

# Sensitivity, specificity and ROC

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## Two distributions - t-student test (t.test)

Here we will present 2 distributions and make them close together or far apart. The statistics that measures the distance between two normal distributions is t-student.

```
source("support.R")

d1 = rnorm(200, mean=1, sd=1)
d2 = rnorm(200, mean=3, sd=.5)

data = data.frame(d1, d2)
options(digits=5)
head(data)
```

```
##      d1      d2
## 1 0.89339 2.5116
## 2 1.57862 2.7429
## 3 1.59501 3.1589
## 4 1.88974 3.3520
## 5 2.19981 3.9098
## 6 1.09019 3.4837
```

```
tt <- t.test(d1, d2)
print(tt)
```

```
##  
## Welch Two Sample t-test  
##  
## data: d1 and d2  
## t = -26.3, df = 290, p-value <2e-16  
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0  
## 95 percent confidence interval:  
## -2.1970 -1.8909  
## sample estimates:  
## mean of x mean of y  
## 1.0067 3.0506
```

```
print(paste("pvalue", tt$p.value))
```

```
## [1] "pvalue 9.13347497841806e-79"
```

```
print(paste("CI = [", paste(round(tt$conf.int,3), collapse = " to "), "] - confidence interval", sep=""))
```

```
## [1] "CI = [-2.197 to -1.891] - confidence interval"
```

```
diff = d1-d2  
mu.diff = mean(diff)  
ssd.diff = sd(diff)  
sem.diff = ssd.diff / sqrt(length(diff))  
  
print(paste("mean(difference) =", round(mu.diff,3) ))
```

```
## [1] "mean(difference) = -2.044"
```

```
print(paste("ssd(difference) =", round(ssd.diff,3) ))
```

```
## [1] "ssd(difference) = 1.077"
```

```
print(paste("SEM(difference)  =", round(sem.diff,3) ))
```

```
## [1] "SEM(difference)  = 0.076"
```

```
q.025 = qnorm(.025)
```

```
ci = mu.diff + c(1, -1) * q.025 * sem.diff
```

```
print(paste("CI calc = [", paste(round(ci,3), collapse = " to "), "] - confidence interval", sep=""))
```

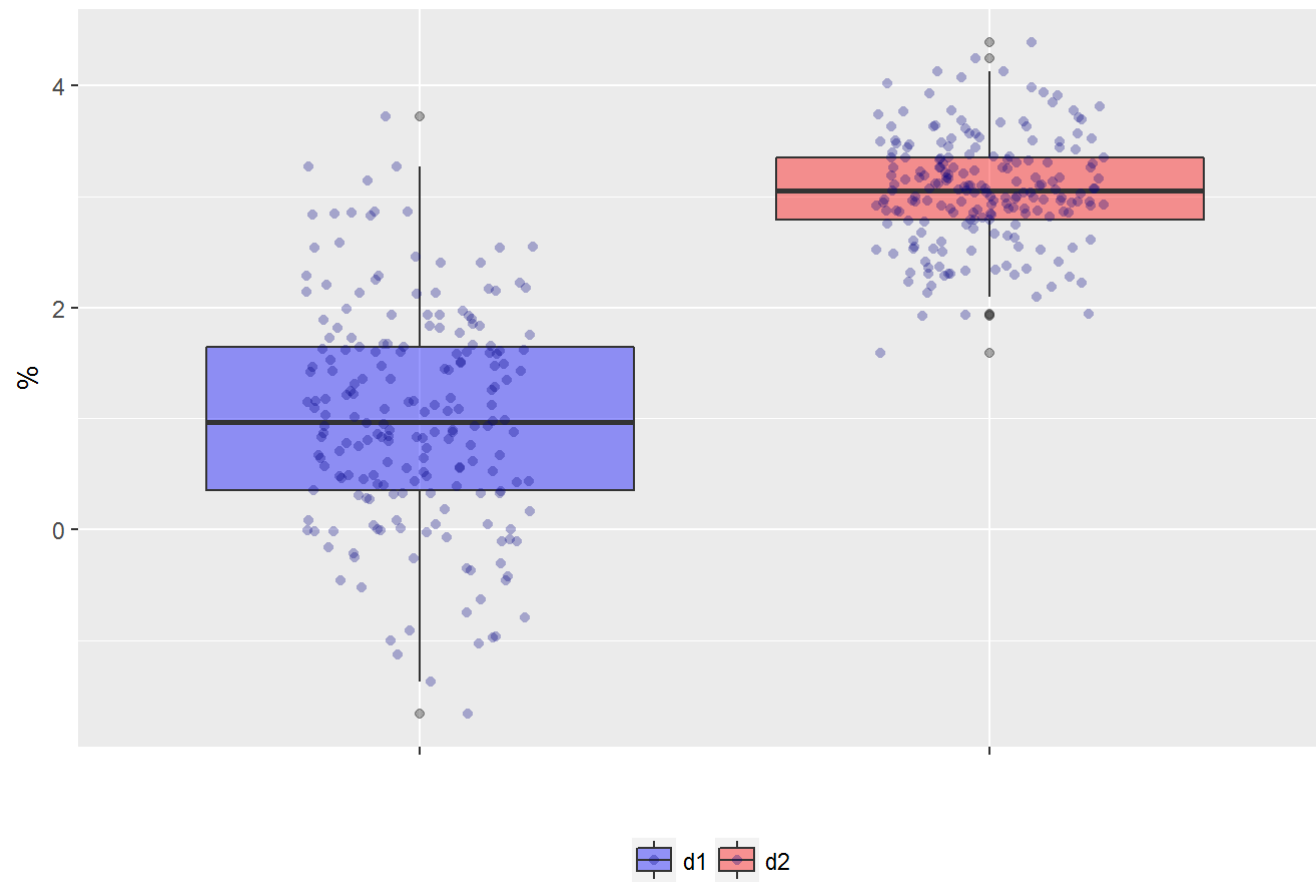
```
## [1] "CI calc = [-2.193 to -1.895] - confidence interval"
```

```
print(paste("CI pack = [", paste(round(tt$conf.int,3), collapse = " to "), "] - confidence interval", sep=""))
```

```
## [1] "CI pack = [-2.197 to -1.891] - confidence interval"
```

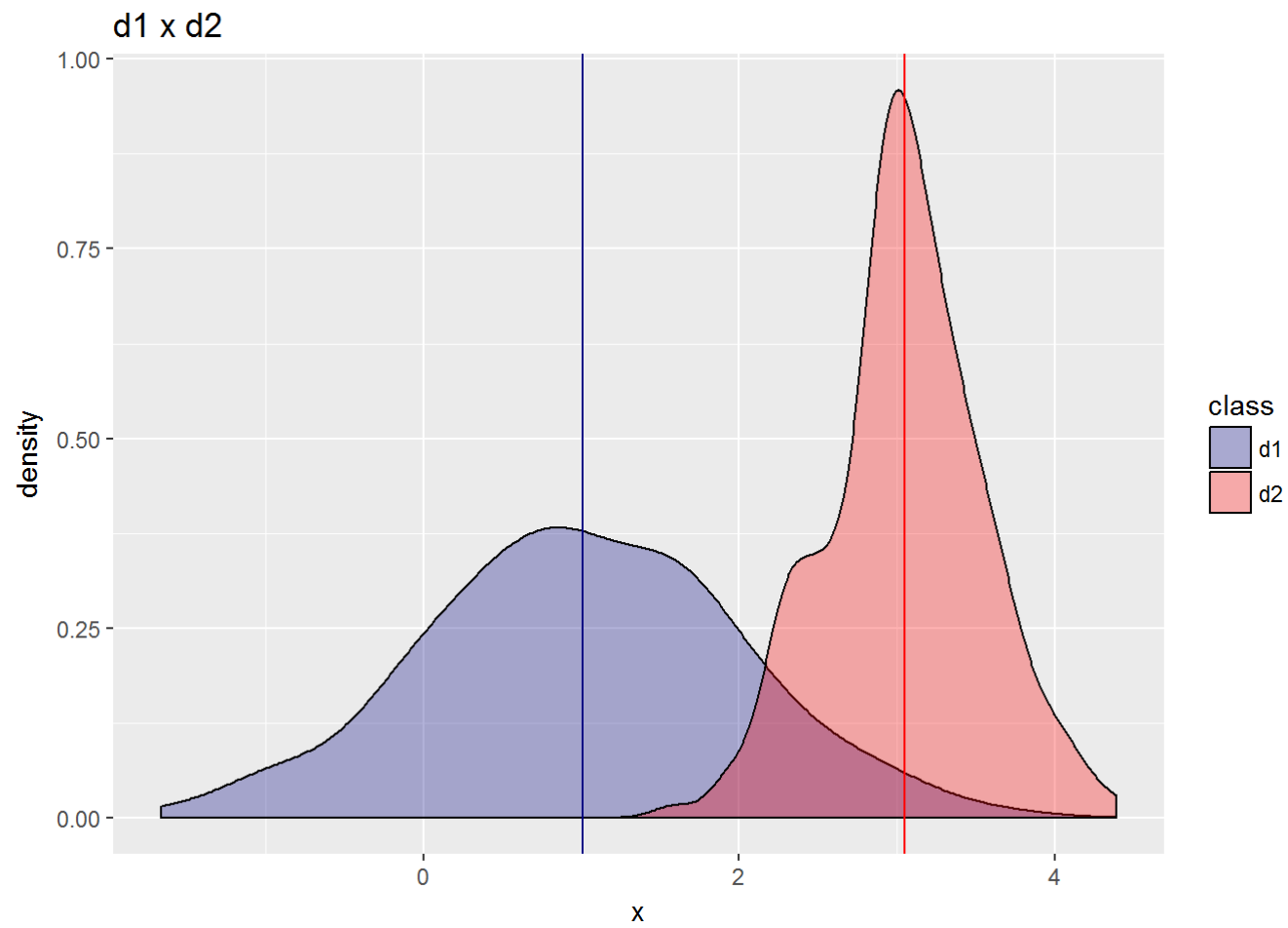
```
my.boxplot(data, classX=c("one","two"), cols=c(1,2), title="normal distribution", ylab="%", colors=c("blue", "red"),  
is.log=F,ylim=NA)
```

normal distribution



Can we define if the distributions are sufficient far appart?

```
print_2densities(d1, d2)
```



```
healthy = rnorm(100, mean=1, sd=.7)
sick    = rnorm(100, mean=3, sd=.5)
```

```
healthy = round(healthy*100)
sick    = round(sick*100)
```

```
tt <- t.test(healthy, sick)
print(tt)
```

```
##  
## Welch Two Sample t-test  
##  
## data: healthy and sick  
## t = -21.7, df = 176, p-value <2e-16  
## alternative hypothesis: true difference in means is not equal to 0  
## 95 percent confidence interval:  
## -213.97 -178.25  
## sample estimates:  
## mean of x mean of y  
## 102.20 298.31
```

```
print(paste("pvalue", tt$p.value))
```

```
## [1] "pvalue 1.69577952372443e-51"
```

```
print(paste("CI = [", paste(round(tt$conf.int,3), collapse = " to "), "] - confidence interval", sep=""))
```

```
## [1] "CI = [-213.968 to -178.252] - confidence interval"
```

```
diff = healthy-sick  
mu.diff = mean(diff)  
ssd.diff = sd(diff)  
sem.diff = ssd.diff / sqrt(length(diff))  
  
print(paste("mean(difference) =", round(mu.diff,3) ))
```

```
## [1] "mean(difference) = -196.11"
```

```
print(paste("ssd(difference) =", round(ssd.diff,3) ))
```

```
## [1] "ssd(difference) = 86.276"
```

```
print(paste("SEM(difference)  =", round(sem.diff,3) ))
```

```
## [1] "SEM(difference)  = 8.628"
```

```
q.025 = qnorm(.025)
```

```
ci = mu.diff + c(1, -1) * q.025 * sem.diff
```

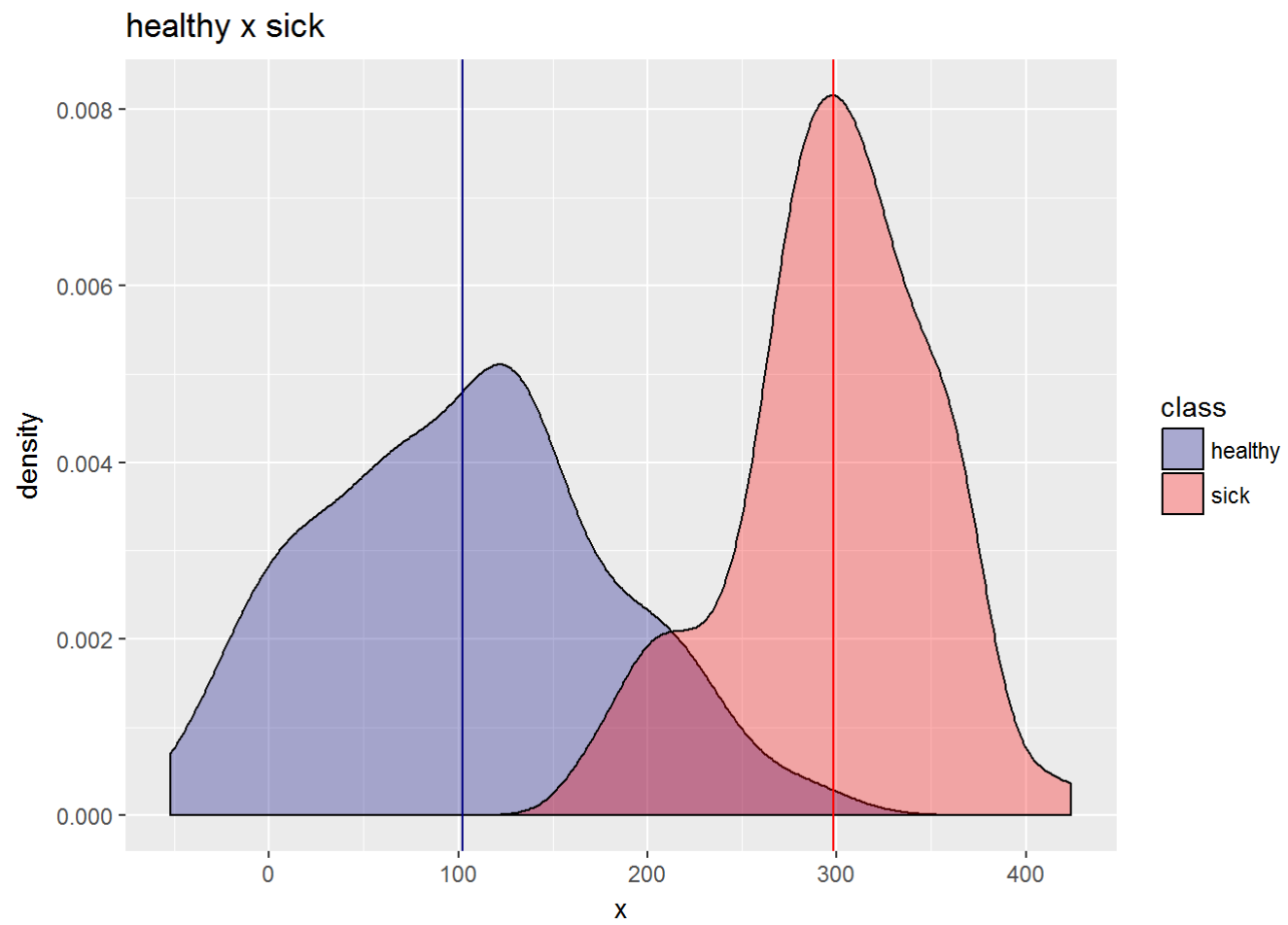
```
print(paste("CI calc = [", paste(round(ci,3), collapse = " to "), "] - confidence interval", sep=""))
```

```
## [1] "CI calc = [-213.02 to -179.2] - confidence interval"
```

```
print(paste("CI pack = [", paste(round(tt$conf.int,3), collapse = " to "), "] - confidence interval", sep=""))
```

```
## [1] "CI pack = [-213.968 to -178.252] - confidence interval"
```

```
print_2densities(healthy, sick, title="healthy x sick", classes=c("healthy", "sick"))
```

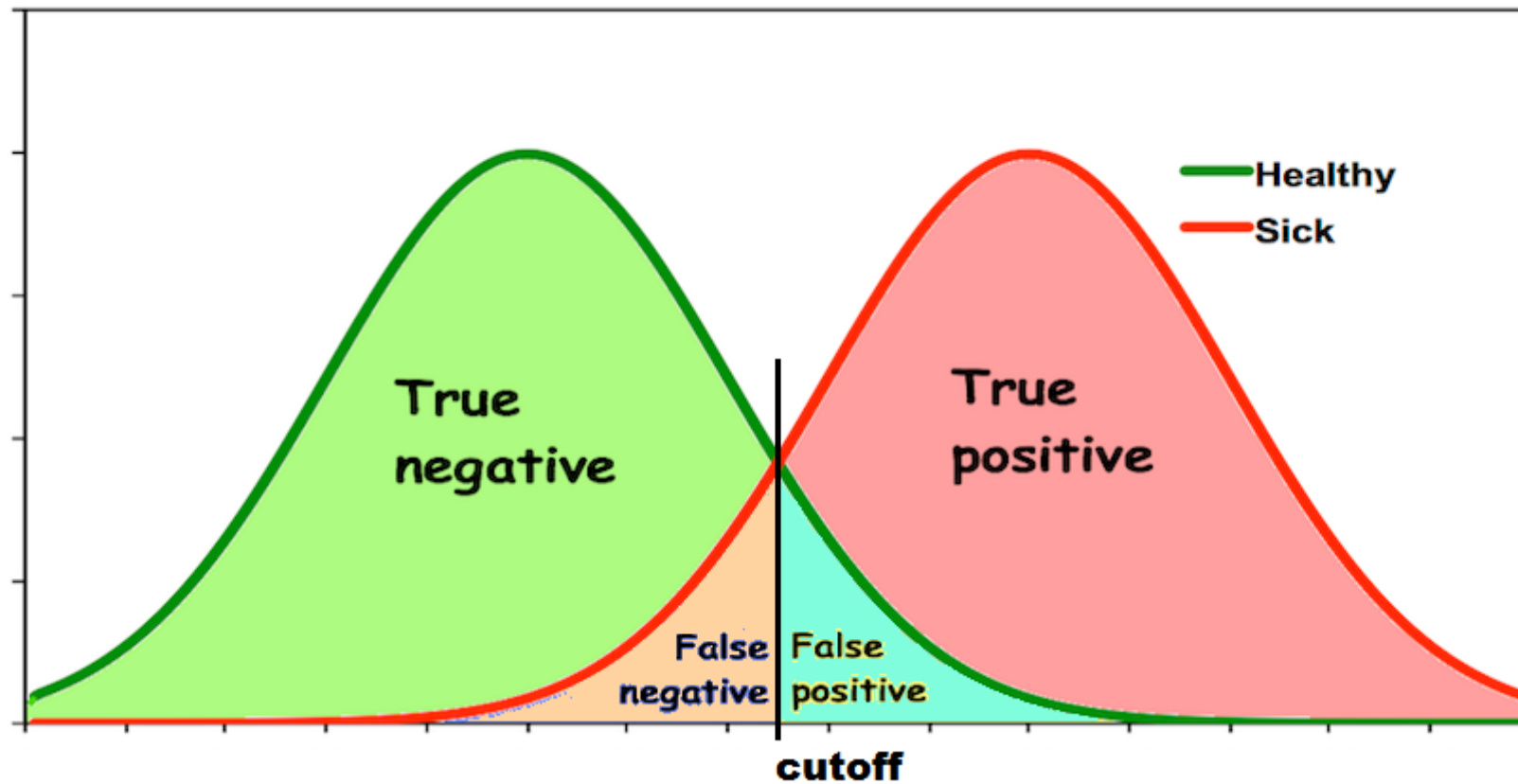




GOLD STANDARD

Classification Outcome

	Sick	Healthy
Test+	True Positives (TP)	False Positives (FP)
Test-	False Negatives (FN)	True Negatives (TN)



Conditional: truth table

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Confusion\\_matrix](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Confusion_matrix) ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Confusion\\_matrix](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Confusion_matrix))

## Sensitivity

Sensitivity, recall, hit rate, or true positive rate (TPR)

$$Sensitivity = TPR = \frac{TP}{P} = \frac{TP}{TP + FN}$$

	<b>Sick</b>	<b>Healthy</b>
<b>Test+</b>	True Positives (TP)	False Positives (FP)
<b>Test-</b>	False Negatives (FN)	True Negatives (TN)

Conditional: sensitivity

## Especificity

specificity or true negative rate (TNR)

$$Especificity = TNR = \frac{TN}{N} = \frac{TN}{TN + FP}$$

	<b>Sick</b>	<b>Healthy</b>
<b>Test+</b>	True Positives (TP)	False Positives (FP)
<b>Test-</b>	False Negatives (FN)	True Negatives (TN)

Conditional: specificity

## Precision

precision or positive predictive value (PPV)

$$Precision = PPV = \frac{TP}{TP + FP}$$

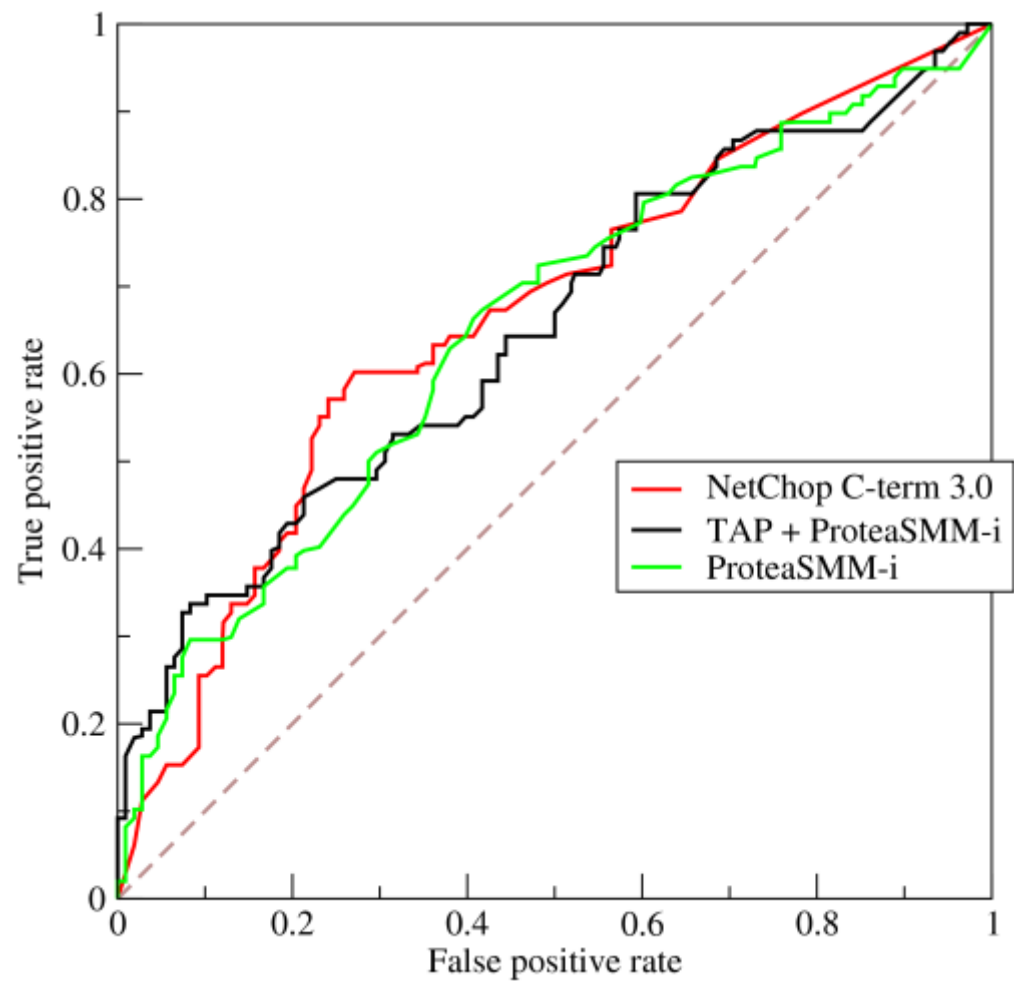
	<b>Sick</b>	<b>Healthy</b>
<b>Test+</b>	True Positives (TP)	False Positives (FP)
<b>Test-</b>	False Negatives (FN)	True Negatives (TN)

## ROC - Receiver Operating Curve

In statistics, a receiver operating characteristic curve, i.e. ROC curve, is a graphical plot that illustrates the diagnostic ability of a binary classifier system as its discrimination threshold is varied.

The ROC curve is created by plotting the true positive rate (TPR) against the false positive rate (FPR) at various threshold settings. The true-positive rate is also known as sensitivity, recall or probability of detection[1] in machine learning.

[https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Receiver\\_operating\\_characteristic](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Receiver_operating_characteristic) ([https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Receiver\\_operating\\_characteristic](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Receiver_operating_characteristic))



```
# lista = contingency_table(healthy, sick)
# names(lista)

healthy = rnorm(100, mean=1, sd=.3)
sick    = rnorm(100, mean=2, sd=.3)

lista = doRoc(healthy, sick, "healthy", "sick", "healthy", "sick", xlab="measure", isLog=F, titleAux="")
names(lista)
```

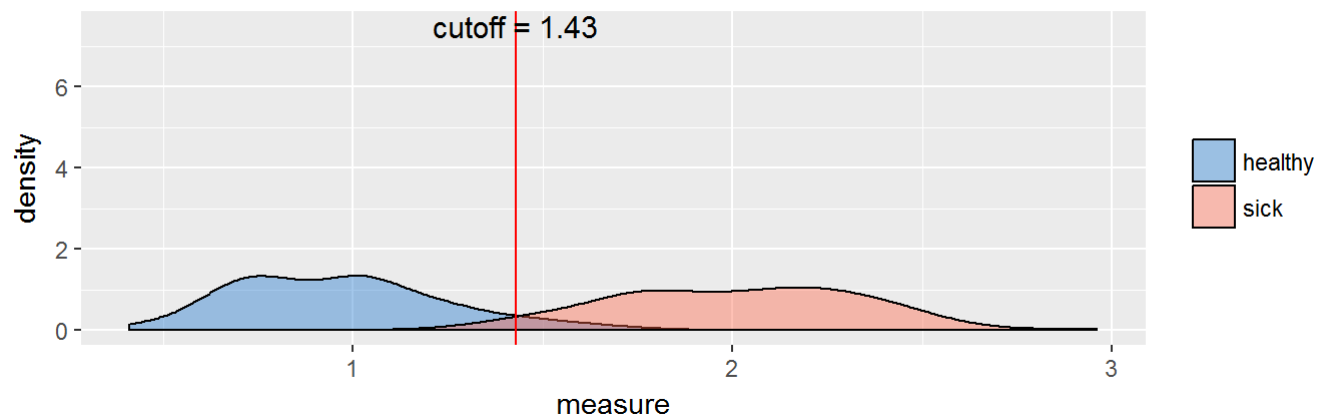
```
## [1] "p1"      "p2"      "best_sens" "best_spec" "cutoff"
```

```
p1 = lista[["p1"]]
```

```
p2 = lista[["p2"]]
```

```
multiplot(p1,p2,layout=matrix(c(1,2),ncol=1, byrow=F))
```

ROC: sick x healthy



best cutoff=1.43, sens=0.97, spec=0.94 (sum=1.91)

