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#### INTRODUCTION

Stroke is a medical emergency that occurs when the blood supply to a part of the brain is disrupted, either by a blockage or bleeding. This disruption can cause brain cells to die, leading to serious complications such as paralysis, cognitive impairment, and even death.

Due to the severity of stroke and its impact on individuals and society, predicting the likelihood of a stroke can be of great importance. Identifying individuals who are at high risk of stroke can help prevent the occurrence of stroke by implementing lifestyle changes, medication, and other interventions.

Several risk factors have been identified as contributing to the development of stroke, including high blood pressure, smoking, diabetes, and obesity. By analyzing these risk factors, along with other factors such as age, gender, and family history, healthcare professionals can predict an individual's risk of stroke and develop a personalized prevention plan.

There are also various machine learning algorithms and models that can be used to predict stroke risk by analyzing data from electronic health records, medical imaging, and other sources. These models can aid healthcare providers in making more accurate and efficient decisions, ultimately leading to better stroke prevention and management.

#### **OBJECTIVE**

The objective of stroke prediction is to identify individuals who are at risk of having a stroke in the future. A stroke occurs when the blood supply to a part of the brain is interrupted, resulting in damage to brain tissue. Strokes can lead to serious disabilities, including paralysis, speech difficulties, and cognitive impairment. In some cases, strokes can be fatal.

To predict the likelihood of a stroke, healthcare professionals may use a variety of risk factors, such as age, sex, family history, medical history, lifestyle factors, and biomarkers. These risk factors are used to calculate an individual's risk score, which can be used to guide clinical decision-making and interventions.

Ultimately, the goal of stroke prediction is to identify individuals who are at high risk of stroke and implement interventions to prevent strokes from occurring. This may include lifestyle modifications, such as improving diet and exercise habits, as well as medical interventions, such as medication or surgery. By identifying and managing stroke risk factors, healthcare professionals can reduce the incidence of stroke and improve overall health outcomes.

## **DATASET**

This dataset is used to predict whether a patient is likely to get stroke based on the input parameters like gender, age, various diseases, and smoking status. Each row in the data provides relavant information about the patient.

RangeIndex: 5110 entries, 0 to 5109

Data columns (total 11 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count Dtype
0	gender	5110 non-null object
1	age	5110 non-null float64
2	hypertension	5110 non-null int64
3	heart_disease	5110 non-null int64
4	ever_married	5110 non-null object
5	work_type	5110 non-null object
6	Residence_type	5110 non-null object
7	avg_glucose_level	5110 non-null float64
8	bmi	4909 non-null float64
9	smoking_status	5110 non-null object
10	stroke	5110 non-null int64

Number of Columns = 11

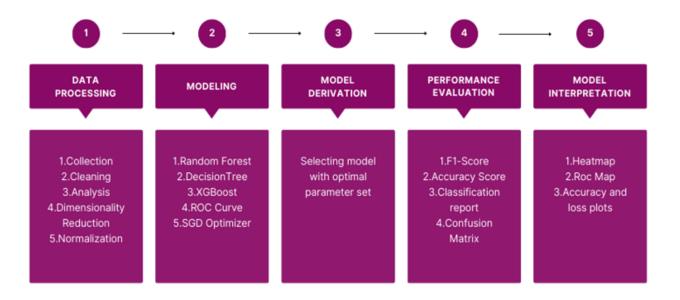
dtypes: float64(3), int64(3), object(5)

Number of Rows = 5110

#### **Attribute Information:**

- 1) id: unique identifier
- 2) gender: "Male", "Female" or "Other"
- 3) age: age of the patient
- 4) hypertension: 0 if the patient doesn't have hypertension, 1 if the patient has hypertension
- 5) heart\_disease: 0 if the patient doesn't have any heart diseases, 1 if the patient has a heart disease
- 6) ever\_married: "No" or "Yes"
- 7) work\_type: "children", "Govt\_jov", "Never\_worked", "Private" or "Self-employed"
- 8) Residence\_type: "Rural" or "Urban"
- 9) avg\_glucose\_level: average glucose level in blood
- 10) bmi: body mass index
- 11) smoking\_status: "formerly smoked", "never smoked", "smokes" or "Unknown"\*
- 12) stroke: 1 if the patient had a stroke or 0 if not
- \*Note: "Unknown" in smoking\_status means that the information is unavailable for this patient

# CHAPTER 4 METHODOLOGY



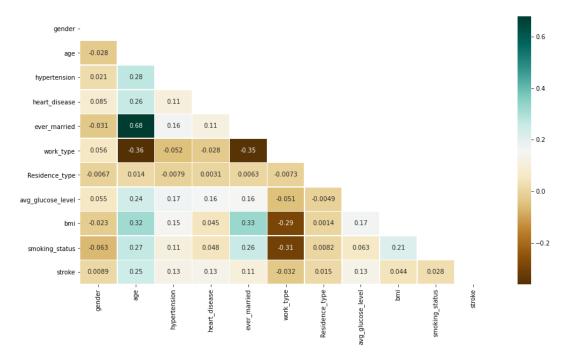
- Data preprocessing refers to the process of preparing and cleaning raw data to make it usable for analysis. It involves various techniques such as removing duplicates, handling missing values, scaling, normalization, and transforming data into a suitable format for analysis. The goal of data preprocessing is to improve data quality, eliminate inconsistencies, and ensure that the data is suitable for the analysis task at hand.
- The model is then used to make predictions or decisions about new data. This process
  typically involves selecting an appropriate algorithm, tuning its parameters, and
  evaluating its performance on a training dataset before testing it on a separate validation
  or test dataset.
- We use Performance evaluation for assessing how well a model is able to make accurate predictions on new, unseen data. The goal is to determine the model's effectiveness and identify areas where it may need improvement.

## **CODE AND RESULT**

```
#Importing Libraries:
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix, accuracy_score
from tensorflow.keras.callbacks import EarlyStopping
early_stop = EarlyStopping(monitor='val_loss', patience=10)
#Loading the dataset:
df = pd.read_csv('stroke.csv') df=df.iloc[:,1:]
#Exploratory Data Analysis:
df = df.fillna(method='ffill')
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
columns=["gender","ever_married","work_type","Residence_type","smoking_status"]
le= LabelEncoder()
for col in df.columns:
  if col in columns:
    df[col]=le.fit_transform(df[col])
x=df.drop('stroke',axis=1) y=df['stroke']
#Correlation Plot
corr = df.corr()
plt.figure(figsize=(15,8))
```

mask = np.triu(np.ones\_like(corr, dtype=bool))

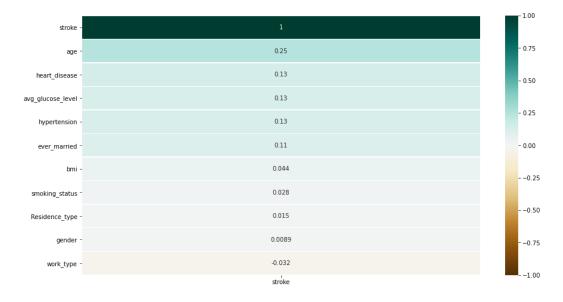
sns.heatmap(corr,mask=mask,cmap='BrBG',annot=True,linewidth=.5,square=False)



#### #Correlation of all columns with respect to class

plt.figure(figsize=(15,8))

sns.heatmap(df.corr()[['stroke']].sort\_values(by='stroke', ascending=False),cmap='BrBG', vmin=1, vmax=1, center=0, annot=True,linewidth=.5,square=False)



```
#Training and testing the data
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```
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(x, y, test_size=0.20, random_state=42,
stratify=y)
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
pca = PCA()
x_train = pca.fit_transform(X_train)
x_{test} = pca.transform(X_{test})
explained variance = pca.explained variance ratio
explained_variance
o/p: array([7.94969336e-01, 1.83062520e-01, 2.09152286e-02, 4.72189324e-04,
    3.02612027e-04, 9.52872077e-05, 9.17105617e-05, 4.36928891e-05,
    3.00907849e-05, 1.73327338e-05])
#Decision Tree
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
dtc = DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42, max_depth=7)
dtc = dtc.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_pred_dtc = dtc.predict(X_test)
from sklearn.metrics import *
dtc_acc = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_dtc)
dtc_acc
o/p: 0.9393346379647749
print(classification report(y test, y pred dtc))
o/p:
precision recall f1-score support
      0
                   0.99
                                   972
           0.95
                           0.97
      1
           0.07
                   0.02
                           0.03
                                    50
  accuracy
                          0.94
                                  1022
 macro avg
               0.51
                       0.50
                               0.50
                                       1022
weighted avg
                0.91
                        0.94
                                0.92
                                        1022
```

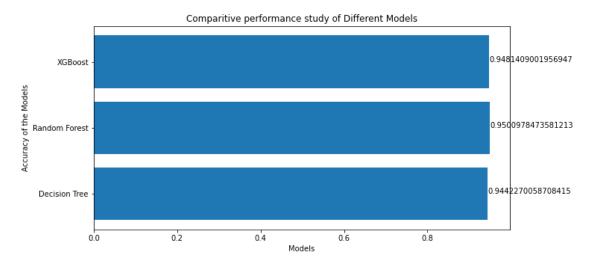
```
print(confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_dtc))
o/p:[[959 13]
     [49 1]]
f1_dtc = f1_score(y_test, y_pred_dtc)
print("F1-Score: ", f1_dtc)
o/p: F1-Score: 0.03125
#Random Forest
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
rfc = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=100, random_state=42)
rfc = rfc.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_pred_rfc = rfc.predict(X_test)
f1_rfc = f1_score(y_test, y_pred_rfc)
print("F1-Score: ", f1_rfc)
o/p: F1-Score: 0.021443223421211121
print("Accuracy: ", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_rfc))
o/p: Accuracy: 0.9481409001956947
print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred_rfc))
o/p:
precision recall f1-score support
      0
           0.95
                    1.00
                           0.97
                                   972
      1
           0.00
                   0.00
                           0.00
                                    50
  accuracy
                           0.95
                                   1022
 macro avg
                0.48
                       0.50
                               0.49
                                       1022
weighted avg
                0.90
                        0.95
                                0.93
                                        1022
```

```
print(confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_rfc))
o/p: [[971 1]
      [50 0]]
#XGBoost
from xgboost import XGBClassifier
xg = XGBClassifier()
xg = xg.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_pred_xg = xg.predict(X_test)
f1_xg = f1_score(y_test, y_pred_xg)
print("Accuracy Score: ", accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_xg))
print("F1- Score : ", f1_xg)
o/p: Accuracy Score: 0.9481409001956947
     F1- Score : 0.15873015873015872
print(confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_xg))
o/p: [[964 8]
     [45 5]]
print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred_xg))
o/p:
precision recall f1-score support
      0
           0.96
                   0.99
                          0.97
                                   972
           0.38
                   0.10
                                   50
      1
                          0.16
                          0.95
                                  1022
  accuracy
               0.67
                                      1022
 macro avg
                       0.55
                              0.57
weighted avg
                               0.93
                0.93
                        0.95
                                       1022
data = {
  'Decision Tree':accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_dtc),
```

'Random Forest':accuracy\_score(y\_test, y\_pred\_rfc),

```
'XGBoost':accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_xg),
}
activation = list(data.keys())
accuracy = list(data.values())

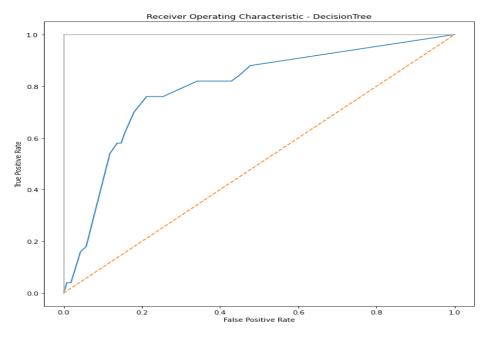
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
plt.barh(activation, accuracy)
plt.xlabel("Models")
plt.ylabel("Accuracy of the Models")
plt.title("Comparitive performance study of Different Models")
for i, v in enumerate(accuracy):
  plt.text(v,i, str(v))
plt.show()
o/p:
```



#### **#ROC Curve**

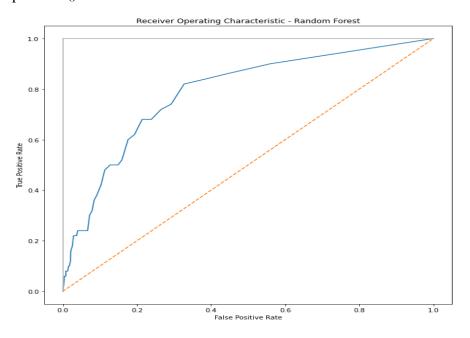
```
y_score1 = dtc.predict_proba(X_test)[:,1]
y_score2 = rfc.predict_proba(X_test)[:,1]
y_score3 = xg.predict_proba(X_test)[:,1]
from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve, roc_auc_score
false_positive_rate1, true_positive_rate1, threshold1 = roc_curve(y_test, y_score1)
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```
false_positive_rate2, true_positive_rate2, threshold2 = roc_curve(y_test, y_score2)
false_positive_rate3, true_positive_rate3, threshold3 = roc_curve(y_test, y_score3)
print('roc_auc_score for DecisionTree : ', roc_auc_score(y_test, y_score1))
print('roc_auc_score for Random Forest: ', roc_auc_score(y_test, y_score2))
print('roc_auc_score for XGBoost
                                     : ', roc_auc_score(y_test, y_score3))
o/p:
roc_auc_score for DecisionTree: 0.7932921810699588
roc auc score for Random Forest: 0.7861008230452674
roc_auc_score for XGBoost
                               : 0.8058230452674897
plt.subplots(1, figsize=(10,10))
plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic - DecisionTree')
plt.plot(false_positive_rate1, true_positive_rate1)
plt.plot([0, 1], ls="--")
plt.plot([0, 0], [1, 0], c=".7"), plt.plot([1, 1], c=".7")
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.show()
```



plt.subplots(1, figsize=(10,10))

```
plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic - Random Forest')
plt.plot(false_positive_rate2, true_positive_rate2)
plt.plot([0, 1], ls="--")
plt.plot([0, 0], [1, 0], c=".7"), plt.plot([1, 1], c=".7")
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.show()
```



plt.subplots(1, figsize=(10,10))

plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic - XGBoost')

plt.plot(false\_positive\_rate3, true\_positive\_rate3)

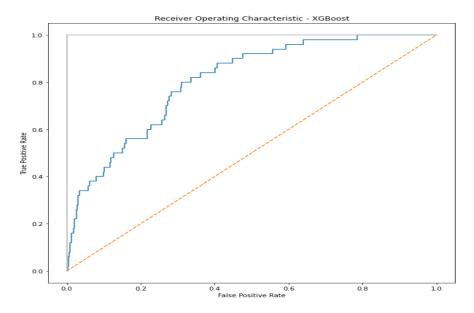
plt.plot([0, 1], ls="--")

plt.plot([0, 0], [1, 0], c=".7"), plt.plot([1, 1], c=".7")

plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')

plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')

plt.show()



### **#SGB Optimizer**

#### #ANN -Relu

import tensorflow as tf

from tensorflow import keras

from tensorflow.keras.models import Sequential

from tensorflow.keras.layers import Activation, Dense, Flatten, Conv2D, MaxPool2D, Dropout,Input

from tensorflow.keras.models import Model

from tensorflow.keras.optimizers import SGD

from tensorflow.keras.metrics import categorical\_crossentropy

from tensorflow.keras.preprocessing.image import ImageDataGenerator

from sklearn.metrics import confusion\_matrix

```
model = Sequential()
```

model.add(Dense(units=256, input\_shape=(x.shape[1], ), activation='relu'))

model.add(Dense(units=128, activation='relu'))

model.add(Dropout(0.3))

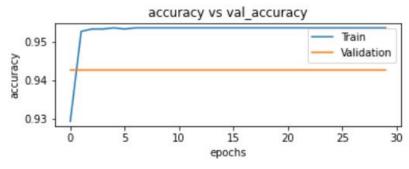
model.add(Dense(units=64, activation='relu'))

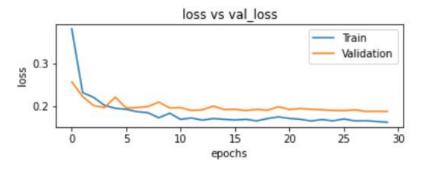
model.add(Dense(units=32, activation='relu'))

model.add(Dropout(0.3))

```
model.add(Dense(units=16, activation='relu'))
model.add(Dense(units=1, activation='sigmoid'))
model.compile(optimizer="adam",loss='binary_crossentropy', metrics=['accuracy'])
hist = model.fit(X_train, y_train, epochs=30, verbose=1, batch_size=32, validation_split=0.2,
callbacks=[early_stop])
o/p: Epoch 30/30
35 - val_loss: 0.1885 - val_accuracy: 0.9425
loss, accuracy = model.evaluate(X_test, y_test)
print('Test accuracy is: ', accuracy)
print("Test loss is : ", loss)
o/p:
Test accuracy is: 0.951076328754425
Test loss is : 0.1763533502817154
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report, confusion_matrix, f1_score
pred = model.predict(X_test)
pred = pred.argmax(axis=1)
cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, pred)
print(cm)
[[972 0]
   [50 0]]
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
accuracy_relu = accuracy_score(y_test, pred)
             : ", f1_score(y_test, pred, average='macro'))
print("F1 Score
print('Accuracy Score: ', accuracy_relu)
o/p:
F1 Score
         : 0.48746238716148443
Accuracy Score: 0.9510763209393346
```

```
plt.subplot(211)
plt.plot(hist.history['accuracy'])
plt.plot(hist.history['val_accuracy'])
plt.title('accuracy vs val_accuracy')
plt.xlabel('epochs')
plt.ylabel('accuracy')
plt.legend(['Train', 'Validation'])
plt.show()
plt.subplot(212)
plt.plot(hist.history['loss'])
plt.plot(hist.history['val_loss'])
plt.title('loss vs val_loss')
plt.xlabel('epochs') plt.ylabel('loss')
plt.legend(['Train', 'Validation'])
plt.show()
```





## **CONCLUSION**

We have used various machine learning techniques, such as data preprocessing, feature selection, and model building and were able to develop a predictive model that accurately predicts stroke risk based on several key features.

The project involved performing extensive EDA on the dataset, which helped us to identify the most important features for predicting stroke risk. By analysing the distribution of the data and performing correlation analysis, we were able to select the most relevant features for our model. We also addressed issues such as missing data and imbalanced classes, which are common challenges in machine learning projects.

Using the XGBoost boosting technique, we achieved the best accuracy of 95%. As a result, we could conclude that the XGBoost algorithm is the best model for predicting strokes.

Stroke prediction is an important aspect of healthcare that aims to identify individuals who are at risk of having a stroke in the future. Healthcare professionals use various risk factors to calculate an individual's stroke risk score and determine appropriate interventions to prevent or mitigate the effects of a stroke using machine learning algorithms to predict the likelihood of stroke based on various factors.