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Experiment 4: Ensemble Prediction and Decision Tree Model Evaluation

1 Aim

To build, tune, and evaluate machine learning classifiers — Decision Tree, AdaBoost, Gradient Boosting, XGBoost, Random Forest, and a Stacking Classifier (SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree) — on the Wisconsin Diagnostic Breast Cancer Dataset, using 5-Fold Cross-Validation and hyperparameter optimization, and to compare their performance using evaluation metrics and ROC analysis.

2 Libraries Used

- Numpy
- Pandas
- Matplotlib
- Scikit-learn
- Seaborn

3 Objective

- To preprocess the Wisconsin Diagnostic Breast Cancer dataset by encoding labels, handling missing values, and standardizing features.
- To perform Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) to understand class balance and feature correlations.
- To build and train multiple classifiers — Decision Tree, AdaBoost, Gradient Boosting, XGBoost, Random Forest, and a Stacking Classifier.
- To perform hyperparameter tuning using GridSearchCV/RandomizedSearchCV for optimizing model performance.

4 Decision Tree Code

Decision_Tree

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[3]:
```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV,␣
 ↪StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import (
    accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score, roc_auc_score,␣
 ↪roc_curve
)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

[4]:
```
# 1. Load dataset
# wdbc.data does not have headers, so we define them
columns = ["ID", "Diagnosis"] + [f"feature_{i}" for i in range(1, 31)]
data = pd.read_csv("wdbc.data", header=None, names=columns)
```

[5]:
```
# 2. Prepare features and target
X = data.drop(["ID", "Diagnosis"], axis=1)
y = data["Diagnosis"].map({"M": 1, "B": 0})  # Malignant=1, Benign=0
```

[6]:
```
# 4. Preprocessor (scaling not needed for trees, but kept for pipeline␣
 ↪consistency)
num_features = X.columns.tolist()
preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[("scale", StandardScaler(), num_features)],
    remainder="drop"
)
```

[7]:
```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(
    X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
)
```

[8]:
```
# 5. Pipeline
pipe = Pipeline([
    ("prep", preprocessor),
    ("clf", DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42))
])
```

[9]:
```
# 6. Hyperparameter grid
param_grid = {
    "clf__criterion": ["gini", "entropy", "log_loss"],
    "clf__max_depth": [3, 5, 10],
    "clf__min_samples_split": [2, 5, 10],
    "clf__min_samples_leaf": [1, 2, 4],
}
```

[10]:
```
cv = StratifiedKFold(n_splits=5, shuffle=True, random_state=42)
grid = GridSearchCV(pipe, param_grid, cv=cv, scoring="roc_auc", n_jobs=-1,␣
 ↪refit=True)
grid.fit(X_train, y_train)

print("Best Hyperparameters:", grid.best_params_)
print("Best Mean CV AUC:", grid.best_score_)
```

```
Best Hyperparameters: {'clf__criterion': 'gini', 'clf__max_depth': 5,
'clf__min_samples_leaf': 4, 'clf__min_samples_split': 10}
Best Mean CV AUC: 0.9558823529411764
```

[11]:
```
# 8. Evaluate on test set
best_model = grid.best_estimator_
y_pred = best_model.predict(X_test)
y_proba = best_model.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]
```

[12]:
```
print("\nTest Accuracy:", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test Precision:", precision_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test Recall:", recall_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test F1:", f1_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test ROC AUC:", roc_auc_score(y_test, y_proba))
```

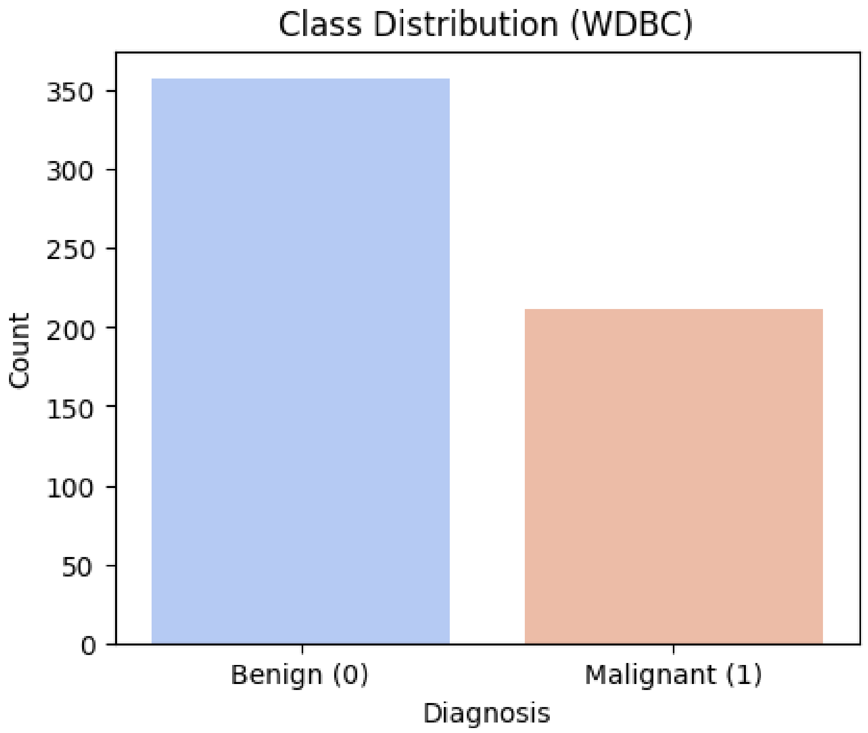
```

Test Accuracy: 0.8771929824561403
Test Precision: 0.9117647058823529
Test Recall: 0.7380952380952381
Test F1: 0.8157894736842105
Test ROC AUC: 0.9654431216931217
```

[13]:
```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix

# ---- Class distribution ----
plt.figure(figsize=(5,4))
sns.countplot(x=y, palette="coolwarm")
```

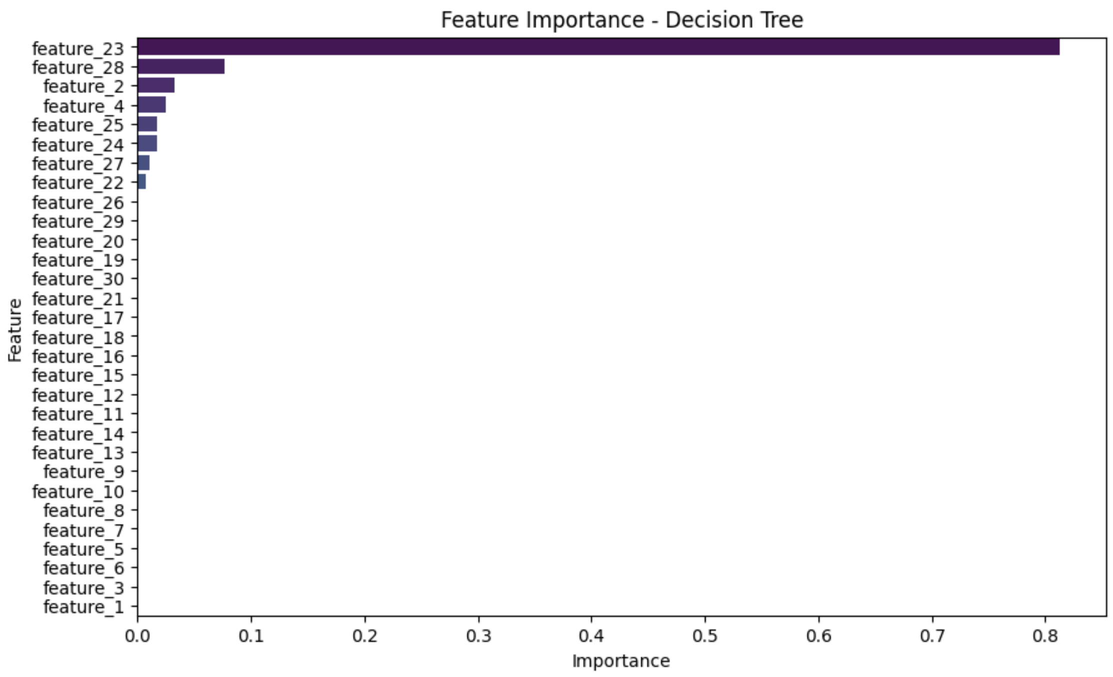
```python
plt.xticks([0,1], ["Benign (0)", "Malignant (1)"])
plt.title("Class Distribution (WDBC)")
plt.xlabel("Diagnosis")
plt.ylabel("Count")
plt.show()

# ---- Feature importance (from Decision Tree) ----
best_clf = best_model.named_steps["clf"]
importances = best_clf.feature_importances_
features = X.columns

# Sort feature importances
indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]
plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
sns.barplot(x=importances[indices], y=features[indices], palette="viridis")
plt.title("Feature Importance - Decision Tree")
plt.xlabel("Importance")
plt.ylabel("Feature")
plt.show()

# ---- Confusion Matrix ----
cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
plt.figure(figsize=(5,4))
sns.heatmap(cm, annot=True, fmt="d", cmap="Blues", cbar=False,
            xticklabels=["Benign (0)", "Malignant (1)"],
            yticklabels=["Benign (0)", "Malignant (1)"])
plt.title("Confusion Matrix - Decision Tree")
plt.xlabel("Predicted Label")
plt.ylabel("True Label")
plt.show()

# ---- ROC Curve (already included) ----
fpr, tpr, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_proba)
plt.figure(figsize=(6,4))
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, label="Decision Tree", linewidth=2)
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], linestyle="--", color="gray")
plt.xlabel("False Positive Rate")
plt.ylabel("True Positive Rate")
plt.title("ROC Curve - Decision Tree (WDBC)")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

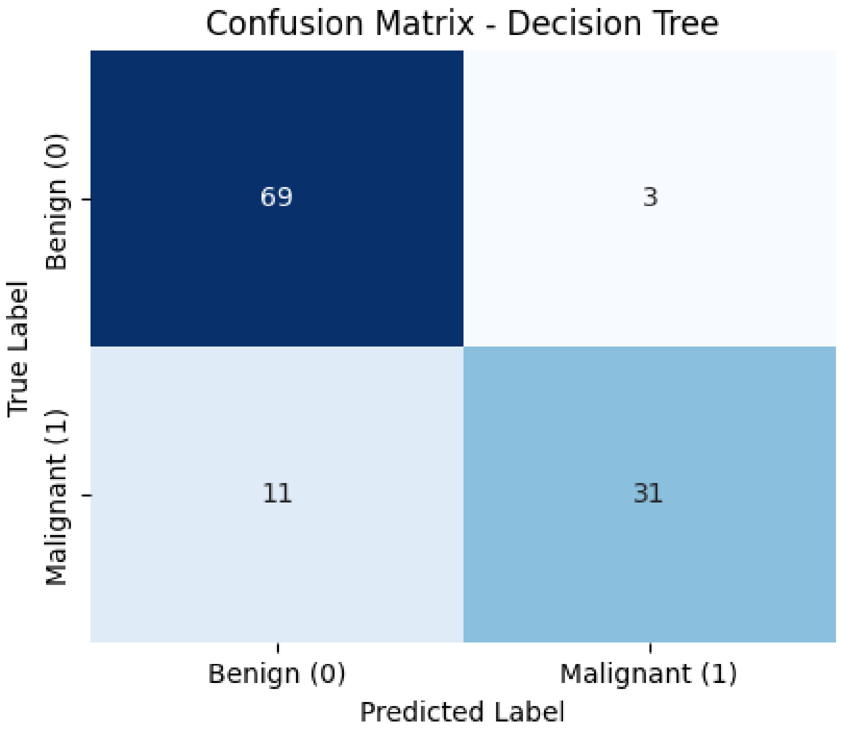
```
/tmp/ipykernel_7915/1817741554.py:7: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in
v0.14.0. Assign the `x` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same
effect.
```

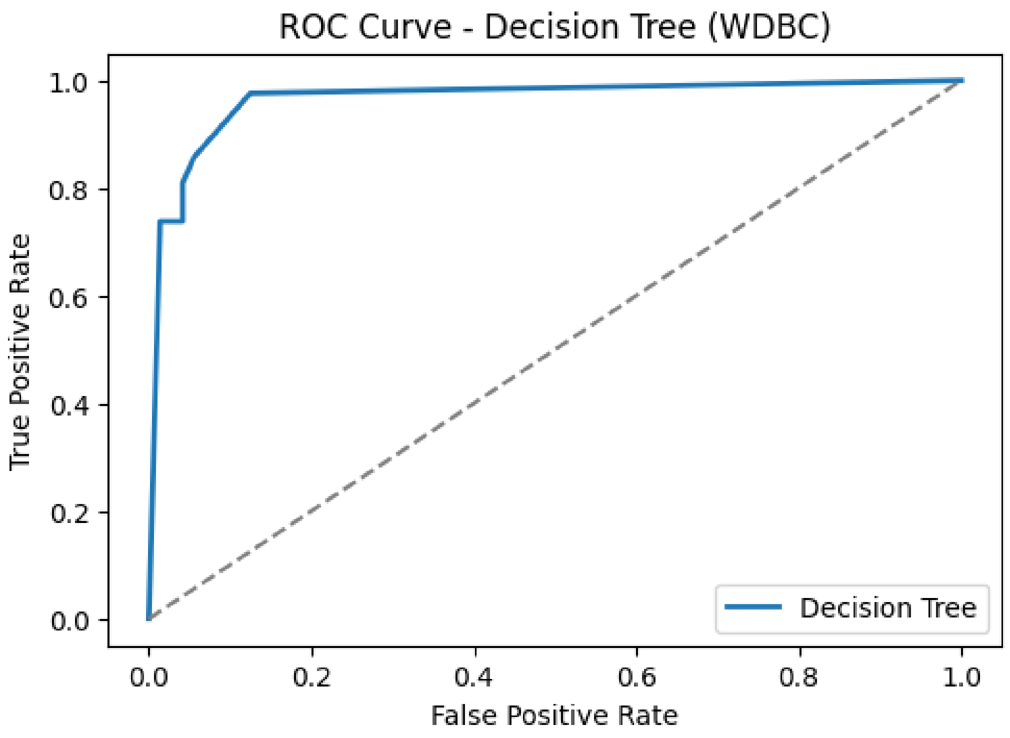
```
  sns.countplot(x=y, palette="coolwarm")
```



```
/tmp/ipykernel_7915/1817741554.py:22: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in
v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same
effect.

  sns.barplot(x=importances[indices], y=features[indices], palette="viridis")
```


Feature Importance - Decision Tree
Feature
Importance
feature_23
feature_28
feature_2
feature_4
feature_25
feature_24
feature_27
feature_22
feature_26
feature_29
feature_20
feature_19
feature_30
feature_21
feature_17
feature_18
feature_16
feature_15
feature_12
feature_11
feature_14
feature_13
feature_9
feature_10
feature_8
feature_7
feature_5
feature_6
feature_3
feature_1
0.0
0.1
0.2
0.3
0.4
0.5
0.6
0.7
0.8


Confusion Matrix - Decision Tree
True Label
Benign (0)
Malignant (1)
69
3
11
31
Benign (0)
Malignant (1)
Predicted Label



[16]:
```
grid = GridSearchCV(
    estimator=pipe,
    param_grid=param_grid,
    cv=cv,
    scoring={"accuracy": "accuracy", "f1": "f1_macro", "roc_auc": "roc_auc"},
    refit="roc_auc",  # still refit using AUC
    n_jobs=-1
)
grid.fit(X_train, y_train)


dt_results = pd.DataFrame(grid.cv_results_)

dt_table = dt_results[[
    "param_clf__criterion",
    "param_clf__max_depth",
    "mean_test_accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1",
    "mean_test_roc_auc"
]]

dt_table = dt_table.rename(columns={
    "param_clf__criterion": "criterion",
    "param_clf__max_depth": "max_depth",
    "mean_test_accuracy": "Accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1": "F1_score",
    "mean_test_roc_auc": "ROC_AUC"
})

# Pick random 10 with good accuracy
good_samples = dt_table[dt_table["Accuracy"] >= 0.8]
random_samples = good_samples.sample(n=10, random_state=42)

print(random_samples[["criterion", "max_depth", "Accuracy", "F1_score"]])
```

```
   criterion  max_depth  Accuracy  F1_score
30   entropy          3  0.925275  0.918155
0       gini          3  0.920879  0.913517
22      gini         10  0.929670  0.924123
31   entropy          3  0.925275  0.918155
18      gini         10  0.923077  0.917531
28   entropy          3  0.925275  0.918155
10      gini          5  0.912088  0.904949
70  log_loss          5  0.925275  0.919360
4       gini          3  0.920879  0.913042
12      gini          5  0.920879  0.913721
```

5 AdaBoost Code

Adaboost

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[1]:
```python
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV,␣
 ↪StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import (
    accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score, roc_auc_score,␣
 ↪roc_curve,auc,confusion_matrix
)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.ensemble import AdaBoostClassifier
import seaborn as sns
```

[2]:
```python
# 1. Load dataset
# wdbc.data does not have headers, so we define them
columns = ["ID", "Diagnosis"] + [f"feature_{i}" for i in range(1, 31)]
data = pd.read_csv("wdbc.data", header=None, names=columns)
```

[3]:
```python
# 2. Prepare features and target
X = data.drop(["ID", "Diagnosis"], axis=1)
y = data["Diagnosis"].map({"M": 1, "B": 0})  # Malignant=1, Benign=0
```

[4]:
```python
# 4. Preprocessor (scaling not needed for trees, but kept for pipeline␣
 ↪consistency)
num_features = X.columns.tolist()
preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[("scale", StandardScaler(), num_features)],
    remainder="drop"
)
```

[5]:
```python
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(
    X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
)
```

[6]:
```
pipeline = Pipeline([
    ("scaler", StandardScaler()),
    ("clf",␣
 ↪AdaBoostClassifier(estimator=DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42),
                               random_state=42))
])
```

[7]:
```
param_grid = {
    "clf__n_estimators": [50, 100, 200],
    "clf__learning_rate": [0.01, 0.1, 1.0],
    "clf__estimator__max_depth": [1, 2]
}
```

[8]:
```
grid = GridSearchCV(
    estimator=pipeline,
    param_grid=param_grid,
    cv=5,
    scoring={"accuracy": "accuracy", "f1": "f1_macro"},  # both metrics
    refit="accuracy",    # model chosen based on accuracy
    n_jobs=-1,
    verbose=1
)

grid.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

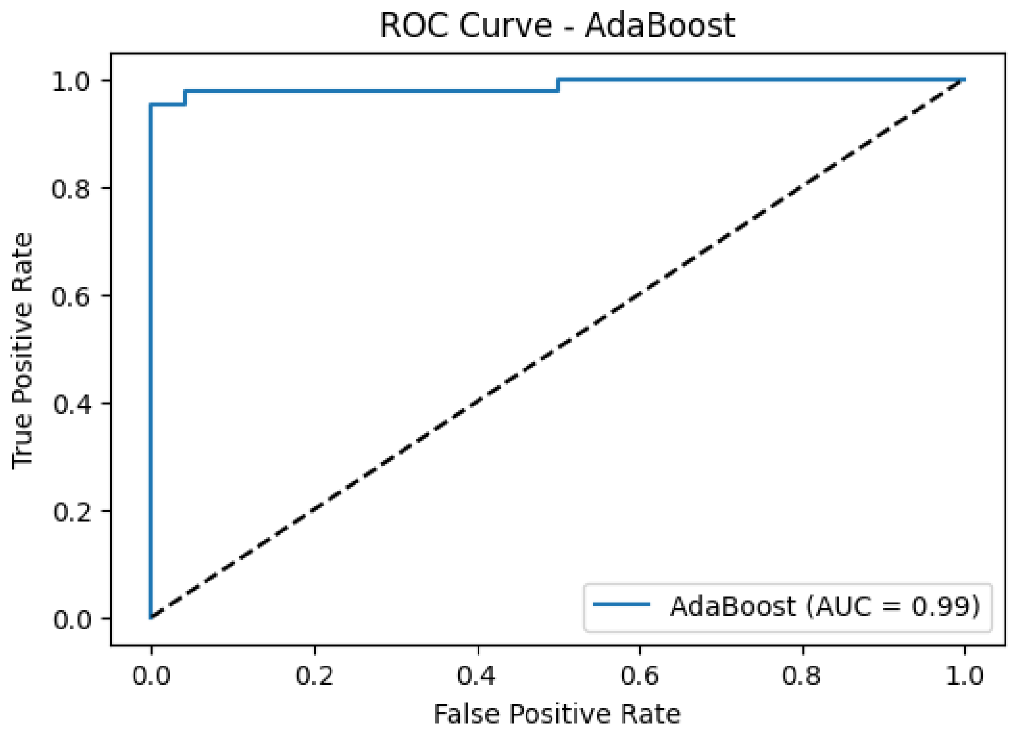
```
Fitting 5 folds for each of 18 candidates, totalling 90 fits
```

[8]:
```
GridSearchCV(cv=5,
             estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('scaler', StandardScaler()),
                                       ('clf',
AdaBoostClassifier(estimator=DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42),
                                                          random_state=42))]),
             n_jobs=-1,
             param_grid={'clf__estimator__max_depth': [1, 2],
                         'clf__learning_rate': [0.01, 0.1, 1.0],
                         'clf__n_estimators': [50, 100, 200]},
             refit='accuracy',
             scoring={'accuracy': 'accuracy', 'f1': 'f1_macro'}, verbose=1)
```

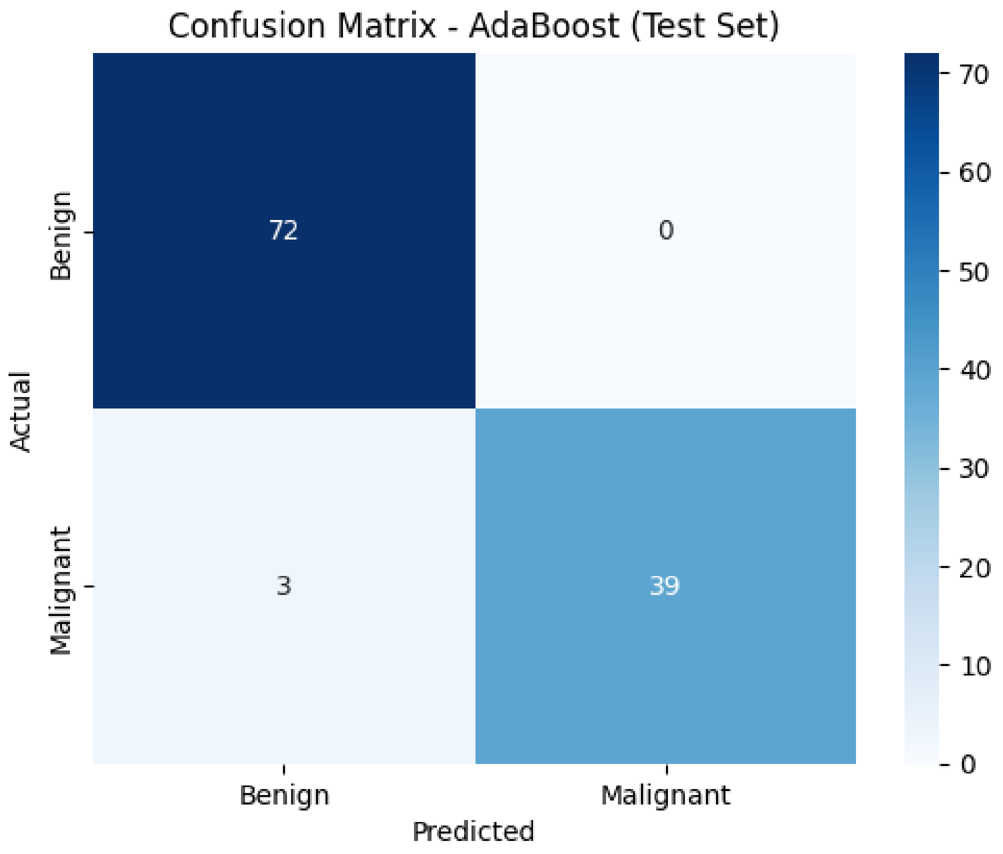
[9]:
```
best_model = grid.best_estimator_

y_pred = best_model.predict(X_test)
y_proba = best_model.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]

acc = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_pred)

print("\nBest Hyperparameters (from training CV):", grid.best_params_)
print("Test Accuracy:", acc)
print("Test F1 Score:", f1)
```

```
Best Hyperparameters (from training CV): {'clf__estimator__max_depth': 1,
'clf__learning_rate': 1.0, 'clf__n_estimators': 200}
Test Accuracy: 0.9736842105263158
Test F1 Score: 0.9629629629629629
```

[10]:
```
fpr, tpr, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_proba)
roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)

plt.figure(figsize=(6,4))
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, label=f"AdaBoost (AUC = {roc_auc:.2f})")
plt.plot([0,1],[0,1], "k--")
plt.xlabel("False Positive Rate")
plt.ylabel("True Positive Rate")
plt.title("ROC Curve - AdaBoost")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



[11]:
```
cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
sns.heatmap(cm, annot=True, fmt="d", cmap="Blues",
            xticklabels=["Benign","Malignant"],
            yticklabels=["Benign","Malignant"])
plt.xlabel("Predicted")
plt.ylabel("Actual")
plt.title("Confusion Matrix - AdaBoost (Test Set)")
plt.show()
```



[12]:
```
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix

# ---- Class distribution ----
plt.figure(figsize=(5,4))
sns.countplot(x=y, palette="coolwarm")
plt.xticks([0,1], ["Benign (0)", "Malignant (1)"])
plt.title("Class Distribution (WDBC)")
plt.xlabel("Diagnosis")
plt.ylabel("Count")
plt.show()
```

```
# ---- Feature importance (from Decision Tree) ----
best_clf = best_model.named_steps["clf"]
importances = best_clf.feature_importances_
features = X.columns

# Sort feature importances
indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]
plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
sns.barplot(x=importances[indices], y=features[indices], palette="viridis")
plt.title("Feature Importance - Decision Tree")
plt.xlabel("Importance")
plt.ylabel("Feature")
plt.show()
```

```
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Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in
v0.14.0. Assign the `x` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same
effect.

  sns.countplot(x=y, palette="coolwarm")
```
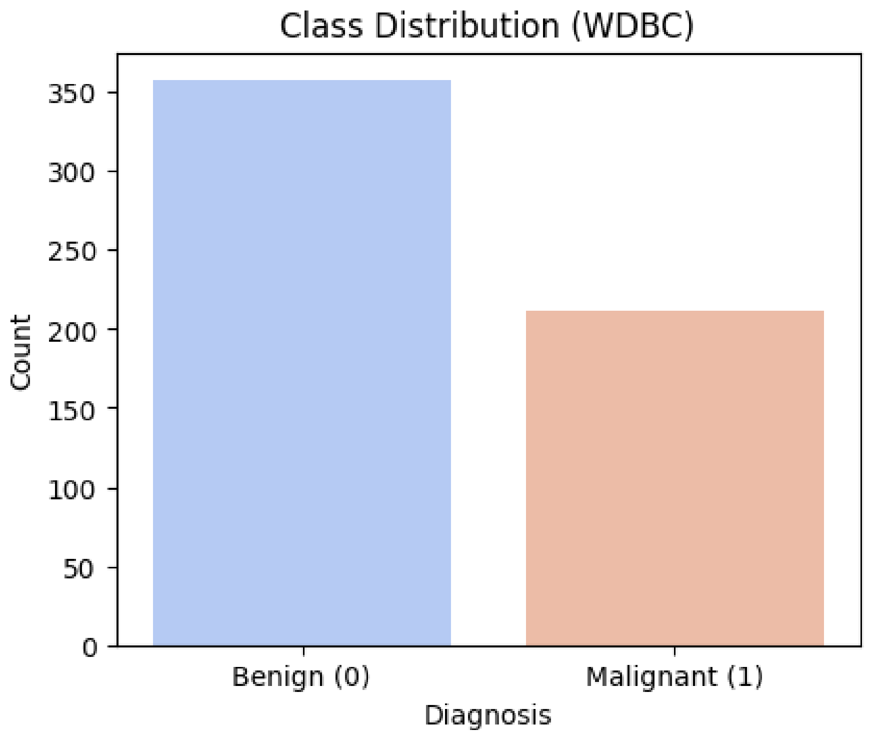
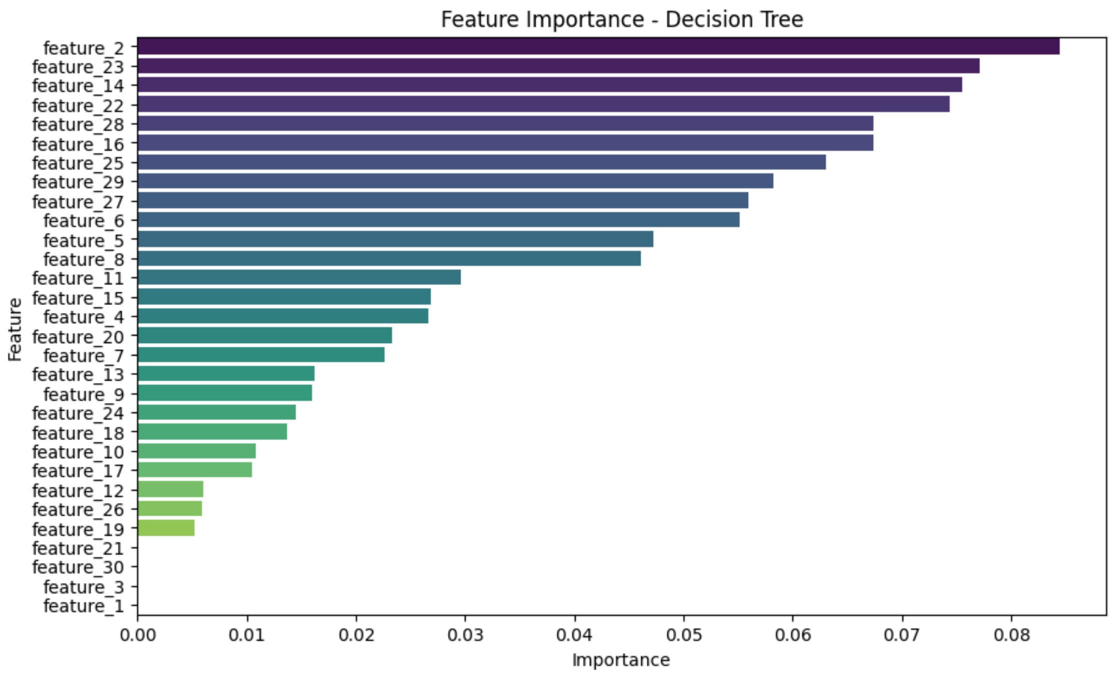



```
/tmp/ipykernel_9161/1424558563.py:22: FutureWarning:
```

```
Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in
v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same
effect.

  sns.barplot(x=importances[indices], y=features[indices], palette="viridis")
```



[13]:
```python
results = pd.DataFrame(grid.cv_results_)

table = results[[
    "param_clf__n_estimators",
    "param_clf__learning_rate",
    "param_clf__estimator__max_depth",
    "mean_test_accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1"
]].copy()

table = table.rename(columns={
    "param_clf__n_estimators": "n_estimators",
    "param_clf__learning_rate": "learning_rate",
    "param_clf__estimator__max_depth": "max_depth",
    "mean_test_accuracy": "Accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1": "F1_score"
})
```

```
print("Table 2: AdaBoost - Hyperparameter Tuning")
print(table[["n_estimators", "learning_rate", "max_depth", "Accuracy",␣
↪"F1_score"]])
```

```
Table 2: AdaBoost - Hyperparameter Tuning
    n_estimators  learning_rate  max_depth  Accuracy  F1_score
0             50           0.01          1  0.923077  0.915693
1            100           0.01          1  0.925275  0.918724
2            200           0.01          1  0.931868  0.926145
3             50           0.10          1  0.949451  0.945670
4            100           0.10          1  0.951648  0.948440
5            200           0.10          1  0.951648  0.948224
6             50           1.00          1  0.962637  0.959723
7            100           1.00          1  0.960440  0.957480
8            200           1.00          1  0.964835  0.962262
9             50           0.01          2  0.938462  0.933790
10           100           0.01          2  0.936264  0.931637
11           200           0.01          2  0.945055  0.941220
12            50           0.10          2  0.953846  0.950840
13           100           0.10          2  0.960440  0.957714
14           200           0.10          2  0.964835  0.962218
15            50           1.00          2  0.964835  0.962352
16           100           1.00          2  0.964835  0.962390
17           200           1.00          2  0.964835  0.962141
```

6 Gradient Boosting Code

Gradient_boost

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[1]:
```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV,␣
↪StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import (
    accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score, roc_auc_score,␣
↪roc_curve
)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier
```

[2]:
```
# 1. Load dataset
# wdbc.data does not have headers, so we define them
columns = ["ID", "Diagnosis"] + [f"feature_{i}" for i in range(1, 31)]
data = pd.read_csv("wdbc.data", header=None, names=columns)
```

[3]:
```
# 2. Prepare features and target
X = data.drop(["ID", "Diagnosis"], axis=1)
y = data["Diagnosis"].map({"M": 1, "B": 0})  # Malignant=1, Benign=0
```

[4]:
```
# 4. Preprocessor (scaling not needed for trees, but kept for pipeline␣
↪consistency)
num_features = X.columns.tolist()
preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[("scale", StandardScaler(), num_features)],
    remainder="drop"
)
```

[5]:
```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(
    X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
)
```

[6]:
```
pipe = Pipeline([
    ("scaler", StandardScaler()),
    ("clf", GradientBoostingClassifier(random_state=42))
])
```

[7]:
```
param_grid = {
    "clf__n_estimators": [50, 100, 200],
    "clf__learning_rate": [0.01, 0.1, 0.2],
    "clf__max_depth": [3, 5, 7],
    "clf__subsample": [0.8, 1.0]
}
```

[8]:
```
grid = GridSearchCV(
    estimator=pipe,
    param_grid=param_grid,
    cv=5,
    scoring={"accuracy": "accuracy", "f1": "f1_macro"},  # track both
    refit="accuracy",    # choose best by accuracy
    n_jobs=-1,
    verbose=1
)

grid.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

```
Fitting 5 folds for each of 54 candidates, totalling 270 fits
```

[8]:
```
GridSearchCV(cv=5,
             estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('scaler', StandardScaler()),
                                       ('clf',
GradientBoostingClassifier(random_state=42))]),
             n_jobs=-1,
             param_grid={'clf__learning_rate': [0.01, 0.1, 0.2],
                         'clf__max_depth': [3, 5, 7],
                         'clf__n_estimators': [50, 100, 200],
                         'clf__subsample': [0.8, 1.0]},
             refit='accuracy',
             scoring={'accuracy': 'accuracy', 'f1': 'f1_macro'}, verbose=1)
```

[9]:
```
gb_results = pd.DataFrame(grid.cv_results_)

gb_table = gb_results[[
    "param_clf__n_estimators",
    "param_clf__learning_rate",
    "param_clf__max_depth",
    "param_clf__subsample",
    "mean_test_accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1"
]].copy()
```

```
gb_table = gb_table.rename(columns={
    "param_clf__n_estimators": "n_estimators",
    "param_clf__learning_rate": "learning_rate",
    "param_clf__max_depth": "max_depth",
    "param_clf__subsample": "subsample",
    "mean_test_accuracy": "Accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1": "F1_score"
})

print("Gradient Boosting Model")
print("Hyperparameter Trials")
print("Table 3: Gradient Boosting - Hyperparameter Tuning")
print(gb_table.head(20)[["n_estimators", "learning_rate", "max_depth",␣
 ↪"subsample", "Accuracy", "F1_score"]])
```

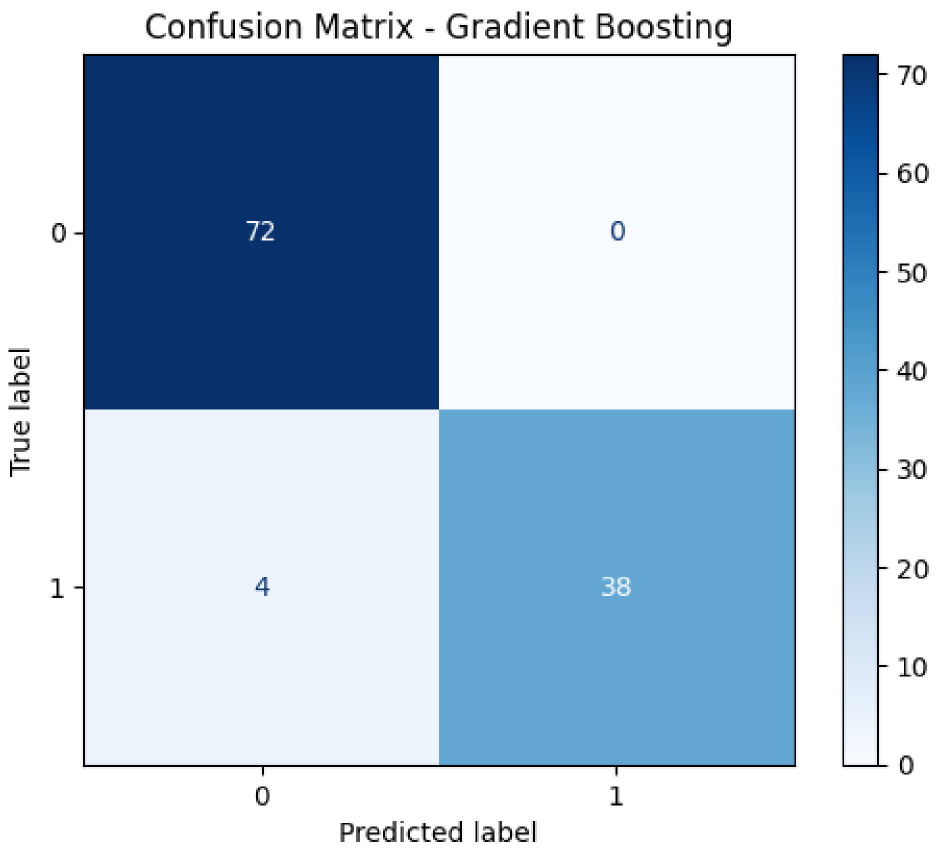
```
Gradient Boosting Model
Hyperparameter Trials
Table 3: Gradient Boosting - Hyperparameter Tuning
    n_estimators  learning_rate  max_depth  subsample  Accuracy  F1_score
0             50           0.01          3        0.8  0.934066  0.927601
1             50           0.01          3        1.0  0.918681  0.911417
2            100           0.01          3        0.8  0.938462  0.933295
3            100           0.01          3        1.0  0.927473  0.921360
4            200           0.01          3        0.8  0.951648  0.948168
5            200           0.01          3        1.0  0.942857  0.938618
6             50           0.01          5        0.8  0.929670  0.923099
7             50           0.01          5        1.0  0.929670  0.923914
8            100           0.01          5        0.8  0.940659  0.935761
9            100           0.01          5        1.0  0.931868  0.926376
10           200           0.01          5        0.8  0.951648  0.947866
11           200           0.01          5        1.0  0.934066  0.929143
12            50           0.01          7        0.8  0.927473  0.920760
13            50           0.01          7        1.0  0.929670  0.923917
14           100           0.01          7        0.8  0.945055  0.940891
15           100           0.01          7        1.0  0.940659  0.936156
16           200           0.01          7        0.8  0.953846  0.950718
17           200           0.01          7        1.0  0.940659  0.936390
18            50           0.10          3        0.8  0.951648  0.948302
19            50           0.10          3        1.0  0.956044  0.952726
```

[10]:
```
# 7. Get best estimator
best_gb = grid.best_estimator_

print("Best Parameters:", grid.best_params_)

# 8. Retrain on training set (already fitted in grid, but we can refit)
```

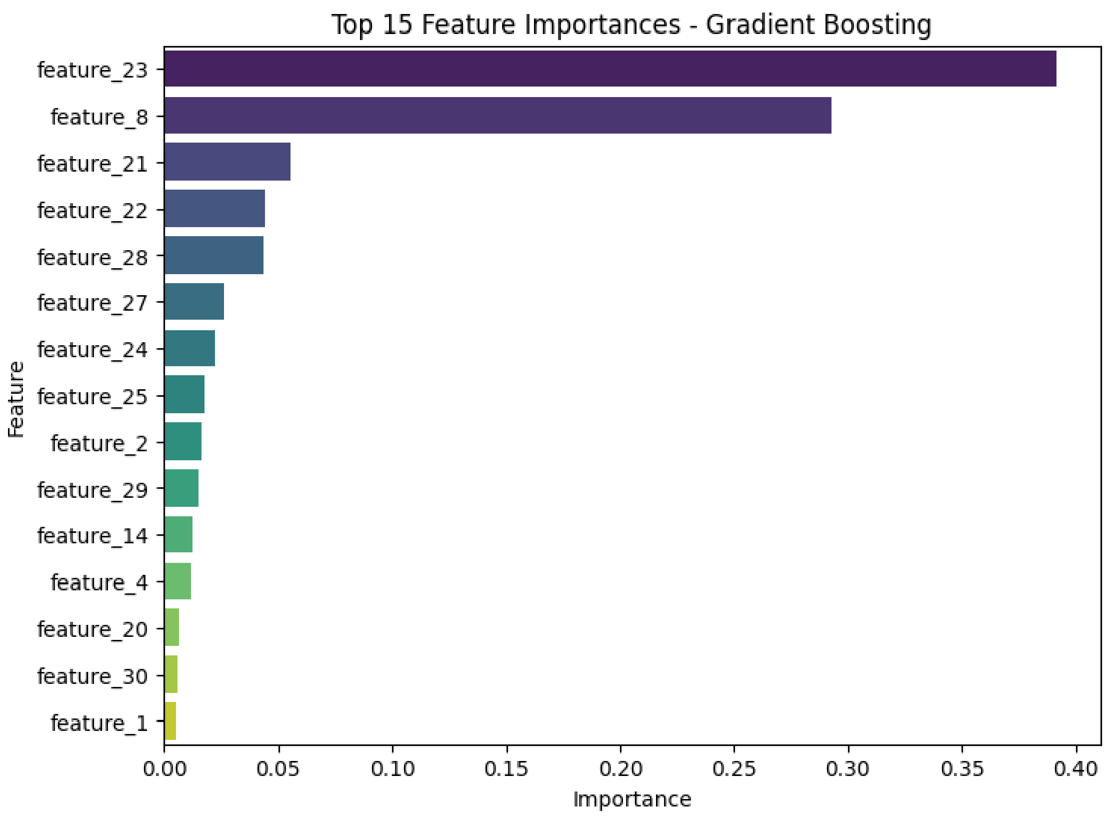
```
best_gb.fit(X_train, y_train)

# 9. Evaluate on test set
y_pred = best_gb.predict(X_test)

acc = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_pred)

print("\nFinal Evaluation on Test Set")
print(f"Accuracy: {acc:.4f}")
print(f"F1 Score: {f1:.4f}")
```

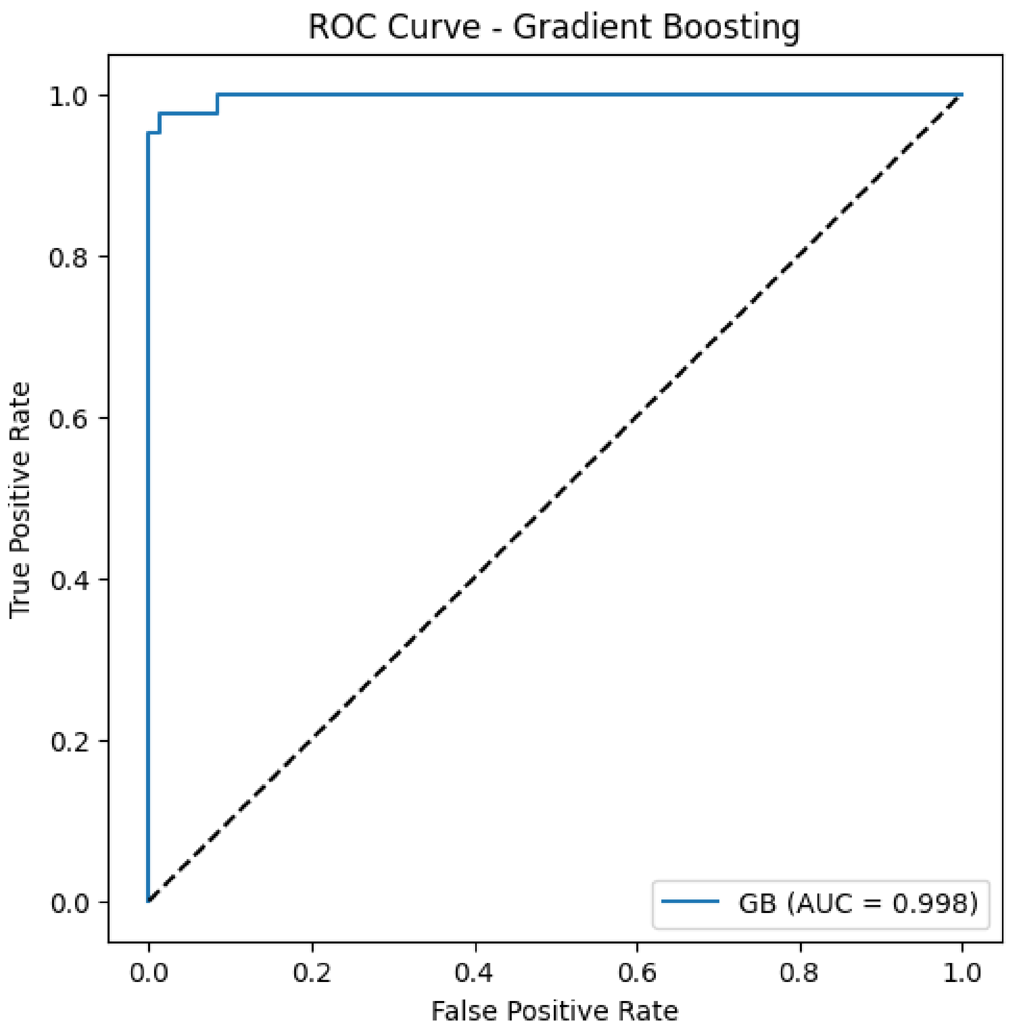
```
Best Parameters: {'clf__learning_rate': 0.1, 'clf__max_depth': 5,
'clf__n_estimators': 200, 'clf__subsample': 0.8}

Final Evaluation on Test Set
Accuracy: 0.9649
F1 Score: 0.9500
```

[11]:
```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.metrics import ConfusionMatrixDisplay, roc_curve, auc

# --- Confusion Matrix ---
ConfusionMatrixDisplay.from_estimator(best_gb, X_test, y_test, cmap="Blues")
plt.title("Confusion Matrix - Gradient Boosting")
plt.show()

# --- Feature Importances ---
importances = best_gb.named_steps["clf"].feature_importances_
feature_names = X.columns  # original feature names
feat_imp = pd.Series(importances, index=feature_names).
  ↪sort_values(ascending=False)[:15]

plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
sns.barplot(x=feat_imp, y=feat_imp.index, palette="viridis")
plt.title("Top 15 Feature Importances - Gradient Boosting")
plt.xlabel("Importance")
plt.ylabel("Feature")
plt.show()

# --- ROC Curve & AUC ---
y_prob = best_gb.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]
fpr, tpr, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_prob)
roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)

plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, label=f"GB (AUC = {roc_auc:.3f})")
plt.plot([0,1], [0,1], "k--")
plt.xlabel("False Positive Rate")
plt.ylabel("True Positive Rate")
plt.title("ROC Curve - Gradient Boosting")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



```
/tmp/ipykernel_9602/2417571647.py:16: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in
v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same
effect.

  sns.barplot(x=feat_imp, y=feat_imp.index, palette="viridis")
```


Top 15 Feature Importances - Gradient Boosting
Feature
feature_23
feature_8
feature_21
feature_22
feature_28
feature_27
feature_24
feature_25
feature_2
feature_29
feature_14
feature_4
feature_20
feature_30
feature_1
0.00
0.05
0.10
0.15
0.20
0.25
0.30
0.35
0.40
Importance


ROC Curve - Gradient Boosting
True Positive Rate
False Positive Rate
GB (AUC = 0.998)
0.0
0.2
0.4
0.6
0.8
1.0

7 XGBoost Code

xgboost

August 29, 2025

[3]:
```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV,␣
 ↪StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import (
    accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score, roc_auc_score,␣
 ↪roc_curve,auc
)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from xgboost import XGBClassifier
import seaborn as sns
```

[4]:
```
# 1. Load dataset
# wdbc.data does not have headers, so we define them
columns = ["ID", "Diagnosis"] + [f"feature_{i}" for i in range(1, 31)]
data = pd.read_csv("wdbc.data", header=None, names=columns)
```

[5]:
```
# 2. Prepare features and target
X = data.drop(["ID", "Diagnosis"], axis=1)
y = data["Diagnosis"].map({"M": 1, "B": 0})  # Malignant=1, Benign=0
```

[6]:
```
# 4. Preprocessor (scaling not needed for trees, but kept for pipeline␣
 ↪consistency)
num_features = X.columns.tolist()
preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[("scale", StandardScaler(), num_features)],
    remainder="drop"
)
```

[7]:
```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(
    X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
)
```

[15]:
```
pipe = Pipeline([
    ("scaler", StandardScaler()),
    ("clf", XGBClassifier(
        eval_metric="logloss",    # keep this
        random_state=42
    ))
])
```

[16]:
```
# 6. Hyperparameter grid
param_grid = {
    "clf__n_estimators": [50, 100, 200],
    "clf__learning_rate": [0.01, 0.1, 0.2],
    "clf__max_depth": [3, 5, 7],
    "clf__gamma": [0, 0.1, 0.5],
    "clf__subsample": [0.8, 1.0],
    "clf__colsample_bytree": [0.8, 1.0],
}
```

[18]:
```
grid = GridSearchCV(
    estimator=pipe,
    param_grid=param_grid,
    cv=5,
    scoring={"accuracy": "accuracy", "f1": "f1_macro"},  # track both
    refit="accuracy",   # choose best by accuracy
    n_jobs=-1,
    verbose=1
)

grid.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

```
Fitting 5 folds for each of 324 candidates, totalling 1620 fits
```

[18]:
```
GridSearchCV(cv=5,
             estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('scaler', StandardScaler()),
                                       ('clf',
                                        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,
                                                      feature_weights=None,
                                                      gamma=None,
                                                              grow_poli…
                                                              multi_strategy=None,
                                                              n_estimators=None,
                                                              n_jobs=None,
                                                              num_parallel_tree=None,
…))]),
             n_jobs=-1,
             param_grid={'clf__colsample_bytree': [0.8, 1.0],
                         'clf__gamma': [0, 0.1, 0.5],
                         'clf__learning_rate': [0.01, 0.1, 0.2],
                         'clf__max_depth': [3, 5, 7],
                         'clf__n_estimators': [50, 100, 200],
                         'clf__subsample': [0.8, 1.0]},
             refit='accuracy',
             scoring={'accuracy': 'accuracy', 'f1': 'f1_macro'}, verbose=1)
```

[19]:
```python
# 5. Extract results into DataFrame
xgb_results = pd.DataFrame(grid.cv_results_)

# 6. Select only required columns
xgb_table = xgb_results[[
    "param_clf__n_estimators",
    "param_clf__learning_rate",
    "param_clf__max_depth",
    "param_clf__gamma",
    "mean_test_accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1"
]]

# 7. Rename for clarity
xgb_table = xgb_table.rename(columns={
    "param_clf__n_estimators": "n_estimators",
    "param_clf__learning_rate": "learning_rate",
    "param_clf__max_depth": "max_depth",
    "param_clf__gamma": "gamma",
    "mean_test_accuracy": "Accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1": "F1 Score"
})

top10 = xgb_table.sort_values(by="Accuracy", ascending=False).head(10)

print("XGBoost Model")
print("Hyperparameter Trials")
print("Table 4: XGBoost - Hyperparameter Tuning (Top 10)")
print(top10[["n_estimators", "learning_rate", "max_depth", "gamma", "Accuracy",␣
 ↪"F1 Score"]])
```

```
XGBoost Model
```

```
Hyperparameter Trials
Table 4: XGBoost - Hyperparameter Tuning (Top 10)
     n_estimators  learning_rate  max_depth  gamma  Accuracy  F1 Score
53            200            0.2          7    0.0  0.975824  0.974103
38            100            0.2          3    0.0  0.971429  0.969321
238           200            0.1          3    0.1  0.971429  0.969288
51            100            0.2          7    0.0  0.971429  0.969347
47            200            0.2          5    0.0  0.971429  0.969406
214           200            0.2          7    0.0  0.971429  0.969202
208           200            0.2          5    0.0  0.971429  0.969202
184           200            0.1          3    0.0  0.971429  0.969288
194           100            0.1          7    0.0  0.969231  0.967212
29            200            0.1          5    0.0  0.969231  0.967184
```

[21]:
```
print("Best Parameters:", grid.best_params_)
print("Best CV Accuracy:", grid.best_score_)
```

```
Best Parameters: {'clf__colsample_bytree': 0.8, 'clf__gamma': 0,
'clf__learning_rate': 0.2, 'clf__max_depth': 7, 'clf__n_estimators': 200,
'clf__subsample': 1.0}
Best CV Accuracy: 0.9758241758241759
```

[22]:
```
best_xgb = grid.best_estimator_
y_pred = best_xgb.predict(X_test)

print("\nTest Accuracy:", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test F1 Score:", f1_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test Precision:", precision_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test Recall:", recall_score(y_test, y_pred))
print("Test ROC AUC:", roc_auc_score(y_test, y_pred))
```

```

Test Accuracy: 0.9824561403508771
Test F1 Score: 0.975609756097561
Test Precision: 1.0
Test Recall: 0.9523809523809523
Test ROC AUC: 0.9761904761904762
```

[23]:
```
# --- 7. Feature Importances ---
importances = best_xgb.named_steps["clf"].feature_importances_
feat_imp = pd.Series(importances, index=X.columns).
  ↪sort_values(ascending=False)[:15]

plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
sns.barplot(x=feat_imp, y=feat_imp.index, palette="viridis")
plt.title("Top 15 Feature Importances - XGBoost")
plt.xlabel("Importance")
plt.ylabel("Feature")
plt.show()

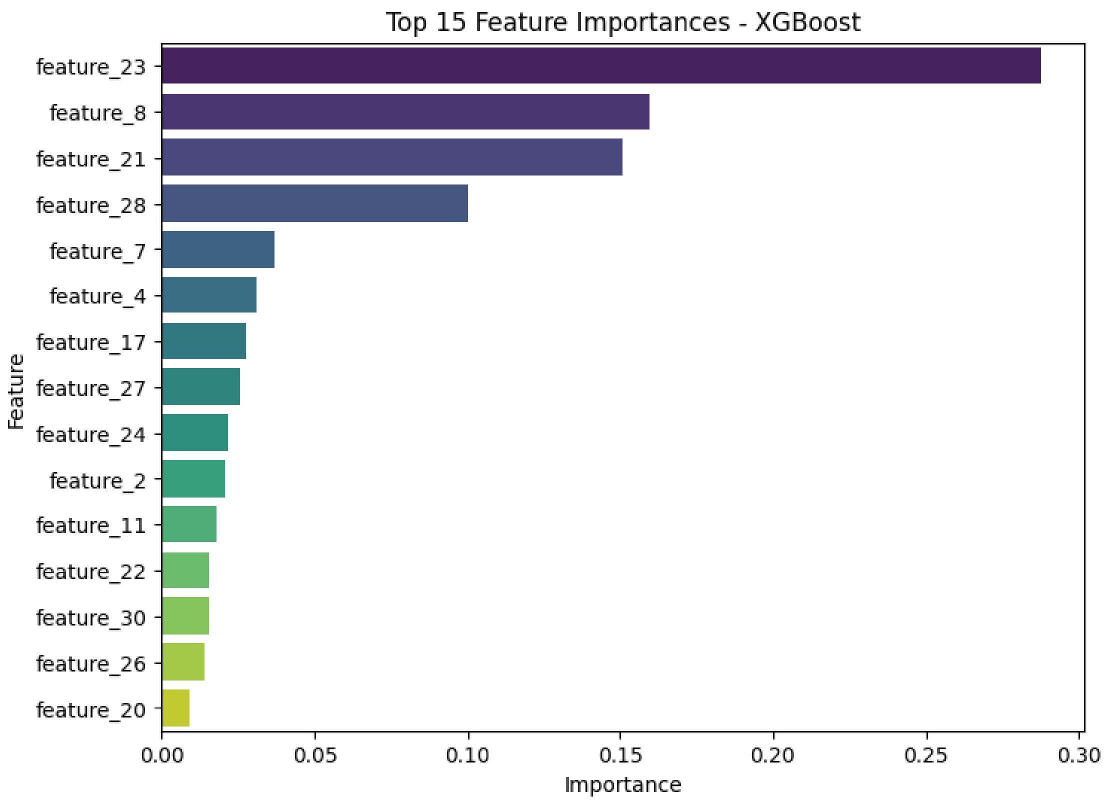
# --- 8. ROC Curve & AUC ---
y_prob = best_xgb.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]
fpr, tpr, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_prob)
roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)

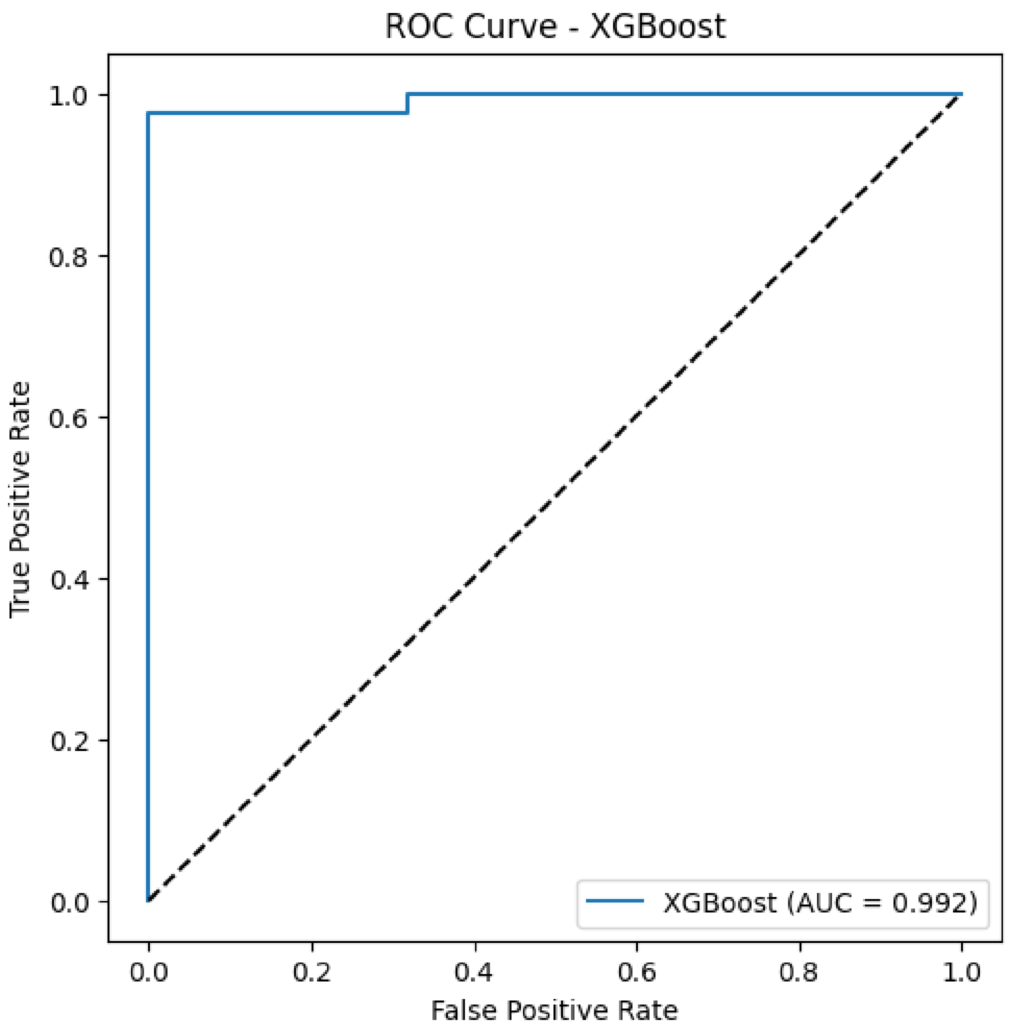
plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, label=f"XGBoost (AUC = {roc_auc:.3f})")
plt.plot([0,1], [0,1], "k--")
plt.xlabel("False Positive Rate")
plt.ylabel("True Positive Rate")
plt.title("ROC Curve - XGBoost")
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```

```
/tmp/ipykernel_9875/472011034.py:6: FutureWarning:

Passing `palette` without assigning `hue` is deprecated and will be removed in
v0.14.0. Assign the `y` variable to `hue` and set `legend=False` for the same
effect.

  sns.barplot(x=feat_imp, y=feat_imp.index, palette="viridis")
```




ROC Curve - XGBoost
True Positive Rate
False Positive Rate
XGBoost (AUC = 0.992)
0.0
0.2
0.4
0.6
0.8
1.0

8 Random Forest Code

RandomForest

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[1]:
```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV,␣
 ↪StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import (
    accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score, roc_auc_score,␣
 ↪roc_curve,auc,confusion_matrix,ConfusionMatrixDisplay
)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
```

[2]:
```
# 1. Load dataset
# wdbc.data does not have headers, so we define them
columns = ["ID", "Diagnosis"] + [f"feature_{i}" for i in range(1, 31)]
data = pd.read_csv("wdbc.data", header=None, names=columns)
```

[3]:
```
# 2. Prepare features and target
X = data.drop(["ID", "Diagnosis"], axis=1)
y = data["Diagnosis"].map({"M": 1, "B": 0})  # Malignant=1, Benign=0
```

[4]:
```
# 4. Preprocessor (scaling not needed for trees, but kept for pipeline␣
 ↪consistency)
num_features = X.columns.tolist()
preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[("scale", StandardScaler(), num_features)],
    remainder="drop"
)
```

[5]:
```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(
    X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
)
```

[6]:
```
rf_pipe = Pipeline([
    ("scaler", StandardScaler()),
    ("clf", RandomForestClassifier(random_state=42))
])
```

[7]:
```
rf_param_grid = {
    "clf__n_estimators": [50, 100, 200],
    "clf__max_depth": [2, 5, 10],
    "clf__criterion": ["gini", "entropy", "log_loss"],
    "clf__max_features": ["sqrt", "log2", None],
    "clf__min_samples_split": [2, 5, 10]
}
```

[8]:
```
rf_grid = GridSearchCV(
    rf_pipe,
    rf_param_grid,
    cv=5,
    scoring={"accuracy": "accuracy", "f1": "f1_macro"},  # <--- both metrics
    refit="accuracy",  # model will be refit using accuracy
    n_jobs=-1,
    verbose=1
)
rf_grid.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

```
Fitting 5 folds for each of 243 candidates, totalling 1215 fits
```

[8]:
```
GridSearchCV(cv=5,
             estimator=Pipeline(steps=[('scaler', StandardScaler()),
                                       ('clf',
RandomForestClassifier(random_state=42))]),
             n_jobs=-1,
             param_grid={'clf__criterion': ['gini', 'entropy', 'log_loss'],
                         'clf__max_depth': [2, 5, 10],
                         'clf__max_features': ['sqrt', 'log2', None],
                         'clf__min_samples_split': [2, 5, 10],
                         'clf__n_estimators': [50, 100, 200]},
             refit='accuracy',
             scoring={'accuracy': 'accuracy', 'f1': 'f1_macro'}, verbose=1)
```

[9]:
```
print("Best Parameters:", rf_grid.best_params_)
print("Best CV Accuracy:", rf_grid.best_score_)
```

```
Best Parameters: {'clf__criterion': 'gini', 'clf__max_depth': 10,
'clf__max_features': 'sqrt', 'clf__min_samples_split': 2, 'clf__n_estimators':
50}
Best CV Accuracy: 0.9670329670329672
```

[10]:
```
rf_results = pd.DataFrame(rf_grid.cv_results_)

rf_table = rf_results[[
    "param_clf__n_estimators",
    "param_clf__max_depth",
    "param_clf__criterion",
    "mean_test_accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1"
]].copy()

rf_table = rf_table.rename(columns={
    "param_clf__n_estimators": "n_estimators",
    "param_clf__max_depth": "max_depth",
    "param_clf__criterion": "criterion",
    "mean_test_accuracy": "Accuracy",
    "mean_test_f1": "F1_score"
})

# Show 10 best rows sorted by Accuracy
top10 = rf_table.sort_values(by="Accuracy", ascending=False).head(10)

print("Random Forest Model")
print("Hyperparameter Trials")
print("Table 5: Random Forest - Hyperparameter Tuning")
print(top10[["criterion", "max_depth", "n_estimators", "Accuracy", "F1_score"]])
```

```
Random Forest Model
Hyperparameter Trials
Table 5: Random Forest - Hyperparameter Tuning
    criterion  max_depth  n_estimators  Accuracy  F1_score
54       gini         10            50  0.967033  0.964847
207  log_loss          5            50  0.964835  0.962172
126   entropy          5            50  0.964835  0.962172
66       gini         10            50  0.962637  0.959947
57       gini         10            50  0.962637  0.960108
72       gini         10            50  0.962637  0.960486
209  log_loss          5           200  0.962637  0.959954
234  log_loss         10            50  0.962637  0.959711
219  log_loss         10            50  0.962637  0.959792
218  log_loss         10           200  0.962637  0.959792
```

[11]:
```
# --- 1. Extract best params properly ---
best_params_rf = {k.replace("clf__", ""): v for k, v in rf_grid.best_params_.
 ↪items()}

best_rf = RandomForestClassifier(
    **best_params_rf,
    random_state=42
)
best_rf.fit(X_train, y_train)

# --- 2. Evaluate on Test Set ---
y_pred = best_rf.predict(X_test)
y_proba = best_rf.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]

acc = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_pred)
roc_auc = roc_auc_score(y_test, y_proba)

print("Random Forest Test Performance")
print(f"Accuracy: {acc:.4f}")
print(f"F1 Score: {f1:.4f}")
print(f"ROC-AUC: {roc_auc:.4f}")
```

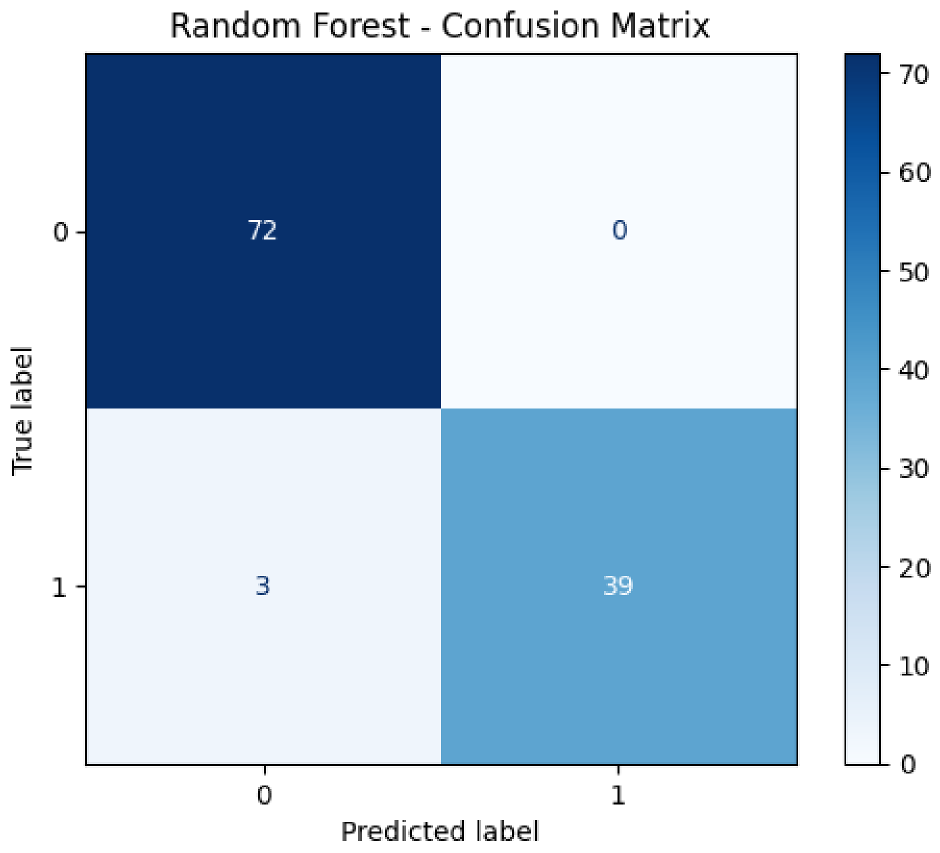
```
Random Forest Test Performance
Accuracy: 0.9737
F1 Score: 0.9630
ROC-AUC: 0.9940
```

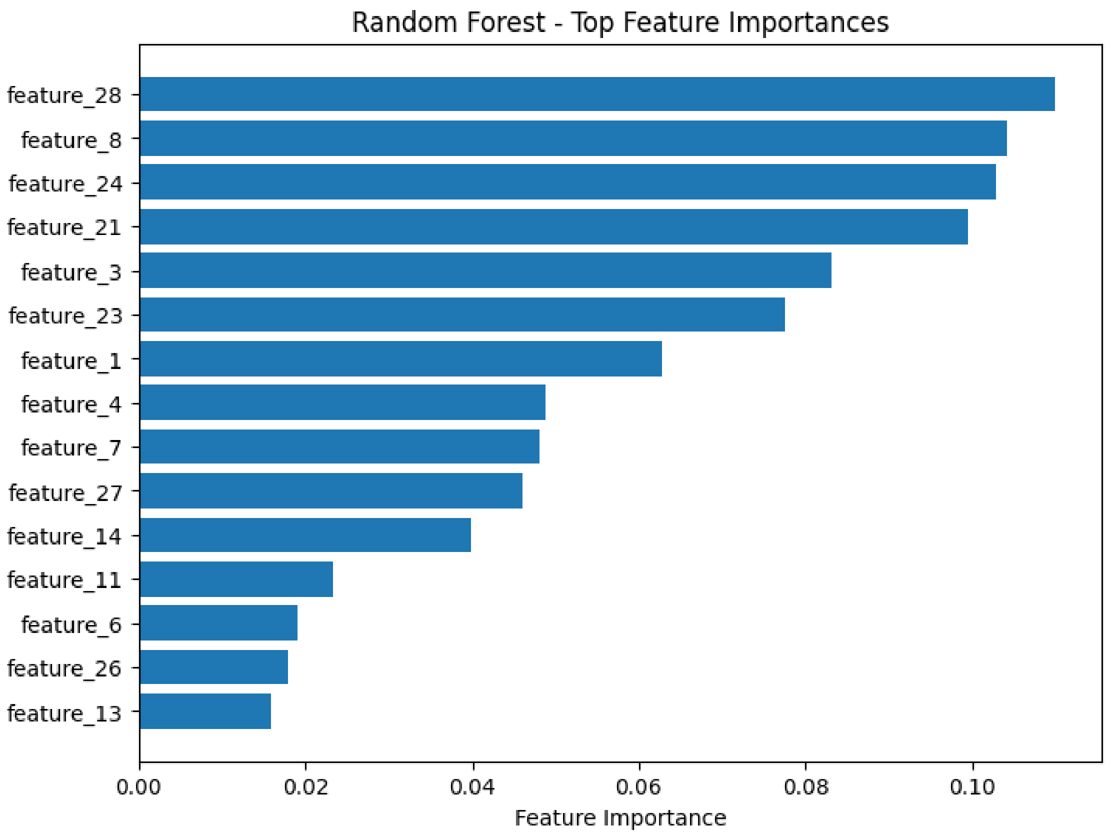
[12]:
```
# --- 3. Plots ---
# Confusion Matrix
cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred, labels=best_rf.classes_)
disp = ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix=cm, display_labels=best_rf.
 ↪classes_)
disp.plot(cmap="Blues")
plt.title("Random Forest - Confusion Matrix")
plt.show()

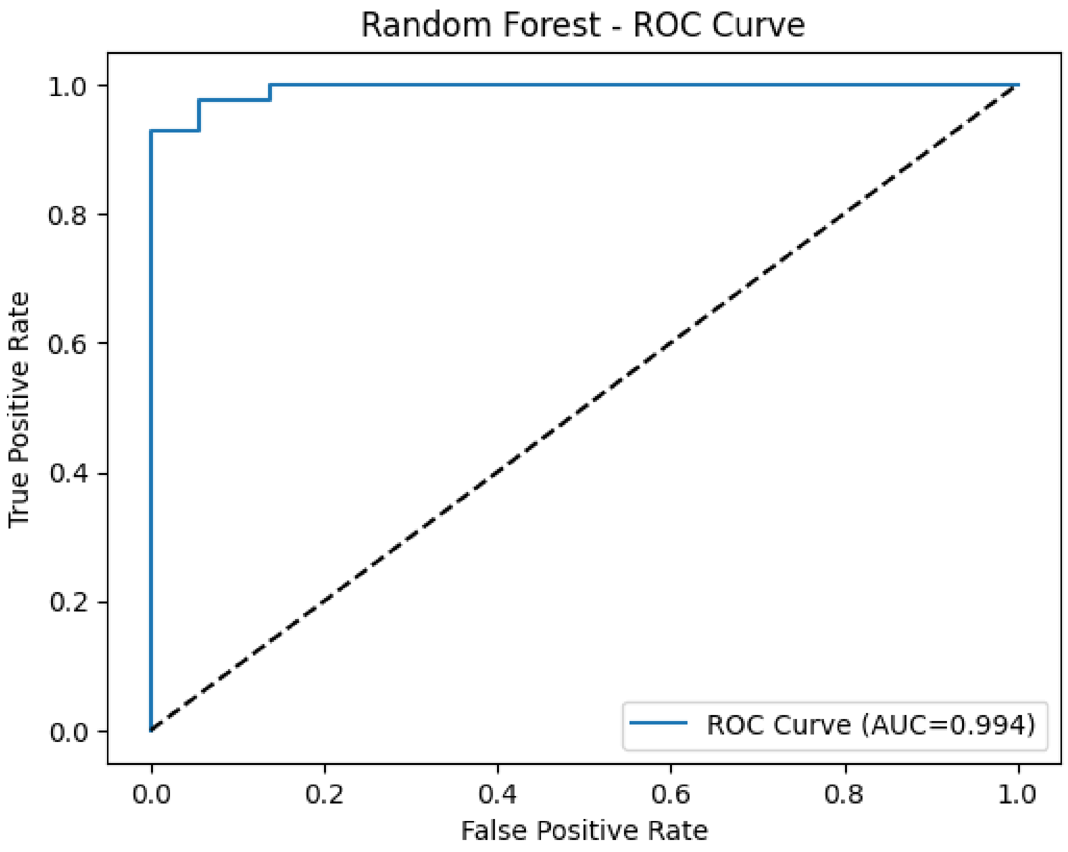
# Feature Importance
importances = best_rf.feature_importances_
indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1][:15]  # top 15 features

plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
plt.barh(range(len(indices)), importances[indices], align="center")
plt.yticks(range(len(indices)), [X.columns[i] for i in indices])
plt.xlabel("Feature Importance")
plt.title("Random Forest - Top Feature Importances")
plt.gca().invert_yaxis()
plt.show()

# ROC Curve
fpr, tpr, _ = roc_curve(y_test, y_proba)
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, label=f"ROC Curve (AUC={roc_auc:.3f})")
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], "k--")
plt.xlabel("False Positive Rate")
plt.ylabel("True Positive Rate")
plt.title("Random Forest - ROC Curve")
plt.legend(loc="lower right")
plt.show()
```




Random Forest - Top Feature Importances
feature_28
feature_8
feature_24
feature_21
feature_3
feature_23
feature_1
feature_4
feature_7
feature_27
feature_14
feature_11
feature_6
feature_26
feature_13
0.00
0.02
0.04
0.06
0.08
0.10
Feature Importance


Random Forest - ROC Curve
True Positive Rate
False Positive Rate
0.0
0.2
0.4
0.6
0.8
1.0
ROC Curve (AUC=0.994)

9 Stacked Ensemble Code

Stacked_ensemble

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[2]:
```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV,␣
↪StratifiedKFold
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import (
    accuracy_score, precision_score, recall_score, f1_score, roc_auc_score,␣
↪roc_curve,auc,confusion_matrix
)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.ensemble import StackingClassifier
from sklearn.svm import SVC
from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
```

[2]:
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# 1. Load dataset
# wdbc.data does not have headers, so we define them
columns = ["ID", "Diagnosis"] + [f"feature_{i}" for i in range(1, 31)]
data = pd.read_csv("wdbc.data", header=None, names=columns)
```

[3]:
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# 2. Prepare features and target
X = data.drop(["ID", "Diagnosis"], axis=1)
y = data["Diagnosis"].map({"M": 1, "B": 0})  # Malignant=1, Benign=0
```

[4]:
```
# 4. Preprocessor (scaling not needed for trees, but kept for pipeline␣
↪consistency)
num_features = X.columns.tolist()
preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[("scale", StandardScaler(), num_features)],
    remainder="drop"
)
```

[5]:
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X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(
    X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
)
```

[6]:
```
# --- 1. Define base models ---
base_estimators = [
    ("svm", SVC(probability=True, random_state=42)),
    ("nb", GaussianNB()),
    ("dt", DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42))
]
```

[7]:
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# --- 2. Define Stacking Classifier with Logistic Regression as final estimator␣
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stack = StackingClassifier(
    estimators=base_estimators,
    final_estimator=LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000, random_state=42),
    passthrough=False
)
```

[8]:
```
# --- 3. Hyperparameter Grid for final estimator ---
param_grid = {
    "final_estimator": [
        LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000, random_state=42),
        RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=100, random_state=42)
    ]
}
```

[9]:
```
# --- 4. Grid Search ---
stack_grid = GridSearchCV(
    stack,
    param_grid,
    cv=3,
    scoring={"accuracy": "accuracy", "f1": "f1_macro"},
    refit="accuracy",
    n_jobs=-1
)
stack_grid.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

[9]:
```
GridSearchCV(cv=3,
             estimator=StackingClassifier(estimators=[('svm',
                                                       SVC(probability=True,
                                                           random_state=42)),
                                                      ('nb', GaussianNB()),
                                                      ('dt',
DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42))],
final_estimator=LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000,
random_state=42)),
             n_jobs=-1,
             param_grid={'final_estimator': [LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000,
random_state=42),
RandomForestClassifier(random_state=42)]},
             refit='accuracy',
             scoring={'accuracy': 'accuracy', 'f1': 'f1_macro'})
```

[10]:
```
results = []
for params, acc, f1 in zip(
    stack_grid.cv_results_["params"],
    stack_grid.cv_results_["mean_test_accuracy"],
    stack_grid.cv_results_["mean_test_f1"]
):
    final_estimator = type(params["final_estimator"]).__name__
    results.append([
        "SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree",
        final_estimator,
        f"{acc:.4f}",
        f"{f1:.4f}"
    ])
```

[11]:
```
# --- 6. Convert to DataFrame ---
stack_table = pd.DataFrame(
    results,
    columns=["Base Models", "Final Estimator", "Accuracy", "F1 Score"]
)

print("Stacked Ensemble Model")
print("Hyperparameter Trials")
print("Table 6: Stacked Ensemble - Hyperparameter Tuning")
print(stack_table)
```

```
Stacked Ensemble Model
Hyperparameter Trials
Table 6: Stacked Ensemble - Hyperparameter Tuning
                       Base Models         Final Estimator Accuracy F1 Score
0  SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree      LogisticRegression   0.9494   0.9452
1  SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree  RandomForestClassifier   0.9363   0.9315
```

[12]:
```
# Train the Stacked Ensemble: SVM + Decision Tree + KNN
stack_clf_knn = StackingClassifier(
    estimators=[("svm", SVC(probability=True, random_state=42)),
                ("dt", DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)),
                ("knn", KNeighborsClassifier())],
    final_estimator=LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000, random_state=42),
    cv=5,
    n_jobs=-1
)
```

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stack_clf_knn.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_val_pred = stack_clf_knn.predict(X_test)

acc = accuracy_score(y_test, y_val_pred)
f1 = f1_score(y_test, y_val_pred, average="weighted")

# Single row result
stack_table_knn = pd.DataFrame([{
    "Base Models": "SVM, Decision Tree, KNN",
    "Final Estimator": "Logistic Regression",
    "Accuracy / F1 Score": f"{acc:.3f} / {f1:.3f}"
}])

print("Stacked Ensemble Model")
print("Hyperparameter Trials")
print("Table 6: Stacked Ensemble - Hyperparameter Tuning")
print(stack_table_knn)
```

```
Stacked Ensemble Model
Hyperparameter Trials
Table 6: Stacked Ensemble - Hyperparameter Tuning
               Base Models      Final Estimator Accuracy / F1 Score
0  SVM, Decision Tree, KNN  Logistic Regression       0.939 / 0.938
```

10 Hyperparameter Tuning Tables

Table 1: Top 5 Decision Tree Hyperparameter Trials

Criterion	Max Depth	Accuracy	F1 Score
gini	10	0.9297	0.9341
entropy	3	0.9224	0.9113
log-loss	5	0.9201	0.9185
entropy	4	0.9210	0.9120
gini	10	0.9231	0.9185

Table 2: Top 5 AdaBoost Hyperparameter Trials

n-Estimators	Learning Rate	Accuracy	F1 Score
200	1.00	0.9648	0.9623
100	0.8892	0.8710	0.8438
50	0.8993	0.8828	0.8585
200	0.8950	0.8815	0.8474
100	0.10	0.9604	0.9577

Table 3: Top 5 Gradient Boosting Hyperparameter Trials

n-Estimators	Learning Rate	Max Depth	Subsample	Accuracy	F1 Score
200	0.01	7	0.8	0.9538	0.9507
50	0.10	3	1.0	0.9560	0.9527
200	0.01	5	0.8	0.9516	0.9479
200	0.05	3	0.8	0.9516	0.9482
100	0.01	7	0.8	0.9451	0.9409

Table 4: Top 5 XGBoost Hyperparameter Trials

n-Estimators	Learning Rate	Max Depth	Gamma	Accuracy	F1 Score
200	0.2	7	0.0	0.9758	0.9714
100	0.2	3	0.0	0.9714	0.9693
200	0.1	3	0.1	0.9714	0.9693
100	0.2	5	0.0	0.9714	0.9694
200	0.2	5	0.0	0.9714	0.9694

Table 5: Top 5 Random Forest Hyperparameter Trials

Criterion	Max Depth	n-Estimators	Accuracy	F1 Score
gini	10	50	0.9670	0.9648
log-loss	5	50	0.9648	0.9622
entropy	5	50	0.9648	0.9622
gini	10	50	0.9626	0.9599
gini	10	50	0.9626	0.9601

Table 6: Stacked Ensemble Hyperparameter Trials

Base Models	Final Estimator	Accuracy	F1 Score
SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree	Logistic Regression	0.9494	0.9452
SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree	Random Forest Classifier	0.9363	0.9315
SVM, Decision Tree, KNN	Logistic Regression	0.9390	0.9380

Table 7: 5-Fold Cross-Validation Accuracy for All Models

Model	Fold 1	Fold 2	Fold 3	Fold 4	Fold 5	Average Accuracy
Decision Tree	0.9123	0.8947	0.9386	0.9298	0.9381	0.9227
AdaBoost	0.9825	0.9386	0.9649	0.9737	0.9735	0.9666
Gradient Boosting	0.9780	1.0000	0.9451	0.9890	0.9341	0.9692
XGBoost	0.9890	1.0000	0.9341	0.9890	0.9670	0.9758
Random Forest	1.0000	0.9890	0.9341	0.9890	0.9231	0.9670
SVM + NB + Decision Tree	0.9670	0.9890	0.9121	0.9231	0.9231	0.9429

Observation

1. The Wisconsin Diagnostic Breast Cancer dataset contains **30 numerical features** extracted from digitized images of fine needle aspirates, with **binary classification labels (Malignant, Benign)**.

2. Exploratory Data Analysis showed that the dataset is **reasonably balanced** but has slight class imbalance, requiring careful evaluation of precision, recall, and ROC curves.

3. Feature correlation analysis revealed that several features (like radius, perimeter, and area) were highly correlated, influencing model performance.

4. After standardization and preprocessing, all classifiers were successfully trained and evaluated using **5-Fold Cross-Validation**.

5. Performance observations:
    - **Decision Tree** performed well but was prone to overfitting.
    - **Ensemble models** (Random Forest, Gradient Boosting, AdaBoost, XGBoost) gave higher accuracy and better generalization.
    - **Stacking Classifier** (SVM, Naïve Bayes, Decision Tree as base learners) achieved the most balanced performance across evaluation metrics.
6. ROC curve analysis confirmed that ensemble and stacking methods achieved **higher AUC scores**, indicating better discrimination ability between malignant and benign cases.

Conclusion

- Machine learning classifiers can effectively distinguish between malignant and benign tumors in the Wisconsin Breast Cancer dataset.
- While a simple Decision Tree can provide interpretability, ensemble methods such as Random Forest, Gradient Boosting, AdaBoost, and XGBoost significantly improve performance by reducing variance and bias.
- The Stacking Classifier outperformed individual models, showing that combining multiple learners leads to a more robust and accurate predictive system.
- Overall, ensemble and stacking approaches are highly suitable for medical diagnosis tasks, where both accuracy and reliability are crucial.

GitHub Repository: https://github.com/Thamizhmathibharathi/project.git