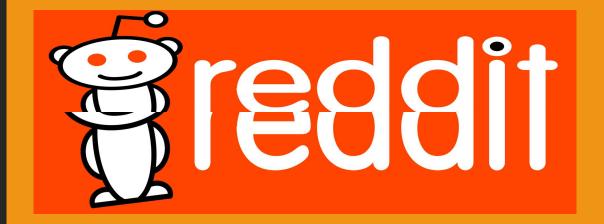
PT or PT?
Physical Therapy
vs Personal
Training



Jonathan Cheung Project 3 (Subreddits)

Agenda

- 1) Overview: Physical Therapy and Personal Training
- 2) Work Flow Data retrieval/cleaning, preprocessing, modeling
- 3) Modeling
- 4) Conclusion

Physical Therapy

- Physical therapists (PTs) are movement experts who optimize quality of life through prescribed exercise, hands-on care, and patient education.
- 3-year doctorate program



Personal Training

- An individual certified to have a varying degree of knowledge of general fitness involved in exercise prescription and instruction.
- Highschool Diploma / GED and a 3-month certification program



Workflow: Data retrieval, cleaning, preprocessing

Retrieved posts from the past 250 days

3,247 total documents:

- 2,002 for Phys. Therapy
- 1,245 for Personal training

Filtered for self posts only

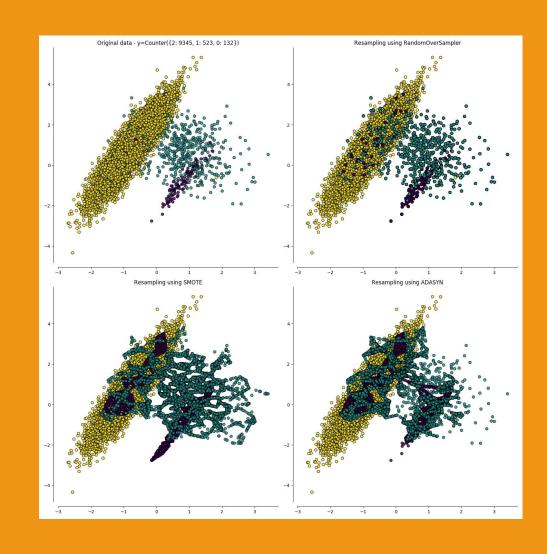
• Filtered out '[deleted]' and '[removed]' Mapped numerical values to classes:

- 0 for Personal Training
- 1 for Physical Therapy

Concatenated title and selftext features

Handling imbalanced classes

- 65% of data Class 1;
 35% Class 0
- Random Oversampling (my pick)
- SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique)
- ADASYN (Adaptive Synthetic Sampling)



Modeling

- LemmaTokenizer that filtered non-alphanumeric characters and English stop words
- Two main models:
 - CountVectorizer with Logistic Regression (L1 penalty)
 - N-gram range
 - Max features
 - CountVectorizer with Multinomial Naïve Bayes
 - N-gram range
 - Max features
 - Alpha (smoothing)

Results

Multinomial Naïve Bayes

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Best Paramaters: {'cvec__max_features': 1500, 'cvec__ngram_range': (1, 2), 'multi_nb__alpha': 1e-10}
Best CV Score: 0.95
Raw Train Score: 0.96
Test Performance: 0.94
Sensitivity: 0.95
Specificity: 0.91
Precision: 0.95
Accuracy: 0.94
ROC AUC Score: 0.97
                      Predicted Personal Training Predicted Physical Therapy
 Actual Personal Training
                                         486
                                                                  47
 Actual Physical Therapy
                                          50
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Results

Logistic Regression Best Paramaters: {'cvec__max_features': 1500, 'cvec__ngram_range': (1, 2)} Best CV Score: 0.96 Raw Train Score: 0.99 Test Performance: 0.94 Sensitivity: 0.96 Specificity: 0.9 Precision: 0.95 Accuracy: 0.94 ROC AUC Score: 0.98 Predicted Personal Training Predicted Physical Therapy **Actual Personal Training** 480 53 **Actual Physical Therapy** 42 945

Conclusion

Across several different models, these words held most influence:

Top 5 Physical Therapy Words: ['dpt', 'patient', 'physical', 'therapist', 'weak']

Top 5 Personal Training Words: ['client', 'fitness', 'nasm', 'trainer', 'training']