Machine Learning Different Data Formats

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Intro

So far:

- Supervised and non-supervised ML.
- ► Classification, regression, clustering, dimensionality reduction.
- ► Always assuming we already got numeric data: vectors.

What about other types of data? E.g.,

- ► Text,
- Images or video,
- Audio,
- Radio frequencies,
- Etc.

Data must be converted into a numeric descriptor, i.e., vector.



Different formats

Most types of data can be understood as either:

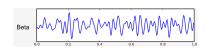
Static data

Vectors, as we already know.

Sequential data

Text, sound, voltage, etc.





Spatial data







Images

Or a combination of both, e.g., video.

Exploit other formats

Design filters that extract relevant statistics, create vectors.

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BoW

Bag-of-words (BoW): vector that counts frequency of words.

| BoW Example |
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| Document: |
| It was the best of times, It was the worst of times. |
| Vocabulary: |
| {it, was, the, best, of, times, worst} |
| Vectors: best [1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 1, 0] [1, 1, 1, 0, 1, 1, 1] worst |

Idea: documents of similar topic, have similar word distribution.



Considerations

- Put all characters in lowercase.
- Remove punctuation and special characters.
- Remove numbers.
- ► Remove stopwords (articles, prepositions, etc).
- Use lematization or stemming.

TD-IDF

Term frequency - inverse document frequency (tf-idf): used for weighting each term with a inverse frequency with respect to documents: terms appearing in all documents are of low relevance.

$$w_{x,y} = tf_{x,y} \times log(\frac{N}{df_x})$$

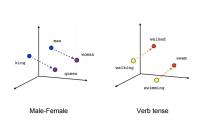
TF-IDFTerm x within document y

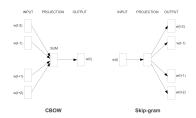
 $tf_{x,y}$ = frequency of x in y df_x = number of documents containing x N = total number of documents

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Embeddings

Starting from one-hot encoding vectors, find rich dense representation that capture semantic context of words.





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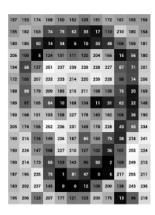
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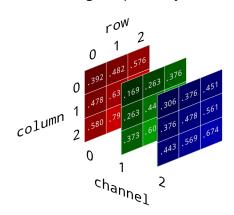
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Image formation

Each pixel indicates a relative amount of light captured by a sensor.







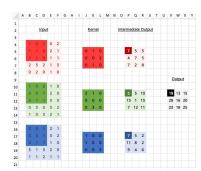
Derivatives in 2D

Edge detector:





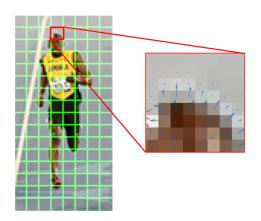
Convolution



| Identity | $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ | |
|-------------------------------------|--|-------|
| Edge detection | $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & -1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$ | |
| | $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 4 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ | (? ? |
| | $\begin{bmatrix} -1 & -1 & -1 \\ -1 & 8 & -1 \\ -1 & -1 & -1 \end{bmatrix}$ | |
| Sharpen | $\begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 5 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$ | |
| Box blur (normalized) | $\frac{1}{9} \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right]$ | |
| Gaussian blur 3 × 3 (approximation) | $\frac{1}{16} \left[\begin{array}{ccc} 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 2 & 4 & 2 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \end{array} \right]$ | |

HOG

Histogram-of-Oriented-Gradients.



| 2 | 3 | 4 | 4 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 2 |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 5 | 11 | 17 | 13 | 7 | 9 | 3 | 4 |
| 11 | 21 | 23 | 27 | 22 | 17 | 4 | 6 |
| 23 | 99 | 165 | 135 | 85 | 32 | 26 | 2 |
| 91 | 155 | 133 | 136 | 144 | 152 | 57 | 28 |
| 98 | 196 | 76 | 38 | 26 | 60 | 170 | 51 |
| 165 | 60 | 60 | 27 | 77 | 85 | 43 | 136 |
| 71 | 13 | 34 | 23 | 108 | 27 | 48 | 110 |

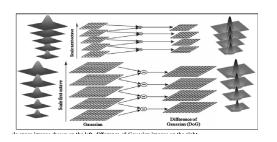
Gradient Magnitude

| 80 | 36 | 5 | 10 | 0 | 64 | 90 | 73 |
|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|-----|
| 37 | 9 | 9 | 179 | 78 | 27 | 169 | 166 |
| 87 | 136 | 173 | 39 | 102 | 163 | 152 | 176 |
| 76 | 13 | 1 | 168 | 159 | 22 | 125 | 143 |
| 120 | 70 | 14 | 150 | 145 | 144 | 145 | 143 |
| 58 | 86 | 119 | 98 | 100 | 101 | 133 | 113 |
| 30 | 65 | 157 | 75 | 78 | 165 | 145 | 124 |
| 11 | 170 | 91 | 4 | 110 | 17 | 133 | 110 |

Gradient Direction

Local image descriptor

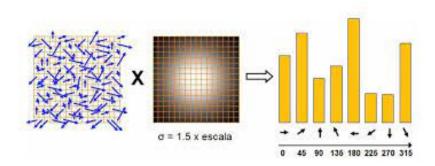
Detect points of interest (Pol): corners of blobs.





SIFT

Scale-Invariant Feature Transform



Each local descriptor is a 128-D vector. There are as many local descriptors as Pol's were detected.

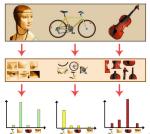


BoVW

Count the frequency of visual words (types of local descriptors).

Descriptors are vectors in \mathbb{R}^N , let's map them to \mathbb{Z} .

- 1. Grab a set of local descriptors.
- 2. Use a clustering algorithm to group them in D clusters.
- 3. Label each descriptor with the index of its cluster.
- 4. Create a *D*-dimensional vector of visual words.



Q&A

Thank you!

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