Lecture 4 Code Workshop

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We have reached our final live demonstration! We will be running a Random Forest (RF) on our dataset to predict the yields of reactions. It's a very similar process to Gaussian Processes and SVMs. We train (XX.fit(train data)) a model and then test it (XX.predict(test data)).

Once again, let's start by important the packages. This time around, we will use a RandomForestRegressor as our model. Simlar to the Gaussian Process models, the classifier version of the RandomForest is called the RandomForestClassifier (very creative naming). The regression metrics will again be R² score, MAE, and RMSE.

```
In [1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error, r2_score
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

def root_mean_squared_error(true, pred):
    mean_squred_error = np.mean((true - pred)***2)
    return np.sqrt(mean_squred_error)
```

We'll load our dataset as a pandas dataframe.

```
In [2]: df = pd.read_csv('doyle.csv')
```

And we'll load in our reaction fingerprints.

```
In [3]: rxn_fps = np.load('rxn_fps_inputs.npy')
```

Unlike PCAs, SVMs, and Gaussian Processes, it's not necessary to scale our inputs for Random Forests. In this sense, they are the most "idiot proof" of the models we've seen so far.

Our labels, like last time, are the yield percentage values.

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In [5]: labels = np.array(df['yield'])
```

We define our random forest. We can also specify how many trees we want in our forest. We'll start with 2 (not really a forest, more of a deforested forest) and we'll see how quickly we can get good accuracy.

```
In [4]: rf = RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=2)
```

We will then split our data into training and testing sets as before.

And train our RF.

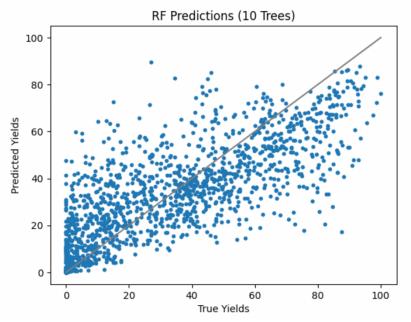
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In [7]: rf.fit(train_inputs, train_labels)
Out[7]: RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=2)
```

We can then predict on our held out test data.

Again we can plot these predictions to get a visual sense of how well we're doing.

```
In [10]: plt.scatter(test_labels, preds, s=10)
           plt.plot([0,100],[0,100], c='gray')
           plt.title('RF Predictions (2 Trees)')
plt.xlabel('True Yields')
           plt.ylabel('Predicted Yields')
                                           RF Predictions (2 Trees)
                100
                 80
            Predicted Yields
                 60
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                                                    True Yields
```

What if we increase to 10 trees in our forest? Well, we can define our new RF and re-run the training and predictions. Note that we are using the same test set so as to have an apples to apples comparison.



Kind of incredible what just 10 trees can do for you.

Okay, what about 100 trees? This is actually the new default option in scikit.

```
In [13]: rf = RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=100)
         rf.fit(train_inputs, train_labels)
         preds = rf.predict(test_inputs)
         print("MAE:", mean_absolute_error(test_labels, preds), "RMSE:", root_mean_squared_error(test_labels,
                                                                                                      preds),
               "R2:", r2_score(test_labels, preds))
         MAE: 11.987471793217269 RMSE: 16.354215087248562 R2: 0.6480726148027205
In [14]: plt.scatter(test_labels, preds, s=10)
         plt.plot([0,100],[0,100], c='gray')
         plt.title('RF Predictions
                                    (100 Trees)')
         plt.xlabel('True Yields')
         plt.ylabel('Predicted Yields')
                                   RF Predictions (100 Trees)
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```

We can see a noticeable improvement, but definitely not as drastic as going from 2 to 10 trees.

How about 200 trees?

```
In [15]: rf = RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=200)
          rf.fit(train_inputs, train_labels)
         preds = rf.predict(test_inputs)
         print("MAE:", mean_absolute_error(test_labels, preds), "RMSE:", root_mean_squared_error(test_labels,
                                                                                                      preds),
               "R2:", r2_score(test_labels, preds))
         MAE: 11.901714814676033 RMSE: 16.274115675208485 R2: 0.6515115012594233
In [16]: plt.scatter(test_labels, preds, s=10)
         plt.plot([0,100],[0,100], c='gray')
         plt.title('RF Predictions (200 Trees)')
         plt.xlabel('True Yields')
         plt.ylabel('Predicted Yields')
                                   RF Predictions (200 Trees)
             100
              80
          Predicted Yields
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                                            True Yields
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You may start to notice that a RF with this many trees does start to slow you down a bit and to top it off, we really aren't seeing noticeable improvement anymore (although more trees doesn't hurt).

And that's the power of RFs! Really fast, generally pretty accurate, and no preprocessing is needed.

- Happy Coding!