LDA, Decision Trees, and Extra Trees on the MNIST and Yale B Datasets

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outline

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- 6 conclusion

motivation

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o applications:

datasets

Modified National Institute of Standards and Technology (MNIST) database

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o source: Yann LeCun et al. [1]
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Yale Exended Face Database B

source: Yale University [2]

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conclusion

- o intuition and heuristics needed for each algorithm
- o choice of algorithm depends on features of interest
- o future work:
 - alternative distance metrics
 - normalize input data
 - parallelize algorithms

references

Yann LeCun and Corinna Cortes. MNIST handwritten digit database. 2010.

Yale face database b.

thanks!