Lab Assignment #5

(due April 29, 2020)

Healthcare Application: COVID'19 prediction based on machine learning.

This lab assignment is all about using machine learning; however, you are not expected to know machine learning *per se*—only how to use it in the context of Amazon services.

To work on the assignment, you will be using the Amazon *SageMaker* (https://aws.amazon.com/sagemaker/), which is a fully-managed machine -earning service for building and training learning models, and then deploying them directly into a production-ready hosted environment. It provides an integrated *Jupyter* (sic!) notebook instance for easy access to your data sources for exploration and analysis, so you don't have to manage servers. It also provides common machine-learning algorithms that are optimized to run efficiently on very large data in a distributed environment.

Please perform the steps outlined below.

- A. Download the data and code provided at https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1thu0jOyjMAJ33gdtcC-25OHm-N78PYHc. The five files there are
 - 1) 04-18-2020.csv (data)
 - 2) time_series_covid19_confirmed_global.csv (data)
 - 3) time_series_covid19_confirmed_global.csv (data)
 - 4) time_series_covid19_recovered_global.csv (data)
 - 5) coronavirus-covid-19-visualization-prediction.ipynb (code)
- B. Create an Amazon S3 bucket and load the above data into this bucket.
- C. Open Amazon SageMaker

- D. Launch a Notebook instance (and at the same time create the new IAM permissions for the Amazon S3 bucket you had created)
- E. Load the notebook
- F. Edit the bucket name and run the code on each line of the notebook
- G. Check the results in the *output folder* in the Amazon S3 bucket you had created.
- H. Prepare a pdf file with your report, which must
 - 1) describe all the steps you have taken (further supported by the screenshots and all the graphics generated in the process).
 - 2) Have a one-paragraph conclusion describing the results of the study