

29. KNN + Confusion Matrix

Three phases of using KNN for classification:

1. Training Phase: [Training different models](#)
 - Different [K values](#) can represent different [KNN models](#)
 - References
 - [K-NN step-by-step example](#)
2. Evaluation Phase
 - Objective
 - Finding the [K value](#) representing the best model.
 - How? -- **This is the homework you need to do.**
 - Using [Pick an Evaluation Metric: Confusion Matrix](#)
 - For example, for [credit card assessment](#)
 - There are two classes in this example, "+" (credit approval) and "-" (credit denial).

<u>K=3</u>		<u>K=5</u>	
Correct Assessment	Predicted Assessment	Correct Assessment	Predicted Assessment
-	-	-	-
-	+	-	-
+	+	-	+
-	-	+	-
-	-	+	-
+	+	-	+
+	+	-	+
-	-	+	-
-	-	-	-
+	+	-	+
-	-	-	-
+	-	+	-
+	+	-	-
+	+	+	+
-	-	-	-
-	-	+	-
-	-	+	-
+	+	-	+
+	+	-	-
+	+	+	+
+	+	+	-
-	-	-	+
+	+	-	+
+	+	+	+
-	-	-	-

- If the objective is to determine the "+" class, please fill this table

K=	TP	FN	FP	TN	Precision	Accuracy	Recall	F1 score
3								
5								

- Which K value represents the better model? Please explain your assessment.

3. Test Phase

- Using the best model selected in [Evaluation Phase](#)
- References

1. [Training, Validation, and Test](#)

Answer

Deriving the Confusion Matrix for the “+” class for both K = 3 and K = 5

For K = 3

	Predict = +	Predict = -
Actual = +	True Positive (+ -> +) Actual credit card approval that were correctly classified as credit card approval 12	False Negative (+ -> !+) Actual credit card approval that were incorrectly classified as credit card denial. 1
Actual = -	False Positive (!+ -> +) Actual credit card denial that were incorrectly classified as credit card approval 1	True Negative (!+ -> !+) Actual credit card denial that were correctly classified as credit card denial 11

For K = 5

	Predict = +	Predict = -
Actual = +	True Positive (+ -> +) Actual credit card approval that were correctly classified as credit card approval 3	False Negative (+ -> !+) Actual credit card approval that were incorrectly classified as credit card denial. 7
Actual = -	False Positive (!+ -> +) Actual credit card denial that were incorrectly classified as credit card approval 7	True Negative (!+ -> !+) Actual credit card denial that were correctly classified as credit card denial 8

From the table above,

$$\text{Precision} = \text{TP}/(\text{TP}+\text{FP})$$

A better way to estimate performance than Accuracy.

For K = 3,

$$\text{Precision} = 12/(12+1) = 12/13 = 0.923$$

For K = 5,

$$\text{Precision} = 3/(3+7) = 3/10 = 0.3$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = (\text{TP}+\text{TN})/(\text{TP}+\text{TN}+\text{FP}+\text{FN})$$

Accuracy is the ratio of the number of correct labels to the total number of labels.

Accuracy is the probability that your model gets the right answer.

Accuracy is not a good metric of success, because the “everything looks good” model, or equivalently the “nothing looks fraudulent” model, is dumb but has good accuracy.

For K = 3,

$$\text{Accuracy} = (12+11)/(12+1+11+1) = 23/25 = 0.92$$

For K = 5,

$$\text{Accuracy} = (3+8)/(3+7+7+8) = 11/25 = 0.44$$

$$\text{Recall} = \text{TP}/(\text{TP}+\text{FP})$$

A better way to estimate performance than Accuracy.

For K = 3,

$$\text{Recall} = 12/(12+1) = 23/25 = 0.92$$

For K = 5,

$$\text{Recall} = 3/(3+7) = 3/10 = 0.3$$

$$\text{F1 Score} = 2\text{TP}/(2\text{TP}+\text{FP}+\text{FN})$$

For K = 3,

$$\text{F1 Score} = 2*12/(2*12+1+1) = 24/26 = 0.923$$

For K = 5,

$$\text{F1 Score} = 2*3/(2*3+7+7) = 6/20 = 0.3$$

K	TP	FN	FP	TN	Precision	Accuracy	Recall	F1 Score
3	12	1	1	11	0.923	0.92	0.92	0.923
5	3	7	7	8	0.3	0.44	0.3	0.3

As per observation, the model with K=3 has high Accuracy compared to model with K=5. It is said that Accuracy is not a good metric for success, so let us compare the Precision and Recall.

The Precision and Recall values of the model with K=3 is so much better than values of the model with K=5 and so is the F1 Score.

Thus, K=3 represents the better model.