

Guvi Data Science Project

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1 Project 1 : Kannada MNIST - Classification Problem

Problem Statement: This is an extension of classic MNIST classification problem. Instead of using Hindu numerals, let's use a recently-released dataset of Kannada digits. This is a 10 Class classification problem.

Kannada is a language spoken predominantly by people of Karnataka in southwestern India. The language has roughly 45 million native speakers and is written using the Kannada script. <https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Kannada>

Dataset can be downloaded from the link : <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/higgstachyon/kannada-mnist>.

All details of the dataset curation has been captured in the paper titled: Prabhu, Vinay Uday. "Kannada-MNIST: A new handwritten digits dataset for the Kannada language." <https://arxiv.org/abs/1908.01242>

Procedure:

1. Extract the dataset from the npz file from the downloaded dataset or from the web. There are 60000 images for training and 10000 images for test. Each image is of the size 28X28.
2. Perform PCA to 10 components. So now we have train and test images in 10 dimension instead of 28X28 dimension.
3. Now apply the following models:
 - Decision Trees
 - Random forest
 - Naive Bayes Model
 - K-NN Classifier
 - SVM

4. For each of this method produce the following metrics:
 - Precision, Recall, F1 - Score
 - Confusion Matrix
 - RoC - AUC curve
5. Try to repeat the same experiment for different component size : 15,20,25,30

2 Project 2 : Toxic Tweets Dataset : NLP Problem

This dataset has a collection of Tweets. Its labelled as Toxic - 1, Non toxic - 0. Apply the NLP methods to predict the toxicity of the tweets. Download the dataset from the following Kaggle Competition <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/ashwiniyer176/toxic-tweets-dataset>. All the credits to the original collectors.

Procedure:

1. Convert the CSV file to the panda data frame.
2. Convert the text to the following.
 - Bag of Words
 - TF-IDF
3. For the obtained features, apply the following methods of prediction.
 - Decision Trees
 - Random forest
 - Naive Bayes Model
 - K-NN Classifier
 - SVM
4. For each of this method produce the following metrics:
 - Precision, Recall, F1 - Score
 - Confusion Matrix
 - RoC - AUC curve