

# Preface

This book presents valuable contributions devoted to practical and, in many cases, industrial applications of Machine Intelligence and Big Data in various branches of the industry. All the contributions are extended versions of presentations delivered at the Industrial Session of the 6th International Conference on Pattern Recognition and Machine Intelligence (PREMI 2015) in Warsaw, Poland, which passed through a rigorous reviewing process. Each paper was reviewed by at least two referees.

Part I is focused on practical applications of text processing. This part demonstrates the usefulness of text mining approaches in solving practical problems. In particular, Sobkowicz addressed the problem of automatic sentiment analysis for Polish language. Kowalski presented a process of translating legal English and Polish phrases, being a part of a bilingual university repository. Roziewski et al. studied creation of  $n$ -gram collection from a large-scale corpus of Polish Internet based on Common Crawl Corpus. Kozłowski applied clustering of documents containing Polish national qualifications frameworks in order to analyze study fields. Various approaches to the semantic textual similarity are compared in the work by Kazuła and Kozłowski.

Part II is devoted to data mining. El-Baz et al. proposed a solution of the problem of identification of diabetes disease by means of committees of neural network-based classifiers. Sharif et al. proposed enzyme function classification based on Borda count ranking aggregation method. The problem of mining of frequent action rules is addressed by Dardzinska and Romaniuk.

Text and multimedia processing is the subject of Part III. Protaziuk et al. proposed an automatic machine translation method for translating multi-word labels from lexical layers of domain ontologies. In the area of automated speech recognition, Madhavi et al. addressed vocal tract length normalization using different warping functions for template matching. A comparative study on music genre classification algorithms was presented by Stokowiec.

Issues of software platforms are studied in Part IV. Blachnik and Kordos described a RapidMiner Library for information selection and data compression.

Wróblewska et al. showed how to cluster offers in an e-commerce marketplace in order to improve performance of recommendations and other services. An application of machine learning algorithms to Bitcoin automated trading is described by Żbikowski.

Part V combines papers on complex systems, the Internet of Things, and agent systems. Kopczyński et al. presented a design for hardware cuts generating module for Field Programmable Gate Arrays (FPGAs). A big data solution for smart grids and smart meters was presented by Konopko. Weclawski and Jankowski presented an intelligent system of limited resource allocation for large-scale agent systems. Yadav et al. studied the problem of finding logical patterns in multi-sensor data from the industrial Internet.

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