

- ```
def mse(arr1, arr2):
 l = len(arr1)
 sum = 0
 for i in range(l):
 sum += (arr1[i] - arr2[i])**2
 sum = sum / l
 return sum
```

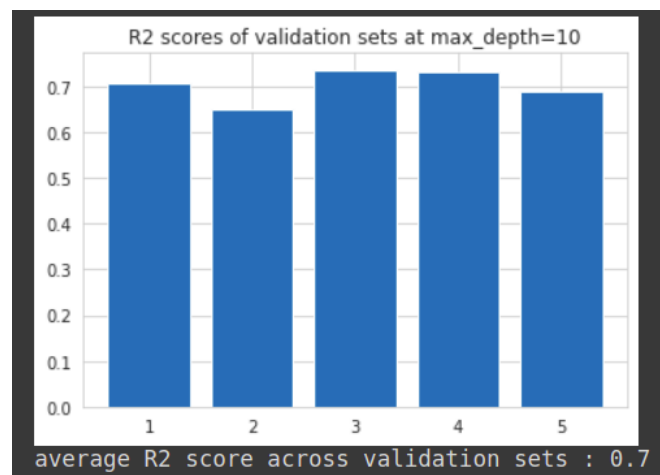
### SubTask 1:

- ### Subtask 2 and 3:

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- | max depth | mean R2 score from 5 fold val |
|-----------|-------------------------------|
| 2         | 0.49                          |
| 3         | 0.57                          |
| 4         | 0.62                          |
| 5         | 0.65                          |
| 6         | 0.67                          |
| 7         | 0.70                          |
| 8         | 0.71                          |
| 9         | 0.71                          |
| 10        | 0.70                          |
| 11        | 0.69                          |
| 12        | 0.68                          |
| 13        | 0.67                          |
| 14        | 0.66                          |
| 15        | 0.66                          |
| 16        | 0.65                          |
| 17        | 0.65                          |
| 18        | 0.64                          |
| 19        | 0.64                          |
| 20        | 0.64                          |
| 21        | 0.64                          |
| 22        | 0.64                          |
| 23        | 0.64                          |
| 24        | 0.63                          |
| 25        | 0.63                          |
| 26        | 0.63                          |
| 27        | 0.63                          |
| 28        | 0.64                          |
| 29        | 0.63                          |

- Clearly 9 and 10 are best contenders of max\_depth but less variance was reported for when max\_depth was equal to 10.
- Therefore, max depth=10 would be ideal choice.

- Results across validation sets has been visualized and summarized as above.



#### Subtask 4:

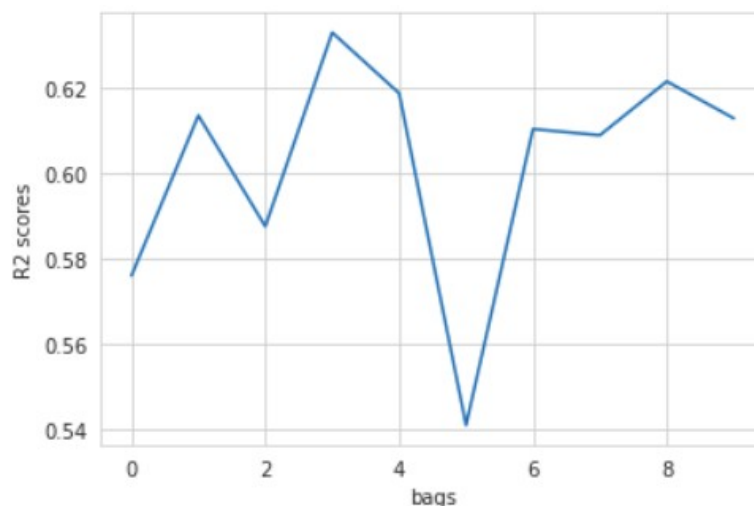
- Function to perform bagging was declared with default ratio=0.5 of original dataset.

```
def bag(X, y, count, ratio=0.5):
 l = len(y)
```

- Given the parameters, bag() returns a list consisting of count number of datasets, each of which is half the size of our original dataset.
- This function was then called as
  - bags= bag( X\_train\_set, y\_train\_set, 10)

#### Subtask 5 and 6:

- A decision tree regressor was then trained on these datasets.
- The R2 scores we got across them are follows:
  - [0.5760751154243102, 0.613609535061817, 0.5876067967115476, 0.6330449136537518, 0.6188192303380817, 0.5410437584026953, 0.6104321143966763, 0.6089858393537038, 0.6216001830988395, 0.6129454639056615]
- Average R2 score across these 10 datasets is: 0.602416

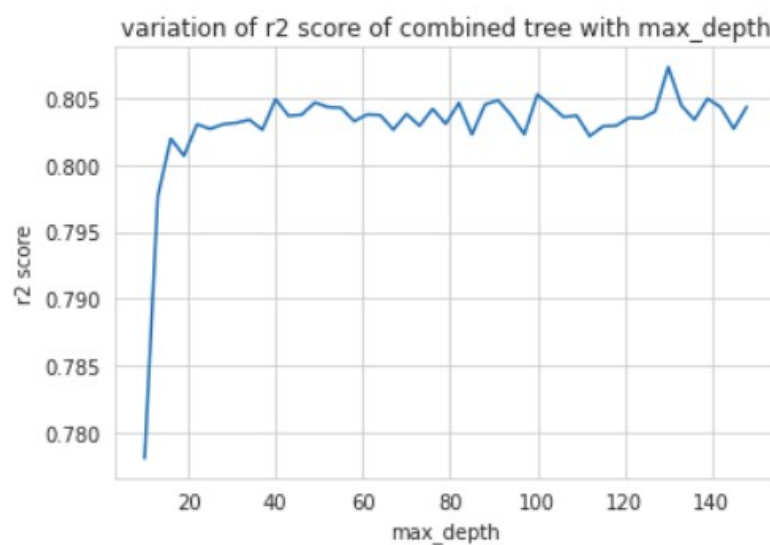


### Subtask 7:

- Next we combine the trees we got from 10 datasets.
- This was done as follows
  - The predictions were made using all the 10 trees.
  - The prediction for each instance was added across all the trees and then divided by 10 and stored as final predictions.
- The R2 score of combined tree is: 0.8043, which is better than any individual tree's R2 score.

### Subtask 8:

- The R2 score of the combined ensemble does not improve much on increasing the max\_depth.
- Rather, it fluctuates on increasing the max\_depth.
- On decreasing the max\_depth, R2 scores takes a dip on reducing the max\_depth below 24,



### Subtask 9:

- Next, RandomForestRegressor was trained and the result of the precision can be summarised as follows.

```
MSE from RandomForestRegressor : 2365355065.343219
MAE from RandomForestRegressor : 31604.338507462686
R2 from RandomForestRegressor : 0.8270329948576377
```

### Subtask 10:

- Next, AdaBoostRegressor was trained and the result of the precision can be summarised as follows.

```
MSE from AdaBoostRegressor : 7428371909.992746
MAE from AdaBoostRegressor : 72803.85299212305
R2 from AdaBoostRegressor : 0.45679899767240306
```

## Question 2

**Boosting:** - Boosting is an ensemble modeling technique which attempts to build a strong classifier from the number of weak classifiers. It is done by building a model using weak models in series. First, a model is built from the training data. Then the second model is built which tries to correct the errors present in the first model. This procedure is continued and models are added until either the complete training data set is predicted correctly or the maximum number of models are added.

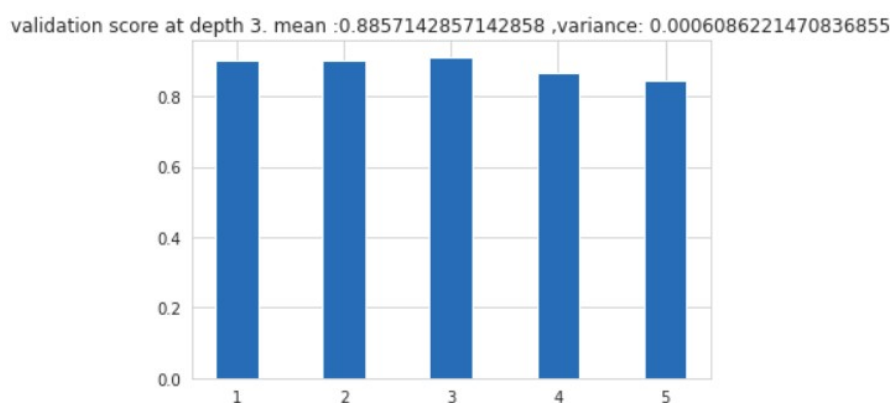
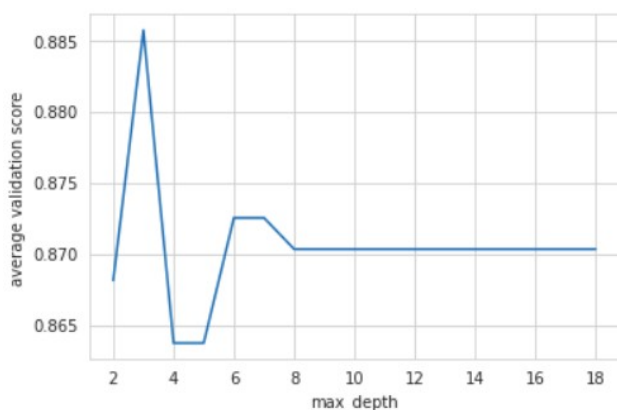
- Data was loaded and necessary pre-processing was done.
- Necessary data visualization was done to get insight of the data.
- Data was split in train-validation-test set in ratio 70:10:20.
- gini\_index and Decision Tree Classifier was initialized from scratch.
- Function to accuracy was built from scratch too.
- Cross validation function based on accuracy was also defined from scratch.

### Subtask 1:

- Our Decision Tree was then trained on training data and we got an accuracy of 0.9035 off our testing data.

### Subtask 2 and 3:

- Next, our DT was trained by varying max\_depth from 2 to 20 and average of cross validation scores was plotted to select best value of max\_depth.
- The result of above exercise can be visualized and summarized as following plot.



- The validation scores quickly reach a maxima at max\_depth=3 with steep fall on both sides.
- However when max\_depth increases, our validation scores stagnate and become constant indicating the limit of our model and that it is not learning anymore.

#### Subtask 4 and 5:

- XGBoost was implemented using sklearn with subsample=0.7 and max\_depth=4.
- Accuracy on training set and testing set can be summarize as follows:

```
accuracy of training data: 0.9874371859296482
accuracy of testing data: 0.9385964912280702
```

#### Subtask 6, 7 and 8:

- Next we implement LightGBM with max\_depth=3 and num\_leaves were varied.
- Model was fitted with training data and predictions were made.
- Results can be summarized as follows:

```
] model performance at depth 4 and num of leaves : 10
 precision recall f1-score support

 0 0.95 0.98 0.97 43
 1 0.99 0.97 0.98 71

 accuracy 0.97 114
 macro avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114
 weighted avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114

model performance at depth 4 and num of leaves : 15
 precision recall f1-score support

 0 0.95 0.98 0.97 43
 1 0.99 0.97 0.98 71

 accuracy 0.97 114
 macro avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114
 weighted avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114

model performance at depth 4 and num of leaves : 20
 precision recall f1-score support

 0 0.95 0.98 0.97 43
 1 0.99 0.97 0.98 71

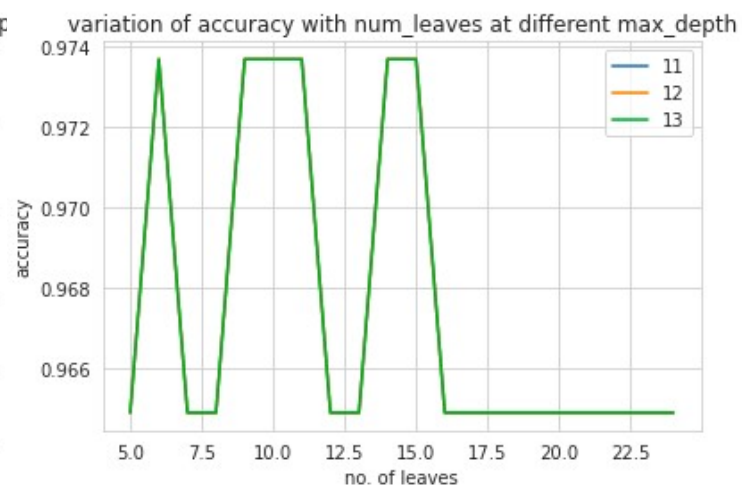
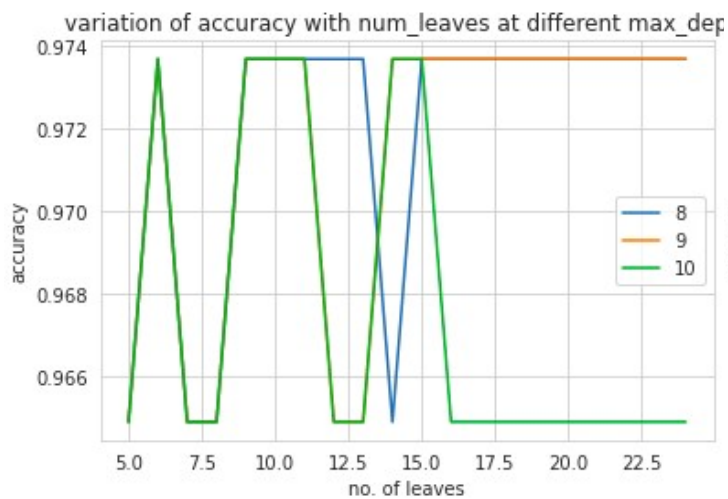
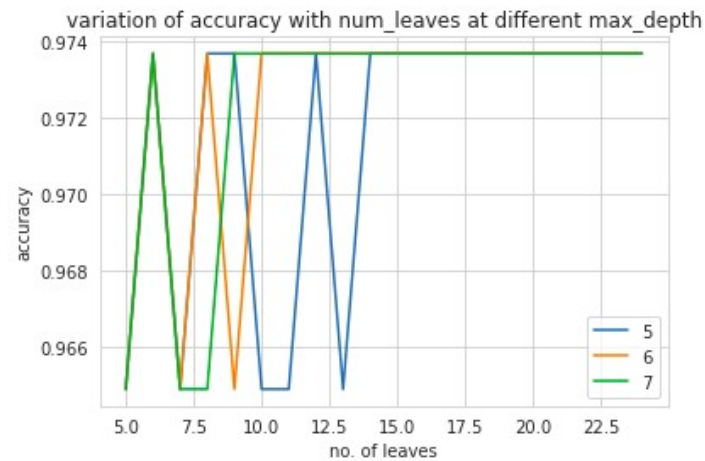
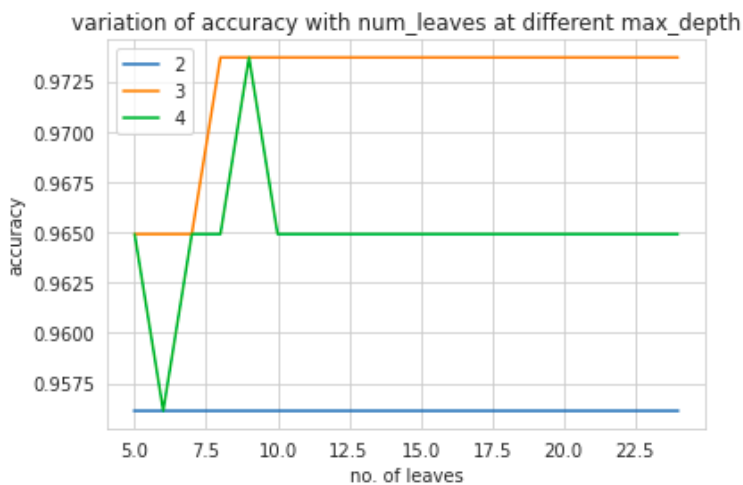
 accuracy 0.97 114
 macro avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114
 weighted avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114

model performance at depth 4 and num of leaves : 25
 precision recall f1-score support

 0 0.95 0.98 0.97 43
 1 0.99 0.97 0.98 71

 accuracy 0.97 114
 macro avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114
 weighted avg 0.97 0.97 0.97 114
```

- Next we analyze the relation between max\_depth and num\_leaves.
- Same can be visualized as:



- Analysis:
  - With enough number of leaves, accuracy stops fluctuating and our model stops learning any new feature, for a given max\_depth.
  - When max\_depth is low( less than 5), variation of accuracies with increase in num\_leaves is rather small and is consistent.
  - However, if max\_depth is high, our accuracies first increase, reach their maxima and then take a local maximum.
- From the above analysis, max\_depth hyperparameter is best for controlling and tweaking accuracy while,
- num\_leaves hyperparameter is more suited for controlling overfitting of our model.