Data Science Techniques and Applications Coursework II

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We can start of our analysis by getting the dataset. Corresponding Heart Diseases dataset[2][1] can be downloaded from kaggle by clicking download link in the website. When the download finished we received compressed version of file named *heart-disease-uci.zip*. Fallowing the un-compression of the file we will obtain csv file *heart.csv* which is in final format for analysis.

Next step is to loading python libraries to start the analysis. In this coursework fallowing open source libraries used:

- 1. **Pandas:** Tabular data manipulation library that will be use to load the data and cleaninig/reshaping.[4]
- 2. **Matplotlib:** Will be used as main plotting library that has many pre build high level plotting tools.[3]
- 3. Seaborn: Python library for special plotting styles such as pairplots.[6]
- 4. **Scikit-Learn:** Open source machine learning library that includes various machine learning algorithms.[5]

As a first step libraries above loaded in python in the fallowing format.

```
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
import seaborn as sns
```

With the help of pandas library we can load the dataset and view first 5 rows to check if the data frame is in expected format.

```
df = pd.read_csv("heart.csv")
df.head()
```

age	sex	cp	trestbps	chol	fbs	restecg	thalach	exang	oldpeak	slope	ca	thal	target
63.0	1.0	3.0	145.0	233.0	1.0	0.0	150.0	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0
37.0	1.0	2.0	130.0	250.0	0.0	1.0	187.0	0.0	3.5	0.0	0.0	2.0	1.0
41.0	0.0	1.0	130.0	204.0	0.0	0.0	172.0	0.0	1.4	2.0	0.0	2.0	1.0
56.0	1.0	1.0	120.0	236.0	0.0	1.0	178.0	0.0	0.8	2.0	0.0	2.0	1.0
57.0	0.0	0.0	120.0	354.0	0.0	1.0	163.0	1.0	0.6	2.0	0.0	2.0	1.0

Fallowing the guide of coursework, I choose "age", "chol" and "trestbps" as important dimensions. Description of the columns from the coursework I is given below as a reminder.

- 1. **age**: Age in years (max:77, min:29)
- 2. **chol**: cholesterol level (mg/dl)
- 3. **trestbps**: Blood pressure recording for resting

In order to get a better grasp of the data distribution with these three variables, I will use pairplot. Pairplot will help us see different variation of these three variable with each other and with relation to the target outcome of the dataset.

```
selected_dims = ["age", "chol", "trestbps", "target"]
sns.pairplot(df[selected_dims], hue="target")
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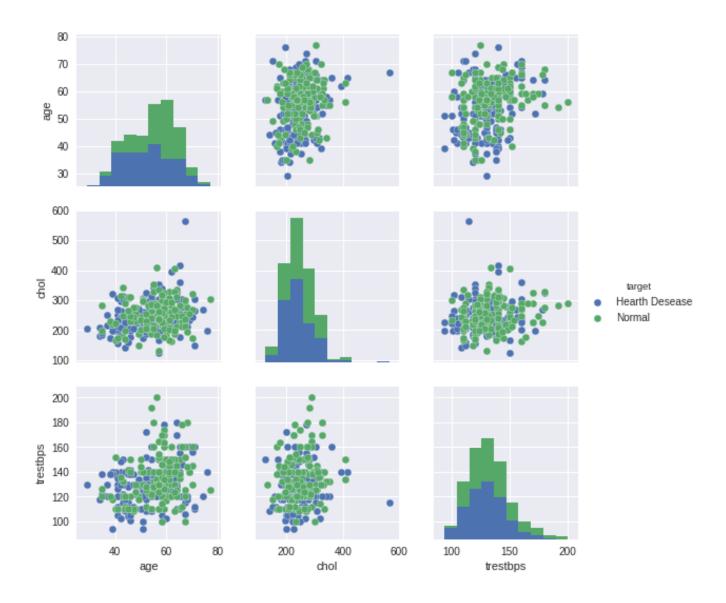


Figure 1: Pairplot with chosen dimensions.

We can also plot these 3 dimensions in 3D plot to see their relation to target variable. I created helper function quickly plot 3D plots given dimensions in dataset. Code for the function follows.

We can observe their relationships by calling the function with the "age", "chol" and "trestbps".

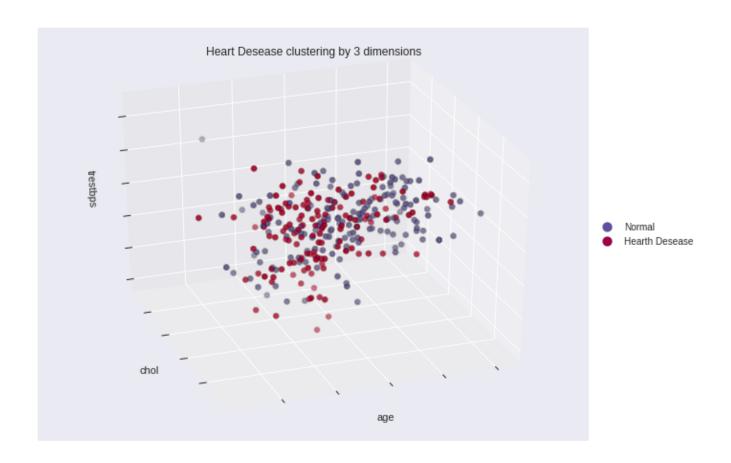


Figure 2: 3D graph of the selected dimensions.

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