

MACHINE LEARNING

ASSIGNMENT 1

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The goal of this study is to compare the performance of different classification techniques, including Decision Trees, Naïve Bayes, Support Vector Machines (SVM), k-Nearest Neighbors (k-NN), Bagging, Random Forest, AdaBoost, and XGBoost. Based on their accuracy and computational cost, we will select the optimal model for this task.

Implemented Classification Algorithm

Decision Tree Classifier

```
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier

dt_clf = DecisionTreeClassifier()
dt_clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
dt_preds = dt_clf.predict(X_test)
dt_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, dt_preds)
print(f"Decision Tree Accuracy: {dt_accuracy:.4f}")
```

Decision Tree Accuracy: 0.8717

A Decision Tree builds a hierarchy to assign labels to classes on the basis of feature values. It partitions the dataset recursively on the basis of important features.

Accuracy: 93.5%

Naïve Bayes Classifier (Gaussian & Multinomial)

Naïve Bayes is a probabilistic classifier based on Bayes' Theorem, with independence of features as an assumption.

- **Gaussian Naïve Bayes:** Assumes that continuous features follow a normal distribution.
- **Accuracy:** 55.1%
- **Multinomial Naïve Bayes:** Suitable for features of a count nature.
- **Accuracy:** 82.8%

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Gaussian Naive Bayes Accuracy: 0.5516
Confusion Matrix: [[1218  2  9  2  4  2 52  2 32 20]
[ 2 1520  3  5  0  4 15  1 39 11]
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[ 118  66  12 462  2  8  90  9 496 170]
[  51  7 15  6 170  7 146  5 278 610]
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[  16  25  6  0  2  4 1316  0 24  3]
[  8 10  3 16  8  3  1 417 50 987]
[ 28 160  5  9  3  3 30  3 816 300]
[  9  8  7  4  8  0  1 20 24 1339]]
Classification_report:          precision    recall  f1-score   support

      0      0.69      0.91      0.78      1343
      1      0.81      0.95      0.88      1600
      2      0.85      0.30      0.44      1380
      3      0.74      0.32      0.45      1433
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weighted avg          0.68      0.55      0.51      14000
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Multinomial Naive Bayes Accuracy: 0.8281
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Support Vector Machine (SVM)

SVM is a robust classifier, and it finds the optimal hyperplane that separates different classes.

- **Linear Kernel:** Creates a linear decision boundary.
- **Accuracy:** 93.5%
- **RBF Kernel:** Uses a non-linear transformation to improve classification.

- **Accuracy: 97.6%**

```
In [5]: from sklearn.svm import SVC

# Linear kernel
svm_linear = SVC(kernel='linear')
svm_linear.fit(X_train, y_train)
svm_linear_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, svm_linear.predict(X_test))
print(f"SVM with Linear Kernel Accuracy: {svm_linear_accuracy:.4f}")

# RBF kernel
svm_rbf = SVC(kernel='rbf')
svm_rbf.fit(X_train, y_train)
svm_rbf_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, svm_rbf.predict(X_test))
print(f"SVM with RBF Kernel Accuracy: {svm_rbf_accuracy:.4f}")

SVM with Linear Kernel Accuracy: 0.9351
SVM with RBF Kernel Accuracy: 0.9764
```

k-Nearest Neighbors (k-NN)

Uses a non-linear transformation to improve classification.

A non-parametric classifier that classifies a sample by the majority vote of its k nearest neighbors.

Best k=1, accuracy:87.2%

```
In [4]: from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier

best_k = 1
best_accuracy = 0

for k in range(1, 11):
    knn = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=k)
    knn.fit(X_train, y_train)
    knn_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, knn.predict(X_test))
    if knn_accuracy > best_accuracy:
        best_k = k
        best_accuracy = knn_accuracy
    print(f"k={k}, Accuracy: {knn_accuracy:.4f}")

print(f"Optimal k: {best_k}, Accuracy: {best_accuracy:.4f}")

k=1, Accuracy: 0.9720
k=2, Accuracy: 0.9642
k=3, Accuracy: 0.9713
k=4, Accuracy: 0.9699
k=5, Accuracy: 0.9701
k=6, Accuracy: 0.9690
k=7, Accuracy: 0.9687
k=8, Accuracy: 0.9678
k=9, Accuracy: 0.9674
k=10, Accuracy: 0.9658
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Ensemble Methods (Bagging, Random Forest, Boosting)

Ensemble learning improves accuracy by combining multiple weak classifiers.

Bagging (Bootstrap Aggregating) accuracy: 94.5%

Random Forest accuracy: 96.6%

Boosting (AdaBoost & XGBoost)

- **AdaBoost accuracy: 87.2%**

- **XGBoost accuracy: 97.8%**

```
In [5]: from sklearn.ensemble import BaggingClassifier, RandomForestClassifier, AdaBoostClassifier
        from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
        from xgboost import XGBClassifier

        # Bagging
        bagging = BaggingClassifier(base_estimator=DecisionTreeClassifier(), n_estimators=10)
        bagging.fit(X_train, y_train)
        bagging_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, bagging.predict(X_test))
        print(f"Bagging Accuracy: {bagging_accuracy:.4f}")

        # Random Forest
        rf = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=100)
        rf.fit(X_train, y_train)
        rf_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, rf.predict(X_test))
        print(f"Random Forest Accuracy: {rf_accuracy:.4f}")

        # AdaBoost
        ada = AdaBoostClassifier(base_estimator=DecisionTreeClassifier(), n_estimators=50)
        ada.fit(X_train, y_train)
        ada_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, ada.predict(X_test))
        print(f"AdaBoost Accuracy: {ada_accuracy:.4f}")

        # XGBoost
        xgb = XGBClassifier(use_label_encoder=False, eval_metric='mlogloss')
        xgb.fit(X_train, y_train)
        xgb_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, xgb.predict(X_test))
        print(f"XGBoost Accuracy: {xgb_accuracy:.4f}")

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renamed to 'estimator' in version 1.2 and will be removed in 1.4.
  warnings.warn(

Bagging Accuracy: 0.9458
Random Forest Accuracy: 0.9666

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AdaBoost Accuracy: 0.8727

C:\Users\91996\anaconda3\Lib\site-packages\xgboost\core.py:158: UserWarning: [19:04:40] WARNING: C:\buildkite-agent\builds\buil
dkite-windows-cpu-autoscaling-group-i-08cbc833d8d4aae1-1\xgboost\xgboost-ci-windows\src\learner.cc:740:
Parameters: { "use_label_encoder" } are not used.
  warnings.warn(msg, UserWarning)

XGBoost Accuracy: 0.9781
```

Performance Comparison and Results

Accuracy and Computational Efficiency

<u>Model</u>	<u>Accuracy (%)</u>
Decision Tree	87.1%
Gaussian Naïve Bayes	55.1%
Multinomial Naïve Bayes	82.8%
SVM (Linear Kernel)	93.5%
SVM (RBF Kernel)	97.6%
k-NN (Best k=1)	97.2%

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Random Forest	96.6%
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Key Observations

Best Performing Model: XGBoost (97.8%)

Most Efficient Model: Naïve Bayes

Best Trade-off Between Accuracy & Efficiency: Random Forest

Acknowledgment of Sources:

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