Scania Truck Air Pressure System Failures

Dataset Used in Intelligent Data Analysis Competition (IDA2016) (source Kaggle/UCI ML)

Objective

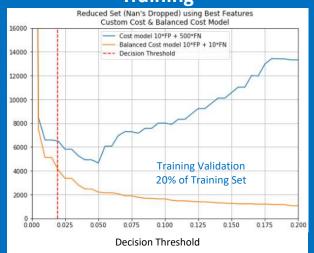
Minimize on road service cost and extra inspection cost

False Negative cost is 50 x higher than False Positive

Missed Service cost: 500 Extra Inspection cost: 10

60000 sample Training set 16000 sample Test set

Training



Train model with class weights

Weighted decision threshold to account for unbalanced costs (vs. using 0.5)

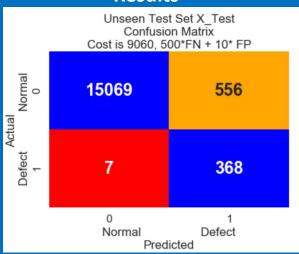
DTc =
$$(FP+FN)/(FP'+FN')*0.5$$

= $(10+10)/(10+500)*0.5 -> 0.0196$

Vs. True Pos / All Test = 0.0234

Weighted & balanced cost models shown
Fix decision threshold before modelling

Results



False Negative Rate: 1.9% False Positive Rate: 3.6%

98% of trucks needing service are identified

1.5 False Positives per True Positive

Total Cost: 500*7 + 10*556 = 9060

Lowest Cost at IDA2016: 9920

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