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Campus Placement Prediction using Machine learning Techniques

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ABSTRACT

A placement predictor is to be designed to predict the possibility of a student being placed in a company. The placement predictor takes many parameters of the students, which helps in predicting the student placements. Combining these data points, the predictor is to accurately predict if the student will or will not be placed in a company. Data from past students are used for training the predictor. But the problem was to find a suitable classification algorithm that could do the job with maximum accuracy for our data set. Different algorithms have different accuracy depending on the type of problem it has to solve and the data set it has to work with. So, we decided to select four algorithms, namely SVM linear kernel, Logistic Regression and Naïve bayes and to compare the accuracy levels of each of these algorithms, with respect to our problem and data set. The result of this test would help us in determining which algorithm to use while implementing our predictor in the placement management system.

Keywords— *Classifications, Dataset, Machine learning, Placement*

INTRODUCTION

Campus placement carries a great significance for all the students and educational institutions. Nowadays, students give special attention to past placements records while selecting an institution for admission. Even the ranking and rating of institutes depend upon the amount of average package and amount of placement they are providing. Hence, the institutions provide certain facilities to improve the student placements. In placement Prediction system predicts the probability of student getting placed in a company by applying algorithm such as Support Vector Machine. The main objective of this model is to predict whether the student gets placed in a company or not in campus recruitment. For this the data consider is the students CGPA,HSC, SSLC marks

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PROPOSEDSYSTEM

HARDWARE REQUIREMENTS

System - Pentium IV 2.4 GHz

Hard Disk - 200 GB

Mouse - Logitech.

Keyboard - 110 keys enhanced

RAM - 4GB

Processor -Intel(R) Core(TM) i3

ProcessorSpeed- 3.06 GHz

SOFTWARE REQUIREMENTS

O/S - Windows 7 & above.

Language - Python

Database -My-SQL

WebServer -Django

Browser -Chrome

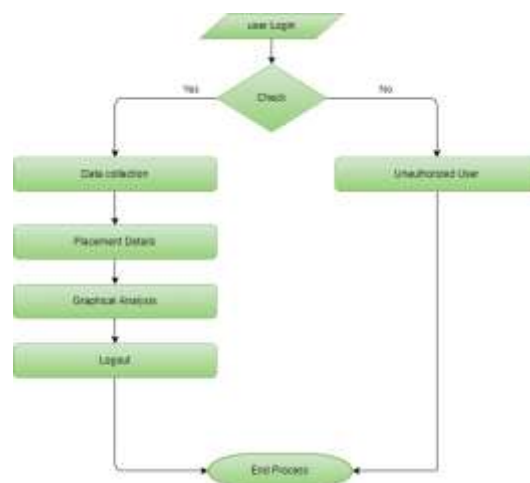
SOFTWARE DESCRIPTION

Python

Python is an interpreter, high-level, general purpose programming language. Created by Guido van Rossum and first released in 1991, Python has a design philosophy that emphasizes code readability, notably using significant whitespace. It provides constructs that enable clear programming on both small and large scales

SYSTEMDESIGN

MODULES



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- DataSet Collection
- Data Preprocessing
- Data Splitting
- Prediction

DATASET COLLECTION

A dataset were collected from the placement cell of the college. Past five year records are collected and were split for training and testing.

DATA PREPROCESSING

The pre-processing includes removing the unwanted data from the dataset. Missing data removal: In this process, the null values such as missing values are replaced by zero.

DATA SPLITTING

- Data are required during the machine learning process in order for learning to occur.
- In addition to the data required for training, test data are required to evaluate the algorithm's performance and determine how effectively it works.
- In our procedure, we regarded 70% of the dataset to be training data and 30% to be testing data. • Data splitting is the act of dividing accessible data into two pieces, typically for cross-validation reasons.
- +One portion of the data is used to create a predictive model, while the other is utilized to assess the model's performance.
- Part of analyzing data mining models is separating data into training and testing sets.

PREDICTION

Logistic regression

Logistic regression is one of the most popular machine learning algorithms, which comes under the Supervised Learning technique. It is used for predicting the categorical dependent variable using a given set of independent variables. Logistic Regression can be used to classify the

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different types of observations and can easily determine the most effective variables that are needed for the classification.

Support Vector Machine

Support Vector Machine is one of the most popular supervised Learning algorithms which is used for Classification as well as Regression problems. The goal of the SVM algorithm is to create the best line or decision boundary that can segregate n-dimensional space into classes so that

we can easily put the new data point in the correct category in the future.

Naïve Bayes

Naïve Bayes algorithm is a supervised learning algorithm , which is mainly used in text classification that includes a high-dimensional training dataset. It is one of the simple and most effective Classification algorithms which helps in building the fast machine learning models that can make quick predictions.

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION



Figure1: Login page



Figure2: User Details

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Figure3: Add Placement Details



Figure5: Upload Student Details for request an appointment



Figure6: Placement details in bar chart



Figure7: Placement in Pie Chart

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Figure8: Comparison of the algorithm

This system is able to predict the percentage of student getting placed in a company, based on the past five year student records.

CONCLUSION

Placement prediction system is a system which predicts the placement status of the students. For data analysis and prediction machine learning algorithm are used in python environment. This kind of placement prediction system can help in institutions in analyzing their student placement. This study helps the institutions to know the placement detail in advance. They can hence make effectual strategies and decisions for increasing the institution's overall placement status.

FUTURE ENHANCEMENT

In future, we can include additional experiments with more primal machine learning algorithm. We can obtain more training records by including other engineering departments or majors to generalize the model, and boost the performance of machine learning algorithms.

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