Week 1-1 ML Strategy: Orthogonalization, Evaluation Metric, Train/Dev/Test Distributions

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Motivating example













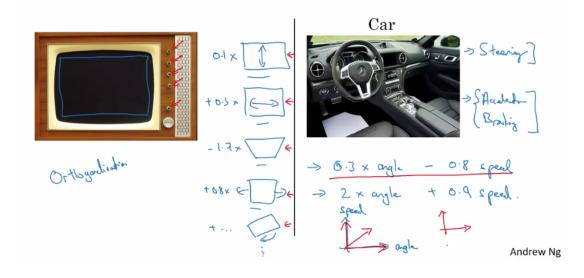
Ideas:

- · Collect more data
- · Collect more diverse training set
- Train algorithm longer with gradient descent
- · Try Adam instead of gradient descent
- · Try bigger network
- · Try smaller network

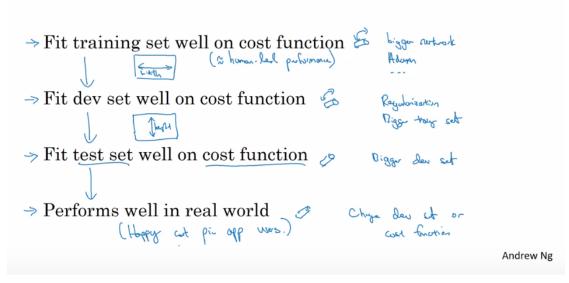
- · Try dropout
- Add L₂ regularization
- · Network architecture
 - Activation functions
 - # hidden units
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Orthogonalization

TV tuning example

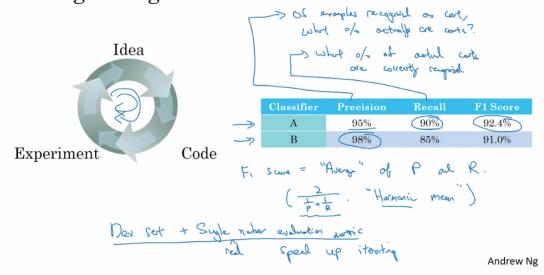


Chain of assumptions in ML

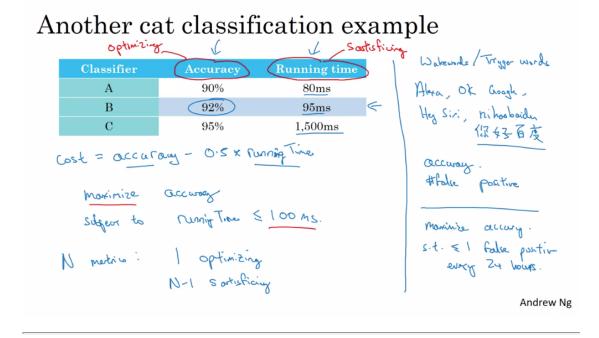


Single number evaluation metric

Using a single number evaluation metric

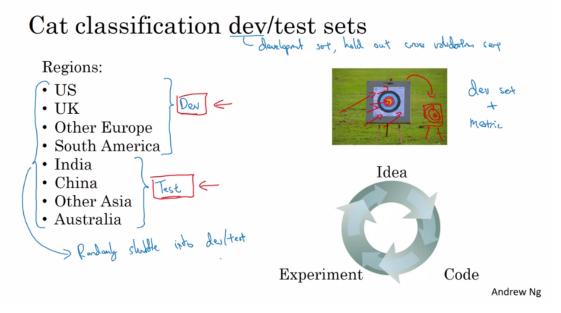


Satisfiying and Optimizing Metric



Train/Dev/Test Distributions

Wrong:



True story (details changed)

Optimizing on dev set on loan approvals for medium income zip codes

× -> y (repay loan?)

Tested on low income zip codes

~ 3 month



Guideline

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Choose a dev set and test set to reflect data you expect to get in the future and consider important to do well on.

5. After setting up your train/dev/test sets, the City Council comes across another 1,000,000 images, called the "citizens' data". Apparently the citizens of Peacetopia are so scared of birds that they volunteered to take pictures of the sky and label them, thus contributing these additional 1,000,000 images. These images are different from the distribution of images the City Council had originally given you, but you think it could help your algorithm.

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Notice that adding this additional data to the training set will make the distribution of the training set different from the distributions of the dev and test sets.

Is the following statement true or false?

"You should not add the citizens' data to the training set, because if the training distribution is different from the dev and test sets, then this will not allow the model to perform well on the test set."

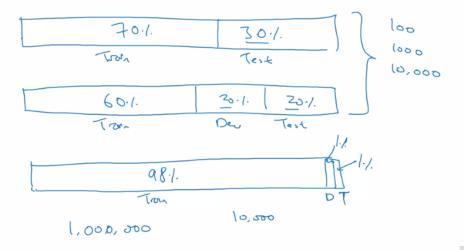
True

○ False

Incorrect

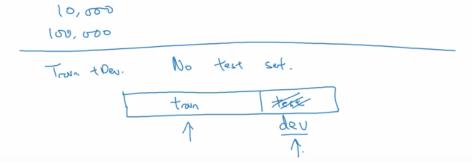
True is incorrect: Sometimes we'll need to train the model on the data that is available, and its distribution may not be the same as the data that will occur in production. Also, adding training data that differs from the dev set may still help the model improve performance on the dev set. What matters is that the dev and test set have the same distribution.

Old way of splitting data



Size of test set

→ Set your test set to be big enough to give high confidence in the overall performance of your system.



When to change matrics and dev/test set

Cat dataset examples

Motor + Der : Prefu A Youlusers : Prefu B.

→ Metric: classification error

Algorithm A: 3% error

✓ Algorithm B: 5% error

Another example

Algorithm A: 3% error

✓ Algorithm B: 5% error ←



If doing well on your <u>metric + dev/test</u> set does not correspond to doing well on your application, change your metric and/or dev/test set.

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