

# Google Store App Rating Prediction

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1. Install the necessary libraries and read the provided dataset. (1 point)

```
In [50]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

2. EDA and Preprocessing (27 points)

a. Check the info and summary statistics of the dataset. List out the columns that need to be worked upon for model building. (2 points)

```
df['Rating'].isna().value_counts()
```

```
False    9367
True      1474
Name: Rating, dtype: int64
```

```
df['Rating']=df['Rating'].fillna(df['Rating'].mean().round(1))
```

```
df['Rating'].isna()
```

```
0      False
1      False
2      False
3      False
4      False
...
10836   False
10837   False
10838   False
10839   False
10840   False
Name: Rating, Length: 10841, dtype: bool
```

The 1st important step is to impute empty Rating rows.

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```
df.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 10841 entries, 0 to 10840
Data columns (total 13 columns):
#   Column                Non-Null Count  Dtype  
---  -
0   App                    10841 non-null  object 
1   Category               10841 non-null  object 
2   Rating                 10841 non-null  float64
3   Reviews                10841 non-null  object 
4   Size                   10841 non-null  object 
5   Installs               10841 non-null  object 
6   Type                   10840 non-null  object 
7   Price                  10841 non-null  object 
8   Content Rating         10840 non-null  object 
9   Genres                 10841 non-null  object 
10  Last Updated           10841 non-null  object 
11  Current Ver            10833 non-null  object 
12  Android Ver            10838 non-null  object 
dtypes: float64(1), object(12)
memory usage: 1.1+ MB
```

```
df.describe()
```

	Rating	Reviews	Size	Price	Category_1.9	Category_ART_AND_DESIGN	Category_AUTO_AND_VEHICLES	Category_BEAUTY	C:
count	9660.000000	9.659000e+03	9345.000000	9659.000000	9660.000000	9660.000000	9660.000000	9660.000000	
mean	4.178810	2.166512e+05	18.389984	1.097231	0.000104	0.006315	0.008799	0.005487	
std	0.516558	1.830738e+06	21.613483	16.851618	0.010174	0.079218	0.093395	0.073872	
min	1.000000	0.000000e+00	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	
25%	4.000000	2.500000e+01	3.300000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	
50%	4.200000	9.690000e+02	9.800000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	
75%	4.500000	2.940100e+04	26.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	
max	19.000000	7.812821e+07	100.000000	400.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	

8 rows × 188 columns

b. Check if there are any duplicate entries for the apps (1 point)

dropping duplicate rows

```
: df.drop_duplicates('App', keep = 'last', inplace = True)
```

```
: df.drop(df[df['Category']=='1.9'].index)
```

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C. Check if there are any wrong values in the 'Category' column and impute them with relevant values. (2 points)

```
col = X.columns
for i in col:
    X[i].fillna(X[i].median(), inplace = True)
```

Filling all nas with their corresponding column medians.

d. Which category has the highest number of apps? (2 points)

```
df["category"].value_counts().sort_values
```

```
<bound method Series.sort_values of FAMILY
GAME                1144
TOOLS                843
MEDICAL             463
BUSINESS            460
```

Game category has the highest number of apps.

e. Check the distribution of rating column and convert ratings into two categories and save it in the data frame as 'Rating\_cat' ( high =  $\geq 3.5$  and remaining as low) (2 points)

```
ash = []
for i in y:
    if(i<3.5):
        a = "low"
        ash.append(a)
    else:
        a = "High"
        ash.append(a)
```

Rating is converted into a binomial category column.

f. Convert the 'Review' column to a numerical column and impute invalid values if there are any

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2F) Reviews to numeric

```
: df['Reviews']=pd.to_numeric(df['Reviews'],errors='coerce')
```

```
: df
```

h. Make the values of 'Size' as integers by replacing M and K with correct values. Convert all the values to numeric and make invalid values to NaN. ( 3 points)

2H) removing M and k from df

```
df['Size']=df['Size'].apply(lambda x:x.replace('M','').replace('Varies with device','0'))
df['Size'] = pd.to_numeric(df['Size'], errors = 'coerce')
```

n. Encode categorical column (Type, Rating\_categories, Category) [ Hint - use get\_dummies] (2 points)

2n) Encoding Cat Columns

```
oneHotCols = ['Category','Installs','Type',"Content Rating",'Genres']
df=pd.get_dummies(df, columns = oneHotCols)
```

```
df["Category"].value_counts().sort_values
```

```
<bound method Series.sort_values of FAMILY                                1972
GAME                                1144
TOOLS                                843
MEDICAL                             463
BUSINESS                             460
PRODUCTIVITY                         424
PERSONALIZATION                      392
COMMUNICATION                        387
SPORTS                               384
LIFESTYLE                            382
```

m. Drop columns that you feel can not be used for model building. ExampleApp, Content Rating, Genre, Last updated, Current Ver, and Android Ver columns from the final data frame. (2 points)

2M) Dropping columns which is not important for model building

```
x=df.drop(labels=['Rating','App','Reviews',"Last Updated","Current Ver","Android Ver"],axis=1)
y=df['Rating']
```

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k. Remove the "\$" sign the "Price" column values and make it a numerical column. (2 points)

2K) removing \$ symbol from price

```
df['Price']=df['Price'].apply(lambda x:x.replace('$',''))
df['Price'] = pd.to_numeric(df['Price'], errors = 'coerce')
```

df.dtypes

App	object
Category	object
Rating	float64
Reviews	float64
Size	object
Installs	object
Type	object
Price	float64
Content Rating	object
Genres	object
Last Updated	object
Current Ver	object
Android Ver	object
dtype:	object

3. Prepare data for modeling. (2 points) a. Segregate dependent variable and independent features into two separate variables and split the data into train and test set [ Use 70:30 split ]

Prepare data for modeling

```
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, ash, test_size=.30, random_state=1)
```

4. Build a classifier model to predict the rating category (Rating\_cat - high or low) using the following algorithm and make predictions on the test data. Evaluate the model and report your results. (16 points - 4 points each) a. Decision Tree Classifier b. Random Forest model c. Gradient Boosting model d. Stacking model

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## DECISION TREE CLASSIFIER

```
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier

dTree = DecisionTreeClassifier(criterion = 'gini', random_state=1,max_depth = 3)
dTree.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

```
DecisionTreeClassifier(max_depth=3, random_state=1)
```

```
print(dTree.score(X_train, y_train))
print(dTree.score(X_test, y_test))
```

```
0.9219165927240461
```

```
0.9347826086956522
```

## RANDOM FOREST CLASSIFIER

```
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
rfc = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=50,random_state = 1,max_features = 10,max_depth=3)
rfc.fit(X_train,y_train)
rfc.score(X_test,y_test)
```

```
0.9361628709454797
```

## GRADIENT BOOSTING MODEL

```
from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier
gbc = GradientBoostingClassifier(n_estimators=50,random_state = 1,max_depth=2)
gbc.fit(X_train,y_train)
gbc.score(X_test,y_test)
```

```
0.9361628709454797
```

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5. Check the importance of different features by using `model.feature_importances_` function in Python ( 2 points)

```
pd.DataFrame(dTree.feature_importances_,columns=["Imp"],index=X_train.columns)
```

	Imp
Size	0.051183
Price	0.000000
Category_1.9	0.000000
Category_ART_AND_DESIGN	0.000000
Category_AUTO_AND_VEHICLES	0.000000
...	...
Genres_Trivia;Education	0.000000
Genres_Video Players & Editors	0.000000
Genres_Video Players & Editors;Music & Video	0.000000
Genres_Weather	0.000000
Genres_Word	0.000000

6. Comment on your results and findings from the above analysis. What can you infer about how to make a highly rated mobile App from this project? ( 2 points)

After undergoing these algorithms and processes, we concluded that our hypothesis is true. Meaning you can predict the app ratings, however significant preprocessing must be done before you start the classification and regression processes. The Play Store apps data has enormous potential to drive app-making businesses to success. Actionable insights can be drawn for developers to work on and capture the Android market! This shows that given the Size, Type, Price, Content Rating, and Genre of an app, we can predict about 91% accuracy if an app will have more than 100,000 installs and be a hit on the Google Play Store.