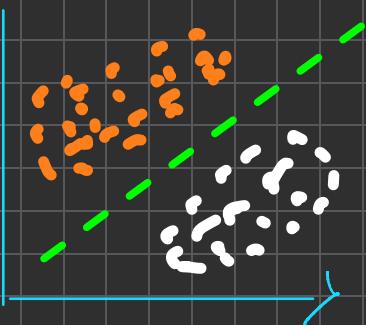


## Support Vector Machines →

Linear/Logistic Regression → To come up with the best hyperplane that separates both classes of points.

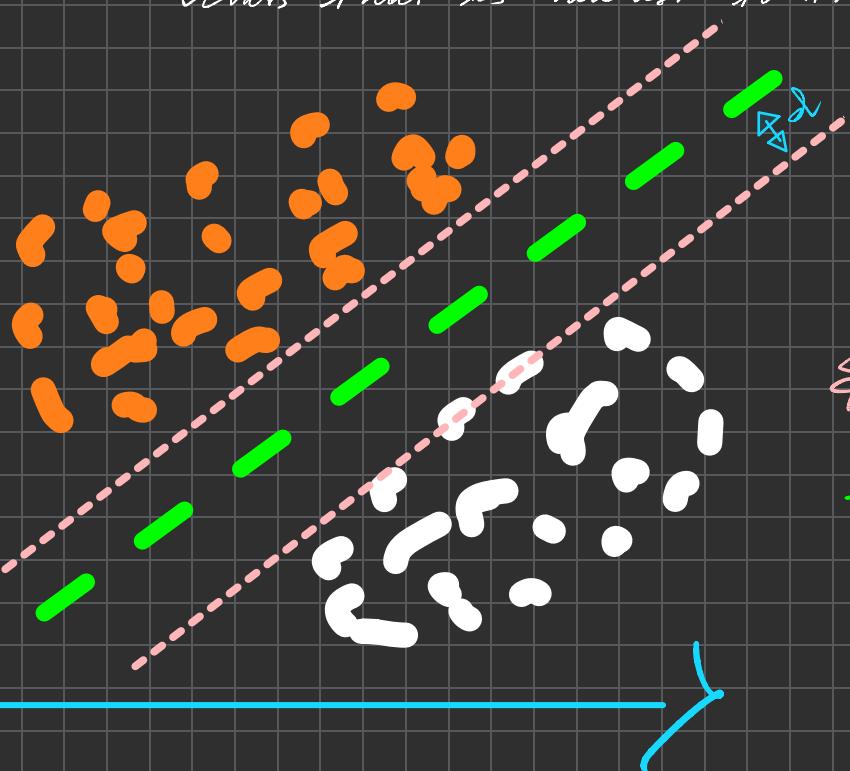


→ Linear Regression.

How to make it even better?

Ans → For more security of assurance

Mark two more lines on the boundary of each class that is nearest to the decision boundary.



- now each point can't go beyond its intended boundary.

SVM is  
- A really good classifier.  
- Robust to outliers.

Q → How to get this hyperplane with two support vectors?

$$w_0x + w_1y + w_2z + w_0 = 1$$

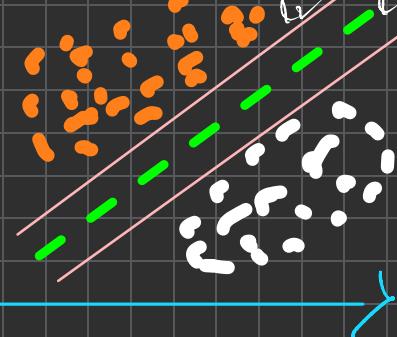
$$w_0x + w_1y + w_2z + w_0 = 0$$

$$w_0x + w_1y + w_2z + w_0 = -1$$

Distance b/w Two Lines →

$$d_1 = d(l_0, l_1) = \frac{w_0 - (w_0 + 1)}{\|w\|}$$

$$d_2 = d(l_0, l_2) = \frac{w_0 - (w_0 - 1)}{\|w\|}$$



$$\text{margin} = \delta_1 + \delta_2 = 2/\|w\|$$

$$\min(\text{margin} = 2/\|w\|) = \min(\|w\|/2)$$

$$\|w\| = \sqrt{w_1^2 + w_2^2 + \dots + w_n^2}$$

Constraints  $\rightarrow$  1) The classes are binary & are linearly separable.

$\min(\|w\|/2) \rightarrow$  hard margin SVM.

- no misclassifications allowed.
- $\text{error} = 0$ .

$\|w\| \rightarrow L_2 \text{ error (basically)}$

## Soft Margin & Hinge Loss

( $\gamma$  allows some misclassification.  
 $\gamma$  error of misclassified point.

signed distance to  $y(w^T x + w_0) = z$

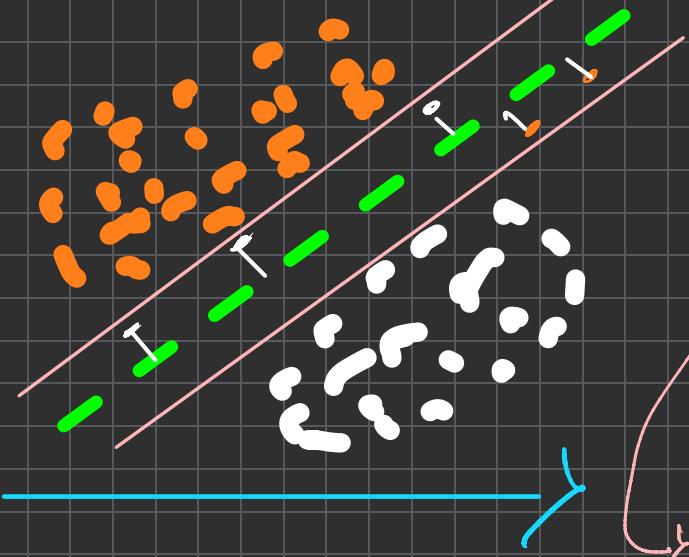
$y$	$w^T x + w_0$	$y(w^T x + w_0)$	
-1	-1	1	
-1	1	-1	
1	-1	-1	Hinge Loss
1	1	1	

1  $\rightarrow$  similar classifications.

-1  $\rightarrow$  misclassifications.

$$\text{hinge}(z) = \max(0, 1 - z)$$





Svm with hinge loss

$\hat{y} = \text{Soft Svm}$

$$\min(\|w\|^2/2 + C \sum_i \max(0, 1 - \hat{y}_i))$$

( $C$  hyper-parameter)

↳ 1) Introduces some error.  
- avoids overfitting.

2) Minimizes this error.  
- avoids underfitting.

erroneous  $\hat{y}$  underfit

now eqn of line becomes  $\rightarrow w_1 x_1 + w_2 x_2 + w_0 \approx 1 - \hat{y}_i$

Find the combination with maximum margin.