

# MLJ Workshop

Resources: [github.com/ablaom/MLJTutorial](https://github.com/ablaom/MLJTutorial)

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- A toolbox providing a **uniform interface** for **fitting**, **evaluating** and **tuning** machine learning models.
- Provides common **preprocessing tasks** (such as data cleaning and type coercion )
- Allows for model **composition** (e.g., pipelining)

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- Start-of-the-art **model composition** that plays well with everything else.
- Meta-algorithms (e.g., tuning) are model wrappers

# How to entertain your kids at home - the case for MLJ



3 models dinosaurs + 15 user contributed  
models

We **support** you in building your snake powered train!



# Workshop Overview

- Recap of supervised and unsupervised learning
- Preview of model composition (stacking)
- Part 1 - **Data Representation** + exercises
- Part 2 - **Selecting, Training and Evaluating Models** + exercises
- Break
- Part 3 - **Transformers and Pipelines** + exercises
- Part 4 - **Tuning hyper-parameters** + exercises
- Part 5 - **Advanced model composition** (time permitting)

# Supervised Learning

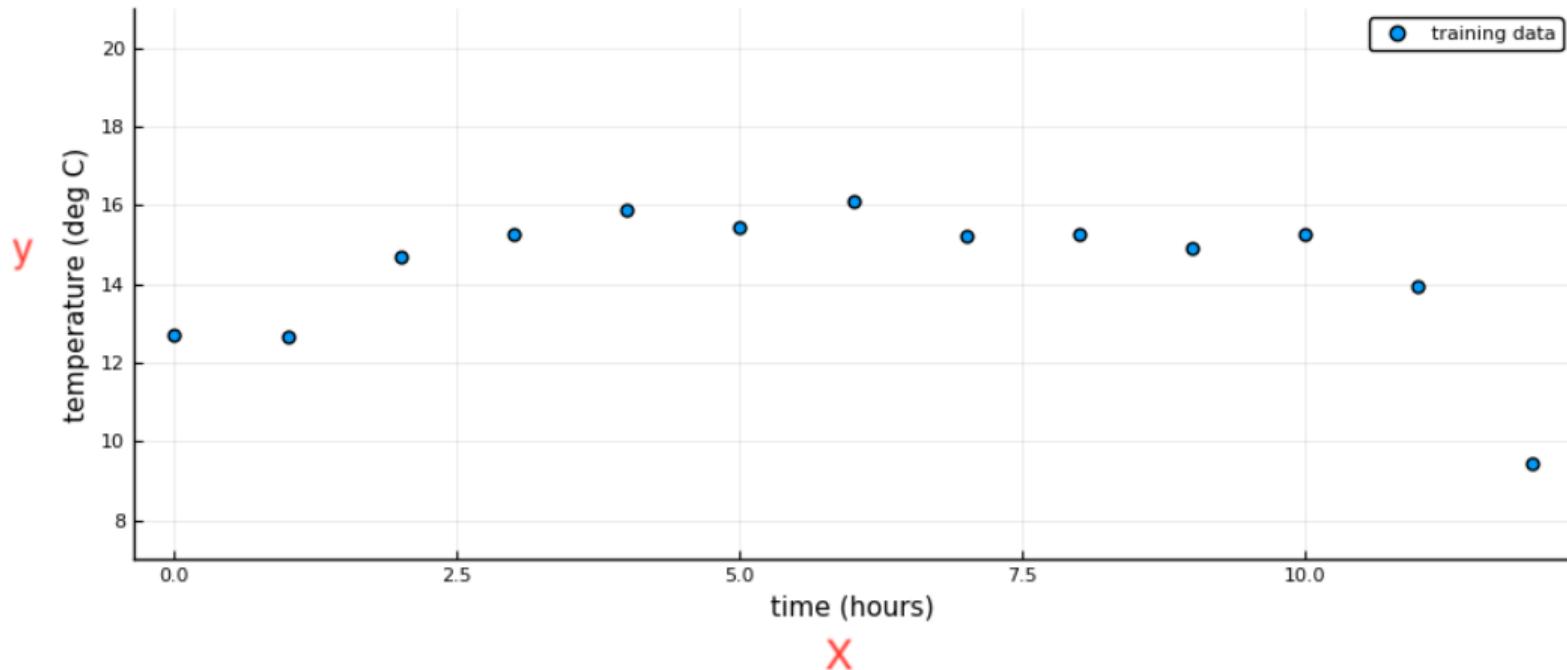
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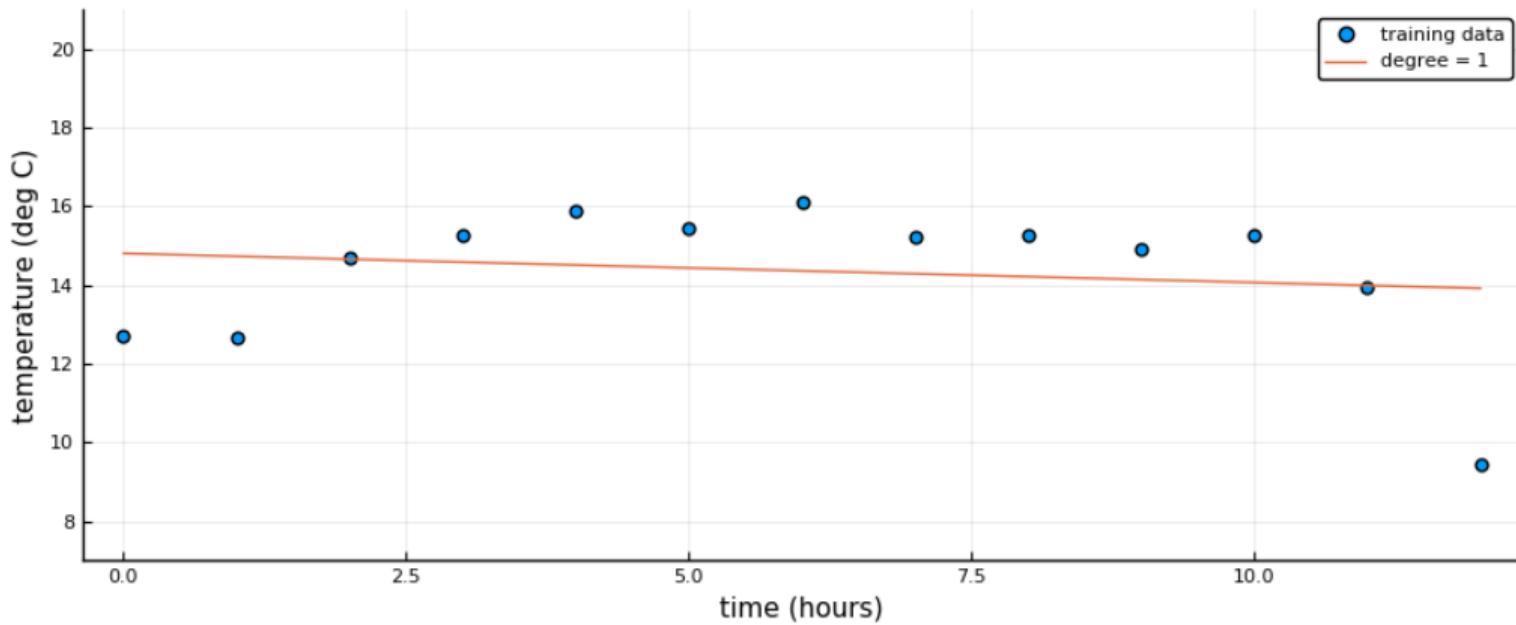
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X		y
time	room	temperature
5	kitchen	18.5
5	bathroom	18.3
5	bedroom_1	18.3
5	living_room	17.4
6	kitchen	16.6
6	bathroom	20.7
6	bedroom_1	18.9
6	living_room	20.2
7	kitchen	20.4
7	bathroom	19.9
7	bedroom_1	16.2
7	living_room	17.3

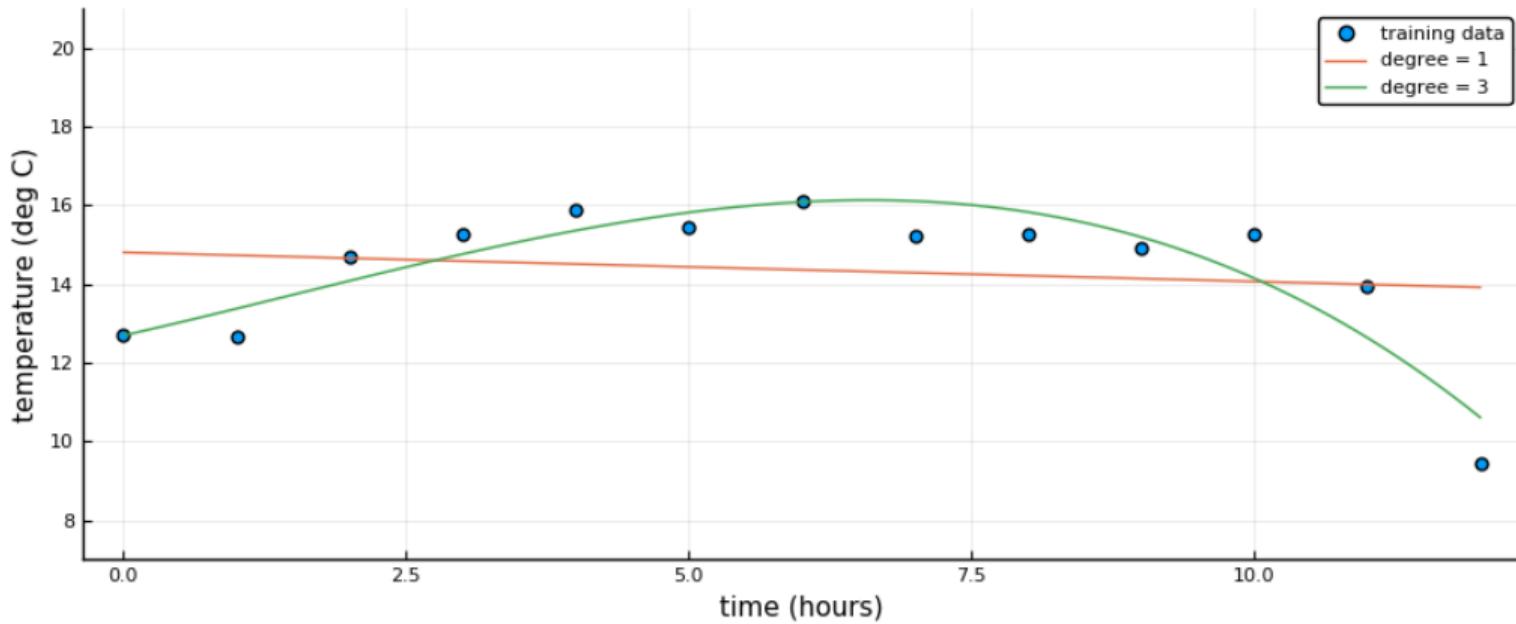
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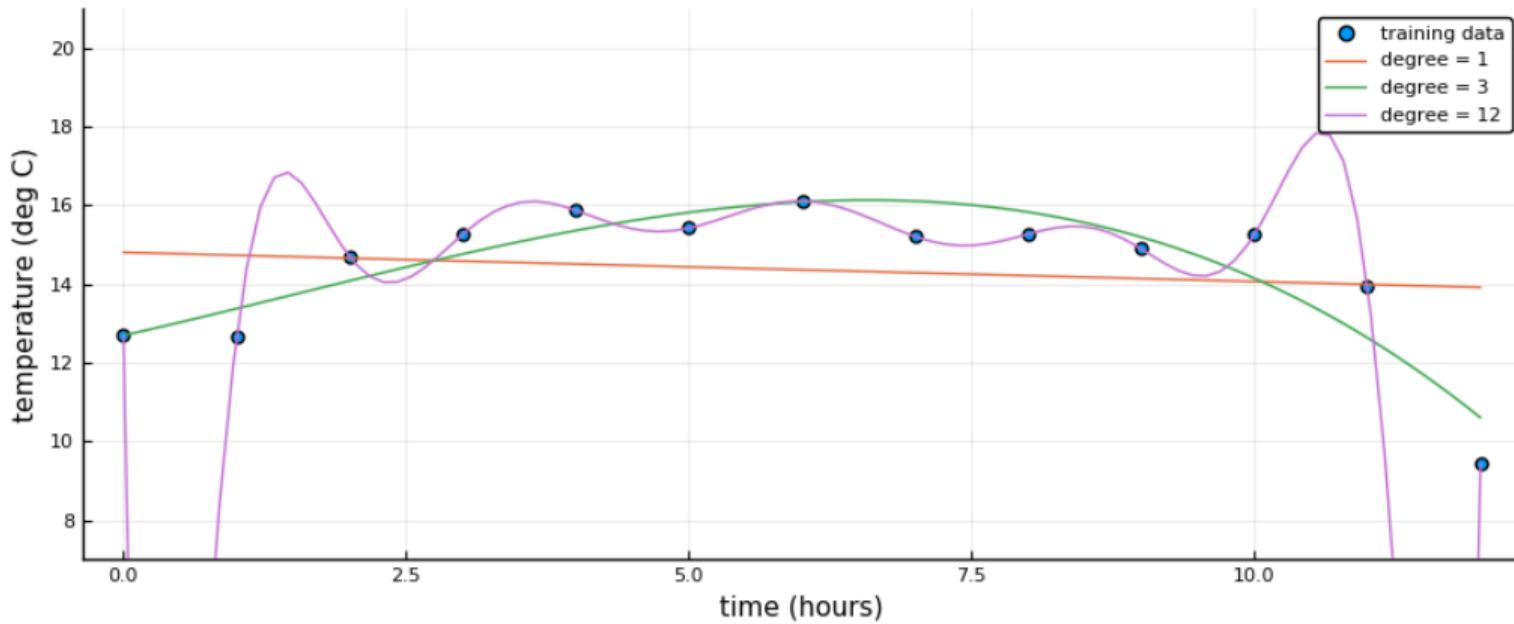
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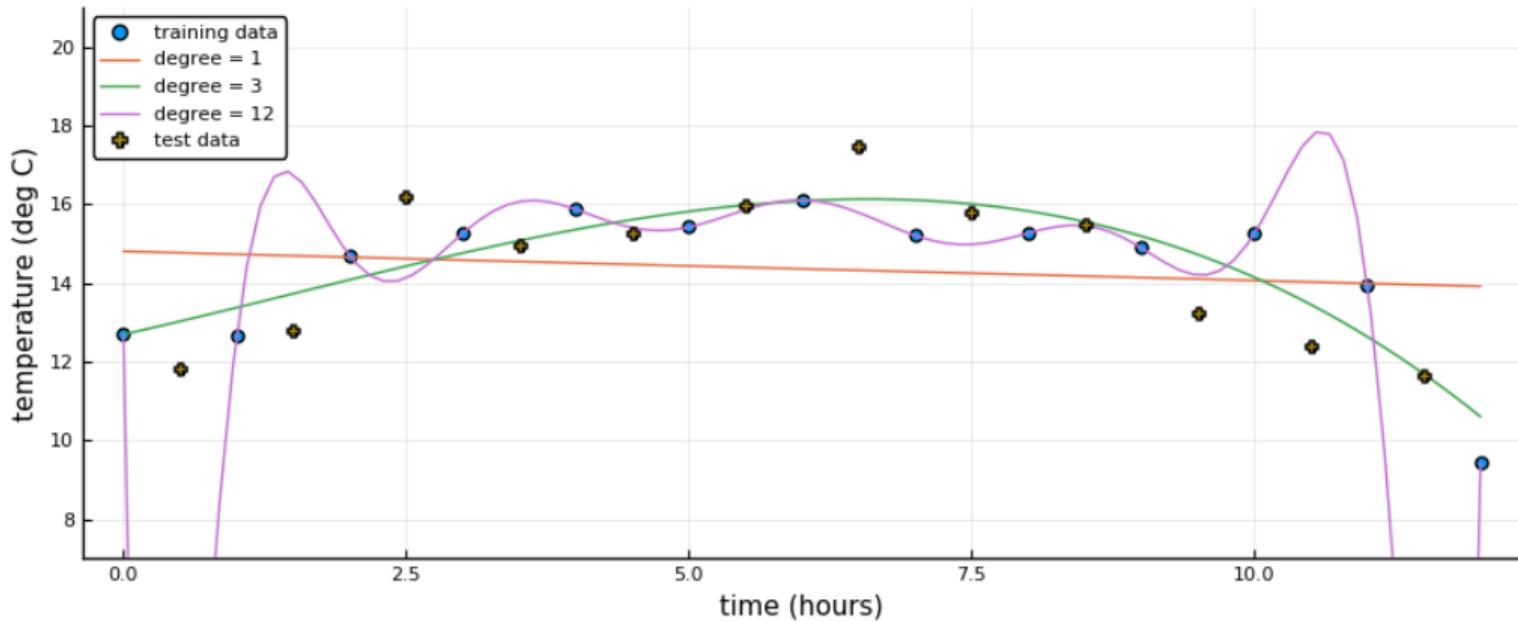
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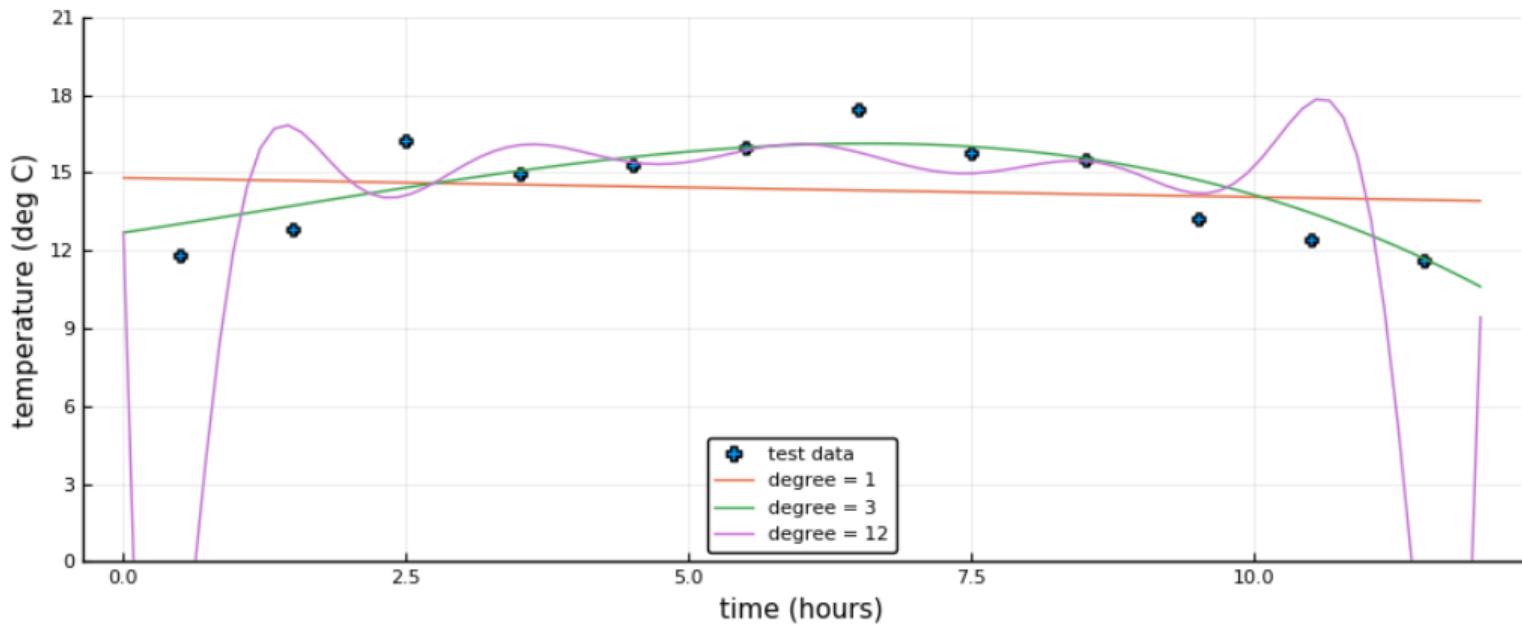
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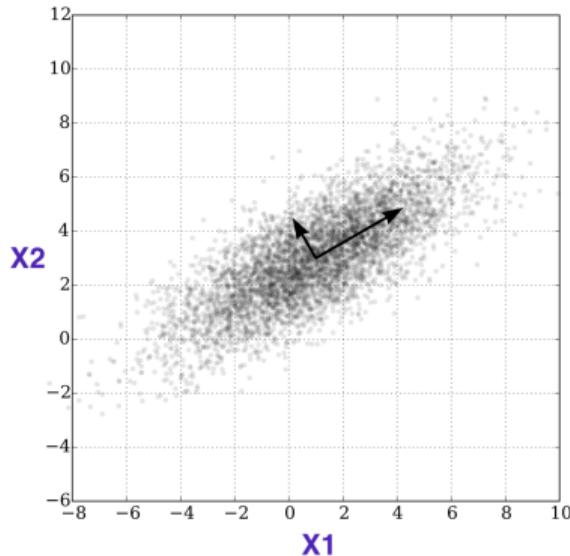


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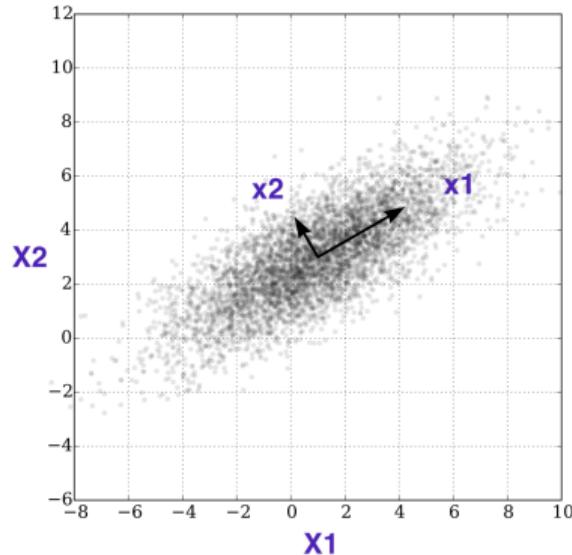
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# Data science competitions (kaggle)

**IEEE-CIS Fraud Detection**  
Can you detect fraud from customer transactions?  
  
IEEE Computational Intelligence Society · 707 Teams · 2 months to go 2 months to go until merge deadline

Overview Data Kernels Discussions Leaderboard Rules Join Competition

**Public Leaderboard** **Private Leaderboard**

This leaderboard is calculated with approximately 20% of the test data.  
The final results will be based on the other 80%, so the final standings may be different.

Raw Data Refresh

In the money Gold Silver Bronze

#	Team Name	Kernel	Team Members	Score ⚡	Entries	Last
1	MingLiwei			0.9482	5	2h
2	Michael Jahnne			0.9478	10	5h
3	TUW			0.9466	20	1h
4	[ods.ai] SinisterThree			0.9463	19	6h
5	José Pedro Peinado			0.9460	12	1d
6	3 LLamas			0.9455	10	5h
7	AL			0.9433	11	1d
8	THLUO			0.9432	7	7h
9	Aleksandr Koslapov			0.9431	20	4h
10	Li-Der			0.9431	19	1h
11	Raghavendra Singh			0.9430	17	2h
12	QayyamEl			0.9429	3	1d
13	Team Data			0.9428	15	2h
14	Patrick Chan			0.9427	11	2h
15	less			0.9426	11	4h
16	AndreaToacher			0.9424	10	10h

**Recursion Cellular Image Classification**  
CellSignal: Disentangling biological signal from experimental noise in cellular images  
  
Recursion Pharmaceuticals · 469 Teams · 2 months to go 13 days to go until merge deadline

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**Public Leaderboard** **Private Leaderboard**

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The final results will be based on the other 78%, so the final standings may be different.

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#	Team Name	Kernel	Team Members	Score ⚡	Entries	Last
1	[ods.ai] OndrejLerma			0.864	41	1d
2	gold diggers			0.864	81	12h
3	yu4e			0.690	13	16m
4	[attention heads] - shmyshko			0.694	61	1d
5	Dawid			0.672	34	5h
6	taski			0.668	9	6d
7	rapidaul			0.634	60	3h
8	Double strand			0.630	36	10h
9	mandarinente			0.620	34	7h
10	Road to NeuIPSG			0.616	46	3d
11	Kirill Brodt (ahad nsk)			0.586	5	3d
12	-			0.586	25	10h
13	janning			0.573	41	10h
14	MikhailPapkov			0.564	5	18m
15	Konstantin Loshkin			0.560	56	1d

**Jigsaw Unintended Bias in Toxicity Classification**  
Detect toxicity across a diverse range of conversations  
  
Jigsaw/Conversation AI · 2,846 teams · 6 day ago

Overview Data Kernels Discussions Leaderboard Rules Late Submissions

**Public Leaderboard** **Private Leaderboard**

This is a Kernel Competition with two stages. The public leaderboard represents scores on the stage 1 test set. Your final private leaderboard score and ranking will be determined in stage 2, when selected kernels are re-run on a withheld private test set. For more information, review the details provided on the Description page.  
This competition has completed. This leaderboard reflects the final standings.

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#	pub	Team Name	Kernel	Team Members	Score ⚡	Entries	Last
1	→ 2622	[ods.ai] Toxicology			0.94734	2	1d
2	→ 2449	Linerider (XIEURB)			0.94720	2	1d
3	→ 2584	F.I.U.S.D.Y			0.94707	2	23d
4	→ 2150	COMBAT WOMBAT			0.94706	2	1d
5	→ 2624	vecxox			0.94683	2	1d
6	→ 2409	yurikr			0.94678	2	1d
7	→ 2470	[DSU] (kaggle-ja) PTFAP			0.94660	2	23d
8	→ 2298	Gishen Ha			0.94660	2	1d
9	→ 2416	Kaz&Kan			0.94650	2	1d
10	→ 2393	Harness the beasts (国語)			0.94649	2	23d
11	→ 2331	tosa_tobis			0.94635	2	1d
12	→ 2056	AAA Team			0.94634	2	1d
13	→ 2403	zhengtian			0.94633	2	1d

# Installing the tutorials

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