

# DATASET

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# Introduction and context

# Chosen dataset

## The Data

- Kaggle dataset [3] *"Classify gestures by reading muscle activity"*
- 64 features (8 sensors with 8 consecutive readings) and 1 class. Recorded under 200HZ that takes 40ms for each line of recording.
- 120 second recording for each gesture, nearly 3000 recordings for each gesture in different CSV files respectively.
- 4 classes for each considered gestures : rock - 0, scissors - 1, paper - 2, ok - 3. 1 file per class.



Figure 1: Data Structure illustration.

## Objective

Predict the gesture based on the recorded muscle activity

## Practical use

Learn to a mind-controlled robot arm to recognize some gestures from sensors on the muscles to replace a hand

# Data preprocessing

## Steps

- Merge the datasets into one dataset with all inputs
- 80% training data and 20% testing data
- In training data, we use 20% for validation with 2 folds cross-validation.
- Standardization of the data
- PCA

# Metrics for evaluation



# Metrics

## F1-score

- For class sizes that are not balanced.
- Take into account of Precision and recall. (More credible than accuracy)  $f1 = \frac{2PR}{P+R}$
- Micro integration for multi-classes cases.

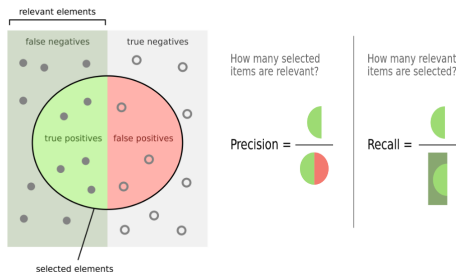


Figure 2: Precision recall curve, f1 score and AP.[2]

Unsupervised learning Method  
applied on the dataset

# Principal component analysis (PCA)

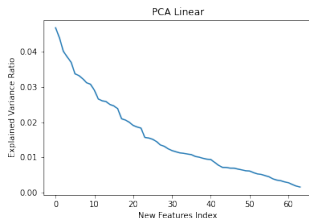


Figure 3: PCA with Linear Kernel

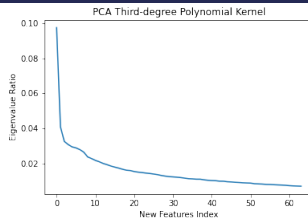


Figure 5: PCA with polynomial Kernel

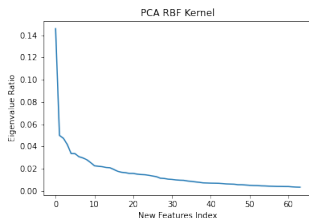


Figure 4: PCA with rbf Kernel

**Conclusion:** all variables were important in our dataset. According to the observed results, we decided not to remove any of the features.

Supervised learning Method  
applied on the dataset

# Methodology

- Compute a grid search on a set of chosen parameters on the training set
- Keep the best model according to the metric
- Compute the PR curves on the test set for comparison
- 6 models tested : Random Forest, SVM, Logistic Regression, LDA, QDA and MLP

## Hypothesis

In these models, all consecutive readings are considered as independent variables.

# Random Forest

⇒ Parameters : criterion, max\_depth, n\_estimators

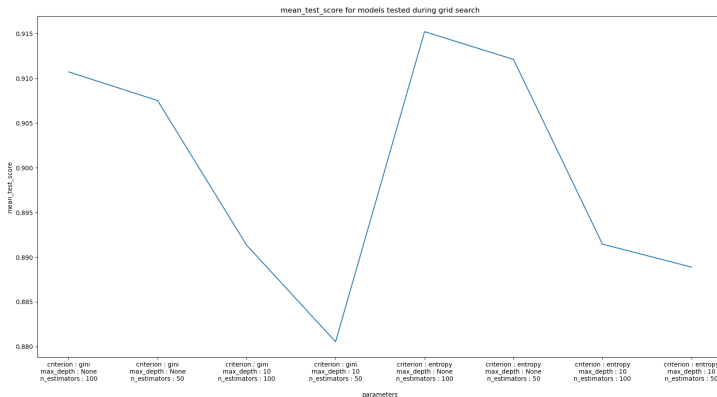
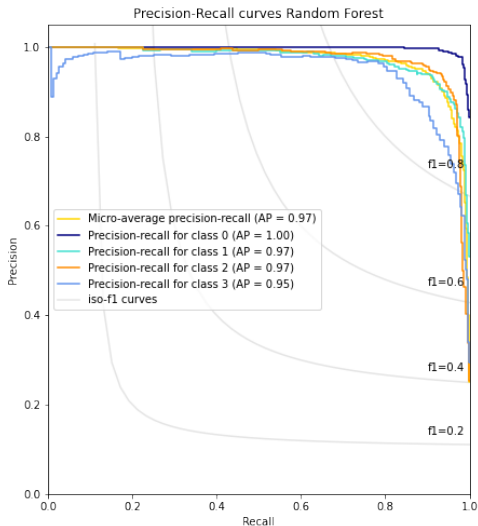


Figure 6: Grid search on Random Forest model

# Random Forest

## Final model :

- criterion:  
entropy
- max depth:  
None
- number of  
estimators: 100



## SVM

⇒ Parameters : C, kernel

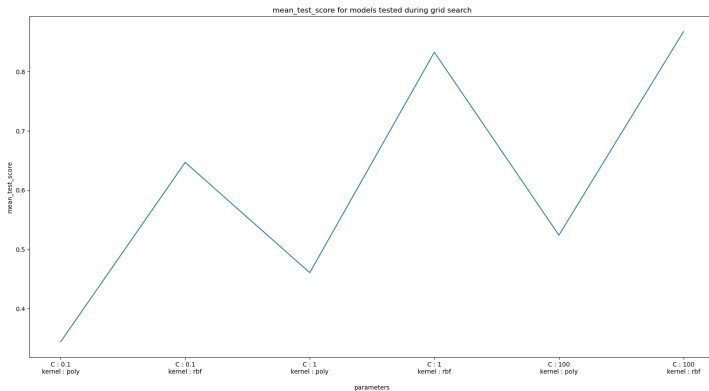


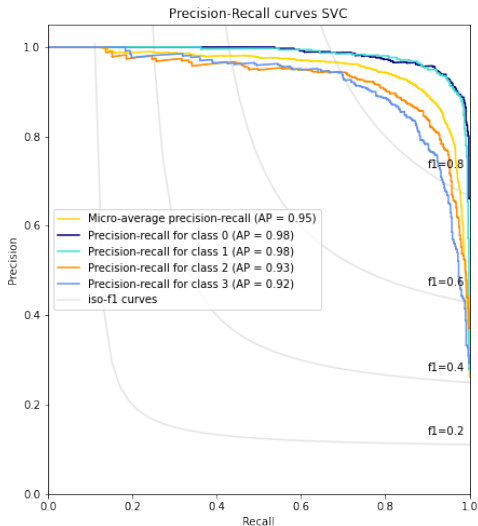
Figure 8: Grid search on SVM model



# SVM

## Final model :

- C: 100
- kernel: rbf



# Logistic Regression

⇒ Parameters : C, penalty

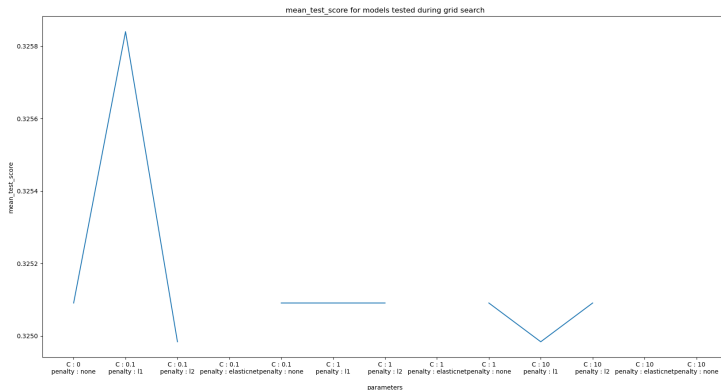
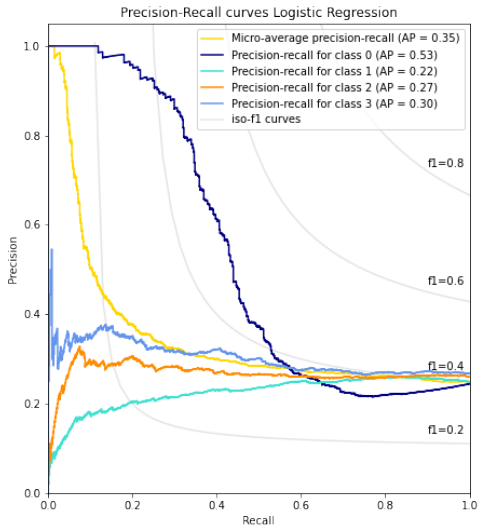


Figure 10: Grid search on logistic Regression model

# Logistic Regression

Final model :

- penalty: l1



## LDA/QDA

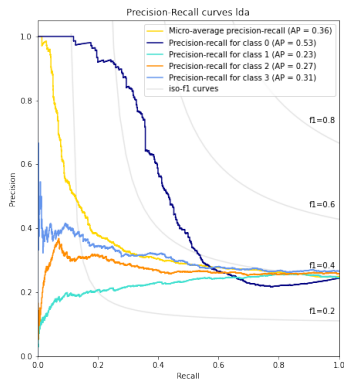


Figure 12: Precision recall curve for lda classifier on test dataset.

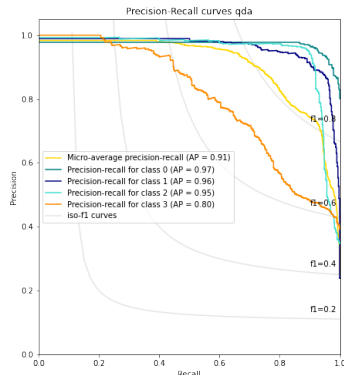


Figure 13: Precision recall curve for qda classifier on test dataset.

# Neural Network

⇒ Parameters : alpha, hidden\_layer\_size

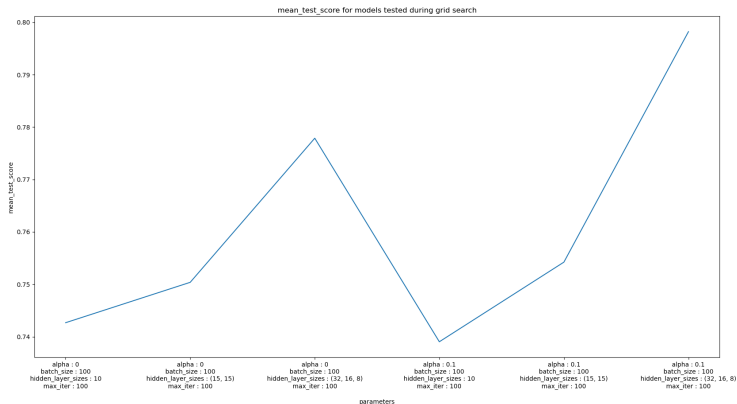


Figure 14: Grid search on sk learn MLP model

# Neural Network

- batch size: 100, hidden layer sizes: (32, 16, 8).
- relu, batch normalisation, dropout.



Figure 15: Loss curve on train dataset and test dataset.

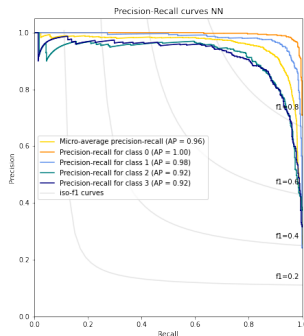
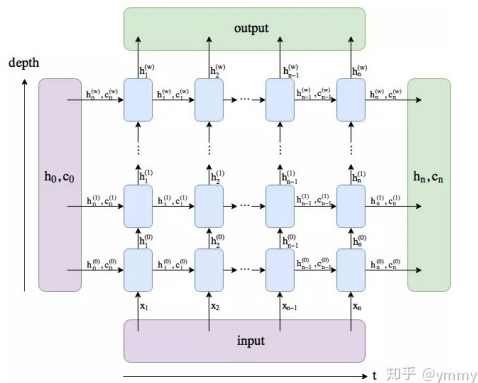


Figure 16: Precision recall curve for NN classifier on test dataset.

Improvement

# Long short-term memory

⇒ Long short-term memory (LSTM) is an architecture of neural network used to deal with sequences [1].



## Hypothesis

In this model, we consider the data as sequences of the features, i.e. we have sequences of size 8 for each of the 8 sensors (features).

Figure 17: Schema for multi-layers LSTM.



# Long short-term memory

- input size: 8, hidden vector sizes: 16, projection size: 4.
- softmax, batch size:100, dropout:0.2, number of layers: 4.

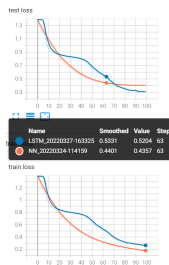


Figure 18: Loss curve on train dataset and test dataset.

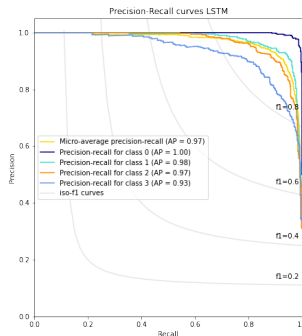


Figure 19: Precision recall curve for NN classifier on test dataset.

# The Idea

Our data are taken from 8 sensors with 8 timesteps. What if we compute one model per timestep and keep the major prediction ? ("Bagging") Example with the Random Forest model

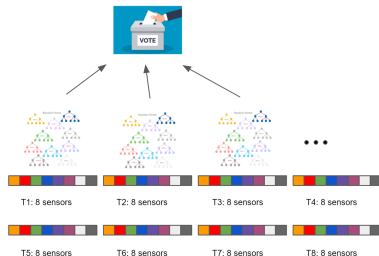


Figure 20: Schema of random forest with bagging method

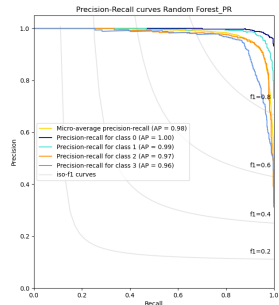


Figure 21: PR curve with the bagging method

## Comparison of the methods

- LDA & Logistic Regression : bad results, not adapted to the data
- QDA, Random Forest, SVM, MLP and LSTM have all a average precision above 0.9
- Best models on average are LSTM and Random forest but they both are difficult to interpret (0.97).
- New Bagging Random forest get the highest average precision (0.98).

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# Appendix

## Preprocessing results

preprocessing	None	Norm with 1 measure- ments/8	Norm	PCA + Norm	indep measure- ments : nb obs * 8
svm	0.87	0.68	0.91	X	X
random forest	0.93	0.71	0.93	0.63	0.73
logistic re- gression	0.34	0.32	0.35	0.41	0.28
lda	0.36	0.32	0.36	0.41	0.28
qda	0.93	0.68	0.93	0.64	0.69
sk mlp 0.90		0.74	0.90	0.65	0.74
torch mlp	0.90	X	0.85	0.81	X
torch lstm	0.88	X	0.86	0.90	X

Table 1: Résultat de différents preprocessing

# Computing time

method	PCA	PCA rbf	SVM	RF	LR	LDA	QDA	sk MLP	torch MLP	LSTM	Bagging RF
training time (s)	0.9	53.9	20.1	4.5	0.6	0.08	0.03	7.7	16	102	12.0
execution time on test dataset (s)	0.5	0.6	1.4	0.05	0.002	0.001	0.006	0.002	0.014	0.2	0.4

Table 2: Training and executing time of the methods



- Bayesian Neural Networks for more explainability on the model
- Do more preprocessing on the data : take the average on each sensors on the 8 measurements for example
- k-means, knn...