



Chair of Data Science and Data Engineering Prof. Dr. Emmanuel Müller



Anomaly Detection Seminar 2021/2022



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Today

- Kick-Off
- Some Formal Stuff
- Short Overview of the Topics



- Choose a couple topics
 - Since we are only a few, you can make these requests quite complicated if you like (I prefer topic 1, but I would also take 3 or 7, except when I can do it in german, then I would prefer topic 12)
- Send your choice to Simon.Kluettermann@cs.tu-dortmund.de (till tomorrow 13.10.2021 23:59)
- You will be assigned one in the next days
- Earlier submission will not be preferred, so take your time

- This seminar is overbooked and there are dozens of students that we were not able to assign a seminar this semester
- Many of you should also have time to hear a Seminar next year, while staying in regular study time.
- So if youre not sure that you want to participate in this course, please consider that you are taking the place of a potentially very motivated student!
- If you want to make place for another Student: No hard feelings, just write an email to Simon.Kluettermann@cs.tu-dortmund.de.





Objective of this Seminar

Introduction to some fundamental research problems

- Researching current scientific ideas
- Understanding benefits and drawbacks of state-of-the-art techniques
- Writing a clear and concisive scientific report
- Presenting and discussing your findings

 \rightarrow Great start for a final thesis.... \rightarrow maybe just talk to your supervisor about this





Timeline

- Presentation in Class (Blockseminar, 26-28.01.2022 13:00-17:00)
- Discussion of your Findings (afterwards)
- **Writing of your Report (till 30.01.2022 23:59)**
- Critizise the Paper of another random Student (till 06.02.2022 23:59)
- All parts required!

Everything will be done in english. If this is a problem for you, please write Simon.Kluettermann@cs.tu.dortmund.de





Tasks of this Seminar

- Choose a couple of topics from our list, you will be assigned to one of them
- Read and understand the paper given to you
- Find, read and understand related literature. It is probably impossible to get a good picture about your topic from just one paper
- Critically analyze the suggested ideas and compare them to the literature
- Final Results:
 - Presentation (30min +10min discussion)
 - Written Report (at least 6 Pages double column, ACM template equivalent)
 - Critique of another written report





Research Culture

This course is Research oriented

- Feel free to ask as many Questions as you want
- If you want to discuss your Topic with somebody, make an appointment with your Supervisor
- the same holds for your Presentation/Report
- Any Feedback is always appreciated





Topic 1: Anomaly Detection for Monitoring

Anomaly Detection for Monitoring (Schwartz, Jinka, 2015) Supervisor: Jelle Hüntelmann (jelle.hüntelmann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



Time Series analysis

 Less of a Paper, more a Book: great for less experienced People



Topic 2: High dimensional Data

A comprehensive survey of anomaly detection techniques for high dimensional big data (Thudumu et al, 2020) Supervisor: Simon Klüttermann (simon.kluettermann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



- High dimensional Data becomes hard for AD
- Explain why





Topic 3: Graph Data

A Comprehensive Survey on Graph Anomaly Detection with Deep Learning (Ma et al, 2021)

Supervisor: Simon Klüttermann (simon.kluettermann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



- Graph Data can be super interesting, but also quite complicated
- Either split up into two topics or done by two people



Topic 4: Density based Outlier Detection

LOF: Identifying Density-Based Local Outliers (Breunig et al, 2000) Supervisor: Daniel Wilmes (daniel.wilmes@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



Classical AD algorithm
Good for a less experienced student



Topic 5: Subspace preprocessing

HiCS: High Contrast Subspaces for Density-Based Outlier Ranking (Keller, Müller et al, 2012) **Supervisor:** Daniel Wilmes (daniel.wilmes@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



 Filter out useless Features
 Cowritten by Prof. Müller, migth be related to a future thesis



Topic 6: Transformations for Anomaly Detection

Neural Transformation Learning for Deep Anomaly Detection Beyond Images (Qui et al, 2021) **Supervisor:** Bin Li (bin.li@tu-dortmund.de)



- Pretransformations (like Rotations) can improve ML
- For Time-Series: Make learnable





Topic 7: GANs for Anomaly Detection

A Survey on GANs for Anomaly Detection (Mattia et al, 2021) Supervisor: Simon Klüttermann (simon.kluettermann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



 GANs generally used for data generation

Can also be used for AD, how?





Topic 8: Anomaly Ensembles

Unsupervised Anomaly Detection Ensembles using Item Response Theory (Kandanaarachchi1, 2021) Supervisor: Simon Klüttermann (simon.kluettermann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



- Combine multiple algorithms
- Could be combined with the following Paper



Topic 9: Active Anomaly Detection

Active Anomaly Detection via Ensembles: Insights, Algorithms, and Interpretability (Das et al, 2019) Supervisor: Simon Klüttermann (simon.kluettermann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



 Active Learning=Learning with humans
 Could be combined with the previous

Paper



Topic 10: Interpretation

Contextual Outlier Interpretation (Liu et al, 2017) **Supervisor:** Benedikt Böing (benedikt.boeing@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



- Interpretabile AD: Create Trust
- Understand by surrounding





Topic 11: Explainability

Additive Explanations for Anomalies Detected from Multivariate Temporal Data (Giurgiu, Schumann et al, 2019) Supervisor: Chiara Balestra (chiara.balestra@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



- Measure contributions of features
- Your own Literature Research is extra important



Topic 12: Application: Interpretable Device Failure

Interpretable, Multidimensional, Multimodal Anomaly Detection with Negative Sampling for Detection of Device Failure (Sipple et al, 2020) Supervisor: Bin Li (bin.li@tu-dortmund.de)







Topic 13: Application: Video Data

Fast Unsupervised Anomaly Detection in Traffic Videos (Doshi et al, 2020) **Supervisor:** Jelle Hüntelmann (jelle.hüntelmann@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



Application PaperComplex input data





Topic 14: Application: Spacecraft monitoring

Detecting Spacecraft Anomalies Using LSTMs and Nonparametric Dynamic Thresholding (Hundman et al, 2018) **Supervisor:** Daniel Wilmes (daniel.wilmes@cs.uni-dortmund.de)



 Another Application Paper
 This time to supervise Spacecrafts



- 1: AD for Monitoring
- 2: High dimensional Data
- 3: Graph Data (*2?)
- 4: LOF
- 5: Subspace preprocessing
- 6: Transformations
- 7: GANs for AD

- 8: Ensembles
- 9: Active AD
- 10: Interpretation
- 11: Explainability
- 12: Application: Device Failure
- 13: Application: Video Data
- 14: Application: Spacecrafts
- Any other ideas?

