
A NEW PERSPECTIVE TO OVERCOME THE CHALLENGE OF SEMI-SUPERVISED CLUSTERING PROBLEM IN MACHINE LEARNING

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ABSTRACT

Machine learning (ML), a subfield of artificial intelligence (AI), can be defined as "learning" methods. In other words, they are methods developed without being explicitly programmed to make predictions and decisions using available data. The study of mathematical optimization offers methods, theory, and application areas for machine learning. For instance, speech recognition [10, 12, 8], internet security [7, 5], road detection [3, 1], image classification [2, 11, 6], information retrieval [4], bioinformatics [9], and many more. These are examples of machine learning for supervised, unsupervised, semisupervised, self-supervised, and reinforcement learning. These are examples of machine learning for supervised, unsupervised, semisupervised, self-supervised, and reinforcement learning. This study focuses on semisupervised learning problems as in [10, 12, 7, 3, 2, 4, 9], in particularly semisupervised clustering. When must-link and cannot-link constraints are given for a clustering problem, this clustering problem is considered a semi-supervised learning problem. Must-link constraints force certain data points to be in the same cluster, while cannot-link constraints prevent some data points from being in the same cluster, which can create complex requirements for the clustering algorithm to balance. Ensuring that these constraints are satisfied while forming coherent and meaningful clusters can be difficult, especially when the constraints are sparse or conflict with the natural structure of the data. Especially when the number of clusters increases, the rate of providing must-link constraints decreases dramatically. Another difficulty is the computational complexity involved in integrating these constraints into the clustering process, particularly for large datasets. The algorithm must efficiently search for clusters that satisfy the given constraints while maintaining overall cluster quality. Must-link constraints form an equivalence relation. In this context, it is possible to separate must-link constraints into equivalence classes. In this presentation, a suggestion based on this equivalence class will be given to satisfy more must-links for the new algorithms.

Keywords Machine Learning · Semi-supervised Clustering · Non-smooth Optimization · Semi-supervised Learning

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