

# CS489/689- HW 3

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In HW3, we are going to write codes for a linear regression model from scratch to solve classification problems.

## **Classification problem using MNIST (hand-written digit data)**

Download the MNIST data on the course web page. There are two files: MNIST\_15\_15.csv and MNIST\_LABEL.csv. The former file contains hand-written digit image data ( $n = 335$ ,  $p = 15 \times 15$  pixel values) and the latter has the corresponding label of digit 5 or 6. Normalize the data (by min-max normalization, i.e. divide by 255) and train a **linear model for classification** (use a threshold of 0.5). 10-fold cross-validation will be applied. Show a table of TPR, FPR, and accuracy for each experiment, and compute the average accuracy.

## **Submission:**

You must submit the followings to WebCampus:

1. MS word file
  - Describe what you did for the homework assignment.
  - Must include a table of TPR and FPR, accuracy of 10-fold CV, and the average accuracy of the ten experiments.
2. Source code file(s)
  - Must be well organized (comments, indentation, ...)
  - You need to upload the "original python file (\*.py)" after changing to "\*.py.txt". For example, "\*.py" to "\*.py.txt"

**You must submit the files SEPERATELY. DO NOT compress into a ZIP file. If you fail to provide all required information or files, you may be given zero score without grading.**

## **Rubric:**

- If used a library for linear regression instead of writing code from scratch, zero will be given.
- You can use any functions or libraries other than library of linear regression. E.g., libraries for cross-validation are okay.

## **Deadline:**

You must submit HW3 by **Wednesday, March 4, 2020**. Late assignments will not be accepted.