

Predicting Wine Quality Using Bayesian Approach





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Data Descriptive



Physicochemical and sensory data on Portuguese "Vinho Verde" white wine
Cortez, P., Cerdeira, A., Almeida, F., Matos, T., & Reis, J. (2009). Wine Quality [Dataset]



Approximately 5,000 observations, 11 independent variables and "Quality" as the dependent variable

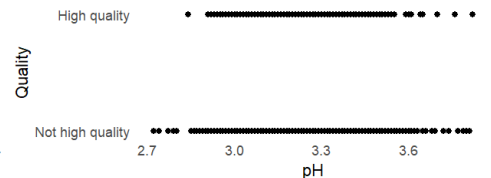
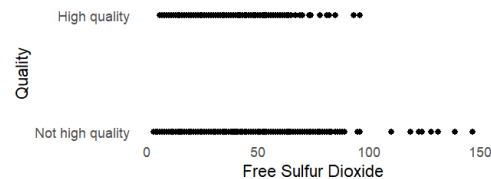
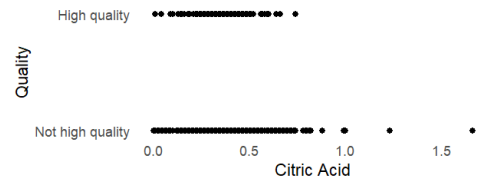
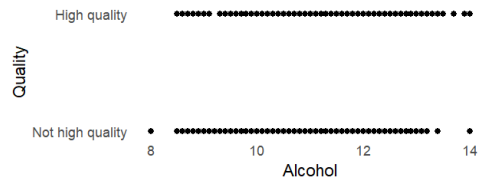
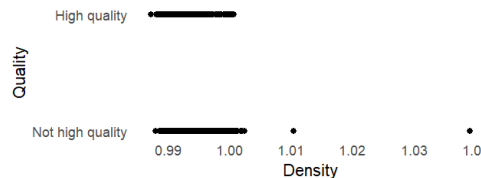
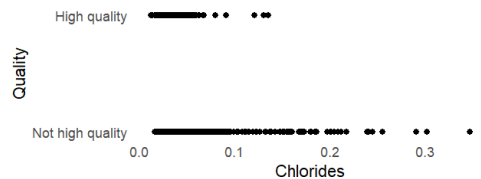
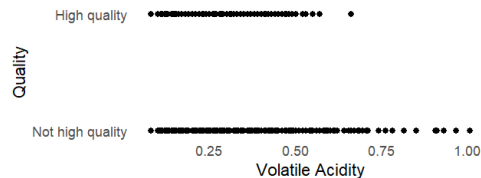
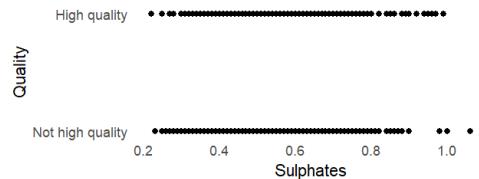
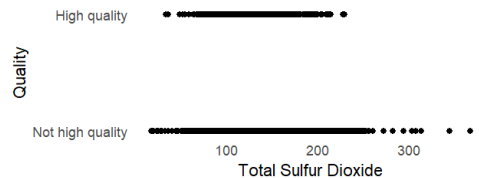
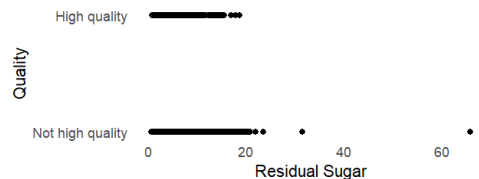
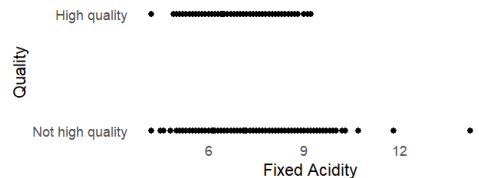


Wines rated 7 and above are labeled "High Quality" (1) and wines rated 6 and below are labeled "Not High Quality" (0)

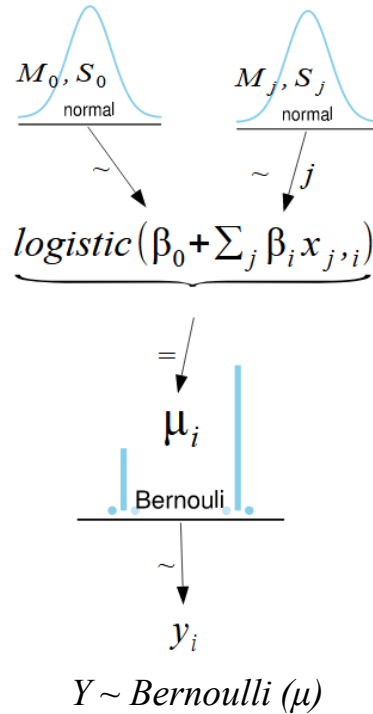


70% of data used to train the model and 30% reserved for testing predictions of wine quality

Visual Look



Model Specification



$$Y = \text{logistics}(\beta_0 + \beta_1 \text{ Fixed acidity} + \beta_2 \text{ Volatile acidity} + \beta_3 \text{ citric acid} + \beta_4 \text{ residual sugar} + \beta_5 \text{ chlorides} + \beta_6 \text{ free sulfur dioxide} + \beta_7 \text{ total sulfur dioxide} + \beta_8 \text{ density} + \beta_9 \text{ pH} + \beta_{10} \text{ sulphates} + \beta_{11} \text{ alcohol})$$



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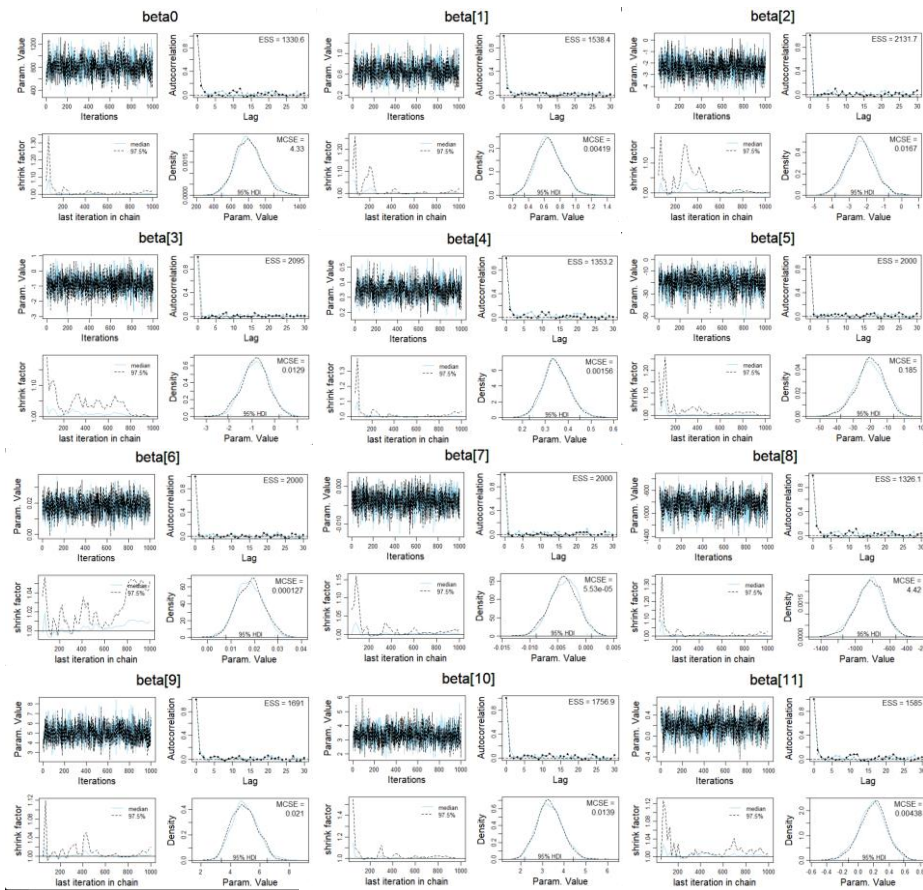
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Diagnostics



Conclusion

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	response	
predicted	0	1
0	994	161
1	158	157

Approximately
80% correct predictions

All independent variables are significant

