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Ensembling

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1. What is the purpose of ensembling?

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- ☐ To make your solution look mighty
- ☒ To compensate errors of one model by other models
- ☐ To learn about overfitting by trial-and-error



Correct

Correct! If models make mistakes on different test samples, ensemble will have higher overall quality

2. Does ensembling always lead to a better quality?

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- ☐ Yes, always
- ☐ No, almost never
- ☒ No, but quite often



Correct

Correct! This is why almost every winning solution uses ensembling

3. Which of the following machine learning techniques can potentially be the best?

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- ☐ Bagging of decision trees with max_depth=100
- ☐ Linear regression
- ☐ Gradient boosting of k-NN models
- ☒ Stacking of diversified models



Correct

Yes, potentially stacking is the most powerful technique

4. Which class of models can be used as a base model in gradient boosting?

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☒ Decision Tree



Correct

Of course, for example, GBDT boosts over decision trees.

☒ Linear model



Correct

Of course, for example, Xgboost contains implementation of boosting over logistic regressions.

☒ Neural Net



Correct

Of course, it is possible, but not widely used. For example, you can use AdaBoost to do this.