$Decide_if_a_bank_should_grant_a_loan$

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Background

We are given a bank's loan records with information of individuals who have applied for loans. Some of the loans are approved and some are rejected. Out of the approved loans, some were repaid, and others were defaulted. The goal is to investigate if we could build a better model for the bank by examining its loan data.

We take the approach of building a model that predicts whether an individual, if granted a loan, will repay the loan or not. With this model, we then predict how many of those who've been denied loans could have been good customers who repay their loans fully. The percentage of individuals who should've been granted loans could translate to an increase of financial returns for the bank for not denying good business.

Import libraries

```
In [1]: import zipfile
        import os
        import random
        import collections
        import numpy as np
        import pandas as pd
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import seaborn as sns
        from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier, KNeighborsRegressor
        from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder, MinMaxScaler
        from sklearn import model_selection
        from sklearn import cross_validation
        from sklearn import preprocessing
        from sklearn import svm
        from sklearn import linear_model
        from sklearn import tree
        from sklearn import ensemble # RandomForestClassifier
        from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
        from sklearn import metrics
        from sklearn.feature_selection import SelectFromModel
        %matplotlib inline
```

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/sklearn/cross_validation.py:44: DeprecationWarn: "This module will be removed in 0.20.", DeprecationWarning)

User defined functions

```
In [96]: def fill_na_KNN(df, column, model):
             """Treat missing values as a classification / regresion problem
             df = original dataframe with NA cols
             column = col you want to impute
             model = the classification or regression model used to fill in the NAs
             Returns imputed column.
             ## Remove all cols containing NAs, except for the col we want to impute.
             # Split the cols with and without missing values
             colNAs = df.loc[:, df.isnull().any()]
             df = df.dropna(axis=1)
             # Join back the col we want to impute
             ndf = pd.concat([df, colNAs.loc[:, column]], axis=1)
             ## Split into rows with known (train) and missing values (test)
             # Get a row-wise boolean for the rows containing the NAs (in the specified col)
             nullmask = ndf[column].isnull()
             # The rows containing NAs are the testing data; otherwise the training data
             train, test = ndf[~nullmask], ndf[nullmask]
             train_x, train_y = train.drop(column, axis=1), train[column]
             test_x, test_y = test.drop(column, axis=1), test[column]
             ## Fit KNN model
             model.fit(train_x, train_y)
             pred_y = model.predict(test_x)
             ## Stitch together the NA-filled dataset.
             # Arrange the rows in the original order to prepare for next imputation.
             # Converted the predicted array (np array) into a Series object with the original index
             pred_y = pd.Series(pred_y, index = test_y.index)
             new_y = new_y = pd.concat([train_y, pred_y]).sort_index()
             return new_y
         def performCV(X_train, Y_train, cv, model):
             Y_pred = []
             Y_true = []
             for trainIdx, cvIdx in cv.split(X_train):
```

```
Y_pred.append(model.fit(X_train.iloc[trainIdx],
                                Y_train.iloc[trainIdx]).predict_proba(X_train.iloc[cvIdx]))
        Y_true.append(Y_train.iloc[cvIdx])
   return Y_pred, Y_true
def unpackCVResults(Y_pred, Y_true):
   Y_pred_unpack = []
   Y_true_unpack = []
   for yp, yt in zip(Y_pred, Y_true):
        Y_pred_unpack.append([pred_val.argmax() for pred_val in yp])
        Y_true_unpack.append(list(yt.values))
   return Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack
def getCVScores(Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack):
   cvScore_Acc = []
   cvScore_Sens = []
   cvScore_Spec = []
   cvScore_Prec = []
   for yp, yt in zip(Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack):
        cm = metrics.confusion_matrix(y_true = yt, y_pred = yp, labels=None)
        accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, precision = evalModel(cm)
        ## Alternative way of calculating accuracy instead of through cm:
        \# match = [i for i, j in zip(Y_pred0, Y_true0) if i == j]
        # len(match) / float(len(Y_pred0))
        cvScore_Acc.append(accuracy)
        cvScore_Sens.append(sensitivity)
        cvScore_Spec.append(specificity)
        cvScore_Prec.append(precision)
   cvScore = pd.DataFrame({
            'accuracy': cvScore_Acc,
            'sensitivity': cvScore_Sens,
            'specificity': cvScore_Spec,
            'precision': cvScore_Prec,
            'recall': cvScore_Sens
        })
   return cvScore
def evalModel(cm):
   TN = cm[0][0]
   FP = cm[0][1]
   FN = cm[1][0]
   TP = cm[1][1]
   P = FN + TP
   N = TN + FP
   Acc = (TN + TP) / float(P + N)
   sensitivity = TP / float(P)
   specificity = TN / float(N)
   precision = TP / float(TP+FP)
   NPV = TN / float(TN+FN)
   FPR = FP / float(FP+TN)
   FDR = FP / float(FP+TP)
   F1 = 2*TP / float(2*TP + FP + FN)
   return Acc, sensitivity, specificity, precision
```

Load data

```
In [2]: os.listdir(os.getcwd())
Out[2]: ['.ipynb_checkpoints',
         'borrower_table.csv',
         'Loan_granting.ipynb',
         'Loan_granting.zip',
         'loan_table.csv']
In [3]: borrower = pd.read_csv('borrower_table.csv')
        loan = pd.read_csv('loan_table.csv')
In [4]: borrower.head()
Out [4]:
           loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans \
            289774
        1
            482590
                                                             1.0
        2
            135565
                                 1
                                                             NaN
        3
                                 0
                                                             1.0
            207797
            828078
                                                             0.0
           currently_repaying_other_loans
                                           total_credit_card_limit
        0
                                                                8000
                                       NaN
        1
                                       0.0
                                                                4500
        2
                                       NaN
                                                                6900
        3
                                       0.0
                                                                1200
                                                                6900
                                       0.0
           avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount \
        0
                                                        0.49
                                                                       3285
                                                        1.03
        1
                                                                        636
        2
                                                        0.82
                                                                       2085
        3
                                                        0.82
                                                                        358
                                                        0.80
                                                                       2138
           checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary age
                                                              dependent_number
                      1073
                                       0
                      5299
                                                  13500
                                                           33
                                                                               1
        1
                                       1
        2
                      3422
                                       1
                                                   24500
                                                           38
                                                                               8
        3
                      3388
                                       0
                                                           24
                                                                               1
        4
                      4282
                                                  18100
                                                           36
                                                                               1
```

In [5]: loan.head()

Out[5]:		$loan_id$	loan_purpose	date	$loan_granted$	$loan_repaid$
	0	19454	investment	2012-03-15	0	NaN
	1	496811	investment	2012-01-17	0	NaN
	2	929493	other	2012-02-09	0	NaN
	3	580653	other	2012-06-27	1	1.0
	4	172419	husiness	2012-05-21	1	0.0

Clean data

5.1 1. Merge data

Overall goal here is to predict if a loan should be granted to an individual or not. We therefore use the individuals who've been granted loans (loan_granted = 1) to train our model. We then use the denied rows (loan_granted = 0) as the test set, to see how many of these denied folks are actually predicted to honestly return their loans. This will be the money the bank lost.

```
In [6]: print borrower.columns
       print borrower.shape
        print loan.columns
       print loan.shape
Index([u'loan_id', u'is_first_loan', u'fully_repaid_previous_loans',
       u'currently_repaying_other_loans', u'total_credit_card_limit',
       u'avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year', u'saving_amount',
       u'checking_amount', u'is_employed', u'yearly_salary', u'age',
       u'dependent_number'],
      dtype='object')
(101100, 12)
Index([u'loan_id', u'loan_purpose', u'date', u'loan_granted', u'loan_repaid'], dtype='object')
(101100, 5)
In [7]: loanData = pd.merge(borrower, loan, how='inner', on='loan_id')
In [8]: print loanData.columns
        print loanData.shape
Index([u'loan_id', u'is_first_loan', u'fully_repaid_previous_loans',
       u'currently_repaying_other_loans', u'total_credit_card_limit',
       u'avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year', u'saving_amount',
       u'checking_amount', u'is_employed', u'yearly_salary', u'age',
       u'dependent_number', u'loan_purpose', u'date', u'loan_granted',
       u'loan_repaid'],
      dtype='object')
(101100, 16)
In [9]: granted = loanData[loanData.loan_granted == 1]
        granted.drop('loan_granted', axis=1, inplace=True)
        print granted.shape
(47654, 15)
```

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ipykernel/__main__.py:2: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing.from ipykernel import kernelapp as app

In [10]: granted.describe()

Out[10]:		loan_id	is_first_loan :	fully_repaid_previous_	loans \
040[10].	count	47654.000000	47654.000000		.000000
	mean	500187.775402	0.541172		.902493
	std	288925.682009	0.498307		. 296654
	min	37.000000	0.000000		.000000
	25%	248669.250000	0.000000		.000000
	50%	500013.500000	1.000000		.000000
	75%	750413.250000	1.000000		.000000
	max	999968.000000	1.000000		.000000
	lliax .	999900.000000	1.000000	1.	.000000
		currently_repay	ing_other_loans	total_credit_card_li	mit \
	count		21865.000000		
	mean		0.297736	6 4527.84	18659
	std		0.457273	3 1975.12	27016
	min		0.000000	0.00	00000
	25%		0.000000	3100.00	00000
	50%		0.000000	9 4400.00	00000
	75%		1.000000		
	max		1.000000	13500.00	00000
		avg_percentage_	credit_card_limi	•	ing_{amount}
	count				17654.000000
	mean			0.700091	2022.366580
	std			0.177729	1493.410303
	min			0.00000	0.000000
	25%			0.580000	914.000000
	50%			0.710000	1553.000000
	75%			0.830000	2878.000000
	max			1.090000 1	10641.000000
		checking_amount	$is_employed$	yearly_salary	age \
	count	47654.000000		• •	1.000000
	mean	3499.160595			1.524657
	std	2155.128304			2.817587
	min	0.000000			3.000000
	25%	1873.000000			2.000000
	50%	3024.500000			1.000000
	75%	4842.000000			0.000000
	max	13165.000000			9.000000
	шал	10100.00000	1.00000	31200.000000	
		dependent_numbe	r loan_repaid	ļ	
	count	47654.00000	0 47654.000000	0	
	mean	3.75244	5 0.644353	3	
	std	2.62135	0.478714	4	
	min	0.00000	0.000000	0	
	25%	2.00000	0.000000	0	
	50%	3.00000	1.000000	0	

75%	6.000000	1.000000
max	8.000000	1.000000

5.2 2. Drop 'date' column

We can drop the date feature first to see if a good enough model can be built. If date features can offer further insight, e.g. default is more likely when the grant is applied in certain months, the column can be considered in future.

```
In [11]: granted.drop('date', axis=1, inplace=True)
```

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ipykernel/_main_.py:1: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing.if _name__ == '_main__':

5.3 3. Convert categorical variable into numeric

```
In [12]: granted.dtypes
Out[12]: loan_id
                                                                  int64
         is_first_loan
                                                                  int.64
         fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                               float64
         currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                               float64
         total_credit_card_limit
                                                                  int64
         avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                              float64
         saving_amount
                                                                  int64
         checking_amount
                                                                  int64
         is_employed
                                                                  int64
         yearly_salary
                                                                  int64
                                                                  int64
                                                                  int64
         dependent_number
                                                                 object
         loan_purpose
         loan_repaid
                                                                float64
         dtype: object
In [13]: granted.select_dtypes(include=['0']).columns
Out[13]: Index([u'loan_purpose'], dtype='object')
In [14]: granted.loan_purpose.unique()
Out[14]: array(['other', 'business', 'emergency_funds', 'investment', 'home'], dtype=object)
   There are five types of loan purposes. If one uses LabelEncoder, which generates ordinal labels -
In [15]: purpose_encoder = LabelEncoder()
         purpose_encoder.fit(granted.loan_purpose)
         print purpose_encoder.transform(granted.loan_purpose)[:20]
         print granted.loan_purpose[:20]
[4\ 4\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 0\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 3\ 2\ 0\ 2\ 0\ 1\ 0\ 3\ 0\ 1\ 2]
                 other
5
                 other
```

```
7
              business
8
      emergency\_funds
9
              business
10
              business
11
              business
13
      emergency_funds
16
              business
            investment
17
21
                  home
22
              business
23
                  home
31
              business
35
      emergency_funds
39
              business
40
            investment
42
              business
45
      emergency_funds
47
                  home
Name: loan_purpose, dtype: object
```

Since loan purposes don't have an ordinal relationship, one-hot encoding is more desirable. It retains more info by creating only four more columns.

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ipykernel/_main_.py:2: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.

Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing.from ipykernel import kernelapp as app

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ipykernel/_main_.py:3: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexingapp.launch_new_instance()

In [17]: granted.head()

```
Out[17]:
             loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans
         2
             135565
                                   1
                                                                 NaN
             423171
                                                                 NaN
         5
                                   1
         7
             200139
                                                                NaN
                                   1
         8
             991294
                                   0
                                                                 1.0
         9
             875332
                                                                 1.0
             currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit \
         2
                                          NaN
                                                                    6900
                                                                    6100
         5
                                          NaN
         7
                                          NaN
                                                                    4000
         8
                                          0.0
                                                                    7000
                                          0.0
                                                                    4300
```

```
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount \
2
                                                  0.82
                                                                   2085
                                                  0.53
5
                                                                   6163
7
                                                  0.57
                                                                    602
8
                                                  0.52
                                                                   2575
9
                                                  0.83
                                                                    722
   checking_amount
                    is_employed yearly_salary age
                                                         dependent_number
2
               3422
                                 1
                                             24500
                                                      38
                                                                           8
5
               5298
                                             29500
                                                      24
                                                                           1
                                 1
7
               2757
                                 1
                                             31700
                                                      36
                                                                           8
8
               2917
                                             58900
                                                      33
                                                                           3
                                 1
9
                892
                                              5400
                                                      32
                                 1
   loan_repaid purpose_other purpose_business
                                                     purpose_emergency_funds
2
            1.0
                               1
                                                  0
                                                                              0
5
            1.0
                                                  0
                                                                              0
                               1
7
                               0
            0.0
                                                  1
                                                                              0
8
            1.0
                               0
                                                  0
                                                                              1
9
            1.0
                               0
                                                  1
                                                                              0
   purpose_investment
                         purpose_home
2
                      0
                                     0
5
                      0
                                     0
7
                                     0
                      0
8
                      0
                                     0
9
                      0
                                     0
```

5.4 4. Deal with missing values

Three columns have a large number of missing values. The strategy is to build models without these columns, or after imputing the missing values by k-nearest neighbor regression. Then compare the model performance.

```
In [18]: loanData.isnull().sum()
```

```
Out[18]: loan_id
                                                                      0
          is_first_loan
                                                                      0
          fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                                 54947
          currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                                 54947
          {\tt total\_credit\_card\_limit}
                                                                      0
          avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                                 6972
          saving_amount
                                                                      0
                                                                      0
          checking_amount
          is_employed
                                                                      0
                                                                      0
          yearly_salary
          age
                                                                       0
          dependent_number
                                                                      0
          loan_purpose
                                                                      0
          date
                                                                       0
          loan_granted
                                                                      0
          loan_repaid
                                                                  53446
          dtype: int64
```

In [19]: granted.isnull().sum()

```
Out[19]: loan_id
                                                                 0
         is_first_loan
                                                                 0
         fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                             25789
         currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                             25789
         total_credit_card_limit
         avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                              903
         saving_amount
                                                                 0
         checking_amount
                                                                 0
         is\_employed
                                                                 Ω
         yearly_salary
                                                                  Λ
         age
                                                                  0
                                                                 0
         dependent_number
         loan_repaid
                                                                  0
                                                                 0
         purpose_other
                                                                 0
         purpose_business
         purpose_emergency_funds
                                                                 0
                                                                 0
         purpose_investment
         purpose_home
                                                                  0
         dtype: int64
In [20]: print 'Percentage of loans granted:', granted.shape[0]/float(loanData.shape[0])
         print 'Percentage of individuals with payment history missing granted loans:', granted.isnull(
         print 'Percentage of individuals with credit-limit-use missing granted loans:', granted.isnull
Percentage of loans granted: 0.471355093966
Percentage of individuals with payment history missing granted loans: 0.469343185251
Percentage of individuals with credit-limit-use missing granted loans: 0.129518072289
  It seems that the bank doesn't discriminate against people who've missing payment history when granting
loans. But they do grant loans more to people whose credit limit use information is declared / known.
In [21]: for key, group in granted.groupby('loan_repaid'):
             print 'Repaid loan?', key
             print 'Number of cases:', group.shape
             print '% of individuals with previous payment history missing:', group.fully_repaid_previous
             print '% of individuals with current payment history missing:', group.currently_repaying_o
             print '% of individuals with credit-limit-use missing:', group.avg_percentage_credit_card_
Repaid loan? 0.0
Number of cases: (16948, 18)
% of individuals with previous payment history missing: 0.532570214775
% of individuals with current payment history missing: 0.532570214775
% of individuals with credit-limit-use missing: 0.0440759971678
Repaid loan? 1.0
Number of cases: (30706, 18)
% of individuals with previous payment history missing: 0.545919364294
% of individuals with current payment history missing: 0.545919364294
\% of individuals with credit-limit-use missing: 0.00508044030483
In [22]: granted.corr()
Out [22]:
                                                             loan_id is_first_loan \
         loan_id
                                                           1.000000
                                                                         0.002246
                                                           0.002246
                                                                          1.000000
         is_first_loan
         fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                          0.001710
                                                                               NaN
         currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                                               NaN
                                                          0.005651
```

total_credit_card_limit	-0.000655	0.003657
<pre>avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year</pre>	0.001768	-0.004016
saving_amount	-0.004482	0.009611
checking_amount	-0.000531	0.010356
is_employed	0.012130	-0.000380
yearly_salary	0.006602	-0.002121
age	0.011177	0.002591
dependent_number	-0.000816	-0.005861
loan_repaid	-0.002704	0.012824
purpose_other	-0.003571	-0.001679
purpose_business	0.006619	0.006942
purpose_emergency_funds	-0.006748	-0.013316
purpose_investment	0.003740	0.002527
purpose_home	-0.001342	0.003613
	fully_repa	id_previous_loans \
loan_id		0.001710
is_first_loan		NaN
fully_repaid_previous_loans		1.000000
currently_repaying_other_loans		-0.015923
total_credit_card_limit		0.031333
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year		-0.001759
saving_amount		0.014028
checking_amount		0.020963
is_employed		0.002697
yearly_salary		0.008098
age		0.009527
dependent_number		0.001105
loan_repaid		0.038665
purpose_other		-0.014614
purpose_business		-0.006204
purpose_emergency_funds		-0.002374
purpose_investment		0.021886
purpose_home		-0.001077
	currently_	repaying_other_loans \
loan_id	v	0.005651
is_first_loan		NaN
fully_repaid_previous_loans		-0.015923
currently_repaying_other_loans		1.000000
total_credit_card_limit		-0.198214
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year		0.094812
${ t saving_amount}$		-0.251634
checking_amount		-0.248012
${ t is_employed}$		-0.154352
yearly_salary		-0.215739
age		-0.008255
dependent_number		0.075054
loan_repaid		-0.496350
purpose_other		0.023734
purpose_business		-0.043297
purpose_emergency_funds		0.074131
purpose_investment		-0.039280
purpose_home		-0.004114

	total_credit_card_limit \
loan_id	-0.000655
is_first_loan	0.003657
fully_repaid_previous_loans	0.031333
currently_repaying_other_loans	-0.198214
total_credit_card_limit	1.00000
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year	-0.076596
saving_amount	0.194137
checking_amount	0.203409
is_employed	0.156715
yearly_salary	0.186868
age	0.000168
dependent_number	-0.059254
loan_repaid	0.401911
purpose_other	-0.029167
purpose_business	0.043437
purpose_emergency_funds	-0.057069
purpose_investment	0.032787
purpose_home	-0.001100
loan id	avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year 0.00176
is_first_loan	
	-0.00401 -0.00175
fully_repaid_previous_loans	-0.001/5 0.09481
<pre>currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit</pre>	-0.07659
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year	1.000000
saving_amount	-0.09804
checking_amount	-0.10126
is_employed	-0.08972
yearly_salary	-0.10218
age	0.0031
dependent_number	0.02680
loan_repaid	-0.20987
purpose_other	0.02263
purpose_business	-0.02253
purpose_emergency_funds	0.03095
purpose_investment	-0.00763
purpose_home	-0.01572
	saving_amount \
loan_id	-0.004482
is_first_loan	0.009611
fully_repaid_previous_loans	0.014028
currently_repaying_other_loans	-0.251634
total_credit_card_limit	0.194137
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year	-0.098045
saving_amount	1.000000
checking_amount	0.238092
is_employed	0.148637
yearly_salary	0.210556
age	-0.004327 -0.064931
dependent_number	-0.064931

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0.493699
loan_repaid
                                                      -0.037777
purpose_other
purpose_business
                                                        0.041576
                                                      -0.073808
purpose_emergency_funds
purpose_investment
                                                        0.042976
purpose_home
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loan_id
                                                         -0.000531
                                                                       0.012130
is_first_loan
                                                         0.010356
                                                                      -0.000380
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                         0.020963
                                                                       0.002697
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                        -0.248012
                                                                     -0.154352
total_credit_card_limit
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                                                                       0.156715
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                                    -0.089726
                                                       -0.101262
                                                          0.238092
                                                                       0.148637
saving_amount
checking_amount
                                                          1.000000
                                                                       0.151237
is_employed
                                                          0.151237
                                                                       1.000000
yearly_salary
                                                          0.210244
                                                                       0.565322
                                                          0.005039
                                                                       0.005004
age
dependent_number
                                                         -0.071816
                                                                      -0.042867
loan_repaid
                                                          0.494341
                                                                       0.305749
purpose_other
                                                         -0.036413
                                                                      -0.040120
                                                          0.040610
                                                                       0.025119
purpose_business
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                        -0.070055
                                                                      -0.040674
                                                          0.039581
                                                                       0.034891
purpose_investment
purpose_home
                                                          0.012180
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loan_id
                                                        0.006602 0.011177
                                                      -0.002121 0.002591
is first loan
                                                       0.008098 0.009527
fully_repaid_previous_loans
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                      -0.215739 -0.008255
total_credit_card_limit
                                                       0.186868 0.000168
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is_employed
                                                        0.565322 0.005004
yearly_salary
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age
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dependent_number
loan_repaid
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purpose_other
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purpose_business
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purpose_emergency_funds
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purpose_investment
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purpose_home
                                                   dependent_number
loan_id
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is_first_loan
                                                         -0.005861
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                          0.001105
                                                          0.075054
currently_repaying_other_loans
total_credit_card_limit
                                                         -0.059254
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                         0.026807
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-0.064931
saving_amount
checking_amount
                                                           -0.071816
is_employed
                                                           -0.042867
yearly_salary
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age
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dependent_number
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loan_repaid
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purpose_other
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purpose_business
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purpose_emergency_funds
purpose_investment
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purpose_home
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loan id
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is_first_loan
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fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                      0.038665
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currently_repaying_other_loans
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total_credit_card_limit
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avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                   -0.209870
                                                                     0.022634
saving_amount
                                                      0.493699
                                                                     -0.037777
checking_amount
                                                      0.494341
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is_employed
yearly_salary
                                                      0.426648
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dependent_number
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loan_repaid
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purpose_other
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purpose_business
                                                      0.088177
                                                                     -0.181546
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                     -0.142721
purpose_investment
                                                      0.079986
                                                                     -0.220322
purpose_home
                                                      0.024759
                                                                     -0.233799
                                                   purpose_business
loan_id
                                                            0.006619
                                                           0.006942
is_first_loan
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                          -0.006204
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                          -0.043297
total_credit_card_limit
                                                           0.043437
                                                         -0.022539
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
saving_amount
                                                            0.041576
checking_amount
                                                            0.040610
is_employed
                                                            0.025119
yearly_salary
                                                            0.039910
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dependent_number
                                                            0.088177
loan_repaid
                                                           -0.222593
purpose_other
purpose_business
                                                            1.000000
                                                          -0.238237
purpose_emergency_funds
purpose_investment
                                                           -0.289122
                                                           -0.306807
purpose_home
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purpose_emergency_funds \

<pre>loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary age dependent_number loan_repaid purpose_other purpose_business purpose_emergency_funds purpose_investment</pre>	-0.006748 -0.013316 -0.002374 0.074131 -0.057069 0.030959 -0.073808 -0.070055 -0.040674 -0.058598 -0.014166 0.011459 -0.142721 -0.181546 -0.238237 1.000000 -0.235807
purpose_home	-0.250231
<pre>loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary age dependent_number loan_repaid purpose_other purpose_business purpose_emergency_funds purpose_investment purpose_home</pre>	purpose_investment \
<pre>loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary age dependent_number loan_repaid purpose_other</pre>	purpose_home -0.001342 0.003613 -0.001077 -0.004114 -0.001100 -0.015720 0.012296 0.012180 0.009598 0.007215 -0.001370 -0.015922 0.024759 -0.233799

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purpose_business
                                                                                                              -0.306807
                purpose_emergency_funds
                                                                                                              -0.250231
                purpose_investment
                                                                                                              -0.303678
                purpose_home
                                                                                                                1.000000
In [23]: _, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15,12))
                cmap = sns.diverging_palette(220, 10, as_cmap=True)
                _ = sns.heatmap(granted.corr(),
                                           cmap = cmap,
                                           square = True,
                                           cbar_kws = {'shrink': .9},
                                           ax = ax,
                                           annot = True,
                                           annot_kws = {'fontsize': 12})
                                                0.0022 0.0017 0.00570.0006$0.0018-0.004$0.000530.012 0.0066 0.011-0.000820.00270.00360.0066-0.00670.0037-0.0013
                                                                0.0037 -0.004 0.0096 0.01 -0.000380.00210.0026-0.0059 0.013 -0.00170.0069 -0.013 0.0025 0.0036
                                                           -0.016 0.031 -0.0018 0.014 0.021 0.0027 0.0081 0.0095 0.0011 0.039 -0.015-0.00620.0024 0.022 -0.0011
                     currently_repaying_other_loans 0.0057
                                                      -0.016
                                                                 -0.077 0.19 0.2 0.16 0.19 0.00017-0.059 0.4 -0.029 0.043 -0.057 0.033 -0.0011
                           total_credit_card_limit -0.000650.0037 0.031 -0.2
         avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year 0.0018 4.0044-0.0018 0.095 -0.077 1 4.0098 -0.1 -0.09 -0.1 0.0031 0.027 -0.21 0.023 -0.023 0.023 0.031 -0.0076 4.016
                                saving_amount -0.00450.0096 0.014 -0.25 0.19 -0.098
                                                                                0.24 0.15 0.21 -0.0043-0.065 0.49 -0.038 0.042 -0.074 0.043 0.012
                                                                                      0.15 0.21 0.005 -0.072 0.49 -0.036 0.041 -0.07 0.04 0.012
                              checking_amount -0.00053 0.01 0.021 -0.25 0.2 -0.1 0.24
                                 is_employed 0.012-0.000380.0027 -0.15 0.16 -0.09 0.15 0.15
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                                 yearly_salary 0.0066-0.00210.0081 -0.22 0.19 -0.1 0.21 0.21
                                                                                       0.57 1
                                                                                                0.0093 -0.064 0.43 -0.039 0.04 -0.059 0.037 0.0072
                                       ege 0.011 0.00260.0095-0.00830.000170.0031-0.0043 0.005 0.005 0.0093 1 -0.00130.000950.00560.0098-0.0140.000660.0014
                             dependent_number -0.000820.00590.0011 0.075 -0.059 0.027 -0.065 -0.072 -0.043 -0.064-0.0013 1
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                                purpose_other -0.00360.0017-0.015 0.024 -0.029 0.023 -0.038 -0.036 -0.04 -0.039 0.0056 0.019 -0.08
                             purpose_business 0.0066 0.0069-0.0062-0.043 0.043 -0.023 0.042 0.041 0.025 0.04 0.0098-0.0037 0.088 -0.22
                        purpose_emergency_funds -0.0067-0.013-0.0024-0.074 -0.057 -0.031 -0.074 -0.07 -0.041 -0.059 -0.014 -0.011 -0.14 -0.18 -0.24
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                             purpose_investment 0.0037 0.0025 0.022 -0.039 0.033 -0.0076 0.043 0.04 0.035 0.037-0.0006@0.0059 0.08 -0.22 -0.29 -0.24
                                purpose home -0.00130.0036-0.0011-0.0041-0.0011-0.016 0.012 0.012 0.00960.0072-0.0014-0.016 0.025 -0.23 -0.31 -0.25 -0.3
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The correlation plot illustrates several things relevant to missing values:

It appears that knowing loan payment history does not play a role in an individual's ability to repay loans. However, more than 75% of the individuals actually repaid their previous loans. Therefore it's a skewed dataset and mean imputation may not be accurate. Mode imputation (mode = 1.0) is more reasonable, but still dangerous to use. Considering the huge number of NAs, making them all 1.0 will skew the distribution heavily.

The other two NA cols, disclosure of loan payment current status and credit limit, are more (positively) correlated with loan repayment. Altering the NA values may have a high influence on data. Considering these factors, we decide to fill in the missing values for three cols through regression.

5.4.1 A. Ignore missing values

loan_repaid

purpose_other

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In [29]: granted_noNA = granted.dropna(axis=1)
         # or:
         # granted_noNA = granted.drop(['fully_repaid_previous_loans',
                                           'currently_repaying_other_loans',
         #
                                           'avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year'], axis = 1)
         print granted_noNA.shape
         print granted_noNA.isnull().sum()
(47654, 15)
loan_id
                            0
is_first_loan
                            0
total_credit_card_limit
                           0
saving_amount
                            0
checking_amount
                            0
                            0
is_employed
yearly_salary
                            0
                            0
age
{\tt dependent\_number}
                            0
loan_repaid
                            0
                            0
purpose_other
purpose_business
                            0
purpose_emergency_funds
                            0
purpose_investment
                            0
purpose_home
                            0
dtype: int64
In [31]: granted_noNA.dtypes
Out[31]: loan_id
                                        int64
         is_first_loan
                                        int64
         total_credit_card_limit
                                       int64
         saving_amount
                                        int64
         checking_amount
                                        int64
         is_employed
                                        int64
         yearly_salary
                                        int64
                                        int64
         age
         dependent_number
                                        int64
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float64

int64

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purpose_business int64
purpose_emergency_funds int64
purpose_investment int64
purpose_home int64
dtype: object
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5.4.2 B. Impute missing values

"Predict" missing values with k-nearest-neighbor regression or classification. Before doing this, it's crucial to scale the data because an uneven data space will mess up the KNN algorithm.

The following columns are on a different order of magnitude than the rest:

'total_credit_card_limit', 'saving_amount', 'checking_amount', 'yearly_salary', 'age', 'dependent_number'
These are all positive values with an actual significance in their positivity. Therefore a standard scaler
((x-mean)/std) is less appropriate than a min-max scaler ((x-min)/(max-min)).

```
In [73]: granted_impNA = granted.copy()
         # granted_impNA['fully_repaid_previous_loans'].fillna(granted_impNA['fully_repaid_previous_loa
In [74]: r, c = KNeighborsRegressor(), KNeighborsClassifier(n_neighbors=5)
         cols_to_impute = [('fully_repaid_previous_loans', c),
                            ('currently_repaying_other_loans', c),
                            ('avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year', r)]
         cols_to_scale = ['total_credit_card_limit',
                           'saving_amount'.
                           'checking_amount',
                           'yearly_salary',
                           'age',
                           'dependent_number']
In [75]: granted_impNA[cols_to_scale] = MinMaxScaler().fit_transform(granted_impNA[cols_to_scale])
In [76]: granted_impNA.head()
Out [76]:
            loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans
         2
             135565
                                                              NaN
         5
             423171
                                                              NaN
         7
             200139
                                  1
                                                              NaN
         8
             991294
                                  0
                                                              1.0
         9
             875332
                                  0
                                                              1.0
            currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit \
         2
                                        NaN
                                                             0.511111
         5
                                                             0.451852
                                        NaN
         7
                                        NaN
                                                             0.296296
         8
                                        0.0
                                                             0.518519
         9
                                                             0.318519
                                        0.0
            avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount \
         2
                                                         0.82
                                                                    0.195940
         5
                                                         0.53
                                                                    0.579175
         7
                                                         0.57
                                                                    0.056574
         8
                                                         0.52
                                                                    0.241989
         9
                                                         0.83
                                                                    0.067851
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age dependent_number \

checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary

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                    0.259932
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         5
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                                                                                  0.125
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         7
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                                                                                  0.375
         9
                                                 0.055556 0.229508
                    0.067755
                                         1
                                                                                  0.875
            loan_repaid purpose_other purpose_business purpose_emergency_funds \
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            purpose_investment
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                              0
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         9
                              0
In [77]: for col, model in cols_to_impute:
             colImputed = fill_na_KNN(granted_impNA, col, model)
             granted_impNA[col] = colImputed
             print granted_impNA.isnull().sum()
loan_id
                                                         0
                                                         0
is_first_loan
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                         0
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                     25789
total_credit_card_limit
                                                         0
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                      903
saving_amount
                                                         0
checking_amount
                                                          0
is_employed
                                                          0
yearly_salary
                                                          0
                                                          0
age
dependent_number
                                                          0
loan_repaid
                                                          0
purpose_other
                                                         0
                                                         0
purpose_business
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                         0
purpose_investment
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purpose_home
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dtype: int64
loan_id
                                                       0
is_first_loan
                                                       0
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                       0
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                       0
total_credit_card_limit
                                                       0
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                   903
saving_amount
                                                       0
checking_amount
                                                       0
is_employed
                                                       0
yearly_salary
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                                                        0
age
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0
dependent_number
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loan_repaid
purpose_other
                                                       0
purpose_business
                                                       0
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                       0
purpose_investment
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purpose_home
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dtype: int64
loan_id
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is_first_loan
                                                     0
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                    0
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                    0
total_credit_card_limit
                                                    0
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
saving_amount
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checking_amount
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is\_employed
                                                     0
yearly_salary
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age
dependent_number
                                                     0
loan_repaid
                                                     0
purpose_other
                                                     0
                                                     0
purpose_business
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                     0
purpose_investment
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purpose_home
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dtype: int64
In [78]: print granted_impNA.shape
         granted_impNA.head()
(47654, 18)
            loan_id is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans
Out [78]:
         2
             135565
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         8
            991294
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                                                               1.0
         9
            875332
                                  0
                                                               1.0
            currently_repaying_other_loans total_credit_card_limit \
         2
                                         0.0
                                                              0.511111
         5
                                         0.0
                                                              0.451852
         7
                                         0.0
                                                              0.296296
         8
                                         0.0
                                                              0.518519
         9
                                         0.0
                                                              0.318519
            avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year saving_amount \
         2
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                                                                     0.195940
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                                                                     0.056574
         8
                                                         0.52
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         9
                                                         0.83
                                                                     0.067851
            checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary
                                                                age dependent_number \
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2
          0.259932
                                        0.252058 0.327869
                                                                          1.000
5
          0.402431
                                1
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                                        0.326132 0.295082
8
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                                1
                                        0.605967 0.245902
                                                                          0.375
9
          0.067755
                                1
                                        0.055556 0.229508
                                                                          0.875
   loan_repaid purpose_other purpose_business purpose_emergency_funds
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7
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8
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9
           1.0
                              0
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                                                 1
   purpose_investment
                        purpose_home
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5
                     0
                                    0
7
                     0
                                    0
8
                                    0
                     0
                     0
```

5.5 5. Drop 'loan_id' column

5.6 6. Scaling continued...

Lastly, bring back the non-scaled version of both 'noNA' and 'impNA' datasets.

(33357,) (14297,)

Build models to predict grant repayment

```
In [87]: dfs = [granted_noNA, granted_impNA, granted_noNA_sca, granted_impNA_sca]
```

6.1 Dataset 1: Ignored NAs, not scaled

6.1.1 1. Make training and testing data

6.1.2 2. Set up model and cross-validation

Note a bias-variance tradeoff in choosing k - - Small k: Low variance in predicted results, but high bias in models. (e.g. split into half; validate twice; one model may not be too different from the other, but they may not generalize well because they haven't seen too much data) - Large k: High variance in predicted results, but low bias in models. (e.g. leave-one-out; validate n times; the final model capture the characteristics of a lot of models, but may be overfitted - n times! - to existing data)

6.1.3 3. Perform cross-validation

```
In [107]: model = models.get('random forest')
         Y_pred, Y_true = performCV(X_train, Y_train, cv=cv10, model = model)
         Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack = unpackCVResults(Y_pred, Y_true)
         cvScore = getCVScores(Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack)
         cvScore
Out[107]:
            accuracy precision
                                  recall sensitivity specificity
         0 0.905276 0.942391 0.909217
                                             0.909217
                                                         0.898046
         1 0.909173 0.937739 0.918817
                                             0.918817
                                                         0.892116
         2 0.907974 0.941948 0.916629
                                            0.916629
                                                         0.891323
         3 0.910671
                      0.932921 0.925873
                                            0.925873
                                                         0.884236
         4 0.921163 0.946190 0.929808
                                            0.929808
                                                         0.905755
         5 0.911571
                      0.949707 0.910154
                                            0.910154
                                                         0.914095
         6 0.912470 0.947814 0.917615
                                            0.917615
                                                         0.902546
         7 0.914843 0.943765 0.919485
                                            0.919485
                                                         0.906958
         8 0.909445
                      0.933715 0.923149
                                            0.923149
                                                         0.885502
         9 0.914243
                      0.948850 0.919509
                                            0.919509
                                                         0.904049
```

Simply throwing away the NA cols, predicts us the probability of users repaying / defaulting on their loans pretty darn well. (Note that RFs are rather tolerant to no scaling.)

6.1.4 4. Apply on unseen (test) data

```
In [98]: Y_test_pred = model.fit(X_train, Y_train).predict_proba(X_test)
         Y_test_pred_unpack = [pred_val.argmax() for pred_val in Y_test_pred]
         cm_test = metrics.confusion_matrix(y_true = Y_test, y_pred = Y_test_pred_unpack, labels=None)
         accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, precision = evalModel(cm_test)
         print 'Model: ', model
         print 'Testing accuracy: ', accuracy
         print 'Testing precision: ', precision
         print 'Testing recall: ', sensitivity
Model: RandomForestClassifier(bootstrap=True, class_weight=None, criterion='gini',
            max_depth=None, max_features='auto', max_leaf_nodes=None,
            min_impurity_split=1e-07, min_samples_leaf=1,
            min_samples_split=2, min_weight_fraction_leaf=0.0,
            n_estimators=100, n_jobs=1, oob_score=False, random_state=None,
            verbose=0, warm_start=False)
Testing accuracy: 0.915506749668
Testing precision: 0.94496942746
Testing recall: 0.922609356344
6.1.5
       5. Insights from model
In [99]: Y_test_pred_featImp = model.fit(X_train, Y_train)
         importances = model.feature_importances_
         std = np.std([indivTree.feature_importances_ for indivTree in model.estimators_],
                      axis=0)
```

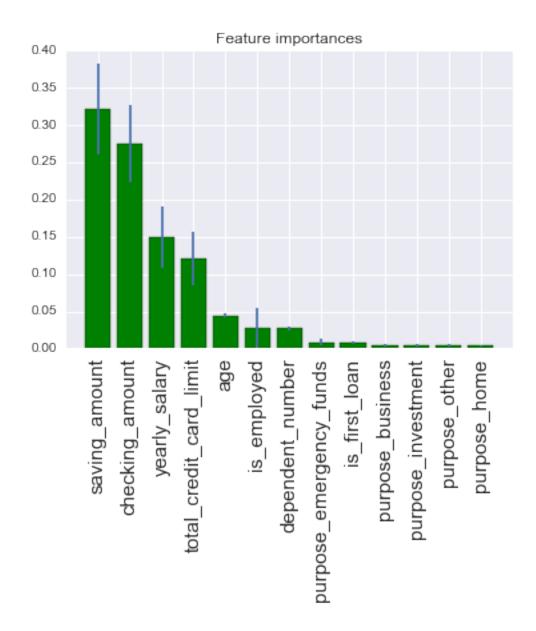
indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]

```
print("Feature ranking:")
         for f in range(X_train.shape[1]):
             print("%d. %s (%f)" % (f + 1, X_train.columns[indices[f]], importances[indices[f]]))
Feature ranking:
1. saving_amount (0.321948)
2. checking_amount (0.275183)
3. yearly_salary (0.149150)
4. total_credit_card_limit (0.120505)
5. age (0.044307)
6. is_employed (0.027806)
7. dependent_number (0.027349)
8. purpose_emergency_funds (0.008484)
9. is_first_loan (0.007772)
10. purpose_business (0.004682)
11. purpose_investment (0.004497)
12. purpose_other (0.004294)
13. purpose_home (0.004023)
```

Several things checked out against the simple correlation run earlier: - Cash positions such as back account, salary matter highly - Loan purpose for emergency matters more than the other purposes

Age, interestingly, matters moderately highly.

Now plot the feature importances of the forest.



While one can try a different model or do grid-search to tune the RF parameters, priority of this action is low since default params performed pretty well in this case. It would be more interesting to compare with a model built from the dataset with features containing guessed NA values.

6.2 Dataset 2: Imputed NAs, not scaled

6.2.1 1. Make training and testing data

```
In [108]: Y = dfs[1].loan_repaid
    X = dfs[1].drop('loan_repaid', axis = 1)
    X_train, X_test, Y_train, Y_test = model_selection.train_test_split(X, Y, test_size=0.3, rand
    print X_train.shape
    print X_test.shape
```

```
print Y_train.shape
         print Y_test.shape
(33357, 16)
(14297, 16)
(33357,)
(14297,)
6.2.2
      2. Set up model and cross-validation
In [95]: key_value_pairs = [('naive Bayes', GaussianNB()),
                           ('logistic regression', linear_model.LogisticRegression()),
                           ('SVM', svm.SVC(degree=0.5)),
                           ('decision tree', tree.DecisionTreeClassifier()),
                           ('random forest', ensemble.RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=100))
        models = collections.OrderedDict(key_value_pairs)
        cv10 = model_selection.KFold(n_splits=10)
6.2.3 3. Perform cross-validation
In [103]: model = models.get('random forest')
         Y_pred, Y_true = performCV(X_train, Y_train, cv=cv10, model = model)
         Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack = unpackCVResults(Y_pred, Y_true)
         cvScore = getCVScores(Y_pred_unpack, Y_true_unpack)
         cvScore
Out[103]:
            accuracy precision
                                   recall sensitivity specificity
         0 0.915168
                      0.944972 0.922649
                                              0.922649
                                                           0.901444
         1 0.914269 0.943296 0.921164
                                                           0.902075
                                              0.921164
         2 0.913369
                       0.944496 0.922551
                                              0.922551
                                                           0.895706
         3 0.921163 0.940199 0.935316
                                              0.935316
                                                           0.896552
         4 0.925959
                       0.947867 0.935891
                                              0.935891
                                                           0.908257
         5 0.917566
                       0.952821 0.916706
                                              0.916706
                                                           0.919099
         6 0.920264
                       0.950537 0.927173
                                              0.927173
                                                           0.906936
         7 0.922339
                       0.947907 0.927585
                                              0.927585
                                                           0.913430
         8 0.914843
                       0.934690 0.931165
                                              0.931165
                                                           0.886326
         9 0.918141
                       0.948324 0.926330
                                              0.926330
                                                           0.902289
  Is this better? Can't quite tell. Let's go onto testing.
```

6.2.4 4. Apply on unseen (test) data

```
In [104]: Y_test_pred = model.fit(X_train, Y_train).predict_proba(X_test)
          Y_test_pred_unpack = [pred_val.argmax() for pred_val in Y_test_pred]
          cm_test = metrics.confusion_matrix(y_true = Y_test, y_pred = Y_test_pred_unpack, labels=None)
          accuracy, sensitivity, specificity, precision = evalModel(cm_test)
          print 'Model: ', model
          print 'Testing accuracy: ', accuracy
          print 'Testing precision: ', precision
          print 'Testing recall: ', sensitivity
```

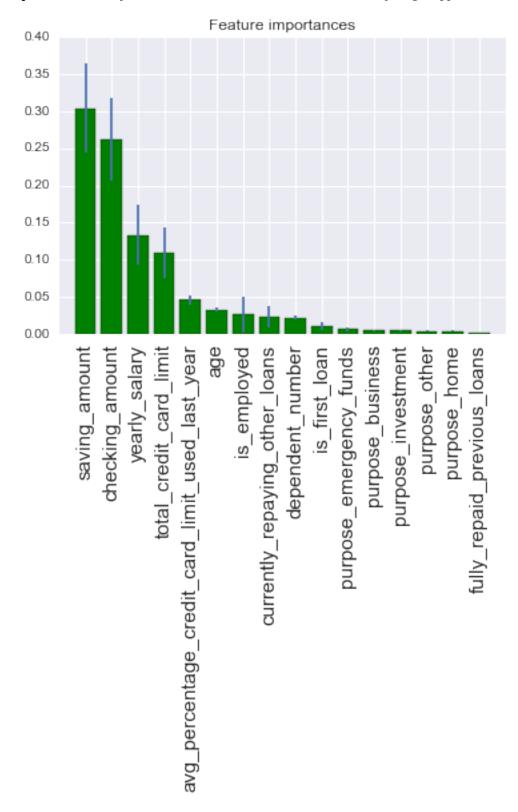
```
Model: RandomForestClassifier(bootstrap=True, class_weight=None, criterion='gini',
            max_depth=None, max_features='auto', max_leaf_nodes=None,
            min_impurity_split=1e-07, min_samples_leaf=1,
            min_samples_split=2, min_weight_fraction_leaf=0.0,
            n_estimators=100, n_jobs=1, oob_score=False, random_state=None,
            verbose=0, warm_start=False)
Testing accuracy: 0.922011610827
Testing precision: 0.947601149679
Testing recall: 0.930424400304
  Slightly better testing performance, from 91.5% to 92.2% accuracy.
       5. Insights from model
6.2.5
In [136]: Y_test_pred_featImp = model.fit(X_train, Y_train)
          importances = model.feature_importances_
          std = np.std([indivTree.feature_importances_ for indivTree in model.estimators_],
          indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]
          print("Feature ranking:")
          for f in range(X_train.shape[1]):
              print("%d. %s (%f)" % (f + 1, X_train.columns[indices[f]], importances[indices[f]]))
Feature ranking:
1. saving_amount (0.313070)
2. checking_amount (0.260543)
3. yearly_salary (0.127130)
4. total_credit_card_limit (0.103917)
5. avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year (0.046815)
6. age (0.033202)
7. is_employed (0.030637)
8. currently_repaying_other_loans (0.023752)
9. dependent_number (0.022118)
10. is_first_loan (0.011961)
11. purpose_emergency_funds (0.006753)
12. purpose_business (0.004955)
13. purpose_investment (0.004498)
14. purpose_home (0.004279)
15. purpose_other (0.004154)
16. fully_repaid_previous_loans (0.002215)
```

The presence of several moderately high-ranking features improved the model accuracy, especially 'avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year'.

Whether or not previous loans have been fully repaid matters the least. It explains why leaving it out previously didn't impact the accuracy all that much.

Now plot the feature importances of the forest.

plt.xticks(range(X_train.shape[1]), indices, rotation=90)
plt.xlim([-1, X_train.shape[1]])
ax.set_xticklabels(X_train.columns[indices], rotation=90, size=15)
plt.show() # If this line is not included, a bunch of msgs appear



Predict repayment in those denied the loan

Now, to see how many cases the bank missed out on.

First we need to take the "loans denied" data through the same cleaning. Then use the granted data with imputed missing values for prediction.

Here it would be interesting to note if a better model can be built by imputing missing values from the entire loanData, not just from the granted dataset. Let's take the imputation of the granted dataset as what we've done for now.

Just to remind ourselves, the granted data has 16 features:

In [114]: denied = loanData[loanData.loan_granted == 0]

```
In [111]: granted_impNA.shape
Out[111]: (47654, 17)
```

7.1 Clean data

7.1.1 1. Drop unhelpful columns

```
denied.drop(['loan_id', 'loan_granted', 'date', 'loan_granted', 'loan_repaid'], axis=1, inplace print denied.shape

(53446, 12)

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ipykernel/_main_..py:2: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame
```

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing.from ipykernel import kernelapp as app

7.1.2 2. Convert categorical variable into numeric

Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing.from ipykernel import kernelapp as app

/Users/yingjiang/miniconda2/lib/python2.7/site-packages/ipykernel/_main_.py:3: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame

See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing.app.launch_new_instance()

```
In [116]: denied.head()
```

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Out[116]:		ully_repaid_prev			$currently_repayi$	ng_ot	her_l	,	
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1	0			1.0			0.0		
3	0			1.0			0.0		
4	0			0.0			0.0		
6	1			NaN				NaN	
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3		1200						0.82	
4		6900						0.80	
6		600						0.89	
0		600						0.89	
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1	636	5299		1	13500				
3	358	3388		0	0				
4	2138	4282		1	18100				
6	305	1456		0	0				
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4	1		0		0				
6	2	2	0		0				
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1		0	0		0				
3		0	0		0				
4		1	0		0				
6		1	0		0				

7.1.3 3. Deal with missing values

```
'checking_amount',
                             'yearly_salary',
                             'age',
                             'dependent_number']
In [119]: denied_impNA[cols_to_scale] = MinMaxScaler().fit_transform(denied_impNA[cols_to_scale])
In [121]: denied_impNA.head()
Out[121]:
              is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans currently_repaying_other_loans
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          6
                           1
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                                                                                          NaN
              total_credit_card_limit avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                                                       0.49
                              0.601504
          0
                              0.338346
          1
                                                                                       1.03
          3
                              0.090226
                                                                                       0.82
          4
                              0.518797
                                                                                       0.80
          6
                              0.045113
                                                                                       0.89
             saving_amount checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary
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                   0.065852
                                     0.381014
                                                                    0.148842 0.245902
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                                     0.307875
                                                                    0.199559 0.295082
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                                                           1
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                                     0.104639
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          6
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In [122]: for col, model in cols_to_impute:
               colImputed = fill_na_KNN(denied_impNA, col, model)
               denied_impNA[col] = colImputed
               print denied_impNA.isnull().sum()
is_first_loan
                                                          0
                                                          0
fully_repaid_previous_loans
currently_repaying_other_loans
                                                      29158
total_credit_card_limit
                                                          0
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                      6069
saving_amount
                                                           0
```

```
checking_amount
                                                          0
is_employed
                                                          0
                                                           0
yearly_salary
                                                           0
age
dependent_number
                                                          0
purpose_business
                                                          0
purpose\_investment
                                                           0
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                          0
purpose_other
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                                                          0
purpose_home
dtype: int64
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is_first_loan
fully_repaid_previous_loans
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currently_repaying_other_loans
total_credit_card_limit
                                                         0
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                    6069
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saving_amount
checking_amount
                                                         0
is_employed
                                                         0
yearly_salary
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dependent_number
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purpose_business
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purpose\_investment
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purpose_emergency_funds
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purpose\_other
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purpose_home
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dtype: int64
is_first_loan
                                                      0
                                                      0
fully_repaid_previous_loans
                                                      0
currently_repaying_other_loans
{\tt total\_credit\_card\_limit}
                                                      0
avg_percentage_credit_card_limit_used_last_year
                                                      0
saving_amount
checking_amount
                                                      0
is_employed
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yearly_salary
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age
dependent_number
                                                      0
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purpose_business
purpose\_investment
                                                      0
purpose_emergency_funds
                                                      0
purpose_other
                                                      0
                                                      0
purpose_home
dtype: int64
In [123]: denied_impNA_sca = denied_impNA.copy()
          denied_impNA[cols_to_scale] = denied[cols_to_scale]
In [125]: print denied_impNA.shape
          denied_impNA.head()
(53446, 16)
Out [125]:
              is_first_loan fully_repaid_previous_loans currently_repaying_other_loans \
                                                                                          0.0
          0
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0.0
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                                              1.0
3
                0
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4
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6
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0
                        8000
                        4500
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1
3
                        1200
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4
                        6900
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6
                         600
                                                                              0.89
   saving_amount checking_amount is_employed yearly_salary
             3285
                                1073
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```

7.2 Use the RF model to predict how many cases would've repaid loans

7.2.1 1. Make training and testing data

The bank missed 35% of the business it could've done by granting a loan, which in turn could've yielded a return.

Summary and conclusion

By analyzing the loan applications where loan has been granted, we built a model that predicts an individual's ability to repay a loan at 92% accuracy. We find that the following attributes of a person helps with prediction: 1. His/Her cash position (bank accounts, salary) 2. His/Her credit position (total credit card limit, previous limit use) 3. His/her age, employment status, other loan commitment and number of dependents 4. He/She is less likely to repay the loan if the purpose of borrowing had been for emergency needs

Applying the model on the cases that have been denied a loan, we find that up to 35% of these cases could have repaid the loan. Therefore our prediction would help the bank justify not to be too conservative on granting loans, which potentially causes non trivial losses.

In []: