

1. SUMMARY OF CHAPTER 1:

Machine learning has not been known for long, but it is now appearing in many fields in our lives. We use machine learning when faced with complex problems or when dealing with programs containing numerous rules, employing it to simplify the problem. There are many types of machine learning, such as supervised learning, where the data is labeled (data with solutions) and is used for problems like regression and classification. Unsupervised learning, on the other hand, deals with unlabeled data (without solutions) and involves various algorithms like hierarchical clustering, visualization, anomaly detection, dimensionality reduction, association detection, semi-supervised learning (where some data is labeled and most is unlabeled), and self-supervised learning (where the data is damaged, and a model is created to fix it, using some labeled data for fine-tuning). Reinforcement learning occurs through learning from rewards or penalties to formulate a policy. There are two main approaches to learning: batch learning, where the model is trained on the full data, which requires significant resources and may struggle to adapt to evolving data; and online learning, where the model is trained incrementally. The advantage of online learning is its ability to adapt to evolving data, but it also faces challenges such as outlier detection, requiring continuous monitoring to decide whether to continue with online learning or switch to offline learning if performance deteriorates. Additionally, there is instance-based learning, where the model compares the new data with old data, and model-based learning, where we create a new model to make predictions.

Many challenges are encountered in achieving a perfect model, including insufficient data quantity, data not being representative of the problem (which can result from either small or large sample sizes, leading to sample noise or bias), irrelevant features, overfitting (where the model is too complex relative to the problem or the data), or underfitting (where the problem is too simple). Evaluating model performance involves dividing the data into training and testing sets and calculating the generalization error. When selecting the best hyperparameters for the model, data should be split into training, testing, and validation sets.

2. WHAT IS MACHINE LEARNING?

المachine learning هو عبارة عن جعل الآلة تتعلم من البيانات لتكون قادرة على فعل مهام يستطيع الإنسان العادي أن يقوم أو تقوم بفعل مهام لا يستطيع الإنسان القيام بها بدون كتابة برنامج ليقوم بعمل هذه المهام.

3. APPLICATION FOR MACHINE LEARNING

We can use machine learning to help the company improve their products to satisfy their customers.