# **Data Mining HW3**

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#### 1. Random Forest Classifier

The response is a categorical variable with 10 classes coded from 0 to 9. All predictors are quantitative.

Construct a random forest classifier, report the test classification error and make the confusion matrix. Note "ranger" is faster than "randomForest".

'ranger' 패키지의 ranger 함수를 이용하여 random forest classifier 를 학습하였다. Number of tree 는 default 값은 500 으로 사용해서 학습하였고 tree 를 split 할 때 고려할 변수의 개수인 mtry 도 default 값인 sqrt(predictors) = sqrt(784) = 28 을 사용하였다. 모델 적합 결과 00B error 는 5.75%, Test classification error 는 6.7%가 나왔다.

Ranger 함수를 cross-validation 과 함께 사용하고 싶다면 'spm' 패키지의 rgcv 함수를 이용할 수 있다. Cross-validation 과 hyper parameter tuning 을 함께 진행하고 싶다면 'caret' 패키지의 train 함수를 trainControl, expand.grid 와 함께 이용하여 모델을 학습시킬 수 있을 것이다.

MNIST 데이터 자체의 power 가 강한 편이고, random forest 모델도 평균 이상의 성능을 보장하는 모델이라 hyper parameter tuning 없이 test error 6.7%를 얻었다. 위에 언급한 방법으로 튜닝을 진행한다면 더 좋은 성능의 모델을 얻을 수 있을 것이다.

## 2. Boosting Classifier

Construct a boosting classifier, report the test classification error and make the confusion matrix. Note "xgboost" is faster than "gbm".

'xgboost' 패키지의 xgb.train 함수를 이용하여 xgboost classifier 모델을 학습시켰다. 더 빠른학습을 위해 xgb.DMatrix 로 데이터를 변환시키는 작업을 거쳤다. Xgboost 의 경우 종속변수가 범주형 변수인 경우에도 integer 로 바꾼 뒤 0 부터 시작하도록 만들어서 xgb.DMatrix 에 넣어줘야한다. 학습 파라미터로 학습률을 0.2, 목적함수로 softmax, loss function 으로 mlogloss 를이용하였다. 모델이 일정 횟수 이상 base learner 를 추가로 학습했을 때 train 과 test 에 대한성능이 개선되지 않는다면 모델 학습을 멈추는 early\_stopping\_rounds 를 20 으로 설정해 모델학습에 불필요한 시간을 단축할 수 있었다.

학습 결과 Test classification error 는 6.5%로 이 데이터에 대해서 random forest classifier 와 비슷한 성능을 보여준다. Rf classifier 에선 class3 f1 score 가 0.8757 로 다른 범주와 비교했을 때 가장 낮았는데, xgb classifier 에선 class3 f1 score 가 0.9048 로 살짝 개선된 모습을 보여준다.

#### Appendix: R code

#### 1. Random Forest Classifier

```
### Load dataset
student = 20152410
mnist_train = read.csv('./MNIST_train_small.csv', header=TRUE)
mnist_test = read.csv('./MNIST_test_small.csv', header=TRUE)
train_data = mnist_train[, 2:785]
train_label = as.factor(mnist_train$y)
test_data = mnist_test[, 2:785]
test_label = as.factor(mnist_test$y)
### random forest classifier
library(caret)
library(ranger)
set.seed(student)
ranger_model = ranger(x = train_data, y = train_label)
ranger_model
## Ranger result
##
## Call:
## ranger(x = train_data, y = train_label)
##
                                     Classification
## Type:
## Number of trees:
                                     500
## Sample size:
                                     6000
## Number of independent variables:
                                     784
## Mtry:
                                     28
## Target node size:
## Variable importance mode:
                                     none
## Splitrule:
                                     gini
## 00B prediction error:
                                     5.75 %
ranger_pred = predict(ranger_model, data=test_data,
                      num.trees=ranger_model$num.trees)
ranger_clf_error = mean(ranger_pred$predictions != test_label)
cat('Test error of ranger classifier : ', 100*ranger_clf_error, '%')
## Test error of ranger classifier : 6.7 %
```

```
ranger_table = table(ranger_pred$predictions, test_label)
ranger_cfm = confusionMatrix(ranger_table, mode='everything')
ranger_cfm
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
      test label
##
         0
              1
                  2
                       3
                                        7
                                                 9
                                    6
##
     0
        93
              0
                  3
                       0
                           0
                               2
                                    1
                                        0
                                             0
                                                 1
##
     1
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                           0
                                1
                                    0
                                        0
                                             0
                                                 3
##
     2
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              0 104
                       3
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                                        2
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##
     3
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              0
                      74
                           0
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##
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                               1
                       3
##
     8
         1
              0
                  1
                           0
                               1
                                    0
                                        1
                                            83
                                                 0
##
     9
              0
                  0
                       0
                                1
                                        4
                                             1
                                                94
         0
                           8
                                    0
##
## Overall Statistics
##
##
                   Accuracy: 0.933
                      95% CI: (0.9157, 0.9477)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.111
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
                       Kappa: 0.9255
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                          Class: 0 Class: 1 Class: 2 Class: 3 Class: 4 Class: 5
## Sensitivity
                            0.9894
                                      1.0000
                                                0.9369
                                                          0.8605
                                                                    0.9167
                                                                              0.8842
## Specificity
                            0.9923
                                      0.9955
                                                0.9944
                                                          0.9902
                                                                    0.9955
                                                                              0.9945
## Pos Pred Value
                            0.9300
                                      0.9636
                                                0.9541
                                                          0.8916
                                                                    0.9612
                                                                              0.9438
                                      1.0000
## Neg Pred Value
                            0.9989
                                                0.9921
                                                          0.9869
                                                                    0.9900
                                                                              0.9879
## Precision
                            0.9300
                                      0.9636
                                                0.9541
                                                          0.8916
                                                                    0.9612
                                                                              0.9438
## Recall
                            0.9894
                                      1.0000
                                                0.9369
                                                          0.8605
                                                                    0.9167
                                                                              0.8842
## F1
                            0.9588
                                      0.9815
                                                0.9455
                                                          0.8757
                                                                    0.9384
                                                                              0.9130
                            0.0940
## Prevalence
                                      0.1060
                                                0.1110
                                                          0.0860
                                                                    0.1080
                                                                              0.0950
## Detection Rate
                            0.0930
                                      0.1060
                                                0.1040
                                                          0.0740
                                                                    0.0990
                                                                              0.0840
## Detection Prevalence
                            0.1000
                                      0.1100
                                                0.1090
                                                          0.0830
                                                                    0.1030
                                                                              0.0890
## Balanced Accuracy
                            0.9908
                                      0.9978
                                                0.9657
                                                          0.9253
                                                                    0.9561
                                                                              0.9393
```

##	Class: 6	Class: 7	Class: 8	Class: 9
## Sensitivity	0.9697	0.9259	0.9222	0.9126
## Specificity	0.9945	0.9922	0.9923	0.9844
## Pos Pred Value	0.9505	0.9346	0.9222	0.8704
## Neg Pred Value	0.9967	0.9910	0.9923	0.9899
## Precision	0.9505	0.9346	0.9222	0.8704
## Recall	0.9697	0.9259	0.9222	0.9126
## F1	0.9600	0.9302	0.9222	0.8910
## Prevalence	0.0990	0.1080	0.0900	0.1030
## Detection Rate	0.0960	0.1000	0.0830	0.0940
## Detection Prevalence	0.1010	0.1070	0.0900	0.1080
## Balanced Accuracy	0.9821	0.9590	0.9573	0.9485

## 2. Boosting Classifier

```
### boosting classifier
library(xgboost)
train_dmatrix = xgb.DMatrix(data=as.matrix(train_data), label=as.integer(train_labe
1)-1)
test_dmatrix = xgb.DMatrix(data=as.matrix(test_data), label=as.integer(test_label)-
1)
xgb_params = list(eta=0.2,
                  num_class=length(levels(train_label)),
                  objective='multi:softmax',
                  eval_metric='mlogloss')
set.seed(student)
xgb_model = xgb.train(data=train_dmatrix,
                      params=xgb_params,
                      nrounds=500,
                      early_stopping_rounds=20,
                      watchlist=list(val1=train_dmatrix, val2=test_dmatrix),
                      verbose=0)
```

```
xgb_model
## ##### xgb.Booster
## raw: 1.5 Mb
## call:
##
     xgb.train(params = xgb_params, data = train_dmatrix, nrounds = 500,
##
       watchlist = list(val1 = train_dmatrix, val2 = test_dmatrix),
##
       verbose = 0, early stopping rounds = 20)
## params (as set within xgb.train):
     eta = "0.2", num_class = "10", objective = "multi:softmax", eval_metric = "mlo
gloss", silent = "1"
## xgb.attributes:
    best_iteration, best_msg, best_ntreelimit, best_score, niter
## callbacks:
##
     cb.evaluation.log()
##
     cb.early.stop(stopping_rounds = early_stopping_rounds, maximize = maximize,
##
       verbose = verbose)
## # of features: 784
## niter: 130
## best_iteration : 110
## best ntreelimit : 110
## best score : 0.216168
## nfeatures : 784
## evaluation_log:
##
       iter val1_mlogloss val2_mlogloss
##
          1
                 1.617869
                               1.703273
          2
                               1.410190
##
                 1.285146
## ---
##
        129
                 0.002439
                               0.216710
        130
                 0.002420
                               0.216638
##
xgb_pred = as.factor(predict(xgb_model, newdata=test_dmatrix))
xgb_clf_error = mean(xgb_pred != test_label)
cat('Test error of xgboost classifier : ', 100*xgb_clf_error, '%')
## Test error of xgboost classifier : 6.5 %
```

```
xgb_table = table(xgb_pred, test_label)
xgb_cfm = confusionMatrix(xgb_table, mode='everything')
xgb_cfm
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
            test label
##
  xgb_pred
               0
                        2
                                     5
                                          6
                                              7
                                                   8
                                                       9
##
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           9
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                    0
                        0
                            1
                                 7
                                     1
                                          0
                                              5
                                                   0
                                                      94
##
## Overall Statistics
##
##
                    Accuracy: 0.935
                      95% CI: (0.9179, 0.9495)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.111
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
                       Kappa: 0.9277
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
##
##
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                          Class: 0 Class: 1 Class: 2 Class: 3 Class: 4 Class: 5
## Sensitivity
                            0.9894
                                      1.0000
                                                0.9459
                                                          0.8837
                                                                    0.9352
                                                                              0.8737
## Specificity
                            0.9912
                                      0.9978
                                                0.9910
                                                          0.9934
                                                                    0.9933
                                                                              0.9956
## Pos Pred Value
                            0.9208
                                      0.9815
                                                0.9292
                                                          0.9268
                                                                    0.9439
                                                                              0.9540
## Neg Pred Value
                            0.9989
                                      1.0000
                                                0.9932
                                                          0.9891
                                                                    0.9922
                                                                              0.9869
## Precision
                            0.9208
                                      0.9815
                                                0.9292
                                                          0.9268
                                                                    0.9439
                                                                              0.9540
## Recall
                                                0.9459
                            0.9894
                                      1.0000
                                                          0.8837
                                                                    0.9352
                                                                              0.8737
## F1
                            0.9538
                                      0.9907
                                                0.9375
                                                          0.9048
                                                                    0.9395
                                                                              0.9121
## Prevalence
                            0.0940
                                      0.1060
                                                0.1110
                                                          0.0860
                                                                    0.1080
                                                                              0.0950
## Detection Rate
                            0.0930
                                      0.1060
                                                0.1050
                                                          0.0760
                                                                    0.1010
                                                                              0.0830
## Detection Prevalence
                            0.1010
                                      0.1080
                                                0.1130
                                                          0.0820
                                                                    0.1070
                                                                              0.0870
## Balanced Accuracy
                            0.9903
                                      0.9989
                                                0.9685
                                                          0.9386
                                                                    0.9642
                                                                              0.9346
```

##	Class: 6	Class: 7	Class: 8	Class: 9
## Sensitivity	0.9495	0.9259	0.9222	0.9126
## Specificity	0.9967	0.9966	0.9879	0.9844
## Pos Pred Value	0.9691	0.9709	0.8830	0.8704
## Neg Pred Value	0.9945	0.9911	0.9923	0.9899
## Precision	0.9691	0.9709	0.8830	0.8704
## Recall	0.9495	0.9259	0.9222	0.9126
## F1	0.9592	0.9479	0.9022	0.8910
## Prevalence	0.0990	0.1080	0.0900	0.1030
## Detection Rate	0.0940	0.1000	0.0830	0.0940
## Detection Prevalence	0.0970	0.1030	0.0940	0.1080
## Balanced Accuracy	0.9731	0.9613	0.9551	0.9485