# Cervical data

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## **Packages**

```
# devtools::install_github("AlanInglis/vivid")
# devtools::install_github("cbhurley/condvis2")

library(mlr)
library(vivid)
library(dplyr)
RNGkind(kind="Mersenne-Twister", normal.kind="Inversion", sample.kind="Rejection") # defaults
```

## Read in and setup data.

```
cervical <- read.csv("https://raw.githubusercontent.com/AlanInglis/vivid/master/paperCodeData/cervicalC</pre>
                     sep=",", na.strings = c('?'), stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
# Remove cancer tests, similar and constant variables:
# take logs of skewed variables
# Turn dummy variables into factors:
cervical <- dplyr::select(cervical, -Citology, -Schiller, -Hinselmann,</pre>
                          -Dx.CIN, -Dx, -Horm_Cont,
                          -Smokes, -IUD, -STDs, -STDs_No_diag, -STDs_AIDS,
                          -STDs.Hep_B, -STDs_cerv_condy, -STDs_Time_first_diag,
                          -STDs_Time_last_diag, -STDs_pel_inf,
                          -STDs_gen_h, -STDs_m_c,
                          -STDs.HPV, -STDs_vag_condy, -STDs_vp_condy) %>%
  mutate(across(Age:IUD_yrs, ~ log(.x+ 1))) %>%
  mutate(Biopsy = factor(Biopsy, levels=0:1,labels=c('Healthy', 'Cancer') )) %>%
  mutate(across(.cols=c("STDs_condy", "STDs_syph", "STDs_HIV",
                         "Dx.HPV", "Dx.Cancer"), factor))
# set up training and testing, making sure Biopsy is proportionally sampled
set.seed(1701)
split <- rsample::initial_split(cervical, prop=.7, strata = Biopsy)</pre>
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cTrain <- rsample::training(split)
cTest <- rsample::testing(split)</pre>
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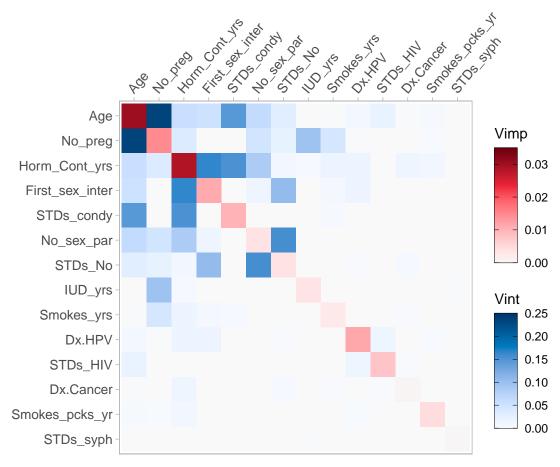
# Model fitting

```
cTask <- makeClassifTask(data = cTrain, target = "Biopsy")</pre>
cLrn <- makeLearner("classif.gbm",</pre>
                     predict.type = "prob",
                     par.vals = list(
                        interaction.depth = 2,
                        n.trees = 100,
                        shrinkage = 0.15,
                        n.minobsinnode=5
                     ))
set.seed(1701)
cfit <- train(cLrn, cTask)</pre>
## Distribution not specified, assuming bernoulli ...
# # Test predictions
pred1 <- predict(cfit, newdata = cTest)</pre>
# # Evaluate performance accuracy, area under curve and mean misclassification error
performance(pred1, measures = list(acc, auc))
##
         acc
## 0.9341085 0.7349280
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#### Create vivid matrix

### Heatmap

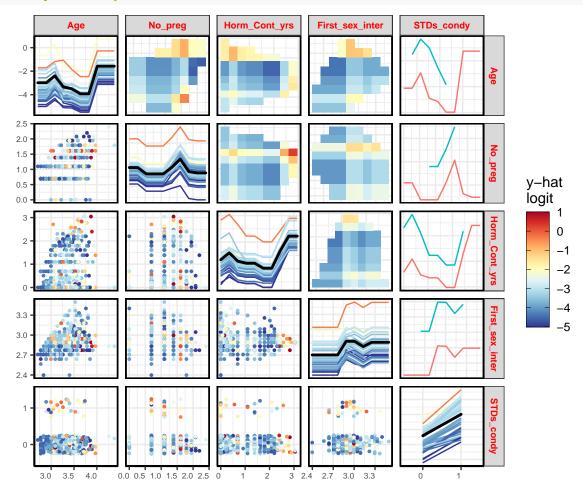
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viviHeatmap(viv, angle = 50)
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- The first 7 variables have the highest vimp/vint scores.
- Overall Age has the highest importance and interaction score (with No preg)
- There are a few variables with high interaction but not high importance eg the two variables STDs\_No: No\_sex\_par.
- No\_preg is not highly important but has a highly important interaction (with Age)

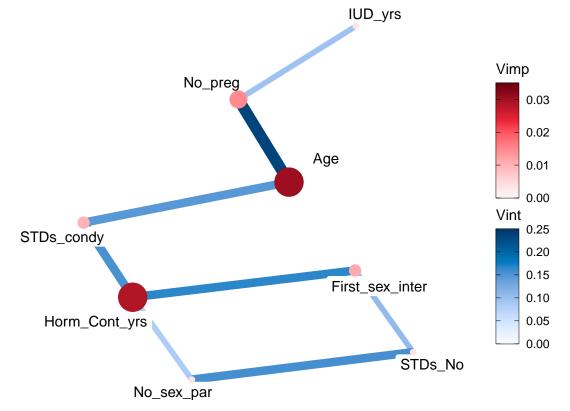
## pdp

convexHull = TRUE,
probability = FALSE,fitlims = c(-5,1))



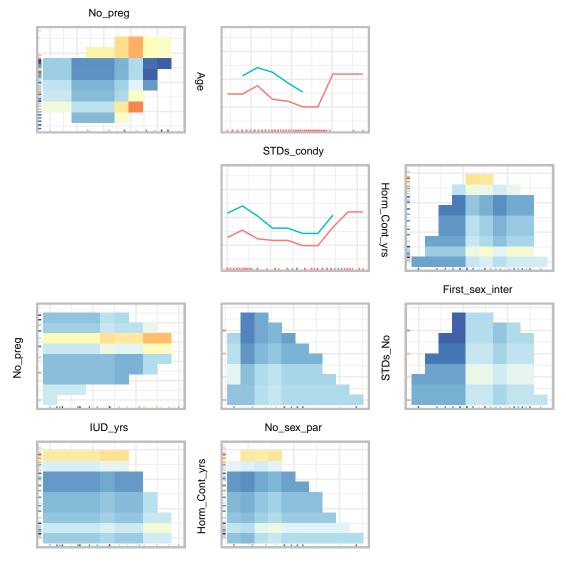
- First we look at the Age pdp, as it is the most important predictor. The age pdp curve has lower prob in middle age, the steep incline after that is based on just a few obs with high age, so this steep incline curve may not be reliable
- Next we investigate No\_preg and Age as this pair has the highest h-index. In the bivariate No\_preg Age plot, high No\_preg is associated with low Cancer prob for middle age groups, but it associated with high Cancer prob for younger ages. This is an interesting interaction.??
- In the bivariate pdps the highest cancer prob occurs for this with high Horm\_Cont\_yrs and high No\_preg.
- Note that in plots of one numeric and one categorical predictor, the numeric variable is always drawn in the x-axis, not withstanding the label is on the y-axis. This is to make the plot easy to read, eg the plot for STD condy and Age (or No\_preg stc.)
- In the plot of STD condy and Age, the bivariate pdp is the same as two pdps for each level of STD\_condy (the green curve is for STD\_condy=1). It does not look in this plot like an interaction is present, though it has a moderately high H-index.

# Network plot



- In this plot we check out pairs of variables with h-index over 0.08
- Clustering does not help here so it is omitted
- Not all of these vars are in the top 5 shown in pdp. The extra vars are No\_sex\_par, STD\_No, IUD\_yrs

# Zen plot



- There are 8 interactions identified in the network plot, involving 8 variables.
- $\bullet$  This would need an 8 by 8 pdp to display byt the zen version is more compact and just shows the selected pairs
- This plot has the same color scale as the pdp plot
- The STD\_no:No\_sex\_par plot is a flat surface and no evidence of interaction
- The IUD\_yrs: No\_preg plot has prob increasing with IUD\_yrs with a steeper gradient for moderately high No\_preg. Does this make sense?