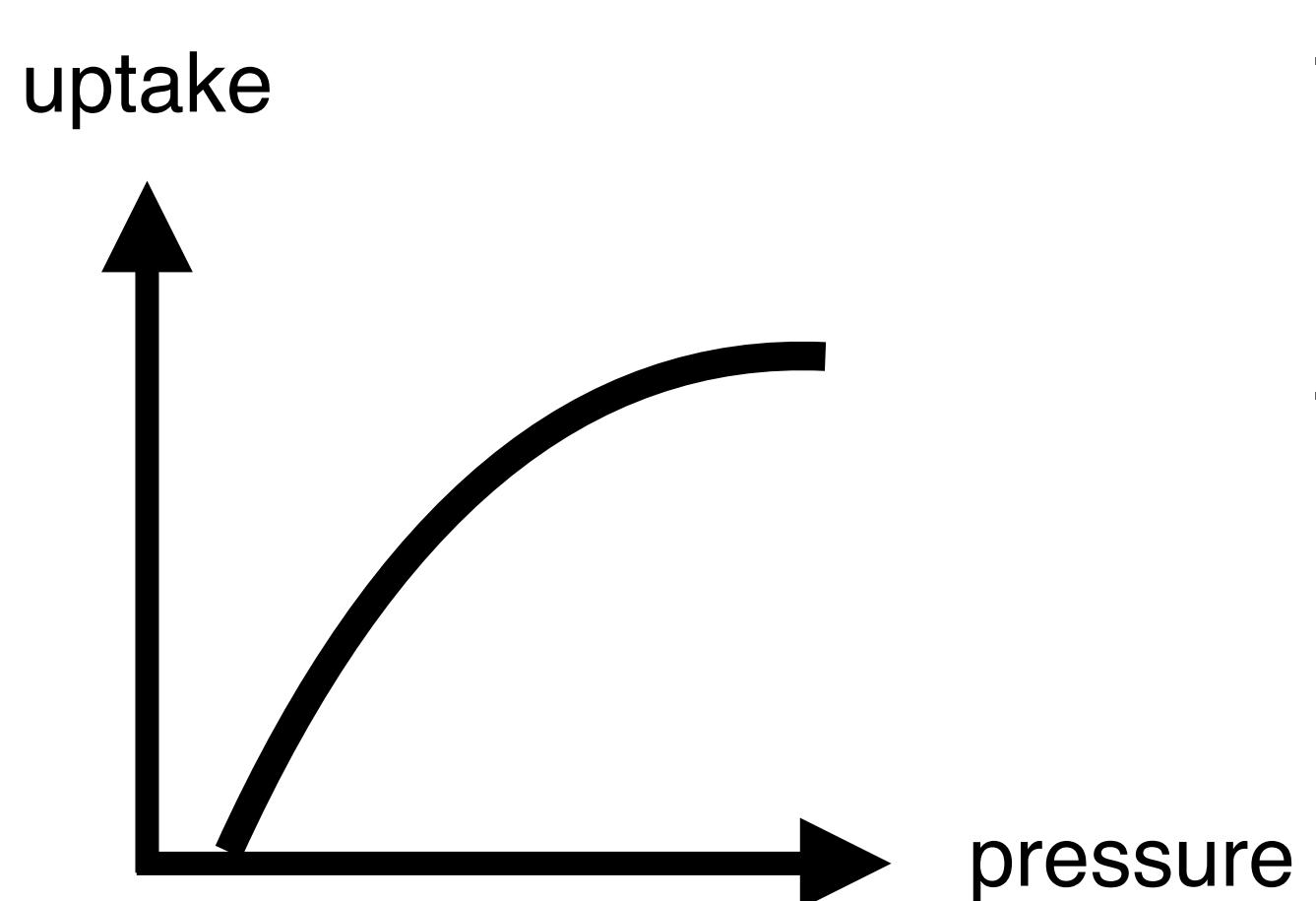


Machine learning For Material Science And Chemistry

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Testing a MOF for carbon capture

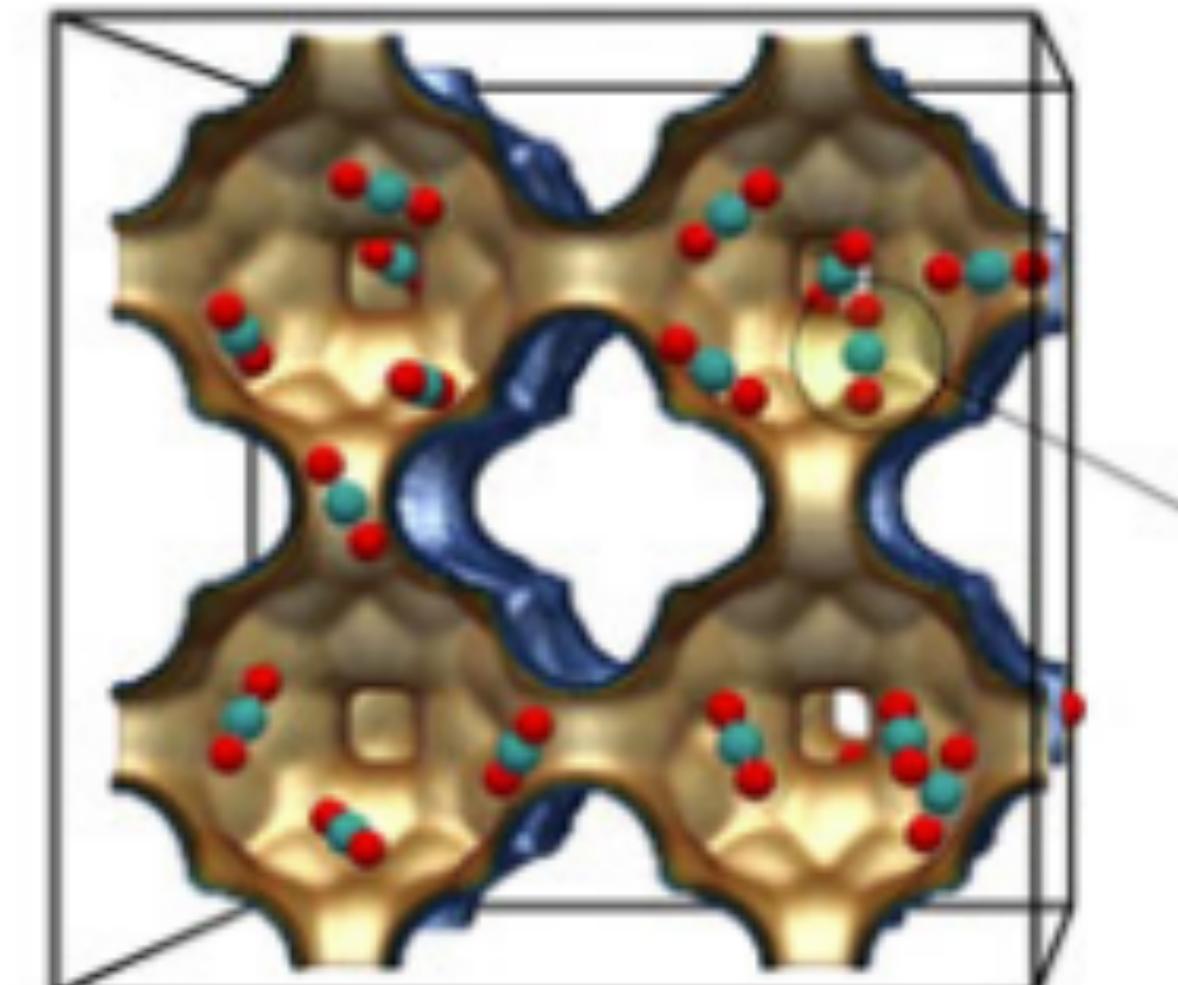
Experiment: Weeks/Months



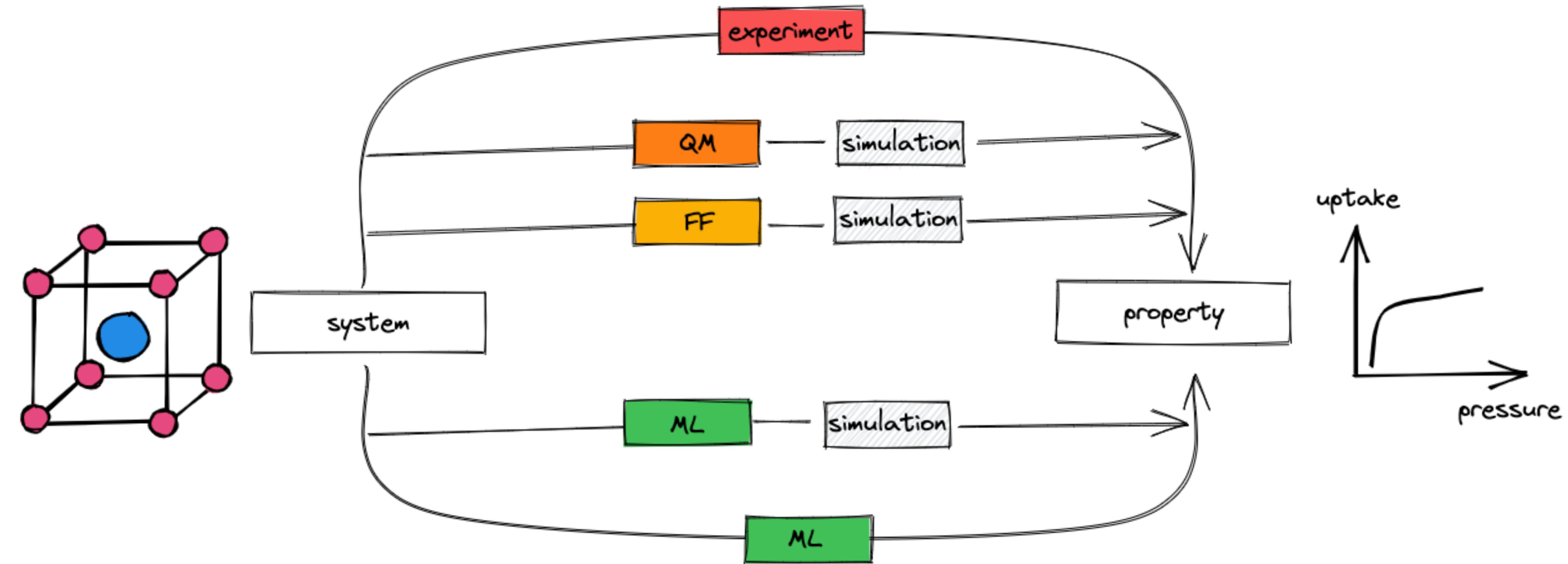
Computer simulations: Hours/Days

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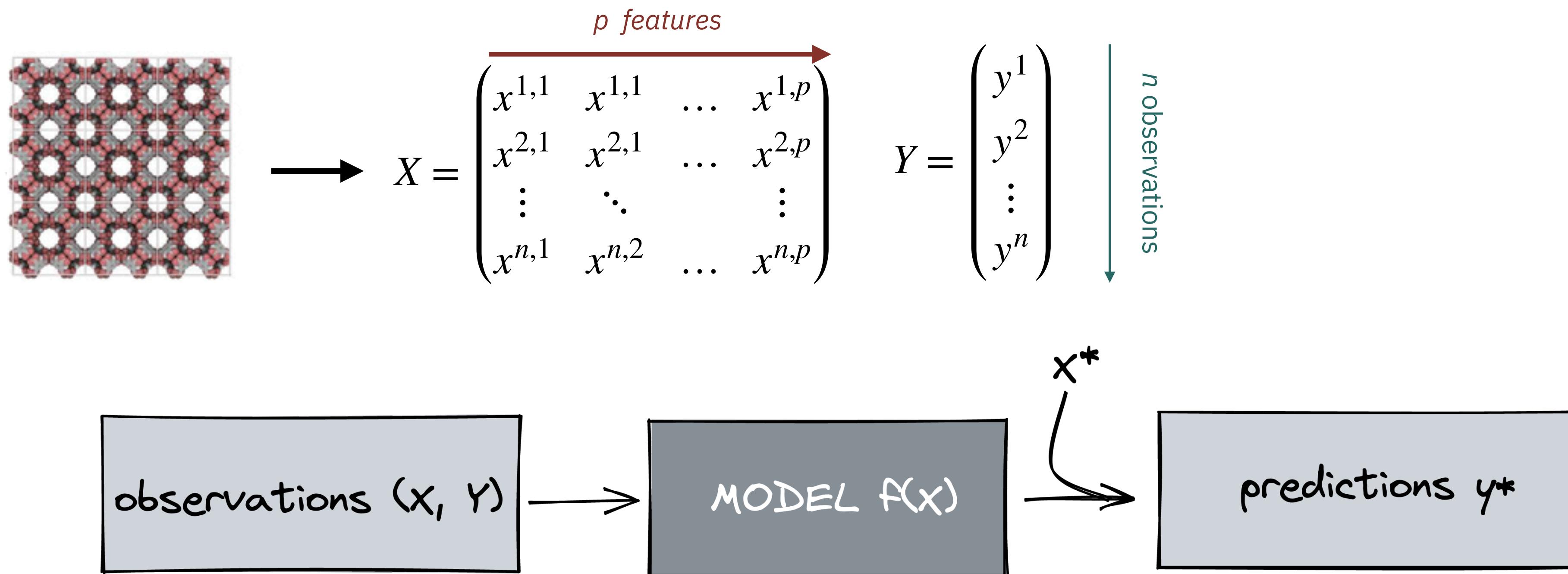
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Where does ML fit in this picture?



Supervised ML workflow



Cu1 Cu 0.04746(3) 0.70528(2) 0.5000

Cu2 Cu 0.06207(2) 0.60834(2) 0.5000

Cu3 Cu 0.377374(18) 0.327333(17) 0.145781(12)

Cu4 Cu 0.337355(17) 0.272144(17) 0.196102(12)

O1 O 0.11047(12) 0.62203(11) 0.46304(8)

O2 O 0.09801(12) 0.70448(11) 0.46334(7)

O3 O 0.17739(12) 0.81124(11) 0.37594(7)

O4 O 0.21888(12) 0.77657(11) 0.33090(7)

O5 O 0.27044(11) 0.59561(11) 0.21620(7)

O6 O 0.32403(11) 0.56455(10) 0.17643(7)

O7 O 0.35334(12) 0.38519(11) 0.17199(8)

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O9 O 0.14566(12) 0.28556(11) 0.33326(8)

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1. Feeding structures into models

Learning Objectives:

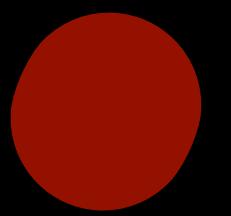
- Need for featurization
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- Typical assumptions
- Examples of descriptors

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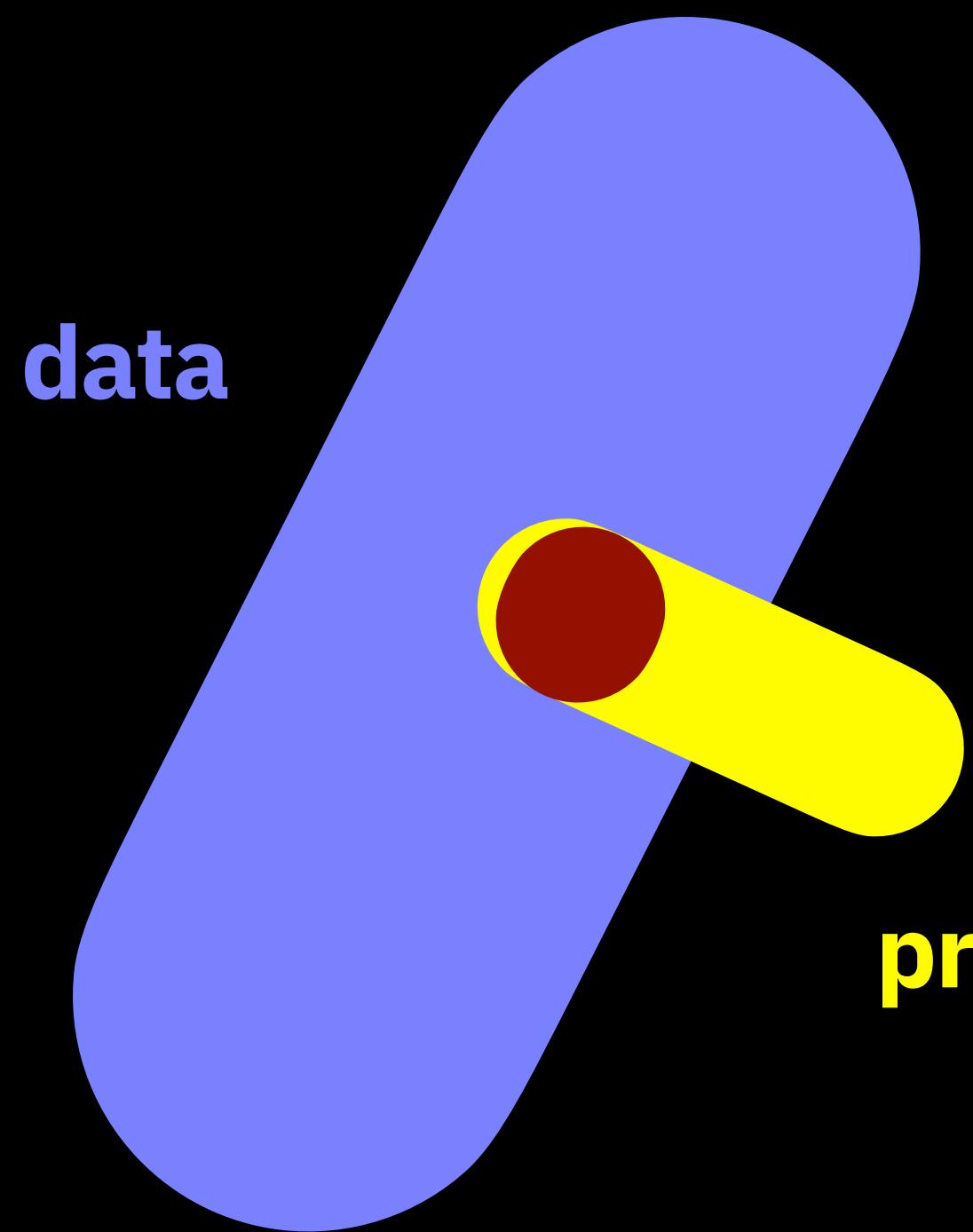
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prior knowledge



Coding example

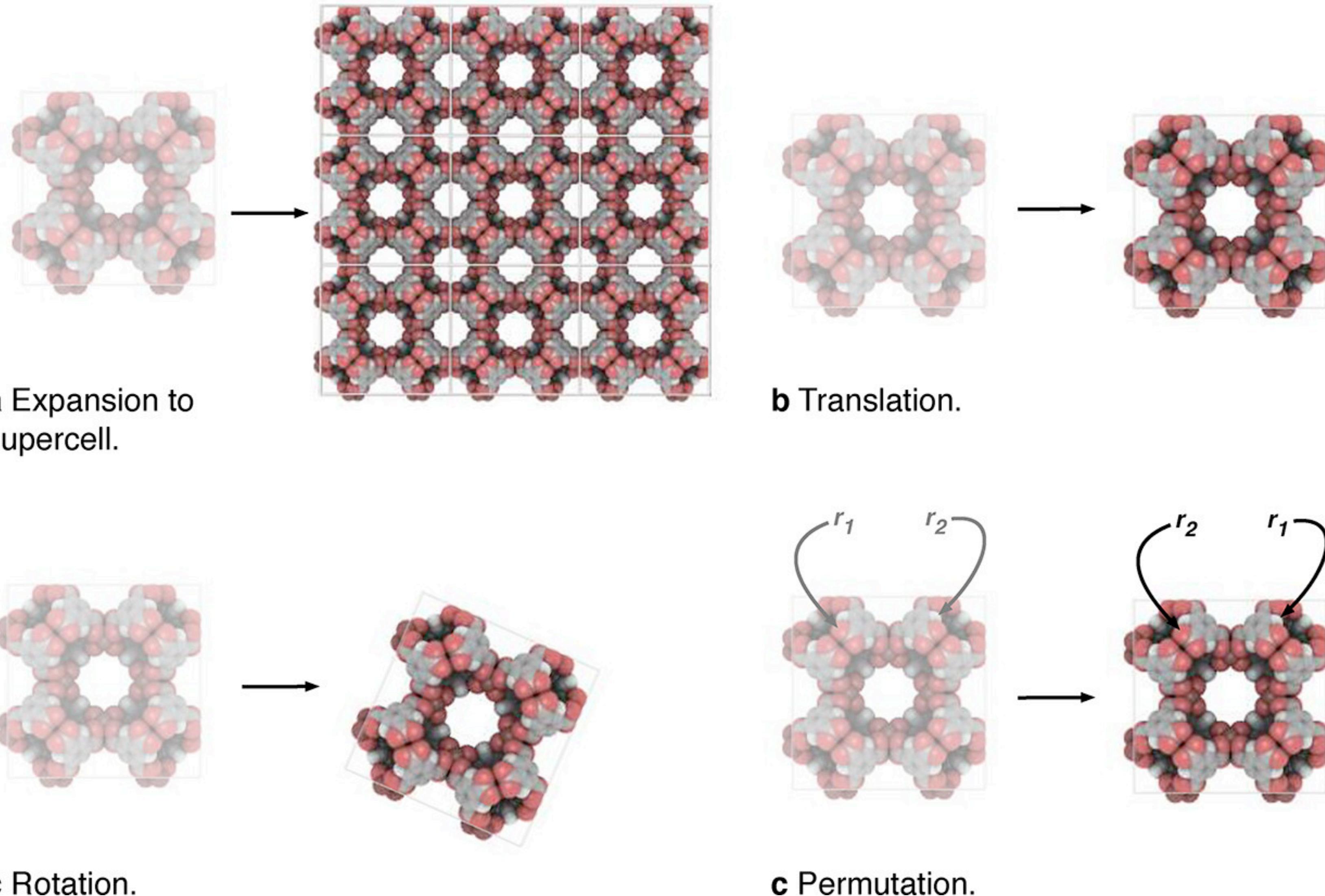
Inductive biases and wishlist

We would like to satisfy basic symmetries. Typically invariance/ equivariance wr.t.

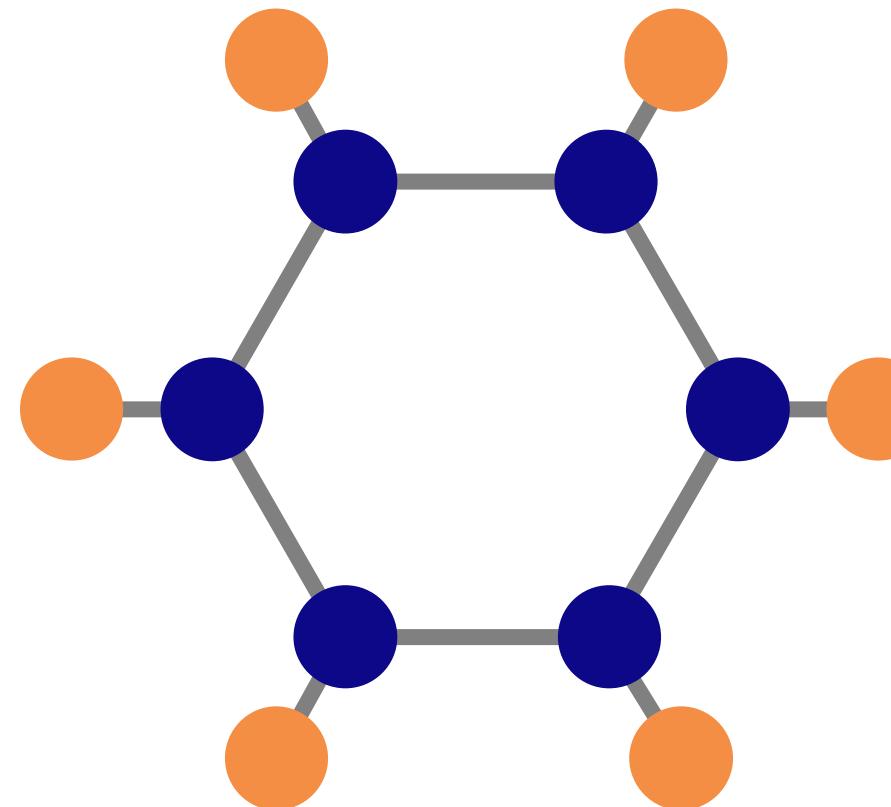
- translation
- rotation
- permutation
- expansion to supercell

Additionally, in some cases we want

- differentiability
- invertibility



Three ways to make model symmetry aware



H
C
C
H

-0.21463	0.97837	0.33136
-0.38325	0.66317	-0.70334
-1.57552	0.03829	-1.05450
-2.34514	-0.13834	-0.29630

Coordinates are sensitive to translations, rotations, and permutation.

Data Augmentation

Throw data at the problem and see what you get!

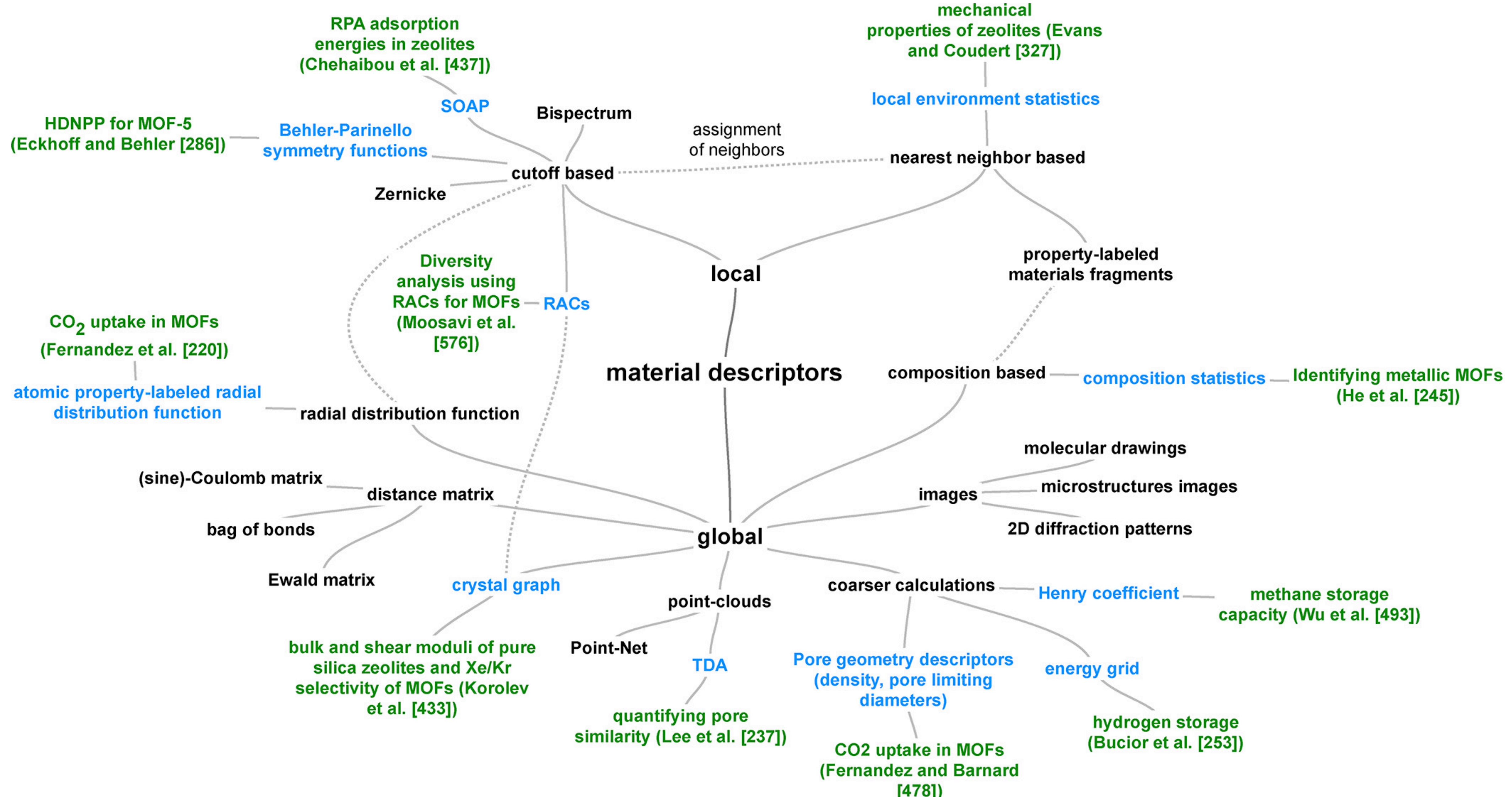
Invariant Inputs Equivariant Inputs

Convert your data to invariant representations so the model can't possibly mess it up.

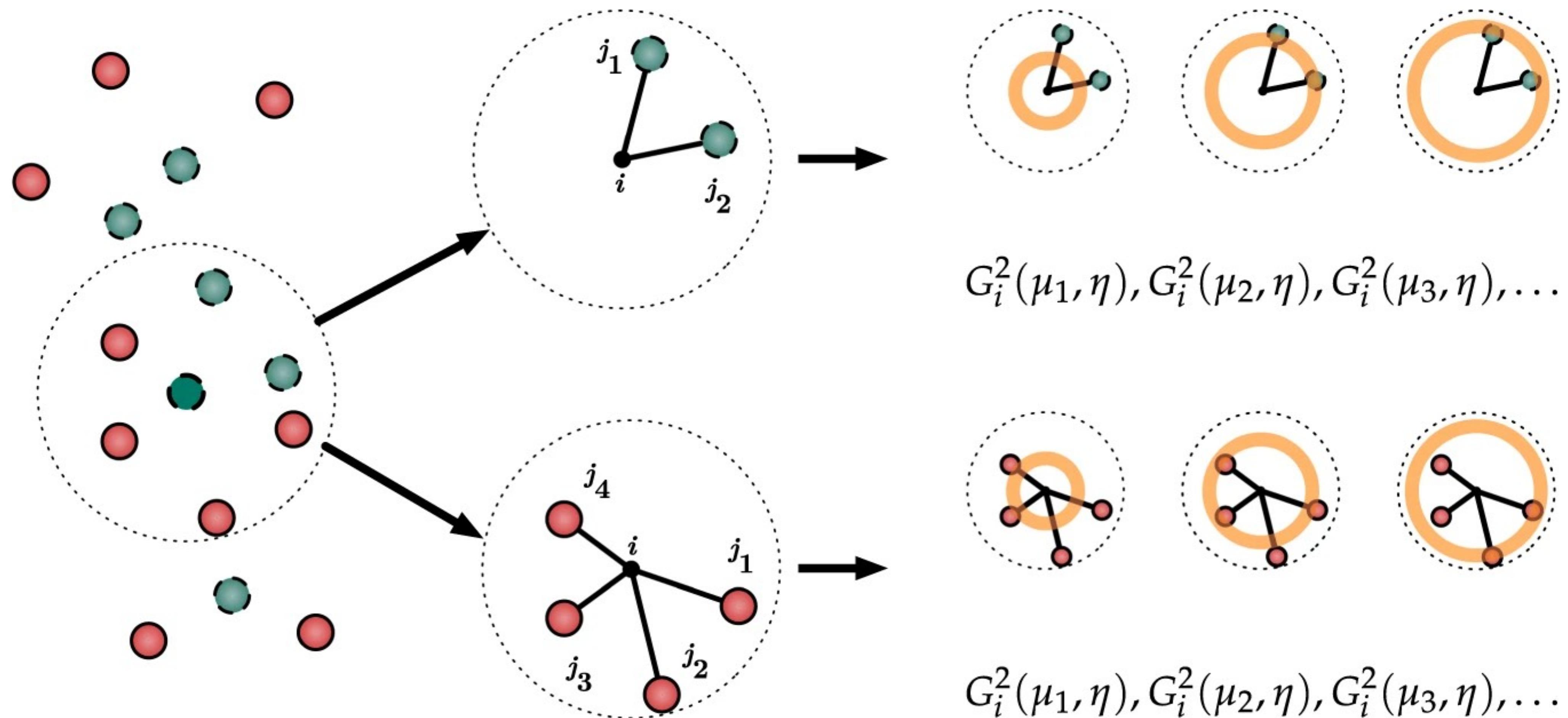
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Invariant models Equivariant models

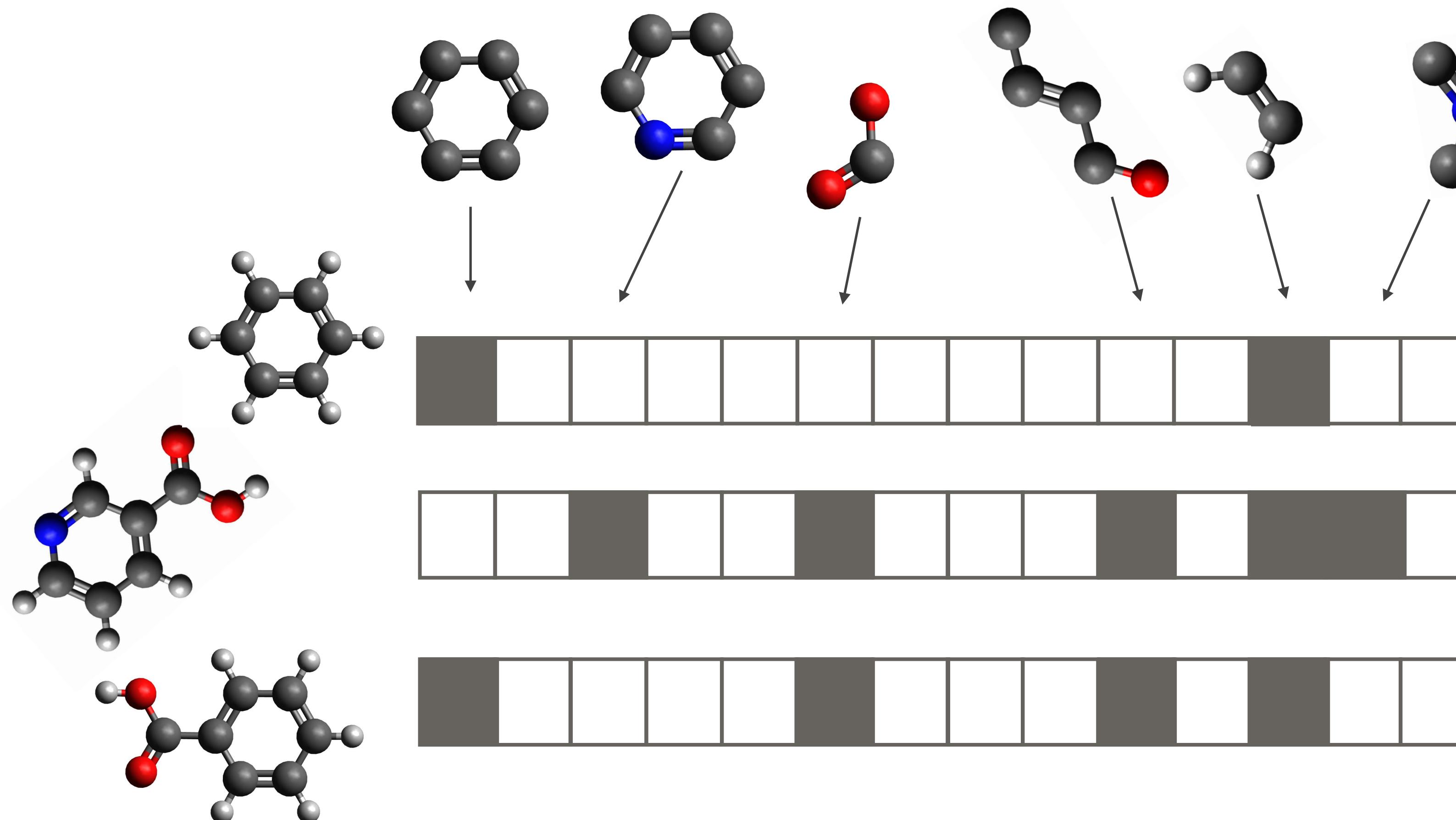
Make a model that can naturally handle coordinates as input (equivariant neural networks)



Symmetry functions - Locality Approximation

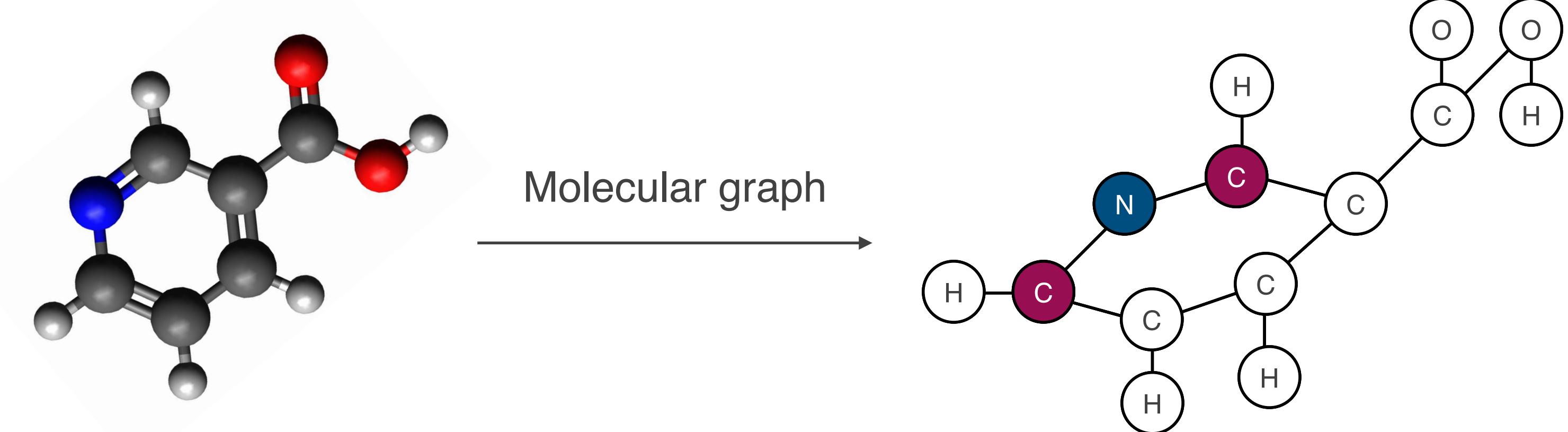


Fragment based fingerprints



Molecule graph summarization

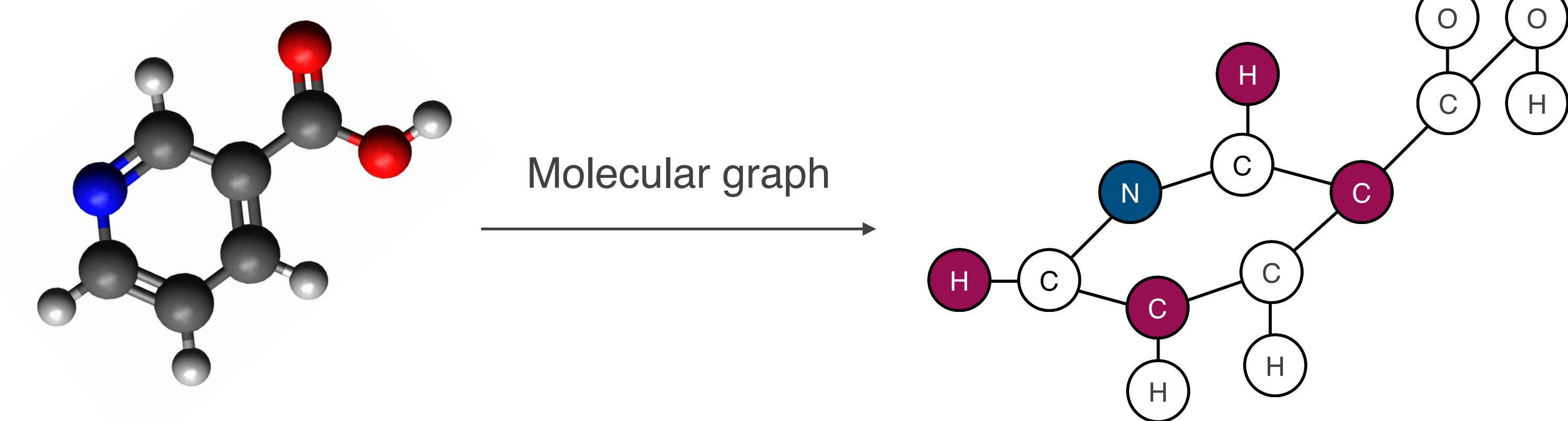
Create fix-length descriptor by capturing local correlations of molecule graph



$$\underset{all}{\chi_1^{diff}} = \sum_{i=1}^N \sum_{j=1}^{all} (\chi_i - \chi_j) \delta(d_{i,j}, 1)$$

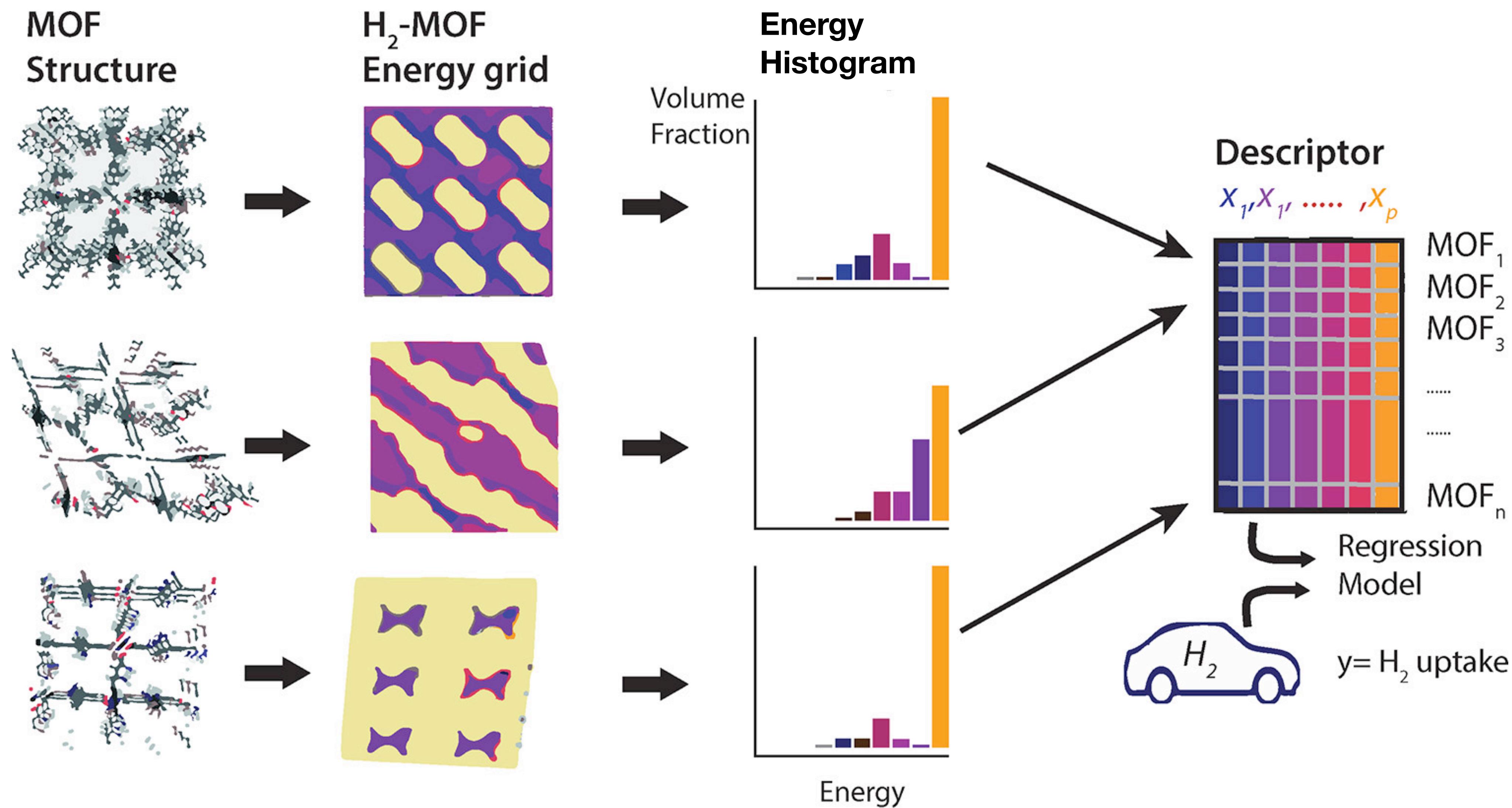
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Cheaper surrogate



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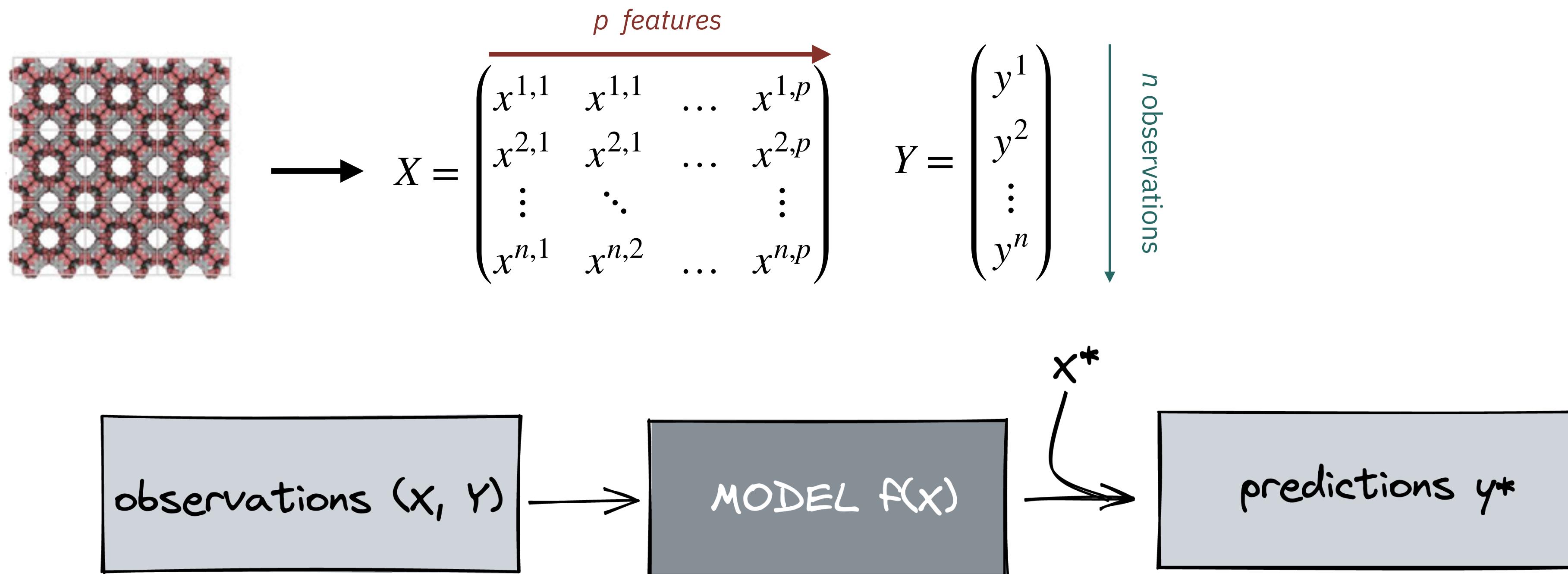
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2. Training a basic model

Learning Objectives:

- Supervised ML workflow
- Empirical risk estimate
- Test data

Supervised ML workflow



How do we measure progress towards our goal

Goal: Find good function f in function space \mathcal{F}

How: Minimize the expected risk of f $R(f) = E_Z[L(z, f)] = \int_Z L(z, f)p(z) dz$

However $p(z)$ unknown!

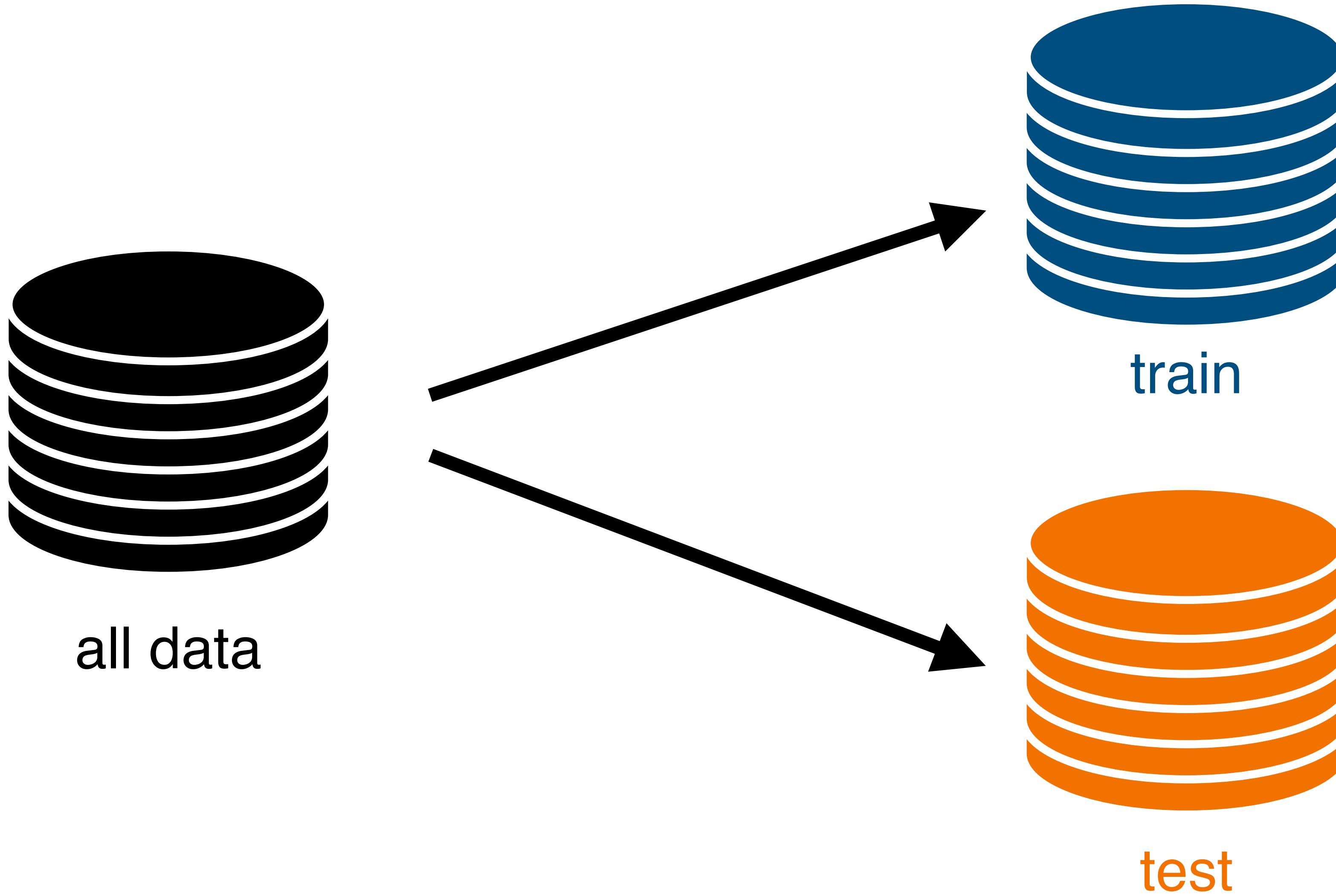
Fix: Empirical Risk

$$\hat{R}(f) = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^n L(z_i, f)$$

Given a finite amount of training data, derive a relation for an infinite domain!

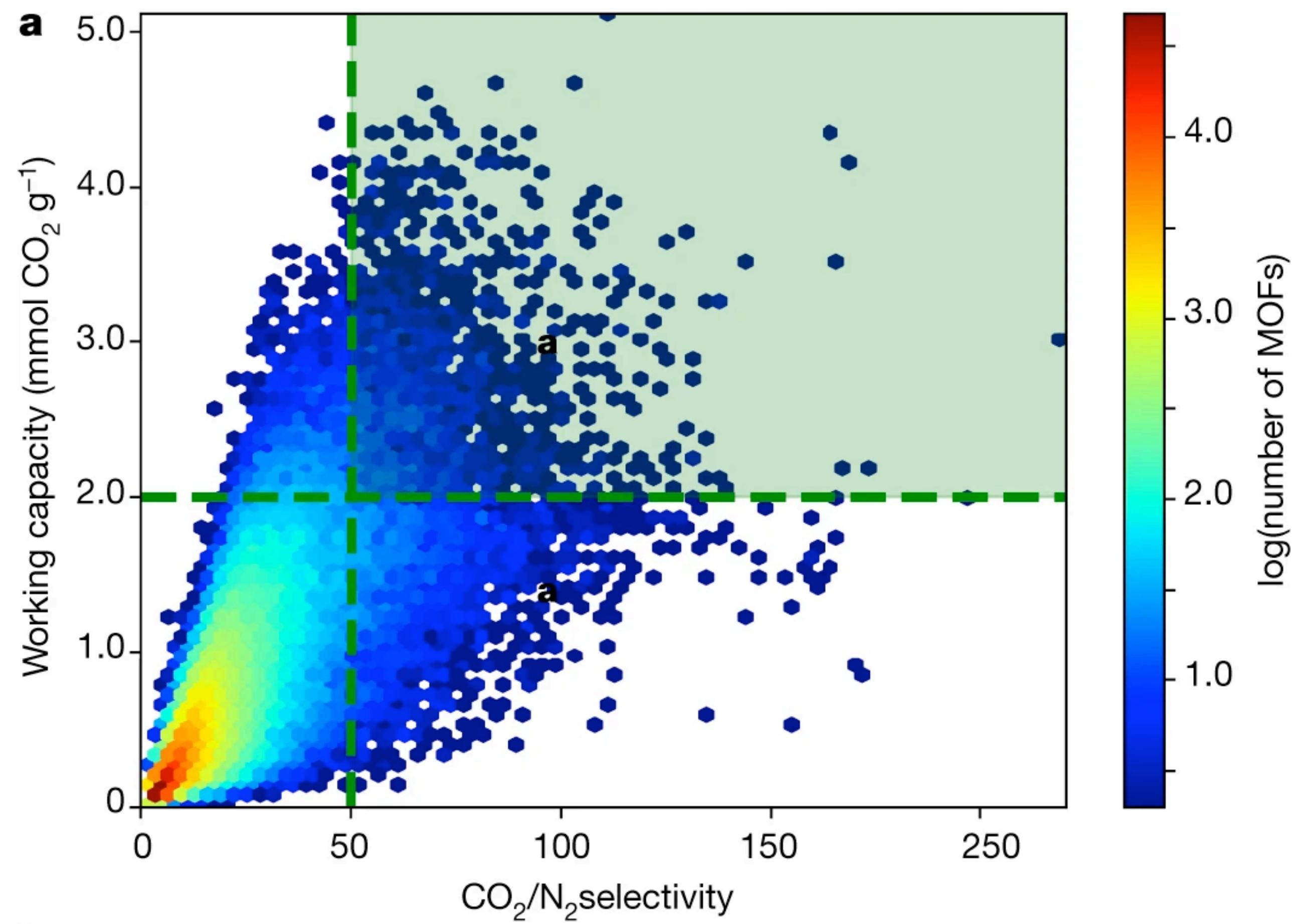
Selecting the datasets over which to compute the empirical risk is a key challenge!

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A random sample from such a datasets might contain no or little top performing materials.



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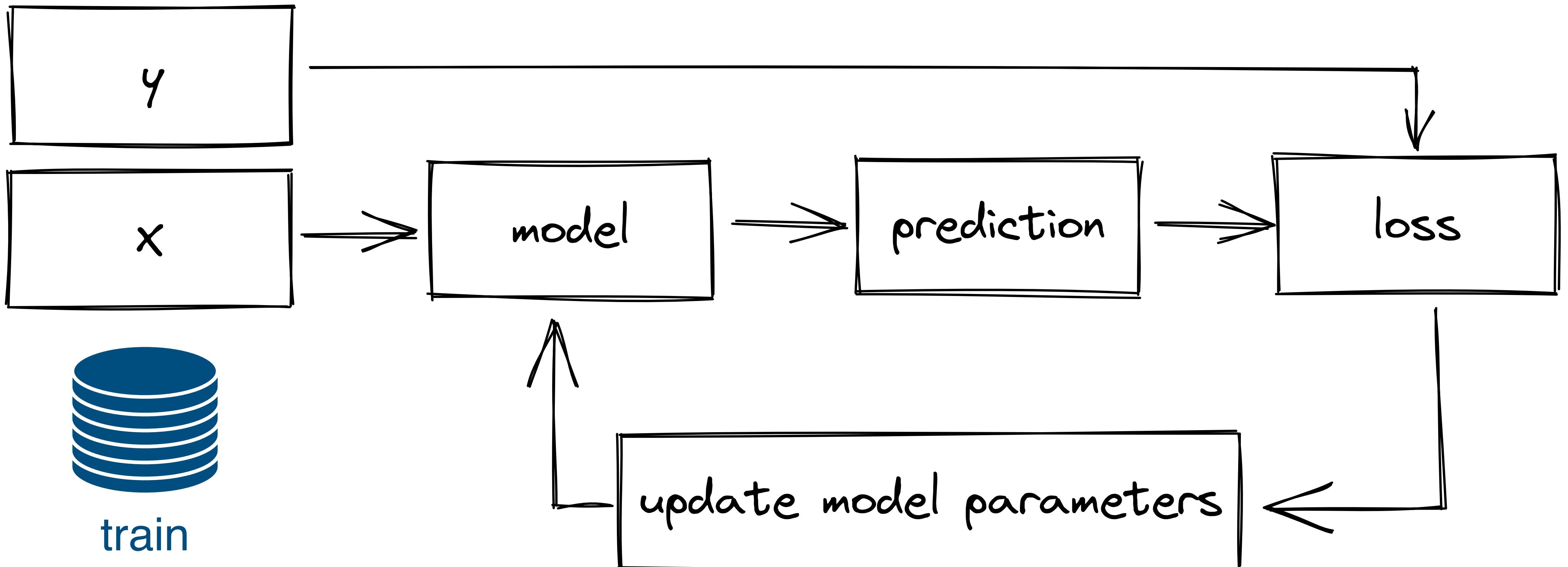
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3. Regression

Learning Objectives:

- Matrix formulation of linear regression
- Recasting non-linear regression in matrix notation

Choose trainable weights that minimize empirical risk



Simple linear regression

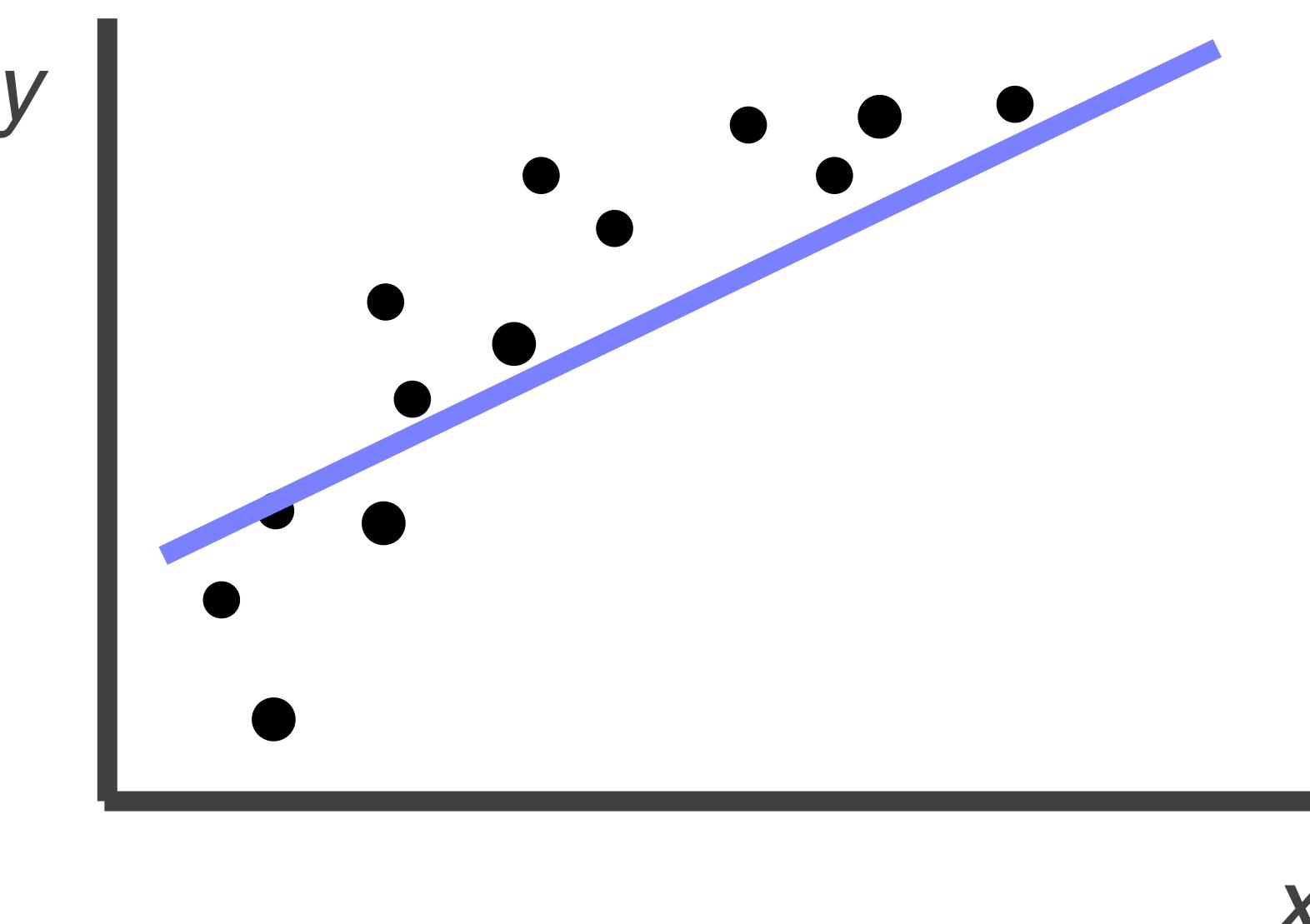
One feature

One point

$$f(x^*) \approx y^* = w x^* + b$$

alternative formulation

$$f(x^*) = x^* w = [1 \quad x^*] \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \end{bmatrix}$$



All points

$$f(\mathbf{X}) \approx \mathbf{y} = w \mathbf{X} + b$$

$$f(\mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{X} w = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x^1 \\ \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & x^m \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \end{bmatrix}$$

```
def linear_model(x, w, b):
    return np.dot(x, w) + b
```

Multiple linear regression

Multiple features

Single data point

$$f(\mathbf{X}^*) = \mathbf{X}^* \mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1^* & x_2^* & \dots & x_p^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ w_1 \\ \vdots \\ w_p \end{bmatrix}$$

All data points

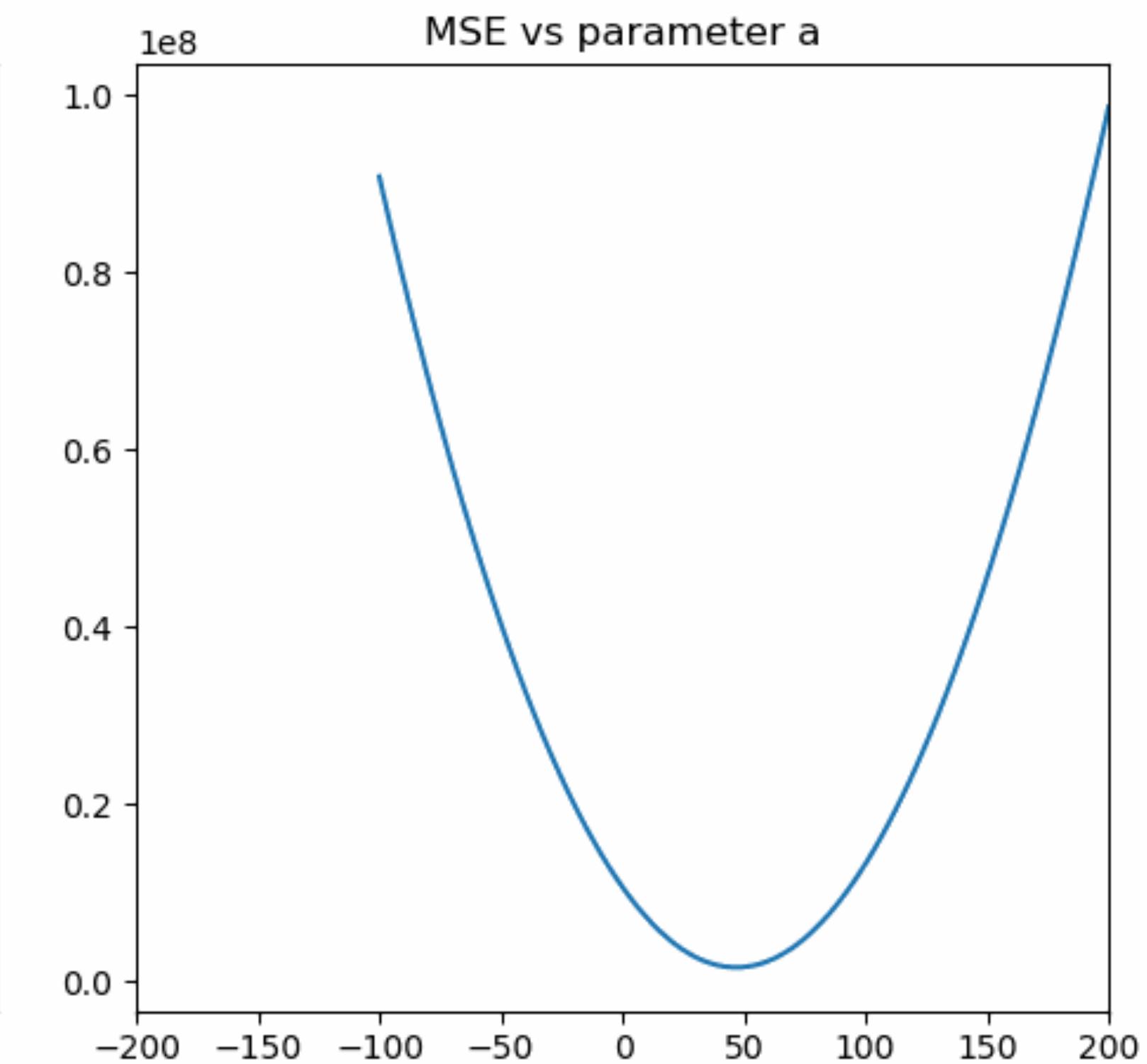
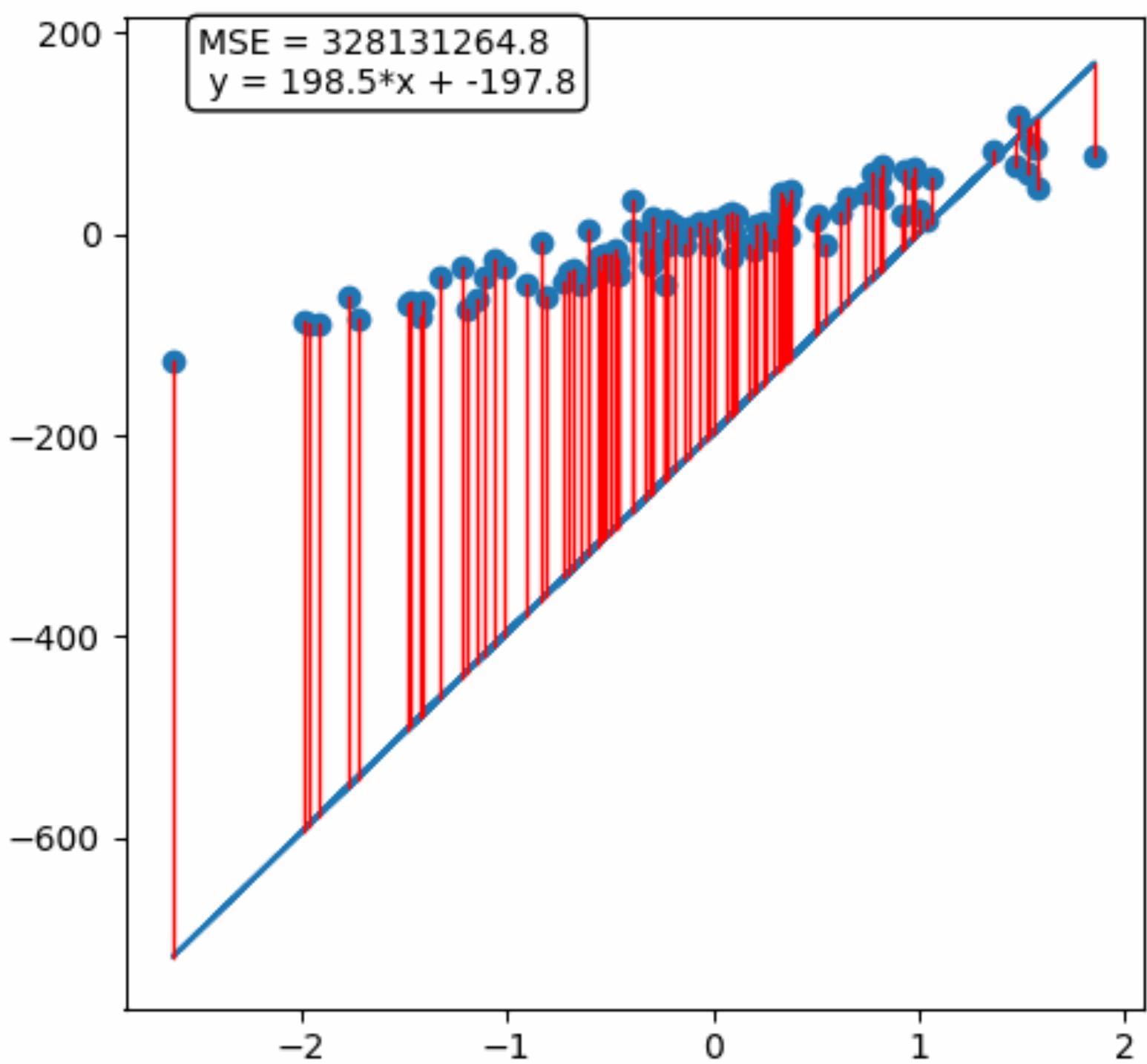
$$f(\mathbf{X}) = \mathbf{X} \mathbf{w} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1^1 & x_2^1 & \dots & x_p^1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & & & \ddots \\ 1 & x_1^n & x_2^n & \dots & x_p^n \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_0 \\ \vdots \\ w_p \end{bmatrix}$$

Coding example - Implementing Linear Regression

How do we find the adjustable parameters?

For a *all* models: Numerical optimization

Step 2: Go downhill



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Step 2: Go downhill

Modern frameworks (e.g.,
jax) can automatically
compute gradients!

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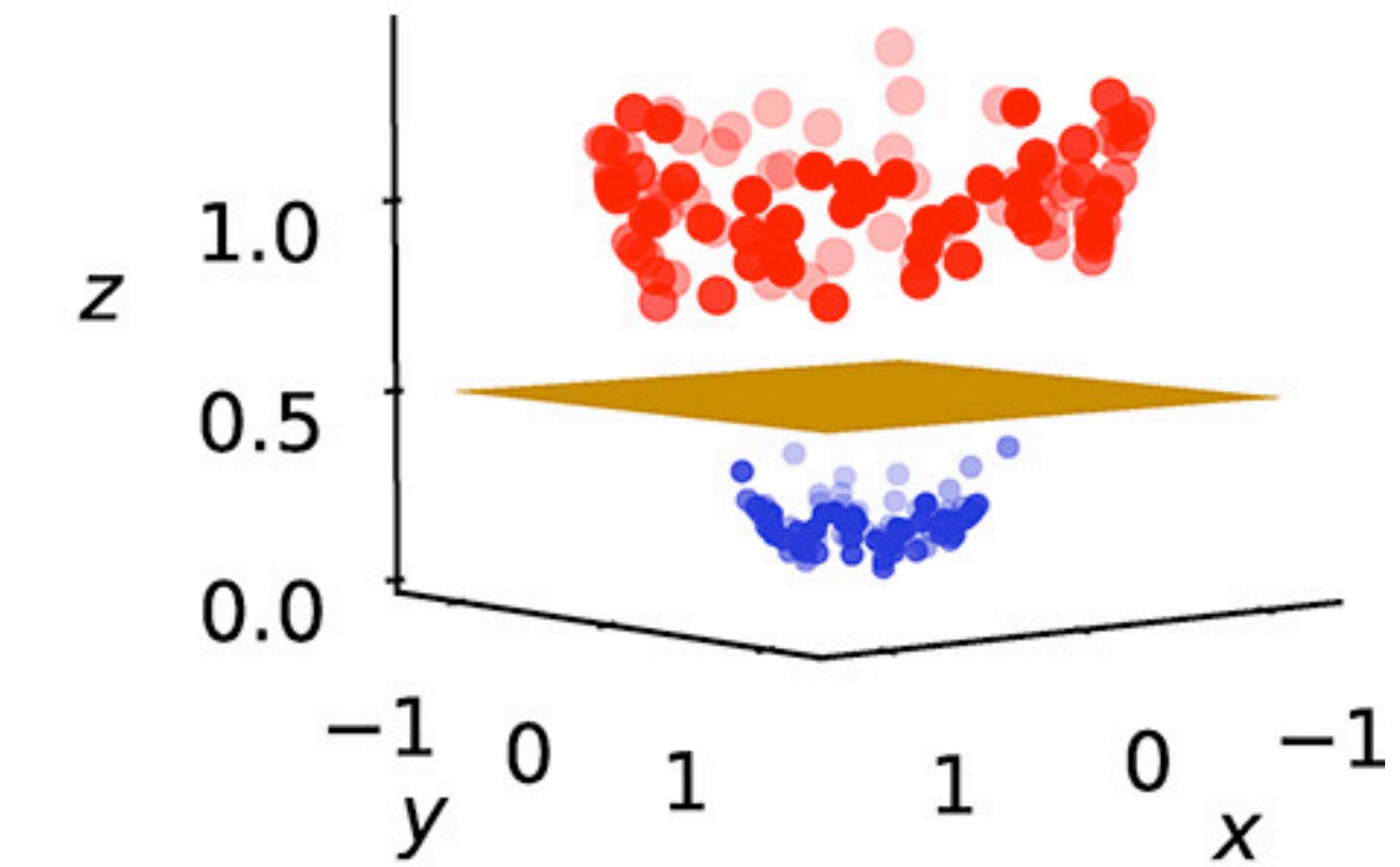
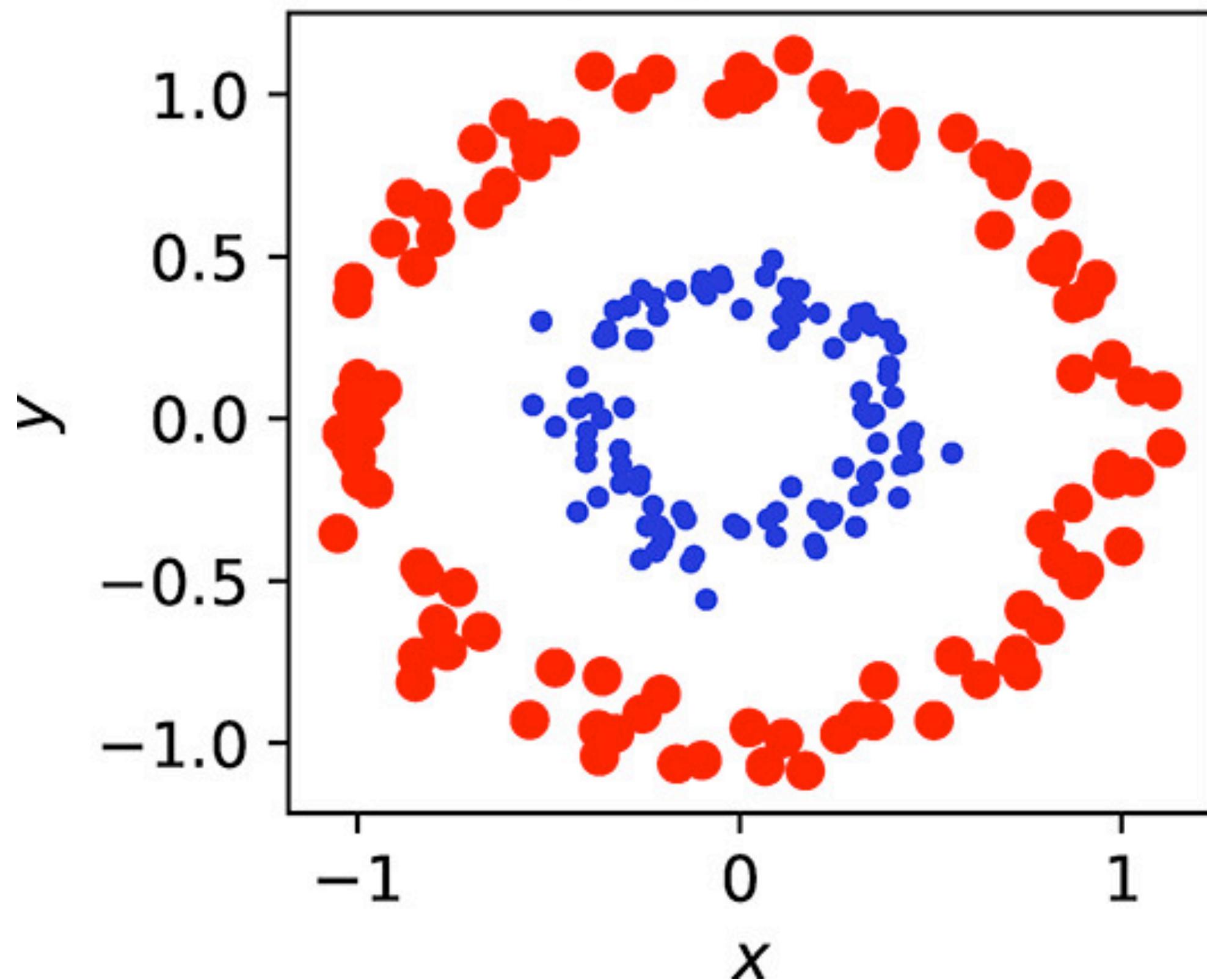
def loss_wrapper(w, b, data):
    features = data[0]
    labels = data[1]
    y = linear_model(features, w, b)
    return loss(y, labels)

loss_grad = jax.grad(loss_wrapper, (0, 1))

data = (features, labels)

for i in range(10):
    grad = loss_grad(w, b, data)
    w -= eta * grad[0]
    b -= eta * grad[1]
```

How do we classify this data with a linear model?



By computing non-linear features!

$$[x_1^2 \quad x_2^2 \quad \sqrt{2}x_1x_2]$$

3. Regression

Learning Objectives:

- Matrix formulation of linear regression
- Recasting non-linear regression in matrix notation
- Solve non-linear problems by computing new features

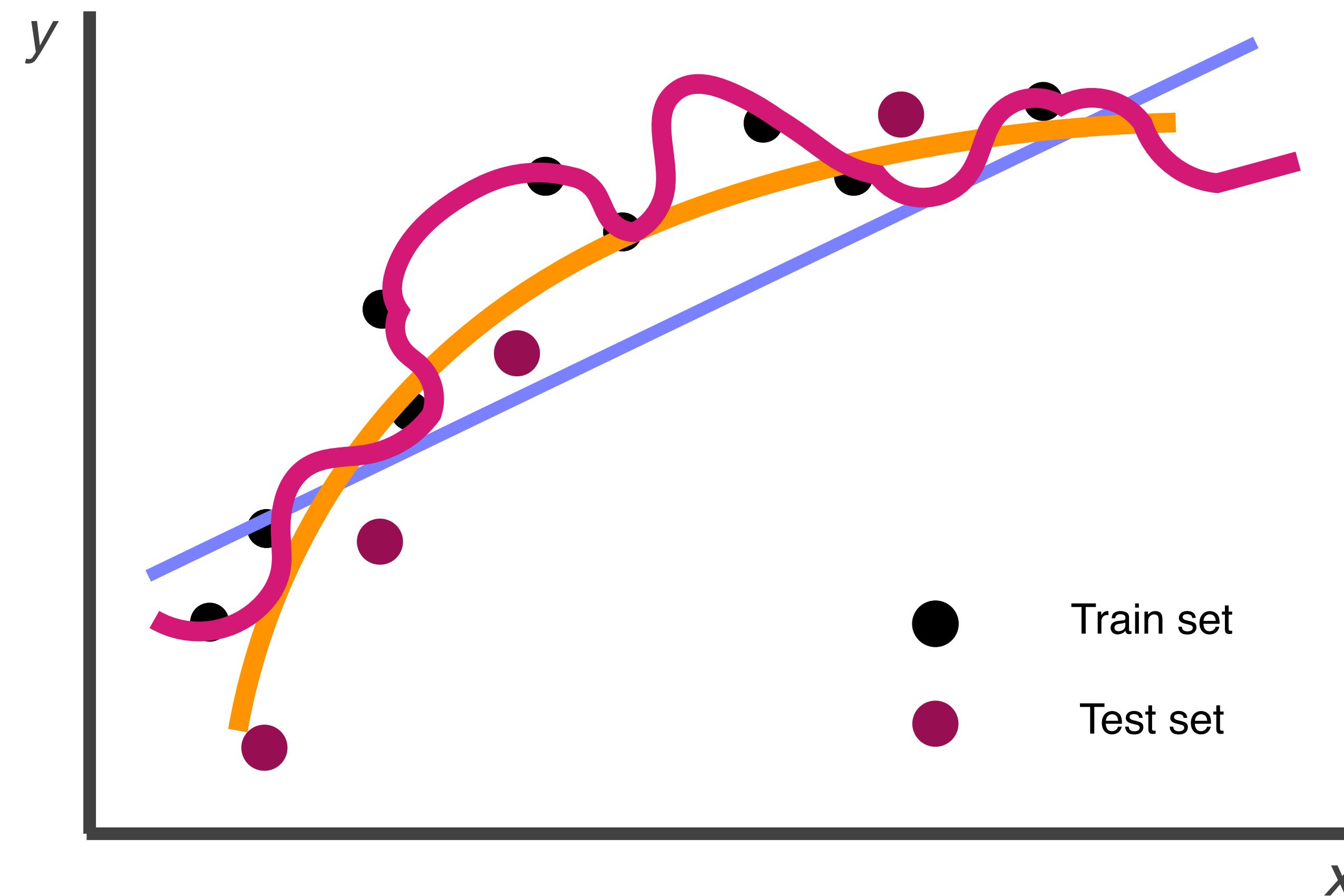
4. Bias-variance tradeoff

Learning Objectives:

- We can split the error into different contributions: bias, variance, irreducible
- We cannot reduce bias and variance at the same time

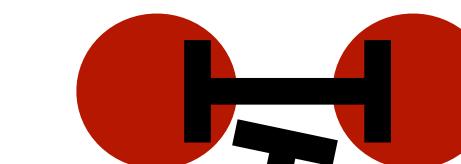
Coding example - Fitting a LJ potential

Overfitting vs. Underfitting



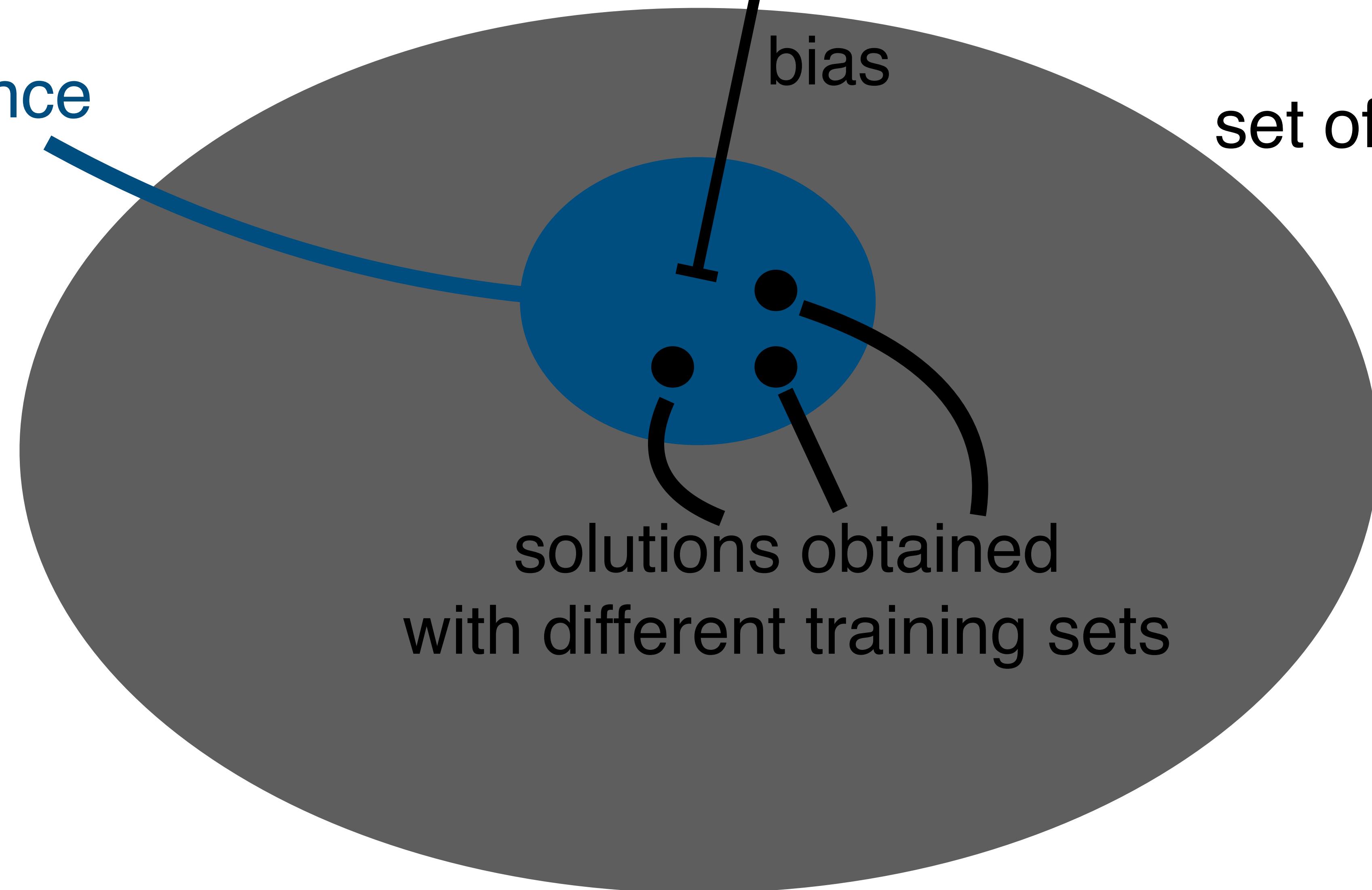
Error contributions

irreducible error

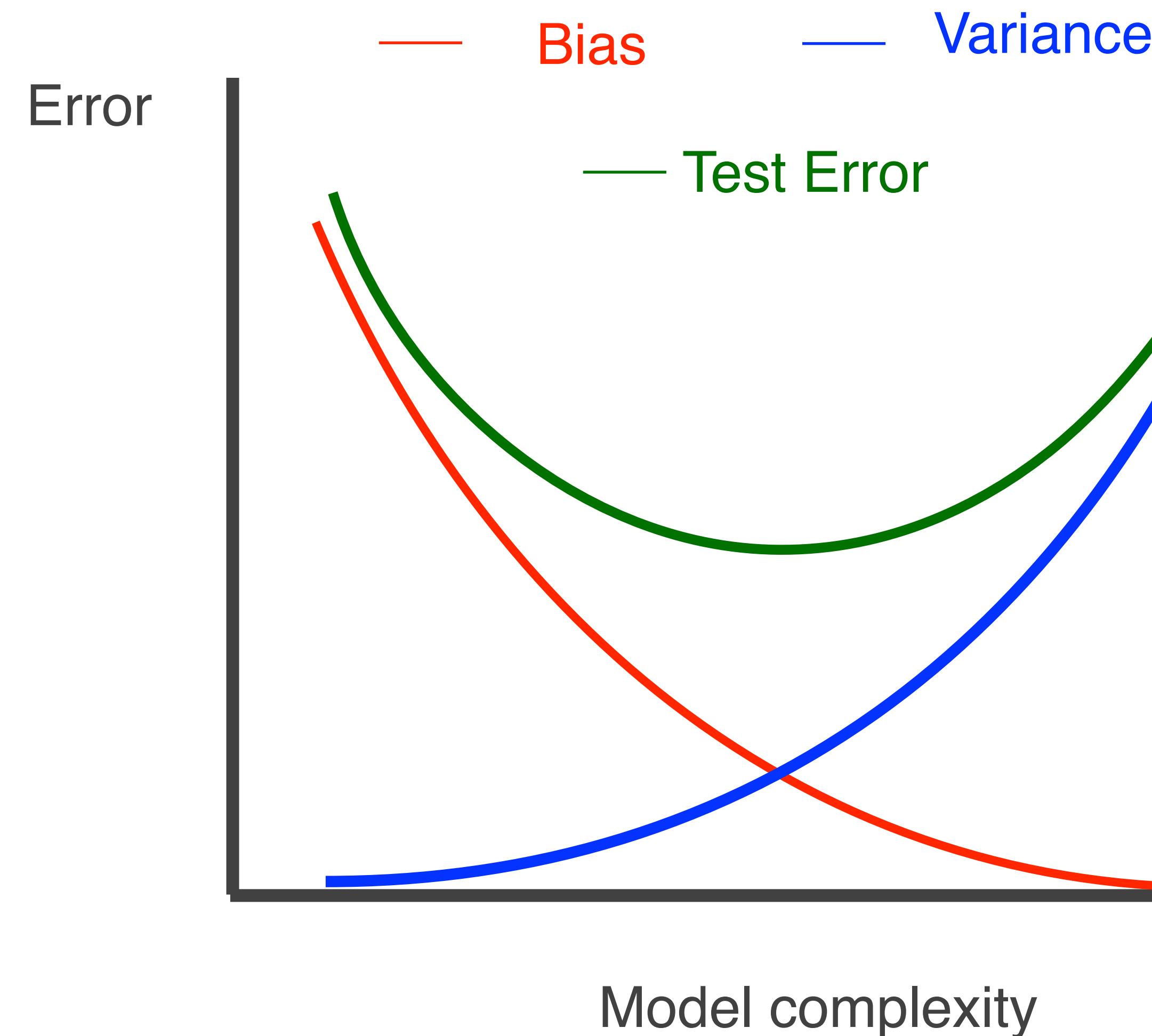


optimal solution

variance

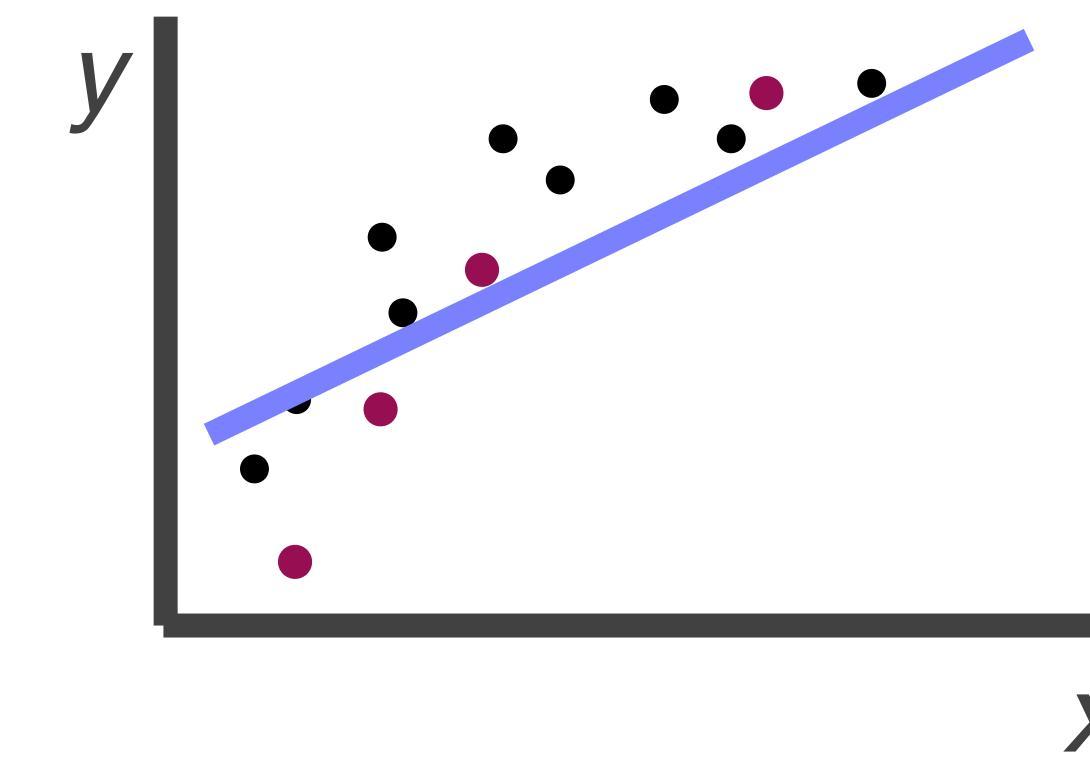


How do these error terms depend on the model complexity?



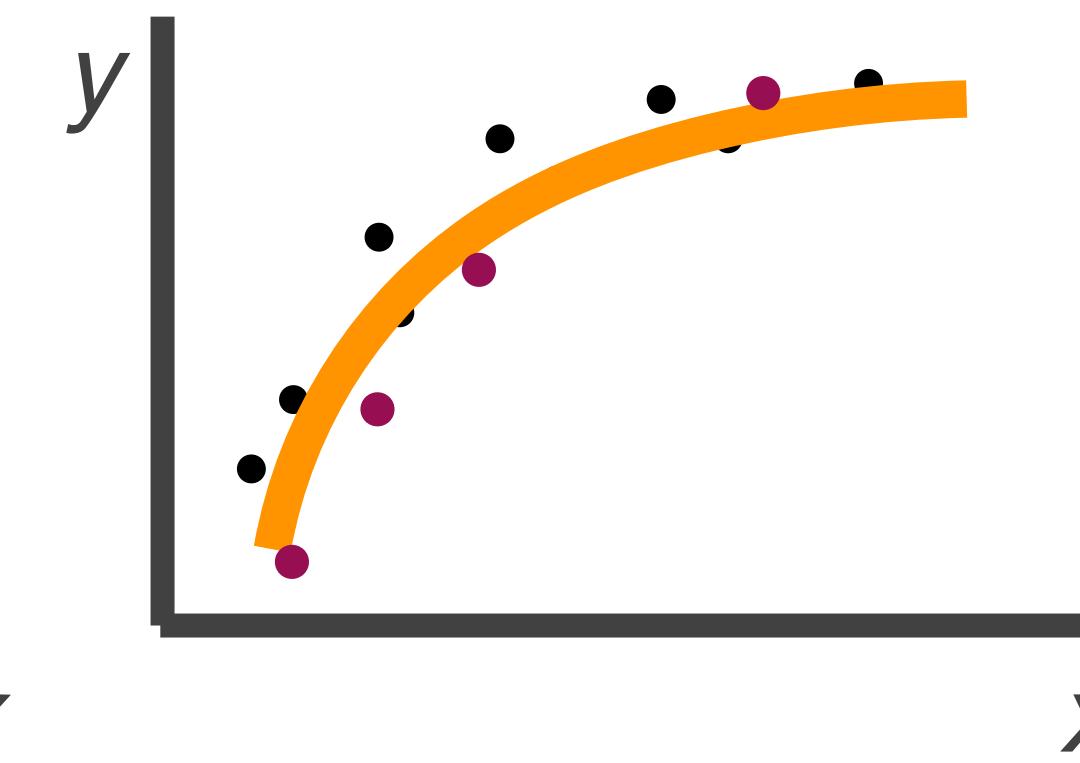
Regularization

Penalize functions
with large parameters



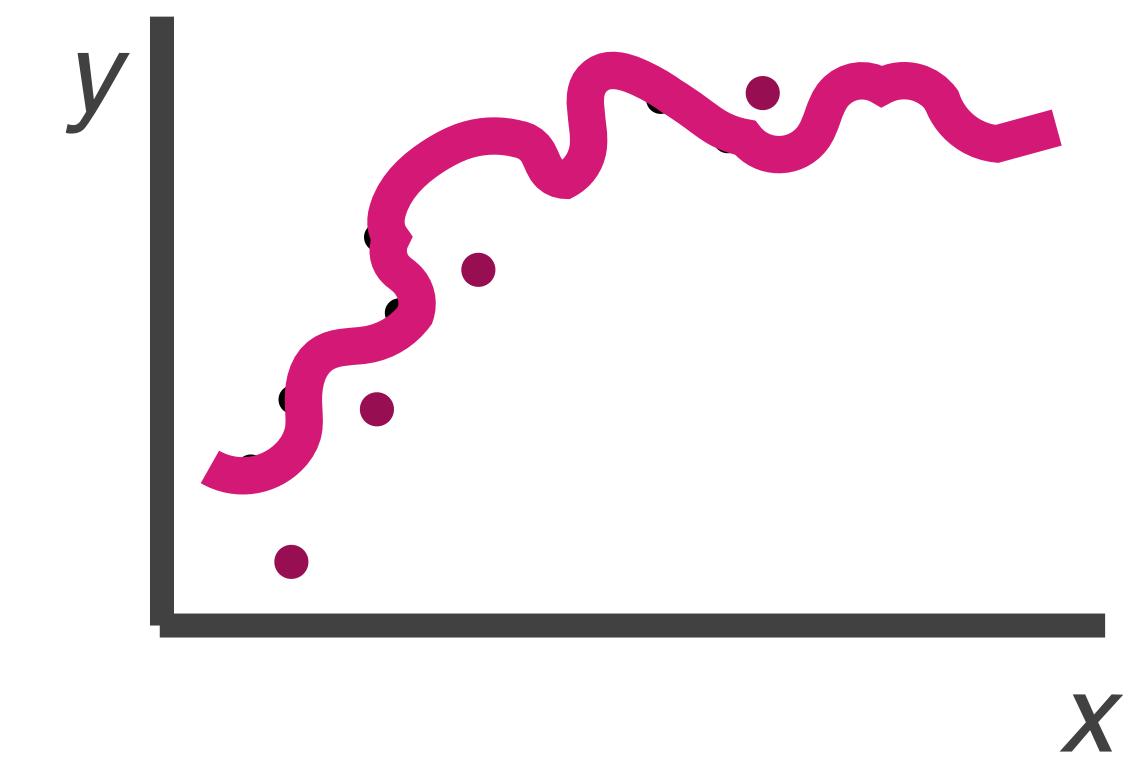
high bias

$$w_0 + w_1x$$



"just right"

$$w_0 + w_1x + w_2x^2$$



high variance

$$w_0 + w_1x + w_2x^2 + w_3x^3 + w_4x^4$$

$$\mathcal{L} = \|\hat{y}_{ML} - y\|_2^2 + \lambda \|w\|_2^2$$

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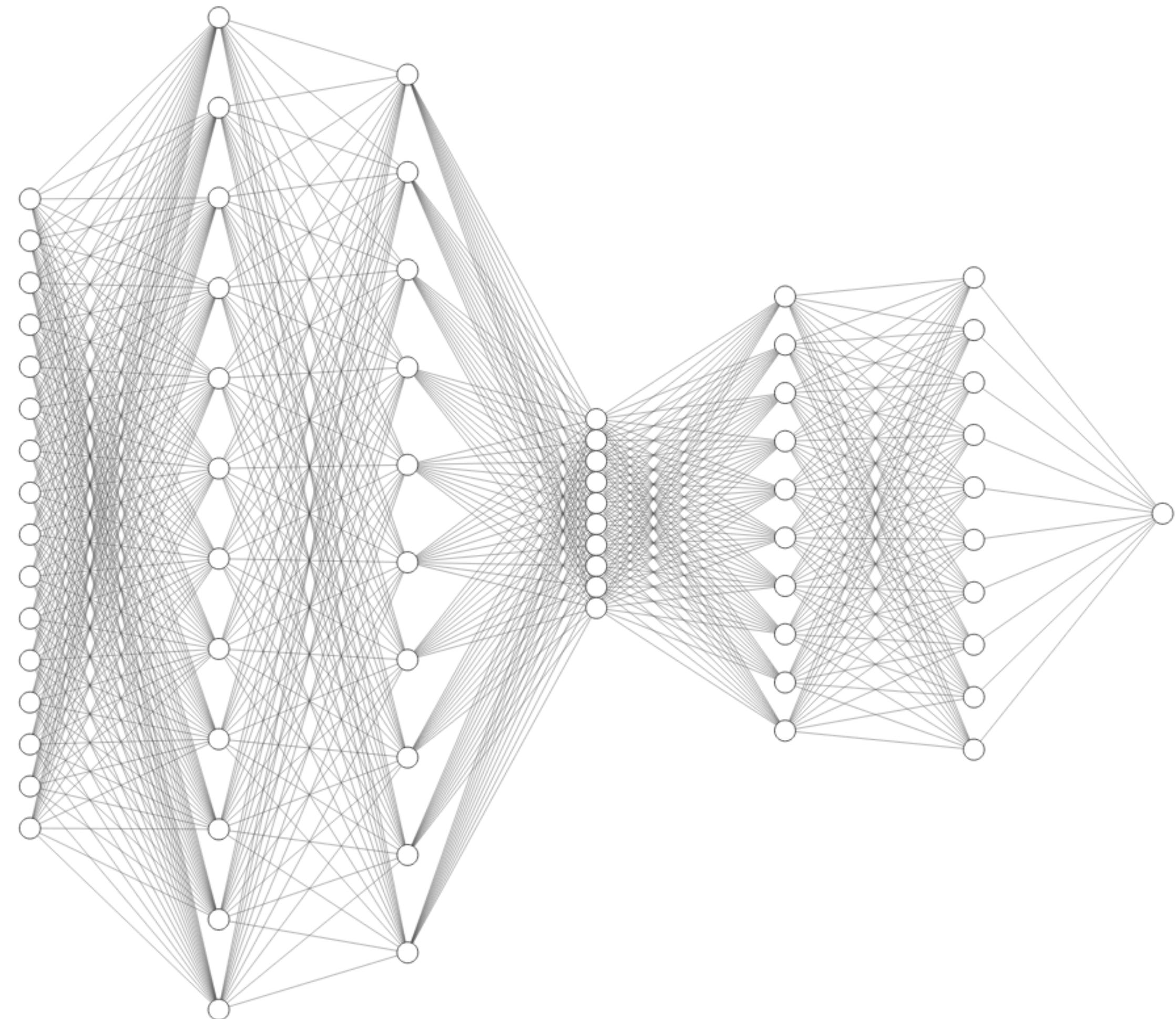
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- K-fold cross-validation

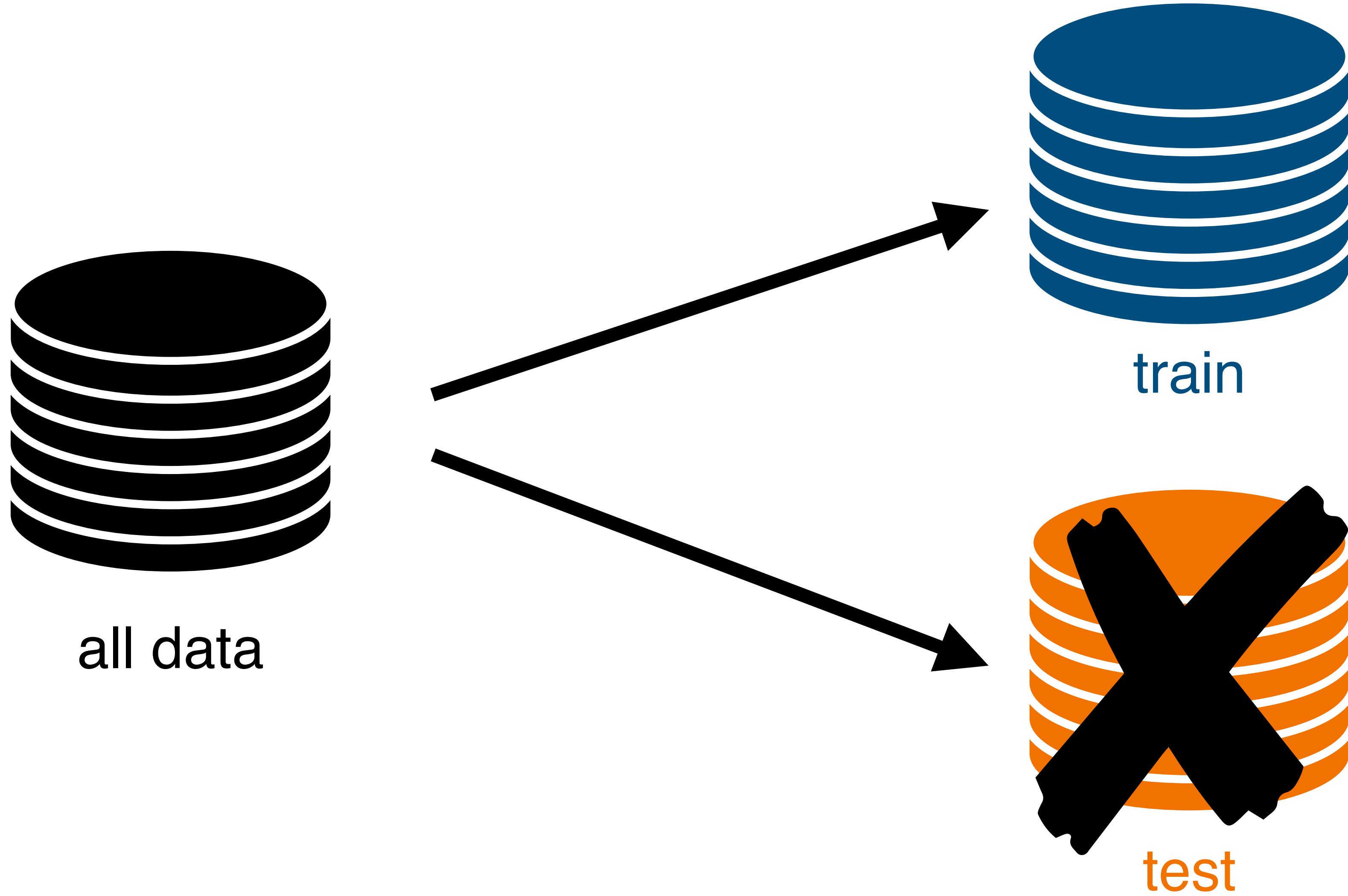
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We cannot learn them,
but we need to optimize
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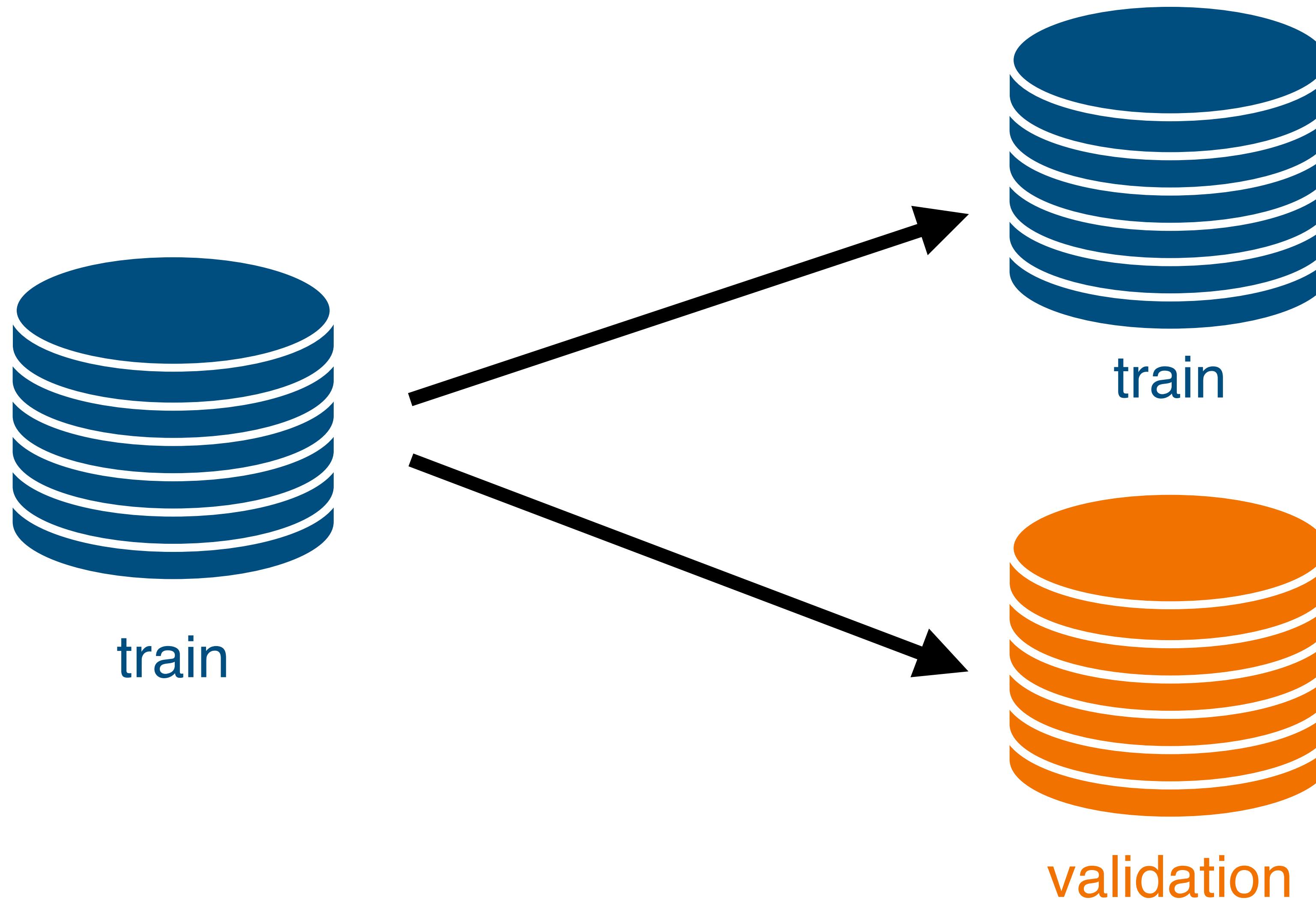
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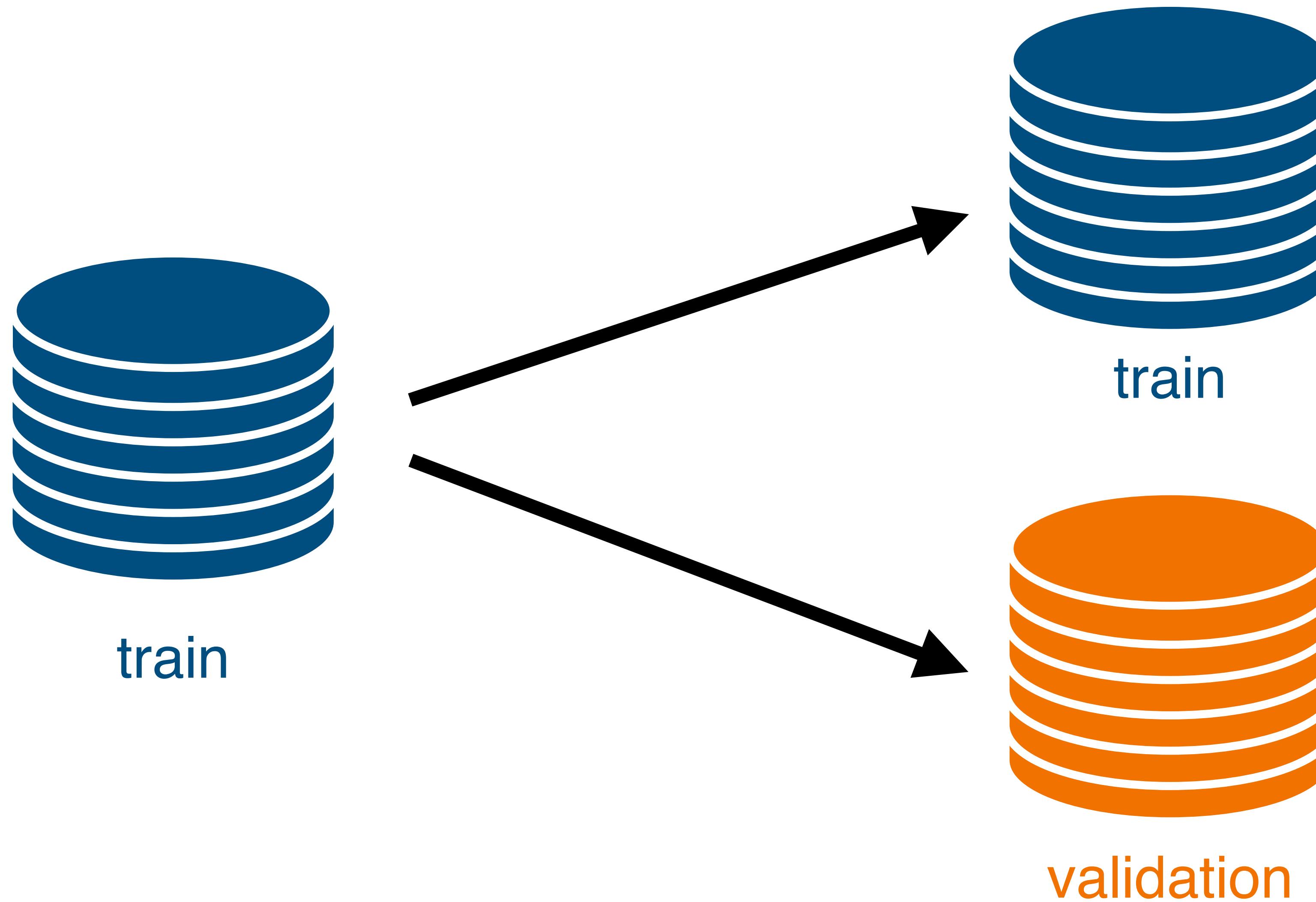
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Hyperparameter tuning on *validation set*

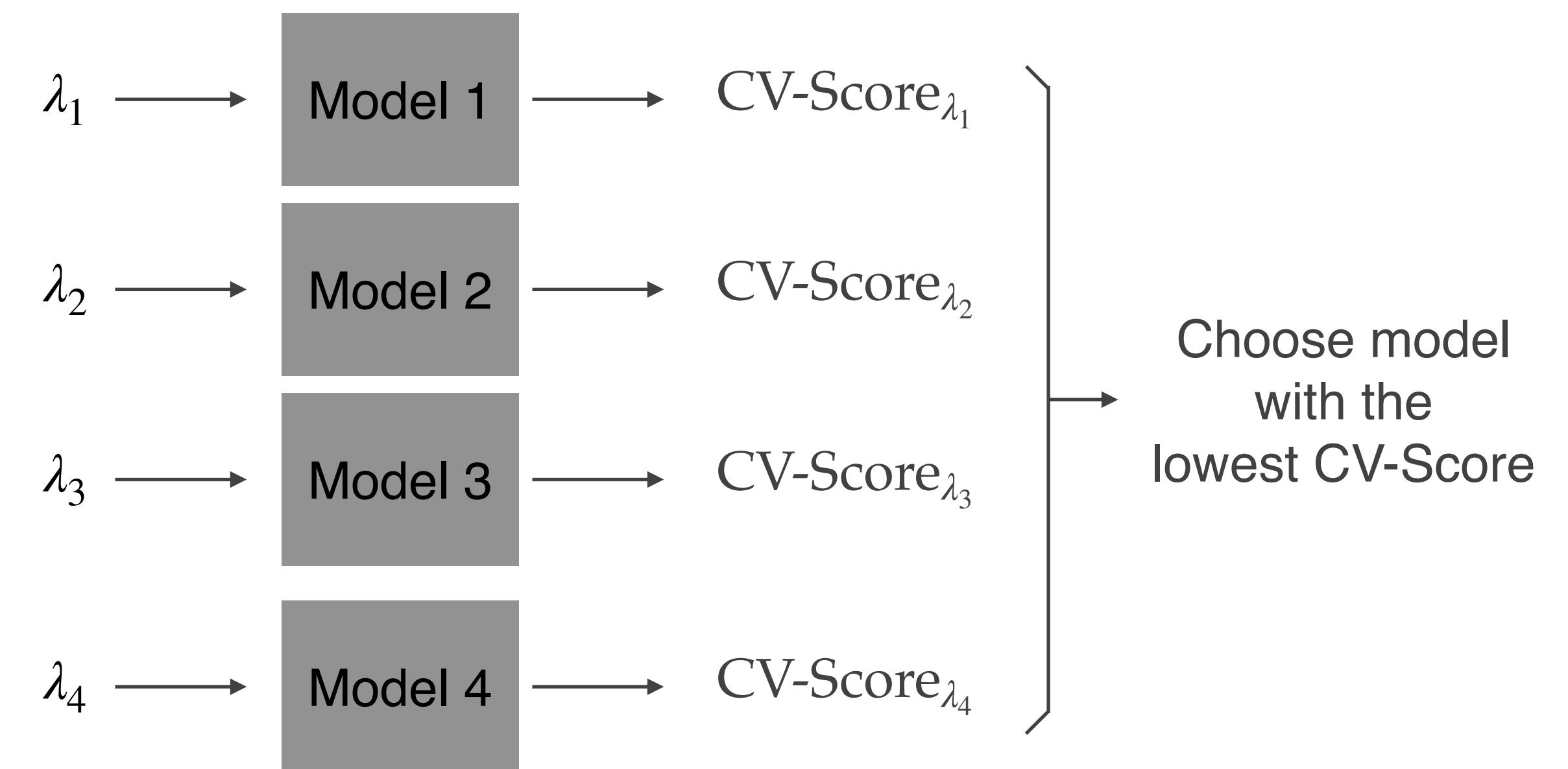


Hyperparameter tuning on *validation set*



Using cross-validation for hyperparameter tuning

- We test different hyperparameter settings
- Estimate the error rate using cross validation
- Then pick the one with the lowest error
- And only then (when we are done) get the error rate on the test set

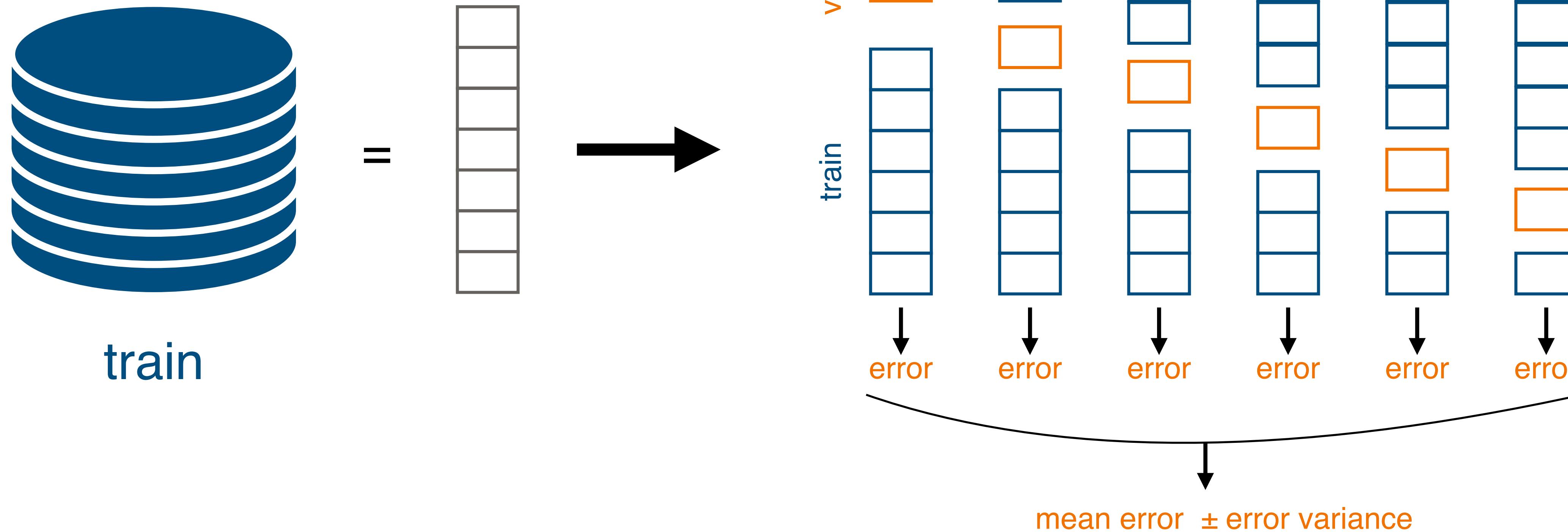


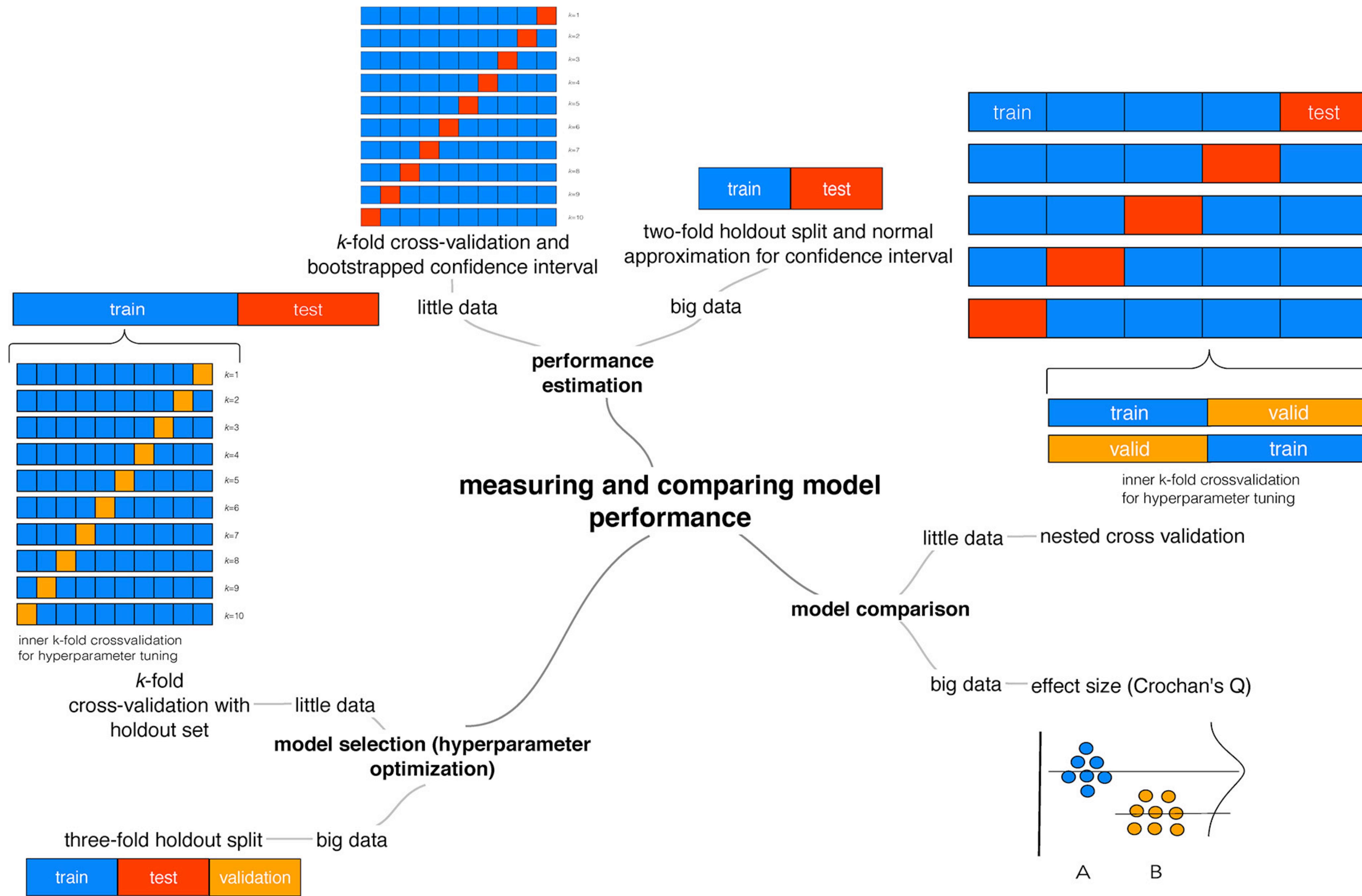
For small datasets: Build validation set using k -fold crossvalidation

Problem with simple split: Pessimistic bias and variance of the error estimate

Doing split only once: High variance

Larger test set reduces the variance, but leads to underestimation (pessimistic bias)





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6. Kernel learning

Learning Objectives:

- The kernel trick allows us to use the training data as basis
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Features as basis set

(Non) Linear regression
primal picture

$$f(x) = \sum_i^N w_i b_i(x)$$

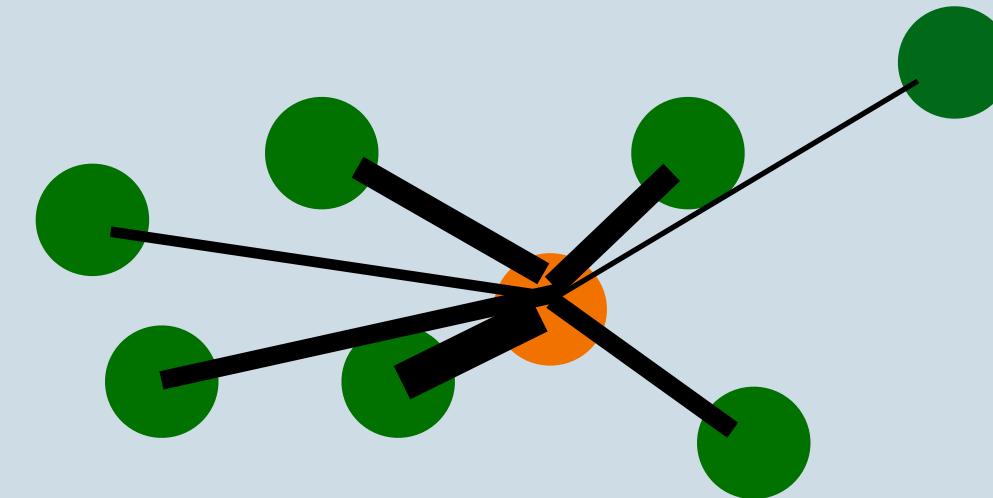
$b_i(x)$ basis functions

$$\begin{aligned} \text{uptake} = & w_1 \cdot \text{density} \\ & + w_2 \cdot \text{pore diameter} \\ & - w_3 \cdot \text{maximum charge}^2 \end{aligned}$$

Training data as basis set

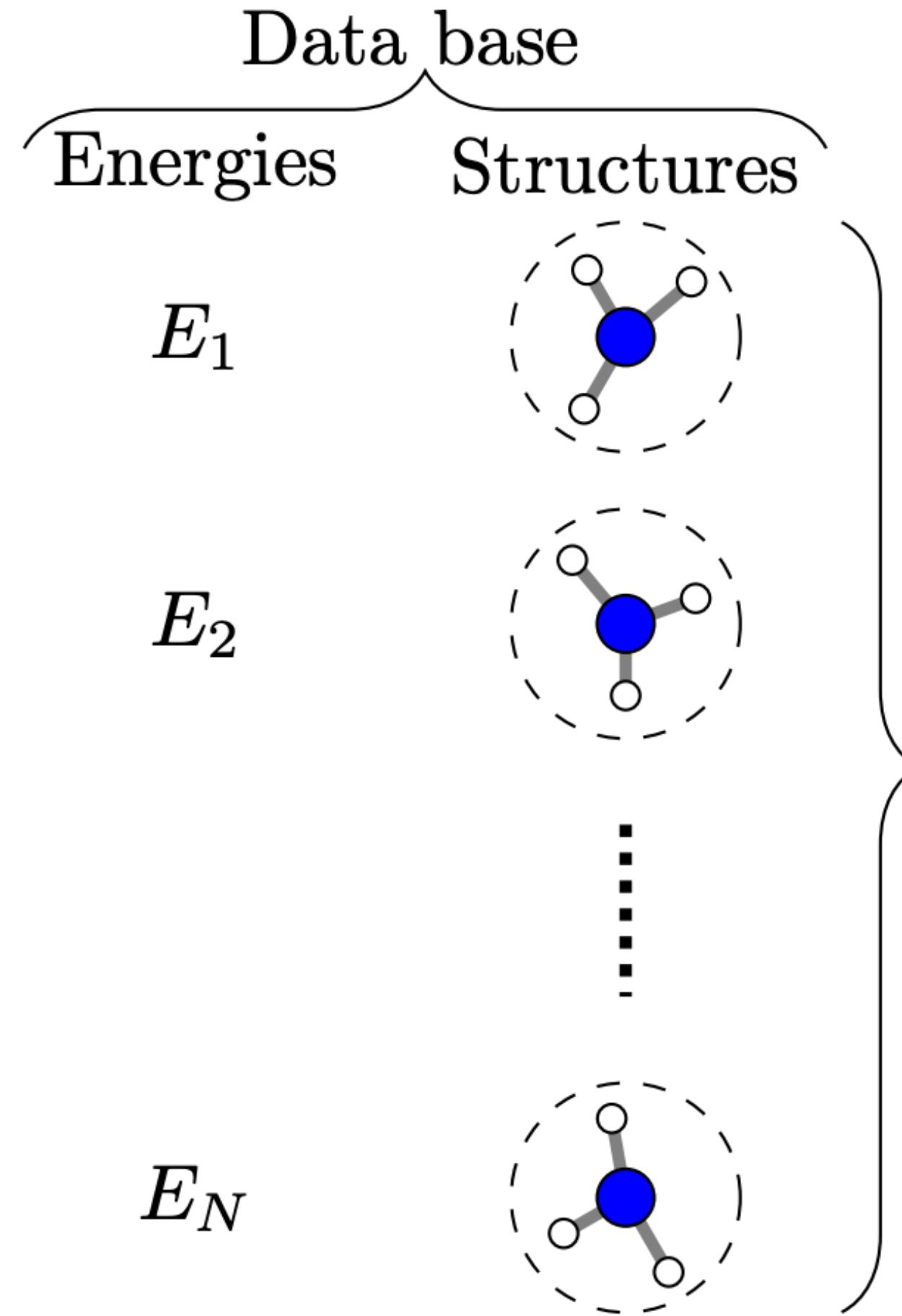
Kernel regression
dual picture

$$f(x) = \sum_i^N w_i K(x, x_i)$$

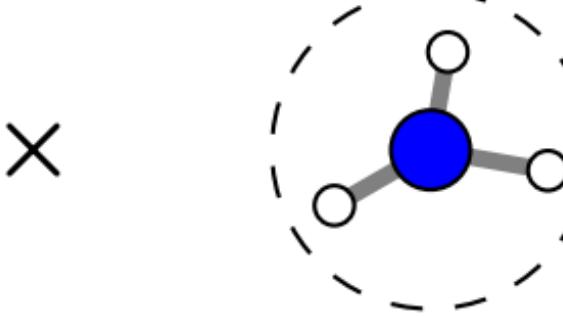


- train example
- query

Consider similarity to *all* training instances



Compare current configuration to data base



\rightarrow

Interpolate energy

$$E = \left\{ \begin{array}{l} E_1 \alpha_1 k(\text{current config}, \text{structure } 1) \\ + E_2 \alpha_2 k(\text{current config}, \text{structure } 2) \\ + \dots \\ + E_N \alpha_N k(\text{current config}, \text{structure } N) \end{array} \right.$$

How do we get there?

Regularized linear regression

$$\mathbf{w} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{w}} \mathcal{L} = \arg \min_{\mathbf{w}} (\|\hat{\mathbf{y}}_{ML} - \mathbf{y}\|_2^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{w}\|_2^2)$$

Recall normal equation

$$\mathbf{w} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{y}$$

Rewrite

$$\mathbf{w} = \mathbf{X}^T (\mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}^T + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$

Define

$$\mathbf{a} := (\mathbf{X} \mathbf{X}^T + \lambda \mathbf{I})^{-1} \mathbf{y}$$

Using this definition

$$w = X^T a$$

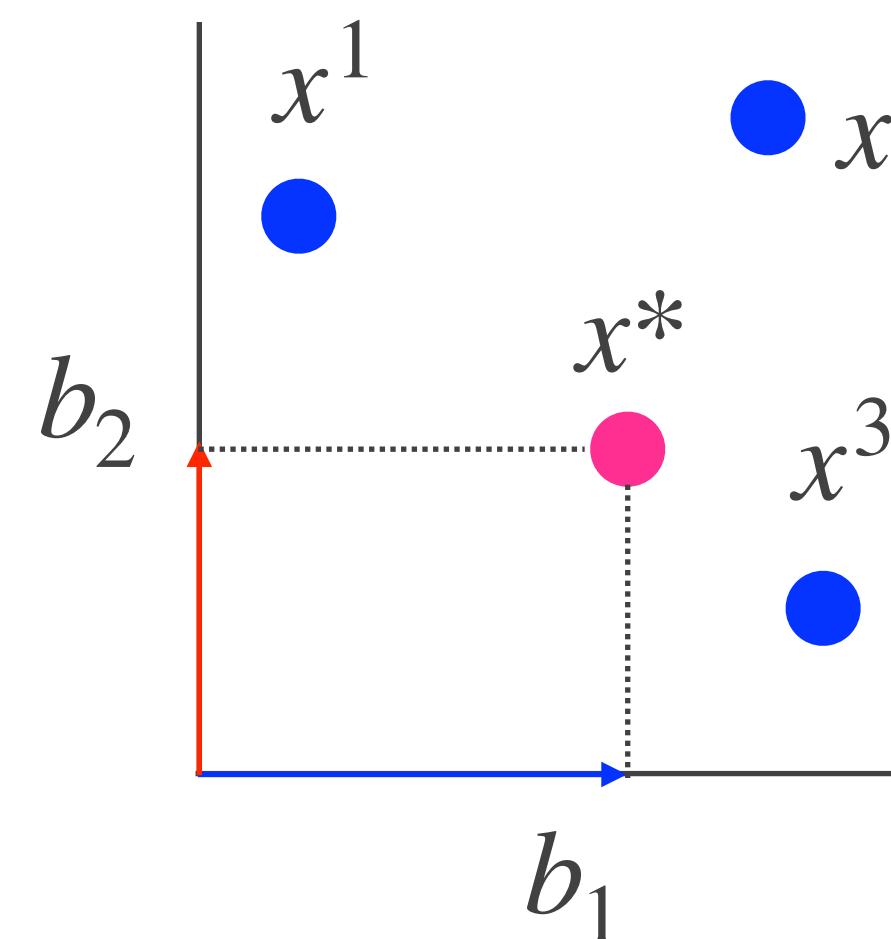
Rewrite inference equation

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{y}_{ML}(x^*) &= x^* w = [x_1^* \dots x_p^*] X^T a \\ &= [x_1^* \dots x_p^*] \begin{bmatrix} x_1^1 & \dots & x_n^1 \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ x_1^p & \dots & x_n^p \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ \vdots \\ a_n \end{bmatrix} \end{aligned}$$

$$= \sum_{i=1}^n x^* x_i^T a_i = \sum_{i=1}^n K(x^*, x_i) a_i$$

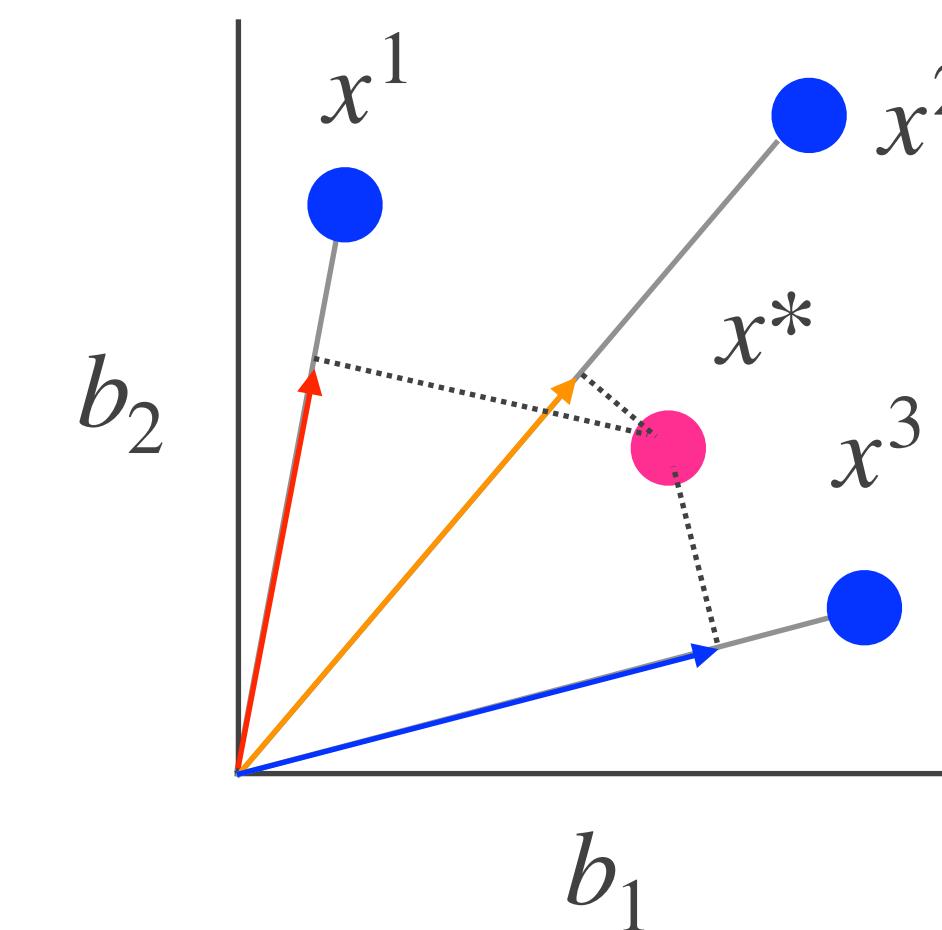
Contrasting Feature and Data Basis

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{y}_{ML}(x^*) &= x^*w = \begin{bmatrix} x_1^* & x_2^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} = x_1^*w_1 + x_2^*w_2 \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1^* & x_2^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} b_1 & 0 \\ 0 & b_2 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$



We describe the query point using the features

$$\begin{aligned}\hat{y}_{ML}(x^*) &= \begin{bmatrix} 1 & x_1^* & \dots & x_d^* \end{bmatrix} X^T a \\ &= \begin{bmatrix} x_1^* & x_2^* \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} x_1^1 & x_1^2 & x_1^3 \\ x_2^1 & x_2^2 & x_1^3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} a_0 \\ a_1 \\ a_3 \end{bmatrix}\end{aligned}$$



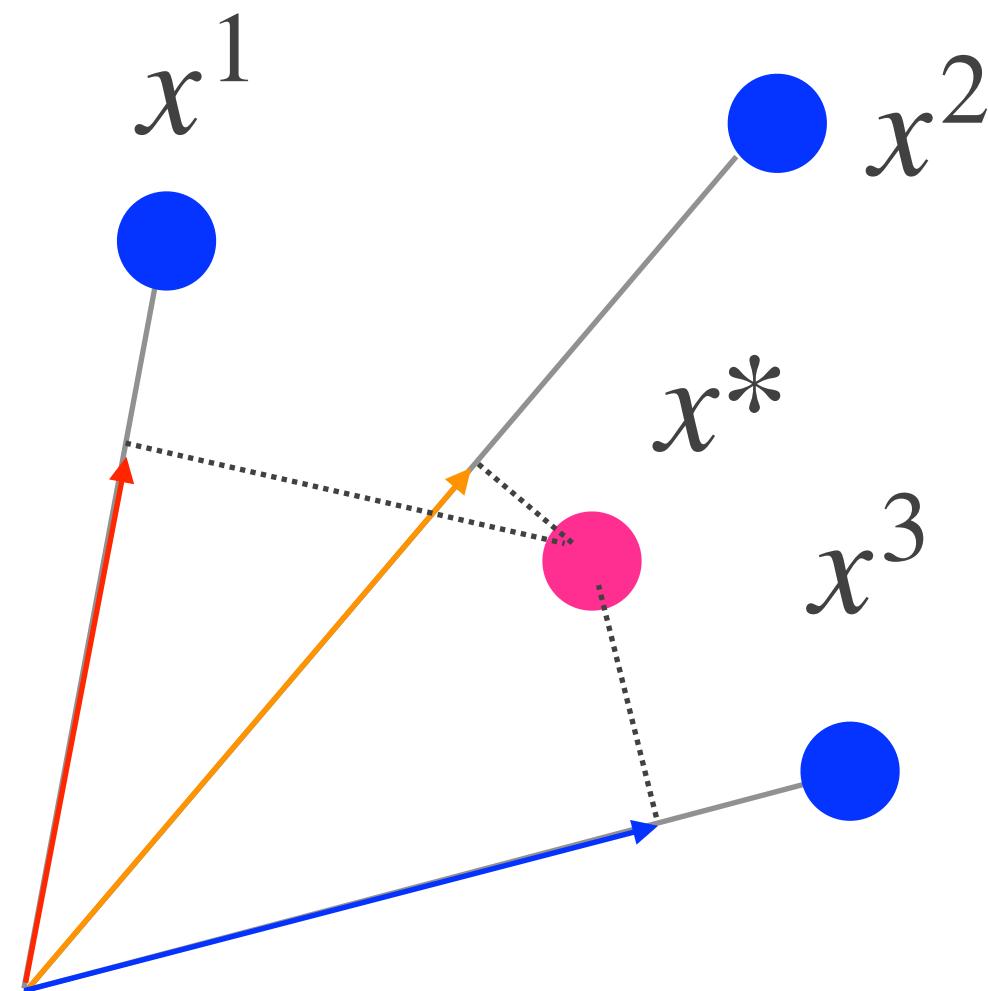
We describe the query point using the other points

Examples

Kernel is a notion of similarity, i.e. distance in feature space: $\hat{y}_{ML}(x^*) = \sum_{i=1}^n a_i K(x^*, x^i)$

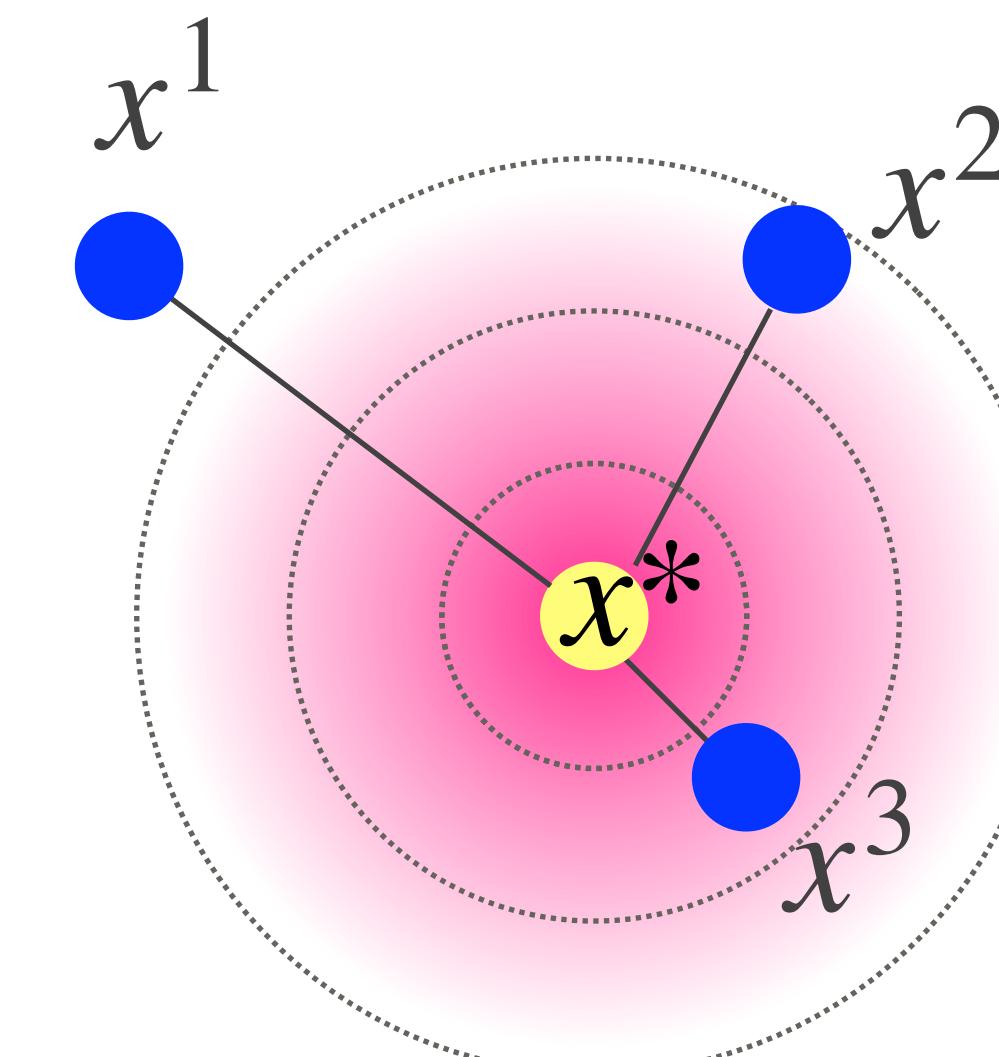
Linear basis

$$K(x^*, x_i) = \langle x^*, x_i \rangle$$

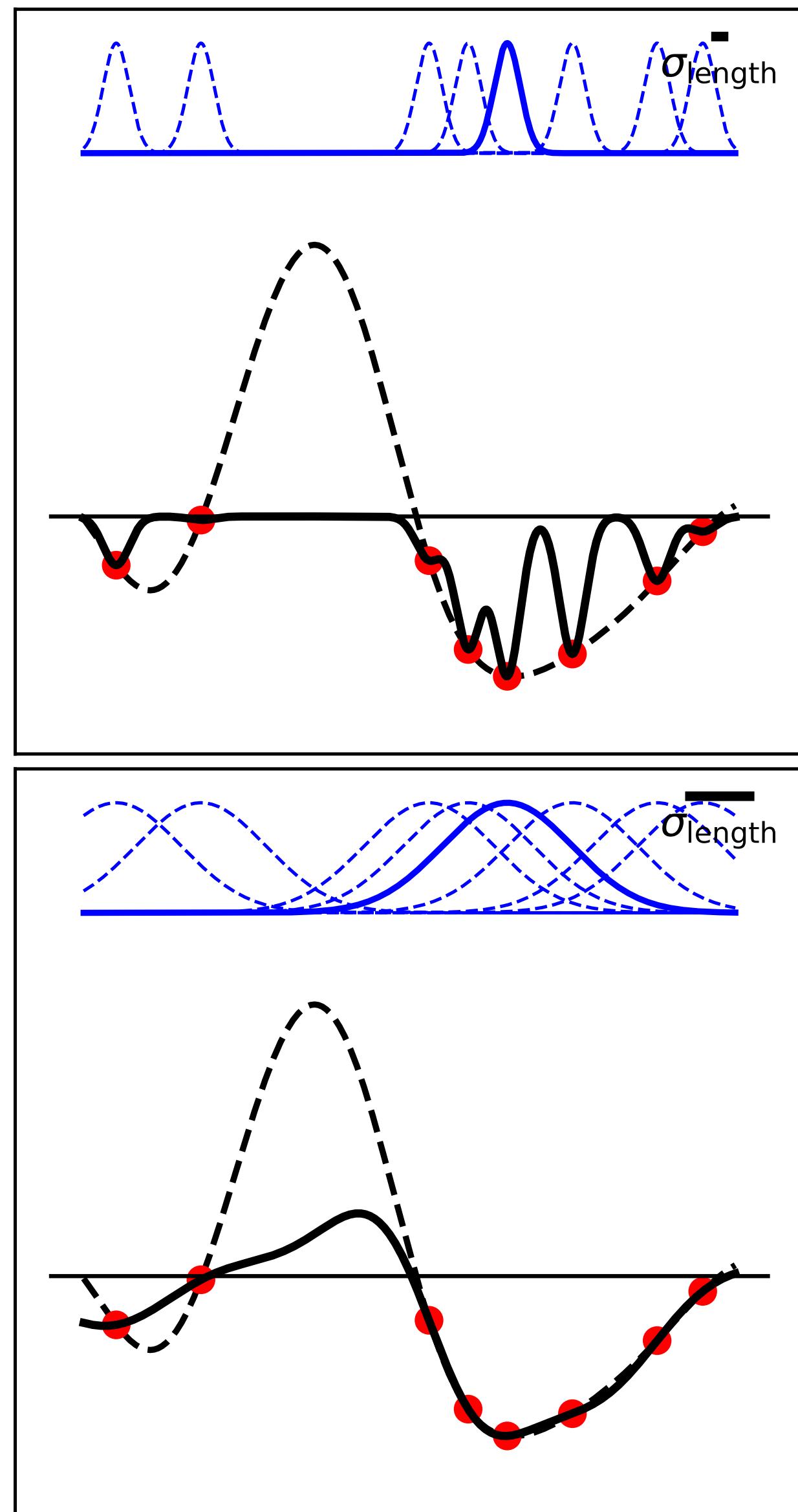


Radial basis

$$K(x^*, x_i) = \exp(-\gamma \|x^* - x_i\|_2^2)$$



Learning from function observations



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7. Feature importance

Learning Objectives:

- Motivation for explainable ML
- Permutation feature importance

Motivation

Debugging models



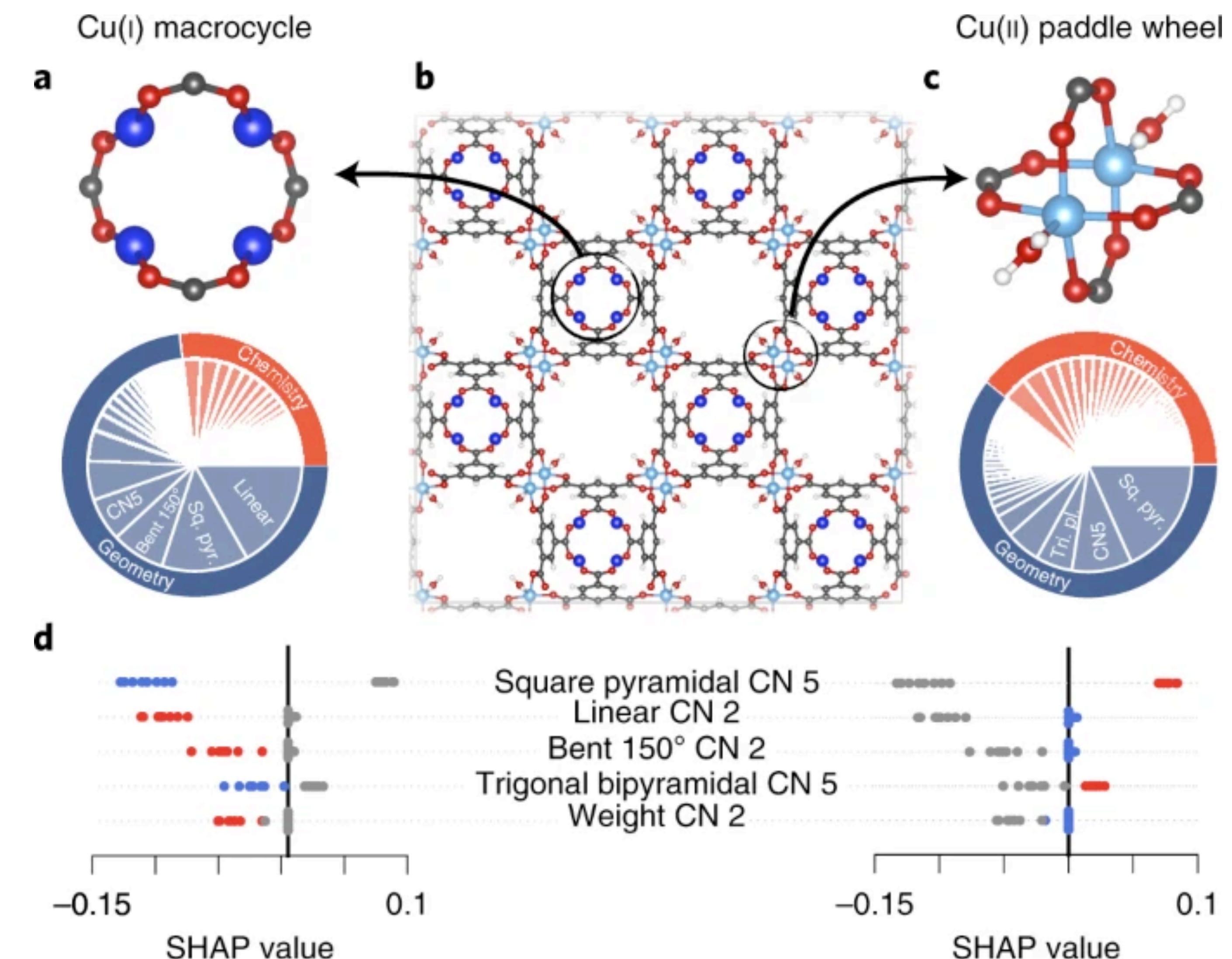
(a) Sheep - 26%, Cow - 17%



(d) Bird - 100%, Person - 39%

Motivation

Chemical insights into system



Permutation feature importance

Look at performance drop when trained on shuffled features

0. Build the model

$$X = \begin{pmatrix} x^{1,1} & x^{1,1} & \dots & x^{1,p} \\ x^{2,1} & x^{2,1} & \dots & x^{2,p} \\ \vdots & \ddots & & \vdots \\ x^{n,1} & x^{n,1} & \dots & x^{n,p} \end{pmatrix} y = \begin{pmatrix} y^1 \\ y^2 \\ \vdots \\ y^n \end{pmatrix} \hat{y}_{ML} = f(X), \mathcal{L}(y, \hat{y}_{ML})$$

1. Estimate the model error

$$e^{\text{orig}} = \mathcal{L}(y, \hat{y}_{ML})$$

2. For each feature $j=1,\dots,p$:

- Generate permuted feature matrix for feature (j)

$$x_j^{\text{perm}} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & x^{1,1} & \dots & x^{50,j} & \dots & x^{1,p} \\ 1 & x^{2,1} & \dots & x^{n,j} & \dots & x^{2,p} \\ 1 & \vdots & \dots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 1 & x^{n,1} & \dots & x^{2,j} & \dots & x^{n,p} \end{pmatrix}$$

- Estimate the error with permuted features

$$e_j^{\text{perm}} = \mathcal{L}(y, f(x_j^{\text{perm}}))$$

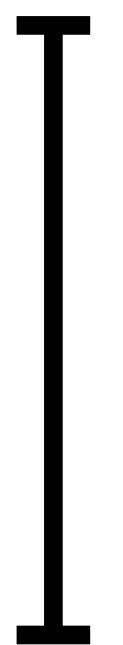
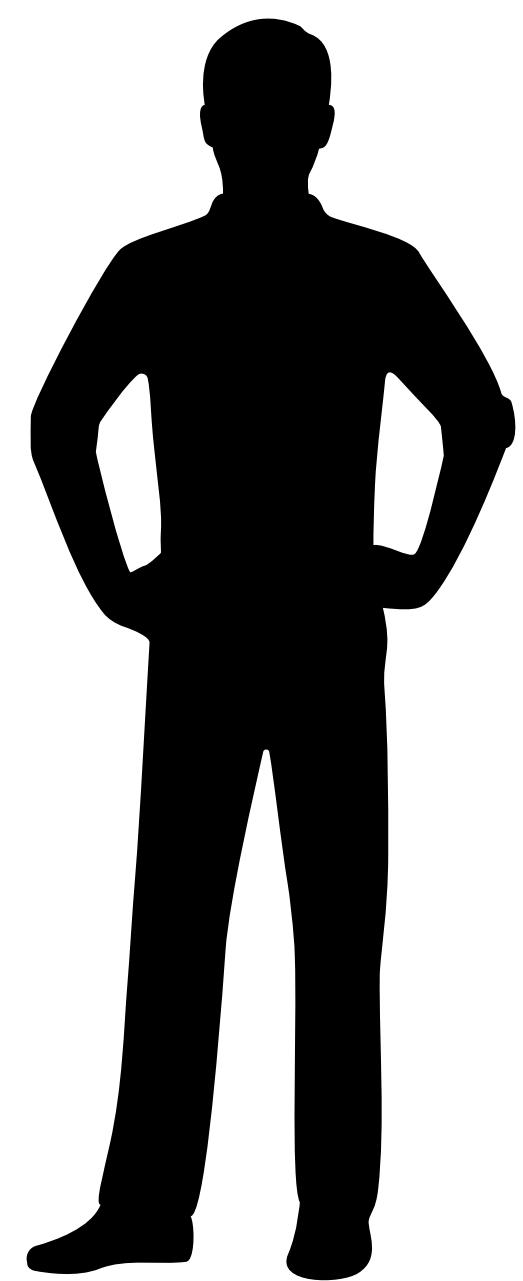
- Get the the performance difference

$$e_j^{\text{perm}} - e_j^{\text{orig}}$$

Permutation feature importance

Caveats with correlated features

- Importance of correlated features might be split
- Might generate unreasonable data points



height



weight

7. Feature importance

Learning Objectives:

- Motivation for explainable ML
- Permutation feature importance

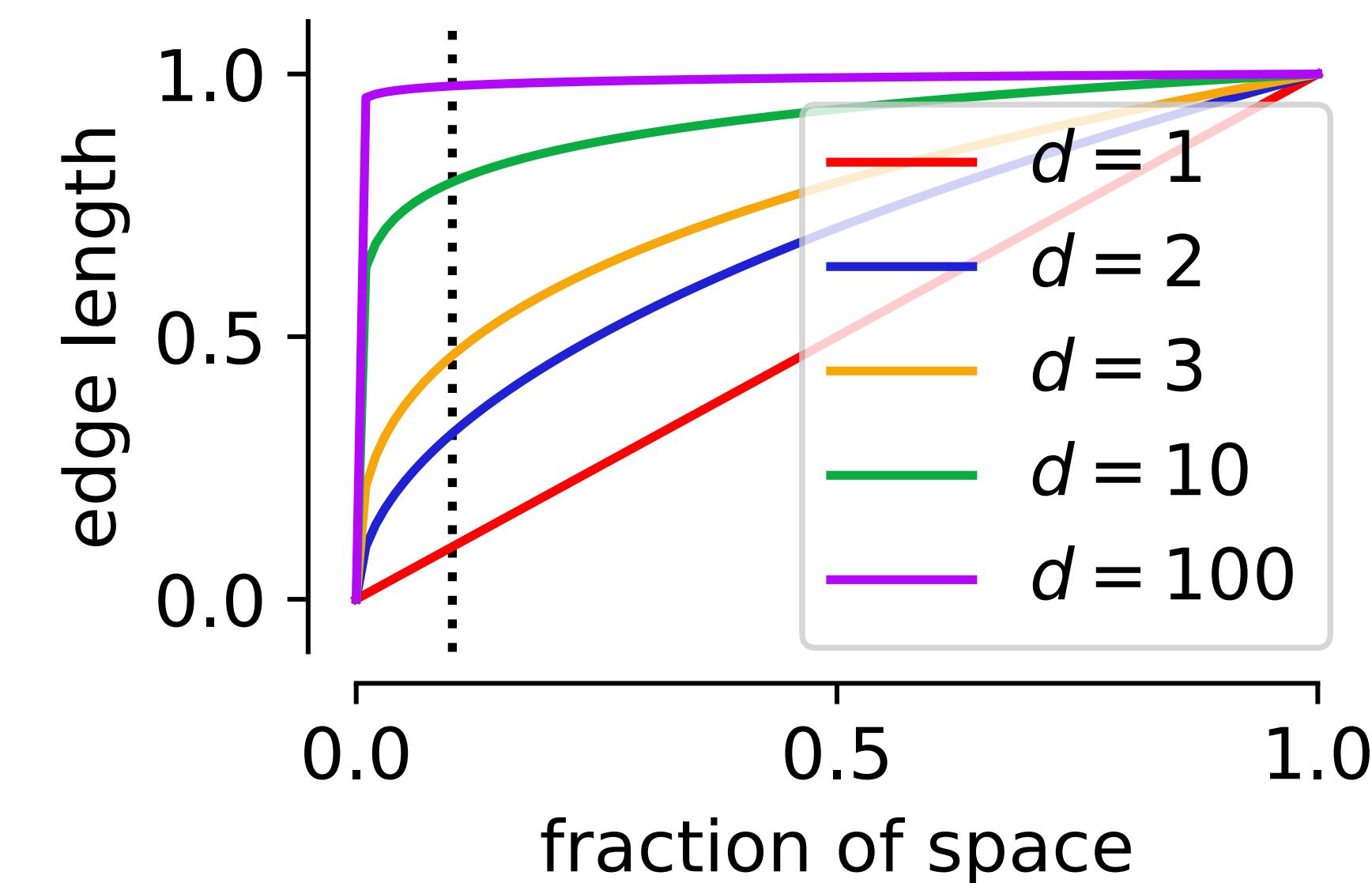
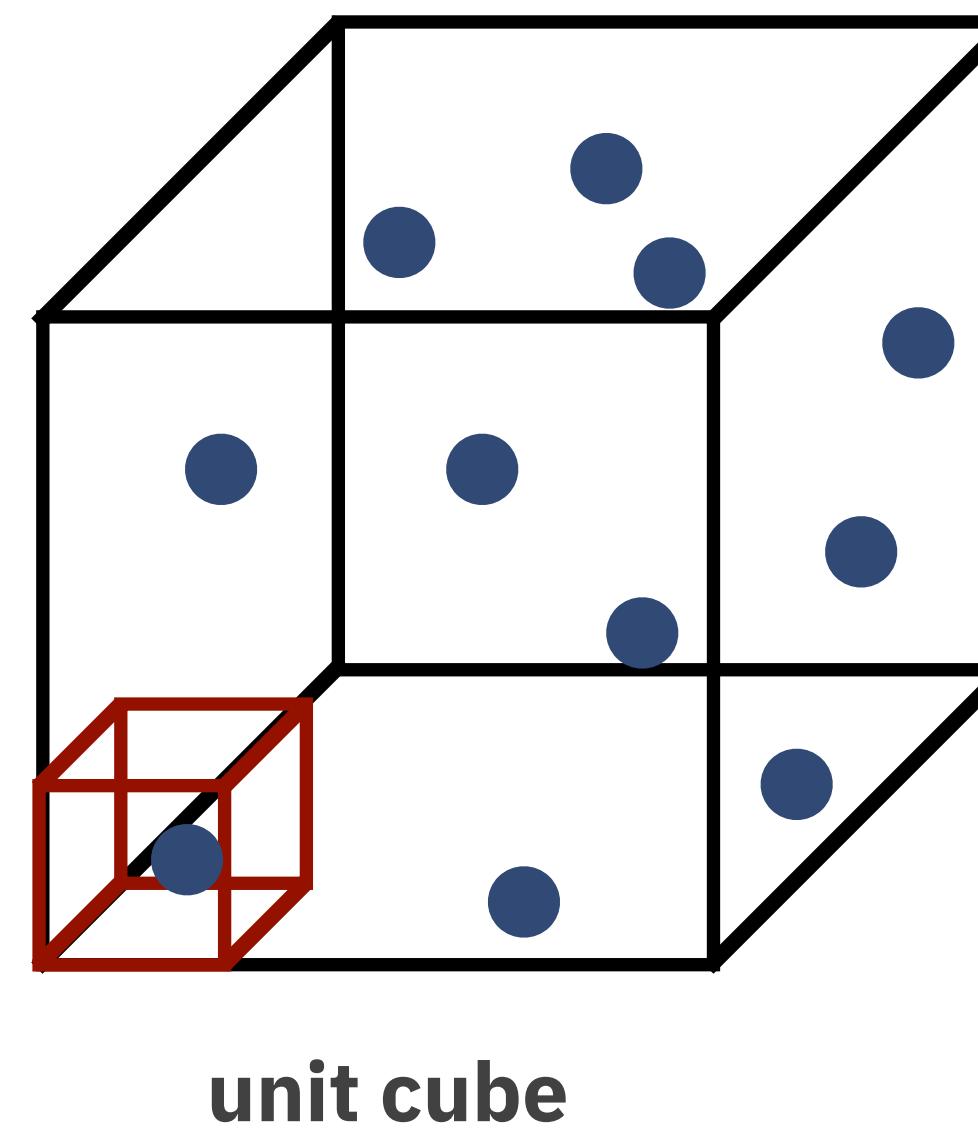
8. Feature Selection

Learning Objectives:

- Curse of dimensionality: No locality in high-dimensional spaces
- Filter heuristics
- LASSO

No locality in high dimensions

edgelength = fraction of space $^{1/\text{dimensionality}}$

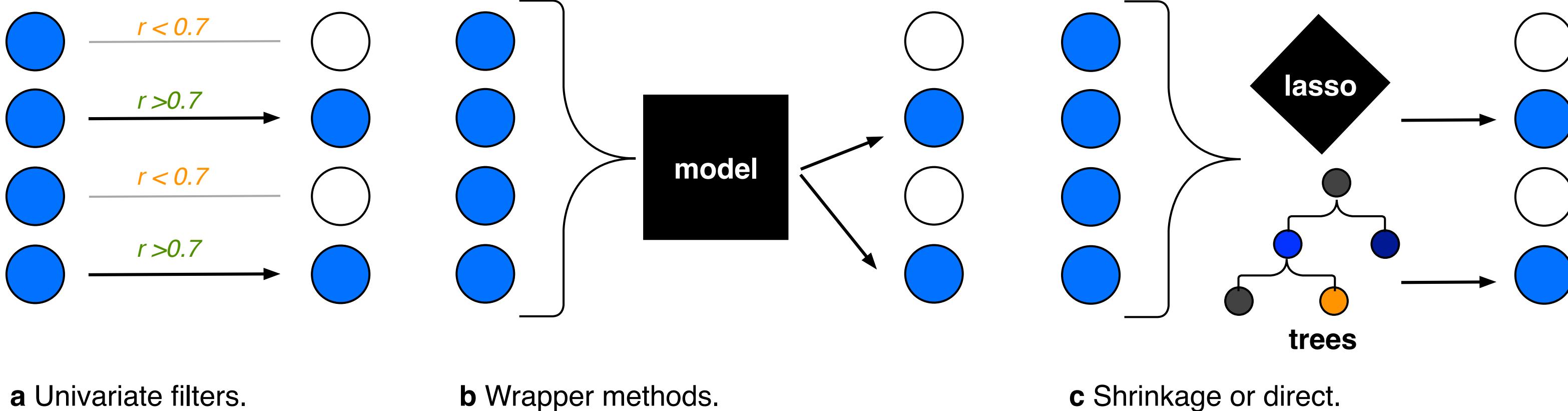


Methods that are based on similarity ($k\text{NN}/\text{KRR}$) might fail in high dimensional spaces!

We want to **reduce the dimensionality** of our feature matrix!

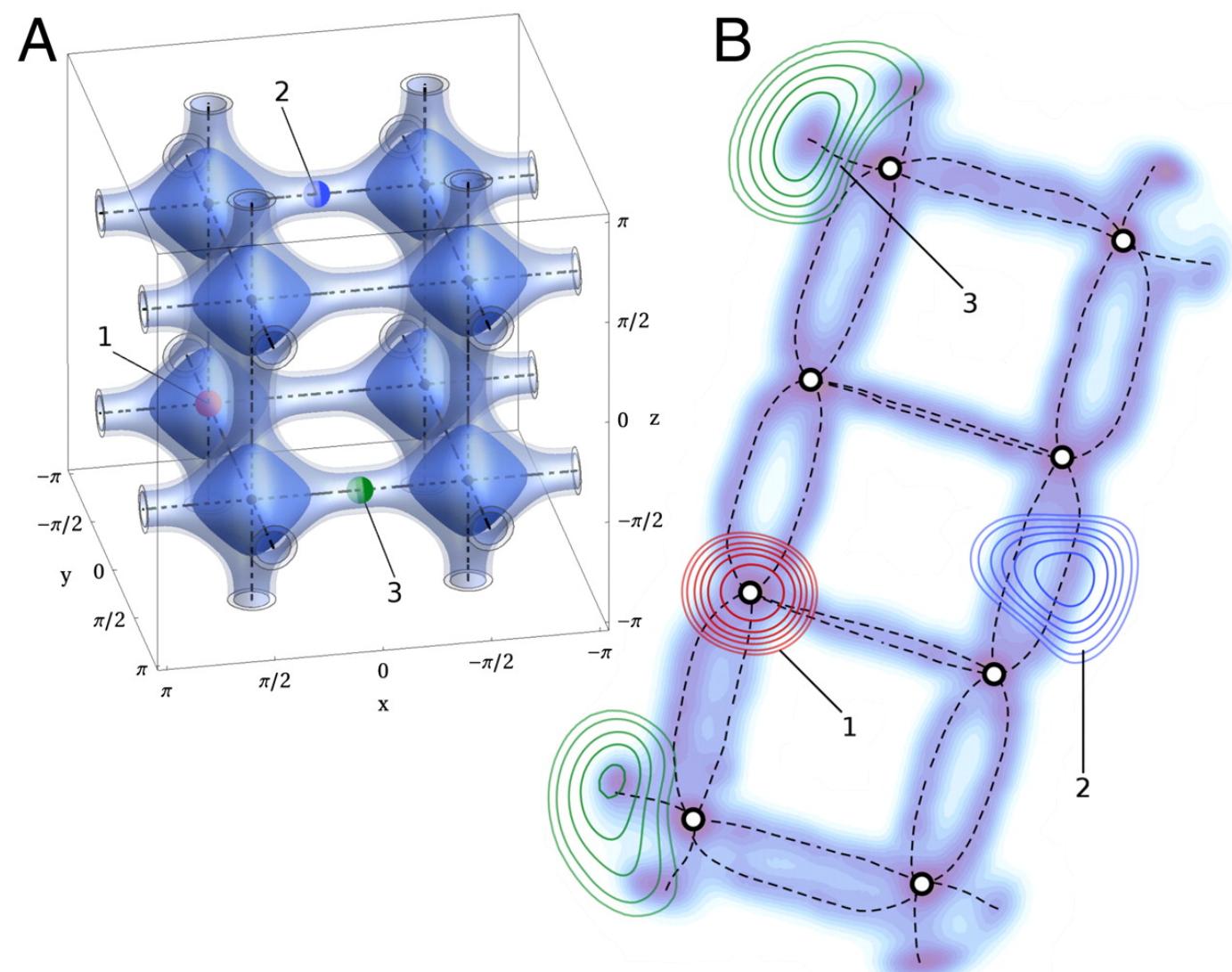
Feature selection

Reduce dimensionality of feature space by feature selection (compression)

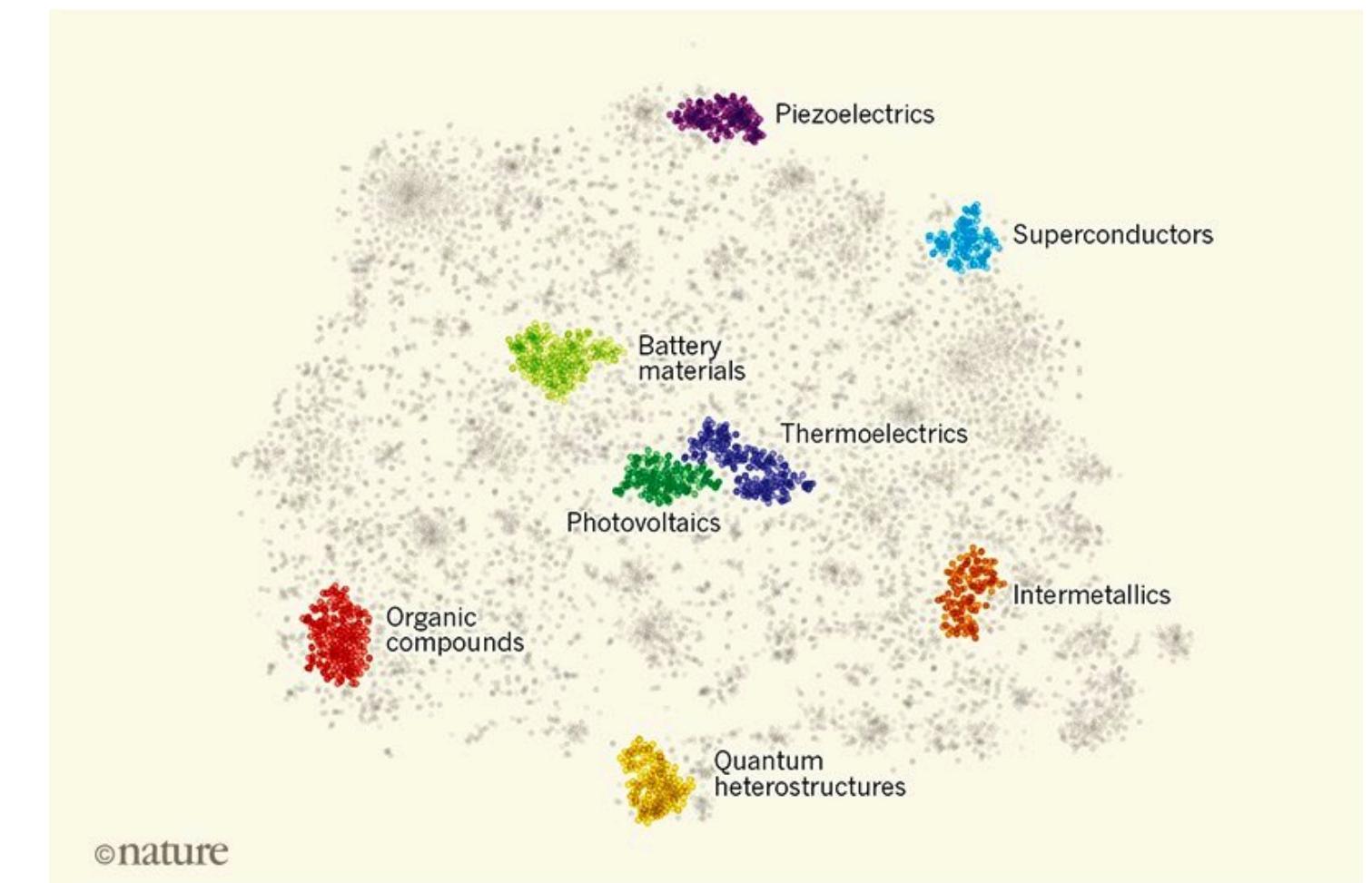


Feature projection

Reduce size of feature space by dimensionality reduction (feature projection)



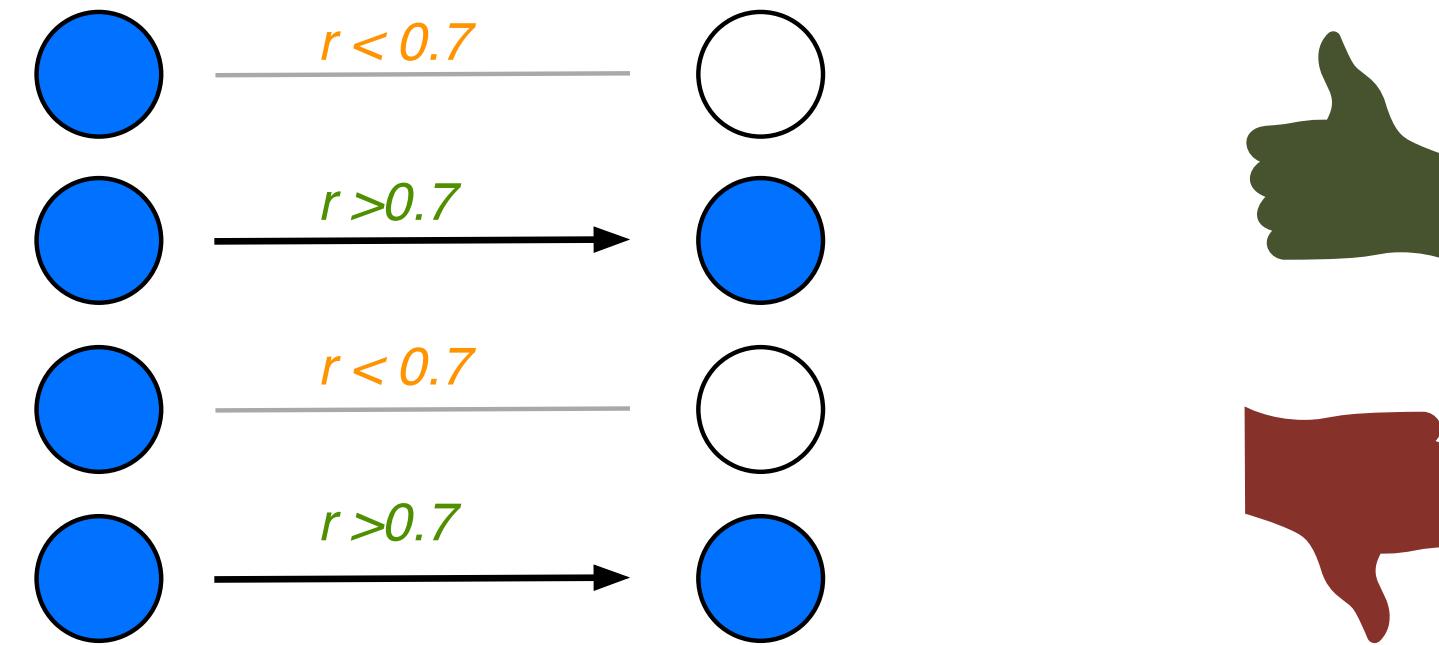
Visualize data and Materials Cartography



Janet, J. P.; Kulik, H. J. *J. Phys. Chem. A* **2017**, *121* (46), 8939–8954.

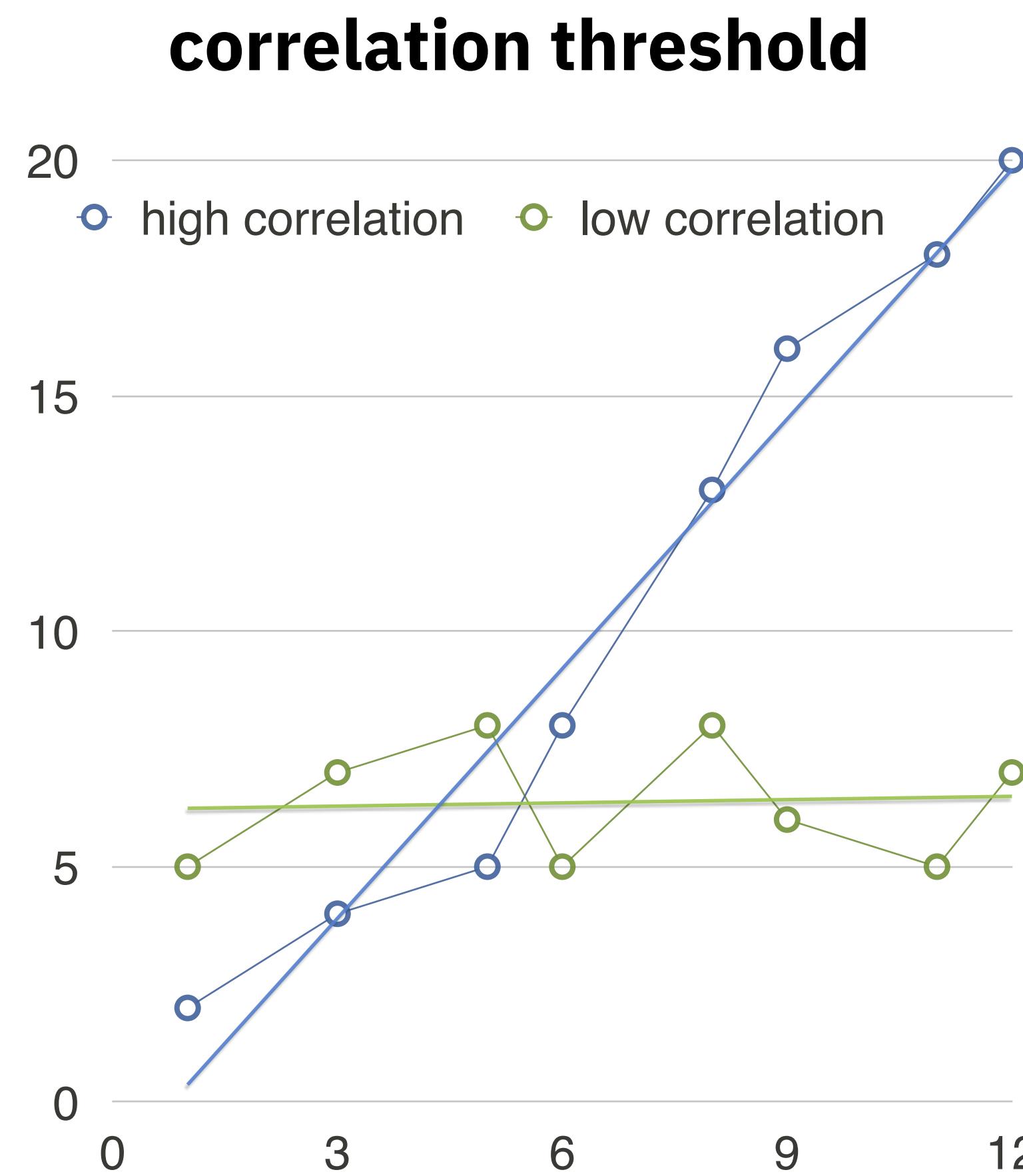
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Feature Selection: Filter Methods



Easy and cheap

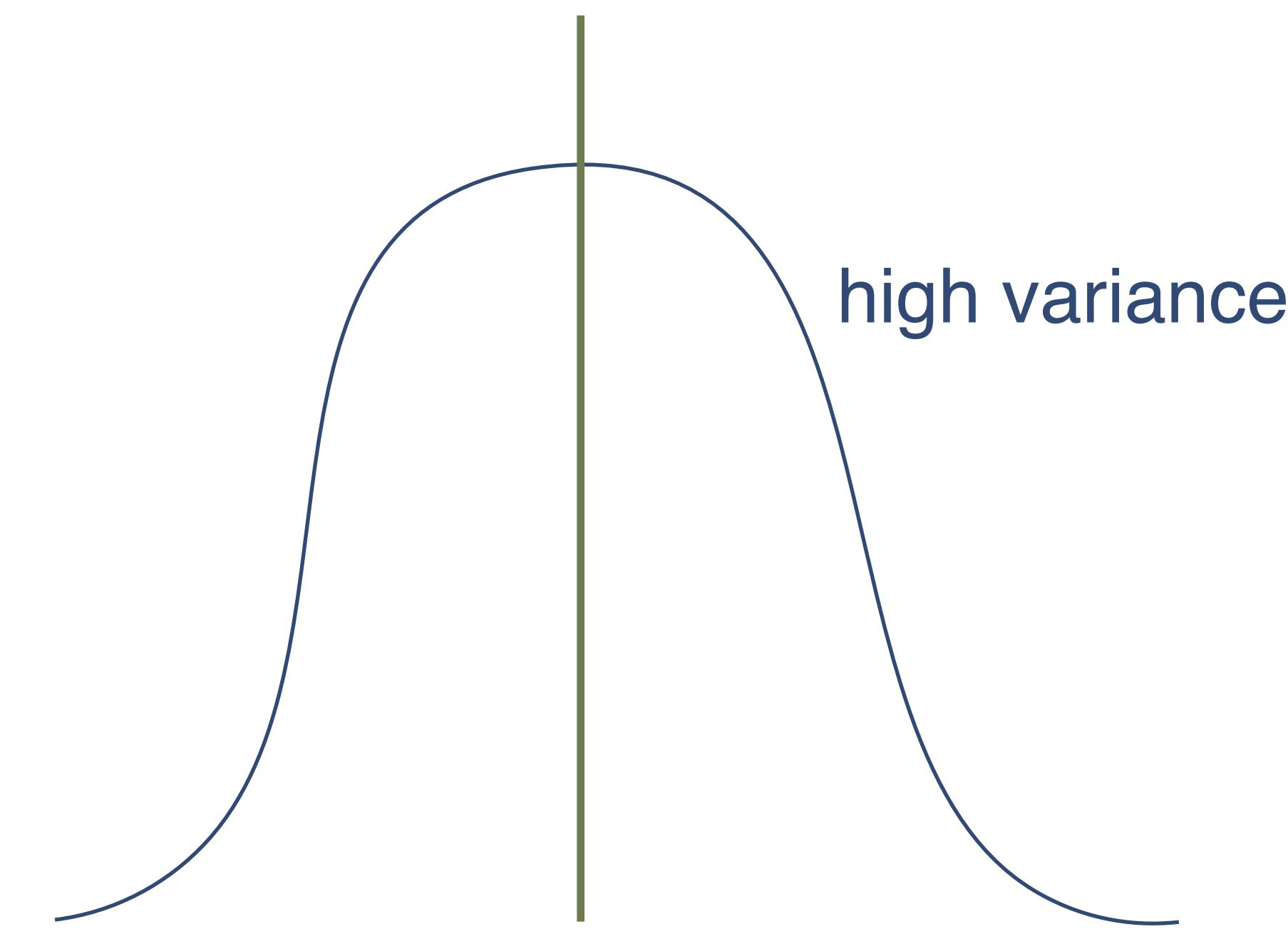
Interaction effects are not considered



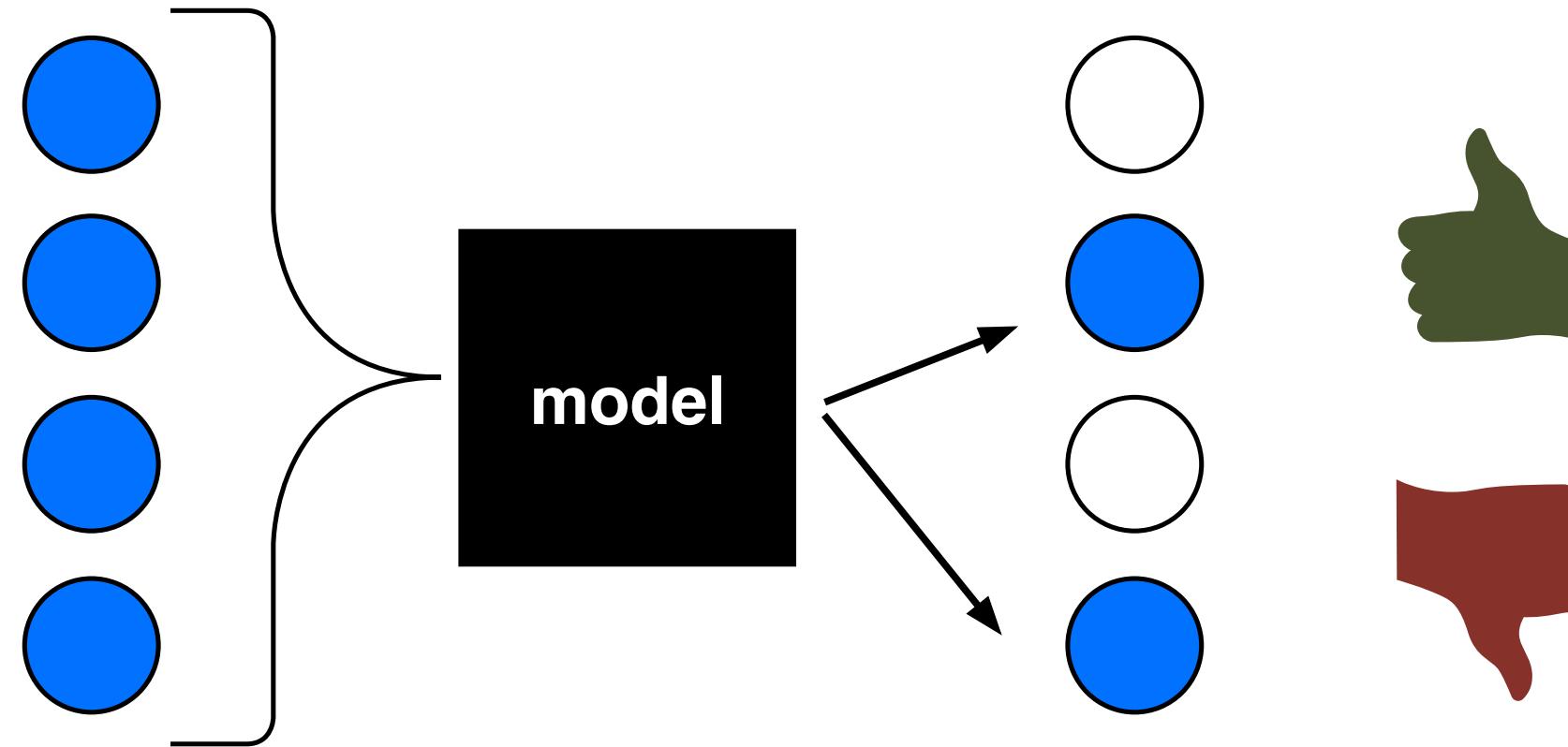
variance threshold

low variance

high variance

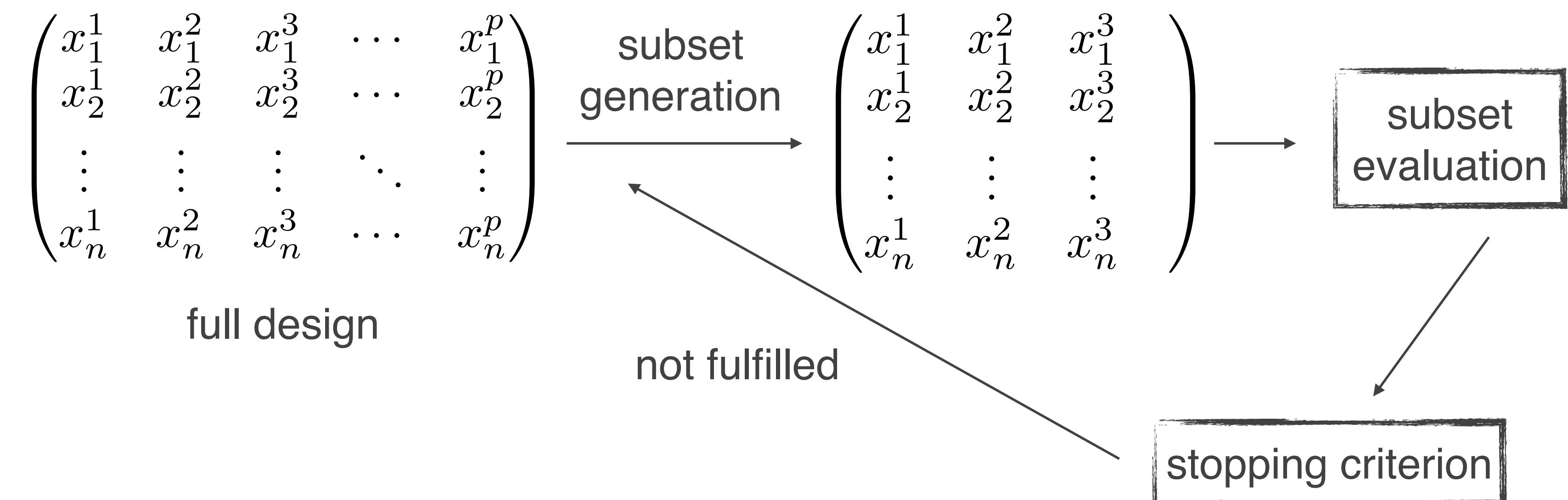


Feature Selection: Wrapper Methods



- Uses a good surrogate of the real objective
- Expensive

For example recursive feature addition or elimination

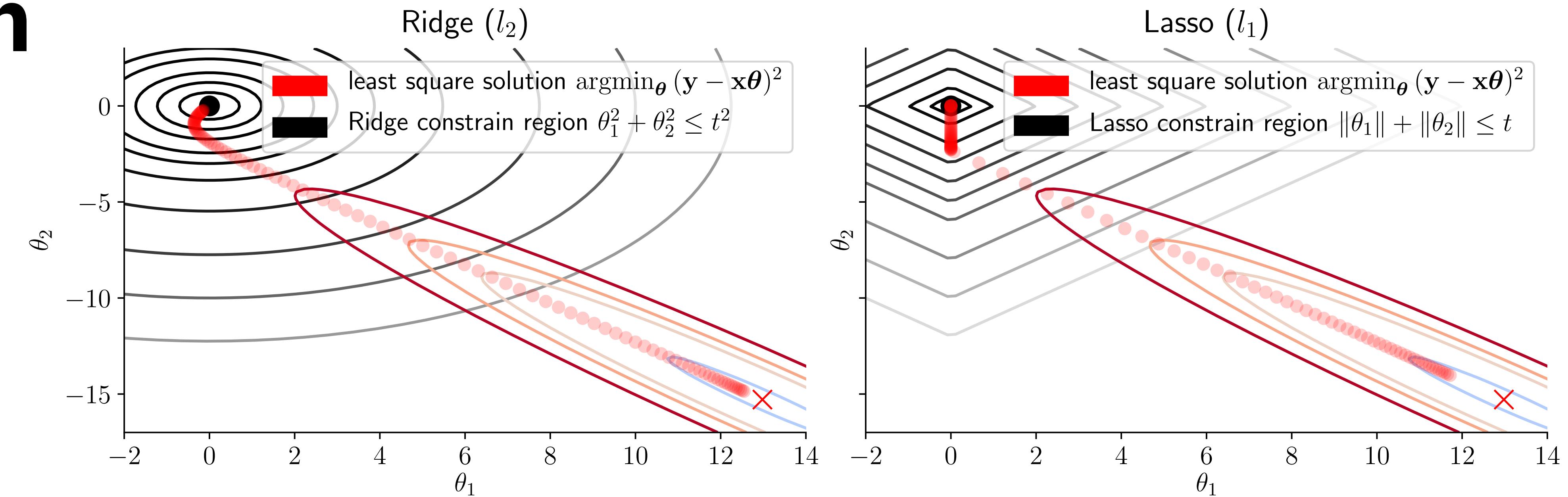


Feature Selection: Relaxing best subset selection

The basic problem: Best subset selection

$$\min_{\beta \in \mathbb{R}^p} \|y - X\beta\|^2 \text{ subject to } \|\beta\|_0 \leq k \quad \|\beta\|_0 = \sum_{j=1}^p 1\{\beta_j \neq 0\}$$

But this is our hard problem (NP hard) ...
 ... hence we relax the constraint to have a problem that is convex
 ... the Lasso gives use sparsity as the most feasible approximation to ℓ_0

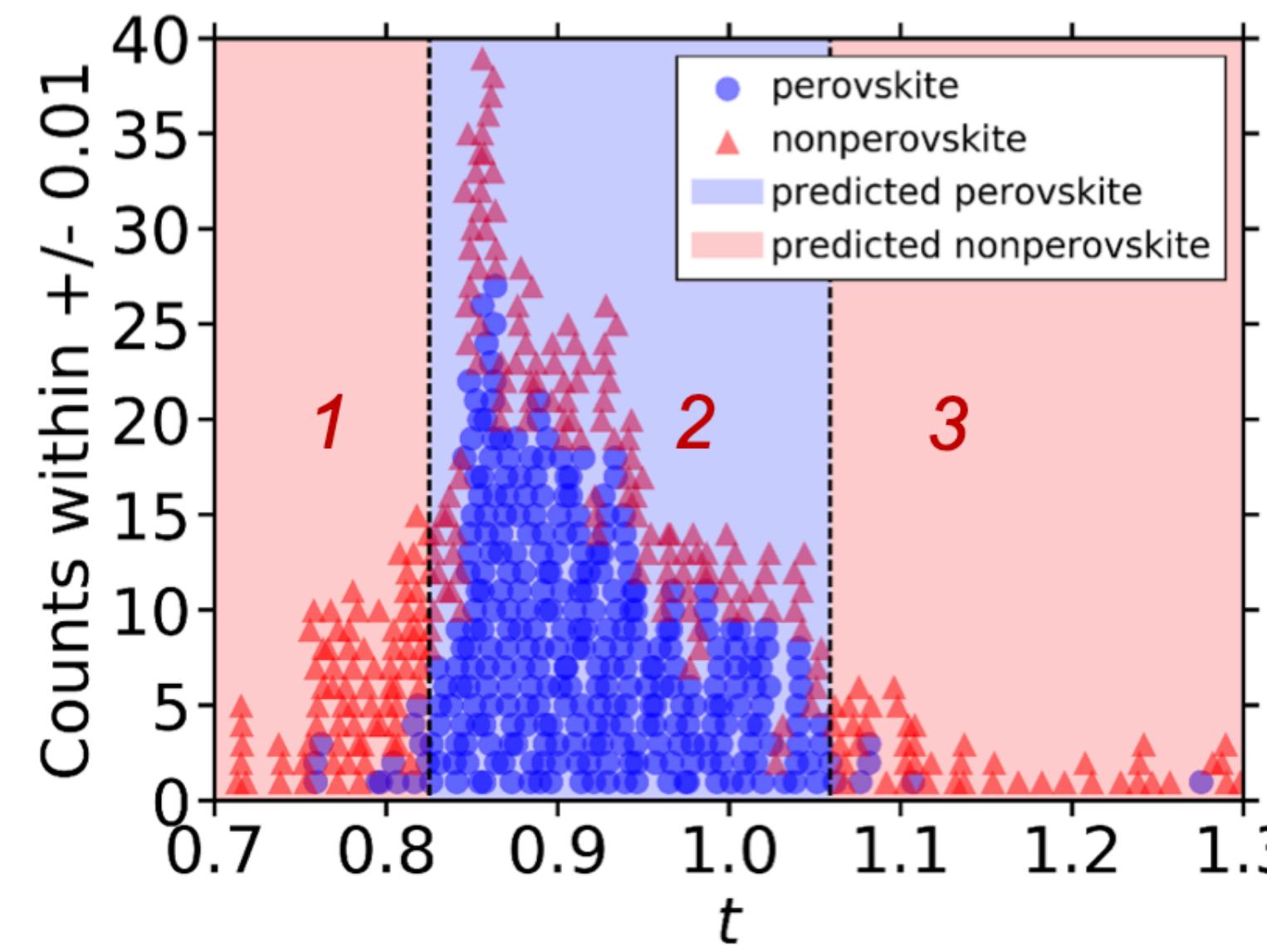


Feature Selection: LASSO in practice

primary features \longrightarrow billions of feature candidates $\xrightarrow{(\text{SI}) + \text{Lasso}}$ subset of features

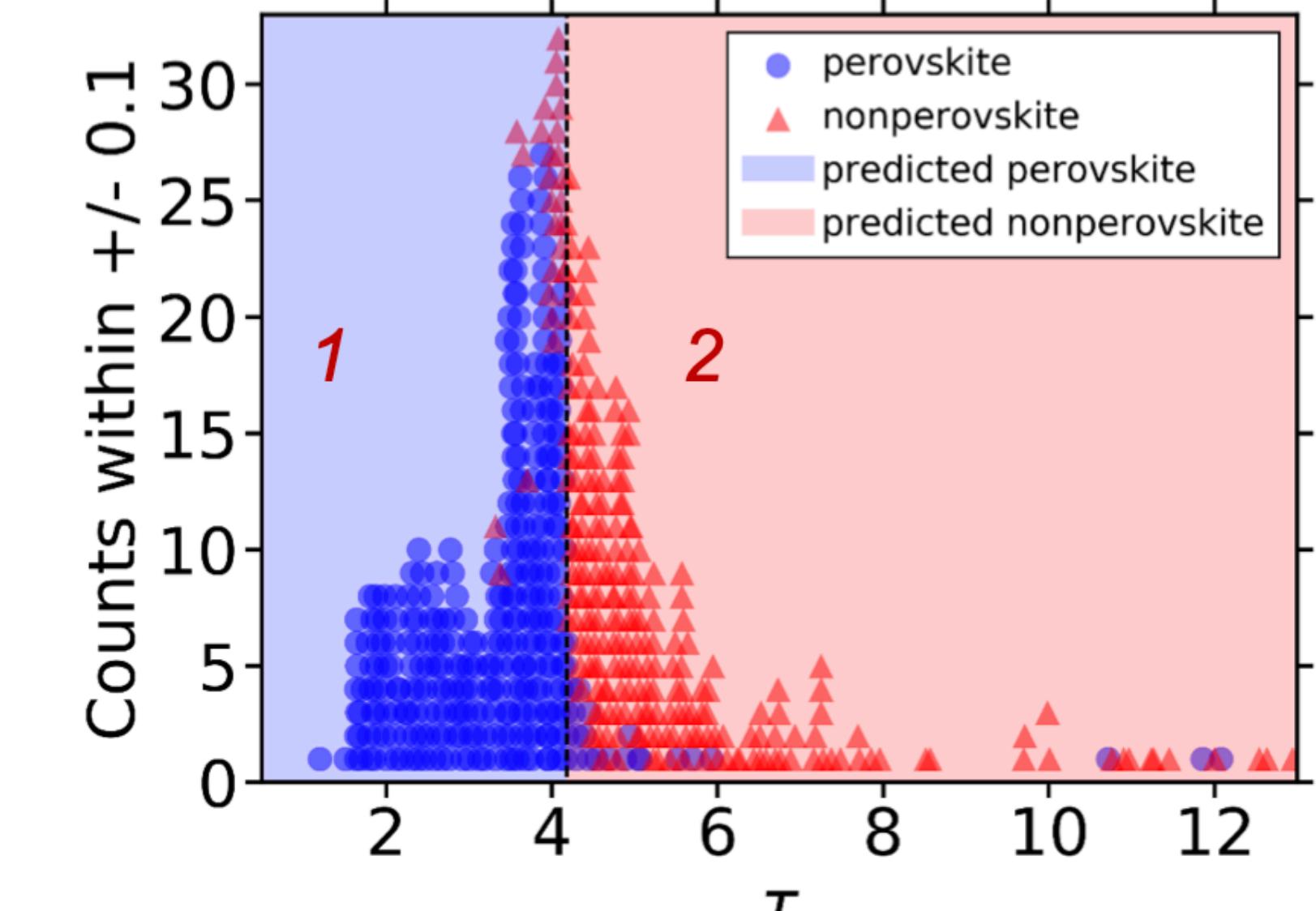
primary features = $\{r_A, r_B, n_a, n_b, \dots\}$ $\hat{\mathcal{R}} = \{+, -, \cdot, \exp, \lg, ^{-1}, ^2, ^3, \sqrt{\|\cdot\|}\}$

$$t = \frac{r_A + r_X}{\sqrt{2}(r_B + r_X)}$$



$0.825 < t < 1.059 \rightarrow$ perovskite
74% accuracy

$$\tau = \frac{r_X}{r_B} - n_A \left(n_A - \frac{r_A/r_B}{\ln r_A/r_B} \right)$$



$\tau < 4.18 \rightarrow$ perovskite
92% accuracy

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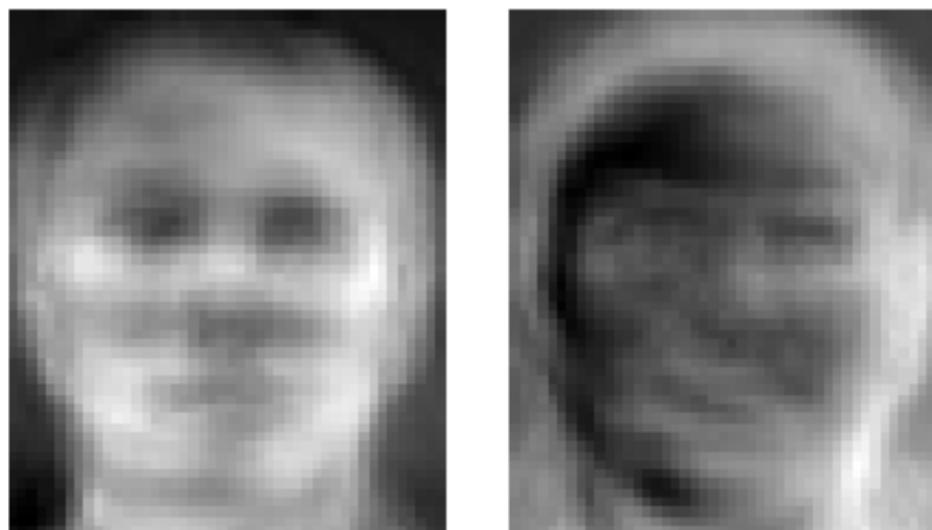
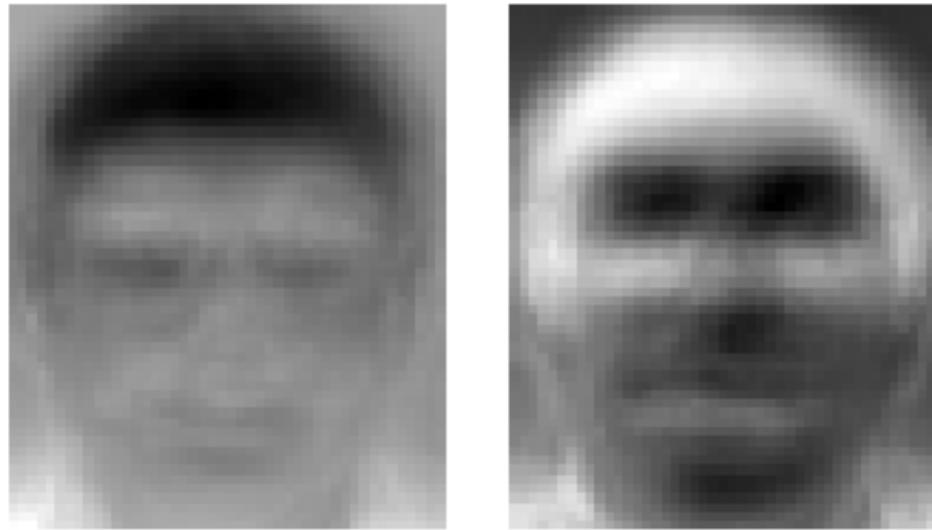
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Learning Objectives:

- Principal component analysis, t-SNE: Principles and pitfalls
- Projecting high dimensional data into a lower dimensional space

Feature Projection: Projecting High-Dimensional Data

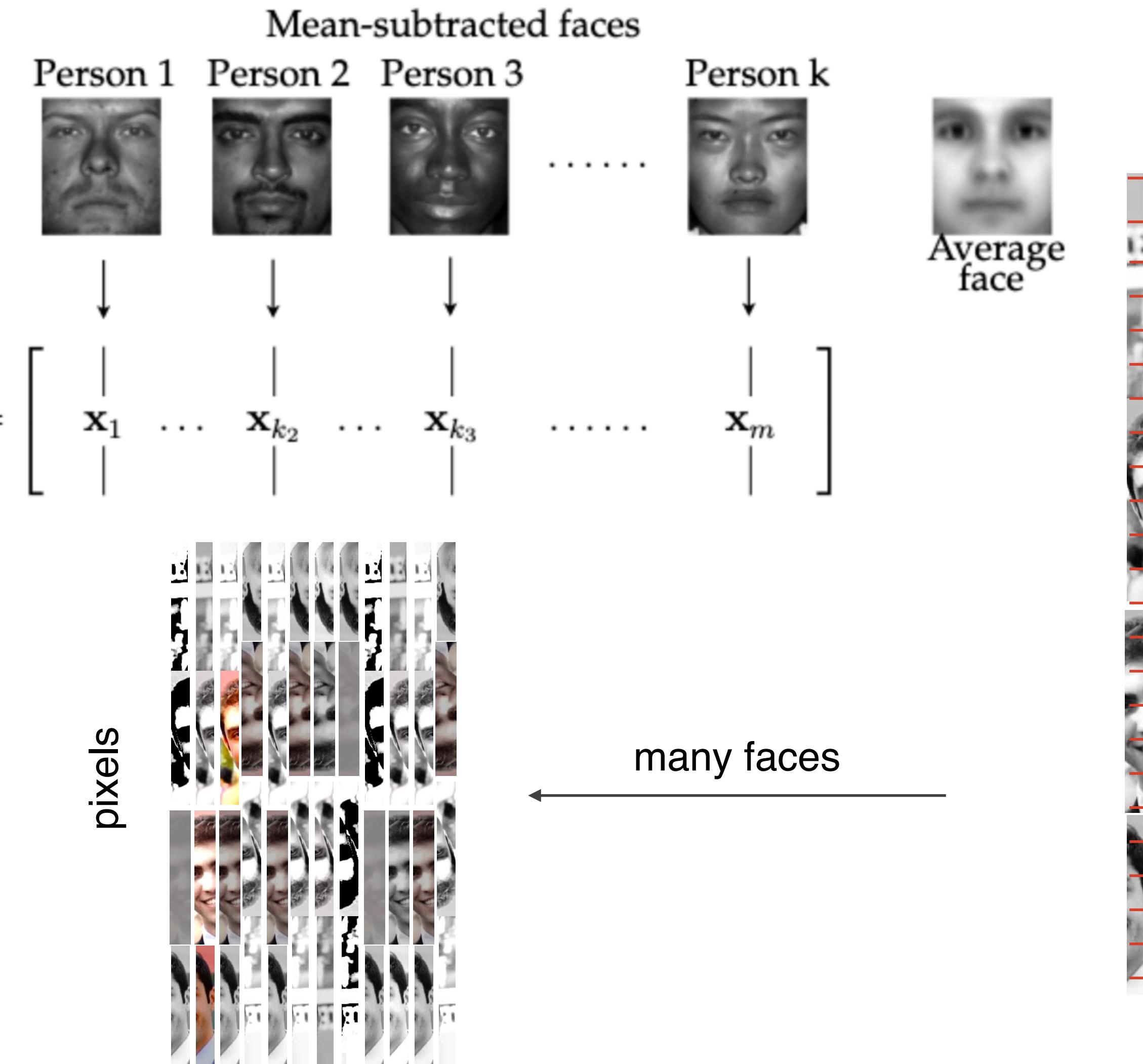
Eigenfaces: Principal Component Analysis on face images to get “basis vectors” of face image space



Linear combination of basis vectors

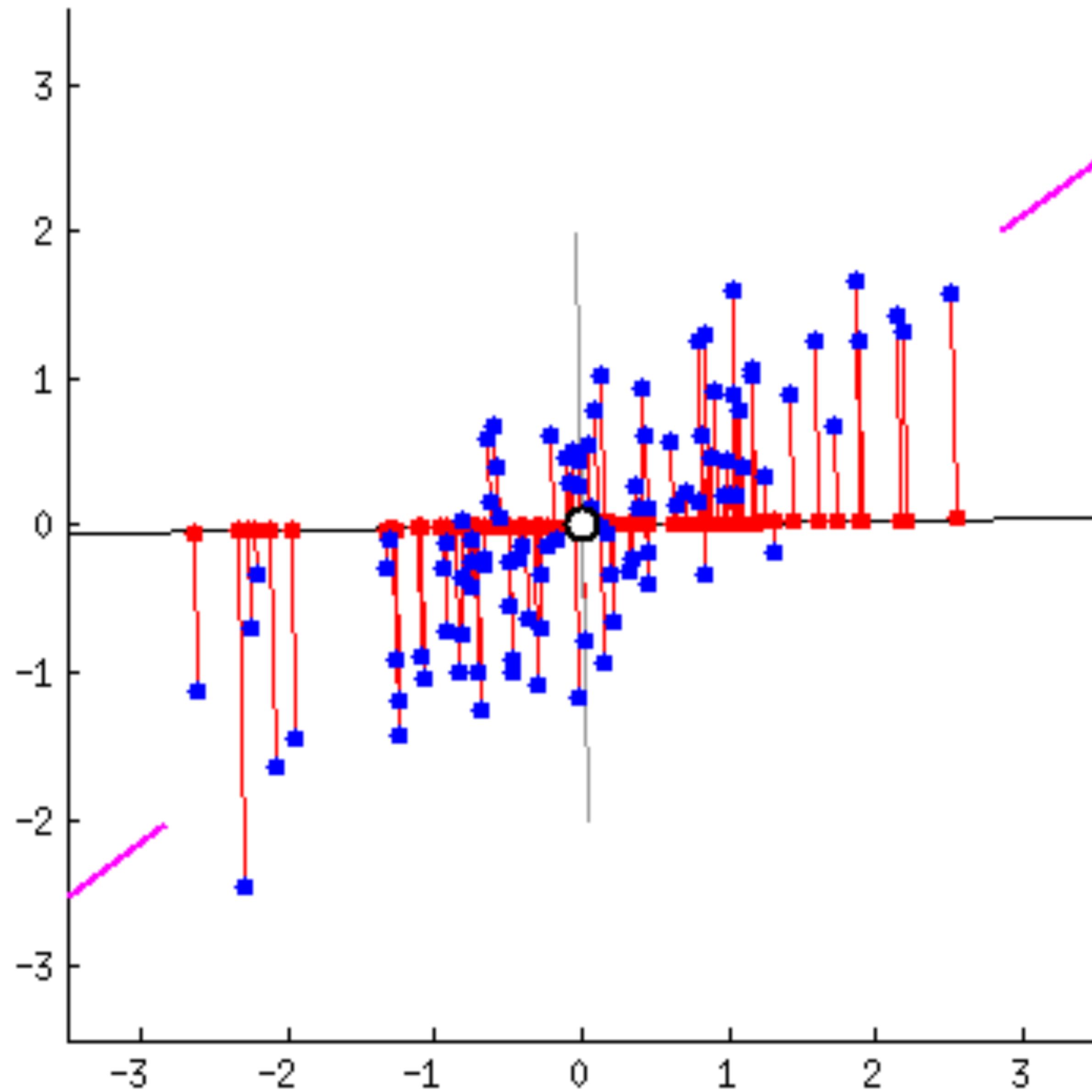
← PCA

Find basis vectors



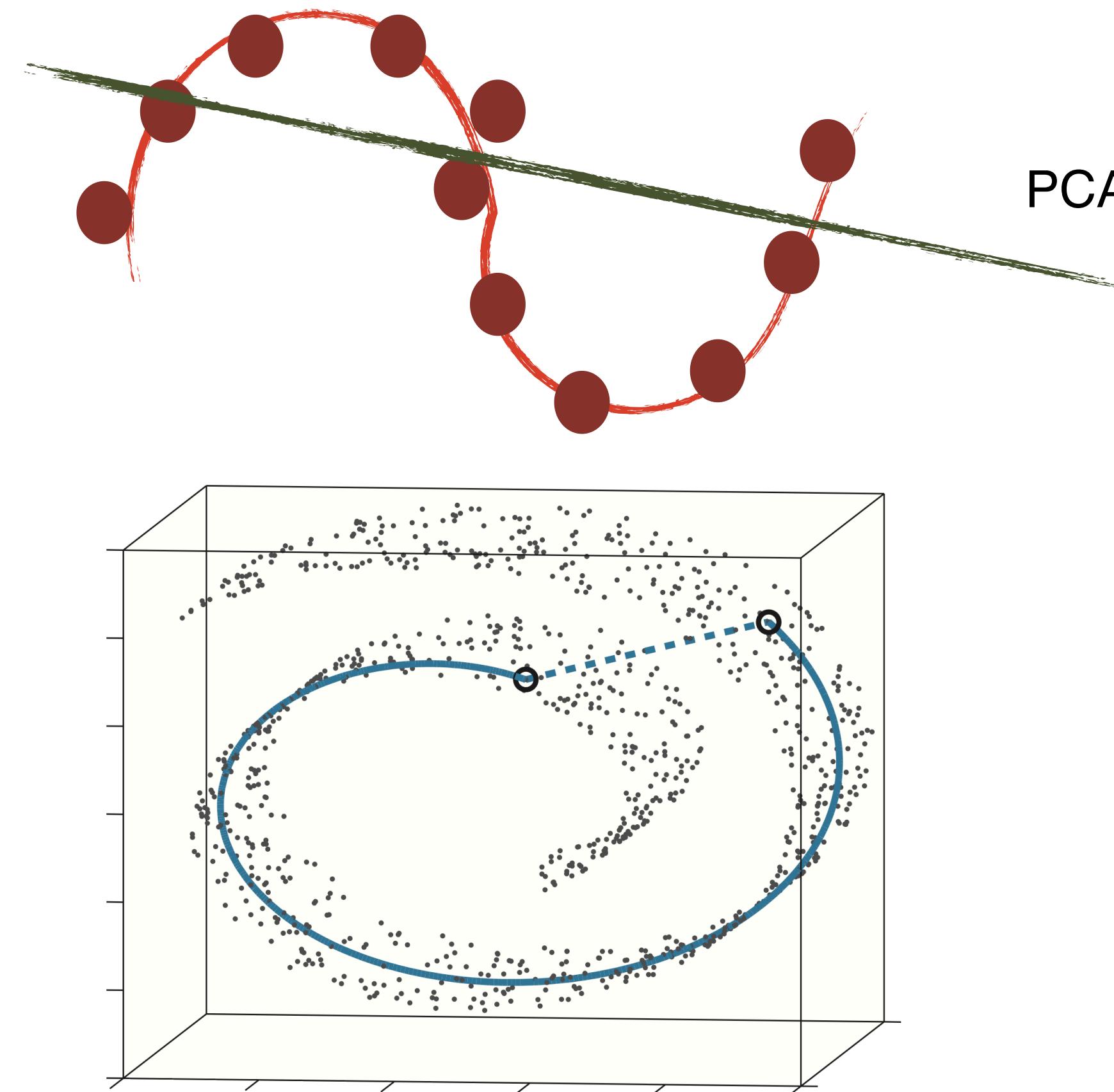
PCA Intuition

Finding the line that captures most of the variance, i.e., maximum decorrelation



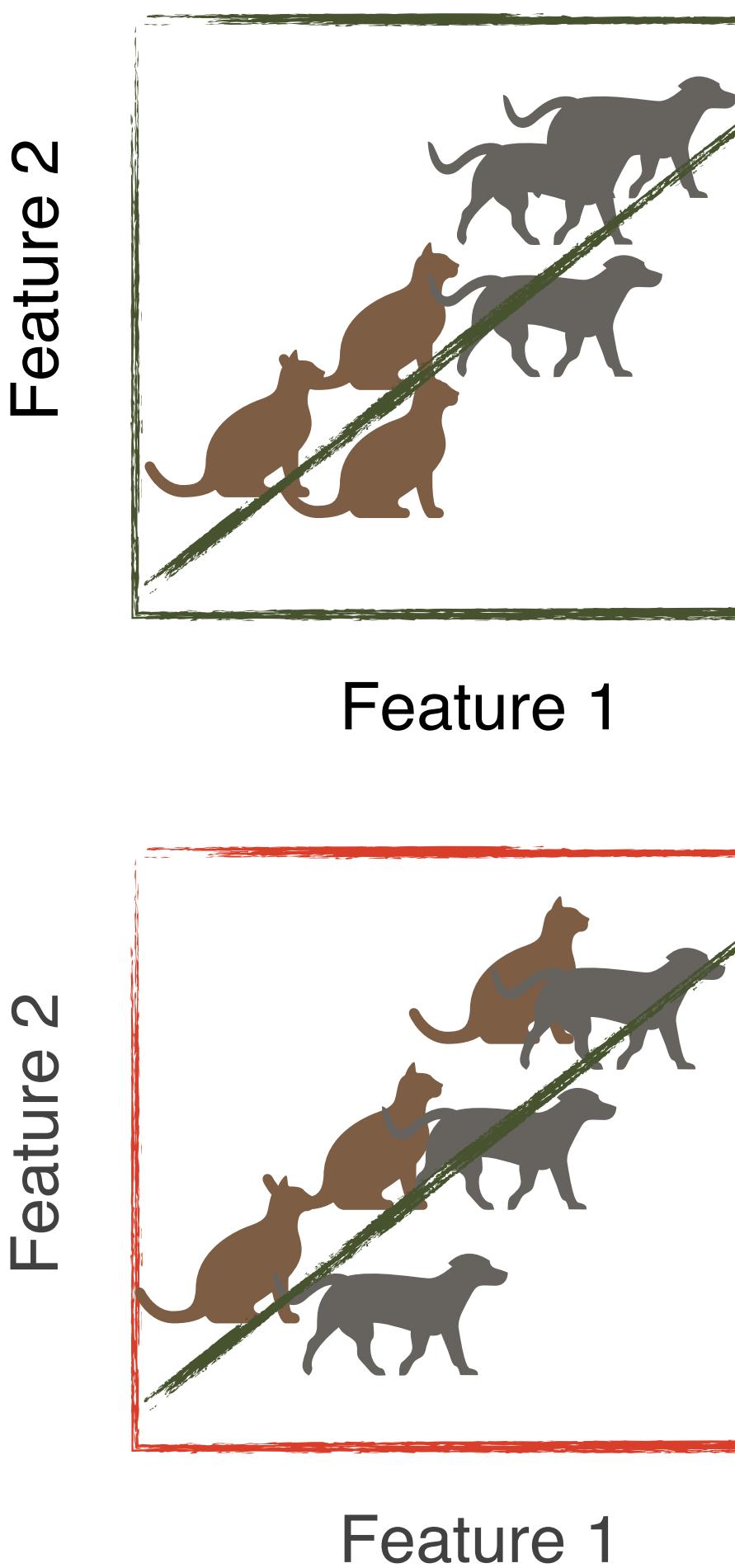
Caveats with PCA

Non-linearity



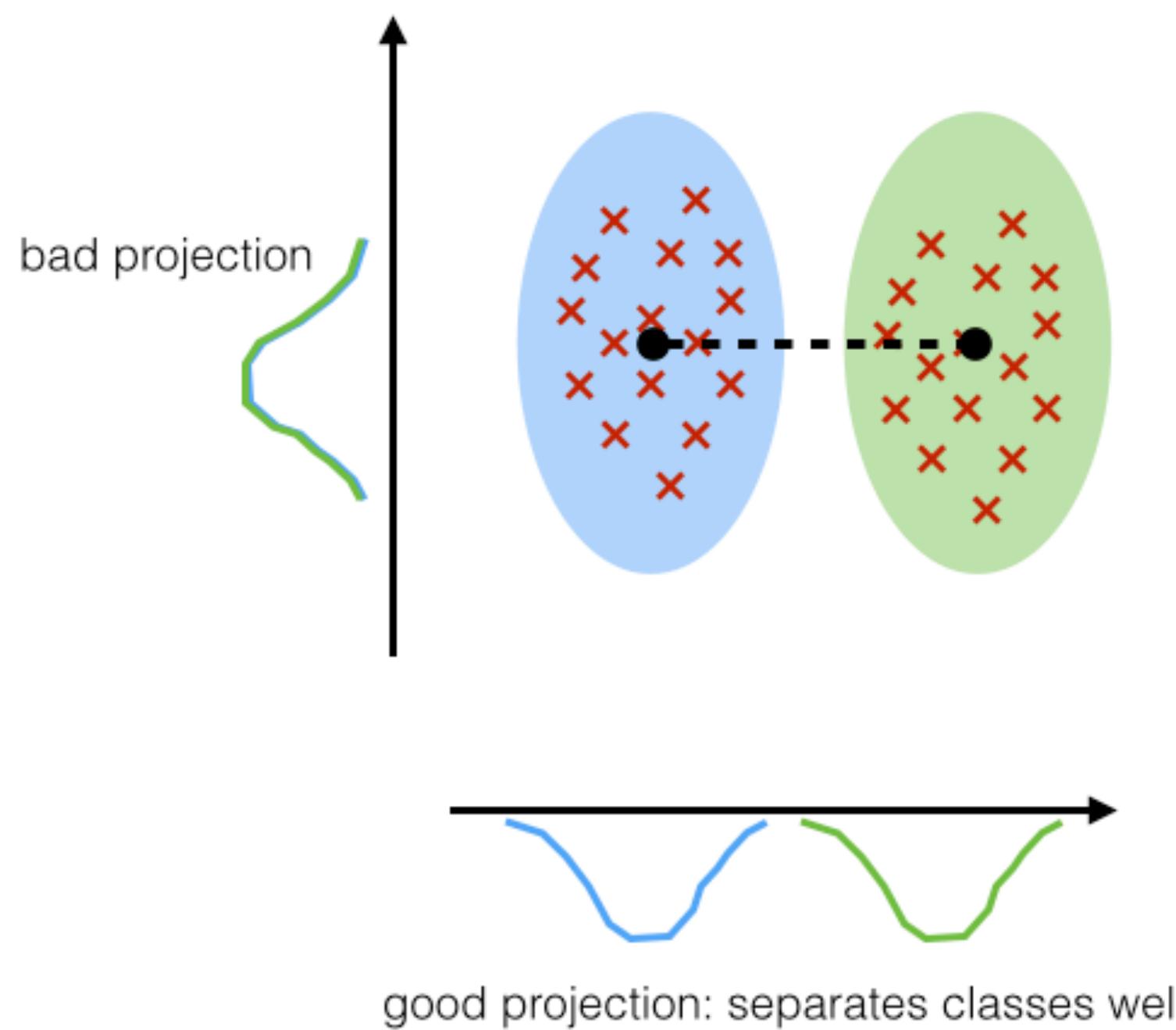
- Data is linearly uncorrelated
- But there is still a non-linear dependence

Higher variance feature is not more discriminative



Other member of dimensionality reduction zoo

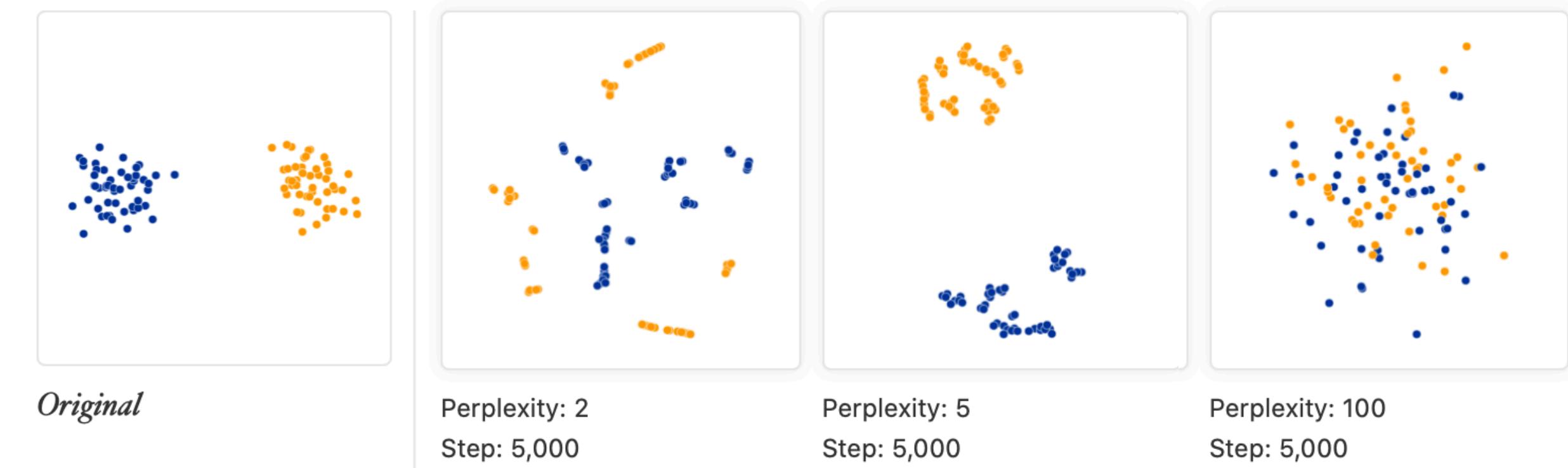
Linear Discriminant Analysis (LDA)



- math like for PCA
- maximizing component axes for class

t-distributed stochastic neighbor embedding (*t*-SNE)

- Non-linear
- Conditional probabilities that represent similarities
- Sensitive to perplexity (number of neighbors)



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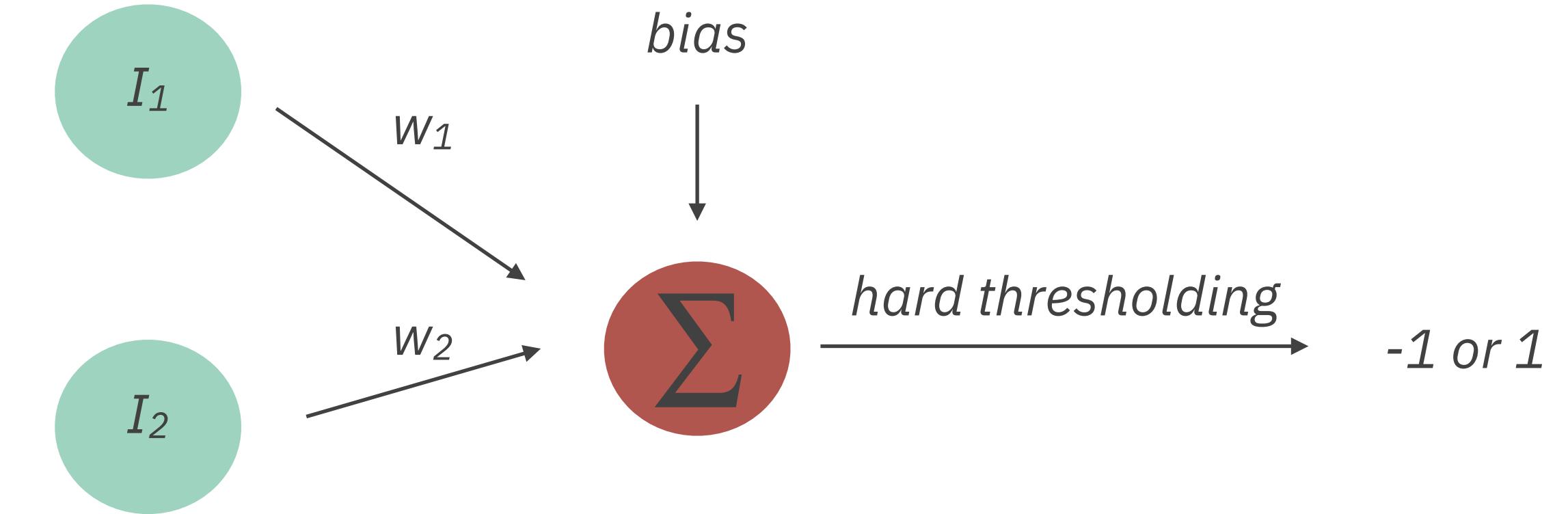
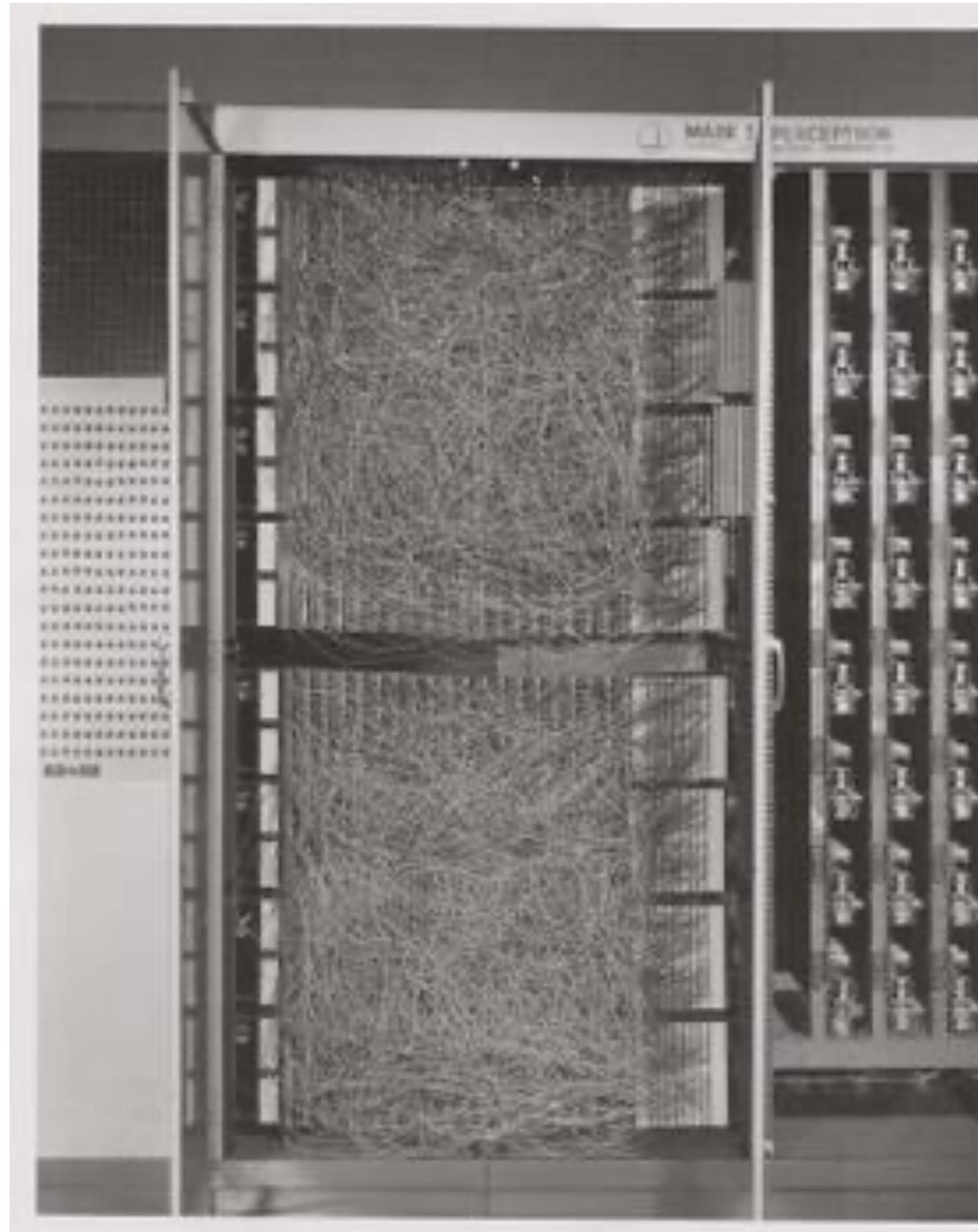
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Neural Networks: Perceptron (“*may eventually be able to learn, make decisions, and translate languages*”)

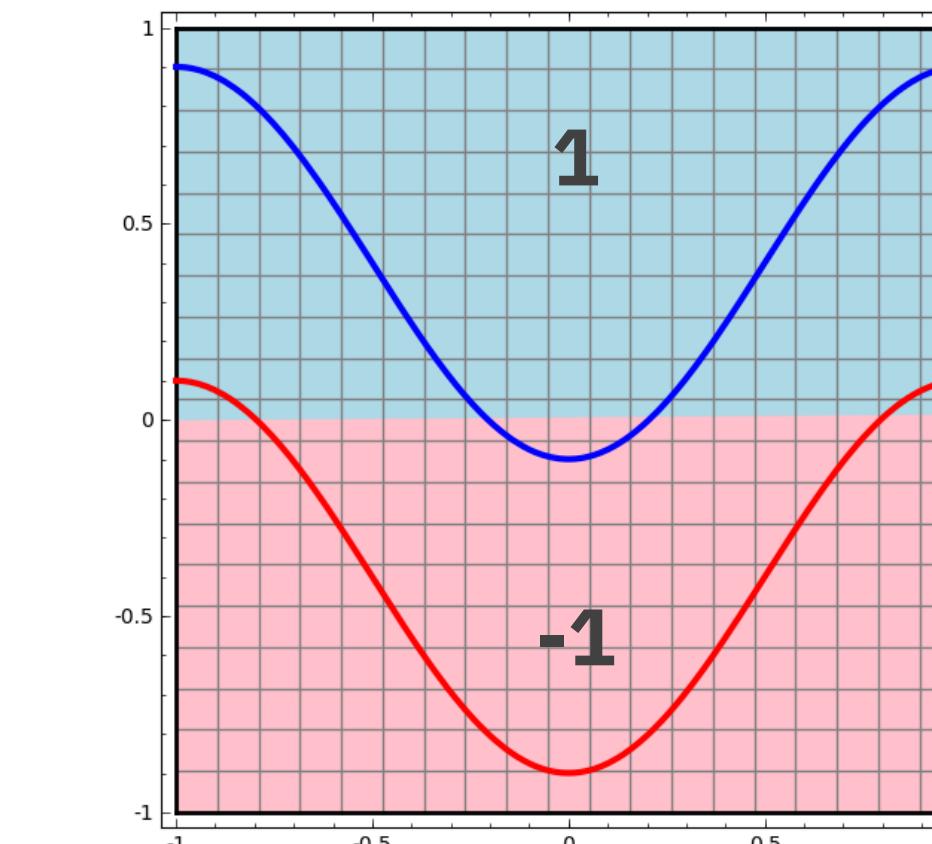
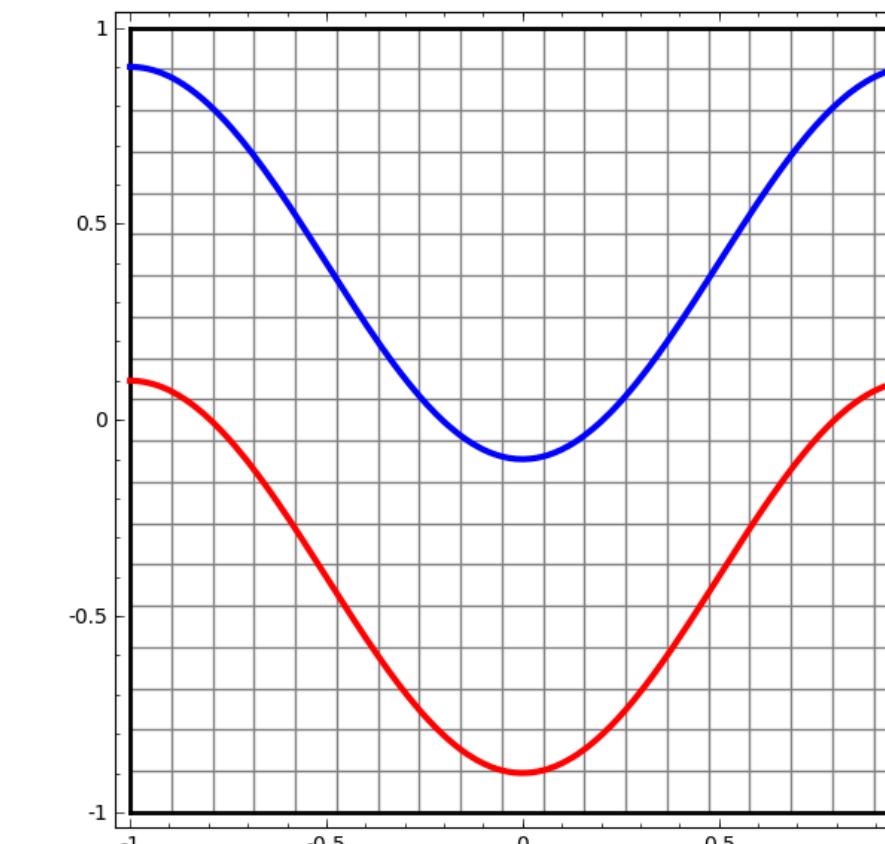
The Perceptron (Rosenblatt (1957))

Mark 1 built for image recognition

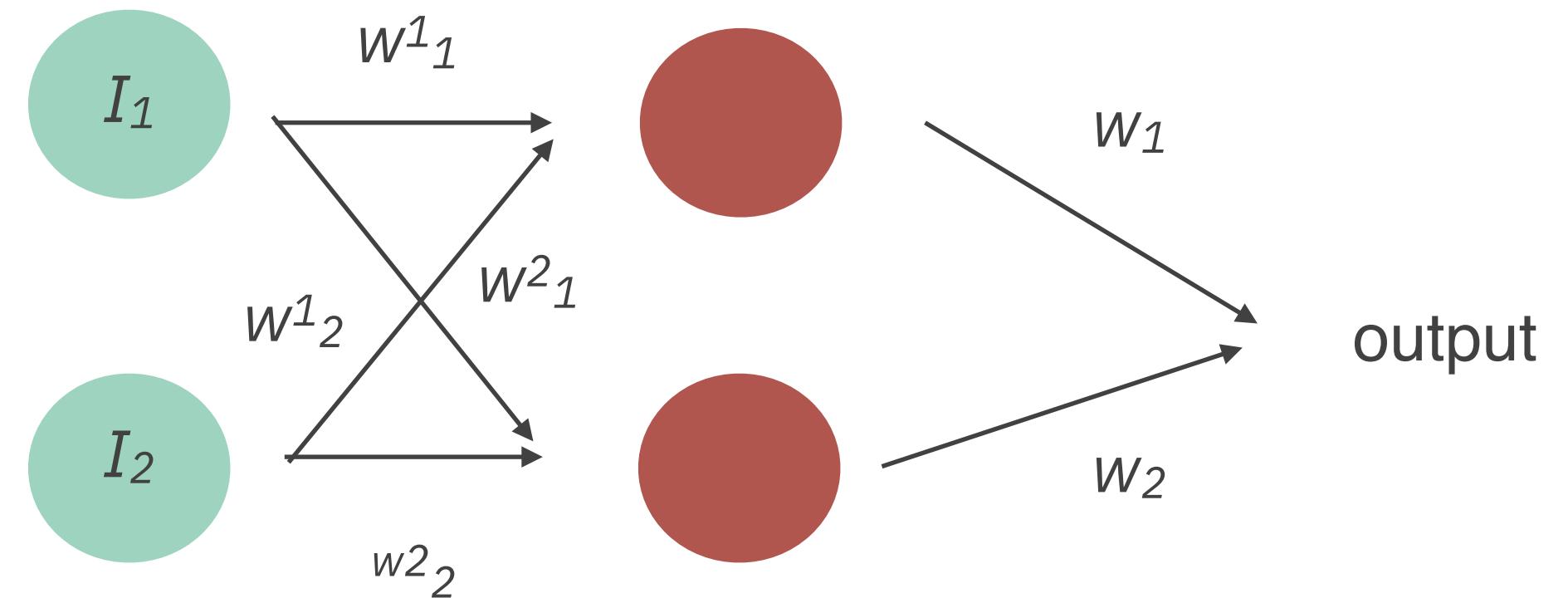


Try to classify which points belong to which curve.

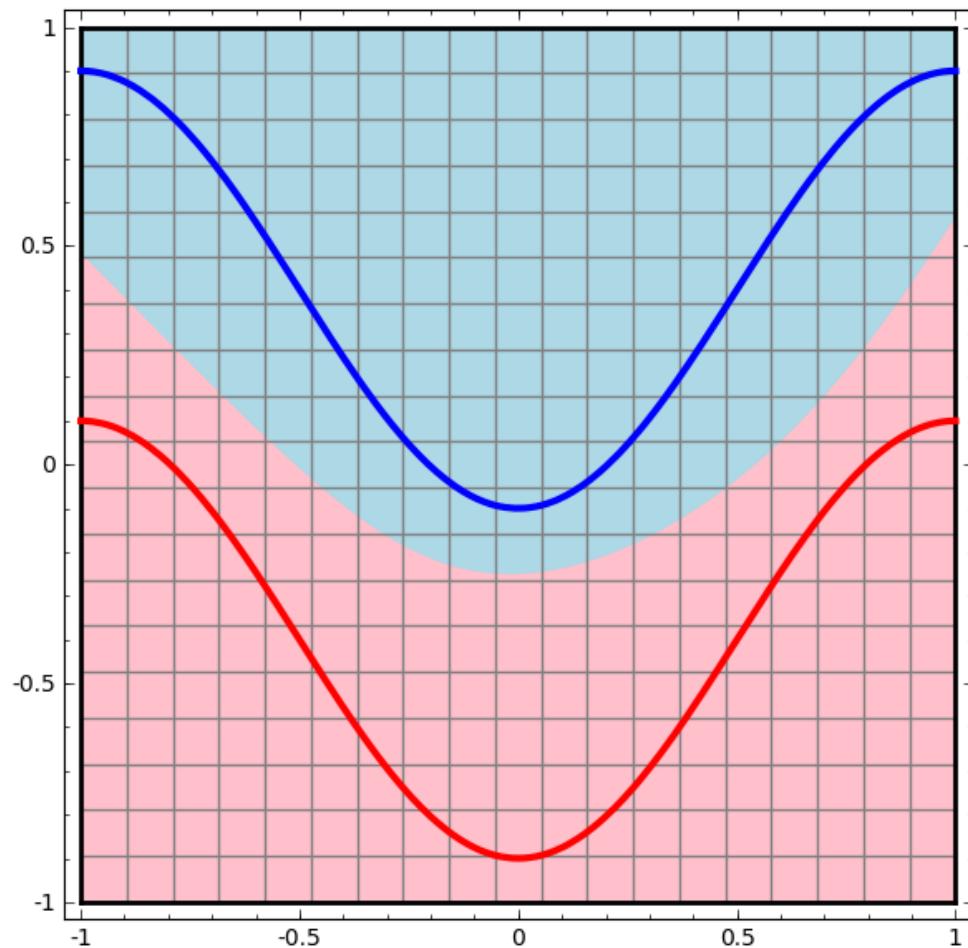
Decision boundary: $w_1x_1 + w_2x_2 + b = 0$



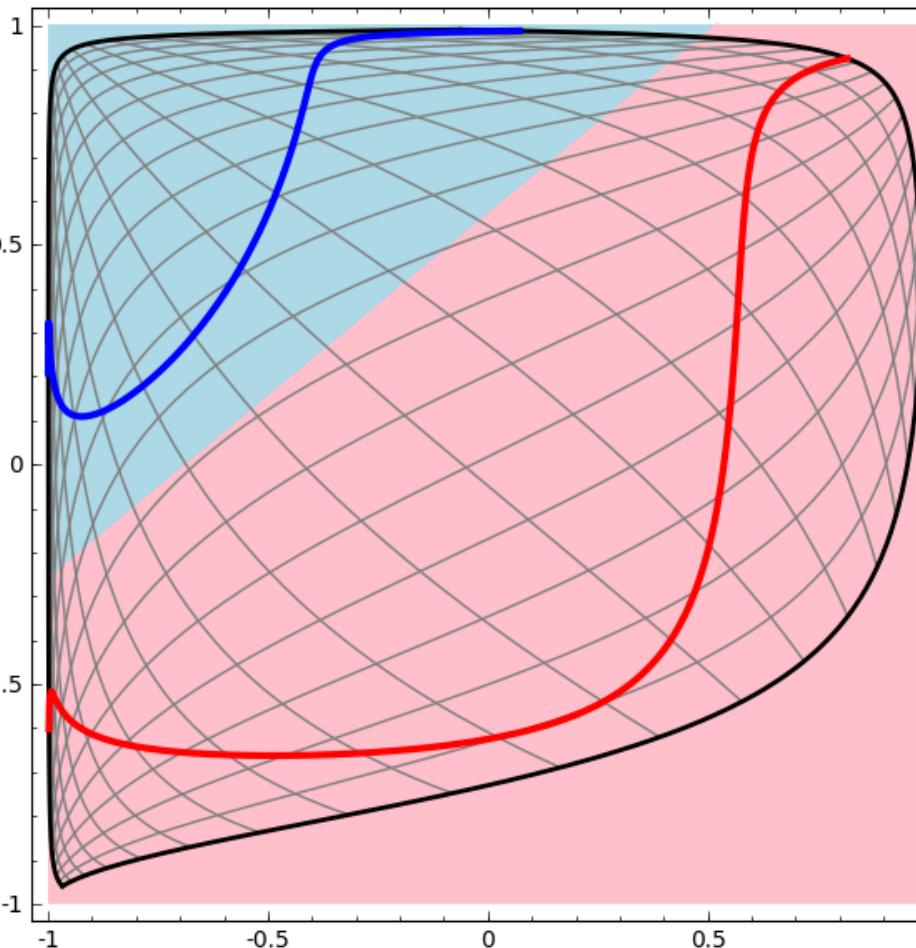
Neural Networks: Representation learning



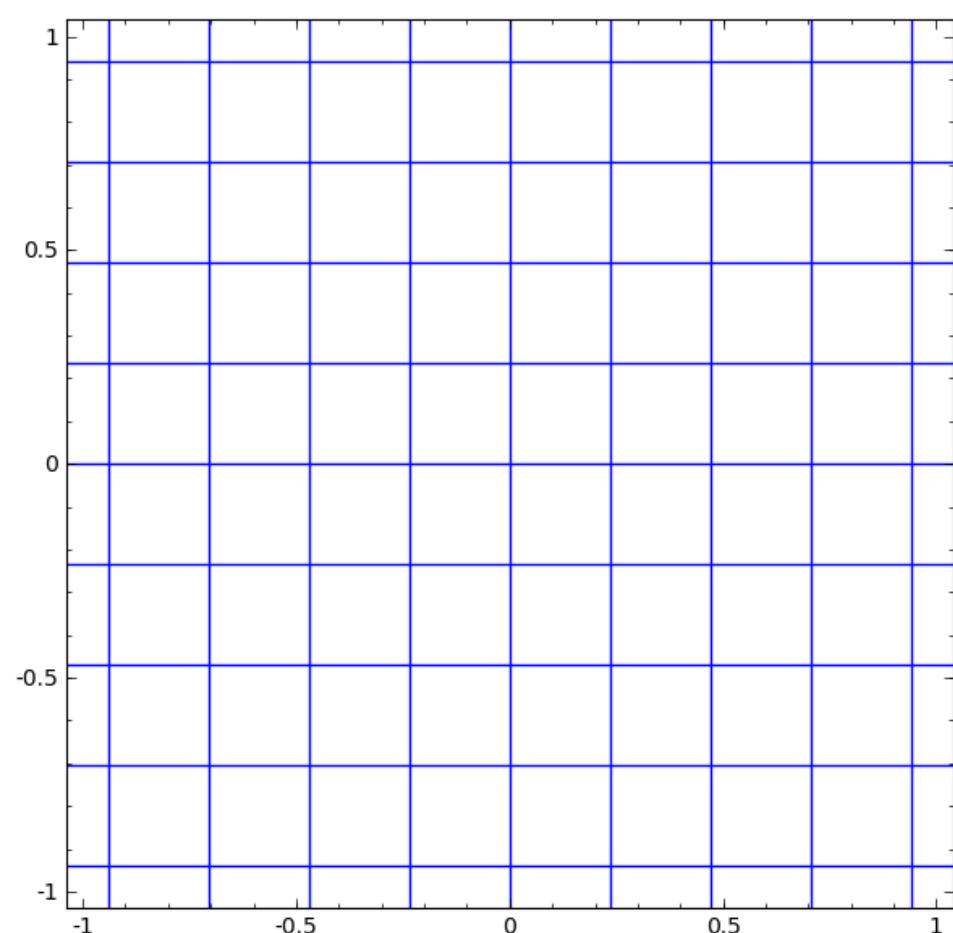
transform
representation
such that it is linearly
separable



hidden layer, e.g. tanh



- in $\tanh(\mathbf{Wx} + \mathbf{b})$:
- rotate (\mathbf{W})
 - Translate (\mathbf{b})
 - point-wise application of tanh

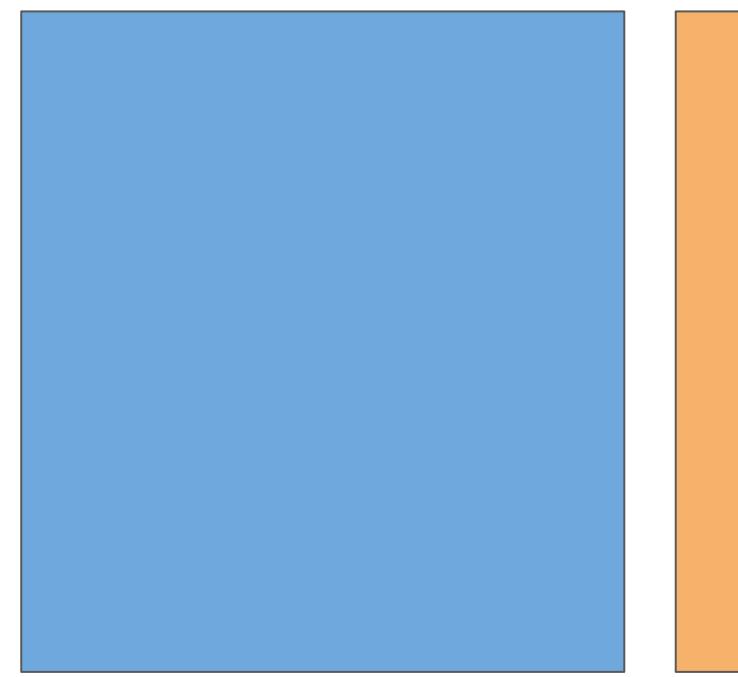


Explore NNs at
[https://playground.tensorflow.org!](https://playground.tensorflow.org)

The right architecture for your symmetry

Arrays

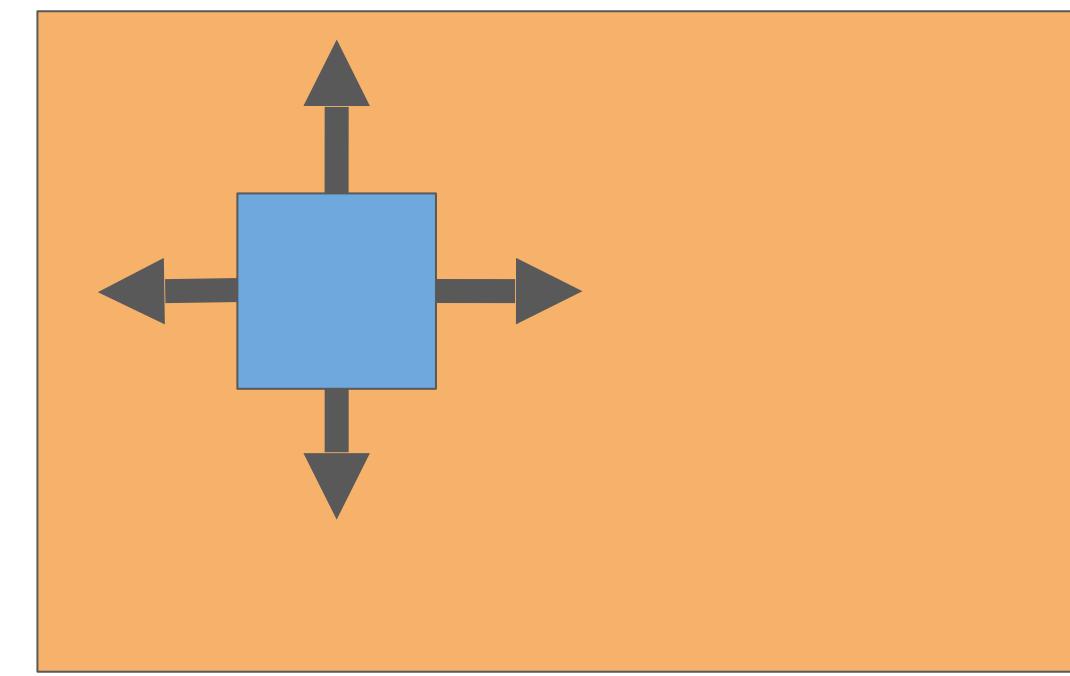
⇒ Dense NN



Components are independent.

2D images

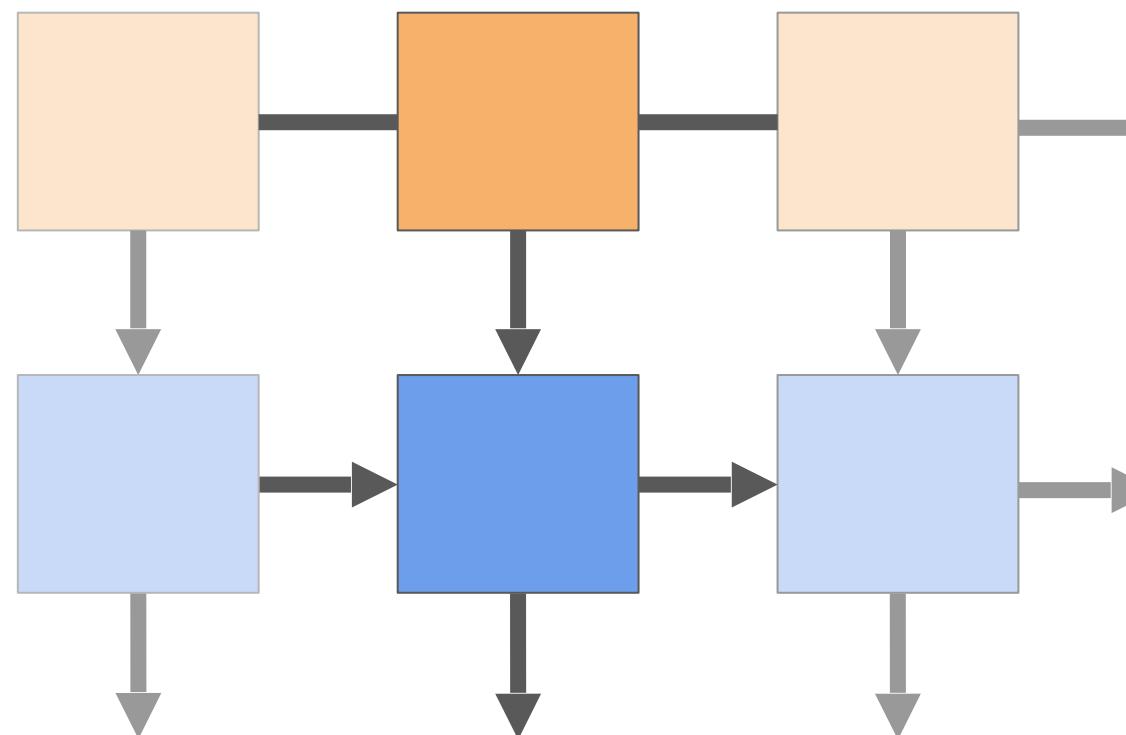
⇒ Convolutional NN



The same features can be found anywhere in an image.
Locality.

Text

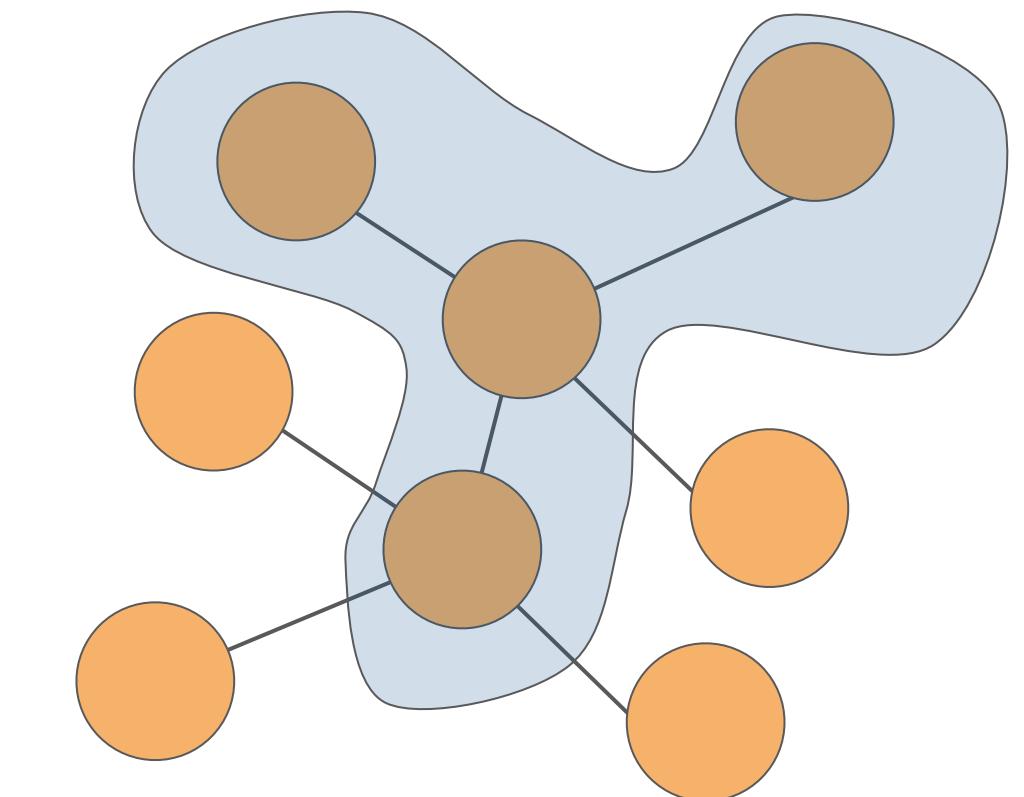
⇒ Recurrent NN



Sequential data. Next input/output depends on input/output that has come before.

Graph

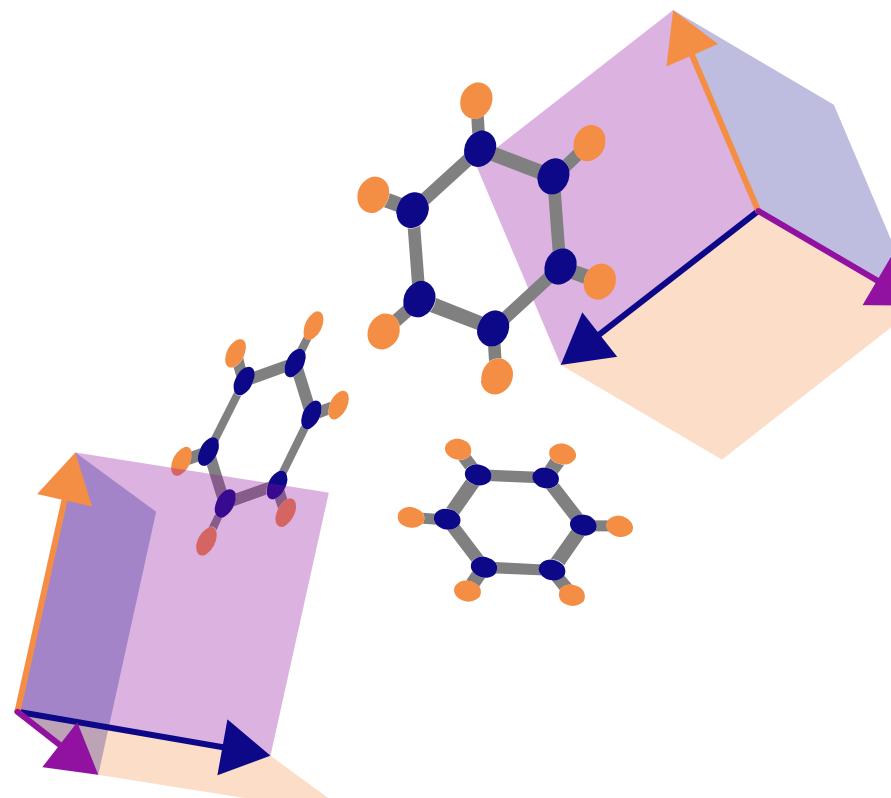
⇒ Graph (Conv.) NN



Non-Euclidean data. Nodes have features and network passes messages between nodes connected via edges.

3D physical data
⇒ Euclidean NN

Data in 3D Euclidean space.



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Applications

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- ML “force fields”
- ML for efficient sampling
- Using natural language processing for materials discovery

Machine learned force fields

- High accuracy for long time scales and/or large systems
- ML potentials are close to being a “commodity” technique



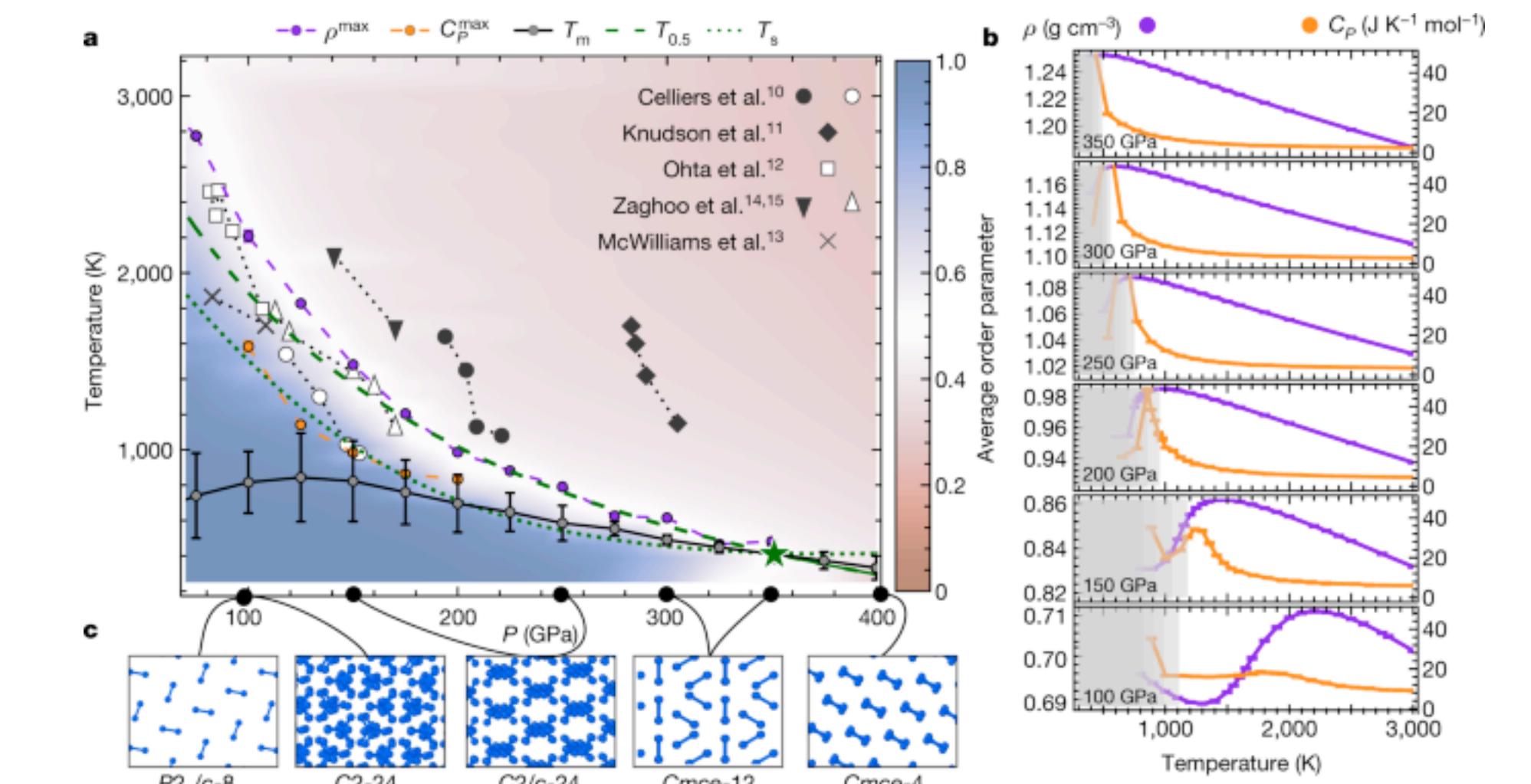
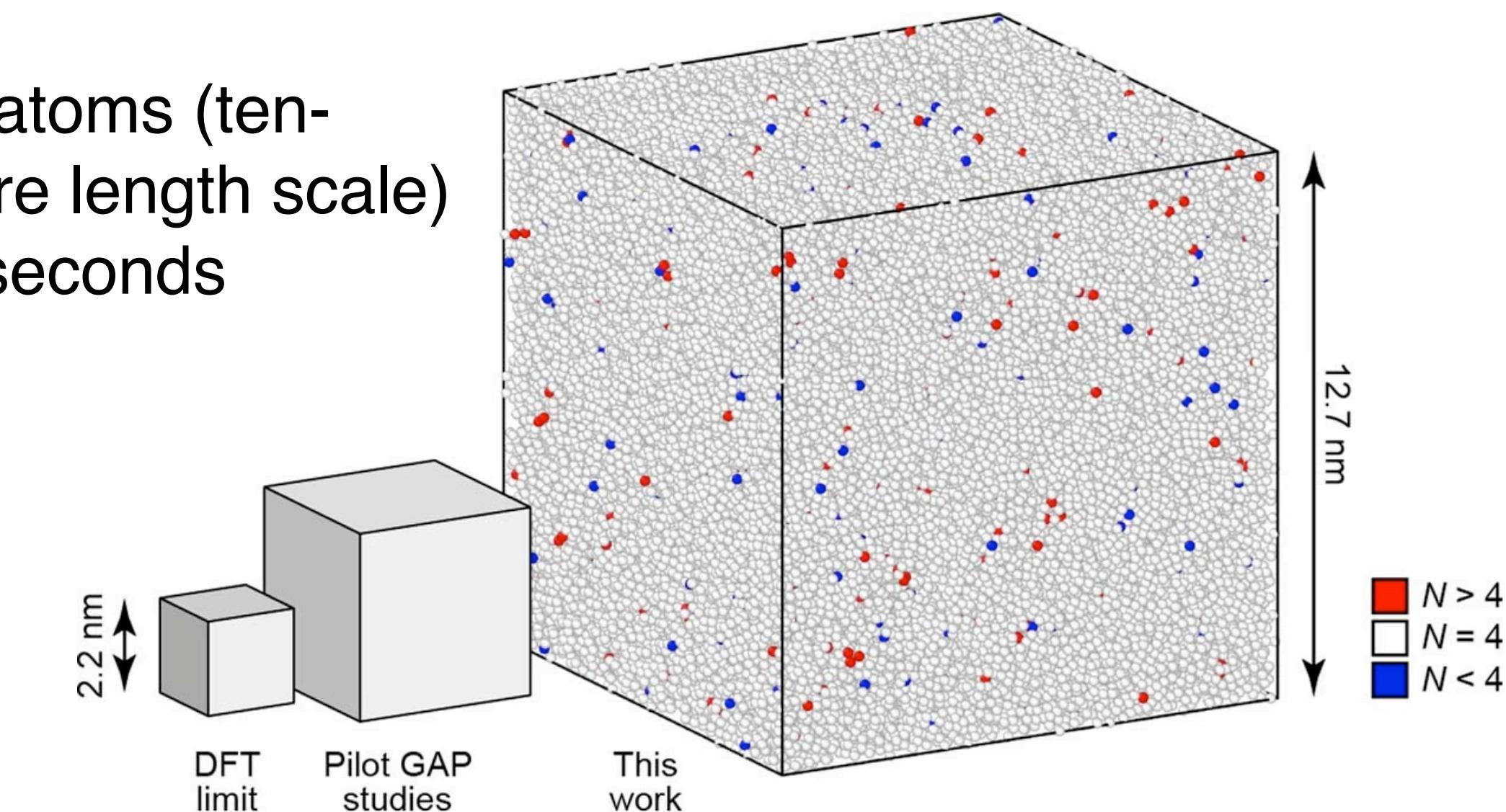
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Hydrogen in planets
(under high pressure):

Thousands of atoms for
nanoseconds and milli-
electronvolt energy
differences

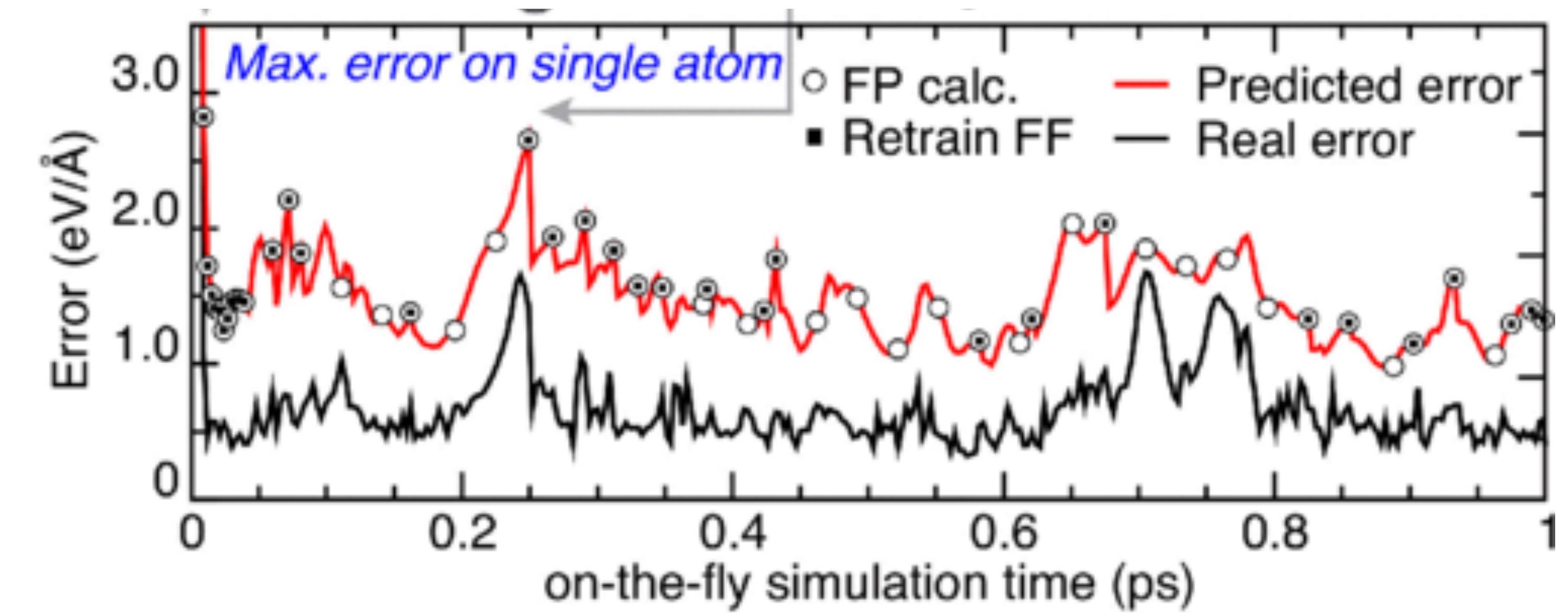
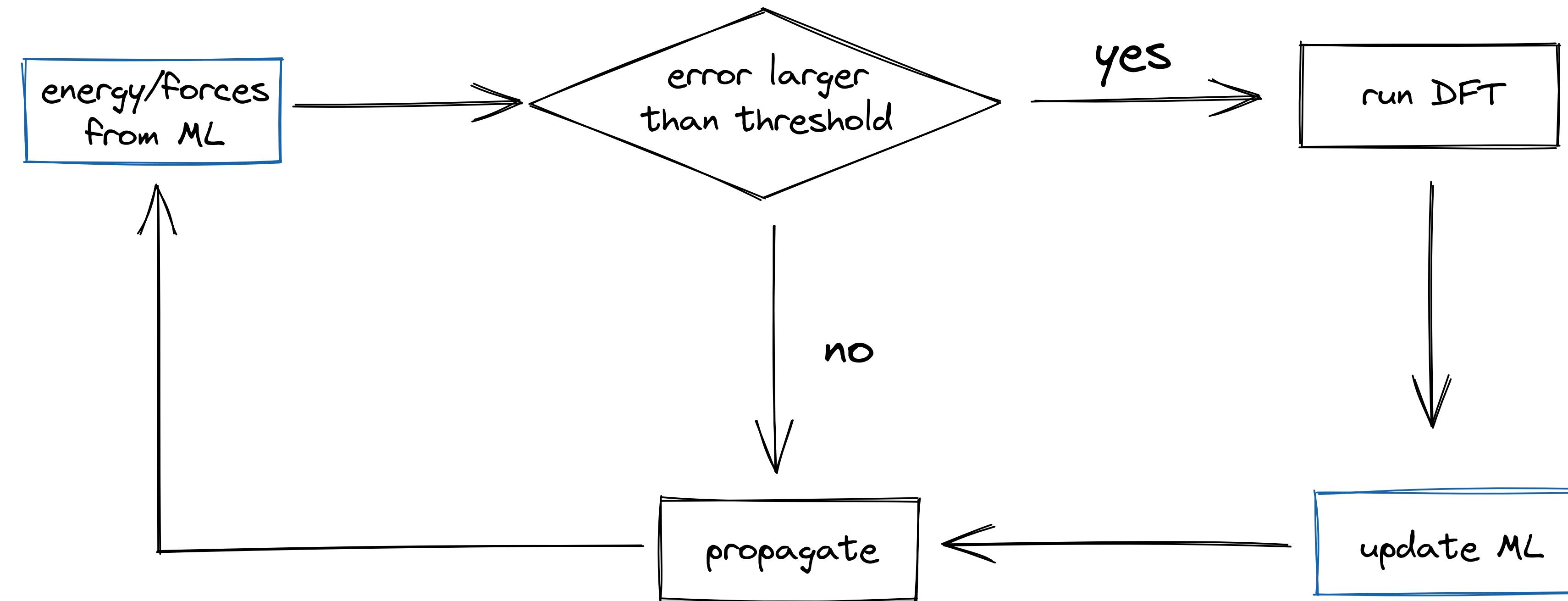
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100,000 atoms (ten-nanometre length scale)
for nanoseconds

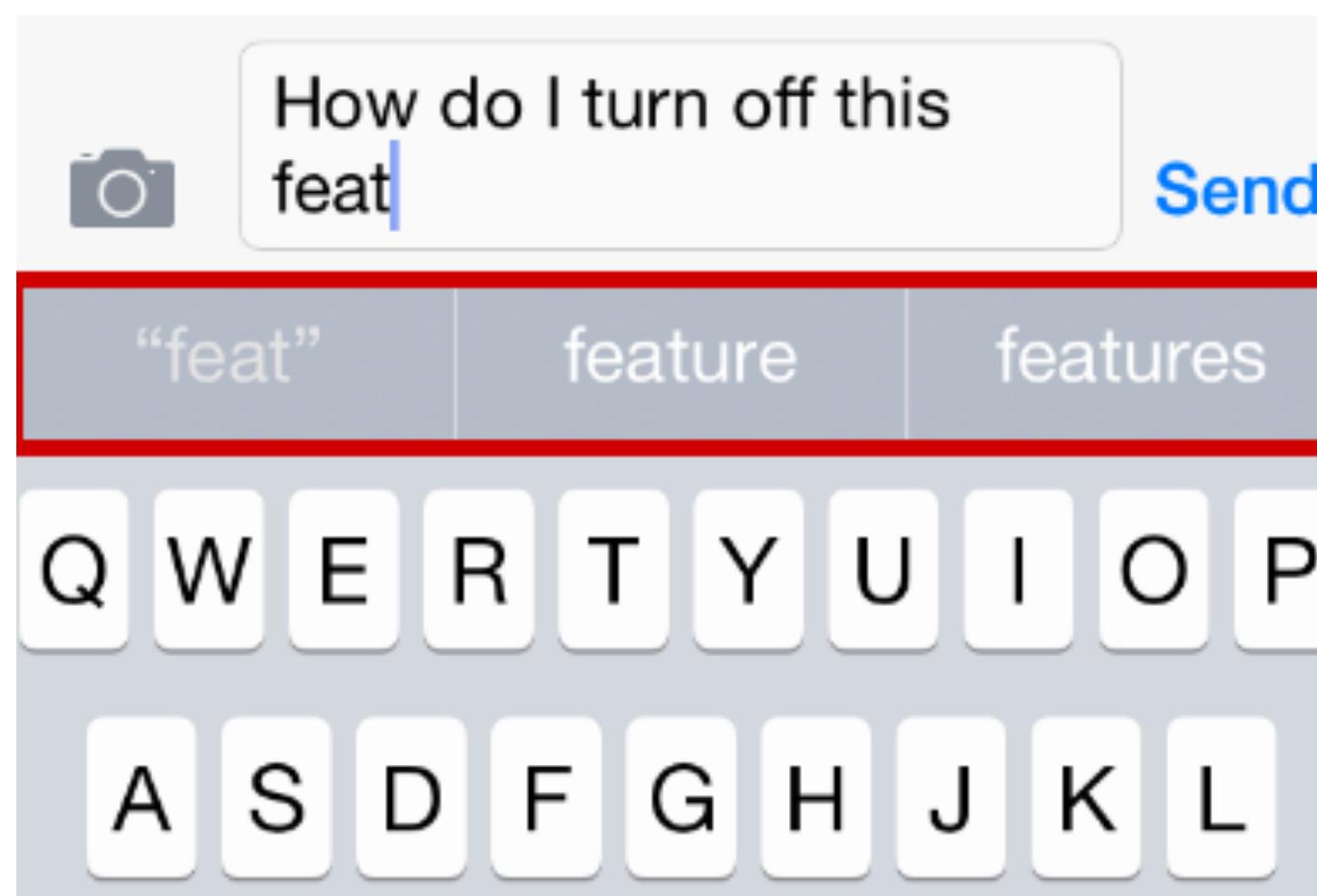


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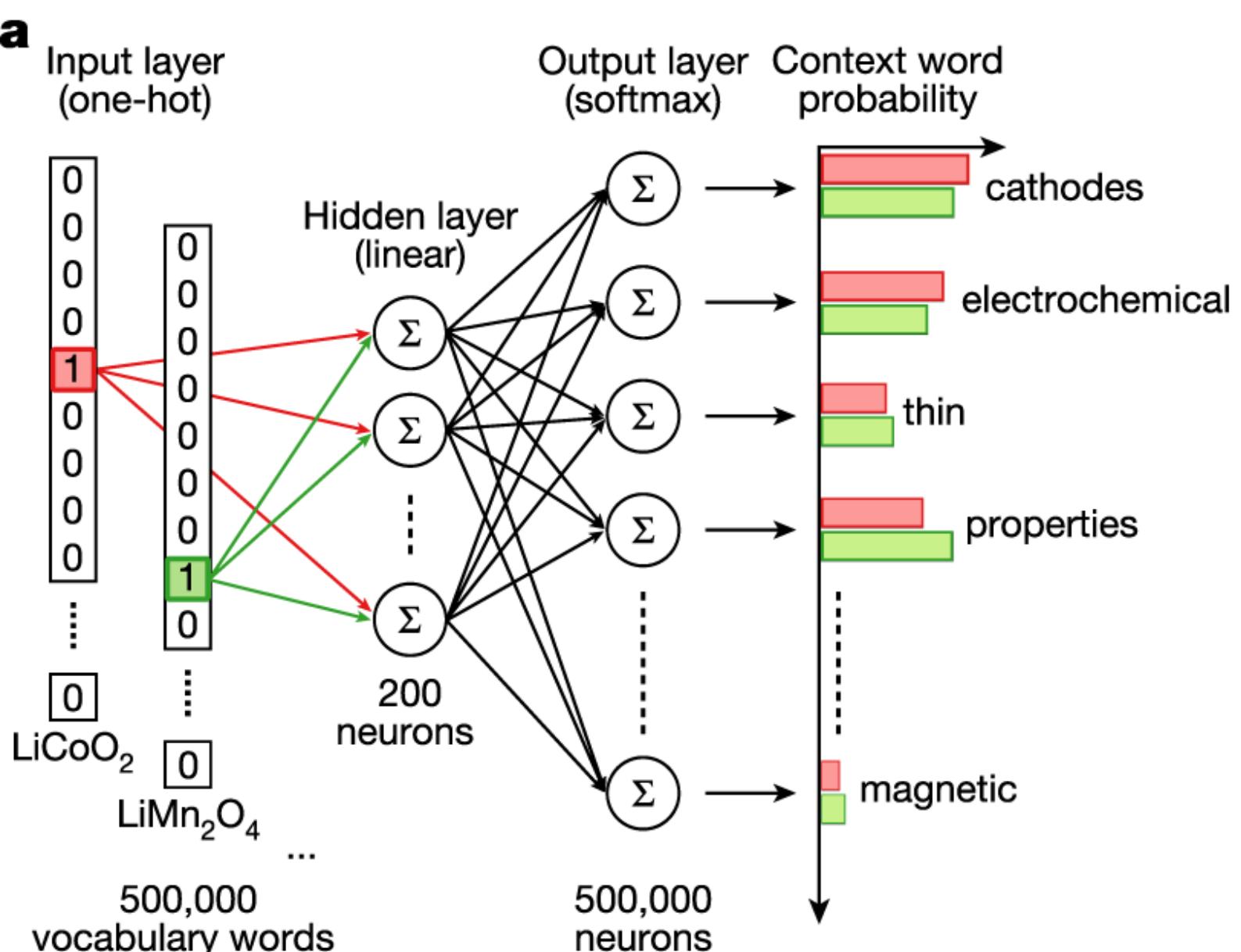
DFT accuracy with only 1% DFT!



Unsupervised word embeddings



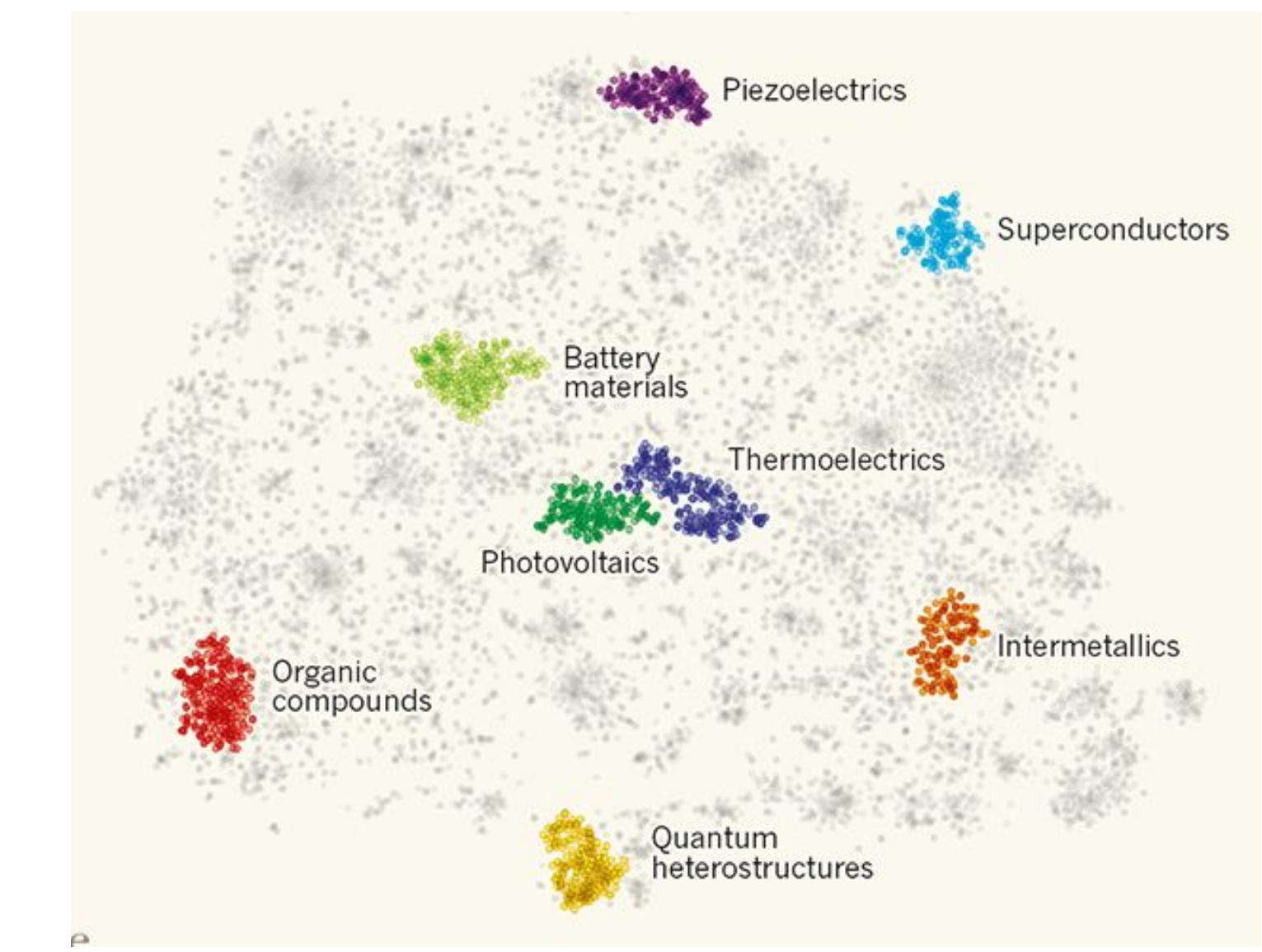
single layer NN is trained to predict all context words for the given target word.



for similar words the context words are the same

ferromagnetic–NiFe + IrMn ≈ antiferromagnetic

Projection of embeddings onto two dimensions (t-SNE).



Unsupervised word embeddings

Embeddings can also be used for predictions.

- Top ten predictions even slightly higher than known average
- Better rank correlation with experiments than DFT

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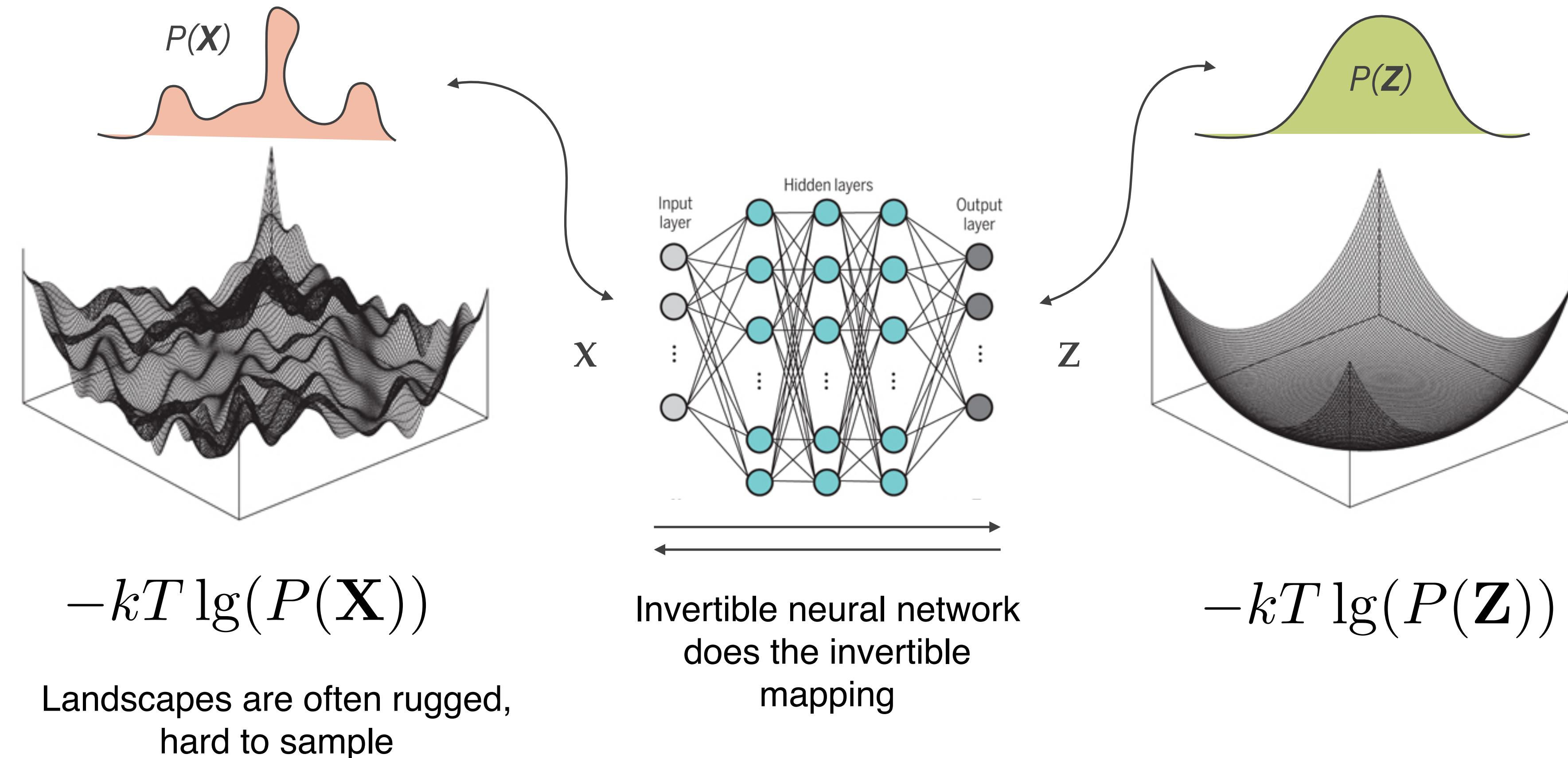
Cosine similarity to
'thermoelectric'

1.	Bi_2Te_3	✓
2.	MgAgSb	✓
3.	PbTe	✓
	...	✓
326.	Li_2CuSb	?
	...	✓
328.	In_4Te_3	✓
	...	✓
345.	$\text{Cu}_3\text{Nb}_2\text{O}_8$?
	...	✓

- ✓ Known thermoelectrics
? Predictions

Boltzmann samplers

Molecular Simulations: $U(\mathbf{X})$ given, need approach to sample $P(\mathbf{X})$



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