

BikeShare_PredMod_BluePrint

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General Instructions

Around 15-20 slides outlining a blueprint for attacking future predictive modeling challenges. This should be based on your experiences with the first two challenges, but you can also draw on advice from our textbooks, online advice on machine learning, etc., to come up with steps you plan to take and things you plan to look for the next time you need to build a predictive model. You should cover the full process, from first getting the data through to picking a top model. Some of the steps you likely want to cover include initial exploratory data analysis, picking a metric (like RMSLE) to use to assess models, checking for and handling datasets that aren't straightforward (e.g., have missing data, have more predictors than observations, have heavy class imbalance, are very large or very small, ...), trying out different types of models and tuning models, engineering and selecting predictive variables, and choosing and running a final model. You should also include some guidelines about how to efficiently work as a team when working on a predictive modeling challenge.

Predictive Modeling Approach: Overview

Define the Problem
Understand the Data

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Model Complexity Constraints - Offline vs “Instantaneous”
Implementation * Speed * Computation Time

Model Accuracy and Precision Requirements - “Exact” vs
“Rough” Predictions

Understand the Data

Data Types - Continuous vs Classification Data **Missing values** -

Find * VIM: aggr function - Handle * Removal * Imputation * Set as unique classification * No change

Github Collaboration

- + Chose a team leader.
- + Team leader creates a local folder with a descriptive name for the project.
- + Team leader creates a local RProject with the same name as the folder.
- + Team leader creates a Github repository with the same name as the RProject (Don't initialize with README)
- + Push an existing repository from RStudio Shell.

```
git remote add origin https://github.com/cwq9999/Example  
git push -u origin master
```

- + Add team memebers as collaborators.
 - As colloaborators can use Pull/Push buttons under the (no need to fork the repo or request pull requests etc.

Slide with image

Require vs Library

Relative vs Absolute Pathnames

Slide with R Output

```
summary(cars)
```

##	speed	dist
##	Min. : 4.0	Min. : 2.00
##	1st Qu.:12.0	1st Qu.: 26.00
##	Median :15.0	Median : 36.00
##	Mean :15.4	Mean : 42.98
##	3rd Qu.:19.0	3rd Qu.: 56.00
##	Max. :25.0	Max. :120.00

Slide with Plot

