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Machine Learning and Optimization for Clustering Algorithms

Message from the Guest Editor

Subspace clustering in machine learning is useful for clustering data points according to the underlying subspaces. Many methods have been presented in recent years, among which Sparse Subspace Clustering (SSC), Low-Rank Representation (LRR) and Least Squares Regression clustering (LSR) are three representative methods. These approaches achieve good results by assuming the structure of errors as a prior and removing errors in the original input space by modeling them in their objective functions, followed by the optimization process. Subspace clustering aims to fit each category of data points by learning an underlying subspace and then conduct clustering according to the learned subspace. Ideally, the learned subspace is expected to be block diagonal such that the similarities between clusters are zeros. In this Special Issue, original research articles and reviews are welcome. I look forward to receiving your contributions.

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