1-Page Planning Report of Big Data Machine Learning Project

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The Objective of my Project

I will use 3 ML techniques in *MNIST Handwritten Data*: **1).** Random Forest (Supervisory Algorithms), **2).** Support Vector Machine (Supervisory Algorithms), **3).** K-means (Unsupervised Algorithms). Depending on my completion time and understanding, maybe I will use more ML technology.

Data of my choice

1). I don't have a foundation for ML. **2).** My research direction is Fog/Edge Computing. I try to find data sets related to my current research, but unfortunately, I haven't found them.

Based on the above two points, I use the *MNIST DATABASE of handwritten digits* to ensure that I can complete the project and get visible improvements in big data & machine learning.

MNIST consists of 4 parts: training set images, training set labels, test set images and test set labels. It has a training set of 60,000 examples, and a test set of 10,000 examples.

Data Description: Each data entry is text data that represents a handwritten digit. The value of each label is a number between 0 and 9. Size of each image is 28x28 pixels and are in greyscale. The size of these data sets has been normalized and fixed size has been formed.

Expectation of results

- **1).** Through continuous practice and parameter improvement, I hope to improve the **accuracy** of the training model and reduce **cross-entropy**. If time and energy are available, I hope I can reduce the training **time** and test **time** to improve performance.
- 2). Compare the advantages and disadvantages of the 3 or more ML algorithms.
- 3). Understanding big data and ML, familiar with and master simple ML technology.