Predicting type II diabetes risk

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Diabetes costs \$327 B/year in the USA

1 out of every 7 dollars of healthcare spending

34 M Americans have diabetes

88M Americans have prediabetes



Save money and lives by finding prediabetic patients

Diabetes care:~\$10k/year/patient

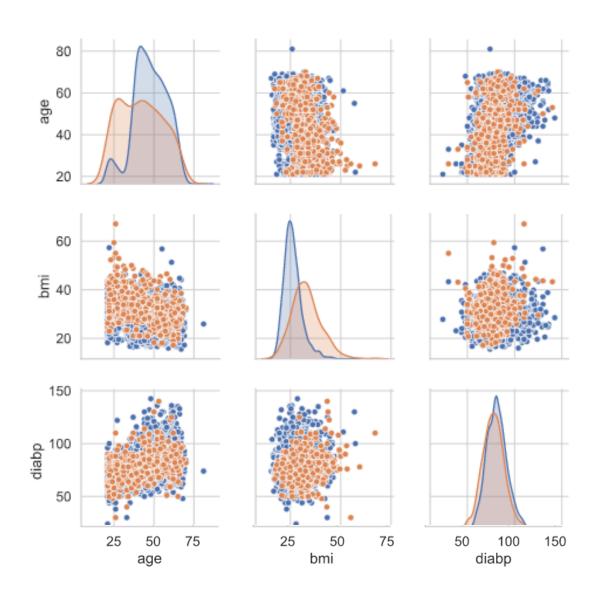




• A1C: ~\$35/test

PCP counseling: <\$100/visit

A model can help where simple cutoffs can't



diabetes

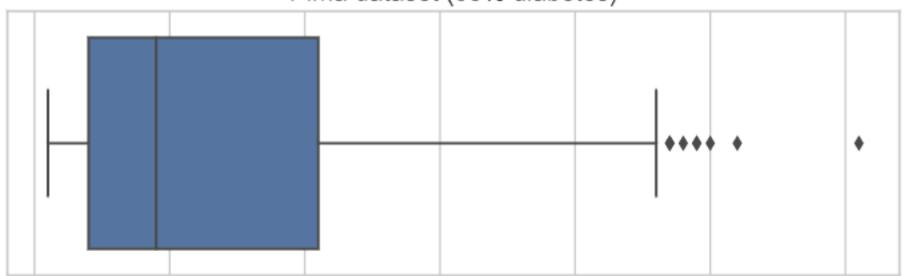
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Next steps:

- More thorough cost-benefit analysis
- Display actual diabetes risk given a score and relative risk compared to the population
- Discuss appropriateness and legal ramifications of treebased models

Pima dataset (33% diabetes)



Framingham dataset (0.03% diabetes)

