

Machine learning for NLP 2

 ECTS
6 crédits

Présentation

DESCRIPTION

SL5BE021

The course provides the fundamental concepts of supervised classification via deep learning methods, with typical examples in NLP.

1. General concepts for supervised classification

- * methodology
- * evaluation metrics

2. A first classifier : k-NN

3. Linear and log-linear models

- * linear separability
- * prediction with a (log-)linear classifier
- * perceptron learning algorithm
- * kernel methods
- * logistic regression

4. Extension to Multi-layer perceptrons

- * non linearity
- * fully connected feed-forward neural network
- * universal approximation theorem

5. Learning as loss minimization

- * usual loss functions
- * stochastic gradient descent
- * backpropagation algorithm

6. vectorial representations

- * word embeddings as dense features
- * word embeddings learning

Lab sessions will illustrate the course, introducing in particular:

- * tensor manipulation in numpy / pytorch
- * sklearn and pytorch libraries

Bibliography

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