Lecture 1: "The Machine Learning Landscape"

Learning Outcome

- You know the basic terminology in Machine Learning
- You can talk about issues in the Machine Learning domain
- You have a good overview about the Machine Learning algorithms

Book Chapter

Please read the *Chapter 1* **"The Machine Learning Landscape"** and answer the following Questions.

Keep in mind: If you answer these questions and write a detailed summary, you won't need to read these chapters again while preparing for the exam

Questions

- 1. Where do you face Machine Learning today?
- 2. What is Machine Learning?
- 3. What is the 'training set'?
- 4. What is the 'training data'?
- 5. How do we measure performance?
- 6. Why is it beneficial to use ML?
- 7. What does 'data mining' mean?
- 8. What types of Machine Learning systems can you classify?
- 9. Describe the four major categories shortly and point out the most important algorithms (supervised learning, unsupervised learning, semisupervised learning, Reinforcement Learning)
- 10. What is Batch and Online Learning?
- 11. What is Instance-Based and Model-Based Learning?
- 12. What are common problems with Machine Learning algorithms and datasets?
- 13. How can we do Testing and Validating?
- 14. What does the No Free Lunch theorem state?
- 15. Also do the exercises at the end of the chapter.

Homework Assignment

Draw a MindMap (using Pen&Paper, Powerpoint or https://coggle.it) with the term "Machine Learning" in the middle.

Try to include the terms:

- Classification
- Unsuperivsed Learning
- DBSCAN
- Mini-Batches
- Test-set