



Machine Learning Process #2

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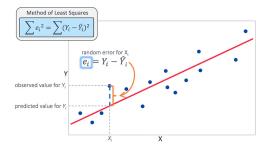
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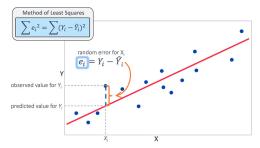
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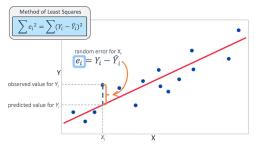


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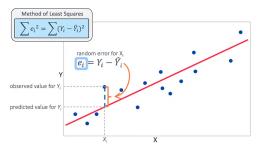
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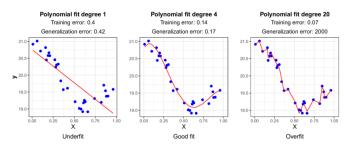
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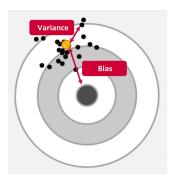
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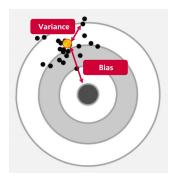
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$$= \underbrace{\left(\mathsf{E}\left[f(\boldsymbol{x})\right] - \hat{f}(\boldsymbol{x})\right)^{2}}_{\text{bias}^{2}} + \underbrace{\mathsf{E}\left[\left(\hat{f}(\boldsymbol{x}) - \mathsf{E}\left[\hat{f}(\boldsymbol{x})\right]\right)^{2}\right]}_{\text{variance}}$$

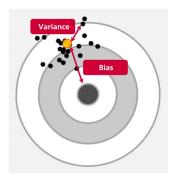
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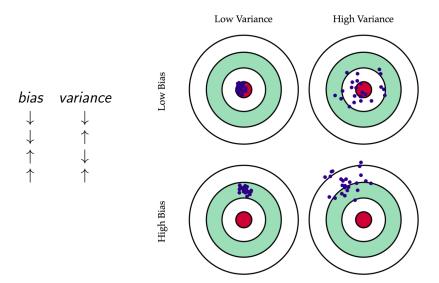


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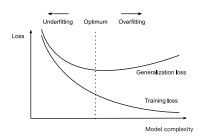
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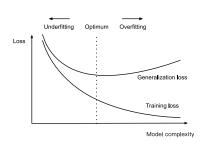
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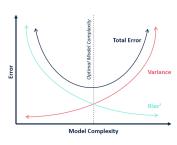
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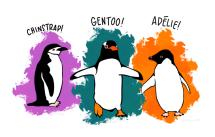
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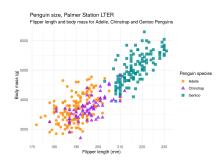
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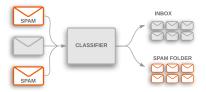
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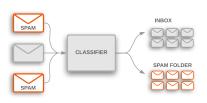


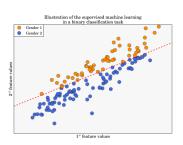
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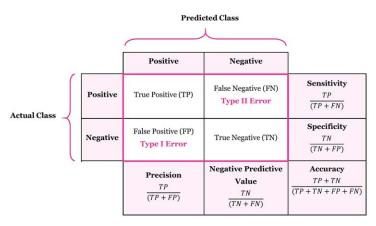
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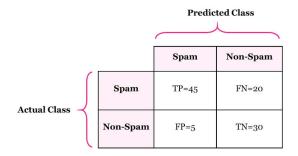
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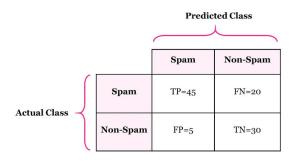
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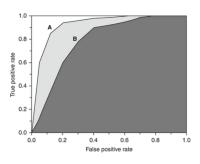
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Area under a ROC curve

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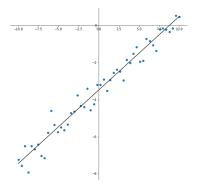
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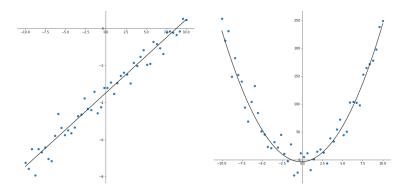
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