

Midterm Report-David Fasipe

My main contribution to our machine learning project was writing the code that processed and prepared the heart disease dataset for analysis. In writing the code for our project, I followed key data processing guidelines to ensure the dataset was clean, consistent, and ready for analysis. I began with feature engineering to create new variables that added more meaning to the data. Then, I applied one-hot encoding to convert categorical features into numerical form for better model performance. To handle missing information, I used the filling of NaN and NULL values with appropriate replacements. Afterward, I performed scaling to adjust the range of numerical data and normalization to make the data distribution more uniform. Finally, I applied encoding to label categorical data, ensuring that all features were properly prepared for machine learning algorithms. I also made sure the code was efficient, organized, and properly documented so other team members could easily understand and build on it. Additionally, I managed the project's GitHub repository, ensuring all files were up to date and our work stayed consistent across the team.