Lab Solution Notebook - Lecture 12

This notebook provides an introduction to evaluating the fairness of your predictive model. This is especially relevant because in modeling human data, treating different sociodemographic groups equitably is especially important. It is also crucial to consider the context of your downstream task and where these predictions will be used.

In this lab, we will investigate **5 different metrics** to measure model fairness:

- equal opportunity
- equalized odds
- disparate impact
- demographic parity
- predictive rate parity

The material for this notebook is inspired by a Towards Data Science ML fairness tutorial by Conor O'Sullivan.

You have already seen three of these metrics in the lecture exploration on flipped classroom data collected at EPFL. In this lab, you will:

- learn about 2 more fairness metrics (equal opportunity and disparate impact)
- explore a full fairness analysis on a sensitive attribute **Country (Diploma)**
- explore a combined fairness analysis on subgroups involving both Gender and Country (Diploma)

Gender refers to the gender of the student (M for male, F for female, or non-specified), and **Country (Diploma)** represents the country the student completed their diploma from (France, Suisse, or non-specified).

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# Load standard imports for the rest of the notebook.
import seaborn as sns
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import scipy as sc
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix

DATA_DIR = "./../../data/"

Loading the Data
# Load demographic data. The two attributes that are relevant to our analysis are "country_diploma" and "gender",
# although there are many other analyses that can be conducted.

demographics = pd.read_csv(DATA_DIR + 'demographics.csv',
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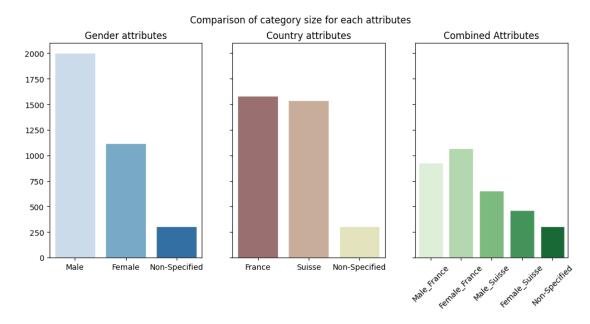
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demographics['country diploma'].unique()
array(['France', nan, 'Suisse'], dtype=object)
# We've run a BiLSTM model on the data using a 10-fold cross
validation, generating predictions for all 214 students.
predictions = pd.read csv(DATA DIR + 'model predictions.csv')
# convert predictions between [0, 1] to binary variable for pass /
fail {0, 1}
y pred = [1 if grade < 0.5 else 0 for grade in predictions['grade']]</pre>
# Load and process ground truth grades, which are between 0 to 6
# Recieving a score 4 or higher is passing, so we can convert these
grades to a binary pass/fail variable {0, 1}
y = [1 if grade >= 4 else 0 for grade in demographics['grade']]
demographics.insert(0, 'v', y)
demographics.insert(1, 'y_pred', y_pred)
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Number of data in each caterogies
fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(12, 5), sharey=True)
M size = demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'M'].size
F size = demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'F'].size
France size = demographics[demographics['country diploma'] ==
'France'l.size
Suisse size = demographics[demographics['country diploma'] ==
'Suisse'l.size
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'France') &
                                        (demographics['gender'] ==
'M')].size
Suisse M size = demographics[(demographics['country diploma'] ==
'Suisse') &
                                        (demographics['gender'] ==
'M')l.size
France_F_size = demographics[(demographics['country diploma'] ==
'France') &
                                        (demographics['gender'] ==
'F')].size
Suisse F size = demographics[(demographics['country diploma'] ==
'Suisse') &
                                        (demographics['gender'] ==
'F')].size
none size =
demographics[(demographics['country diploma'].isna())].size
gender_cat = ['Male', 'Female', 'Non-Specified']
sns.barplot(x=gender_cat, y=[M_size, F_size, none_size], palette =
'Blues', edgecolor = 'w', ax=axs[0])
axs[0].set title("Gender attributes")
country_cat = ['France', 'Suisse', 'Non-Specified']
sns.barplot(x=country cat, y=[France size, Suisse size, none size],
palette = 'pink', edgecolor = 'w', ax=axs[1])
axs[1].set title("Country attributes")
gender country cat = ['Male France', 'Female France', 'Male Suisse',
'Female_Suisse', 'Non-Specified']
sns.barplot(x=gender_country_cat, y=[France_M_size, Suisse_M_size,
France_F_size, Suisse_F_size, none_size], palette = 'Greens',
edgecolor = 'w', ax=axs[2])
axs[2].set title("Combined Attributes")
fig.suptitle("Comparison of category size for each attributes")
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plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.show()



Measuring Fairness

Now, we will move into analyzing methods to measure fairness.

Accuracy is not an ideal measure of fairness. We can base the accuracy calculation on the confusion matrix below. This is a standard confusion matrix used to compare model predictions to the actual target variable. Here Y=1 is a positive prediction (student passes the course) and Y=0 is a negative prediction (student fails the course). We will also be referring back to this matrix when we calculate the other fairness metrics.

We can use the confusion matrix to calculate accuracy. Accuracy is the number of true negatives and true positives over the total number of observations. In other words, accuracy is the percentage of correct predictions.

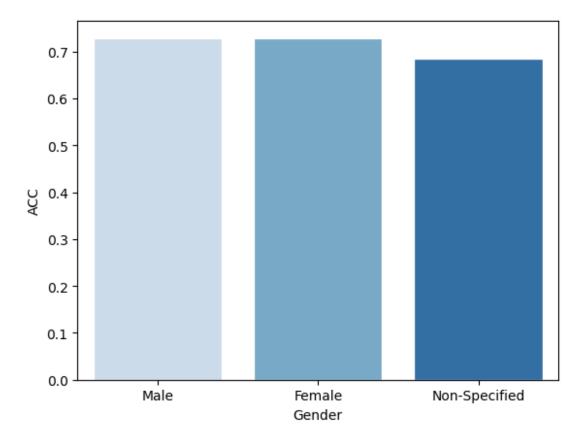
Disparate Impact

$$PPP_{\mathbf{g}} = PPP_{\mathbf{1}} \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{\mathsf{PPP}_{0}}{\mathsf{PPP}_{1}} > \mathsf{Cutoff} \tag{3}$$

```
def accuracy(df):
    """Calculate accuracy through the confusion matrix."""
    # Confusion Matrix
    cm = confusion matrix(df['y'],df['y_pred'])
    TN, FP, FN, TP = cm.ravel()
    # Total population
    N = TP + FP + FN + TN
    # Accuracy
    ACC = (TP + TN) / N
    return ACC
print("Overall Accuracy:", np.round(accuracy(demographics), 3))
Overall Accuracy: 0.724
gender df = pd.DataFrame()
gender df['Gender'] = ['Male', 'Female', 'Non-Specified']
gender df['ACC'] =
[np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'M']), 3),
np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'F']), 3),
np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['gender'].isna()]), 3)]
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sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='ACC', data=gender_df, palette = 'Blues',
edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
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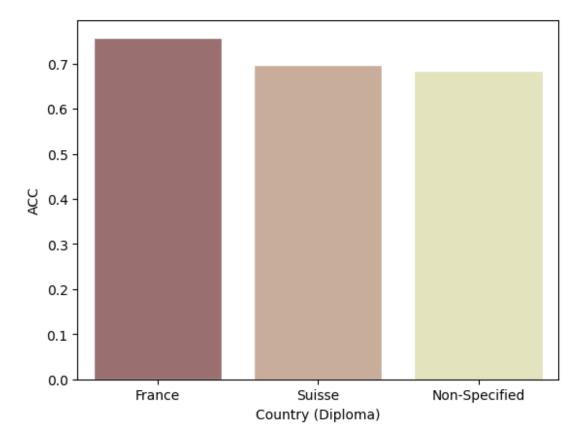
We can see that Male and Female have the same accuracy. The accuracy seems to not depend on the gender.

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country_df = pd.DataFrame()
country_df['Country (Diploma)'] = ['France', 'Suisse', 'Non-
Specified']
country_df['ACC'] =
[np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['country_diploma'] ==
'France']), 3),

np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['country_diploma'] ==
'Suisse']), 3),

np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['country_diploma'].isna()]), 3)]

sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='ACC', data=country_df, palette =
'pink', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
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We see a slightly better accuracy when predicting student from France than from Switzerland.

```
Combined Attributes
combined_df = pd.DataFrame()
combined_df["gender_country"] = ['Male_France', 'Female_France',
'Male_Suisse', 'Female_Suisse', 'Non-Specified']

combined_df['ACC'] = [

np.round(accuracy(demographics[(demographics['country_diploma'] == 'France') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),

np.round(accuracy(demographics[(demographics['country_diploma'] == 'France') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),

np.round(accuracy(demographics[(demographics['country_diploma'] == 'Suisse') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),
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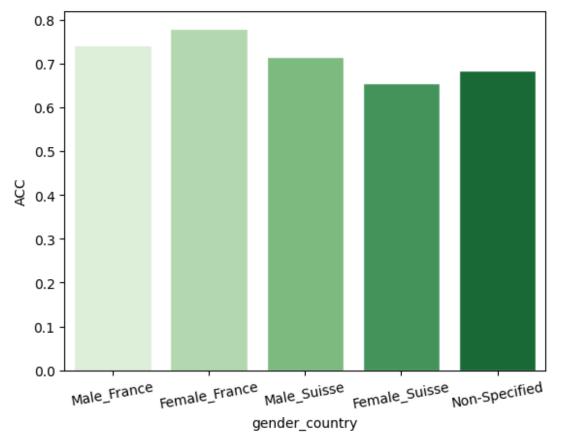
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np.round(accuracy(demographics[(demographics['country_diploma'] ==
'Suisse') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),

np.round(accuracy(demographics[demographics['country_diploma'].isna()]), 3),

]

sns.barplot(x='gender_country', y='ACC', data=combined_df, palette =
'Greens', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.xticks(rotation = 10)
plt.show()
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Interestingly, male from France and Switzerland have similar accuracy, but concerning Female, the difference is more significante. Neverless, as expected from the previous graph, Male and Female from France have both better accuracy than their corresponding category in Switzerland.

Fairness Definition 1: Equal opportunity

To better capture the benefits of a model we can use the true positive rate (TPR). You can see how we calculate TPR below. The denominator is the number of actual positives. The numerator is the number of correctly predicted positives. In other words, TPR is the percentage of actual positives that were correctly predicted as positive.

Under **equal opportunity** we consider a model to be fair if the TPRs of the privileged and unprivileged groups are equal. In practice, we will give some leeway for statistic uncertainty. We can require the differences to be less than a certain cutoff (Equation 2). For our analysis, we have taken the ratio. In this case, we require the ratio to be larger than some cutoff (Equation 3). This ensures that the TPR for the unprivileged group is not significantly smaller than for the privileged group.

Disparate Impact

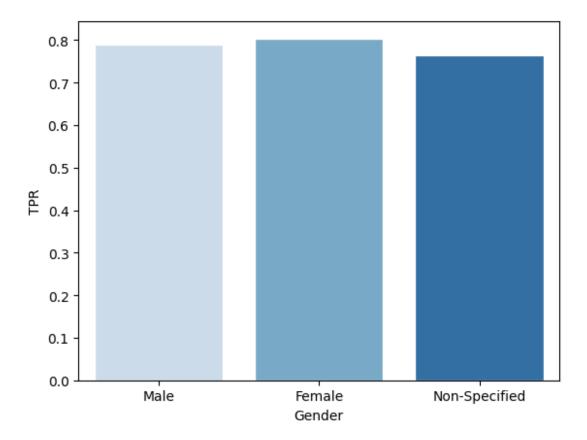
$$PPP_{0} = PPP_{1} \qquad (1)$$

$$PPP_{0} \qquad > Cutoff \qquad (3)$$

$$PPP_{1}$$

```
def true_positive_rate(df):
    """Calculate equal opportunity (true positive rate)."""
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# Confusion Matrix
    cm = confusion matrix(df['y'],df['y pred'])
    TN, FP, FN, TP = cm.ravel()
    # Total population
    N = TP + FP + FN + TN
    # True positive rate
    TPR = TP / (TP + FN)
    return TPR
print("Overall Equal Opportunity:",
np.round(true_positive_rate(demographics), 3))
Overall Equal Opportunity: 0.791
Sensitive Attribute: Gender
gender df['TPR'] =
[np.round(true positive rate(demographics[demographics['gender'] ==
'M']), 3),
np.round(true positive rate(demographics[demographics['gender'] ==
'F']), 3),
np.round(true positive rate(demographics[demographics['gender'].isna()
]), 3)]
sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='TPR', data=gender_df, palette = 'Blues',
edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
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For equal opportunity, we directly compare the difference between TPRs of the sensitive attributes. # We define our significance cutoff at 0.1, stating any difference below 10% can be attributed to random chance. def stats_eq_opp(df, attr, stat='TPR', cutoff=0.1, indexs=[0, 1]): TPR 0, TPR 1 = df[stat][indexs[0]], df[stat][indexs[1]]equal opp = np.abs(np.round(TPR 1 - TPR 0, 3))equal opp ratio = np.round(np.minimum(TPR 0, TPR 1) / np.maximum(TPR 0, TPR 1), 3)print('Sensitive Attr:', attr, '\n') print('-----') print('|Equal Opportunity| < Cutoff?', np.abs(equal_opp) > cutoff) print('-----') print('TPR0 (', df[attr][indexs[0]], ') = ', TPR_0)
print('TPR1 (', df[attr][indexs[1]], ') = ', TPR_1) print('Equal Opportunity:', equal opp) print('Cutoff:', cutoff) print('\n-----') print('Equal Opportunity Ratio?', equal opp ratio)

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stats_eq_opp(gender_df, 'Gender')
Sensitive Attr: Gender

|Equal Opportunity| < Cutoff? False

TPR0 ( Male ) = 0.789
TPR1 ( Female ) = 0.804
Equal Opportunity: 0.015
Cutoff: 0.1

Equal Opportunity Ratio? 0.981</pre>
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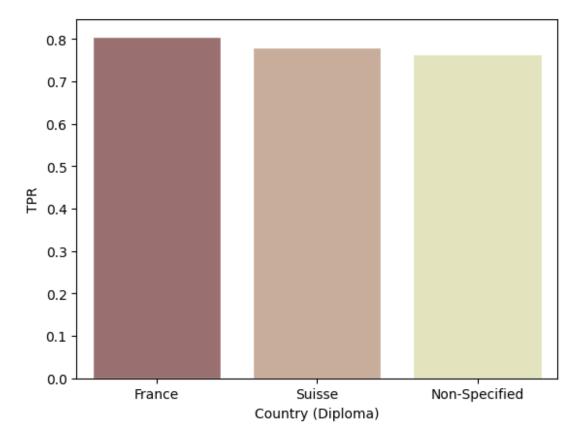
We have an Equal Opportunity is smaller than the Cutoff, hence we consider our model as fair. Also the Equal Opportunity Ratio is bigger than the Cutoff and close to 1, meaning that there is no unpriviledge group.

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Sensitive Attribute: Country
country_df['TPR'] =
[np.round(true_positive_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diplom
a'] == 'France']), 3),

np.round(true_positive_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diploma'] == 'Suisse']), 3),

np.round(true_positive_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diploma'].isna()]), 3)]

sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='TPR', data=country_df, palette = 'pink', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
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```
stats_eq_opp(country_df, 'Country (Diploma)')
Sensitive Attr: Country (Diploma)

|Equal Opportunity| < Cutoff? False

TPR0 (France) = 0.806
TPR1 (Suisse) = 0.78
Equal Opportunity: 0.026
Cutoff: 0.1

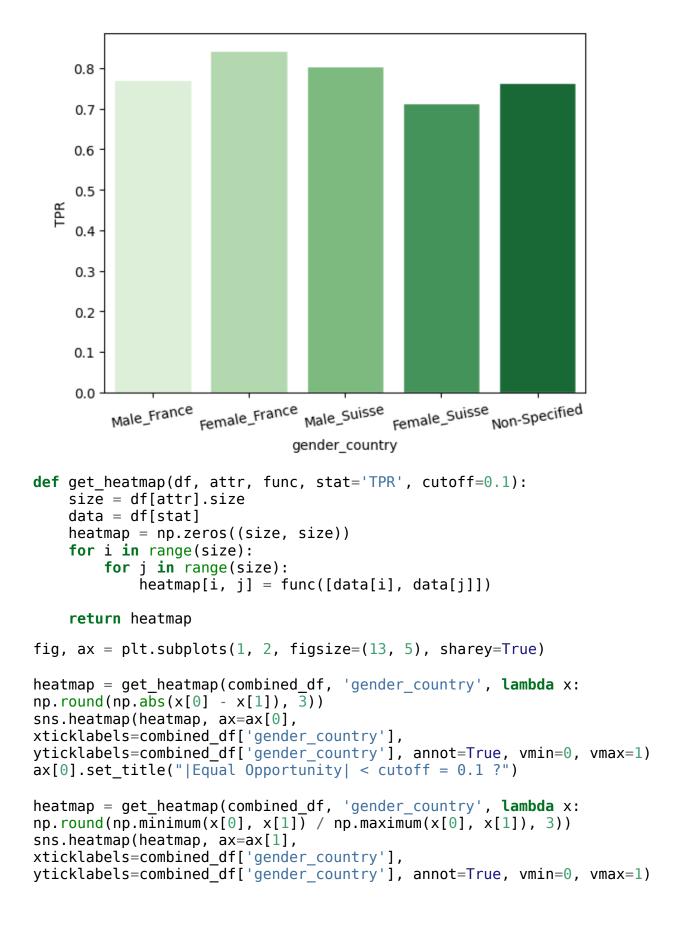
Equal Opportunity Ratio? 0.968</pre>
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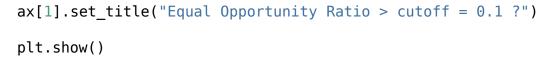
We have an Equal Opportunity is smaller than the Cutoff, hence we consider our model as fair. Also the Equal Opportunity Ratio is bigger than the Cutoff and close to 1, meaning that there is no unpriviledge group.

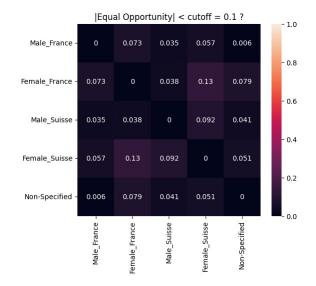
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Combined Attributes
combined_df['TPR'] = [

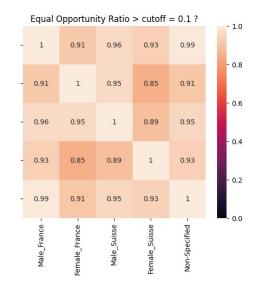
np.round(true_positive_rate(demographics[(demographics['country_diplom
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(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),
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(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),
np.round(true positive rate(demographics[(demographics['country diplom
a'] == 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),
np.round(true positive rate(demographics[(demographics['country diplom
a'] == 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),
np.round(true_positive_rate(demographics[demographics['country diploma
'].isna()]), \overline{3}),
                    ]
sns.barplot(x='gender country', y='TPR', data=combined df, palette =
'Greens', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.xticks(rotation = 10)
plt.show()
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False negative rate (FNR)

In some cases, you may want to capture the negative consequences of a model. In FNR, the denominator gives the number of actual positives. Except now we have the number of incorrectly predicted negatives as the numerator. In other words, the FNR is the percentage of actual positives incorrectly predicted as negative.

The FNR can be interpreted as the percentage of people who have wrongfully not benefitted from the model.

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% predicted as positive (PPP) = TP + FP N
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```
def false_negative_rate(df):
    """Calculate false negative rate"""

# Confusion Matrix
cm = confusion_matrix(df['y'],df['y_pred'])
TN, FP, FN, TP = cm.ravel()

# False negative rate
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FNR = FN / (TP + FN)
    return FNR

print("Overall FNR:", np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics), 3))

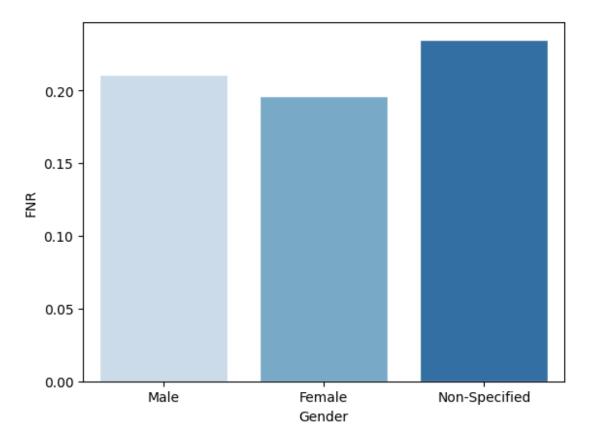
Overall FNR: 0.209

gender_df['FNR'] = [np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'M']), 3),

np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'F']), 3),

np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['gender'].isna()]), 3)]

sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='FNR', data=gender_df, palette = 'Blues', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
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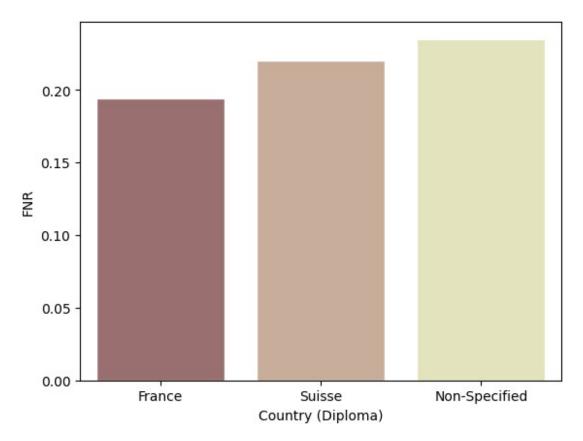


country_df['FNR'] =
[np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diplo
ma'] == 'France']), 3),

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np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diplom
a'] == 'Suisse']), 3),

np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diplom
a'].isna()]), 3)]

sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='FNR', data=country_df, palette =
'pink', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
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Combined Attributes
combined_df['FNR'] = [

np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[(demographics['country_diplo
ma'] == 'France') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),

np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[(demographics['country_diplo
ma'] == 'France') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),
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np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[(demographics['country_diplo
ma'] == 'Suisse') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),

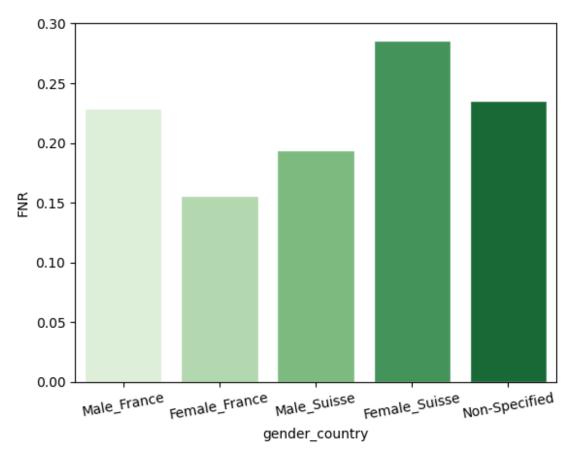
np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[(demographics['country_diplo
ma'] == 'Suisse') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),

np.round(false_negative_rate(demographics[demographics['country_diplom
a'].isna()]), 3),

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sns.barplot(x='gender_country', y='FNR', data=combined_df, palette =
'Greens', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.xticks(rotation = 10)
plt.show()
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Fairness Definition 2: Equalized Odds

Another way we can capture the benefits of a model is by looking at false positive rates (FPR). As seen in Figure 10, the denominator is the number of actual negatives. This means the TPR is the percentage of actual negatives incorrectly predicted as positive. This can be interpreted as the percentage of people who have wrongfully benefited from the model.

Disparate Impact
$$PPP_{0} = PPP_{1} \qquad (1)$$

$$PPP_{0} = PPP_{1} \qquad (3)$$

$$PPP_{1}$$

This leads us to the second definition of fairness, **equalized odds**. Like with equal opportunity, this definition requires that the TPRs are equal. Now we also require that the FPRs are equal. This means equalized odds can be thought of as a stricter definition of fairness. It also makes sense that for a model to be fair overall benefit should be equal. That is a similar percentage of the groups should both rightfully and wrongfully benefit.

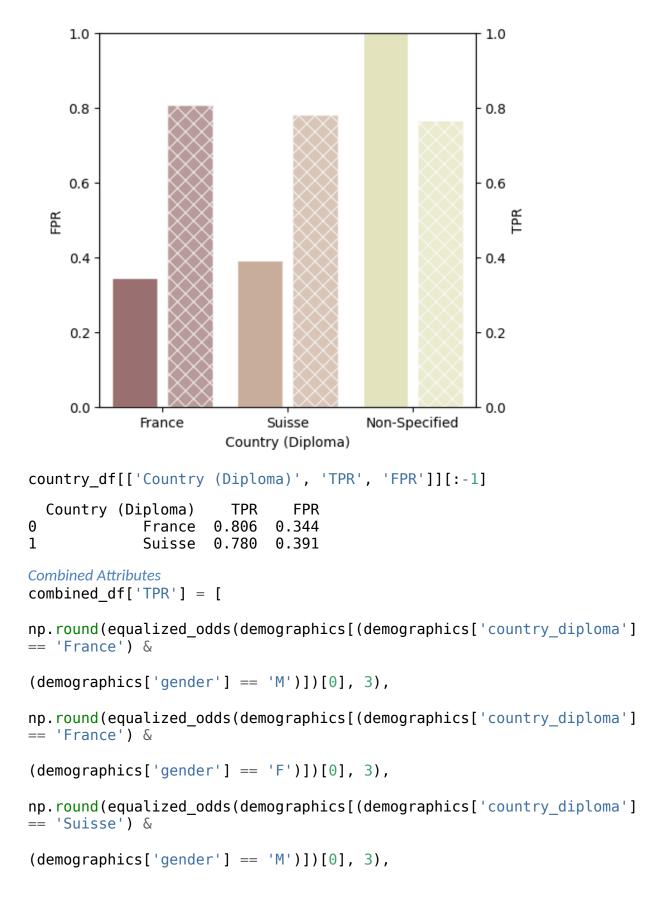
An advantage of equalized odds is that it does not matter how we define our target variable. Suppose instead we had Y=0 leads to a benefit. In this case the interpretations of TPR and FPR swap. TPR now captures the wrongful benefit and FPR now captures the rightful benefit. Equalized odds already uses both of these rates so the interpretation

remains the same. In comparison, the interpretation of equal opportunity changes as it only considers TPR.

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def equalized odds(df):
    """Calculate FPR and TPR for subgroup of population"""
    # Confusion Matrix
    cm = confusion matrix(df['y'],df['y pred'])
    TN, FP, FN, TP = cm.ravel()
    # True positive rate
    TPR = TP / (TP + FN)
    # False positive rate
    FPR = FP / (FP + TN)
    return [TPR, FPR]
equal odds = equalized odds(demographics)
print("Overall TPR:", np.round(equal odds[0], 3))
print("Overall FPR:", np.round(equal odds[1], 3))
Overall TPR: 0.791
Overall FPR: 0.388
gender df['TPR'] =
[np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'M'])
[0], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'F'])
[0], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['gender'].isna()])
[0], 3)
gender df['FPR'] =
[np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'M'])
[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['gender'] == 'F'])
[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['gender'].isna()])
[1], 3)]
plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
ax = sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='FPR', data=gender df, palette =
'Blues', edgecolor = 'w')
width scale = 0.45
for bar in ax.containers[0]:
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bar.set_width(bar.get_width() * width_scale)
ax.set_ylim([0, 1])
ax2 = ax.twinx()
sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='TPR', data=gender_df, palette = 'Blues',
edgecolor = 'w', alpha=0.7, hatch='xx', ax=ax2)
for bar in ax2.containers[\theta]:
    x = bar.get x()
    w = bar.get width()
    bar.set_x(x + w * (1- width_scale))
    bar.set_width(w * width_scale)
ax2.set_ylim([0, 1])
plt.show()
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gender_df[['Gender', 'TPR', 'FPR']][:-1]
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            0.789
                    0.352
0
     Male
1
   Female
            0.804
                    0.417
country df['TPR'] =
[np.round(equalized_odds(demographics[demographics['country_diploma']
== 'France'])[0], 3),
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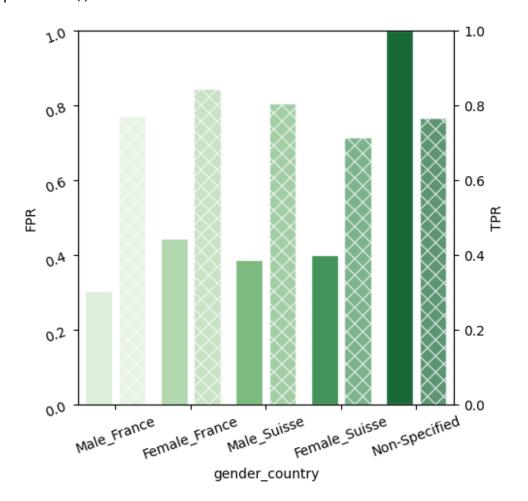
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np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma']
== 'Suisse'])[0], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma'].i
sna()])[0], 3)]
country df['FPR'] =
[np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma']
== 'France'])[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma']
== 'Suisse'])[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma'].i
sna()])[1], 3)]
plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
ax = sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='FPR', data=country df,
palette = 'pink', edgecolor = 'w')
width scale = 0.45
for bar in ax.containers[0]:
    bar.set width(bar.get width() * width scale)
ax.set ylim([0, 1])
ax2 = ax.twinx()
sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='TPR', data=country_df, palette =
'pink', edgecolor = 'w', alpha=0.7, hatch='xx', ax=ax2)
for bar in ax2.containers[0]:
    x = bar.qet x()
    w = bar.get width()
    bar.set x(x + w * (1 - width scale))
    bar.set width(w * width scale)
ax2.set ylim([0, 1])
plt.show()
```



```
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[(demographics['country diploma']
== 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[0], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma'].i
sna()])[0], 3),
combined df['FPR'] = [
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[(demographics['country diploma']
== 'France') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')])[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[(demographics['country diploma']
== 'France') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[(demographics['country diploma']
== 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')])[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[(demographics['country diploma']
== 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[1], 3),
np.round(equalized odds(demographics[demographics['country diploma'].i
sna()])[1], 3),
plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
ax = sns.barplot(x='gender_country', y='FPR', data=combined_df,
palette = 'Greens', edgecolor = 'w')
width scale = 0.45
for bar in ax.containers[0]:
    bar.set width(bar.get width() * width scale)
ax.set ylim([0, 1])
ax2 = ax.twinx()
sns.barplot(x='gender_country', y='TPR', data=combined_df, palette =
'Greens', edgecolor = 'w', alpha=0.7, hatch='xx', ax=ax2)
for bar in ax2.containers[0]:
    x = bar.get x()
    w = bar.get width()
```

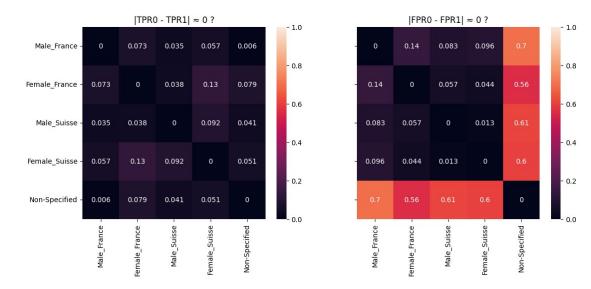
```
bar.set_x(x + w * (1- width_scale))
  bar.set_width(w * width_scale)
ax2.set_ylim([0, 1])

ax.tick_params(labelrotation=20)
plt.show()
```



fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(13, 5), sharey=True) heatmap = get_heatmap(combined_df, 'gender_country', lambda x: np.round(np.abs(x[0] - x[1]), 3), stat='TPR') sns.heatmap(heatmap, ax=ax[0], xticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], yticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], annot=True, vmin=0, vmax=1) ax[0].set_title("|TPR0 - TPR1| \approx 0 ?") heatmap = get_heatmap(combined_df, 'gender_country', lambda x: np.round(np.abs(x[0] - x[1]), 3), stat='FPR') sns.heatmap(heatmap, ax=ax[1], xticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], yticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], annot=True, vmin=0, vmax=1) ax[1].set_title("|FPR0 - FPR1| \approx 0 ?")

plt.show()



Fairness Definition 3: Disparate Impact

Our third definition of fairness is disparate impact (DI). We start by calculating the PPP rates seen below. This is the percentage of people who have either been correctly (TP) or incorrectly (FP) predicted as positive. We can interpret this as the percentage of people who will benefit from the model.

% predicted as positive (PPP) =
$$\frac{TP + FP}{N}$$

Under DI we consider a model to be fair if we have equal PPP rates. Again, in practice, we use a cutoff to give some leeway. This definition is supposed to represent the legal concept of disparate impact. In the US there is a legal precedent to set the cutoff to 0.8. That is the PPP for the unprivileged group must not be less than 80% of that of the privileged group.

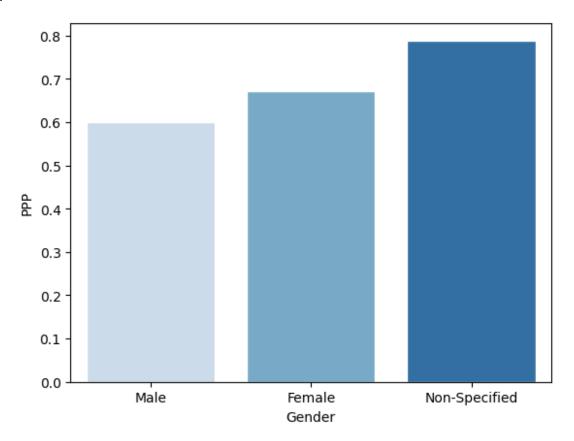
Disparate Impact

$$PPP_0 = PPP_1 \tag{1}$$

$$\frac{\mathsf{PPP}_{0}}{\mathsf{PPP}_{1}} > \mathsf{Cutoff} \tag{3}$$

```
def disparate impact(df):
    """Calculate PPP for subgroup of population"""
    # Confusion Matrix
    cm = confusion matrix(df['y'],df['y pred'])
    TN, FP, FN, TP = cm.ravel()
    # Total population
    N = TP + FP + FN + TN
    # predicted as positive
    PPP = (TP + FP) / N
    return PPP
print("Overall PPP:", np.round(disparate impact(demographics), 3))
Overall PPP: 0.64
Sensitive Attribute: Gender
gender df['PPP'] =
[np.round(disparate impact(demographics[demographics['gender'] ==
'M']), 3),
np.round(disparate impact(demographics[demographics['gender'] ==
'F']), 3),
np.round(disparate impact(demographics[demographics['gender'].isna()])
, 3)]
```

```
sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='PPP', data=gender_df, palette = 'Blues',
edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
```



```
# For disparate impact, we compare the ratio between the PPPs of the sensitive attributes.
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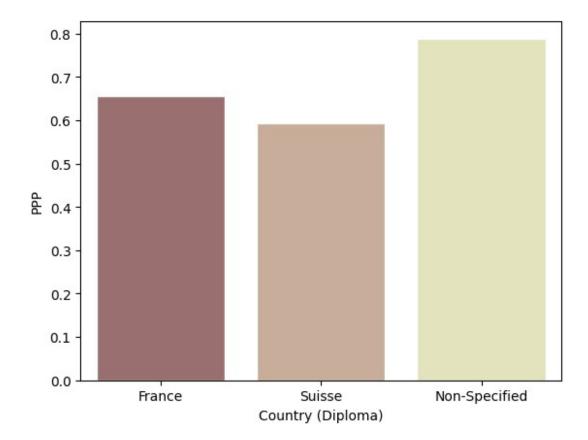
We define our significance cutoff at 0.1, stating any difference below 10% can be attributed to random chance.

```
def stats_ppp(df, attr, cutoff=0.1):
    PPP_0, PPP_1 = df['PPP'][0], df['PPP'][1]
    ppp_ratio = np.round(np.minimum(PPP_0, PPP_1) / np.maximum(PPP_0, PPP_1), 3)

    print('Sensitive Attr:', attr, '\n')

    print('Disparate Impact > Cutoff?', np.abs(ppp_ratio) > cutoff)
    print('PPP0 (', df[attr][0], ') =', PPP_0)
    print('PPP1 (', df[attr][1], ') =', PPP_1)
    print('PPP_Ratio:', ppp_ratio)
    print('Cutoff:', cutoff)
```

```
stats_ppp(gender_df, 'Gender')
Sensitive Attr: Gender
-----
Disparate Impact > Cutoff? True
-----
PPP0 (Male) = 0.6
PPP1 ( Female ) = 0.671
PPP Ratio: 0.894
Cutoff: 0.1
Sensitive Attribute: Country (Diploma)
country df['PPP'] =
[np.round(disparate impact(demographics[demographics['country diploma'
] == 'France']), 3),
np.round(disparate impact(demographics[demographics['country diploma']
== 'Suisse']), 3),
np.round(disparate_impact(demographics[demographics['country diploma']
.isna()]), 3)]
sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='PPP', data=country_df, palette =
'pink', edgecolor = 'w')
plt.show()
```



```
stats_ppp(country_df, 'Country (Diploma)')
Sensitive Attr: Country (Diploma)

Disparate Impact > Cutoff? True

PPP0 ( France ) = 0.657
PPP1 ( Suisse ) = 0.594
PPP_Ratio: 0.904
Cutoff: 0.1

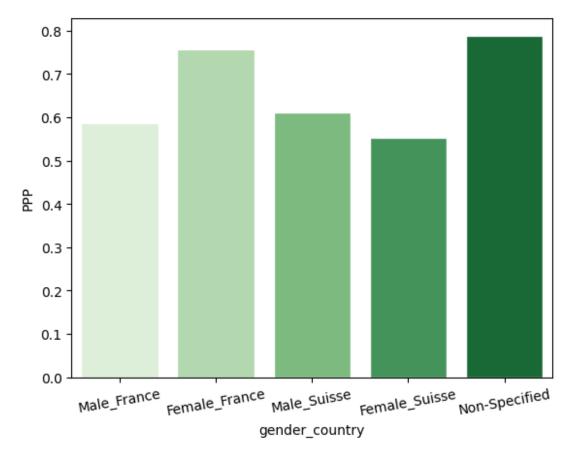
Combined Attributes
combined_df['PPP'] = [

np.round(disparate_impact(demographics[(demographics['country_diploma'] == 'France') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'M')]), 3),

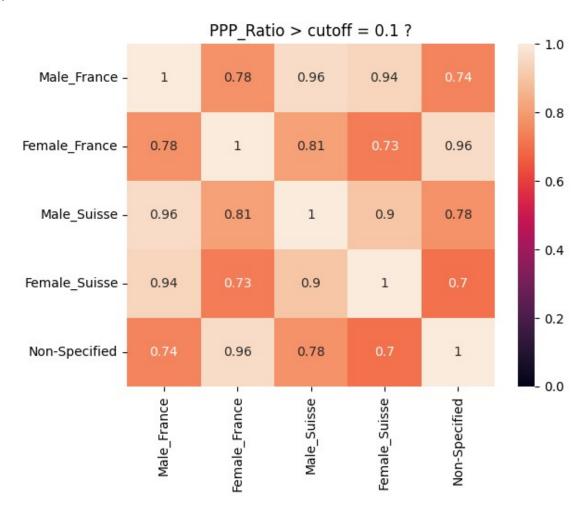
np.round(disparate_impact(demographics[(demographics['country_diploma'] == 'France') &

(demographics['gender'] == 'F')]), 3),
```



 $\label{eq:heatmap} $$ heatmap(combined_df, 'gender_country', lambda x: np.round(np.minimum(x[0], x[1]) / np.maximum(x[0], x[1]), 3), stat='PPP') $$ sns.heatmap(heatmap, xticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], $$ for each approximate the property of the property of$

yticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], annot=True, vmin=0, vmax=1)
plt.title("PPP_Ratio > cutoff = 0.1 ?")
plt.show()



Fairness Definition 4: Demographic Parity

Demographic Parity states that the proportion of each segment of a protected class (e.g. gender) should receive the positive outcome at equal rates. A positive outcome is the preferred decision, such as in our case, passing a class.

Demographic Parity is very similar to Disparate Impact, with the only difference being that it measures the difference between PPPs instead of the ratio.

Demographic Parity

$$PPP_{\mathbf{a}} = PPP_{\mathbf{1}} \tag{1}$$

$$PPP_{1} - PPP_{0} > Cutoff$$
 (3)

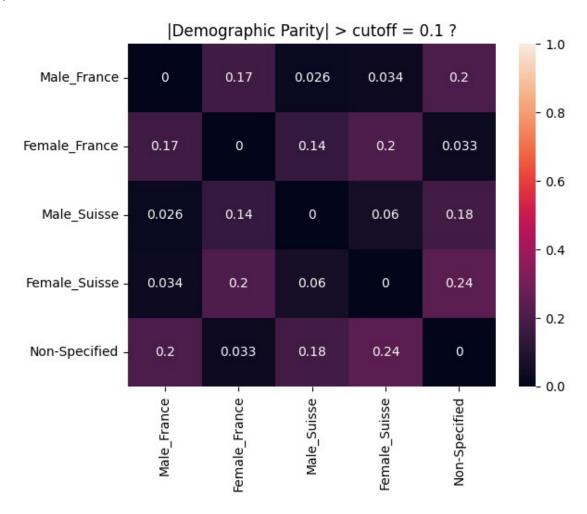
```
# For demographic parity, we compare the difference between the PPPs
of the sensitive attributes.
# We define our significance cutoff at 0.1, stating any difference
below 10% can be attributed to random chance.
def stats dp(df, attr, cutoff=0.1):
    PPP_0, PPP_1 = df['PPP'][0], df['PPP'][1]
    ppp diff = np.round(np.abs(PPP 1 - PPP 0), 3)
    print('Sensitive Attr:', attr, '\n')
    print('-----')
    print('|Demographic Parity| > Cutoff?', np.abs(ppp_diff) > cutoff)
    print('-----
   print('PPP0 (', df[attr][0], ') =', PPP_0)
print('PPP1 (', df[attr][1], ') =', PPP_1)
    print('PPP_Diff:', ppp_diff)
    print('Cutoff:', cutoff)
stats_dp(gender_df, 'Gender')
Sensitive Attr: Gender
|Demographic Parity| > Cutoff? False
PPP0 (Male) = 0.6
PPP1 ( Female ) = 0.671
PPP Diff: 0.071
Cutoff: 0.1
stats dp(country df, 'Country (Diploma)')
```

```
Sensitive Attr: Country (Diploma)

|Demographic Parity| > Cutoff? False

PPP0 ( France ) = 0.657
PPP1 ( Suisse ) = 0.594
PPP_Diff: 0.063
Cutoff: 0.1

heatmap = get_heatmap(combined_df, 'gender_country', lambda x:
np.round(np.abs(x[0] - x[1]), 3), stat='PPP')
sns.heatmap(heatmap, xticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'],
yticklabels=combined_df['gender_country'], annot=True, vmin=0, vmax=1)
plt.title("|Demographic Parity| > cutoff = 0.1 ?")
plt.show()
```



Fairness Definition 5: Predictive Value Parity

Predictive value-parity equalizes the chance of success, given a positive prediction (PPV) or negative prediction (NPV).

Predictive Rate Parity

PPV = NPV

```
def predictive_value_parity(df):
    """Calculate predictive value parity scores"""

# Confusion Matrix
cm = confusion_matrix(df['y'],df['y_pred'])
TN, FP, FN, TP = cm.ravel()

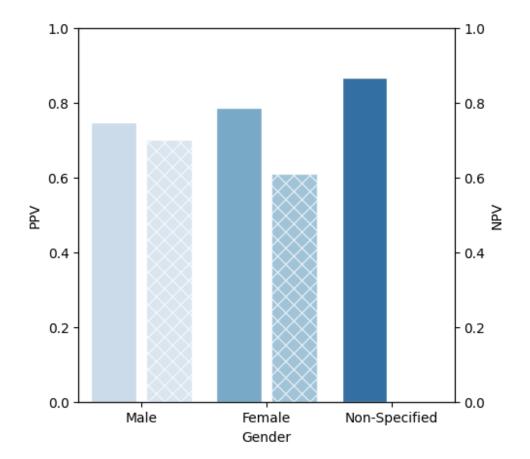
# Positive Predictive Value
PPV = TP / (FP + TP)

# Negative Predictive Value
NPV = TN / (FN + TN)

return [PPV, NPV]

print("Overal PPV:", np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics)
[0], 3))
```

```
print("Overal NPV:", np.round(predictive value parity(demographics)
[1], 3))
Overal PPV: 0.774
Overal NPV: 0.636
Sensitive Attribute: Gender
gender df['PPV'] =
[np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['gender']
== 'M'])[0], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['gender']
== 'F'])[0], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['gender'].i
sna()])[0], 3)]
gender df['NPV'] =
[np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['gender']
== 'M'])[1], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['gender']
== 'F'])[1], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['gender'].i
sna()])[1], 3)]
plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
ax = sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='PPV', data=gender df, palette =
'Blues', edgecolor = 'w')
width scale = 0.45
for bar in ax.containers[0]:
    bar.set width(bar.get width() * width scale)
ax.set ylim([0, 1])
ax2 = ax.twinx()
sns.barplot(x='Gender', y='NPV', data=gender_df, palette = 'Blues',
edgecolor = 'w', alpha=0.7, hatch='xx', ax=\overline{ax2})
for bar in ax2.containers[0]:
    x = bar.get x()
    w = bar.get width()
    bar.set_x(x + w * (1- width_scale))
    bar.set width(w * width scale)
ax2.set_ylim([0, 1])
plt.show()
```



```
gender df[['Gender', 'PPV', 'NPV']][:-1]
```

Gender PPV NPV 0 Male 0.747 0.700 1 Female 0.787 0.609

Sensitive Attribute: Country (Diploma)

country df['PPV'] =

[np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[demographics['country_d
iploma'] == 'France'])[0], 3),

np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[demographics['country_di ploma'] == 'Suisse'])[0], 3),

np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[demographics['country_di ploma'].isna()])[0], 3)] country df['NPV'] =

[np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[demographics['country_d
iploma'] == 'France'])[1], 3),

np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[demographics['country_di ploma'] == 'Suisse'])[1], 3),

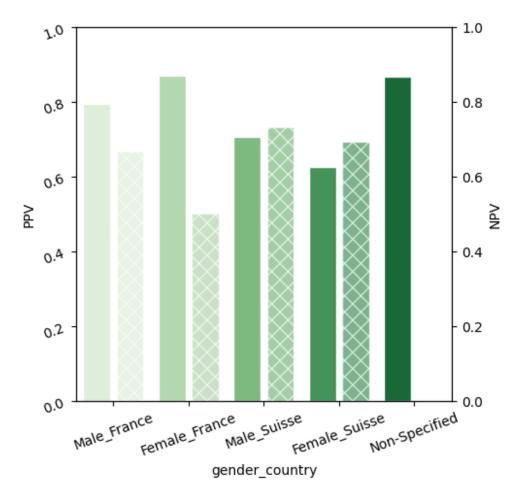
np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[demographics['country_di

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ploma'].isna()])[1], 3)]
plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
ax = sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='PPV', data=country df,
palette = 'pink', edgecolor = 'w')
width scale = 0.45
for bar in ax.containers[0]:
    bar.set_width(bar.get_width() * width_scale)
ax.set ylim([0, 1])
ax2 = ax.twinx()
sns.barplot(x='Country (Diploma)', y='NPV', data=country_df, palette =
'pink', edgecolor = 'w', alpha=0.7, hatch='xx', ax=ax2)
for bar in ax2.containers[0]:
    x = bar.get x()
    w = bar.get width()
    bar.set_x(x + w * (1- width_scale))
    bar.set width(w * width scale)
ax2.set ylim([0, 1])
plt.show()
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                                                       0.0
                                        Non-Specified
             France
                            Suisse
                       Country (Diploma)
```

country_df[['Country (Diploma)', 'PPV', 'NPV']][:-1]

```
PPV
                              NPV
  Country (Diploma)
0
             France 0.831 0.618
1
             Suisse 0.684 0.718
Sensitive Attribute: Combine
combined df['PPV'] = [
np.round(predictive_value_parity(demographics[(demographics['country_d
iploma'] == 'France') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')])[0], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
iploma'] == 'France') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[0], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
iploma'] == 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')])[0], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
iploma'] == 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[0], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['country di
ploma'].isna()])[0], 3),
combined df['NPV'] = [
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
iploma'] == 'France') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')])[1], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
iploma'] == 'France') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[1], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
iploma'] == 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'M')])[1], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[(demographics['country d
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iploma'] == 'Suisse') &
(demographics['gender'] == 'F')])[1], 3),
np.round(predictive value parity(demographics[demographics['country di
ploma'].isna()])[1], 3),
plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
ax = sns.barplot(x='gender_country', y='PPV', data=combined_df,
palette = 'Greens', edgecolor = 'w')
width scale = 0.45
for bar in ax.containers[0]:
    bar.set width(bar.get width() * width scale)
ax.set ylim([0, 1])
ax2 = ax.twinx()
sns.barplot(x='gender_country', y='NPV', data=combined_df, palette =
'Greens', edgecolor = 'w', alpha=0.7, hatch='xx', ax=ax2)
for bar in ax2.containers[0]:
    x = bar.get_x()
    w = bar.get width()
    bar.set_x(x + w * (1- width scale))
    bar.set width(w * width scale)
ax2.set_ylim([0, 1])
ax.tick params(labelrotation=20)
plt.show()
```



```
combined df[['gender country', 'PPV', 'NPV']][:-1]
                    PPV
                           NPV
  gender country
0
     Male France
                  0.794
                         0.667
   Female France 0.871
1
                         0.500
2
     Male Suisse 0.707
                         0.731
   Female_Suisse
                  0.625
                         0.692
```

Interpretations

Country Attribute

We can see that in the Accuracy, Equal Opportunity (TPR) and Disparate Impact (PPP) metrics, the France category is greater than the Suisse category. However, they have close enough TPR/FRP to have Equalized Odds.

Also, the PPP_Ratio is bigger than the cutoff, and we have Demographic Parity since the difference between France and Suisse are smaller than the cutoff.

However, in the France category, there is a significance difference between PPV and NPV values, which show us that there is no Predictive Rate Parity.

Combined Attributes

Now looking at the Combined Attributes, we can see a significant difference in accuracy between Female_France and Female_Suisse.

We also see this difference in TPR leading to an Equal Opportunity bigger than the cutoff. For equalized odds, the difference in FPR between Female_France and Female_Suisse is very small, but still apparent. We cannot say that they have Equalized odds.

Conversely, looking at Male_France and Female_France, the difference in TPR is small but not in FPR.

For Disparate Impact, we see a significant difference in PPP between Female_France and Female_Suisse, although the ratio is bigger than the cutoff.

The main difference with the Gender/Country individual analyses vs. the combined subgroup analysis is when we see result from the Demographic Parity. A majority of | Demographic Parity| values are bigger than the cutoff. This can be caused by the different sizes of each category, as seen at the beginning of the notebook.

Lastly, regarding Predictive Value Parity, we have a significant difference between PPV and NPV in both Male_France and Female_France category, meaning that they don't have an equal chance of success given a positive or negative prediction. This disparity didn't exist in the individual analysis, which is why it is very important to run combined attribute analyses for fairness.

Fairness Metrics (Overall)

gender_df

```
Gender
                          TPR
                                              PPP
                                                     PPV
                                                            NPV
                   ACC
                                 FNR
                                        FPR
0
           Male
                 0.728
                        0.789
                               0.211
                                     0.352
                                            0.600
                                                   0.747
                                                          0.700
1
         Female 0.729
                        0.804 0.196 0.417
                                            0.671
                                                   0.787
                                                          0.609
2
                                                   0.867
  Non-Specified 0.684
                                                          0.000
                        0.765 0.235 1.000
                                            0.789
```

country df

	Country (Diploma)	ACC	TPR	FNR	FPR	PPP	PPV	NPV
0	France	0.758	0.806	0.194	0.344	0.657	0.831	0.618
1	Suisse	0.698	0.780	0.220	0.391	0.594	0.684	0.718
2	Non-Specified	0.684	0.765	0.235	1.000	0.789	0.867	0.000

combined df

	gender_country	ACC	TPR	FNR	FPR	PPP	PPV	NPV
0	Male_France	0.741	0.771	0.229	0.304	0.586	0.794	0.667
1	Female_France	0.780	0.844	0.156	0.444	0.756	0.871	0.500
2	Male_Suisse	0.716	0.806	0.194	0.387	0.612	0.707	0.731
3	Female_Suisse	0.655	0.714	0.286	0.400	0.552	0.625	0.692
4	Non-Specified	0.684	0.765	0.235	1.000	0.789	0.867	0.000