

Heart Disease Prediction:

Nutritional Labels for An
Automated Decision
System in Healthcare

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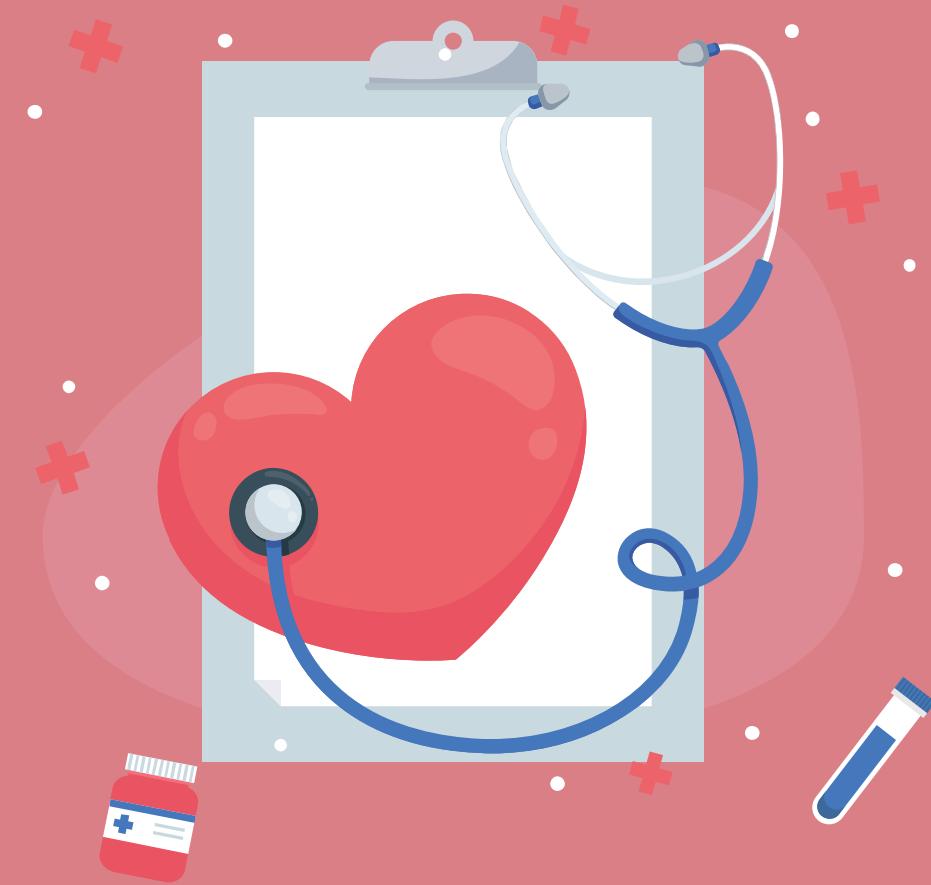


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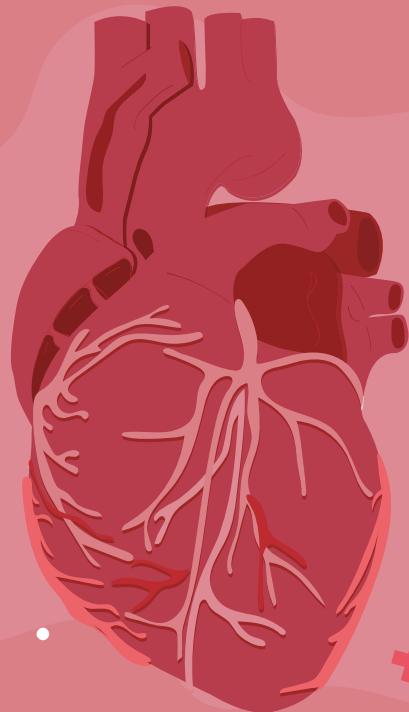
Observations and Suggestions





Background

- We propose to build a nutritional label for an ADS system that predicts heart disease using a healthcare dataset from Kaggle.
- We believe that it is important to provide a nutritional label for healthcare ADS systems in order to **prevent bias** and **increase trust** in the system.



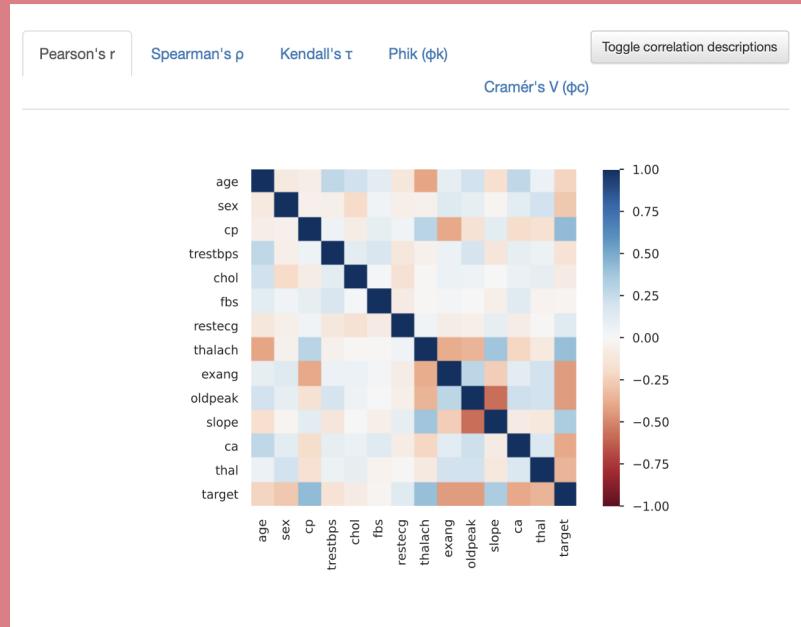
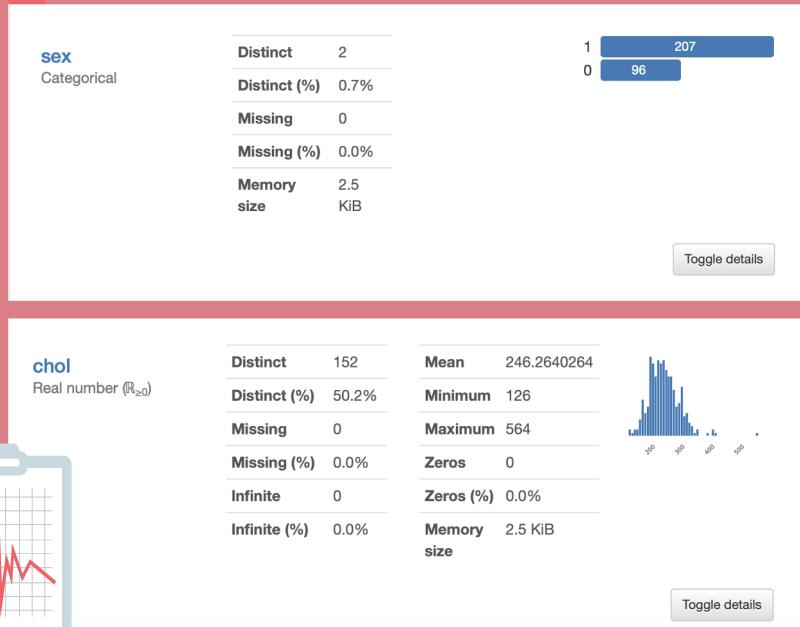
Input of data



Variable name	Variable description	Datatype	Type	Num of distinct values	Num of missing values
age	Age in years	int	continuous	41	0
sex	1 = male; 0 = female	int	categorical	2	0
cp	Chest pain type	int	categorical	4	0
trestbps	resting blood pressure (in mm Hg on admission to the hospital)	int	continuous	49	0
chol	serum cholesterol in mg/dl	int	continuous	152	0
fbs	fasting blood sugar > 120 mg/dl: 1 = true: 0 = false	int	continuous	2	0
restecg	resting electrocardiographic results	int	categorical	3	0
thalac	maximum heart rate achieved	int	continuous	91	0
exang	exercise induced angina (1 = yes; 0 = no)	int	categorical	2	0
oldpeak	ST depression induced by exercise relative to rest	float	continuous	40	0
slope	the slope of the peak exercise ST segment	int	categorical	3	0
ca	number of major vessels (0-3) colored by fluoroscopy	int	categorical	5	0
thal	3 = normal; 6 = fixed defect; 7 = reversible defect	int	categorical	4	0
target	1 or 0	int	categorical	2	0



Output of Data

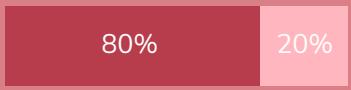


Observation:

1. The values for the 'sex' feature is imbalanced: fewer women than men in the dataset (96 versus 207).
2. Positive correlation between chest pain (cp) and target (our predictor).
3. Negative correlation between exercise induced angina (exang) and our predictor.

Implementation and Validation

Model Preparation



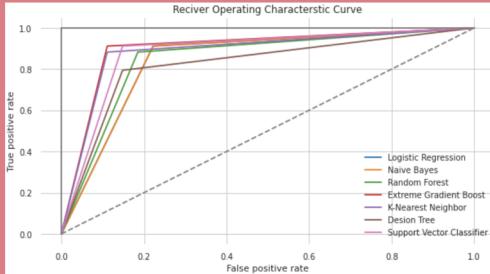
Train Set Test Set

Modeling / Training

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confusion matrix  
[[24  3]  
 [ 3 31]]  
  
Accuracy of Extreme Gradient Boost: 90.1639344262295  
  
precision    recall    f1-score   support  
  
          0       0.89      0.89      0.89     27  
          1       0.91      0.91      0.91     34  
  
accuracy         0.90      0.90      0.90     61  
macro avg       0.90      0.90      0.90     61  
weighted avg     0.90      0.90      0.90     61
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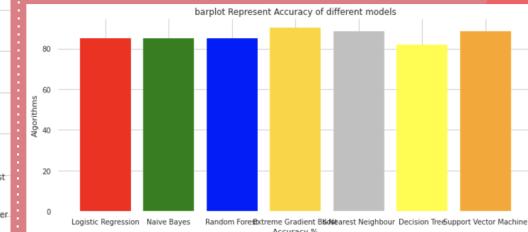
E.g. Extreme Gradient Boost model

Model Evaluation



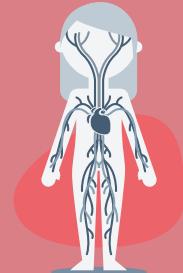
E.g. ROC curve of all of the models

Model Output



E.g. Accuracy of different models

Fairness Measures: evaluate different subpopulations (divided by sex)



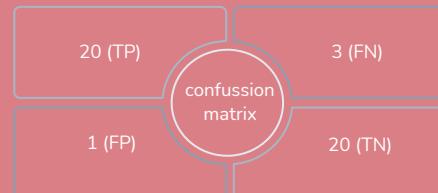
Female

Accuracy on female subpopulation is
88.2%



Male

Accuracy on male subpopulation is
90.9%.



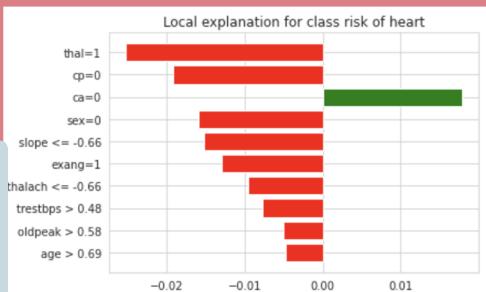
Observation:

1. The difference in accuracy between the genders is **2.7%**.
2. The False positive rate (FPR) for male patients is **much lower** than the FPR for female patients (4.7% versus 33.3% respectively).
3. The False negative rate (FNR) for male patients is **higher** than the FNR for female patients (13% versus 0% respectively).

Interpretability



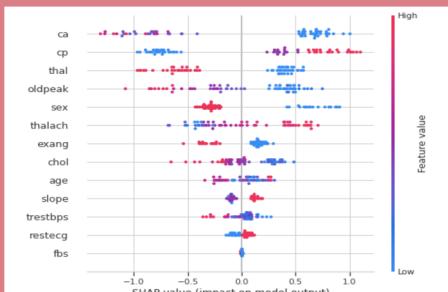
LIME



- Result: Share some of the top features comparing with XGboost feature importance, but sometimes the prediction is completely opposite.



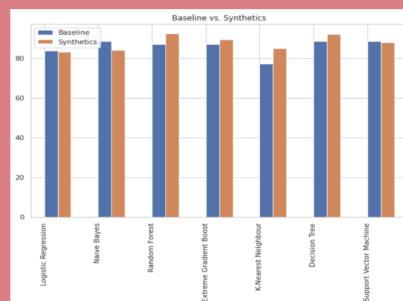
SHAP



- Result: Summary plot is explainable and replaces the typical bar chart of feature importance.

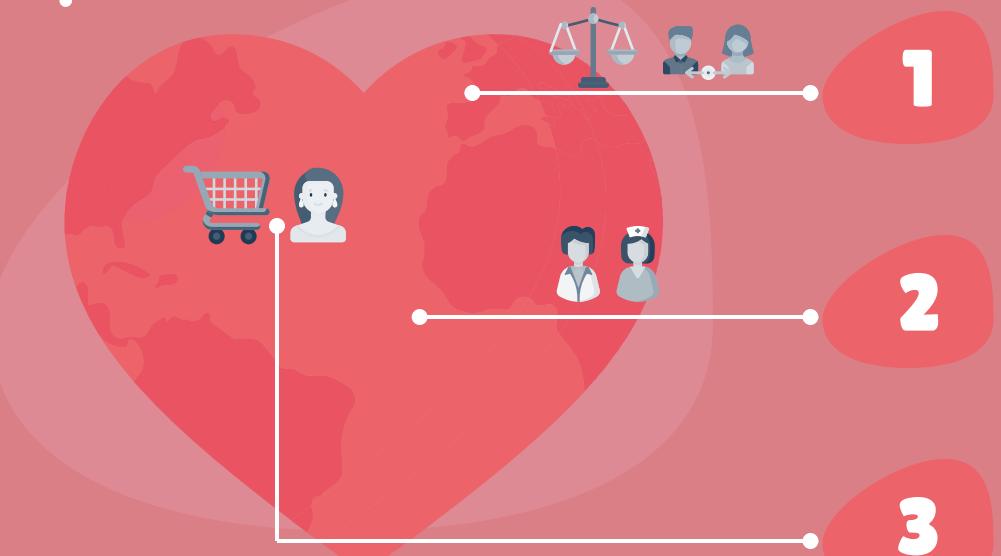


Synthetic Data



- Result: The synthetic data model shows improvements in 4 out of 6 classification.

Summary



Fairness is crucial because the ADS should be equally accurate for both men and women.

The ADS tool should only be used by medical professions in conjunction with in-person health checkups.

Collect more data from female patients. Deal with imbalanced dataset issue using synthetic data to reduce algorithmic biases.



Thank you !