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## Task 1

## Introduction

The data set I have chosen for this assignment is the clinical record of heart failure. It has 13 attributes and 299 instances. The target feature is DEATH\_EVENT.

## Goal of the project

The **goal** of this project is to use data science process to predict the most important attributes to identify the death event of a person.

This data set was almost cleaned, it had no missing values, it had no spelling errors. Although there were only few errors (Eg: decimal point in age column), I used appropriate steps to confirm so I can retrieve and prepare the data

Steps I took to retrieve and prepare the data:

| Pd.read_csv('dataset') | Retrieve the data  |
|------------------------|--|
| df.isnull().sum()      | To find the number of null values, there were no null values.                  |
| Df.shape()             | To find the number of instance and features.                                   |
| age.round(decimals=0)  | To get rid of any decimal points in age column                                 |
| Df.info()              | To confirm if the data frame is fully clean and approved for data exploration. |

# Task 2

Task 2 focuses on data exploration.

| Df.astypes()          | To convert the default data types to appropriate data types.                    |
|-----------------------|---|
| Df.'feature'.unique() | To confirm there are only 2 values for all Boolean and binary data type column. |

# 2.1 The purpose of task 2.1, is to explore each column.

|       | age        | creatinine_phosphokinase | ejection_fraction | platelets     | serum_creatinine | serum_sodium | time       |
|-------|------------|--------------------------|-------------------|---------------|------------------|--------------|------------|
| count | 299.000000 | 299.000000               | 299.000000        | 299.000000    | 299.00000        | 299.000000   | 299.000000 |
| mean  | 60.829431  | 581.839465               | 38.083612         | 263358.029264 | 1.39388          | 136.625418   | 130.260870 |
| std   | 11.894997  | 970.287881               | 11.834841         | 97804.236869  | 1.03451          | 4.412477     | 77.614208  |
| min   | 40.000000  | 23.000000                | 14.000000         | 25100.000000  | 0.50000          | 113.000000   | 4.000000   |
| 25%   | 51.000000  | 116.500000               | 30.000000         | 212500.000000 | 0.90000          | 134.000000   | 73.000000  |
| 50%   | 60.000000  | 250.000000               | 38.000000         | 262000.000000 | 1.10000          | 137.000000   | 115.000000 |
| 75%   | 70.000000  | 582.000000               | 45.000000         | 303500.000000 | 1.40000          | 140.000000   | 203.000000 |
| max   | 95.000000  | 7861.000000              | 80.000000         | 850000.000000 | 9.40000          | 148.000000   | 285.000000 |

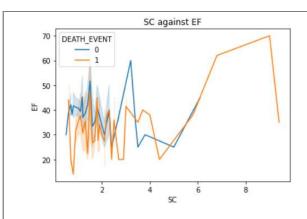
In the above table, which is created by db.describe(), 7 numerical variables are explored and all statistical information is displayed. Whereas for the categorical variable, the frequency of the data is shown below.

| Sex    | Frequency |
|--------|-----------|
| Male   | 194       |
| Female | 105       |

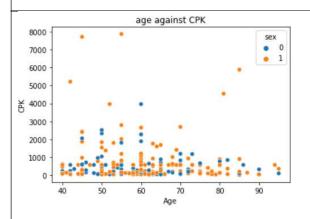
| smoking | Frequency |
|---------|-----------|
| True    | 203       |
| False   | 96        |

| High blood pressure | Frequency |
|---------------------|-----------|
| True                | 194       |
| False               | 105       |

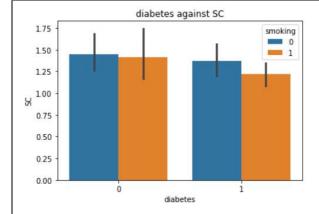
Task 2.2, is to display the relationship between the features graphically.



Hypothesis: if a person has low ejection fraction and low serum creatinine, they would die. They would also die if they have abnormally high EF and SC.



Hypothesis: Men have high CPK levels compared to women.



Hypothesis: People who smokes and also has diabetes has low serum creatinine.

#### 0 displays **not dead**

#### 1 displays dead

This graph shows the relationship between serum creatinine and ejection fraction.

This graph shows that people who are not dead had more ejection fraction and low serum creatine.

People who had low ejection fraction and high sodium creatinine died.

#### 0 displays female

## 1 displays Male

This graph displays the relationship between creatinine phosphokinase (CPK) and Age with 2 genders.

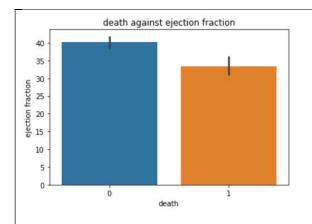
This graph shows that CPK levels are mostly same with any age for both genders.

This shows a lack of relationship since the plot is not too diverse.

## 0 displays non-smoking

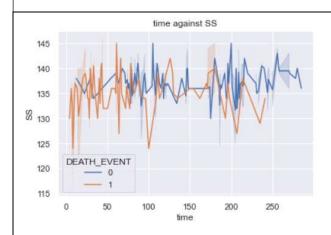
#### 1 displays **smoking**

This graph shows that people without diabetes who does not smokes have more serum creatinine compared to all others. The people with least serum creatinine has diabetes and they smoke.



This graph shows that people with less ejection fraction died where as people who stayed alive have more ejection fraction.

Hypothesis: people with high ejection fraction stays alive.



Hypothesis: People with low serum sodium will die after few follow up period(time).

0 displays **not dead** 

1 displays **dead** 

This graph shows that people with low serum sodium died in the follow up period where as people with high serum sodium stayed alive.

No people died after 245 days.

There is a lack of relationship between Death event and time.

Above tables have 5 plots with 10 attributes.

#### Task 3

The purpose of task 3 is to use sklearn and build two models of our chosen method. I chose classification, and the two models I designed are decision tree and K nearest neighbour algorithm.

#### **Decision Tree:**

I drew 3 decision trees with different depths. I split the dataset into training and sub test datasets. 80% fo training and 20% of test datasets.

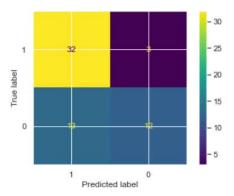
Model accuracy score with default parameters: 66.67%

Model accuracy score with entropy and max depth 6: 70.00%

Model accuracy score with entropy and max depth 3:73.33%

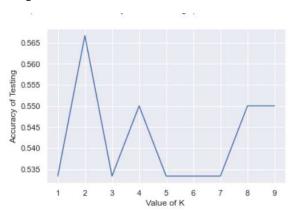
I chose these parameters because deeper tree, means more splits which will capture more Information and therefore will be more accurate.

I also drew a confusion matrix in the python notebook for parameter 3:



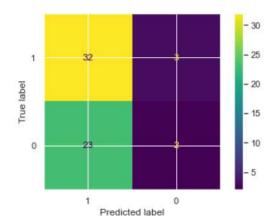
## K nearest neighbor:

I first check the best number of neighbors for this algorithm and plotted a graph of value of K against true value.



accuracy of model on the test dataset is: 56.67%

The confusion matrix for this model is:



#### Results

This shows that decision tree is a better classification model than K nearest neighbor model, since the accuracy of the KNN is 56.67% whereas the decision tree model gives an accuracy of 73.33%.

## Conclusion

In conclusion, the main features that predict the target variable is serum creatinine and ejection fraction. Although creatinine phosphokinase, age, sex, serum sodium, smoking factor, high blood pressure are also important to predict the heart failure.

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