

# **Machine Learning**

Weekly Project Report

## Quantcats

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# Tasks Performed: Week 5

- o1 KNN
- **02** XG Boosting
- **o3** Stacking Models



#### 1. KNN

The KNN algorithm assumes that similar things exist in close proximity. In other words, similar things are near to each other.

This algorithm can be used for classification and regression. For stock performance prediction, we deal with all the continuous variable, Thus KNN-Regression is suitable for this Problem definition. We found MSE using KNN Algorithm and defined elbow function to find the appropriate value of K.

```
#importing KNN classifier and metric Flscore
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsRegressor as KNN
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error as mse

[] # Creating instance of KNN
reg = KNN(n_neighbors = 11)

# Fitting the model
reg.fit(train_x, train_y)

# Predicting over the Train Set and calculating MSE
test_predict = reg.predict(test_x)
k = mse(test_predict, test_y)
print('Test MSE ', k)

Test MSE 12957498854.792038
```



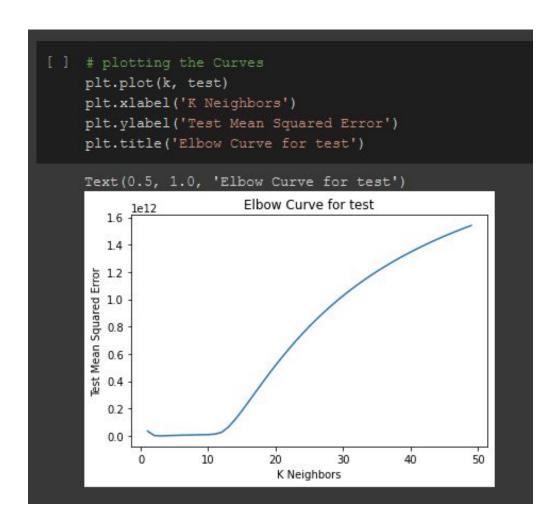
#### Elbow for Classifier

```
[] def Elbow(K):
    #initiating empty list
    test_mse = []

#training model for evey value of K
for i in K:
    #Instance of KNN
    reg = KNN(n_neighbors = i)
    reg.fit(train_x, train_y)
    #Appending mse value to empty list claculated using the predictions
    tmp = reg.predict(test_x)
    tmp = mse(tmp, test_y)
    test_mse.append(tmp)

return test_mse

[] # Defining range of K
    k = range(1,50)
```



According to the elbow curve, here we select the value of K. (in first case, K=3 and in second case, K=4.

```
[ ] # Creating instance of KNN
    reg = KNN(n neighbors = 3)
    # Fitting the model
    reg.fit(train x, train y)
    # Predicting over the Train Set and calculating F1
    test predict = reg.predict(test x)
    k = mse(test predict, test y)
    print('Test MSE ', k)
    Test MSE 267279773.0723721
[ ] # Creating instance of KNN
    reg = KNN(n neighbors = 2)
    # Fitting the model
    reg.fit(train x, train y)
    # Predicting over the Train Set and calculating F1
    test predict = reg.predict(test x)
    k = mse(test predict, test y)
    print('Test MSE ', k)
                 2274296617.1312137
    Test MSE
```

KNN works by finding the distances between a query and all the examples in the data, selecting the specified number examples (K) closest to the query, then votes for the most frequent label (in the case of classification) or averages the labels (in the case of regression).

#### **XG** Boosting



XGBoost is a decision-tree-based ensemble Machine Learning algorithm that uses a gradient boosting framework. We have used XGBClassifier library and have applied this on numeric fields in our dataset. Input values are standardized using StandardScaler library.

```
# split data into train and test sets
seed = 7
test_size = 0.10
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, test_size=test_size, random_state=seed)
```

Decision trees reach to level 10 to reach this accuracy

```
[45]: y_pred = model.predict(X_test)
predictions = [round(value) for value in y_pred]

[46]: # evaluate predictions
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, predictions)
print("Accuracy: %.2f%%" % (accuracy * 100.0))

Accuracy: 48.44%

[47]: y_pred = model.predict(X_train)
predictions = [round(value) for value in y_pred]
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_train, predictions)
print("Accuracy: %.2f%%" % (accuracy * 100.0))

Accuracy: 89.34%
```

#### **Model Stacking**



This algorithm involves building a meta-model based on prediction outputs of other different models. In our implementation, we have stacked lasso, random forest and gradient boosting algorithms.

#### Outcomes

## Accuracy scores

- K-nearest neighbours
- XG Boosting
  - Train accuracy: 89%
  - Test accuracy: 48%
- Model Stacking : 49%

# **Upcoming Week**

**01** K fold cross validation

