# Structured Linear Model

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#### **Problem 1: Evaluation**

What does F(x,y) look like?
 in a specific form



#### Problem 2: Inference

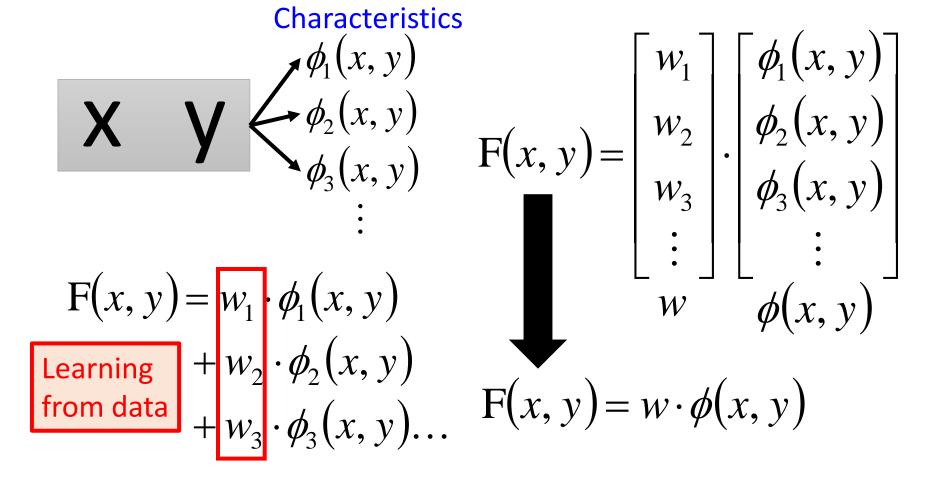
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$$y = \arg\max_{y \in Y} F(x, y)$$

#### Problem 3: Training

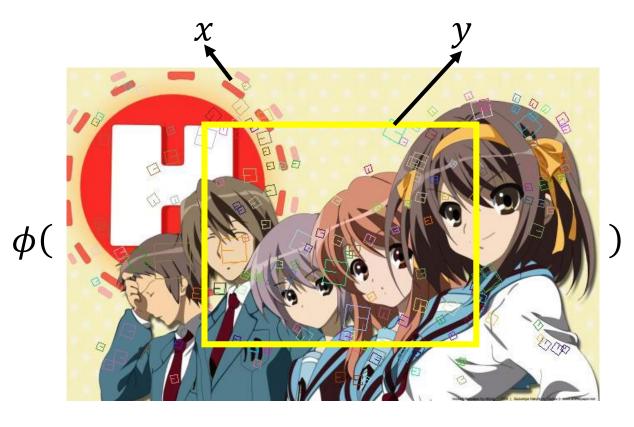
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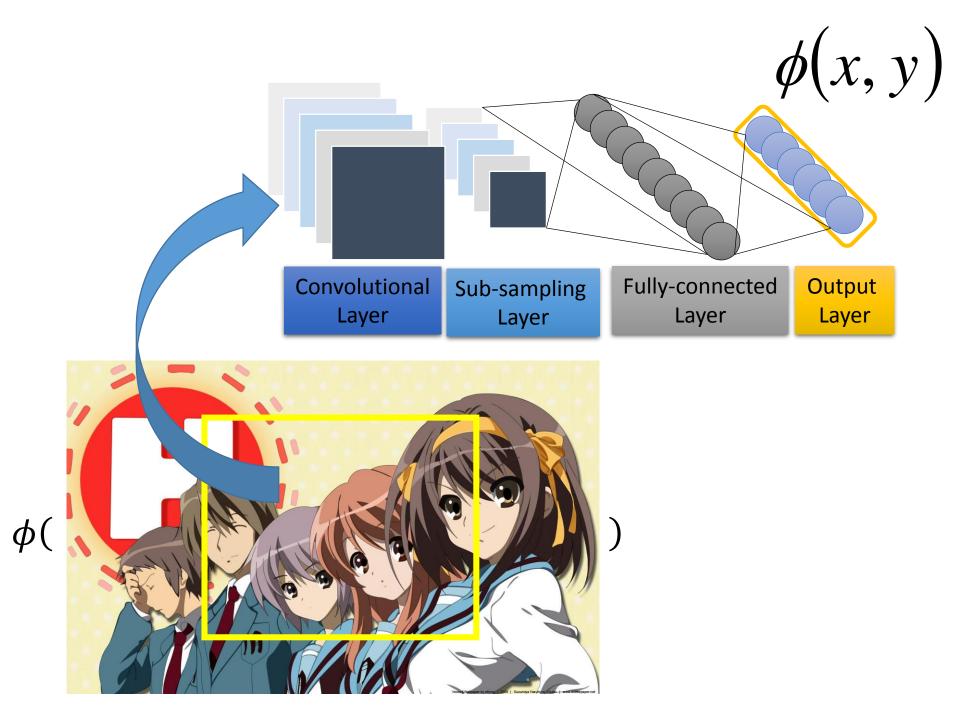
• Example: Object Detection



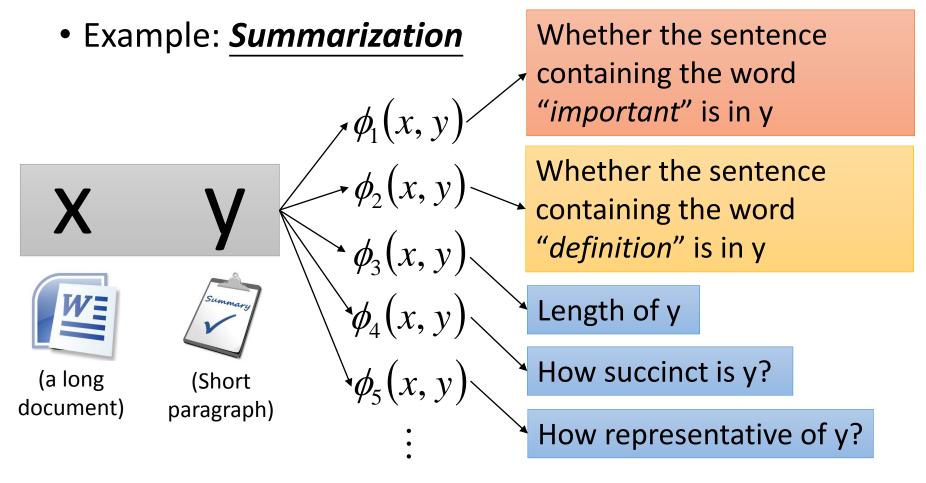
percentage of color red in box y
percentage of color green in box y
percentage of color blue in box y
percentage of color red out of box y

area of box y number of specific patterns in box y

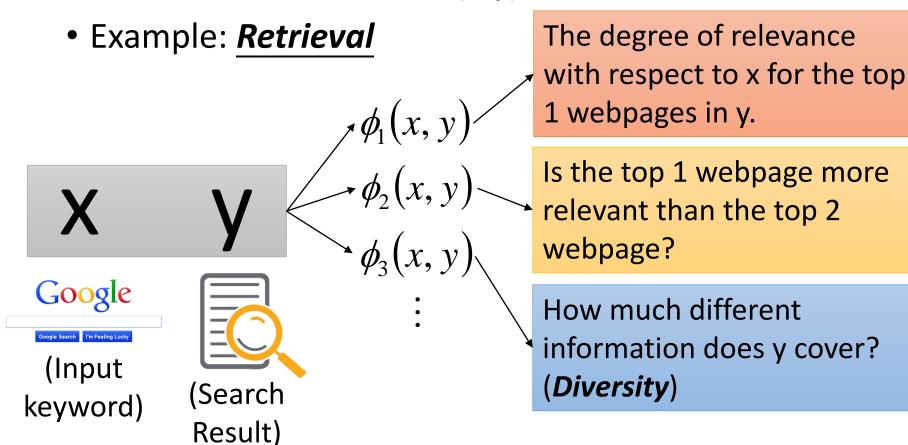
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Inference: How to solve the "arg max" problem

$$y = \arg\max_{y \in Y} F(x, y)$$

$$F(x, y) = w \cdot \phi(x, y) \Rightarrow y = \arg \max_{y \in Y} w \cdot \phi(x, y)$$

Assume we have solved this question.

- Training: Given training data, how to learn F(x,y)
  - $F(x,y) = w \cdot \phi(x,y)$ , so what we have to learn is w

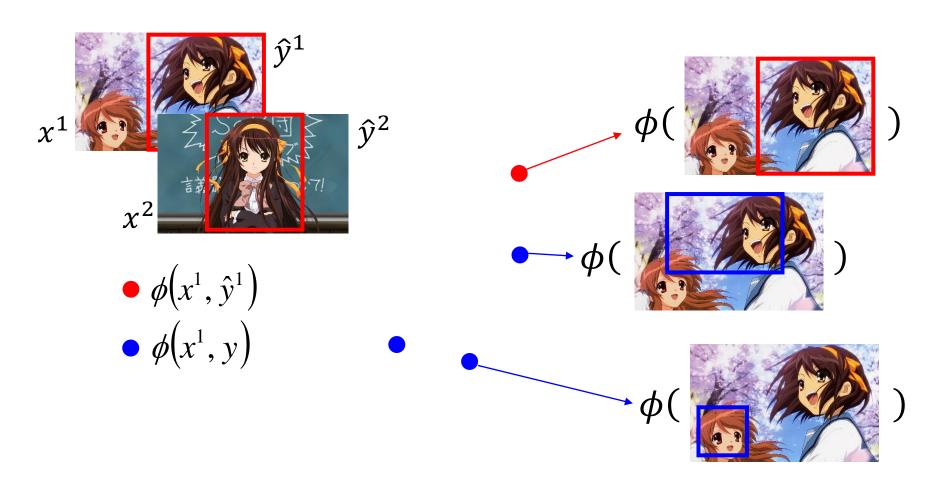
Training data: 
$$\{(x^1, \hat{y}^1), (x^2, \hat{y}^2), ..., (x^r, \hat{y}^r), ...\}$$

We should find w such that

$$\forall r \text{ (All training examples)}$$

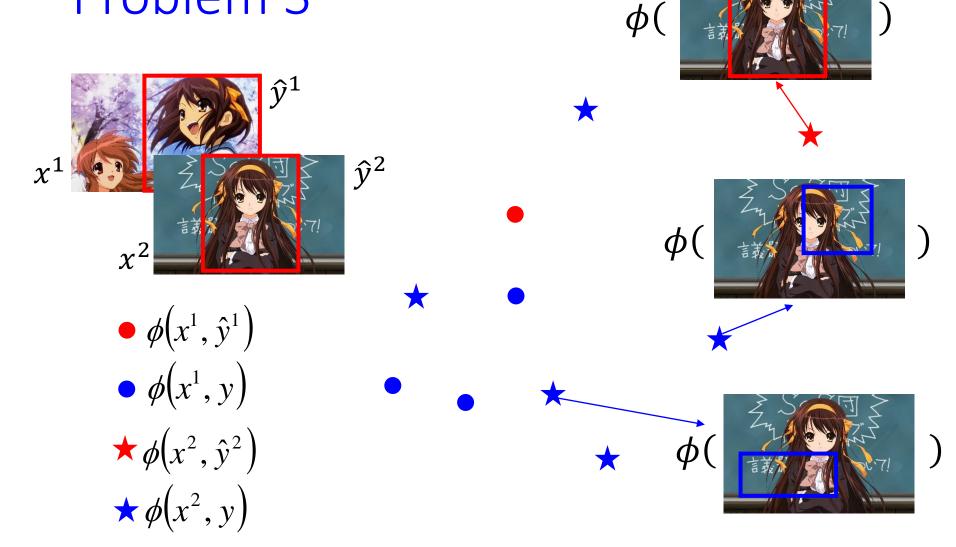
$$\forall y \in Y - \{\hat{y}^r\} \text{ (All incorrect label for r-th example)}$$

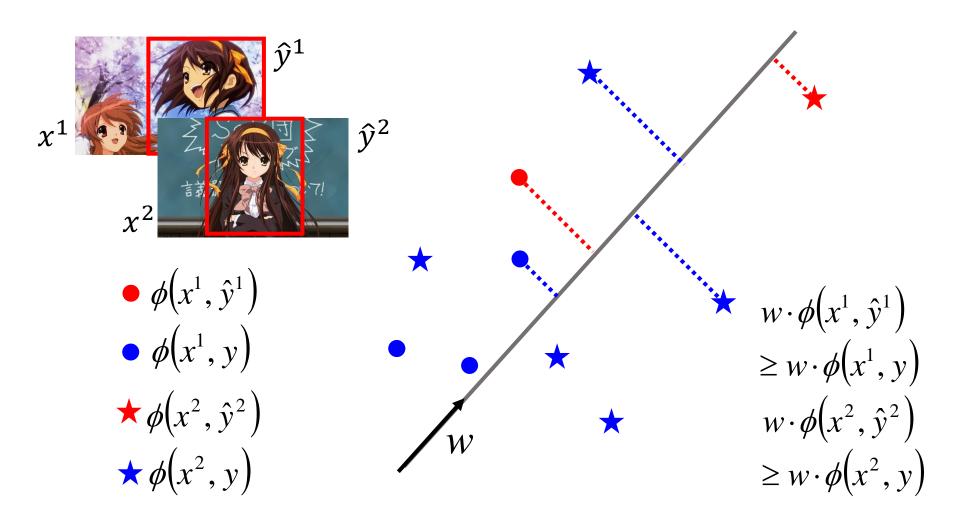
$$w \cdot \phi(x^r, \hat{y}^r) > w \cdot \phi(x^r, y)$$



## Structured Linear Model:

Problem 3





# Solution of Problem 3 Difficult?

Not as difficult as expected

## Algorithm

#### Will it terminate?

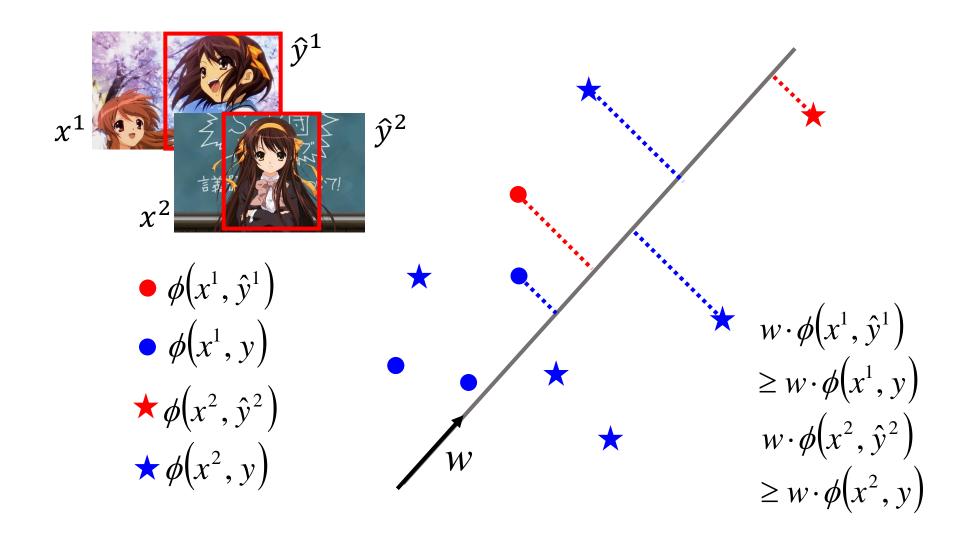
- **Input**: training data set  $\{(x^1, \hat{y}^1), (x^2, \hat{y}^2), ..., (x^r, \hat{y}^r), ...\}$
- Output: weight vector w
- Algorithm: Initialize w = 0
  - do
    - For each pair of training example  $(x^r, \hat{y}^r)$ 
      - Find the label  $\tilde{y}^r$  maximizing  $w \cdot \phi(x^r, y)$

$$\tilde{y}^r = \arg\max_{y \in Y} w \cdot \phi(x^r, y)$$
 (question 2)

• If  $\tilde{y}^r \neq \hat{y}^r$ , update w

$$w \to w + \phi(x^r, \hat{y}^r) - \phi(x^r, \tilde{y}^r)$$

until w is not updated
 We are done!



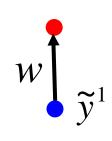
Initialize w = 0

$$\mathsf{pick}\left(x^1, \hat{y}^1\right)$$

$$\widetilde{y}^1 = \arg\max_{y \in Y} w \cdot \phi(x^1, y)$$

If  $\tilde{y}^1 \neq \hat{y}^1$ , update w

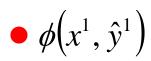
$$y' \neq y'$$
, update w
$$w \to w + \phi(x^1, \hat{y}^1) - \phi(x^1, \tilde{y}^1)$$



Because w=0 at this time,  $\phi(x^1, y)$  always 0



Random pick one point as  $\tilde{y}^r$ 



$$\bullet \phi(x^1, y)$$

$$\star \phi(x^2, \hat{y}^2)$$

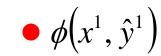
$$\star \phi(x^2, y)$$

$$\operatorname{pick}\left(x^{2}, \hat{y}^{2}\right)$$

$$\tilde{y}^2 = \arg\max_{y \in Y} w \cdot \phi(x^2, y)$$

If  $\tilde{y}^2 \neq \hat{y}^2$ , update w

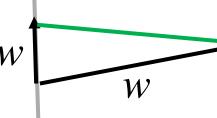
$$w \rightarrow w + \phi(x^2, \hat{y}^2) - \phi(x^2, \tilde{y}^2)$$



$$\bullet \phi(x^1, y)$$

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pick 
$$(x^1, \hat{y}^1)$$
 again

$$\tilde{y}^1 = \arg\max_{y \in Y} w \cdot \phi(x^1, y)$$

$$\tilde{y}^1 = \hat{y}^1$$
 do not update w

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$$\bullet \phi(x^1, \hat{y}^1)$$

$$\bullet \phi(x^1, y)$$

$$\star \phi(x^2, \hat{y}^2)$$

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$$w \cdot \phi(x^1, \hat{y}^1)$$

$$\geq w \cdot \phi(x^1, y)$$

$$w \cdot \phi(x^2, \hat{y}^2)$$

$$\geq w \cdot \phi(x^2, y)$$

So we are done

## Assumption: Separable

• There exists a weight vector  $\widehat{w}$   $\|\widehat{w}\| = 1$ 

 $\forall r$  (All training examples)

 $\forall y \in Y - \{\hat{y}^r\}$  (All incorrect label for an example)

$$\hat{w} \cdot \phi(x^r, \hat{y}^r) \ge \hat{w} \cdot \phi(x^r, y) \text{ (The target exists)}$$

$$\hat{w} \cdot \phi(x^r, \hat{y}^r) \ge \hat{w} \cdot \phi(x^r, y) + \delta$$

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$$\bullet \phi(x^1, y)$$

$$\star \phi(x^2, \hat{y}^2)$$

$$\star \phi(x^2, y)$$

$$\cdots$$

$$w^*$$

w is updated once it sees a mistake

$$w^{0} = 0 \rightarrow w^{1} \rightarrow w^{2} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow w^{k} \rightarrow w^{k+1} \rightarrow \dots$$

$$w^{k} = w^{k-1} + \phi(x^{n}, \hat{y}^{n}) - \phi(x^{n}, \tilde{y}^{n}) \text{ (the relation of } w^{k} \text{ and } w^{k-1})$$

Proof that: The angle  $\rho_k$  between  $\hat{W}$  and  $w_k$  is smaller as k increases

Analysis  $\cos \rho_k$  (larger and larger?)  $\cos \rho_k = \frac{\|\hat{w} - w^*\|}{\|\hat{w}\| \cdot \|w^k\|}$ 

$$\hat{w} \cdot w^{k} = \hat{w} \cdot \left( w^{k-1} + \phi(x^{n}, \hat{y}^{n}) - \phi(x^{n}, \tilde{y}^{n}) \right)$$

$$= \hat{w} \cdot w^{k-1} + \hat{w} \cdot \phi(x^{n}, \hat{y}^{n}) - \hat{w} \cdot \phi(x^{n}, \tilde{y}^{n}) \ge \hat{w} \cdot w^{k-1} + \delta$$

$$\ge \delta \text{ (Separable)}$$

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$$\cos \rho_{k} = \frac{\hat{w}}{\|\hat{w}\|} \cdot \frac{w^{k}}{\|w^{k}\|} \qquad w^{k} = w^{k-1} + \phi(x^{n}, \hat{y}^{n}) - \phi(x^{n}, \tilde{y}^{n})$$

$$\|w^{k}\|^{2} = \|w^{k-1} + \phi(x^{n}, \hat{y}^{n}) - \phi(x^{n}, \tilde{y}^{n})\|^{2}$$

$$= \left\| w^{k-1} \right\|^2 + \left\| \underline{\phi(x^n, \hat{y}^n)} - \underline{\phi(x^n, \hat{y}^n)} \right\|^2 + \underline{2w^{k-1} \cdot \left(\underline{\phi(x^n, \hat{y}^n)} - \underline{\phi(x^n, \hat{y}^n)} \right)} \right\|^2$$

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Assume the distance between any two feature vector is smaller than R

$$\leq \left\| w^{k-1} \right\| + \mathbf{R}^2$$

$$\|w^1\|^2 \le \|w^0\|^2 + R^2 = R^2$$

$$\|w^2\|^2 \le \|w^1\|^2 + R^2 \le 2R^2$$

$$\dots$$

$$\|w^k\|^2 \le kR^2$$

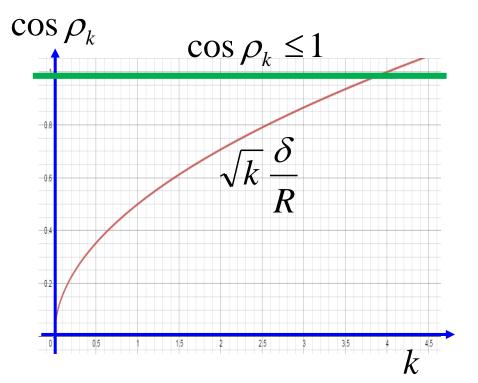
$$\cos \rho_{k} = \frac{\hat{w}}{\|\hat{w}\|} \cdot \frac{w^{k}}{\|w^{k}\|} \qquad \hat{w} \cdot w^{k} \ge k\delta \qquad \|w^{k}\|^{2} \le kR^{2}$$

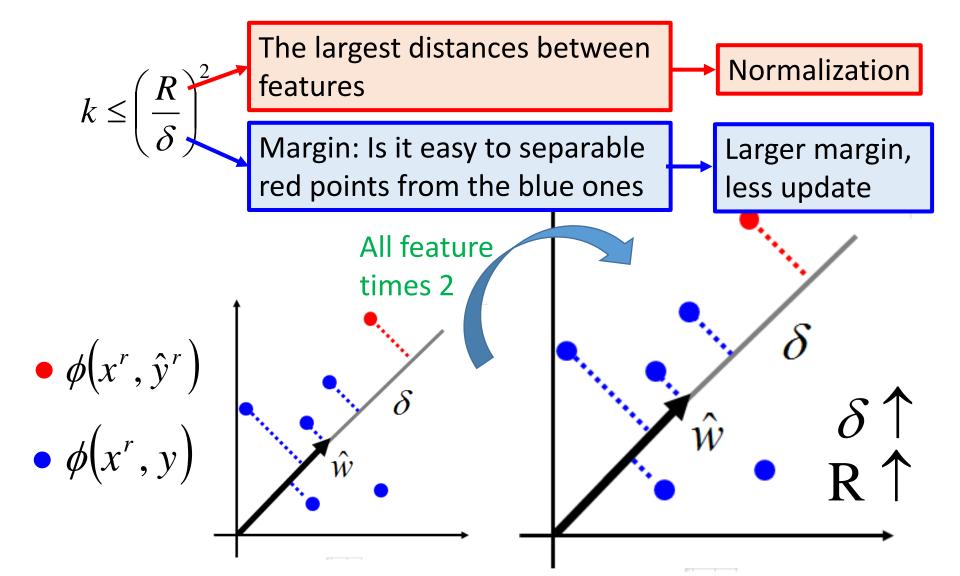
$$\ge \frac{k\delta}{\sqrt{kR^{2}}} = \sqrt{k} \frac{\delta}{R} \qquad \cos \rho_{k} \qquad \cos \rho_{k} \le 1$$

$$\sqrt{k} \frac{\delta}{R} \le 1 \qquad \sqrt{k} \frac{\delta}{R}$$

$$k \le \left(\frac{R}{\delta}\right)^{2}$$

$$\geq k\delta \qquad \left\| w^k \right\|^2 \leq kR^2$$





# Structured Linear Model: Reduce 3 Problems to 2

#### **Problem 1: Evaluation**

How to define F(x,y)

#### Problem 2: Inference

 How to find the y with the largest F(x,y)

#### **Problem 3: Training**

How to learn F(x,y)

 $F(x,y)=w\cdot \varphi(x,y)$ 

#### Problem A: Feature

How to define φ(x,y)

#### Problem B: Inference

 How to find the y with the largest w·φ(x,y)