

My Analysis Of Haberman's Survival Data

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- 1 The dataset contains 305 cases from a study that was conducted between 1958 and 1970 at the University of Chicago's Billings Hospital on the survival of patients who had undergone surgery for breast cancer.**

Attributes of Data : 1. Age of patient at time of operation (numerical) 2. Patient's year of operation (year - 1900, numerical) 3. Number of positive axillary nodes detected (numerical) 4. Survival status (class attribute) 1 = the patient survived 5 years or longer (class attribute) 2 = the patient died within 5 year

1.1 Importing the dataset

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In [1]: # Importing all libraries needed for exploratory data analysis of this dataset
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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In [2]: cancer_data = pd.read_csv('./InputFile/haberman.csv')
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In [3]: cancer_data.head(4)
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Out[3]:
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	30	64	1	1.1
0	30	62	3	1
1	30	65	0	1
2	31	59	2	1
3	31	65	4	1

1.2 Preparing the data

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In [4]: cancer_data.columns = ["age_of_patient", "year_of_operation", "pos_axil_nodes", "survival"]
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In [5]: cancer_data.head(3)
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Out[5]:
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	age_of_patient	year_of_operation	pos_axil_nodes	\
0	30	62	3	
1	30	65	0	

2	31	59	2
survival_status_after_5_years			
0		1	
1		1	
2		1	

In [6]: cancer_data.tail(4)

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Out[6]:
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	age_of_patient	year_of_operation	pos_axil_nodes	\
301	76	67	0	
302	77	65	3	
303	78	65	1	
304	83	58	2	

	survival_status_after_5_years
301	1
302	1
303	2
304	2

In [7]: *# changeing status from 1,2 to yes and no*
cancer_data.survival_status_after_5_years = cancer_data.survival_status_after_5_years.

In [8]: cancer_data.shape

Out[8]: (305, 4)

In [9]: cancer_data.info()

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 305 entries, 0 to 304
Data columns (total 4 columns):
age_of_patient          305 non-null int64
year_of_operation        305 non-null int64
pos_axil_nodes          305 non-null int64
survival_status_after_5_years  305 non-null object
dtypes: int64(3), object(1)
memory usage: 9.6+ KB
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We have no missing value in the dataset

1.2.1 Our Goal is to find the relationship of survival_status and other features, so that in future we can build machine learning model using these features.

1.2.2 Minimum number of records required to build a model = $2^{\text{exp}(\text{number of features})}$, which is 8 in our case and since we have 305 records, we can make a machine learning model using this data

1.2.3 Descriptive Statistics of data

In [10]: cancer_data.describe()

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Out[10]:
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	age_of_patient	year_of_operation	pos_axil_nodes
count	305.000000	305.000000	305.000000
mean	52.531148	62.849180	4.036066
std	10.744024	3.254078	7.199370
min	30.000000	58.000000	0.000000
25%	44.000000	60.000000	0.000000
50%	52.000000	63.000000	1.000000
75%	61.000000	66.000000	4.000000
max	83.000000	69.000000	52.000000

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In [11]: cancer_data['survival_status_after_5_years'].value_counts(normalize = True)
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Out[11]: Yes    0.734426
         No     0.265574
         Name: survival_status_after_5_years, dtype: float64
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Key Observations:

1. Data is imbalanced as we expected from domain knowledge
2. Only 25% of the patients are under the age of 44 years, meaning most of the patients are over 44 years.
3. 75% of the patients has less than 4 axillary lymph nodes.
4. 73.44 % of the patients survived after 5 years.

1.3 Inferential statistics

Univariate Analysis

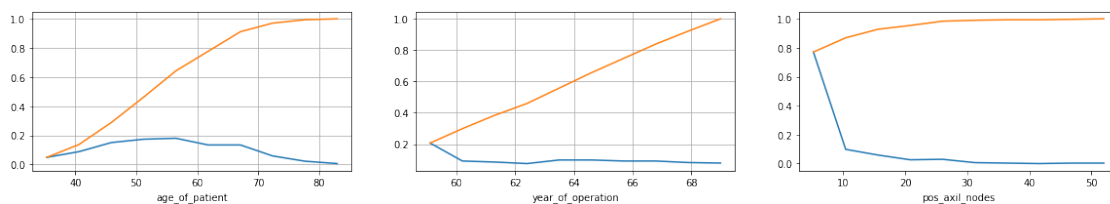
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In [12]: """ https://www.kaggle.com/gokulkarthik/haberman-s-survival-exploratory-data-analysis
         * Distribution plots are used to visually assess how the data points are distributed
         * Usually the data points are grouped into bins and the height of the bars represents the
         number of data points lying within that group. (histogram)
         * Probability Density Function (PDF) is the probability that the variable takes a value
         * Kernel Density Estimate (KDE) is the way to estimate the PDF. The area under the KDE
         * Here the height of the bar denotes the percentage of data points under the corresponding
         * The cumulative distribution function (cdf) is the probability that the variable takes a
         value less than or equal to the value at which the function is evaluated.
         """

plt.figure(figsize = (20,3))
for idx,feature in enumerate(list(cancer_data.columns)[: -1]):
    counts,binsize = np.histogram(cancer_data[feature],bins = 10,density = True)
    pdf = counts/sum(counts)
    cdf = np.cumsum(pdf)
    print("*****PDF OF {} IS *****".format(feature))
    print("BINSIZE --{}".format(binsize))
    print("PDF --{}".format(pdf))
    plt.grid()
    plt.subplot(1,3,idx+1)
    plt.plot(binsize[1:],pdf,binsize[1:],cdf)
    plt.xlabel(feature)
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*****PDF OF age_of_patient IS *****
BINSIZE --[30.  35.3 40.6 45.9 51.2 56.5 61.8 67.1 72.4 77.7 83. ]
PDF --[0.04918033 0.08852459 0.15081967 0.17377049 0.18032787 0.13442623
 0.13442623 0.05901639 0.02295082 0.00655738]
*****PDF OF year_of_operation IS *****
BINSIZE --[58.  59.1 60.2 61.3 62.4 63.5 64.6 65.7 66.8 67.9 69. ]
PDF --[0.20655738 0.09180328 0.0852459  0.07540984 0.09836066 0.09836066
 0.09180328 0.09180328 0.08196721 0.07868852]
*****PDF OF pos_axil_nodes IS *****
BINSIZE --[ 0.   5.2 10.4 15.6 20.8 26.  31.2 36.4 41.6 46.8 52. ]
PDF --[0.7704918  0.09836066 0.05901639 0.02622951 0.0295082  0.00655738
 0.00327869 0.          0.00327869 0.00327869]

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In [13]: """

Box plot takes a less space and visually represents the five number summary of the data. The outliers are displayed as points outside the box.

1. $Q1 - 1.5 \times IQR$
2. $Q1$ (25th percentile)
3. $Q2$ (50th percentile or median)
4. $Q3$ (75th percentile)
5. $Q3 + 1.5 \times IQR$

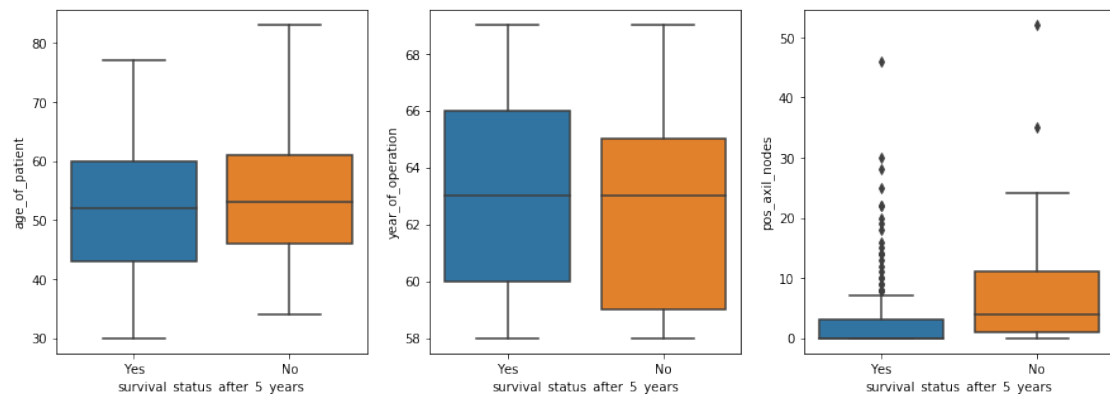
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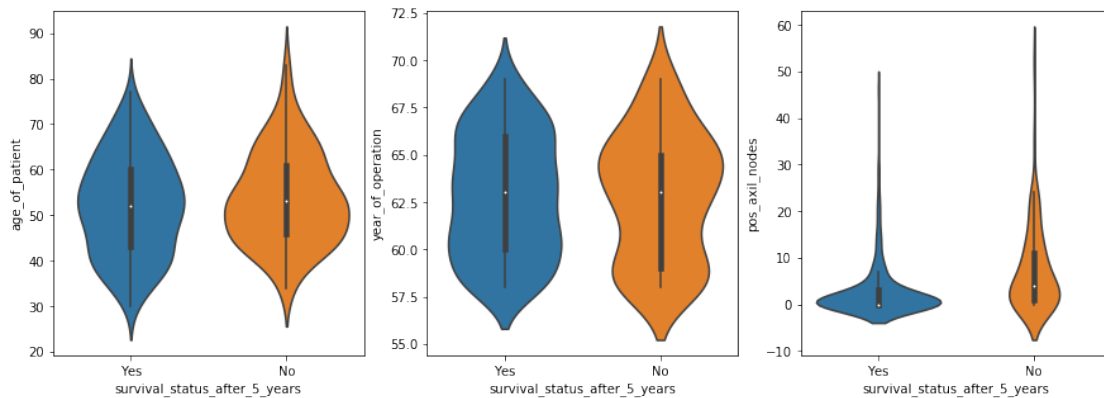
fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize=(15, 5))
for idx, feature in enumerate(list(cancer_data.columns)[:3]):
    sns.boxplot(x='survival_status_after_5_years', y=feature, data=cancer_data, ax=axes[idx])
plt.show()

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In [14]: """
Violin Plots are the combination of PDF and Box Plots.
"""

fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 3, figsize = (15, 5))
for idx, feature in enumerate(list(cancer_data.columns[:-1])):
    sns.violinplot(x= 'survival_status_after_5_years', y=feature, data=cancer_data, ax =
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1.3.1 Observations:

1. Patients above age 78 could not survive after 5 years.
2. 80% of the patients have less than or equal to 5 nodes.
3. Patients treated after 1965 have the slightly higher chance of surviving after 5 years

1.3.2 Multivariate Analysis

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In [17]: plt.figure(figsize = (15, 4))
sns.pairplot(cancer_data, hue="survival_status_after_5_years", size = 4)
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Out[17]: <seaborn.axisgrid.PairGrid at 0x22d3c649be0>
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<Figure size 1080x288 with 0 Axes>
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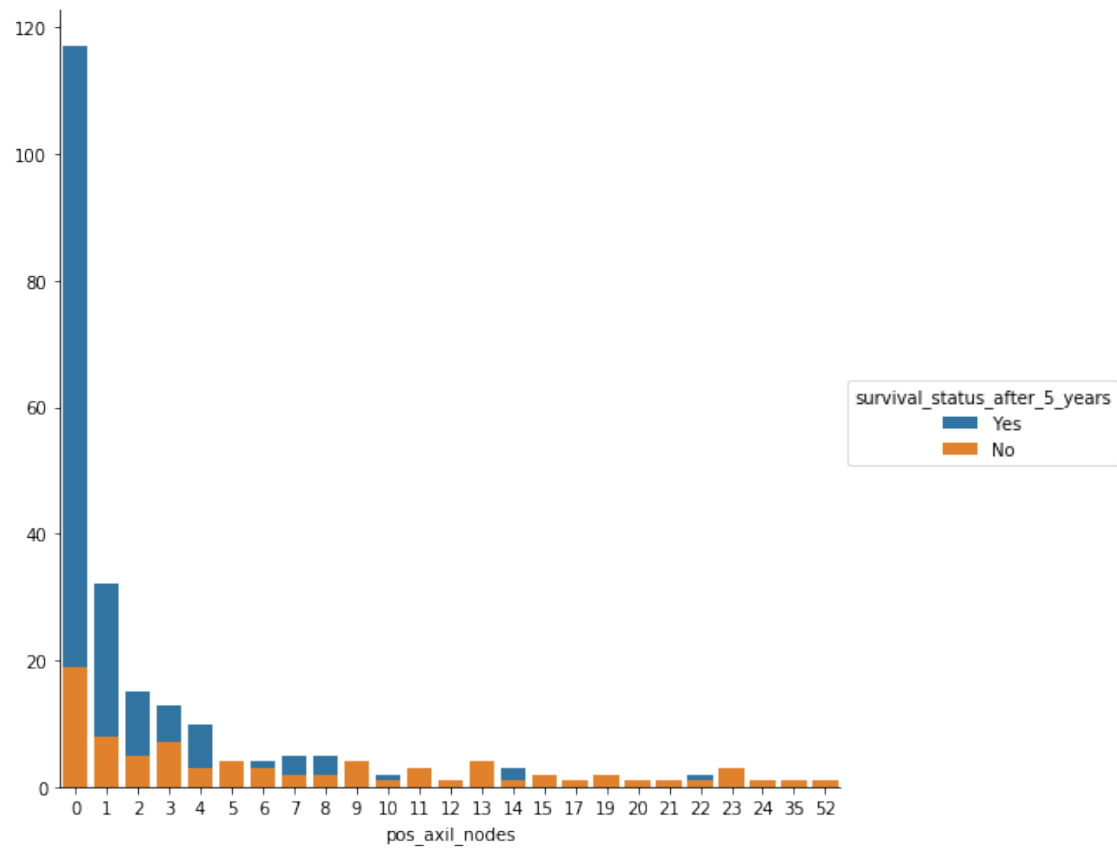


No way to classify the target variable using given features

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In [19]: sns.FacetGrid(cancer_data,hue = "survival_status_after_5_years",size =7).map(sns.cou
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C:\ProgramData\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\seaborn\axisgrid.py:703: UserWarning: Using the coul
warnings.warn(warning)
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Out[19]: <seaborn.axisgrid.FacetGrid at 0x22d3d7707b8>
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Patients with few axil nodes has better chance of surviving after 5 years