^i Y^j$$



Riemannian geometry:  $\Pi = \Pi^*$

# Dual Affine Connections

$$(\nabla, \nabla^*)$$

$$(\Pi, \Pi^*)$$

e-geodesic

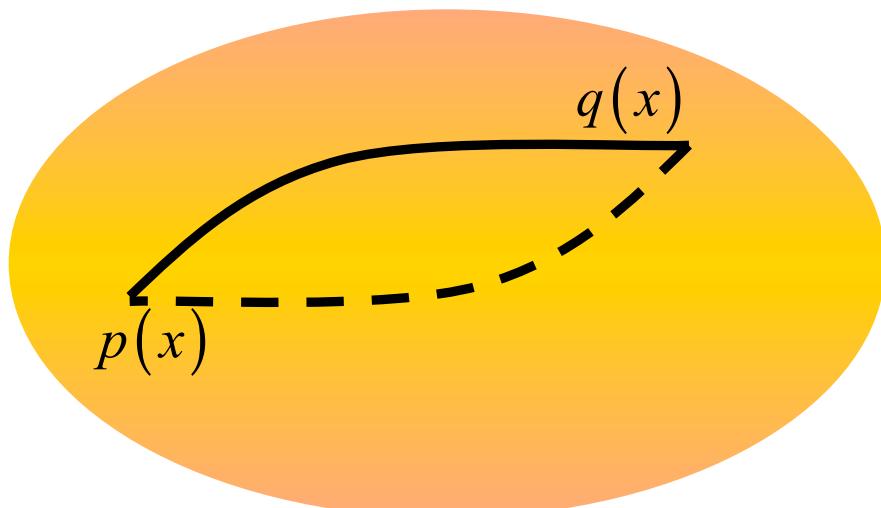
$$\log r(x, t) = t \log p(x) + (1-t) \lg q(x) + c(t)$$

m-geodesic

$$r(x, t) = tp(x) + (1-t)q(x)$$

$$\nabla_{\mathcal{X}} \mathcal{X}(t) = 0$$

$$\nabla^*_{\mathcal{X}} \mathcal{X}(t) = 0$$



# Mathematical structure of $S = \{p(x, \xi)\}$

$$(S, g, T) \quad g_{ij}(\xi) = E[\partial_i l \partial_j l]$$
$$T_{ijk}(\xi) = E[\partial_i l \partial_j l \partial_k l]$$

$$l = \log p(x, \xi); \quad \partial_i = \frac{\partial}{\partial \xi^i}$$

$\alpha$  -connection

$$\Gamma_{ijk}^\alpha = \{i, j; k\} - \alpha T_{ijk}$$

Dually flat

$\nabla^\alpha \Leftrightarrow \nabla^{-\alpha}$  : dually coupled

$$X \langle Y, Z \rangle = \langle \nabla_X Y, Z \rangle + \langle Y, \nabla_X^* Z \rangle$$

# Dually flat manifold

$\theta$ -coordinates  $\Leftrightarrow$   $\eta$ -coordinates

potential functions  $\psi(\theta), \varphi(\eta)$

$$g_{ij}(\theta) = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \theta_i \partial \theta_j} \psi(\theta) \text{L} \quad g^{ij} = \frac{\partial^2}{\partial \eta_i \partial \eta_j} \varphi(\theta)$$

$$\psi(\theta) + \varphi(\eta) - \sum \theta_i \eta_i = 0$$

$p(x, \theta) = \exp\left\{\sum \theta_i x_i - \psi(\theta)\right\}$  : exponential family

$\psi$  : cumulant generating function

$\varphi$  : negative entropy

canonical divergence  $D(P: P') = \psi(\theta) + \varphi(\eta') - \sum \theta_i \eta_i'$

# **Information Geometry**

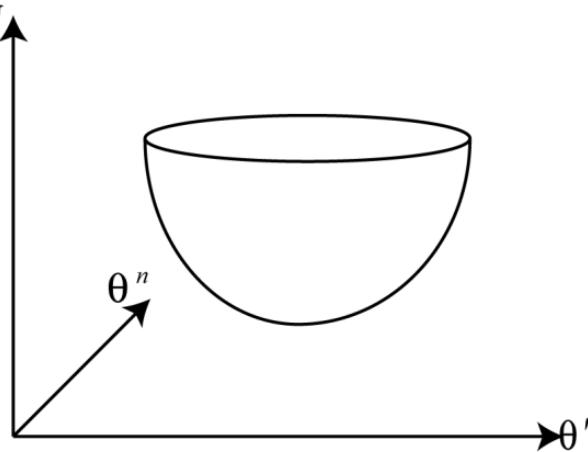
## **-- Dually Flat Manifold**

**Convex Analysis**  
**Legendre transformation**  
**Divergence**  
**Pythagorean theorem**  
**I-projection**

# Manifold with Convex Function

$S$  : coordinates  $\theta = (\theta^1, \theta^2, \dots, \theta^n)$

$\psi(\theta)$  : convex function



$$\psi(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sum (\theta^i)^2$$

$$\varphi(p) = \int p(x) \log p(x) dx$$

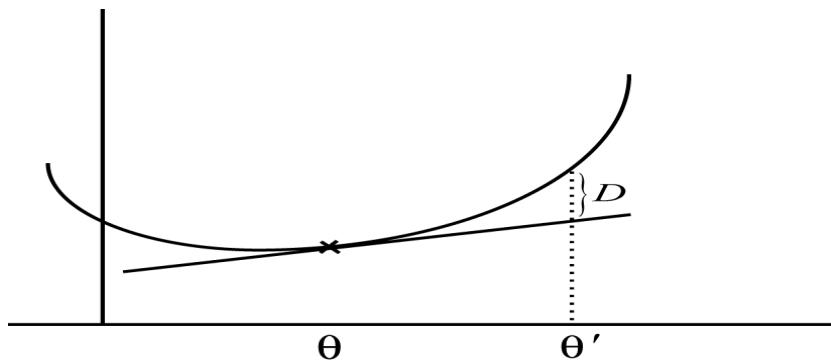
negative entropy  
energy

mathematical programming, control systems  
physics, engineering

# Riemannian metric and flatness

## Bregman divergence

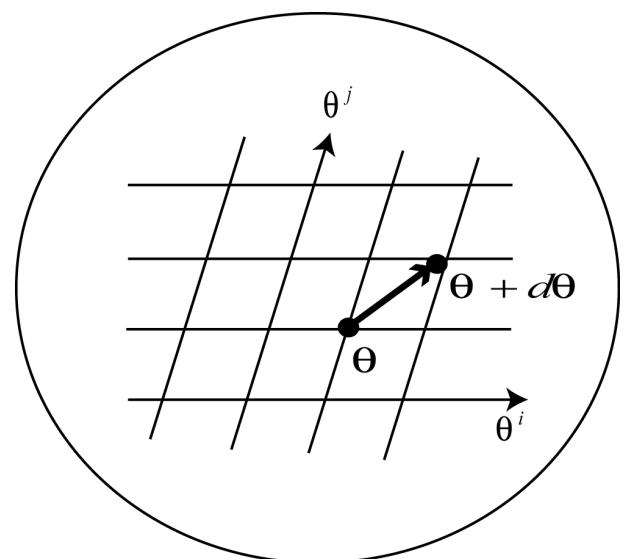
$$D(\theta', \theta) = \psi(\theta') - (\theta' - \theta) \cdot \text{grad } \psi(\theta)$$



$$D(\theta, \theta + d\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sum g_{ij}(\theta) d\theta^i d\theta^j$$

$$g_{ij} = \partial_i \partial_j \psi(\theta), \quad \partial_i = \frac{\partial}{\partial \theta^i}$$

$\theta$  :geodesic



# Legendre Transformation

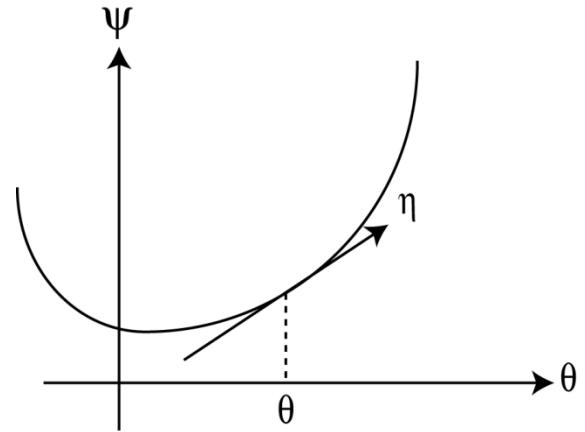
$$\eta_i = \partial_i \psi(\theta)$$

$\theta \Leftrightarrow \eta$  : **one-to-one**

$$\varphi(\eta) + \psi(\theta) - \theta_i \eta^i = 0$$

$$\theta^i = \partial^i \varphi(\eta), \quad \partial^i = \frac{\partial}{\partial \eta_i}$$

**Divergence**  $D(\theta, \theta') = \psi(\theta) + \varphi(\eta') - \theta \cdot \eta'$



# Two coordinate systems of S

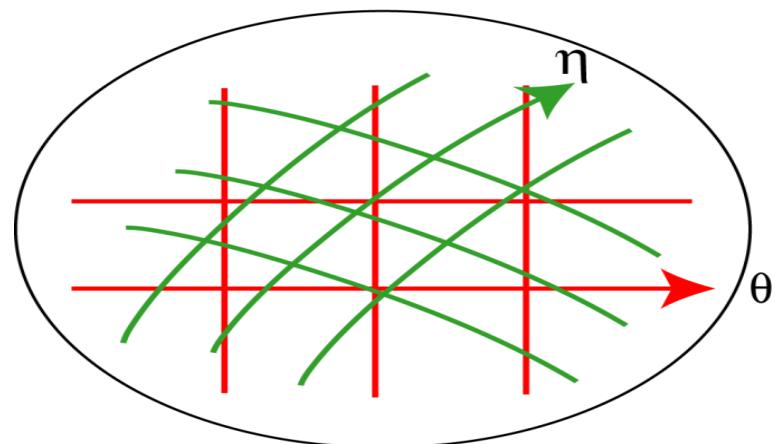
$(\theta, \eta)$

$\theta$  : geodesic (e-geodesic)

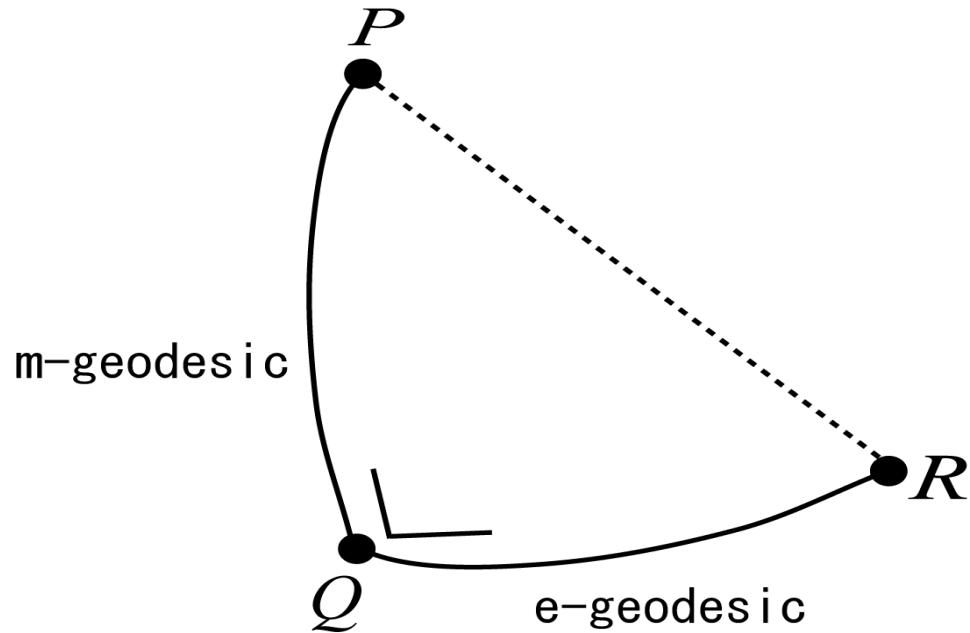
$\eta$  : dual geodesic (m-geodesic)

“orthogonal”

$$\langle \partial_i, \partial^j \rangle = \delta_i^j$$



# Pythagorean Theorem



$$D[P:Q] + D[Q:R] = D[P:R]$$

**Euclidean space: self-dual**       $\theta = \eta$

$$\psi(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sum (\theta_i)^2$$

# Projection Theorem

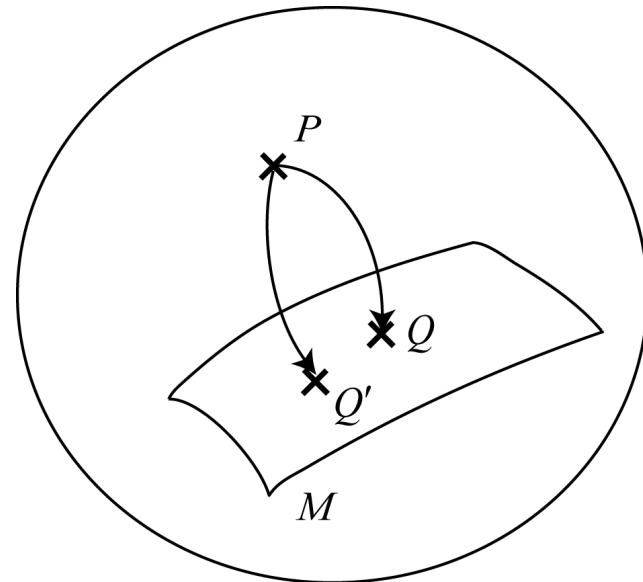
$$\min_{Q \in M} D[P : Q]$$

**$Q$  = m-geodesic projection of**

$P$  to  $M$

$$\min_{Q \in M} D[Q : P]$$

**$Q$  = e-geodesic projection of  $P$  to  $M$**



# Information Geometry

Dually flat manifold; curved submanifold

convex potential functions  $\psi(\theta), \varphi(\eta)$

Euclidean space : self-dual

$$\psi(\theta) = \frac{1}{2} \sum (\theta^i)^2, \quad \theta_i = \eta^i$$

Probability distributions  $S = \{p(x)\}$

Exponential family :  $p(x, \theta) = \exp\{\theta \cdot x - \psi(\theta)\}$

$$\eta = E[x]$$

$\varphi(\eta)$  : negentropy

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Divergence

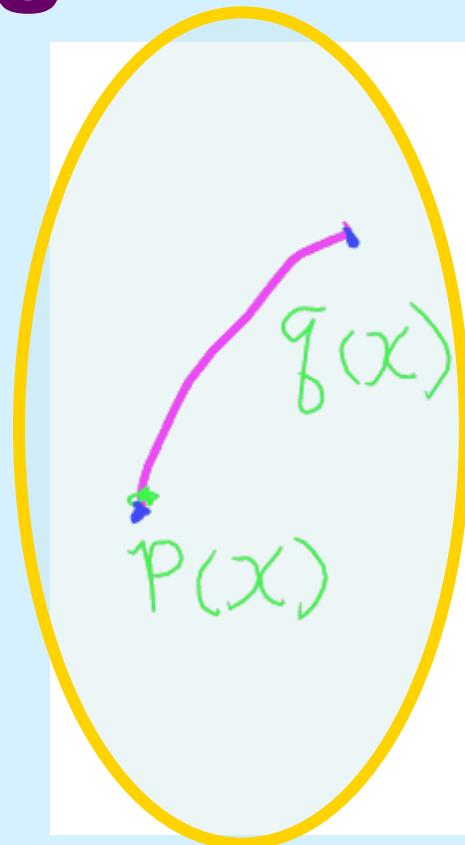
# Kullback-Leibler Divergence

quasi-distance

$$D[p(x) : q(x)] = \sum_x p(x) \log \frac{p(x)}{q(x)}$$

$$D[p(x) : q(x)] \geq 0 \quad = 0 \text{ iff } p(x) = q(x)$$

$$D[p : q] \neq D[q : p]$$



# Dually Flat Manifold

## 1. Potential Functions

---convex ( Legendre transformation)

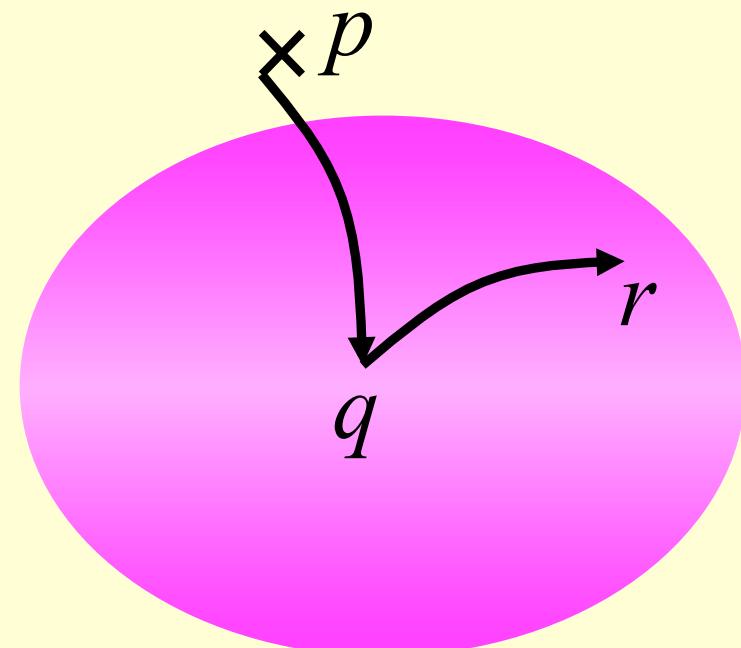
## 2. Divergence $D[p : q]$ Bregman divergence

## 3. Pythagoras Theorem

$$D[p : q] + D[q : r] = D[p : r]$$

## 4. Projection Theorem

## 5. Dual foliation



# Applications to Statistics

**curved exponential family:**

$$p(x, u) : x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n$$

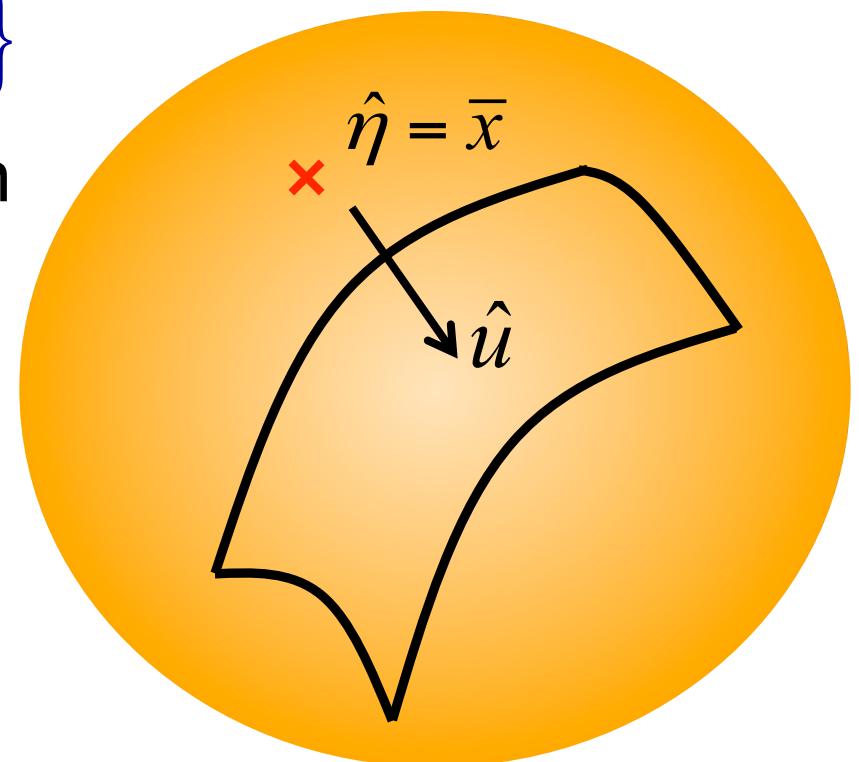
$$p(x, \theta) = \exp\{\theta \cdot x - \psi(\theta)\}$$

$$p(x, u) = \exp\{\theta(u) \cdot x - \psi(\theta(u))\}$$

$\hat{u}(x_1, \dots, x_n)$  : estimation

$$\bar{x} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n x(k)$$

$H_0 : u = u_0$  : testing



# High-Order Asymptotics

$$p(x, \theta(u)) : x_1, L, x_n$$

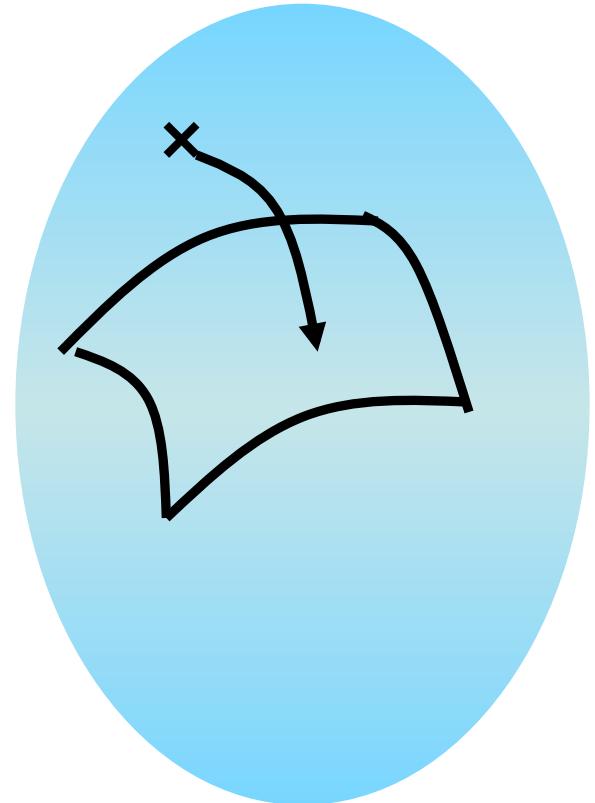
$$\hat{u} = u(x_1, L, x_n)$$

$$e = E[(\hat{u} - u)(\hat{u} - u)^T]$$

$$e = \frac{1}{n} G_1 + \frac{1}{n^2} G_2$$

$$G_1 \geq G^{-1} \quad \text{:Cramér-Rao}$$

$$G_2 = H_M^{(e)^2} + H_A^{(m)^2} + \Gamma^{(m)^2}$$

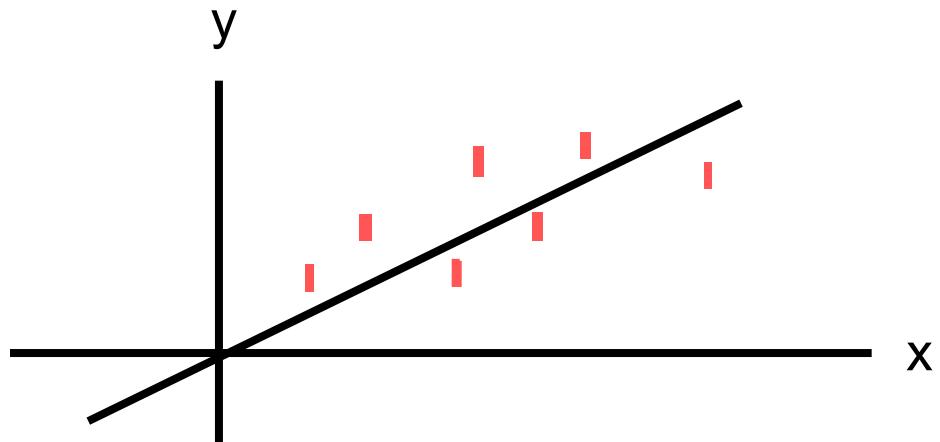


# Semiparametric Statistical Model

$$M = \{p(x, \theta, r)\}$$

linear relation

$$y = \theta x$$



$$\begin{cases} y_i = \theta \xi_i + \varepsilon_i \\ x_i = \xi_i + \varepsilon'_i \end{cases} \quad p(x, y; \theta) = \int p(x, y; \xi, \theta) r(\xi) d\xi$$

mle, least square, total least square

# Linear Regression: Semiparametrics

$$(x_1, y_1)$$

$$x_i = \xi_i + \varepsilon_i$$

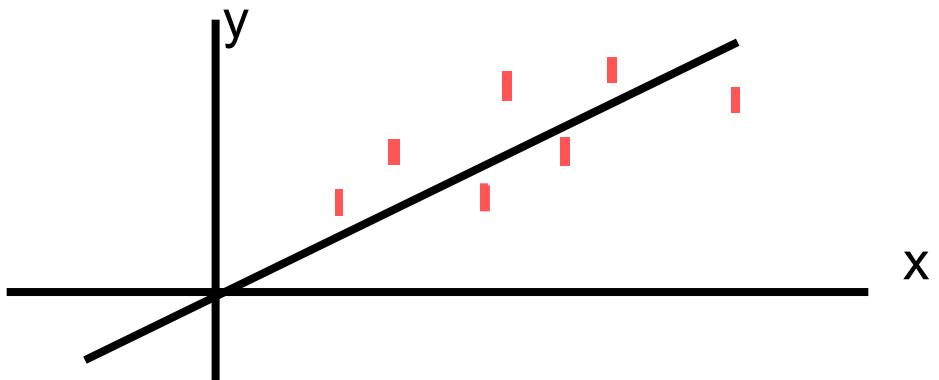
$$(x_2, y_2)$$

$$y_i = \theta \xi_i + \varepsilon'_i$$

$$\mathbf{M}$$
$$(x_n, y_n)$$

$$\varepsilon_i, \varepsilon'_i : N(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$y = \theta x$$



# Statistical Model

$$p(x, y | \theta, \xi) = c \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (x - \xi)^2 - \frac{1}{2} (y - \theta \xi)^2 \right\}$$

$$p(x_i, y_i | \theta, \xi_i) : \theta, \xi_1, \dots, \xi_n$$

$$p(x, y | \theta) = \int p(x, y | \theta, \xi) Z(\xi) d\xi$$

———— **semiparametric**

# Least squares?

$$L(\theta) = \sum (y_i - \theta x_i)^2 \rightarrow \min \quad : \hat{\theta} = \frac{\sum x_i y_i}{\sum x_i^2}$$

$$\frac{1}{n} \sum \frac{y_i}{x_i}, \quad \frac{\sum y_i}{\sum x_i}$$

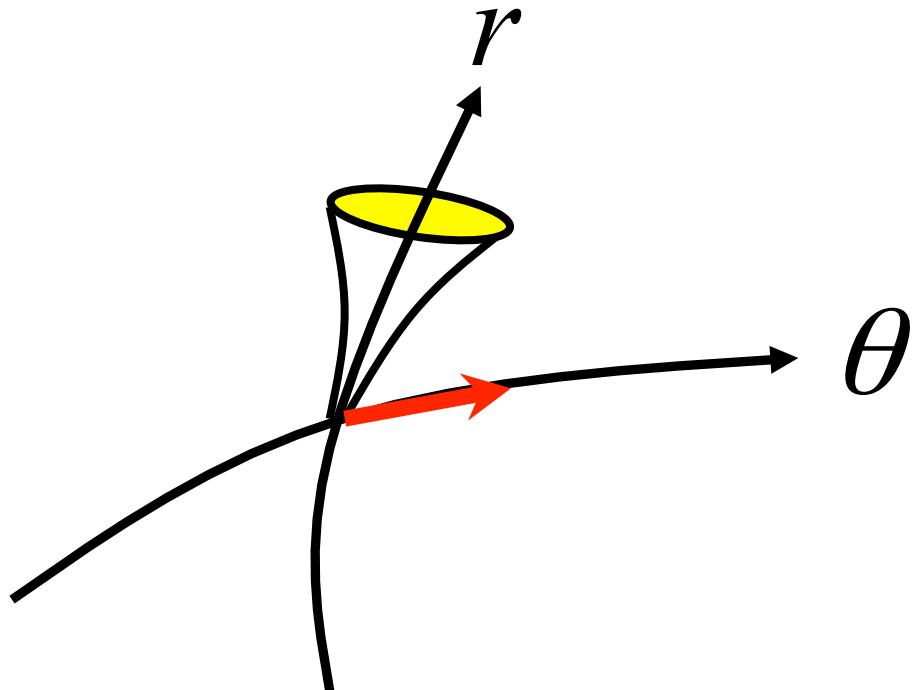
mle,      TLS

$$\sum (y_i - \theta x_i)(\theta y_i + x_i) = 0$$

Neyman-Scott

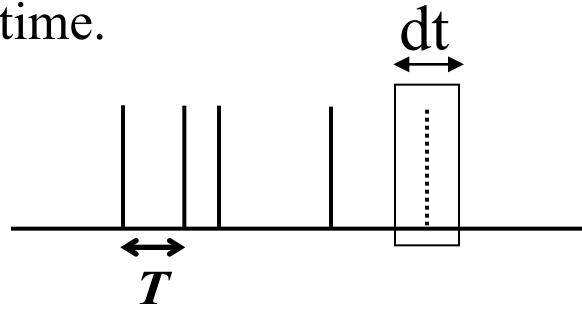
# Fibre bundle

function space



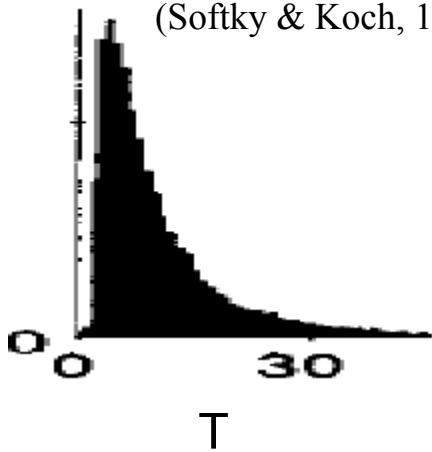
# Poisson process

**Poisson Process:** Instantaneous firing rate is constant over time.

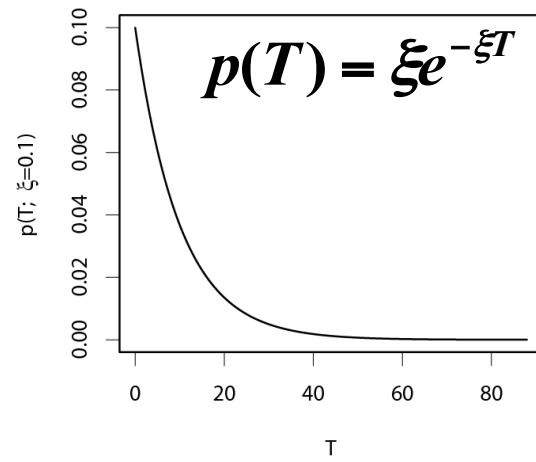


For every small time window  $dt$ , generate a spike with probability  $\xi dt$ .

**Cortical Neuron**  
(Softky & Koch, 1993)



**Poisson Process**



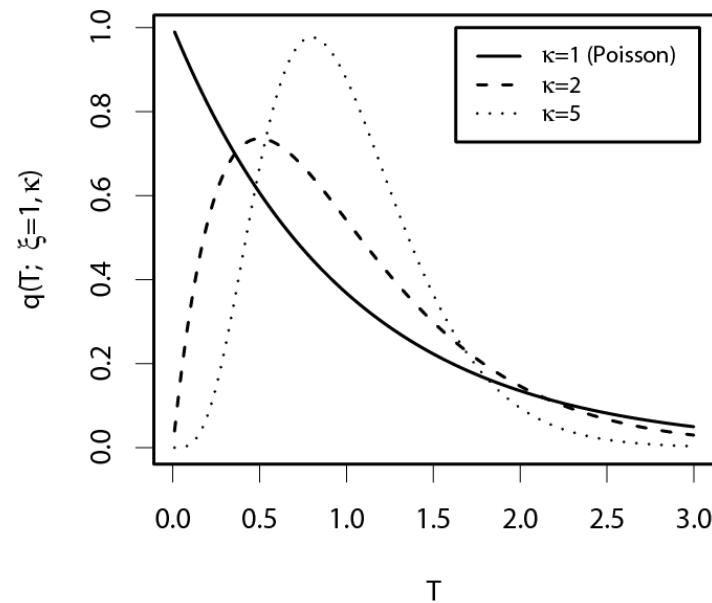
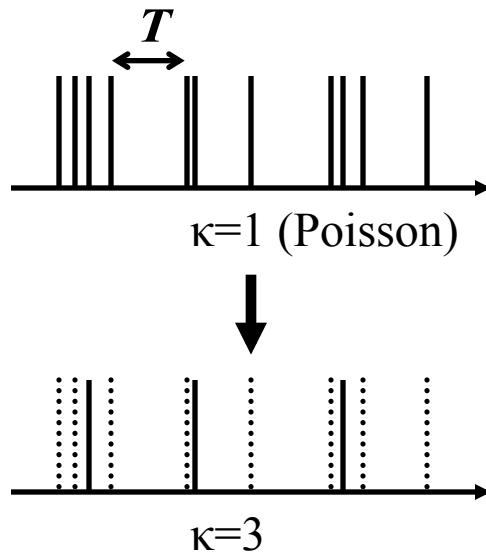
Poisson process cannot explain inter-spike interval distributions.

# Gamma distribution

**Gamma Distribution:** Every  $\kappa$ -th spike of the Poisson process is left.

$$q(T; \xi, \kappa) = \frac{(\xi\kappa)^\kappa}{\Gamma(\kappa)} T^{\kappa-1} e^{-\xi\kappa T}.$$

Two parameters  $\begin{cases} \xi: \text{Firing rate} \\ \kappa: \text{Irregularity} \end{cases}$



# Gamma distribution

$$f(T) = \frac{(r\kappa)^{\kappa}}{\Gamma(\kappa)} T^{\kappa-1} \exp\{-r\kappa T\}$$

$\kappa = 1$  : Poisson

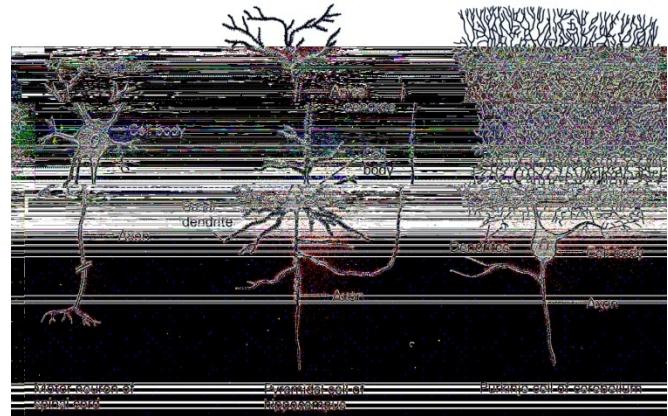
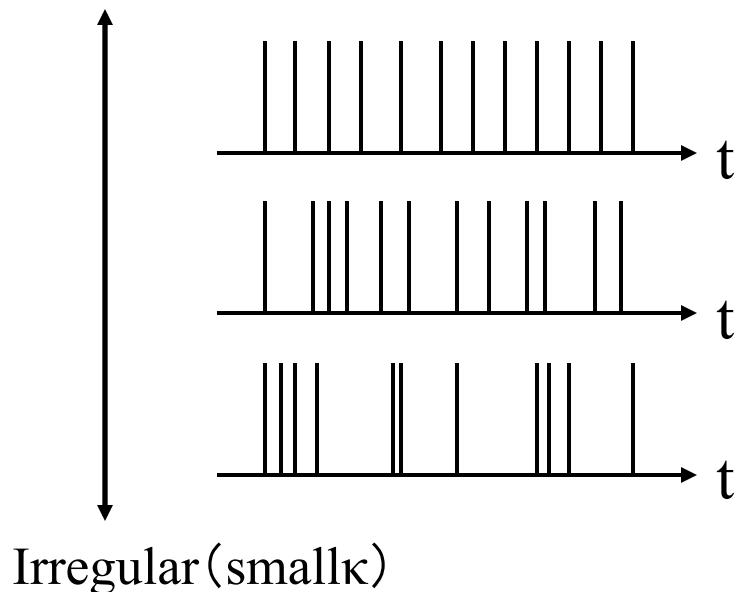
$\kappa \rightarrow \infty$  : regular

Integrate-and fire

Markov model

Irregularity  $\kappa$  is unique to individual neurons.

Regular (largek)



Irregularity varies among neurons.  
(Baker & Lemon 2000; Shinomoto et.al., 2003)

→ We assume that  $\kappa$  is independent of time.

# Bayesian Information Geometry

$$p(x|\theta) = \exp\{\theta \cdot x + k(x) - \psi(\theta) + \log \pi(\theta)\}$$

$$p(x|\theta), \quad p(\theta|x)$$

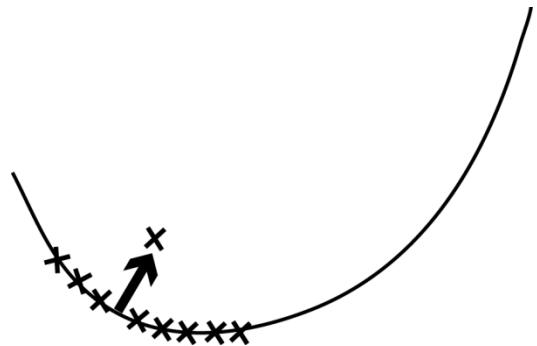
# Predictive Distribution

$$D = \{x_1, L, x_N\}$$

$$p(x|D) = \int p(x|\theta)p(\theta|D)d\theta$$

$$= p(x, \hat{\theta}) + \frac{1}{N} H_{ijk} \hat{v}^k$$

$$\underset{p}{\text{Min}} E \left[ KL \left[ p(x, \theta_0) : p(x|D) \right] \right]$$



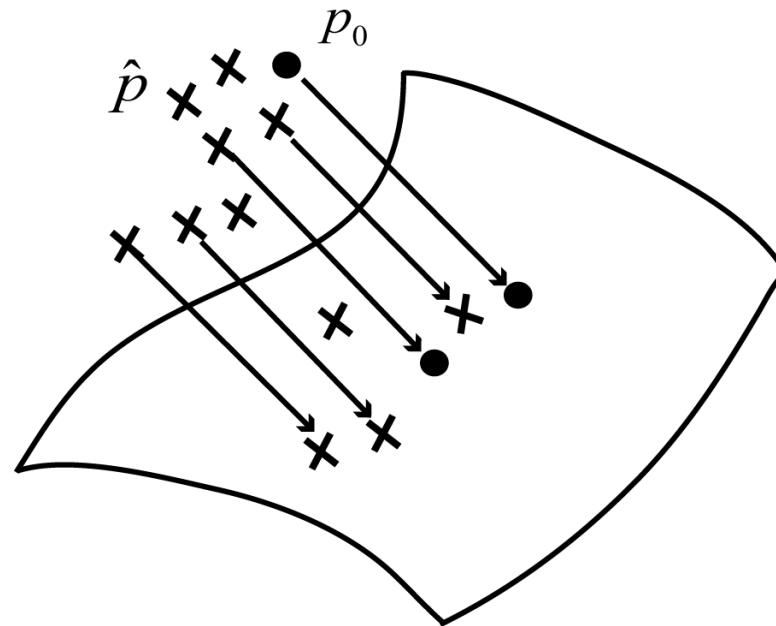
$$\underset{\alpha}{\text{Min}} ED_\alpha \left[ p(x, \theta_0) : p(x|D) \right]$$

$\alpha$  -**predictive distribution**

# Bootstrap Method

$$D = \{x_1, L_{p_0}, x_N\} \Rightarrow \hat{p}(x)$$

resampling :



# EM algorithm

hidden variables

$$p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}; \mathbf{u})$$

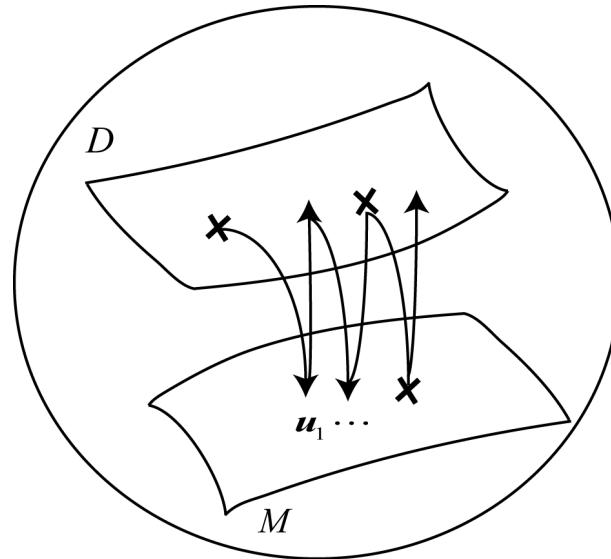
$$D = \{\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_N\}$$

$$M = \{p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}; \mathbf{u})\}$$

$$D_M = \{p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) \mid p(\mathbf{x}) = p_D(\mathbf{x})\}$$

$$\min KL [\hat{p}(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}) : p \in M] \quad \text{m-projection to } M$$

$$\min KL [p \in D : p(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{y}; \hat{\mathbf{u}})] \quad \text{e-projection to } D$$



# Tsallis q-entropy

conformal information geometry

$$H_T = E \left[ \ln_q \frac{1}{p(x)} \right] = \frac{1}{1-q} \left\{ \int p(x)^q dx - 1 \right\}$$

# **Computer vision:**

$$s(x, y) \geq 0$$

**Divergence  
Clustering  
Center  
Retrieval**

# Total Bregman Divergence and its Applications to Shape Retrieval

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### 3. Conformal change of divergence

$$D(p:q) = \sigma(p)\sigma(q)D[p:q]$$

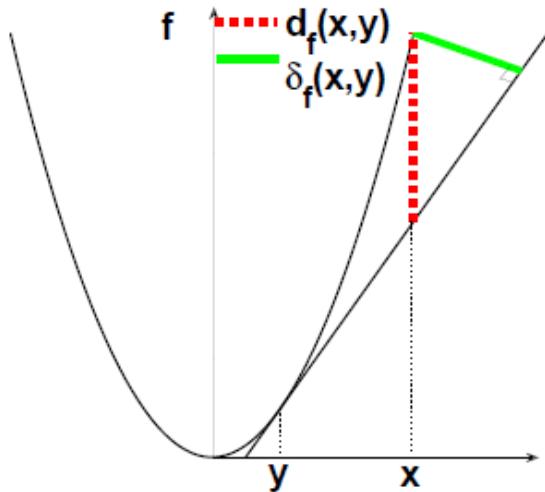
$$g_{ij}^0 = \sigma(p)\sigma(p)g_{ij}$$

$$\begin{aligned}\Gamma_{ijk}^0 &= \sigma_1\sigma_2\Gamma_{ijk} + \sigma_2\partial_i\sigma_1 g_{ijk} + \sigma_2\partial_j\sigma_1 g_{ik} \\ &\quad - \sigma_1\partial_k\sigma_2 g_{ij}\end{aligned}$$

Conformally flat  $\rightarrow$  canonical divergence

# Total Bregman Divergence

$$TD[x:y] = \frac{D[x:y]}{\sqrt{1 + \|\nabla f\|^2}}$$



- rotational invariance
- conformal geometry

Figure:  $d_f(x, y)$  (dotted red line) is BD,  $\delta_f(x, y)$  (bold green line) is TBD, and the two arrows indicate the coordinate system. Note that  $d_f(x, y)$  changes with rotation unlike  $\delta_f(x, y)$  which is invariant to rotation.

**$t$ -center**

$$\nabla f(\mathbf{x}^*) = \frac{\sum w_i \nabla f(\mathbf{x}_i)}{\sum w_i}$$

$$w_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{1 + \|\nabla f(\mathbf{x}_i)\|^2}}$$

# *t*-center is robust

$$E^* = \{x_1, L, x_n; y\}$$

$$\mathcal{X}^* = x^* + \varepsilon z(x^*; y), \quad \varepsilon = \frac{1}{n}$$

influence function  $z(x^*; y)$

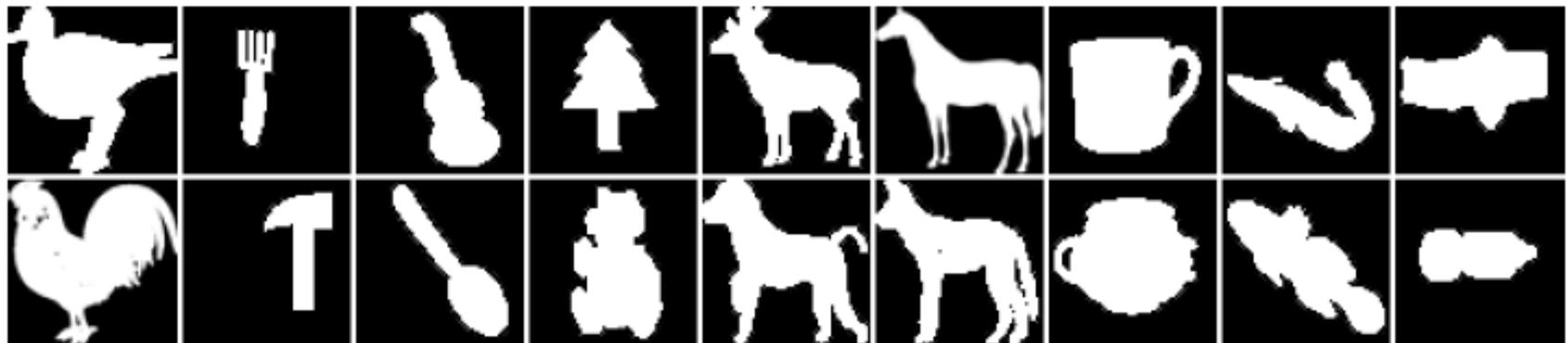
$|z| < c$  as  $|y| \rightarrow \infty$  : robust

# TBD application-shape retrieval

- Using MPEG7 database;
- 70 classes, with 20 shapes each class  
(Meizhu Liu)

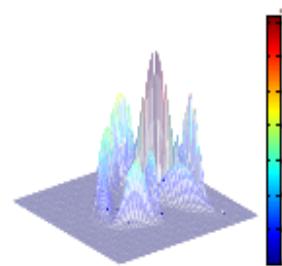
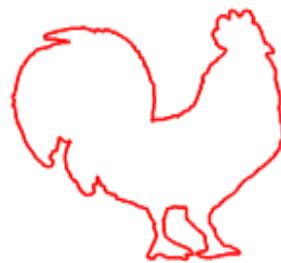
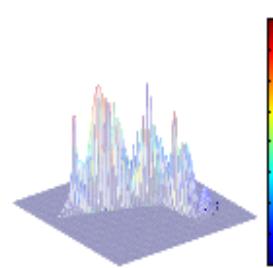
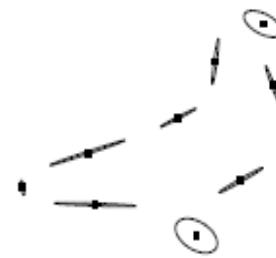
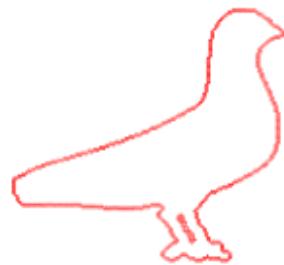
# MPEG7 database

- Great intraclass variability, and small interclass dissimilarity.



# Shape representation

A shape is represented using a mixture of Gaussians from the aligned boundary points.



# Experimental results

Technique	Recognition rate (%)
Mixture of Gaussians + fSL	89.1
Mixture of Gaussians + $\chi^2$	63.3
Mixture of Gaussians + SL	56.7
Shape-tree[6]	87.7
IDSC + DP + EMD[14]	86.56
Hierarchical Procrustes [15]	86.35
IDSC + DP [13]	85.4
Shape L'Âne Rouge[18]	85.25
Generative Models [21]	80.03
Curve Edit [19]	78.14
SC + TPS [3] [3]	76.51
Visual Parts [10]	76.45
CSS [16]	75.44

Table 3. Recognition rates comparison.

# Neural Networks

## Multilayer Perceptron

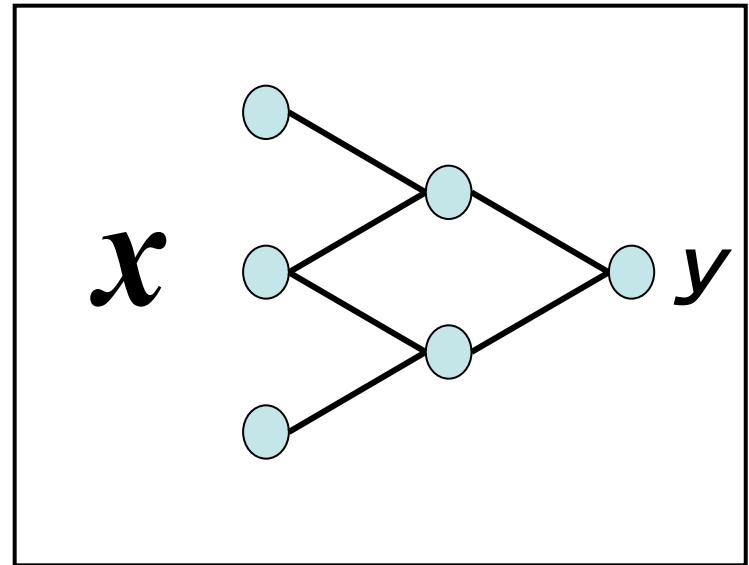
*Higher-order correlations*

*Synchronous firing*

# Multilayer Perceptrons

$$y = \sum v_i \varphi(w_i \cdot x) + n$$

$$x = (x_1, x_2, \dots, x_n)$$

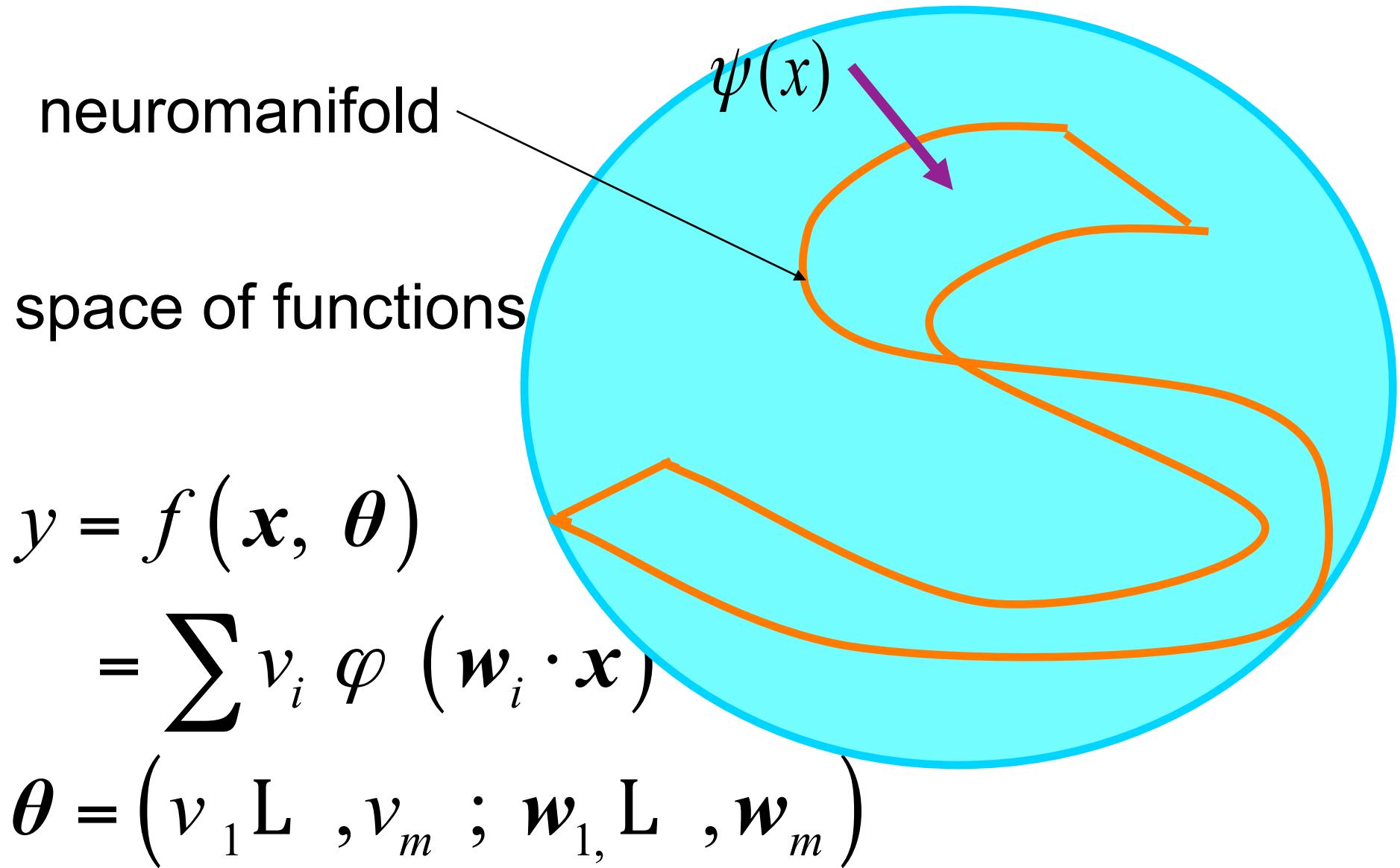


$$p(y|x; \theta) = c \exp \left\{ -\frac{1}{2} (y - f(x, \theta))^2 \right\}$$

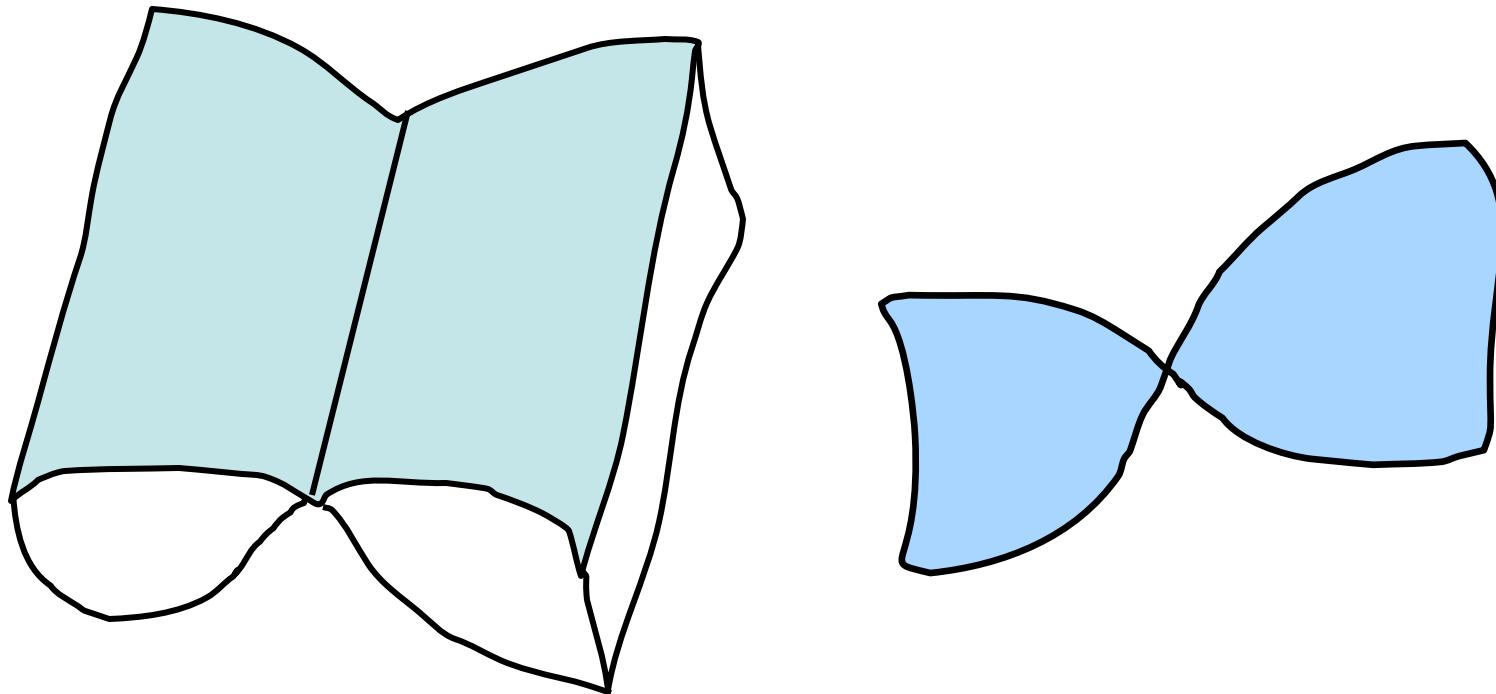
$$f(x, \theta) = \sum v_i \varphi(w_i \cdot x)$$

$$\theta = (w_1, \dots, w_m; v_1, \dots, v_m)$$

# Multilayer Perceptron



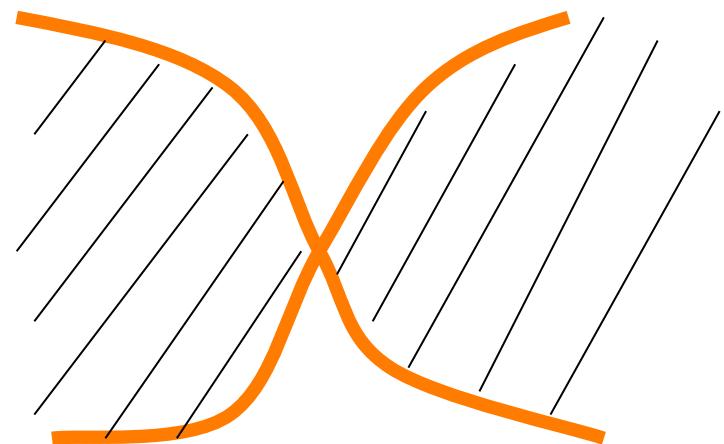
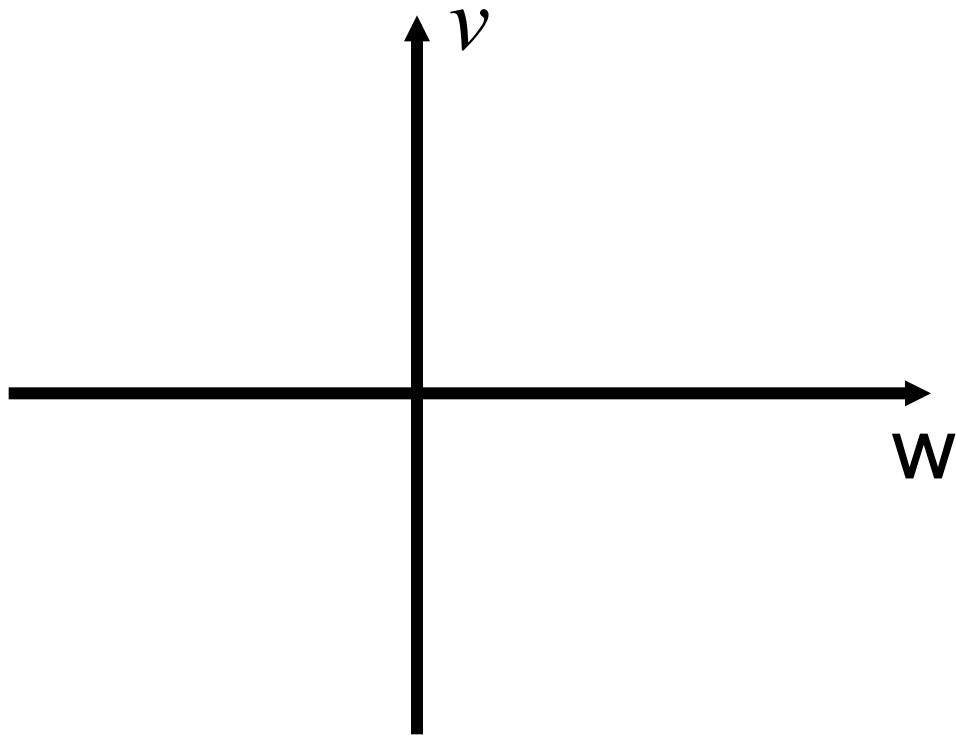
# singularities



# Geometry of singular model

$$y = v\varphi(w \cdot x) + n$$

$$v | w | = 0$$



# Backpropagation ---gradient learning

examples:  $(y_1, \mathbf{x}_1), L(y_t, \mathbf{x}_t)$

$$E = \frac{1}{2} |y - f(\mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta})|^2 = -\log p(y, \mathbf{x}; \boldsymbol{\theta})$$

natural gradient (Riemannian)

$$\Delta \boldsymbol{\theta}_t = -\eta_t \frac{\partial E}{\partial \boldsymbol{\theta}} \quad \nabla^0 E = G^{-1} \nabla E \text{ --steepest descent}$$

$$f(\mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \sum v_i \varphi(\mathbf{w}_i \cdot \mathbf{x})$$

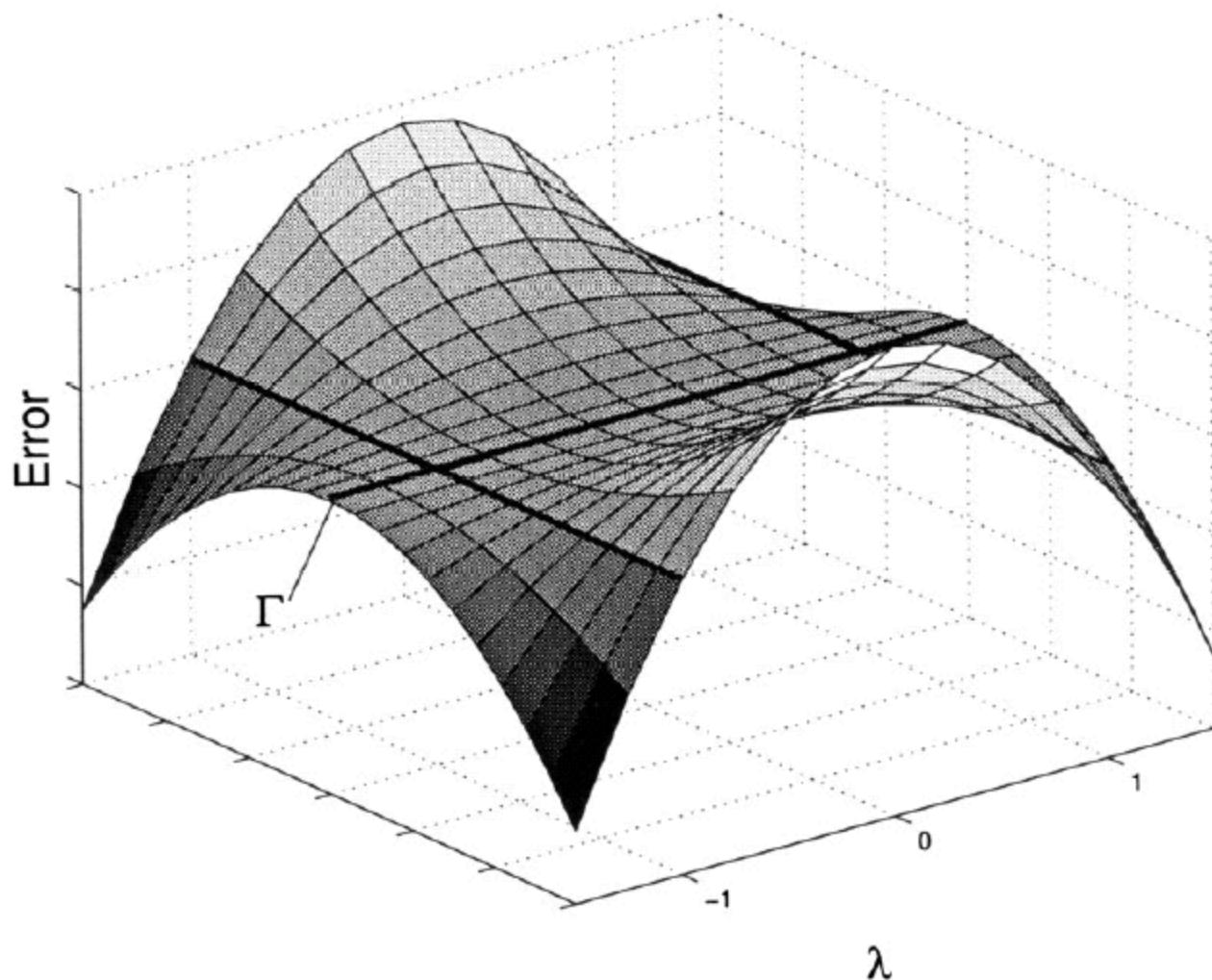
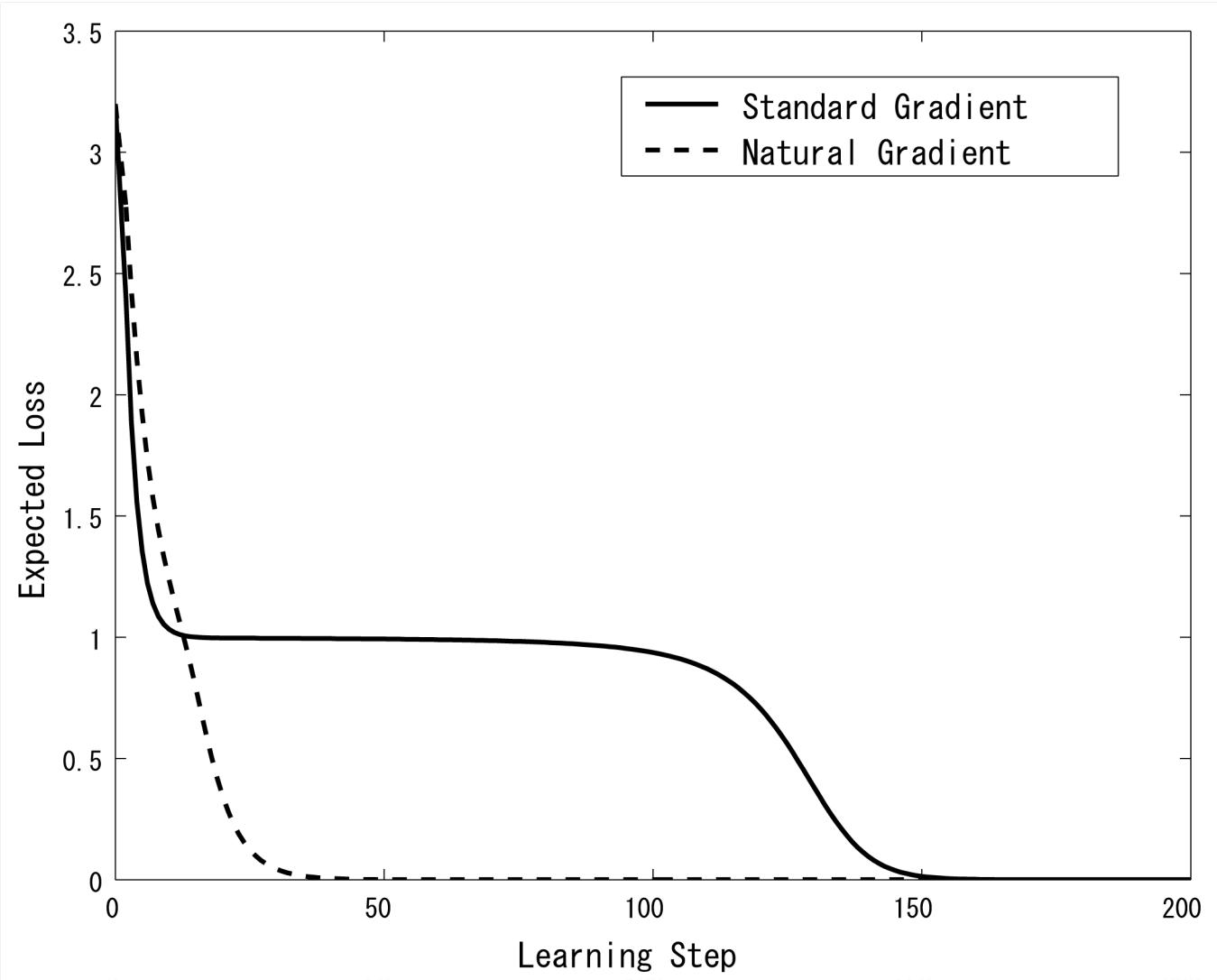
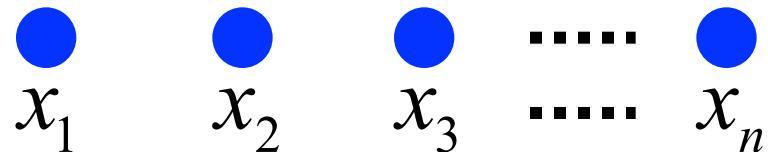


Fig. 5. Critical set with local minima and plateaus.



# **Neural Firing**

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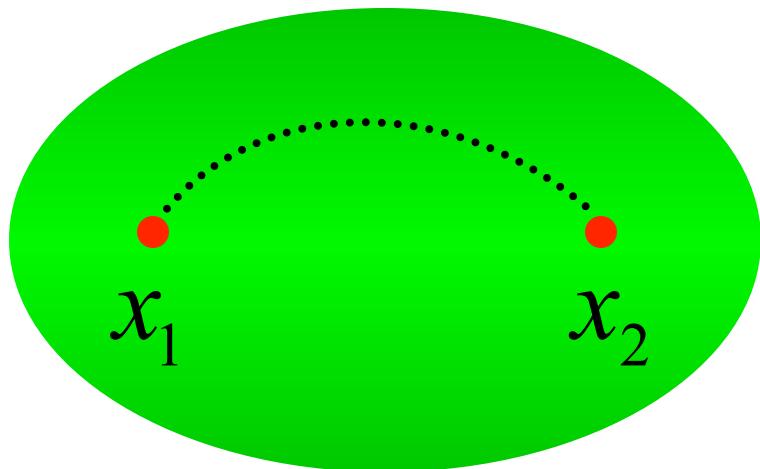
$\eta_i$  : firing rate

$\theta_{ij}$  : correlations

$p(x_1, x_2)$

orthogonal decomposition  
higher-order correlations

# Correlations of Neural Firing



$$\{p(x_1, x_2)\}$$

$$\{p_{00}, p_{10}, p_{01}, p_{11}\}$$

$$\eta_1 = p_{1\cdot}$$

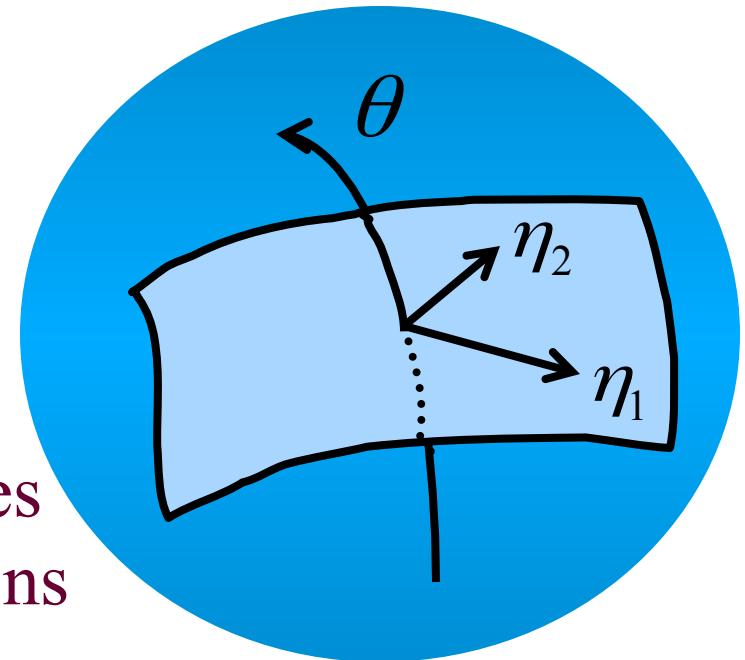
$$\eta_2 = p_{\cdot 1}$$

firing rates  
correlations

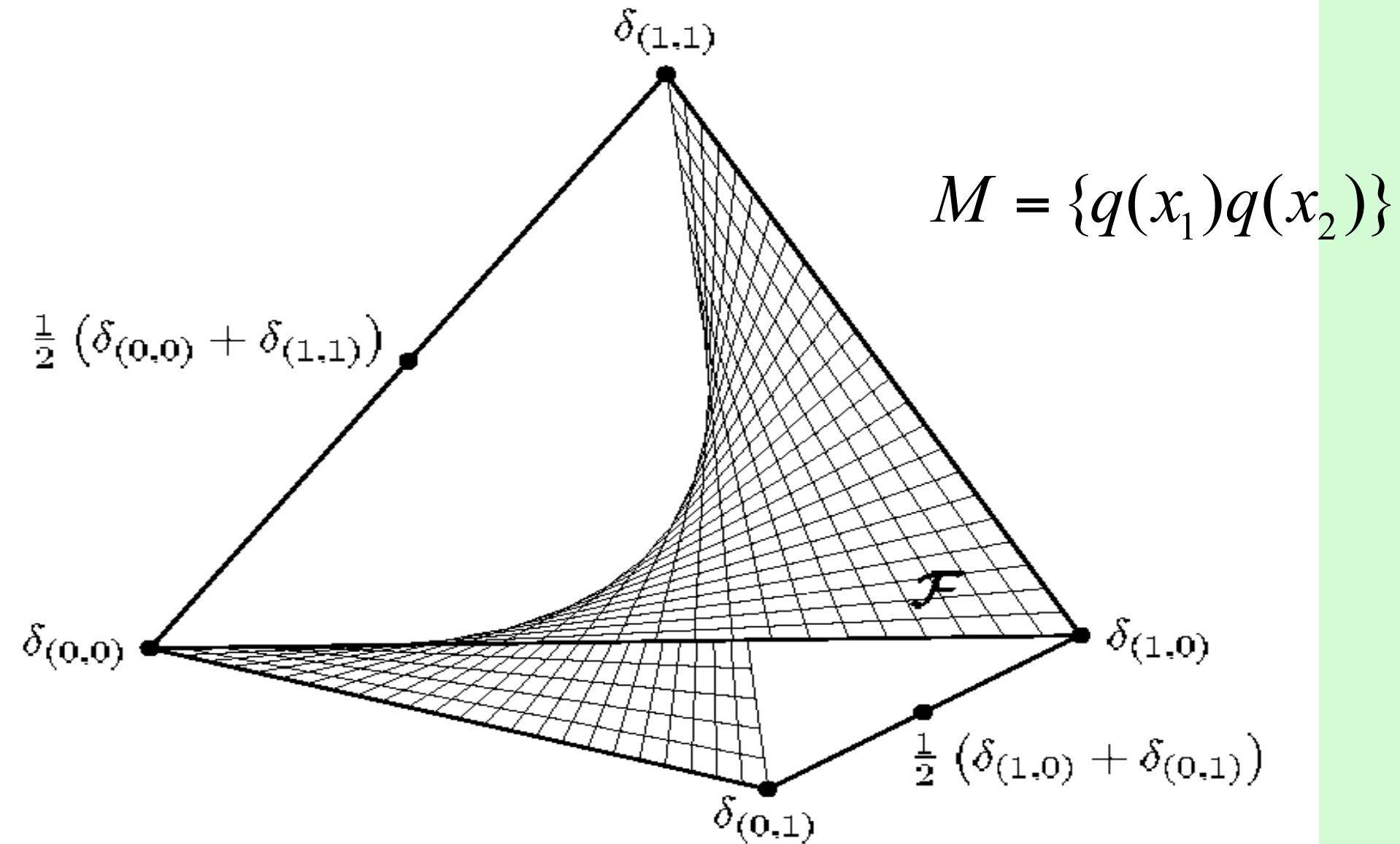
$$\theta = \log \frac{p_{11}p_{00}}{p_{10}p_{01}}$$

$$\{(\eta_1, \eta_2), \theta\}$$

orthogonal coordinates



# Independent Distributions



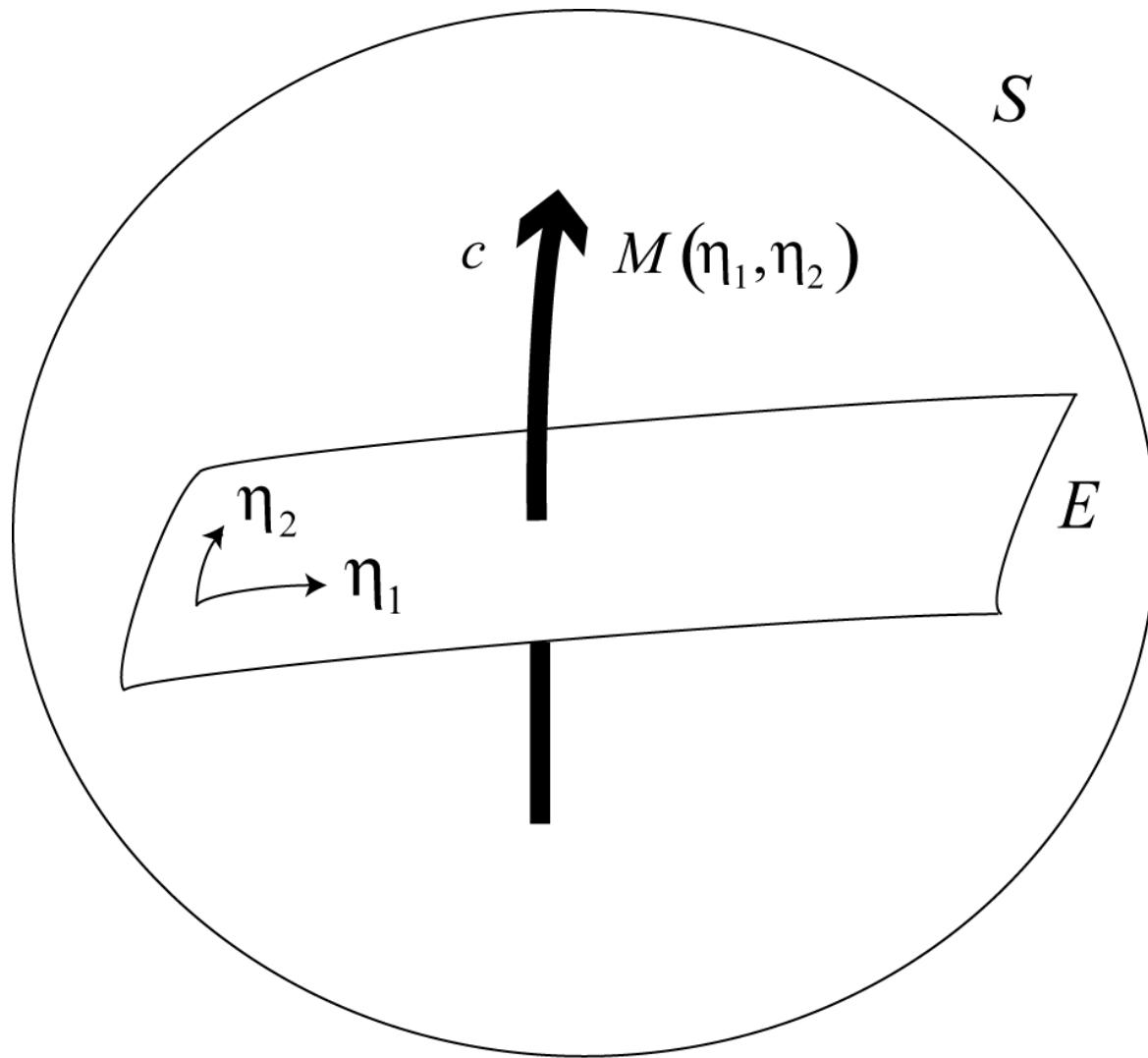
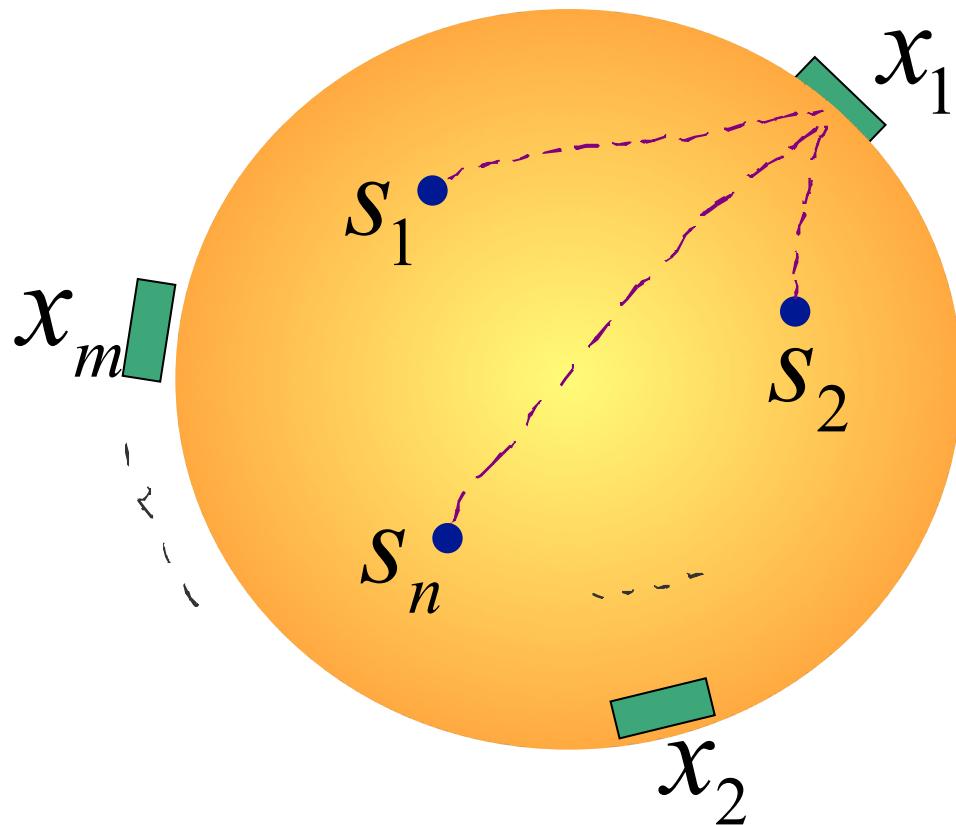


Fig. 1a

# mixture and unmixture of independent signals



$$x_i = \sum_{j=1}^n A_{ij} s_j$$

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{As}$$

# Signal Processing

## ICA : Independent Component Analysis

$$\mathbf{x}_t = A\mathbf{s}_t \quad \mathbf{x}_t \rightarrow \mathbf{s}_t$$

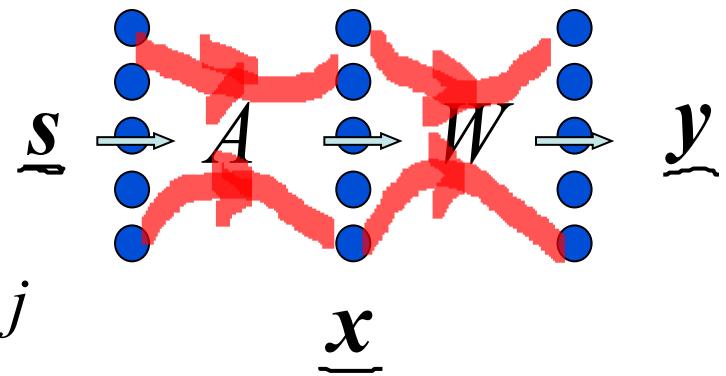
**sparse component analysis**

**positive matrix factorization**

# Independent Component Analysis

$$\underline{x} = A\underline{s} \quad x_i = \sum A_{ij} s_j$$

$$y = Wx \quad W = A^{-1}$$



**observations:**  $x(1), x(2), \dots, x(t)$

**recover:**  $s(1), s(2), \dots, s(t)$

**Example of color image separation :**



Five original images (but unknown to the neural net)

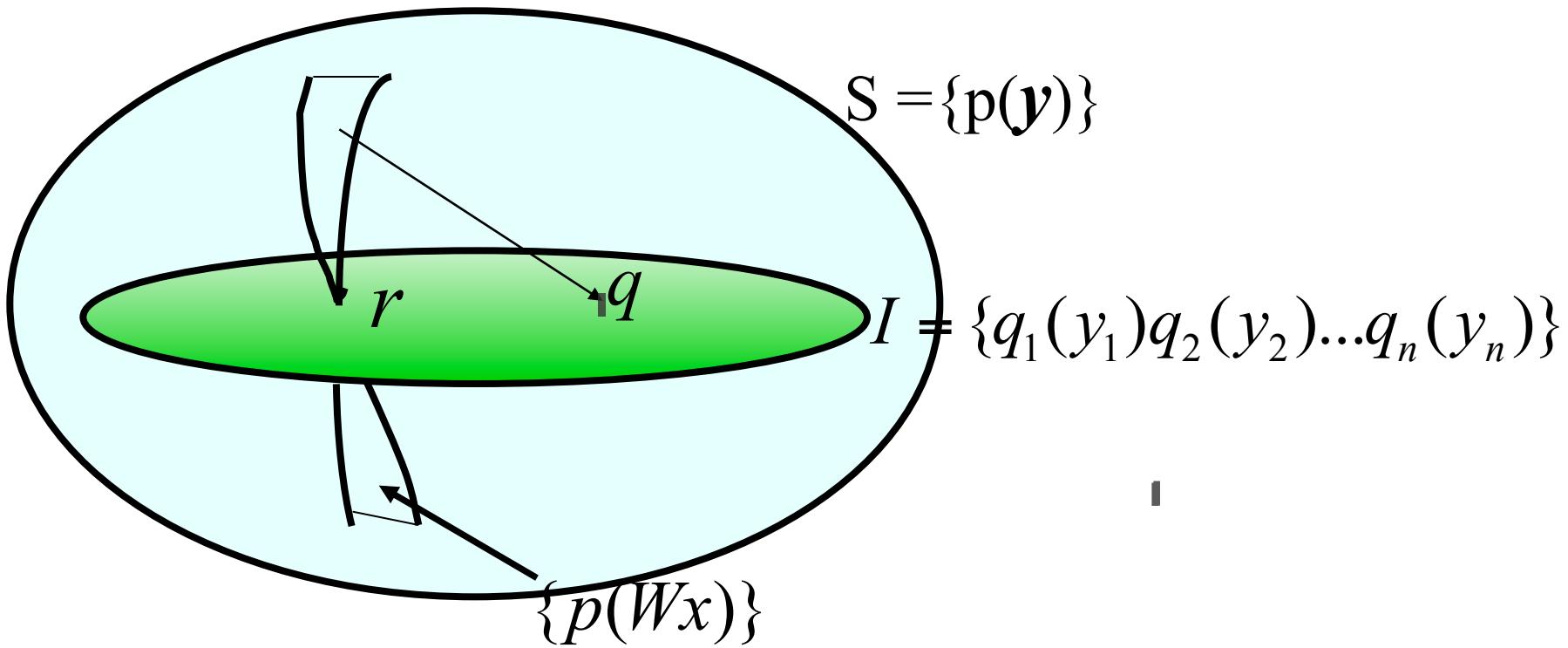


Five mixed images for separation



Final (stable states) of five separated images

# Information Geometry of ICA

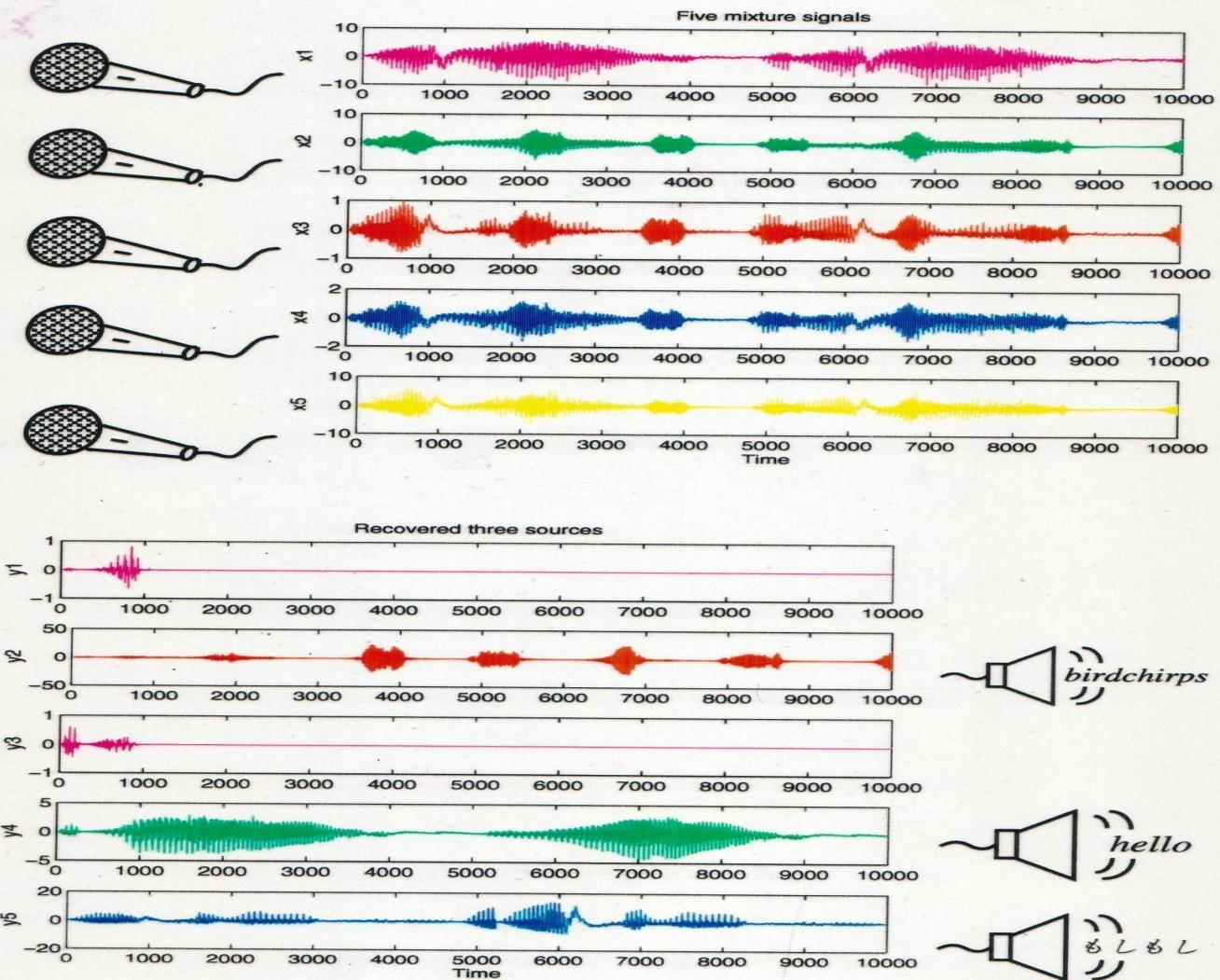


**natural gradient  
estimating function  
stability, efficiency**

$$l(\mathbf{W}) = KL[p(\mathbf{y}; \mathbf{W}) : q(\mathbf{y})]$$

$$r(\mathbf{y})$$

## Cocktail party experiment



# **Natural Gradient**

$$\Delta W = -\eta \frac{\partial l(y, W)}{\partial W} W^T W$$

# Basis Given: overcomplete case

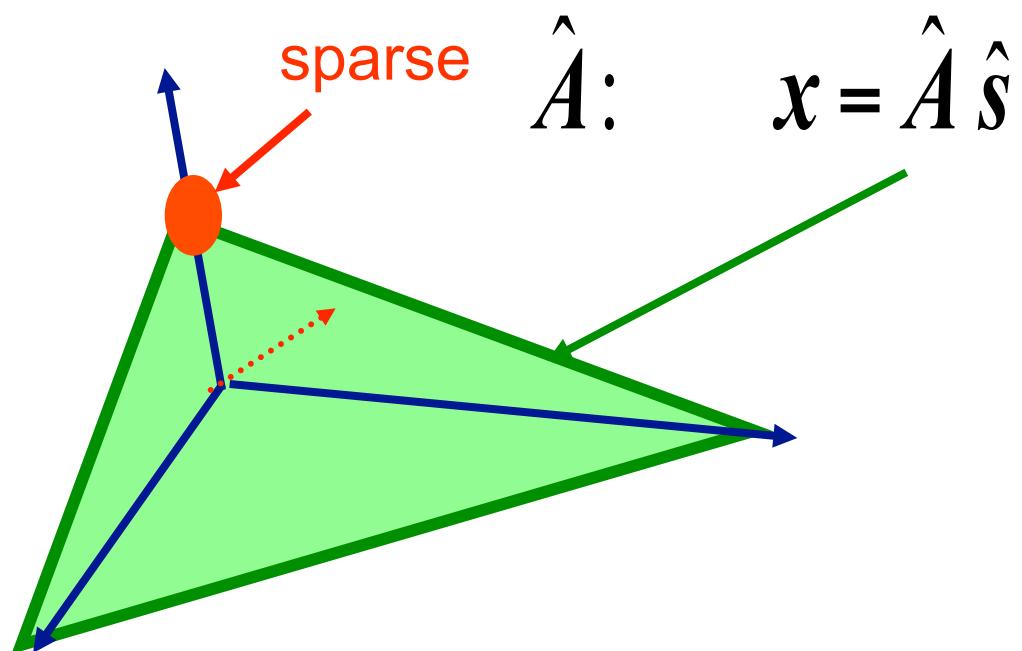
## Sparse Solution

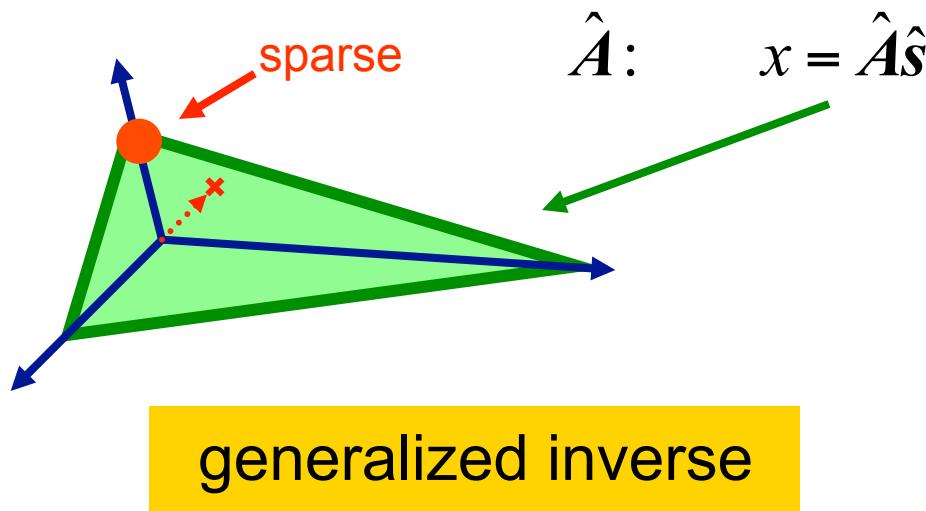
$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{A}\mathbf{s} = \sum s_i \mathbf{a}_i$$

many solutions

many  $s_i \rightarrow 0$

$$\mathbf{x}_t = \hat{\mathbf{A}}\mathbf{s}_t$$

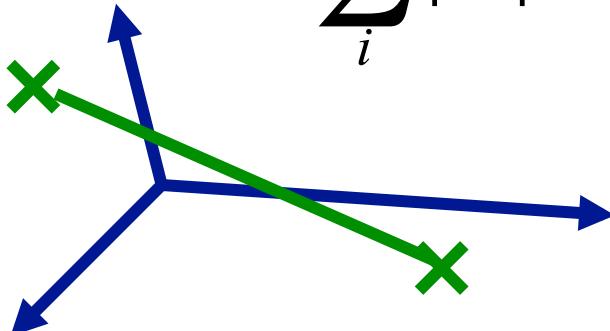




$L_2$ -norm:  $\min \sum |\hat{s}_i^2|$

sparse solution

$L_1$ -norm:  $\min \sum_i |\hat{s}_i|$



# Overcomplete Basis and Sparse Solution

$$\mathbf{x} = \sum s_i \mathbf{a}_i = A\mathbf{s}$$

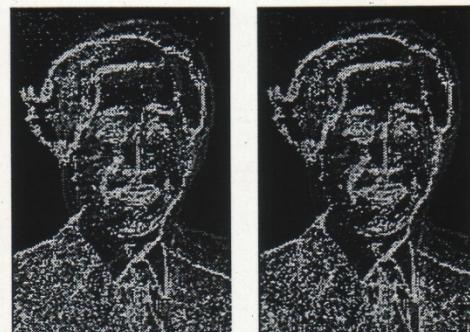
$$\min |\mathbf{s}|_1 = \sum |s_i|$$

$$\min |A\mathbf{s} - \mathbf{x}|_p + \alpha |\mathbf{s}|_p,$$

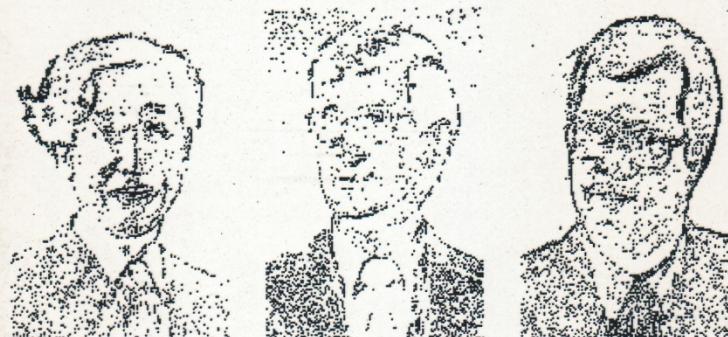
non-linear denoising



(a) Three binary edge images (reverse images are used in the experiment)



(b) Two edge image mixtures



(c) Reconstructed binary edge images (after reversion)

**Fig. 5:** Example of edge image image reconstruction: (a) the three binary edge images (reverse image copies are supplied for processing) , (b) their two mixtures, (c) the three extracted edge images (after reversion).

# Linear Systems

$$u_t \longrightarrow \text{[blue box]} \longrightarrow x_t$$

## ARMA

$$x_{t+1} = \frac{1 + b_1 z^{-1} + \dots + b_q z^{-p}}{1 + a_1 z^{-1} + \dots + a_p z^{-p}} u_t$$

$$\theta = (a_1, \dots, a_p : b_1, \dots, b_q)$$

$$x_{t+1} = f(\theta, z^{-1}, u_t)$$

AR---e-flat

MA---m-flat

# Information Geometry of Belief Propagation

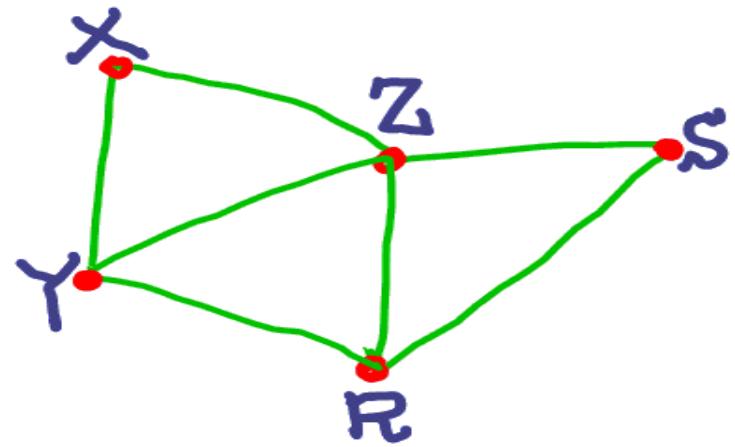
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- Toshiyuki Tanaka (Tokyo Metropolitan U.)

# Stochastic Reasoning

$$p(x, y, z, r, s)$$

$$p(x, y, z \mid r, s)$$

$$x, y, z, \dots = 1, -1$$



# Mean Value

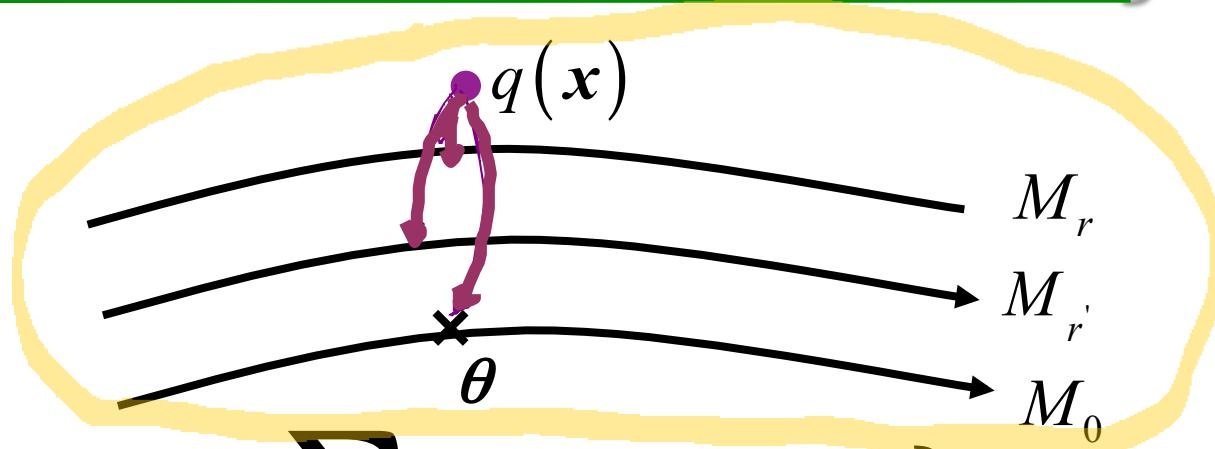
## Marginlization

$$\Pi_0 q(\mathbf{x}) = q_1(x_1)q_2(x_2)\dots q_n(x_n) = q_0(\mathbf{x})$$

$$q_i(x_i) = \int q(x_1, \dots, x_n) dx_1 \dots \cancel{dx_i} \dots dx_n$$

$$\eta = \mathbf{E}_q[\mathbf{x}] = \mathbf{E}_{q_0}[\mathbf{x}]$$

# Information Geometry



$$q(x) = \exp \left\{ \sum c_r(x) - \phi \right\}$$

$$M_0 = \left\{ p_0(x, \theta) \right\} = \exp \left\{ \theta \cdot x - \psi_0 \right\}$$

$$M_r = \left\{ p_r(x, \zeta_r) = \exp \left\{ c_r(x) + \zeta_r \cdot x - \psi_r \right\} \right\}_{r=1, L, L}$$

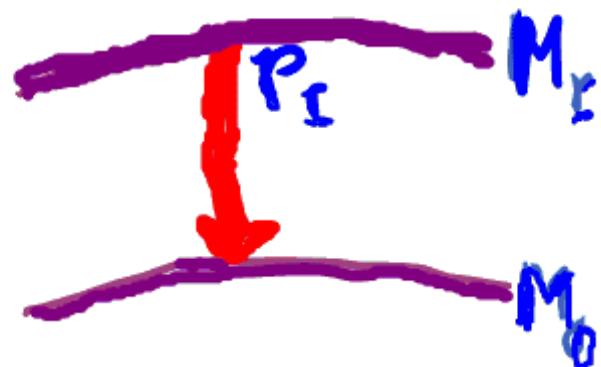
# Belief Propagation

$$\Pi_0 p_r(x, \zeta_r) \quad p(x, \zeta_r) = \exp\{c_r(x) + \zeta_r \cdot x - \psi_r\}$$

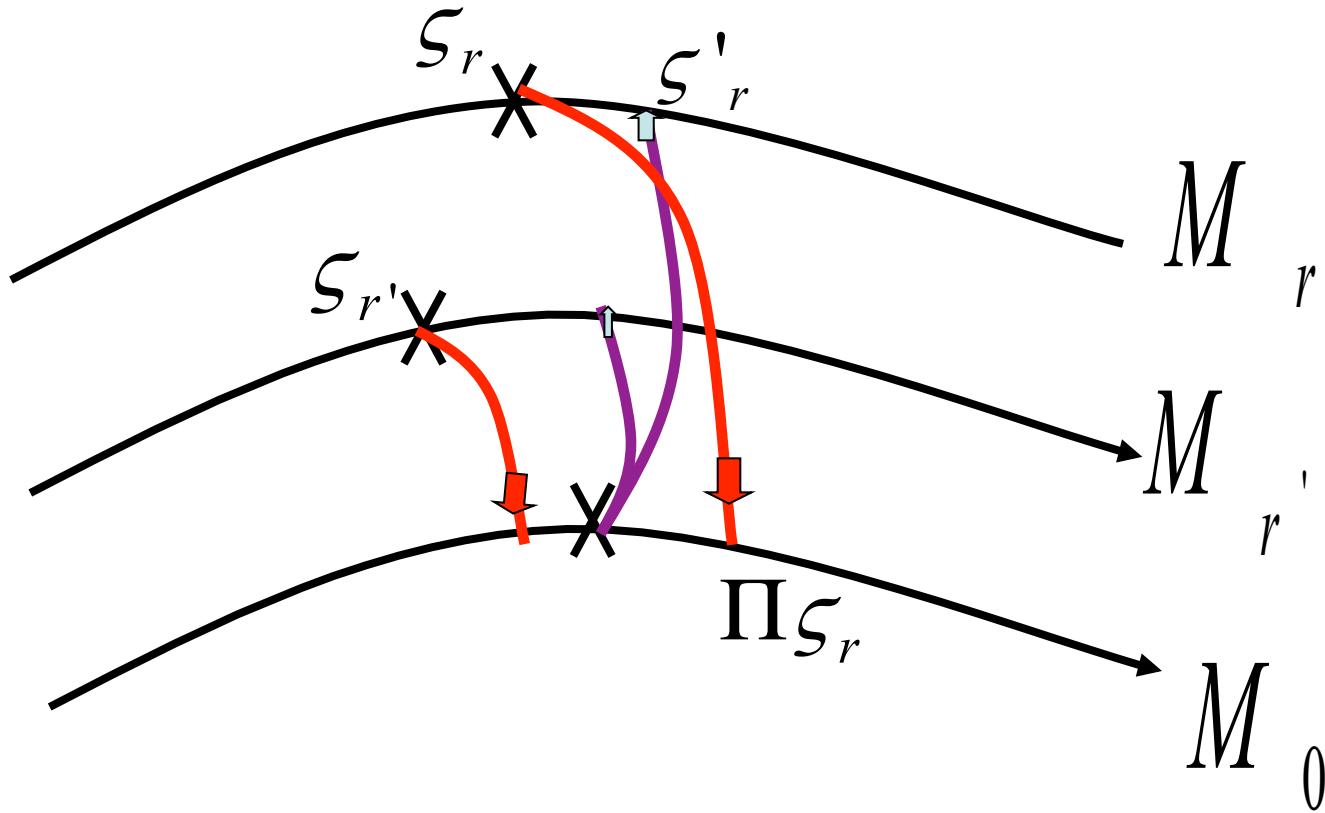
$$\xi_r^{t+1} = \Pi_0 p_r(x, \zeta_r^t) - \zeta_r^t : \text{ belief for } c_r(x)$$

$$\zeta_r^{t+1} = \sum_{r' \neq r} \Pi_0 \left\{ p(\zeta_{r'}^t) - \zeta_{r'}^t \right\} = \sum \xi_{r'}^{t+1}$$

$$\theta^{t+1} = \frac{1}{L-1} \sum_r \zeta_r^{t+1} = \sum \xi_r^{t+1}$$



# Belief Prop Algorithm



# Belief Propagation

## e-condition OK

$$F(\theta; \xi_1, \xi_2, \dots, \xi_L), \quad \theta = \theta(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_L)$$

$$(\xi_1, \dots, \xi_L) \rightarrow (\xi'_1, \dots, \xi'_L)$$

CCCP      m-condition OK

$$\xi_1(\theta), \xi_2(\theta), \xi_L(\theta)$$

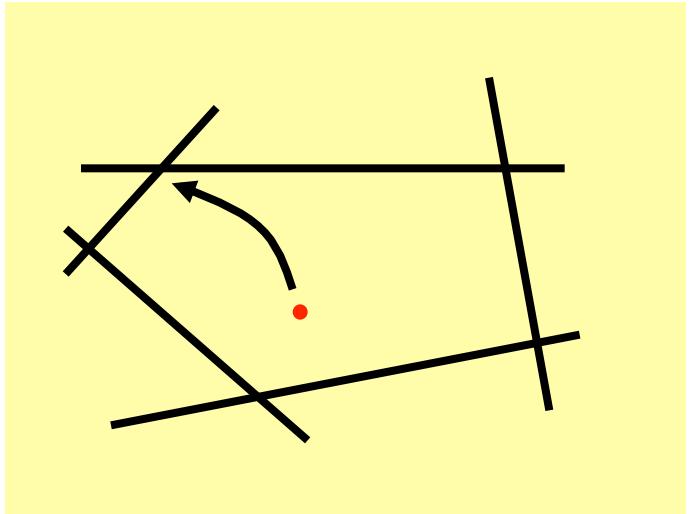
$$\theta \rightarrow \theta'$$

# Linear Programming

$$\sum A_{ij}x_j \geq b_i$$

$$\max \sum c_i x_i$$

$$\psi(x) = \sum_i \log(\sum A_{ij}x_j - b_i)$$



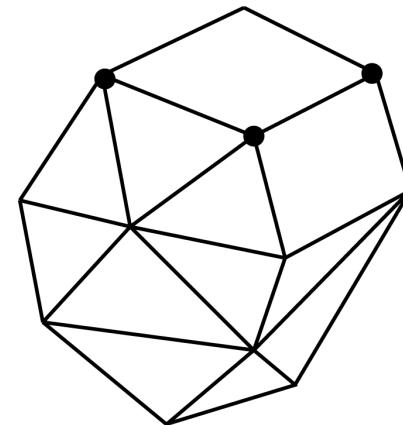
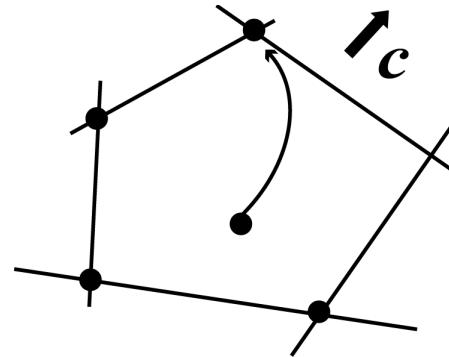
# Convex Programming — Inner Method

$$LP: Ax \geq b, \quad c \cdot x \geq 0$$

$$\min \quad c \cdot x$$

$$\begin{aligned}\psi(x) = & \sum \log \left( \sum A_{ij} x_j - b_i \right) \\ & + \sum \log x_i\end{aligned}$$

$$\eta = \partial_i \psi(x)$$



**Simplex method ; inner method**

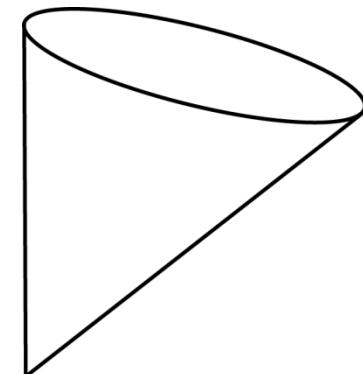
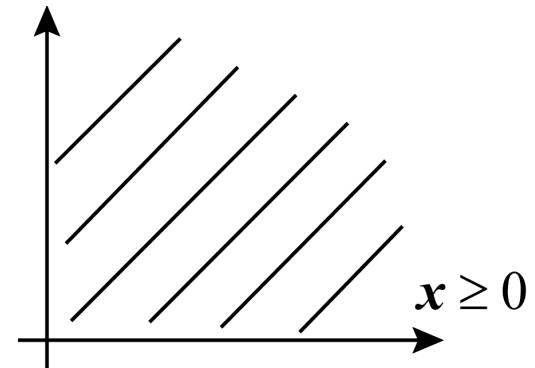
# Convex Cone Programming

$P$  : positive semi-definite matrix

convex potential function

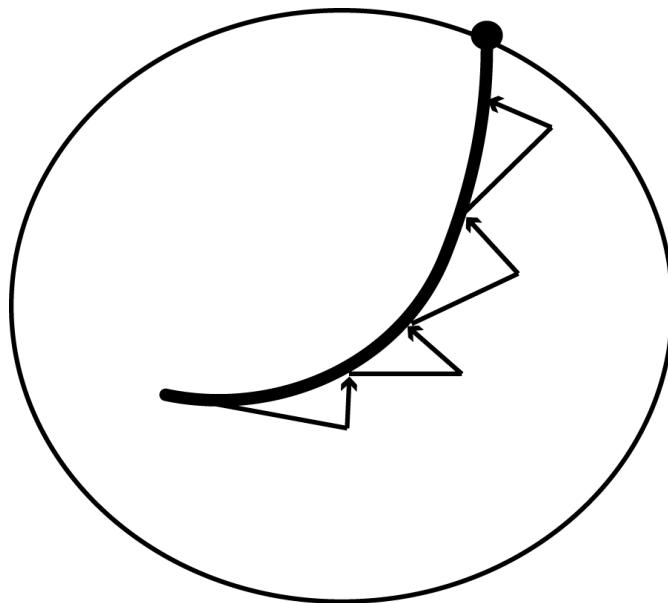
dual geodesic approach

$$Ax = b, \quad \min c \cdot x$$



Support vector machine

# Polynomial-Time Algorithm



curvature : step-size

$$|H^{(m)}|^2$$

$$\min : tc \cdot x + \psi(x) \quad x = \delta(t) \quad \nabla^* - \text{geodesic}$$

# Machine Learning

**Boosting : combination of weak learners**

$$D = \{(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), \dots, (x_N, y_N)\}$$

$$y_i = \pm -1$$

$$f(x, u) : y = h(x, u) = \text{sgn } f(x, u)$$

# Weak Learners

$$H(x) = \text{sgn}\left(\sum \alpha_t h_t(x)\right)$$

$$\varepsilon_t : \text{Prob} \left\{ h_t(x_i) \neq y_i \right\} \quad |W_t$$

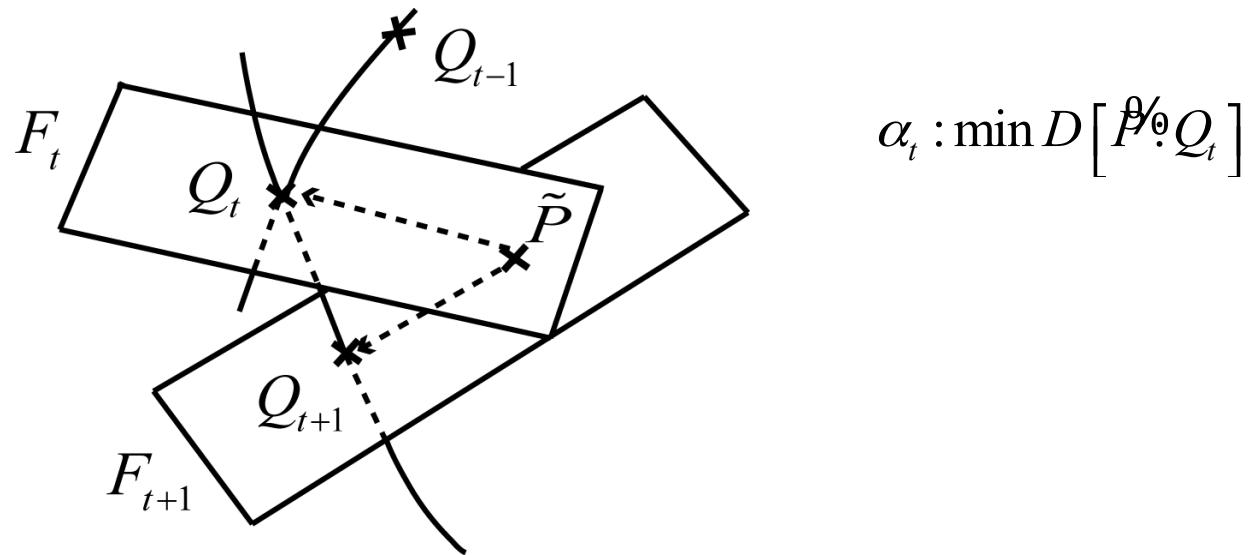
$$W_{t+1}(i) = c W_t(i) \exp\left\{-\alpha_t y_i h_t(x_i)\right\}$$

**weight distribution**

# Boosting —generalization

$$Q_t = \left\{ Q_t(y|x) = Q_{t-1}(y|x) \exp \left\{ \alpha_t y h_t(x) - \beta_t \right\} \right\}$$

$$F_t = \left\{ P(y, x) E y h_t(x) = \text{const} \right\}$$



$$\alpha_t : \min D[P, Q_t]$$

$$D(P, Q_{t+1}) < D(P, Q_t)$$

# SVM : support vector machine

**Embedding**

$$z_i = \phi_i(x)$$

$$f(x) = \sum w_i \phi_i(x) = \sum \alpha_i y_i K(x_i, x)$$

**Kernel**

$$K(x, x') = \sum \phi_i(x) \phi_i(x')$$

**Conformal change of kernel**

$$K(x, x') \longrightarrow \rho(x) \rho(x') K(x, x')$$

$$\rho(x) = \exp\{-\kappa f(x)\}$$

# **$KL$ -divergence, $\alpha$ -divergence**

$$D_\alpha [p(x) : q(x)] = \frac{4}{1-\alpha^2} \left\{ 1 - \int p(x)^{\frac{1-\alpha}{2}} q(x)^{\frac{1+\alpha}{2}} dx \right\}$$

$$\alpha \rightarrow -1 : D_{-1}[p : q] = KL[p : q] = \int p(x) \log \frac{p(x)}{q(x)} dx$$

$$\alpha \rightarrow +1 : D_1[p : q] = KL[q : p]$$

$\alpha$  -representation

$$f_\alpha(p) = \frac{2}{1-\alpha} \{p(x)\}^{\frac{2}{1-\alpha}}$$

$$\alpha \text{-family} : \quad p(x, \theta)^{\frac{1-\alpha}{2}} = c \sum \theta_i q_i(x)^{\frac{1-\alpha}{2}}$$

$$\begin{cases} \text{exponential family} & (\alpha = -1) \\ \text{mixture family} & (\alpha = 1) \end{cases} \quad \text{dually flat}$$

# Csiszar $f$ -divergence, $U$ -divergence

$$D_f [p(x) : q(x)] = \int f\left(\frac{q(x)}{p(x)}\right) p(x) dx$$

$$D_U [p(x) : q(x)]$$

# $\alpha$ -divergence from convex function

$$D_\alpha(P, P') = \frac{4}{1-\alpha^2} [1 - \exp \{ \psi(\frac{1-\alpha}{2}\theta + \frac{1+\alpha}{2}\theta') \\ + \psi(\frac{1-\alpha}{2}\theta) + \psi(\frac{1+\alpha}{2}\theta') \}]$$

$\alpha$  -geodesic, duality, projection

# Integration of evidences:

$$x_1, x_2, \dots x_m$$

arithmetic mean

geometric mean

harmonic mean

$\alpha$  -mean