Xiaoyu Liu

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Education

University of Wisconsin Madison — Madison, WI
Master of Science in Data Science (GPA: 3.81/4.00) — *Sept 2020 - Jan 2022*

Hunan University — Changsha, China
Bachelor of Science in Statistics — *Sept 2016 - Jun 2020*

Internship Experience

Data Mining Intern — Jun 2020 – Aug 2020
Saint Gobain — *Shanghai, China*

- Construct ETL process.
- Extract manufacturing data through mining and clawing methods from reports in Python.Complement data wrangling and transformation.
- Develop pipeline to integrate newly collected data with history data and store in Oracle automatically.

Data Analysis Intern — Dec 2019 – May 2020
Lufax — *Shanghai, China*

- Develop function of abnormal detection on time series data to automatically produce detection report.
- Implement retention analysis function and funnel analysis function with Python.
- Develop function to extract data from database using SQL.
- Participate in designing website for data warehouse managing.

Competitions and Related Personal Projects

Streaming Data Analysis Dashboard Development | *Spark+Kafka+Airflow+AWS* — Mar 2021 –

- Set up Kafka topic and feed raw twitter JSON data into Kafka cluster from Twitter API.
- Preprocess data from Kafka using Spark SQLtext. Store data with AWS S3.
- Apply sentiment analysis and topic analysis to streaming data with user defined function and LDA in Spark.
- Deploy above analysis tasks with Airflow.
- Develop dashboard showing EDA of hashtags with Python dash.

Test Answer Prediction(Kaggle top 18%) | *Python* — Dec 2020 – Jan 2021

- https://www.kaggle.com/xiaoyuliu123123/lightgbm-sakt
- Preprocess the historic performance of over 100 million students in Riiid lab and the metadata about the questions and the lectures. Create features on user-level and content-level.
- Transform and group tags using truncated SVD.
- Predict the probability of answering correctly using LightGBM.
- Predict the accuracy of answer in Self-Attentive-Knowledge-Tracing model.
- Embed the prediction using bagging method. Reach accuracy of 0.785.

Jane Street Market Prediction(Kaggle Silver Medal) | *Python* — Jan 2021 –

- https://www.kaggle.com/xiaoyuliu123123/xgboost-mlp-for-beginners
- Analyze real stock market data larger than 5GB with billions samples.
- Carry out exploratory analysis and preprocess numerical values with feature scaling.
- Tune hyperparameters of max-depth and learning-rate in XGBoost and train data with cross validation to avoid overfitting.
- Build Autoencoder and Multilayer Perceptron.Embed the prediction from XGBoost and MLP. Reach accuracy of 0.702.

Natural Language Processing with Twitter Data | *Python+R* — Nov 2020 – Dec 2020

- https://github.com/XiaoyuLiu198/NLP
- Data set include 50000 twitter comments.Preprocess with tokenization and delete stopwords.
- Build MLP model with word2vec embedding layer, dense layer with activation function and dropout layer to classify the comment into positive or negative group.
- Develop analysis dashboard with Rshiny, including visualization with bar plot and topic analysis with LDA.
- Test the result using classification metrics. Accuracy of classification is 0.802

Technical Skills

Languages: Python, SQL, Scala, Java
Software and System: R, SAS, Tableau, Linux, Spark, AWS
Libraries: matplotlib, ggplot, sklearn, tensorflow, pytorch, keras, dplyr, tidyverse, pandas, numpy