Final Model

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In [1]:
         1 import numpy as np
            import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         3 import matplotlib.image as mpimg
           import numpy as np
           import pandas as pd
           import pickle
            from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
         8
           from sklearn.linear model import LogisticRegressionCV
            from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
        10 from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
        11 from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
        12 from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
        13 from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
        14 from sklearn.ensemble import AdaBoostClassifier
        15 from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
        16 from sklearn.linear model import LassoCV
        17 from sklearn.base import clone
        18 from sklearn.metrics import r2_score
        19 from sklearn.discriminant_analysis import LinearDiscriminantAnalysis as LDA
        20 from sklearn.discriminant analysis import QuadraticDiscriminantAnalysis as QDA
        21 from sklearn.metrics import log loss
        22 import seaborn as sns
        23 import warnings
        25 warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
            %matplotlib inline
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Functions

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In [2]:
         1
            def upsample(test, monsterframe=False):
         2
         3
                input: test (pandas.dataframe)
         4
                output: pandas.dataframe
         5
         6
                 input dataframe MUST have the columns dem_win_prev and dem_win
         7
                 function will ensure that there are an equal number of flips and no flips in
         8
         9
        10
                 #check if party flip as per usual
        11
                 test['party_flip'] = (test.dem_win_prev != test.dem_win)*1
        12
                 #drop 2018 rows as we want to test on these, don't mess with them
        13
                test = test[test['year'] != 2018]
        14
                #count number of flips and no flips
        15
                print(np.sum((test['party_flip']==1)), np.sum((test['party_flip']==0)))
                 #we want to match these counts, so we need target number of bootstrapped sam:
        16
        17
                target = (np.sum((test['party flip']==0))) - (np.sum((test['party flip']==1))
        18
                 #collect target bootstrap samples where we see a flip
        19
                samples = test[test['party_flip'] == 1].sample(n=target, replace=True)
        20
                 #add them back to the dataframe
        21
                test = pd.concat([test, samples])
        22
                print(np.sum((test['party_flip']==1)), np.sum((test['party_flip']==0)))
        23
                print(len(set(test['party_flip'] == 1].index)))
        24
                test = test.drop('party_flip', axis=1)
        25
        26
                if monsterframe:
        27
                     target = 5*(len(test))
        28
                     samples = test.sample(n=target, replace=True)
        29
                     test = pd.concat([test, samples])
        30
                print(len(test))
        31
        32
        33
        34
                return test
        35
        36
            #full_dataset = boostrap(full_dataset)
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In [3]:
            # format data items for input into the model
         3
            def format_model_input(filename, x_cols, y_col, state_hot_encoder=False, upsample
         4
         5
                 # load full dataset
                full_dataset = pickle.load(open(filename, 'rb'))
         6
         7
         8
                 # train data is everything except 2018
         9
                if upsample:
        10
                     pre_2018_dataset = full_dataset.loc[full_dataset['year']!=2018]
        11
                     pre_2018_dataset = upsample(pre_2018_dataset, monsterframe=False)
        12
                else:
        13
                     pre 2018 dataset = full dataset.loc[full dataset['year']!=2018]
         14
        15
                X train = pre 2018 dataset[cols to use]
                y_train = pre_2018_dataset[y col]
        16
        17
                 flip train = np.abs(pre 2018 dataset['dem win']-pre 2018 dataset['dem win pre
        18
        19
                 # test data is 2018
        20
                the 2018 dataset = full dataset.loc[full dataset['year']==2018]
        21
                X_test = the_2018_dataset[cols_to_use]
        22
                y_test = the_2018_dataset[y_col]
        23
                flip_test = np.abs(the_2018_dataset['dem_win']-the_2018_dataset['dem_win_prev
        24
        25
                if state_hot_encoder:
        26
                     #add one hot encoder for states (with or without dropping first)
        27
                    X_train.loc[:,'state'] = pre_2018_dataset['state']
                    X_train = pd.get_dummies(X_train,prefix='state',columns=['state'], drop_f
        28
                    X test.loc[:,'state'] = the 2018 dataset['state']
        29
                    X test = pd.get dummies(X test,prefix='state',columns=['state'], drop fix
        30
        31
        32
                     # Make sure train and test have all the same states
        33
                         # the problem is that PA is no longer in the test set...
        34
                     states missing in test = np.array([x for x in X train.columns.values if x
        35
                     if states missing in test.size!=0:
        36
                         for state_missing in states_missing_in_test:
        37
                             X test[state missing] = 0
        38
         39
                return X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test, flip_train, flip_test
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In [4]:
             # plot all metric specified on the model and dataset specificed
             # outputs subplot
          2
          3
             def plot_metrics(ax, model_dict, X_train_input, y_train_input, X_test_input, y_te
                               flip_train, flip_test, score='accuracy_score'):
          5
          6
          7
                 df_for_plotting = pd.DataFrame()
                  for model name, model in model dict.items():
          8
                     dict_for_plotting = {}
          9
         10
                      # copy arrays so you don't accidentally change them
         11
                     X_train = X_train_input.copy()
         12
                     y train = y train input.copy()
         13
                      X test = X test input.copy()
         14
                     y_test = y_test_input.copy()
         15
                      # get the flip and noflip data
         16
         17
                      #flip mask train = np.array(flip train)==1
         18
                      flip mask test = np.array(flip test)==1
         19
         20
                      # calculate metrics
         21
                      if score=='accuracy_score':
         22
                          # predict test and train data
         23
                          y_pred_test = model.predict(X_test)
         24
                          y_pred_train = model.predict(X_train)
         25
         2.6
                          # calculate accuracy score
         27
                          y_pred_train = y_pred_train.round()
         28
                          y_pred_test = y_pred_test.round()
         29
                          train_score = accuracy_score(y_train, y_pred_train)
         30
                          test_score = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_test)
         31
                          percent_noflip_correct = accuracy_score(y_test[~flip_mask_test], y_p
         32
                          percent_flip_correct = accuracy_score(y_test[flip_mask_test],y_pred_
         33
         34
                          # colors and names for the plot
         35
                          metric_name = 'accuracy'
                          palette = {'train_'+metric_name : sns.color_palette("Paired")[0],
         36
         37
                                     'test '+metric name : sns.color palette("Paired")[1],
         38
                                     'noflip '+metric name : sns.color palette("Paired")[2],
         39
                                     'flip_'+metric_name : sns.color_palette("Paired")[3] }
         40
         41
                     elif score=='log loss':
         42
                          # predict proba test and train data
         43
                          y_prob_test = model.predict_proba(X_test)
         44
                          y_prob_train = model.predict_proba(X_train)
         45
         46
                          # calculate logloss
         47
                          train_score = log_loss(y_train, y_prob_train)
                          test_score = log_loss(y_test, y_prob_test)
         48
                          percent noflip correct = log loss(y test[-flip mask test], y prob te
         49
         50
                          percent flip correct = log loss(y test[flip mask test],y prob test[flip mask test]
         51
         52
                          # colors and names for the plot
                          metric name = 'logloss'
         53
                          palette = {'train_'+metric_name : sns.color_palette("Paired")[4],
         54
                                      'test_'+metric_name : sns.color_palette("Paired")[5],
         55
                                      'noflip_'+metric_name : sns.color_palette("Paired")[6],
         56
         57
                                      'flip_'+metric_name : sns.color_palette("Paired")[7] }
         58
                          ax.set ylim(0,35)
         59
         60
                     elif score=='r2 score':
         61
                          # predict proba test and train data
         62
                          y prob test = model.predict proba(X test)[:,1]
         63
                          y_prob_train = model.predict_proba(X_train)[:,1]
         64
                          # -- 7 --- 7 - 1 - -- 2 - - - - - - -
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In [5]:
            # plot flips predicted by a model
         3
            def plot_flips(X_test_input, y_test_input, y_pred_test_input, flip_train,
                            flip_test, model_name):
         5
         6
                 # copy arrays so you don't accidentally change them
         7
                X_test = X_test_input.copy()
         8
                y_test = y_test_input.copy()
         9
                y_pred_test = y_pred_test_input.copy()
         10
         11
                 # add flip data to the array
        12
                X test['party flip'] = flip test
        13
         14
                 #looking at the missclassifications with logisticRegressionCV
                 miss_class_df = X_test[y_test != y_pred_test]
         15
                 good_class_df = X_test[y_test == y_pred_test]
        16
         17
         18
                 #plot the flips and non flips for each data
         19
                 fig, ax = plt.subplots(1,2, figsize=(14,4))
        20
                 ax[0].set_title(model_name+' Proportion of party flips on wellclassified test
                 ax[1].set_title(model_name+' Proportion of party flips missclassified test de
        21
        22
        23
                 if not good_class_df.empty:
        24
                     good_class_df.groupby('party_flip')['party_flip'].count().plot.bar(ax=ax[
        25
                     for name, group in (good_class_df.groupby('party_flip')['party_flip']):
        26
                         ax[0].text(int(name)+.25, group.count() + .25, \
        27
                         '{0:.2f}'.format(group.count()/good_class_df.shape[0]*100)+'%', color
        28
        29
                 if not miss class df.empty:
                     miss_class_df.groupby('party_flip')['party_flip'].count().plot.bar(ax=ax[
        30
        31
                     for name, group in (miss_class_df.groupby('party_flip')['party_flip']):
        32
                         ax[1].text(int(name)+.15, group.count() + .25, \
        33
                         '{0:.2f}'.format(group.count()/miss class df.shape[0]*100)+'%', color
         34
         35
                 normnoflip = len(X test[X test['party flip'] == 0])
        36
                 normflip = len(X_test[X_test['party_flip'] == 1])
         37
                 print('predicted correctly. does not flip.: {}'.format(len(good class df[good
         38
                 print('predicted wrongly. does not flip.: {}'.format(len(miss class df[miss class df))
        39
                 print('predicted correctly. does flips.: {}'.format(len(good class df[good cl
         40
                 print('predicted wrongly. does flips.: {}'.format(len(miss class df[miss clas
        41
        42
         43
                 plt.show()
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In [6]:
             # plot a scatter plot of the probabilities predicted by the model.
          3
             def scatter_results(ax, fitted_model_dict, X_test, y_test, flip, model_name='LogF
                 model = fitted_model_dict[model_name]
                 y_prob = model.predict_proba(X_test)[:,1]
          5
          6
          7
                 flip = flip.values.squeeze()
          8
                 y_test = y_test.values.squeeze()
          9
                 y_dem_flip = y_prob[np.logical_and(y_test==1, flip==1)]
         10
                 y_dem_noflip = y_prob[np.logical_and(y_test==1, flip==0)]
         11
                 y_rep_flip = y_prob[np.logical_and(y_test==0, flip==1)]
         12
                 y_rep_noflip = y_prob[np.logical_and(y_test==0, flip==0)]
         13
         14
                 ax.plot(y_dem_noflip,'b.',label='D, No Flip')
                 ax.plot(y_dem_flip,'b*', label = 'D, Flip')
         15
                 ax.plot(y_rep_noflip,'r.', label = 'R, No Flip')
ax.plot(y_rep_flip,'r*', label = 'R, Flip')
         16
         17
         18
         19
                 plt.xlabel('index')
         20
                 plt.ylabel('rep-dem')
         21
                 plt.legend()
         22
                 ax.set_title(model_name+' Results')
         23
                 ax.axhline(0.5)
         24
         25
                 print('We predicted democrats got {} spots.'.format(np.sum(y_prob.round()==1)
         26
                 print('We predicted republicans got {} spots.'.format(np.sum(y_prob.round()==
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In [7]:
            # print out R2, accuracy, and plot # flipped seats correctly predicted for a give
         3
            def report_model_stats(filename, x_cols, y_col, model_dict, state_hot_encoder=Fal
         5
                 # read in the desired data
         6
                X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test, flip_train,flip_test = \
         7
                     format_model_input(filename, cols_to_use, y_col, state_hot_encoder)
         8
                 fitted_model_dict = {}
         9
         10
         11
                 for model_name, model in model_dict.items():
        12
                     model copy = clone(model) # deep copy model to prevent fitting it twice
        13
                       print(model name)
         14
         15
                     fitted_model = model_copy.fit(X_train,y_train)
        16
                     y_pred_test = fitted_model.predict(X_test)
        17
        18
                       print("Confusion Matrix: \n",confusion_matrix(y_test,y_pred_test.round)
         19
                       print("\n{} R2: ".format(model_name), fitted_model.score(X_train,y_train)
        20
                       print("{} Test Accuracy".format(model_name), accuracy_score(y_test,y_pi
        21
                       plot_flips(X_test, y_test, y_pred_test.round(), flip_train, flip_test,
        22
        23
                     fitted_model_dict[model_name] = fitted_model
        24
        25
        2.6
                       trv:
        27
                           coef = fitted_model.coef_.squeeze()
        28
                           print(len(X_test.columns), len(coef))
        29
                           print('intercept = {}'.format(fitted_model.intercept_))
        30
                           print([i for i in zip(X_test.columns,coef)])
        31
                       except AttributeError:
        32
                           print('doesnt have any coefficients')
        33
         34
                 # plot all the metrics
         35
                 fig, ax = plt.subplots(1,3,figsize=(16,4))
                 plot_metrics(ax[0],fitted_model_dict, X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test, flip_
         36
                 plot_metrics(ax[1],fitted_model_dict, X_train, y_train, X_test, y_test, flip_
         37
         38
                 scatter_results(ax[2], fitted_model_dict, X_test, y_test, flip_test)
         39
         40
                 # rotate tickmarks 45 degrees
        41
                 for ax in fig.axes:
        42
                     plt.sca(ax)
         43
                     plt.xticks(rotation=45)
        44
         45
                 fig.suptitle(title)
        46
                 plt.show()
         47
         48
                 return fitted_model_dict
In [8]:
            # makes a plot to visualize collinearity between predictors
            def collinear(filename, x_cols, state_hot_encoder=False,y_col='dem_win'):
                X_train,y_train, X_test,y_test, flip_train,flip_test = \
                     format model input(filename, cols to use, y col, state hot encoder)
         5
         6
                 sns.heatmap(np.abs(X_train[x_cols].corr()),xticklabels=True,yticklabels=True,
         7
                             vmin = 0, vmax=1)
```

Visualization of predictors

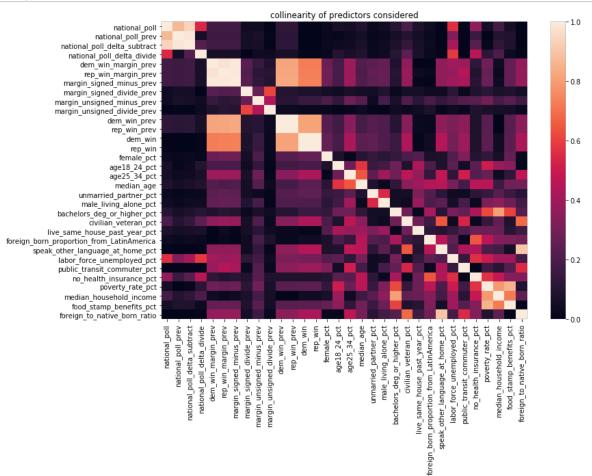
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (12,8)

plt.title('collinearity of predictors considered')

8

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```
filename = 'Datasets/data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICS_2010_2018.p'
In [11]:
               cols_to_use = [ 'national_poll', 'national_poll_prev',
            3
                                  'national_poll_delta_subtract',
            4
                                  'national_poll_delta_divide',
                                                                     'previous_party',
                                  'dem_win_margin_prev', 'rep_win_margin_prev',
            5
                                  'margin_signed_minus_prev', 'margin_signed_divide_prev',
'margin_unsigned_minus_prev', 'margin_unsigned_divide_prev',
            6
            7
                                 'dem_win_prev', 'rep_win_prev', 'dem_win', 'rep_win', 'female_pct', 'age18_24_pct', 'age25_34_pct', 'median_age', 'unmarried_partner_pct',
            8
            9
           10
                                  'male_living_alone_pct', 'bachelors_deg_or_higher_pct',
           11
           12
                                  'civilian_veteran_pct', #'past_year_births_to_unmarried_women_pct
                                  'live_same_house_past_year_pct',
           13
                                  'foreign_born_proportion_from_LatinAmerica',
           14
           15
                                  'speak_other_language_at_home_pct', 'labor_force_unemployed_pct',
                                  'public_transit_commuter_pct', 'no_health_insurance_pct',
           16
           17
                                   poverty rate pct', 'median household income', # 'median housing
                                   'food_stamp_benefits_pct', 'foreign_to_native_born ratio'
           18
           19
                                ] # everything
           20
           21
               collinear(filename, cols to use)
           22
           23
                # filename = 'Datasets/data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICSIMPUTED 2004 2018.p'
           24
           25
                # collinear(filename, cols to use)
```



Try out different models

Change the variables below to try out different models.

These are potential predictors you could include in the model:

['district', 'state', 'year', 'party', 'candidatevotes', 'totalvotes', 'candidate', 'national_poll', 'national_poll_prev', 'national_poll_delta_subtract', 'national_poll_delta_divide', 'previous_party', 'dem_win_margin_prev', 'rep_win_margin_prev', 'margin_signed_minus_prev', 'margin_signed_divide_prev', 'dem_win_prev', 'rep_win_prev', 'dem_win', 'rep_win', 'female_pct', 'age18_24_pct', 'age25_34_pct', 'median_age', 'unmarried_partner_pct', 'male_living_alone_pct', 'bachelors_deg_or_higher_pct', 'past_year_births_to_unmarried_women_pct', 'civilian_veteran_pct', 'live_same_house_past_year_pct', 'foreign_born_proportion_from_LatinAmerica', 'speak_other_language_at_home_pct', 'labor_force_unemployed_pct', 'public_transit_commuter_pct', 'no_health_insurance_pct', 'poverty_rate_pct', 'median_housing_value', 'median_household_income', 'food_stamp_benefits_pct', 'foreign_to_native_born_ratio']

These are potential datasets you could use for the model:

```
data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICSIMPUTED_DISTRICTMIXED_2004_2018.p

data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICSIMPUTED_2004_2018_REDISTRICTDROP.p

data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICSIMPUTED_2004_2018.p

data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICS_2010_2018_REDISTRICTDROP.p

data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICS_2010_2018.p

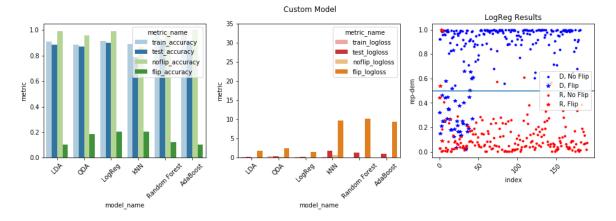
data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_2004_2018_REDISTRICTDROP.p

data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_2004_2018_REDISTRICTDROP.p
```

If you are running this from the Github repo, remember that all of these datasets are in the Datasets/ folder.

```
In [10]:
            #*******
            # COMMON VARIABLES TO CHANGE
          2
          3
            # specify the dataset you want to use
            filename = 'Datasets/data_FEC_NATIONALPOLL_DEMOGRAPHICSIMPUTED_DISTRICTMIXED_2004
            # specify which predictors to use here
            cols_to_use = ['national_poll', 'margin_signed_minus_prev',
          7
                           'female_pct', 'foreign_to_native_born_ratio',
         8
                           'age18_24_pct', 'age25_34_pct']
         9
         10
            # do you want to try upsampling flipped districts?
         11
         12
            upsample = False
         13
            # do you want to one-hot-encode states?
         14
            state hot encoder = False
         15
         16
         17
            #*********
         18
            # LESS COMMON VARIABLES TO CHANGE
            #*********
         19
            # specify which column you are predicting
         20
         21
            y_col = ['dem_win']
            # specify your models to use here:
         22
         23
            model_dict = {
         24
                'LDA'
                               : LDA(),
         25
                'ODA'
                               : QDA(),
         26
                'LogReg'
                               : LogisticRegression(n_jobs=4),
         27
                'kNN'
                               : KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=4,n_jobs=4),
                'Random Forest' : RandomForestClassifier(n_jobs=4,random_state=209),
         28
                'AdaBoost'
         29
                             : AdaBoostClassifier(DecisionTreeClassifier(max depth=10)),
         30
            }
         31
         32
            #*********
         33
         34
            # The model & visualizations run here
            #**********
         35
         36
            fitted_model_dict = report_model_stats(
         37
                filename, cols to use, y col, model dict, state hot encoder=False, upsample=v
         38
                title='Custom Model')
```

We predicted democrats got 196 spots. We predicted republicans got 226 spots.



In []: 1