# Exercise 6.2: Dimensionality Reduction and Feature Selection

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In [92]:
         import pandas as pd
         import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import seaborn as sns
         from sklearn.model selection import train test split
         from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
         from sklearn import metrics
         from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
         from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
         from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler
         from sklearn.feature selection import VarianceThreshold
         from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
         from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score
         from sklearn.metrics import classification_report
         from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
         from sklearn import tree as t
         from sklearn.feature selection import SelectKBest
         from sklearn.feature_selection import chi2, f_classif
         from numpy import array
         %pwd
```

Out[92]: 'C:\\Users\\Andrew\\Documents\\Grad School\\DSC 550 - Data Mining\\Assignments'

# Part 1: PCA and Variance Threshold in a Linear Regression

1. Import the housing data as a data frame and ensure that the data is loaded properly.

```
In [47]: #Import data
house = pd.read_csv("data/week6_train.csv")
house.head()
```

Out[47]:		Id	MSSubClass	MSZoning	LotFrontage	LotArea	Street	Alley	LotShape	LandContour	Utilities	•••	PoolArea	PoolQC	Fence	MiscF
	0	1	60	RL	65.0	8450	Pave	NaN	Reg	Lvl	AllPub		0	NaN	NaN	
	1	2	20	RL	80.0	9600	Pave	NaN	Reg	Lvl	AllPub		0	NaN	NaN	
	2	3	60	RL	68.0	11250	Pave	NaN	IR1	Lvl	AllPub		0	NaN	NaN	
	3	4	70	RL	60.0	9550	Pave	NaN	IR1	Lvl	AllPub		0	NaN	NaN	
	4	5	60	RL	84.0	14260	Pave	NaN	IR1	Lvl	AllPub		0	NaN	NaN	

5 rows × 81 columns

2. Drop the "Id" column and any features that are missing more than 40% of their values.

```
In [48]: #Set 40% value
    missing_threshold = 40.0
    #Set 60% value
    min_keep = int(((100-missing_threshold)/100)*house.shape[0])

In [49]: #Drop ID column
    house = house.drop(['Id'],axis=1)
    #Drop features below threshold
    house = house.dropna(thresh=min_keep,axis=1)
    house.head()
```

Out[49]:		MSSubClass	MSZoning	LotFrontage	LotArea	Street	LotShape	LandContour	Utilities	LotConfig	LandSlope	•••	EnclosedPorch	3Ssr
	0	60	RL	65.0	8450	Pave	Reg	Lvl	AllPub	Inside	Gtl		0	
	1	20	RL	80.0	9600	Pave	Reg	Lvl	AllPub	FR2	Gtl		0	
	2	60	RL	68.0	11250	Pave	IR1	Lvl	AllPub	Inside	Gtl		0	
	3	70	RL	60.0	9550	Pave	IR1	Lvl	AllPub	Corner	Gtl		272	
	4	60	RL	84.0	14260	Pave	IR1	Lvl	AllPub	FR2	Gtl		0	

5 rows × 75 columns

3. For numerical columns, fill in any missing data with the median value.

```
In [50]: #Get numerical columns
    cols_num = house.select_dtypes(include='number').columns
    #Replace null values with median
    for column in cols_num:
        median=house[column].median()
        house[column] = house[column].fillna(median)
```

4. For categorical columns, fill in any missing data with the most common value (mode).

```
In [51]: #Get categorical columns
    cols_all = house.columns
    cols_cat = list(set(cols_all)-set(cols_num))
    #Replace null values with mode
    for column in cols_cat:
        mode = house[column].mode()
        house[column] = house[column].fillna(mode)
```

5. Convert the categorical columns to dummy variables.

```
In [52]: #Create dummy variables
house_dumb = pd.get_dummies(house, columns=cols_cat)
house_dumb.head(10)
```

Out[52]:		MSSubClass	LotFrontage	LotArea	OverallQual	OverallCond	YearBuilt	YearRemodAdd	MasVnrArea	BsmtFinSF1	BsmtFinSF2	•••	Fou
	0	60	65.0	8450	7	5	2003	2003	196.0	706	0		
	1	20	80.0	9600	6	8	1976	1976	0.0	978	0		
	2	60	68.0	11250	7	5	2001	2002	162.0	486	0		
	3	70	60.0	9550	7	5	1915	1970	0.0	216	0		
	4	60	84.0	14260	8	5	2000	2000	350.0	655	0		
	5	50	85.0	14115	5	5	1993	1995	0.0	732	0		
	6	20	75.0	10084	8	5	2004	2005	186.0	1369	0		
	7	60	69.0	10382	7	6	1973	1973	240.0	859	32		
	8	50	51.0	6120	7	5	1931	1950	0.0	0	0		
	9	190	50.0	7420	5	6	1939	1950	0.0	851	0		

10 rows × 271 columns

6. Split the data into a training and test set, where the SalePrice column is the target.

```
In [53]: #Create arrays
    x = house_dumb.drop('SalePrice', axis=1)
    y = house_dumb['SalePrice']

#Create training and test sets
    x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(x,y,test_size = .20)
```

7. Run a linear regression and report the R2-value and RMSE on the test set.

8. Fit and transform the training features with a PCA so that 90% of the variance is retained (see section 9.1 in the Machine Learning with Python Cookbook).

```
In [56]: #Create scaler
scaler = StandardScaler()

#Scale features
x_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(x_train)

#Create PCA
pca90 = PCA(n_components=.9)
x_train_pca90 = pca90.fit_transform(x_train_scaled)
```

9. How many features are in the PCA-transformed matrix?

```
In [57]: x_train_pca90.shape
Out[57]: (1168, 139)
```

The PCA-transformed matrix has 139 features.

10. Transform but DO NOT fit the test features with the same PCA.

```
In [58]: #Transform test
         x test scaled = scaler.transform(x test)
         #Run PCA
         x test pca90 = pca90.transform(x test scaled)
```

11. Repeat step 7 with your PCA transformed data.

```
#Create model
In [59]:
         lr pca = LinearRegression()
         #Fit Model
         lr_pca.fit(x_train_pca90, y_train)
Out[59]: ▼ LinearRegression
         LinearRegression()
In [60]: #Get predcitions
         test pred pca = lr pca.predict(x test pca90)
         print('R2:', metrics.r2_score(y_test, test_pred_pca))
         print('RMSE:',metrics.mean squared error(y test, test pred pca, squared=False))
         R2: 0.8874664244757376
```

RMSE: 26676.04413238975

12. Take your original training features (from step 6) and apply a min-max scaler to them.

```
In [61]:
         #Create scaler
         minmax = MinMaxScaler()
         #Minmax scale features
         x train minmax = minmax.fit transform(x train)
```

13. Find the min-max scaled features in your training set that have a variance above 0.1 (see Section 10.1 in the Machine Learning with Python Cookbook).

```
In [62]: #Create thresholder
    thresholder = VarianceThreshold(threshold = 0.1)

#Create high variance threshold matrix
    x_train_high = thresholder.fit_transform(x_train_minmax)
```

14. Transform but DO NOT fit the test features with the same steps applied in steps 11 and 12.

```
In [63]: #Minmax scale test
    x_test_minmax = minmax.transform(x_test)

#Create high variance threshold matrix
    x_test_high = thresholder.transform(x_test_minmax)
```

15. Repeat step 7 with the high variance data.

```
In [65]: #Get predictions
    test_pred_high = lr_high.predict(x_test_high)

print('R2:', metrics.r2_score(y_test, test_pred_high))
    print('RMSE:', metrics.mean_squared_error(y_test, test_pred_high, squared=False))
```

R2: 0.6707532251040984 RMSE: 45629.019136166855

16. Summarize your findings.

The PCA transformed data cut the features by over half, from 270 to 139, and maintained R2 and RMSE scores close to the original model's results. The MinMax transformed data performed much worse than the original model with a significantly higher RMSE score and an R2 score over 14 points lower.

# Part 2: Categorical Feature Selection

1. Import the data as a data frame and ensure it is loaded correctly.

```
In [66]:
           #Import data
           mush = pd.read csv("data/mushrooms.csv")
           mush.head()
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5 rows × 23 columns

2. Convert the categorical features (all of them) to dummy variables

```
In [67]: #Reserve class column
    mush_class = mush['class']
    mush = mush.drop('class', axis=1)

#Create dummy variables
    mush_dumb = pd.get_dummies(mush)

mush_dumb.head()
```

Out[67]:

]:	cap- shape_b	cap- shape_c	cap- shape_f	cap- shape_k	cap- shape_s	cap- shape_x	cap- surface_f	cap- surface_g	cap- surface_s	cap- surface_y	•••	population_s	population_v	popul
	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0		1	0	
	1 0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0		0	0	
	2 1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0		0	0	
	<b>3</b> 0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1		1	0	
	4 0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0		0	0	

5 rows × 117 columns

#### 3. Split the data into a training and test set.

```
In [69]: #Create arrays
mush_x = mush_dumb
mush_y = mush_class

#Create training and test sets
mush_x_train, mush_x_test, mush_y_test = train_test_split(mush_x, mush_y, test_size=.2)
```

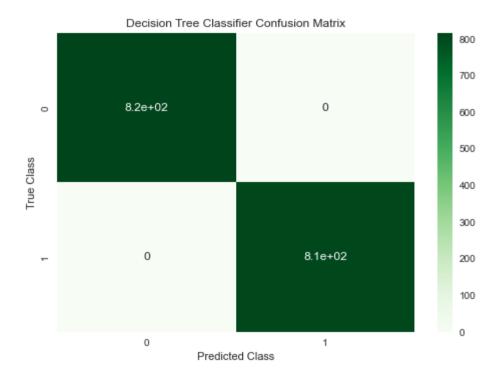
### 4. Fit a decision tree classifier on the training set.

```
In [71]: #Create decision tree classifier
    dtc = DecisionTreeClassifier()

#Train model
    dtc_model = dtc.fit(mush_x_train, mush_y_train)
```

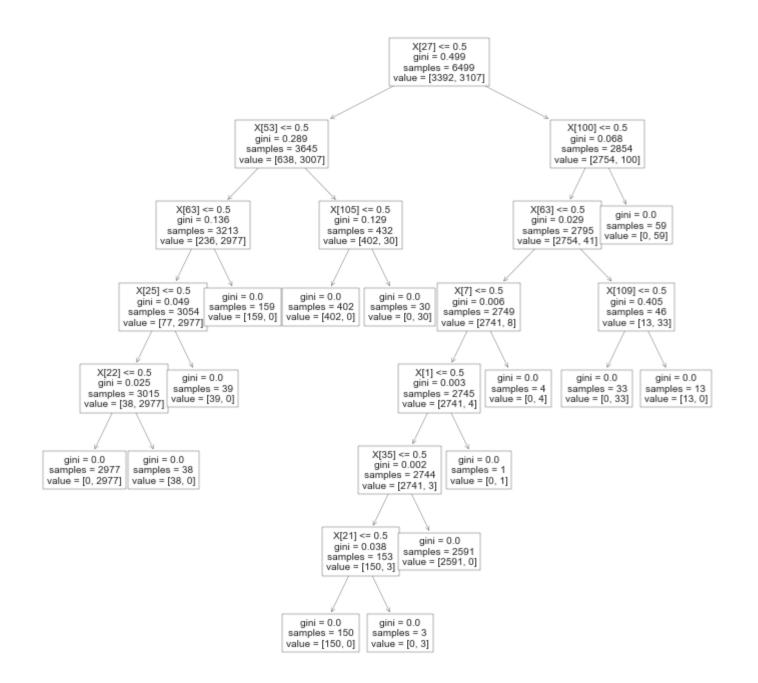
5. Report the accuracy and create a confusion matrix for the model prediction on the test set.

```
In [73]: #Get predictions
         mush_y_test_pred = dtc_model.predict(mush_x_test)
         #Get accuracy score
         accuracy_score(mush_y_test, mush_y_test_pred)
         1.0
Out[73]:
In [81]: #Create confusion matrix
         cm = confusion_matrix(mush_y_test, mush_y_test_pred)
         #Create dataframe
         cm_df = pd.DataFrame(cm)
         #Create heatmap
         sns.heatmap(cm_df, annot=True, cmap='Greens')
         plt.ylabel("True Class")
         plt.xlabel("Predicted Class")
         plt.title("Decision Tree Classifier Confusion Matrix")
         plt.show()
```



### 6. Create a visualization of the decision tree.

```
In [91]: plt.figure(figsize=(12,12))
    t.plot_tree(dtc_model, fontsize=10)
    plt.show()
```



7. Use a  $\chi$ 2-statistic selector to pick the five best features for this data (see section 10.4 of the Machine Learning with Python Cookbook).

```
In [93]: #Select five best features
    chi2_selector = SelectKBest(chi2, k=5)
    features_kbest = chi2_selector.fit_transform(mush_x_train, mush_y_train)
```

8. Which five features were selected in step 7? Hint: Use the get\_support function.

```
In [97]: #Get selected features
    the_five = chi2_selector.get_support()
    all_feats = array(mush_x_train.columns)

#Print five features
    print(all_feats[the_five])

['odor_f' 'odor_n' 'gill-color_b' 'stalk-surface-above-ring_k'
    'stalk-surface-below-ring k']
```

9. Repeat steps 4 and 5 with the five best features selected in step 7.

```
In [98]: #Create Decision Tree Classifier
dtc2 = DecisionTreeClassifier()

#Train model
dtc2_model = dtc2.fit(features_kbest, mush_y_train)

In [99]: #Get predictions
dtc2_test = chi2_selector.transform(mush_x_test)
dtc2_test_pred = dtc2_model.predict(dtc2_test)

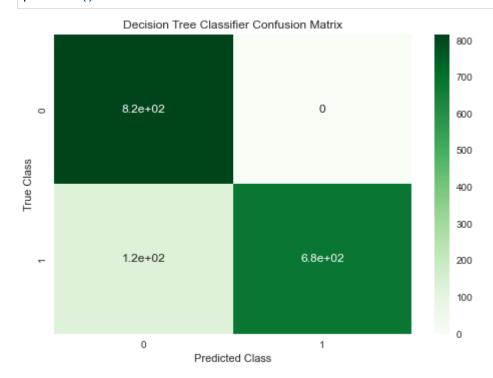
#Get accuracy score
accuracy_score(mush_y_test, dtc2_test_pred)

Out[99]: 0.9230769230769231
```

```
In [100... #Create confusion matrix
cm2 = confusion_matrix(mush_y_test, dtc2_test_pred)

#Create dataframe
cm2_df = pd.DataFrame(cm2)

#Create heatmap
sns.heatmap(cm2_df, annot=True, cmap='Greens')
plt.ylabel("True Class")
plt.xlabel("Predicted Class")
plt.title("Decision Tree Classifier Confusion Matrix")
plt.show()
```



### 10. Summarize your findings.

While the original decision tree classifier accuracy score was a 100%, reducing the features to only the best 5 allowed for a significantl smaller amount of features while only sacrificing 8% accuracy score for an accuracy score of approximately 92%.