

Supervised Learning, Neural Networks and Applied Computer Vision- Day 1

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- However, on the flight date, he discovered that many passengers who bought their tickets recently (few days before the flight) actually paid considerably less than him

- Oren Etzioni is a computer scientist
- The previous story raised a big question for him: He wanted to figure out a way for people to know if a ticket price they see online is a good deal or not?

 Remember that the tickets prices vary wildly, and perhaps only airlines know the factors that influence the prices of the tickets

 He decided that he doesn't need to know what factors cause an increase or decrease in the prices of the airline tickets. All he needed to know is if a ticket price they see online is a good deal or not?

- The question raised by Etzioni: if a ticket price you see online is a good deal or not? is technically called a supervised binary classification problem
- Classification problems are well known and common in Al and machine Learning

- Notice that the problem has been narrowed down to simple question (buy or not buy)
- Very well defined problem

- Oren Etzioni managed to scrape data from the web (travel agents) for 12,000 price observations over a period of 41 days
- A predictive model was then built using the above dataset
- The results showed good savings for the 'simulated passengers'

- Notice that the model built by Etzioni had no understanding of why the prices are up or down
- And it didn't care about the various input parameters (variables), e.g. unsold seats, seasonality
- All the model is doing is inform passengers to 'buy or not to buy'

- This simple project evolved into a successful startup and was called Farecast
- The solution was developed into a system capable of making prediction based on every seat on every flight for most routes in the US
- The amount of data used by Farecast now uses more than 200 billion flight-price records to make its prediction

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- The question is what was the most critical factor/s for this success? (data, problem, tools, methods, machine learning, etc.)

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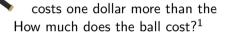
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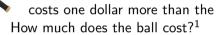
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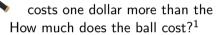


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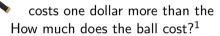


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Three main related reasons that drive the urgent need for AI and ML-driven solutions:

- 1 Exponential increase in data
- 2 Significant progress in AI, Machine Learning and Deep Learning
- **3** Technology readiness (hardware, sensors, loT/ software, etc)

Recommended Reading

Jonny Holmström, From AI to digital transformation: The AI readiness framework, Business Horizons, Volume 65, Issue 3, 2022, Pages 329-339, ISSN 0007-6813, https://doi.org/10.1016/j.bushor.2021.03.006

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Global Datasphere will grow from 33 Zettabytes (ZB) in 2018 to 175 ZB by 2025 (IDC White Paper), (ZB = Billion TB) 2

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Significant progress in Al Algorithms

- Regression (Linear/ Logistic)
- Random Forest
- Kernel Methods (SVM)
- Gradient Boosting
- . .
- 179 ML algorithm ³
- Deep Learning

Common tasks in Industry

- Regression
- Classification
- Prediction / Forecasting

³Fernandez-Delgado, M., Cernadas, E., Barro, S., & Amorim, D. (2014). Do we need hundreds of classifiers to solve real world classification problems?. The Journal of Machine Learning Research, 15(1), 3133-3181.

- The cloud (Google Colab)
- Cloud (AWS)
- GPU enabled machines
- Cheap sensors
- Super Computers (GPUs)



DGX 1: 1.3 Billion image per day

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 University? Predict student's final grade in Physics. All is needed a collection of
 data related to previous students (e.g. age, gender, residence, number of
 checkpoints crossed, ..., final grade

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Motivation

- To achieve faster, more accurate, safer practices,
- Overcome humans cognitive bias by relying on data-driven and Al-based solutions

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• Regression: estimating the numerical value of a measurement (attribute), based on the history of values assigned to this attribute and other affecting measurements (Estimating the house price based on the values of prices recorded in the previous month, along with the features of each house e.g., area, location, and number of bedrooms)

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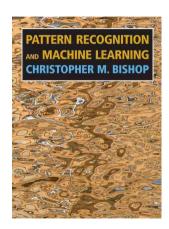
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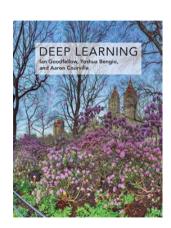
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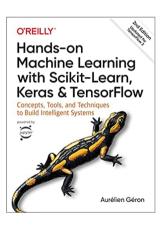
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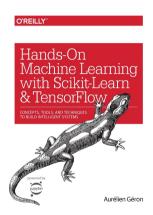
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 Very practical and applied resource for hands-on and applied machine learning and Deep Learning



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Available online



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- Excellent balance between theory and practice



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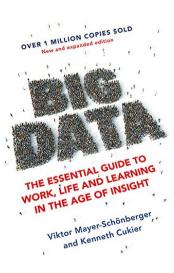
- Deep Learning Specialization (Andrew Ng)⁵
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Recommended Readings - Books

- Highly recommended read
- Gentle and non-technical introduction to the power of using data in the decision making process and how machine learning was applied to successfully to various real-world scenarios



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Problem Definition

A company is investing in advertising in *TV*, *Newspaper* and *Radio*. The company, is trying to understand the relation between the investments in these areas and the total sales, . . .

Data

TV	Radio	Newspaper	Sales
191.10	28.70	18.20	17.30
286.00	13.90	3.70	15.90
18.70	12.10	23.40	6.70
39.50	41.10	5.80	10.80
75.50	10.80	6.00	9.90
166.80	42.00	3.60	19.60
38.20	3.70	13.80	7.60
94.20	4.90	8.10	9.70
177.00	9.30	6.40	12.80
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How much increase in Sales units if spending a certain amount of money in TV, Radio, and Newspaper ads?

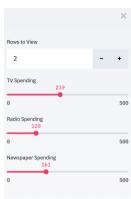
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Use the sidebar controls to change the spending values on TV, Radio, and Newspaper Advertising, and also to control how many rows of the dataframe you want to show.

Explore the Dataset

List of 2 Records from Data Frame df

	TV	Radio	Newspaper	Sales
Θ	230.1000	37.8000	69.2000	22.1000
1	44.5000	39.3000	45.1000	10.4000

The Data Frame has 200 Rows, and 4 Columns

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Make Prediction

Spending 219 units on **TV**, 120 units on **Radio**, and 161 on **Newspaper** Advertising, will generate increase in sales by 35.418 units

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Spending 125 units on **TV**, 411 units on **Radio**, and 390 on **Newspaper** Advertising, will generate increase in sales by 85.741 units

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Chose Your Model

- Linear/ Logistic Regressioin
- K Nearest Neighbor (KNN)
- Ensemble Methods (i.e Random Forest, Gradient Boosting, Extreme Gradient Boosting, etc...)
- Kernel Methods (i.e. SVM)
- Neural Network
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Regression

Regression analysis is one of the most important fields in statistics. There are many regression methods available. Linear Regression is one of the simplest models.

Linear Regression

Linear regression is a supervised learning technique, where we construct a linear model to capture the relation between a response variable and a set of independent variables (predictors). In our example about the Advertising company:

- Y dependent (response) variable is the Sales
- X_j independent (predictor, explanatory) variables (spendings on TV, Radio and Newspaper Ads)

Linear Regression

Simple linear regression can be applied when we want to model the response variable, Y, in terms of a single predictor variable, X, when we have n pairs of observations: $(X_1, Y_1), \ldots, (X_n, Y_n)$

Questions to answer

- Is X associated with Y?
- What is the strength of any linear association between X and Y?
- What is the nature of any relationship between X and Y?
- How precise is the estimate of any relationship?
- What is the predicted value of Y for a new observed value of X?
- How precise are predicted values of *Y*?
- Is a linear model appropriate?

Definition

 $\hat{Y} = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 X$ is an estimate of the regression equation which best describes the relationship between X and Y in the population.

 \hat{eta}_0 and \hat{eta}_1 are estimates of the unknown population parameters in the theoretical model

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X + \epsilon$$

where, $\beta_0 + \beta_1 X$ is the straight line that best describes the relationship between X and Y in the population;

 ϵ is a random error term which accounts for the fact that the points are scattered about the straight line.

Training

Back to our advertising example. Suppose we want only to consider TV, in other words we want to predict how much sales units increase, if we spent X units of money on TV

Our model here, $\hat{Y} = \hat{eta_0} + \hat{eta_1} X$.

 $\hat{\beta}_0$ and $\hat{\beta}_1$ are called the coefficients, or sometimes (weights), and we want to train our model to learn these coefficients

To train our model, we use the data collected / provided by the company as we will be seen in the Lab.

Multiple Linear Regression

 We extend our analysis of the advertising data in order to accommodate the remaining two additional predictors (Radio, Newspaper)?

$$\hat{\mathbf{Y}} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \mathbf{X}_1 + \beta_2 \mathbf{X}_2 + \dots + \beta_p \mathbf{X}_k + \epsilon$$

• In our example, the model will become

$$\hat{Sales} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 TV + \beta_2 Radio + \beta_3 Newspaper + \epsilon$$

• Notice, that when we train the model, we can always evaluate its quality by computing the error or the difference between the predicted sales values (Sales), and the ground truth (actual sales value in the dataset)

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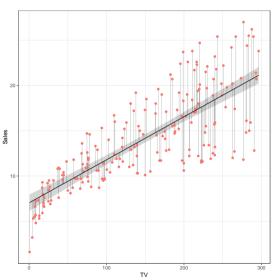
Evaluating the Model

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- $\hat{y}_i = \hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_i$ be the prediction for Y based on the i^{th} value of X
- Then $e_i = y_i \hat{y}_i$ is the i^{th} redidual
- Residual Sum of Squares (RSS) is defined as

$$RSS = e_1^2 + e_2^2 + \dots + e_n^2 \tag{1}$$

• Least square approach we chose β_0, β_1 to minimise RSS

Evaluating the Model (RSS)



$$RSS = \sum_{i=1}^{n} (\hat{y}_i - y_i)^2$$

Code and More Details

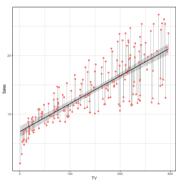
- A detailed notebook with code is available is available here⁶
- This includes full explanation on how to prepare and split the dataset, evaluation of model's results and hypothesis testing

⁶https://github.com/heyad/Teaching/tree/master/Python-Intro

Classification

Linear Regression

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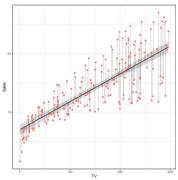


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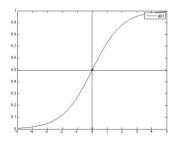


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Logistic Regression

- $h_{\theta}(x) = \mathbf{g}(\theta^T x)$, where
- $g(z) = \frac{1}{1+e^{-z}}$ sigmoid function

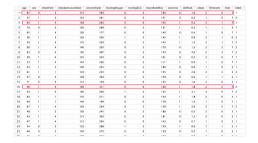
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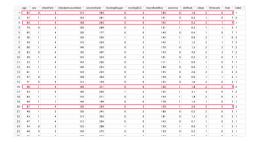
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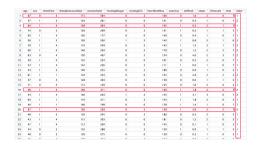
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• **Classification**: If *Y* is a set of discrete values

Logistic Regression

Logistic Function or simply sigmoid is often expressed as

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

 Here, z is the input, which is the combination of weights (coefficients) and the input features and is expressed as

$$z = w^T x = \mathbf{w}_0 + \mathbf{w}_1 x_1 + \mathbf{w}_2 x_2 + ... + \mathbf{w}_m x_m$$

• $\mathbf{e} \approx 2.71828$ is a mathematical constant (Euler's number)

Logistic Regression

- The output of the logistic function is a value between 0 and 1 representing the probability of a sample belonging to particular class
- The probability is then converted easily into a particular class

$$\hat{y} = egin{cases} 1 & \phi(z) \geq 0.5 \\ 0 & \textit{Otherwise} \end{cases}$$

• For the Heart patients data, logistic regression models the probability of a patient having heart condition given his/her data as

$$P_r(Heart_{cond} = Yes|age, sex, ECG, ...),$$

Logistic Regression - Cost Function

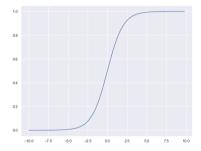
 Instead of using Mean Squared Error, as we did last week with linear regression, for logistic regression the cost function is called Cross-Entropy, and commonly known as the Log Loss

$$J(w) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} [-y^{(i)} log((\phi(z^{(i)})) - (1 - y^{(i)}) log(1 - \phi(z^{(i)}))]$$

 One thing to note here, training the Logistic Regression Model is to learn weights for the input features (more details in the lab)

Decision boundary

- $P_r(Heart_{cond} = Yes|age, sex, ECG, ...)$
- The decision could be that if the probability of being 1 is greater than 0.5 then we can predict 1, otherwise 0
- Looking at the graphic of the sigmoid g(z) > 0.5 when z > 0 or $\theta^T x > 0$ then the hypothesis predicts y = 1



Linear Decision boundary

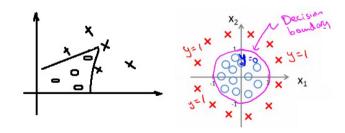
- $\bullet \ h_{\theta}(x) = g(\theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_2)$
- $\theta_0 = -4, \theta_1 = 4, \theta_2 = 5, -4 + 4x_1 + 5x_2 >= 0$ prediction is y = 1
- $4x_1 + 5x_2 = 4$ is the decision boundary



 The decision boundary is a property of the hypothesis. We can create the boundary with the hypothesis and parameters without any data. We can use the data to determine the parameter values.

Non-linear Decision boundary

- We may have more complex non linear data set
- $h_{\theta}(x) = g(\theta_0 + \theta_1 x_1 + \theta_2 x_1^2 + \theta_3 x_2^2)$
- Using higher order polynomial terms will enable more complex decision boundaries



Evaluation

• Train Logistic Regression to learn the label given customers data (age, sex, ..)

sex	chestPain	bloodpressureRest	serumcholst		label
0	0.67	0.20	1.00		1
1	0.33	0.28	0.31		2
1	1.00	0.32	0.31		1
0	0.33	0.25	0.33		1
1	1.00	0.25	0.12		1
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- Actual class values (e.g label)
- Predicted class values (resulting from your model)
- Estimated probability

Evaluation Metrics- Confusion Matrix

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- True Positive (TP), True Negative(TN), False Positive(FP), False Negative(FN)
- Correct predictions fall on the diagonal of the matrix
- Off the diagonal are instances that has been misclassified
- Performance is based on the counts of the predictions on and off the diagonal of the confusion matrix

Evaluation Metrics

- Accuracy = $\frac{TP+TN}{TP+TN+FP+FN}$
- Error rate= $\frac{FP+FN}{TP+TN+FP+FN}$ =1-Accuracy
- Sensitivity: the proportion of positive examples that were correctly classified (true positive rate) = $\frac{TP}{TP+FN}$
- Specificity: measures the proportion of negative examples that were correctly classified (true negative rate)= $\frac{TN}{TN+FP}$
- Precision = $\frac{TP}{TP+FP}$
- Recall = $\frac{TP}{TP+FN}$
- F-measure= $\frac{2 \times precision \times recall}{recall + precision}$

Bias-Variance Trade-off

 A machine learning model's performance is often defined by the bias and the variance of the model. Therefore before we release our model/ app. We need to understand its performance, and the model's error which can be defined as:

$$Model_{err} = Variance(Model) + Bias(Model) + Irreducible(Err)$$

But, what is Bias, and Variance?

Bias-Variance Trade-off

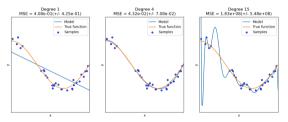
- Train-Test: Recall, that when building a Machine Learning Model, we first train it
 on a training data (i.e. subset of the original dataset), then test it using a testing
 dataset
- A model with High Variance, is simply the one that performs very well on the training data, but poorly on the testing data (overfitting)
- A model with High Bias is underfitting the data. It doesn't perform well enough on the training data (not complex enough), and won't generalise to unseen examples (testing data)
- So, what is Overfitting, and Underfitting

Underfitting vs. Overfitting

Degree 1:
$$\hat{Y} = \beta_0 + \beta_1 X_1 + \beta_2 X_2 + \dots + \beta_p X_k + \epsilon$$
 (Underfitting)

Degree 4:
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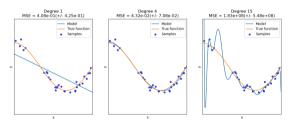
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Regularisation

- One way to find a good bias-variance tradeoff is to tune the complexity of your machine learning model with regularisation
- Regularisation is good way to handle collinearity, noise, and prevent overfitting. The method includes adding an additional term to penalise extreme parameter weights, such as **L2 regularisation** expressed as $\frac{\lambda}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{m} w_j^2$, so the cost function becomes

$$J(w) = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \left[-y^{(i)} log((\phi(z^{(i)})) - (1 - y^{(i)}) log(1 - \phi(z^{(i)})) \right] + \frac{\lambda}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{m} w_j^2$$

• Implementation using sklearn.linear_model.LogisticRegression

Generalization, Over-fitting Under-fitting

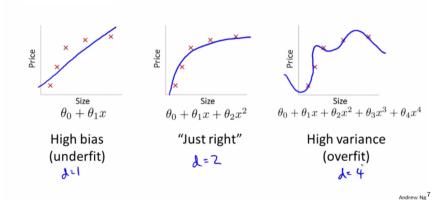
- **Generalization** The ability to correctly classify new examples different from those used for the training.
- Overfitting The learned classifier is 100% correct on the train data and only 50% correct on the test data.
- **Underfitting** The learned classifier is too simplistic and does not capture the structure of the data.

Bias, Variance

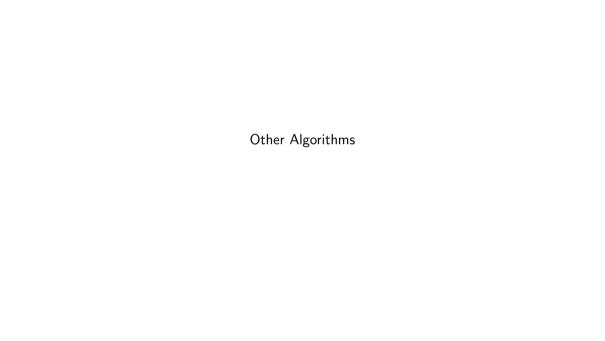
The main objective is to find the best possible function h(x) that maps X (a set of features) to a class label y (classification problem). The prediction error for any machine learning algorithm can be defined as:

- Bias error (under-fitting)
- Variance error (over-fitting)
- Irreducible error

Bias, Variance

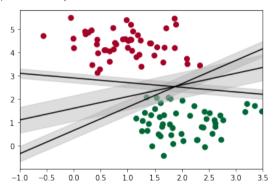


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Support Vector Machine

• Which line (model/ classifier) best describes the data, and we should use



• In SVM, the optimisation objective is to maximise the margin (i.e. distance separating line to the support vectors)

Decision Tree

 Iris dataset: 150 rows (instances), each representing a flower, 4 columns (features), and three class labels. In this example, we will only use two features (for visualisation purposes)

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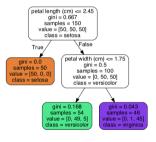
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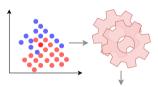


Ensemble Learning

Training Data

Model

First, we train the model on a training set, then we test it on different data (testing set) Linear regression, logistic regression, SVM, Decision Tree



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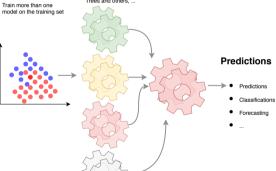
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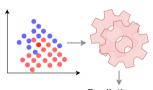
Models

Training Data

Train more than one

SVM. Logistic Regression, Decision Trees and others, ...





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Ensemble Construction

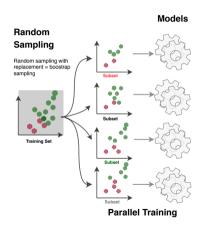
- Train more than one model (i.e SVM, KNN, Logistic Regression, etc...)
- Aggregate the predictions of each model and predict the class that gets the most votes
- A majority-vote classifier is called hard-voting classifier
- A good ensemble needs models to be diverse enough and independent from each other. So, how to ensure ensemble diversity?

Ensemble Diversity

- One way to ensure diverse ensemble is to train very different learning algorithms such as Support Vector Machine, Logistic Regression, K-NN, and others on the same training data
- The second approach that is also widely used is to train the same algorithms on different subsets of the data (training sets)

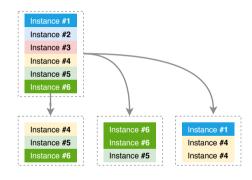
Bagging

- Bootstrap aggregat ing (Bagging) is sampling data from the training set with replacement
- With Bagging an instance can be sampled more than one time for the same model/ predictor
- Once all models are trained, the ensemble can make a prediction for a new instance by aggregating the predictions from all models



Bagging

- Some instances maybe sampled several time. Others may not be sampled at all
- Each model in the ensemble will be trained on almost
 63% of the training set?
- The remaining 37% of the data are used for out-of-bag(oob) evaluation of each model in the ensemble



Random Forest

- An ensemble classification and regression technique introduced by Leo Breiman
- It generates a diversified ensemble of decision trees adopting two methods:
 - A bootstrap sample is used for the construction of each tree (bagging), resulting in approximately 63.2% unique samples, and the rest are repeated
 - At each node split, only a subset of features are drawn randomly to assess the goodness of each feature/attribute (\sqrt{F} or $\log_2 F$ is used, where F is the total number of features)
- Trees are allowed to grow without pruning
- Typically 100 to 500 trees are used to form the ensemble
- It is now considered among the best performing classifiers

Random Forest

In one of the largest experiments that have been carried out in 2014, researchers used:

- 179 classifiers
- 121 datasets (the whole UCI repository at the time of the experiment)
- Random Forest was the first ranked, followed by SVM with Gaussian kernel

Recommended Reading

Fernandez-Delgado, M., Cernadas, E., Barro, S., & Amorim, D. (2014). Do we need hundreds of classifiers to solve real world classification problems?. The Journal of Machine Learning Research, 15(1), 3133-3181.

Neural Networks

- Neural Networks (NN) is another algorithm that can be used to perform regression and classification tasks
- NN and CNNs to be covered in the next section

Plan

Overview

The Right Questions
Why ML and Algorithms?
Think Data
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2 Supervised Learning Problem / Data collection Solution Model/s Evaluation / Testing

3 Conclusion

- Finding articulating a problem is the most important and crucial step for building intelligent machine vision solution
- ML and Al is very interdisciplinary field (applicable across all sectors and applications domains)

 Wide range of tools and learning resources are available to get into Machine Learning and AI

- Python
- R
- Tensorflow, Keras, PyTorch (Deep Learning framework)
- And others



Big Data Tools

The Emerging Big Data Stack







Ambari

Provisioning, Managing and Monitoring Hadoop Clusters



Workflow Oozie



Machine Learning Mahout





Log Collector

Flume

Coordination

Zookeeper

YARN Map Reduce v2

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