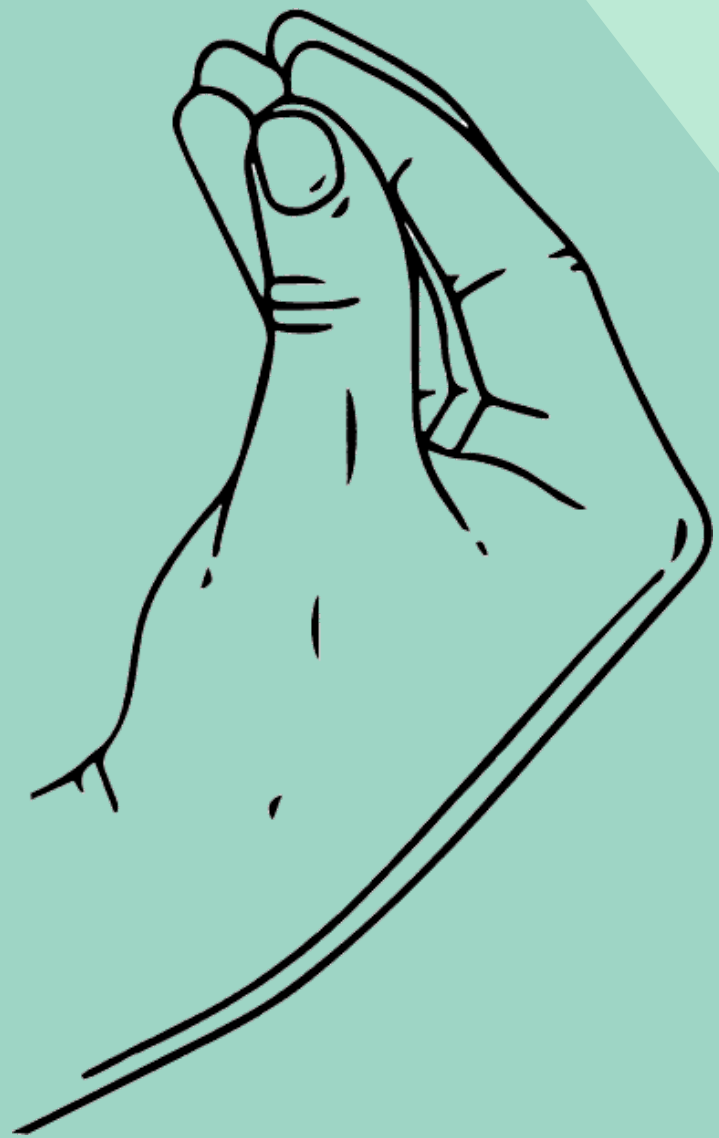


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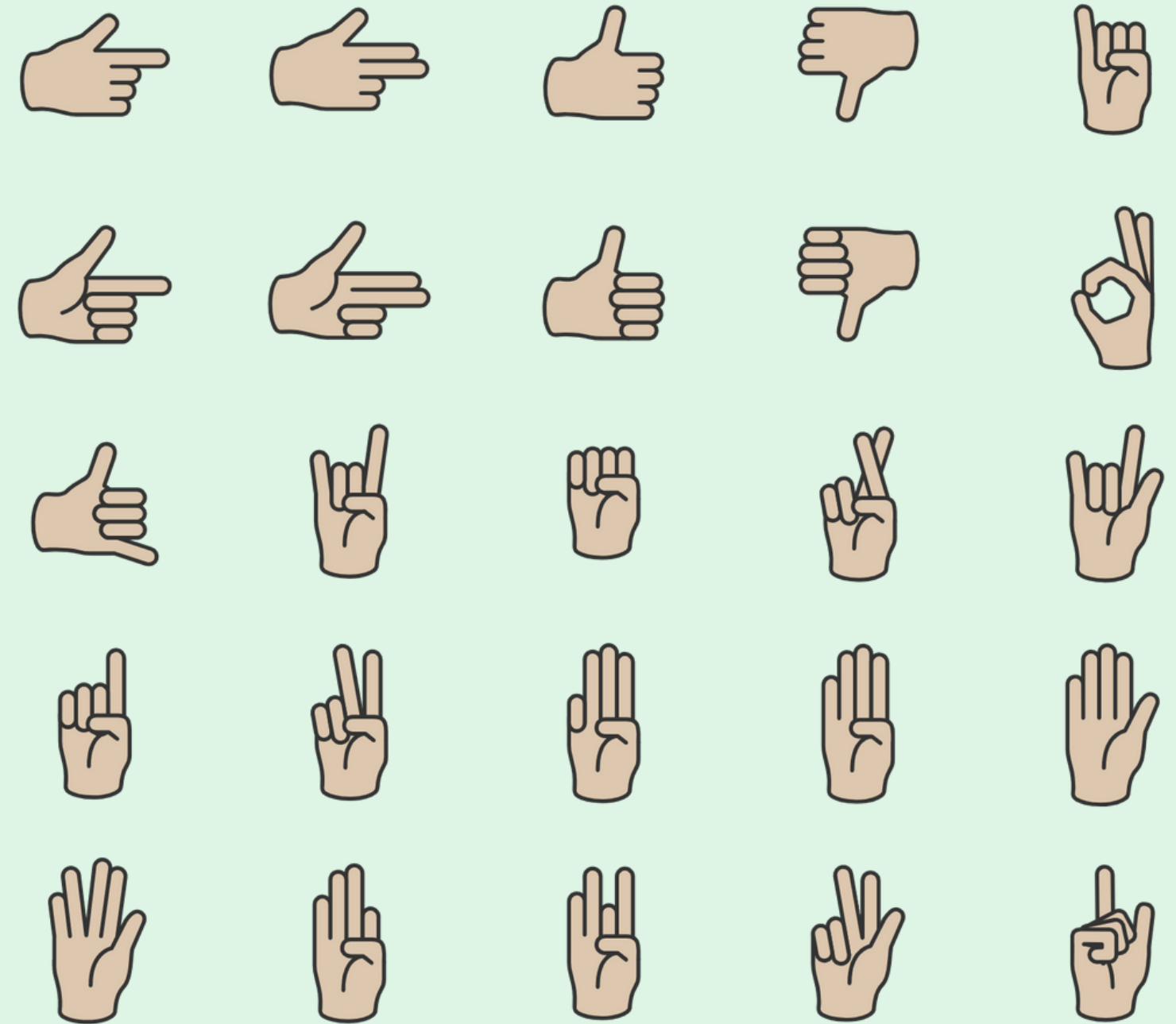


Speak Italian

Data Mining and Machine Learning project

Context

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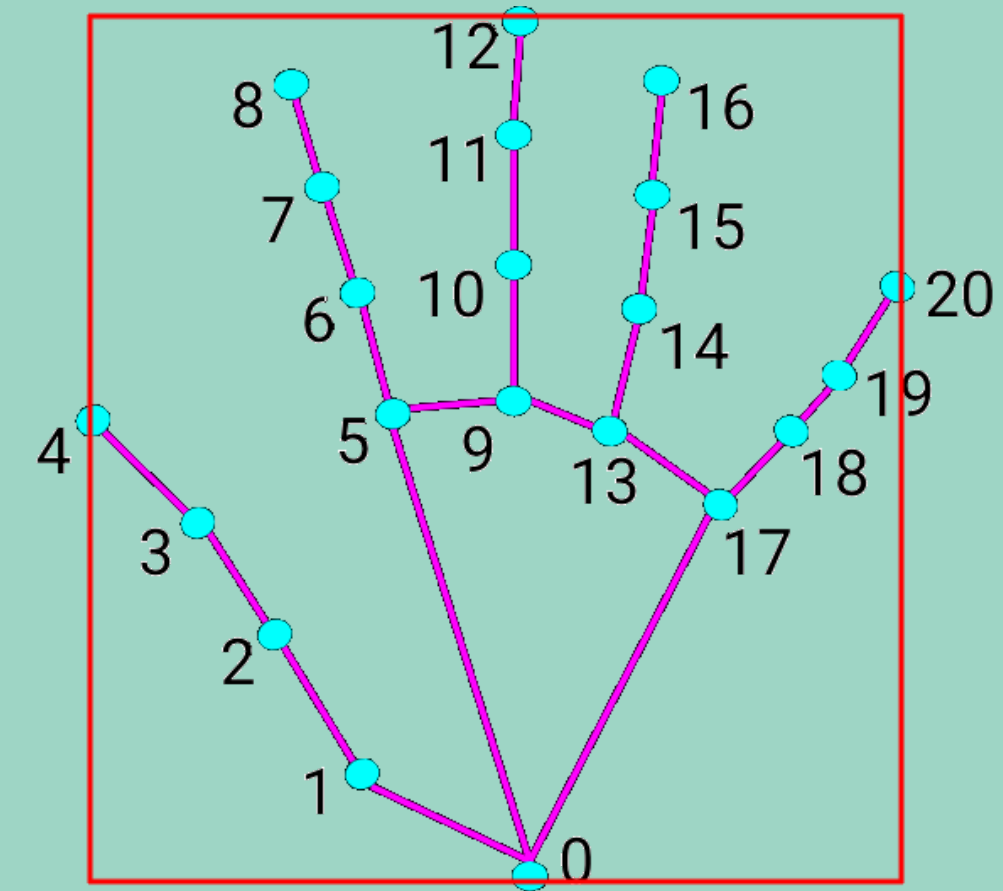
Dataset

- **Image pre-processing:**

- each frame recorded is processed into a sequence of 21 hand landmarks
- x and y are normalized to [0.0, 1.0] w.r.t. the palm width and height
- z represents the landmark depth compared to the wrist depth

- **Data acquisition:**

we asked 10 different people to record some frames for every gesture

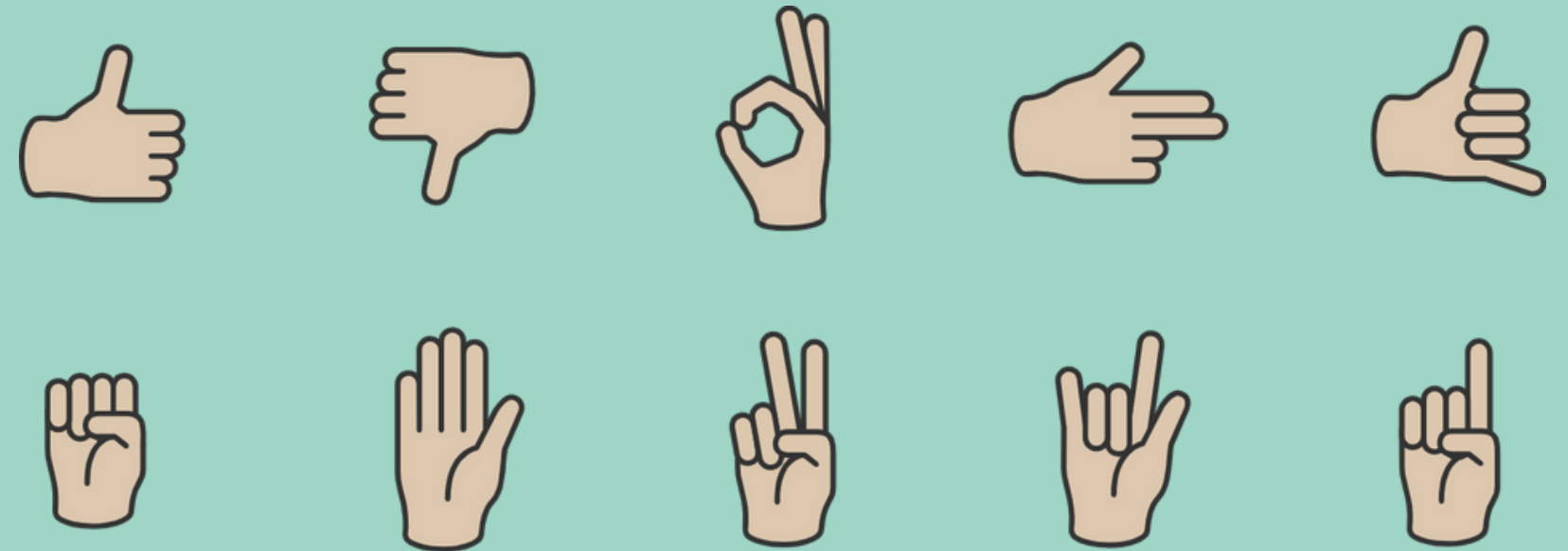


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| 0. WRIST | 11. MIDDLE_FINGER_DIP |
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| 2. THUMB_MCP | 13. RING_FINGER_MCP |
| 3. THUMB_IP | 14. RING_FINGER_PIP |
| 4. THUMB_TIP | 15. RING_FINGER_DIP |
| 5. INDEX_FINGER_MCP | 16. RING_FINGER_TIP |
| 6. INDEX_FINGER_PIP | 17. PINKY_MCP |
| 7. INDEX_FINGER_DIP | 18. PINKY_PIP |
| 8. INDEX_FINGER_TIP | 19. PINKY_DIP |
| 9. MIDDLE_FINGER_MCP | 20. PINKY_TIP |
| 10. MIDDLE_FINGER_PIP | |

Dataset

In the end we collected

- **40.000 data instances**
 - 200 data instances for each gesture made by the same person (with the same hand)
- **63 Features:** each of the 21 landmarks is represented by three points X, Y, Z
- **20 Classes:** for each gesture we considered left and right hand
- **No data cleaning needed**
 - Prerfectly balanced classes
 - Noise tolerant / No outliers



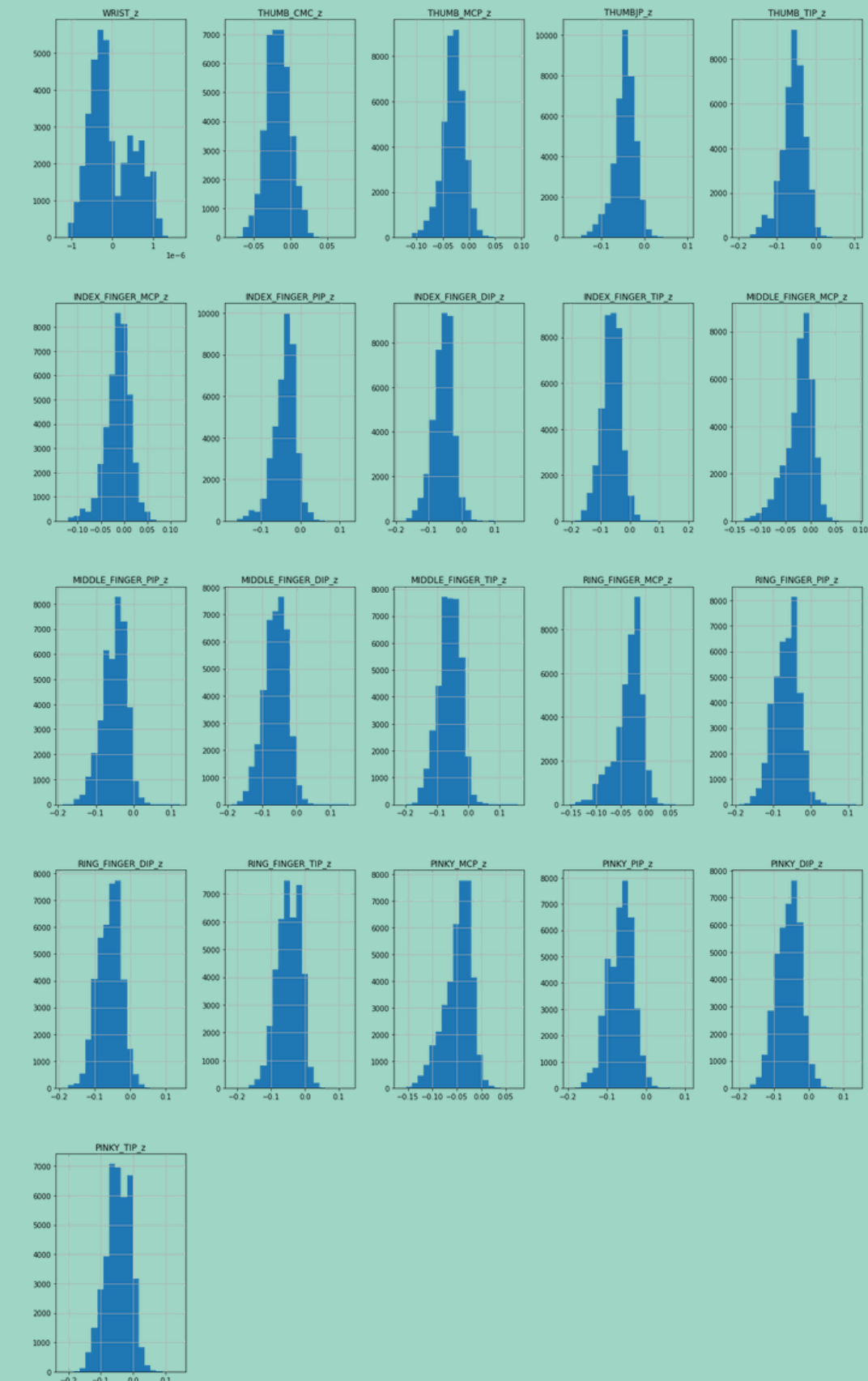
10 Different Gestures

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| • ThumbUp | • Fist |
| • ThumbDown | • Stop |
| • Okay | • Peace |
| • Gun | • Rock |
| • Call | • Index |

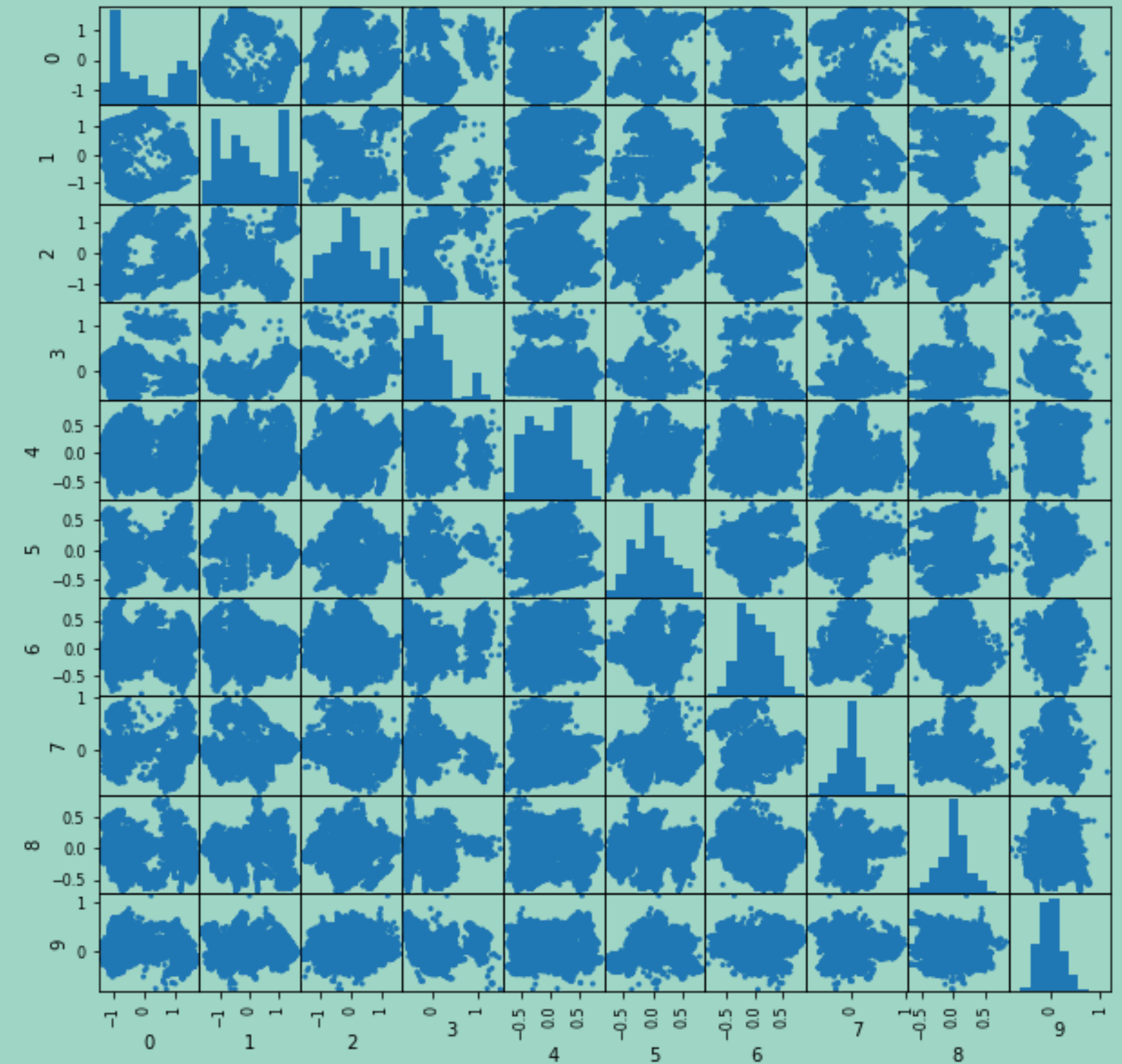
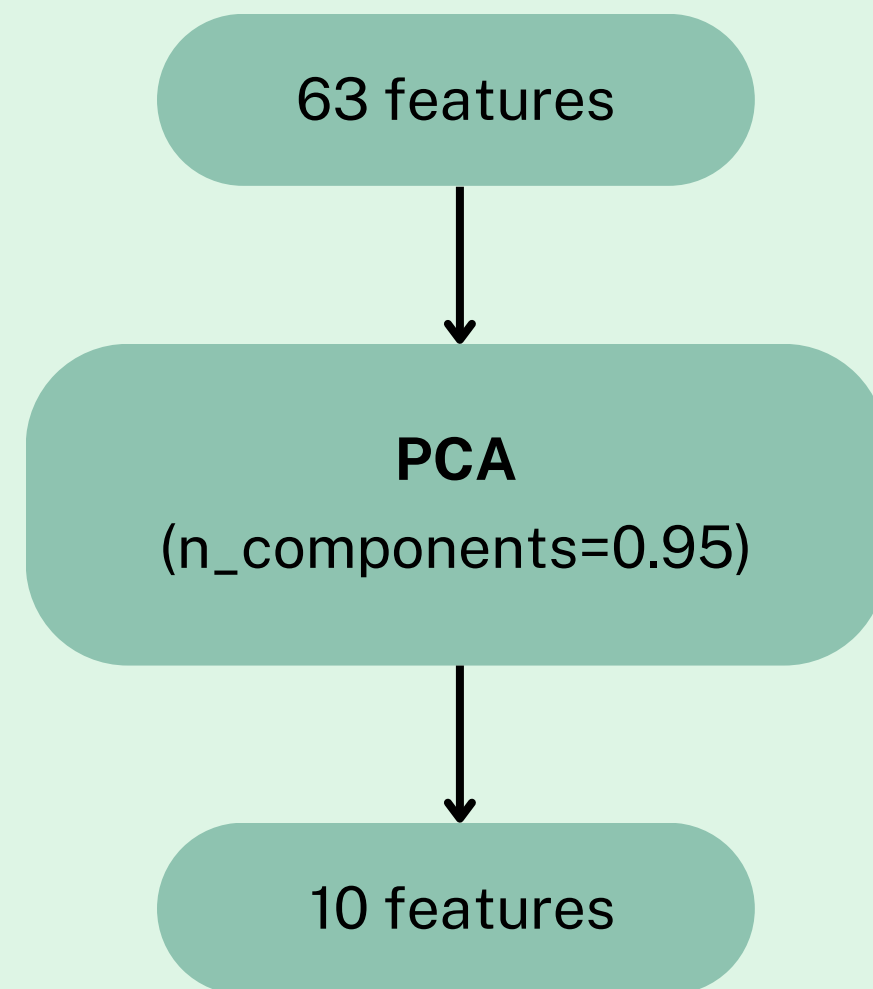
Pre-Processing

Attributes that represent the z point of a landmark have similar behaviour among all gestures.

Moreover, we found that all attributes relative to z-axis have a variance below a threshold fixed to 0.002.

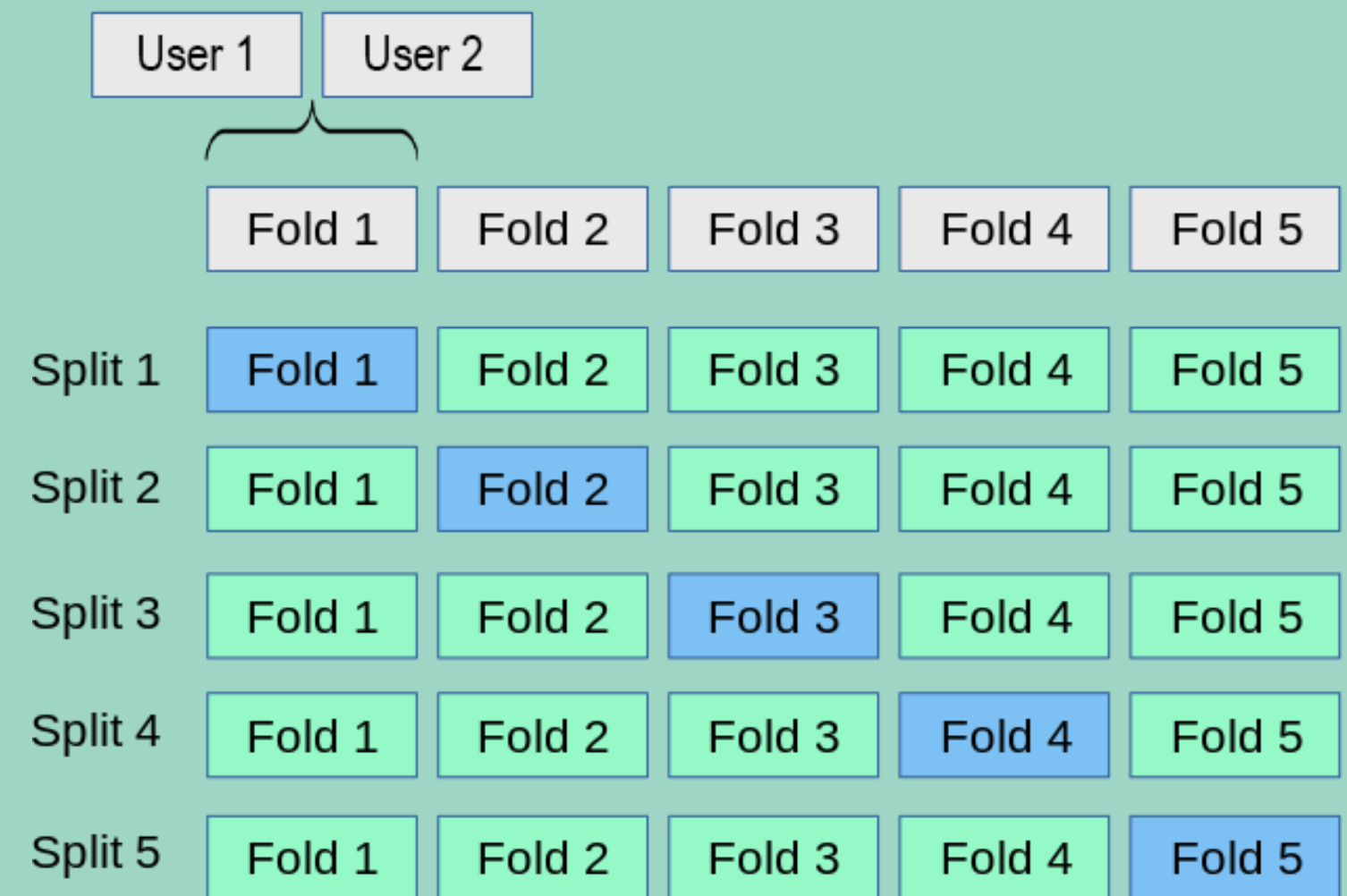


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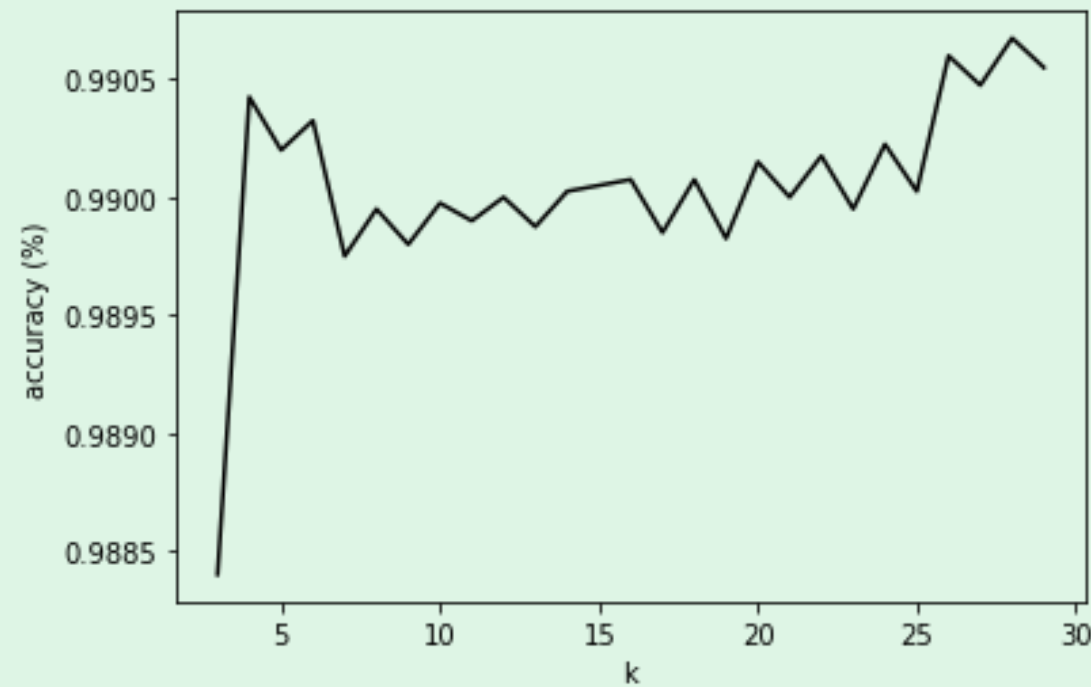
Train-Test Split

- **Ordered dataset:**
 - *user* as primary key
 - *gesture* as secondary key
- **Stratified 5-Fold Cross Validation**
 - 8000 instances for each fold
- Each fold is made by all gestures made by **two different users**
 - the test set is made of landmarks belonging to *unseen* users



Hyperparameters

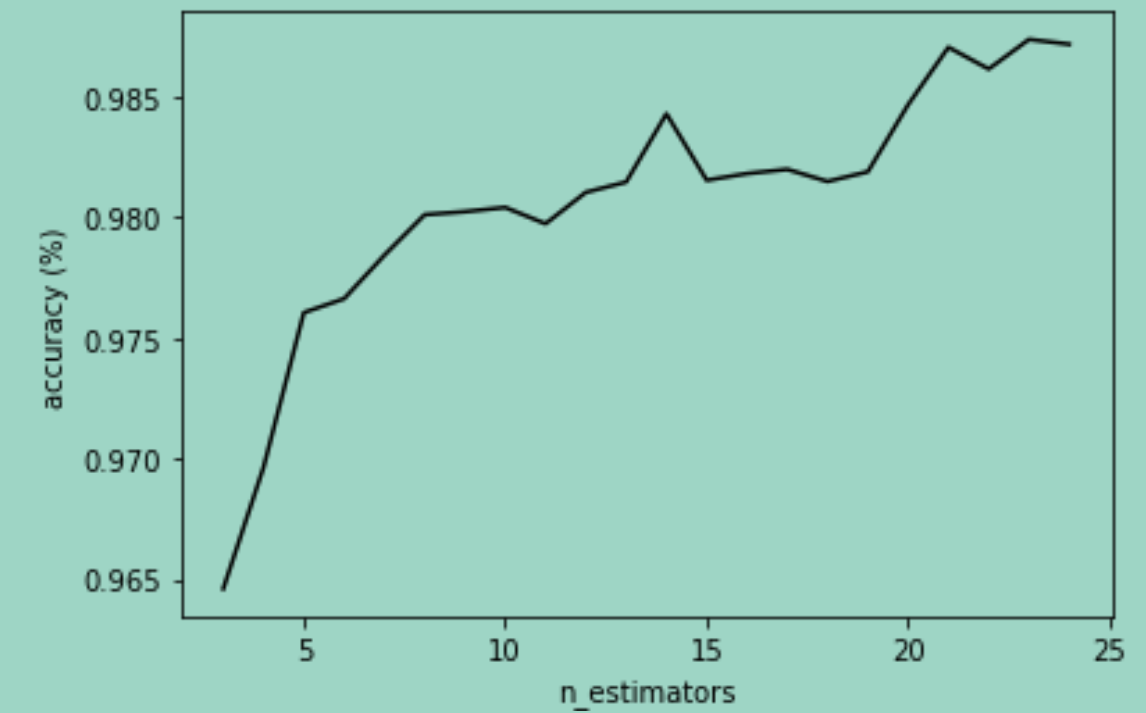
kNN



Chosen value = 4

- not the highest accuracy but the difference is very low, so we choose the simplest

Random Forest

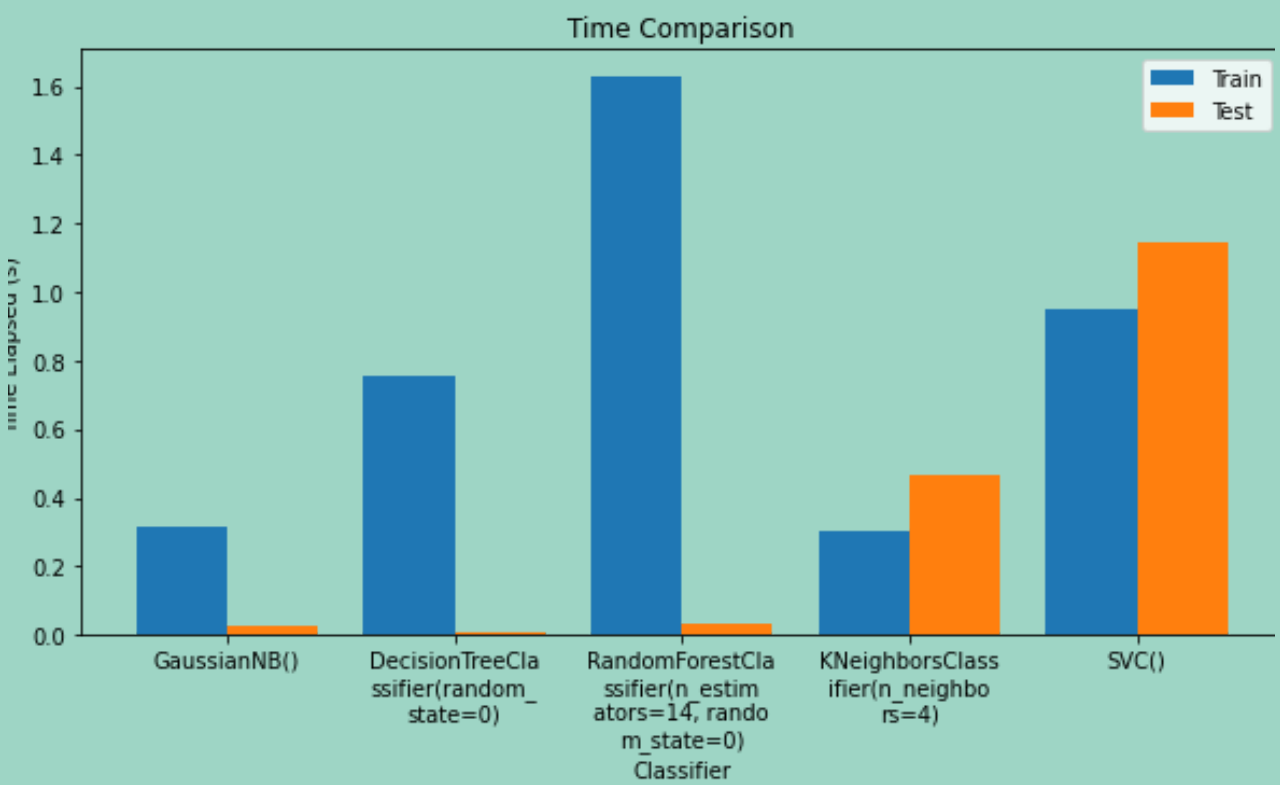
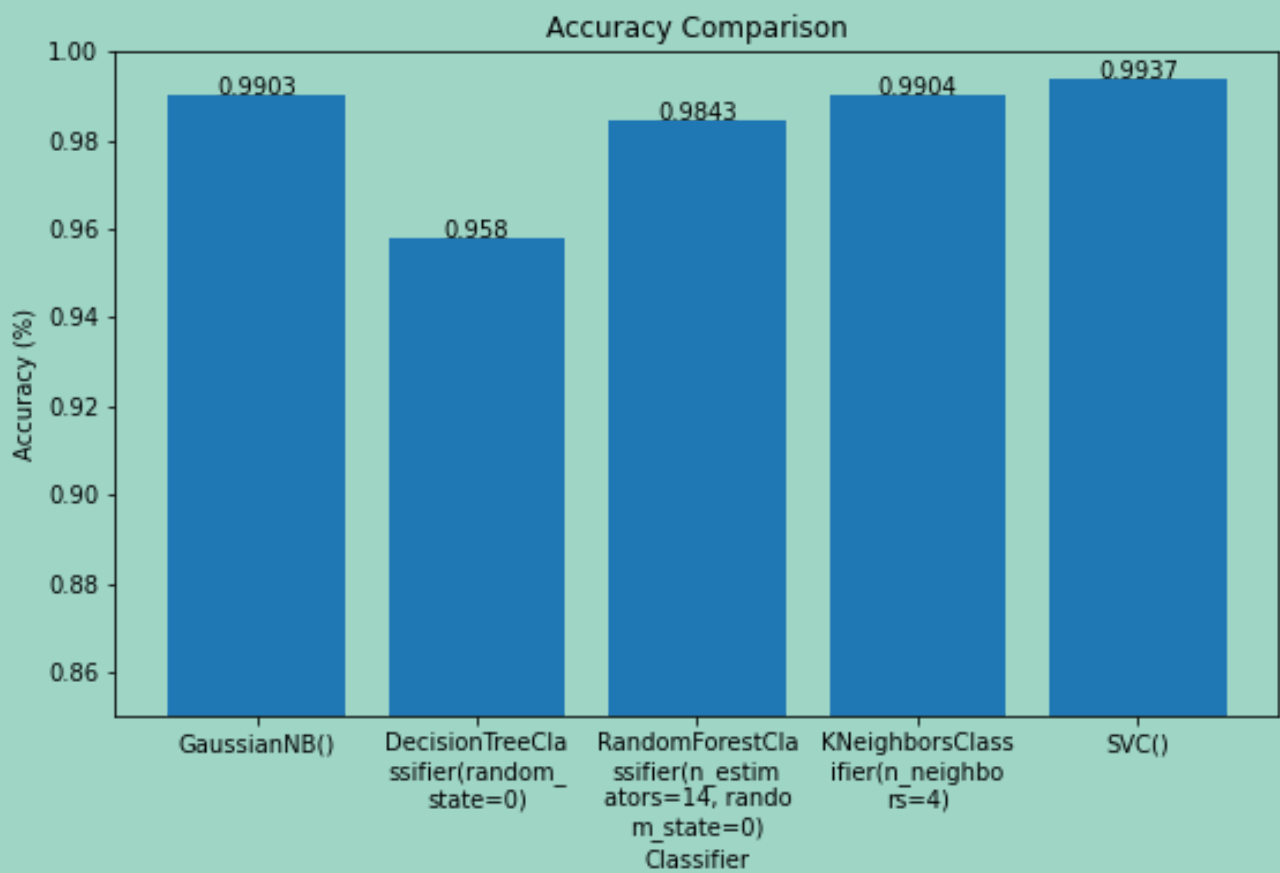


Chosen value = 14

- highest accuracy

Comparison

	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	F1_score
Gaussian Naive Bayesian	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.99
DecisionTree Classifier	0.958	0.964	0.958	0.956
Random Forest (n=14)	0.984	0.986	0.984	0.984
kNN (k=4)	0.99	0.991	0.99	0.99
SVC	0.9936	0.9939	0.9936	0.9936

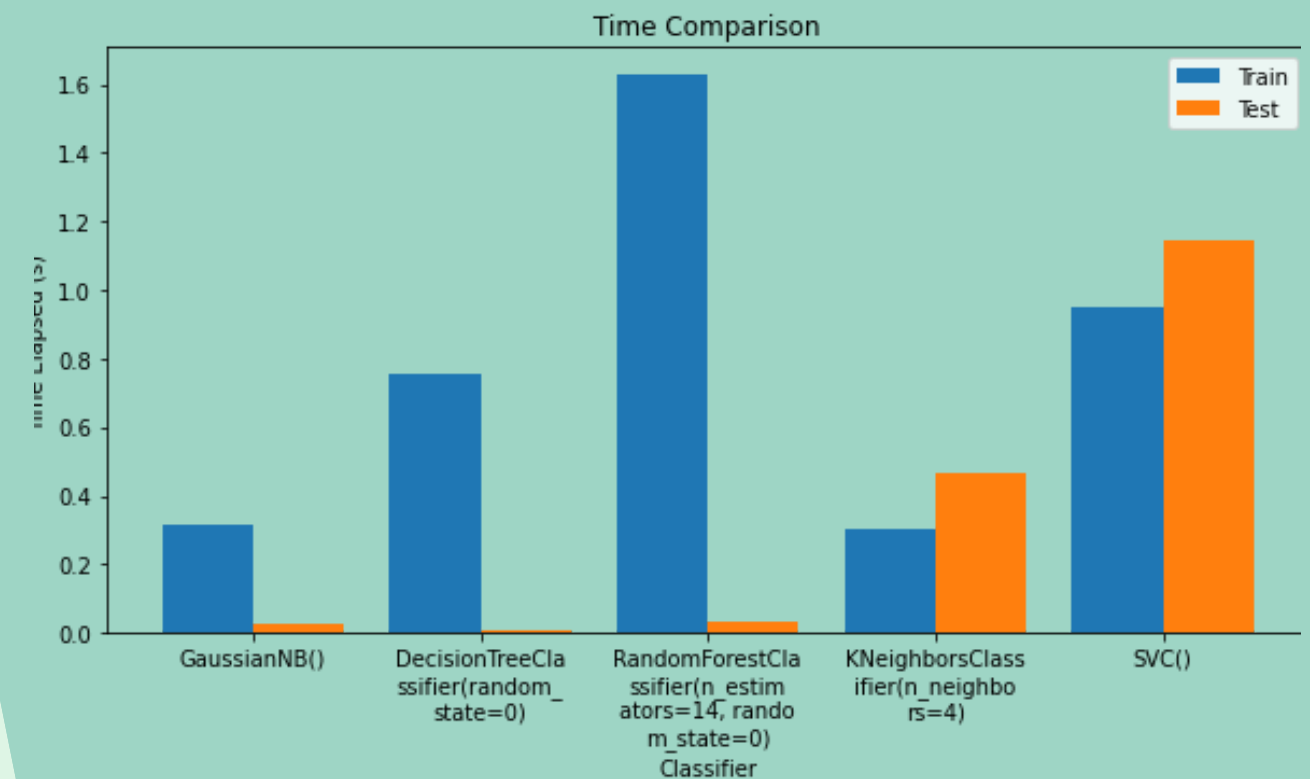
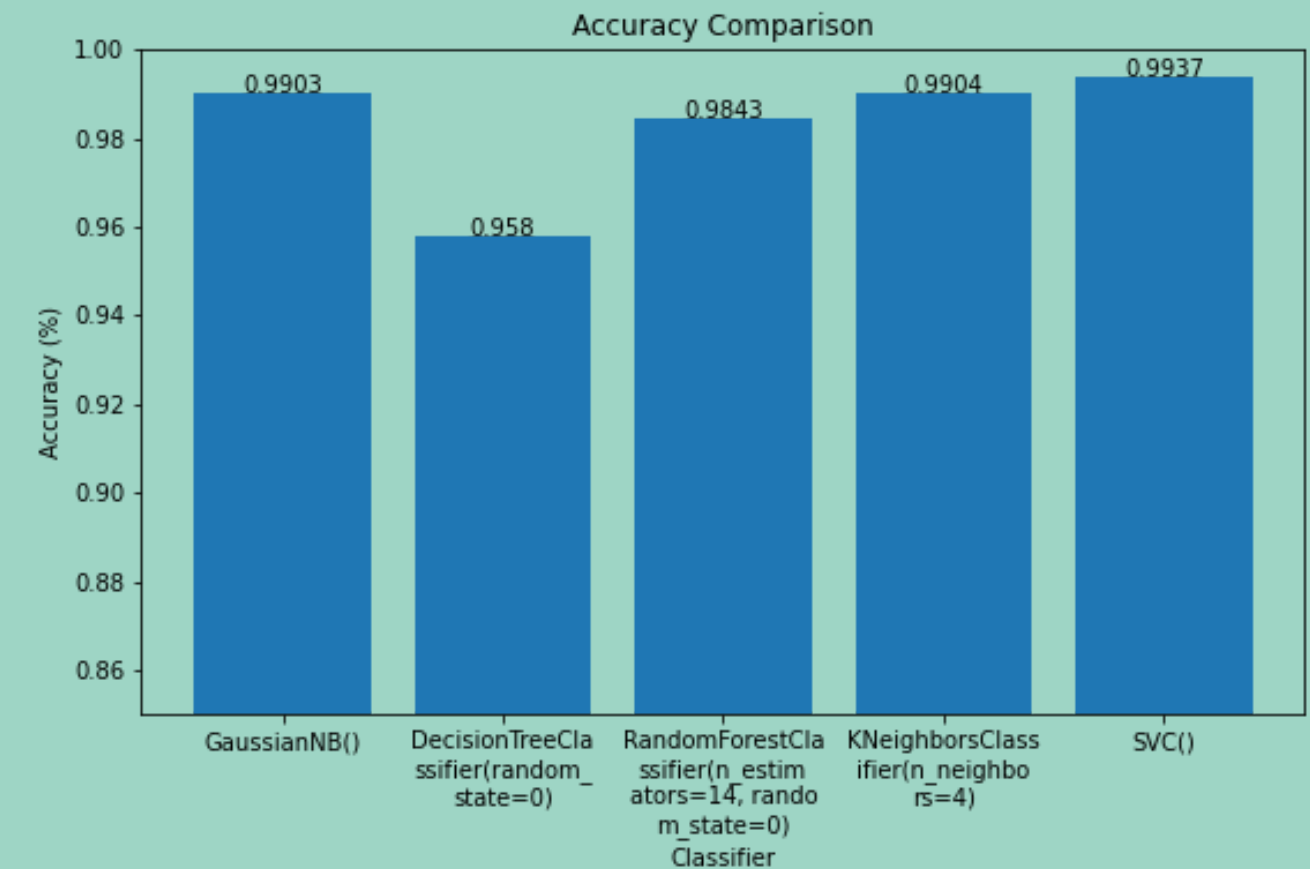


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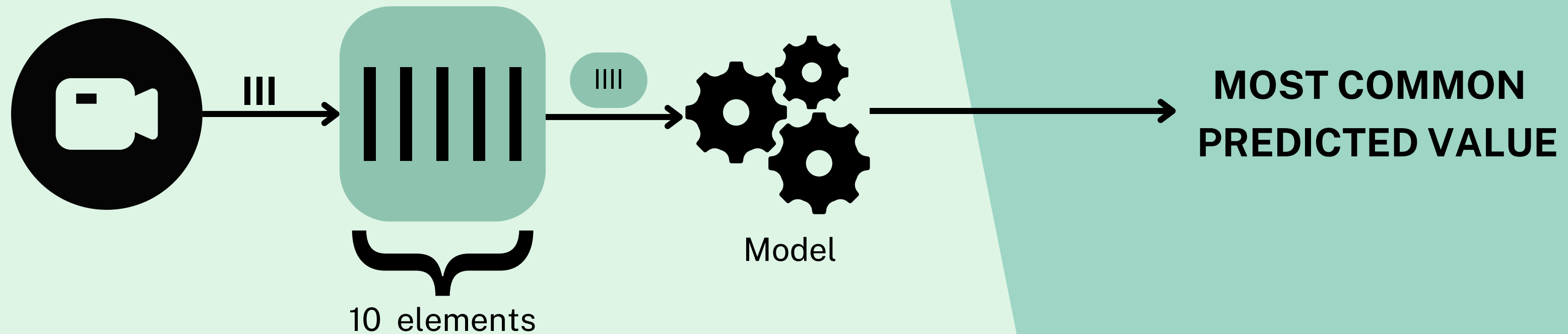
The chosen model is

Gaussian Naive Bayesian Classifier

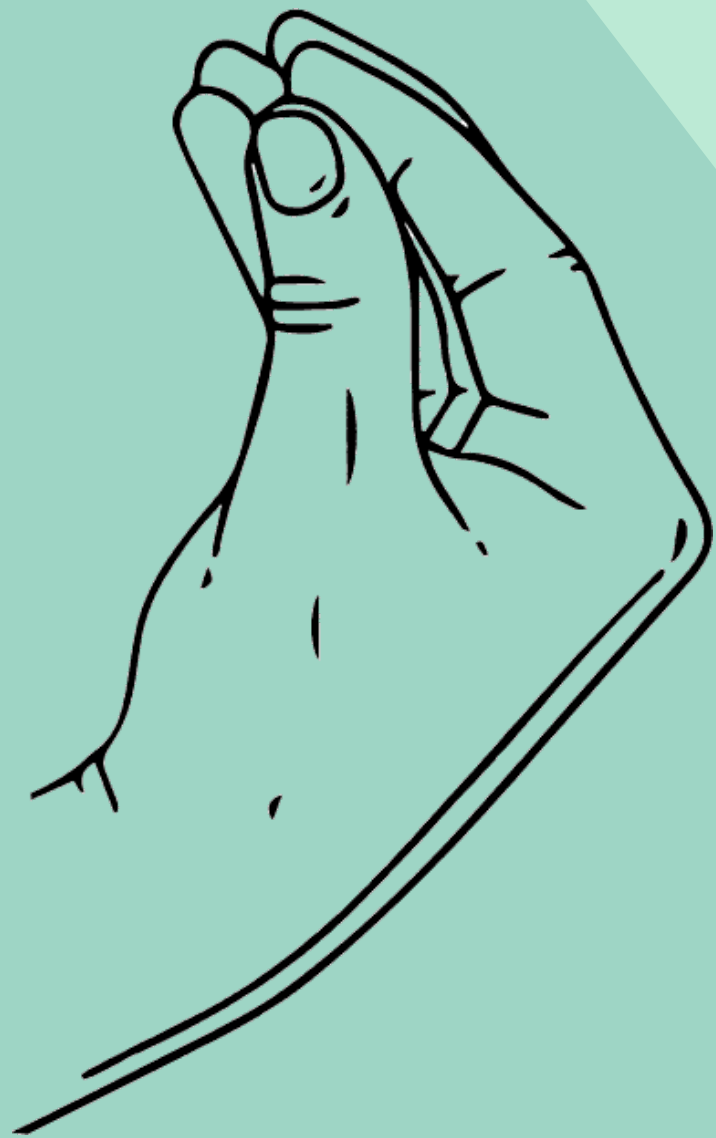
- For real-time application we need low latency:
 - eager learners are preferred to lazy learners.
- No need to store structures in memory unlike Decision Tree Classifiers or Random Forest.



Real Time Usage



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Live Demo

model chosen: Gaussian Naive Bayes