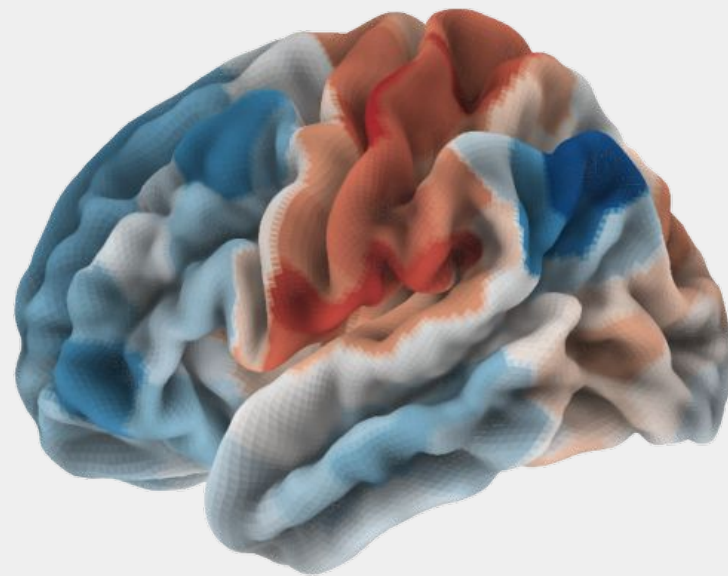


Advanced fMRI data analysis

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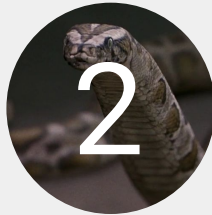


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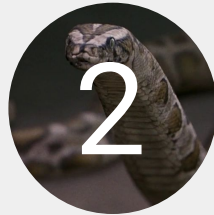
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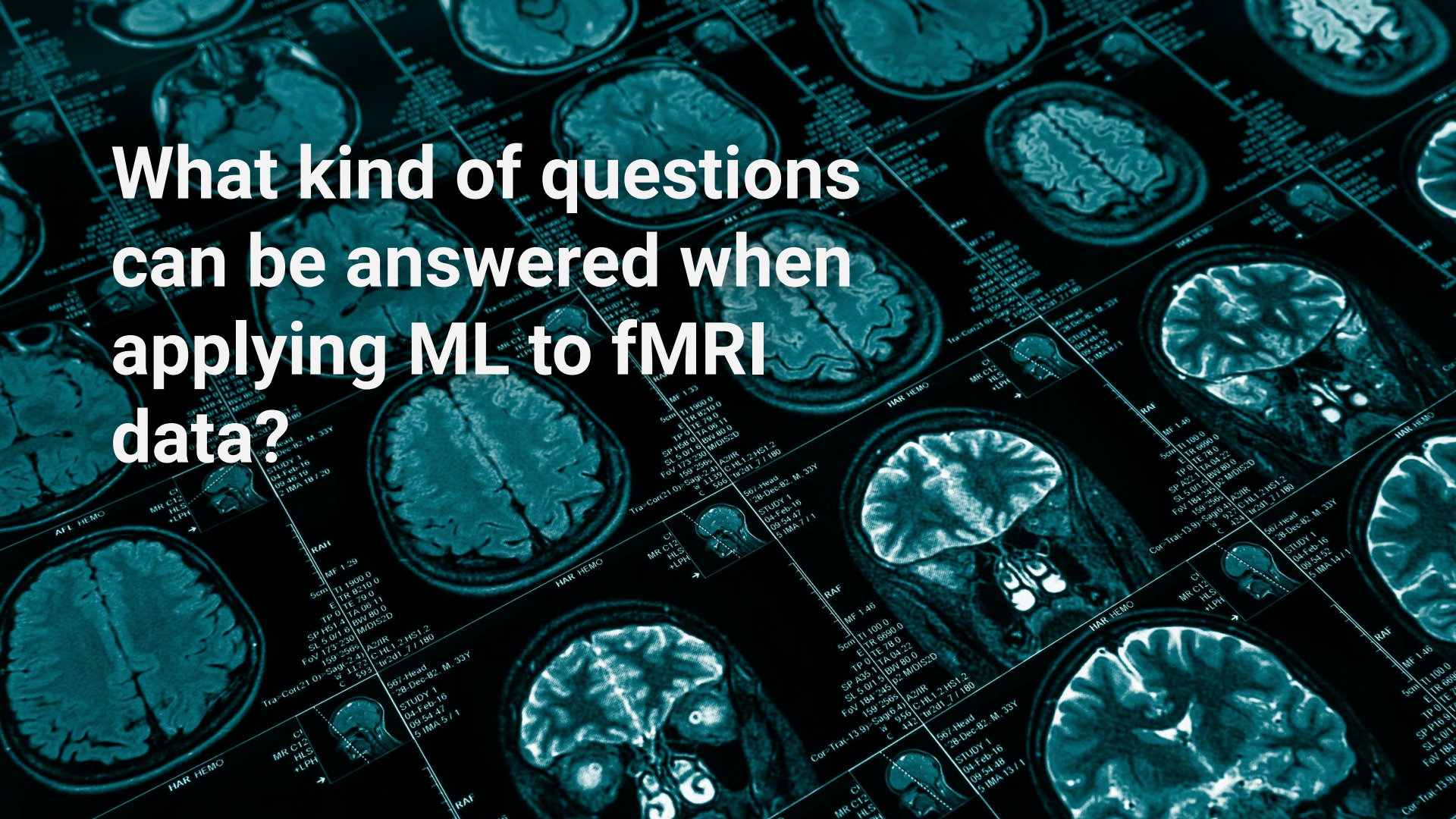
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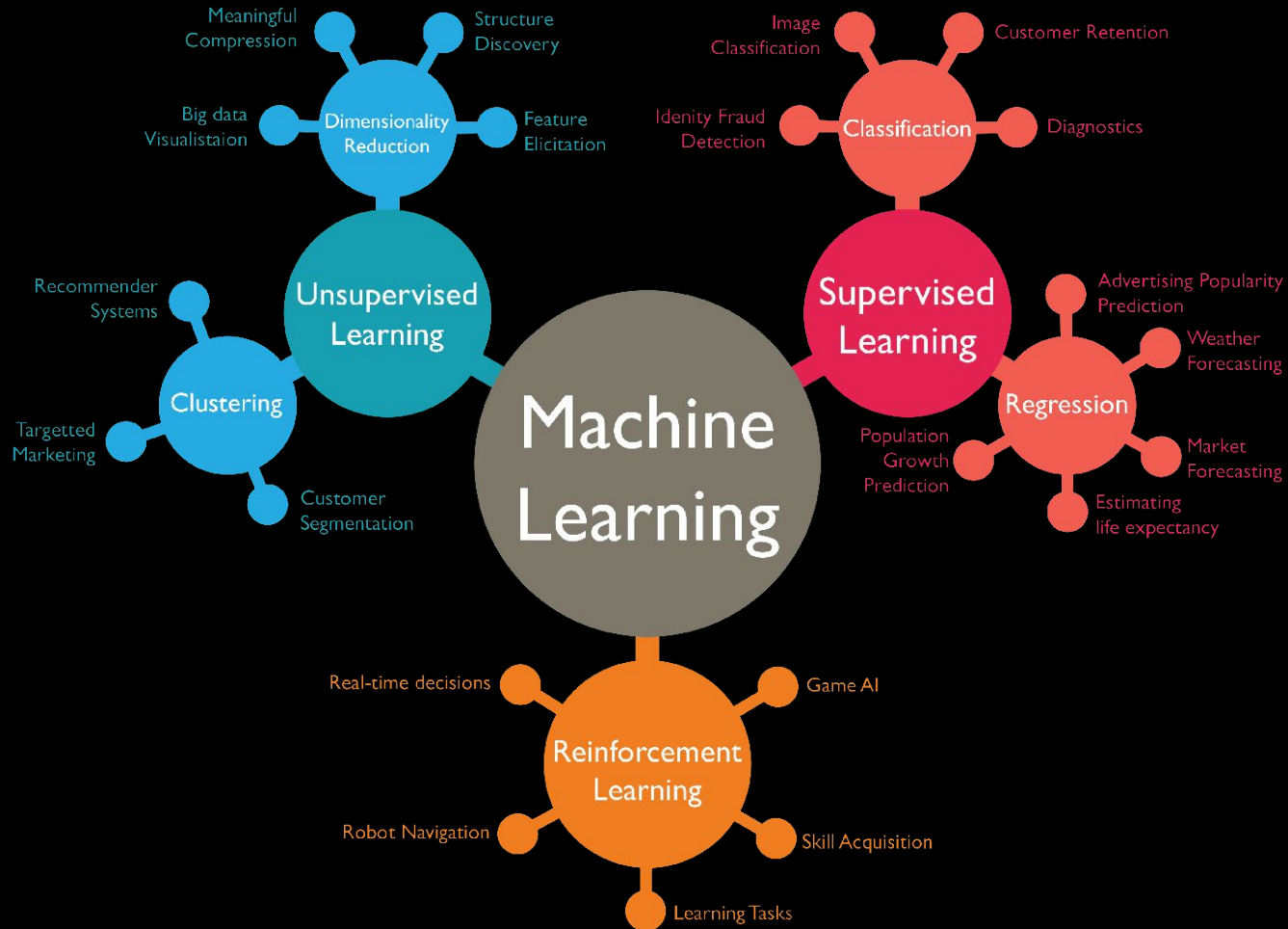
What's machine learning?

Machine learning - the art and science of giving computers the ability to learn to make decisions from data, without being explicitly programmed.



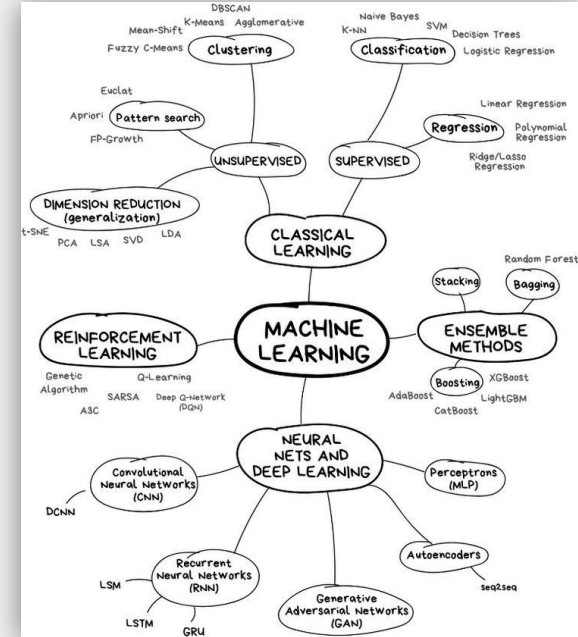


What kind of questions
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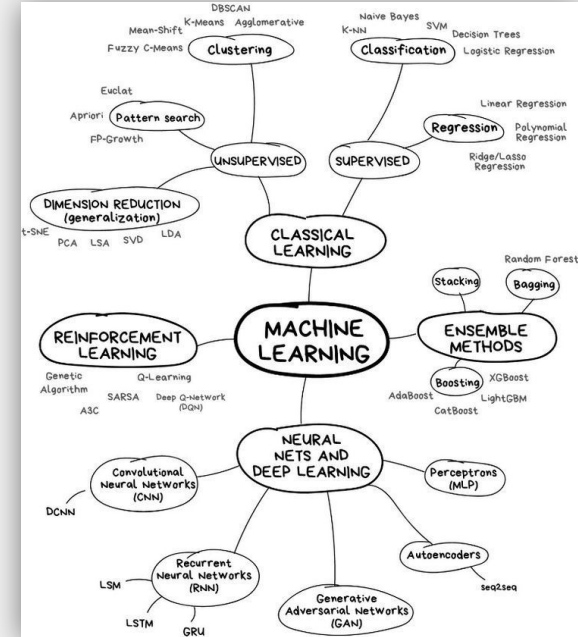
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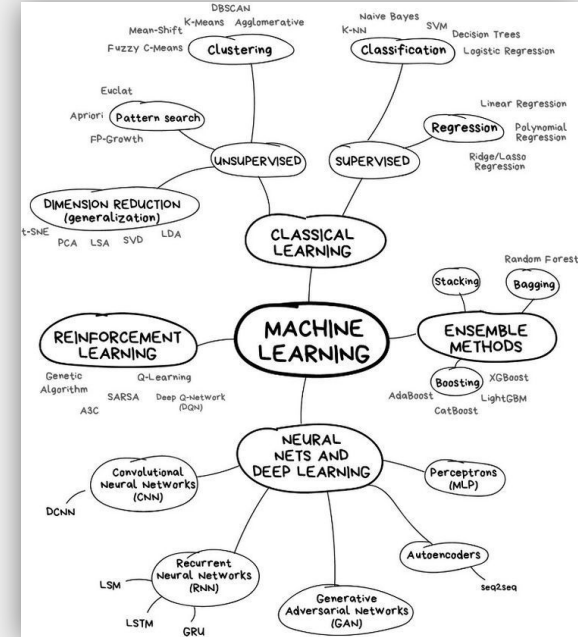
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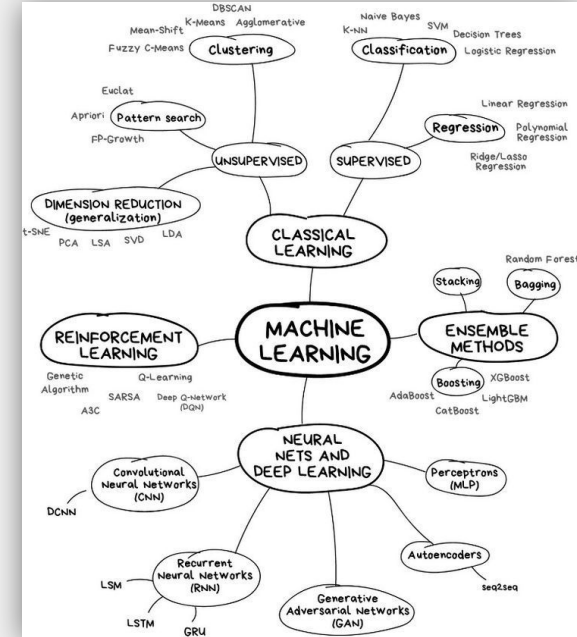


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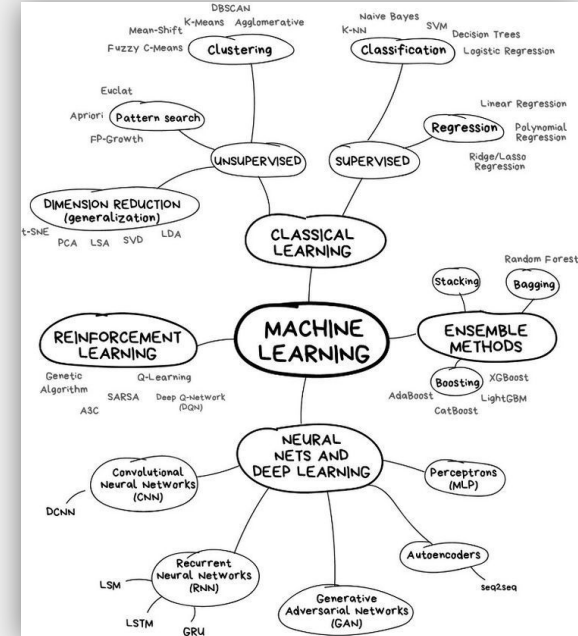
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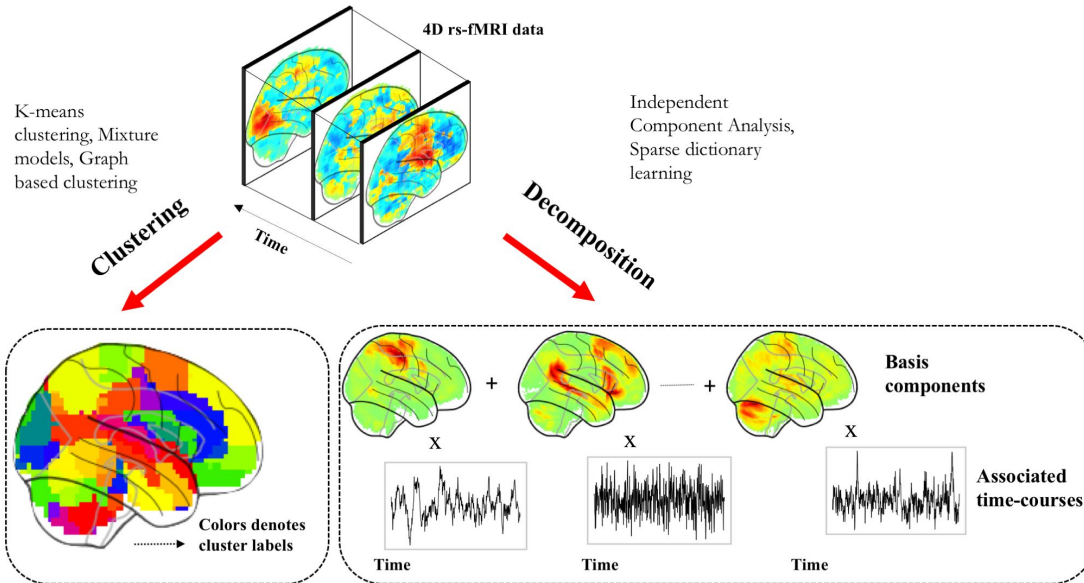
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- **Clustering** - grouping data points into distinct categories (for example fMRI time-series into distinct brain states)



Other use-cases

I. Discovering spatial maps with coherent temporal dynamics



Feature selection

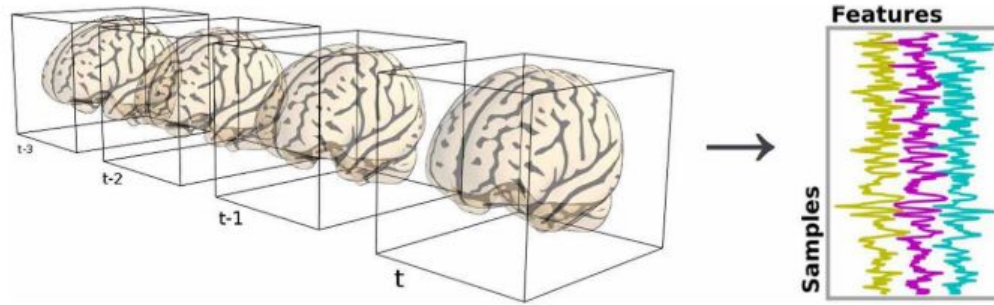
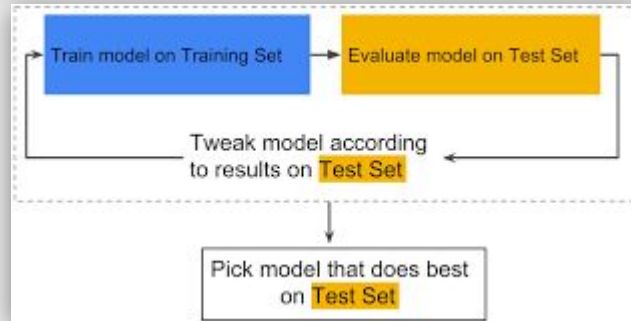
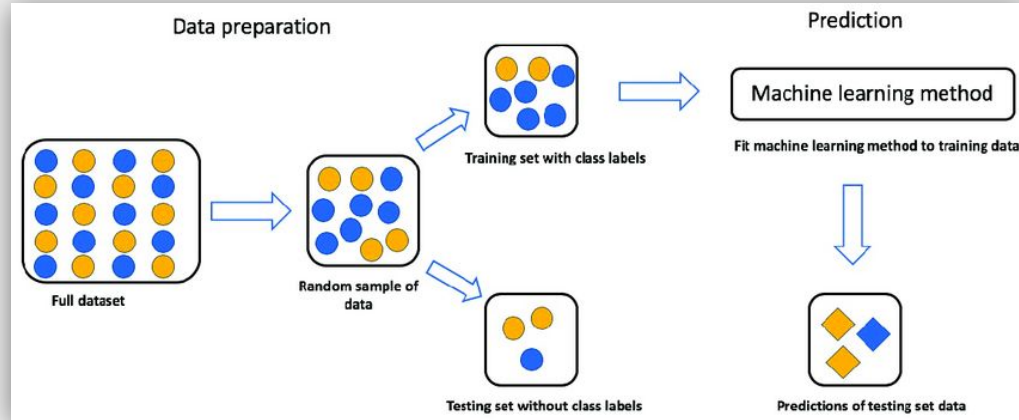
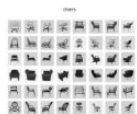


FIGURE 1 | Conversion of brain scans into 2-dimensional data.

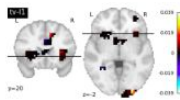
Training & test set



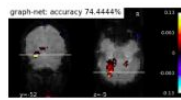
Nilearn tutorials



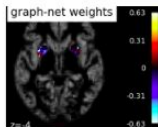
Show stimuli of Haxby et al. dataset



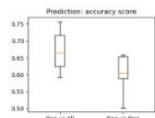
SpaceNet on Jimura et al. "mixed gambles" dataset.



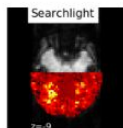
Decoding with SpaceNet: face vs house object recognition



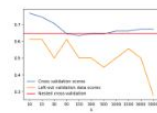
Voxel-Based Morphometry on Oasis dataset with SpaceNet prior



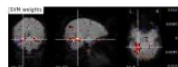
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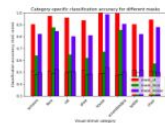
Searchlight analysis of face vs house recognition



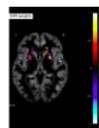
Setting a parameter by cross-validation



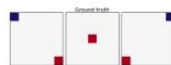
Decoding with ANOVA + SVM: face vs house in the Haxby dataset



ROI-based decoding analysis in Haxby et al. dataset



Voxel-Based Morphometry on Oasis dataset



Example of pattern recognition on simulated data



Encoding models for visual stimuli from Miyawaki et al. 2008



8.1.4. A introduction tutorial to fMRI decoding

Here is a simple tutorial on decoding with Nilearn. It reproduces the Haxby 2001 study on a face vs cat discrimination task in a mask of the ventral stream.

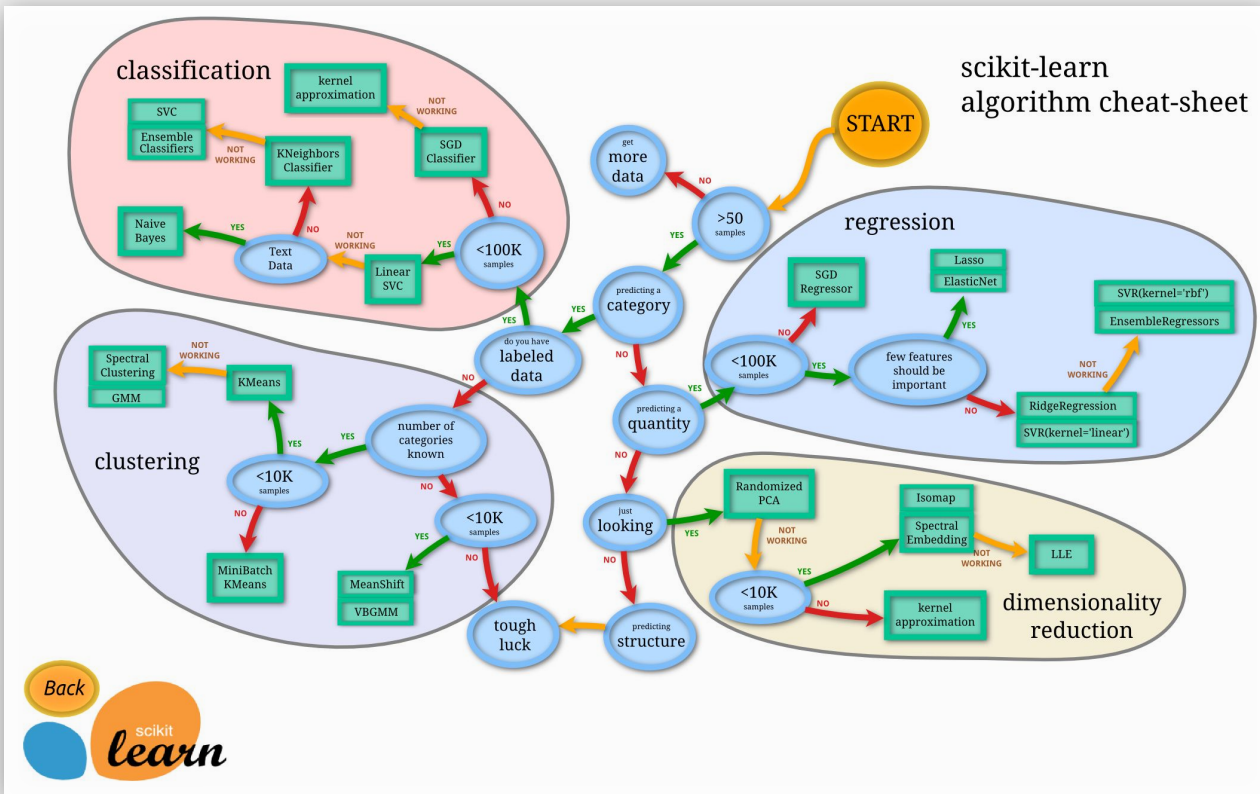
This tutorial is meant as an introduction to the various steps of a decoding analysis.

It is not a minimalistic example, as it strives to be didactic. It is not meant to be copied to analyze new data: many of the steps are unnecessary.

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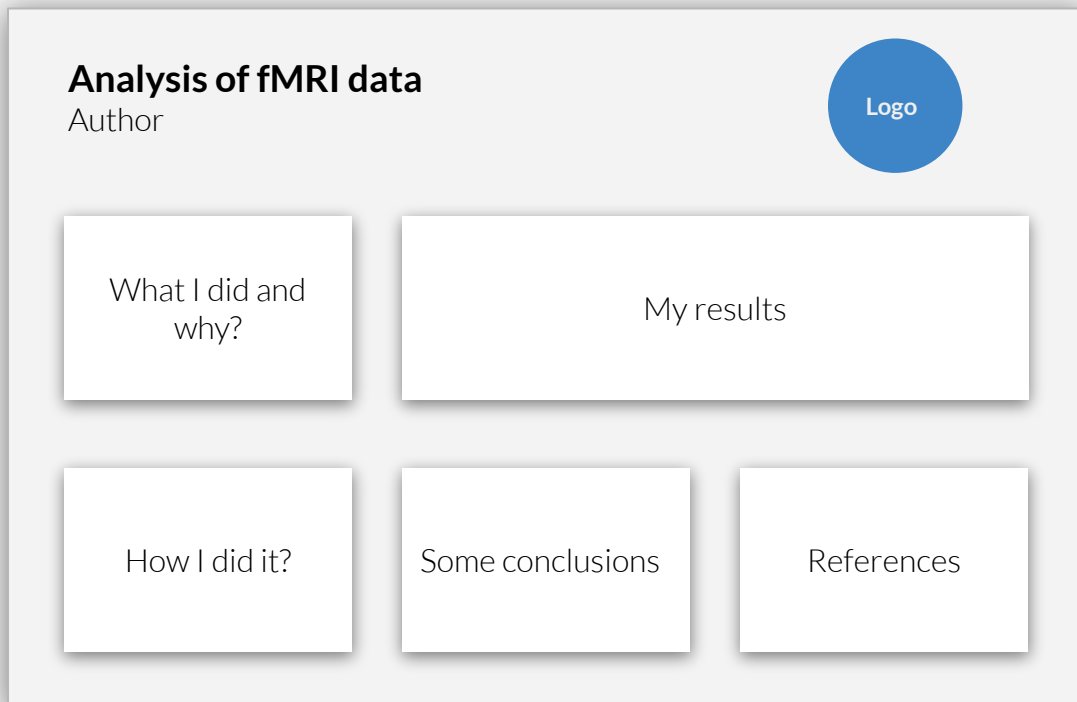
- Retrieve and load the fMRI data from the Haxby study
- Decoding with an SVM
- Measuring prediction scores using cross-validation
- Inspecting the model weights
- Further reading

Sklearn cheat sheet





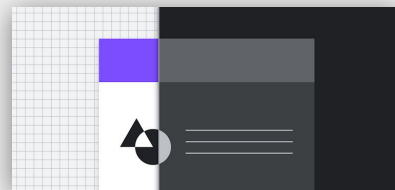
Poster for extra points!



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Follow a good design
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