

Stroke Predictor

University of Minnesota Data Visualization and Analytics Boot Camp

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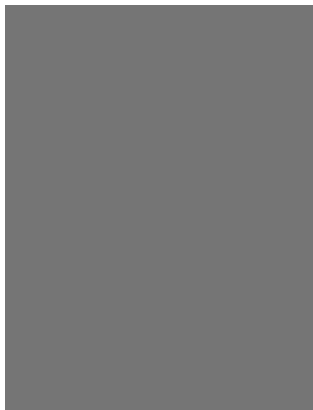
Team 2

Team 2 members all work at Mayo Clinic.



Janice Courtois

- Works in Healthcare Technology Management
- Lives on horse ranch
- Travels often to visit kids & grandson



Alex Norgren



Tom Pankratz

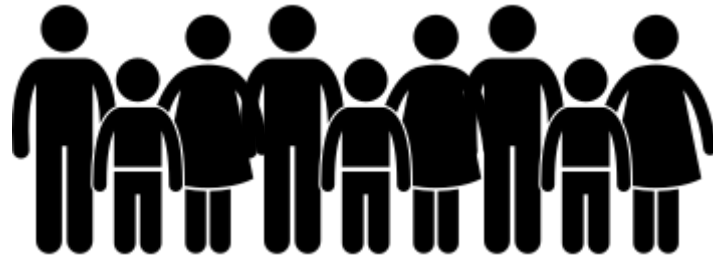
- 19 years at Mayo Clinic
- Manages a digital experimentation team
- Dad of 4



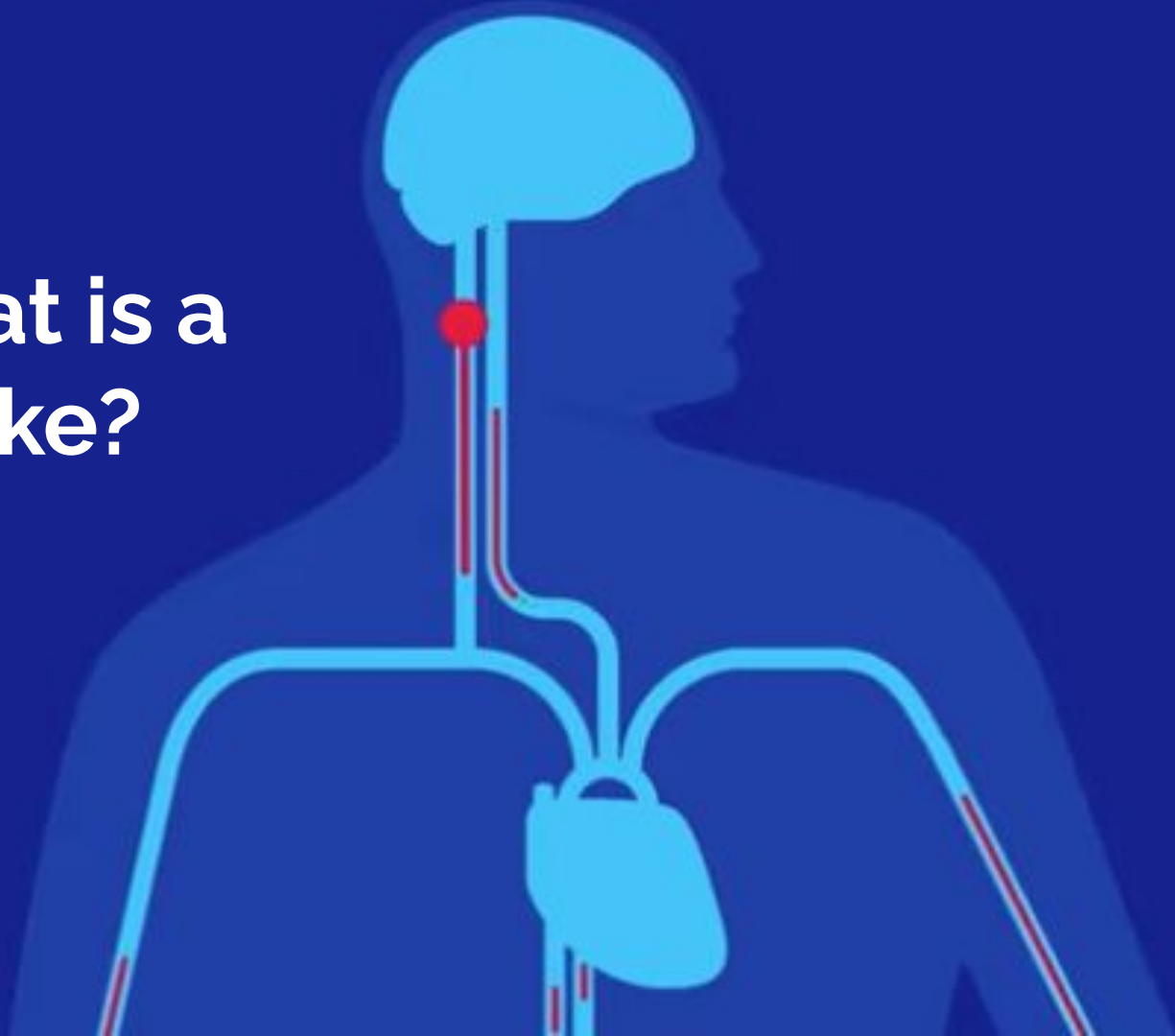
Rachel Rautenberg

- Holds MHA
- 14 years at Mayo
- Mom of 4
- Enjoys the chaos

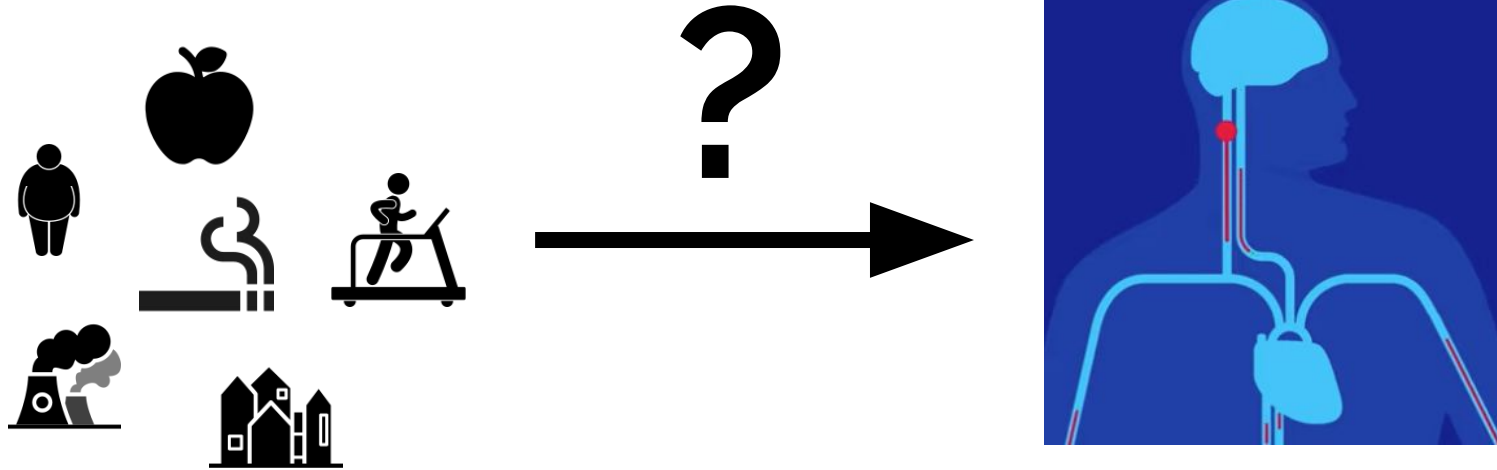
Topic: Stroke mortality



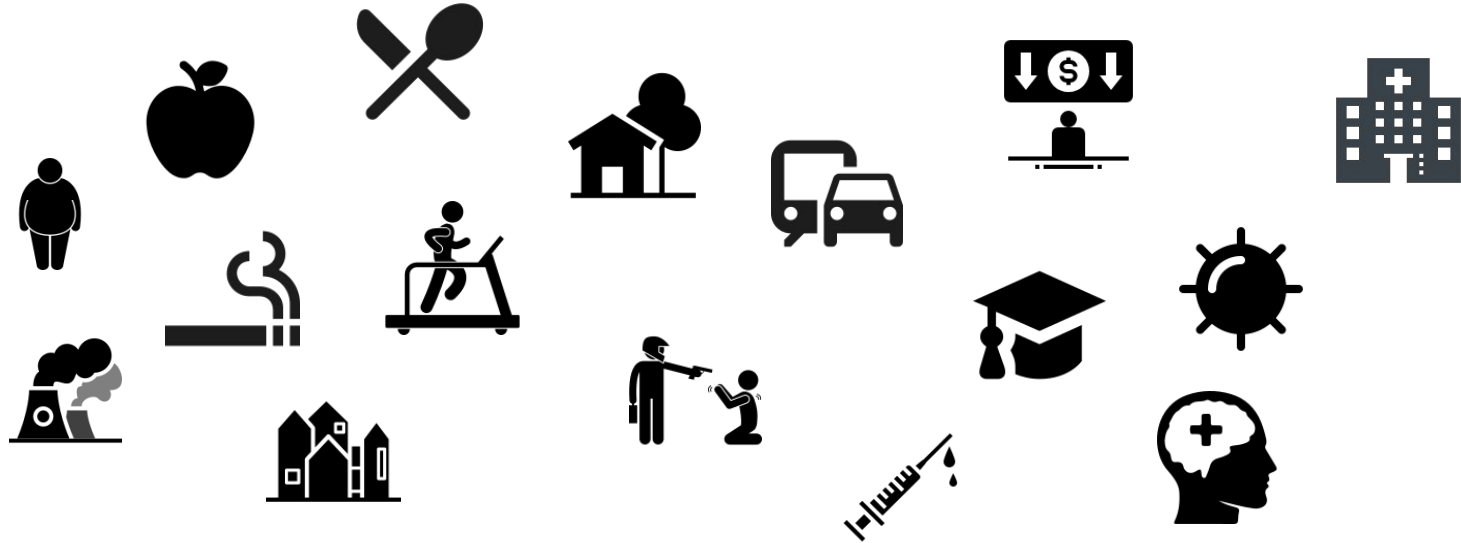
**What is a
stroke?**



Goal of project & questions?



Brainstorming possible factors



Factors we landed on

Health-related:

- Smoking
- Obesity
- Access to healthy foods
- Access to exercise opportunities
- Primary care availability
- Availability of mental health providers

Social-related:

- College education
- Unemployment
- Income
- Violent crime rate
- Air pollution
- Length and type of commute to work
- Urban vs. rural

Source data



**Stroke Mortality Data Among US Adults
(35+) by State/Territory and County (2018)**

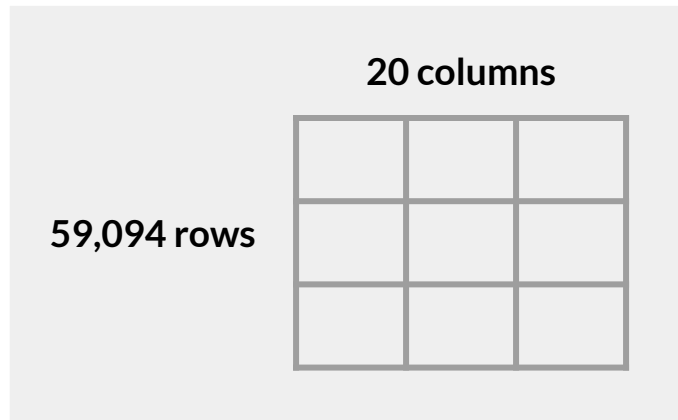


County Health Rankings (2018)

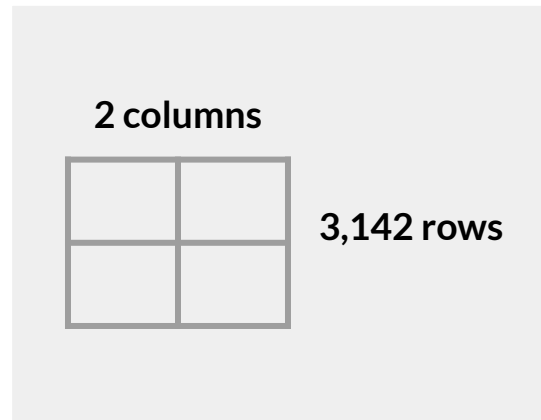
Data exploration and integration

- Cleaning
- Preprocessing
- Merging in PostgreSQL

Target: Stroke mortality dataset

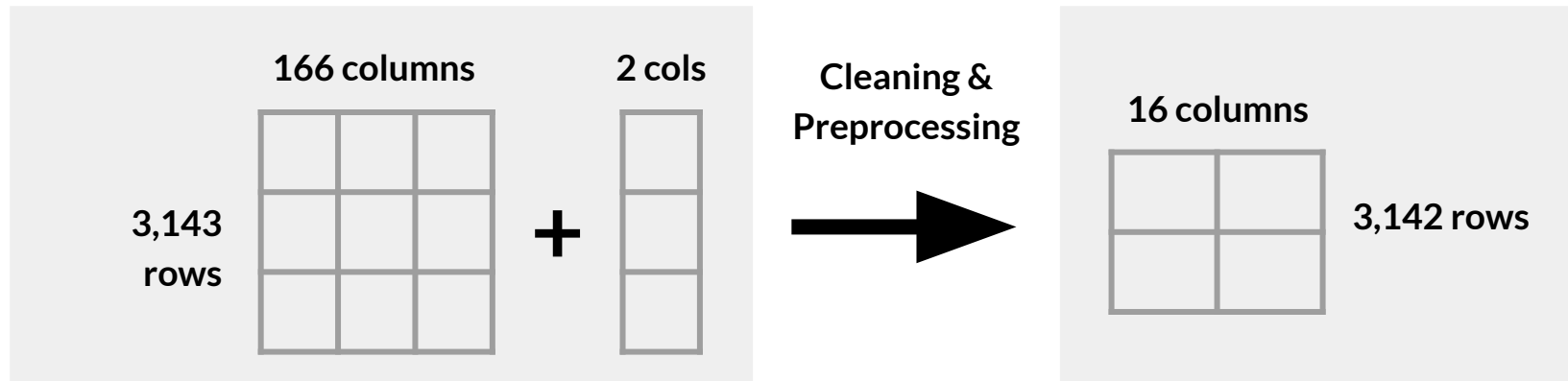


Cleaning &
Preprocessing



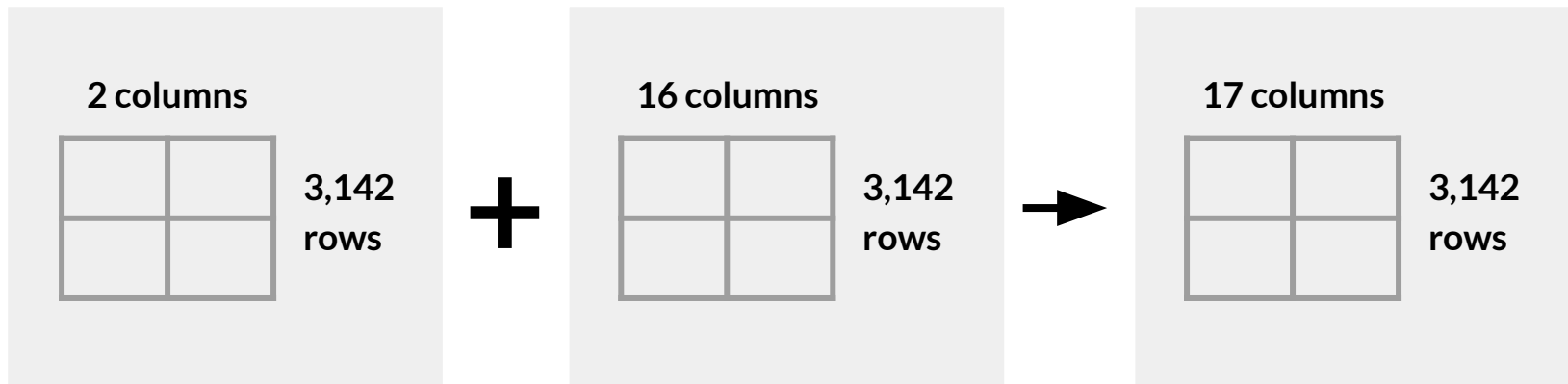
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Features: Health rankings datasets



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Datasets merge via PostgreSQL



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[PostgreSQL post-join view](#)

Analysis

- Machine learning model exploration
- Training and testing
- Model choice
- Model importances
- Model output and usage

Machine learning model exploration

Machine learning model exploration

```
print('Root Mean Squared Error:', np.sqrt(metrics.mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred)))
```

Mean Absolute Error: 9.381482041587901
Mean Squared Error: 147.05343147069945
Root Mean Squared Error: 12.12655892950261

```
[16] # Optimize / tune
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
random_forest_tuning = RandomForestRegressor(random_state = 1)
param_grid = {
    'n_estimators': [10, 20, 50],
    'max_features': ['auto', 'sqrt', 'log2'],
    'max_depth' : [5,10,15],
    'criterion' :['squared_error', 'absolute_error']
}
g_search = GridSearchCV(estimator=random_forest_tuning, param_grid=param_grid, cv=5, n_jobs = 1, verbose = 0)
g_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
print(g_search.best_params_)

{'criterion': 'absolute_error', 'max_depth': 15, 'max_features': 'sqrt', 'n_estimators': 50}
```

```
# Test with tuned parameters
regressor = RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=50, criterion='absolute_error', max_depth=15, max_features='sqrt', random_state=0)
regressor.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_pred = regressor.predict(X_test)

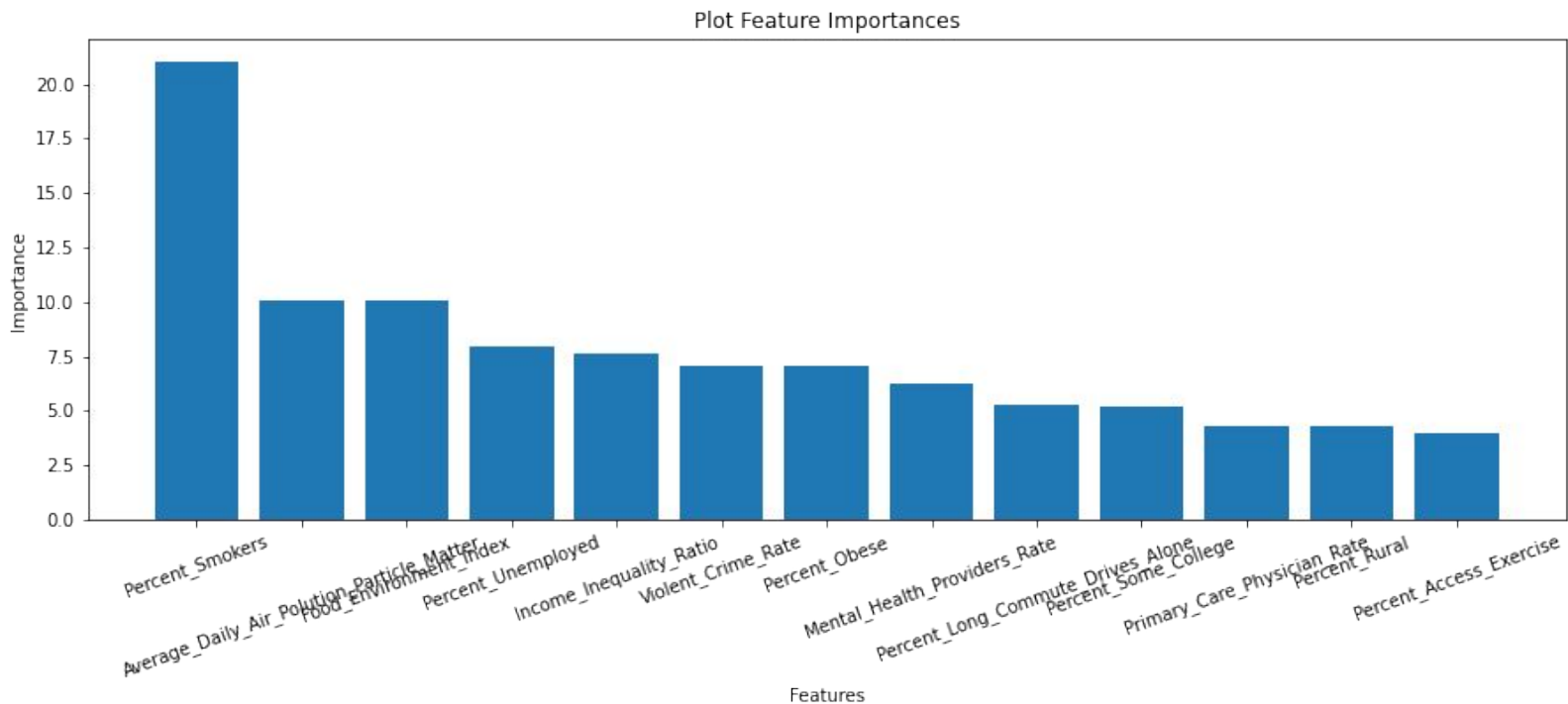
print('Mean Absolute Error:', metrics.mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred))
print('Mean Squared Error:', metrics.mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred))
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Mean Absolute Error: 9.1944404536862
Mean Squared Error: 142.1976518204159
Root Mean Squared Error: 11.924665690090263

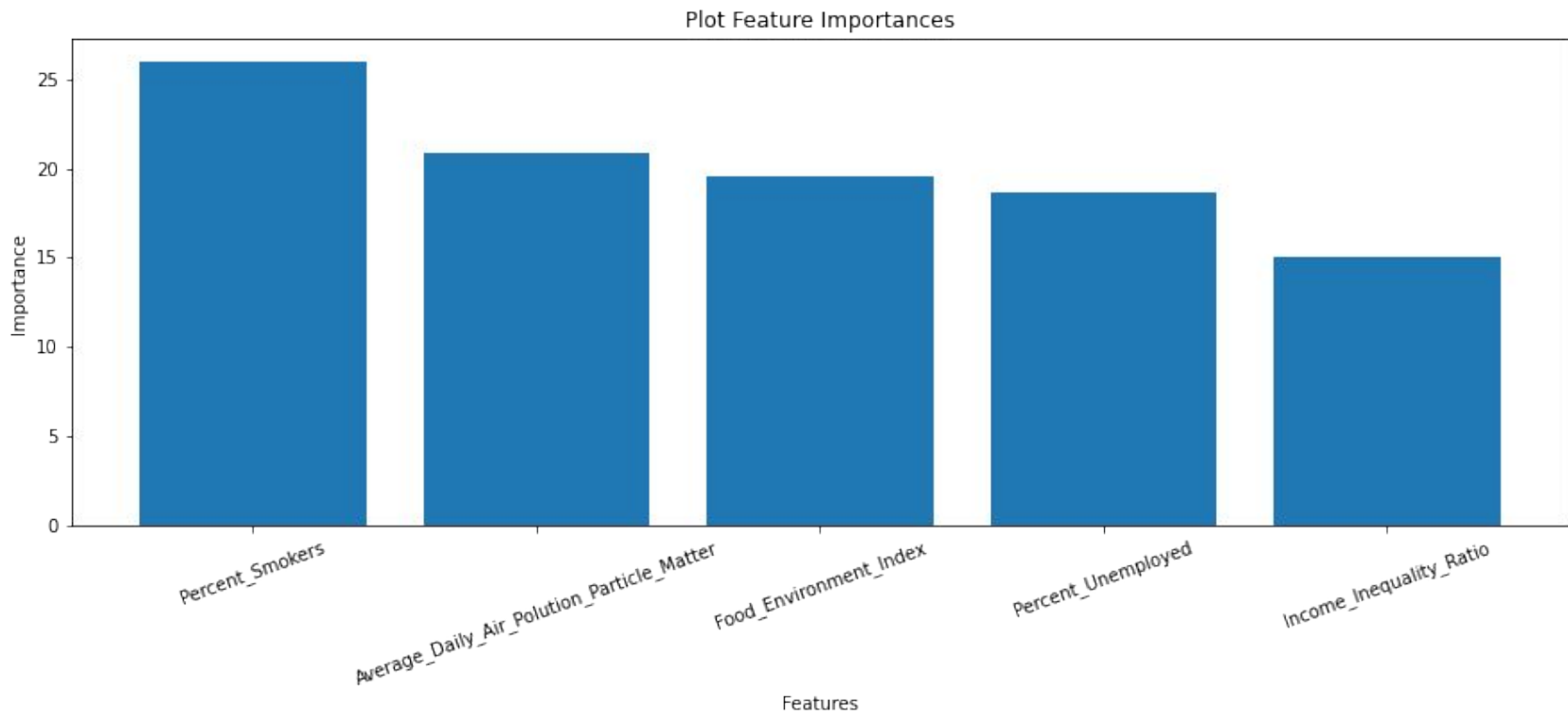
Training and testing

Model choice

Model importances



Model importances: Top 5



Model output and usage

Question: Could we input variations of the feature data to determine what sort of effect it would have on stroke mortality?

The stroke predictor web input form

Show apps

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Stroke Predictor



⬇ Enter any combination of health and social factor values below to predict effect on Stroke Mortality

Percent Smokers:*

0-100

(U.S. counties range: 7-43%); [Learn more](#)

Average Daily Air Pollution Particle Matter:*

0-20

(U.S. counties range: 4.2-15.4); [Learn more](#)

Food Environment Index:*

0-10

(U.S. counties range: 0-10); [Learn more](#)

Percent Unemployed:*

0-100

(U.S. counties range: 1.7-23.5%); [Learn more](#)

Income Inequality Ratio:*

0-10

(U.S. counties range: 2.7-8.9); [Learn more](#)

Required*

Predict effect on stroke mortality

Stroke Mortality per 100,000 people:

96.6 deaths

Percent_Smokers:

80.2

Average_Daily_Air_Pollution_Particle_Matter:

12.7

Food_Environment_Index:

5.5

Percent_Unemployed:

8.9

Income_Inequality_Ratio:

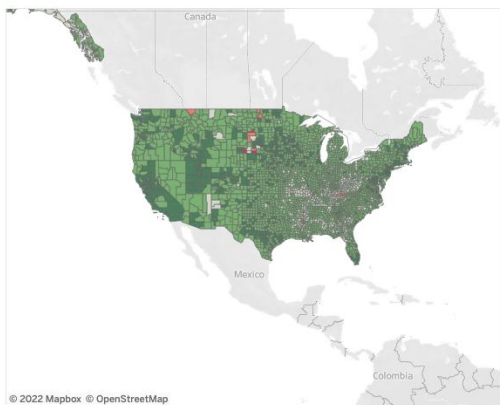
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Features data maps dashboard

Factors that could correlate with Stroke Mortality rates

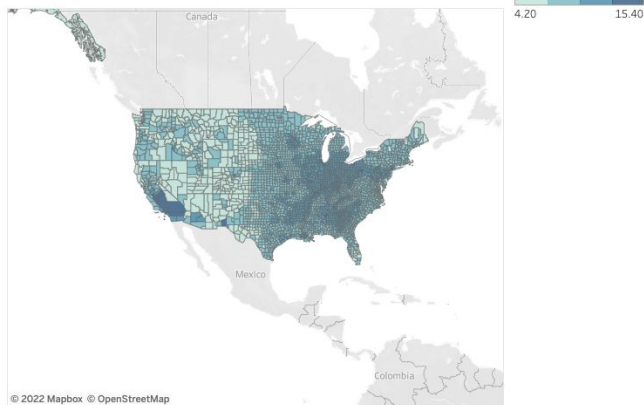
Percent Smokers: [Get details from County Health Rankings & Roadmaps](#)

Percent Smokers



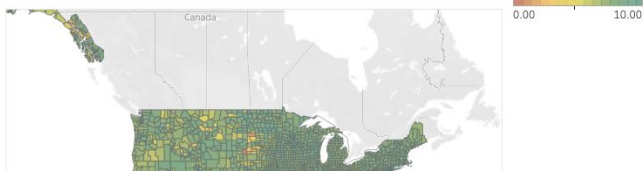
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Average Daily Air Pollution Particle Matter



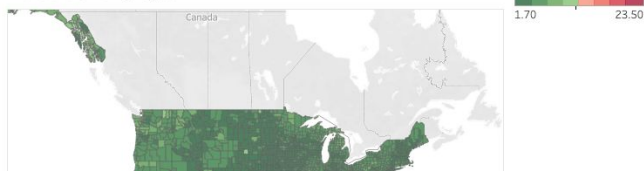
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Percent Unemployed



Result of analysis

- Results following model inputs
- Recommendation for future analysis
- What could we have done differently?

Results

Percent Smokers appeared to have the largest impact on stroke mortality, but beyond that, it was difficult to determine impacts from the other features. It was less a matter of machine learning model choice, and more a matter of the choice of features/factors.

Recommendations

Choose features/factors that have already been determined by the health care community to have a larger impact on predicting stroke mortality, as a starting point.