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# **PriMal: Privacy for High-Utility Machine Learning**

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Machine Learning (ML) and data mining provide the foundation for a vast number of *smart* applications today. For this purpose, a large amount of partly private data is captured by sensors, pre-processed by data stream systems and stored in databases. Machine learning and data mining approaches then learn models from these data. By applying these models to real time data, *smart* applications are able to predict and adapt to future requirements. Such applications are a substantial benefit for the user. However, to enable *smart* applications, a large amount of data is required in the first place. Only if the data quality is sufficient, accurate models can be learned and sound predictions can be made. Yet, there is a growing concern on the part of users regarding the large-scale processing of private data. In addition, new regulations such as the General Data Protection Regulation (GDPR) restrict this kind of data processing even further. Today's data privacy approaches affect data quality and data quantity severely so that the utility of machine learning and data mining suffers sustainably.

The PriMaL Special Track, therefore, concerns with novel approaches that guarantee privacy in machine learning applications without restricting their utility unnecessarily. This track aims at providing a forum to discuss recent advancements, exchange ideas and share experiences on new issues and challenges in the context of privacy for high-utility machine learning.

# Topics include, but not limited to:

- Novel privacy approaches for machine learning applications
- Architectures supporting privacy-aware machine learning
- Privacy-preserving model generation
- Differential privacy
- Misuse of machine learning
- Understandable preparation of decisions based on machine learning
- GDPR-conform machine learning approaches

Experience reports on privacy-aware machine learning

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Submission: August 31 Notification: September 20 Registration: September 30 Camera-ready: September 30

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