MSBD 6000B Deep Learning Project 1

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1. Pre-processing

We have totally 57 features. For first 53 features, there are a lot of samples are '0's, and only a few of them have some non-zero numbers. I use these 53 features directly because I could not distinguish the noises or outliers with such a few information. However, most of the samples are non-zero for the last three features. I choose to scale them with mean 0 and variance 1:

```
# Pre-process data
train[:, 54:57] = preprocessing.scale(train[:, 54:57], axis = 0)
test[:, 54:57] = preprocessing.scale(test[:, 54:57], axis = 0)
```

2. Algorithm

2.1 Key idea:

Build three best-performed models and combine them together to predict the test data. I choose the majority classification result among the classification results by these three models as the final result.

- 2.2 Detailed algorithm:
- (1) Load data from the .csv files and save them as matrix.
- (2) Pre-process data.
- (3) Split initial train data as new train data and validation data.
- (4) Use AdaBoost based on Decision Tree to build the model1 and compute the accuracy for model1.
- (5) Use Random Forest Classifier to build the model2 and compute the accuracy for model2.
- (6) Use Multilayer Perceptron Classifier to build model3 and compute the accuracy

for model3.

- (7) Ensemble model1, model2 and model3 to predict the validation data and compute the ensembled accuracy
- (8) Ensemble model1, model2 and model3 to predict the test data
- (9) Save the prediction of the test data into a .csv file

3. Result

3.1 Console output:

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In [99]: runfile('E:/HKUST/Deep Learning/Project 1/
project1.py', wdir='E:/HKUST/Deep Learning/Project 1')
AdaBoost Classifier: 0.939130434783
RandomForest Classifier: 0.942857142857
MLPClassifier Classifier: 0.946583850932
Ensemble previous models: 0.9515527950310559
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3.2 File output:

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