

Last lecture

Minimum mean square error estimation (Ch 4.9)

- Recap
 - Constant estimators
 - Unconstrained estimators
 - Linear estimators
- Examples

Joint Gaussian Distribution (Ch 4.11)

- Motivation
- Facts
- Examples

Agenda

- Law of Large Numbers and Central Limit Theorem ([Ch 4.10](#))
 - Equations
 - Examples
- Expectation Maximization (Not tested)
 - Motivation
 - Application
 - Intuition
 - Algorithm
 - Visualization

Equations – Law of Large Numbers

$X_1 \dots X_N$ are uncorrelated, and $\mu_{X_k} = \mu$ and $\sigma_{X_k}^2 \leq C$

- Let $S_n = \sum_1^n X_n$, we have $P \left\{ \left| \frac{S_n}{n} - \mu \right| \geq \delta \right\} \leq \frac{C}{n\delta^2}$ for any δ
- Prove by Chebyshev

Example

$X_1 \dots X_{100}$ are RVs with $\mu = 5$ and $\sigma^2 = 1$. $S_n = \sum_1^n X_n$

- Assume $|\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j)| \leq 0.1$ if $i = j \pm 1$
- $\text{Cov}(X_i, X_j) = 0$ if $|i - j| \geq 2$
- Show $\text{Var}(S_{100}) < 120$
- Find upper bound of $P\left(\left|\frac{S_{100}}{100} - 5\right| \geq 0.5\right)$

Equations – Central Limit Theorem

$X_1 \dots X_N$ independent, identically distributed (i.i.d.) RVs

- Let $S_n = \sum_1^n X_n$, we have $\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} P \left\{ \frac{S_n - n\mu}{\sqrt{n\sigma^2}} \leq c \right\} = \Phi(c)$ for any c
- For examples, refer to Gaussian approximation

Final Review Survey

- Open text
- April 30 (Thur)
 - Final Remarks
 - Review on topics before midterm II
- May 5 (Tue)
 - Review on topics after midterm II
- May 7 (Tue)
 - Reading day, no class



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**All the rest of this lecture
will not be in the exam**

Expectation Maximization

Motivation

- In many cases, we will face a “ ” problem
- Example
 - Given location of many bees x_i , estimate their bee hive location θ
 - If $x_i \sim N(\theta, \sigma^2)$
 - What if they belong to two hives?
- We need to classify/ separate signals to estimate their parameter
- The estimated parameter can help classify the signals

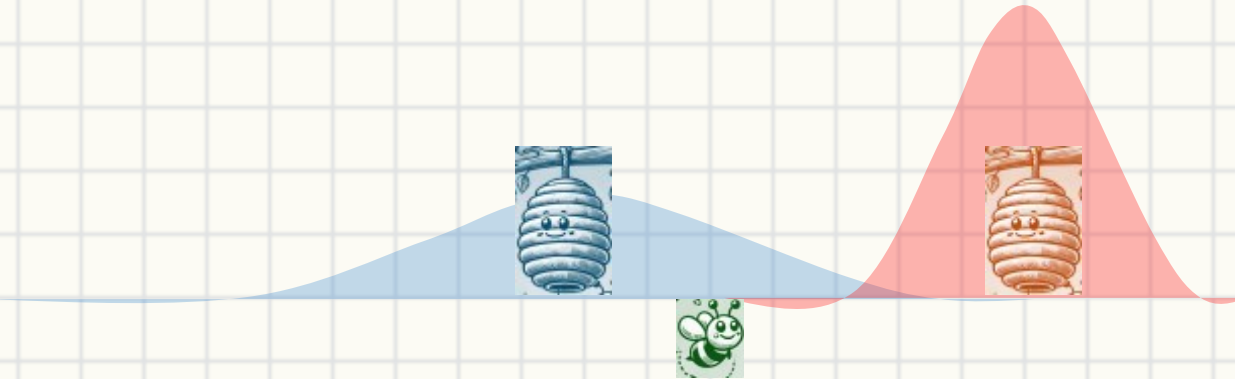
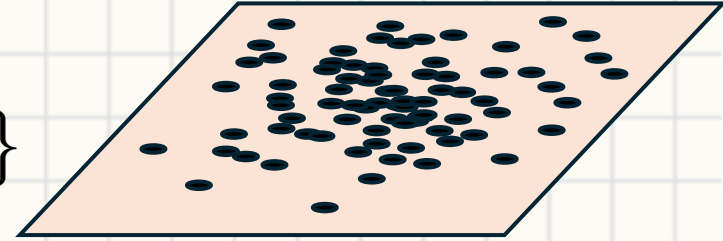
Application

- Unsupervised learning
- Speech recognition
 - Align speech segment to transcriptions
- Image segmentation
- Customer segmentation

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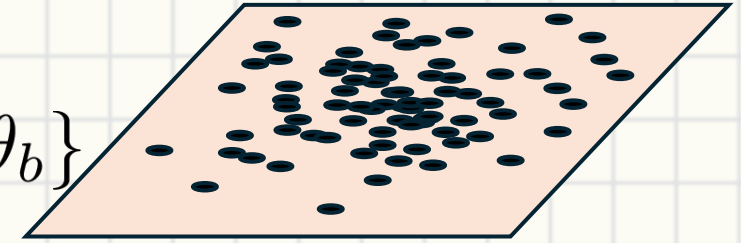
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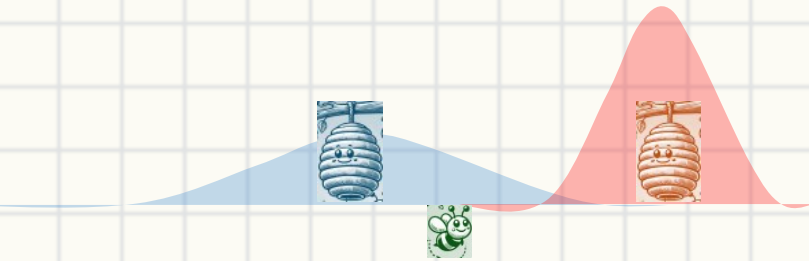
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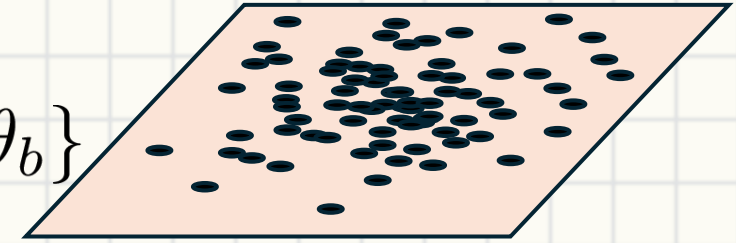
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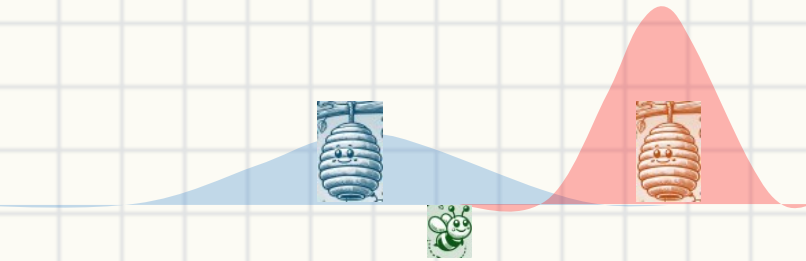


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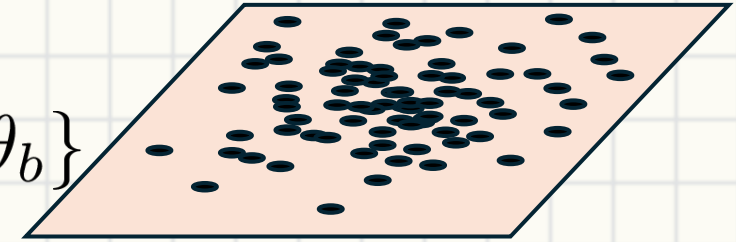
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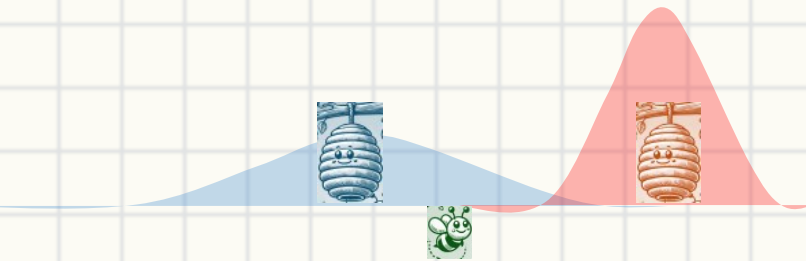
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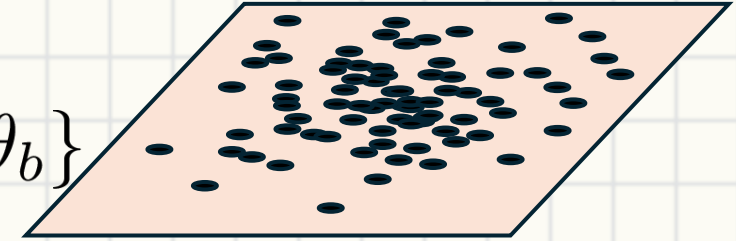
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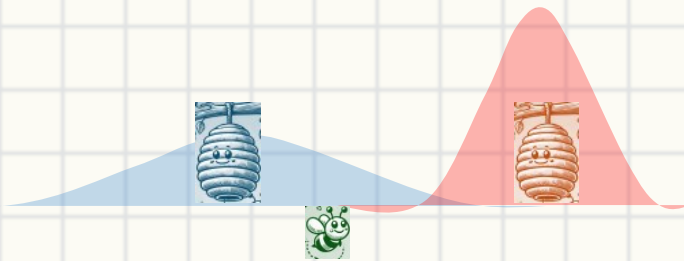


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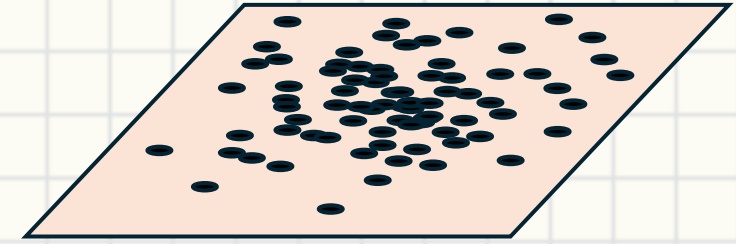
That's our first "chicken"!

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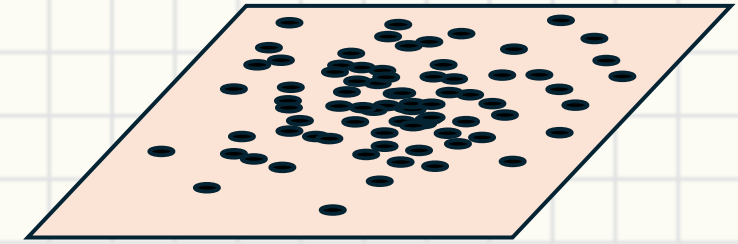
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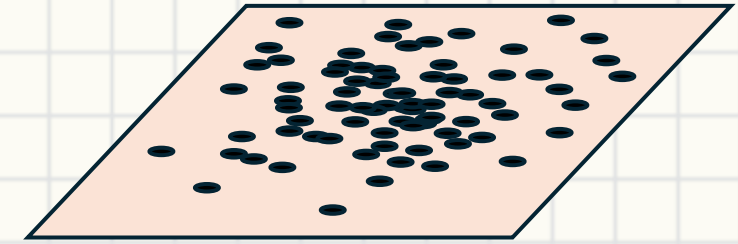
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5. Maximize expected likelihood to get new θ

6. Return to step #1 until convergence

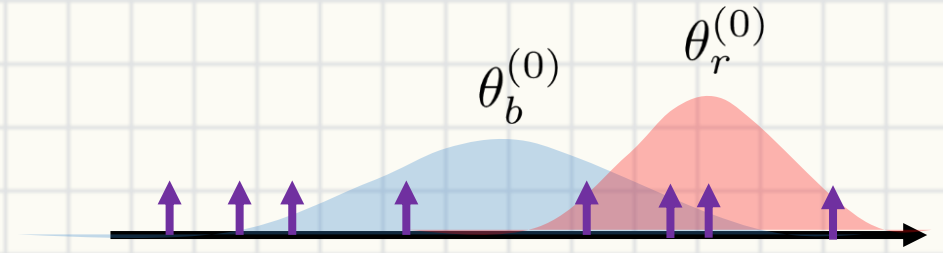
7. Return θ^*

Visualization

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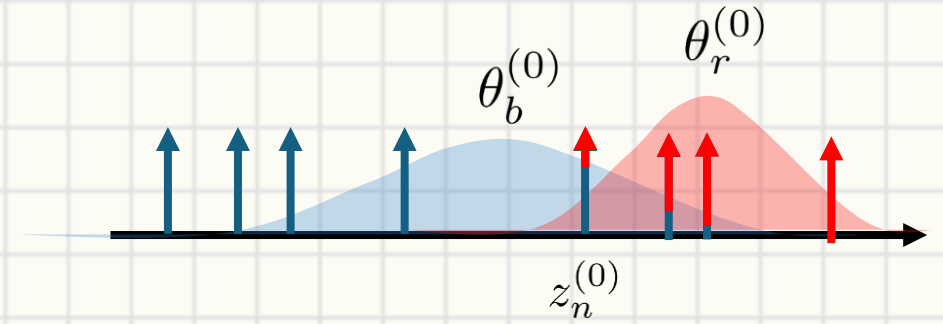


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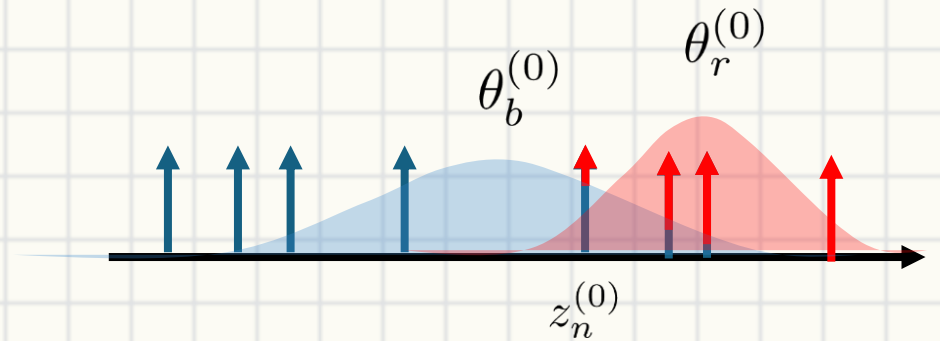
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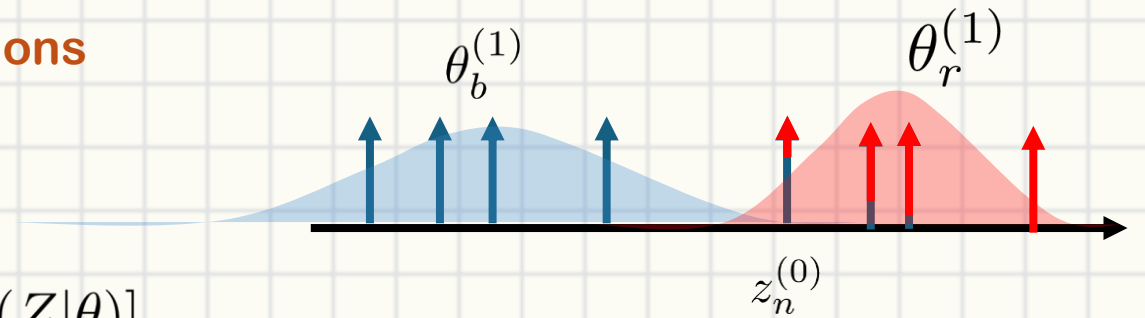
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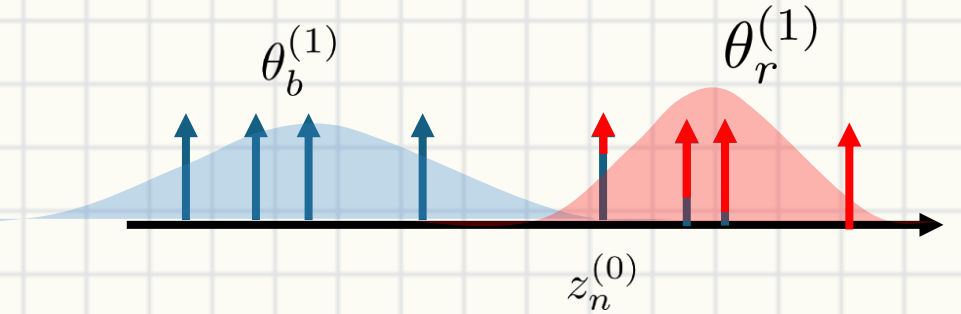


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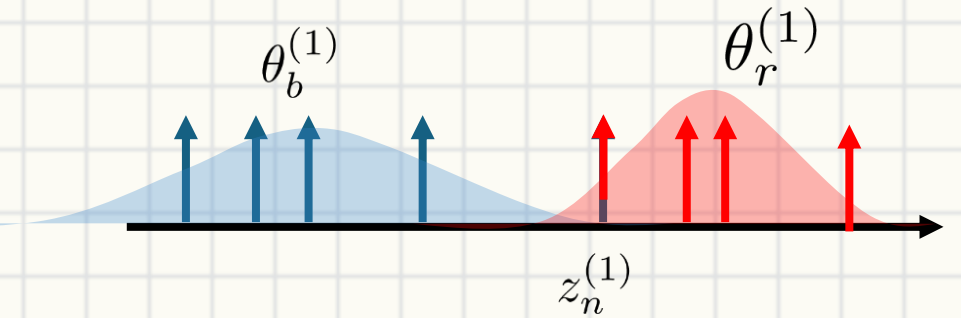
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