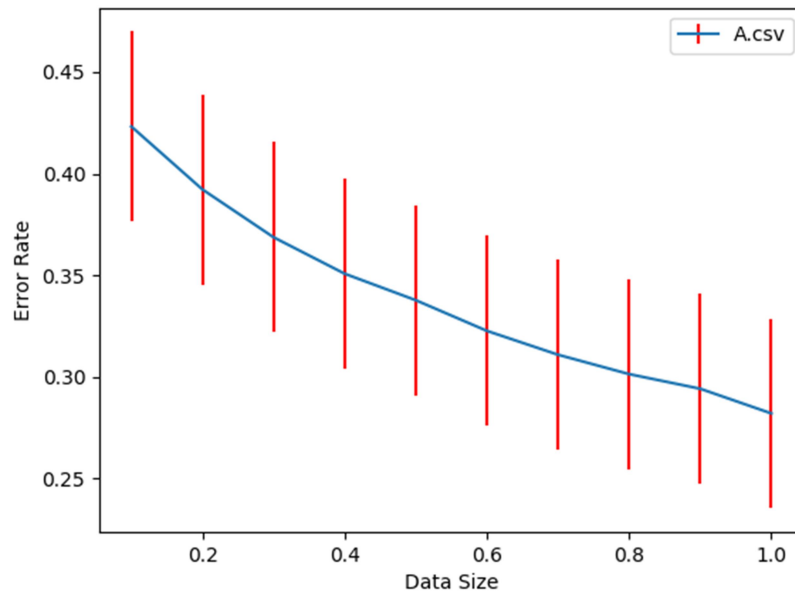


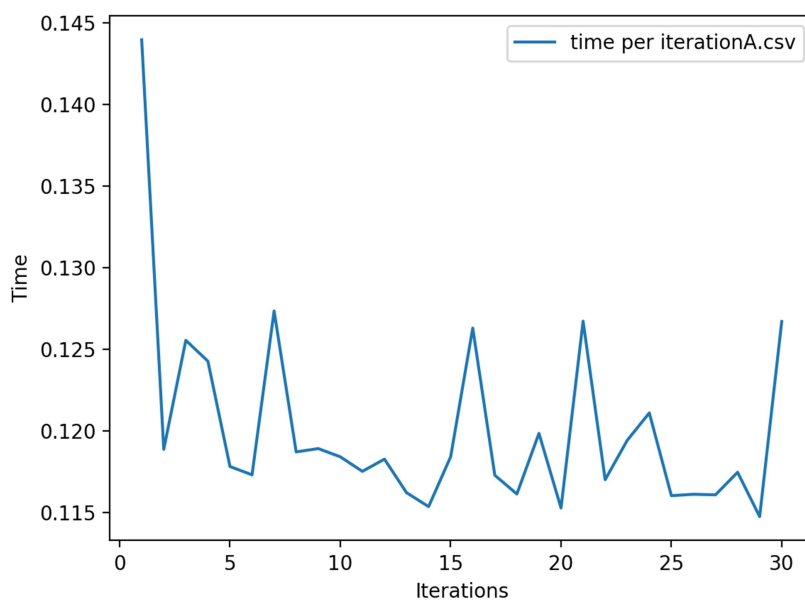
Bayesian Regression

Dataset - A

Error Rate Graph



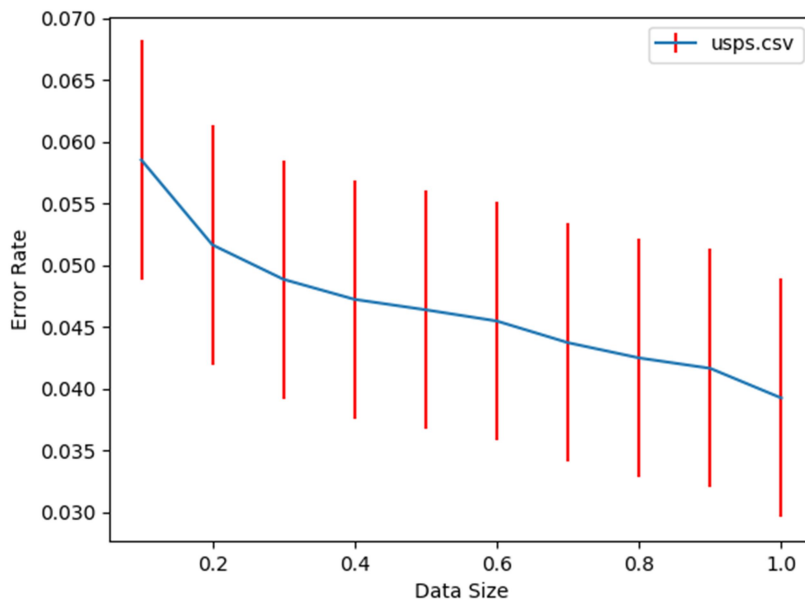
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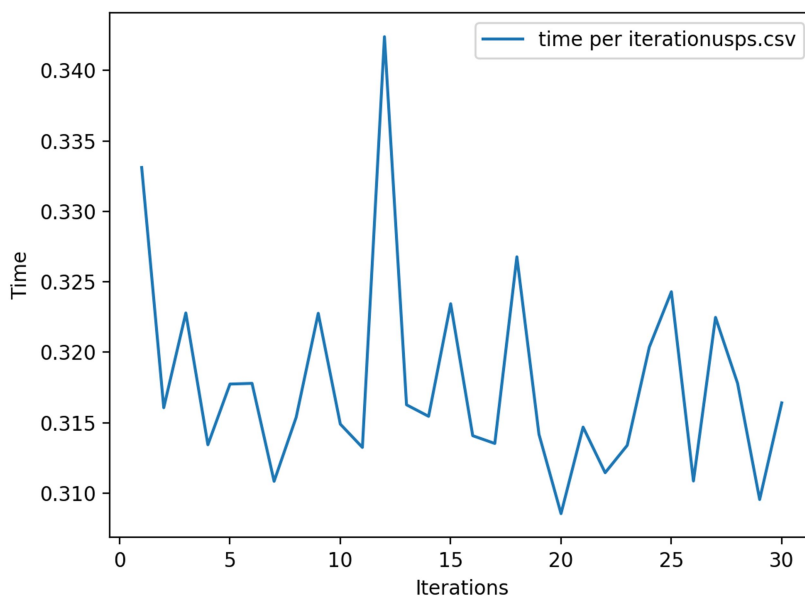
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Dataset – usps

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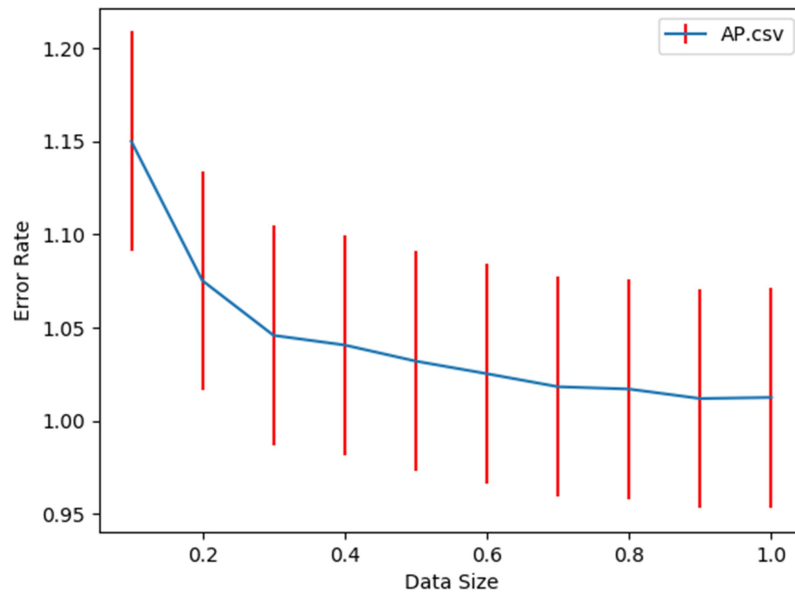
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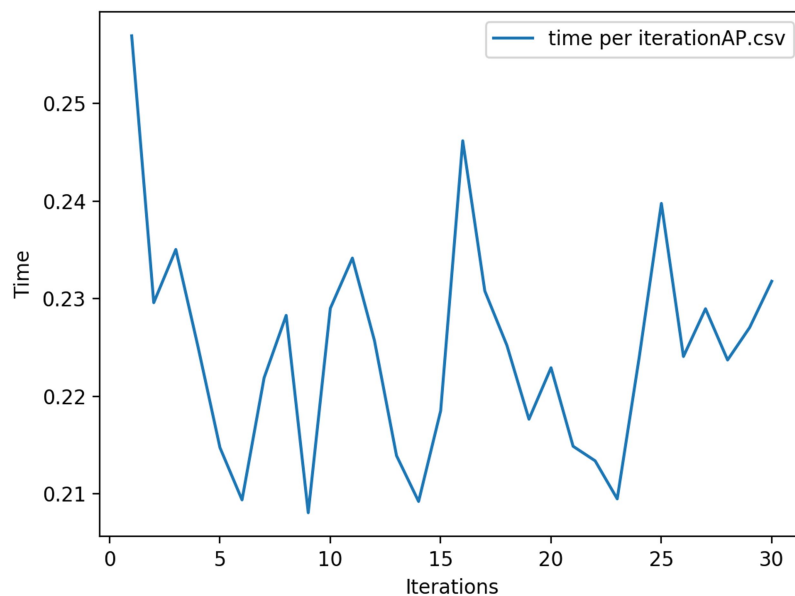
Poisson Regression

Dataset – AP

Error Rate Graph



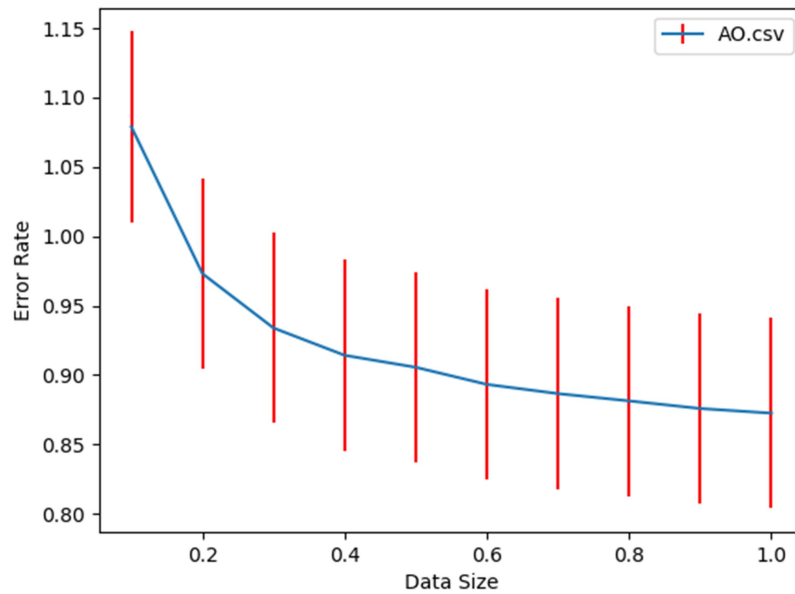
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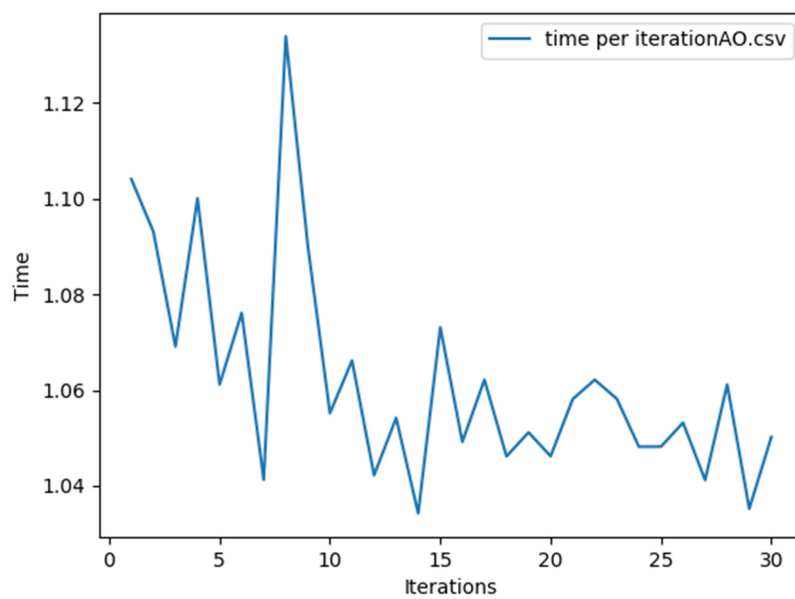
Ordinal Regression

Dataset – AO

Error Rate Graph



Statistics for time/iteration



Discussion of Results:

Statistics of time per iteration

Dataset	Average time required for one iteration*	Minimum time required for one iteration*	Maximum time required for one iteration*	Total time required*	Average WMAP convergence time*
A	0.1421	0.1366	0.1645	4.3413	0.0133
USPS	0.7411	0.7081	0.8876	22.36018	0.0729
AP	0.3297	0.3051	0.3580	9.9723	0.0305
AO	1.0926	1.0462	1.2596	32.8561	0.1065

*All the above values are approximate and are in seconds

- Yes, all the learning curves are almost as expected. Accuracy for all the 4 dataset predictions in the start is approximately 40-45% which later decreases to 30-35% as the iterations increase.
- Learning time for Bayesian is completely dependent on the dataset, whereas Poisson shows a good learning time compared to Ordinal algorithm for classification and likelihood model.
- For Bayesian and Poisson approach time cost is not much as \hat{y} is $(n \times 1)$. But for ordinal as the \hat{y} number of column increases to the size of classifiers making it a 2D array of $(n \times m)$ creating the need for nested loop and thus increasing time. (n = size of dataset, m = K)

Model Selection for Alpha

- For model selection of alpha I have used Bayesian approach.
- In Bayesian approach we converge alpha beta value to get the value of our unknown parameter lambda.(convergence value 10^{-7} or 100 loops(for time efficiency))
- This lambda value is used as alpha value for calculating wmap.
- In the below graphs we can clearly see that by using BMS for alpha value our prediction accuracy for all the 4 data sets have increased.
- I am calculating alpha for data part [0.1...1] for 30 iterations and using it to calculate wmap for the corresponding iteration.
- Downside to this is that it is not time efficient.

Alpha Values

Dataset USPS - 0.0771

Dataset A - 0.0285

Dataset AP – 0.0364

Dataset AO - 0.1135

