Artificial Neural Networks

K NEAREST NEIGHBORS

Description:

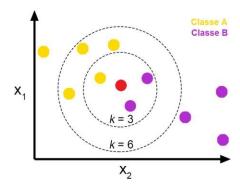
- K-Nearest Neighbors is one of the simplest supervised machine learning algorithms used for classification.
- It is an algorithm that stores all the available data and classifies a new data point based on the similarity. This means when new data appears then it can be easily classified into a good suite category by using K- NN algorithm.
- It is an algorithm that can be used for Regression as well as for Classification but it is mostly used for Classification problems.
- It is a non-parametric algorithm, which means it does not make any assumptions about underlying data.
- It is also called a lazy learner algorithm because it does not learn from the training set immediately instead it stores the dataset and at the time of classification, it performs an action on the dataset.

How does KNN work?

We usually use Euclidean distance to calculate the nearest neighbor. If we have two points (x, y) and (a, b). The formula for Euclidean distance (d) will be

$$d = sqrt((x-a)^2+(y-b)^2)$$

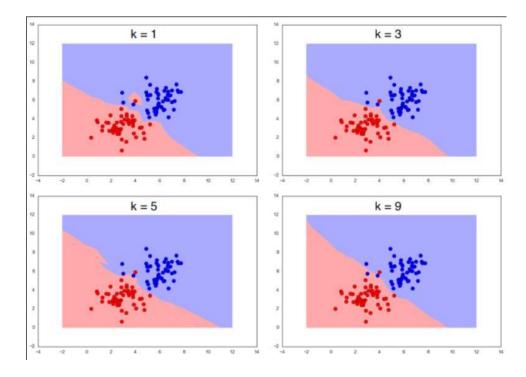
- Load the data
- Initialize K to your chosen number of neighbors
- For each example in the data
- Calculate the distance between the query example and the current example from the data. Add the distance and the index of the example to an ordered collection. Sort the ordered collection of distances and indices from smallest to largest (in ascending order) by the distances
- Pick the first K entries from the sorted collection
- Get the labels of the selected K entries
- If regression, return the mean of the K labels
- If classification, return the mode of the K labels



Real-life Applications:

K-nearest neighbor has a lot of applications in machine learning because of the nature of the problem which is solved by a k-nearest neighbor. In other words, the problem of the k-nearest neighbor is fundamental and it is used in a lot of solutions.

- The KNN algorithm is one of the most popular algorithms for text categorization or text mining.
- It can also be used in finance for forecasting the stock market, checking on the currency exchange rates, and bank bankruptcy
- It is widely used in the field of medicine as well, to predict whether a patient, can be hospitalized due to a heart attack, and estimate the amount of glucose in the blood of a diabetic person, and so on



Advantages of KNN:

- The algorithm is simple and easy to implement.
- There's no need to build a model, tune several parameters, or make additional assumptions.
- The algorithm is versatile. It can be used for classification, regression, and search (as we will see in the next section)

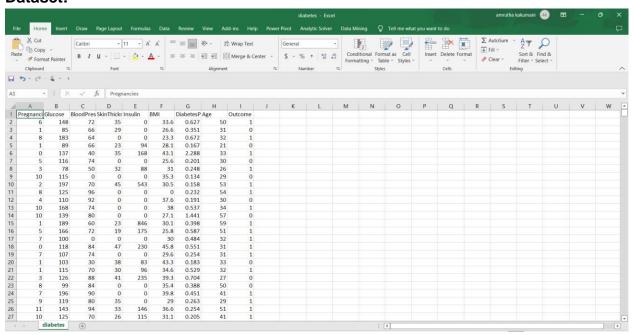
Disadvantages of KNN:

- Accuracy depends on the quality of the data.
- With large data, the prediction stage might be slow.
- Sensitive to the scale of the data and irrelevant features.
- Require high memory need to store all of the training data.

Aim:

Classification of given Diabetes dataset using the K-nearest neighbor algorithm.

Dataset:



KNN Algorithm:

A detailed version of the algorithm can be found in pseudo-code:

Nearest-neighbor algorithm

a) A pseudo code for the nearest neighbor algorithm is

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ALGORITHM Nearest-neighbor (D[1...n,1...n],s)

//Input: A n \times n distance matrix D[1...n,1...n] and an index s of the starting city.

//Output: A list Path of the vertices containing the tour is obtained.

for i \leftarrow 1 to n do Visited [i] \leftarrow false

Initialize the list Path with s

Visited [s] \leftarrow true

Current \leftarrow s

for i \leftarrow 2 to n do

Find the lowest element in row current and unmarked column j containing the element.

Current \leftarrow j

Visited [j] \leftarrow true

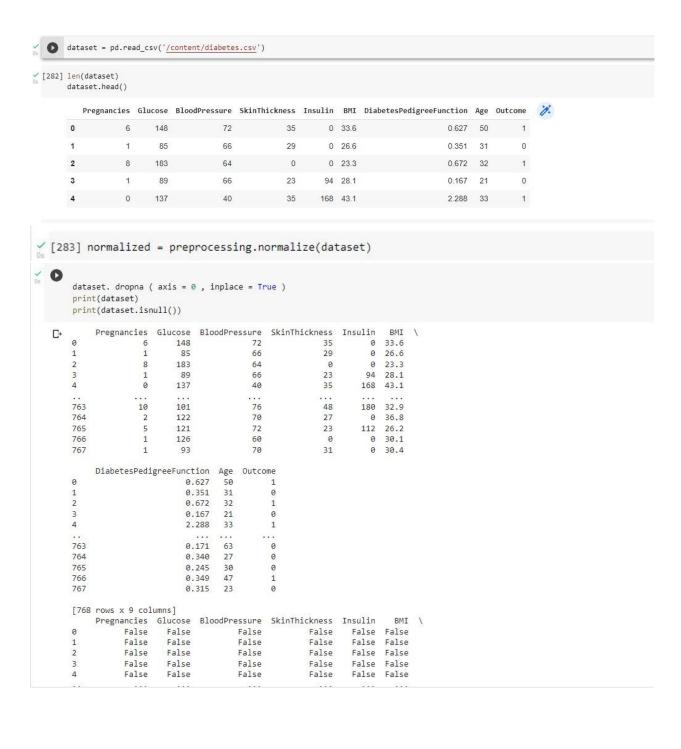
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Add s to the end of list Path

return Path
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Code:



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cols = list(df_vis.columns)
cols_df=cols[1:]
                                plt.figure(figsize=(15,40))
for i in range(len(cols_df)):
    plt.subplot(8,3,i+1)
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plt.hist(df_vis[cols_df[i]])
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/ [288] # Replace zeroes
      zero_not_accepted = ['Glucose', 'BloodPressure', 'SkinThickness', 'BMI', 'Insulin']
      for column in zero not accepted:
         dataset[column] = dataset[column].replace(0, np.NaN)
         mean = int(dataset[column].mean(skipna=True))
dataset[column] = dataset[column].replace(np.NaN, mean)
# split dataset
      X = dataset.iloc[:, 0:8]
      y = dataset.iloc[:, 8]
      X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, random_state=0, test_size=0.2)
    print(len(X_train))
         print(len(y_train))
         print(len(X_test))
         print(len(y_test))
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[291] #Feature scaling
         sc_X = StandardScaler()
         X_train = sc_X.fit_transform(X_train)
         X_{\text{test}} = sc_X.transform(X_{\text{test}})
[312] # Define the model: Init K-NN
        classifier = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=11, p=6,metric='euclidean')
classifier.fit(X_train, y_train)
        KNeighborsClassifier(metric='euclidean', n_neighbors=11, p=6)
/ [314] # Predict the test set results
        y_pred = classifier.predict(X_test)
        y_pred
        \mathsf{array}([1,\ 0,\ 0,\ 1,\ 0,\ 0,\ 1,\ 1,\ 0,\ 0,\ 1,\ 0,\ 0,\ 0,\ 1,\ 0,\ 0,\ 0,\ 1,\ 0,
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✓ [315] # Evaluate Model
        cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
        print (cm)
        [[94 13]
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   print(accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred))
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References:

Dataset: https://drive.google.com/file/d/1RjsIN7snjzcZpiFfA0WQddNMRhmzKq6/view?usp=sharing Content: https://neptune.ai/blog/knn-algorithm-explanation-opportunities-limitations https://www.ibm.com/docs/en/ias?topic=procedures-k-nearest-neighbors-knn https://towardsdatascience.com/machine-learning-basics-with-the-k-nearest-neighborsalgorithm-6a6e71d01761