

Ensembling

Practice Quiz, 4 questions

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1.

What is the purpose of ensembling?

- ☐ To make your solution look mighty
- ☒ To compensate errors of one model by other models

Correct

Correct! If models make mistakes on different test samples, ensemble will have higher overall quality

- ☐ To learn about overfitting by trial-and-error



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2.

Does ensembling always lead to a better quality?

- ☐ Yes, always
- ☐ No, almost never
- ☒ No, but quite often

Correct

Correct! This is why almost every winning solution uses ensembling

Which of the following machine learning techniques can potentially be the best?

☒ Stacking of diversified models

Correct

Yes, potentially stacking is the most powerful technique

☐ Gradient boosting of k-NN models

☐ Bagging of decision trees with max_depth=100

☐ Linear regression

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4.

Which class of models can be used as a base model in gradient boosting?

☒ Linear model

Correct

Of course, for example, Xgboost contains implementation of boosting over logistic regressions.

☒ Decision Tree

Correct

Of course, for example, GBDT boosts over decision trees.

☒ Neural Net

Correct

Of course, it is possible, but not widely used. For example, you can use AdaBoost to do this.

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