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Welcome to the Machine Learning Assignment!

0.1 Objective

This assignment is designed to give you practical experience with a complete machine learning workflow, applying 10-fold cross validation, and running classification models on a prepared dataset.

0.2 Dataset Overview

You are provided with a dataset already split into training and test sets. Use the training set for developing and validating your models, and the test set for final evaluation.

0.3 Brief information about the dataset

This dataset contains data from a higher education institution on various variables related to undergraduate students, including demographics, social-economic factors, and academic performance, to investigate the impact of these factors on student dropout.

0.4 Task 1: Data Loading (2 mark)

Import necessary libraries and load the training and test datasets. Show the first five rows of each dataset to confirm loading, and use the info() method to review the details of the columns in each dataset.

```
import the Libraries
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score, train_test_split,
StratifiedKFold, cross_val_score, GridSearchCV, KFold
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from xgboost import XGBClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report, accuracy_score
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[15]:  # Load the datasets  # Train data
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train_data = pd.read_csv('/Users/monserratlopez/Library/CloudStorage/
       GoogleDrive-lopezmonserrat.14@gmail.com/My Drive/4. Education/1_Master/
       →2_Hertie_MDS/2_SecondSemester/1_MachineLearning/1_Assignments/3_HW/
       ⇔Lab2_Homework3/train_data.csv', sep=',')
      # Test data
     test_data = pd.read_csv('/Users/monserratlopez/Library/CloudStorage/
       GoogleDrive-lopezmonserrat.140gmail.com/My Drive/4. Education/1_Master/
       →2_Hertie_MDS/2_SecondSemester/1_MachineLearning/1_Assignments/3_HW/
      ## Show the first five entries from both the training and testing datasets,
     train_data.head()
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      [5 rows x 35 columns]
[17]: | ## Use the info() method to review the details of the columns in each dataset.
      train_data.info()
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     RangeIndex: 2904 entries, 0 to 2903
     Data columns (total 35 columns):
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3	Course	2904	non-null	int64		
4	Daytime/evening attendance	2904	non-null	int64		
5	Previous qualification	2904	non-null	int64		
6	Nacionality	2904	non-null	int64		
7	Mother's qualification	2904	non-null	int64		
8	Father's qualification	2904	non-null	int64		
9	Mother's occupation	2904	non-null	int64		
10	Father's occupation	2904	non-null	int64		
11	Displaced	2904	non-null	int64		
12	Educational special needs	2904	non-null	int64		
13	Debtor	2904	non-null	int64		
14	Tuition fees up to date	2904	non-null	int64		
15	Gender	2904	non-null	int64		
16	Scholarship holder	2904	non-null	int64		
17	Age at enrollment	2904	non-null	int64		
18	International	2904	non-null	int64		
19	Curricular units 1st sem (credited)	2904	non-null	int64		
20	Curricular units 1st sem (enrolled)	2904	non-null	int64		
21	Curricular units 1st sem (evaluations)	2904	non-null	int64		
22	Curricular units 1st sem (approved)	2904	non-null	int64		
23	Curricular units 1st sem (grade)	2904	non-null	float64		
24	Curricular units 1st sem (without evaluations)	2904	non-null	int64		
25	Curricular units 2nd sem (credited)	2904	non-null	int64		
26	Curricular units 2nd sem (enrolled)	2904	non-null	int64		
27	Curricular units 2nd sem (evaluations)	2904	non-null	int64		
28	Curricular units 2nd sem (approved)	2904	non-null	int64		
29	Curricular units 2nd sem (grade)	2904	non-null	float64		
30	Curricular units 2nd sem (without evaluations)	2904	non-null	int64		
31	Unemployment rate	2904	non-null	float64		
32	Inflation rate	2904	non-null	float64		
33	GDP	2904	non-null	float64		
34	Target	2904	non-null	int64		
dtypes: float64(5), int64(30)						
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memory usage: 794.2 KB

[18]: test_data.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'> RangeIndex: 726 entries, 0 to 725 Data columns (total 35 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Marital status	726 non-null	int64
1	Application mode	726 non-null	int64
2	Application order	726 non-null	int64
3	Course	726 non-null	int64
4	Daytime/evening attendance	726 non-null	int64

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dtypes: float64(5), int64(30)
memory usage: 198.6 KB
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0.5 Task 2: Separate Data and Labels (1 mark)

Separate features and target labels for both training and test datasets.

Last column "Target" has the labels for both training and test data.

Label 1 = Graduate and Label 0 = Dropout

Previous qualification

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```
[20]: # Separate features and target labels for both training and test datasets.
# Define features and labels

# For the training data
X_train = train_data.drop(['Target'], axis=1)
y_train = train_data['Target'].astype(int)

# For test data
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```
X_test = test_data.drop(['Target'], axis=1)
y_test = test_data['Target'].astype(int)
```

0.6 Task 3: Check for Missing Values (1 mark)

Check and handle any missing values in the training and test datasets.

```
[21]: # For the training data train_data.isna().sum() / len(train_data) * 100
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Marital status	0.0
Application mode	0.0
	0.0
Course	0.0
Daytime/evening attendance	0.0
·	0.0
Nacionality	0.0
Mother's qualification	0.0
Father's qualification	0.0
Mother's occupation	0.0
Father's occupation	0.0
Displaced	0.0
Educational special needs	0.0
Debtor	0.0
Tuition fees up to date	0.0
Gender	0.0
Scholarship holder	0.0
Age at enrollment	0.0
International	0.0
Curricular units 1st sem (credited)	0.0
Curricular units 1st sem (enrolled)	0.0
Curricular units 1st sem (evaluations)	0.0
Curricular units 1st sem (approved)	0.0
Curricular units 1st sem (grade)	0.0
Curricular units 1st sem (without evaluations)	0.0
Curricular units 2nd sem (credited)	0.0
Curricular units 2nd sem (enrolled)	0.0
Curricular units 2nd sem (evaluations)	0.0
Curricular units 2nd sem (approved)	0.0
Curricular units 2nd sem (grade)	0.0
Curricular units 2nd sem (without evaluations)	0.0
Unemployment rate	0.0
Inflation rate	0.0
GDP	0.0
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[23]: # For test data
      test_data.isna().sum() / len(test_data) * 100
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      GDP
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      Target
      dtype: float64
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0.7 Task 4: Data Overview (1 marks)

Check the size of the dataset, including the number of training samples, test samples and features. Print these details.

```
[26]: # Number of training samples and features train_samples, train_features = X_train.shape
```

```
# Number of test samples and features
test_samples, test_features = X_test.shape

# Print the details
print("For the training dataset:")
print("Training samples:", train_samples)
print("Training features:", train_features)

print("\nFor the test dataset:")
print("Test samples:", test_samples)
print("Test features:", test_features)
```

For the training dataset: Training samples: 2904 Training features: 34 For the test dataset: Training samples: 726 Training features: 34

0.8 Task 5: 10-fold Cross Validation (1 marks)

Implement 10-fold cross validation on your standardized training data to validate the performance of your models.

```
[34]: # Normalize the data
scaler = StandardScaler()
X_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
X_test_scaled = scaler.transform(X_test)
```

```
Cross-validated Accuracy Scores:

[0.90034364 0.9209622 0.91408935 0.91752577 0.90689655 0.91034483 0.89655172 0.92758621 0.9137931 0.93103448]
```

0.9 Task 6: Model Implementation and Hyperparameter Tuning

Develop at least two different classification models.

0.9.1 Part A: First Classification Model (2 marks)

Model Implementation (1 mark): Implement your first classification model using any set of initial hyperparameters. Explain your choice of model and the initial parameters you selected.

Parameter Tuning (1 mark): Apply cross-validation to tune the parameters.

```
[45]: # Apply Random Forest
rf = RandomForestClassifier(random_state=42)
rf.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
```

[45]: RandomForestClassifier(random_state=42)

```
[50]: # Grid search for hyperparameter tuning
param_grid = {
    'n_estimators': [50, 100],
    'max_depth': [None, 10],
    'min_samples_split': [2, 5]
}

cv_rf = GridSearchCV(estimator=rf, param_grid=param_grid, cv=10)
cv_rf.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
#cv_rf is the model after GridSearchCV
#has found the best parameters and refitted the model using these parameters on______
the entire training set

# Best parameters
print("Best parameters:", cv_rf.best_params_)
```

Best parameters: {'max_depth': 10, 'min_samples_split': 2, 'n_estimators': 100}

```
[71]: # Evaluate the model on the test set

# Predictions on the test set
y_pred_rf = cv_rf.predict(X_test_scaled)

# Performance metrics
print("Accuracy for Random Forest:", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_rf))
```

Accuracy for Random Forest: 0.90633608815427

0.9.2 Part B: Second Classification Model (2 marks)

Model Implementation (1 mark): Implement your second classification model with a different set of initial hyperparameters. Provide a rationale for your choice of model and the parameters.

Parameter Tuning (1 mark): Use cross-validation to refine the parameters.

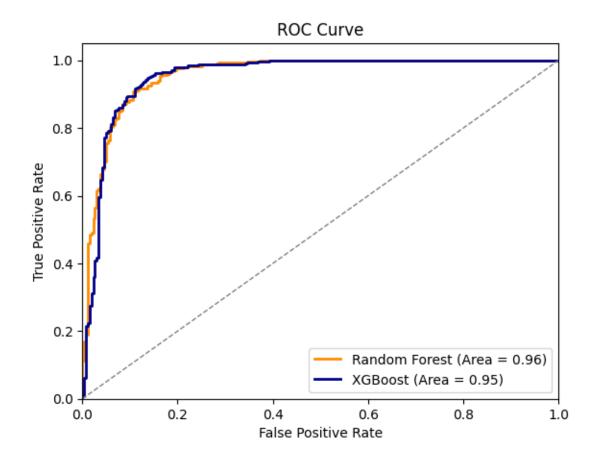
```
[56]: # Initialize and train the XGBoost classifier
      xgb = XGBClassifier(use_label_encoder=False, eval_metric='logloss',_
       →random_state=42)
      xgb.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
[56]: XGBClassifier(base_score=None, booster=None, callbacks=None,
                    colsample_bylevel=None, colsample_bynode=None,
                    colsample_bytree=None, device=None, early_stopping_rounds=None,
                    enable_categorical=False, eval_metric='logloss',
                    feature types=None, gamma=None, grow policy=None,
                    importance type=None, interaction constraints=None,
                    learning_rate=None, max_bin=None, max_cat_threshold=None,
                    max_cat_to_onehot=None, max_delta_step=None, max_depth=None,
                    max_leaves=None, min_child_weight=None, missing=nan,
                    monotone_constraints=None, multi_strategy=None, n_estimators=None,
                    n_jobs=None, num_parallel_tree=None, random_state=42, ...)
[57]: param_grid = {
          'n_estimators': [50, 100],
          'max_depth': [3, 5],
          'learning_rate': [0.01, 0.1]
      }
      # Initialize GridSearchCV and fit to find the best parameters
      grid_search = GridSearchCV(xgb, param_grid, scoring='accuracy', cv=10, __
       →verbose=1)
      grid_search.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
      # Print best parameters found by GridSearchCV
      best_params = grid_search.best_params_
      print("Best parameters:", best_params)
     Fitting 10 folds for each of 8 candidates, totalling 80 fits
     Best parameters: {'learning_rate': 0.1, 'max_depth': 3, 'n_estimators': 100}
[72]: # Predictions on the test set
      y_pred_xgb = grid_search.predict(X_test_scaled)
      # Performance metrics
      print("Accuracy for XGBoost classifier:", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_xgb))
```

Accuracy for XGBoost classifier: 0.9173553719008265

0.10 Task 7: Summarize the comparison of the two models in terms of accuracy and confusion matrices(1 mark). Plot the ROC-AUC Curve (1 mark).

```
[73]: from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix, roc_curve, auc
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      # Calculate accuracy for Random Forest
      accuracy rf = accuracy score(y test, y pred rf)
      print("Accuracy for Random Forest:", accuracy_rf)
      # Calculate accuracy for XGBoost
      accuracy_xgb = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_xgb)
      print("Accuracy for XGBoost:", accuracy_xgb)
      # Confusion matrix for Random Forest
      cm_rf = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_rf)
      print("Confusion matrix for Random Forest:")
      print(cm_rf)
      # Confusion matrix for XGBoost
      cm_xgb = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_xgb)
      print("Confusion matrix for XGBoost:")
      print(cm_xgb)
     Accuracy for Random Forest: 0.90633608815427
     Accuracy for XGBoost: 0.9173553719008265
                                                                nice work!
     Confusion matrix for Random Forest:
     [[220 43]
      [ 25 438]]
     Confusion matrix for XGBoost:
     [[221 42]
      [ 18 445]]
[76]: # Plot the ROC-AUC Curve
      from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve, auc
      import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      # Compute predicted probabilities for Random Forest and XGBoost
      y_pred_rf = cv_rf.predict_proba(X_test_scaled)[:, 1]
      y_pred_xgb = grid_search.predict_proba(X_test_scaled)[:, 1]
      # Compute ROC curve and ROC area for Random Forest
      fpr_rf, tpr_rf, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_pred_rf)
      roc_auc_rf = auc(fpr_rf, tpr_rf)
      # Compute ROC curve and ROC area for XGBoost
      fpr_xgb, tpr_xgb, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_pred_xgb)
      roc_auc_xgb = auc(fpr_xgb, tpr_xgb)
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# Plot ROC curve for Random Forest
plt.figure()
plt.plot(fpr_rf, tpr_rf, color='darkorange', lw=2, label='Random Forest (Area =_ |
 4\%0.2f)' % roc_auc_rf)
# Plot ROC curve for XGBoost
plt.plot(fpr_xgb, tpr_xgb, color='darkblue', lw=2, label='XGBoost (Area = %0.
 # Plot ROC curve for random guessing (diagonal line)
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], color='gray', lw=1, linestyle='--')
# Set plot labels and title
plt.xlim([0.0, 1.0])
plt.ylim([0.0, 1.05])
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.title('ROC Curve')
plt.legend(loc="lower right")
# Show plot
plt.show()
```



0.11 Task 8: Friendly Competition for Highest Accuracy (3 marks)

Let's make this interesting! Participate in a friendly competition with your classmates to achieve the highest accuracy on the test set. To add a little extra fun, we will maintain a leaderboard on the classroom whiteboard, updating it regularly to showcase the top performances.

This is a great opportunity to learn from each other, push your skills to the limit, and maybe even earn some bragging rights!

Best of luck, and let's see what you can achieve!

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[77]: ### print("Test set accuracy for the chosen model:", accuracy_score(y_{test, u} \rightarrow y_{pred_xgb})) # y_{pred_xgb} has the test labels predicted by your model
```

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ValueError Traceback (most recent call last)
Cell In[77], line 1
----> 1 print("Test set accuracy for the chosen model:",□

daccuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_xgb)) # y_pred has the test labels predicted by your model
```

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File ~/miniconda3/envs/ML/lib/python3.10/site-packages/sklearn/utils/
 - param_validation.py:213, in validate_params.<locals>.decorator.<locals>.
 →wrapper(*args, **kwargs)
    207 try:
    208
            with config context(
    209
                skip_parameter_validation=(
    210
                    prefer_skip_nested_validation or global_skip_validation
    211
    212
            ):
--> 213
                return func(*args, **kwargs)
    214 except InvalidParameterError as e:
            # When the function is just a wrapper around an estimator, we allow
            # the function to delegate validation to the estimator, but well
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            # the name of the estimator by the name of the function in the error
            # message to avoid confusion.
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            msg = re.sub(
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                r"parameter of \w+ must be",
                f"parameter of {func.__qualname__} must be",
    221
    222
                str(e).
    223
            )
File ~/miniconda3/envs/ML/lib/python3.10/site-packages/sklearn/metrics/
 →_classification.py:213, in accuracy_score(y_true, y_pred, normalize,_
 ⇔sample weight)
    147 """Accuracy classification score.
    148
    149 In multilabel classification, this function computes subset accuracy:
   (...)
    209 0.5
    210 """
    212 # Compute accuracy for each possible representation
--> 213 y_type, y_true, y_pred = _check_targets(y_true, y_pred)
    214 check_consistent_length(y_true, y_pred, sample_weight)
    215 if y_type.startswith("multilabel"):
File ~/miniconda3/envs/ML/lib/python3.10/site-packages/sklearn/metrics/
 ← classification.py:94, in _check_targets(y_true, y_pred)
            y_type = {"multiclass"}
     91
     93 if len(y type) > 1:
---> 94
            raise ValueError(
                "Classification metrics can't handle a mix of \{0\} and \{1\}_{\sqcup}
 →targets".format(
     96
                    type_true, type_pred
     97
     98
    100 # We can't have more than one value on y type => The set is no more !!
 ⊶needed
```

```
101 y_type = y_type.pop()

ValueError: Classification metrics can't handle a mix of binary and continuous 

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