

Hyperparameters configuration

The hyperparameters for the model training and evaluation are defined in the following sections.

Change `config.json` hyperparameters section accordingly if needed.

Random seed

- `random_seed` (fixed)
 - Description: Seed for random number generators to ensure reproducibility.
 - Type: int
 - Value: 666

Elastic Net Hyperparameters

- `alpha` (tune)
 - Description: Constant that multiplies the penalty terms. Defaults to 1.0.
 - Type: float
 - Values: [0.1, 0.5, 1.0, 2.0, 5.0, 10.0]
- `l1_ratio` (tune)
 - Description: The ElasticNet mixing parameter, with $0 \leq l1_ratio \leq 1$. For `l1_ratio` = 0 the penalty is an L2 penalty. For `l1_ratio` = 1 it is an L1 penalty.
 - Type: float
 - Values: [0.0, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1.0]
- `max_iter` (fixed)
 - Description: The maximum number of iterations for the solver to converge.
 - Type: int
 - Value: 1000
- `tol` (fixed)
 - Description: The tolerance for the optimization.
 - Type: float
 - Value: 1e-4

Gradient Tree Boosting Hyperparameters

```
"GradiantTreeBoosting": {  
    "n_leaves": [3, 7, 15, 31, 63],  
  
    • n_leaves (tune)  
        – Description: The maximum number of leaves in one tree.  
        – Type: int  
        – Values: [3, 7, 15, 31, 63]
```

- **depth** (fixed)
 - Description: The maximum depth of each tree. Based on `n_leaves`.
 - Type: int
 - Values: [2, 3, 4, 5, 6] accordingly to `n_leaves`
- **learning_rate_lambda** (fixed)
 - Description: The learning rate shrinks the contribution of each tree by `learning_rate_lambda`. There is a trade-off between `learning_rate_lambda` and `n_estimators`.
 - Type: float
 - Value: 0.01
- **n_estimators** (fixed)
 - Description: The number of boosting stages to be run. (trees), will use early stopping.
 - Type: int
 - Value: 5000
- **column_sample_rate** (fixed)
 - Description: The fraction of columns to be randomly sampled for each tree.
 - Type: float
 - Value: $\text{sqrt}(\text{number of features}) / \text{number of features}$

Neural Network Hyperparameters

- **hidden_layers** (tune)
 - Description: The number of hidden layers in the neural network.
 - Type: int
 - Values: [1, 2, 3, 4, 5]
- **neurons_per_layer** (tune)
 - Description: The number of neurons in each hidden layer.
 - Type: int
 - Values: [16, 32, 64, 128, 256]
- **activation_function** (tune)
 - Description: The activation function to use in the hidden layers.
 - Type: str
 - Values: ['relu', 'tanh', 'sigmoid']
- **learning_rate** (tune)
 - Description: The learning rate for the optimizer.
 - Type: float
 - Values: [0.001, 0.01, 0.1]
- **batch_size** (tune)
 - Description: The number of samples per gradient update.
 - Type: int
 - Values: [16, 32, 64, 128]
- **epochs** (fixed)
 - Description: The number of epochs to train the model.
 - Type: int

- Value: 1000

Neural Network with Embeddings Hyperparameters

- `embedding_dims` (tune)
 - Description: The dimensions of the embedding layers for categorical features.
 - Type: int
 - Values: [4, 8, 16, 32]