

# Day 10 - K Nearest Neighbors and Evaluating Classification Models

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## Administrative

- **Homework 3** will be assigned Friday 10/9 and due Friday 10/23
- **Midterm** will be given Thursday 10/29 in class
- Please complete this MidSemester survey: [www.egr.msu.edu/mid-semester-evaluation](http://www.egr.msu.edu/mid-semester-evaluation) (<https://www.egr.msu.edu/mid-semester-evaluation>)

# From Pre-Class Assignment

## Useful Stuff

- Videos were useful, but they were a little long
- I have a better idea of how we are evaluating classification models

## Challenging bits

- There's so much terminology, do I have to remember it all?
- I'm still confused about the ROC and what it is doing.
- How is KNN a binary classifier?

# The Confusion Matrix

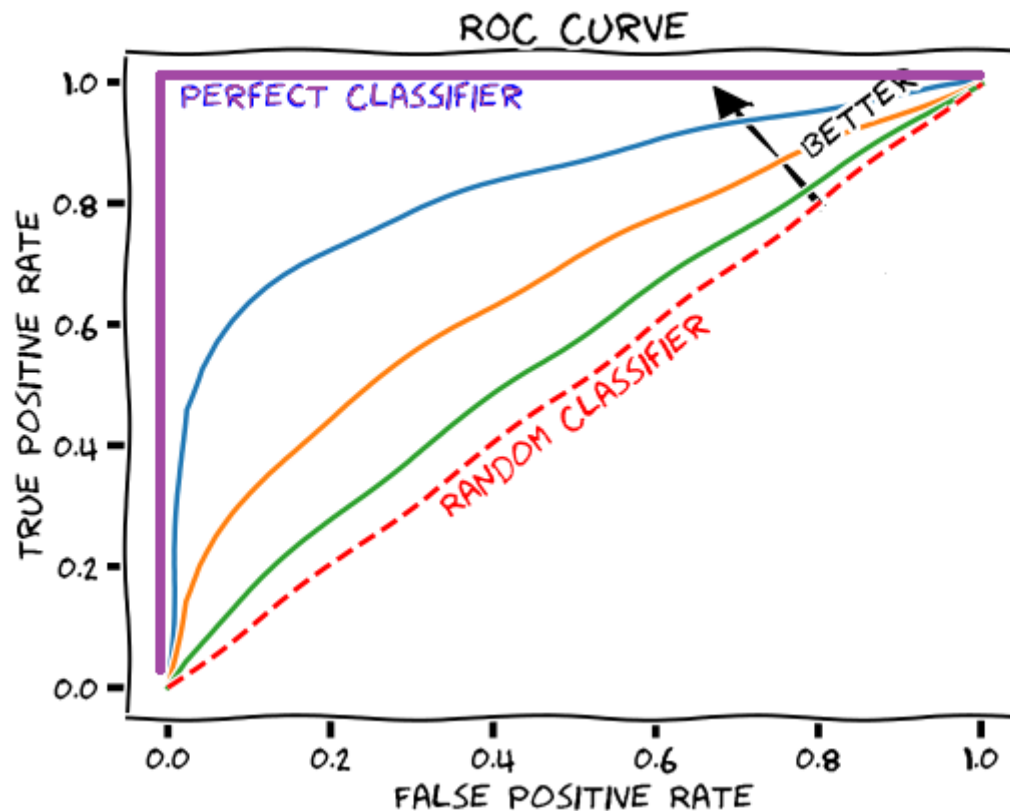
		True Class	
		Positive	Negative
Predicted Class	Positive	TP	FP
	Negative	FN	TN

```
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix  
confusion_matrix(y_true, y_predicted)
```

## Other Metrics

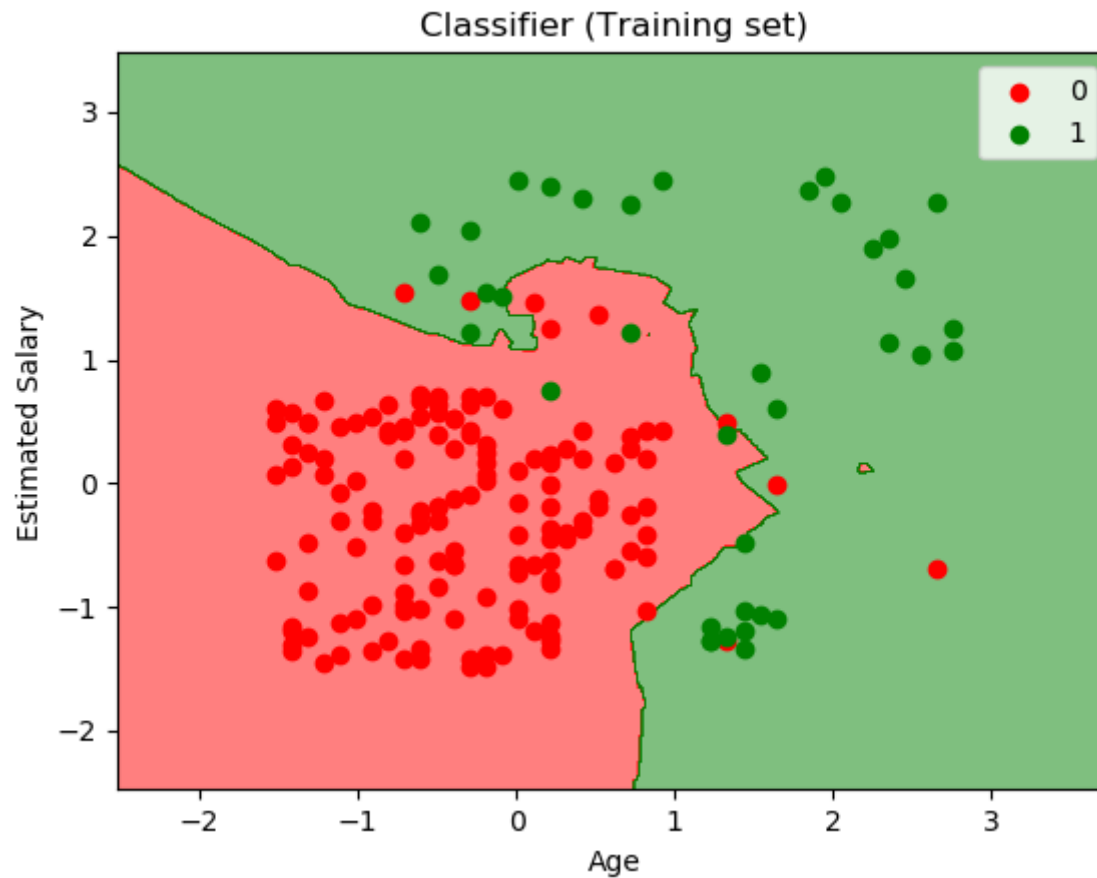
- Sensitivity (Recall): The ratio of True Positives to all True Cases  $\frac{TP}{TP + FN}$
- Specificity: The ratio of True Negatives to all True Cases  $\frac{TN}{TN + FP}$
- Precision: The ratio of True Positives to all Predicted Positives:  $\frac{TP}{TP + FP}$
- $F_1$  Score: A balanced measure (0 to 1) that includes sensitivity and recall:  
$$\frac{2TP}{2TP + FP + FN}$$

# ROC Curve and AUC



```
from sklearn import metrics
fpr, tpr, thresholds = metrics.roc_curve(y_true, y_predict)
roc_auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
plt.plot(fpr, tpr)
```

# KNN as a Binary Classifier



## A Heads Up for Today

Working with Pima Diabetes Database, which has problems (zeros for various entries). We have given you a cleaned data set on D2L (you will need to download it again!).

**You can skip 2.1 and 2.2 today and go to 2.3; we will discuss how to clean that data after class.**



**Questions, Comments, Concerns?**