

Data Mining Project Guidelines

Steps to run the project

This file provides instructions on how to configure, compile, and execute the Python code for **Accent Recognition using Mel Frequency Cepstral Coefficients and Supervised Learning Algorithms A Comparative Study**.

Requirements:

- Python 3.7+
- TensorFlow
- Keras
- Pandas
- NumPy
- Scikit-learn
- Seaborn
- Matplotlib

Installation:

1. Install all required libraries using pip:
pip install tensorflow keras pandas numpy scikit-learn seaborn matplotlib
2. Download the dataset:
<https://archive.ics.uci.edu/dataset/518/speaker+accent+recognition>.
Ensure you have access to the CSV file named accent-mfcc-data-1.csv.

Configuration:

1. Edit the code to specify the path to the accent-mfcc-data-1.csv file:

```
df = pd.read_csv('/path/to/accent-mfcc-data-1.csv')
```

Adjust hyperparameters for the chosen models:

- Decision Tree Classifier
- K-nearest Neighbors Classifier
- Support Vector Machine
- Neural Network
- Random Forests

Compilation:

1. Open a terminal or command prompt or Open the Jupyter Notebooks (**Accent_Recognition.ipynb**) in your preferred environment.
2. Alternatively, you can Navigate to the directory containing the Python script and run (**Accent_Recognition.py**) directly.
3. If using Run Jupyter Notebook:
 - 3.1 Run Jupyter Notebook from the terminal: `jupyter notebook`
 - 3.2 Open the **Accent_Recognition.ipynb** file and run each cell sequentially. Or run the direct command to compile and execute the code

Execution:

1. The code will perform the following tasks:
 - Import necessary libraries.
 - Load the dataset.
 - Perform data preprocessing and exploration.
 - Train and evaluate different models for accent classification.
 - Plot visualizations of results
2. The output will include:
 - Model accuracy scores
 - Confusion matrices
 - ROC curves
 - Other relevant metrics and visualizations