

FOWLKES-MALLOWS

SCORE

Evaluate clusters when ground-truth is available. Used to evaluate pairs of clusters. Higher score is better. Ranges between 0 and 1

$$FMI = \frac{TP}{\sqrt{(TP + FP)(TP + FN)}}$$

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Fowlkes-Mallows Index

TP
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True Positive
False Positive

FN
↓
False Negative

TP: # of pairs of observations are part of the same cluster in both y and \hat{y} .

FP: # of pairs of observations that are part of the same cluster in y but part of different clusters in \hat{y} .

FN: # of pairs of observations that are not part of the same cluster in y but part of the same cluster in \hat{y} .