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Lecture 6

Al and machine learning

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TOP Trending Technologies

Al has been and continues to be one of the most promising areas for technology development

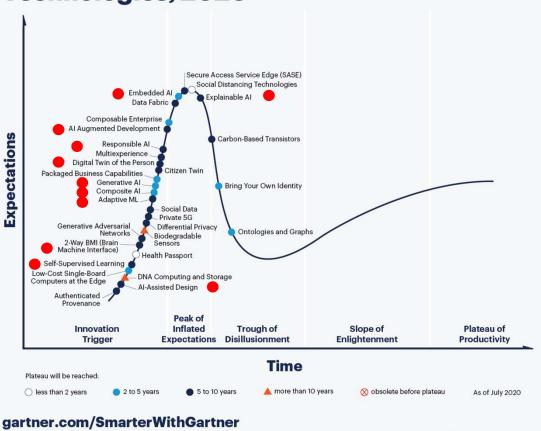
Within 2 – 10 years

These technologies will actually be utilized by the time todays students graduate

AI > 34 %

Over 34 % of all emerging technologies is within AI and machine learning so a general understanding will be of importance for almost working within tomorrows business environment

Hype Cycle for Emerging Technologies, 2020

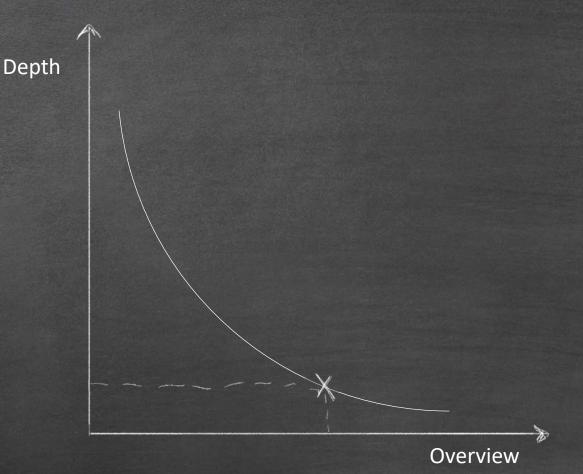


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Aim of this lecture



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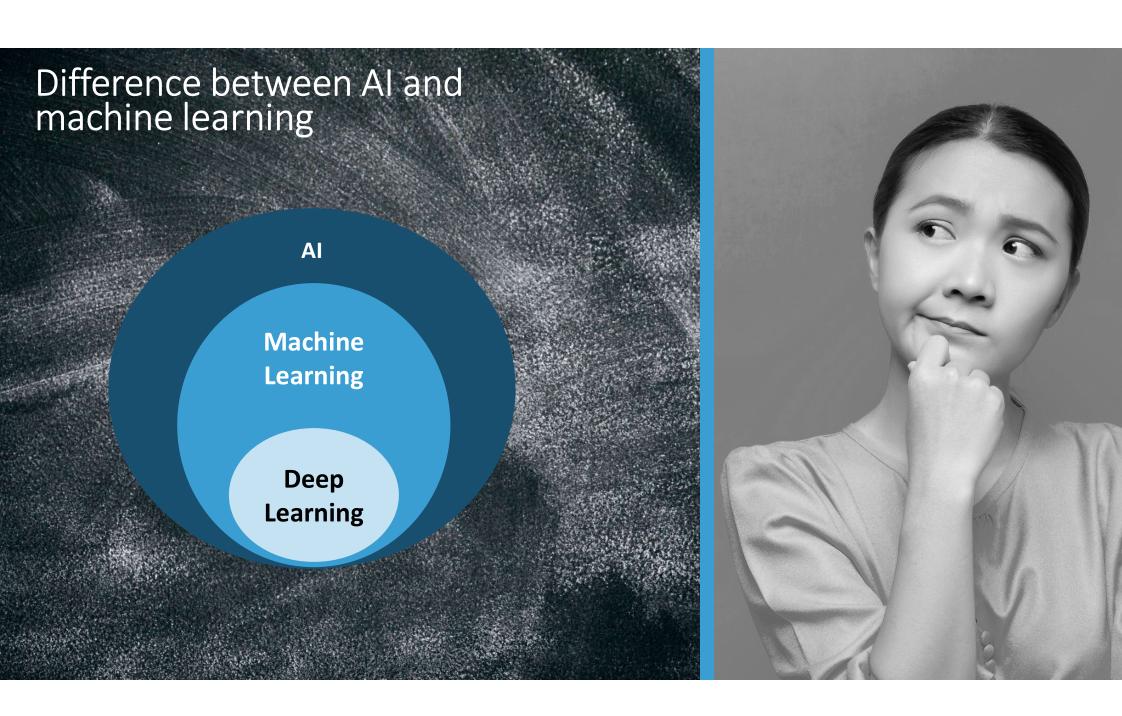


Agenda lecture

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- 5. Machine learning: An overview
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Definition

Leading AI textbooks define the field as the study of "intelligent agents": any device that perceives its environment and takes actions that maximize its chance of successfully achieving its goals^[4]

Machine learning (ML) is the study of computer <u>algorithms</u> that improve automatically through experience and by the use of data.^[3]



Real life Al Applications.

Chatbots

"Old" chess computers

Real life ML Applications.

The recommendation algorithm Netflix uses

Google Maps estimated time of arrival

Image recognition

Insight, when people talk of Al...

They often mean machine learning

'I was terrible at crosswords so I built an AI to do them'

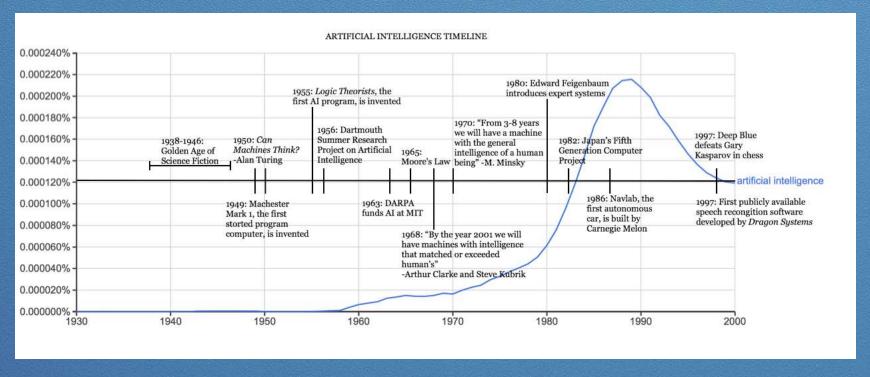
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Crosswords may seem like a strange thing to task AI with solving but in fact they represent a very fertile playground for machine learning.

Example above from BBC

Al and Machine Learning: an overview

Why now?



6* (sourced 2021) https://sitn.hms.harvard.edu/flash/2017/history-artificial-intelligence/

Al and machine learning: an overview

Why now?



Figure 2. https://aiimpacts.org/2019-recent-trends-in-gpu-price-per-flops/

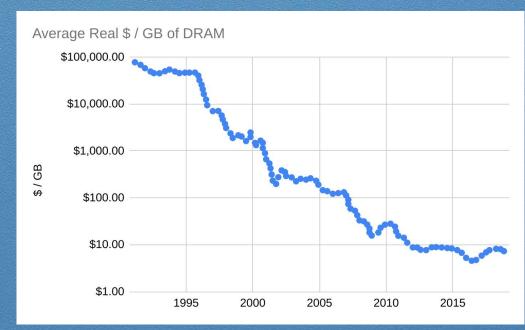


Figure 2. Average \$ / GB of DRAM from 1991 to 2019 according to Objective Analysis. Dollars are 2020 dollars

Al and machine learning: an overview

Why now?

Machine learning:

Basic assumption: there are patterns in data

Find the curve that describes your data

At it's most basic the problem you are trying to solve is to find the curve that best describes your data.

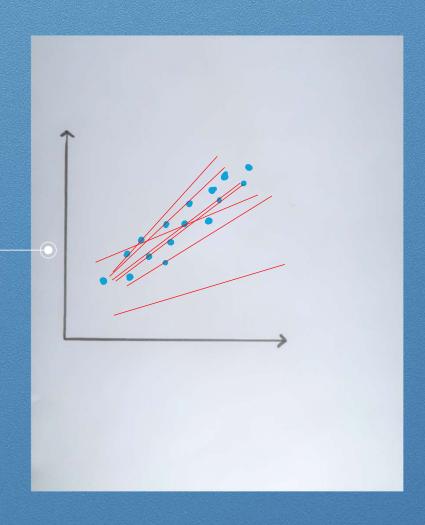
In theory every case where there is a pattern between some input variables and a output variables machine learning could be the **tool** of choices



In the simplest form

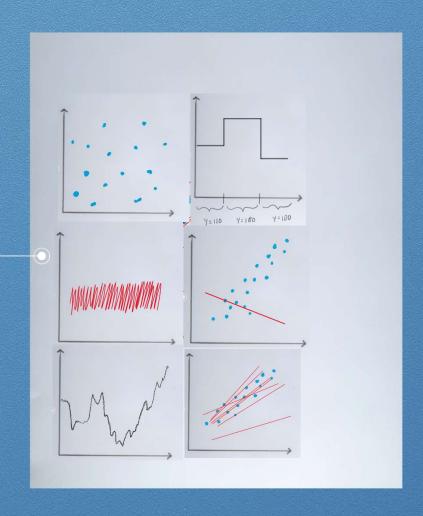
Fit the line

One of the simplest cases thinkable is one where you are trying to predict a variable Y based on a input variable X



Machine learning is no mystery. It's just quite computational and data heavy

GPT3: one of the most advanced 3.14E23 FLOPS of computing for **training** ≈ 23527 years on a Intel Core i5-9500



Machine learning: when to use

Explainable

Predictive



When to use You cannot write exact rules There is an connection between X&Y You have enough data You want predictive power over explainability

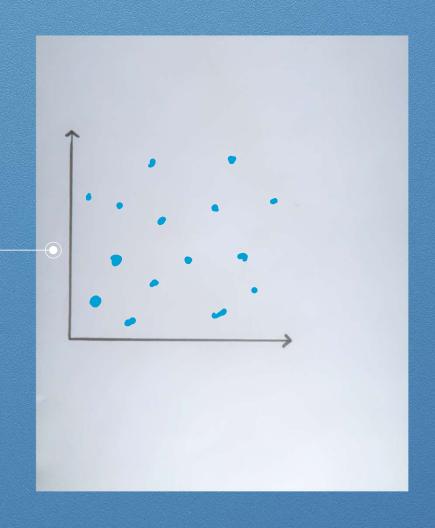
You have a problem that's worth solving



Decision making: rule of thumb when not to use

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It's not always true that two variables depended on each other. If you have a dataset where there is no pattern between them. machine learning is not the way forward.

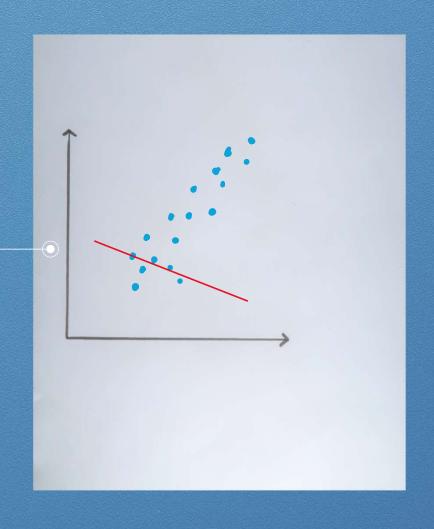


Decision making: rule of thumb when not to use

To small dataset

If you have a too small dataset this makes it much harder for the algorithm to generalize. Keep in mind that machine learning is a process of induction. The model can only capture what it has seen.

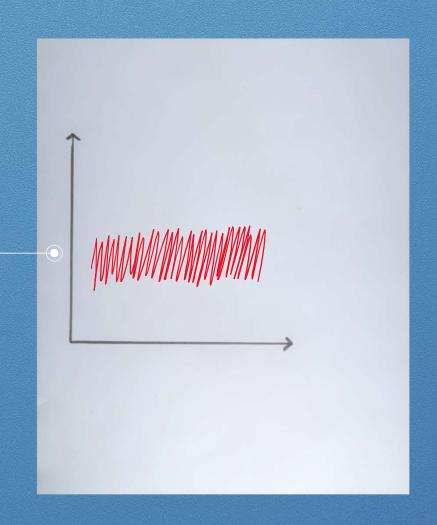
Solution: gather more data



Decision making rule of thumb when not to use

Noisy data

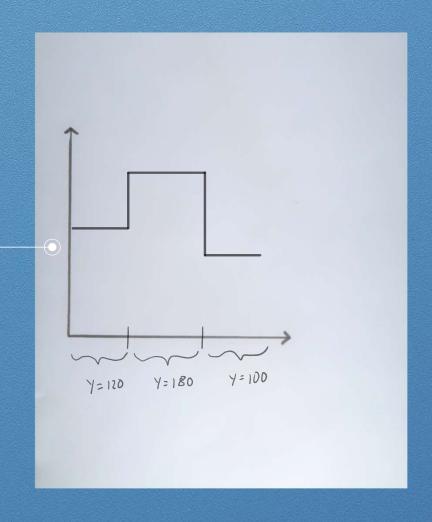
Noisy data are data that is corrupted, or distorted, or has a low <u>Signal-to-Noise Ratio</u>. This means that it's quit probable that the algorithm won't generalize very well.



Decision making rule of thumb when not to use

A few exact rules

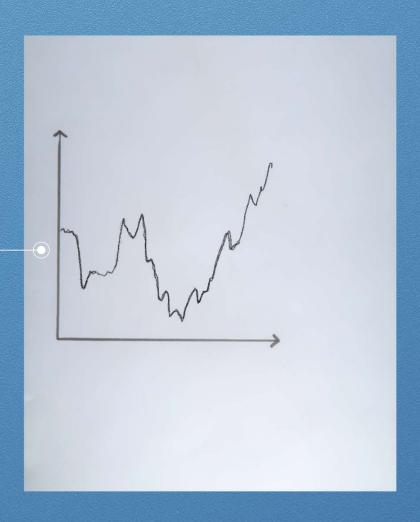
If you can state your problem in a way that is strictly logical. Then use logic instead. However if the rules becomes to many than machine learning might be a viable tool

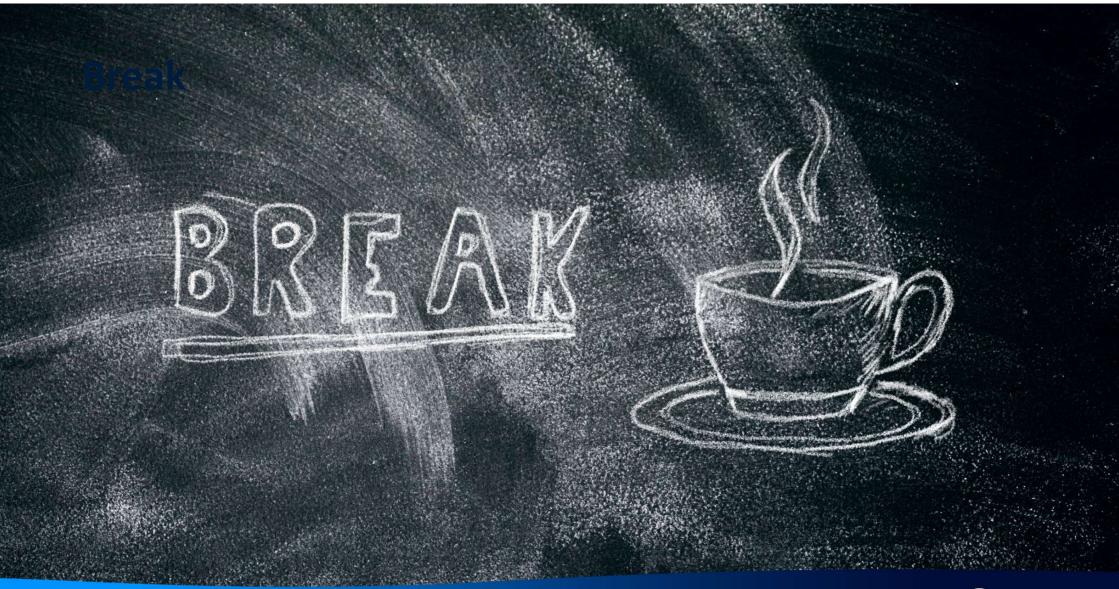


Decision making rule of thumb when not to use

Nonstationary

If your data is not a useful window into tomorrow's world. ML is probably not the right way to go





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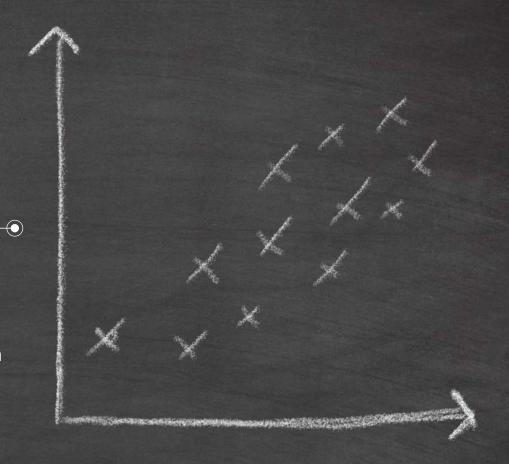


Regression

Continues values

If you can state your problem in a way that you want a continues variable as your answer you're likely dealing with a regression problem.

Example you want to predict the value of an apartment based on it's size, number of rooms, etc.

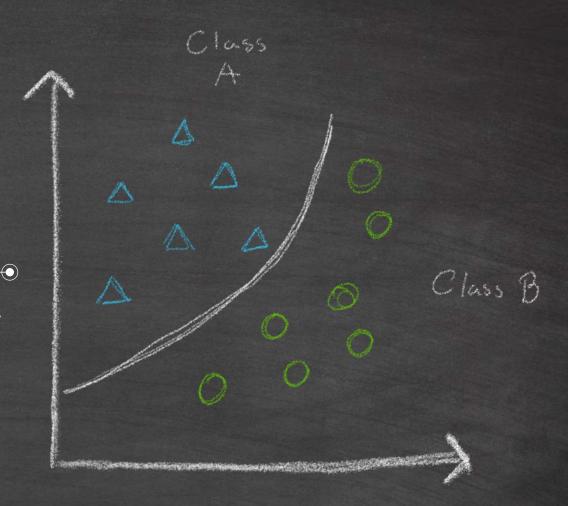


Classification

Separate classes

If you state your problem in a way that you want an category as an answer you are likely dealing with a classification problem.

Example, P - is this a high risk customer or low risk customer? Use purchases order history, age etc to predict the outcome.

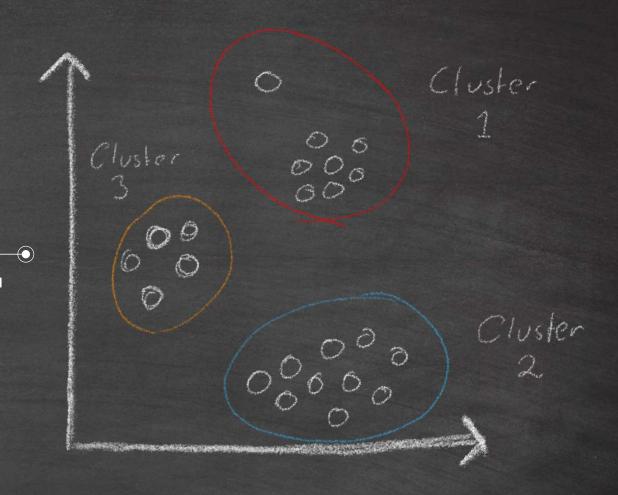


Clustering

Find patterns in data

If you state your problem in a way that you want the answer to be this data points has most in common.

Example, P – Which components in your operations management system has the most similar characteristics. Base weight, material, use etc for prediction



Different learning techniques

Supervised Learning

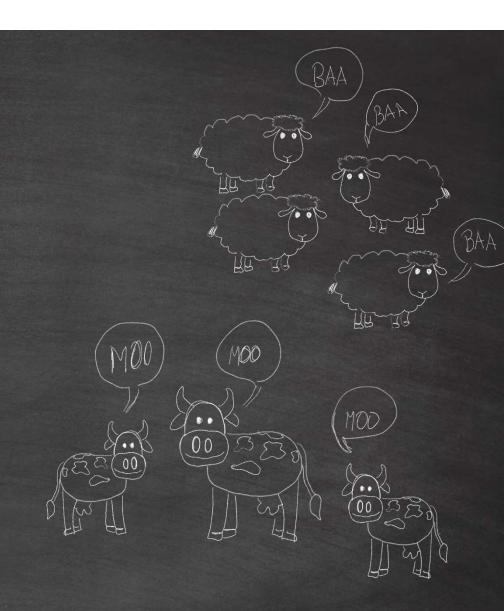
You want to map input to output

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Unsupervised

You want to find patterns in the data structure



Reinforcement learning

Agents take <u>actions</u> in an environment in order to maximize the notion of cumulative reward



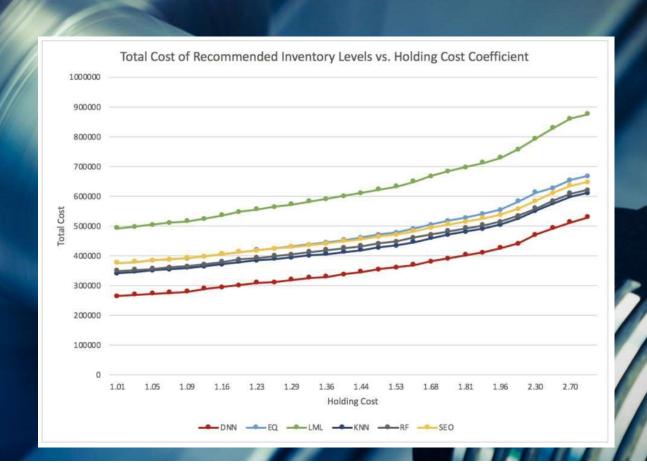




Machine learning in Inventory management

Case 3

STOCK PREDICTION





SUMMARY

Machine learning is an increasingly important area.

It is a highly flexible tool that can be applied in a vast variety of situations

It's important to understand when to and why AI and ML should be applied so that you can take the best decisions for your organisation.

THANKS!

Machine learning in production logistics

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https://idapgroup.com/blog/machine-learning-in-logistics-and-supply-chain/

•Automating quality testing using machine learning is increasing defect detection rates up to 90%.

Reducing supply chain forecasting errors by 50% and lost sales by 65% with better product availability is achievable with machine learning.

https://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S036083522 030485X



Machine learning in production logistics

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