

Hackathon Report

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Procedure:

- 1)loading the files into dataframe
- 2)eyeball the data
- 3)dropping the columns containing more null values
- 4)Processing the features
- 5)training the model
- 6)predicting the output

Classifier used: LightGBM classifier

Train accuracy LightGBM classifier.: 0.9263413898544045

Score in Kaggle : 0.85962

Advantages of this classifier:

Produced good training accuracy without overfitting or underfitting. The execution time was very low.

Reason for choosing this model:

LightGBM is a gradient boosting framework that uses tree-based learning algorithms. It is designed to be distributed and efficient as compared to other boosting algorithms.

LightGBM can handle a large amount of data, less memory usage, has parallel and GPU learning, good accuracy, faster training speed and efficiency. So what makes LightGBM a better model, well for one it grows the tree Leaf Wise while other algorithms grow level wise.

LightGBM aims to reduce complexity of histogram building ($O(\text{data} * \text{feature})$) by down sampling data and feature using *GOSS* and *EFB*. This will bring down the complexity to ($O(\text{data}_2 * \text{bundles})$) where $\text{data}_2 < \text{data}$ and $\text{bundles} \ll \text{feature}$.