First Steps in Machine Learning: Misfit Models and Fixes



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Part I: Introduction, Terminology, and the Machine Learning Process



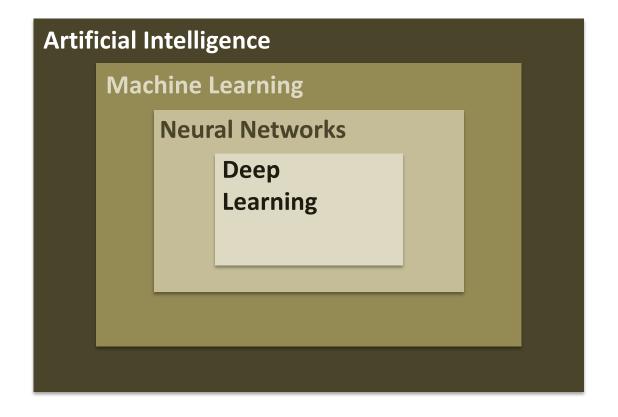
Audience Poll

What is your experience level with training and testing models in machine learning? (Choose one.)

- Well-versed
- Some familiarity
- Never ever

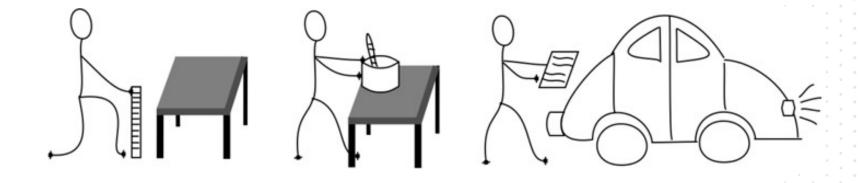


Terminology within Artificial Intelligence



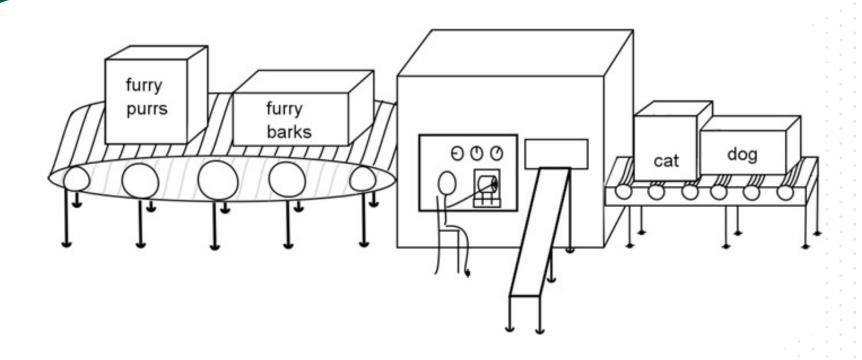


To Measure is Human



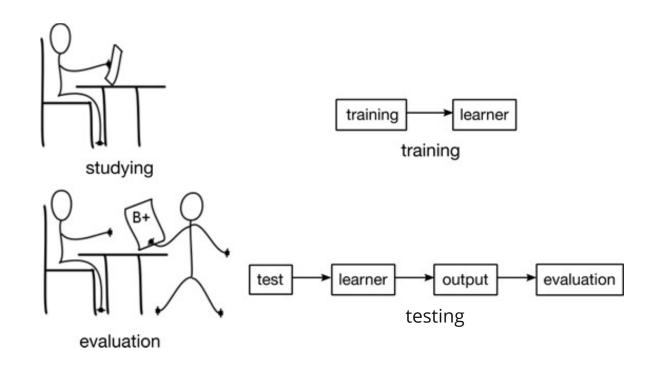


Training with Input Features and Output Targets



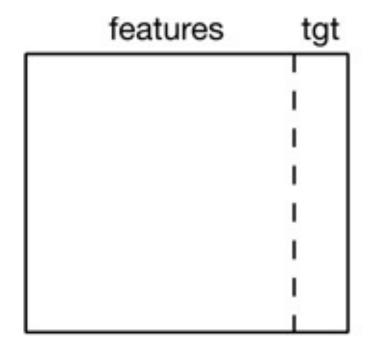


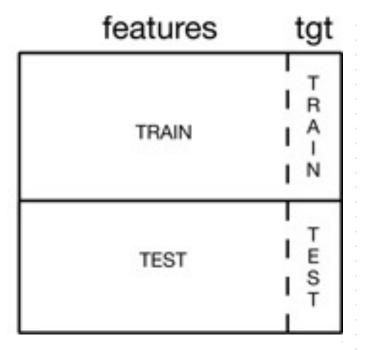
School Work: Training, Testing, and Evaluating





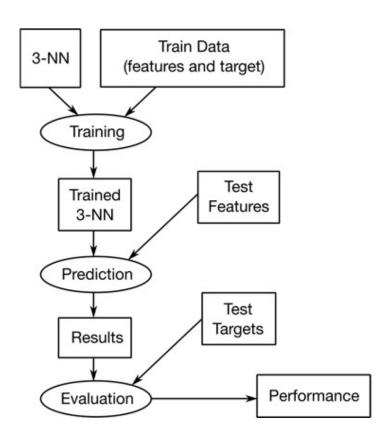
Training and Test Sets





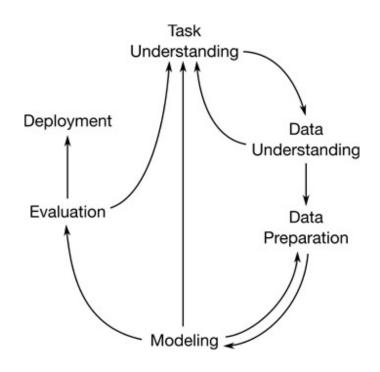


Training, Testing, and Evaluation for 3-Nearest Neighbor





A High-level View of Machine Learning





To the Code Demo!



Exercise Time



Part II: k-Nearest Neighbors and Decision Trees



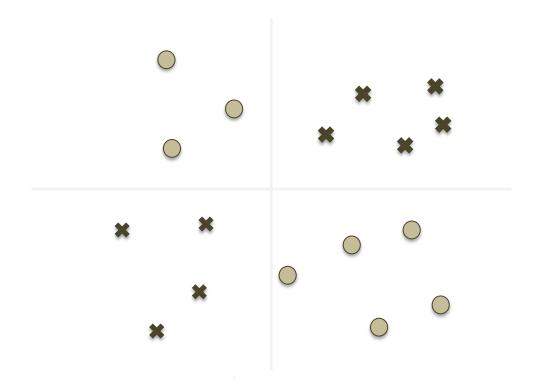
Audience Poll

What is your experience level with models like decision trees and nearest neighbors? (Choose one.)

- Well-versed
- Some familiarity
- Never ever

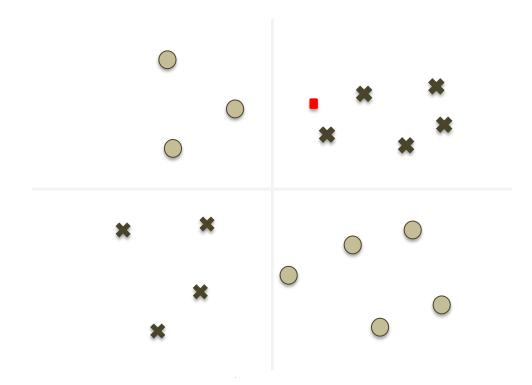


Simple Classification Data



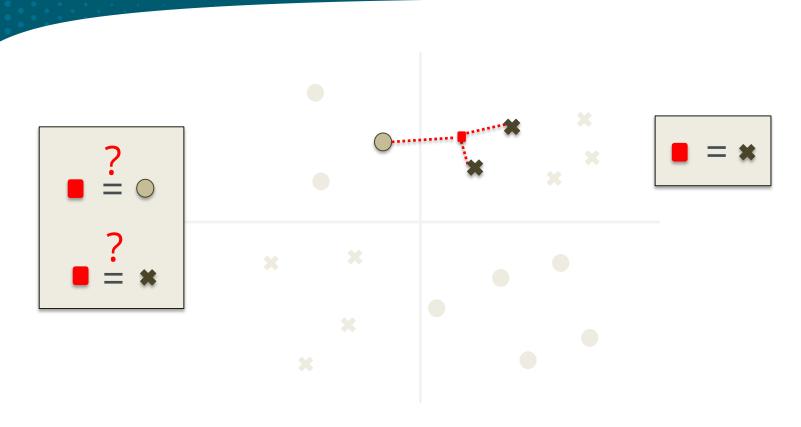


3-Nearest Neighbor (1 of 3)



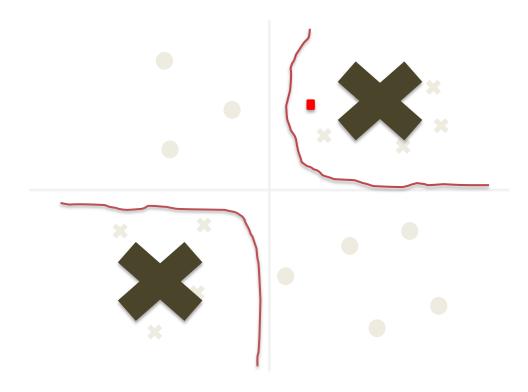


3-Nearest Neighbor (2 of 3)



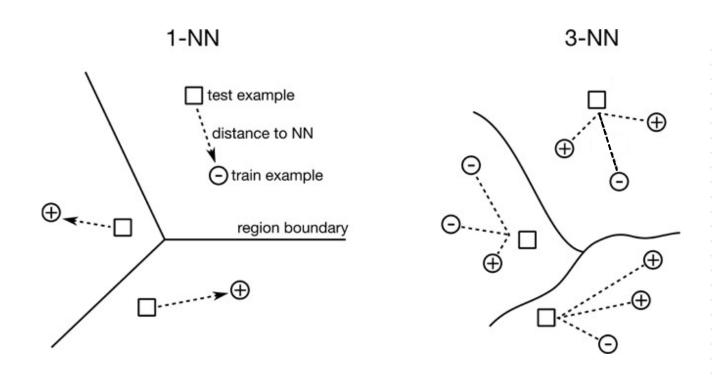


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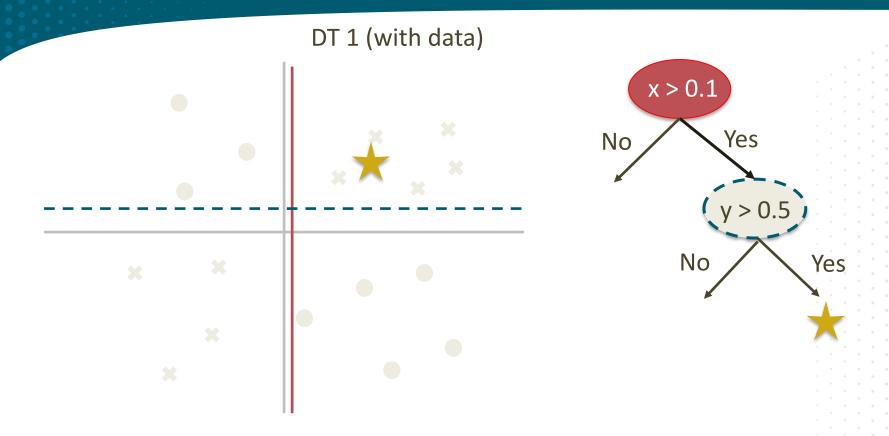


Memorization in k-Nearest Neighbors



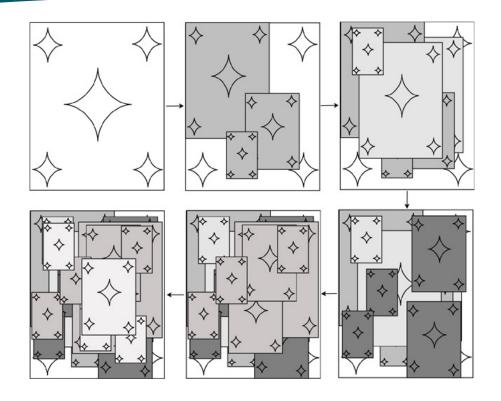


Decision Tree



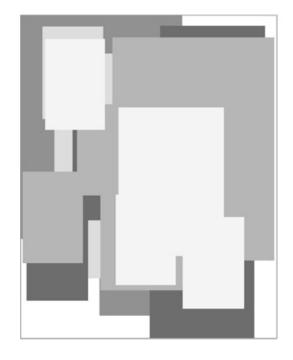


Overlapping Rectangles (1 of 2)





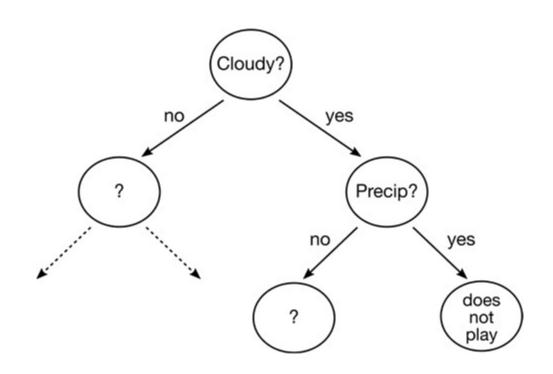
Overlapping Rectangles (2 of 2)



Class
1
2
3
4
5
6

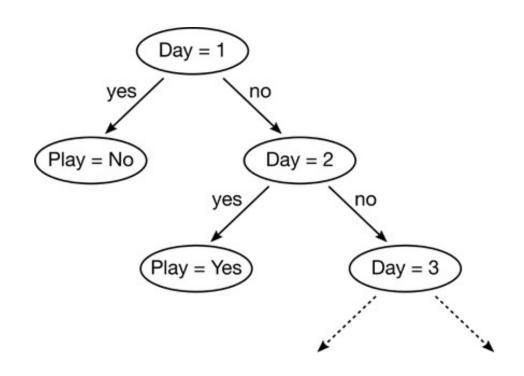


Decisions about Tennis





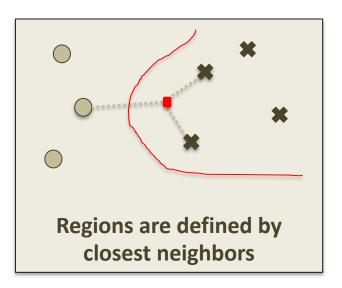
Memorization in Decision Trees



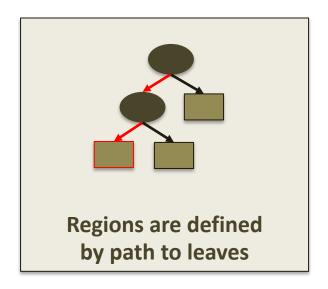


Defining Regions: k-Nearest Neighbor and Decision Trees

k-NN



Tree



Classification = majority vote Regression = measure of center



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Part III: Measuring Models with Cross-Validation and Fixing Misfits



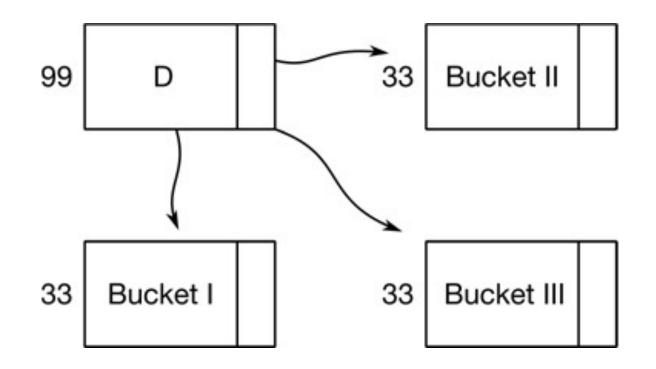
Audience Poll

What is your experience level with cross-validation and improving model performance? (Choose one.)

- Well-versed
- Some familiarity
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Cross-Validation Splits the Data





Setting Up Cross-Validation





Cross-Validation Setup (1 of 3)



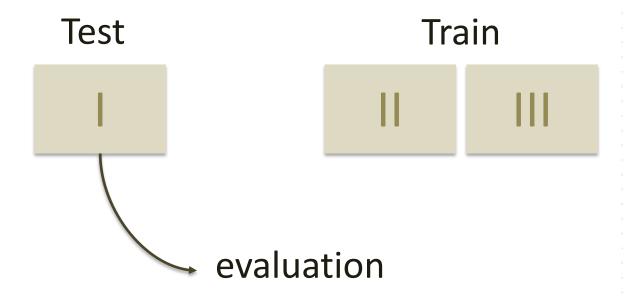


Cross-Validation Setup (2 of 3)



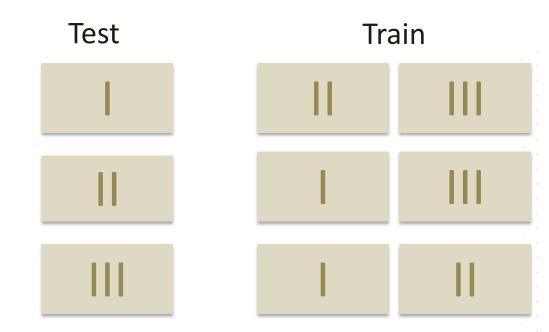


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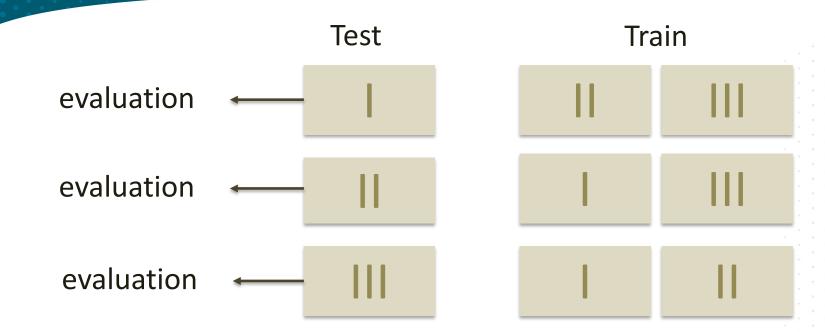


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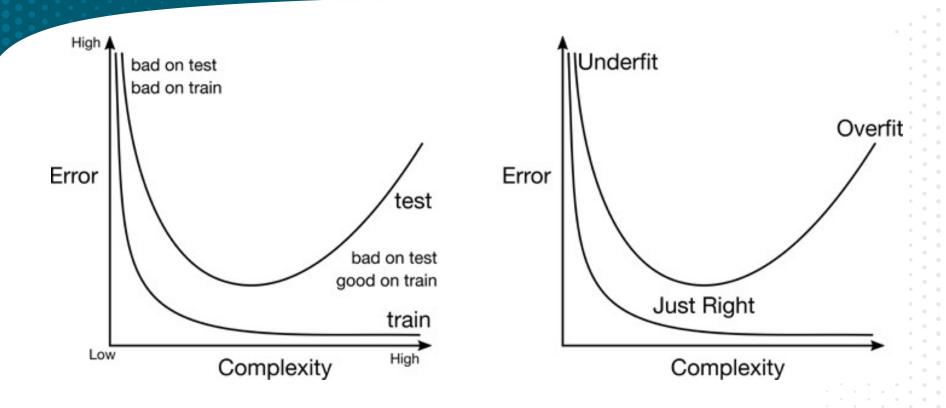


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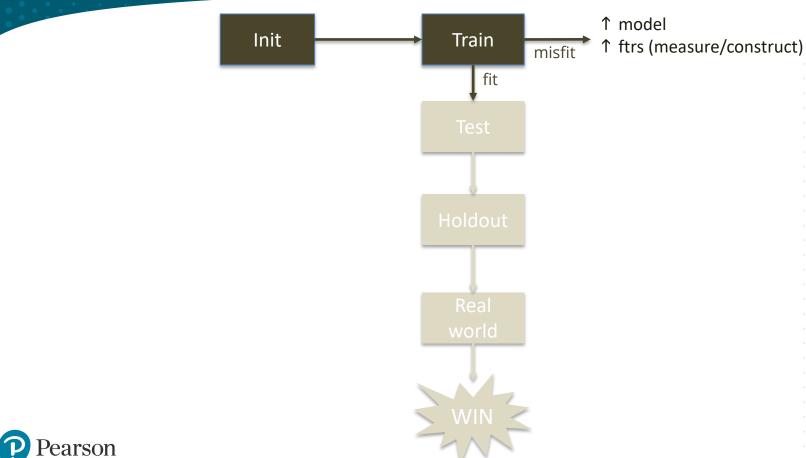


Overfitting and Underfitting



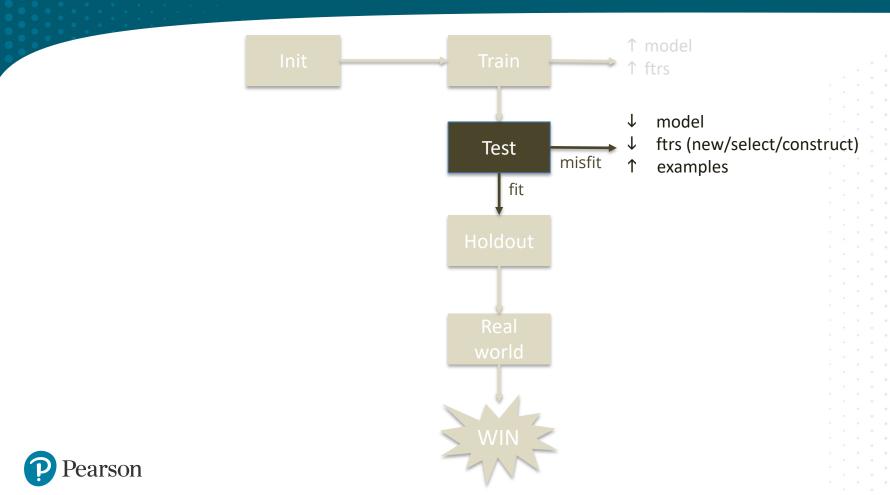


Fit and Misfits (1 of 4)

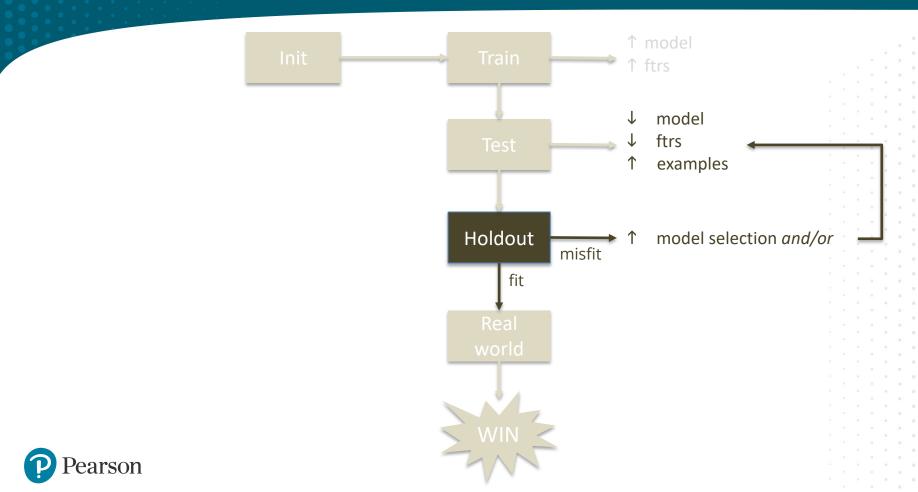




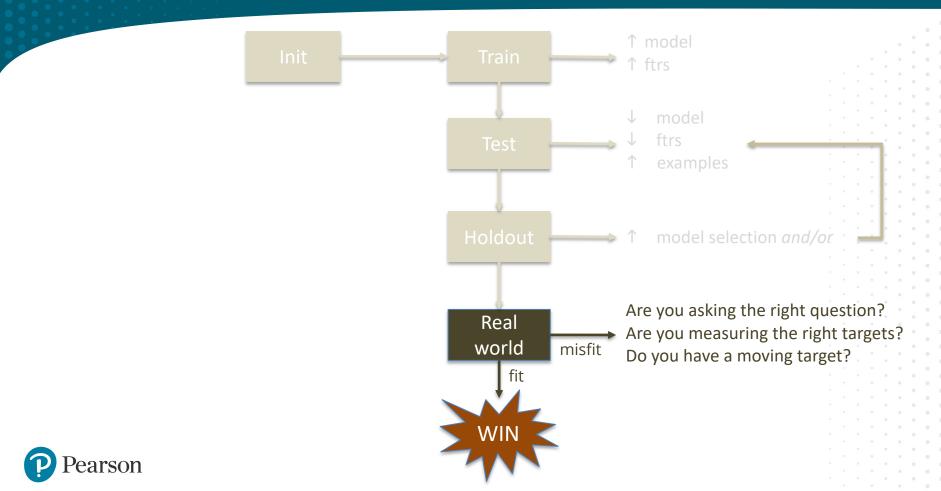
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Fit and Misfits (3 of 4)



Fit and Misfits (4 of 4)



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Review of Topics

- Machine learning terminology and process
- Training and testing
- k-Nearest neighbors and decision trees
- Cross-validation
- Overfitting and underfitting
- Fixing misfit models

