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# **LUNG CANCER DETECTION**

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#### 1. DATASET

### 1.1. Problem Description

Lung cancer is one of the most deadly types of cancer worldwide, and early diagnosis is crucial in addressing this disease. This dataset encompasses various parameters such as patients' demographic information, clinical features, imaging results, and treatment details, aiming to provide in-depth analysis and predictions related to lung cancer. Machine learning models leveraging this dataset have the potential to offer valuable insights into the progression of the disease, treatment responses, and survival durations.

The effectiveness of cancer prediction system helps the people to know their cancer risk with low cost and it also helps the people to take the appropriate decision based on their cancer risk status. The data is collected from the website online lung cancer prediction system .

## 1.2. Dataset Description

Total number of attributes: 16

Number of instances: 309

Attribute information:

- 1. Gender: M(male), F(female)
- 2. Age: Age of the patient
- 3. Smoking: YES=1, NO=0.
- 4. Yellow fingers: YES=1, NO=0.
- 5. Anxiety: YES=1, NO=0.
- 6. Peer pressure: YES=1, NO=0.
- 7. Chronic Disease: YES=1, NO=0.
- 8. Fatigue: YES=1, NO=0.
- 9. Allergy: YES=1, NO=0.
- 10. Wheezing: YES=1, NO=0.
- 11. Alcohol: YES=1, NO=0.
- 12. Coughing: YES=1, NO=0.
- 13. Shortness of Breath: YES=1, NO=0.
- 14. Swallowing Difficulty: YES=1, NO=0.
- 15. Chest pain: YES=1, NO=0.
- 16. Lung Cancer: YES, NO.

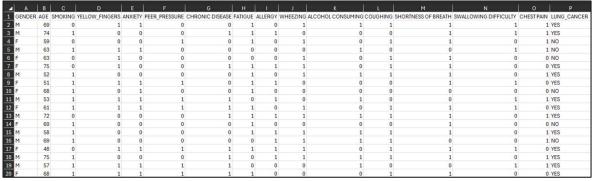


Image 1.1: Data Examples

### 2. CODE

#### 2.1 Libraries

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas as pd
from sklearn import metrics
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
from sklearn.model selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix, accuracy_score
```

Image 2.1: Libraries

Libraries needed in this project is imported. These libraries are: NumPy, matplotlib, pandas and Skitlearn.

- NumPy library is used for preprocessing and dataset purposes.
- Matplotlib library is used for graph designs.
- Pandas library is used for storage (dataframe) and data manipulation.
- Sklearn is used for one hot encoding, splitting test and training set, scaling data, KNN model, confusion matrix and accuracy score.

#### 2.2 Data Preprocessing

```
dataset=pd.read_excel("survey_lung_cancer.xlsx")
dataset=dataset.dropna()
    x=dataset.iloc[:,:-1].values
y=dataset.iloc[:,-1].values
```

Image 2.2: Splitting Dependent and Independent Columns

Dataset is imported from excel file via pandas library into dataframe. Then, empty rows are getting deleted from this dataset. After that, we split this dataset into independent variables and dependent variables.

```
#One hot encoding the 'GENDER' column

ct= ColumnTransformer(transformers=[("encoder",OneHotEncoder(),[0])],remainder="passthrough")

x=np.array(ct.fit_transform(x))

le=LabelEncoder()

y=le.fit_transform(y)
```

Image 2.3: Encoding

'GENDER' column gets one hot encoded using Sklearn library. Before the encoding this column's value consists of 'M' and 'F'. Also, dependent column gets encoded too. Before the encoding the column's value consists of 'YES' and 'NO'.

# 2.3 Splitting The Training Set and Test Set

```
x_train,x_test,y_train,y_test=train_test_split(x,y,test_size=0.25,random_state=1)
sc=StandardScaler()
x_train=sc.fit_transform(x_train)
x_test=sc.fit_transform(x_test)
```

Image 2.4: Training and Test Set

Dependent and independent columns gets splitted into training and test sets. After that, independent columns get scaled using Sklearn library. Scaling is used because, age column have values far more bigger than 1 and 0. Other columns takes only 1 and 0 as values.

#### 2.4. Classification Process

```
# Finding elbow value for KNN model

error_rate = {}

for i in range(1,40):

knn = KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=i)
knn.fit(x_train,y_train)
pred_i = knn.predict(x_test)
error_rate[i]=np.mean(pred_i != y_test)

optimal_neighbor_count=min(error_rate, key=error_rate.get)
```

Image 2.5: Calculating Optimum KNN Neighbors Count

First, ideal number of neighbors gets decided with this piece of code. Code loops through values between 1 and 40 and trains the model with these values in each iteration. Stores the error rate in each iteration with 'error\_rate' dictionary. Then, finds the one with minimum error rate in this dictionary. In our case, best neighbor count found 27 thanks to this code.

```
# Building a KNN model
classifier=KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=optimal_neighbor_count, metric="minkowski",p=2)
classifier.fit(x_train,y_train)
y_pred=classifier.predict(x_test)
```

Image 2.6: Building KNN Model

Model gets created with the ideal number of neighbors, Minkowski distance metric and the power of the distance metric (in our case it is 2). First, training set is fitted into the model. After that, model makes predictions about test set. This process is done using Sklearn library.

# 2.5 Accuracy and Confusion Matrix

```
# Finding results

cm=metrics.confusion_matrix(y_test,y_pred)

acs=accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred)

print("Accuracy: ",acs)
```

Image 2.7: Finding Result

Confusion matrix is created using result of the model and our test set via Sklearn library. Accuracy score is found using result of the model and our test set via Sklearn library.

Best accuracy of our model:

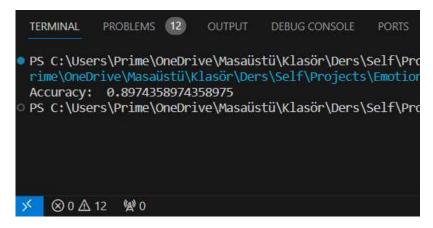


Image 2.8: Accuracy

Image 2.9: Code of Graphs

Graph of elbow rule, method finds ideal neighbor count, plotted using matplotlib library. Confusion matrix is displayed using matplotlib library.

# Graph of Elbow Rule:

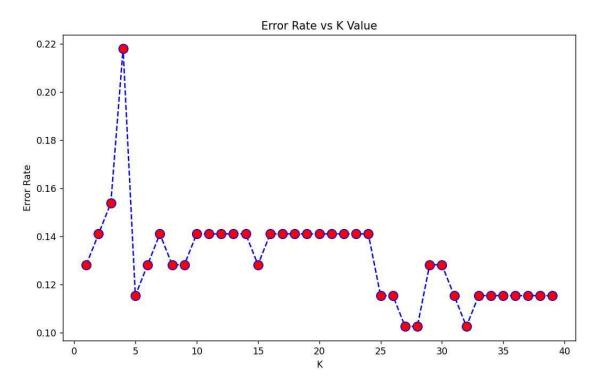


Image 2.10: Elbow Rule Graph

# Graph of Confusion Matrix:

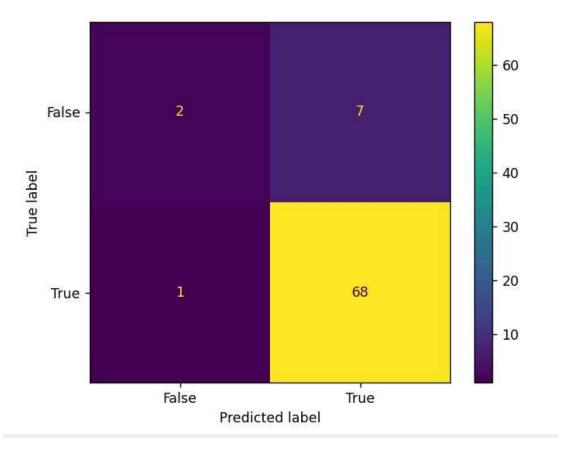


Image 2.11: Graph of Confusion Matrix

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