ADVANCE DATA MINING MEDICAL APPOINTMENT NO SHOW

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Introduction

In this Project, I want to explore and analyze the medical appointment dataset from Kaggle using the basic and advanced machine learning algorithms that are suitable for classifying binary parameter of interest. The investigated algorithms are Naïve Bayes, Ensemble - begging, boosting, and stacking, and Support Vector Machine.

The goals are to find out why patients miss their doctor appointments and find the best algorithms with tuned parameters to be used for predicting target variable: show and no show, specifically no show, based on the given information. The investigated algorithms then will be evaluated based on the prediction/classification performance and other characteristics such as Time to build the model, Interpretability... and so on.

The report includes non-technical summary and technical summary. Non-technical part will briefly talked about the analysis being implemented and summarize the finding for non-technical audience; whereas, technical part will provide detail of the analysis on the medical appointment dataset. The analyses for the technical part are divided into 6 subsections: data description, data cleaning, data analysis, experimental results, experimental analysis, and conclusion.

Non-Technical Summary

The purpose of the project is find out why patients miss their doctor appointments and find the best algorithms with tuned parameters to be used for identifying no-show cases based on the given information.

The features (gender', 'age', 'wait period', 'SMS-received', 'diabetes', 'hypertension', 'alcoholism', 'Handicap', and 'scholarship') were selected for investigation after data has been thoroughly prepared and explored. For example, I removed the imbalance problem using an oversampling technique called smote.

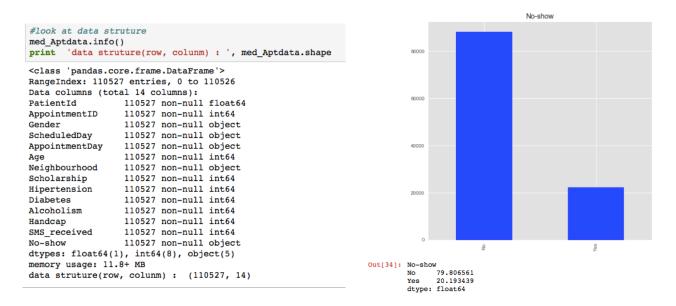
Then, several machine-learning algorithms were investigated. The technique called grid searching was used to optimize the parameter setting during the model searching process. The appropriate performance metric to be used is recall. Recall measures how many noshow cases our model can find. Linear support vector machine turned out to have best performance in term of recall for no-show case. The recall value for it is 77%. The second best is stacking (71%). As for general accuracy, gradient boosting (65%) and random forest (64%) out perform others. Other evaluation techniques, such as roc curve, pair t test, are also conducted during the model evaluation. The conclusion that, support vector machine is chosen as our solution for the study is made due to the significantly better recall value for no-show case. The downside of support vector machine is that it takes very long to generate a model and make prediction. Last but not least, the top three most important features for the classifying no-show and show based on gradient boosting tree are: age, wait period (within two days), and wait period (with in a month).

Technical summary

Data Description

The Medical appointment dataset (KaggleV2-May-2016.csv) used in this project is attained from website named Kaggle. The dataset contain 110527 observations and has 14 variables. The parameter of interest, 'No-show', is categorical (binary) and labeled (No-show: yes and show: no). The rest of the variables will be our potential predictors, containing both categorical and continuous factors.

The following images tell us the basic structure and information of raw (has not been processed) dataset and that our data is imbalanced. $\sim 80\%$ of observations are show and only $\sim 20\%$ are no-show.



When faced the imbalanced dataset, the limitations or challenges of machine learning techniques may raised. There is high probability that we will get unsatisfactory results toward minority class (no-show = yes).

Data Cleaning

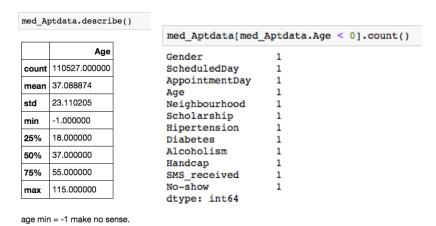
In this section, I will show how the dataset is prepared by providing python code and output from Jupiter notebook. The preprocess includes checking missing values, deleting irrelevant records and attributes, and creating new attributes.

Missing Value

```
#check missing values
print "attribute with missing values: \n"
print [col for col in med_Aptdata.columns if med_Aptdata[col].isnull().any()]
attribute with missing values:
[]
No missign value
```

After running the code, we can see that there aren't any missing values found in the dataset.

Irrelevant records



Looking at the five number summaries of data, attribute 'age' has invalid record (age = -1).

```
#only ONE record has age < 0 so remove it wont hurt
med_Aptdata= med_Aptdata[med_Aptdata['Age'] >= 0]
```

The solution is to remove it since there is only one irrelevant record.

Irrelevant attribute and relabeling

```
#drop useless columns
med_Aptdata.drop(['PatientId','AppointmentID'], axis=1, inplace = True)

#relable categorical datatype to str
med_Aptdata.Scholarship=med_Aptdata.Scholarship.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.Hipertension=med_Aptdata.Hipertension.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.Diabetes=med_Aptdata.Diabetes.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.Alcoholism=med_Aptdata.Alcoholism.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.Handcap=med_Aptdata.Handcap.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.SMS_received=med_Aptdata.SMS_received.astype(str)
```

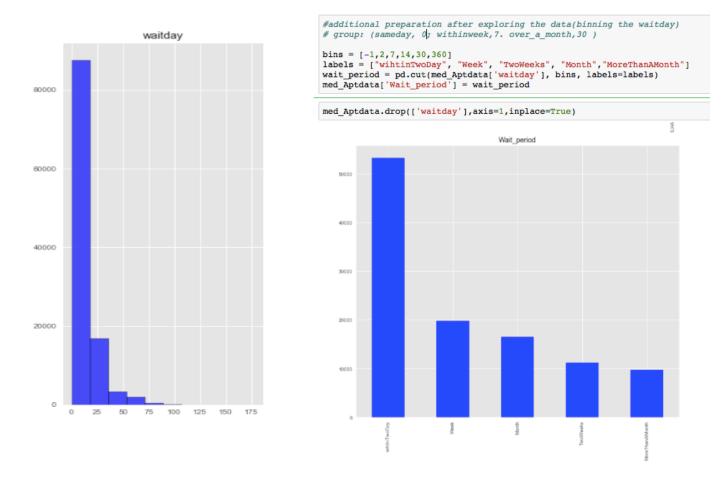
Next, I dropped the patient ID and appointment ID since it obviously won't be useful predictors for predicting show or no-show. Then, I re-labeled the attributes, 'scholarship', 'hypertension', 'diabetes', 'alcoholism', 'handicap', and 'SMS_received', as 'str' (categorical) since they were miss-labeled as continuous.

New feature

```
#new colum, waitday (day between ScheduledDay and AppointmentDay)
import numpy as np
# Converts the two variables to datetime variables
med_Aptdata['ScheduledDay'] = pd.to_datetime(med_Aptdata['ScheduledDay'])
med Aptdata['AppointmentDay'] = pd.to datetime(med Aptdata['AppointmentDay'])
# Create a variable called "waitday" by subtracting the date.
med_Aptdata['waitday'] = med_Aptdata["AppointmentDay"].sub(med_Aptdata["ScheduledDay"], axis=0)
# Convert the result "waitday" to number of days between appointment day and scheduled day.
med_Aptdata["waitday"] = (med_Aptdata["waitday"] / np.timedelta64(1, 'D')).abs().apply(np.floor)
med_Aptdata.drop(['ScheduledDay','AppointmentDay'],axis=1,inplace=True)
med_Aptdata.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 110526 entries, 0 to 110526
Data columns (total 11 columns):
               110526 non-null object
               110526 non-null int64
Neighbourhood 110526 non-null object
               110526 non-null object
Scholarship
               110526 non-null object
Hipertension
               110526 non-null object
Diabetes
Alcoholism
               110526 non-null object
               110526 non-null object
Handcap
SMS_received
               110526 non-null object
No-show
               110526 non-null object
waitday
               110526 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(1), int64(1), object(9)
memory usage: 10.1+ MB
```

Innitial data cleaning done. Now, we have two numerical attributes(Age and waitday), and 8 categorical attributes.

Based on the common sense, I thought the number of days between schedule and appointment date would be better and less complicated predictor than schedule date and appointment date. Therefore, I created new feature called 'waitday' and drop both schedule and appointment date.



Then, I created a histogram for "waitday" to observe the distribution. From the histogram above (the one on the left), we can see that the data "waitday" is right skewed. This means that we have some extreme high values (long tail on the right). To reduce the skewedness, I decided to bin the "waitday" to 5 groups: within two-days, a week, two weeks, a month, and more than a month. (Refer to the code and histogram on the right above). This helps to make the data less sparse and easier to understand.

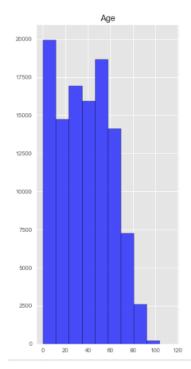
Data Analysis

After the initial clean up on raw data, we ended up with 10 predictors: 9 categorical and 1 numerical ('age'). For data analysis (uni-variate and muti-variate), we will look at the each attribute deeper and conduct feature selection based on the results.

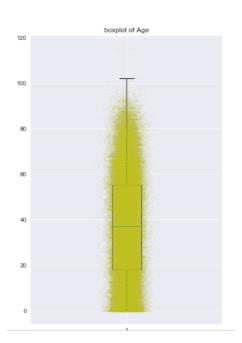
Also, I will divide the dataset with selected featured to training and testing set based on 80-20 ratios. Then, use an oversample technique (smote) to remove imbalance before searching the model.

<u>Univariate</u>

Numerical attribute (Age):

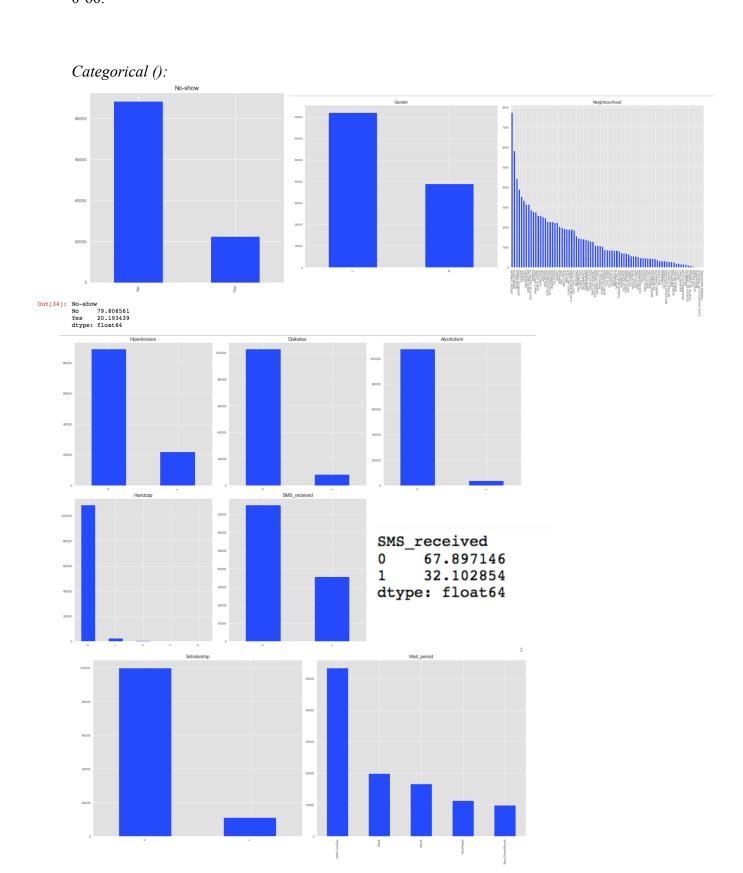


	Age
count	110526.000000
mean	37.089219
std	23.110026
min	0.000000
25%	18.000000
50%	37.000000
75%	55.000000
max	115.000000



From the boxplots, histograms, and 5 number summaries above for age, we can see that median and mean in age is ~37. We have few observations above 100. Max (oldest), 115

years old and Min, Youngest is 0. Overall, we have roughly equally observation between 0-60.

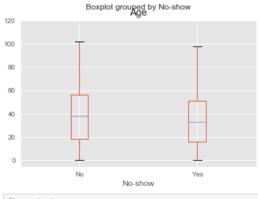


From the bar charts above for every categorical variable, there are few things being observed. First, target attribute, "noshow", imbalanced - 80% of observation does not miss appointment, and only 20% miss the appointment. Also, we have more case in female than male. Moreover, most people schedule their appointment within 2 days and most people do not receive scholarship (special offer). Last but not the least, majority of people doesn't have any labeled conditions (such as Diabetes, alcoholism, handicap...etc.) and ~67% of people signed up for sms reminder and ~32% are not.

Multivariate

For this section, I would like to investigate the relationship between target "noshow" and independent attributes so I created multiple plots by group including boxplot, bar chart, and cross table. Then, for further analysis, I also conduct ANOVA test for age by group (no-show and show) and chi-square test of independency for attribute 'no show' with every categorical predictors. The result of these test allow me to verify if there are significant statistic evidence of correlation between 'no-show' and each predictors. The graphs, crossable and test results are presented below:

Boxplot and ANOVA test:

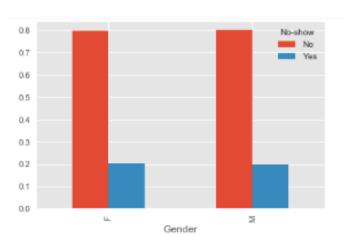


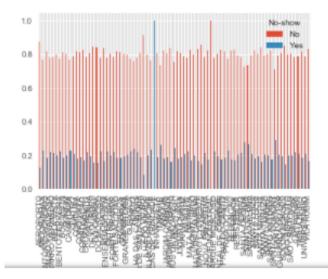
#Anova test
import scipy.stats as stats
stats.f_oneway(med_Aptdata.loc[med_Aptdata['No-show'] == 'Yes','Age'],med_Aptdata.loc[med_Aptdata['No-show'] == 'Yes','Age'],med_Aptdata['No-show'] == 'Yes','Age'],med_Aptdata['No-show']

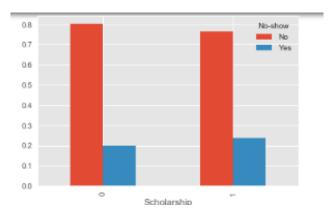
From the boxplot and Anova test above, we can conclude that mean of ages for two groups (no-show vs show) are different: overall, people who miss the appointment are younger.

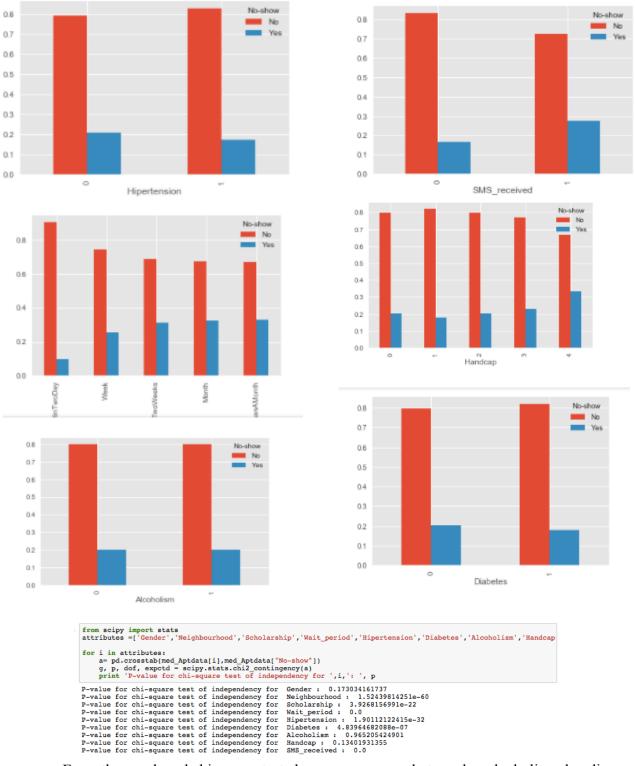
barchart by group ,crosstable, and chi square test:

```
percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) :
                                                                       Gender
        No-show
                        No
        Gender
                 0.796851 0.203149
                 0.800321 0.199679
         percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) : Scholarship
         Scholarship
                      0.801926 0.198074
0.762637 0.237363
         percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) :
                                                                  Wait_period
         No-show
                                         Yes
         Wait_period
                          0.903176 0.096824
         wihtinTwoDay
         Week
                    0.743789
0.687746
                                   0.256211
0.312254
         TwoWeeks
         Month
                         0.674788
                                   0.325212
         MoreThanAMonth 0.669792 0.330208
    percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) :
                                                                      Hipertension
    No-show
                          No
    Hipertension
                   0.790961 0.209039
                   0.826980 0.173020
    percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) :
                                                                      Diabetes
    No-show
                    No
                                Yes
    Diabetes
               0.796370 0.203630
               0.819967 0.180033
        percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) :
        No-show
                         No
                                   Yes
        Alcoholism
                    0.798052 0.201948
0.798512 0.201488
        percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) : No-show No Yes
                                                                  Handcap
        Handcap
                 0.797645 0.202355
                0.820764 0.179236
0.797814 0.202186
0.769231 0.230769
0.666667 0.333333
        2
percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes) : SMS_received
                    No
No-show
SMS received
               0.832965 0.167035
               0.724255 0.275745
```



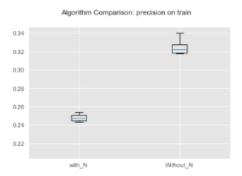






From the graph and chi square test above, we can see that gender, alcoholism, handicap does not affect show or no-show, and attributes such as sms_received, scholarship, wait_period, hypertension...and so on (p<<0.05) are correlated with target "no show".

Dropping 'Neighborhood':



Ttest_relResult(statistic=-6.5879650852065614, pvalue=0.00010066076970928679)

Attribute neighborhood have too many level and based on the cross table created above, we can see that not every level have significant effect on target. Therefore, I test the prediction power by fitting naïve bayes model with and without neighborhood. Then validate the model use 10 fold cross validation. We can see from the boxplot, and paired t-test above that the model without a neighborhood returns better results. This makes me decide to drop the attribute neighborhood.

```
#dropping 'Neighbourhood'
med_Aptdata.drop(['Neighbourhood'], axis=1, inplace = True)
med_Aptdata.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 110526 entries, 0 to 110526
Data columns (total 10 columns):
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Alcoholism
Handcap
                  110526 non-null object
SMS_received
                  110526 non-null object
No-show
                  110526 non-null object
waitday
                  110526 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(1), int64(1), object(8)
memory usage: 14.3+ MB
```

After I have done exploring the data by looking at multiple graph, table (cross table percentagewise), and t test, the selected features for later model searching are shown on the graph above.

Solution For Imbalanced Data And Data Splitting

After the feature are selected, I split the data into training and testing set using 80-20 ratios, then, I used a technique called Smote to remove imbalanced issue. Smote synthetically generated data points that are not too different from the minority class data points I actually have so unlike other oversampling technique, we actually create new observations. The advantage of it is that we can balance the dataset without losing information and having too many redundant observations. However, we need to keep in mind that, just like all the oversampling technique, over fitting will be an issue. The code and result are presented below:

```
# Separate the target attribute ("No-show")
# x : predictors, y : target
x2 = trial2.drop("No-show", axis=1, inplace = False)
y2 = trial2["No-show"]

#Convert the selected dataset into the Standard Spreadsheet format
# get dummies" function to create dummy variables and converting to standard spreadsheet format
x_mat2 = pd.get_dummies(x2)
y2=pd.get_dummies(y2)
#no show up [1: noshow, 0: show]
y2=y2['Yes']

#80-20 split
from sklearn.cross_validation import train_test_split
x_train2, x_test2, y_train2, y_test2 = train_test_split(x_mat2, y2, test_size=0.2, random_state=33)
```

Using Smote to deal with inbalance data

```
[25]: # pip install -u imbalanced-learn
#smote
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE

[26]: smote=SMOTE(kind = "regular",random_state=0, ratio = 1.0)
smote_predictors,smote_target=smote.fit_sample(x_train2,y_train2)
print y_train2.value_counts()
print ''
print (np.bincount(smote_target))

/Users/jasonwu/anaconda/lib/python2.7/site-packages/sklearn/utils/deprecation.py:75: DeprecationWarning: Function _r
atio_float is deprecated; Use a float for 'ratio' is deprecated from version 0.2. The support will be removed in 0.4
. Use a dict, str, or a callable instead.
    warnings.warn(msg, category=DeprecationWarning)

0    70629
1    17791
Name: Yes, dtype: int64
[70629 70629]

Now, for our training set, we have equal number of observation for both noshow and show

n [*]: #141258 observation on training and 23 dimensions
```

```
##balacne trainign set
# Training set: [smote_predictors, smote_target]

## Unseen testing set : [x_test2, y_test2]

### target y [1: noshow, 0: show]
```

Experimental Results

After 80-20 ratio data splitting and solving the imbalanced issues using an oversampling technique, smote, I ended up with equally number (70629) of observations for both show and no show in training set. The training set (smote_predictors, smote_target) will then be used to build classification models with different algorithms (naïve bayes, boosting, begging, stacking, and support vector machine). Also, 10 fold cross validation and grid search were performed to help to tune and find optimal parameters. I also conduct paired t_test on result of 10 fold cross validation to compare model performance based on the chosen performance metric. The unseen testing set then were used to fit the model to generate the performance metrics and ROC curve for evaluation purpose. The reports, including accuracies with 95 confidence interval returned by repeated 10 fold cross validation on training set, results of paired t_test for comparing performance between models, and prediction evaluation (performance metric and ROC curve) on the testing set are presented below.

Naïve bayes

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```
# Optimized BNB
     BNB= BernoulliNB(class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
    # fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy_
BNB_scores = model_selection.cross_val_score(BNB, smote_predictors, smote_target, cv=10, scoring='accuracy')
print("bernoulli NB Train accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (BNB_scores.mean()*100, BNB_scores.std()*100))
      import numpy
    lmport numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(BNB_scores, p))
p = (alpha+((1.0-alpha)/2.0)) * 100
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(BNB_scores, p))
print('%.lf confidence interval %.lf%% and %.lf%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
    bernoulli NB Train accuracy: 66.15 (+/- 0.76) 95.0 confidence interval 65.0% and 67.0%
: #nb model predcition on test set
#alpha=1.0, binarize=2.0, class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
# Make predictions on test dataset
BNB= BernoulliNB(alpha=0, binarize=0, class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
BNB.fit(smote_predictors, smote_target)
BNBbg = BNB.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: Naive Bayes')
print ''b'
     print '\n'
print '\n'
print 'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, BNBpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
     print confusion_matrix(y_test2, BNBpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report :
print(classification_report(y_test2, BNBpd))
     Prediction report: Naive Bayes
     accuracy: 0.582
     confusion matrix:
    [[9393 8185]
[1060 3468]]
     classification report :
                                                          recall fl-score support
                               precision
     avg / total 0.78 0.58 0.62 22106
```

Best-tuned Naive Bayes:

BNB= BernoulliNB (alpha=0, binarize=0, class prior=None, fit prior=True)

Prediction on unseen set:

Recall for no-show- 77%,

Precision for no-show- 30%

Average recall- 58%

Begging (random forest)

```
# Optimized RF classifier to maxize precision

rfcb = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 1)

# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy

rfcb_scores = model_selection.cross_val_score(rfc, smote_predictors, smote_target, cv=10)

print("Accuracy of Random forest_on_balanced Training_set : %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (rfcb_scores.mean()*100, rfcb_scored target, cv=10)

# confidence intervals

import numpy

alpha = 0.95

p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100

lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(rfcb_scores, p))

p = (alpha+((1.0-alpha)/2.0)) * 100

lower = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(rfcb_scores, p))

print('%.lf confidence interval %.lf%% and %.lf%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))

Accuracy of Random forest on balanced Training set : 78.05 (+/- 8.08)

95.0 confidence interval 63.0% and 83.6%
```

```
# Make predictions on test dataset (RF) with optimal model trained with balanced data
 print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, RFpdb)
  print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix:
 print confusion matrix(
print confusion matrix(y_test2, RFpdb)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification_report(y_test2, RFpdb))
 Prediction report: Random Forest
  accuracy: 0.648
 confusion matrix:
[[11310 6268]
[ 1517 3011]]
 classification report : precision
                               recall f1-score support
                                         0.68
  avg / total
                     0.77
                               0.65
                                                       22106
 best tuned random forest model (bagging technique):
  rfcb =RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 1)
  Prediction on unseen set:
 Recall for no show :66%, precision for no show : 32%
```

Best-tuned Random forest (begging technique):

```
rfcb =RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 1)
```

Prediction on unseen set:

Recall for no show - 66%

Precision for no show - 32%

Average recall - 65%

Boosting (gradient boosting tree)

```
# Optimized GB classifier
gbc = GradientBoostingClassifier(n_estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 1)

# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy_
gbc_scores = model_selection.cross_val_score(gbc, smote_predictors, smote_target, cv=10)
print("Accuracy of Gradiant boosting dT on balanced Trainning set: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (gbc_scores.mean()*100, gbc_scores.mean()*100, gbc_
```

Accuracy of Gradiant boosting dT on balanced Trainning set: $68.94\ (+/-\ 1.87)$ 95.0 confidence interval 65.5% and 70.7%

Best tuned gradient boosting tree (boosting technique):

```
__gbc =GradientBoostingClassifier(n_estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 1)__
```

Prediction on unseen set:

Recall for no show - 63%

Precision for no show - 33%

Average recall - 66%

Support vector machine (linear and with kernel trick)

It took way too long to run SVM, even if it is linear for this dataset (141258 observation on training and 23 dimensions after smote). Unable to get any result at first, I reduced the sample size to n = 1412 and ran it again. The result are shown below:

Linear:

```
In [38]: # Linear SVM classifier
    ####linear
    from sklearn.svm import SVC
    linear = SVC(kernel='linear',C=1)

# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy
    linear_scores = model_selection.cross_val_score(linear, smote_predictors, smote_target, cv=10, scoring='accuracy')
    print("linear SVM accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (linear_scores.mean()*100, linear_scores.std()*100))

# confidence intervals
    import numpy
    alpha = 0.95
    p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
    lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(linear_scores, p))
    p = (alpha+((1.0-alpha)/2.0)) * 100
    upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(linear_scores, p))
    print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))

linear SVM accuracy: 66.67 (+/- 4.51)
95.0 confidence interval 60.8% and 75.4%
```

```
In [39]: #prediction linear svm
          #LINEAR SVM
          # Make predictions on test dataset
          linear = SVC(kernel='linear',C=1)
linear.fit(smote_predictors, smote_target)
          linearpd = linear.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: linear SVM')
print '\n'
          print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, linearpd)
          print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
          print confusion_matrix(y_test2, linearpd)
          print '\n'
          print 'classification report : '
          print(classification_report(y_test2, linearpd))
          Prediction report: linear SVM
          accuracy: 0.591
          confusion matrix:
          [[9578 8000]
           [1045 3483]]
          classification report :
                                      recall f1-score support
                         precision
                               0.90
                                          0.54
                                                     0.68
                                                               17578
                                                   0.44
                                         0.77
                              0.30
                                                                4528
          avg / total
                              0.78
                                          0.59
                                                    0.63
                                                               22106
```

SVM With kernal tricks and tuning paremater

With kernel:

In [51]: # kernel support vector machine

Even with the reduced size, I was unable to get any results due to endless runtime when building the model.

```
# penalize(weighted)
        kernelsvm=SVC(class_weight='balanced',probability=True)
         # Use a grid over parameters of interest
        CV_kernelsvm = GridSearchCV(estimator=kernelsvm, param_grid=param_grid, cv= 10)
         CV_kernelsvm.fit(smote_predictors, smote_target)
        print CV kernelsvm.best params
In [ ]: # Optimized kernal SVM classifier
        poly_SVM = SVC(kernel = 'poly', C = 0.1, gamma = 0.1, class_weight='balanced', probability=True)
        # fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy
        poly_SVM_scores = model_selection.cross_val_score(poly_SVM, smote_predictors, smote_target, cv=10, scoring='accuracy')
        print("poly_SVM Train accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (poly_SVM_scores.mean()*100, poly_SVM_scores.std()*100))
         # confidence intervals
        import numpy
        alpha = 0.95
        p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
        lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(poly_SVM_scores, p))
        p = (alpha+((1.0-alpha)/2.0)) * 100
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(poly_SVM_scores, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f% and %.1f%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
In [ ]: #prediction, kernal svm
         # Make predictions on test dataset
        poly_SVM = SVC(kernel = 'poly', C = 100, gamma = 0.1)
poly_SVM.fit(smote_predictors, smote_target)
        poly_SVMpd = poly_SVM.predict(x_test2)
        print('Prediction report: polynominal kernel SVM')
        print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, poly_SVMpd)
        print 'confusion matrix: '
        print confusion_matrix(y_test2, poly_SVMpd)
        print 'classification report : '
         print(classification_report(y_test2, poly_SVMpd))
```

Best tuned kernel SVM (linear):

Linear = SVC(kernel='linear',C=1)

Prediction on unseen set:

Recall for no show: 77%

Overall recall: 59%

Stacking (combination of all the algorithms- SVM, naïve Bayes, boosting, and begging)

```
In [37]: #import majority_vote_classifier as mvc

from sklearn.ensemble import VotingClassifier

estimators = []
    model1 = BernoulliNB(alpha=0, binarize=0, class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
    estimators.append(('bernouli NB', model1))
    model2 = RandomForestclassifier(n estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 10)
    estimators.append(('Random forest', model2))
    model3 = GradientBoostingClassifier(n estimators=36, max_depth=10, max_features='sqrt', min_samples_leaf = 1)
    estimators.append(('gradient boosting', model3))
    model4 = SVC(kernel='linear',c=1)
    estimators.append(('linear svm', model4))

# create the ensemble model
    stacking = VotingClassifier(estimators)
    results = model_selection.cross_val_score(stacking, smote_predictors, smote_target, cv=10)
    print("stacking model Train accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (results.mean()*100, results.std()*100))

# confidence intervals
    import numpy
    alpha = 0.55
    p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
    lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(results , p))
    p = (alpha*((1.0-alpha)/2.0)) * 100
    upper = min[1.0, numpy.percentile(results , p))
    print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f% and %.1f%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))

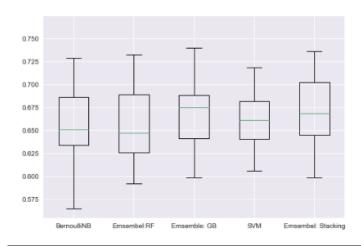
stacking model Train accuracy: 66.96 (+/- 4.05)
    95.0 confidence interval 60.5% and 73.6%
```

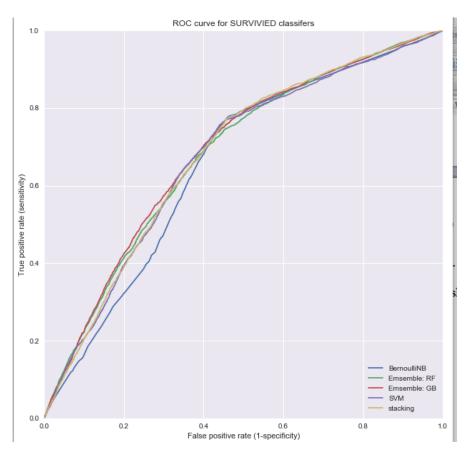
```
#prediction
stacking.fit(smote_predictors, smote_target)
stdd = stacking.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: Stacking')
       '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, stpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion_matrix(y_test2, stpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification_report(y_test2, stpd))
Prediction report: Stacking
accuracy: 0.619
confusion matrix:
[[10472 7106]
[ 1311 3217]]
classification report :
                            recall f1-score support
                    0.89
                               0.60
                                          0.71
                                                    17578
                              0.71
                                         0.43
                  0.77
                           0.62
avg / total
                                          0.66
                                                    22106
```

Model Comparison And Evaluation (Pair t_test, Roc, and Performance Metric)

10 fold Cross validation report for each model: average Acuuracy and Standardiviation



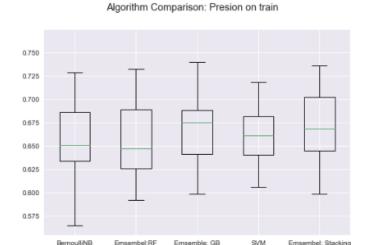




Experimental Analysis

The goal of this project is to explore different classification technique and find a model that can accurately predict no-show case based on the features in the medical dataset. After the dataset has been prepared (cleaned missing value, created new feature, and took care of imbalanced issue using smote), and explored (distribution, center, spread, and correlation with graph, percentage wise cross table, and statistic test), the selected features that are suitable for predicting target ('no show') were 'gender', 'age', 'wait period', 'sms received', 'diabetes', ' hypertension', 'alcoholism', 'Handicap', and 'scholarship'. Then, Multiple machine learning algorithms including individual (naïve bayes), SVM, and ensemble (random forest, gradient boosting tree, stacking) learning technique were implemented into training set to build classifiers. Also, grid search was used to find the best parameter (such as split, tree depth) to optimize selected performance metric. Based on the pair t test and result (average accuracy with 95 confidence level) of 10 fold cross validation, stacking, gradient boosting and random forest classifiers have slightly better result than others (refer to the experimental result above); However, Time to build the model are significantly slower which beg the question: is a more complicated model really better?

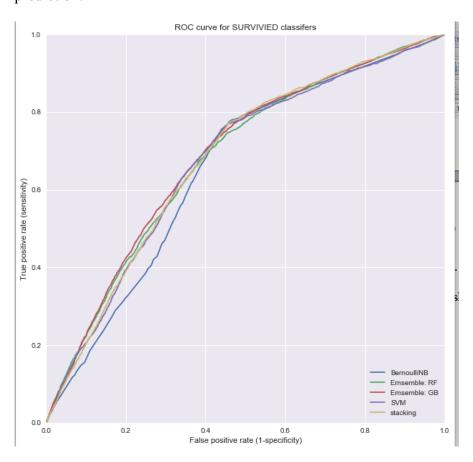
10 fold Cross validation report for each model: average Acuuracy and Standardiviation



In our case, after the imbalanced issue is removed. The accuracies on the test set for each algorithm with tuned parameters are: 58% for naïve Bayes, 66% for random forest, 67% for gradient boosting tree, 59% for linear SVM, and 61% for stacking. We can see that all ensembles outperform the rest (individual and svm) for this specific unseen test set in term of accuracy. However, our goal is to identify the no show case and we don't care about people who show up that much. Therefore, the recall will be more appropriate for the inference. The reason is that recall (TP/(TP+FN)) measures how much no-show cases we have found based on the model which fit our goal "identify the no show case". Prediction on test set, recalls of no-show for each model are: 69% (naïve bayes), 65% (random forest), 64% (gradient boosting), and 77% (liner support vector machine). We can see that linear support vector machine have the highest recall: 77%. Support vector machine with kernel trick may return even better result but I was not able to get any result because of endless runtime to build the model. As for comparing

stacking with linear support vector machine, support vector machine has better recall on no-show than stacking (77% vs 71%).

Overall, support vector machine give us the best recall for no show. As for general accuracy, gradient boosting and random forest out preform others. To evaluate the result deeper, we take a look at the roc curve. Based on roc curve, Area under curve for all models are close to each other. Therefore, the final chosen model would depend on the purpose of the study. In our case, since our goal is to find the no show case, I would chose the model with best recalls value for no show which is support vector machine. However, there are downsides of choosing support vector machine. Support vector machine gave me the better recall value for no show but it also took much longer to build the model and make prediction.



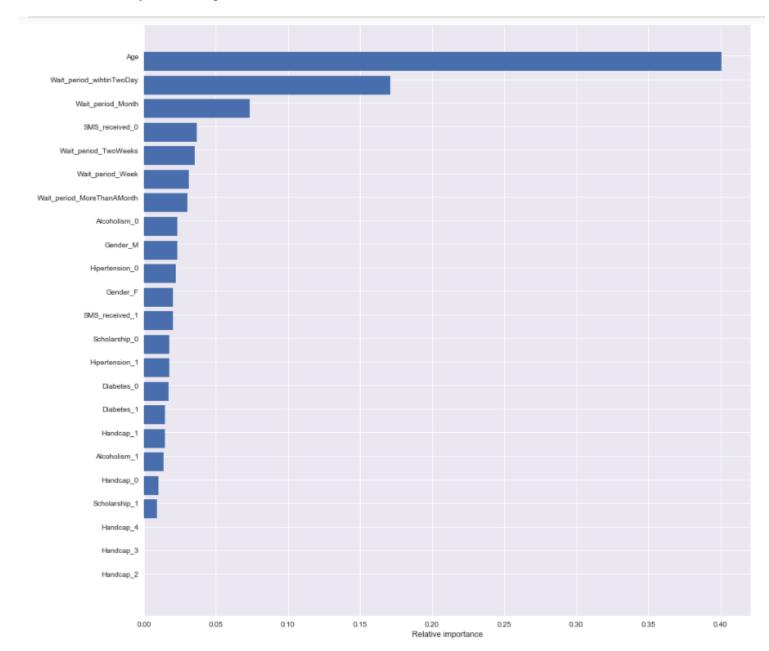
Conclusion

The purpose of the project is to analyze the medical no show dataset and find out why patients miss their doctor appointments and find the best algorithms with tuned parameters to be used identify no-show cases based on the given information.

The features (gender', 'age', 'wait period', 'sms received', 'diabetes', 'hypertension', 'alcoholism', 'Handicap', and 'scholarship') were selected for investigation after data preparation (checked missing value, created new feature, and took care of imbalanced issue using smote), and exploration (distribution, center, spread, and correlation with graph, percentage wise cross table, and statistic test).

Then, after searching over several machine-learning algorithms (naïve bayes, SVM, random forest, gradient boosting tree, and stacking) with tuned parameters, linear support vector machine turned out to have best performance on unseen dataset in term of recall for no-show case. The recall value for it is 77%. The second best is stacking (71%). As for general accuracy, gradient boosting (65%) and random forest (64%) out perform others. For our case, recall would be better metric for inference since our goal is to find the model that can help to identify the no show case. Roc curves were also used to evaluate the classification performance. The conclusion was that even if there exist a problem of long runtime to build the model and make prediction, support vector machine still is chosen as our solution for the study due to the significantly better recall value for

no-show case. Also, the top 3 most important feature reported for the classifying no-show and show based on gradient boosting tree are: age, wait period: within Two day, and wait period, with in a month.



Appendix

Source:

https://www.kaggle.com/joniarroba/noshowappointments/data

Code:

#import libarary

import sys

import scipy

import numpy as np

import matplotlib

import pylab

import seaborn as sns

import pandas as pd

import sklearn

from pandas.tools.plotting import scatter_matrix

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

Machine Learning

from sklearn.svm import SVC

from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB

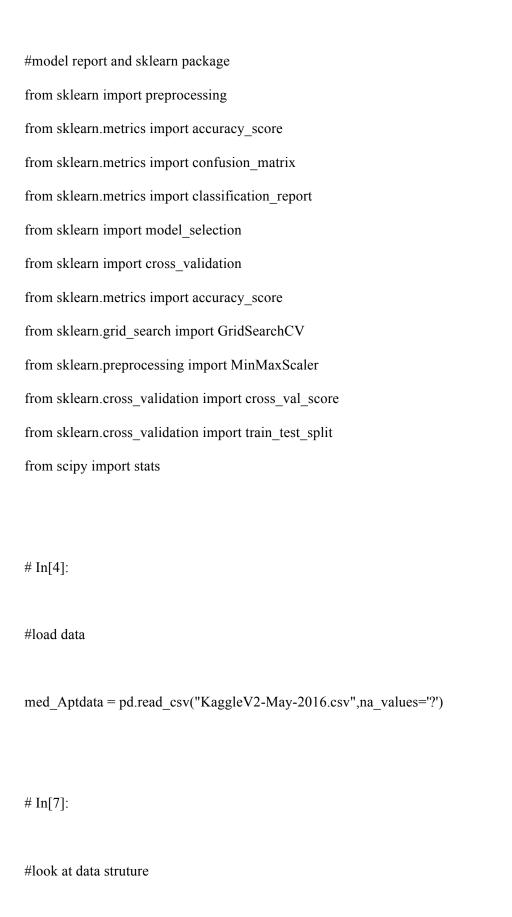
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier

from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier

from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression

from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier

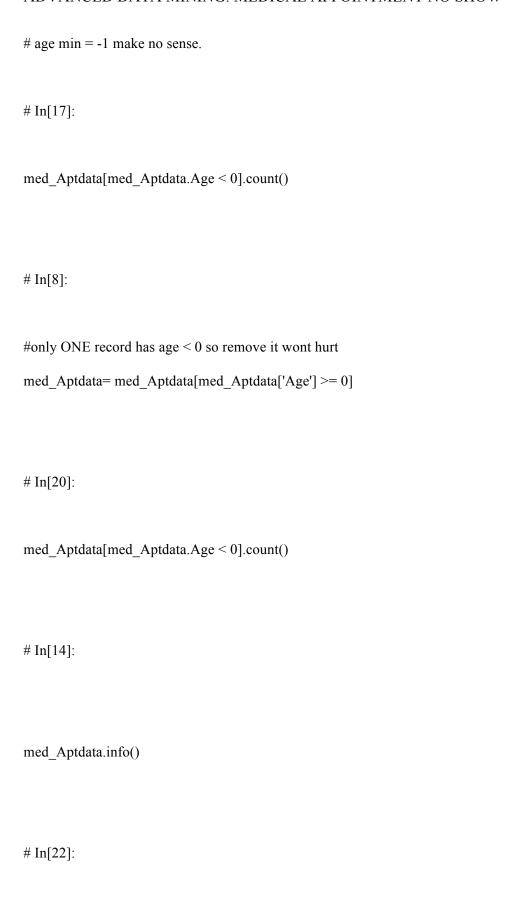
from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier



```
med_Aptdata.info()
print 'data struture(row, colunm): ', med Aptdata.shape
# In[47]:
# first 10 row
med_Aptdata.head(10)
# In[11]:
med_Aptdata.describe()
#
### data discription and goal
#
# 11057 observation and 14 variables.
#
# target(categorical): No show: Yes = no show, no = show up,
# 13 factors
#
```

useful precitors(age,neighborhood,
$scholarship, hipertension, diabetes, alcoholism, hand cap, sms_received, gender, appoint date, and the context of the contex$
scheduledate)
#
8 categorical predictor and 2 numerical predictors
#
data cleaning
After the first look at dataset. here are the few thing i m going to do to prepare the data
#
1. check for missing variable and take care of missing value
2. relable the datatype
3. drop useless variable
In[5]:
#check missing values
print "attribute with missing values: \n"
print [col for col in med_Aptdata.columns if med_Aptdata[col].isnull().any()]
No missign value
In[6]:

```
#drop useless columns
med Aptdata.drop(['PatientId','AppointmentID'], axis=1, inplace = True)
# In[7]:
#relable categorical datatype to str
med Aptdata.Scholarship=med Aptdata.Scholarship.astype(str)
med Aptdata.Hipertension=med Aptdata.Hipertension.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.Diabetes=med_Aptdata.Diabetes.astype(str)
med Aptdata.Alcoholism=med Aptdata.Alcoholism.astype(str)
med_Aptdata.Handcap=med_Aptdata.Handcap.astype(str)
med Aptdata.SMS received=med Aptdata.SMS received.astype(str)
# In[39]:
med Aptdata.info()
# In[16]:
med Aptdata.describe()
```



med_Aptdata.head()
In[9]:
#new colum, waitday (day between ScheduledDay and AppointmentDay) import numpy as np
Converts the two variables to datetime variables
med_Aptdata['ScheduledDay'] = pd.to_datetime(med_Aptdata['ScheduledDay']) med_Aptdata['AppointmentDay'] = pd.to_datetime(med_Aptdata['AppointmentDay'])
Create a variable called "waitday" by subtracting the date. med_Aptdata['waitday'] =
med_Aptdata["AppointmentDay"].sub(med_Aptdata["ScheduledDay"], axis=0)
Convert the result "waitday" to number of days between appointment day and scheduled day. med_Aptdata["waitday"] = (med_Aptdata["waitday"] / np.timedelta64(1, 'D')).abs().apply(np.floor)
In[14]:
med_Aptdata.head()

In[10]:
med_Aptdata.drop(['ScheduledDay','AppointmentDay'],axis=1,inplace=True)
In[11]:
med_Aptdata.info()
Innitial data cleaning done. Now, we have two numerical attributes(Age and waitday), and 8 categorical attributes.
Exploratory
Univariate
numerical
In[27]:
med_Aptdata.describe()
In[28]:

#boxplot fig = plt.figure(figsize=(20, 20)) $ax1 = fig.add_subplot(2,3,1)$ bp= ax1.boxplot(med_Aptdata['Age']) $y = med_Aptdata.Age$ x = np.random.normal(1, 0.04, size=len(y))ax1.plot(x,y, 'y.', alpha=0.05)ax1.set_title("boxplot of Age") $ax2 = fig.add_subplot(2,3,2)$ bp2= ax2.boxplot(med Aptdata['waitday']) $y2 = med_Aptdata.waitday$ x2 = np.random.normal(1, 0.04, size=len(y2))ax2.plot(x2,y2, 'y.', alpha=0.08) ax2.set title("boxplot of waitday") plt.show() # In[29]: #box plot and histogram import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import pylab import matplotlib

matplotlib.style.use('ggplot')

get ipython().magic(u'matplotlib inline')

```
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10, 10))

ax1 = fig.add_subplot(2,3,1)

ax1.boxplot(med_Aptdata['Age'])

ax1.set_title("boxplot of Age")

ax2 = fig.add_subplot(2,3,2)

ax2.boxplot(med_Aptdata['waitday'])

ax2.set_title("boxplot of waitday")

plt.show()

# In[30]:

#histogram

plt.figure()

med_Aptdata[['Age', 'waitday']].hist(color='blue',alpha=0.7,edgecolor="black",figsize=(10, 10))
```

there are few outlier in age but based on box plot and histogram, it doent look like it will affect our model building latr. On the other hand, have long tail on the right (right skwenness) in waitday meaning that we have some extreme high values for waitday and it may cause problem for prediction. there are many way such as over/under sampling, transformation to address

(skewnness) issue. In this case, I will use biinning method to try to group large value togather and balance out the distribution since it will be more interpretable and help to solve the outlier issue. # # # # # most obeservation are under age \sim 70. # # most people make appoitment fo no later than a month # # In[12]: #additional preparation after exploring the data(binning the waitday) # group: (sameday, 0; withinweek, 7. over_a month, 30) bins = [-1,2,7,14,30,360]labels = ["wihtinTwoDay", "Week", "TwoWeeks", "Month", "MoreThanAMonth"] wait period = pd.cut(med Aptdata['waitday'], bins, labels=labels) med Aptdata['Wait period'] = wait period # In[13]: med_Aptdata.drop(['waitday'],axis=1,inplace=True)

```
# In[13]:
med Aptdata.head()
# Categorical
# In[34]:
#bar plot target: noshow
a=['No-show']
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(20, 20))
for i in range(len(a)):
  ax=fig.add_subplot(3,3,i+1)
  ax.set_title(a[i])
  med_Aptdata[a[i]].value_counts().plot(kind='bar',color='blue')
fig.tight_layout()
plt.show()
#percentable table
med Aptdata.groupby('No-show').size() * 100 / len(med Aptdata)
```

```
# target is inbalance! 80% of observation does not miss appoitment. only 20% miss the
appoitment. Need to consider about the inbalanced target when we build models
# In[35]:
#bar plot 1
a=['Gender','Neighbourhood','Scholarship','Wait period']
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(20, 20))
for i in range(len(a)):
  ax = fig.add subplot(2,2,i+1)
  ax.set_title(a[i])
  med Aptdata[a[i]].value counts().plot(kind='bar',color='blue')
fig.tight_layout()
plt.show()
# for our obesravation, we have more case in female than male. most poepl's waitday is within 2
days. most people dont recieved scholarship(special offer)
# In[166]:
#bat plot 2
a=['Hipertension','Diabetes','Alcoholism','Handcap','SMS received']
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(20, 20))
```

```
for i in range(len(a)):
  ax=fig.add_subplot(3,3,i+1)
  ax.set_title(a[i])
  med_Aptdata[a[i]].value_counts().plot(kind='bar',color='blue')
fig.tight layout()
plt.show()
# In[200]:
#percentable table
med_Aptdata.groupby('SMS_received').size() * 100 / len(med_Aptdata)
# Also, majorraity of people doesnt have any labeled conditions(such as Diabetes, alchoholism,
handicap..etc).
#
\# \sim 67\% of people signed up for sms reminder and \sim 32 are not.
### mutivariate
# #### Age vs noshow
#
# In[174]:
```



Comparing no show rate between groups for each categorical attributes # In[216]: #Cross table percentagewise attributes =['Gender','Neighbourhood','Scholarship','Wait period','Hipertension','Diabetes','Alcoholism','Ha ndcap','SMS_received'] for i in attributes: print 'percentage cross table (* Comapring No- show = yes):', '', i print pd.crosstab(med_Aptdata[i],med_Aptdata["No-show"]).apply(lambda x: x/x.sum(), 1) print " print " print " # some significant differnt between group can be detected for some attribute which indicate that we may have some good predictor. # # # For example: # # for gender: female and male no show rate are not significantly different (20% vs 19%) # # for neighbor: PARQUE INDUSTRIAL has 0% no show rate.

```
#
# for Wait_period: no show rate is significant lower for waittime withintwoday( 0.09% ) than
other groups (25%-33%)
#
# for handicap: Handicap 4 has significantly higher no show rate(33%) compare to the other
groups(17%-23%)
#
# for sms recievied: surpringly, people who are given sms remider are 9% more likley to miss the
appointment.
#
# In[222]:
#stack bar plot by survive for categorical
attributes
=['Gender','Neighbourhood','Scholarship','Wait period','Hipertension','Diabetes','Alcoholism','Ha
ndcap','SMS received']
for i in attributes:
  pd.crosstab(med_Aptdata[i],med_Aptdata["No-show"]).apply(lambda x: x/x.sum(),
1).plot.bar()
# Visulization version of the crosstable
# In[243]:
```

```
from scipy import stats
attributes
=['Gender', 'Neighbourhood', 'Scholarship', 'Wait period', 'Hipertension', 'Diabetes', 'Alcoholism', 'Ha
ndcap','SMS_received']
for i in attributes:
  a= pd.crosstab(med Aptdata[i],med Aptdata["No-show"])
  g, p, dof, expctd = scipy.stats.chi2 contingency(a)
  print 'P-value for chi-square test of independency for ',i,': ', p
# for comfirmation of corrlation, for chi-square test of independency give us more clear idea:
#
# the result shows there are significant evidence that no-show is correlated with following
attributes:
#
# Neighbourhood, Scholarship, Wait period, Hipertension, Diabetes, and SMS received.
#
#
### innitail feature selection
# In[14]:
```

```
# Neighbourhood has too many level, do the intial prediction with and without neigborhood
######

#and comapre performance using ttest to see if dropping Neighbourhood will affect our
prediction
```

```
####trial --- with neigborhood, x_mat1,y1 ######
trial = med Aptdata
# Separate the target attribute ("No-show")
# x : predictors, y : target
x1 = trial.drop("No-show", axis=1, inplace = False)
y1 = trial["No-show"]
#Convert the selected dataset into the Standard Spreadsheet format
# get dummies" function to create dummy variables and converting to standard spreadsheet
format
x mat1 = pd.get dummies(x1)
x mat1.head(5)
y1=pd.get_dummies(y1)
y1.head()
#no show up [1: noshow, 0: show]
y1=y1['Yes']
```

#80-20 split

from sklearn.cross validation import train test split

```
x_train1, x_test1, y_train1, y_test1 = train_test_split(x_mat1, y1, test_size=0.2,
random_state=33)
```

```
#####trial 2 --- without neigborhood ######
trial2 = med Aptdata.drop(['Neighbourhood'], axis=1, inplace = False)
# Separate the target attribute ("No-show")
# x : predictors, y : target
x2 = trial2.drop("No-show", axis=1, inplace = False)
y2 = trial2["No-show"]
#Convert the selected dataset into the Standard Spreadsheet format
# get dummies" function to create dummy variables and converting to standard spreadsheet
format
x mat2 = pd.get dummies(x2)
y2=pd.get dummies(y2)
#no show up [1: noshow, 0: show]
y2=y2['Yes']
#80-20 split
from sklearn.cross validation import train test split
x_train2, x_test2, y_train2, y_test2 = train_test_split(x_mat2, y2, test_size=0.2,
random state=33)
```

```
# In[83]:
#comapre model wiht NB
cv_N = model_selection.cross_val_score(GaussianNB(), x_train1, y_train1,
cv=10,scoring='precision')
cv_Non = model_selection.cross_val_score(GaussianNB(), x_train2, y_train2,
cv=10,scoring='precision')
results = [cv_N, cv_Non]
names = ['with_N','Without_N']
# Compare Algorithms
fig = plt.figure()
fig.suptitle('Algorithm Comparison: precision on train')
ax = fig.add_subplot(111)
plt.boxplot(results)
ax.set_xticklabels(names)
plt.show()
# paried t test to compare two model(Random forest vs gradient boosting)
from scipy import stats
stats.ttest_rel(cv_N, cv_Non)
```

```
# In[70]:
# Make predictions on test dataset (NB)
NB= GaussianNB()
NB.fit(x_train1, y_train1)
NBpd = NB.predict(x_test1)
print('Prediction report: NB')
print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test1, NBpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion_matrix(y_test1, NBpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report wiht N:'
print(classification report(y test1, NBpd))
# In[72]:
# Make predictions on test dataset (NB)
NB= GaussianNB()
NB.fit(x_train2, y_train2)
NBpd = NB.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: NB')
print '\n'
```

```
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy score(y test2, NBpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion matrix(y test2, NBpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report wihtout N:'
print(classification report(y test2, NBpd))
# Surprisingly, the average precison is better without attribute neighbor, t test also comfirm there
are significant differnece in average accuracy between two
#
# Therefore, dropping attribute neighboorhood not only wont hurt the result but improve the
result and it simplified the model.
#
#
# Also, the prediciton performance on people who doesnt show up for appointment(noshow yes
=1) are really bad for both (even worse than random guess). The reason is that we have inbalance
data so we have to find a way to fix this problem.
# In[15]:
#dropping 'Neighbourhood'
med Aptdata.drop(['Neighbourhood'], axis=1, inplace = True)
```

```
# In[16]:
med Aptdata.info()
# In[17]:
med Aptdata.head()
#### potential ways of fixing imbalnaced data
# few way to deal with imbalance dataset
#
#* use tree based model (decision tree, emsemble trees) with smote(oversample with
synthetically generated data points that are not too different from the minority class data points
you actually have)
# * Penalized-SVM
# * oversampling (potential overfitting)
# * undersampling (loss of information)
#
# Evaluation which model is better
#
# * Precision/Specificity: how many selected instances are relevant.
# * using auroc
#
```

```
#
#
#
#
### Using Smote to deal with inbalance data
# In[18]:
# pip install -u imbalanced-learn
#smote
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE
# In[19]:
smote=SMOTE(kind = "regular",random state=0, ratio = 1.0)
smote_predictors,smote_target=smote.fit_sample(x_train2,y_train2)
print y_train2.value_counts()
print "
print (np.bincount(smote_target))
# Now, for our training set, we have equal number of observation for both noshow and show
```

In[]:
#141258 obeservation on training and 23 dimensions
In[21]:
#too big, take sampele, run twice to get 1%
A,smote_predictors,B,smote_target= train_test_split(smote_predictors,smote_target, test_size=0.1, random_state=33)
In[22]:
<pre>print (np.bincount(smote_target))</pre>
In[23]:
smote_target.shape
In[24]:
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 $smote_predictors.shape$

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## Modeling with parameter tuning on the selected features
# In[275]:
## imbalance training set
# Training set: [x_train2, y_train2]
##balacne trainign set
# Training set: [smote_predictors,smote_target]
## Unseen testing set : [x test2, y test2]
### target y [1: noshow, 0: show]
# performance metrix: precision and recall for noshow =1
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# precision measure how accuracy our prediction on noshow =1
#
# recall measure the proportion of the noshow case found.
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# in this case, we want to be able to idnetify noshow case so recall will be more useful.(looking
for model's that maxmize the average recall)
### Naive bayes
# In[25]:
#different Naive Bayes
from sklearn.naive bayes import GaussianNB
from sklearn.naive_bayes import BernoulliNB
from sklearn.naive bayes import MultinomialNB
from sklearn import cross validation
# Spot Check Algorithms
models = []
models.append(('MNB', MultinomialNB()))
models.append(('BNB', BernoulliNB()))
models.append(('GNB', GaussianNB()))
# evaluate each model in turn
results = []
names = []
for name, model in models:
       cv_results = cross_validation.cross_val_score(model, smote_predictors, smote_target,
cv = 10)
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results.append(cv results)
       names.append(name)
       msg = "%s: %.3f (%.3f)" % (name, cv_results.mean(), cv_results.std())
       print(msg)
# BernoulliNB has better performacne(recall) than others, lets tune the parameters
# In[30]:
BNB= BernoulliNB(class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
# Use a grid over parameters of interest
param grid = { "alpha" : [0,0.1, 1, 10, 100], 'binarize': [0,0.1, 1, 10, 100]}
CV BNB = GridSearchCV(estimator=BNB, param grid=param grid, cv= 10)
CV_BNB.fit(smote_predictors, smote_target)
print CV BNB.best params
# In[28]:
# Optimized BNB
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BNB= BernoulliNB(binarize=0,alpha=0,class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy_
BNB scores = model selection.cross val score(BNB, smote predictors, smote target, cv=10)
print("recall of bernoulli NB Train: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (BNB_scores.mean()*100,
BNB scores.std()*100))
# confidence intervals
import numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(BNB scores, p))
p = (alpha + ((1.0 - alpha)/2.0)) * 100
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(BNB scores, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
# In[54]:
#nb model predcition on test set
#alpha=1.0, binarize=2.0, class prior=None, fit prior=True)
# Make predictions on test dataset
BNB= BernoulliNB(class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)
BNB.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
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BNBpd = BNB.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: Naive Bayes')
print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy score(y test2, BNBpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion_matrix(y_test2, BNBpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification_report(y_test2, BNBpd))
# best tuned Naive bayes:
#
#_BNB= BernoulliNB(alpha=0, binarize=0, class_prior=None, fit_prior=True)__
#
#
# Prediction on unseen set:
#
# Recall for no show:77%, precision for no show:30%
#
# Average recall: 58%
### Tree based model and penalized SVM
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# * Ramdom forest with balance set
# In[33]:
#rfc = RandomForestClassifier
#gris search to tune
from sklearn.grid search import GridSearchCV
rfc = RandomForestClassifier(n_jobs=-1, max_features='sqrt', oob_score = True)
# Use a grid over parameters of interest
param_grid = {
      "n_estimators": [9, 18, 27, 36, 45, 54, 63],
      "max_depth": [1, 5, 10, 15, 20, 25, 30],
      "min_samples_leaf" : [1, 5, 10,50]}
CV_rfc = GridSearchCV(estimator=rfc, param_grid=param_grid, cv= 10)
CV rfc.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
print CV_rfc.best_params_
# In[30]:
# Optimized RF classifier to maxize precisoon
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rfcb = RandomForestClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min samples leaf = 10)
# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy
rfcb scores = model selection.cross val score(rfcb, smote predictors, smote target, cv=10)
print("Accuracy of Random forest on balanced Trainning set: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" %
(rfcb scores.mean()*100, rfcb scores.std()*100))
# confidence intervals
import numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(rfcb scores, p))
p = (alpha + ((1.0 - alpha)/2.0)) * 100
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(rfcb scores, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
# In[56]:
# Make predictions on test dataset (RF) with optimal model trained with balanced data
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rfcb = RandomForestClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min samples leaf = 1)
rfcb.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
RFpdb = rfcb.predict(x test2)
print('Prediction report: Random Forest')
print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy score(y test2, RFpdb)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion matrix(y test2, RFpdb)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification report(y test2, RFpdb))
# best tuned random forest model (bagging technique):
#
# rfcb =RandomForestClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min samples leaf = 1)
#
# Prediction on unseen set:
#
# Recall for no show :66%, precision for no show : 32%
#
# Average recall: 65%
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# comparing with NB
#
# Better perfomacne than NB (accuracy is higher and average recall is higher meaning we
identify more case correctly overall; however recall for noshow is 66% (RF) which is less than
77%(NB))
# * gradian boosting tree balanced training data
# In[]:
gbc = GradientBoostingClassifier()
# Use a grid over parameters of interest
param_grid = {
      "n estimators": [9, 18, 27, 36, 45],
      "max depth": [5, 10, 15, 20],
      "min samples leaf" : [5,10,20,50]}
CV_gbc = GridSearchCV(estimator=gbc, param_grid=param_grid, cv= 10)
CV gbc.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
print CV gbc.best params
# In[32]:
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# Optimized GB classifier
gbc = GradientBoostingClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min samples leaf = 10)
# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy_
gbc scores = model selection.cross val score(gbc, smote predictors, smote target, cv=10)
print("Accuracy of Gradiant boosting dT on balanced Trainning set: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" %
(gbc scores.mean()*100, gbc scores.std()*100))
# confidence intervals
import numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(gbc scores, p))
p = (alpha + ((1.0 - alpha)/2.0)) * 100$
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(gbc scores, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
# In[60]:
# Make predictions on test dataset (GB)
gbc.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
gbcpd = gbc.predict(x_test2)
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print('Prediction report: gradient boosting')
print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy score(y test2, gbcpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion matrix(y test2, gbcpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification report(y test2, gbcpd))
# best tuned gradian boosing tree(boosting technique):
#
# gbc =GradientBoostingClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min_samples_leaf = 1)___
#
#
# Prediction on unseen set:
#
# Recall for no show :63%, precision for no show : 33%
#
# Average recall: 66%
# * kernel support vector machine
# linear SVM
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# In[]:
#####linear
from sklearn.svm import SVC
linear=SVC(kernel='linear',,probability=True)
# Use a grid over parameters of interest
param_grid = { "C" : [0.01,0.1, 1, 10]}
CV_linear = GridSearchCV(estimator=linear, param_grid=param_grid, cv= 10)
CV linear.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
print CV_linear.best_params_
# In[34]:
# Linear SVM classifier
#####linear
from sklearn.svm import SVC
linear = SVC(kernel='linear', C=1,,probability=True)
# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy_
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linear scores = model selection.cross val score(linear, smote predictors, smote target, cv=10,
scoring='accuracy')
print("linear SVM accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (linear_scores.mean()*100,
linear scores.std()*100))
# confidence intervals
import numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(linear_scores, p))
p = (alpha + ((1.0 - alpha)/2.0)) * 100
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(linear scores, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
# In[61]:
#prediction linear svm
#LINEAR SVM
# Make predictions on test dataset
linear = SVC(kernel='linear',C=1,probability=True)
linear.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
linearpd = linear.predict(x test2)
print('Prediction report: linear SVM')
print '\n'
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print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, linearpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion matrix(y test2, linearpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification report(y test2, linearpd))
# SVM With kernal tricks and tuning paremater
#
# In[51]:
# kernel support vector machine
# penalize(weighted)
kernelsvm=SVC(class_weight='balanced',probability=True)
# Use a grid over parameters of interest
param grid = { "kernel" : ['rbf','poly','sigmoid'],
       "gamma": [1e-1, 1e-2, 1e-3, 1e-4],
       "C": [0.01,0.1, 1, 10, 100, 1000]}
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CV_kernelsvm = GridSearchCV(estimator=kernelsvm, param_grid=param_grid, cv= 10)
CV kernelsvm.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
print CV kernelsvm.best params
# In[]:
# Optimized kernal SVM classifier
poly SVM = SVC(kernel = 'poly', C = 0.1, gamma =
0.1,class_weight='balanced',probability=True)
# fit the model with training set - CV(10) and predict avg accuracy
poly SVM scores = model selection.cross val score(poly SVM, smote predictors,
smote target, cv=10, scoring='accuracy')
print("poly SVM Train accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (poly_SVM_scores.mean()*100,
poly SVM scores.std()*100))
# confidence intervals
import numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(poly_SVM_scores, p))
p = (alpha + ((1.0 - alpha)/2.0)) * 100
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upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(poly_SVM_scores, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
# In[]:
#prediction, kernal svm
# Make predictions on test dataset
poly SVM = SVC(kernel = 'poly', C = 100, gamma = 0.1)
poly SVM.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
poly_SVMpd = poly_SVM.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: polynominal kernel SVM')
print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy score(y test2, poly SVMpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion matrix(y test2, poly SVMpd)
print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification report(y test2, poly SVMpd))
# In[]:
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# In[ ]:
#compare svm and linear svm
# paried t test to compare linear vs kernal svm
from scipy import stats
stats.ttest_rel(linear_scores, poly_SVM_scores)
# best tuned kernel SVM:
#
# __linear = SVC(kernel='linear',C=1)__
#
# Prediction on unseen set:
#
# acurracy: 59%
# Recall for no show :77%
#
# overall recall: 59%
### Stacking (Naive bayes ,boosting ,begging, svm)
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# In[48]:
#import majority vote classifier as mvc
from sklearn.ensemble import VotingClassifier
estimators = []
model1 = BernoulliNB(alpha=0, binarize=0, class prior=None, fit prior=True)
estimators.append(('bernouli NB', model1))
model2 = RandomForestClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min samples leaf = 10)
estimators.append(('Random forest', model2))
model3 = GradientBoostingClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10, max features='sqrt',
min samples leaf = 1)
estimators.append(('gradient boosting', model3))
model4 = SVC(kernel='linear',C=1,probability=True)
estimators.append(('linear svm', model4))
# create the ensemble model
stacking = VotingClassifier(estimators, voting='soft')
results = model selection.cross val score(stacking, smote predictors, smote target, cv=10)
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print("stacking model Train accuracy: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (results.mean()*100,
results.std()*100))
# confidence intervals
import numpy
alpha = 0.95
p = ((1.0-alpha)/2.0) * 100
lower = max(0.0, numpy.percentile(results, p))
p = (alpha + ((1.0 - alpha)/2.0)) * 100
upper = min(1.0, numpy.percentile(results, p))
print('%.1f confidence interval %.1f%% and %.1f%%' % (alpha*100, lower*100, upper*100))
# In[50]:
#prediction
stacking.fit(smote predictors, smote target)
stpd = stacking.predict(x_test2)
print('Prediction report: Stacking')
print '\n'
print'accuracy: %0.3f' % accuracy_score(y_test2, stpd)
print '\n'
print 'confusion matrix: '
print confusion matrix(y test2, stpd)
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print '\n'
print 'classification report : '
print(classification report(y test2, stpd))
### compare performacne of machine learning Techniques in term of recall
# In[40]:
from sklearn import cross validation
# Spot Check Algorithms
models = []
models.append(('BernoulliNB', BernoulliNB(alpha=0, binarize=0, class prior=None,
fit prior=True)))
models.append(('Emsembel:RF', RandomForestClassifier(n estimators=36, max depth=10,
max features='sqrt', min samples leaf = 1)))
models.append(('Emsemble: GB', GradientBoostingClassifier(n estimators=45, max depth=15,
max features='sqrt', min samples leaf = 6)))
models.append(('SVM',SVC(kernel='linear',C=1)))
models.append(('Emsembel: Stacking',stacking ))
# evaluate each model in turn
results = []
names = []
print '10 fold Cross validaiton report for each model: average Acuuracy and Standardiviation'
print '\n'
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for name, model in models:
        cv results = cross validation.cross val score(model, smote predictors, smote target,
cv = 10)
        results.append(cv results)
       names.append(name)
# boxplot
fig = plt.figure()
fig.suptitle('Algorithm Comparison: Presion on train')
ax = fig.add\_subplot(111)
plt.boxplot(results)
ax.set_xticklabels(names)
plt.show()
# In[]:
# paried t test to compare best model with second best
from scipy import stats
stats.ttest_rel(gbc_scores, rfc_scores,gbc_scores,)
# In[]:
results=[BNB_scores,rfcb_scores,linear_scores,results]
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names=['BernoulliNB','Emsemble: RF','Emsemble: GB','SVM', 'stacking']
# boxplot
fig = plt.figure()
fig.suptitle('Algorithm Comparison: Presion on train')
ax = fig.add_subplot(111)
plt.boxplot(results)
ax.set_xticklabels(names)
plt.show()
### compare classifiers's prediction performacne on testing set (precision on noshow)
#### Model Evaluation
# In[84]:
#### ROC Curve
nbP=BNB.predict_proba(x_test2)[:,1]
rfcP=rfcb.predict_proba(x_test2)[:,1]
gbcP=gbc.predict proba(x test2)[:,1]
#linearP=linear.predict_proba(x_test2)[:,1]
#stcP=stacking.predict_proba(x_test2)[:,1]
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models=[nbP,rfcP,gbcP]
#stcP
label=['BernoulliNB','Emsemble: RF','Emsemble: GB']
from sklearn import metrics
# plotting ROC curves
plt.figure(figsize=(20, 20))
for i in range(len(models)):
  fpr, tpr,thresholds= metrics.roc curve(y test2,models[i])
  plt.plot(fpr,tpr,label=label[i])
plt.xlim([0.0,1.0])
plt.ylim([0.0,1.0])
plt.title('ROC curve for SURVIVIED classifers')
plt.xlabel('False positive rate (1-specificity)')
plt.ylabel('True positive rate (sensitivity)')
plt.legend(loc=4,)
plt.show()
# In[71]:
#AUC
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from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve, auc, roc_auc_score roc_auc_score(y_test2, linearP) ### Feature importacne # In[87]: # sort importances indices = np.argsort(gbc.feature_importances_) $names = list(x_train2)$ # plot as bar chart plt.figure(figsize=(15, 15)) plt.barh(np.arange(len(names)), gbc.feature_importances_[indices]) plt.yticks(np.arange(len(names)) + 0.25, np.array(names)[indices]) _ = plt.xlabel('Relative importance') plt.show()