

k-Nearest Neighbor

Code Examples



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kNN Example – Fish Classification

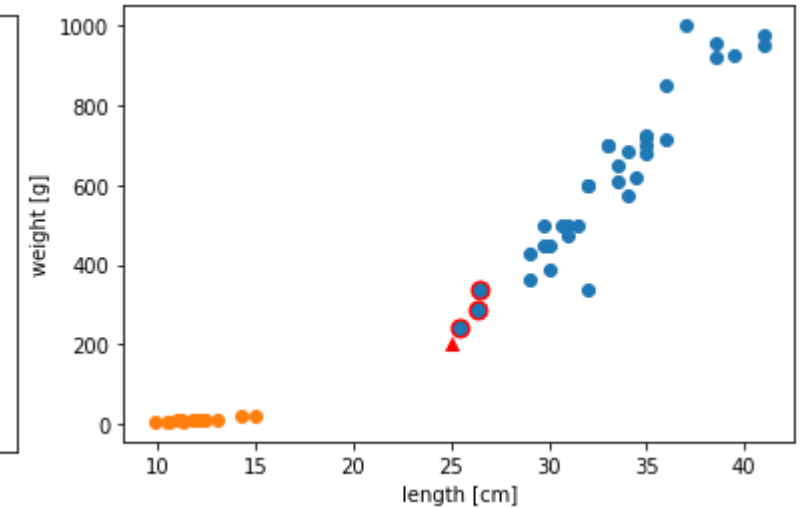
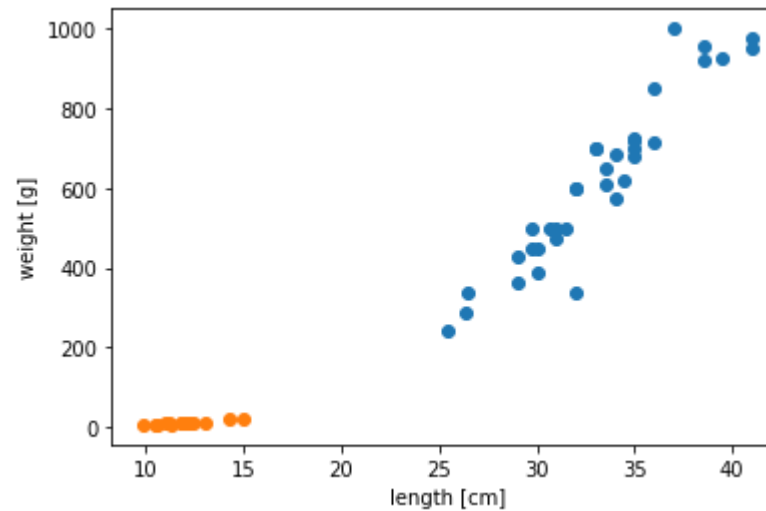
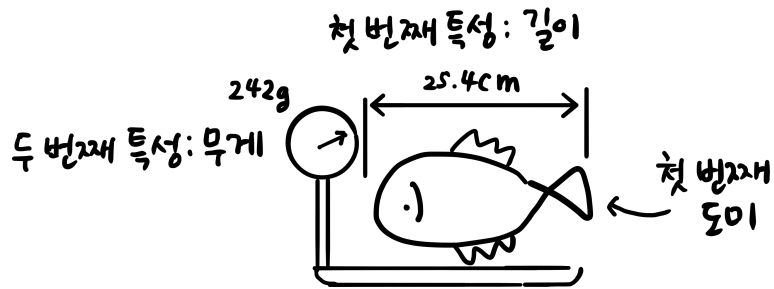
❖ Bream(도미) or Smelt(빙어)

- Binary Classification



kNN Example – First Classifier

❖ Features: Length and Weight



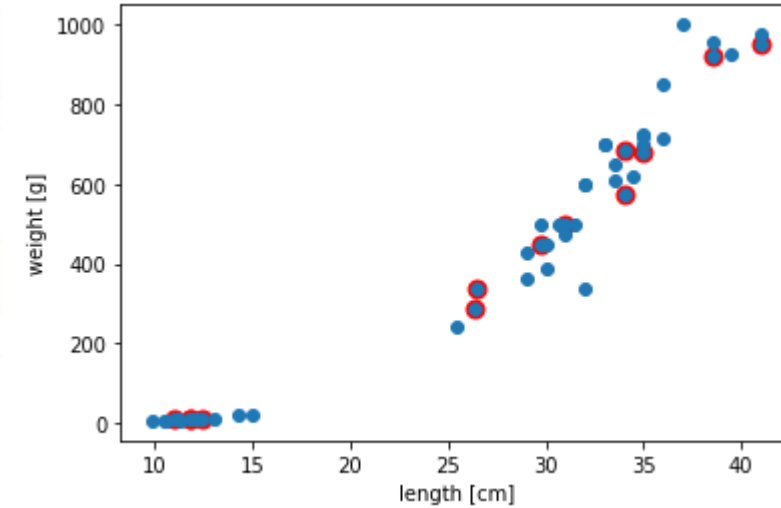
```
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
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```
kn = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=3, metric='euclidean')  
kn.fit(fish_data, fish_target)
```

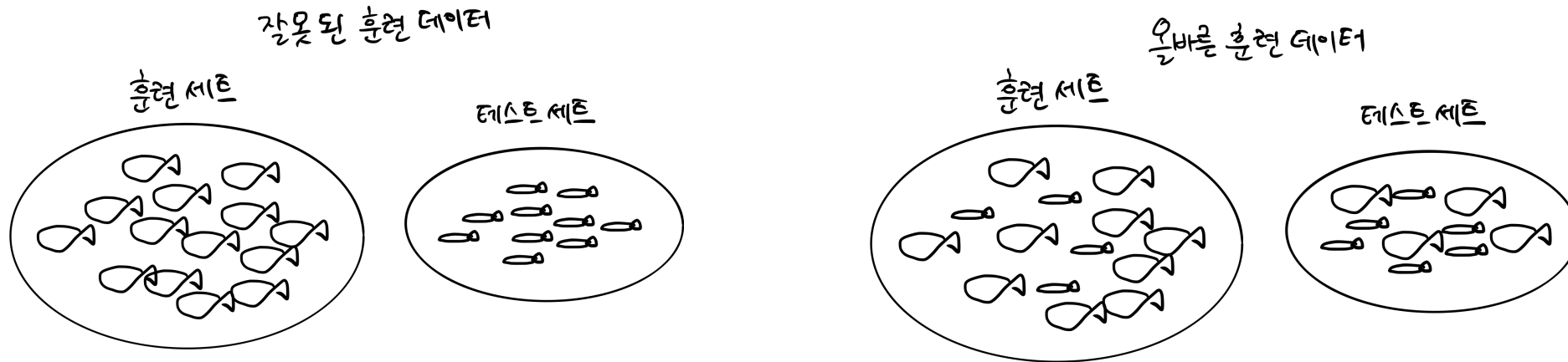
```
newFish = [25, 200]  
kn.predict([newFish])
```

kNN Example – Data Splitting

❖ Training set, test set



❖ Sampling bias

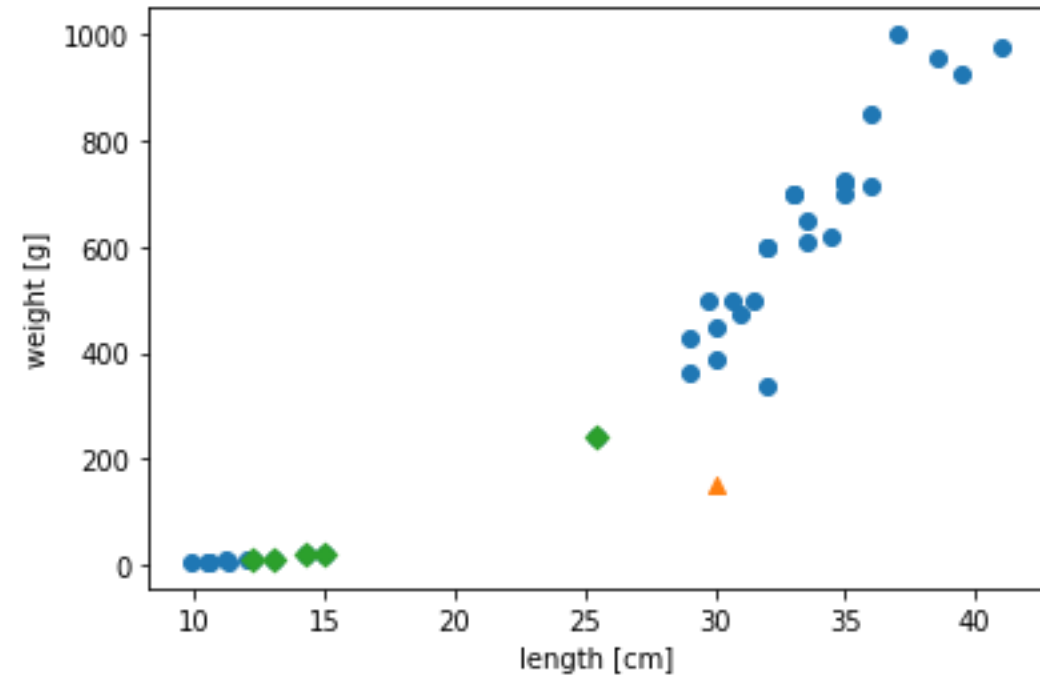
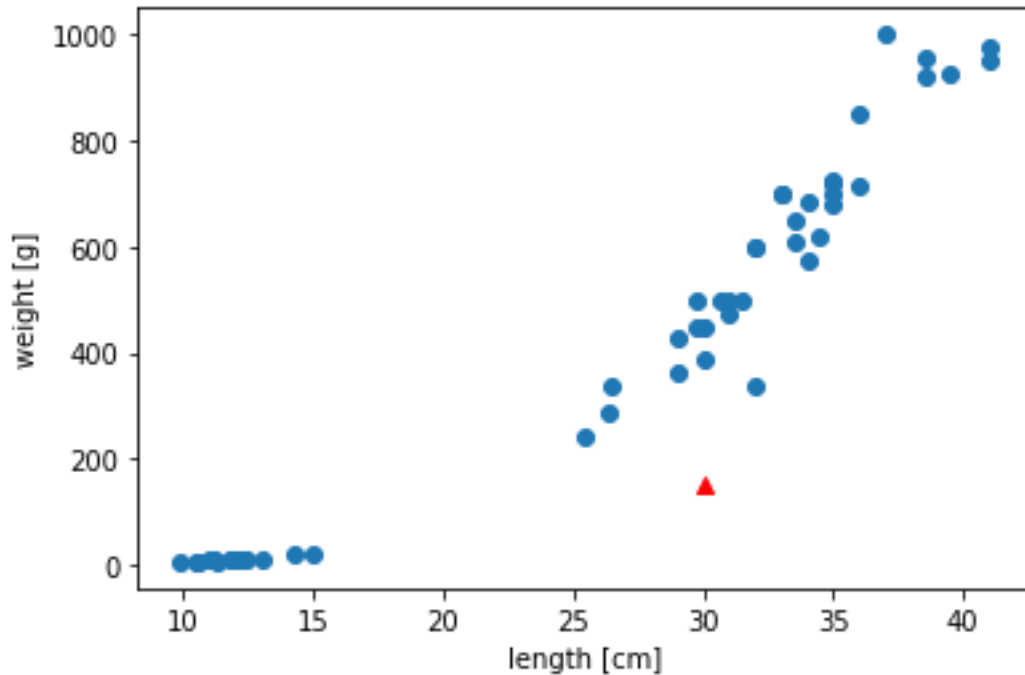


```
train_input, test_input, train_target, test_target = train_test_split(
    fish_data, fish_target, stratify=fish_target, random_state = 42)
```

kNN Example – Feature scaling

❖ Unknown fish: 30 cm and 150 g

❖ Bream or Smelt?



kNN Example – solutions for scale issue

❖ Data preprocessing:

- Standardization

```
mean = np.mean(train_input, axis=0)
std = np.std(train_input, axis=0)
train_scaled = (train_input - mean) / std
```

```
kn.fit(train_scaled, train_target)
```

```
newFish_scaled = (newFish - mean) / std
print(kn.predict([newFish_scaled]))
```

❖ Distance metric

```
kn = KNeighborsClassifier(algorithm='brute', metric='mahalanobis',
metric_params={'VI': np.linalg.inv(np.cov(train_input.T)).T})
kn.fit(train_input, train_target)
```