

Preprocessing

LabelEncoder

- LabelEncoder() : Encode labels with value between 0 and n_classes-1.

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In [1]: from sklearn import preprocessing
import numpy as np
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In [2]: data = ["paris", "paris", "tokyo", "boston", "amsterdam", "boston"]
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In [3]: np.unique(data)
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Out[3]: array(['amsterdam', 'boston', 'paris', 'tokyo'], dtype='<U9')
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In [4]: le = preprocessing.LabelEncoder()
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In [5]: # Fit label encoder
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le.fit(data)
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Out[5]: LabelEncoder()
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In [6]: le.classes
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Out[6]: array(['amsterdam', 'boston', 'paris', 'tokyo'], dtype='<U9')
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In [7]: # Transform labels to normalized encoding.
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le.transform(["tokyo", "tokyo", "paris", "boston"])
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Out[7]: array([3, 3, 2, 1])
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In [8]: # Transform labels back to original encoding
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le.inverse_transform([3, 3, 2, 1])
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Out[8]: array(['tokyo', 'tokyo', 'paris', 'boston'], dtype='<U9')
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In [9]: # Fit label encoder and return encoded labels
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le.fit_transform(data)
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Out[9]: array([2, 2, 3, 1, 0, 1])
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In [10]: data
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Out[10]: ['paris', 'paris', 'tokyo', 'boston', 'amsterdam', 'boston']
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