Data Shapley: Equitable Valuation of Data for Machine Learning

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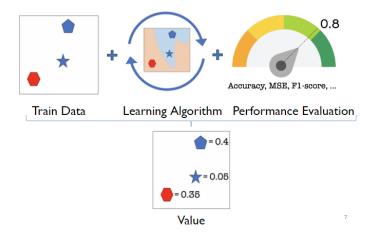
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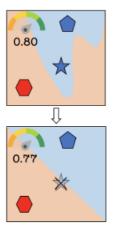
Data Valuation and ML



Leave One Out Method

$$LOO$$
 for point $i = Performance(D) - Performance(D - {i})$

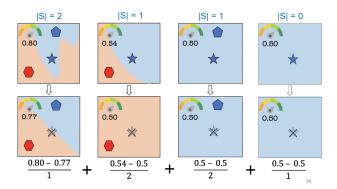
Leave One Out Method



Data Shapley Value

$$SV \ for \ point \ i = C \sum_{S \subseteq D - \{i\}} \frac{Performance(S \bigcup \{i\}) - Performance(S)}{\binom{|D| - 1}{|S|}}$$

Data Shapley Value



Truncated Monte Carlo

Algorithm 1 Truncated Monte Carlo Shapley

```
Input: Train data D = \{1, \dots, n\}, learning algorithm
\mathcal{A}, performance score V
Output: Shapley value of training points: \phi_1, \ldots, \phi_n
Initialize \phi_i = 0 for i = 1, \dots, n and t = 0
while Convergence criteria not met do
   t \leftarrow t + 1
   \pi^t: Random permutation of train data points
   v_0^t \leftarrow V(\emptyset, \mathcal{A})
   for j \in \{1, ..., n\} do
      if |V(D) - v_{i-1}^t| < Performance Tolerance then
         v_{i}^{t} = v_{i-1}^{t}
      else
         v_i^t \leftarrow V(\{\pi^t[1], \dots, \pi^t[j]\}, \mathcal{A})
      end if
      \phi_{\pi^t[i]} \leftarrow \frac{t-1}{t} \phi_{\pi^{t-1}[i]} + \frac{1}{t} (v_i^t - v_{i-1}^t)
   end for
end for
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Truncation

- V (S) performance on a test set after being trained on S
- as S increases, change in performance by adding only one point decreases
- Truncate based on the marginal contribution within V

Example

Assume 4 data points: A,B,C,D

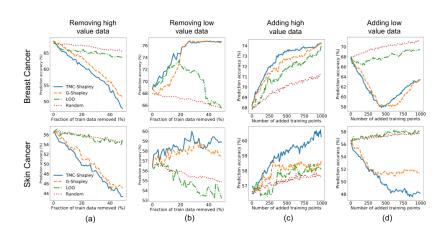
- Sample a permutation of data points say B, C, A, D
- > scan from left to right in one such sample of permutation B- > C- > A- > D
- Marginal Contribution for each sample At Step 3, V (B, C, A)
 V (B, C), will be less than V (B, C) V (B) At step 2
- ▶ Truncate at a predefined tolerance: Only do B->C->A and assign zero as marginal contribution to the rest

Gradient Based Approximation

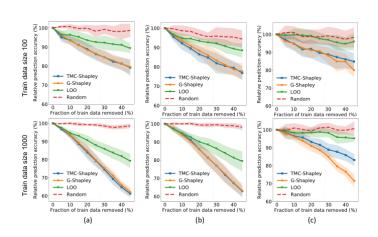
Algorithm 2 Gradient Shapley

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Input: Parametrized and differentiable loss function
\mathcal{L}(.;\theta), train data D=\{1,\ldots,n\}, performance score
function V(\theta)
Output: Shapley value of training points: \phi_1, \ldots, \phi_n
Initialize \phi_i = 0 for i = 1, \dots, n and t = 0
while Convergence criteria not met do
   t \leftarrow t + 1
   \pi^t: Random permutation of train data points
   \theta_0^t \leftarrow \text{Random parameters}
   v_0^t \leftarrow V(\theta_0^t)
   for j \in \{1, ..., n\} do
       \theta_i^t \leftarrow \theta_{i-1}^t - \alpha \nabla_{\theta} \mathcal{L}(\pi^t[j]; \theta_{j-1})
       v_i^t \leftarrow V(\theta_i^t)
       \phi_{\pi^t[i]} \leftarrow \frac{t-1}{t} \phi_{\pi^{t-1}[i]} + \frac{1}{t} (v_i^t - v_{i-1}^t)
   end for
end for
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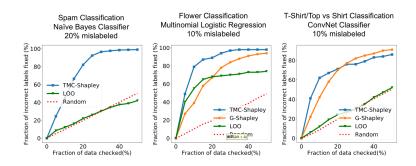
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Synthesis Data



Mislabeled Data



Noisy Image and Group Data

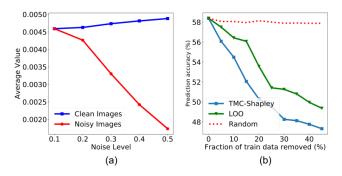


Figure 5. (a) Value and data quality: White noise is added to 10% of training points. As the noise level increases, the average TMC-Shapley value of noisy images becomes decreases compared to that of clean images. (b) **Group Shapley:** Removing the valuable groups degrades the performance more than removing groups with the highest leave-one-out score.

Conclusion

- Introduces a fair data pricing approach based on Shapley values to quantify the contribution of each data point to machine learning models.
- the value of individual datum depends on the learning algorithm, evaluation metric as well as other data points in the training set
- Demonstrates the effectiveness of this approach across various tasks and models

Thoughs

- Explore combining Shapley value estimation with different optimization algorithms to achieve faster convergence rates.
- Assuming Shapley values are sparse, investigate the potential of using compressed sensing techniques to reconstruct true Shapley values with fewer samples.

Thanks!