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SWCON253: Machine Learning

Lecture 10

Model Evaluation

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References

- *Intro to Machine Learning* by Sebastian Raschka (http://stat.wisc.edu/~sraschka/teaching/stat451-fs2020/)

Model Evaluation

Model Evaluation

- Evaluates the prediction performance of a model
- More specifically, ***estimates*** the ***generalization performance***, i.e., the predictive performance of our model on future (*unseen*) *data*.

Application

1. ***Model Test***: Want to ***evaluate*** the generalization performance of the ***developed (final) model*** before deploy.
2. ***Model Selection***: Want to ***increase*** the generalization performance ***in the development stage*** by tweaking the learning algorithm and *selecting the best* performing model from a given hypothesis space.

Training, Test, Validation Sets

- **Training Set**
  - Use training set *to train* your model (*model fitting*)
- **Test Set**
  - Use test set *only to evaluate* the performance of your final model (*model test*)
  - *Caution: Do not use test set (or test result) to modify your model!*
- **Validation Set**
  - You can use validation set *to select best* model or hyper-parameters (*model selection*)
    - ★ e.g., in polynomial regression, select the order of the polynomial (i.e., model capacity)
    - ★ e.g., in L1 or L2 regularization, selecting the regularization-weight λ
    - ★ e.g., in SVM, selecting the slack-weight C and/or kernel parameters
    - ★ Note: "*best*" here means best performing on the validation set, implying the lowest generalization error

Test data를 쓰면 안되나

Train에서 추출

(2-Way) Holdout Method

The Simplest Model Test Technique

① *Divide* our available data into two subsets: a ***training*** and a ***test*** set.

★ e.g., randomly assign 33% of the data to the test set, or assign 10% if the dataset is relatively large.

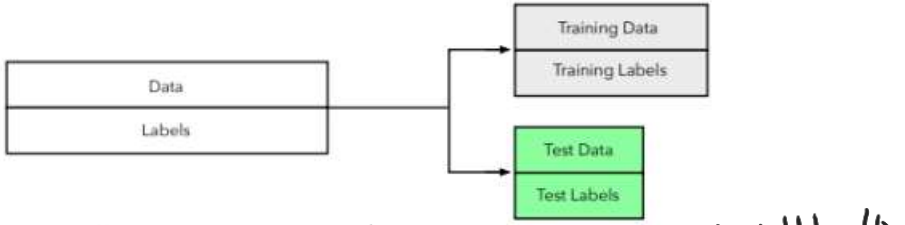
② *Train* your ML algorithm with the training set.

③ *Estimate* the generalization *performance* of the trained model with the test set.

④ (*Optional*) *Retrain* your ML algorithm with *all* the data, including both the training set and test set.

★ As a rule of thumb, the model will have a better generalization performance if the algorithms uses more informative data.

★ *Do not re-estimate the generalization performance with this retrained model!*



Test data를 그냥 Validation인지피냥 씀

3-Way Holdout Method

◆ Holdout Method for Model Selection (or Hyperparameter Tuning)

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② *Train* your ML algorithm with the same training set but *with different hyperparameter settings*.

③ *Compare* the generalization *performance* of the trained models with the *validation* set and *Choose* the *hyperparameters* settings associated with the best performance.

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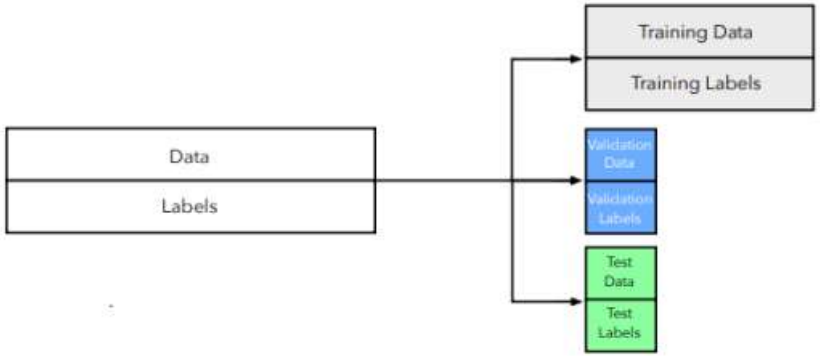
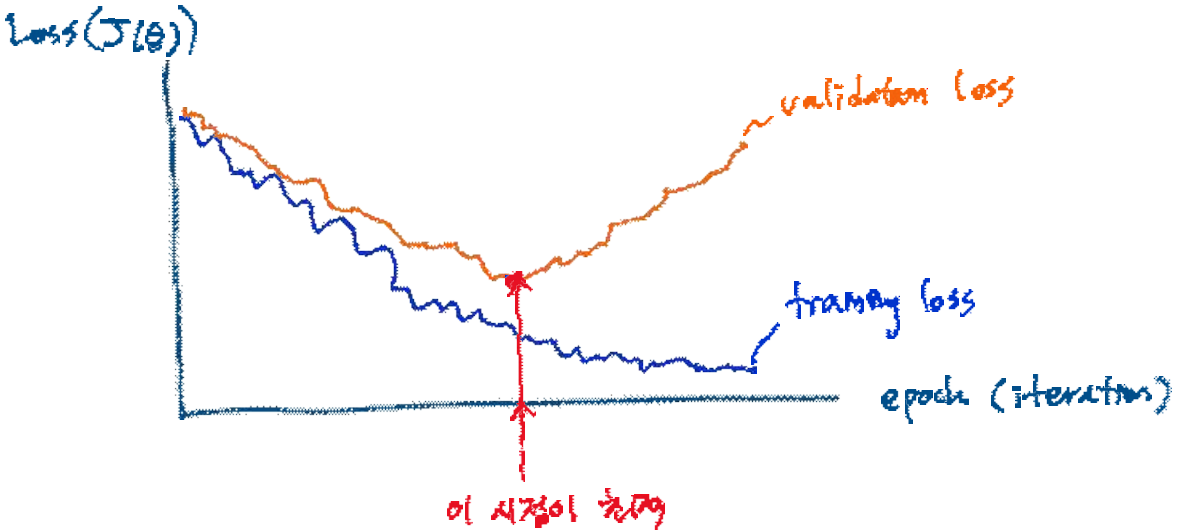


3-Way Holdout Method – *Another Usage*

Early Stopping to Prevent Overfitting

- Validation Set is extensively used to determine (selecting) model parameters across multiple iterations (epochs)
- A kind of the "3-Way Hold-out Method".



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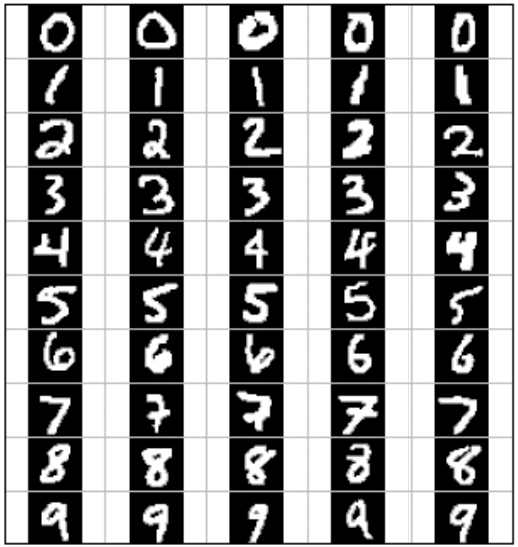
Leave-one-out cross-validation

Held-out Validation



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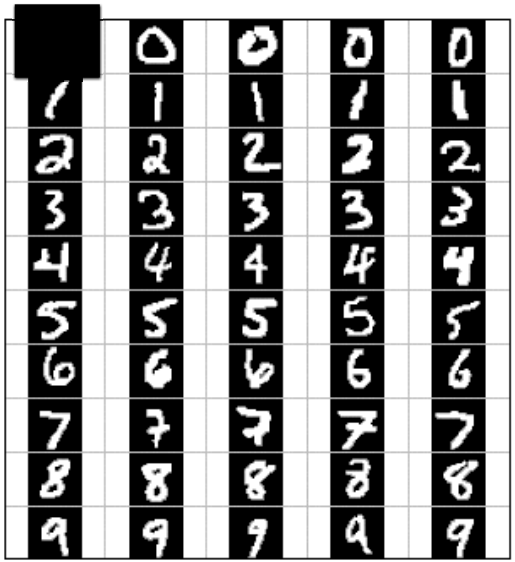

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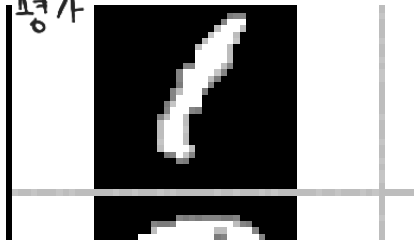

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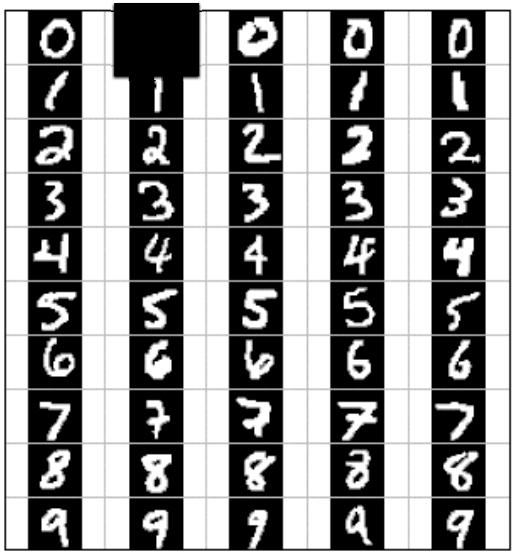

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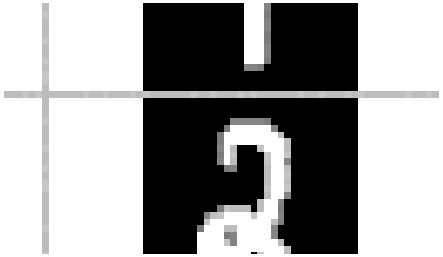

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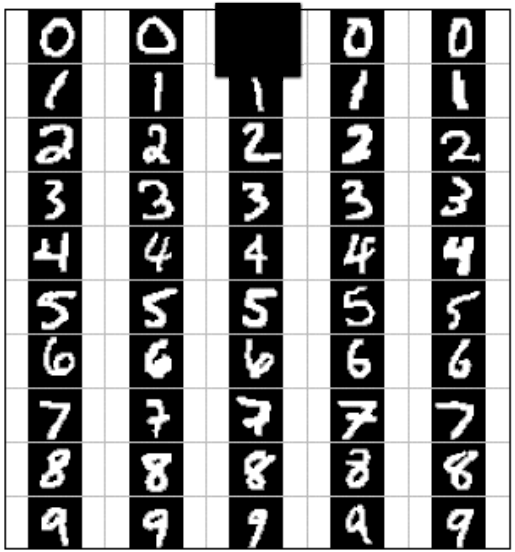

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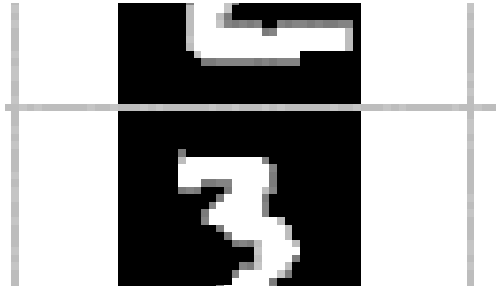

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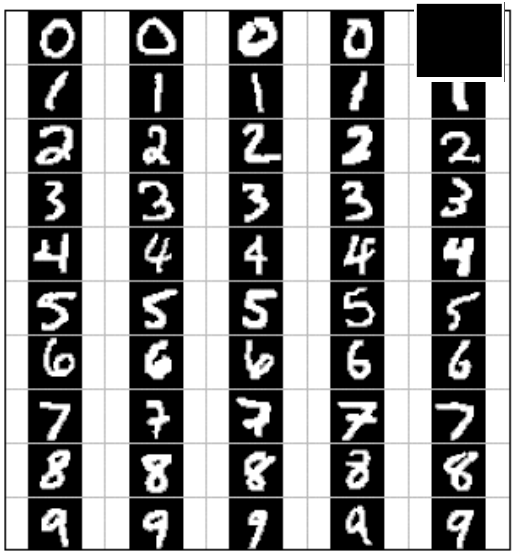

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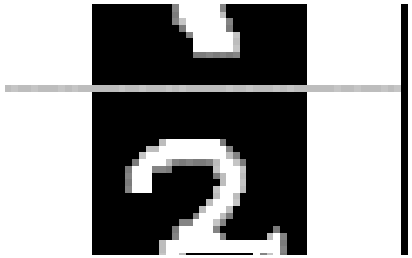

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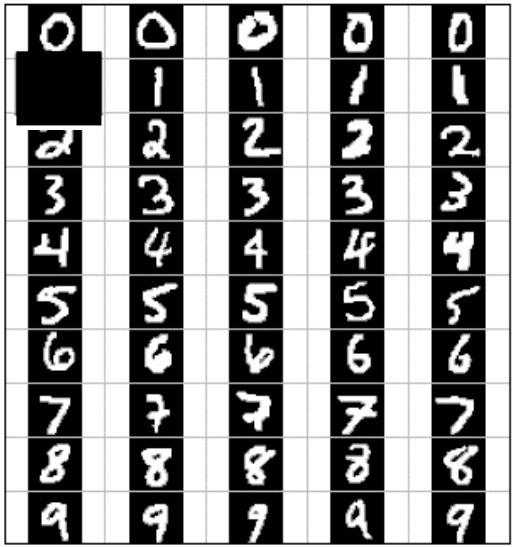

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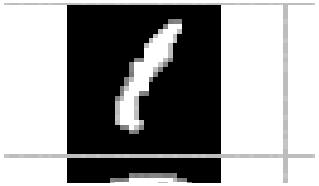

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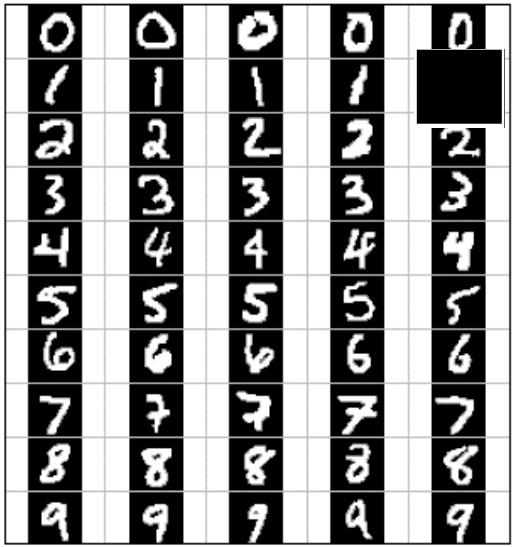

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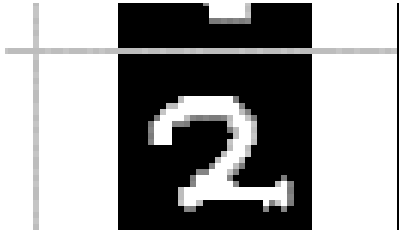

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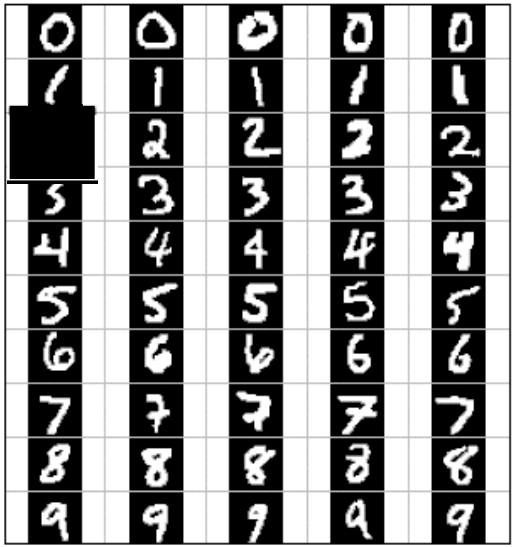

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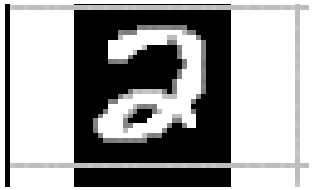

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- ***Leave-one-out cross-validation***
- ***k*-Fold Cross-Validation**

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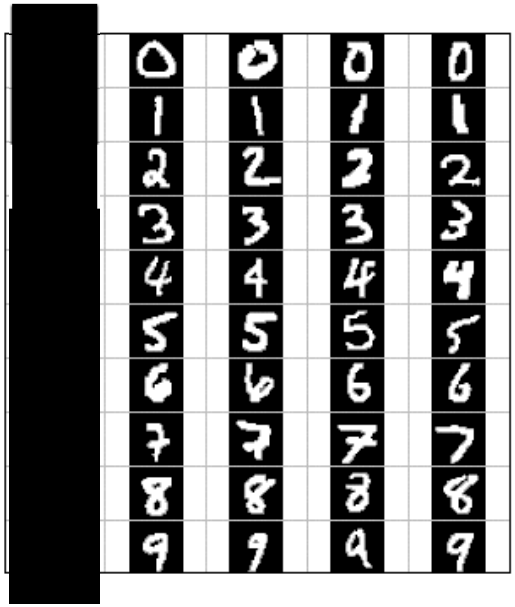
Fold 1



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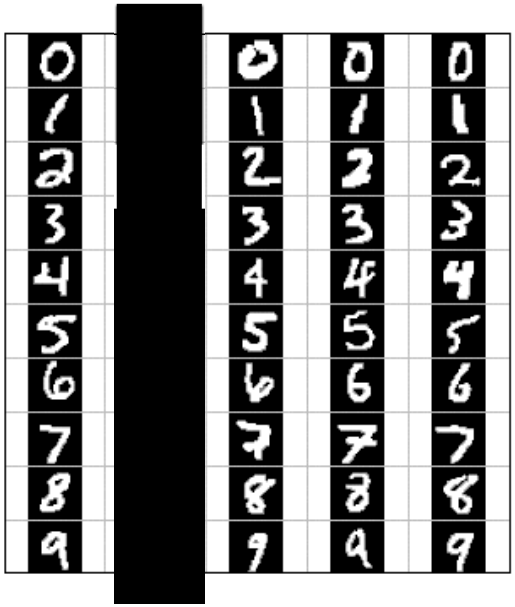

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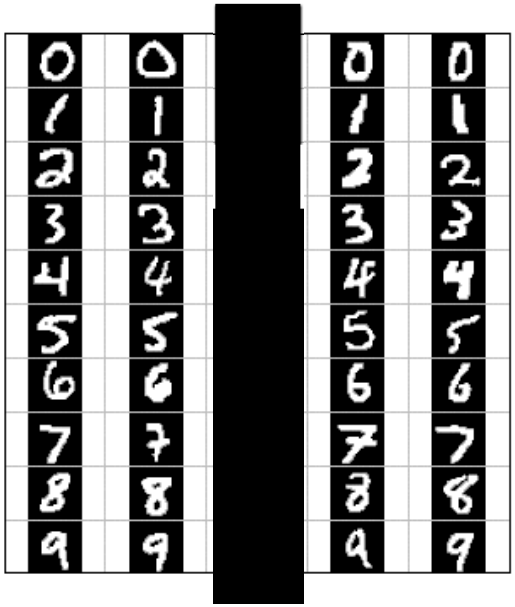

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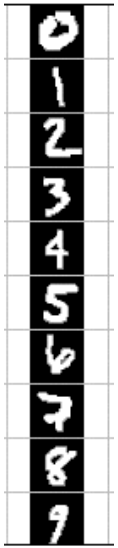

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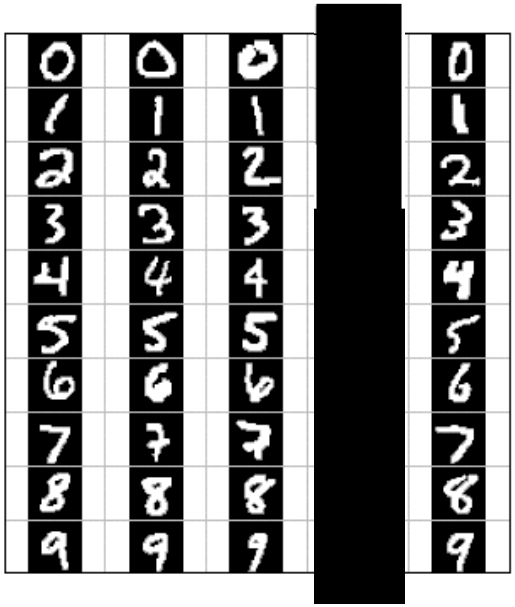

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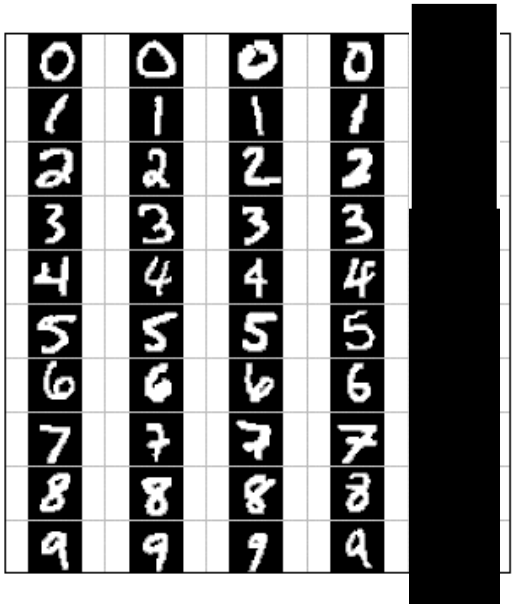

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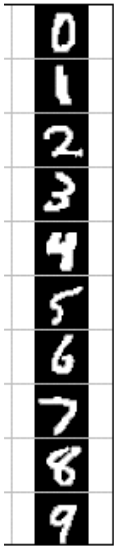

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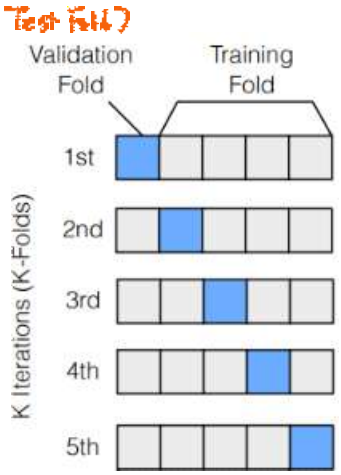
Leave-one-out cross-validation

k-Fold Cross-Validation

- ***k-fold cross-validation*** is a special case of cross-validation where we *iterate over a dataset set k times*.
  - ★ non-overlapping test (validation) folds; ***utilizes all data for testing*** (validation)
  - ★ overlapping training folds
- It is the most common technique for model evaluation & selection



Model Selection via Validation

- Measure performance on **held-out** training data
  - Simulate testing environment
- Rotate **folds** of held-out subsets
- Can even hold out one at a time: **leave-one-out** validation
- Use (cross) validation performance to tune extra parameters

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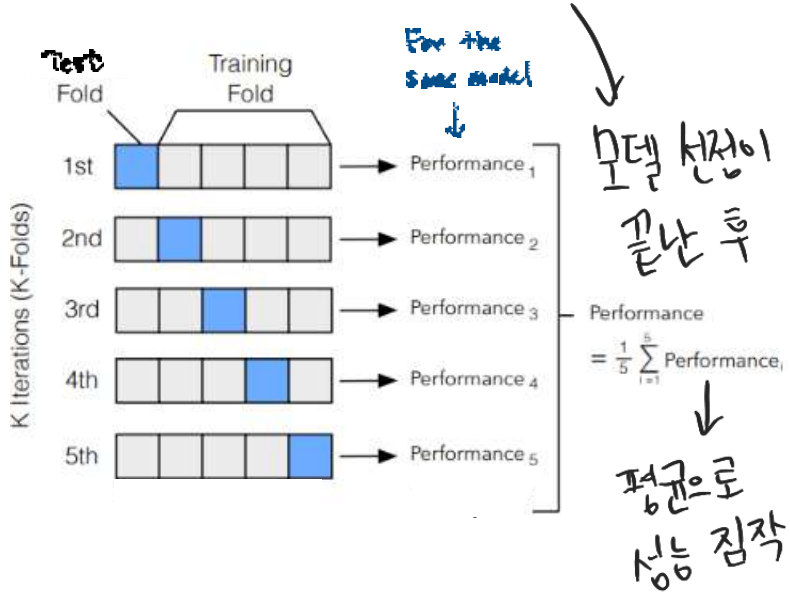
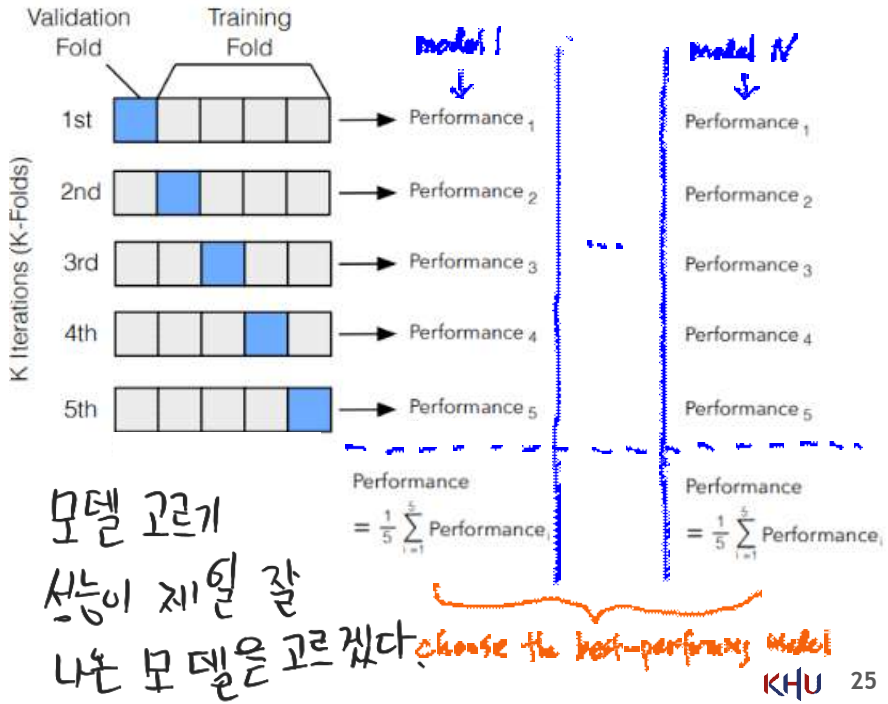
k-Fold Cross-Validation

- ***k*-Fold CV for Model *Testing***
  - [illegible] given model (with *fixed hyperparameters*).



- ***k*-Fold CV for Model (or Algorithm) *Selection***
  - Compare the generalization performance of different models (with *different hyperparameters*).
  - Choose the best performing model.