

# K-NEAREST NEIGHBOURS LABORATORY

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## ABSTRACT

This lab is about the implementation and analysis of the KNN algorithm for classification problems

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Classification may be defined as the process of predicting class or category from observed values or given data points. The categorized output can have the form such as “Black” or “White” or “spam” or “no spam”.

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The aim of the laboratory was to train a KNN classifier which is based first of all on a generated (training) set composed of 2D points randomly sampled on a plane and to which a binary label is assigned according to their position with reference to a linear separator .

This is the procedure by which our dataset is created. Another operation that is applied on our dataset consists of applying a noise

to each of the samples to allow perturbing the labels and making the task more complicated .

The first section of the report allows to use the KNN algorithm to estimate the classification function. The implementation sees the algorithm train on a training set and make predictions on the test set. In this section, metrics are also defined that evaluate the goodness of the classifier.

The second section essentially evaluates the classifier in the case in which the creation of the dataset occurs without noise. And it consists of 4 points:

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The second section essentially evaluates the classifier in the case in which the creation of the training and test dataset occurs without noise. And it consists of several points:

the first one generate the training set (without noise) and display the separation curve which derives from the predictions made on the model

trained on the training set and evaluated on the same.

The next point trains the model on the training set and evaluates it on the test set, thus calculating the prediction error as done previously.

The last point allows you to compare the results obtained through the previously described implementation with that of the state-of-art algorithm (scikit-learn) .

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where  $p(x, y, z, t)$  is an infinitesimal variation of acoustic pressure from its equilibrium value at position  $(x, y, z)$  and time  $t$ , and where  $c$  denotes the speed of sound.

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