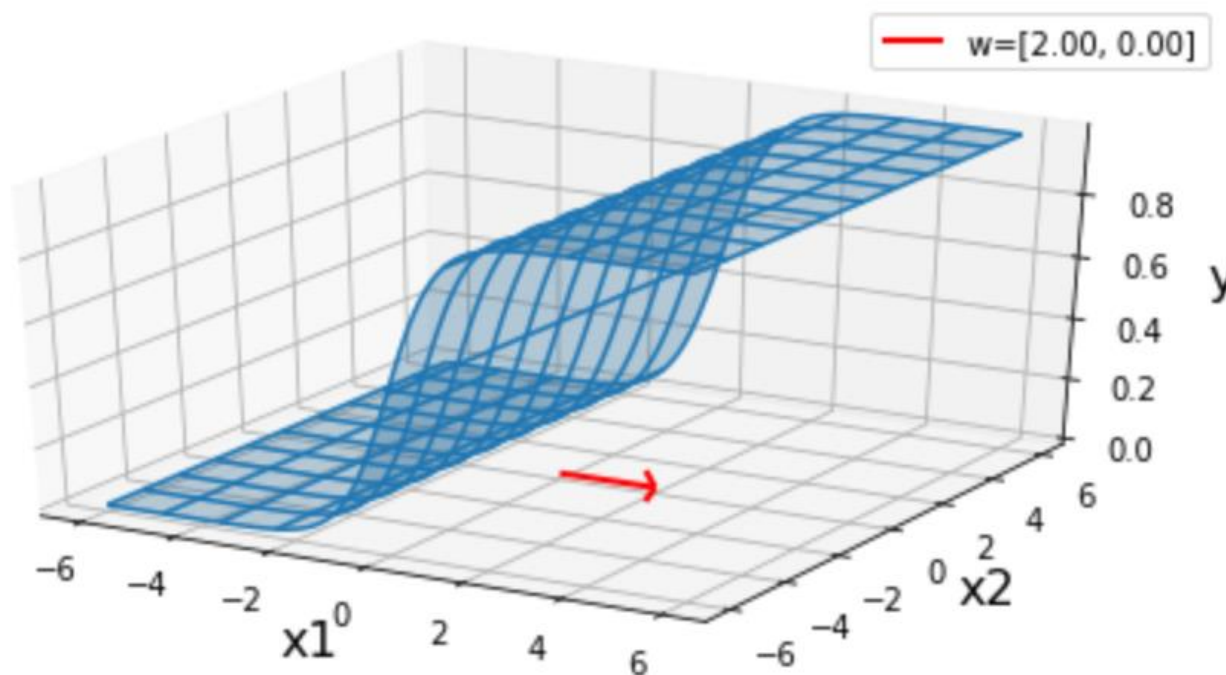
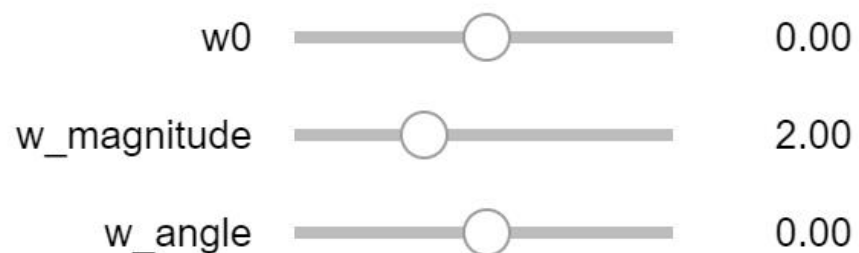


Warm-up as You Log In

Interact with the lec8.ipynb posted on the course website schedule



Announcements

Assignments

- HW3
 - Solution Session: Fri, 10/2, 8 pm 

Schedule change this week

- Recitation slots this Friday will all be lecture (all three)

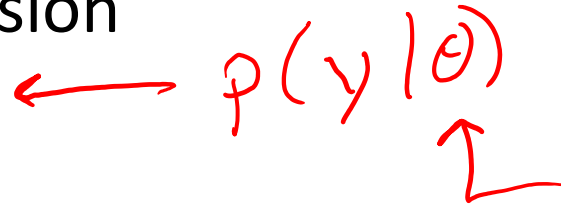
Midterm 1

- Practice exam *80*
 - Timed (~~90~~ min) exam in Gradescope
 - Open for a 24 hour window only, Tue 7 pm to Wed 7 pm
 - Need to take the practice exam to have access to the questions

Plan

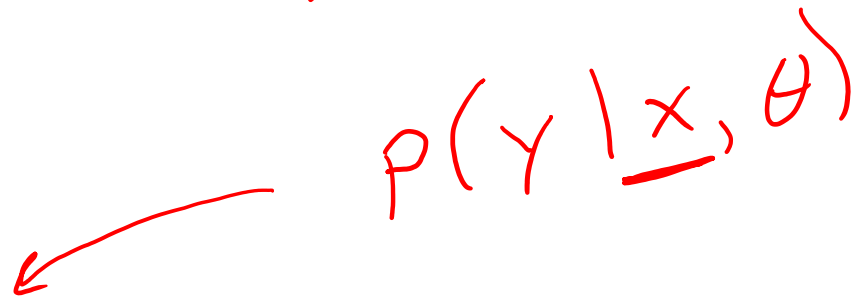
Last time

- Logistic Regression
- Likelihood


$$p(y|\theta)$$

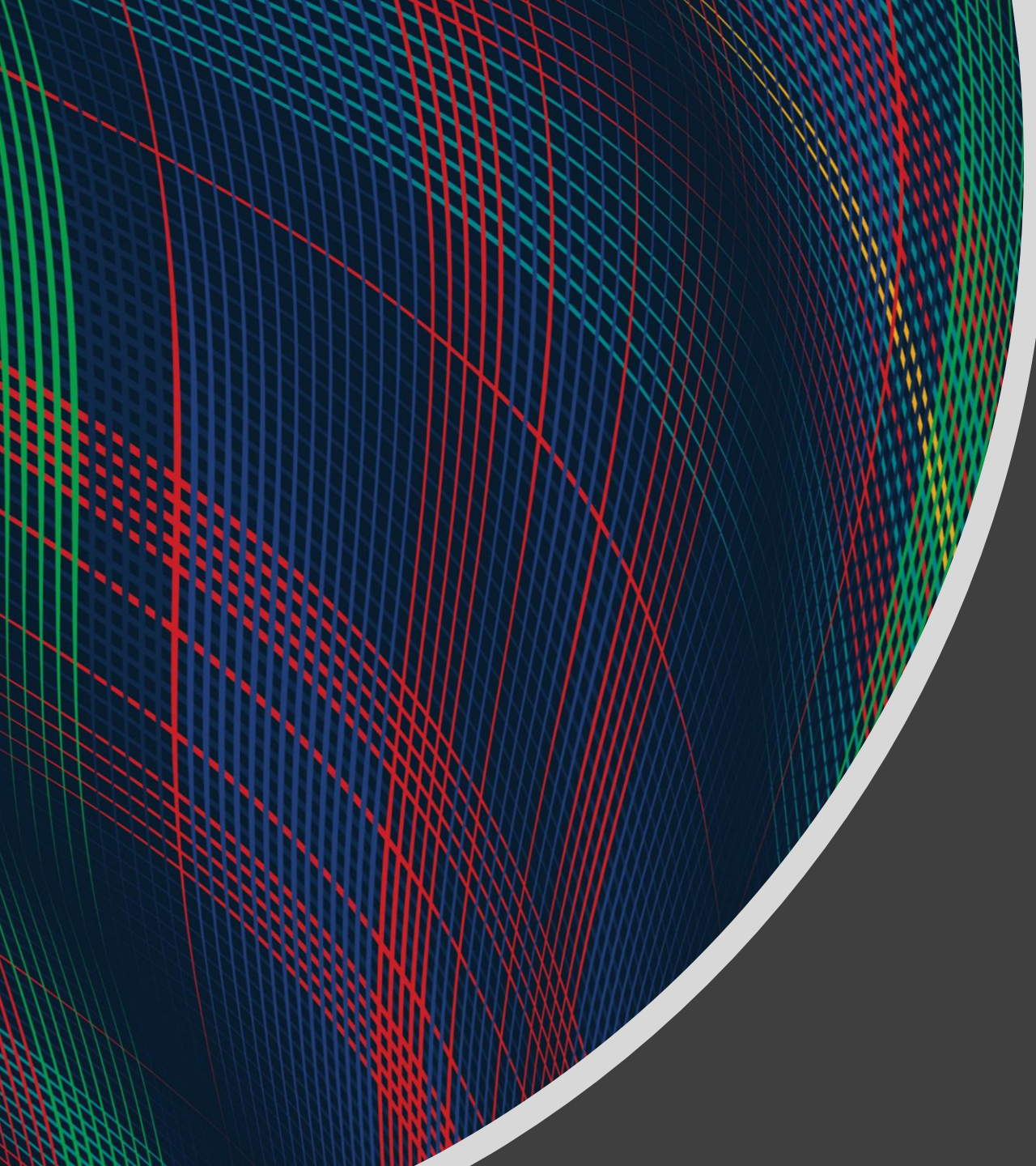
Today

- Likelihood
- MLE
- Conditional Likelihood and M(C)LE
- Solving Linear Regression


$$p(y|\underline{x}, \theta)$$

Friday

- Multiclass Logistic Regression

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Introduction to Machine Learning

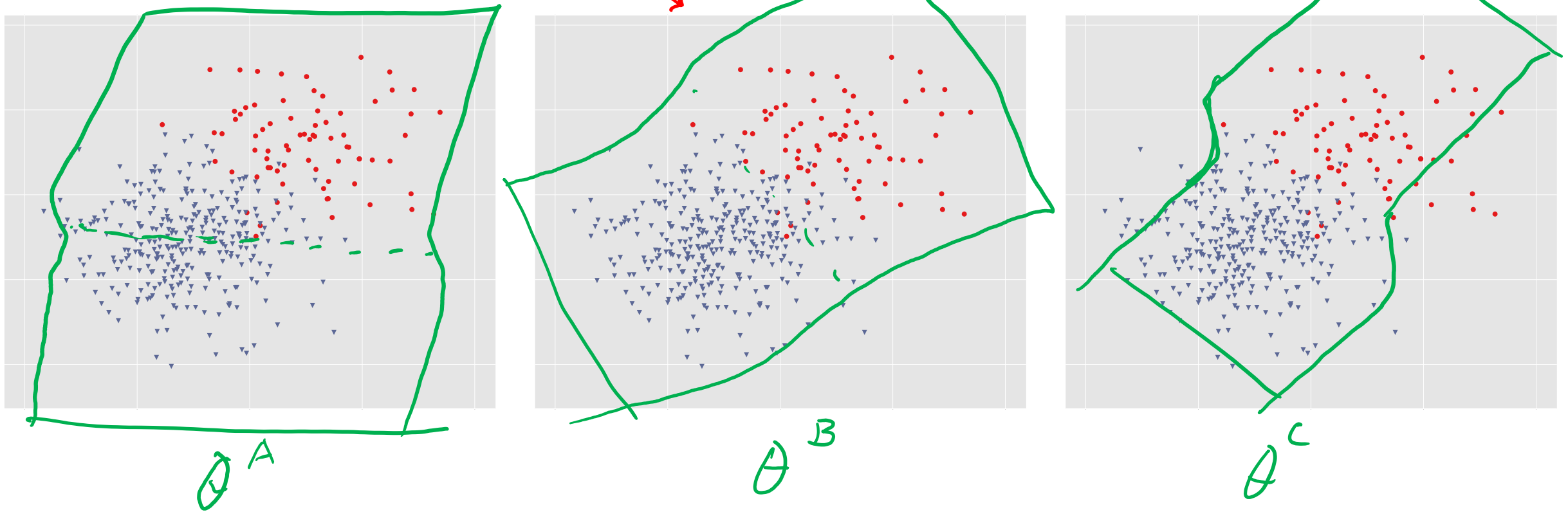
Logistic Regression

Instructor: Pat Virtue

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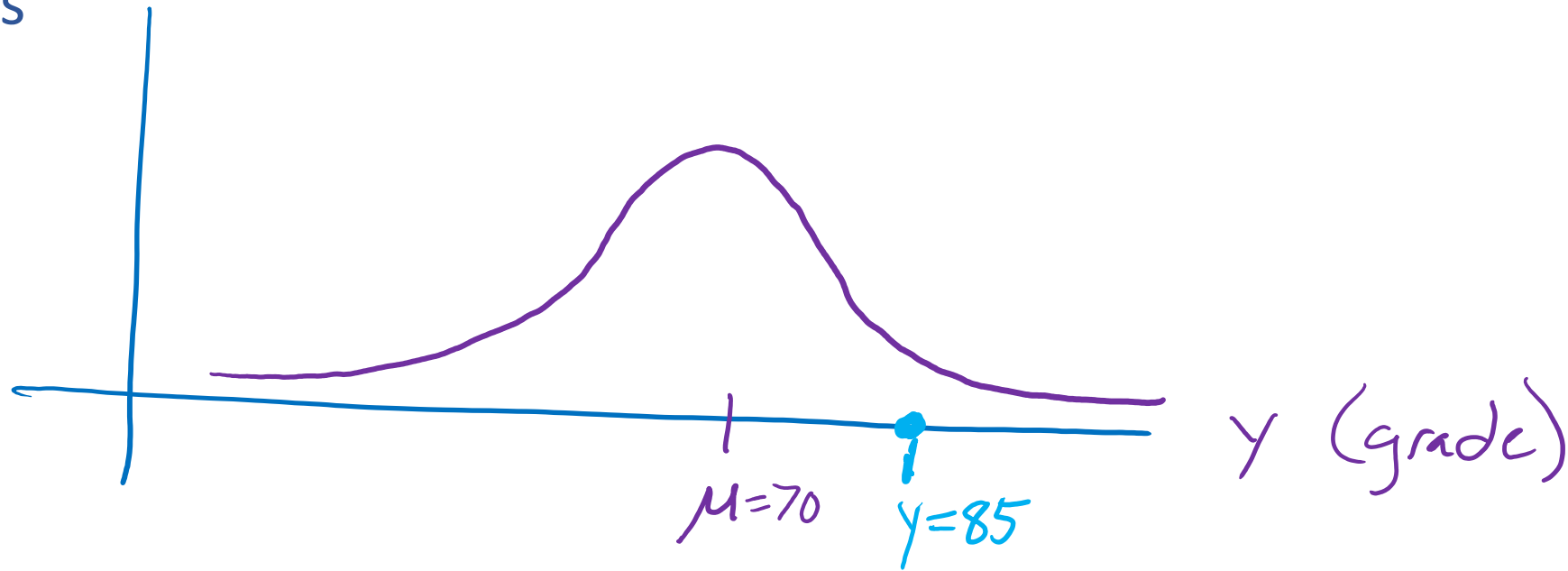
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$$p(Y=y \mid \mu=70, \sigma=10)$$

Grades



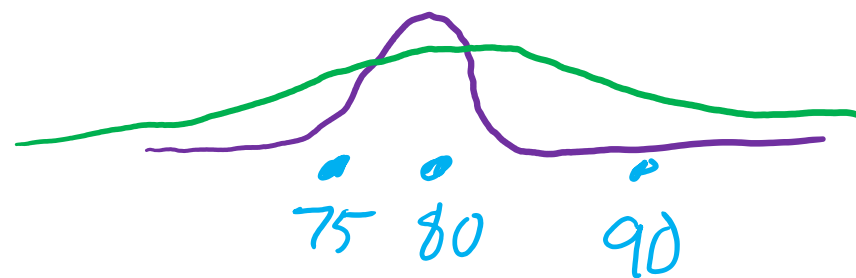
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i.i.d.: Independent and identically distributed

$$P(Y^{(1)} = y^{(1)}, Y^{(2)} = y^{(2)}, Y^{(3)} = y^{(3)})$$

← joint distribution
not iid

identical



$$P(Y = y^{(1)}, Y = y^{(2)}, Y = y^{(3)})$$

independent



$$= P(Y = y^{(1)}) P(Y = y^{(2)}) P(Y = y^{(3)})$$

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$$\rightarrow \prod_{i=1}^3 p(y^{(i)} | \mu, \sigma^2)$$

Likelihood

Trick coin

$Y=1$ Heads
 $[1, 0, 1, 1]$

All T	$\frac{1}{3}$ H	Fair	$\frac{2}{3}$ H	All H
$\phi^{(A)} = 0$	$\phi^{(B)} = \frac{1}{3}$	$\phi^{(C)} = \frac{1}{2}$	$\phi^{(D)} = \frac{2}{3}$	$\phi^{(E)} = 1$

$$p(y^{(1)} \dots y^{(4)} | \phi^A) = \prod p(y^{(i)} | \phi^A)$$

ϕ heads
 $(1-\phi)$ tail

$$= \phi^A \cdot (1 - \phi^A) \cdot \phi^A \cdot \phi^A$$

$$= 0 \cdot 1 \cdot 0 \cdot 0 = 0$$

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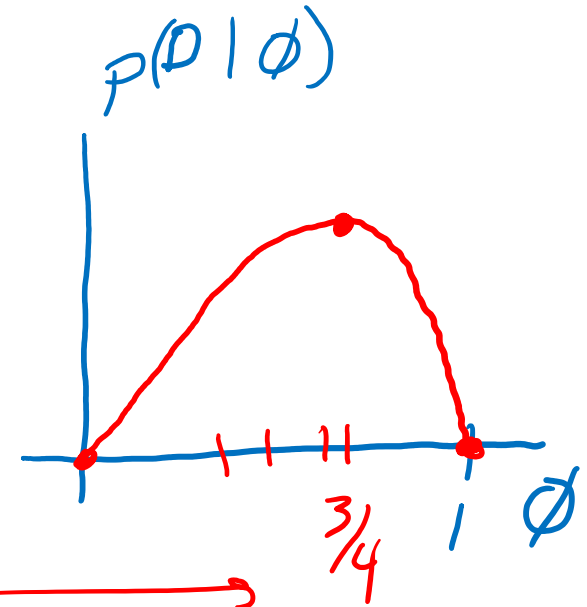
$$\mathcal{D} = [1, 0, 1, 1]$$

What is the estimate of parameter $\hat{\phi}$ for any possible ϕ ?

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$$\frac{N_{y=1}}{N}$$



$$p_{\theta}(y) = p(y; \theta) = p(y | \theta)$$

$$\log xz = \log x + \log z$$

Likelihood and Maximum Likelihood Estimation

Likelihood: The probability (or density) of random variable Y taking on value y given the distribution parameters, θ .

$$p(D | \theta) = \prod p(y^{(i)} | \theta)$$

Likelihood function: The value of likelihood as we change theta (same as likelihood, but conceptually we are considering many different values of the parameters)

NOT
 $p(\theta | D)$

$$\text{likelihood } L(\theta; D) = p(D | \theta) = \prod p(y^{(i)} | \theta)$$

$$\text{log likelihood } l(\theta; D) = \log p(D | \theta) = \sum \log p(y^{(i)} | \theta)$$

Likelihood and Log Likelihood

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What is the log likelihood for three i.i.d. samples, given parameter z :

$$\mathcal{D} = \{y^{(1)} = 1, y^{(2)} = 0, y^{(3)} = 1, y^{(4)} = 1\} \leftarrow$$

$$L(z) =$$

$$\ell(z) =$$

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$$L(z) = \underbrace{z}_{\uparrow} \cdot \underbrace{z}_{\uparrow} \cdot (1 - z) = \prod_n \underbrace{z^{y^{(n)}}}_{\substack{0 \\ \uparrow}} \underbrace{(1 - z)^{(1 - y^{(n)})}}_{\substack{1 \\ \uparrow}}$$

$$\ell(z) = \log z + \log z + \log(1 - z) = \sum_n \underbrace{y^{(n)} \log z + (1 - y^{(n)}) \log(1 - z)}_{\uparrow}$$

$\frac{\partial \ell}{\partial z} = 0 \quad z = \frac{\sum y=1}{N}$

Previous Piazza Poll

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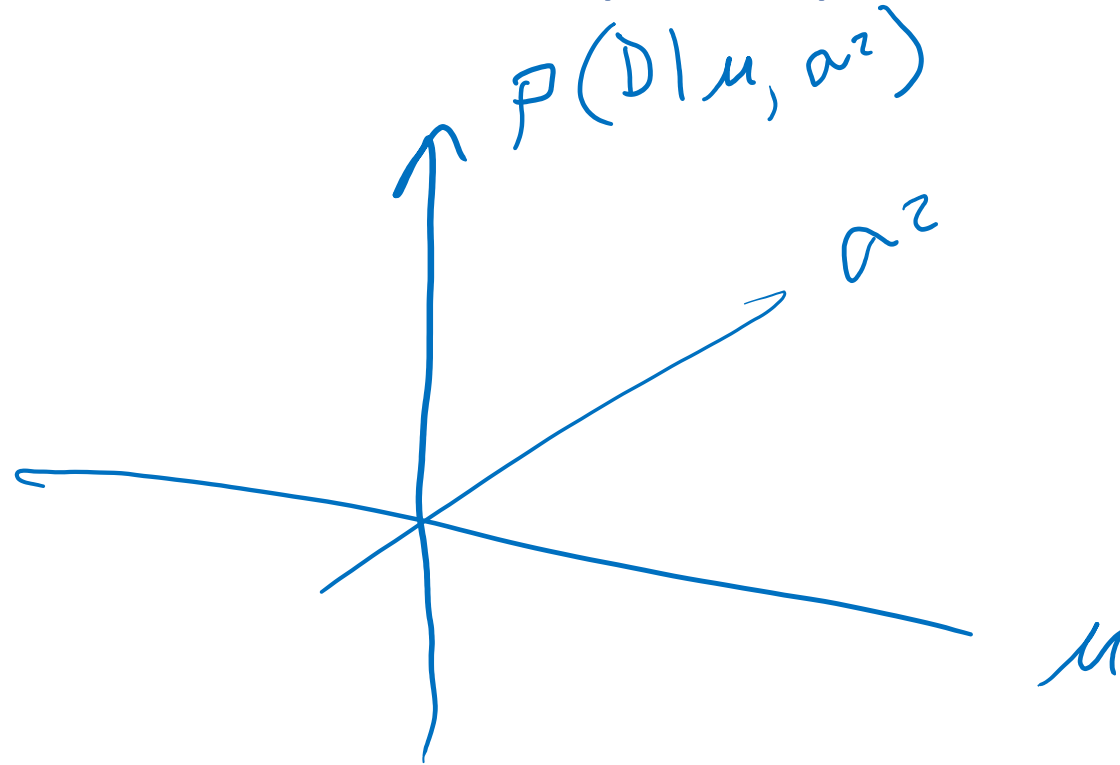
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MLE

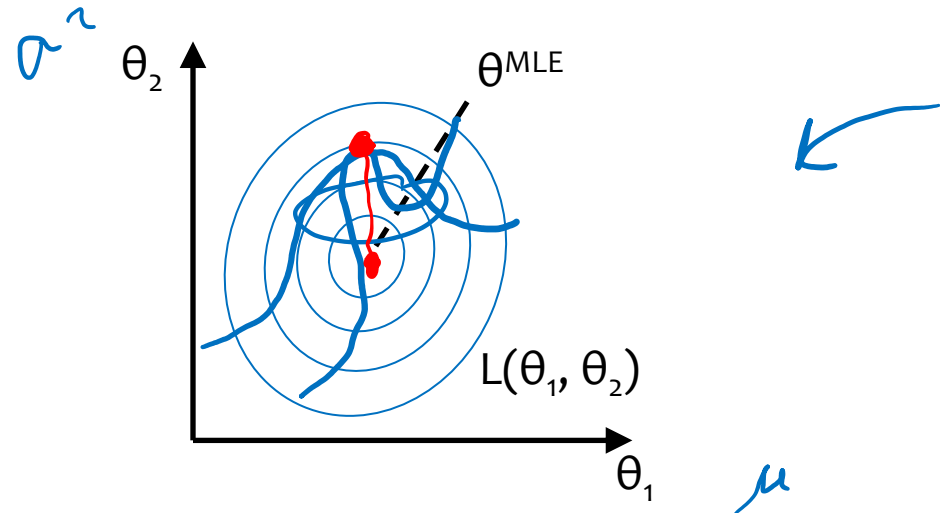
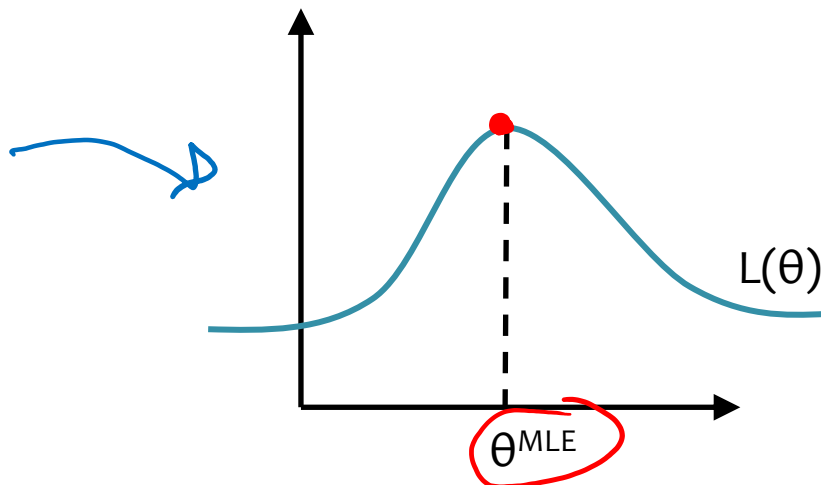
Suppose we have data $\mathcal{D} = \{x^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^N$

Principle of Maximum Likelihood Estimation:

Choose the parameters that maximize the likelihood of the data.

$$\theta^{\text{MLE}} = \underset{\theta}{\operatorname{argmax}} \prod_{i=1}^N p(\mathbf{x}^{(i)} | \theta)$$

Maximum Likelihood Estimate (MLE)



Maximum Likelihood Estimation

MLE of parameter θ for i.i.d. dataset $\mathcal{D} = \{y^{(i)}\}_{i=1}^N$ ←

$$\hat{\theta}_{MLE} = \operatorname{argmax}_{\theta} p(\mathcal{D} | \theta)$$

$$= \operatorname{argmax}_{\theta} \log p(\mathcal{D} | \theta)$$

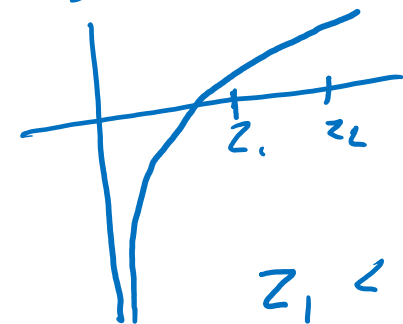
$$= \operatorname{argmax}_{\theta} \log \prod p(y^{(i)} | \theta) \leftarrow \text{i.i.d.}$$

$$= \operatorname{argmax}_{\theta} \sum \log p(y^{(i)} | \theta)$$

$$= \operatorname{argmin}_{\theta} - \sum \log p(y^{(i)} | \theta)$$

SGD negative log likelihood

log monotonic



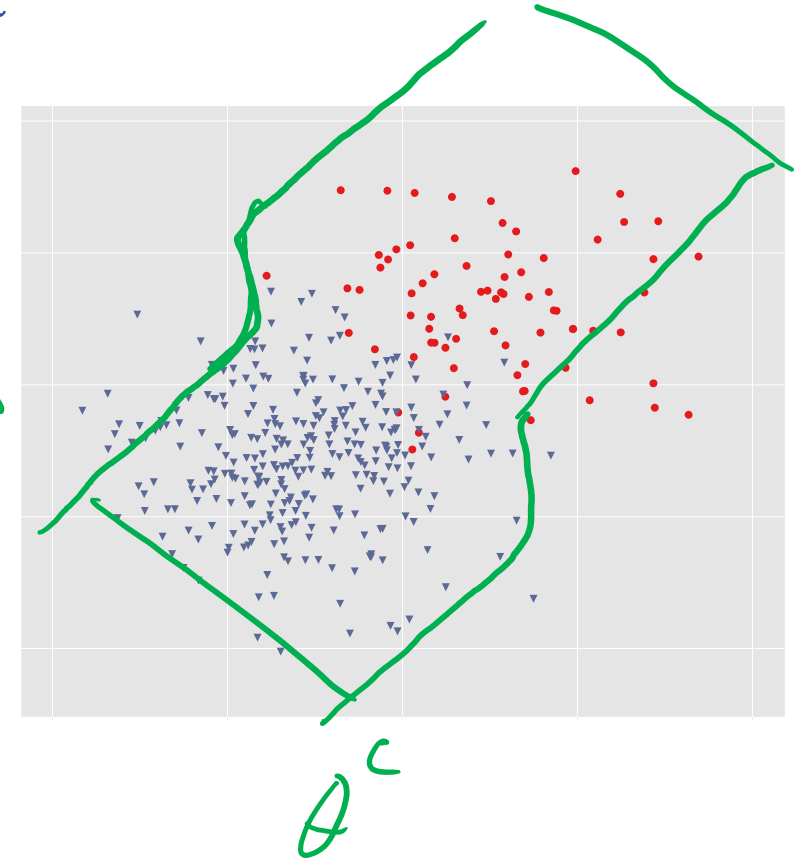
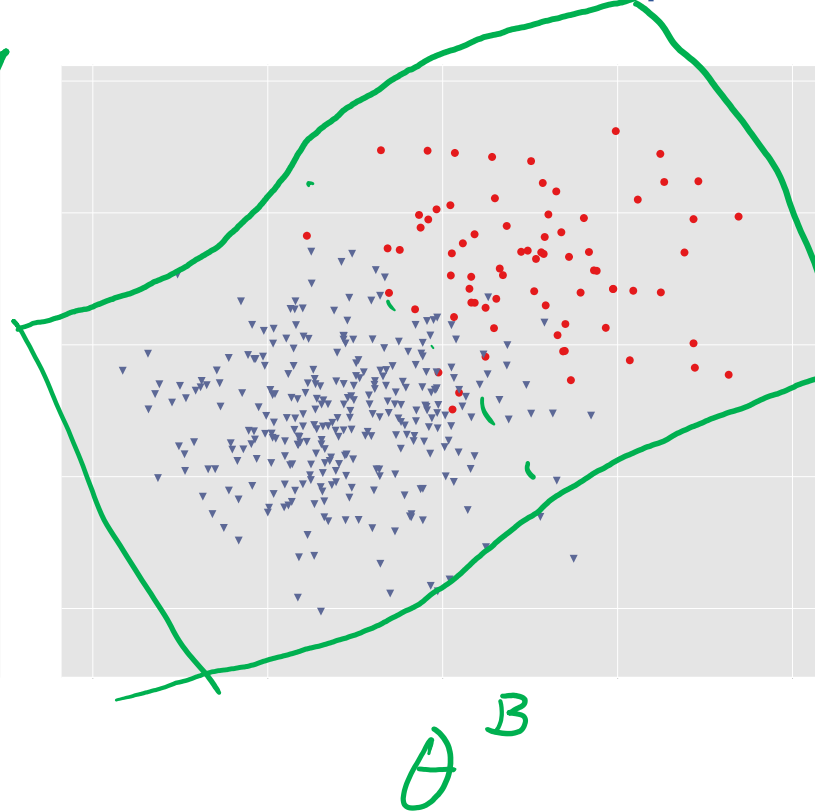
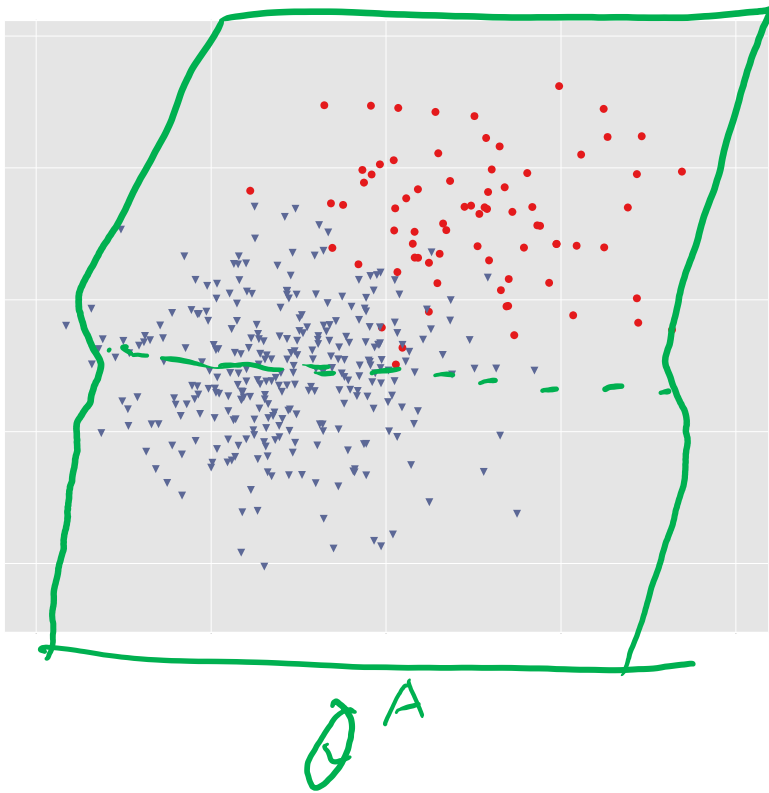
$$z_1 < z_2$$

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OVERLY-SIMPLE PROBABILISTIC CLASSIFIER

Overly-simple Probabilistic Classifier

1) Model: $Y \sim \text{Bern}(\phi)$ *ignore x*

$$p(y | \underline{x}, \phi) = \begin{cases} \phi, & y = 1 \\ 1 - \phi, & y = 0 \end{cases}$$

2) Objective $J(\phi) = \text{negative log likelihood}$

$$J(\phi) = - \sum_i \log p(y^i | x^i, \phi)$$

$$= - \sum_i y^{(i)} \log \phi + (1 - y^{(i)}) \log (1 - \phi)$$

Bernoulli

3) Solve
Closed-form solution $\frac{dJ}{d\phi} = 0$
and solve for $\hat{\phi}$

Y	x_1	x_2
1	0.3	9
0	3	4
1	2	1
1	1	-3

$$\log \left(\phi^{y^{(i)}} (1 - \phi)^{(1 - y^{(i)})} \right)$$

BINARY LOGISTIC REGRESSION

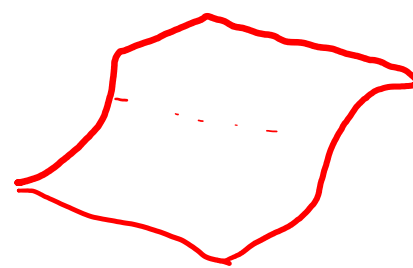
Binary Logistic Regression

1) Model: $Y \sim \text{Bern}(\mu)$

$$\mu = \sigma(\theta^T \mathbf{x})$$

$$\sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z}}$$

logistic



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$$p(Y=y | \vec{x}, \vec{\theta}) = \begin{cases} \mu & \text{if } y=1 \\ 1-\mu & \text{if } y=0 \end{cases}$$

2) Objective function: negative log likelihood

$$l(\vec{\theta}) = \sum_{i=1}^N \log p(Y=y^{(i)} | \vec{x}, \vec{\theta}) \leftarrow \text{log likelihood}$$

$$J(\vec{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{N} l(\vec{\theta})$$

3) Solve for $\hat{\theta}$ SGD

Binary Logistic Regression

Gradient

$$J(\vec{\theta})$$

$$J^{(i)}(\theta)$$

$$\nabla J^{(i)}(\theta) =$$

Solve Logistic Regression

$$\mu = \sigma(\boldsymbol{\theta}^T \mathbf{x}) \quad \sigma(z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z}}$$

$$J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{N} \sum_n (y^{(n)} \log \mu^{(n)} + (1 - y^{(n)}) \log(1 - \mu^{(n)}))$$

$$\nabla_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} J(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{N} \sum_n (y^{(n)} - \mu^{(n)}) \mathbf{x}^{(n)}$$

$$\nabla_{\boldsymbol{\theta}} J(\mathbf{w}) = 0?$$

No closed form solution ☹️

Back to iterative methods. Solve with (stochastic) gradient descent, Newton's method, or Iteratively Reweighted Least Squares (IRLS)