

Classification Metrics



Week 05 - Day 02

Logistic Regression Summary

$$1 / (1 + e^{**-(b_0 + b_1 * x_1 + \dots + b_n * x_n)})$$

$f(\text{features}) = \text{probability}, [0,1]$

(using logistic function)

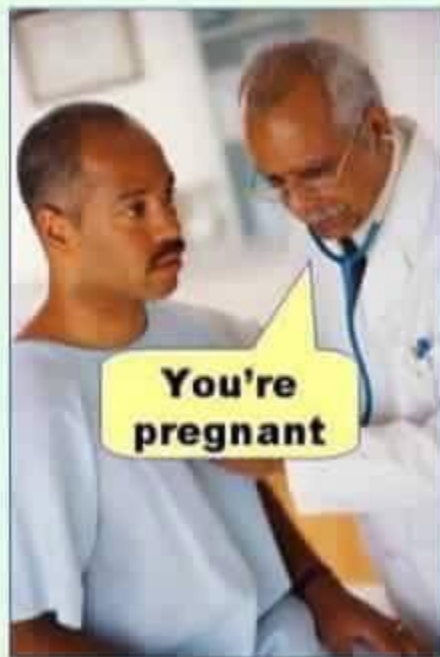
$g(\text{probability}) \rightarrow \{0,1\}$

(using cutoff, e.g 0.5)

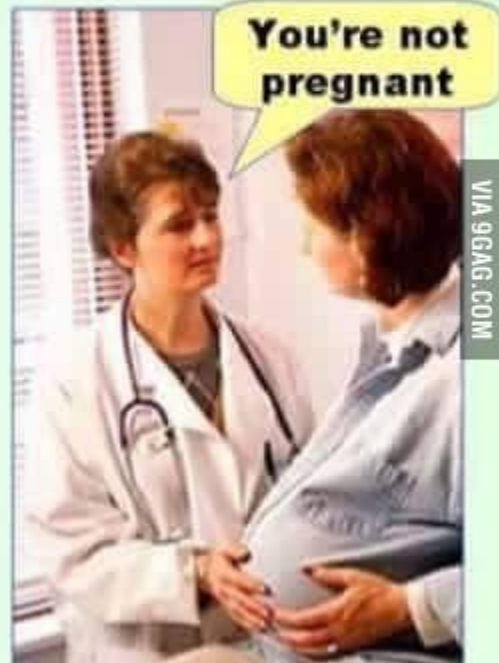
Confusion Matrix

Let's focus on binary classification

Type I error
(false positive)



Type II error
(false negative)



PREDICTED

Negative

Positive

Negative

40

10

Positive

5

45

REAL

	Negative	Positive
Negative	40	10
Positive	5	45

PREDICTED

Negative

Positive

Negative

TN

FP

Positive

FN

TP

REAL

	Negative	Positive
Negative	TN	FP
Positive	FN	TP

Cutoffs and Predictions

Different cutoffs → different predictions

P			
0.3			
0.45			
0.55			
0.65			
0.72			

P	Prediction w/cutoff 0.5		
0.3	negative		
0.45	negative		
0.55	positive		
0.65	positive		
0.72	positive		

P	Prediction w/cutoff 0.5	Prediction w/cutoff 0.4	
0.3	negative	negative	
0.45	negative	positive	
0.55	positive	positive	
0.65	positive	positive	
0.72	positive	positive	

P	Prediction w/cutoff 0.5	Prediction w/cutoff 0.4	Prediction w/cutoff 0.6
0.3	negative	negative	negative
0.45	negative	positive	negative
0.55	positive	positive	negative
0.65	positive	positive	positive
0.72	positive	positive	positive

Precision and Recall

Information Retrieval & Machine Learning

PREDICTED

REAL		Neg	Pos
	Neg	850	50
	Pos	10	990

Recall

% of positive real values I can “recall”

(i.e. correctly predict as positive)

Query + Corpus of documents

How many documents can I correctly
retrieve?

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

		PREDICTED	
		Neg	Pos
REAL	Neg	TN	FP
	Pos	FN	TP

Precision

How many positive test are
really positive?

Query + Corpus of documents

How many documents are really
“interesting”, out of the ones I’m showing?

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

		PREDICTED	
		Neg	Pos
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Recall and Precision are percentages

$([0, 1], [0\%, 100\%])$

**Is recall==100%
good?**

PREDICTED

Negative

Positive

Negative

0

100

Positive

0

100

REAL

	Negative	Positive
Negative	0	100
Positive	0	100

**Is precision==100%
good?**

PREDICTED

Negative

Positive

Negative

100

0

Positive

99

1

REAL

	Negative	Positive
Negative	100	0
Positive	99	1

Precision

vs.

Recall

Different cutoffs

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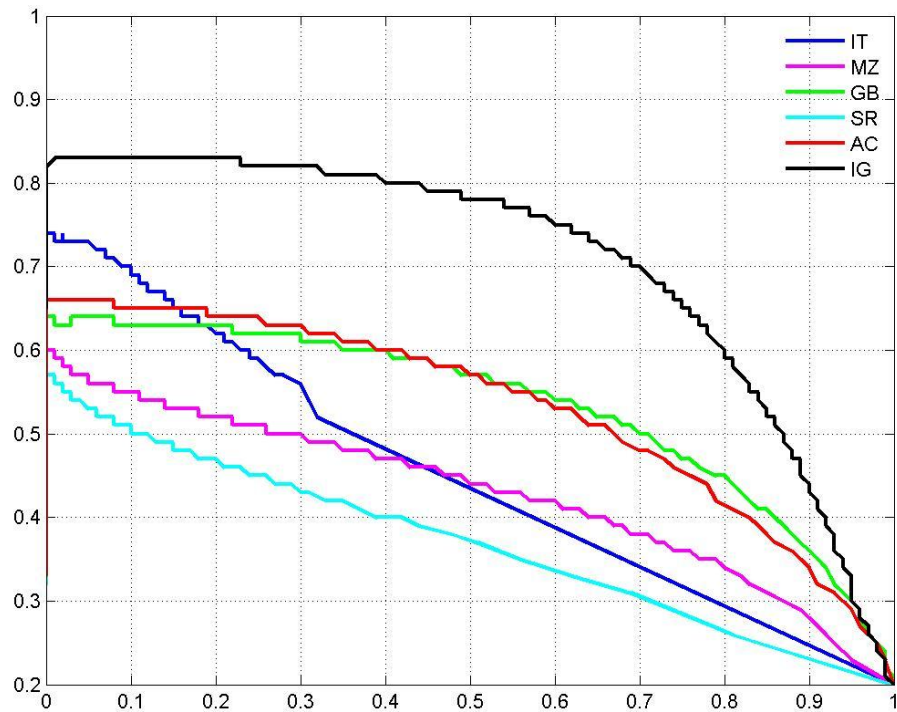
Different predictions

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Different precisions & recalls

Models comparison

precision



recall

Precision/Recall = Yin & Yang



Finding the “best” precision/recall

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Business decision

**Disease:
which one is
better?**

		PREDICTED	
		Neg	Pos
REAL	Neg	800	200
	Pos	200	800

		PREDICTED	
		Neg	Pos
REAL	Neg	998	2
	Pos	400	600

**Giving a loan:
which one is
better?**

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$$\text{F1-score} = 2 \cdot \frac{\text{precision} \cdot \text{recall}}{\text{precision} + \text{recall}}$$

Specificity and Sensitivity

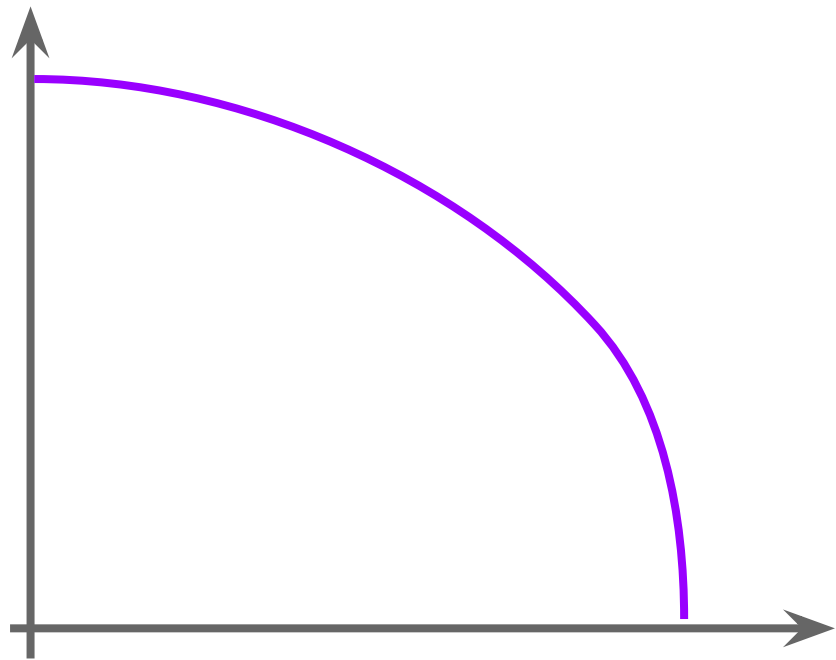
Used in Medicine

- Sensitivity
 - Recall!
 - True positive rate
 - $TP / REAL_POSITIVE$
- Specificity:
 - True negative rate
 - $TN / REAL_NEGATIVE$

$$\text{Specificity} = \text{TN} / (\text{TN} + \text{FP}) = \text{TN} / \text{REAL_NEGATIVE}$$

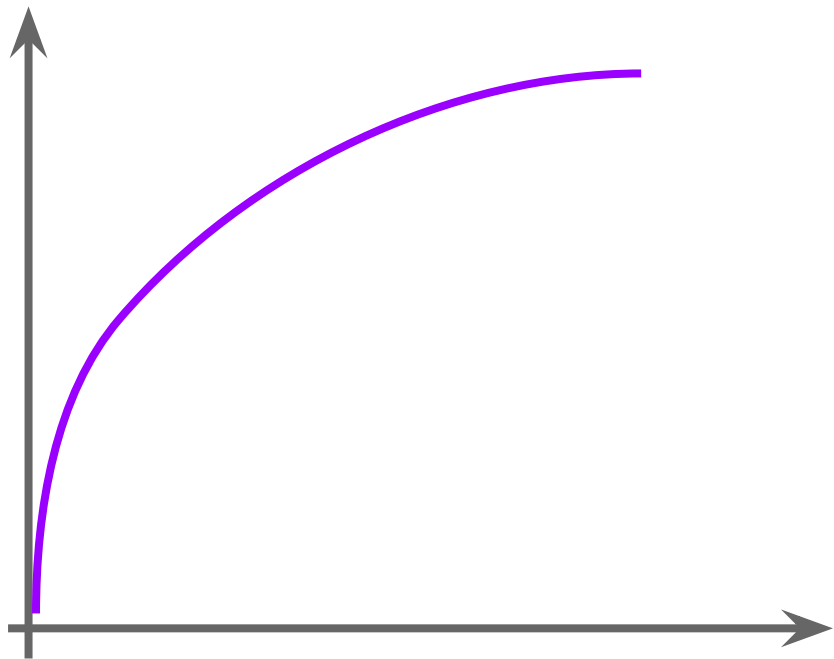
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Sensitivity = TPR



Specificity = TNR

Sensitivity = TPR



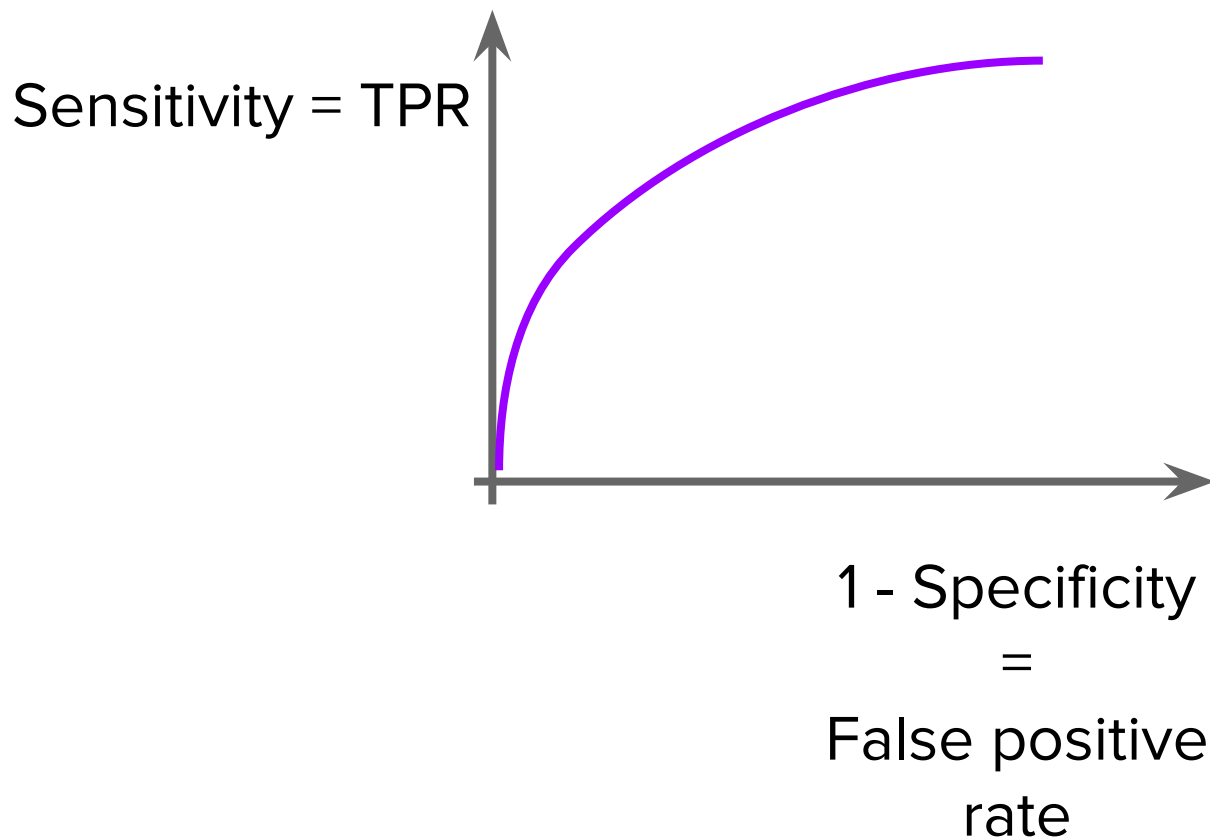
1 - Specificity

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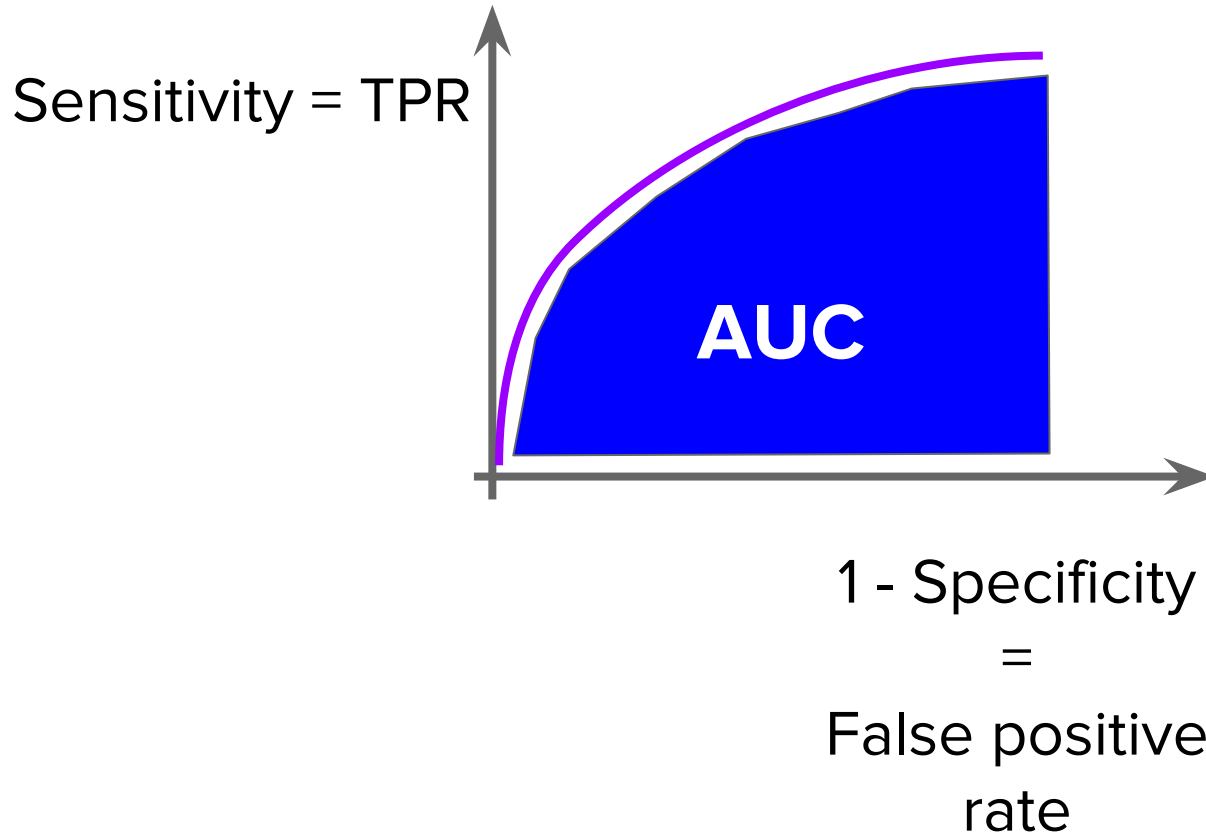
False positive rate

ROC and AUC

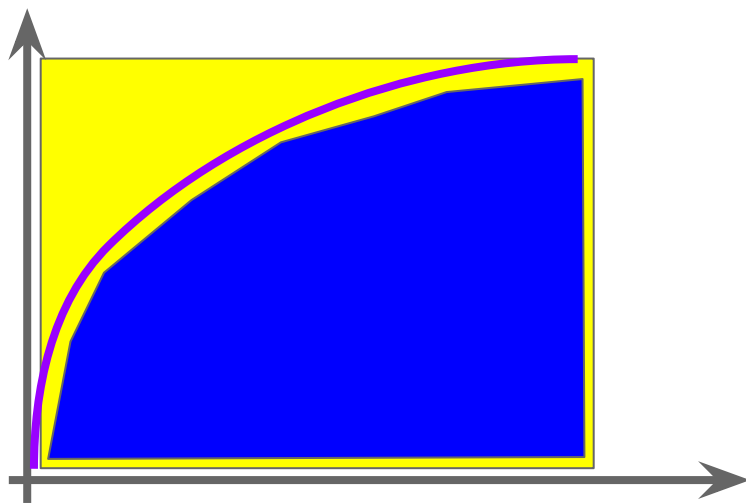
ROC CURVE

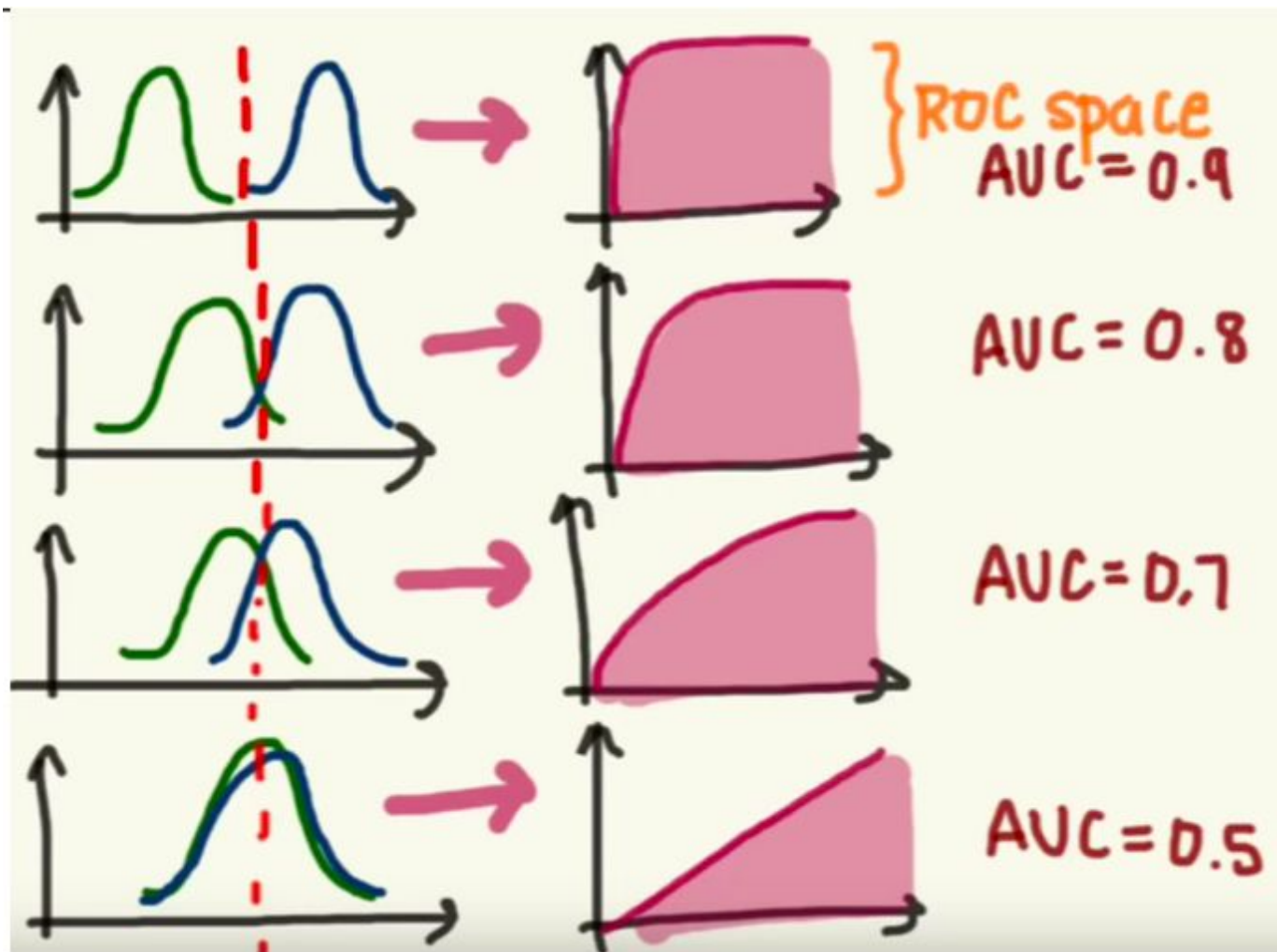


Area Under the (Roc) Curve = AUC



$$\text{AUC} = \text{AUC (blue)} / \text{ALL THE AREA (yellow)}$$





“Cutoff - agnostic” Metrics

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- Related to a single cutoff
 - Precision / recall
 - Specificity / sensitivity
- “Cutoff-Agnostic”:
 - AUC

AUC works even if your dataset is unbalanced!

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- AUC - cutoff-agnostic and good for unbalanced datasets