

Rock vs Mine Prediction - Detailed Documentation

PROJECT OVERVIEW

This project builds a Machine Learning model to classify sonar signals as either ROCK or MINE. Using Logistic Regression, the model learns from signal patterns to differentiate between the two.

DATASET DETAILS

- Dataset: sonar_data.csv
- Rows: 208 samples
- Columns: 61 (60 features + 1 label)
- Labels: R (Rock), M (Mine)

Each row represents sonar readings bounced off objects. The last column indicates whether the object is a rock or a mine.

PROJECT FLOW

1. IMPORT LIBRARIES

Import numpy, pandas, sklearn.model_selection, sklearn.linear_model, sklearn.metrics.

2. LOAD DATA

Load sonar_data.csv using pandas.

3. EXPLORE DATA

- Check data shape
- Generate statistical summary using describe()

- Count Rock and Mine samples using `value_counts()`

4. SEPARATE FEATURES AND LABELS

- `X = sonar_data.drop(columns=60, axis=1)`
- `y = sonar_data[60]`

5. SPLIT DATA

- `train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.1, stratify=y, random_state=1)`
- Ensures 90% training and 10% testing split.

6. MODEL CREATION AND TRAINING

- `model = LogisticRegression()`
- `model.fit(X_train, y_train)`

7. MODEL EVALUATION

- Predict and calculate accuracy on training and test data
- `accuracy_score(y_true, y_pred)`

CODE EXPLANATION

```
model = LogisticRegression()  
model.fit(x_train, y_train)
```

- Creates a logistic regression model
- Trains it using training data

```
x_train_prediction = model.predict(x_train)  
training_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_train, x_train_prediction)
```

- Tests model performance on training data

```
x_test_prediction = model.predict(x_test)  
test_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, x_test_prediction)
```

- Evaluates model performance on unseen test data

RESULTS SUMMARY

Training Accuracy: 83%

Testing Accuracy: 76%

The model performs well with a small drop between train/test accuracy (good generalization).

FLOW OF EXECUTION (Simplified)

- 1 Import libraries
- 2 Load dataset
- 3 Explore data
- 4 Split into features and labels
- 5 Train/test split
- 6 Create Logistic Regression model
- 7 Train model
- 8 Evaluate accuracy
- 9 Interpret results

SUGGESTED IMPROVEMENTS

- Apply feature scaling using StandardScaler.
- Tune hyperparameters (C, solver).
- Compare performance with other models (SVM, RandomForest, KNN).
- Use cross-validation for robustness.
- Visualize confusion matrix and ROC curves.

CONCLUSION

The Rock vs Mine model demonstrates the complete ML workflow data processing, model training, and evaluation. Logistic Regression provides a solid baseline for this classification problem.

