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# Detection of physical activity using machine learning methods

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## **Introduction: Research goals**

- Determine the most accurate machine learning algorithm for detecting physical activity of patients by using blood glucose measurements
- Evaluate the accuracy and effectiveness of various machine learning algorithms
- Build a simulation framework for data generation
- Develop solution for easy implementation and testing of genuine patient data

## Introduction

- Diabetes mellitus (DM): chronic metabolic disease
  - Type 1 DM (T1DM): body is unable to produce insulin internally and patients must have external insulin administration
  - Type 2 DM (T2DM): body produces insufficient insulin to reduce the blood glucose levels
- Planned physical activity helps regulate blood glucose levels and improves the metabolic system
- Machine learning application for recognizing physical activity using only available patient information
- Develop platform for massive data generation using the extended Jacobs T1DM simulator



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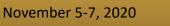


# **Applied dataset**

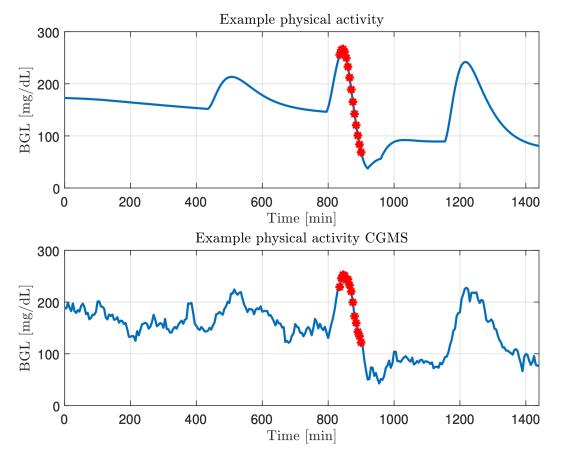
- Generate synthetic data by using the extended Jacobs T1DM simulator
- Jacobs T1DM simulator:
  - employs the Cambridge-model that contains embedded physical activity sub-model
  - provides 20 virtual T1DM patients (based on 3.5-day outpatient Artificial Pancreas study)
  - used single hormone virtual patient population where the simulator expects the insulin as control input only
  - Completed with Continuous Glucose Monitoring System (CGMS) model for better data generation



- Applied regimens by using randomization of time instances and amounts of CHO intake:
  - $\odot$  Time of meal consumption: from -30 to +90 min
  - Default time instances in the simulator: breakfast (6 am), lunch (12 pm), and dinner (6 pm)
  - $\odot$  Amount of breakfast: 35 ± 10 g
  - $\circ$  Amount at lunch: 79 ± 10 g
  - $\circ$  Amount at dinner: 117 ± 10 g
  - $\,\circ\,$  Duration of physical activity: from 30 to 90 min
  - $\,\circ\,$  Blood glucose level at the beginning of the day: 160  $\pm$  20 mg/dL







Output of Jacobs simulator model indicates the physical activity with the red section: without CGMS (top) and with CGMS (bottom)



# **Applied dataset**

- The ground truth of the dataset:
  - Patient's body weight w
  - End-to-end blood glucose level change *d*:

$$d = bg(14) - bg(0)$$

Blood glucose level variation between consecutive sampled points:

$$dp(i) = bg(i+1) - bg(i)$$
, for any  $i = 0,...,13$ 



 End-to-end blood glucose level change in all inclusive sliding windows:

$$dpp(i) = bg(5i+4) - bg(5i)$$
, for any  $i = 0,...,2$ 

 $\circ~$  Second order changes of the blood glucose level:

$$ap(i) = dp(i+1) - dp(i)$$
  
=  $bg(i+2) - 2 \times bg(i+1) + bg(i)$ ,  
for any  $i = 0,...,12$ 

• The decision *dc* is used as ground truth



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## Prediction

- Binary classification for each feature vector:
  - no physical activity: 0
  - physical activity: 1
- Machine learning models (multi-layer perceptrons) are used to predict the probability of physical activity
- To be interpreted in binary mode, a threshold is applied to the predicted probability
- Other models (decision tree) do not need threshold and can provide binary output directly



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# Machine learning models

- Machine learning algorithms:
  - Logistic Regression
  - AdaBoost Classifier
  - DecisionTree Classifier
  - Gaussian Naive Bayes
  - K-Nearest Neighbors Classifier
  - Support Vector Machines
  - Random Forest
  - Multi-Layer Perceptron Networks



# Machine learning models: testing

- Implementation tools: Python v2.7 with the Scikit package
- Split of available feature vectors:
  - training dataset: 75% randomly selected
  - test dataset: 25% assigned for evaluation
- Feature vectors in the training data set were shuffled
- The trained classifiers were applied to predict the presence or absence of physical activity for all feature vectors in the test dataset



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# **Performance evaluation**

- Performance evaluation: count true positives (TP), true negatives (TN), false positives (FP), and false negatives (FN)
- Establish statistical benchmarks
- Accuracy (ACC):

$$ACC = \frac{TP + TN}{TP + TN + FP + FN}$$

• Sensitivity or true positive rate (TPR):

$$TPR = \frac{TP}{TP + FN}$$

• True negative rate (TNR):

$$TNR = \frac{TN}{TN + FP}$$



## **Performance evaluation**

• Positive prediction value (PPV):

$$PPV = \frac{TP}{TP + FP}$$

• False positive rate (FPR):

$$FPR = \frac{FP}{TN + FP}$$

• F1-score or Dice score:

$$F_1 = \frac{2 \cdot TRP \cdot TNR}{TPR + TNR} = \frac{2 \cdot TP}{2 \cdot TP + FP + FN}$$



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# Confusion matrix for tested classification models

- Values are normalized in each row
- Classification is successful if the rates of true positives and true negatives are above 0.8
- Only the RF model achieved rate higher than 0.9
- Three SVM models, using polynomial kernel, predicted the opposite

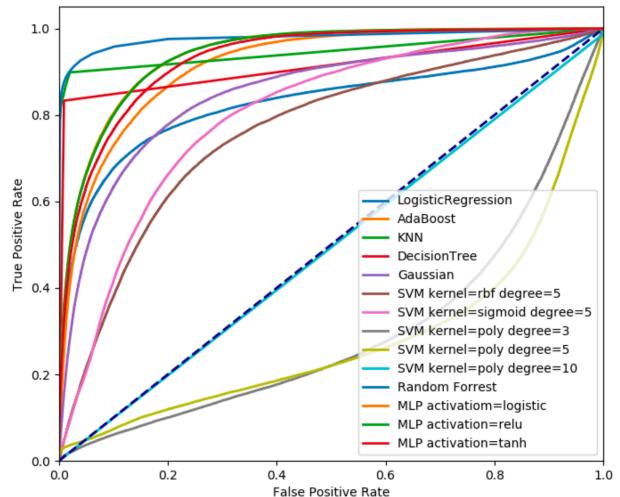
Predicted value											
			0			1					
	0	LogReg	:	0.779	LogReg	:	0.221				
		Ada	:	0.833	Ada	:	0.167				
		KNN	:	0.980	KNN	:	0.020				
		DecTree	:	0.991	DecTree	:	0.009				
		Gauss	:	0.789	Gauss	:	0.211				
		SVM1	:	0.717	SVM1	:	0.283				
		SVM2	:	0.743	SVM2	:	0.257				
		SVM3	:	0.327	SVM3	:	0.673				
		SVM4	:	0.311	SVM4	:	0.689				
		SVM5	:	1.000	SVM5	:	0.000				
		RF	:	0.961	RF	:	0.039				
rue value		MLP1	:	0.864	MLP1	:	0.136				
		MLP2	:	0.863	MLP2	:	0.137				
		MLP3	:	0.848	MLP3	:	0.152				
	1	LogReg	:	0.221	LogReg	:	0.779				
TLI		Ada	:	0.167	Ada	:	0.833				
		KNN	:	0.101	KNN	:	0.898				
		DecTree	:	0.166	DecTree	:	0.834				
		Gauss	:	0.211	Gauss	:	0.789				
		SVM1	:	0.284	SVM1	:	0.716				
		SVM2	:	0.257	SVM2	:	0.743				
		SVM3	:	0.673	SVM3	:	0.327				
		SVM4	:	0.689	SVM4	:	0.311				
		SVM5	:	1.000	SVM5	:	0.000				
		RF	:	0.073	RF	:	0.927				
		MLP1	:	0.136	MLP1	:	0.864				
		MLP2	:	0.137	MLP2	:	0.863				
		MLP3	:	0.152	MLP3	:	0.848				



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#### **ROC curves**

**Classifiers AUC** 

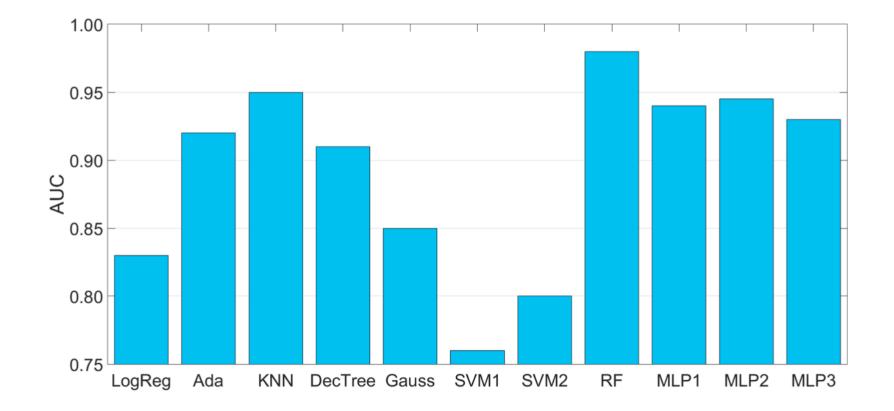




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**AUC values** 





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Classifier	PPV	TPR	$F_1$	TNR	FPR	ACC
LogReg	0.149	0.778	0.250	0.778	0.222	0.778
Ada	0.198	0.832	0.320	0.832	0.168	0.832
KNN	0.688	0.899	0.779	0.980	0.020	0.976
DecTree	0.813	0.833	0.823	0.990	0.010	0.983
Gauss	0.157	0.789	0.261	0.789	0.211	0.789
MLP1	0.239	0.863	0.374	0.863	0.137	0.863
MLP2	0.237	0.862	0.372	0.862	0.138	0.862
MLP3	0.217	0.848	0.346	0.848	0.152	0.848
RF	0.537	0.926	0.680	0.960	0.040	0.959
SMV1	0.111	0.716	0.193	0.716	0.284	0.716
SVM2	0.125	0.742	0.215	0.742	0.258	0.742
SVM3	0.024	0.326	0.044	0.326	0.674	0.326
SVM4	0.022	0.310	0.041	0.310	0.690	0.310
SVM5	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.000	0.000	0.953



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- Introduced a machine learning based framework for detecting physical activity using features extracted from blood glucose samples taken at five minutes intervals
- Several classification models were employed using various parameter settings
- The best classifiers: *Decision Tree, K-Nearest Neighbors,* and *Random Forest*
- Other models may be suitable: they need additional mechanisms to avoid false positives



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