

Winning Space Race with Data Science

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Executive Summary

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Introduction

- In this project I will take the disponible data of Space X to analysis what make the launches have a success landing
- I will make some analysis to understand better the data set, like some charts, statistics and a folium map
- Some charts I will try to create on a dashboard to anyone could make their analysis
- And I will try to find the best model to predict the landing success



Methodology

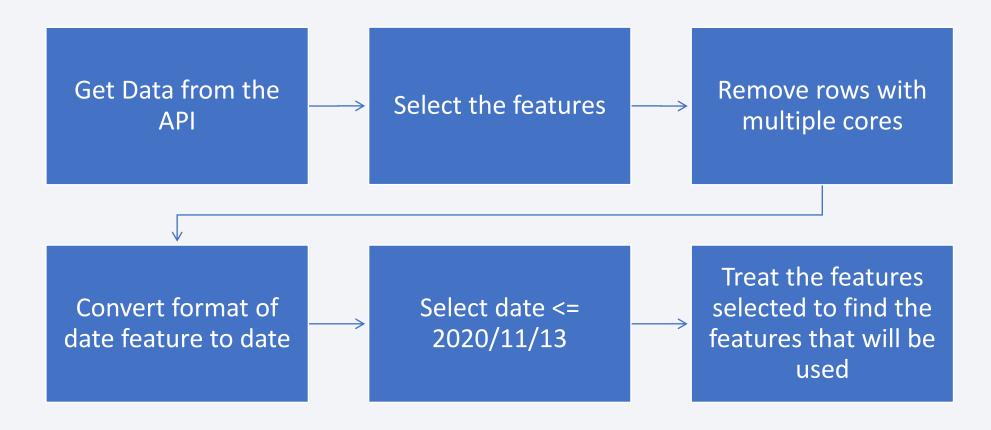
Executive Summary

- Data collection methodology:
 - Use Space X API and web scrapping
- Perform data wrangling
 - Create a Class label to identify the booster successfully landed or not.
- Perform exploratory data analysis (EDA) using visualization and SQL
- Perform interactive visual analytics using Folium and Plotly Dash
- Perform predictive analysis using classification models
 - Try 4 models and find the best parameters of each one with Grid Search CV.
 - Choose the better model using accuracy and confusion matrix

Data Collection

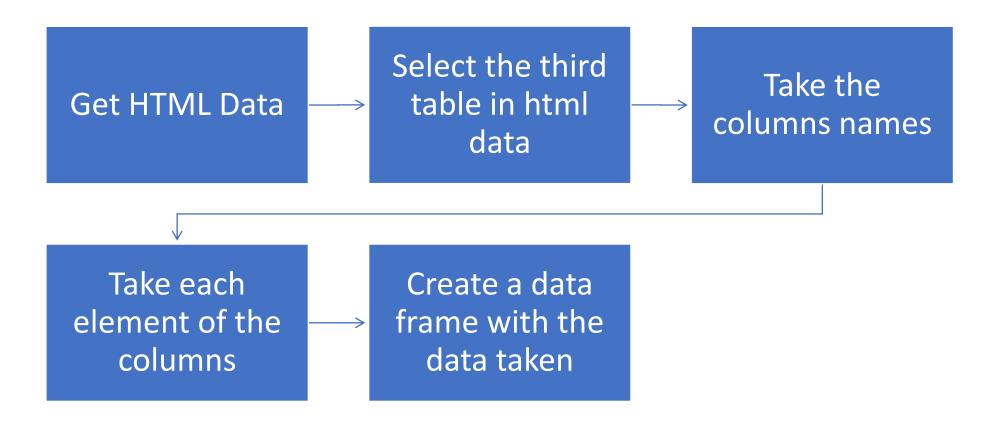
- Collect data from SpaceX API link: https://api.spacexdata.com/v4/launches/past (a static response could be access here)
- Use requests python library to capture the data from the API and make some treatments to make the dataset.
- More details on the next slide
- Other font of data is Wikipedia List of Falcon 9 and Falcon Heavy launches
- Use requests and beautifulsoup4 python library to capture the data from the Wikipedia and make some treatments to make the dataset.
- More details ahead on the Data Collection Scraping slide

Data Collection – SpaceX API



• Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/Data Collection API.ipynb

Data Collection - Scraping



• Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/Data Collection with Web Scraping.ipynb

Data Wrangling

- Become to explorer the data to understood some features and find the better way do create a Training Labels
- Create a Training Labels with 1 means the booster successfully landed
 O means it was unsuccessful

• Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/Data wrangling.ipynb

EDA with Data Visualization

- Scatterplots to see some correlations:
 - Flight Number vs. Payload Mass colored by success or not
 - Flight Number vs. Launch Site colored by success or not
 - Payload mass vs. Launch Site colored by success or not
 - Flight Number vs. Orbit colored by success or not
 - Payload mass vs. Orbit colored by success or not
- Bar chart to see the success rate of each orbit type
- Line plot to observe the annual evolution of the average success rate
- Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/EDA with Visualization.ipynb

EDA with SQL

- View the launch site options
- Total payload mass carried by boosters launched by NASA (CRS)
- Average payload mass carried by booster version F9 v1.1
- First successful landing outcome in ground pad
- List of the boosters which have success in drone ship
- Total number of successful and failure mission outcomes
- List of the booster which have carried the maximum payload mass
- Booster versions and launch site that failed outcome in drone ship in year 2015
- Count of landing outcomes between the date 2010-06-04 and 2017-03-20
- Link GitHub: <u>Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/EDA with SQL.ipynb</u>

Build an Interactive Map with Folium

- Create a folium map with circles and marks on the launch sites
- Create green marks for launch was successful on landing and red marks for launch was failed
- Create line and marks to show the distance between the launch site of Florida to:
 - Closest coastline
 - Closest railway
 - Closest highway
 - Closest cities
- Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/Interactive Visual Analytics with Folium.ipynb

Build a Dashboard with Plotly Dash

- Created a dashboard with a pie chart with the success launches for each launch site
- Included a scatter chart with the correlation between the payload mass vs.
 success or fail on landing and colored by the booster version
- Included a possible to select the Launch Site to filter both plots
- Included a possible to choose the payload mass range to filter the scatter plot

• Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/Dashboard with Plotly Dash.py

Predictive Analysis (Classification)

- We take the data with the categorical features transformed by one hot encoding, this transformation was made on the EDA with Data Visualization
- Separate the features data (X) and the target (Y)
- Apply standard scaler on the features
- Separate the data between train and test sets
- Find the best parameters of each model (logistic regression, support vector machine, decision tree and k nearest neighbors) with Grid Search CV
- Use accuracy and confusion matrix to find the best model
- Link GitHub: Data Science IBM Certificate Capstone Project/Machine Learning Prediction.ipynb

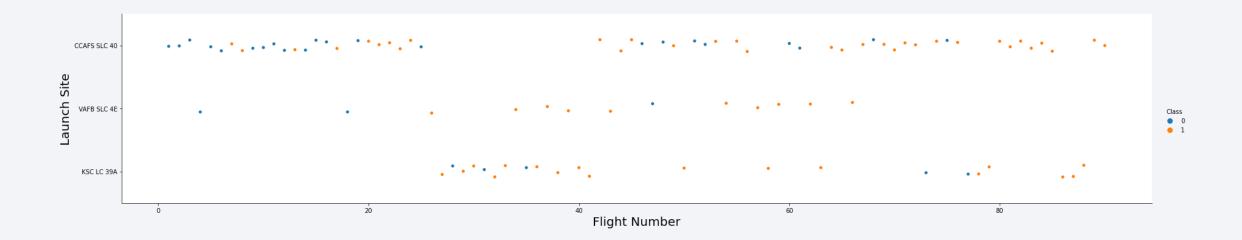
Results

- Exploratory data analysis results (section 2 and 3)
- Interactive analytics demo in screenshots (section 4)
- Predictive analysis results (section 5)



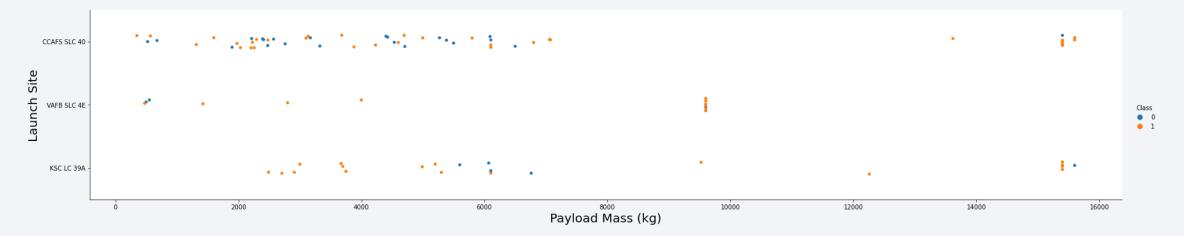
Flight Number vs. Launch Site

This chart show us that CCAFS LC-40 success ratio is lower than the others



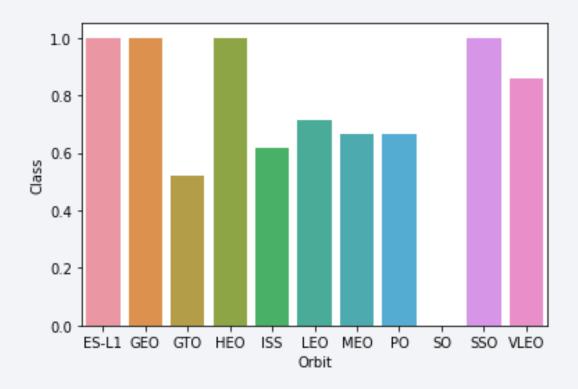
Payload vs. Launch Site

- Here we can see the reduction of the success when the payload is great than 6000 kg
- Another observation is the max payload mass launch from VAFB-SLC site is lower than 10.000 kg



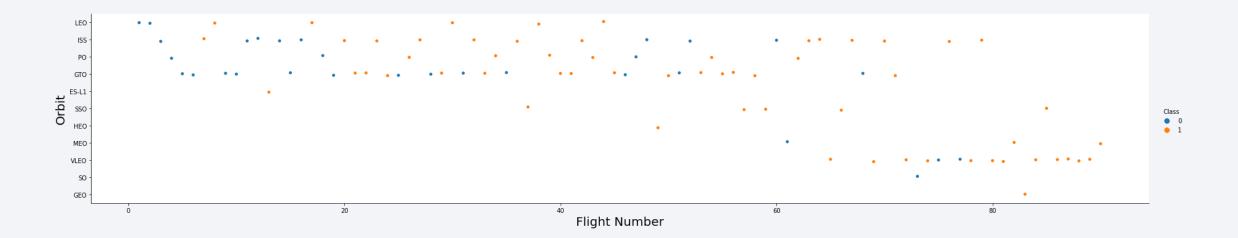
Success Rate vs. Orbit Type

 Here we can see the orbits ES-L1, GEO, HEO and SSO had 100% of success ratio while the orbit SO had 100% of failure



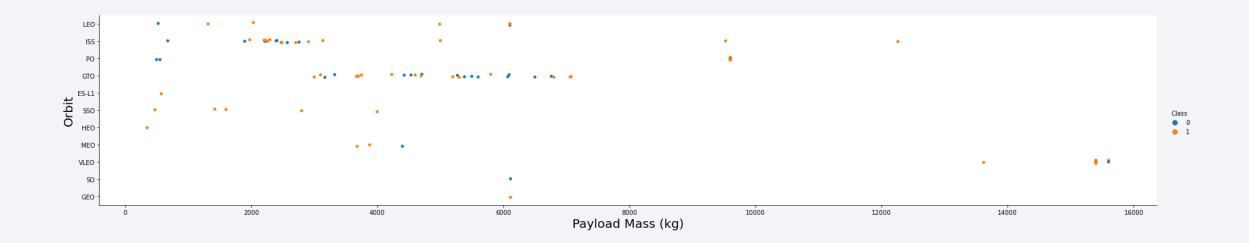
Flight Number vs. Orbit Type

- We could see that in the LEO orbit the Success appears related to the number of flights
- Others such as GTO don't appears have any correlation



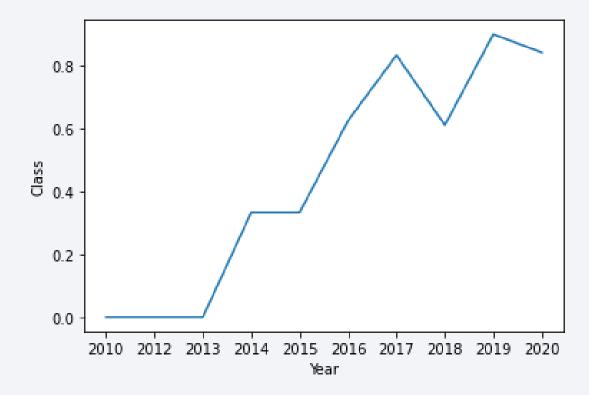
Payload vs. Orbit Type

• Like on the chart before, the correlation is easily observed on orbit LEO and is difficult to see on the GTO.



Launch Success Yearly Trend

• We can see the success rate increases with the years



All Launch Site Names

- We discovered that have only four launch sites, and they are:
 - CCAFS LC-40
 - CCAFS SLC-40
 - KSC LC-39A
 - VAFB SLC-4E

Launch Site Names Begin with 'CCA'

• When we look to the five first records where launch sites begin with `CCA`, no one had success on landing, but the mission was successful

DATE	timeutc_	booster_version	launch_site	payload	payload_masskg_	orbit	customer	mission_outcome	landing_outcome
2010-06- 04	18:45:00	F9 v1.0 B0003	CCAFS LC- 40	Dragon Spacecraft Qualification Unit	0	LEO	SpaceX	Success	Failure (parachute)
2010-12- 08	15:43:00	F9 v1.0 B0004	CCAFS LC- 40	Dragon demo flight C1, two CubeSats, barrel of Brouere cheese	0	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS) NRO	Success	Failure (parachute)
2012-05- 22	07:44:00	F9 v1.0 B0005	CCAFS LC- 40	Dragon demo flight C2	525	LEO (ISS)	NASA (COTS)	Success	No attempt
2012-10- 08	00:35:00	F9 v1.0 B0006	CCAFS LC- 40	SpaceX CRS-1	500	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt
2013-03- 01	15:10:00	F9 v1.0 B0007	CCAFS LC- 40	SpaceX CRS-2	677	LEO (ISS)	NASA (CRS)	Success	No attempt

Total Payload Mass

• The total payload mass carried by boosters launched by NASA(CRS) was 45596 kg.

Average Payload Mass by F9 v1.1

• The average payload mass carried by booster version F9 v1.1 was 2534 kg

First Successful Ground Landing Date

• The first successful landing outcome in ground pad was achieved in 2015/12/22

Successful Drone Ship Landing with Payload between 4000 and 6000

- The boosters which have successfully landed on drone ship and had payload mass greater than 4000 but less than 6000 was:
 - F9 FT B1022
 - F9 FT B1026
 - F9 FT B1021.2
 - F9 FT B1031.2

Total Number of Successful and Failure Mission Outcomes

• When we see the number of successful and failure mission outcomes, we see only one failure on 101 launches.

number	mission_outcome
1	Failure (in flight)
99	Success
1	Success (payload status unclear)

Boosters Carried Maximum Payload

- The booster which have carried the maximum payload mass was:
 - F9 B5 B1048.4
 - F9 B5 B1048.5
 - F9 B5 B1049.4
 - F9 B5 B1049.5
 - F9 B5 B1049.7
 - F9 B5 B1051.3

- F9 B5 B1051.4
- F9 B5 B1051.6
- F9 B5 B1056.4
- F9 B5 B1058.3
- F9 B5 B1060.2
- F9 B5 B1060.3

2015 Launch Records

• The booster versions and launch site names of the failed landing outcomes in drone ship, for in year 2015 was:

booster_version	launch_site			
F9 v1.1 B1012	CCAFS LC-40			
F9 v1.1 B1015	CCAFS LC-40			

Rank Landing Outcomes Between 2010-06-04 and 2017-03-20

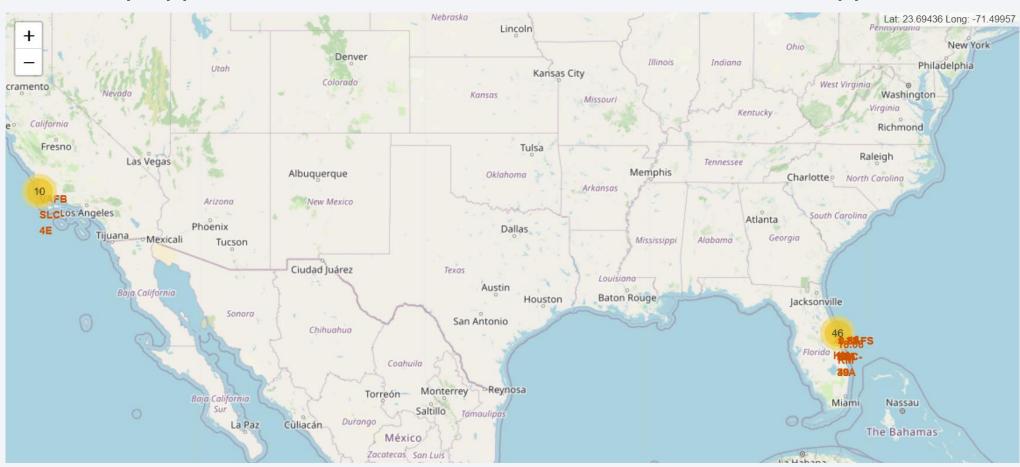
• The count of landing outcomes (such as Failure (drone ship) or Success (ground pad)) between the date 2010-06-04 and 2017-03-20, in descending order was:

landing_outcome	number
No attempt	10
Failure (drone ship)	5
Success (drone ship)	5
Controlled (ocean)	3
Success (ground pad)	3
Failure (parachute)	2
Uncontrolled (ocean)	2
Precluded (drone ship)	1



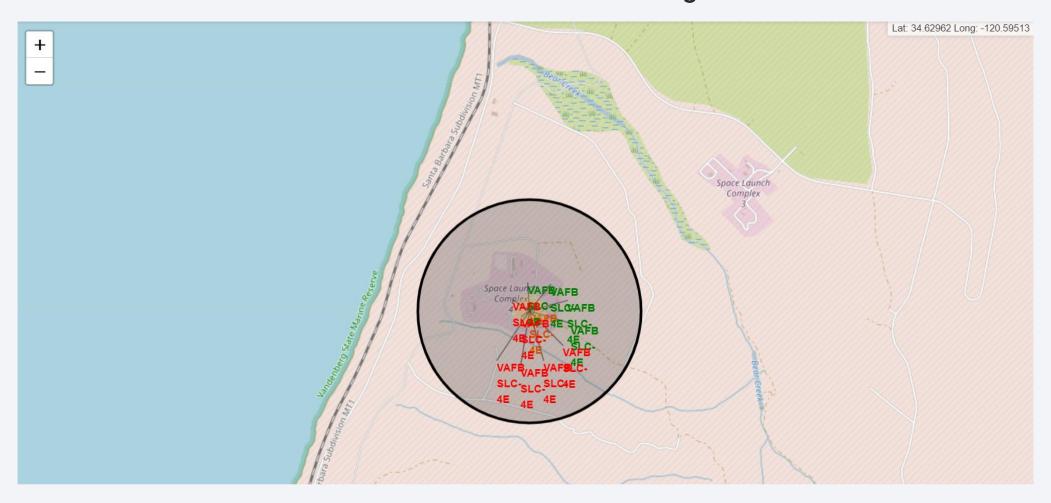
Map of the launch sites

• In this map appears all launch sites with the number o launches happened on them



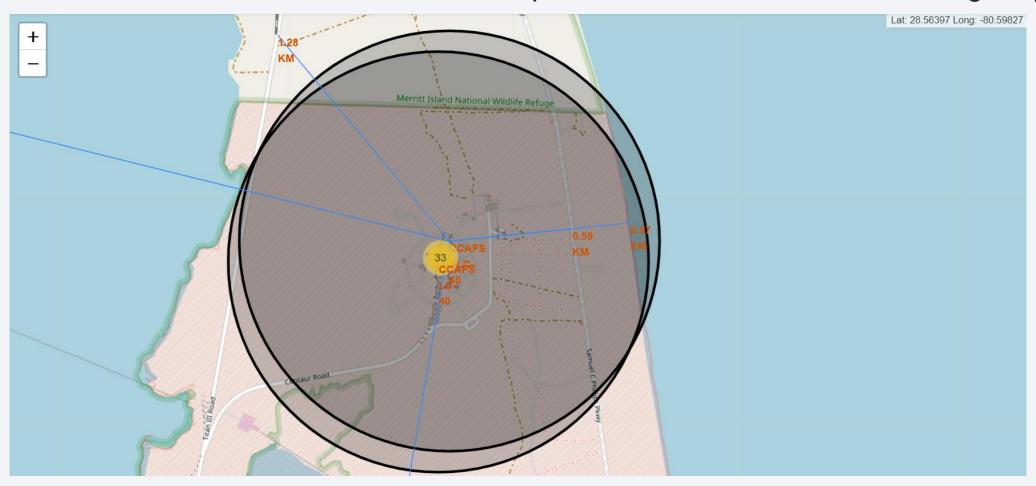
Color mark for launches

• Here are the marked red the launches was failure and green the launches was success



Distances from the launch site

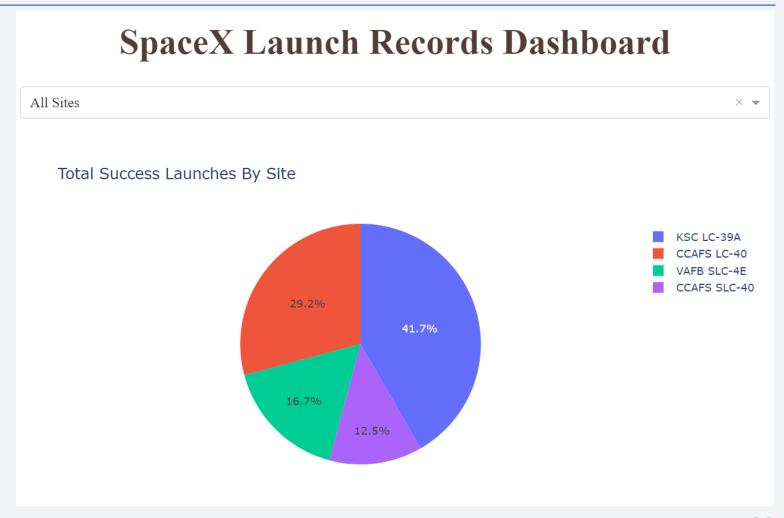
• This have lines and the distance from some points, like closest coastline and highway





Launch sites success on dashboard

- This first chart on the dashboard show the total success launches of each launch site
- Is possible to see the KSC LC launch site have more launches with success than the others



The most success ratio

- This is the chart of the launch site with the most success ratio
- It is the same launch site that have the most success launches observed before



Payload and Booster Version vs. Success

 View all sites information together is possible to see some concentration of colors in fail (class = 0) range

 When is selected the booster versions v1.0 and v1.1 almost all points is in failure range

 Other think is the range (2000 until 4000 kg) of the payload have the most success on landing



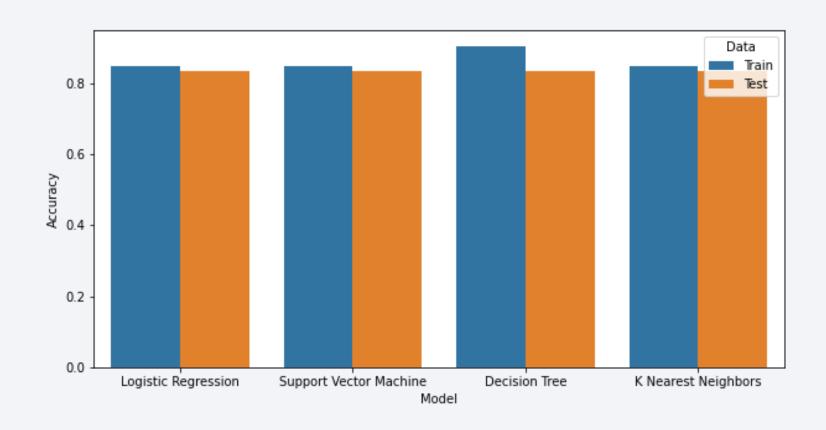






Classification Accuracy

- All models had the same accuracy and confusion matrix with the test data
- The best model is the Decision Tree, because in the train set had the best accuracy – 90% and, as said before, the same result of the others model on the test data



Confusion Matrix

- The model could distinguish between the different class
- The problem is the false positive



Conclusions

- We find a good model with accuracy of 83,33%
- We can observe some interesting correlations such as orbit, payload mass and the success
- We could calculate the distance between the launch site and some important locals and see that have security distance to important sights like cities
- We create a dashboard where anyone could take their analysis

