



How to define a rejection class based on model learning?

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State of the Art : How to classify images with rejection class ?

Supervised classification: optimize the accuracy of classifying data into the classes that appear in the learning set

- Classifier = feature space splitter which focuses on optimizing the frontiers between classes
- Rejection option added to a classifier
 - Examples in literature:
 - k-Nearest neighbor classifier: threshold on the distance to the neighbors (1)
 - SVM: threshold on the distance to the maximum-margin hyperplane (2)
 - Deep Neural Network: threshold on the output = confidence score of the prediction (3)

System where the prediction model **and** the selection mechanism are optimized simultaneously

- Examples in literature:
 - Deep Neural Network (4)(5)

Better approach:

- > Take into account the possibility of rejecting a sample in the classifier design
- > Pay attention to the space in-between known classes or away from them

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- Learning
 - One model per class, independently
 - One threshold per model, accounting for classes overlapping



• Each model accepts or rejects a new sample based on threshold





- One model accepts => associate class
- Several models accept => associate class of <u>hightest</u> model acceptance value
- All models reject => rejection class



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Biological context: the power of fungi phenotyping to classify molecules based on their Mode of Action







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Experimental results

Learning set and feature vectors for model estimation

- 4 known classes = 4 fungi phenotypes
- 1 rejection class = future new phenotypes
- 2 feature choices
 - Bottleneck (layer)
 - Output (layer)



Class	Sub_Images Number			
0	4752			
1	3600			
2	3728			
3	2760			
4	4607			
5	6928			
6	3998			
NEW PH	10352			

*Images pre-processing: 1 Image (2160*2160) \rightarrow 16 sub-images (500*500) \rightarrow 16 resized sub-images (240*240)





MobileNet Network fine tuning *Trained on ImageNet database







Learning set and feature vectors for model estimation

Feature preprocessing



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Bottlenecks

- Dimension = 1001

 \Rightarrow Dimension reduction: Variable importance or PCA

Output

- Dimension = number of class

Components in [0,1] with high density close to 0 or close to one

- \Rightarrow Not adapted to Gaussian mixture modeling
- \Rightarrow Data symmetrization (2^d more samples)







Learning and Test Procedure



- 1 vs. 1 or 1 vs. All
- LR/Misclassification





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Results and analysis

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				Regression		Misclassif.	
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			Rejection	71	76	91	79
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			Rejection	100			





Successful detection on known & new phenotypes \rightarrow Better results with our method than with Stefano *et al.*



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Innovative method of supervised classification with rejection class

=> which accounts for the neighboring relationships between the known classes

- Model = Gaussian mixture
- Threshold learning = Misclassification-based / Regression-based (LR)
- Options=«1 vs. All» / «1 vs.1»

Method validated on real data:

- Data = Transmitted light microscopy images
- Classes = Phenotypes / Molecule's MoA = 4 identified phenotypes + a pool of new phenotypes
- Features = Output / Bottlenecks (with or without preprocessing) <u>Best results with :</u>
 - Features = Bottlenecks,
 - Feature reduction dimension: Variable importance
 - Threshlod learning = 1 vs. All, Misclassification
 - Classification accuracy =~ 94 %
- ⇒ With 91 % on known phenotypes and 98 % on rejection class

Comparison with existing method:

- Deep Neural Network: threshold on the output = confidence score of the prediction
- Best result with our proposed method: 94.5 % against 82.5 % of accuracy
- \Rightarrow 65% on known classes and 100% on rejection class







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