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Machine Learning for Medical Applications:

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Disease Progression & Longitudinal data



Disease Progression:

Progression of features, from a normal to a abnormal state

Group-average level

Individual level

Longitudinal data: Repeated observations of individuals at different time-points

Each row is a patient

How to handle patients with different number of visits?

Regress the longitudinal data and put ratio values : slopes, coefficients, ...

Each row is a visit

How to deal with multiple prediction per patient



Predict for each visit, and reprocess to average : not easy -> what kind of average, more weight to the last visit?

Deep Learning





Convolutional Neural Network - CNN



Reccurent Neural Network – RNN Especially Long-Short Term Memory – LSTM



One drawback of Deep Learning is its need of large datasets



Data augmentation





Fig. 3. Collage of some medical imaging applications in which deep learning has achieved state-of-the-art results. From top-left to bottom-right: mammographic mass classification (Kooi et al., 2016), segmentation of lesions in the brain (top ranking in BRATS, ISLES and MRBrains challenges, image from Ghafoorian et al. (2016b), leak detection in airway tree segmentation (Charbonnier et al., 2017), diabetic retinopathy classification (Kaggle Diabetic Retinopathy challenge 2015, image from van Grinsven et al. (2016), prostate segmentation (top rank in PROMISE12 challenge), nodule classification (top ranking in LUNA16 challenge), breast cancer metastases detection in lymph nodes (top ranking and human expert performance in CAMELYON16), human expert performance in skin lesion classification (Esteva et al., 2017), and state-of-the-art bone suppression in x-rays, image from Yang et al. (2016).

A survey on deep learning in medical image analysis Litjens et al. 2017

Mixed-effects & Generative Models ARAMIS LAB BRAIN DATA SCIENCE



Mixed-effects models

Part of you is general & Part of you is specific $y_i = \alpha_{pop} X^T + \alpha_i X_i^T + \epsilon$ **Orange Tree Growth** 220 0 Tree 1 200 Tree 2 0 180 Tree 3 Tree 4 Circumference (mm) 0 Tree 5 140 120 100 **Derive individual patterns** 80 60 from other subjects 0 200 400 600 800 1000 1200 1400 1600 Time (days)



Generative models

Draw some new samples from the model $p(y; \theta)$

Examples :

- Bayesian statistics
- Generative Adverserial Networks
- Hidden Markov Chain
- Gaussian Mixture Model

Better understand the distribution of the observations

Draw new samples for other algorithms (classif/regression)

Non-Euclidean data







AramisLab related model



From short-term observations to long-term history



Various data: > Biomarkers > MRI & PET > Meshes >	
Inter-individual variability > Temporal > Spatial	



Better understand the mean disease progression



Personalize the model to charaterize individual trajectories



Predict individual disease stage and future outcomes









Results : Paraview & online





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Challenges in Medicine





What question(s) to answer

- What does it mean to have a cancer at 92.1%?
- It is the same to have a false positive or a false negative?
- Two paradigms : Accuracy Vs Interpretability
- Answering a clinical question or optimizing some exotic metric? (Be careful with "state-of-the-art" scores)

Labels, variability and legal aspects

Labels

- Not always « true »
- Definition may change over time
- Are they really what one ultimately wants?

Variability

- Inter individual variability
- Intra-individual variability : no one is closer to you than yourself
- Variability in the scan machine, procedures, ...

Legal aspects

- Hard to get the data : anonymization
- The data of interest are to be asked before the clinical study

Challenges in Medicine







... but be careful of the hype, especially «Machine are better than doctors »

https://lukeoakdenrayner.wordpress.com/2016/11/27/do-computers-already-outperform-doctors/





Few words about the summer school project





Medecine is a sexy field !

Thanks