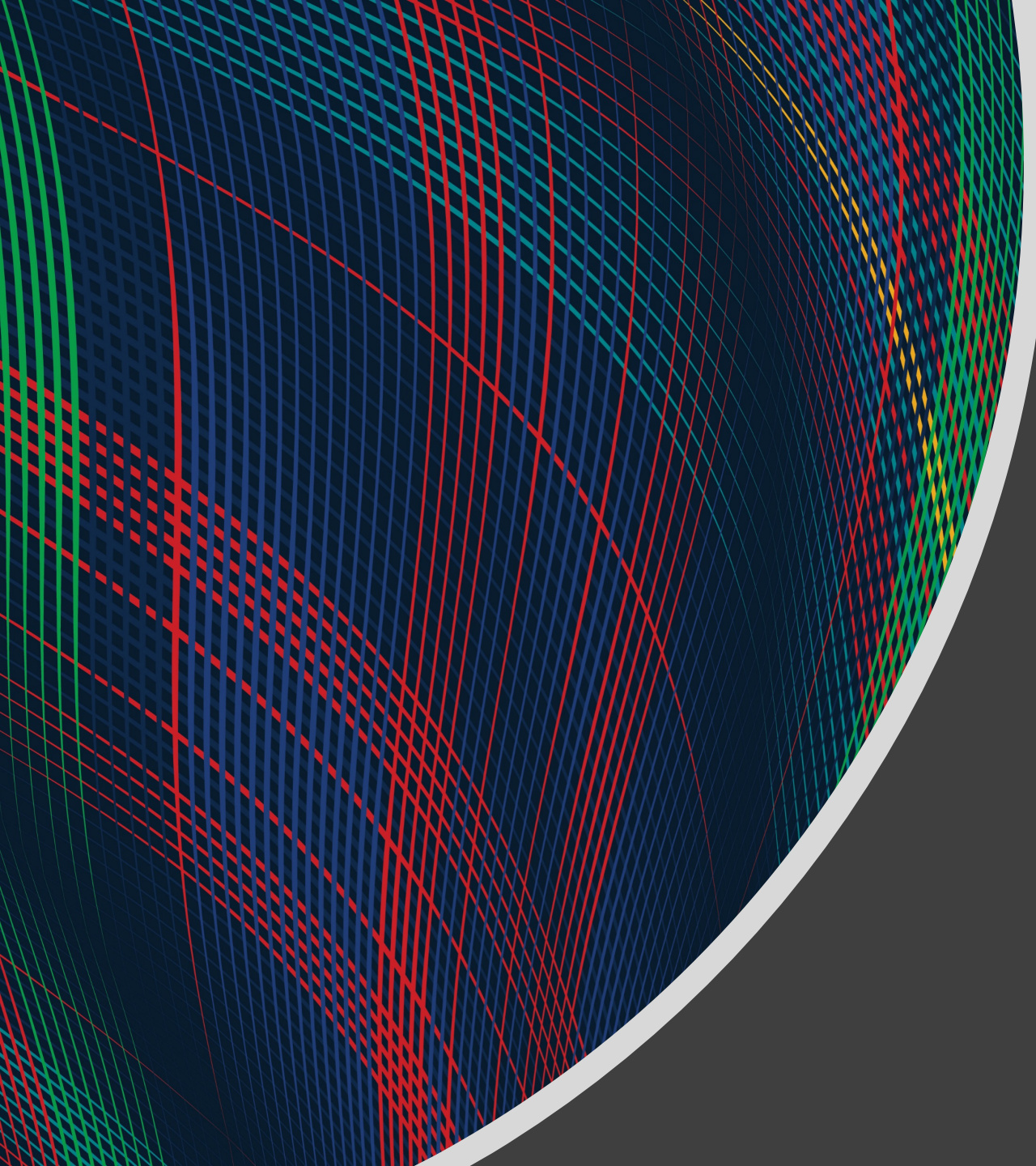


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Introduction to ML

Feature Engineering

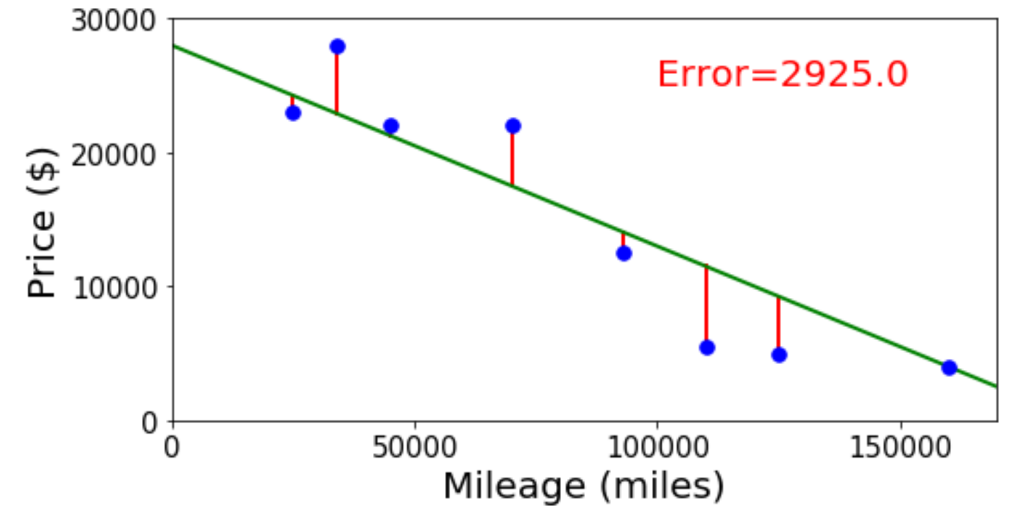
Instructor: Pat Virtue

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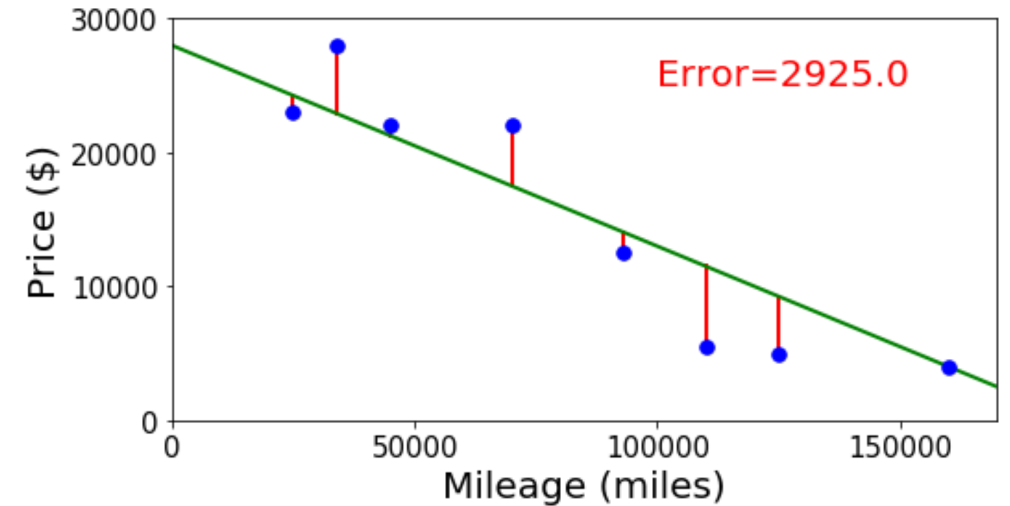
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$$\vec{x}^T \theta$$

$$\theta = \begin{bmatrix} b \\ w_1 \\ w_2 \end{bmatrix} \quad \vec{x} = \begin{bmatrix} 1 \\ x \\ x^2 \end{bmatrix}$$

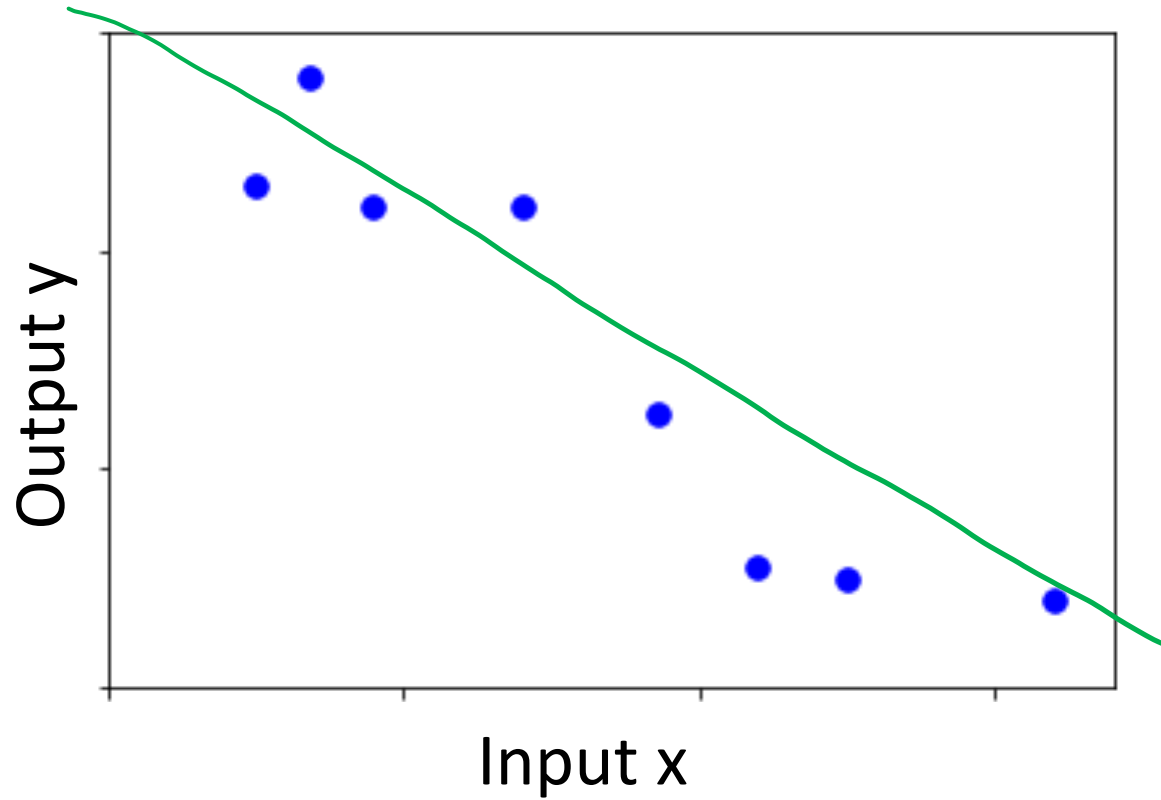


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$$y = w_2 \underline{x_1^2} + w_1 x_1 + b$$

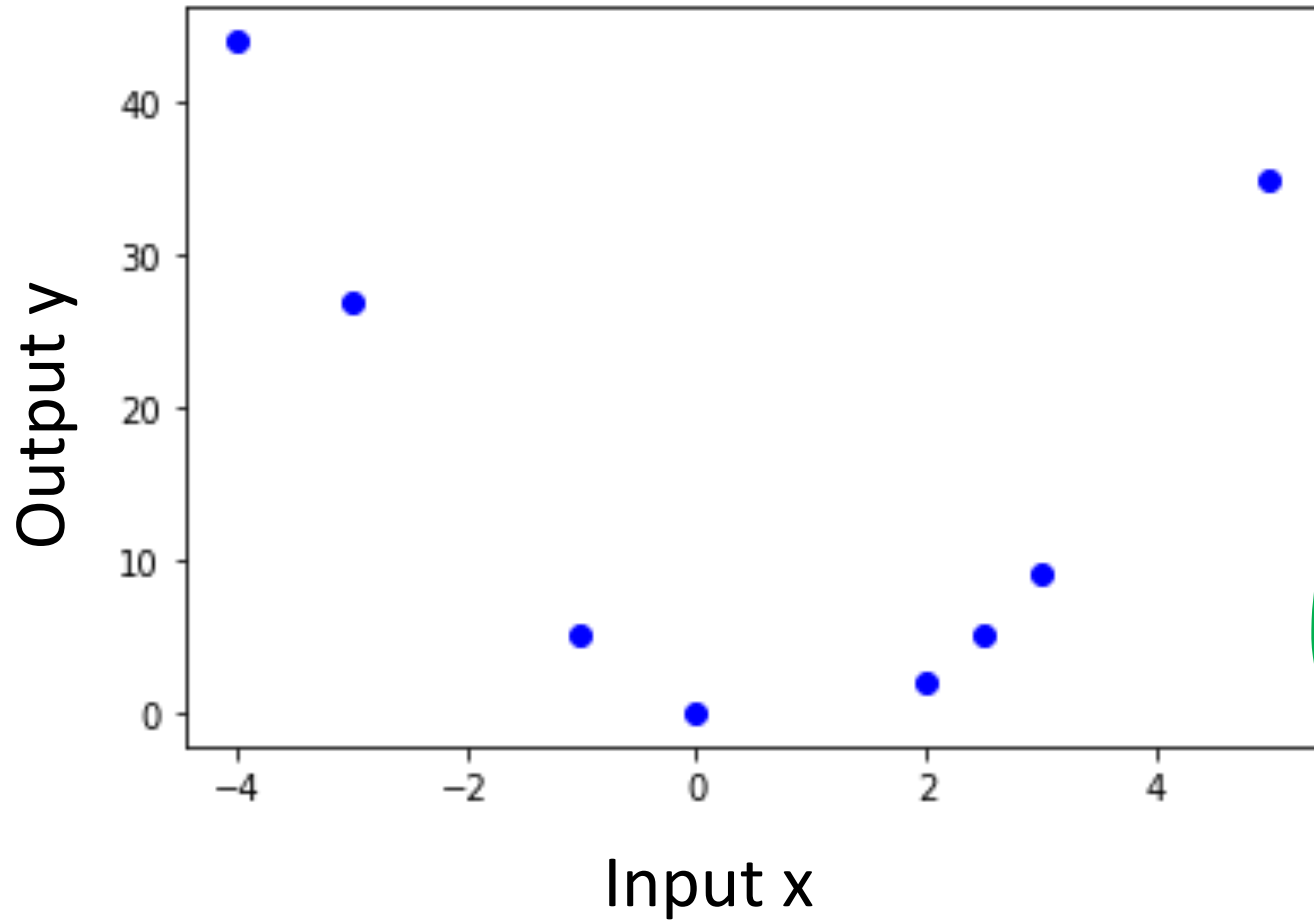
Linear Data

Regression on simple linear dataset



Non-linear Data

Linear regression on polynomial data?

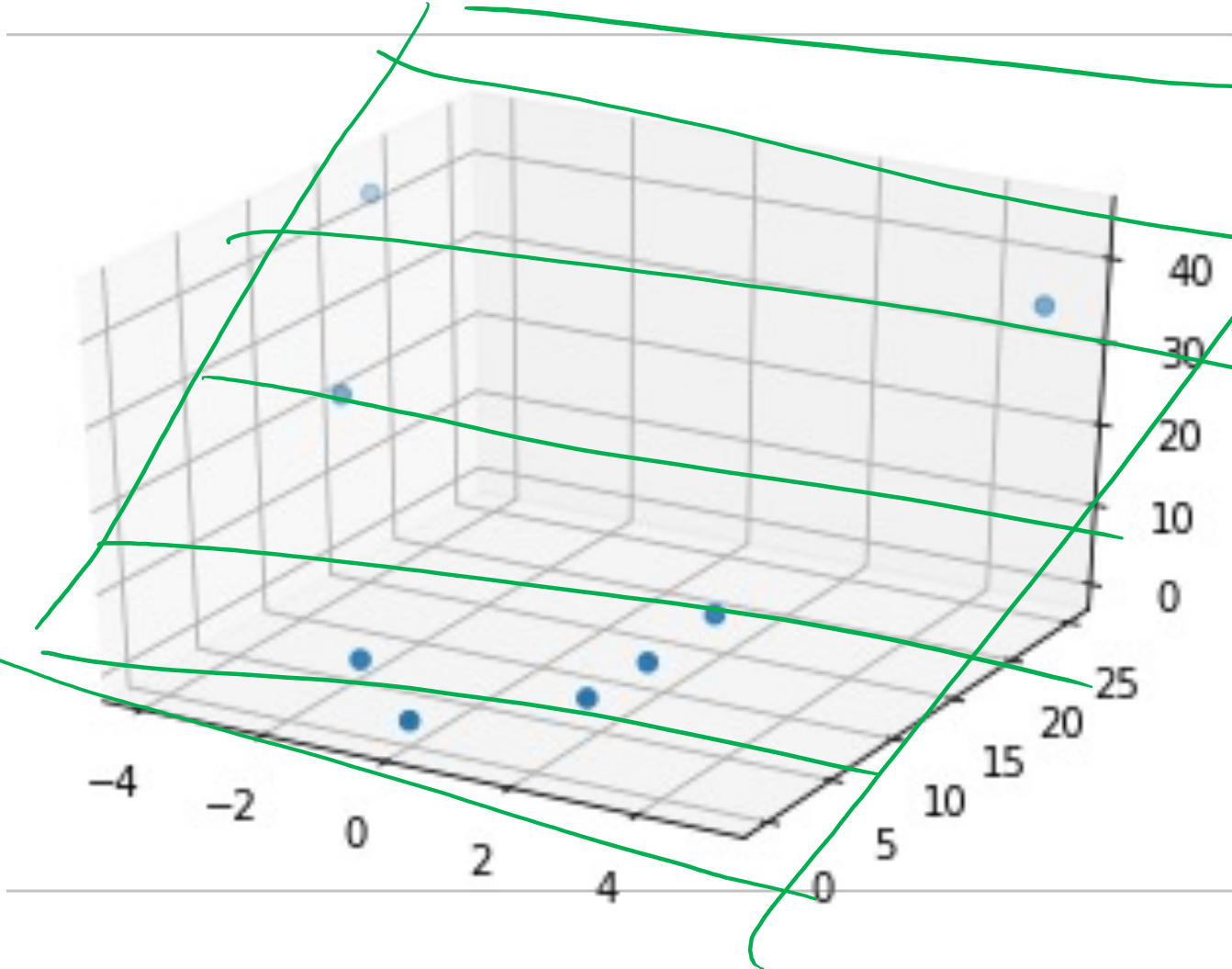


$D_1 \rightarrow D_2$

y	x_1
44	-4
27	-3
5	-1
0	0
2	2
5	2.5
9	3
35	5

Non-linear Data

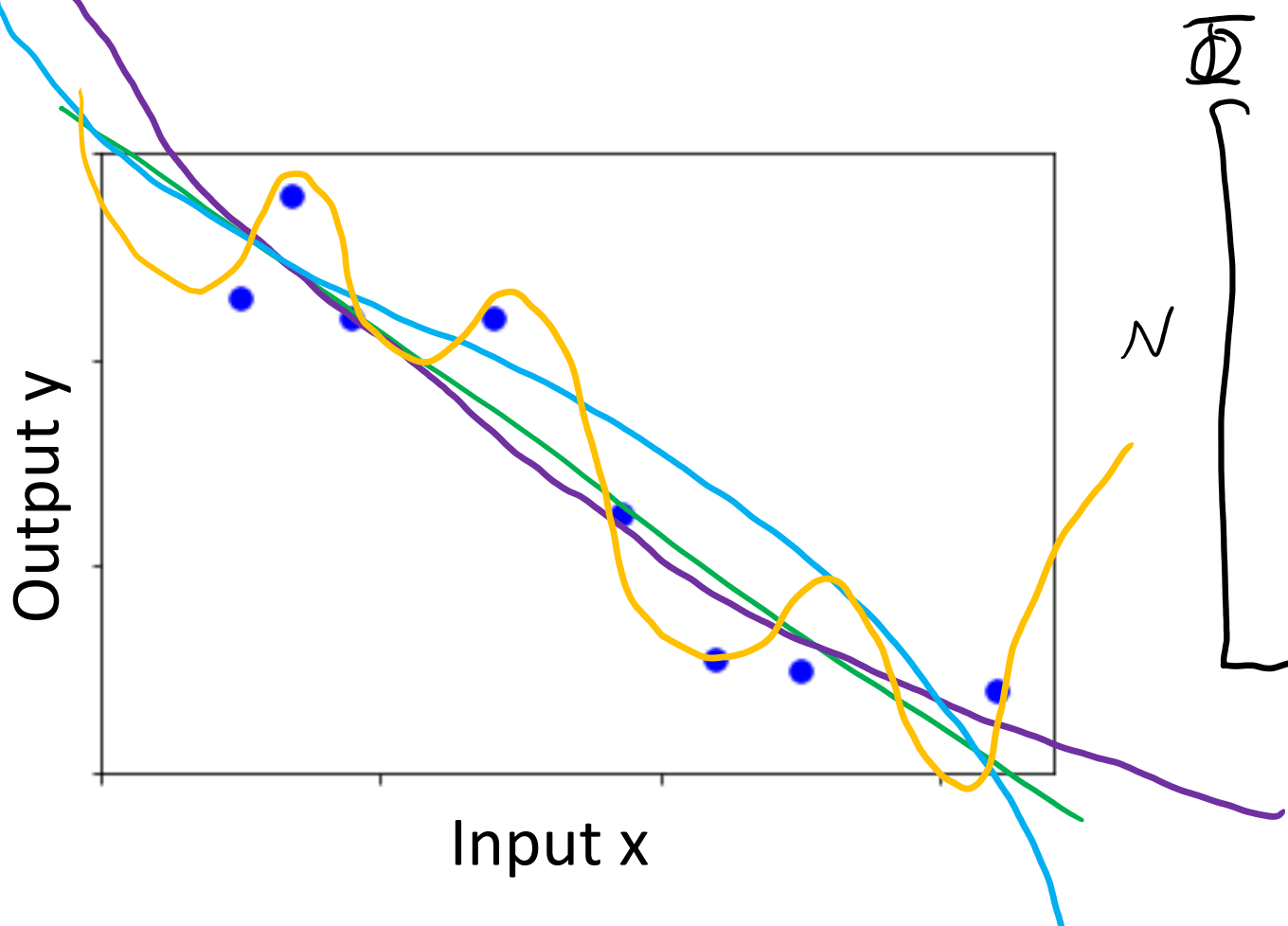
Regression on simple linear dataset



y	x_1	x_1^2 x_2
44	-4	16
27	-3	9
5	-1	1
0	0	0
2	2	4
5	2.5	6.25
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35	5	25

Non-linear Data

Polynomial feature map for linear regression



$$x \rightarrow \phi(x)$$

$$X \rightarrow \Phi$$

$$\begin{matrix} \Phi \\ \vdots \\ \mathcal{N} \end{matrix}$$

$$\begin{matrix} x^{(1)} \\ x^{(2)} \end{matrix}$$

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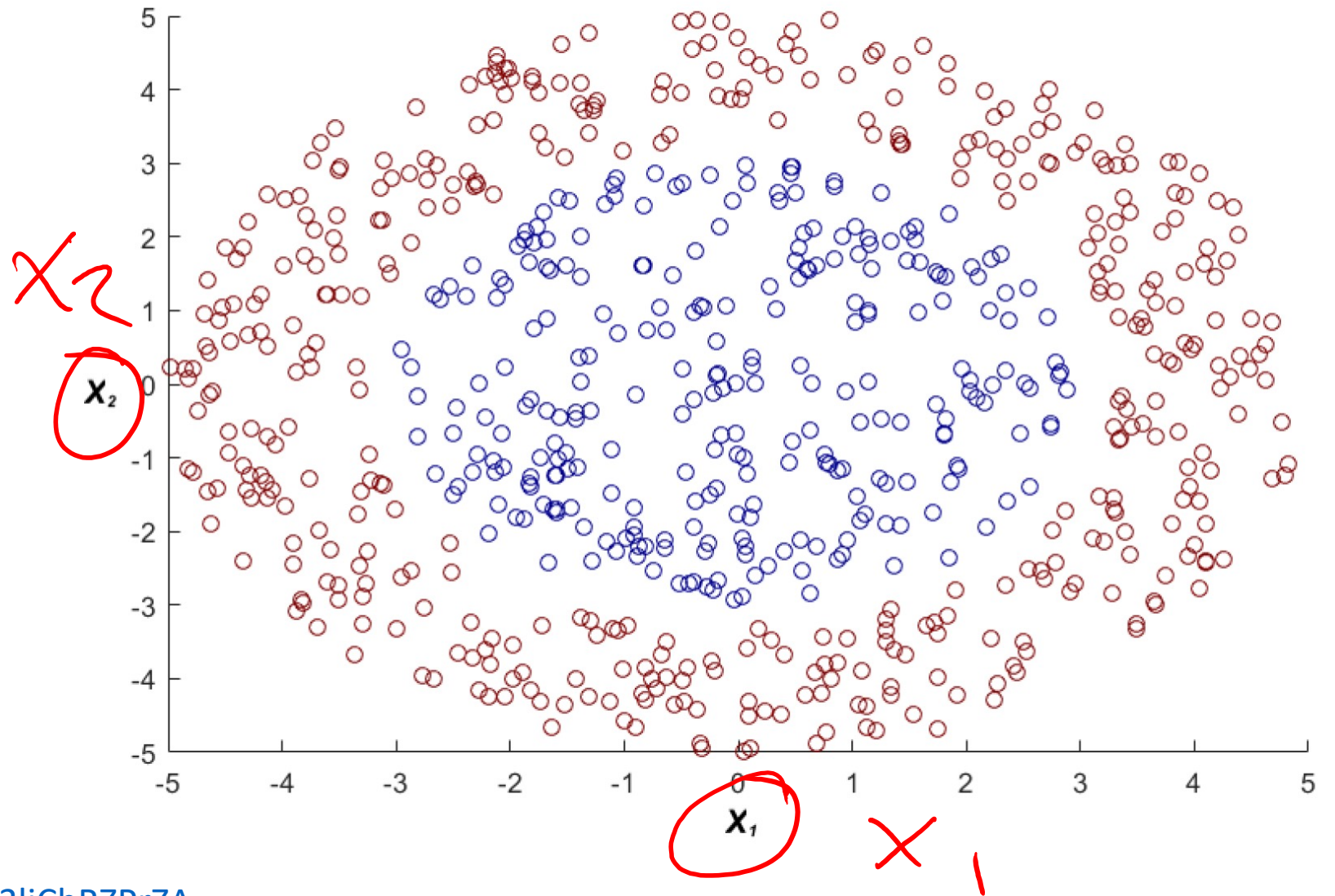
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$$x^{(n)}$$

$$x^{(n)2}$$

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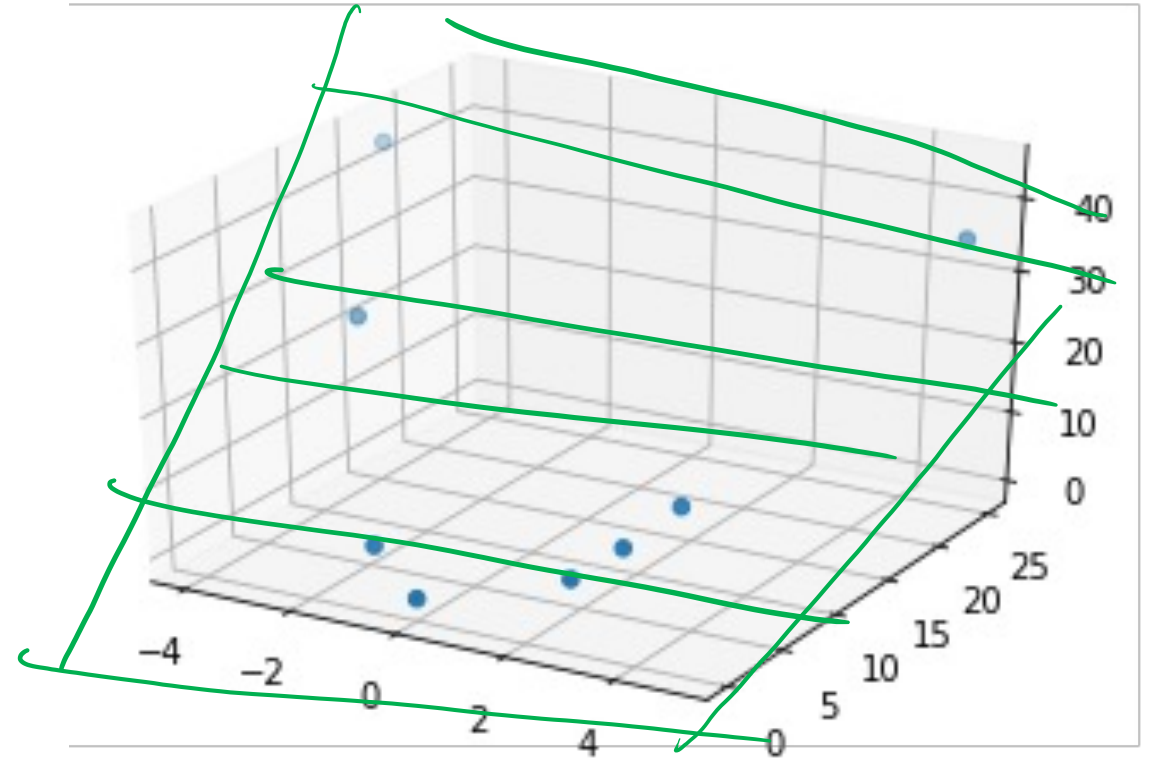
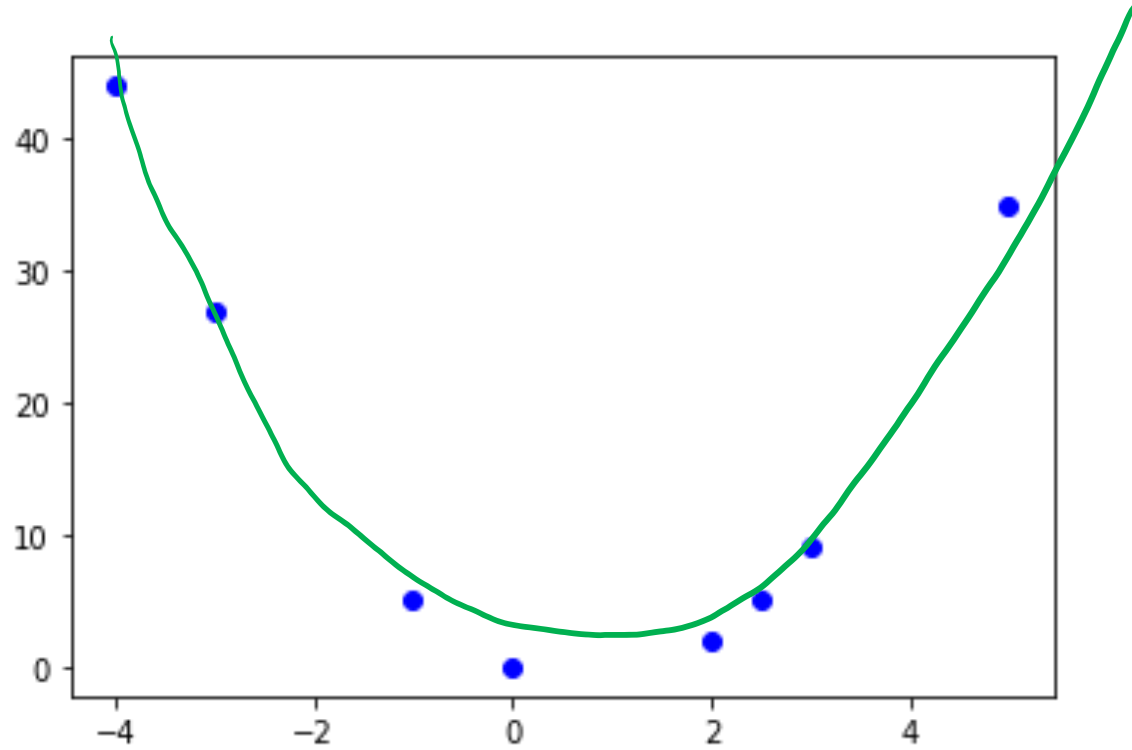
Polynomial feature map
for linear classification



<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3liCbRZPrZA>

Feature Maps

Two ways to think about it

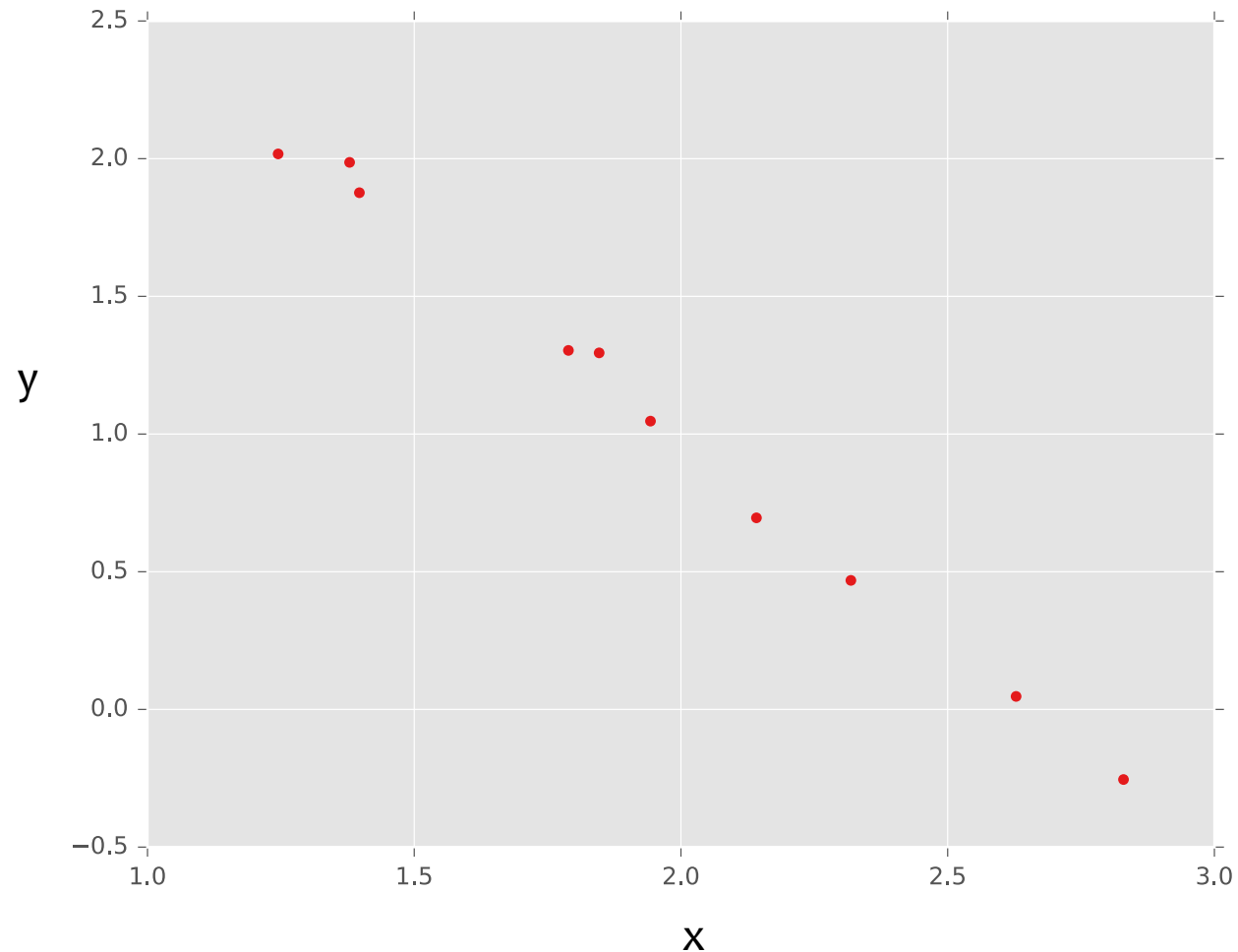


Example: Linear Regression

Goal: Learn $y = \mathbf{w}^\top \mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) + b$
where $\mathbf{f}(\cdot)$ is a polynomial
basis function

y	x
2.0	1.2
1.3	1.7
0.1	2.7
1.1	1.9

true “unknown”
target function is
linear with
negative slope
and gaussian
noise

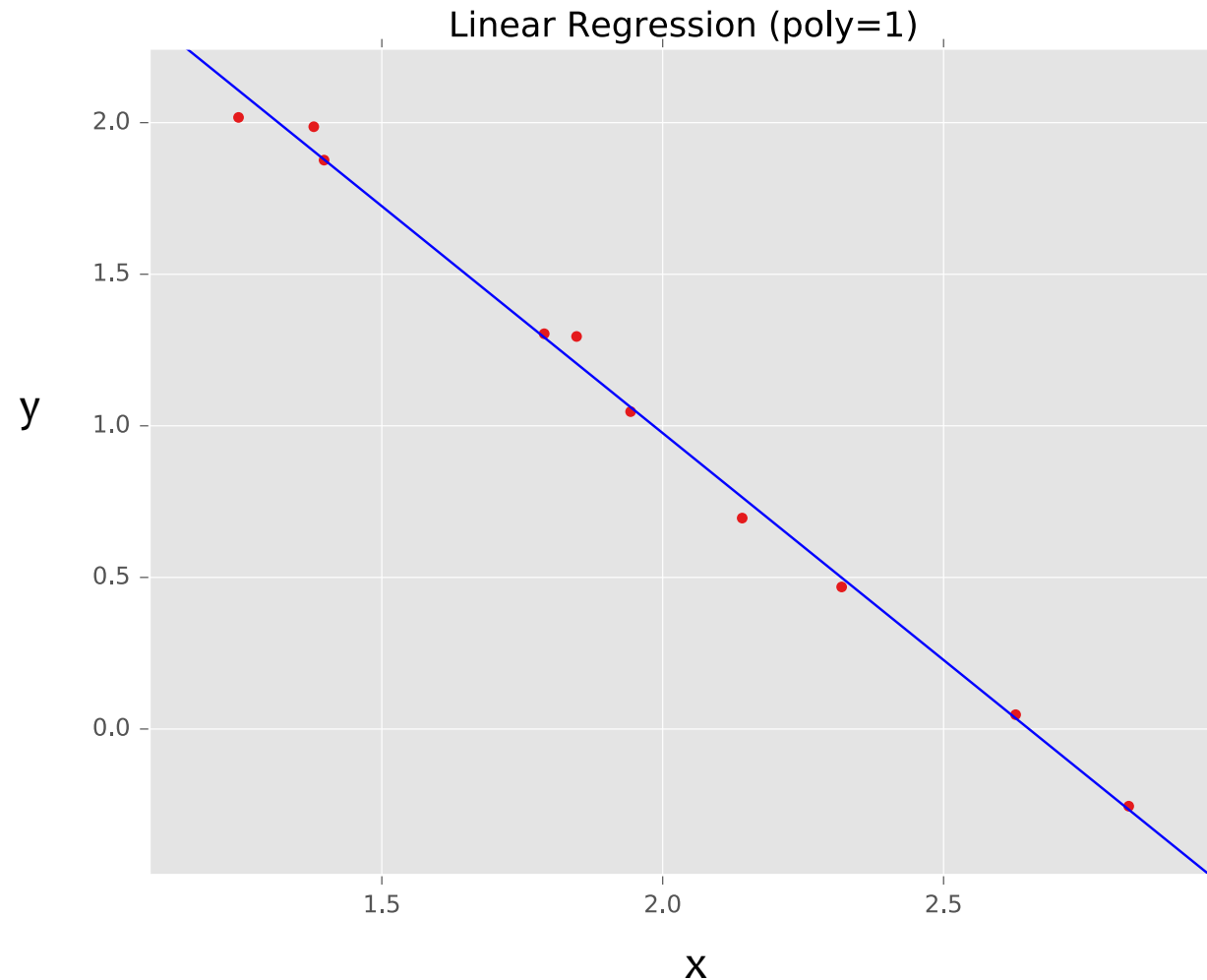


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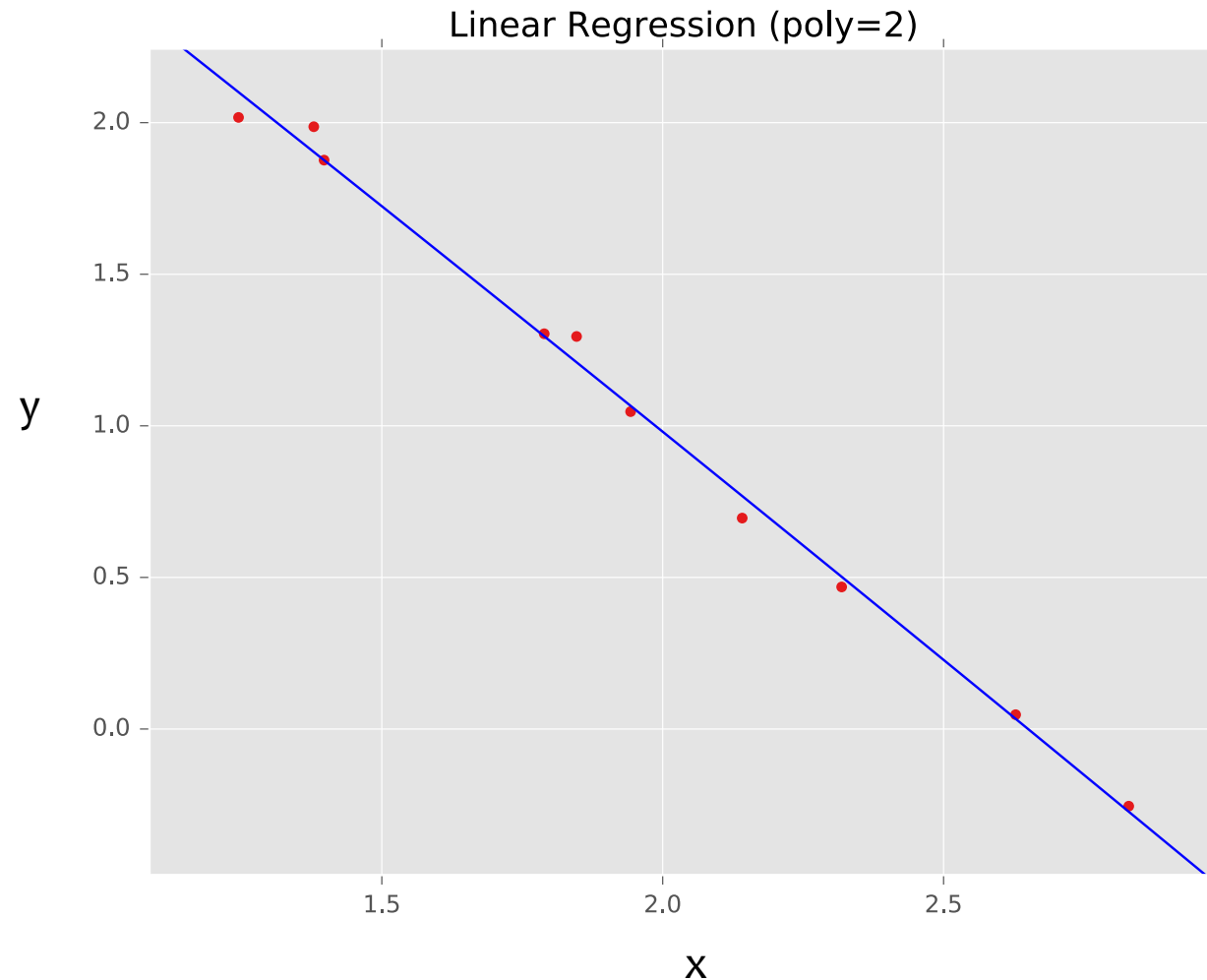


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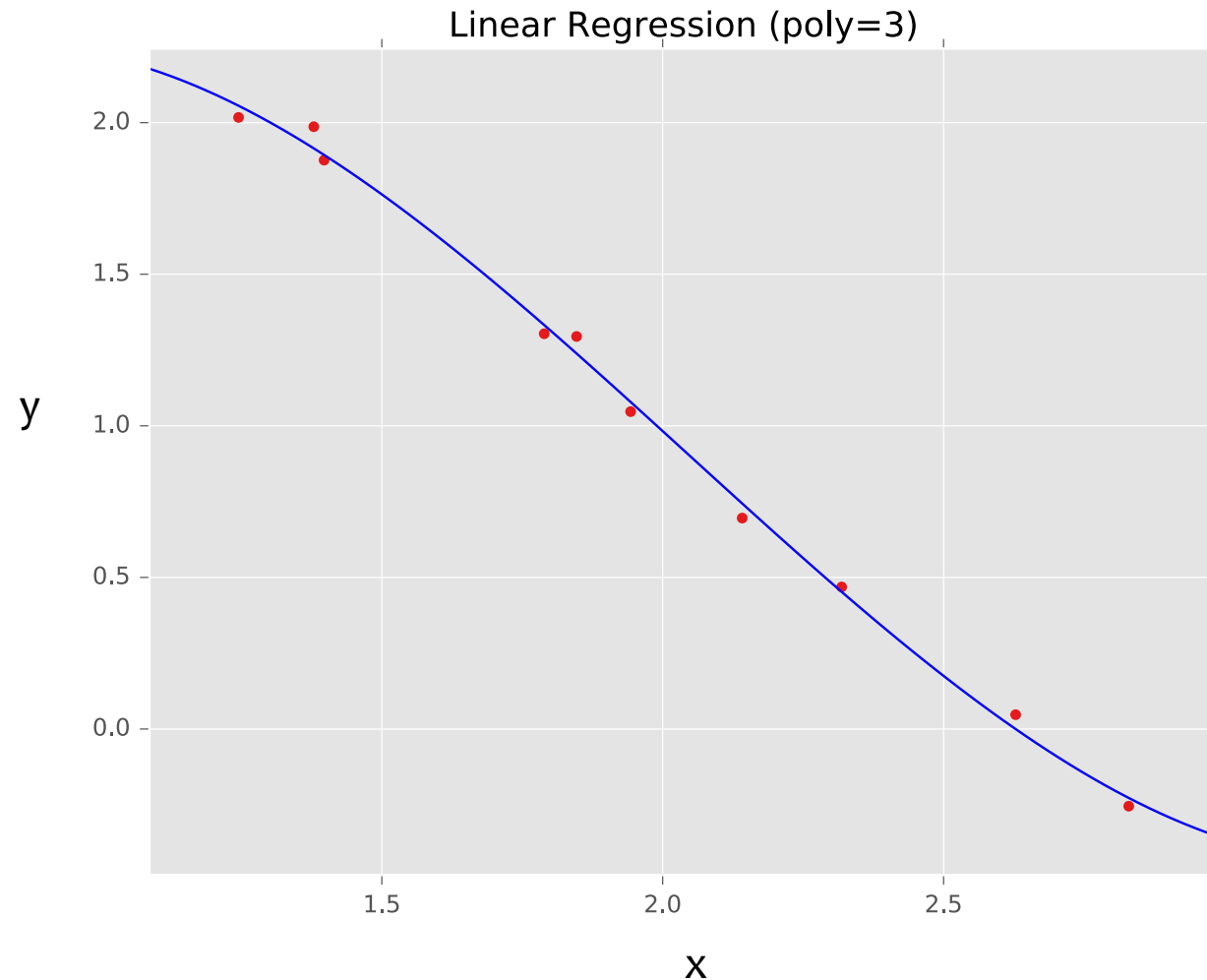


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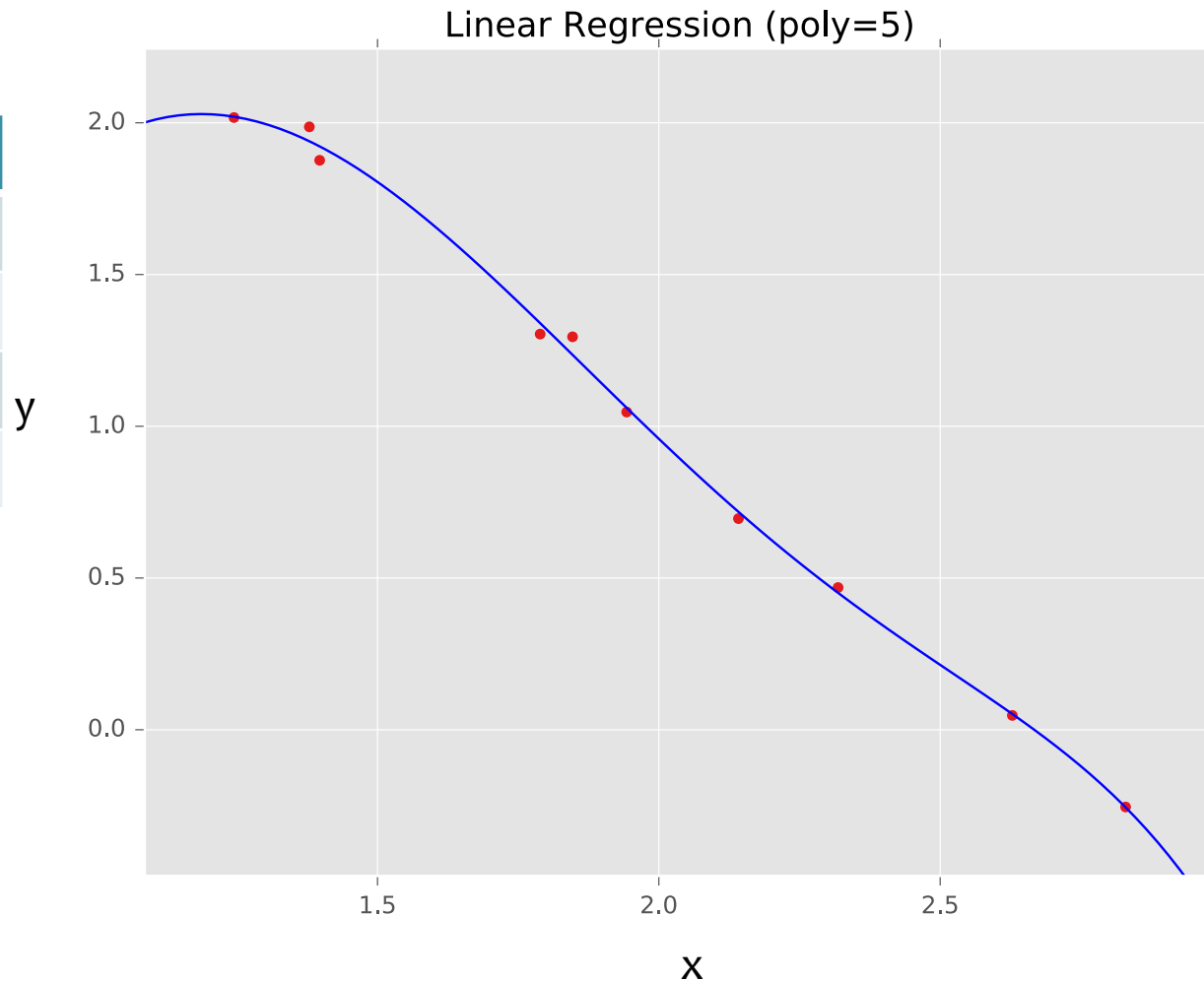


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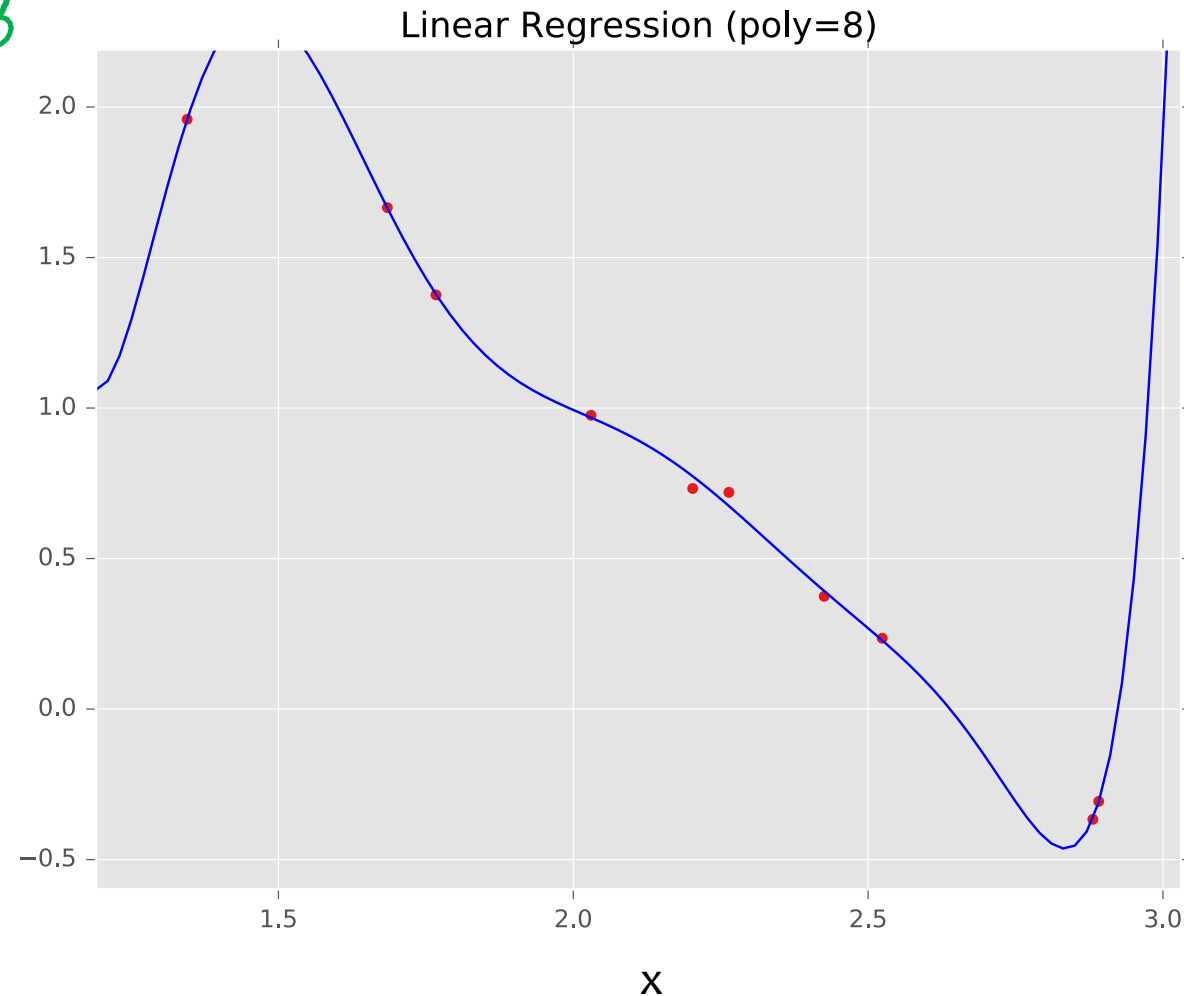


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y	x	x^2	...	x^8
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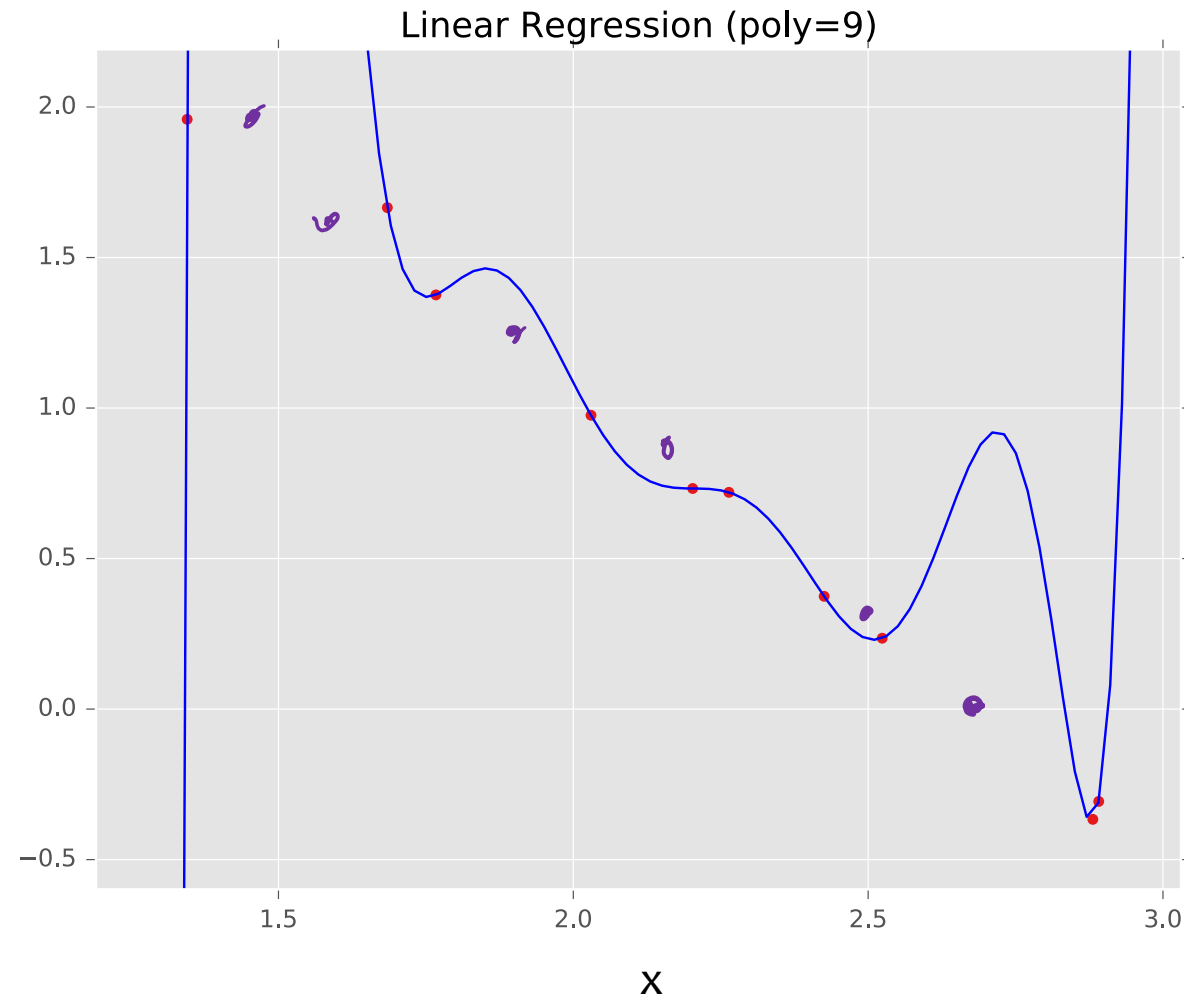


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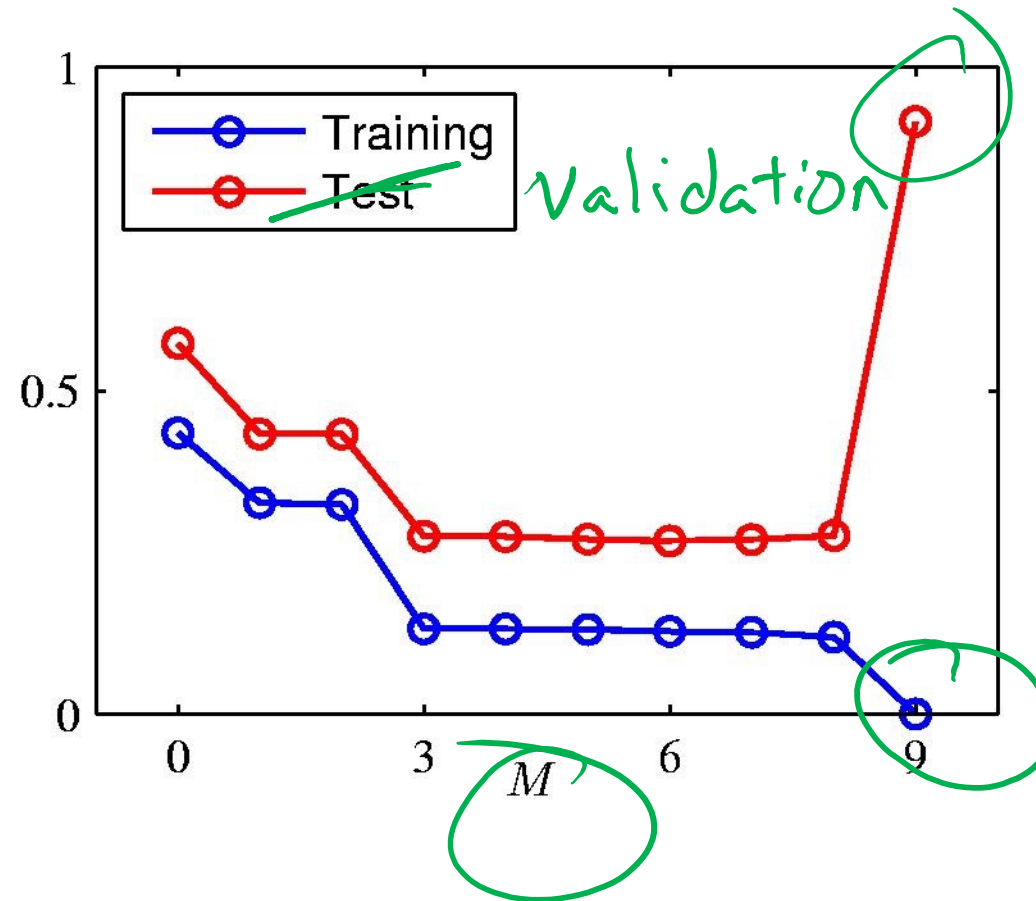
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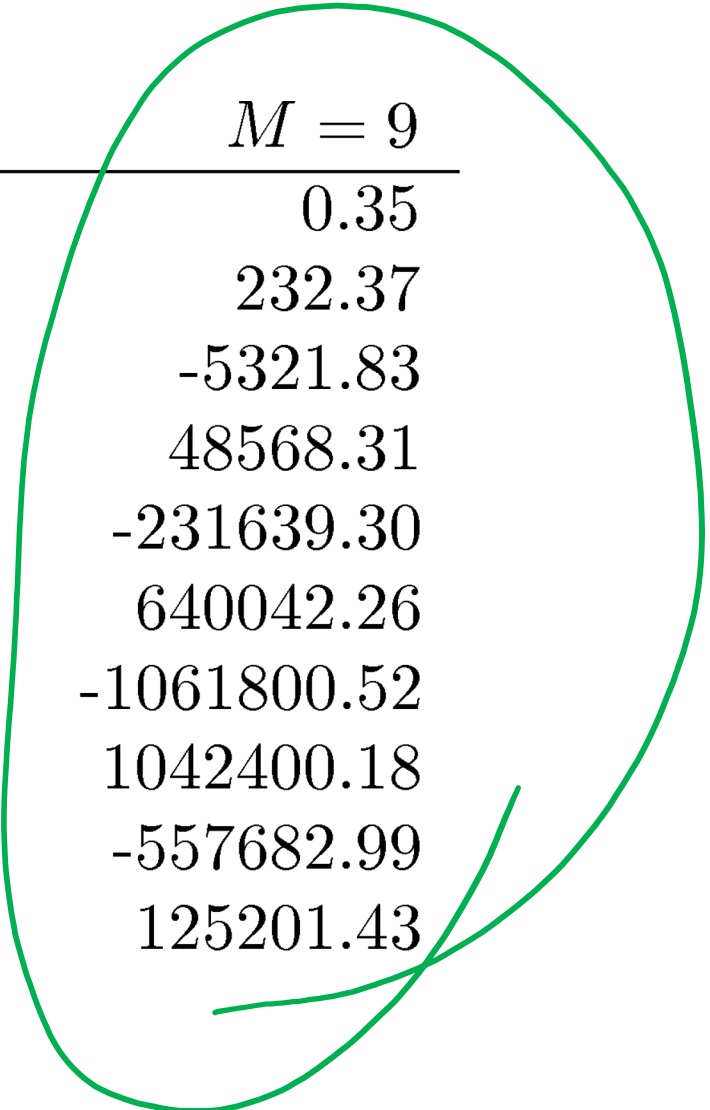


Over-fitting



Polynomial Coefficients

	$M = 0$	$M = 1$	$M = 3$	$M = 9$
θ_0	0.19	0.82	0.31	0.35
θ_1		-1.27	7.99	232.37
θ_2			-25.43	-5321.83
θ_3			17.37	48568.31
θ_4				-231639.30
θ_5				640042.26
θ_6				-1061800.52
θ_7				1042400.18
θ_8				-557682.99
θ_9				125201.43



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basis function

i	y	x	...	x^9
1	2.0	1.2	...	$(1.2)^9$
2	1.3	1.7	...	$(1.7)^9$
...	...	...	...	...
10	1.1	1.9	...	$(1.9)^9$



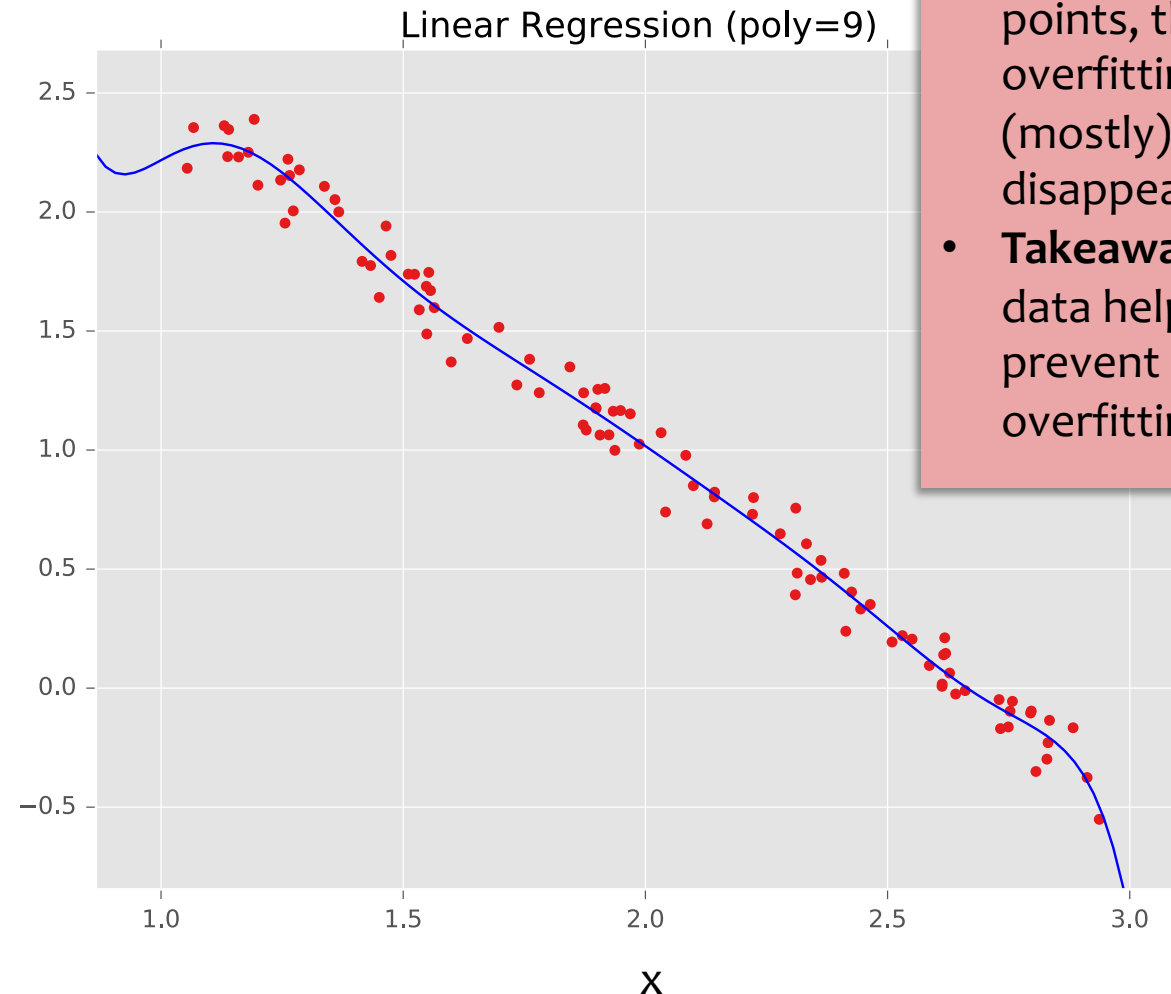
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...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	...
98	...	...	...	...
99	...	...	...	...
100	0.9	1.5	...	$(1.5)^9$

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How Do We Deal with Real-world Problems

Politician Voting Classification

<u>y</u>	<u>$\phi_1(x)$</u>	<u>$\phi_2(x)$</u>
0	1	0
1	1	1
1	0	1

<u>Party</u>	<u>vote₁</u>	<u>vote₂</u>
Dem	<u>yes</u>	<u>no</u>
Rep	<u>yes</u>	<u>yes</u>
Rep	<u>no</u>	<u>yes</u>

$\phi(\vec{x}_{\text{raw}}) \rightarrow \text{feature}$

How Do We Deal with Real-world Problems

SPAM Classification

$X = \{ \text{email body, subject, from} \}$

$\phi(x)$

$\begin{bmatrix} \phi_1(x) \\ \phi_2(x) \end{bmatrix}$ $\leftarrow$ # of all caps words
 $\phi_2(x)$ $\leftarrow$ 0/1 has my name at top

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Vocab

1 a
2 aardv
3 apple
...

How Do We Deal with Real-world Problems

Predicting Rating from Written Movie Review

$$x = \{ \text{text} \}$$

$$\phi(x) \in \mathbb{R}^m$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \phi_1(x) \\ \phi_2(x) \\ \vdots \\ \phi_m(x) \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \# \text{ times fantastic}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \hat{y} &= h(\vec{x}) \\ &= g(\vec{\theta}^T \vec{x}) \\ &\quad \downarrow \\ &= g(\vec{\theta}^T \phi(x)) \end{aligned}$$

How Do We Deal with Real-world Problems

Images: Handwritten Digits

$$\vec{x} \in \mathbb{R}^{784}$$

$$g(\vec{a}^T \vec{x})$$

$$\begin{bmatrix} \phi_1(\vec{x}) \\ \phi_2(\vec{x}) \\ \vdots \\ \phi_m(\vec{x}) \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \# \text{ holes}$$



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Images: Face Recognition



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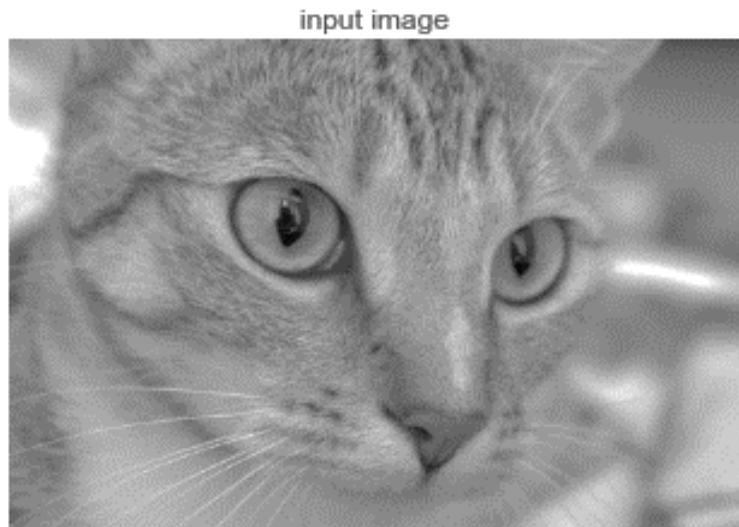


visualization of HOG features



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Preview: Neural Networks



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