

# Predicting Stroke



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**According to the World Health Organization stroke is the 2nd leading cause of death globally, responsible for approximately 11% of total deaths**



# Risk Factors Considered:

- Age
- Hypertension
- Average Glucose Level
- BMI
- Stroke
- Gender
- Marital Status
- Employment Type
- Residence Type
- Heart Disease

# Previewing the Data

Using a DataBricks notebook, Python, and Spark SQL we were able to review and analyze the stroke prediction data to learn more about the patients included in the dataset and how the clinical features may factor into our predictions.

Spark SQL

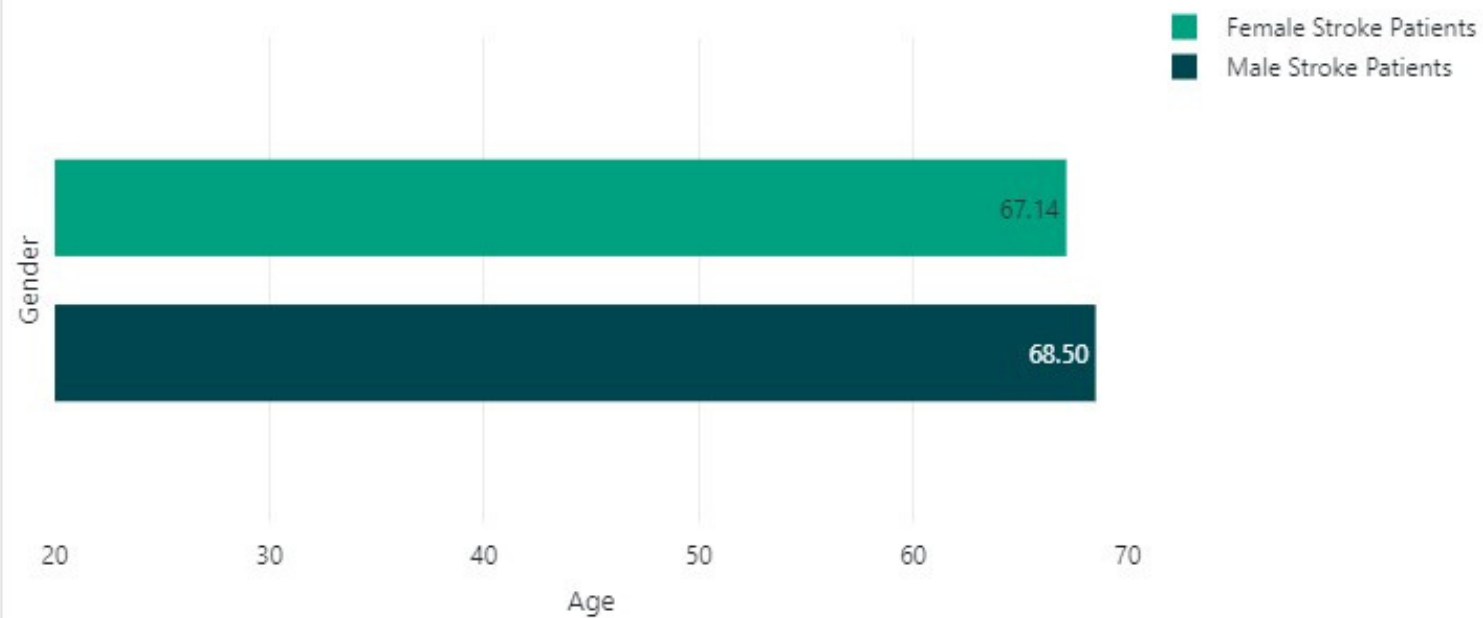
Python

DataBricks

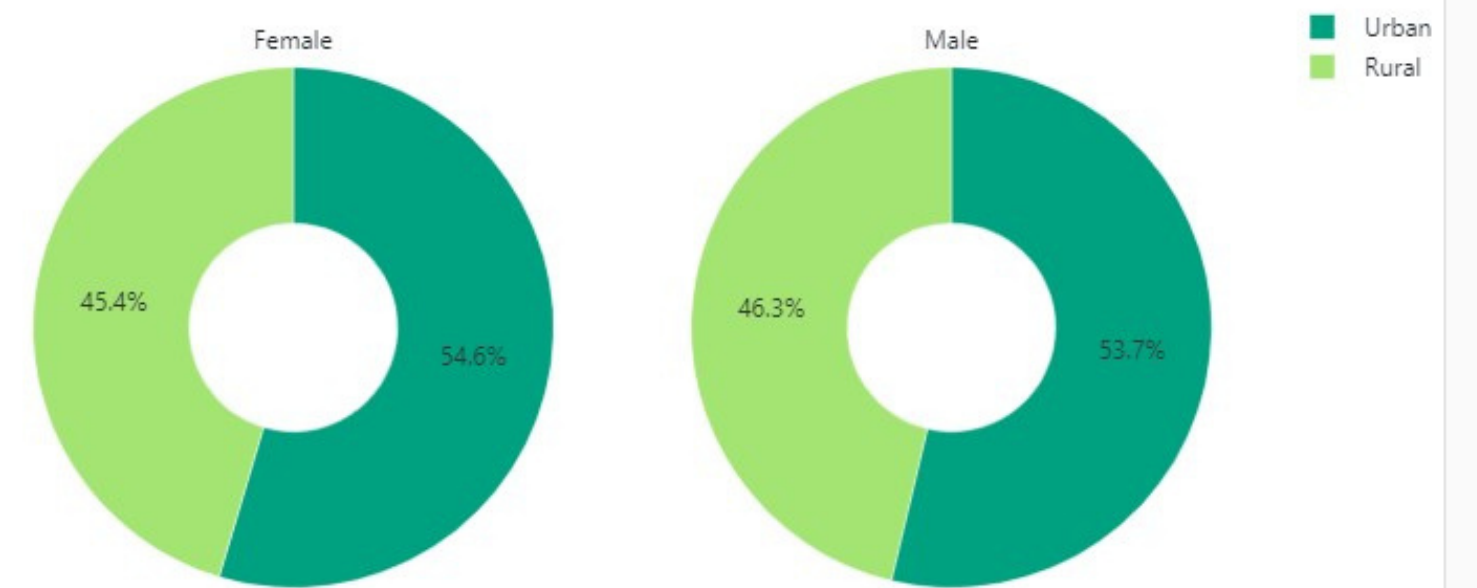


# Visualizing Stroke & Predictive Factors

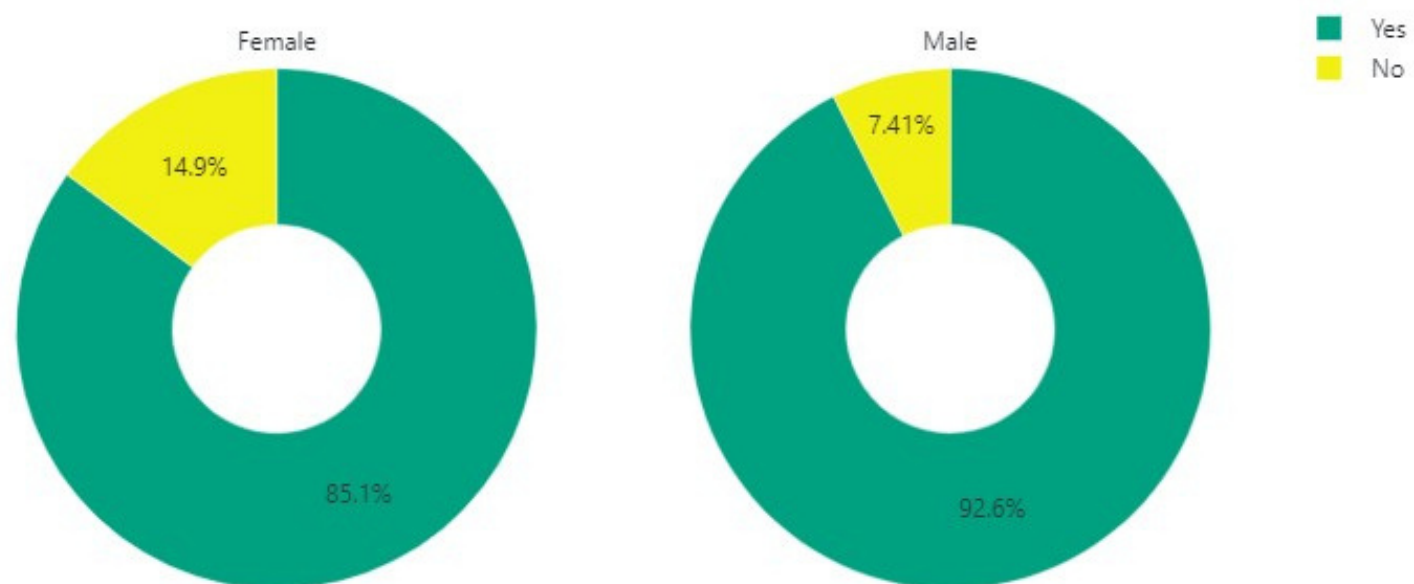
Age of Stroke Patients by Gender



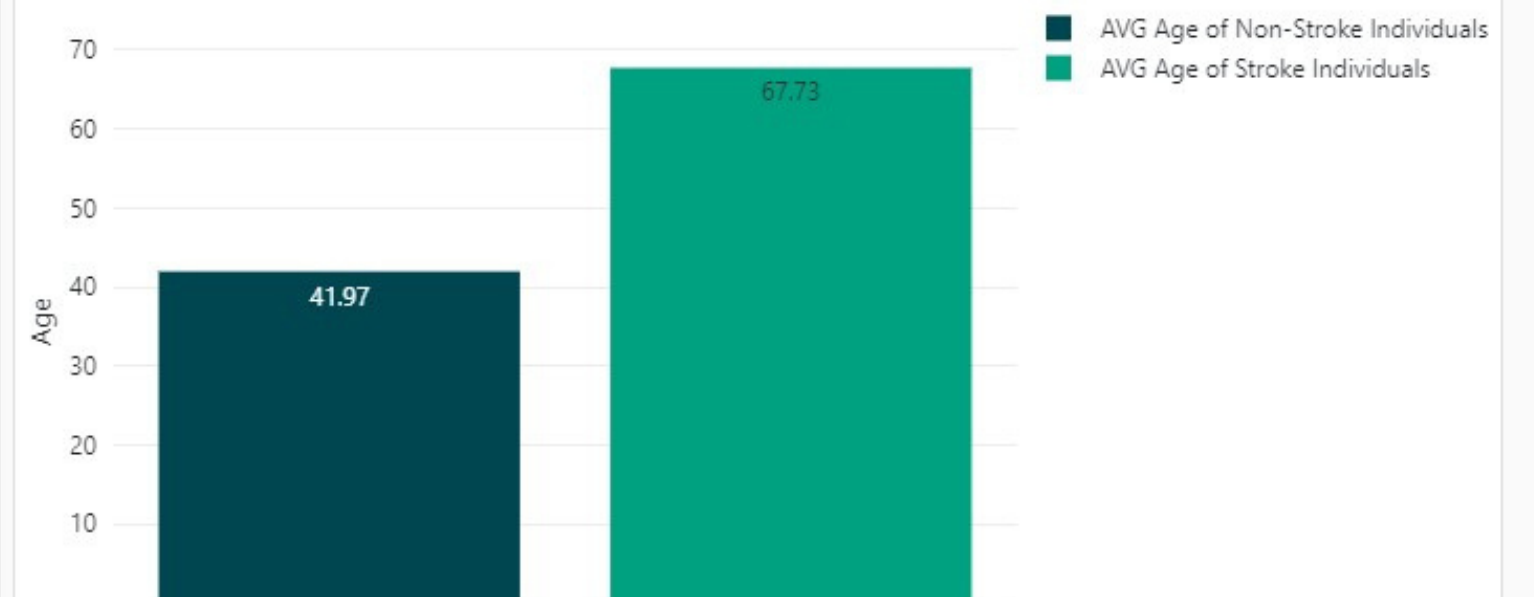
Residence of Stroke Patients by Sex



Have Stroke Patients Ever Been Married?



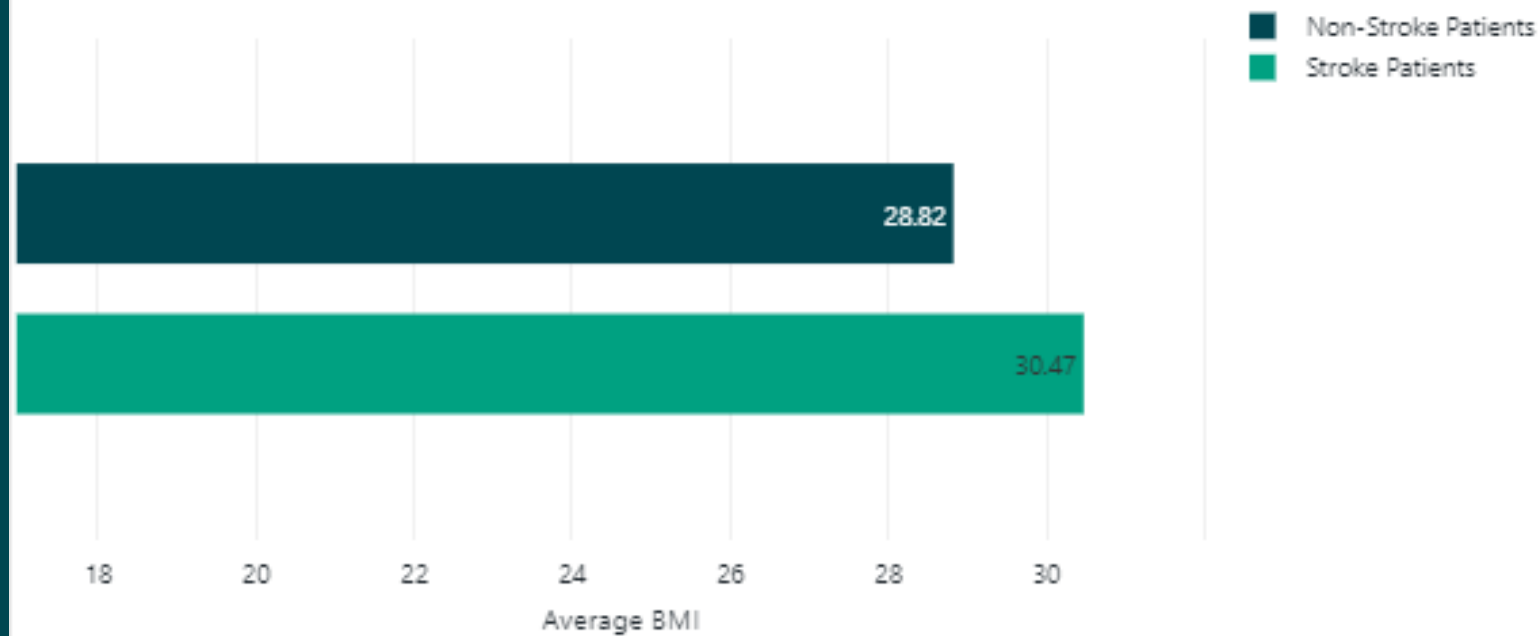
Average Age in Dataset



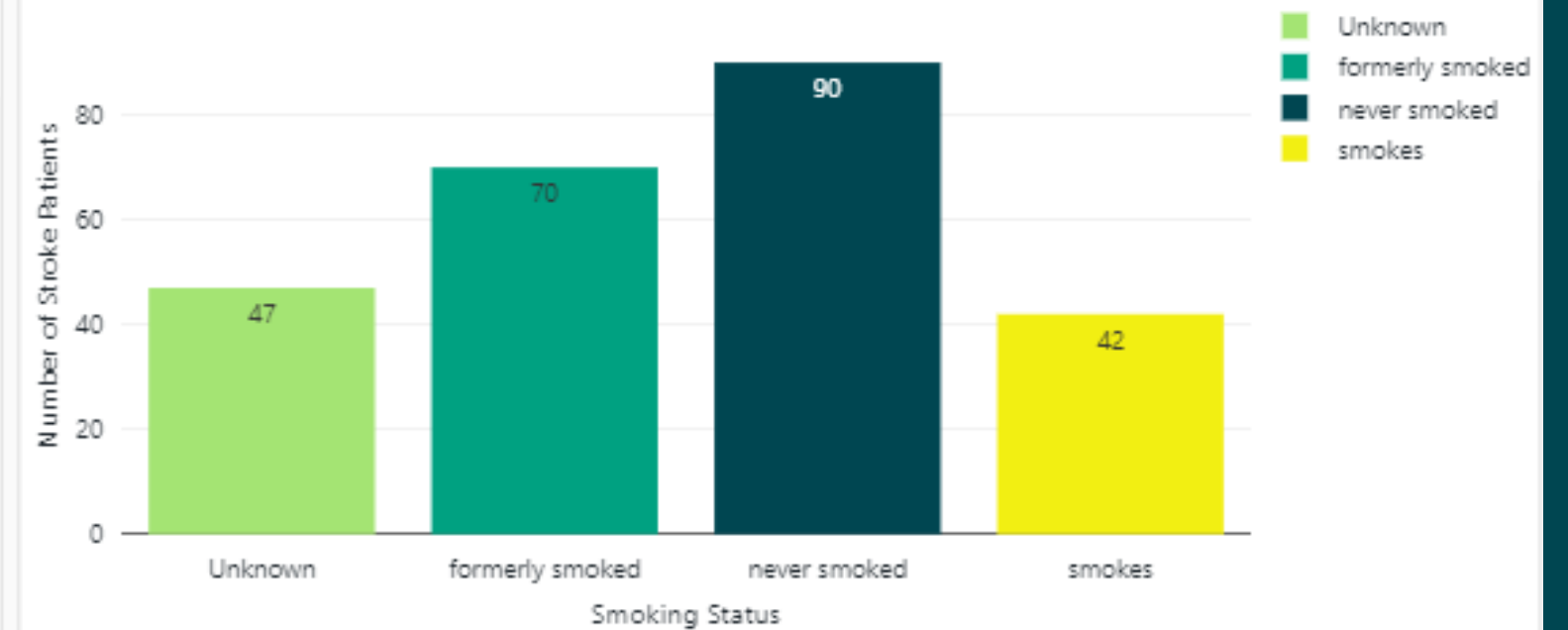


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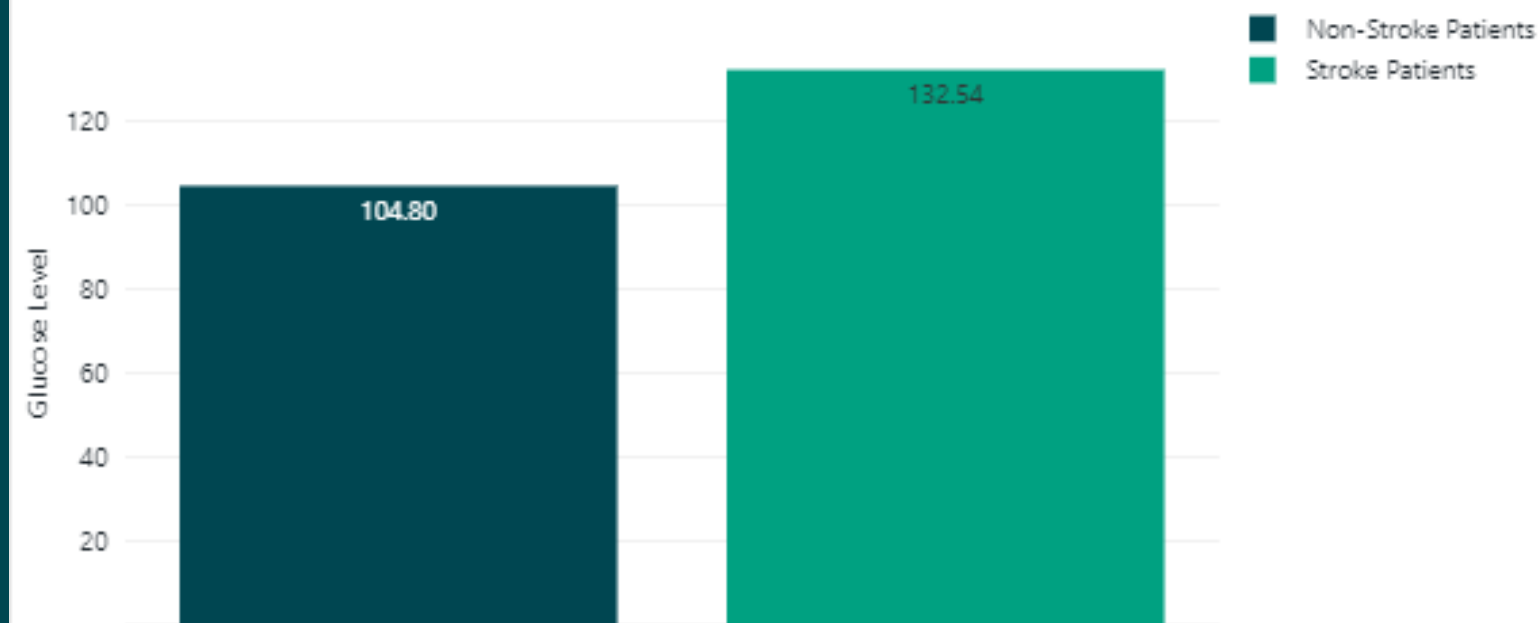
## Average BMI in Stroke vs Non-Stroke Patients



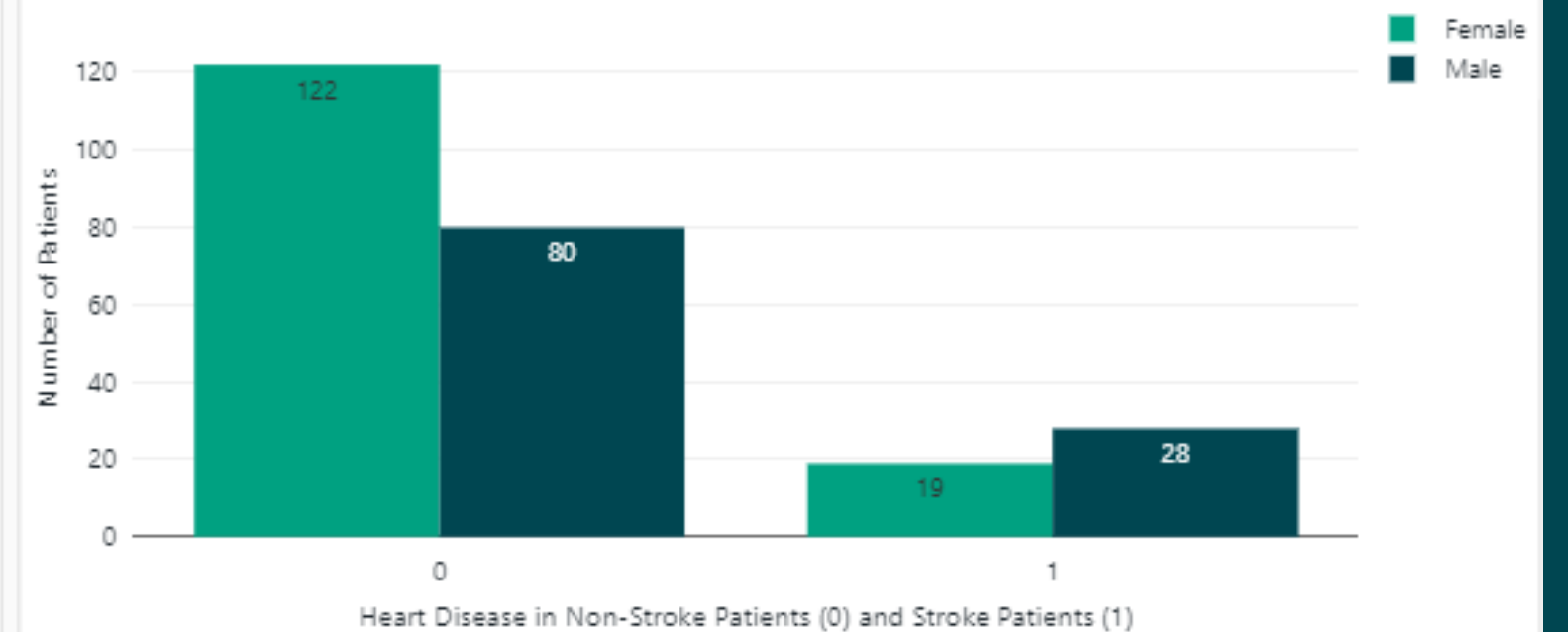
## Smoking Status of Stroke Patients



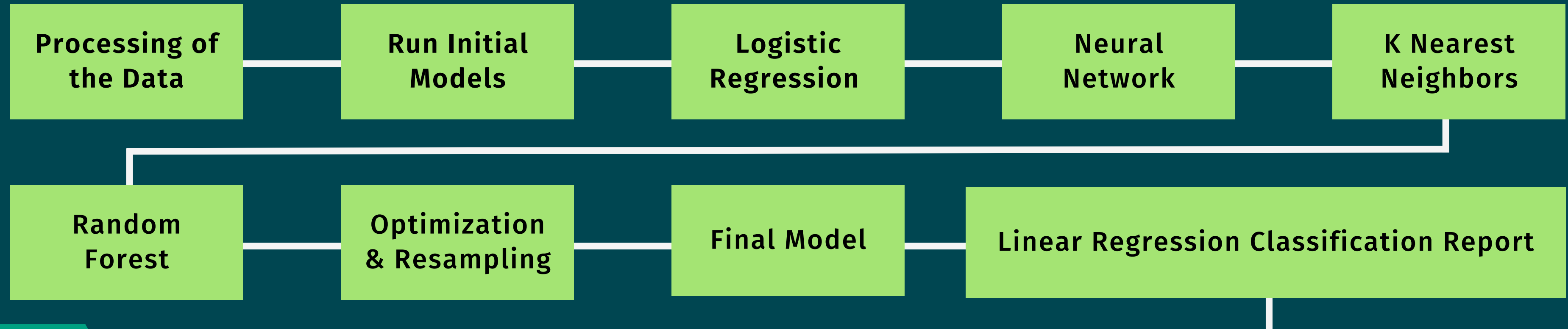
## Average Glucose Levels in Stroke and Non-Stroke Patients



## Heart Disease Comparisons



# Machine Learning Model



	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.99	0.73	0.84	1174
1	0.12	0.78	0.20	54
accuracy			0.73	1228
macro avg	0.55	0.75	0.52	1228
weighted avg	0.95	0.73	0.81	1228

# Summary of Findings

In summarizing our findings, we found that out of the 5,110 patients, only 249 had strokes, indicating a significant imbalance of non-stroke patients. We also noticed from our visualizations that there are many different factors that can contribute to the occurrence of strokes. This makes it difficult to predict when someone might have a stroke.





# Resource & Tools Page

Kaggle Dataset: <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/fedesorian/stroke-prediction-dataset>

Google Colab

TensorFlow

Python

Ski-Kit Learn

Spark SQL

Imbalanced-Learn

DataBricks

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