

Data Preprocessing

- Data Preprocessing is preparation of data to be ready for the processing itself.
 - Change format
 - Change datatype
 - Resolve a problem
 - Change in data itself
 - Add something
 - remove/reduce something

Some Issues

- Missing
- Error in data
- Unreasonable data
- Huge amount of data
- Very high dimensionality
- Very wide range of numeric data
- Unneeded data
- Unneeded features





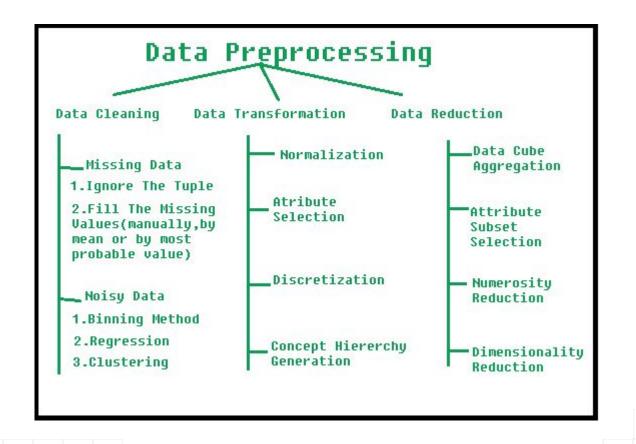
Data Preprocessing in DS Model

Collection -> Understanding -> Preprocessing -> Modeling

Garbage in = Garbage out

• It take 40-80% of project time

Complete preprocessing may be pusher of model accuracy





- Data Cleaning
- Data Transformation
- Data Reduction

Data Cleaning

- Related to fixing problem/error in the data
- Like: missing, errors, faults, noisy, unreasonable

Data Transformation

- Related to
 - Data be appropriate for DS task
 - Best formating
 - May used for enhancing performance (accuracy)
- Like: datatype conversion, change numeric range

Data Reduction

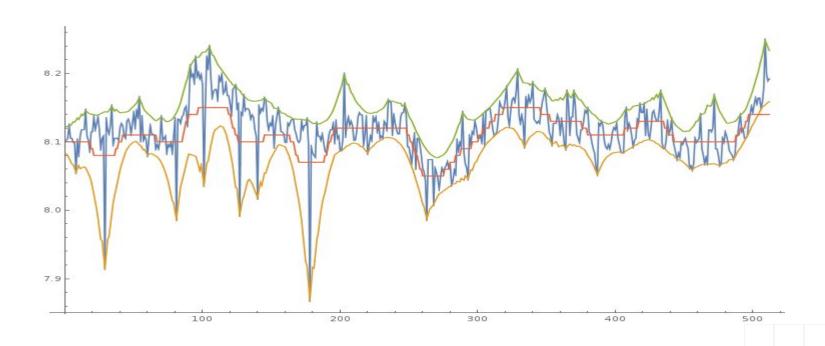
- Related to
 - Reduction of data size, on row or column level
 - May be use to improve efficiency (time or space performance)
- Like: sampling, feature reduction

Example - Missing Data

ID	Color	Weight	Broken	Class
1	Black	80	Yes	1
2	Yellow	100	No	2
3	Yellow	120	Yes	2
4	Blue	90	No	2
5	Blue	85	No	2
6	?	60	No	1
7	Yellow	100	?	2
8	?	40	?	1

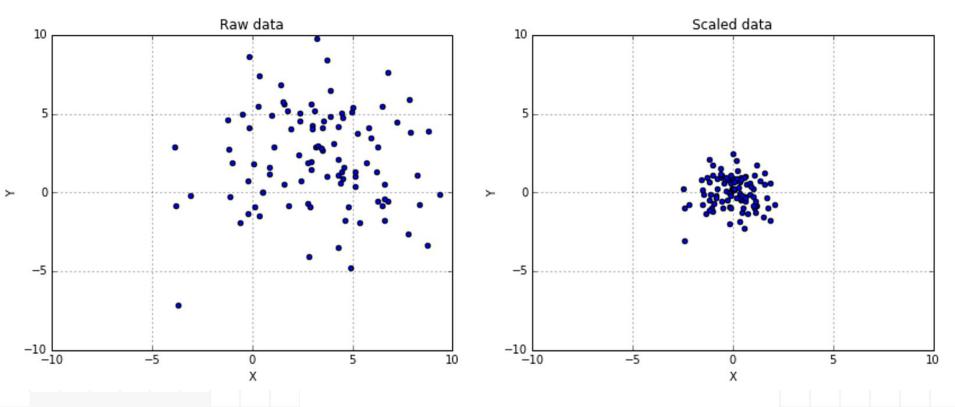


Example - Noise Data





Example - Normalization



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Good Resources

- (Book) Feature Engineering and Selection: A Practical Approach for Predictive Models (Chapman & Hall/CRC Data Science Series)
- (Webpage)

https://www.geeksforgeeks.org/data-preprocessing-in-data-mining

Any Questions





Thank You!



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