Random Forest Method II

Learn How Ensemble Learning Can be Used for Predictive Modeling

Contents

- 1. Bank Loan Case Study
- 2. Random Forest in Python
- 3. OOB error rates
- 4. Variable Importance Plot

Case Study – Predicting Loan Defaulters

Background

 The bank possesses demographic and transactional data of its loan customers. If the bank has a robust model to predict defaulters it can undertake better resource allocation.

Objective

• To predict whether the customer applying for the loan will be a defaulter

Available Information

- · Sample size is 700
- Age group, Years at current address, Years at current employer, Debt to Income Ratio, Credit Card Debts, Other Debts are the independent variables
- **Defaulter** (=1 if defaulter, 0 otherwise) is the dependent variable

Data Snapshot

BANK LOAN

Variables

Variable

Variable

SN AGE EMPLOY ADDRESS DEBTINC CREDDEBT OTHDEBT DEFAULTER											
Column	Description	Type	Measurement	Possible Values							
SN	Serial Number	Integer	-	-							
AGE	Age Groups	Integer	1(<28 years), 2(28-40 years), 3(>40 years)	3							
EMPLOY	Number of years customer working at current employer	Integer	-	Positive value							
ADDRESS	Number of years customer staying at current address	Integer	-	Positive value							
DEBTINC	Debt to Income Ratio	Continuous	-	Positive value							
CREDDEBT	Credit to Debit Ratio	Continuous	-	Positive value							
OTHDEBT	Other Debt	Continuous	-	Positive value							
DEFAULTER	Whether customer defaulted on loan	Integer	1(Defaulter), 0(Non- Defaulter)	2							

4

Random Forest in Python

Import required Libraries

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix,precision_score,
recall_score, accuracy_score,roc_curve, roc_auc_score
```

Importing and Readying the Data

```
bankloan = pd.read_csv("BANK LOAN.csv")
bankloan1 = bankloan.drop(['SN'], axis = 1)
```

Random Forest in Python

Importing and Readying the Data

bankloan1['AGE'] = bankloan1['AGE'].astype('category')
bankloan1.dtypes

Output:

AGE	category
EMPLOY	int64
ADDRESS	int64
DEBTINC	float64
CREDDEBT	float64
OTHDEBT	float64

Since it's a classification problem, dependent variable is assigned classes by converting to categorical using as.type('category').

bankloan2 = pd.get_dummies(bankloan1)←
bankloan2.head()

int64

create dummies using pd.get_dummies to convert categorical variable into dummy/indicator variables.

Output:

DEFAULTER

	EMPLOY	ADDRESS	DEBTINC	CREDDEBT	OTHDEBT	DEFAULTER	AGE_1	AGE_2	AGE_3
0	17	12	9.3	11.36	5.01	1	0	0	1
1	10	6	17.3	1.36	4.00	0	1	0	0
2	15	14	5.5	0.86	2.17	0	0	1	0
3	15	14	2.9	2.66	0.82	0	0	0	1
4	2	0	17.3	1.79	3.06	1	1	0	0

Random Forest in Python

Creating Train and Test Data Sets

```
X = bankloan2.loc[:,bankloan2.columns != 'DEFAULTER']
y = bankloan2.loc[:, 'DEFAULTER']
X train, X test, y train, y test = train_test_split(X, y,
test size=0.30, random state = 999)
# Build Random Forest model
rf = RandomForestClassifier(random_state=999, n_estimators=100,
oob score=True, ↑max features='sqrt')
rf.fit(X train, y train)
   RandomForestClassifier() performs Random Forest Algorithm
   random state= sets the seed for random sampling
   n estimators= defines the number of trees in the forest.
   oob score= defines whether to use out-of-bag samples to estimate the generalization accuracy.
  max features = defines the number of features to consider when looking for the best split: If
   "auto", then max features=sqrt(n features). If "sqrt", then max features=sqrt(n features) (same
   as "auto"). If "log2", then max features=log2(n features). If None, then
   max features=n features.
```

Random Forest in Python – Prediction

Calculating Predictions for the model

```
y_pred = rf.predict(X_test)
y_pred_probs = rf.predict_proba(X_test)

cutoff = 0.3
pred_test = np.where(y_pred_probs[:,1] > cutoff, 1, 0)
pred_test
```

Output

Random Forest in Python – Confusion Matrix

Confusion Matrix

```
confusion matrix(y test, pred test, labels=[0, 1])
                                      accuracy score() = number of correct
array([[127, 30],
                                       predictions out of total predictions
       [ 17, 36]], dtype=int64)
                                       precision score() = true positives / (true
accuracy_score(y test, pred test)
0.7761904761904762
                                       positives + false positives)
                                       recall score() also known as
precision_score(y test, pred test)
0.5454545454545454
                                       'Sensitivity' = true positives / (true
recall score(y test, pred test)
                                       positives + false negatives)
0.6792452830188679
```

Area Under ROC Curve

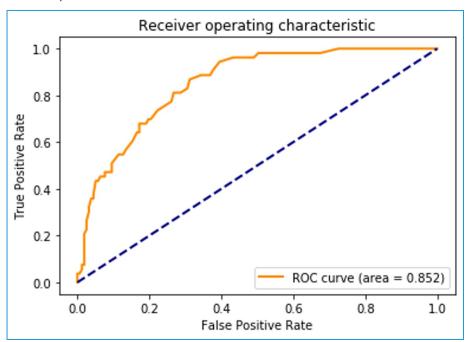
```
auc = roc_auc_score(y_test, y_pred_probs[:,1])
print('AUC: %.3f' % auc)
AUC: 0.852
```

Random Forest in Python – ROC Curve

```
oob_score_ gives out of bag accuracy
# OOB Score
                   feature_importances_ gives the feature
rf.oob score
0.753061224489796
                      importances
rf.feature_importances_
array([0.18827389, 0.14472019, 0.23581877, 0.20153387, 0.18166248,
       0.0233408 , 0.01439653 , 0.01025348])
# ROC Curve
RFfpr, RFtpr, thresholds = roc_curve(y test, y pred probs[:,1])
# plot the roc curve for the model
plt.figure()
1w = 2
plt.plot(RFfpr, RFtpr, color='darkorange', lw=lw, label='ROC curve
(area = \%0.3f)' \% auc)
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], color='navy', lw=lw, linestyle='--')
plt.axis('tight')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate');plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.title('Receiver operating characteristic')
plt.legend(loc="lower right")
plt.show()
```

Random Forest in Python – ROC Curve

Output:



Random Forest in Python – Variable Importance

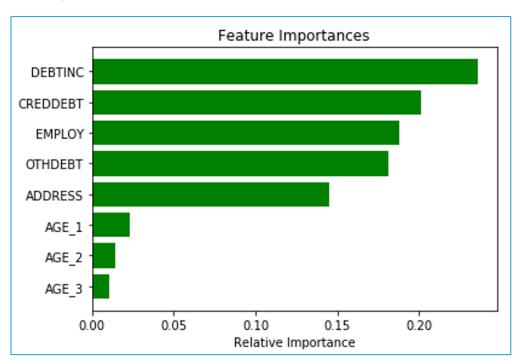
Importance Matrix

```
features = list(X.columns)
importances = rf.feature_importances_
indices = np.argsort(importances)

plt.title('Feature Importances')
plt.barh(range(len(indices)), importances[indices], color='g',
align='center')
plt.yticks(range(len(indices)), [features[i] for i in indices])
plt.xlabel('Relative Importance')
plt.show();
```

Random Forest in Python – Variable Importance

Output



Quick Recap

Bootstrapping

 Method for estimating the sampling distribution of an estimator by resampling with replacement from the original sample

Bagging

- "Bagging" stands for "Bootstrap Aggregating"
- It is an ensemble method: a method of combining results from multiple resamples

Random Forest Method

- Its an ensemble classifier that consists of many decision trees and outputs the class that is the mode of the class's output by individual trees
- Random forests also work for regression problems
- The method combines Breiman's "Bagging" idea and the random selection of features

Random Forest in Python

- RandomForestClassifier() in library "sklearn" runs random forest analysis
- The output can even generate variable importance and can be used for predictions.