Predicting the Accident Severity from Sample Dataset

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Business Problem

In this project we will predict accident severity based on different features. This report will be targeted to Police officer to make them more wary for these particular places.

Data

In this project we will use sample dataset "Data-Collision" to solve the problem.

Data Cleaning

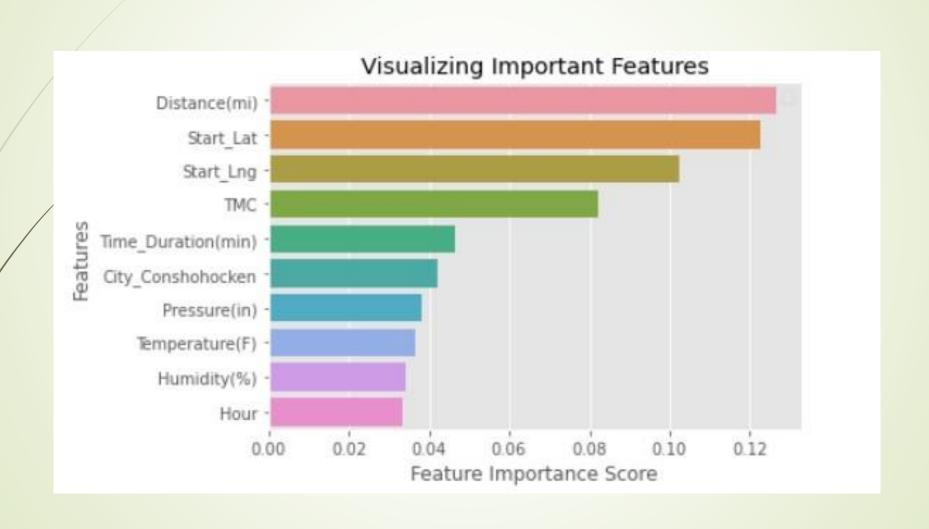
We will drop these columns:

- INCKEY, COLDETKEY, STATUS: I don't know the importance of matching unique key and secondary key, would be appreciated if someone could tell me as I can't find it on internet.
- OBJECT ID, REPORTNO, INTKEY, EXCEPTRSNCODE, EXCEPTRSNDESC, SDOTCOLNUM: Not relevant to predict Severity
- SEVERITYCODE.1 : Duplicate of SEVERITYCODE
- SEVERITYDESC, SDOT_COLDESC,ST_COLDESC: Description from another columns
- INCDATE,INCDTTM: For simplicity
- SÆGLANEKEY, CROSSWALKKEY: Too many unique Value

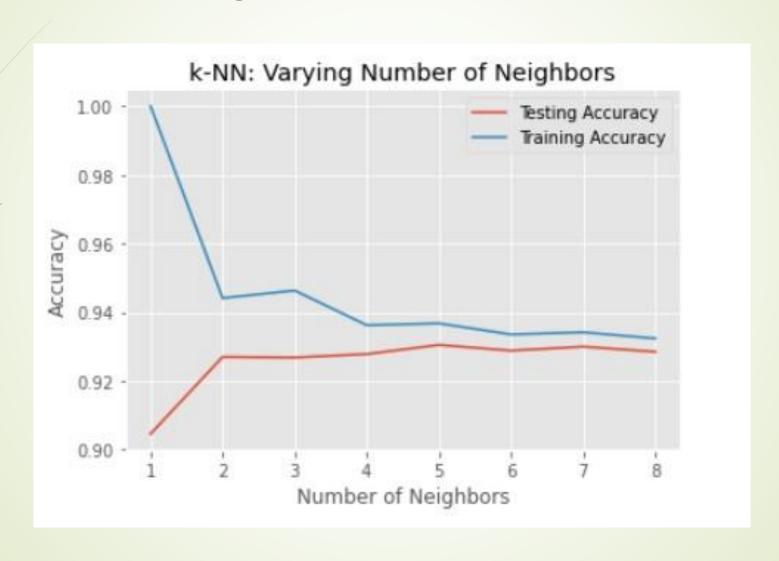
Feature Selection

We assume Location where collision happen will be the most important feature to predict accident severity. Followed by Road Condition, Light Condition, Weather and Description of collision. Based on our assumption We will focusing on location (Junction type, Collision Type)

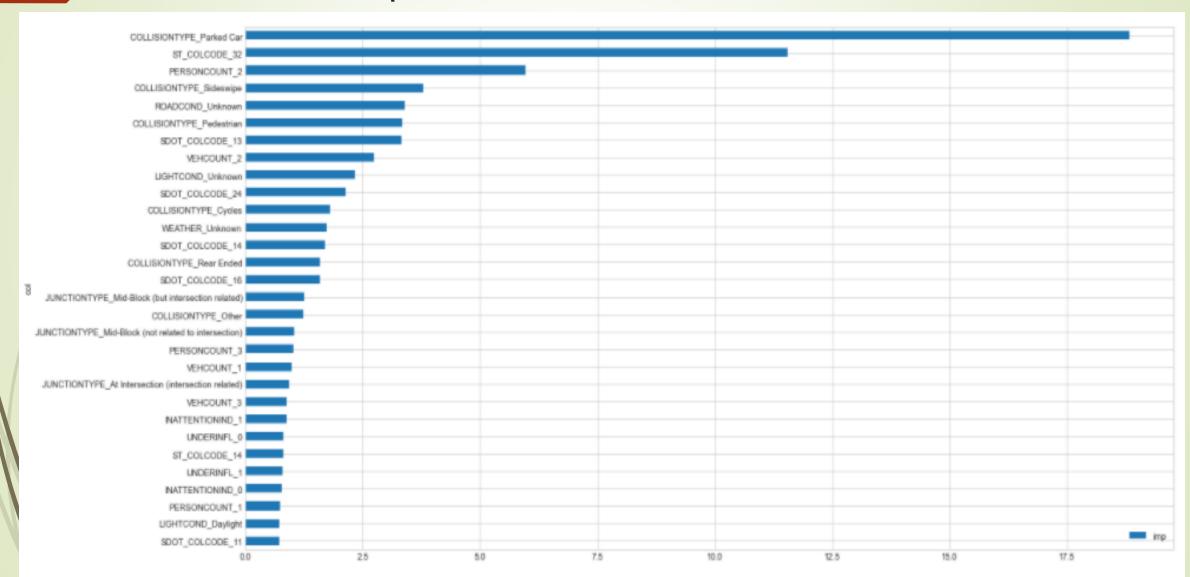
Target Feature: Severity



KNN Neighbours

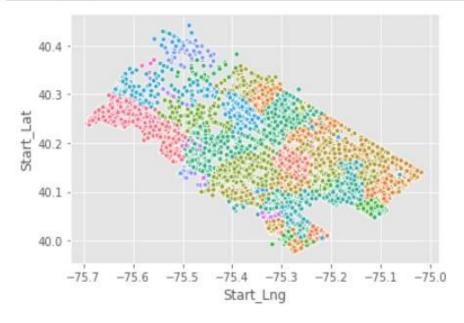


Most Important features in the dataset



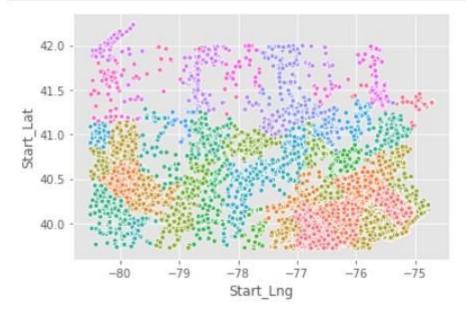
Colour wise clusters by city

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In [24]: # Map of accidents, color code by city
sns.scatterplot(x='Start_Lng', y='Start_Lat', data=df_county, hue='City', legend=False, s=20)
plt.show()
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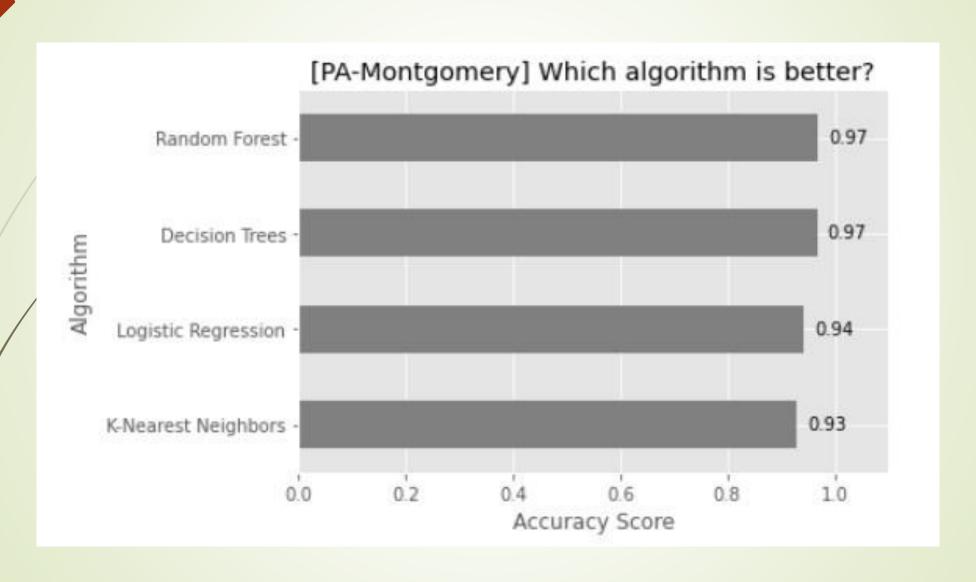


Colour wise clusters by country

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In [22]: # Map of accidents, color code by county
sns.scatterplot(x='Start_Lng', y='Start_Lat', data=df_state, hue='County', legend=False, s=20)
plt.show()
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Final Result from different predictive models



Result and Discussion

- our ML model manage to predict severity of car accident with 97% accuracy, with the most important feature is Collision type with parked car this is make sense because when there is accident with another parked car most likely it will be a property damage collision.
- some feature that I dont use such as INCDATE,INCDTM could be used to predict whether the accident more likely happen at night, day, weekend, weekdays, etc. We could also group up Person Count when the number reach more than 5, and if the target feature has more than 2 variable it probably more useful in real life (such as 3 = fatality, 2 = serious injury, 1 = injury, 0 = property damage).

Conclusion

Purpose of this project was to predict severity of car accident from sample data that I get from Coursera Capstone, This project is targeted to police officer or any interested stakeholder, Algorithm that I used was RandomBoost Algorithm which give our model accuracy of 97%.

Thank You!!!