

Peer-graded Assignment: Running a Random Forest

Objective: A random forest analysis was performed with a binary target variable (american dream). American dream was created based on survey results that was ranked from 0-10. Results ≥ 5 was categorized to have achieved their american dream (1) & <5 were categorized to not have achieved their american dream (0).

Syntax:

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proc import datafile='/home/pragyaratnaraio/Course 4/ool_pds.csv' out = imported replace;

run;

DATA new; set imported;

if w2_qe3 GE 5 then

AmericanDream=1;

else

AmericanDream=0;

proc hpforest;

target americandream/level=nominal;

input w1_c1c w2_qe2 w1_p4 w1_p13 w1_p13a ppagect4 ppeducat

ppethm ppgender PPINCIMP PPHOUSE /level=nominal;

RUN;
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The HPFOREST Procedure

| Performance Information | |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| Execution Mode | Single-Machine |
| Number of Threads | 2 |

| Data Access Information | | | |
|-------------------------|--------|-------|-----------|
| Data | Engine | Role | Path |
| WORK.NEW | V9 | Input | On Client |

| Model Information | | |
|--------------------------|---------|-------------|
| Parameter | Value | |
| Variables to Try | 3 | (Default) |
| Maximum Trees | 100 | (Default) |
| Inbag Fraction | 0.6 | (Default) |
| Prune Fraction | 0 | (Default) |
| Prune Threshold | 0.1 | (Default) |
| Leaf Fraction | 0.00001 | (Default) |
| Leaf Size Setting | 1 | (Default) |
| Leaf Size Used | 1 | |
| Category Bins | 30 | (Default) |
| Interval Bins | 100 | |
| Minimum Category Size | 5 | (Default) |
| Node Size | 100000 | (Default) |
| Maximum Depth | 20 | (Default) |
| Alpha | 1 | (Default) |
| Exhaustive | 5000 | (Default) |
| Rows of Sequence to Skip | 5 | (Default) |
| Split Criterion | . | Gini |
| Preselection Method | . | Loh |
| Missing Value Handling | . | Valid value |

| Number of Observations | |
|-----------------------------|------|
| Type | N |
| Number of Observations Read | 2294 |
| Number of Observations Used | 2294 |

| Baseline Fit Statistics | |
|-------------------------|-------|
| Statistic | Value |
| Average Square Error | 0.249 |
| Misclassification Rate | 0.468 |
| Log Loss | 0.691 |

| Fit Statistics | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------------|------------------------------|------------------|----------------|
| Number of Trees | Number of Leaves | Average Square Error (Train) | Average Square Error (OOB) | Misclassification Rate (Train) | Misclassification Rate (OOB) | Log Loss (Train) | Log Loss (OOB) |
| 1 | 65 | 0.1353 | 0.162 | 0.197 | 0.240 | 0.484 | 0.628 |
| 2 | 135 | 0.1152 | 0.156 | 0.156 | 0.217 | 0.365 | 0.661 |
| 3 | 208 | 0.1061 | 0.145 | 0.142 | 0.199 | 0.339 | 0.692 |
| 4 | 267 | 0.1022 | 0.135 | 0.141 | 0.187 | 0.329 | 0.580 |
| 5 | 326 | 0.0998 | 0.130 | 0.142 | 0.177 | 0.322 | 0.484 |
| 6 | 414 | 0.0994 | 0.130 | 0.145 | 0.184 | 0.323 | 0.473 |
| 7 | 488 | 0.0982 | 0.125 | 0.145 | 0.179 | 0.319 | 0.431 |
| 8 | 569 | 0.0975 | 0.125 | 0.145 | 0.177 | 0.317 | 0.441 |
| 9 | 650 | 0.0981 | 0.126 | 0.139 | 0.182 | 0.322 | 0.435 |
| 10 | 702 | 0.0988 | 0.125 | 0.139 | 0.180 | 0.325 | 0.408 |
| 11 | 757 | 0.0994 | 0.124 | 0.139 | 0.176 | 0.327 | 0.398 |
| 12 | 844 | 0.1001 | 0.124 | 0.139 | 0.173 | 0.331 | 0.400 |
| 13 | 926 | 0.0995 | 0.124 | 0.137 | 0.171 | 0.328 | 0.398 |
| 14 | 996 | 0.0997 | 0.123 | 0.138 | 0.170 | 0.330 | 0.397 |
| 15 | 1060 | 0.0989 | 0.122 | 0.139 | 0.166 | 0.327 | 0.394 |
| 16 | 1123 | 0.0983 | 0.121 | 0.139 | 0.162 | 0.325 | 0.390 |
| 17 | 1187 | 0.0980 | 0.120 | 0.138 | 0.163 | 0.323 | 0.388 |
| 18 | 1248 | 0.0978 | 0.119 | 0.138 | 0.163 | 0.322 | 0.385 |
| 19 | 1310 | 0.0977 | 0.118 | 0.138 | 0.163 | 0.321 | 0.383 |
| 20 | 1395 | 0.0979 | 0.119 | 0.137 | 0.163 | 0.323 | 0.385 |
| 21 | 1477 | 0.0982 | 0.119 | 0.139 | 0.162 | 0.325 | 0.385 |
| 22 | 1551 | 0.0982 | 0.119 | 0.138 | 0.161 | 0.325 | 0.385 |
| 23 | 1628 | 0.0984 | 0.118 | 0.139 | 0.160 | 0.326 | 0.385 |
| 24 | 1690 | 0.0984 | 0.118 | 0.139 | 0.160 | 0.326 | 0.384 |
| 25 | 1758 | 0.0981 | 0.118 | 0.140 | 0.160 | 0.325 | 0.383 |
| 26 | 1839 | 0.0982 | 0.118 | 0.141 | 0.161 | 0.325 | 0.383 |
| 27 | 1891 | 0.0981 | 0.117 | 0.139 | 0.162 | 0.324 | 0.373 |
| 28 | 1959 | 0.0976 | 0.117 | 0.139 | 0.162 | 0.323 | 0.371 |
| 29 | 2023 | 0.0976 | 0.117 | 0.140 | 0.162 | 0.322 | 0.371 |
| 30 | 2088 | 0.0976 | 0.116 | 0.141 | 0.162 | 0.322 | 0.370 |