

Module Master Recherche

Apprentissage et Fouille

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Représentation pour l'apprentissage

- ▶ Sélection d'attributs
- ▶ Changements de représentation linéaires
- ▶ Changements de représentation non linéaires
- ▶ Propositionalisation
- ▶ Une étude de cas

Au début sont les données...

Patient	AGE x1	SEX x2	BMI x3	BP x4	... x5	Serum x6	Measurements x7	... x8	x9	x10	Response y
1	59	2	32.1	101	157	93.2	38	4	4.9	87	151
2	48	1	21.6	87	183	103.2	70	3	3.9	69	75
3	72	2	30.5	93	156	93.6	41	4	4.7	85	141
4	24	1	25.3	84	198	131.4	40	5	4.9	89	206
5	50	1	23.0	101	192	125.4	52	4	4.3	80	135
6	23	1	22.6	89	139	64.8	61	2	4.2	68	97
⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮	⋮
441	36	1	30.0	95	201	125.2	42	5	5.1	85	220
442	36	1	19.6	71	250	133.2	97	3	4.6	92	57

Motivations : Trouver et élaguer des descripteurs

Avant l'apprentissage : décrire les données.

- ▶ Une description trop pauvre $\Rightarrow$ on ne peut rien faire
- ▶ Une description trop riche $\Rightarrow$ on doit élaguer les descripteurs

Pourquoi ?

- ▶ L'apprentissage n'est pas un problème bien posé
- ▶ $\Rightarrow$ Rajouter de l'information inutile (l'âge du vélo de ma grand-mère) peut dégrader les hypothèses obtenues.

Feature Selection, Position du problème

Contexte

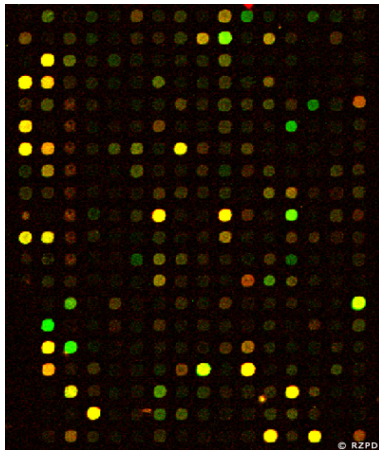
- ▶ Trop d'attributs % nombre exemples
 - ▶ En enlever Feature Selection
 - ▶ En construire d'autres Feature Construction
 - ▶ En construire moins Dimensionality Reduction
- ▶ Cas logique du 1er ordre : Propositionalisation

Le but caché : sélectionner ou construire des descripteurs ?

- ▶ Feature Construction : construire les bons descripteurs
- ▶ A partir desquels il sera facile d'apprendre
- ▶ Les meilleurs descripteurs = les bonnes hypothèses...

Quand l'apprentissage c'est la sélection d'attributs

Bio-informatique



- ▶ 30 000 gènes
- ▶ peu d'exemples (chers)
- ▶ but : trouver les gènes pertinents

Il est facile de faire n'importe quoi

Un exemple d'aventure fort désagréable...

<http://www-stat.stanford.edu/~hastie/TALKS/barossa.pdf>

(Rappel) Définition de p-value

Contexte : observation

le rouge est sorti 14 fois sur 20

Question : est-ce le hasard ?

deux hypothèses

► H_0 : le casino est honnête

$\Pr(\text{rouge}) = 1/2$

► ... ou non

p-value : Proba (observations | H_0)
probabilité d'observer ça sous l'hypothèse H_0

Nb de rouges sur N tirages $\sim \mathcal{B}(N, 1/2)$

$\Pr(\# \text{ rouges} \geq 14) = .047$

... On rejette l'hypothèse H_0 à 5% de niveau de confiance

Position du problème

Buts

- Sélection : trouver un sous-ensemble d'attributs
- Ordre/Ranking : ordonner les attributs

Formulation

Soient les attributs $\mathcal{A} = \{a_1, ..a_d\}$. Soit la fonction :

$$\mathcal{F} : \mathcal{P}(\mathcal{A}) \mapsto \mathbb{R}$$

$$A \subset \mathcal{A} \mapsto Err(A) = \text{erreur min. des hypothèses fondées sur } A$$

Trouver $Argmin(\mathcal{F})$

Difficultés

- Un problème d'optimisation combinatoire (2^d)
- D'une fonction $\mathcal{F}$ inconnue...

Selection de features: approche filtre

Méthode univariée

Définir $score(a_i)$; ajouter itérativement les attributs maximisant $score$

ou retirer itérativement les attributs minimisant $score$

- + simple et pas cher
- optima très locaux

Backtrack possible

- ▶ Etat courant $\mathcal{A}$
- ▶ Ajouter a_i à $\mathcal{A}$
- ▶ Peut être ajouter a_i rend $a_j \in \mathcal{A}$ inutile ?
- ▶ Essayer d'enlever les features de $\mathcal{A}$

Backtrack = moins glouton; meilleures solutions ; beaucoup plus cher.

Selection de features: approche wrapping

Méthode multivariée

Mesurer la qualité d'un ensemble d'attributs :
estimer $\mathcal{F}(a_{i1}, \dots a_{ik})$

Contre

Beaucoup plus cher : une estimation = un pb d'apprentissage.

Pour

Optima meilleurs

Selection de features: approche embarquée (embedded)

Principe – online

On rajoute à l'apprentissage un critère qui favorise les hypothèses à peu d'attributs.

Par exemple : trouver w , $h(x) = wx$, qui minimise

$$\sum_i (h(x_i) - y_i)^2 + \sum_d |w_d|$$

Premier terme : coller aux données

Deuxième terme : favoriser w avec beaucoup de coordonnées nulles

Principe – offline

On a trouvé

$$h(x) = wx = \sum_d w_d x_d$$

Si $|w_d|$ petit, l'attribut d n'est pas important... Les enlever et recommencer.

Approches filtre, 1

Notations

Base d'apprentissage : $\mathcal{E} = \{(x_i, y_i), i = 1..n, y_i \in \{-1, 1\}\}$
 $a(x_i)$ = valeur attribut a pour exemple (x_i)

Corrélation

$$corr(a) = \frac{\sum_i a(x_i) \cdot y_i}{\sqrt{\sum_i (a(x_i))^2 \times \sum_i y_i^2}} \propto \sum_i a(x_i) \cdot y_i = \langle a, y \rangle$$

Limites

Attributs corrélés entre eux

Dépendance non linéaire

Approches filtre, 2

Corrélation et projection

Stoppiglia et al. 2003

Repeat

- ▶ a^* = attribut le plus corrélé à la classe

$$a^* = \operatorname{argmax} \left\{ \sum_i a(x_i) y_i, a \in \mathcal{A} \right\}$$

- ▶ Projeter les autres attributs sur l'espace orthogonal à a^*

$$\begin{aligned} \forall b \in \mathcal{A} \quad b &\rightarrow b - \frac{\langle a^*, b \rangle}{\langle a^*, a^* \rangle} a^* \\ b(x_i) &\rightarrow b(x_i) - \frac{\sum_j a^*(x_j) b(x_j)}{\sum_j a^*(x_j)^2} a^*(x_i) \end{aligned}$$

Corrélation et projection, suite

- Projeter y sur l'espace orthogonal à a^*

$$y \rightarrow y - \frac{\langle a^*, y \rangle}{\langle a^*, a^* \rangle} a^*$$
$$y_i \rightarrow y_i - \frac{\sum_j a^*(x_j) y_j}{\sum_j a^*(x_j)^2} a^*(x_i)$$

- Until Critère d'arrêt

- Rajouter des attributs aléatoires ($r(x_i) = \pm 1$) *probe*
- Quand le critère de corrélation sélectionne des attributs aléatoires, s'arrêter.

Limitations

quand il y a plus de 6-7 attributs pertinents, ne marche pas bien.

Approches filtre, 3

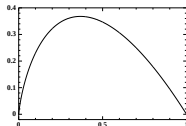
Gain d'information

arbres de décision

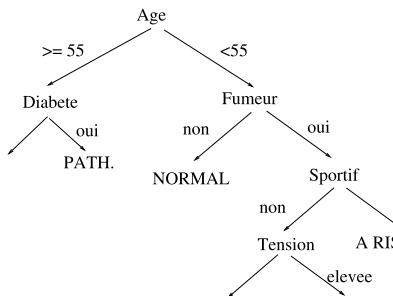
$$p([a = v]) = Pr(y = 1 | a(x_i) = v)$$

$$QI([a = v]) = -p([a = v]) \log p([a = v])$$

$$QI(a) = \sum_v Pr(a(x_i) = v) QI([a = v])$$



Gain d'information, suite



Limitations

Les mêmes que celles des arbres de décision

Problème de XOR.

Quelques scores

Notations : c_i une classe *en fouille de textes, contexte supervisé*
 a_k un mot (ou terme)

Critères

1. Fréquence conditionnelle

$$P(c_i | a_k)$$

2. Information mutuelle

$$P(c_i, a_k) \log \left(\frac{P(c_i, a_k)}{P(c_i)P(a_k)} \right)$$

3. Gain d'information

$$\sum_{c_i, \neg c_i} \sum_{a_k, \neg a_k} P(c, a) \log \frac{p(a, c)}{P(a)P(c)}$$

4. Chi-2

$$\frac{(P(t, c)P(\neg t, \neg c) - P(t, \neg c)P(\neg t, c))^2}{P(t)P(\neg t)P(c)P(\neg c)}$$

5. Pertinence

$$\log \frac{P(t, c) + d}{P(\neg t, \neg c) + d}$$

Approches wrapper

Principe générer/tester

Etant donné une liste de candidats $\mathcal{L} = \{A_1, \dots, A_p\}$

- Générer un candidat A
- Calculer $\mathcal{F}(A)$
 - apprendre h_A à partir de $\mathcal{E}|_A$
 - tester h_A sur un ensemble de test
- Mettre à jour $\mathcal{L}$.

$$= \hat{\mathcal{F}}(A)$$

Algorithmes

- hill-climbing / multiple restart
- algorithmes génétiques
- (*) programmation génétique & feature construction.

Vafaie-DeJong, IJCAI 95

Krawiec, GPEH 01

Approches a posteriori

Principe

- Construire des hypothèses
- En déduire les attributs importants
- Eliminer les autres
- Recommencer

Algorithme : SVM Recursive Feature Elimination Guyon et al. 03

- SVM linéaire $\rightarrow h(x) = \text{sign}(\sum w_i \cdot a_i(x) + b)$
- Si $|w_i|$ est petit, a_i n'est pas important
- Eliminer les k attributs ayant un poids min.
- Recommencer.

Limites

Hypothèses linéaires

- Un poids par attribut.

Quantité des exemples

- Les poids des attributs sont liés.
- La dimension du système est liée au nombre d'exemples.

Or le pb de FS se pose souvent quand il n'y a pas assez d'exemples

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Partie 2. Changements de représentation lineaires

- ▶ Réduction de dimensionalité
- ▶ Analyse en composantes principales
- ▶ Projections aléatoires

Dimensionality Reduction – Intuition

Degrees of freedom

- ▶ Image: 4096 pixels; but not independent
- ▶ Robotics: ($\#$ camera pixels + $\#$ infra-red) $\times$ time; but not independent

Goal

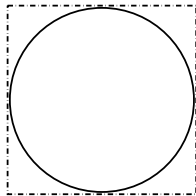
Find the (low-dimensional) structure of the data:

- ▶ Images
- ▶ Robotics
- ▶ Genes

Dimensionality Reduction

In high dimensions

- ▶ Everybody lives in the corners of the space
- Volume of Sphere $V_n = \frac{2\pi r^2}{n} V_{n-2}$
- ▶ All points are far from each other



Approaches

- ▶ Linear dimensionality reduction
 - ▶ Principal Component Analysis
 - ▶ Random Projection
- ▶ Non-linear dimensionality reduction

Criteria

- ▶ Complexity/Size
- ▶ Prior knowledge

e.g., relevant distance

Linear Dimensionality Reduction

Training set

unsupervised

$$\mathcal{E} = \{(\mathbf{x}_k), \mathbf{x}_k \in \mathbb{R}^D, k = 1 \dots N\}$$

Projection from $\mathbb{R}^D$ onto $\mathbb{R}^d$

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^D \rightarrow \quad & h(\mathbf{x}) \in \mathbb{R}^d, \quad d \ll D \\ & h(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{s.t. minimize} \quad \sum_{k=1}^N \|\mathbf{x}_k - h(\mathbf{x}_k)\|^2$$

Principal Component Analysis

Covariance matrix S

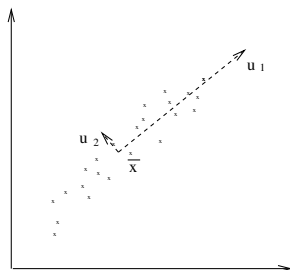
Mean

$$\mu_i = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N X_i(\mathbf{x}_k)$$

$$S_{ij} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N (X_i(\mathbf{x}_k) - \mu_i)(X_j(\mathbf{x}_k) - \mu_j)$$

symmetric $\Rightarrow$ can be diagonalized

$$S = U\Delta U' \quad \Delta = \text{Diag}(\lambda_1, \dots, \lambda_D)$$



Thm: Optimal projection in dimension d

projection on the first d eigenvectors of S

Let u_i the eigenvector associated to eigenvalue λ_i $\lambda_i > \lambda_{i+1}$

$$h : \mathbb{R}^D \mapsto \mathbb{R}^d, h(\mathbf{x}) = \langle \mathbf{x}, u_1 \rangle u_1 + \dots + \langle \mathbf{x}, u_d \rangle u_d$$

Sketch of the proof

1. Maximize the variance of $h(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x}$

$$\sum_k \|\mathbf{x}_k - h(\mathbf{x}_k)\|^2 = \sum_k \|\mathbf{x}_k\|^2 - \sum_k \|h(\mathbf{x}_k)\|^2$$

$$\text{Minimize } \sum_k \|\mathbf{x}_k - h(\mathbf{x}_k)\|^2 \Rightarrow \text{Maximize } \sum_k \|h(\mathbf{x}_k)\|^2$$

$$\text{Var}(h(\mathbf{x})) = \frac{1}{N} \left(\sum_k \|h(\mathbf{x}_k)\|^2 - \left\| \sum_k h(\mathbf{x}_k) \right\|^2 \right)$$

As

$$\left\| \sum_k h(\mathbf{x}_k) \right\|^2 = \left\| A \sum_k \mathbf{x}_k \right\|^2 = N^2 \|A\mu\|^2$$

where $\mu = (\mu_1, \dots, \mu_D)$.

Assuming that $\mathbf{x}_k$ are centered ($\mu_i = 0$) gives the result.

Sketch of the proof, 2

2. Projection on eigenvectors u_i of S

Assume $h(\mathbf{x}) = A\mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^d \langle \mathbf{x}, v_i \rangle v_i$ and show $v_i = u_i$.

$$\text{Var}(AX) = (AX)(AX)' = A(XX')A' = ASA' = A(U\Delta U')A'$$

Consider $d = 1$, $v_1 = \sum w_i u_i$

$$\sum w_i^2 = 1$$

remind $\lambda_i > \lambda_{i+1}$

$$\text{Var}(AX) = \sum \lambda_i w_i^2$$

maximized for $w_1 = 1, w_2 = \dots = w_N = 0$

that is, $v_1 = u_1$.

Principal Component Analysis, Practicalities

Data preparation

- Mean centering the dataset

$$\begin{aligned}\mu_i &= \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N X_i(\mathbf{x}_k) \\ \sigma_i &= \sqrt{\frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N X_i(\mathbf{x}_k)^2 - \mu_i^2} \\ z_k &= \left(\frac{1}{\sigma_i} (X_i(\mathbf{x}_k) - \mu_i) \right)_{i=1}^D\end{aligned}$$

Matrix operations

- Computing the covariance matrix

$$S_{ij} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{k=1}^N X_i(z_k) X_j(z_k)$$

- Diagonalizing $S = U' \Delta U$
might be not affordable...

Complexity $\mathcal{O}(D^3)$

Random projection

Random matrix

$$A : \mathbb{R}^D \mapsto \mathbb{R}^d \quad A[d, D] \quad A_{i,j} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, 1)$$

define

$$h(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{d}} A \mathbf{x}$$

Property: h preserves the norm in expectation

$$E[\|h(\mathbf{x})\|^2] = \|\mathbf{x}\|^2$$

With high probability

$$1 - 2\exp\{-(\varepsilon^2 - \varepsilon^3)\frac{d}{4}\}$$

$$(1 - \varepsilon)\|\mathbf{x}\|^2 \leq \|h(\mathbf{x})\|^2 \leq (1 + \varepsilon)\|\mathbf{x}\|^2$$

Random projection

Proof

$$h(\mathbf{x}) = \frac{1}{\sqrt{d}} A \mathbf{x}$$

$$\begin{aligned} E(\|h(\mathbf{x})\|^2) &= \frac{1}{d} E \left[\sum_{i=1}^d \left(\sum_{j=1}^D A_{i,j} X_j(\mathbf{x}) \right)^2 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{d} \sum_{i=1}^d E \left[\left(\sum_{j=1}^D A_{i,j} X_j(\mathbf{x}) \right)^2 \right] \\ &= \frac{1}{d} \sum_{i=1}^d \sum_{j=1}^D E[A_{i,j}^2] E[X_j(\mathbf{x})^2] \\ &= \frac{1}{d} \sum_{i=1}^d \sum_{j=1}^D \frac{\|\mathbf{x}\|^2}{D} \\ &= \|\mathbf{x}\|^2 \end{aligned}$$

Random projection, 2

Johnson Lindenstrauss Lemma

For $d > \frac{9 \ln N}{\varepsilon^2 - \varepsilon^3}$, with high probability

$$(1 - \varepsilon) \|\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_j\|^2 \leq \|h(\mathbf{x}_i) - h(\mathbf{x}_j)\|^2 \leq (1 + \varepsilon) \|\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_j\|^2$$

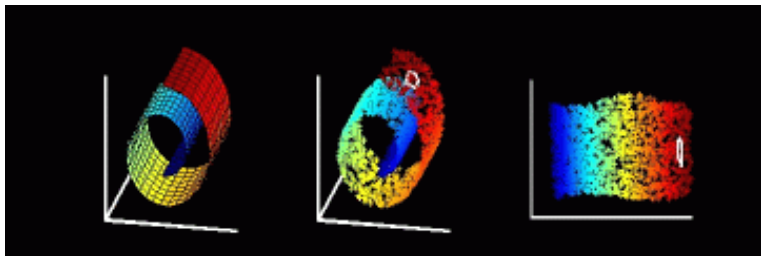
More:

<http://www.cs.yale.edu/clique/resources/RandomProjectionMethod.pdf>

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Non-Linear Dimensionality Reduction



Conjecture

Examples live in a manifold of dimension $d \ll D$

Goal: consistent projection of the dataset onto $\mathbb{R}^d$

Consistency:

- ▶ Preserve the structure of the data
- ▶ e.g. preserve the distances between points

Multi-Dimensional Scaling

Position of the problem

- ▶ Given $\{\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_N, \mathbf{x}_i \in \mathbb{R}^D\}$
- ▶ Given $\text{sim}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) \in \mathbb{R}^+$
- ▶ Find projection Φ onto $\mathbb{R}^d$

$$\begin{aligned}x \in \mathbb{R}^D &\rightarrow \Phi(x) \in \mathbb{R}^d \\ \text{sim}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) &\sim \text{sim}(\Phi(\mathbf{x}_i), \Phi(\mathbf{x}_j))\end{aligned}$$

Optimisation

Define X , $X_{i,j} = \text{sim}(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j)$; X^Φ , $X_{i,j}^\Phi = \text{sim}(\Phi(\mathbf{x}_i), \Phi(\mathbf{x}_j))$

Find Φ minimizing $\|X - X'\|$

Rq : Linear Φ = Principal Component Analysis

But linear MDS does not work: preserves all distances, while

only *local* distances are meaningful

Non-linear projections

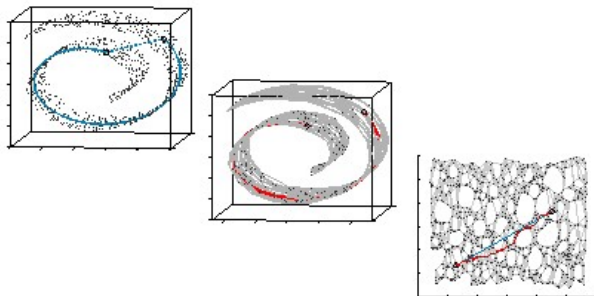
Approaches

- ▶ Reconstruct global structures from local ones and find global projection
- ▶ Only consider local structures

Isomap

LLE

Intuition: locally, points live in $\mathbb{R}^d$



Isomap

Tenenbaum, da Silva, Langford 2000

<http://isomap.stanford.edu>

Estimate $d(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j)$

- ▶ Known if $\mathbf{x}_i$ and $\mathbf{x}_j$ are close
- ▶ Otherwise, compute the shortest path between $\mathbf{x}_i$ and $\mathbf{x}_j$
geodesic distance (dynamic programming)

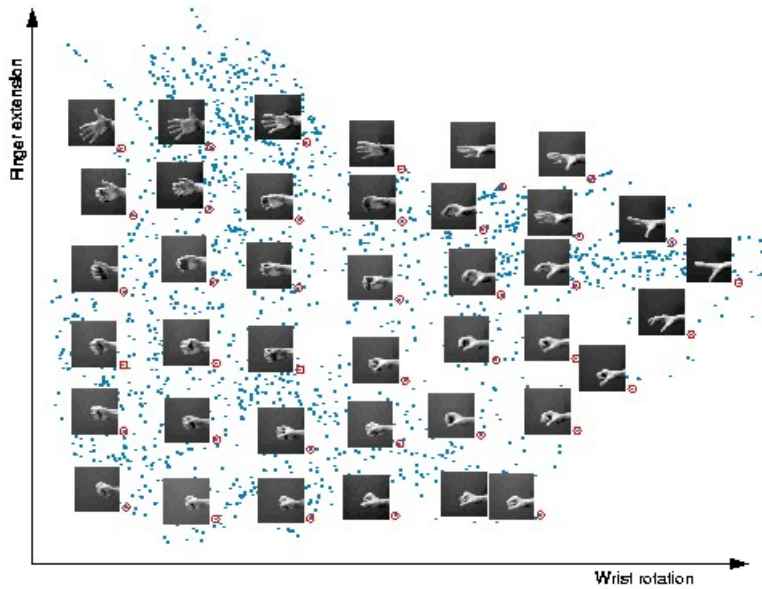
Requisite

If data points sampled in a convex subset of $\mathbb{R}^d$,
then geodesic distance $\sim$ Euclidean distance on $\mathbb{R}^d$.

General case

- ▶ Given $d(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j)$, estimate $\langle \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j \rangle$
- ▶ Project points in $\mathbb{R}^d$

Isomap, 2



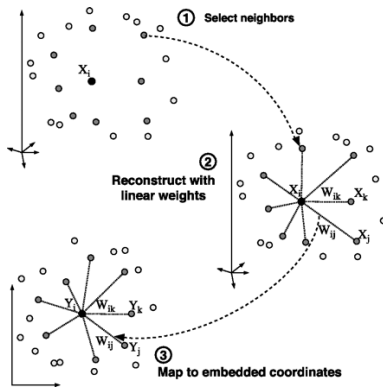
Locally Linear Embedding

Roweiss and Saul, 2000

<http://www.cs.toronto.edu/~roweis/lle/>

Principle

- Find local description for each point: depending on its neighbors



Local Linear Embedding, 2

Find neighbors

For each $\mathbf{x}_i$, find its nearest neighbors $\mathcal{N}(i)$

Parameter: number of neighbors

Change of representation

Goal Characterize $\mathbf{x}_i$ wrt its neighbors:

$$\mathbf{x}_i = \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}(i)} w_{ij} \mathbf{x}_j \quad \text{with} \quad \sum_{j \in \mathcal{N}(i)} w_{ij} = 1$$

Property: invariance by translation, rotation, homothety

How Compute the local covariance matrix:

$$C_{j,k} = \langle \mathbf{x}_j - \mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_k - \mathbf{x}_i \rangle$$

Find vector w_i s.t. $C w_i = 1$

Local Linear Embedding, 3

Algorithm

Local description: Matrix W such that

$$\sum_j w_{i,j} = 1$$

$$W = \underset{W}{\operatorname{argmin}} \left\{ \sum_{i=1}^N \left\| \mathbf{x}_i - \sum_j w_{i,j} \mathbf{x}_j \right\|^2 \right\}$$

Projection: Find $\{z_1, \dots, z_n\}$ in $\mathbb{R}^d$ minimizing

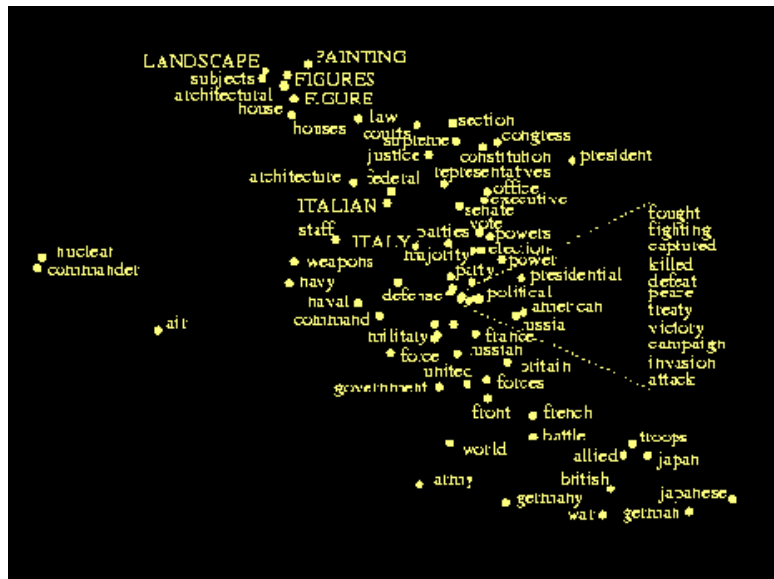
$$\sum_{i=1}^N \left\| z_i - \sum_j w_{i,j} z_j \right\|^2$$

$$\text{Minimize } ((I - W)Z)'((I - W)Z) = Z'(I - W)'(I - W)Z$$

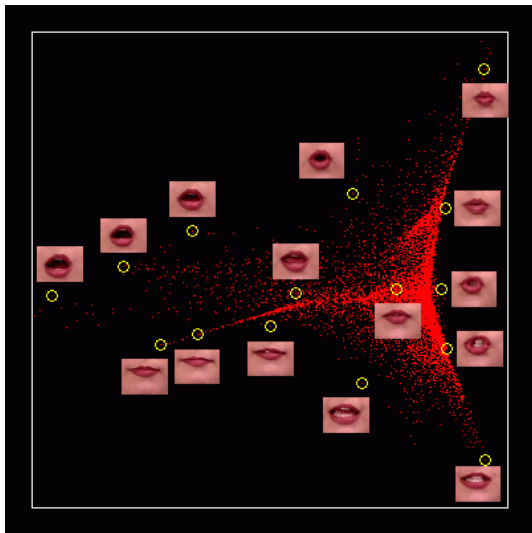
Solutions: vectors z_i are eigenvectors of $(I - W)'(I - W)$

- Keeping the d eigenvectors with lowest eigenvalues > 0

Example, Texts



Example, Images



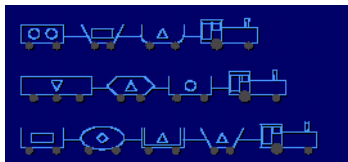
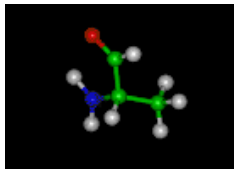
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Propositionalization

Relational domains



Relational learning

PROS

Use domain knowledge

CONS

Covering test $\equiv$ subgraph matching

Inductive Logic Programming

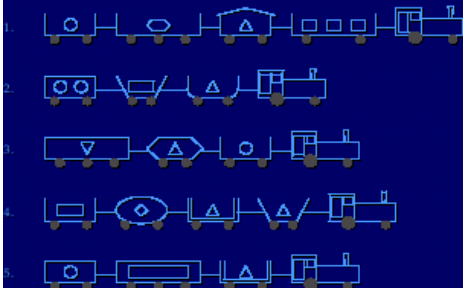
Data Mining
exponential complexity

Getting back to propositional representation: **propositionalization**

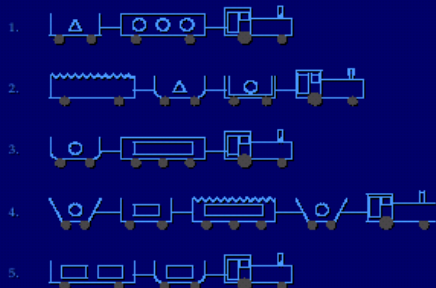
West - East trains

Michalski 1983

1. TRAINS GOING EAST



2. TRAINS GOING WEST



Propositionalization

Linus (ancestor)

Lavrac et al, 94

$West(a) \leftarrow Engine(a, b), first_wagon(a, c), roof(c), load(c, square, 3)...$
 $West(a') \leftarrow Engine(a', b'), first_wagon(a', c'), load(c', circle, 1)...$

West	Engine(X)	First Wagon(X,Y)	Roof(Y)	Load ₁ (Y)	Load ₂ (Y)
a	b	c	yes	square	3
a'	b'	c'	no	circle	1

Each column: a role predicate, where the predicate is determinate linked to former predicates (left columns) with a single instantiation in every example

Propositionalization

Stochastic propositionalization

Kramer, 98

Construct random formulas $\equiv$ boolean features

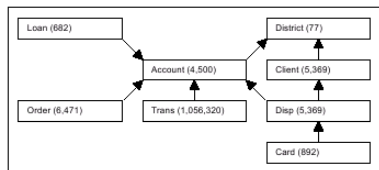
SINUS – RDS

<http://www.cs.bris.ac.uk/home/rawles/sinus>

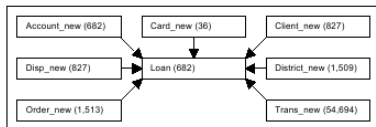
<http://labe.felk.cvut.cz/~zelezny/rsd>

- ▶ Use modes (user-declared) `modeb(2,hasCar(+train,-car))`
- ▶ Thresholds on number of variables, depth of predicates...
- ▶ Pre-processing (feature selection)

Propositionalization



DB Schema



Propositionalization

RELAGGS

Database aggregates

- ▶ average, min, max, of numerical attributes
- ▶ number of values of categorical attributes

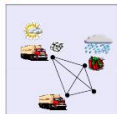
Apprentissage par Renforcement Relationnel

Real Time Strategy Games



- Many objects of various types in complex interactions
- Good players can generalize across situations involving distinct object configurations

The Logistics Domain



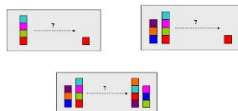
- Move many objects around with many other objects
- Identities and numbers of objects always changing

Robot Soccer



- Reasoning about relationship between objects (players and ball) key to good play

and of course Blockworld



- Would like a policy that is independent of number of objects/blocks

Propositionalisation

Contexte variable

- ▶ Nombre de robots, position des robots
- ▶ Nombre de camions, lieu des secours

Besoin: Abstraire et Generaliser

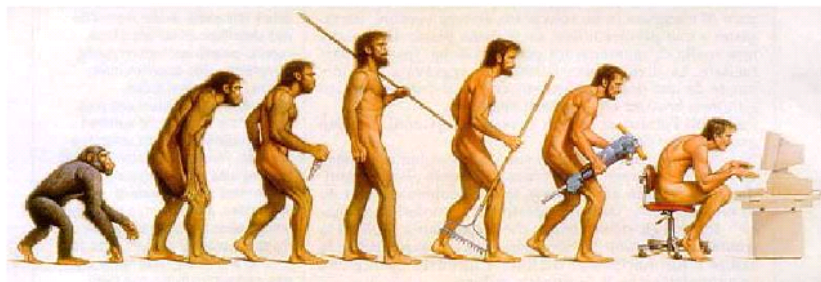
Attributs

- ▶ Nombre d'amis/d'ennemis
- ▶ Distance du plus proche robot ami
- ▶ Distance du plus proche ennemi

Représentation pour l'apprentissage

- ▶ Sélection d'attributs
- ▶ Changements de représentation linéaires
- ▶ Changements de représentation non linéaires
- ▶ Propositionalisation
- ▶ Une étude de cas

Case study: Autonomic Computing



Considering current technologies, we expect that the total number of device administrators will exceed 220 millions by 2010.

Gartner 6/2001

in Autonomic Computing Wshop, ECML / PKDD 2006

Irina Rish & Gerry Tesauro.

Autonomic Computing

The need

- ▶ Main bottleneck of the deployment of complex systems: shortage of skilled administrators

Vision

- ▶ Computing systems take care of the mundane elements of management by themselves.
- ▶ Inspiration: central nervous system (regulating temperature, breathing, and heart rate without conscious thought)

Goal

Computing systems that manage themselves in accordance with high-level objectives from humans

Kephart & Chess, IEEE Computer 2003

Autonomic Computing

Activity: A growing field

- ▶ IBM Manifesto for Autonomic Computing 2001
<http://www.research.ibm.com/autonomic>
- ▶ ECML/PKDD Wshop on Autonomic Computing 2006
<http://www.ecmlpkdd2006.org/workshops.html>
- ▶ JIC. on Measurement and Performance of Systems 2006
<http://www.cs.wm.edu/sigm06/>
- ▶ NIPS Wshop on Machine Learning for Systems 2007
<http://radlab.cs.berkeley.edu/MLSys/>
- ▶ Networked System Design and Implementation 2008
<http://www.usenix.org/events/nsdi08/>

Autonomic Grid System

- ▶ Grid Systems

Presentation of EGEE, Enabling Grids for e-Science in Europe

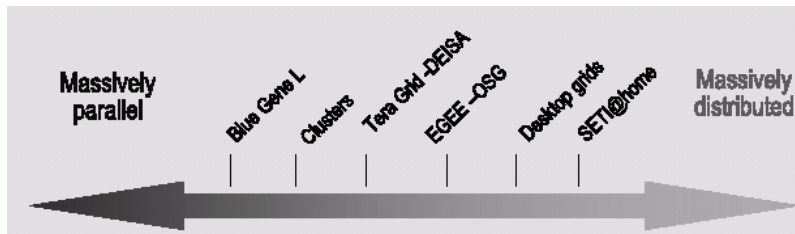
- ▶ Acquiring the data

The grid observatory

- ▶ Preparation of the data

- ▶ Functional dependencies
- ▶ Dimensionality reduction
- ▶ Propositionalization

Computing Systems: The landscape



parallel

- ▶ homogeneous soft and hard
- ▶ resources
 - ▶ dedicated
 - ▶ static
 - ▶ controlled
- ▶ reduced software stack
- ▶ no built-in fault tolerance

distributed

- ▶ heterogeneous soft and hard
- ▶ resources
 - ▶ shared
 - ▶ dynamic
 - ▶ aggregated
- ▶ middleware
- ▶ faults: the norm

Storage and Computation have to be distributed



EGEE: Enabling Grids for E-Science in Europe

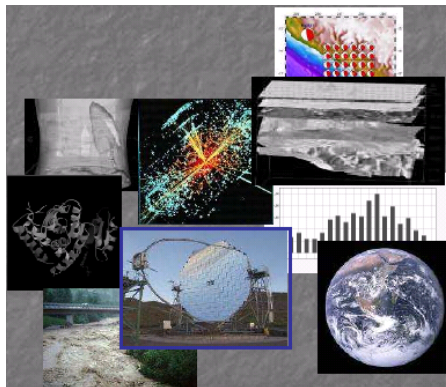


- ▶ Infrastructure project started in 2001 → FP6 and FP7
- ▶ Large scale, production quality grid
- ▶ Core node: Lab. Accélérateur Linéaire, Université Paris-Sud
- ▶ 240 partners, 41,000 CPUs, all over the world
- ▶ 5 Peta bytes storage
- ▶ 24×7 , 20 K concurrent jobs
- ▶ Web: www.eu-egee.org

Storage as important as CPU

Applications

- ▶ High energy physics
- ▶ Life sciences
- ▶ Astrophysics
- ▶ Computational chemistry
- ▶ Earth sciences
- ▶ Financial simulation
- ▶ Fusion
- ▶ Multimedia
- ▶ Geophysics



Autonomic Grid

Requisite: The Grid Observatory

- ▶ Cluster in the EGEE-III proposal 2008-2010
- ▶ Data collection and publication: filtering, clustering

Workload management

- ▶ Models of the grid dynamics
- ▶ Models of requirements and middleware reaction: time series and beyond
- ▶ Utility based-scheduling, local and global: MAB problem
- ▶ Policy evaluations: very large scale optimization

Fault detection and diagnosis

- ▶ Categorization of failure modes from the Logging and Bookkeeping: feature construction, clustering,
- ▶ Abrupt changepoint detection

Autonomic Grid: The Grid Observatory

Data acquisition

- ▶ Data have not been stored with DM in mind never
- ▶ Data [partially] automatically generated here
for EGEE services
 - ▶ redundant
 - ▶ little expert help

*It's no longer: the expert feeds the machine with data. Rather,
machines feed machines... J. Gama*

Data preprocessing

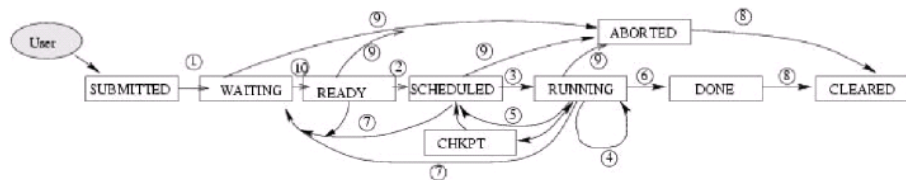
- ▶ 80% of the human cost
- ▶ Governs the quality of the output

The grid system and the data

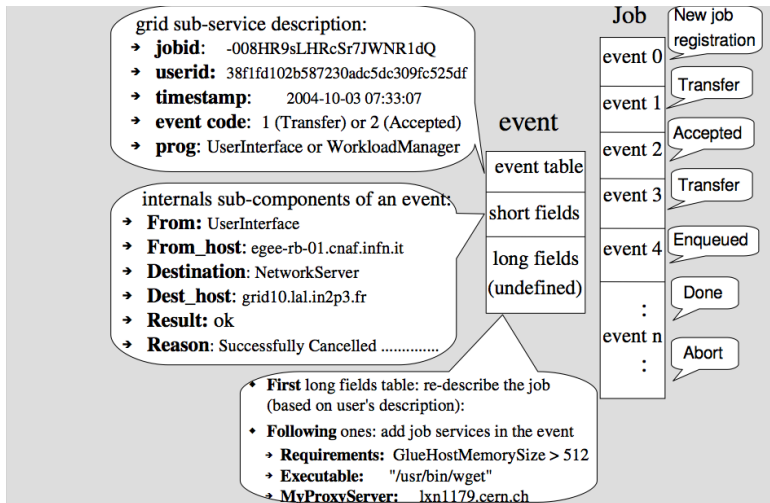
The Workload Management System

- ▶ **User Interface** User submits job description and requirements, and gets the results
- ▶ **Resource Broker** Decides Computing Element
- ▶ **Job Submission Service** Submits to CE and Checks
- ▶ **Logging and Bookkeeping Service** Archive the data

Job Lifecycle



The data



Data Tables

Events

jobid	event	code	host	time_stamp	arrived	level
---BrIiBgbIqkwtzsqGfma	0	17	atlfarm008.mi.infn.it	2004-09-17 16:17:48	2004-09-17 16:17:49	8
---BrIiBgbIqkwtzsqGfma	1	1	atlfarm008.mi.infn.it	2004-09-17 16:17:48	2004-09-17 16:17:49	8
---BrIiBgbIqkwtzsqGfma	2	2	lxb0728.cern.ch	2004-09-17 16:17:53	2004-09-17 16:17:53	8
---BrIiBgbIqkwtzsqGfma	3	4	lxb0728.cern.ch	2004-09-17 16:18:00	2004-09-17 16:18:01	8
---BrIiBgbIqkwtzsqGfma	4	1	atlfarm008.mi.infn.it	2004-09-17 16:18:00	2004-09-17 16:18:01	8
---BrIiBgbIqkwtzsqGfma	5	5	lxb0728.cern.ch	2004-09-17 16:18:01	2004-09-17 16:18:01	8

Short Fields

0	JOBTYPE	SIMPLE
0	NS	lxb0728.cern.ch:7772
0	NSUBJOBS	0
0	SEED	uLU0BArrdV98041PLThJ5Q
0	SEQCODE	UI=000001:NS=0000000000:WM=000000:BH=0000000000:JSS=000000:LM=000000:LRMS=000000:APP=000000
0	SRC_INSTANCE	
1	DESTINATION	NetworkServer
1	DEST_HOST	lxb0728.cern.ch
1	DEST_INSTANCE	lxb0728.cern.ch:7772
1	DEST_JOBID	
1	REASON	
1	RESULT	START
1	SEQCODE	UI=000002:NS=0000000000:WM=000000:BH=0000000000:JSS=000000:LM=000000:LRMS=000000:APP=000000
1	SRC_INSTANCE	
2	FROM	UserInterface
2	FROM_HOST	lxb0728.cern.ch
2	FROM_INSTANCE	
2	LOCAL_JOBID	
2	SEQCODE	UI=000003:NS=0000000001:WM=000000:BH=0000000000:JSS=000000:LM=000000:LRMS=000000:APP=000000
2	SRC_INSTANCE	7772
3	QUEUE	/var/edgwl/workload_manager/input.fl
3	REASON	
3	RESULT	OK
3	SEQCODE	UI=000003:NS=0000000003:WM=000000:BH=0000000000:JSS=000000:LM=000000:LRMS=000000:APP=000000
3	SRC_INSTANCE	

Data Tables

Long Fields (4Gb)

jobid	event	name	value
---Br1lBgblqkwtsszqGfMA	0	JDL	[requirements = ((((Member("VO-atlas-lcg-release-0.0.2", other.GlueHostApplicationSoftwareRunTimeEnvironment)) && Member("VO-atlas-release-8.0.5", other.GlueHostApplicationSoftwareRunTimeEnvironment)) && (other.GlueCEPolicyMaxCPUTime >= (Member("LCG-2v1_0", other.GlueHostApplicationSoftwareRunTimeEnvironment) ? (36000000 / 60) : 36000000) / other.GlueHostBenchmarkSI00)) && (other.GlueHostNetworkAdapterOutboundIP == true)) && (other.GlueHostMainMemoryRAMSize >= 512); RetryCount = 0; edg_jobid = "https://lxb0728.cern.ch:9000/---Br1lBgblqkwtsszqGfMA"; Arguments = "dc2.003048.evgen.H4_170_WW_00002.pool.root dc2.003048.simul.H4_170_WW_00208.pool.root.2 -6 6 50 350 208"; Environment = { "LEXOR_WRAPPER_LOG=lexor_wrapper.log", "LEXOR_STAGEOUT_MAXATTEMPT=5", "LEXOR_STAGEOUT_INTERVAL=60", "LEXOR_LCG_GFAL_INFOSYS=lxb2011.cern.ch:2170", "LEXOR_T_RELEASE=8.0.5", "LEXOR_T_PACKAGE=8.0.5.6/JobTransforms", "LEXOR_T_BASEDIR=JobTransforms-08-00-05-06", "LEXOR_TRANSFORMATION=share/dc2.g4sim.trf", "LEXOR_STAGEIN_LOG=dq_233387_stagein.log", "LEXOR_STAGEIN_SCRIPT=dq_233387_stagein.sh", "LEXOR_STAGEOUT_LOG=dq_233387_stageout.log", "LEXOR_STAGEOUT_SCRIPT=dq_233387_stageout.sh" }; MyProxyServer = "lxb0727.cern.ch"; JobType = "normal"; Executable = "lexor_wrap.sh"; StdOutput = "dc2.003048.simul.H4_170_WW_00208.job.log.2"; OutputSandbox = { "metadata.xml", "lexor_wrapper.log", "dq_233387_stagein.log", "dq_233387_stageout.log", "dc2.003048.simul.H4_170_WW_00208.job.log.2" }; VirtualOrganisation = "atlas"; rank = (other.GlueCEStateEstimatedResponseTime > 999) ? -(other.GlueCEStateEstimatedResponseTime) : -(other.GlueCEStateRunningJobs); Type = "job"; StdError = "dc2.003048.simul.H4_170_WW_00208.job.log.2"; DefaultRank = -other.GlueCEStateEstimatedResponseTime; InputSandbox = { "/home/negri/windmill-0.9.15/lexor/inputsandbox/lexor_wrap.sh", "/home/negri/windmill-0.9.15/lexor/inputsandbox/dqlcg.py", "/home/negri/windmill-0.9.15/lexor/inputsandbox/edgrmpi.sh", "/home/negri/windmill-0.9.15/lexor/inputsandbox/dqrep.pl", "/home/negri/windmill-0.9.15/lexor/inputsandbox/run_dqlcg.sh", "/tmp/lexor/negri/dq_233387_stagein.sh", "/tmp/lexor/negri/dq_233387_stageout.sh" }]

Preparation of the data

1. Functional dependencies
2. Dimensionality reduction curse of dimensionality
 - ▶ Principal Component Analysis
 - ▶ Random Projection
 - ▶ Non linear Dimensionality Reduction
3. Propositionalization

Functional dependency

Definition

Given attributes X and X' , X' depends on X on $\mathcal{E}$ ($X' \prec X$) iff

$$\exists f : \text{dom}(X') \mapsto \text{dom}(X) \text{ s.t. } \forall i = 1 \dots N, X(\mathbf{x}_i) = f(X'(\mathbf{x}_i))$$

Examples

- ▶ $X' = \text{City code}$, $X = \text{City name}$
- ▶ $X' = \text{Machine name}$, $X = \text{IP}$
- ▶ $X' = \text{Job ID}$, $X = \text{User ID}$

Why removing FD ?

- ▶ Curse of dimensionality
- ▶ Biased distance

Functional dependency, 2

Trivial cases

$$\#dom(X) = \#dom(X') = N \text{ number of examples}$$

Algorithm

- Size:

$$(X' \prec X) \Rightarrow \#dom(X) \leq \#dom(X')$$

- Sample

Repeat

 Select $v \in dom(X')$

$\mathcal{E}_v = \text{select } \mathbf{x}_i \text{ where } X'(\mathbf{x}_i) = v$

 Define $X(\mathcal{E}_v) = \{w \in dom(X), \exists x \in \mathcal{E}_v / X(x) = w\}$

 If $(\#X(\mathcal{E}_v) > 1)$ return false

Until stop

return true

Going ubiquitous in Data Preparation

Principles: same as usual

- ▶ Act locally
- ▶ Think globally

The local level

- ▶ An ideal feature $\equiv$ a good hypothesis
- ▶ What is a promising hypothesis ?
 - ▶ Behaves well on (part of) the data
 - ▶ Is not trivial

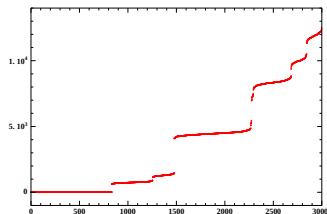
Going ubiquitous in Data Preparation, 2

What is a good behaviour?

- ▶ Showing regularities
- ▶ Locally constant

How to test triviality?

- ▶ Syntactical analysis:
 $xy - yx = 0$
- ▶ Statistical triviality:
 - ▶ Test on random data
 - ▶ Test on permutations of the data



Going ubiquitous in Data Preparation, 3

Internally: an optimization problem

- ▶ Define bins
- ▶ Compute histogram, associated quantity of information
- ▶ Compare histograms on real data / on random data

Externally: an optimization problem

- ▶ Upon receiving a new feature
- ▶ Check whether this is relevant to your data
- ▶ Check whether this brings new information