



Prognosis

Care

# Deep learning for episodic interventional data



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## **Setting**: Three interacting processes in EMR

**Disease progression** 

Interventions & care processes

Recording rules



Source: medicalbillingcodings.org

#### **Challenge**: Complexity

Long-term dependencies

Irregular timing

Mixture of discrete codes and continuous measures

Complex interaction of diseases and care processes

Rich domain knowledge & ontologies



Data are not created equally important

Models must be accurate AND explainable

#### **Hypothesis**: Healthcare is Turing computational

Healthcare processes as executable computer program obeying hidden "grammars"

The "grammars" are learnable through observational data



http://workingmodeloftheworld.com/Turing-Machine



## Model: Trainable algebraic system

## Health dynamics as a system of transitions of forgettable illness states

Treatments "shift" illness state from one point to another

Medical entities (e.g., disease, treatment, doctor) as algebraic objects (e.g., vector, matrix and function)

Importance of historical events are personspecific

Training by minimizing prediction loss



### **Realisation**: Deep learning



#### Recurrent neural networks



Source: http://karpathy.github.io/assets/rnn/diags.jpeg

#### Attention mechanism



Show, Attend and Tell: Neural Image Caption Generation with Visual Attention, K. Xu, J.

Ba, R. Kiros, K. Cho, A. Courville, R. Salakhutdinov, R. Zemel, Y. Bengio

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#REF: Phuoc Nguyen, Truyen Tran, and Svetha Venkatesh. "Resset: A Recurrent Model for Sequence of Sets with Applications to Electronic Medical Records." *IJCNN* (2018).

## Health = Recurrence(Set(Illness) – Set(Intervention))

health non-linearity intervention  $g(\boldsymbol{d}_t, \boldsymbol{p}_t) = \rho(\Delta)$  where  $\Delta = \boldsymbol{d}_t - \boldsymbol{p}_t$ 

$$f(S) \leftarrow \frac{\bar{\boldsymbol{e}}_S}{\epsilon + \|\bar{\boldsymbol{e}}_S\|} \quad \text{where} \quad \bar{\boldsymbol{e}}_S = \max\left(\boldsymbol{0}, \sum_{i \in S} \boldsymbol{e}_i\right)$$

set function ~ permutation invariant

## Data: Barwon Health, Geelong Australia (2002-2013)

Statistics	Diabetes	Mental health
# patients	7,191	6,109
# visits	53,208	52,049
% male	55.5	49.4
median age	73	37
# diseases	243	247
# treatments	1,118	1,071

### Results: Treatment recommendation

Mathad	Diabetes			Mental health			
Methou	P@1	P@2	P@3	P@1	P@2	P@3	
BOW+LR	0.608	0.481	0.419	0.516	0.4382	0.395	
Deepr	0.634	0.463	0.395	0.615	0.532	0.466	
LSTM	0.694	0.535	0.446	0.614	0.507	0.427	
Resset							
<ul> <li>Implicit interaction</li> </ul>	0.738	0.564	0.492	0.692	0.582	0.498	
<ul> <li>Additive interaction</li> </ul>	0.74	0.567	0.486	0.708	0.588	0.496	
<ul> <li>Subtractive interaction</li> </ul>	0.704	0.553	0.48	0.7	0.591	0.51	
<ul> <li>Multiplicative interaction</li> </ul>	0.65	0.484	0.401	0.553	0.511	0.428	
– Add. interaction with exp smoothing	0.726	0.564	0.465	0.654	0.537	0.458	
– Sub. interaction with exp smoothing	0.730	0.561	0.465	0.641	0.528	0.452	

## Results: Disease progression

Method	Diabetes			Mental health		
	P@1	P@2	P@3	P@1	P@2	P@3
BOW+LR	0.508	0.441	0.393	0.396	0.350	0.323
Deepr	0.496	0.42	0.397	0.424	0.392	0.346
LSTM	0.541	0.476	0.417	0.466	0.430	0.372
Resset						
<ul> <li>Implicit interaction</li> </ul>	0.530	0.478	0.438	0.504	0.471	0.406
<ul> <li>Additive interaction</li> </ul>	0.528	0.496	0.449	0.488	0.448	0.392
<ul> <li>Subtractive interaction</li> </ul>	0.533	0.491	0.444	0.494	0.469	0.41
<ul> <li>Multiplicative interaction</li> </ul>	0.496	0.44	0.401	0.453	0.406	0.362
– Add. interaction with exponential smoothing	0.563	0.513	0.459	0.468	0.429	0.373
– Sub. interaction with exponential smoothing	0.567	0.516	0.46	0.47	0.43	0.376

## Towards a differentiable Turing machine for health



#REF: Hung Le, Truyen Tran, and Svetha Venkatesh. "Dual Control Memory Augmented Neural Networks for Treatment Recommendations", PAKDD18.

## Results: MIMIC-III data

Model	Procedure Output		Drug Output		
	Precision	Jaccard	Precision	Jaccard	
Logistic Regression	0.256	0.185	0.412	0.311	
Random Forest	0.276	0.199	0.491	0.405	
Seq2Seq	0.263	0.196	0.220	0.138	
Seq2Seq with attention	0.272	0.204	0.224	0.142	
DNC	0.285	0.214	0.577	0.529	
DCw-MANN	0.292	0.221	0.598	0.556	

## Wrapping up

Healthcare can be viewed as an algebraic system, which can be realized as a learnable Turing program

Dynamic diseases-treatments interaction demands new models

**Deep learning is a viable solution** 

**Question: where is the likelihood function?** 



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