# Fraud Detection and Philosophy and Religion

(but not all at once)

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#### **Fraud Detection**

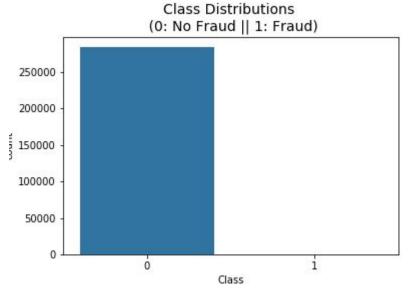
- Detecting whether a transaction is a normal payment or a fraud.
- The features provided were already scaled and the names of the features were not shown due to privacy reasons.
- Dataset is very unbalanced (492 frauds out of 284,807 transactions) i.e.
   99.83% are non-fraud records.

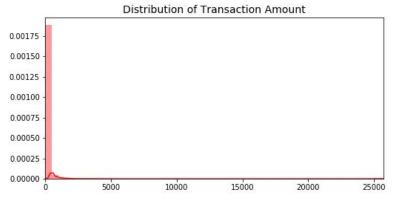
#### Motivation

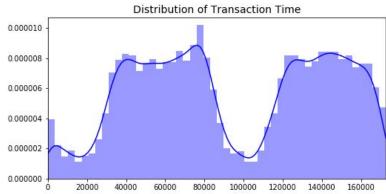
- Learning to handle unbalanced datasets.
- How well techniques used for handling unbalanced dataset generalize over the whole dataset?
- Which classifier, SVC or Logistic Regression works best for this kind of datasets?

#### Dataset

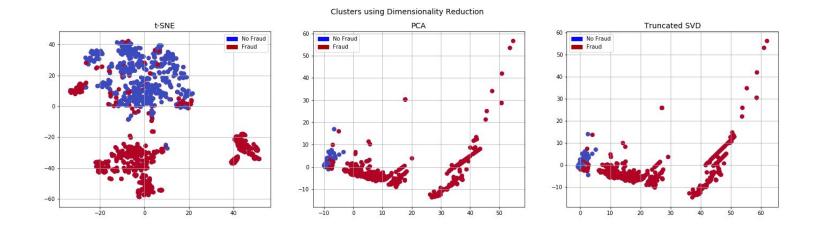
- 28 features V1..V28 which are the principal components after the PCA transformation. Original features not provided due to confidentiality issue.
- Features 'Time' and 'Amount' has not been transformed.
- Feature 'Class' is the response variable and it takes value 1 in case of fraud and 0 otherwise.





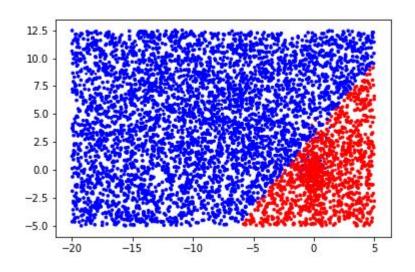




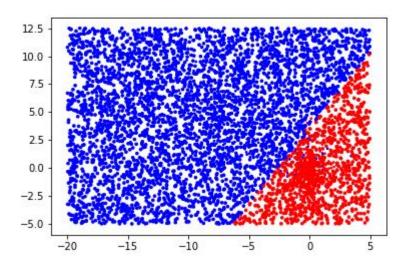


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['V14', 'V4', 'V12', 'V11', 'V10', 'V16', 'V3', 'V17', 'V9', 'V2', 'V7', 'V18', 'V1', 'V6', 'V5', 'V19', 'V20', 'V2
1', 'scaled_time', 'V28', 'V27', 'scaled_amount', 'V26', 'V8', 'V13', 'V24', 'V23', 'V25', 'V15', 'V22']
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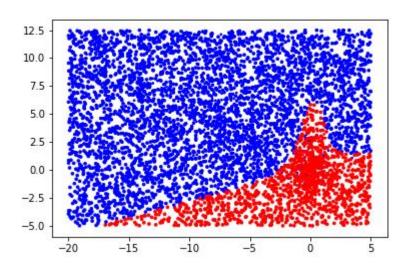
### Logistic regression(V14 and V4)



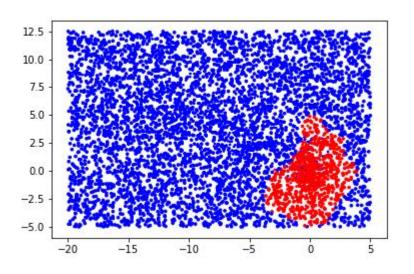
### Linear SVM(V14 and V4)



# SVM, kernel = poly (V14 and V4)

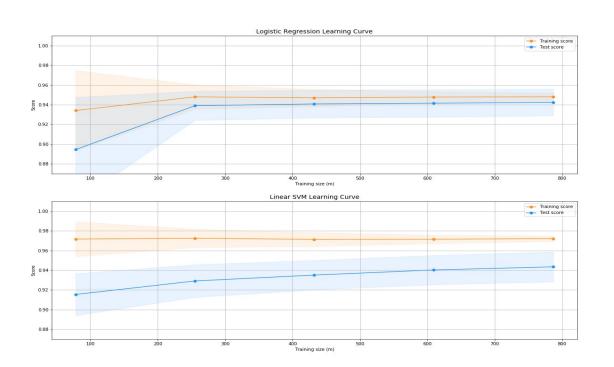


### SVM, kernel = RBF (V14 and V4)



#### Best Parameters (Grid SearchCV)

# **Learning Curve**



#### Classification Report (Best Logistic Regresssion)

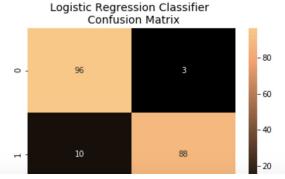
Recall Score: 0.90 Precision Score: 0.97 F1 Score: 0.93

Accuracy Score: 0.93 Classification Report:

		precision	recall	f1-score	support
	0	0.91	0.97	0.94	99
	1	0.97	0.90	0.93	98
micro	avg	0.93	0.93	0.93	197
macro	avg	0.94	0.93	0.93	197
weighted	avg	0.94	0.93	0.93	197

#### Confusion Matrix:

Out[26]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Logistic Regression Classifier \n Confusion Matrix')

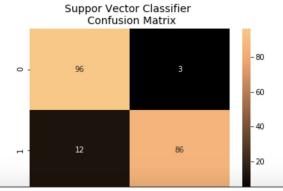


#### Classification Report (Best SVC Classifier)

Recall Score: 0.88 Precision Score: 0.97 F1 Score: 0.92 Accuracy Score: 0.92 Classification Report: precision recall f1-score support 0.89 0.97 0.93 0.97 0.88 0.92 98 micro avq 0.92 0.92 0.92 197 0.93 0.92 0.92 197 macro avg weighted avg 0.93 0.92 0.92 197

Confusion Matrix:

Out[27]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Suppor Vector Classifier \n Confusion Matrix')

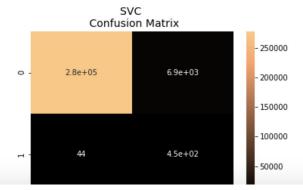


#### Classification Report (Generalization)

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Recall Score: 0.91
Precision Score: 0.06
F1 Score: 0.11
Accuracy Score: 0.98
Classification Report:
              precision
                           recall f1-score
                                              support
                   1.00
                             0.98
                                       0.99
                                                284315
                   0.06
                             0.91
                                       0.11
                                                   492
   micro avq
                   0.98
                             0.98
                                                284807
                                        0.98
                   0.53
                             0.94
                                       0.55
                                               284807
   macro avg
weighted avg
                             0.98
                                               284807
                   1.00
                                       0.99
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Confusion Matrix:

Out[65]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'SVC \n Confusion Matrix')



#### Religion & Philosophy

• Can we determine if a society had developed a system of philosophy based on what we know of their religious structure and writing system?



#### **Motivation**

- Helps translators with probable contexts of untranslated texts
- Provides hints as to which social complexity variables can lead to the emergence of something as abstract as Philosophy.
  - (social complexity is a big deal in anthropology)



#### Dataset: Seshat Global History Databank

Quantitative data from 400 societies from 30 geographical areas around the globe across thousands of years of human history and pre-history.



Logistic regression
 Two input variables:

 Whether or not a society had a writing system

 The number of levels in the society's religious hierarchy
 Priests
 Catholics

Note: Philosophy does *not* imply writing.

#### Results

Mean F1 score: 90%

