# ML\_HepatitisC

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### 1 HEPATITIS C Data

# 2 Linear Regression, SVM and Random Forest classifier study

The following description and Dataset for the analysis has been directly downloaded from https://www.kaggle.com/fedesoriano/hepatitis-c-dataset.

Context The data set contains laboratory values of blood donors and Hepatitis C patients and demographic values like age. The data was obtained from UCI Machine Learning Repository: https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/HCV+data

Content All attributes except Category and Sex are numerical. Attributes 1 to 4 refer to the data of the patient: 1) X (Patient ID/No.) 2) Category (diagnosis) (values: '0=Blood Donor', '0s=suspect Blood Donor', '1=Hepatitis', '2=Fibrosis', '3=Cirrhosis') 3) Age (in years) 4) Sex (f,m) Attributes 5 to 14 refer to laboratory data: 5) ALB 6) ALP 7) ALT 8) AST 9) BIL 10) CHE 11) CHOL 12) CREA 13) GGT 14) PROT The target attribute for classification is Category (2): blood donors vs. Hepatitis C patients (including its progress ('just' Hepatitis C, Fibrosis, Cirrhosis).

#### 2.1 Data exploration and preprocessing

Importing all the libraries i will make use:

```
[1]: import pandas as pd
  import numpy as np
  from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
  import seaborn as sn
  from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
  from sklearn.svm import SVC
  from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
  from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
  from sklearn.naive_bayes import MultinomialNB
  from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier

//matplotlib inline

pd.set_option('display.max_columns', None)
  plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10,6)
```

The data first check is performed by simply looking at the dataframe

```
[2]: df = pd.read_csv('D:\\Datasets\\Hepatitis\\HepatitisCdata.csv')
     df = df.drop(['Unnamed: 0'], axis = 'columns')
     df = df.dropna()
     df
[2]:
                Category
                          Age Sex
                                     ALB
                                            ALP
                                                   ALT
                                                           AST
                                                                 BIL
                                                                         CHE
                                                                              CHOL
          0=Blood Donor
                                            52.5
                                                   7.7
                                                                 7.5
                                                                        6.93
                                                                              3.23
     0
                           32
                                 m
                                    38.5
                                                          22.1
                                                          24.7
     1
          0=Blood Donor
                           32
                                    38.5
                                            70.3
                                                  18.0
                                                                 3.9
                                                                       11.17
                                                                              4.80
                                 m
     2
          O=Blood Donor
                           32
                                    46.9
                                            74.7
                                                  36.2
                                                          52.6
                                                                 6.1
                                                                        8.84
                                                                              5.20
                                 m
     3
          O=Blood Donor
                           32
                                    43.2
                                            52.0
                                                  30.6
                                                          22.6
                                                                        7.33 4.74
                                 m
                                                                18.9
                                                  32.6
     4
          O=Blood Donor
                           32
                                    39.2
                                            74.1
                                                          24.8
                                                                 9.6
                                                                        9.15 4.32
                                 m
                                    34.0
                                            46.4
                                                                        6.26
                                                                              3.98
     608
            3=Cirrhosis
                           58
                                 f
                                                  15.0
                                                         150.0
                                                                 8.0
     609
            3=Cirrhosis
                           59
                                 f
                                    39.0
                                            51.3
                                                  19.6
                                                        285.8
                                                                40.0
                                                                        5.77 4.51
     610
            3=Cirrhosis
                           62
                                 f
                                    32.0
                                          416.6
                                                   5.9
                                                         110.3
                                                                50.0
                                                                        5.57
                                                                              6.30
            3=Cirrhosis
                                          102.8
                                                   2.9
                                                          44.4
                                                                        1.54 3.02
     611
                            64
                                    24.0
                                                                20.0
     612
            3=Cirrhosis
                            64
                                    29.0
                                            87.3
                                                   3.5
                                                          99.0
                                                                48.0
                                                                        1.66 3.63
           CREA
                    GGT
                         PROT
     0
          106.0
                   12.1
                         69.0
     1
           74.0
                   15.6
                         76.5
     2
           86.0
                   33.2 79.3
                   33.8
     3
           80.0
                         75.7
     4
           76.0
                   29.9
                         68.7
            •••
                   49.7
     608
           56.0
                         80.6
     609
          136.1
                  101.1
                         70.5
     610
           55.7
                  650.9
                         68.5
     611
           63.0
                   35.9
                         71.3
     612
           66.7
                   64.2 82.0
     [589 rows x 13 columns]
```

Before going for the predictive models, I would like to answer few simple questions: How many people are there per category and sex?

Age distribution of the sample population

Do the disease affects more males or females in the data?

```
[3]: df.Category.value_counts(normalize = True) #I want to see how many different → categorical there are and how many. i can pass the parameter normalize = True to see the percentage instead of the count number
```

```
[3]: 0=Blood Donor 0.893039

3=Cirrhosis 0.040747

1=Hepatitis 0.033956

2=Fibrosis 0.020374
```

Os=suspect Blood Donor 0.011885 Name: Category, dtype: float64

```
[4]: num_male = df.Sex.value_counts().loc['m']
num_female = df.Sex.value_counts().loc['f']
print('Number of males: {}'.format(num_male))
print('Number of females: {}'.format(num_female))
```

Number of males: 363 Number of females: 226

Largest part of my DataFrame is made of by healthy blood donors and only a rough 10% of people with the disease. This might be an issue for the accuracy later on in the model fitting, since that 10% is to be divided by all 3 possible stages of the disease. Male and female however in roughly 3 by 2 ratio

```
[5]: df_grp = df.groupby(['Sex', 'Category'])
```

Percentage of diseased females: 8.13% Percentage of diseased males: 14.51%

In the above calculation i considered the worst case scenario where a "suspect blood donor" is considered as diseased. However they impact only for a 1% in total so negligible for the purpose of the study.

The disease occurrs more in males than females in the dataset

```
[7]: df.describe() #i check the statistics of the df. a first glimps on how the data

→ are distributed
```

| [7]: |       | Age        | ALB        | ALP        | ALT        | AST        | BIL        | \ |
|------|-------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|------------|---|
|      | count | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 |   |
|      | mean  | 47.417657  | 41.624278  | 68.123090  | 26.575382  | 33.772835  | 11.018166  |   |
|      | std   | 9.931334   | 5.761794   | 25.921072  | 20.863120  | 32.866871  | 17.406572  |   |
|      | min   | 23.000000  | 14.900000  | 11.300000  | 0.900000   | 10.600000  | 0.800000   |   |
|      | 25%   | 39.000000  | 38.800000  | 52.500000  | 16.400000  | 21.500000  | 5.200000   |   |
|      | 50%   | 47.000000  | 41.900000  | 66.200000  | 22.700000  | 25.700000  | 7.100000   |   |
|      | 75%   | 54.000000  | 45.100000  | 79.900000  | 31.900000  | 31.700000  | 11.000000  |   |
|      | max   | 77.000000  | 82.200000  | 416.600000 | 325.300000 | 324.000000 | 209.000000 |   |
|      |       | CHE        | CHOL       | CREA       | GGT        | PROT       |            |   |
|      | count | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 | 589.000000 |            |   |
|      | mean  | 8.203633   | 5.391341   | 81.669100  | 38.198472  | 71.890153  |            |   |

| std | 2.191073  | 1.128954 | 50.696991   | 54.302407  | 5.348883  |
|-----|-----------|----------|-------------|------------|-----------|
| min | 1.420000  | 1.430000 | 8.000000    | 4.500000   | 44.800000 |
| 25% | 6.930000  | 4.620000 | 68.000000   | 15.600000  | 69.300000 |
| 50% | 8.260000  | 5.310000 | 77.000000   | 22.800000  | 72.100000 |
| 75% | 9.570000  | 6.080000 | 89.000000   | 37.600000  | 75.200000 |
| max | 16.410000 | 9.670000 | 1079.100000 | 650.900000 | 86.500000 |

From the table above I check the statistics for each of the dataset features. There surely are some outliers but I am not going to remove them, for the following reasons:

\_I am not a doctor in medicine and i do not have that sensibility to discern between features to consider important or not for the study

\_Blood analysis values for each feature can differ in orders of magnitude between healthy and unhealthy individual and the outliers in this DataFrame may contain some important information for the models to come in order to predict the disease.

\_I can count only on a limited amount of data, namely 589 usable data. That is very few and most of them refer to healthy people so i mean to exploit each and every single one of them.

Now its time to encode the categorical data. In this case I only have only two categorical which is the column "Sex" and "Category". The last one is also my target for the models

```
[8]: from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
le_Category = LabelEncoder()
le_Sex = LabelEncoder()
dfle = df.copy()

dfle.Category = le_Category.fit_transform(dfle.Category)
dfle.Sex = le_Sex.fit_transform(dfle.Sex)
```

### I create my input "X" and target "y" datasets to be used for the models

```
[9]: X = dfle.drop(['Category'], axis = 'columns')
y = dfle.Category
X
```

```
[9]:
                               ALP
                                             AST
                                                            CHE
                                                                 CHOL
                                                                         CREA
                                                                                  GGT
                                                                                        PROT
                Sex
                       ALB
                                     ALT
                                                    BIL
           Age
                              52.5
                                     7.7
                                                                 3.23
                                                                                 12.1
     0
            32
                      38.5
                                            22.1
                                                    7.5
                                                           6.93
                                                                        106.0
                                                                                        69.0
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            32
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                                    18.0
                                            24.7
                                                          11.17
                                                                 4.80
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                      38.5
                                                    3.9
                                                                         74.0
                                                                                 15.6
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            32
                              74.7
                                    36.2
                                                                                 33.2
                      46.9
                                            52.6
                                                    6.1
                                                           8.84
                                                                 5.20
                                                                         86.0
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                              52.0
                                    30.6
                                            22.6
                                                   18.9
                                                           7.33
                                                                 4.74
                                                                         80.0
                                                                                 33.8
                                                                                        75.7
     4
            32
                   1
                      39.2
                              74.1
                                    32.6
                                            24.8
                                                    9.6
                                                           9.15 4.32
                                                                         76.0
                                                                                 29.9
                                                                                        68.7
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                              46.4
                                    15.0
                                           150.0
                                                    8.0
                                                           6.26
                                                                 3.98
                                                                         56.0
                                                                                 49.7
                                                                                        80.6
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     609
            59
                   0
                      39.0
                              51.3
                                    19.6
                                           285.8
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                                                                                        68.5
                                           110.3
                                                                         55.7
                                                                                 35.9
     611
            64
                   0
                      24.0
                             102.8
                                     2.9
                                            44.4
                                                   20.0
                                                           1.54
                                                                 3.02
                                                                         63.0
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                              87.3
                                                   48.0
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                                     3.5
                                            99.0
                                                           1.66 3.63
                                                                         66.7
                                                                                 64.2 82.0
```

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```
[10]: y
[10]: 0
              0
      1
              0
      2
              0
      3
              0
              0
      608
              4
      609
              4
      610
              4
      611
              4
      612
      Name: Category, Length: 589, dtype: int32
```

## 2.2 Data modelling

I will create a dictionary of models and parameters to iterate in GridSearchCV in order to be able to rank the model chosen and find the best one

```
[11]: model_param = {
          'Randomforest': {
              'model': RandomForestClassifier(),
              'param': {
                   'n_estimators': [1,5,10,15,20,25,30,40,50,60,80,100]
              }
          },
          'LogisticRegression':{
              'model': LogisticRegression(solver='liblinear',multi_class='auto'),
              'param': {
                  'C': [1,5,10,15,20]
              }
          },
          'GaussianNB':{
              'model': GaussianNB(),
              'param': {
              }
          },
          'MultinomialNB':{
```

```
'model': MultinomialNB(),
        'param': {
    },
    'DecisionTreeClassifier':{
        'model': DecisionTreeClassifier(),
        'param': {
            'criterion': ['gini', 'entropy'],
        }
    },
    'SVM':{
        'model': SVC(gamma='auto'),
        'param': {
            'C': [0.001,0.1,1],
            'kernel':['rbf', 'linear']
        }
    }
}
```

```
[12]: from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV

scores = []

for model_name, mp in model_param.items():
    clf = GridSearchCV(mp['model'], mp['param'], cv=5, return_train_score=None)
    clf.fit(X,y)
    scores.append({
        'model': model_name,
        'best_score': clf.best_score_,
        'best_params': clf.best_params_
})
```

```
[13]: dataframe = pd.DataFrame(scores)
  dataframe.sort_values(by=['best_score'], inplace = True, ascending=False)
  dataframe
```

```
[13]:
                          model best_score
                                                                   best_params
             LogisticRegression
                                   0.943966
                                                                      {'C': 1}
      1
      5
                            SVM
                                   0.943937 {'C': 0.001, 'kernel': 'linear'}
      0
                   Randomforest
                                   0.938896
                                                         {'n_estimators': 30}
      4 DecisionTreeClassifier
                                                     {'criterion': 'entropy'}
                                   0.930349
      2
                     GaussianNB
                                   0.913429
                                                                            {}
```

The models in the first three positions have roughly the same accuracy score, which changes slightly running again the cells. I decide to make use of Logistic Regression algorithm for predictions and I want to see where this fails by using che confusion matrix.

```
[14]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
    X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,y, test_size = 0.2)

[15]: lr = LogisticRegression(solver='liblinear',multi_class='auto', C=1)
    lr.fit(X_train,y_train)
    lr_prediction = lr.predict(X_test)
```

Logistic Regression model has 93.22% accuracy

score = lr.score(X\_test, y\_test)

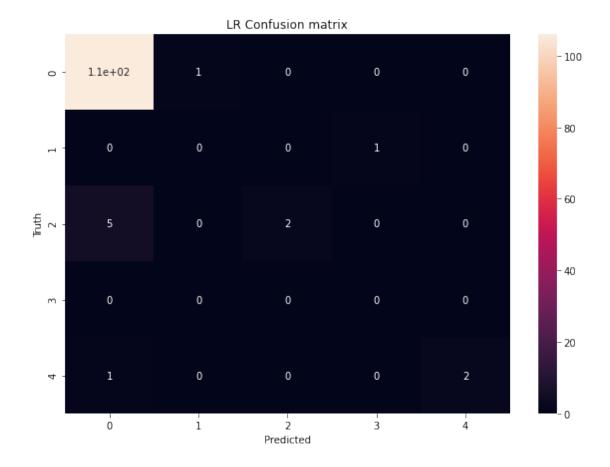
```
[16]: from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
```

print('Logistic Regression model has {:.2%} accuracy'.format(score))

```
[17]: cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, lr_prediction)
```

```
[18]: plt.figure(figsize = (10,7))
sn.heatmap(cm, annot=True)
plt.xlabel('Predicted')
plt.ylabel('Truth')
plt.title('LR Confusion matrix')
```

[18]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'LR Confusion matrix')



# 3 Conclusions

From the results above, I can see that all of the methods adopted in this study can predict with the same lavel of accuracy (»90%). The Logistic regression, Random forest classifier and SVM performs slightly better in terms of score other than approaches do.

However that level of accuracy refers mostly respect to blood donors than hepatitis due to the fact that most of our samples belong to healty individuals. Few errors appears when it comes of disease data ans seen in the confusion matrix. That means that in order to properly predict the disease we need more samples with that particular disease and less NaN within the dataset

[]: