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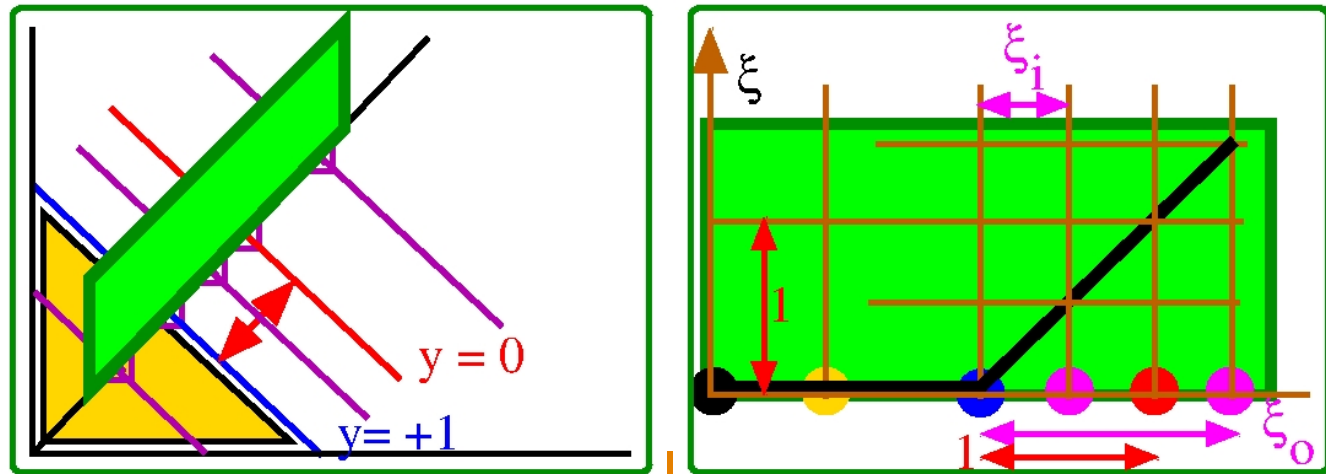
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- An outlier excursion point beyond the 'boundary': Consider a point at $\xi_o \triangleq \xi_i$ from 'near' margin.
 - $\frac{\xi_o}{\|\mathbf{w}\|}$ farther from origin than the 'near' margin
 - eqn: $\mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_i) + (b - 1 + \xi_o) = 0$: $y_i = 1 - \xi_o$
 - $\xi_i = |t_i - y(\mathbf{x}_i)| = |1 - (1 - \xi_o)| = \xi_o$: $[\xi_o, \xi_o]$
 - Aliter: $\frac{\xi_o - 1}{\|\mathbf{w}\|}$ farther from the decision boundary
 - eqn: $\mathbf{w}^T \phi(\mathbf{x}_i) + b + (\xi_o - 1) = 0$: $y_i = 1 - \xi_o$

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- Similar formulation for the other side: $y = -1$ class■
- $|\cdot|$ imposes symmetry■
- For the +1 class, $\xi_i = |t_i - y(\mathbf{x}_i)|$, $\xi_i = 1 - y(\mathbf{x}_i)$ ■
- Required hard region: $y(\mathbf{x}_i) \geq 1$, 'golden' region■
- Required (relaxed) region: $y(\mathbf{x}_i) \geq 1 - \xi_i$ ■
- Generalising from the -1 class also, $t_i y(\mathbf{x}_i) = 1 - \xi_i$ ■
- Complete (relaxed) region: $t_i y(\mathbf{x}_i) \geq 1 - \xi_i$ ■
- Hard to Soft: allow some data be misclassified■
- Slack: allow for overlapping class distributions■

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Basic Soft-Margin Formulation

- Framework still sensitive to outliers as misclassification penalty increases linearly with ξ_i
- 1 possible formulation, QP-suitable & num stable
- Primal Formul'n: \sim hard-margin primal (simple!)
- To minimise $\frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 + C \sum_{i=1}^N \xi_i$, 1st term: previous
- 2nd term: penalises far points/excursions
- C : trade-off b/w margin & slack penalty, empirical
- $\sum_{i=1}^N \xi_i$: upper bounds # misclassifications Why?
- Correct classification: $\xi_i = 0$, or ≤ 1
- $(\forall \text{ Miscl: } \xi_i > 1) \sum_{i=1}^K \xi_i > K \implies \# \text{miscl} < \sum_{i=1}^K \xi_i$

$$L(\mathbf{w}, b, \mathbf{a}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \triangleq \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 - \sum_{i=1}^N a_i \{ t_i [\mathbf{w}^T \boldsymbol{\phi}(\mathbf{x}_i) + b] - 1 + \xi_i \} + C \sum_{i=1}^N \xi_i - \sum_{i=1}^N \mu_i \xi_i$$

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- $L(\mathbf{w}, b, \mathbf{L}mults) \triangleq$ basic fn - lin combo constrs (≥ 0)

1. $a_i \geq 0$ (Lagrange)

2. $t_i y_i \geq 1 - \xi_i \implies t_i y_i - 1 + \xi_i \geq 0$ (Golden constr)

3. $a_i [t_i y_i - 1 + \xi_i] = 0$ (imp) [KKT]

- More? $\xi_i \in [0, 1]$: margin, $\xi_i \geq 1$: outlier

1. $\xi_i \geq 0$ interpret as a constraint

2. Have a Lagrange multiplier μ_i : $\mu_i \geq 0$

3. $\xi_i \mu_i = 0$ (imp) [KKT]

- $$L(\mathbf{w}, b, \mathbf{a}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \triangleq \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 - \sum_{i=1}^N a_i \{t_i [\mathbf{w}^T \boldsymbol{\phi}(\mathbf{x}_i) + b] - 1 + \xi_i\} + C \sum_{i=1}^N \xi_i - \sum_{i=1}^N \mu_i \xi_i$$

- Two terms with sum of ξ_i s: how?

- 1st: bound on # miscl, other: Lagrange mults

- Constraints? \sim hard margin, + excursions

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- $L(\mathbf{w}, b, \mathbf{a}, \boldsymbol{\xi}, \boldsymbol{\mu}) \triangleq \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{w}\|^2 - \sum_{i=1}^N a_i \{t_i [\mathbf{w}^T \boldsymbol{\phi}(\mathbf{x}_i) + b] - 1 + \xi_i\} + C \sum_{i=1}^N \xi_i - \sum_{i=1}^N \mu_i \xi_i$
- $\{a_i\}, \{\xi_i\}$: Lagrange mults. Partial diff wrt \mathbf{w}, b, ξ_i
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T} = \mathbf{0}, \frac{\partial L}{\partial b} = 0, \frac{\partial L}{\partial \xi_i} = 0$ 1st 2: same as before!
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \mathbf{w}^T} = \frac{1}{2} 2\mathbf{w} - \sum_{i=1}^N a_i t_i \boldsymbol{\phi}(\mathbf{x}_i) = \mathbf{0}: \mathbf{w} = \sum_{i=1}^N a_i t_i \boldsymbol{\phi}(\mathbf{x}_i)$
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial b} = 0: \sum_{i=1}^N a_i t_i = 0$
- $\frac{\partial L}{\partial \xi_i} = 0: C - a_i - \mu_i = 0: a_i = C - \mu_i$: 'Box Constraints'
- $a_i = C - \mu_i$, Lagrange: $a_i \geq 0, \mu_i \geq 0$
- $a_i \geq 0 \implies C - \mu_i \geq 0 \implies \mu_i \leq C$ Add $\mu_i \geq 0$
- $\mu_i \geq 0 \implies C - a_i \geq 0 \implies a_i \leq C$ Add $a_i \geq 0$
- $0 \leq \mu_i \leq C, 0 \leq a_i \leq C$ $a_i, \mu_i \sim$ dims of a 2-D 'box'