

Homework 3 (Due the May 12th)

To develop a system deployed on large industrial campuses, in shopping malls, etc., to help people to navigate a complex, unfamiliar interior space without getting lost. GPS works fairly reliably outdoors, but it generally doesn't work well in indoor spaces. Instead, "WiFi fingerprinting" uses Machine learning approaches to determine a mobile device user's location in indoor environments. Specifically, Wifi fingerprinting uses the signals from multiple wifi hotspots within the building to determine location.

1. Read the paper Torres-Sospedra, Montoliu, Martínez-Usó, Avariento, Arnau, Benedito-Bordonau, and Huerta (2014)
2. Download the large database of wifi fingerprints for a multi-building industrial campus with a location (building, floor, and location ID) associated with each fingerprint: <https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/ujiiindoorloc>
3. Read Potortì, Barsocchi, Girolami, Torres-Sospedra, and Montoliu (2015) and develop a machine learning model to produce a localization solution for observations in the validation dataset (i.e. 1,111 observations). Provide accuracy measure of your solution. Tip: for simplicity, you want to use RSSI (i.e. signal strength measurements of high dimensions) to predict locations (i.e. Building ID, Floor, Longitude, Latitude).

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