Weeks [12 - 15]

Section 1

PART III Artificial Intelligence

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Week-12-lecture-2: Machine Learning

CSCI 111 Web Programming and Problem Solving

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Introduction



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PROCESS DATA
MAKE DECISION



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+ Machine Learning

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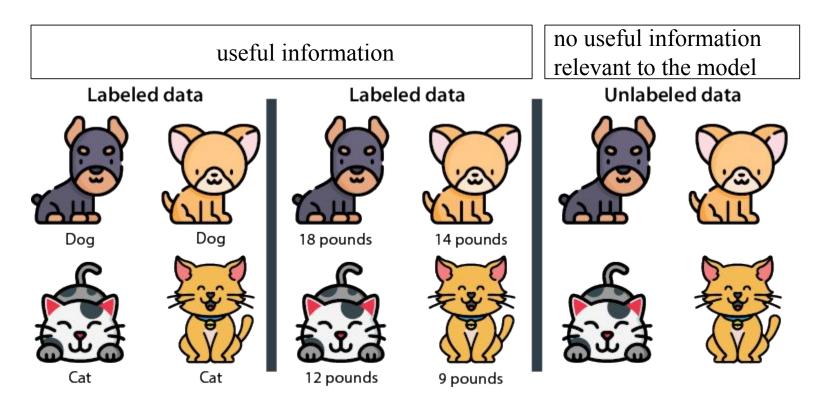
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Supervised Learning - predict using labeled data

Classification model use Regression model use categorical data numerical data Labeled data Labeled data Unlabeled data Dog Dog 18 pounds 14 pounds 12 pounds Cat Cat 9 pounds

Supervised Learning Regression

- Housing Prices predict price of a new house, based on prices and features of existing houses
- Stock Market predict price of a certain stock
- Medicine predict expected recovery time
- Sales predict expected amount of money customer will spend
- Video Recommendation predicted the expected amount of time a user will watch

- Decision tree
- Random Forests
- AdaBoost
- Gradient Boost Trees
- XGBoost
- etc.

Examples

Methods

Supervised Learning Classification Examples

- Predict the type of pet (cat, dog)
- Predict if email is spam (spam or not)
- Image recognition MNIST
- Image recognition CIFAR
- Website traffic (whether user will follow the link)
- Social Media (whether user will be friend)
- Video Recommendation (whether user will watch video)

- The Naive Bayes Algorithm
- Support Vector Machines

• etc.

Examples

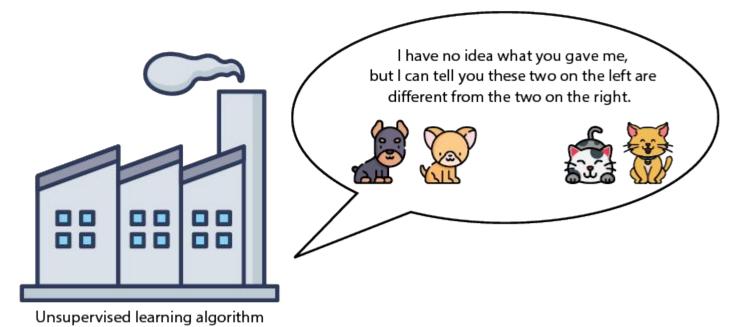
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Unsupervised Learning

Extract as much as possible information from data.

Group the images based on similarity.

Separate the dog images from the cat images, or even group each of them by breed!



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Unsupervised Learning

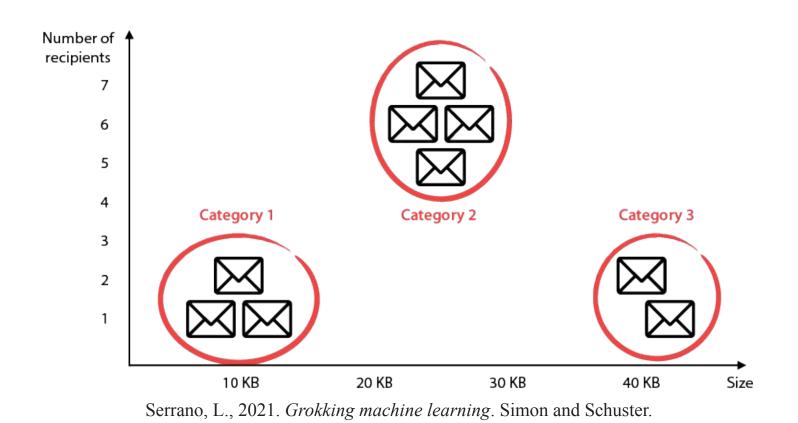
- Clustering algorithms group data into clusters based on similarity;
- Dimensionality reduction algorithms simplify data and describe it with fewer features; Main branches
- Generative algorithms generate new data points that resemble the existing data.

- 1. Use unsupervised learning techniques on data to preprocess
- 2. Apply supervised learning methods more effectively
- K-means clustering
- Hierarchical clustering
- Density based spatial clustering
- Gaussian mixture models
- etc.

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Unsupervised Learning. Clustering algorithm

Example about spam emails. Group emails by the size, sender, links in email, attachments etc.



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	bedrooms	bathrooms	neighborhood	closest school



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Self study:

- Matrix factorization
- Singular value decomposition

Unsupervised Learning. Generative ML.

input dataset



- image
- video
- music
- story
- poetry etc.



Popular algorithms:

- Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs) by Ian Goodfellow and his coauthors
- Variational autoencoders by Kingma and Welling
- Restricted Boltzmann machines (RBMs) by Geoffrey Hinton

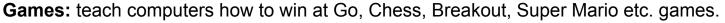
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Reinforcement Learning

INPUT:

- No data.
- An environment with rewards and punishments
- An agent with goal to navigate in this environment.

OUTPUT: Perform a task.



Robotics: help robots picking up boxes, cleaning a room, or even dancing! **Self-driving cars:** path planning or behaving in particular environments.

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Summary

- Major types of machine learning: supervised learning, unsupervised learning, and reinforcement learning.
- Data can be labeled or unlabeled. Labeled data contains a special feature that we aim to predict.
- Supervised learning is used on labeled data and consists of building models that predict the labels for unseen data.
- Unsupervised learning is used on unlabeled data and consists of algorithms that simplify our data without losing a lot of information. Unsupervised learning is often used as a preprocessing step.
- Two common types of supervised learning algorithms are called regression and classification.
- Regression models are those in which the answer is any number.
- Classification models are those in which the answer is of a type or a class.
- Two common types of unsupervised learning algorithms are clustering and dimensionality reduction.
- Clustering is used to group data into similar clusters to extract information or make it easier to handle.
- Dimensionality reduction is a way to simplify our data, by joining certain similar features and losing as little information as possible.
- Matrix factorization and singular value decomposition are other algorithms that can simplify our data by reducing both the number of rows and columns.
- Generative machine learning is an innovative type of unsupervised learning, consisting of generating data that is similar to our dataset. Generative models can paint realistic faces, compose music, and write poetry.
- Reinforcement learning is a type of machine learning in which an agent must navigate an environment and reach a goal. It is extensively used in many cutting-edge applications.