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Class Presentation

SYNDROME

Overview:

Data Source

-National Health and Nutrition Examination Survey

-The target is Metabolic Syndrome

-Each row represents a patient

-This is a classification problem

Business Problem

-To predict Metabolic Syndrome based on common risk factors.

Stakeholders

-Patients. Patients make decisions in consultation with their doctors.

-Doctors & Medical Groups.

-Insurance Companies (Payors)

-Regulatory Bodies.

What is Metabolic Syndrome?

- Obesity

- Insulin Resistance (prediabetic/diabetic)

- Hypertension (high blood pressure)

- High Triglycerides (fat in blood)

- Low HDL Cholesterol (good cholesterol that flushes out the bad cholesterol in body)

Using Scatterplot to display the relationship of Blood Glucose vs Triglyceride-HDL ratio

- positive relationship between patients who have metabolic syndrome and high blood glucose tended to have heart conditions by having higher Triglyceride-HDL ratios. Ideally a ratio of 2 or lower is healthy.
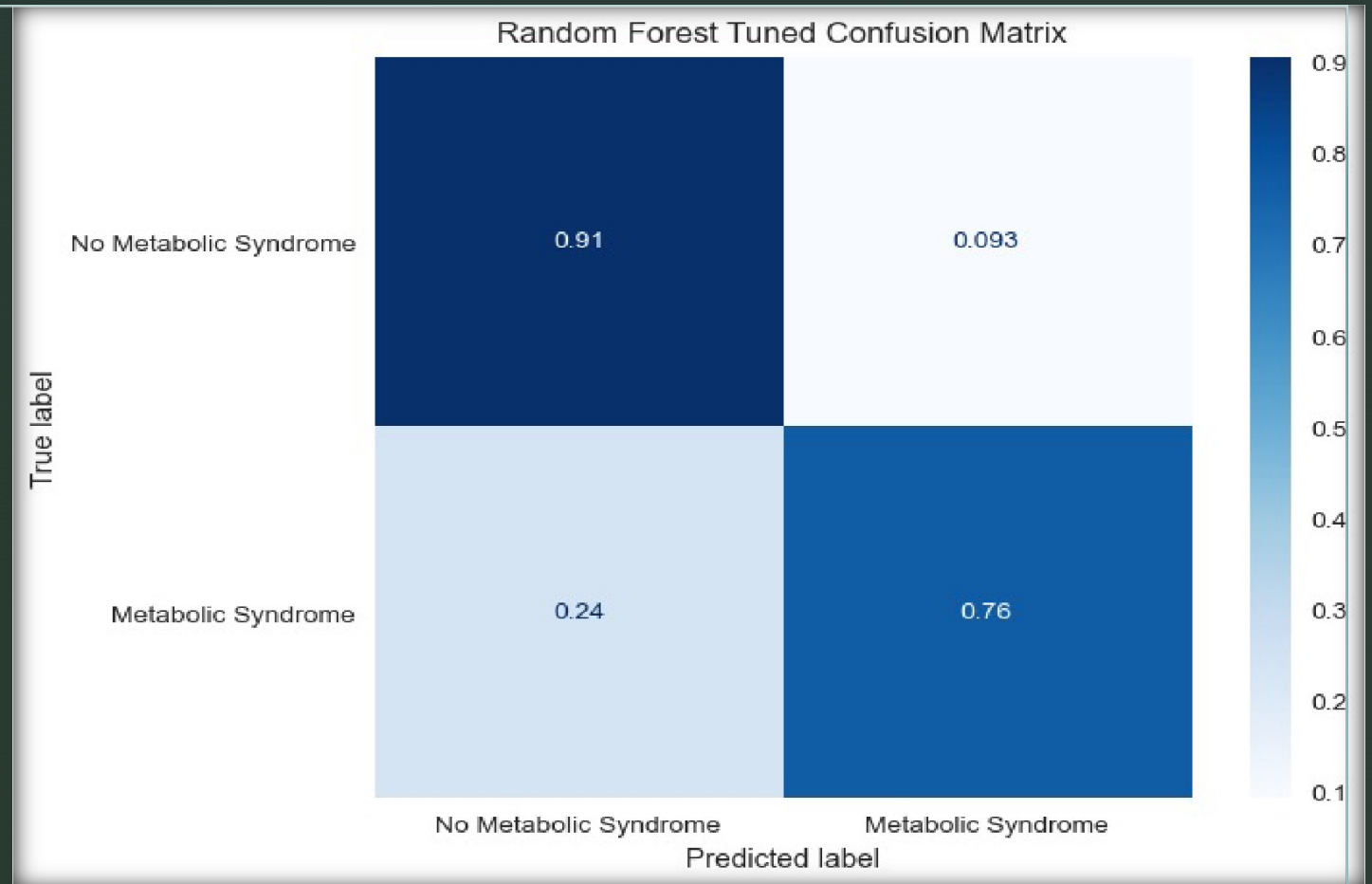

BMI vs Triglyceride-HDL ratio
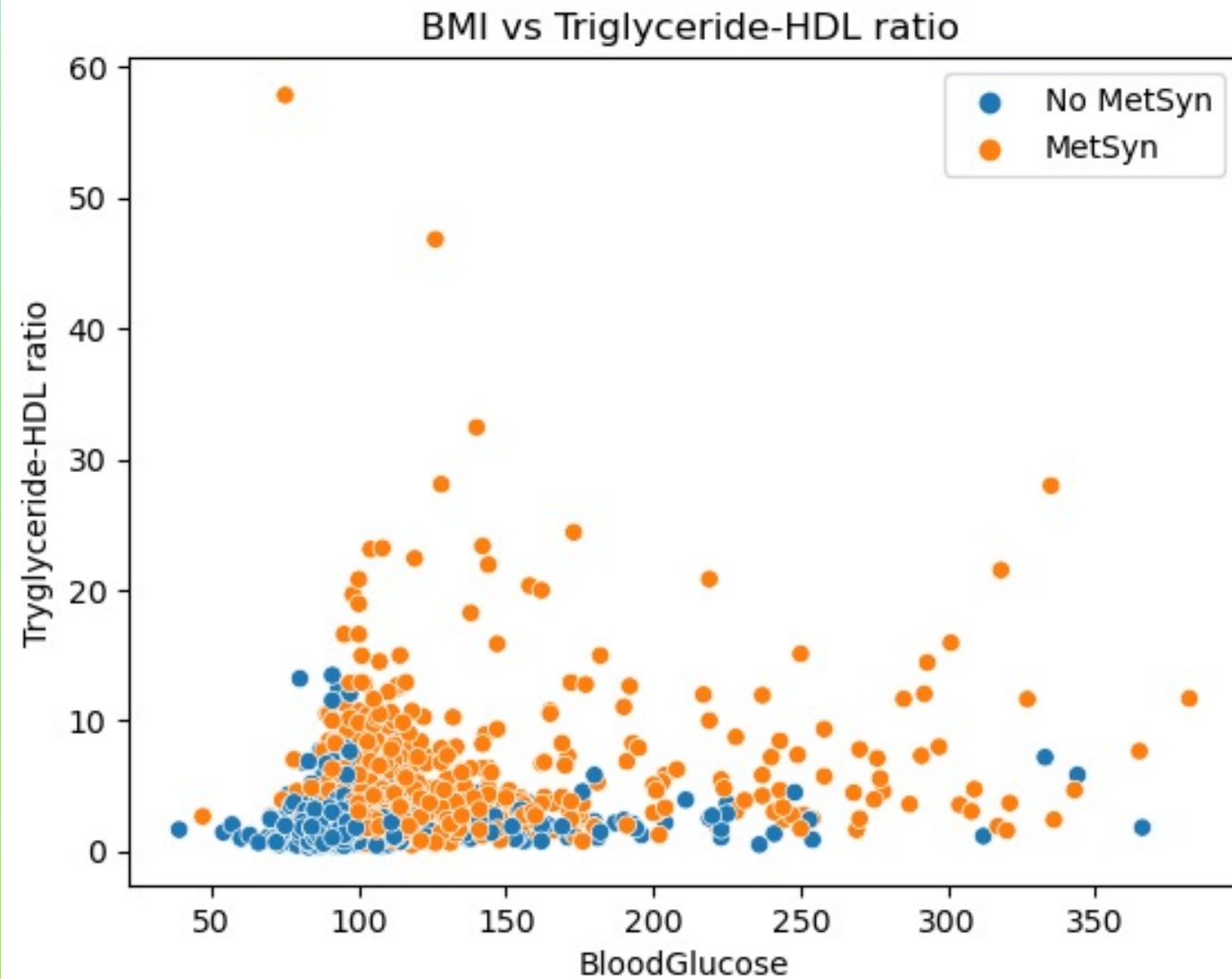
Relationship of BMI vs Waist Circumference

- positive relationship between patients who have metabolic Syndrome and high BMI and Waist circumference.
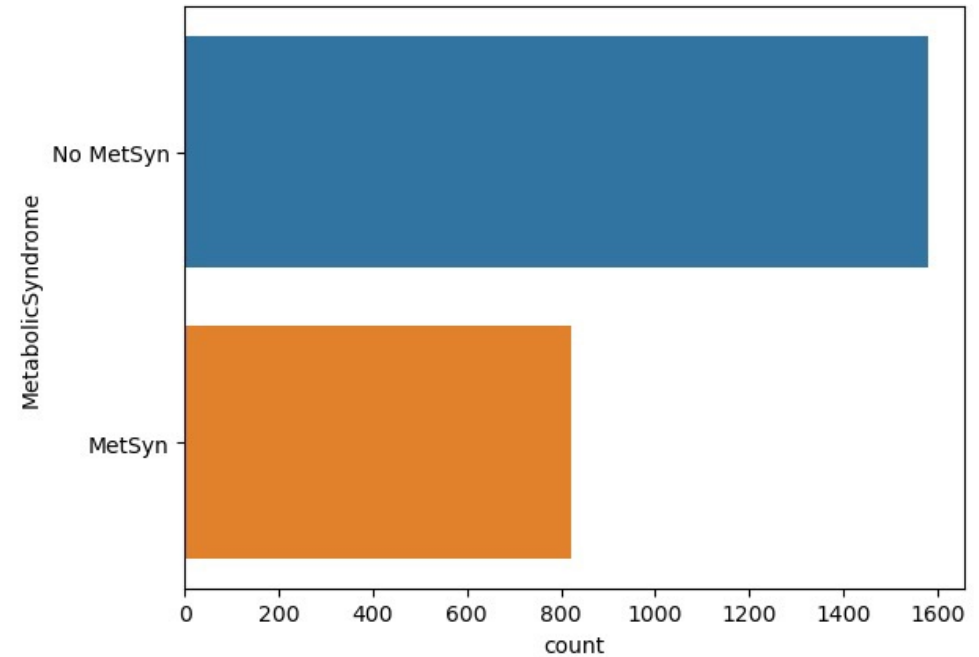

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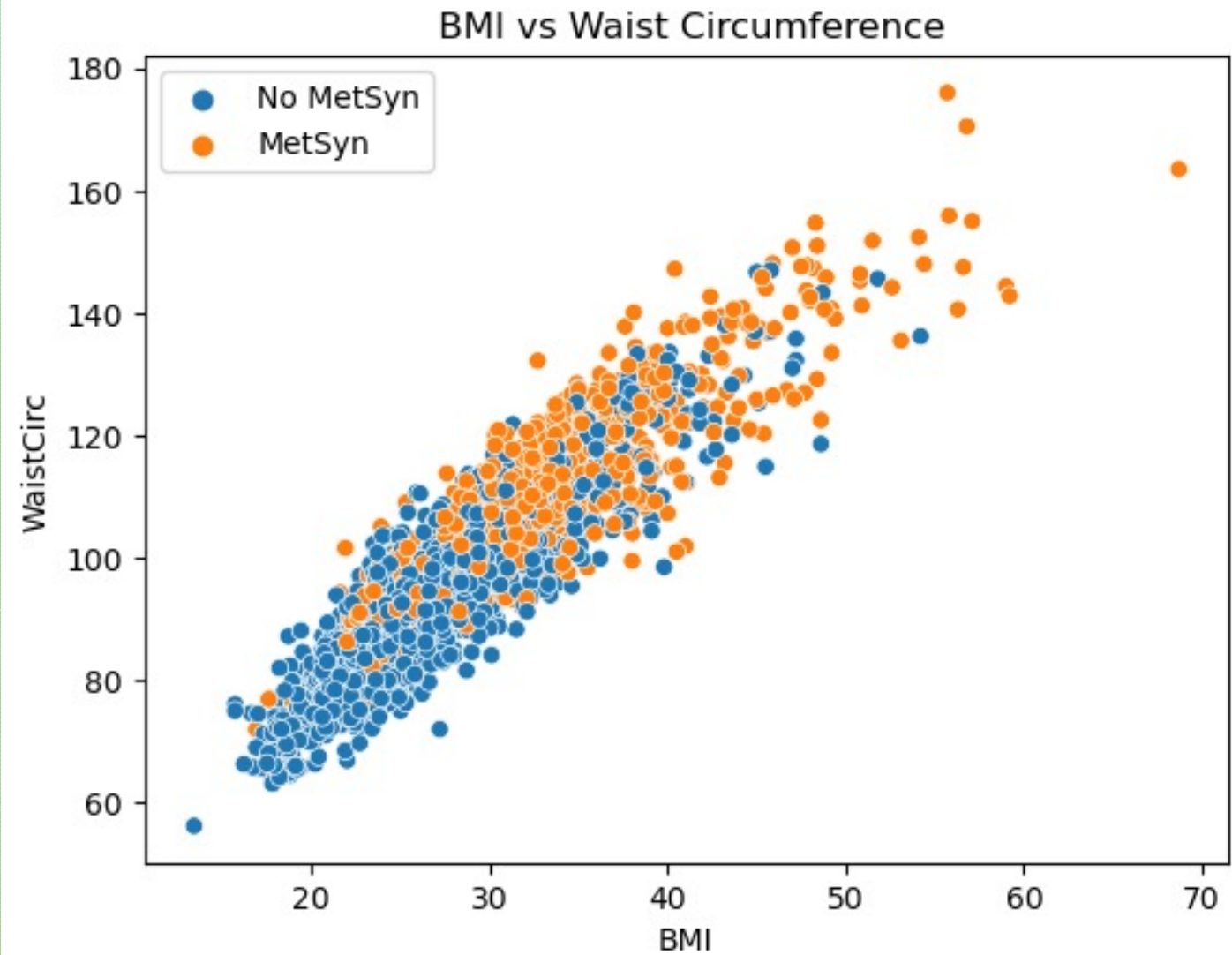
Machine Learning Prediction Model: Random Forest

Random Forest Tuned Confusion Matrix

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.88	0.91	0.89	397
1	0.81	0.76	0.79	204
accuracy			0.86	601

Class Imbalance:

- One class roughly double of the other class.

Final recommendations

- Based on the 2 scatterplots from earlier above :
  positive correlation between BMI, Triglyceride-HDL ratio and Blood Glucose

- All these features are an indicator of obesity. Two recommendations below

- Weight loss

- Diet and lifestyle changes

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