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**TOPIC 2 – Learning Model: –geometric models –
probabilistic models –logic models**



Learning Model

1. Machine learning using the right features to build the right models to achieve the right tasks.
2. The basic idea of Learning models has divided into three categories.
 1. Using a Logical expression. (Logical models)
 2. Using the Geometry of the instance space. (Geometric models)
 3. Using Probability to classify the instance space. (Probabilistic models)
3. Grouping and Grading

Features : the workhorses of Machine Learning.

Models : the output of Machine Learning.

Tasks : the problems that can be solved with Machine Learning.

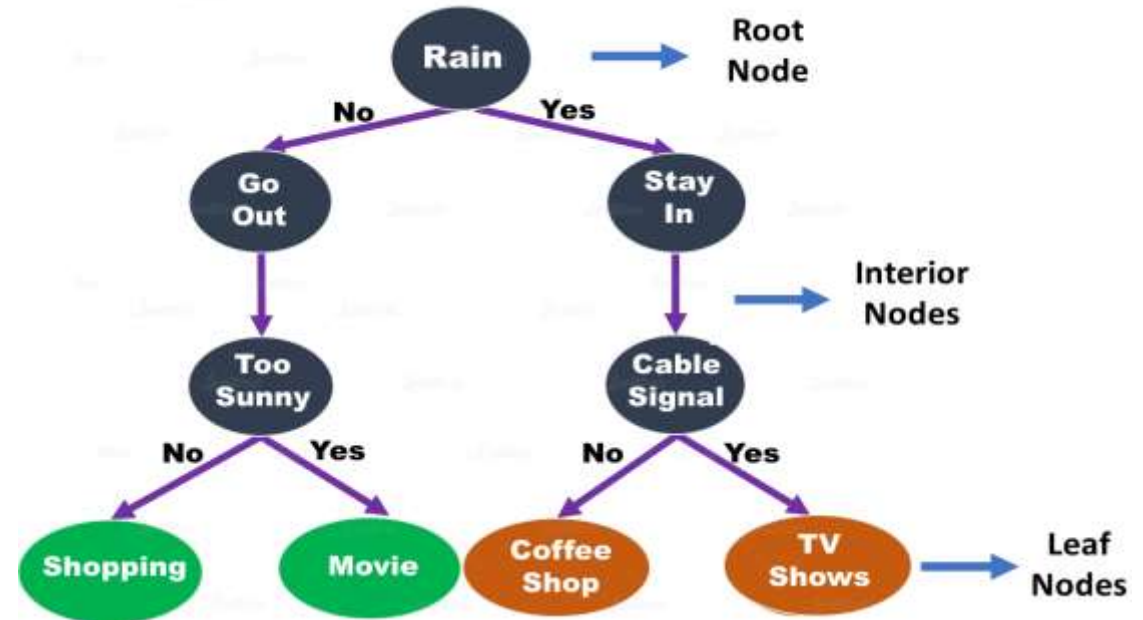
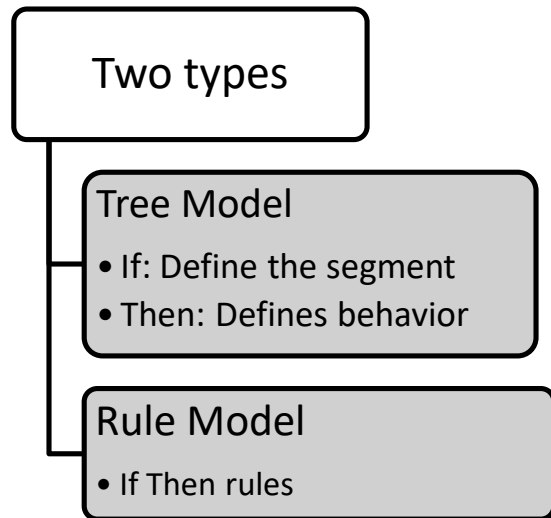
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Logical Model

1. **Logical models** use a logical expression to divide the instance space into segments and hence construct grouping models.
2. A **logical expression** is an expression that returns a Boolean value, i.e., a True or False outcome.
3. Once the data is grouped using a logical expression, the data is divided into homogeneous groupings for the problem we are trying to solve.
4. For example, for a classification problem, all the instances in the group belong to one class.



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Logical models and Concept learning

Concept Learning:

The inferring of a Boolean-valued function from training examples of its input and output.

SI No.	Breathing difficulty	Cough	Fever	Covid
1	Yes	Yes	Yes	Positive
2	Yes	Yes	No	Positive
3	Yes	No	Yes	Negative
4	No	Yes	Yes	Negative
5	No	No	Yes	Negative
6	No	No	No	Negative

Concept learning is also an example of **Inductive Learning**. Inductive learning, also known as discovery learning, is a process where the learner discovers rules by observing examples.



Geometric models

1. Define similarity by considering the geometry of the instance space.
2. In Geometric models, features could be described as **points in two dimensions (x - and y -axis) or a three-dimensional space (x , y , and z).**
3. In geometric models, there are two ways we could impose similarity.
 1. **Linear Model:** Lines or planes to segment (classify) the instance space.
 2. **Distance-Based Model:** Distance to represent similarity. In this case, if two points are close together, they have similar values for features and thus can be classed as similar.



Linear models

1. A linear model is one that represents the relationship between two quantities and where the degree of the equation is 1.
2. The linear model equation is $y=mx+b$
3. where y represents the output value, m represents the slope or rate of change, x represents the input value, and b represents the constant or the starting amount.
4. \$15 per hour, how much money, and number of hours the linear model would be $y=15x+0$
5. where y is the amount of money earned, 15 is the rate they make per hour, x is the amount of hours worked, and 0 is their starting pay (which in this case does not exist).

For example.,

- a) Hours spent studying Vs. Marks scored by students
- b) Amount of rainfall Vs. Agricultural yield
- c) Electricity usage Vs. Electricity bill
- d) Suicide rates Vs. Number of stressful people

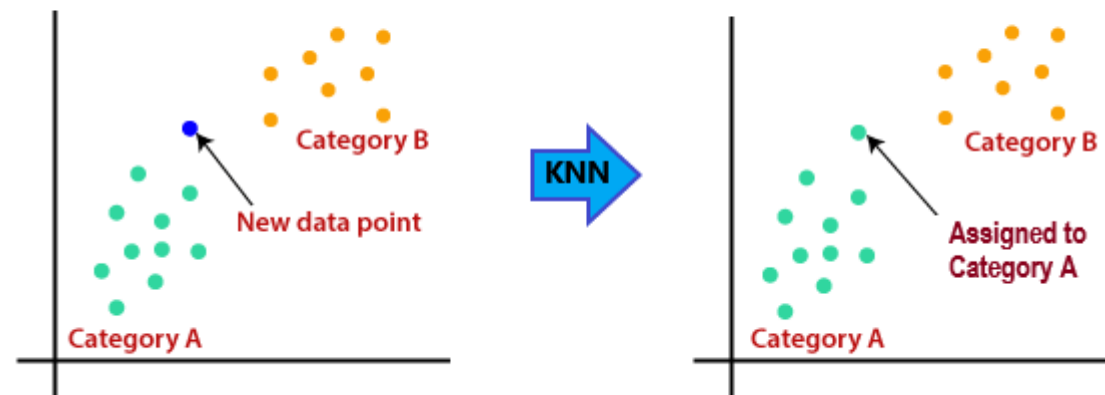
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Distance based models

1. Distance based models are based on the geometry of data. As the name implies, distance-based models work on the concept of distance.
2. In the context of Machine learning, the concept of distance is not based on merely the physical distance between two points. Instead, we could think of the distance between two points considering the mode of transport between two points.
3. The distance metrics commonly used are Euclidean, Minkowski, Manhattan, and Mahalanobis.



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Probabilistic models

1. Use the idea of probability to classify new entities.
2. Probabilistic models see features and target variables as random variables.
3. The process of modelling represents and manipulates the level of uncertainty with respect to these variables.
4. There are two types of probabilistic models:
 1. Predictive: Predictive probability models use the idea of a conditional probability distribution $P(Y|X)$ from which Y can be predicted from X .
 2. Generative models: Estimate the joint distribution $P(Y, X)$.

Naïve Bayes is an example of a probabilistic classifier

$$P(A|B) = \frac{P(B|A)P(A)}{P(B)}$$



Some broad categories of models

Geometric models

K-nearest neighbors, linear regression, support vector machine, logistic regression, ...,,

Probabilistic models

Naïve Bayes
Gaussian process regression
conditional random field, ...

Logical models

Decision tree, random forest, ...



Grouping and Grading

Grading vs grouping is an orthogonal categorization to geometric-probabilistic-logical-compositional.

1. Grouping models break the instance space up into groups or segments and in each segment apply a very simple method (such as majority class).

E.g. decision tree, KNN.

2. Grading models form one global model over the instance space.

E.g. Linear classifiers – Neural networks

Assessment

Is logic used in machine learning?

Logic-like Systems along with Machine Learning Models

Along with the growing number of applications and domains that use machine learning models, there are still some scenarios that require the use of logic-like systems along with ML models.

What is probabilistic model in machine learning?

Probabilistic Models in Machine Learning is the use of the codes of statistics to data examination. It was one of the initial methods of machine learning. It's quite extensively used to this day. Individual of the best-known algorithms in this group is the Naive Bayes algorithm.

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