## Supplementary Material for IJCAI19 Submission: Leveraging Uncertainty in Deep Learning for Selective Classification

## 1 Model Derivation for MIPCSC

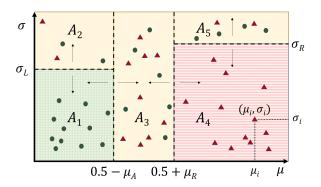


Figure 1: Graphical Illustration of the MIPSC model

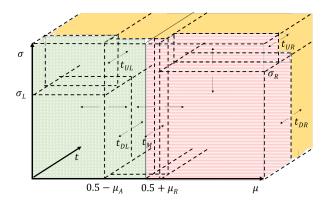


Figure 2: Graphical Illustration of the MIPCSC model

First, we inherit the following constraints from MIPSC (refer to Figure 1) to define instances to be on the regions,  $A_1, A_2, A_3, A_4$  or  $A_5$  before we start extend decisions to the third dimension.

The following constraint regulates the samples which do not reside in  $A_3$  based on their predictive means but on the right hand side of  $A_3$  such that  $i \in A_4 \cup A_5$ :

Variable	Definition
$y_i$	Ground truth label of instance i
$p_i$	Positive classification indicator for instance i
$n_i$	Negative classification indicator for instance <i>i</i>
$r_i$	Rejection indicator for instance i
$\mu_i$	Predictive mean for instance $i$
$\sigma_i$	Uncertainty for instance <i>i</i>
$\mu_L$	Left boundary for rejection
$\mu_R$	Right boundary for rejection
$\sigma_L$	Upper uncertainty boundary for positive decisions
$\sigma_R$	Upper uncertainty boundary for negative decisions
$L_i$	Left area indicator for instance $i$
$R_i$	Right area indicator for instance i
$D_{L_i}$	Down-left area indicator for instance $i$
$D_{R_i}$	Down-right area indicator for instance $i$
rCap	Rejection capacity

Table 1: Notation Table for MIPSC

$$\mu_i > 0.5 + \mu_R \text{ iff } R_i = 1$$
 (1)

Now, we would like to distinguish the instances between  $A_4$  and  $A_5$ . The following constraints characterize the samples that conform to  $A_4$  such that  $i \in A_4$ :

$$\sigma_i < \sigma_R \text{ iff } D_{R_i} = 1$$
 (2)

Similarly, the following constraint define the samples which do not reside in  $A_3$  based on their predictive means but on the left hand side of  $A_3$  such that  $i \in A_1 \cup A_2$ :

$$\mu_i > 0.5 - \mu_A \text{ iff } L_i = 1$$
 (3)

Further, we would like to distinguish the instances between  $A_1$  and  $A_2$ . The following constraints characterize the samples that conform to  $A_1$  such that  $i \in A_1$ :

$$\sigma_i < \sigma_L \quad \text{iff} \quad D_{L_i} = 1 \tag{4}$$

Now, we start extending our model to the third dimension (refer to Figure 2). The following constraint focuses on the

Variable	Definition
$t_i$	Value for instance <i>i</i>
$p_{ij}$	Positive classification indicator for instance $i$ and a
$n_{ij}$	Negative classification indicator for instance $i$ and $i$
$r_i$	Rejection indicator for instance $i$
$t_{DL}$	Down-left area value boundary for rejection
$t_{UL}$	Upper-left area value boundary for rejection
$t_M$	Middle area value boundary for rejection
$t_{DR}$	Down-right area value boundary for rejection
$t_{UR}$	Upper-right area value boundary for rejection
$S_{DL_i}$	Surface-down-left area indicator for instance <i>i</i>
$S_{DR_i}$	Surface-down-right area indicator for instance $i$
$S_{UL_i}$	Surface-up-left area indicator for instance <i>i</i>
$S_{UR_i}$	Surface-up-right area indicator for instance $i$
$S_{M_i}$	Surface-down-middle area indicator for instance <i>i</i>

Table 2: Additional Notation Table for MIPCSC

region  $A_1$  and finds the value threshold for that region. If the transaction corresponds to  $A_1$  region and its value is less than the region's value threshold, then our model makes a positive decision.

$$t_i < t_{DL} \text{ iff } S_{DL_i} = 1 \tag{5}$$

$$L_i + D_{L_i} + S_{DL_i} > 2 \text{ iff } p_{i1} = 1$$
 (6)

Now, we would like to find our decision threshold for  $A_2$ . Similarly to the previous constraints, if the transaction corresponds to  $A_2$  region and its value is less than the region's value threshold, then our model makes a positive decision.

$$t_i < t_{UL} \quad \text{iff} \quad S_{UL_i} = 1 \tag{7}$$

$$L_i + (1 - D_{L_i}) + S_{UL_i} > 2 \text{ iff } p_{i2} = 1$$
 (8)

Similar to the positive decision regions, now, we focus on the negative decision regions:  $A_4$  and  $A_5$ . The following constraint focuses on the region  $A_4$  and finds the value threshold for that region. If the transaction corresponds to  $A_4$  region and its value is less than the region's value threshold, then our model makes a negative decision.

$$t_i < t_{DR} \text{ iff } S_{DR_i} = 1 \tag{9}$$

$$R_i + D_{R_i} + S_{DR_i} > 2 \text{ iff } n_{i1} = 1$$
 (10)

Now, we would like to find our decision threshold for  $A_5$ . Similarly to the previous constraints, if the transaction corresponds to  $A_5$  region and its value is less than the region's value threshold, then our model makes a negative decision.

$$t_i < t_{UR} \text{ iff } S_{UR_i} = 1$$
 (11)

$$R_i + (1 - D_{R_i}) + S_{UR_i} > 2 \text{ iff } n_{i2} = 1$$
 (12)

Finally, we move onto our middle region,  $A_3$ . Here, we would like our model to make a positive or negative decision using the predictive mean of 0.5 as the threshold and considering the value threshold we optimally determine by solving the problem,  $t_M$ .

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$$t_i < t_M \text{ iff } S_{M_i} = 1 \quad (13)$$
 
$$(2 - L_i - R_i) + S_{M_i} + (1 - Q_i) > 3 \text{ iff } p_{i3} = 1 \quad (15)$$
 
$$(2 - L_i - R_i) + S_{M_i} + Q_i > 3 \text{ iff } n_{i3} = 1 \quad (16)$$

As we have constrained our positive and negative classification decision regions, we reject the remaining instances covered by the constraint below:

$$\sum_{j=1}^{n} [p_{ij}] + \sum_{j=1}^{n} [n_{ij}] + r_i = 1, \forall i$$
 (17)

where the reject decision is assigned when our model cannot a make positive or negative classification decision for instance *i* due to DNN uncertainty, predictive mean, or it does not make financial sense to spend money on a reject decision.

Following our definition and our constraints, we propose our cost-sensitive framework called Mixed-Integer Programming based Cost-Sensitive Selective Classification (MIPCSC) formally as follows:

$$\max_{\substack{\mu_{L}, \mu_{R}, \sigma_{L}, \sigma_{R}, \\ t_{DL}, t_{UL}, t_{M}, t_{DR}, t_{UR}}} \omega_{tp} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{3} p_{ij} (1 - y_{i}) t_{i} + \sum_{i=1}^{n} r_{i} (1 - y_{i}) t_{i}\right) \\
+ \omega_{tn} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{3} n_{ij} y_{i} t_{i} + \sum_{i=1}^{n} r_{i} y_{i} t_{i}\right) \\
- \omega_{fn} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{3} n_{ij} (1 - y_{i}) t_{i}\right) \\
- \omega_{fp} \left(\sum_{i=1}^{n} \sum_{j=1}^{3} p_{ij} y_{i} t_{i}\right) - c \sum_{i=1}^{m} r_{i} \tag{18}$$

$$\mu_{R} - \epsilon + MR_{i} \ge \mu_{i} - 0.5 \ge \mu_{R} - M(1 - R_{i}), \forall i \quad (19)$$

$$M(1 - L_{i}) - \mu_{L} \ge \mu_{i} - 0.5 \ge \epsilon - \mu_{L} - ML_{i}, \forall i \quad (20)$$

$$\sigma_{L} + M(1 - D_{L_{i}}) \ge \sigma_{i} \ge \sigma_{L} + \epsilon - MD_{L_{i}}, \forall i \quad (21)$$

$$\sigma_{R} + M(1 - D_{R_{i}}) \ge \sigma_{i} \ge \sigma_{R} + \epsilon - MD_{R_{i}}, \forall i \quad (22)$$

$$0.5 + \epsilon + MQ_{i} \ge \mu_{i} \ge 0.5 + M(Q_{i} - 1), \forall i \quad (23)$$

$$t_{DL} + M(1 - S_{DL_{i}}) \ge t_{i} \ge t_{DL} + \epsilon - S_{DL_{i}}, \forall i \quad (24)$$

$$t_{UL} + M(1 - S_{UL_{i}}) \ge t_{i} \ge t_{UL} + \epsilon - S_{UL_{i}}, \forall i \quad (25)$$

$$t_{M} + M(1 - S_{M_{i}}) \ge t_{i} \ge t_{M} + \epsilon - S_{M_{i}}, \forall i \quad (26)$$

$$t_{DR} + M(1 - S_{DR_{i}}) \ge t_{i} \ge t_{DR} + \epsilon - S_{DR_{i}}, \forall i \quad (27)$$

$$t_{UR} + M(1 - S_{UR_{i}}) \ge t_{i} \ge t_{UR} + \epsilon - S_{UR_{i}}, \forall i \quad (28)$$

$$D_{L_{i}} + L_{i} + S_{DL_{i}} \ge 3p_{i1}, \forall i \qquad (29)$$

$$D_{L_{i}} + L_{i} + S_{DL_{i}} - 2 \le 3p_{i1}, \forall i \qquad (30)$$

$$(1 - D_{L_{i}}) + L_{i} + S_{DL_{i}} \ge 3p_{i2}, \forall i \qquad (31)$$

$$(1 - D_{L_{i}}) + L_{i} + S_{DL_{i}} - 2 \le 3p_{i2}, \forall i \qquad (32)$$

$$D_{R_{i}} + R_{i} + S_{DR_{i}} \ge 3n_{i1}, \forall i \qquad (33)$$

$$D_{R_{i}} + R_{i} + S_{DR_{i}} - 2 \le 3n_{i1}, \forall i \qquad (34)$$

$$(1 - D_{R_{i}}) + R_{i} + S_{DR_{i}} \ge 3n_{i2}, \forall i \qquad (35)$$

$$(1 - D_{R_{i}}) + R_{i} + S_{DR_{i}} - 2 \le 3n_{i2}, \forall i \qquad (36)$$

$$(2 - L_{i} - R_{i}) + S_{M_{i}} + (1 - Q_{i}) \ge 4p_{i3}, \forall i \qquad (37)$$

$$(2 - L_{i} - R_{i}) + S_{M_{i}} + (1 - Q_{i}) - 3 \le 4p_{i3}, \forall i \qquad (38)$$

$$(2 - L_{i} - R_{i}) + S_{M_{i}} + Q_{i} \ge 4n_{i3}, \forall i \qquad (39)$$

$$(2 - L_{i} - R_{i}) + S_{M_{i}} + Q_{i} - 3 \le 4n_{i3}, \forall i \qquad (40)$$

$$\sum_{j=1}^{3} [p_{ij}] + \sum_{j=1}^{3} [n_{ij}] + r_{i} = 1, \forall i \qquad (41)$$

$$\forall p_{ij}, r_{i}, n_{ij}, R_{i}, L_{i}, D_{L_{i}}, D_{R_{i}}$$

$$, S_{DL_{i}}, S_{UL_{i}}, S_{M_{i}}, S_{DR_{i}}, S_{UR_{i}} \in \{0, 1\}$$

In this formulation, constraint (19) is derived from (1), (20) is derived from (3), (21) is derived from (4), (22) is derived from (2).

 $\forall i \in \{1...m\}, and \ \mu_L, \mu_B, \sigma_L, \sigma_B \in \mathbb{R}$ 

(43)

Then, constraint (23) is derived from (13), (24) is derived from (5), (25) is derived from (7), (26) is derived from (14), (27) is derived from (9), and (28) is derived from (11).

Next, (29) and (30) are derived from (6), (31) and (32) are derived from (8), (33) and (34) are derived from (10), and (35) and (36) are derived from (12).

Finally, (37) and (38) are derived from (15), and (39) and (40) are derived from (16) following the Big-M method.

## 2 More Experimental Results

Please refer to Figure 3 for the experimental results that were reported in the main paper and refer Figure 4 for the additional ones below.

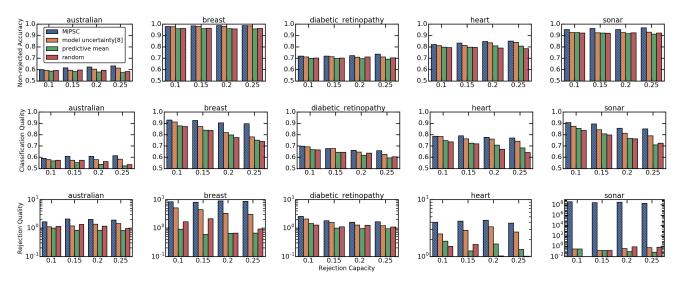


Figure 3: Performance of the MIPSC and other baselines under varying rejection capacities. Notice the superior performance of MIPSC over the recent state-of-the-art and other baselines in all of the three performance metrics for publicly available datasets: australian, breast, diabetic, heart, sonar.

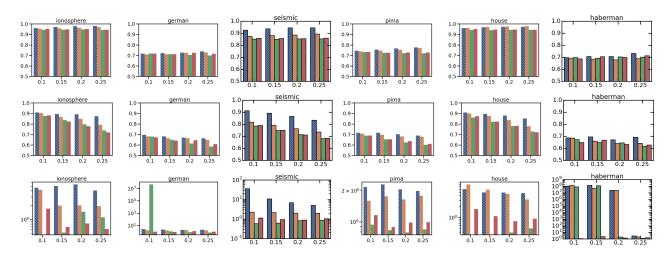


Figure 4: Performance of the MIPSC and other baselines under varying rejection capacities. Notice the superior performance of MIPSC over the recent state-of-the-art and other baselines in all of the three performance metrics for publicly available datasets: ionosphere, german, seismic, pima, house, haberman.