# Forward feature selection in high-dimensional dataset using MapReduce

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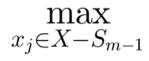




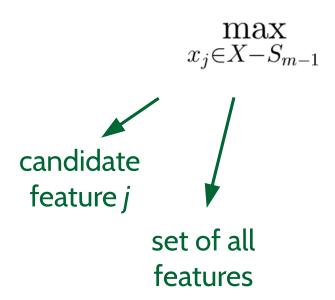


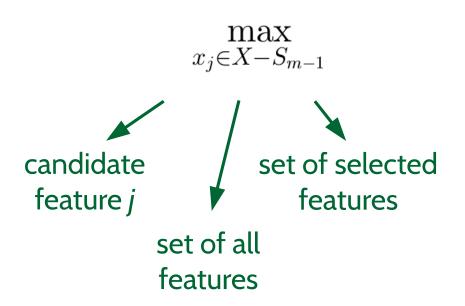










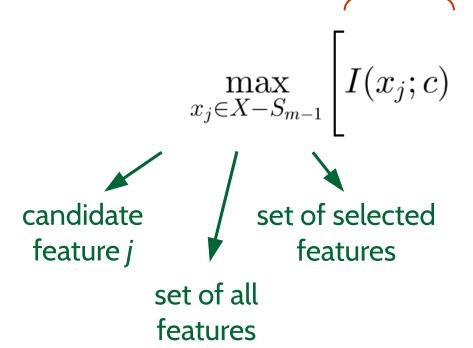


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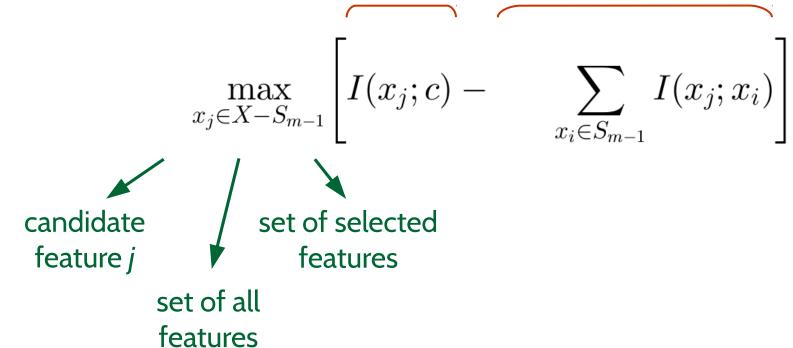
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minimal redundancy



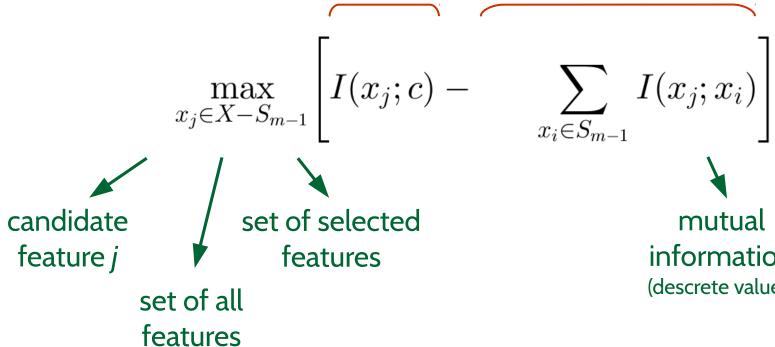
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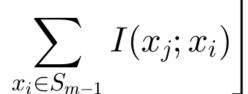
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mutual information (descrete values)

#### mRMR.

maximal

relevance minimal redundancy

$$\max_{x_j \in X - S_{m-1}} \left[ I(x_j; c) - \frac{1}{m-1} \sum_{x_i \in S_{m-1}} I(x_j; x_i) \right]$$
 candidate feature  $j$  set of selected mutual information

set of all

features

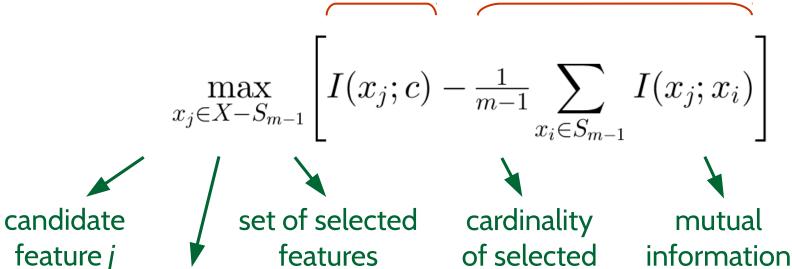
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features set

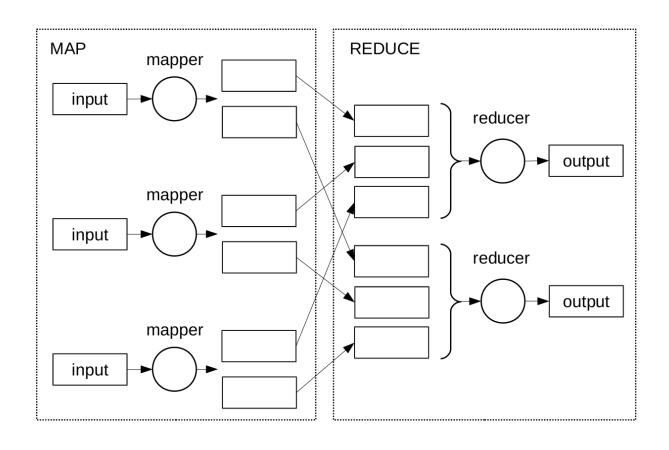
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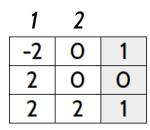


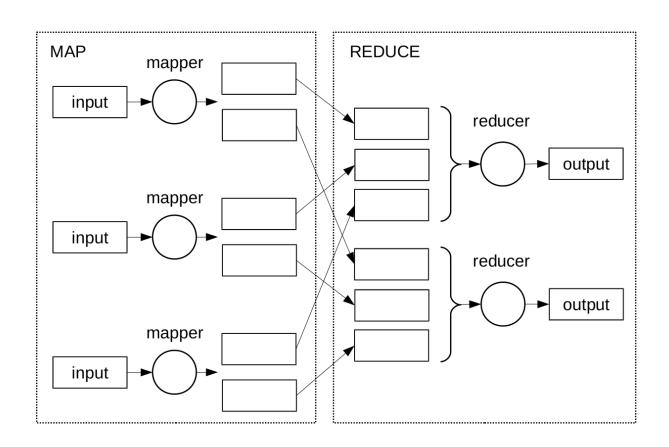
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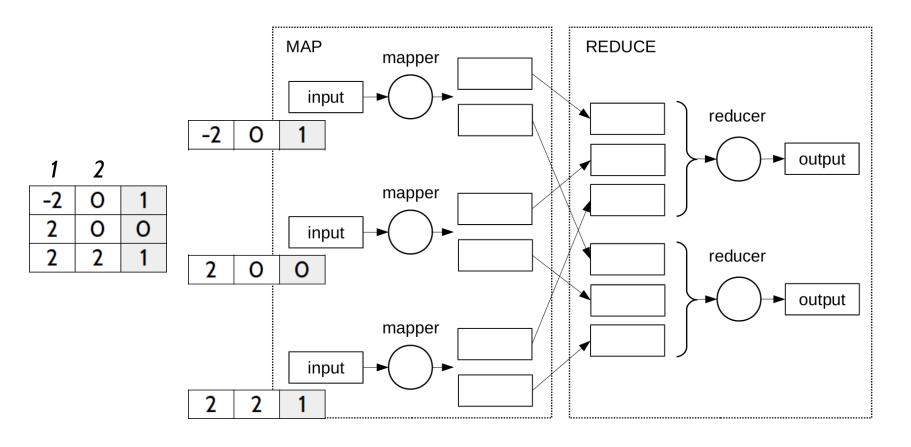
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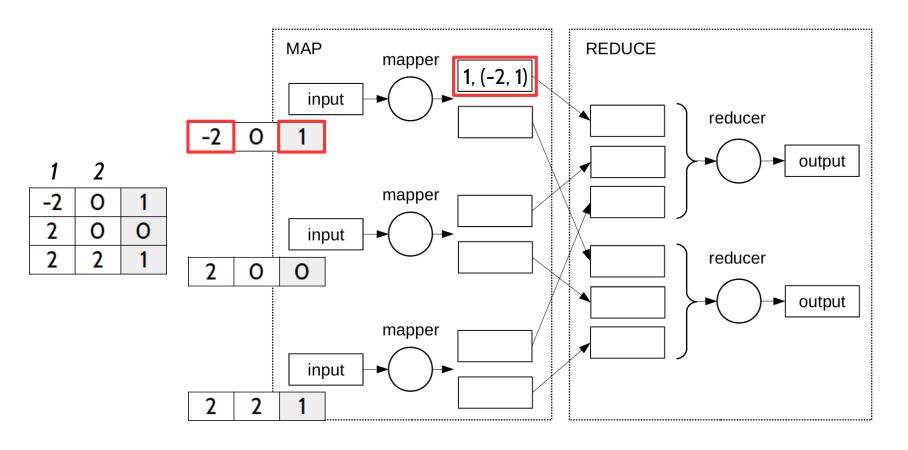
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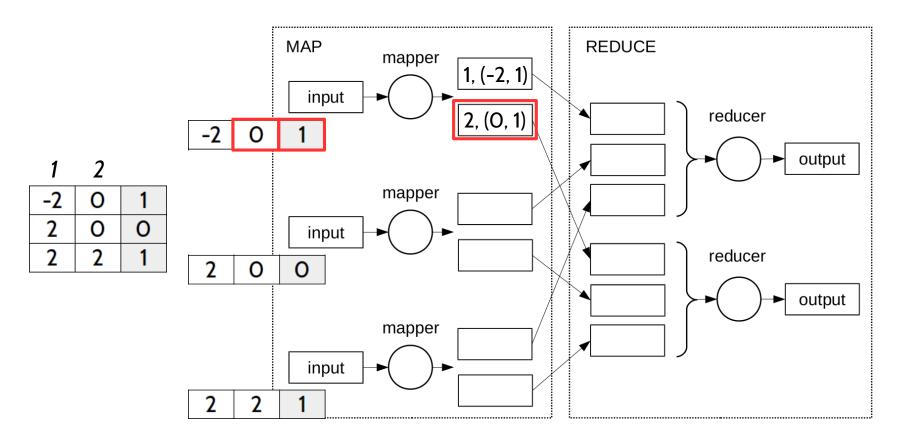


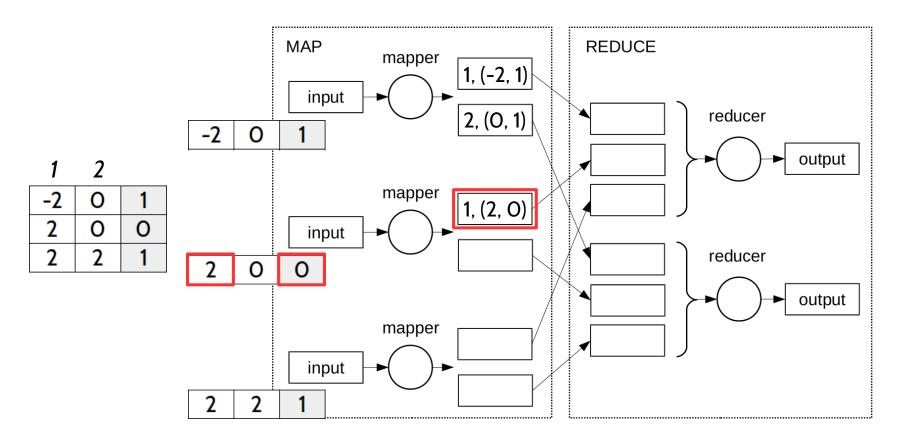


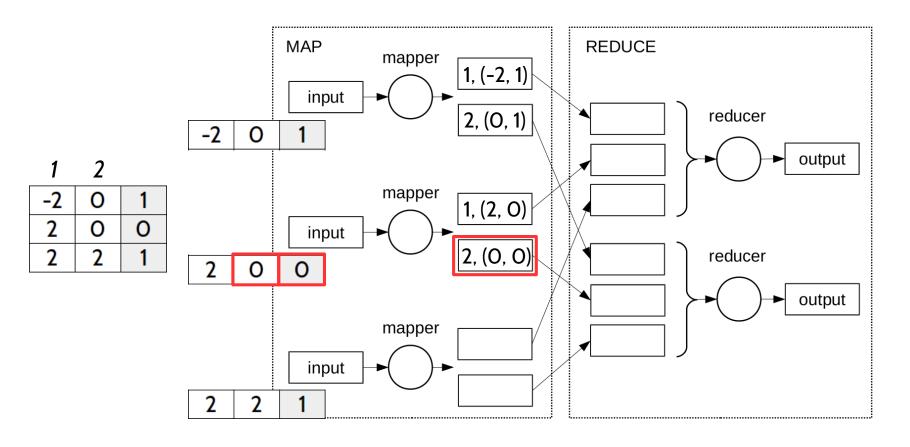


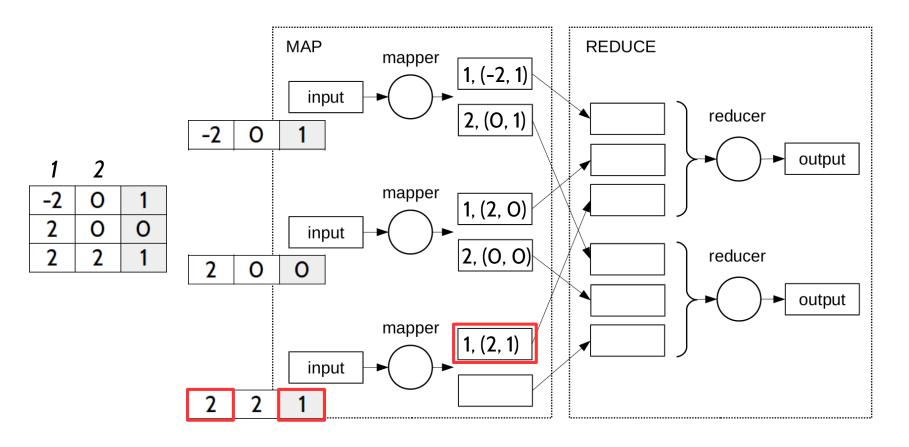


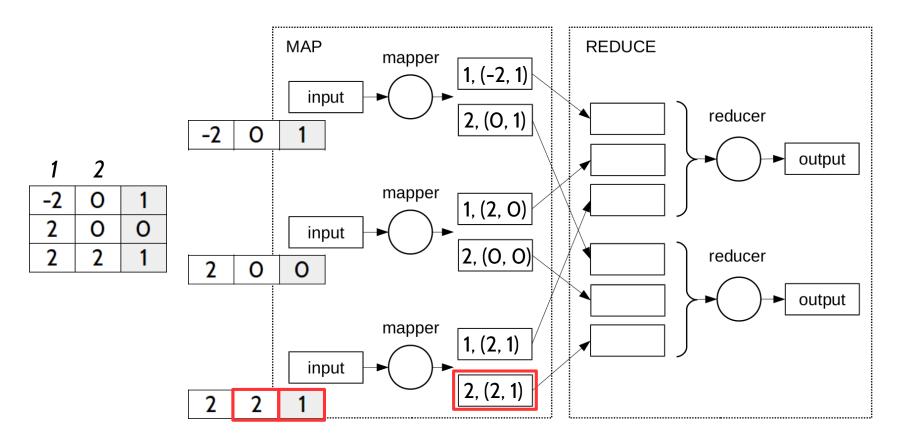


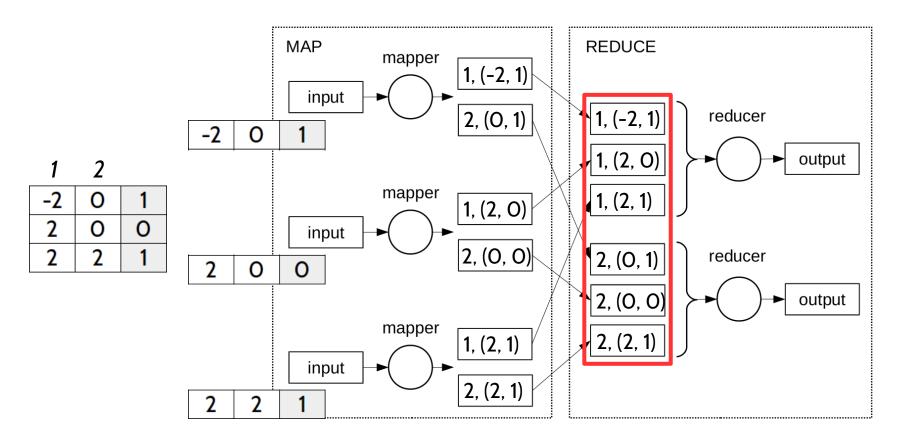


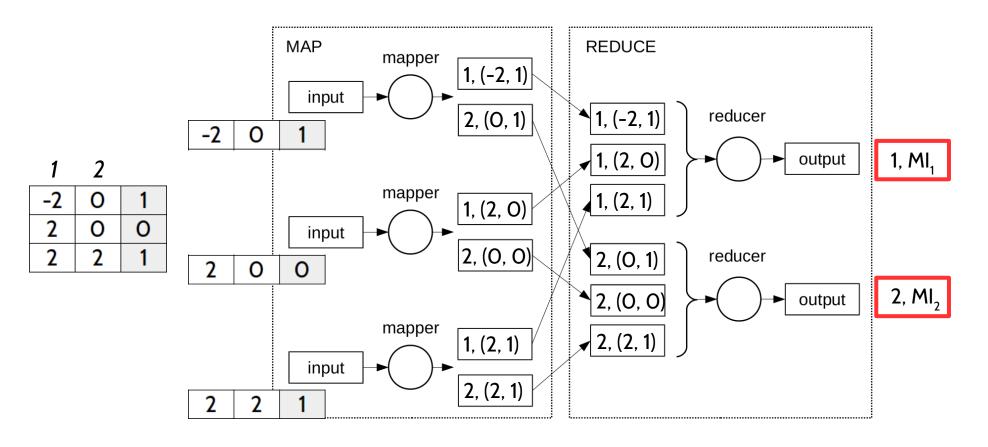


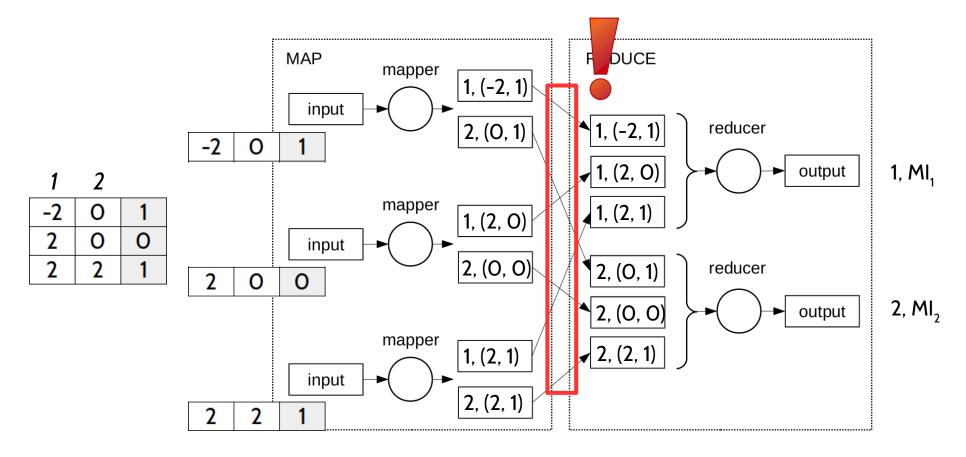












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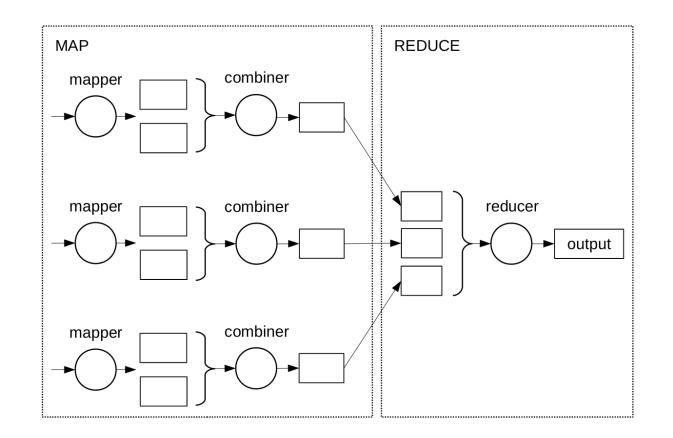
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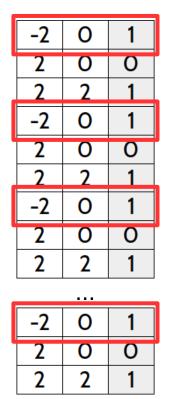
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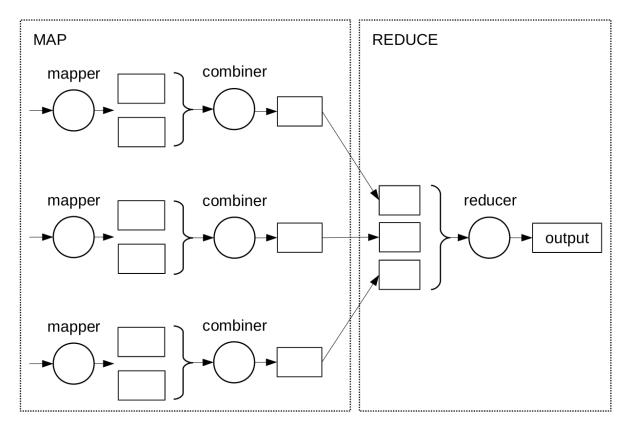
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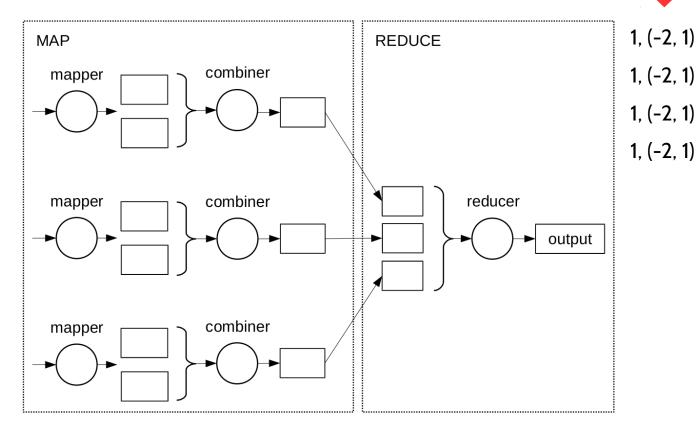


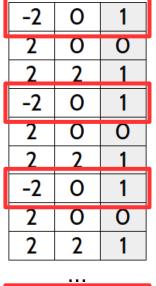


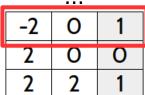


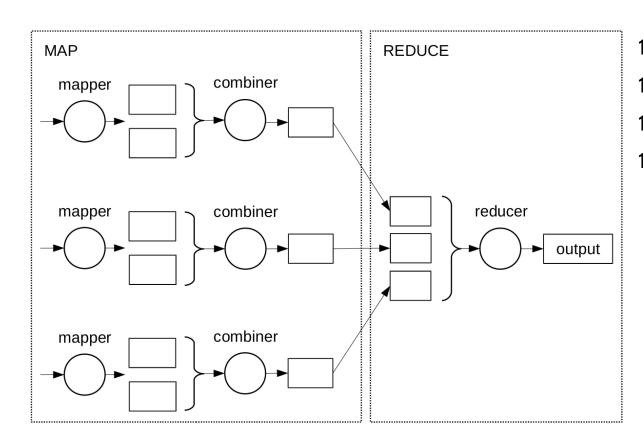
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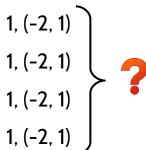






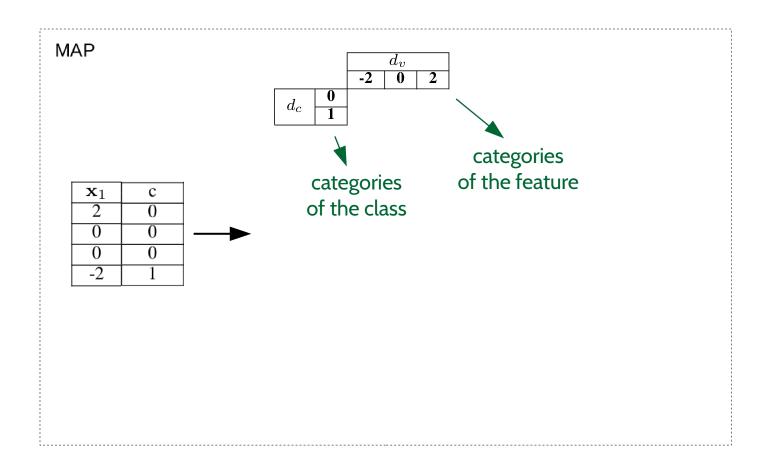


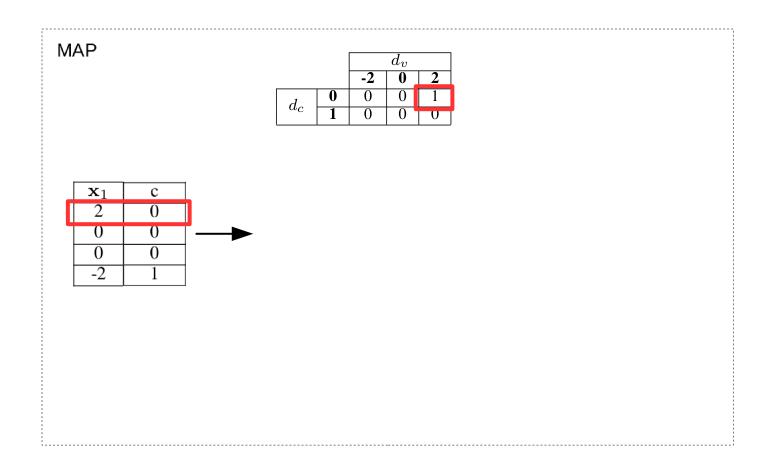


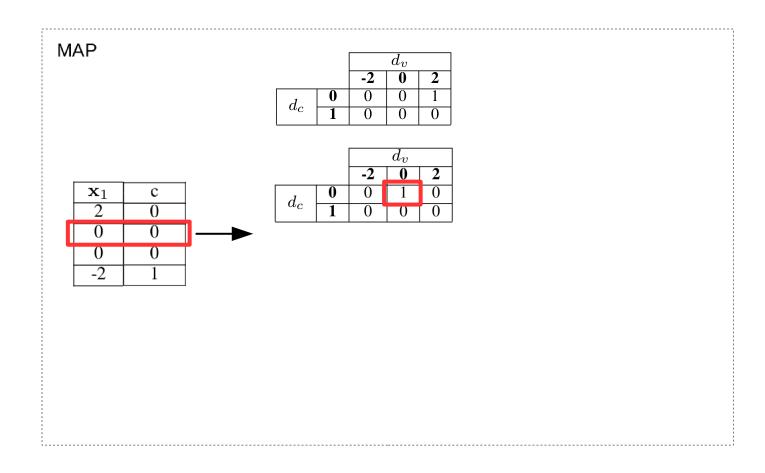


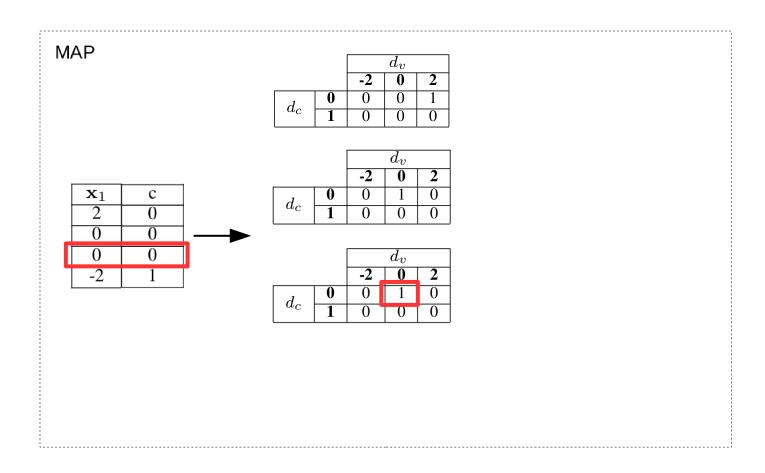
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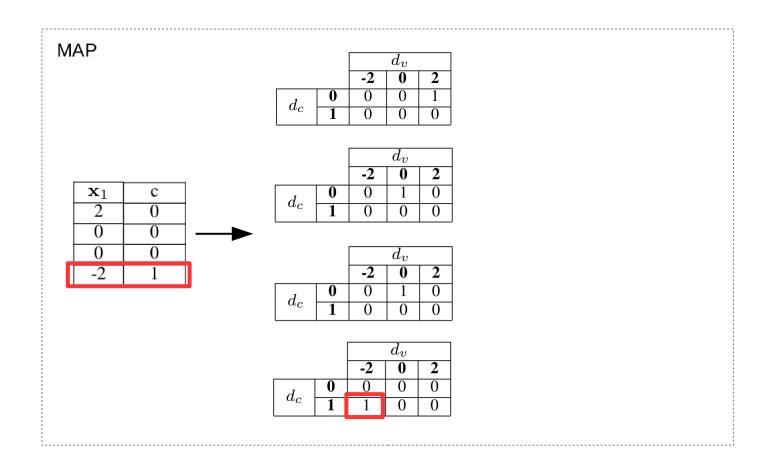
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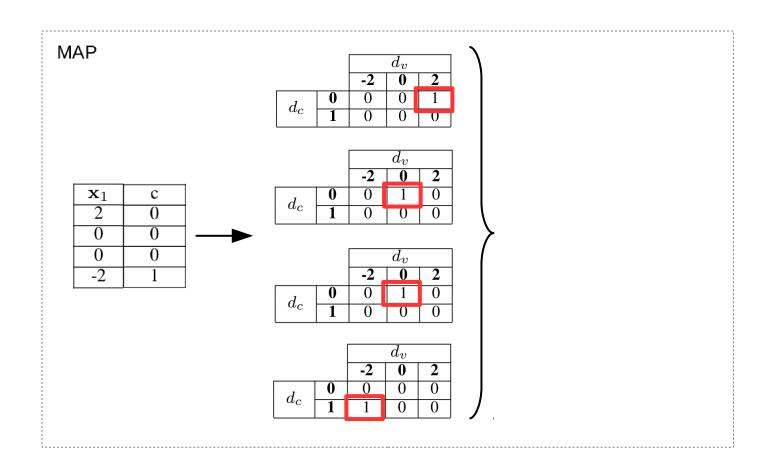




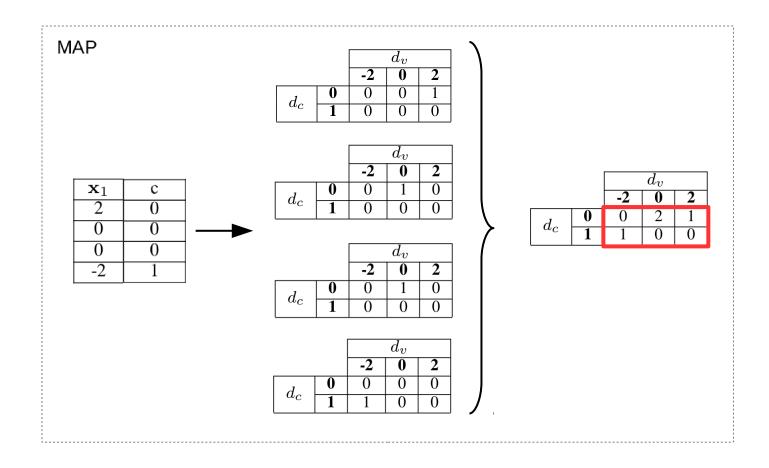




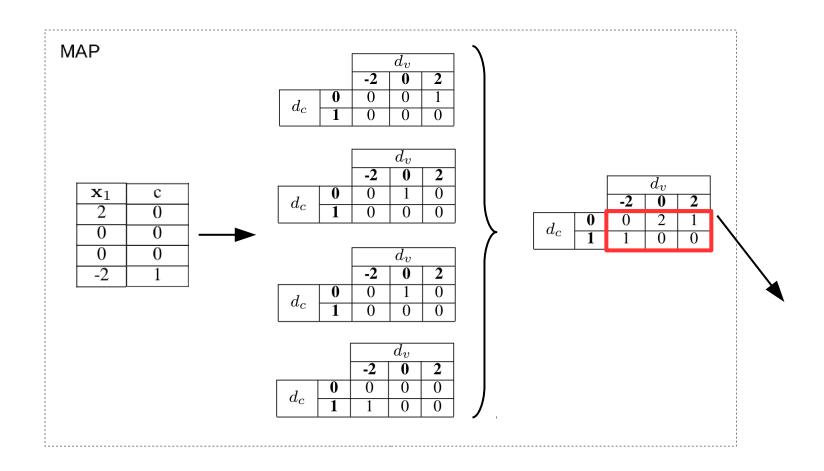
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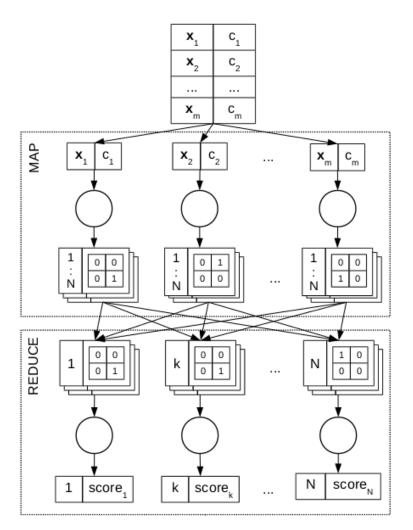


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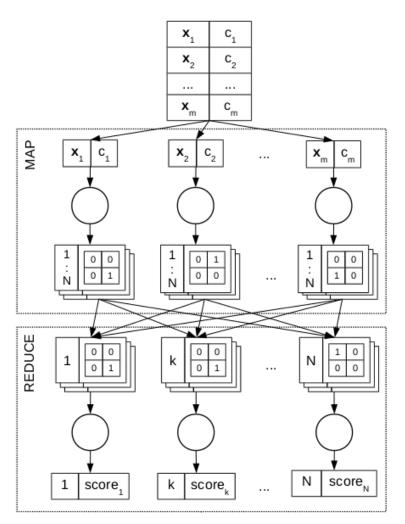
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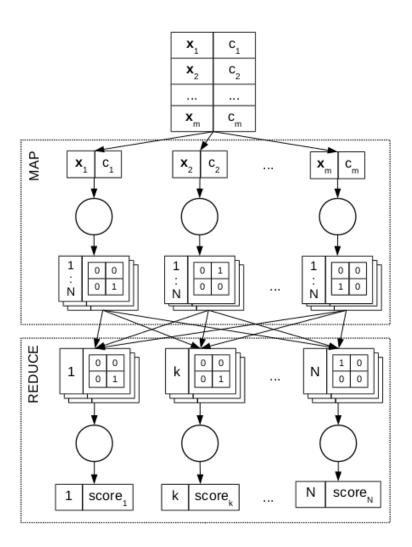
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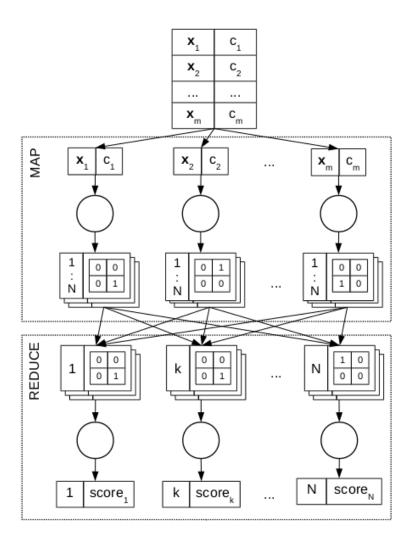
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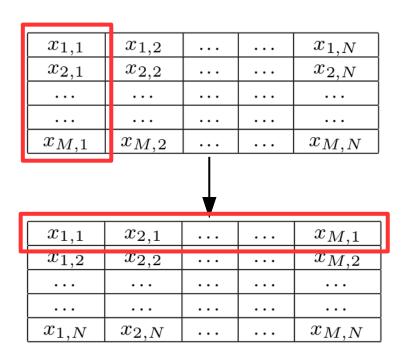
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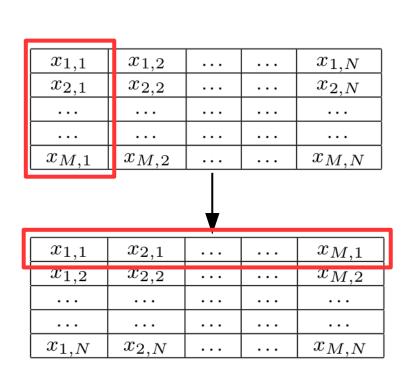
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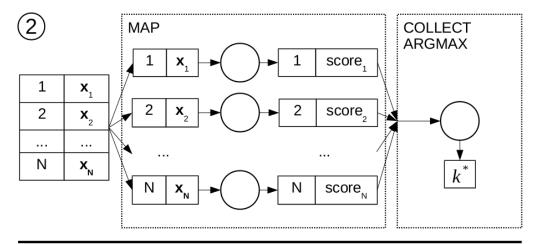
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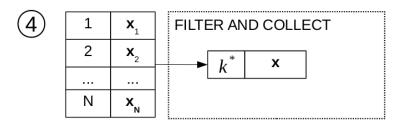


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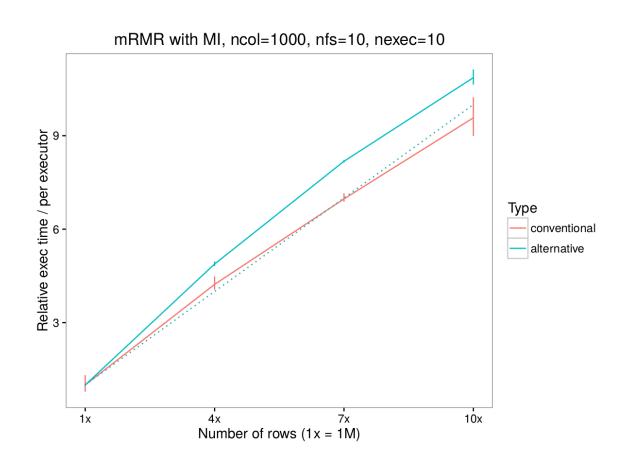




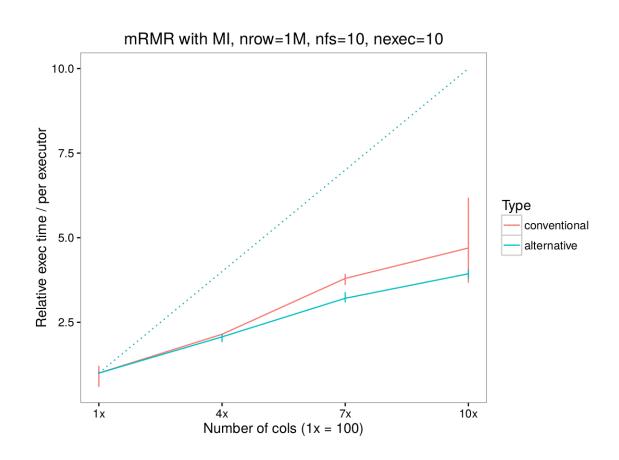
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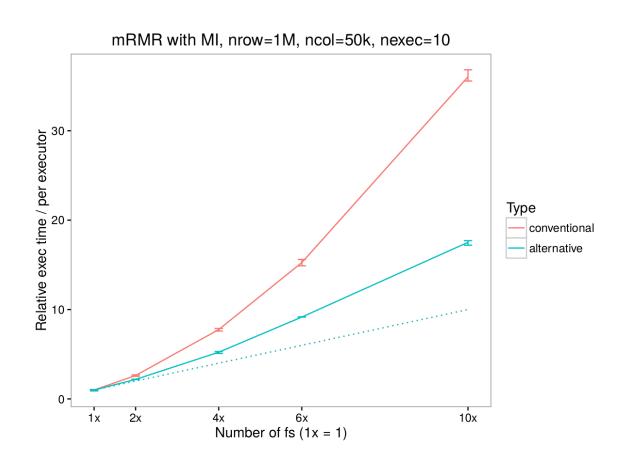
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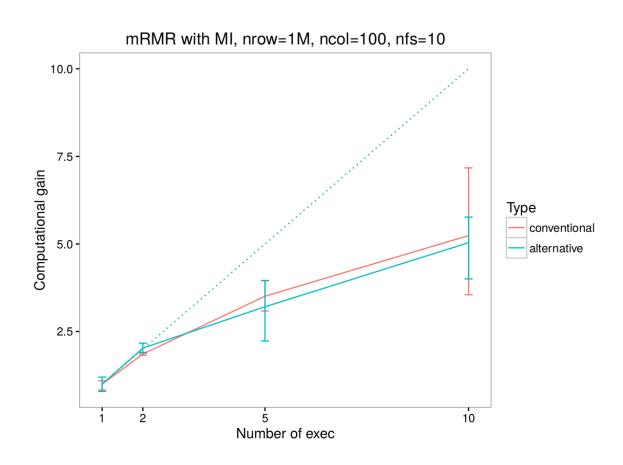
### Scalability: #columns



## Scalability: #selected features



## Scalability: #nodes



#### Customization

$$\max_{x_j \in X - S_{m-1}} \left[ I(x_j; c) - \frac{1}{m-1} \sum_{x_i \in S_{m-1}} I(x_j; x_i) \right]$$

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function getResult:
    arguments:
    variableArray: Array[Double]
    classArray: Array[Double]
    selectedVariablesArray:
        Array[Array[Double]]
    return: Double
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