## ml-classification-group-11

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Classification prediction: This notebook aims to analyze a dataset from spotify one of the biggest data repository in terms of songs for the world's music industry. We are going to analyze with intention to predict the top genre that a song belongs to. There are several independent variables in the dataset and we will step by step explain how we approached our attempt and finally got to our prediction accuracy.

Reading our data

```
[1]: import pandas as pd
     import numpy as np
     import matplotlib
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     import seaborn as sns
     from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder
     from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
     from sklearn.model selection import train test split
     from sklearn.svm import SVC
     from sklearn.ensemble import StackingClassifier
     from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
     from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier, RandomForestClassifier
     from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
     from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
     from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
     dfc = pd.read_csv('CS98XClassificationTrain.csv', encoding='ISO-8859-1')
```

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[2]: import warnings
from sklearn.exceptions import UndefinedMetricWarning

warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=UserWarning)
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=RuntimeWarning)
warnings.simplefilter(action='ignore', category=pd.errors.PerformanceWarning)
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=UndefinedMetricWarning)
```

Preprocessing data: Dropping of columns and missing values - here we dropped two columns, the id and title column. We went on also to drop missing values since after several testing of different

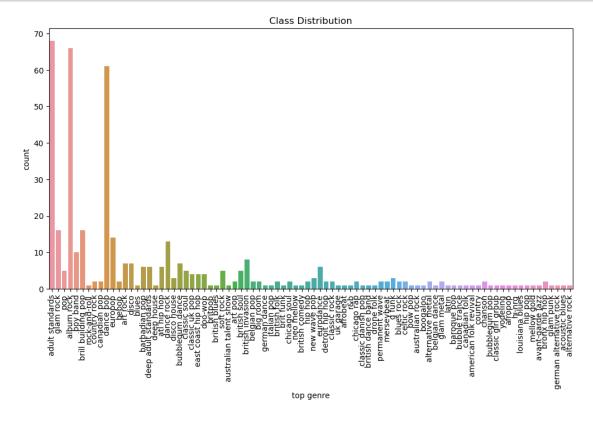
models, we realised they impact our model performance.

```
[3]: dfc = dfc.drop(dfc.columns[[0,1]], axis = 1)
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[4]: dfc = dfc.dropna()
dfc.reset_index(drop=True, inplace = True)
```

Visualising our data:

```
[5]: plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
    sns.countplot(x='top genre', data=dfc, dodge = True)
    plt.title('Class Distribution')
    plt.xticks(rotation=90)
    plt.show()
```



```
[6]: #Correlation matrix is performed to obtain an insight into correlation between_

features which will help us in feature selection

correlation_matrix = dfc.corr()

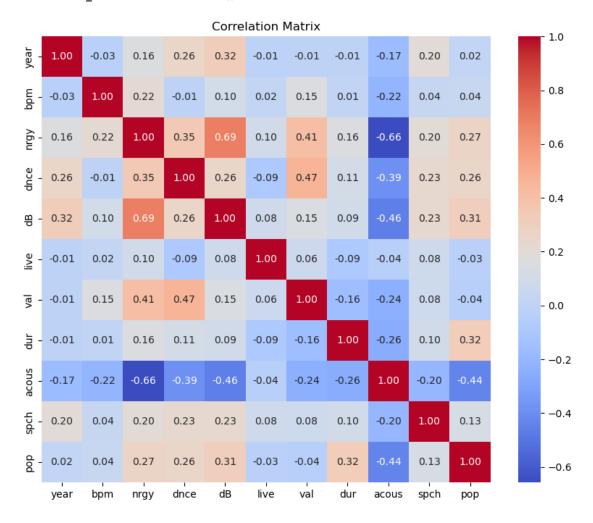
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))

sns.heatmap(correlation_matrix, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', fmt=".2f")

plt.title('Correlation Matrix')

plt.show()
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FutureWarning: The default value of numeric\_only in DataFrame.corr is
deprecated. In a future version, it will default to False. Select only valid
columns or specify the value of numeric\_only to silence this warning.
 correlation matrix = dfc.corr()



Preprocessing data: To prepare our data for our model, we transformed the 'artist' column from categorical variables to numerical variables using the one hot encoding method. In the course of preprocessing our data we tried to group the 'year' column into decade then transform into numerical variables by using label encoding but it didnt work as they was no significant impact to our model accuracy. We also tried to transform the 'title' column from categorical variables to numerical variables but we found out it had no impact on our accuracy that is why we dropped it in preprocessing.

```
[7]: onehot_encoder = OneHotEncoder(sparse=False)

artist_onehot_encoded = onehot_encoder.fit_transform(dfc[['artist']])
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artist_onehot_encoded_df = pd.DataFrame(artist_onehot_encoded, □ ⇔columns=onehot_encoder.get_feature_names_out(['artist']))
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renamed to `sparse\_output` in version 1.2 and will be removed in 1.4.
`sparse\_output` is ignored unless you leave `sparse` to its default value.
 warnings.warn(

```
[8]: dfc = dfc.join(artist_onehot_encoded_df, lsuffix='_original', rsuffix='_onehot')
dfc = dfc.drop('artist', axis = 1)
```

Preprocessing: Scaling of features (independent numerical variables) is performed inorder to standardize our variables, this is done to ensure the larger scale of certain variable does not prevail over the other features and hence a balance to the machine learning.

```
[9]: numeric_features = ['year', 'bpm', 'nrgy', 'dnce', 'dB', 'live', 'val', 'dur', 

→'acous', 'spch']

scaler = StandardScaler()

dfc[numeric_features] = scaler.fit_transform(dfc[numeric_features])
```

Machine learning. The aim being predicting the top genre of a song from the dataset provided. Here we go on to split our dataset into independent variable and the dependent (target variable). We further go on to split into training and test set for both of the variables in order to prepare for modelling to various techniques.

```
[10]: X = dfc.drop('top genre', axis=1)
y = dfc['top genre']

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, userandom_state=42)
```

Modelling. Implementation of a stacked ensemble model, involves combining of multiple base learners (Geron A.,2022). The combination of multiple base learners was done, by using logistic regression as the base learner. This was done with aim of improving performance by aggregating the strengths of different models. In trials to obtain accuracy score for the preprocessed data, we attempted the independent use of random forest, support vector machine and gradient boosting which resulted to accuracy score of 0.1818, 0.31 and 0.21 respectively.

Accuracy score for stacked ensemble model is 0.50

```
[11]: base_learners = [
    ('svm', SVC(probability=True, kernel='linear', C=1.0, random_state=42)),
    ('gb', GradientBoostingClassifier(n_estimators=100, learning_rate=0.05,
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□random_state=42)),
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('rf', RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=100, max_depth=5, u)
arandom_state=42))
]

final_estimator = LogisticRegression(random_state=42)

stacked_model = StackingClassifier(estimators=base_learners, u)
afinal_estimator=final_estimator, cv=5)

stacked_model.fit(X_train, y_train)

y_pred = stacked_model.predict(X_test)

accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
print(f'Accuracy of the stacked model: {accuracy:.4f}')
```

Accuracy of the stacked model: 0.5000

Hereby we go on to use our model to predict the test set. We read the test set data and go on to iterate what we previously did in the training model.

```
[12]: test_df = pd.read_csv('CS98XClassificationTest.csv')
df_test_copy = test_df
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```
[13]: test_df = test_df.drop(test_df.columns[[0,1]], axis = 1)
test_df = test_df.dropna()
test_df.reset_index(drop=True, inplace = True)
```

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[16]: numeric_features = ['year', 'bpm', 'nrgy', 'dnce', 'dB', 'live', 'val', 'dur', \
\[ \times' \tag{acous}', 'spch']
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scaler = StandardScaler()
      test_df[numeric_features] = scaler.fit_transform(test_df[numeric_features])
[17]: for column in X.columns:
          if column not in test_df.columns:
              test_df[column] = 0
      for column in test_df.columns:
          if column not in X.columns:
              test_df.drop(column, axis=1, inplace=True)
      test_df = test_df[X.columns]
[18]: stacked_model.fit(X,y)
      result = stacked model.predict(test df)
      result
[18]: array(['dance pop', 'glam rock', 'glam rock', 'dance pop',
             'adult standards', 'dance pop', 'adult standards',
             'adult standards', 'dance pop', 'album rock', 'adult standards',
             'barbadian pop', 'adult standards', 'adult standards', 'dance pop',
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             'album rock', 'album rock', 'album rock', 'adult standards',
             'dance pop', 'dance pop', 'album rock', 'album rock'],
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[19]: df_test_copy['top genre']=result
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[20]: predictions_df = df_test_copy[['Id','top genre']]
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predictions\_df.to\_csv('classification\_predictions.csv', index=False)

Summary Kaggle Inclass competition: In kaggle we obtained a score of 0.50 for the classification problem. After several attempts we were able to improve the score to 0.50. In the course of applying a range of techniques to obtain a suitable model for our dataset, aiming to predict the top genre of a song from various independent variables. What worked was the use of a stacked ensemble model combining strengths of various models and scaling of features proved key to standardize independent variables. Some columns were transformed from categorical to numerical variables for purposes of modeling. What did not work was transforming the 'title' column into numerical variables to improve performance of the model and transforming the 'year' column into decades and label encoding the year ranges.