

# Comparing Machine Learning Methods for Hyperspectral Image and Text Classification

## Background

Hyperspectral images have **hundreds of channels** that span across the **electromagnetic spectrum**, unlike regular color images that only have red, green, and blue color channels. They are able to provide more information than regular images, which is useful in tasks such as object and mineral detection.

## Objectives

- Apply and compare the performance of **machine** learning algorithms for hyperspectral image segmentation.
- Compare the performance of these algorithms for hyperspectral images vs text classification.



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### **Results:** Hyperspectral Images

(Left) Confusion matrix for the neural network. Points on the **diagonal** are classified correctly, all others are not. (Right) The error plot for the neural network; purple points are correctly classified and yellow are incorrect.



100 200





(Above) A comparison of the accuracies of machine learning methods for 2 data sets: Salinas Valley and Kennedy Space Center (KSC). Supervised learning algorithms have consistently high accuracies while K-Means, an unsupervised learning algorithm, does significantly worse.



(Above) A graph comparing the performance of neural networks (NN), convolutional neural networks (CNN), and recurrent neural networks (RNN) for varying amounts of training data. The performance of RNNs and **CNNs is affected more by amount of training data** than NNs.





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