# Python Tutorial 8

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This tutorial is for Dr. Xin Tong's DSO 530 class at the University of Southern California in Spring 2022. It contains two parts: the first part is CV for classification problems and the second part is CV for regression problems.

### 1 Cross-validation for classification

In this part, we demonstrate k-Fold cross-validation using classification error and AUC with an *auto* classification example. First, we will present a quite generic way which you can use for CV beyond the sklearn packages. Then we will present a quick way to do CV with a sklearn package.

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[1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd

Auto = pd.read_csv('auto.csv')
Auto.head()
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[1]:	mpg	cylinders	displacement	horsepower	weight	acceleration	year	\
0	18.0	8	307.0	130	3504	12.0	70	
1	15.0	8	350.0	165	3693	11.5	70	
2	18.0	8	318.0	150	3436	11.0	70	
3	16.0	8	304.0	150	3433	12.0	70	
4	17.0	8	302.0	140	3449	10.5	70	

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                           ford torino
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displacement represents a vehicle's engine displacement. First, we transform it into a binary variable displacement\_binary in two steps: 1) we calculate the mean of displacement; 2) we compare each value of displacement with the mean of displacement. If it is smaller than or equal to the mean, we label it as small. Otherwise, we label it as big. Then we use displacement\_binary as the responses to do the classification.

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[2]: small_index = Auto["displacement"] <= np.mean(Auto["displacement"])
Auto.loc[small_index,"displacement_binary"] = 'small'</pre>
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Auto.loc[~small_index,"displacement_binary"] = 'big'
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Note that we still need to add a column name displacement\_big to represent displacement\_binary and make it numeric if we want to use smf.logit to do logistic regression.

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[3]: Auto["displacement_big"] = np.where(Auto["displacement_binary"] == 'big', 1, 0)
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	389	32.0	4	135.0	84	2295	11.6	82	
	390	28.0	4	120.0	79	2625	18.6	82	
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0	1	chevrolet chevelle malibu	big	1
1	1	buick skylark 320	big	1
2	1	plymouth satellite	big	1
3	1	amc rebel sst	big	1
4	1	ford torino	big	1
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387	1	ford mustang gl	small	0
388	2	vw pickup	small	0
389	1	dodge rampage	small	0
390	1	ford ranger	small	0
391	1	chevy s-10	small	0

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We use 10-fold CV to compare two logistic regression models that use different predictors.

First, we use mpg and horsepower as predictor variables and use displacement\_big as the response variable.

```
[5]: from sklearn.model_selection import KFold ## for regression
from sklearn.model_selection import StratifiedKFold ## recommended for_

classification
kfolds = StratifiedKFold(n_splits = 10, random_state = 1, shuffle = True)## a_

random state is set for reproducibility purpose
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## you can try to remove `random state = 1, shuffle = True` and see what_{f L}
      \rightarrow happens next
[6]: print(kfolds)
    StratifiedKFold(n_splits=10, random_state=1, shuffle=True)
    To show the details while implementing kfolds.split, in the following execution, we print out the
    train index and test index of the first loop for you to understand it.
[7]: | for train_index, test_index in kfolds.split(Auto, Auto['displacement_big']):
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[8]: cv_classification_errors_1 = []
     cv_auc_1 = []
[9]: import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
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from sklearn.metrics import roc curve

from sklearn.metrics import auc

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for train_index, test_index in kfolds.split(Auto,Auto['displacement_big']):
    # train the logistic model
    result = smf.logit('displacement big ~ mpg + horsepower', data=Auto, subset_
 →= train_index).fit()
    # select the test set according to test index produced by kfolds.split
    X_test = Auto.loc[test_index,["mpg","horsepower"]]
    y_test = Auto.loc[test_index,"displacement_big"]
    # compute the probabilities of test data
    result_prob = result.predict(X_test)
    # select 0.5 as the threshold
    result_pred = (result_prob > 0.5)
    # compute the classification error
    classification_error = np.mean(result_pred != y_test)
    # add the computed classification error to "cv_classification_errors_1" to \Box
 \hookrightarrowstore the result
    cv_classification_errors_1.append(classification_error)
    # calculate the auc
    fpr,tpr,threshold = roc_curve(y_test, result_prob)
    roc_auc = auc(fpr,tpr)
    # add the computed auc to "cv_auc_1" to store the result
    cv_auc_1.append(roc_auc)
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         Current function value: 0.227415
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         Current function value: 0.218369
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Optimization terminated successfully.
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Current function value: 0.202915
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     Optimization terminated successfully.
              Current function value: 0.229121
              Iterations 8
     Note that the outputs above are the default output of smf.logit().fit().
[10]: print("classification errors using 10-fold CV: {}\n".
       →format(cv_classification_errors_1))
      print("mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: {}\n".format(np.
       →mean(cv_classification_errors_1)))
     classification errors using 10-fold CV: [0.125, 0.025, 0.1282051282051282,
     0.05128205128205128, 0.1282051282051282, 0.05128205128205128,
     0.15384615384615385, 0.10256410256410256, 0.07692307692307693,
     0.102564102564102561
     mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: 0.09448717948717947
[11]: print("auc using 10-fold CV: {}\n".format(cv_auc_1))
      print("mean of auc using 10-fold CV: {}\n".format(np.mean(cv_auc_1)))
     auc using 10-fold CV: [0.9744245524296675, 1.0, 0.9545454545454546,
     0.9893048128342246, 0.9679144385026738, 0.9705882352941176, 0.9598930481283422,
     0.9572192513368984, 0.93048128342246, 0.981283422459893]
     mean of auc using 10-fold CV: 0.9685654498953731
     Then, we use weight and acceleration as predictor variables and use displacement_big as the
     response variable to do the logistic regression.
[12]: kfolds
[12]: StratifiedKFold(n_splits=10, random_state=1, shuffle=True)
[13]: cv_classification_errors_2 = []
      cv_auc_2 = []
[14]: import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
      from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve
      from sklearn.metrics import auc
      for train_index, test_index in kfolds.split(Auto,Auto['displacement_big']):
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Current function value: 0.220679

Iterations 8

Optimization terminated successfully.

```
# train the logistic model
    result = smf.logit('displacement_big ~ weight + acceleration', data=Auto, ___
 ⇒subset = train_index).fit()
    # select the test set according to test_index produced by kfolds.split
    X test = Auto.loc[test index,["weight","acceleration"]]
    y_test = Auto.loc[test_index,"displacement_big"]
    # compute the probabilities of test data
    result_prob = result.predict(X_test)
    # select 0.5 as the threshold
    result_pred = (result_prob > 0.5)
    # compute the classification error
    classification_error = np.mean(result_pred != y_test)
    # add the computed classification error to "cv_classification errors_1" to_{\sqcup}
 \rightarrowstore the result
    cv_classification_errors_2.append(classification_error)
    # calculate the auc
    fpr,tpr,threshold = roc_curve(y_test, result_prob)
    roc_auc = auc(fpr,tpr)
    # add the computed auc to "cv_auc_1" to store the result
    cv_auc_2.append(roc_auc)
Optimization terminated successfully.
         Current function value: 0.166688
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         Current function value: 0.166417
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Optimization terminated successfully.
         Current function value: 0.151830
         Iterations 10
Optimization terminated successfully.
         Current function value: 0.141794
         Iterations 10
Optimization terminated successfully.
         Current function value: 0.168865
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     Optimization terminated successfully.
              Current function value: 0.174350
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     Optimization terminated successfully.
              Current function value: 0.159999
              Iterations 9
[15]: print("classification errors using 10-fold CV: {}\n".
      →format(cv_classification_errors_2))
      print("mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: {}".format(np.
       →mean(cv_classification_errors_2)))
     classification errors using 10-fold CV: [0.1, 0.025, 0.15384615384615385,
     0.02564102564102564, 0.05128205128205128, 0.10256410256410256,
     0.1282051282051282, 0.05128205128205128, 0.02564102564102564,
     0.1282051282051282]
     mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: 0.079166666666666666
[16]: print("auc using 10-fold CV: {}\n".format(cv_auc_2))
      print("mean of auc using 10-fold CV: {}".format(np.mean(cv_auc_2)))
     auc using 10-fold CV: [0.9872122762148338, 1.0, 0.9759358288770053, 1.0,
     0.9893048128342246, 0.954545454545454546, 0.9679144385026738, 0.9973262032085561,
     1.0, 0.9759358288770053]
     mean of auc using 10-fold CV: 0.9848174843059754
     Now we can put together the results of the above two models.
[17]: print("predictor varible: mpg, horsepower; response variable: displacement_big")
      print("mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: {}".format(np.
       →mean(cv_classification_errors_1)))
      print("mean of auc using 10-fold CV: {}\n".format(np.mean(cv_auc_1)))
      print("predictor varible: weight, acceleration; response variable:

→displacement_big")
      print("mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: {}".format(np.
       →mean(cv_classification_errors_2)))
      print("mean of auc using 10-fold CV: {}".format(np.mean(cv_auc_2)))
     predictor varible: mpg, horsepower; response variable: displacement_big
     mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: 0.09448717948717947
     mean of auc using 10-fold CV: 0.9685654498953731
     predictor varible: weight, acceleration; response variable: displacement_big
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mean of classification errors using 10-fold CV: 0.07916666666666666

mean of auc using 10-fold CV: 0.9848174843059754

With both cross-validation criteria, the logistic regression model with weight and acceleration as predictors is the better model.

### 1.1 a quick way to do CV for models in sklearn

We will redo the same example with the *Auto* data, using the cross\_val\_score function in sklearn. The default scoring is the accuracy (i.e., 1-classification error), but you can also choose others, such as roc\_auc, for different applications.

Logisgic Regression:

Let's implement the above code again (with the default scoring filled up) and see if you get different ressults.

#### Logisgic Regression:

Obviously, we see the same results. This is because by default cross\_val\_score does not shuffle data. If we want to shuffle data, we need to specify how we want to divide the folds. Note that the kfolds in the following implementation was a specific 10-fold division we created at the beginning of the tutorial.

#### Logisgic Regression:

## 2 CV for regression problems

We will use the displacement as the response variable. Only the quick sklearn CV implementation will be covered here. We will use r2 (the default) as the criterion for CV. Ohter options include scoring = neg\_mean\_squared\_error, which is the negative mean squared error. In older Python versions, one can specify scoring = mean\_squared\_error, but the current version only accepts scoring = neg\_mean\_squared\_error.

Linear Regression:

To double check that r2 is the default option, we implement:

#### Linear Regression:

Next we do CV by mean squared error.

#### Linear Regression:

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1708.91787009 1741.54206087 1642.23330432 1681.31387899 1825.55161294] (mean MSE: 1847.5747519803822 )  
mean_squared_error of 10-folds: [805.91544066 2046.43253439 695.06442086 1252.79258885 1264.59386299  
1081.82362154 1089.27590701 994.40123803 632.40349771 1321.56170032] (mean MSE: 1118.426481235808 )
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