

scikit-learn

Machine Learning in Python

- · Simple and efficient tools for data mining and data analysis
- Accessible to everybody, and reusable in various contexts
- · Built on NumPy, SciPy, and matplotlib
- Open source, commercially usable BSD license

Classification

Identifying to which category an object belongs to.

Applications: Spam detection, Image recog-

Algorithms: SVM, nearest neighbors, random forest, ... — Examples

Regression

Predicting a continuous-valued attribute associated with an object.

Applications: Drug response, Stock prices. Algorithms: SVR, ridge regression, Lasso,

Examples

Clustering

Automatic grouping of similar objects into sets.

Applications: Customer segmentation,

Grouping experiment outcomes

Algorithms: k-Means, spectral clustering, mean-shift, ... — Examples

Dimensionality reduction

Reducing the number of random variables to consider.

Applications: Visualization, Increased efficiency

Algorithms: PCA, feature selection, nonnegative matrix factorization. — Examples

Model selection

Comparing, validating and choosing parameters and models.

Goal: Improved accuracy via parameter tun-

Modules: grid search, cross validation, metrics. — Examples

Preprocessing

Feature extraction and normalization.

Application: Transforming input data such as text for use with machine learning algorithms.

Modules: preprocessing, feature extraction.

Examples

Linear Regression