# Term deposit subscription prediction using bank data

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### Introduction

The aim of this project is to build a model to predict whether an individual will subscribe to a term deposit or not. The data is sourced from the UCI Machine Learning Repository (https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Bank+Marketing).

Buisness Problem: There has been a revenue decline for the Portuguese bank and they would like to know what actions to take. After investigation, we found out that the root cause is that their clients are not depositing as frequently as before. Knowing that term deposits allow banks to hold onto a deposit for a specific amount of time, so banks can invest in higher gain financial products to make a profit. In addition, banks also hold better chance to persuade term deposit clients into buying other products such as funds or insurance to further increase their revenues. As a result, the Portuguese bank would like to identify existing clients that have higher chance to subscribe for a term deposit and focus marketing effort on such clients.

# Methodology

We considered three classifiers - Naive Bayes (NB), Decision Tree, and Support Vector Machine (SVM). We split the full data set into 75% training set and 25% test set. Each set resembled the full data by having the same proportion of target classes i.e. approximately 90 % of individuals reponding 'no' and 10% reposponding 'yes' in the target variable. For fine-tuning process, we ran a ten-folded cross-validation stratified sampling on each classifier. We also study the effect of Principal Component Analysis on each of the classifiers.

### Classification Methods

#### Load the data

All the necessary library packages are imported.

```
library(readr)
library(ggplot2)
library(lattice)
library(plyr)
library(dplyr)
library(caret)
library(mlbench)
library(foreign)
library(ggplot2)
library(reshape)
library(scales)
library(e1071)
library(MASS)
library(klaR)
library(C50)
library(kernlab)
```

Read the data set on bank clients. Here, analysis is based on the smaller dataset that represents randomly selected 10% of the entire dataset, so that computationally demanding algorithms (eg: SVM) can be performed faster.

bank <- read\_delim("C:\\Sem2\\Machine Learning\\bank-additional\\bank-additional.csv",";", escape
\_double = FALSE, trim\_ws = TRUE)
head(bank)</pre>

<b>job</b> ≼int×chr>	marital <chr></chr>	education <chr></chr>	default <chr></chr>	housi <chr></chr>	loan <chr></chr>	contact <chr></chr>		day_or
30 blue-collar	married	basic.9y	no	yes	no	cellular	may	fri
39 services	single	high.school	no	no	no	telephone	may	fri
25 services	married	high.school	no	yes	no	telephone	jun	wed
38 services	married	basic.9y	no	unknown	unknown	telephone	jun	fri
17 admin.	married	university.degree	no	yes	no	cellular	nov	mon
32 services	single	university.degree	no	no	no	cellular	sep	thu

```
bank <- na.omit(bank)
bank[, sapply( bank, is.character )] <- sapply( bank[, sapply( bank, is.character )], trimws)</pre>
```

To get an understanding of the data, lets visualize a few variables.

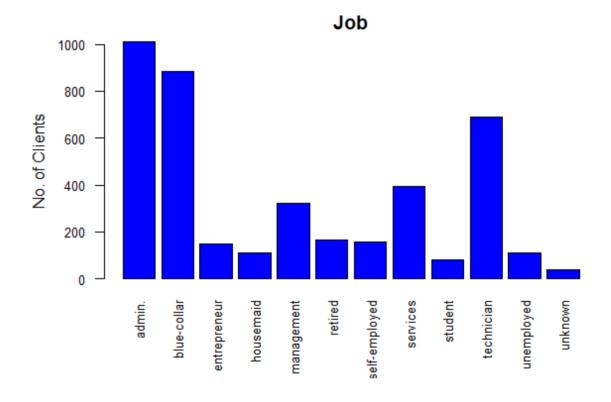
```
table(bank$y)
```

no yes 3668 451

The dataset contains 3668 'no' responses and 451 'yes' responses. Below is the distribution by occupation and age.

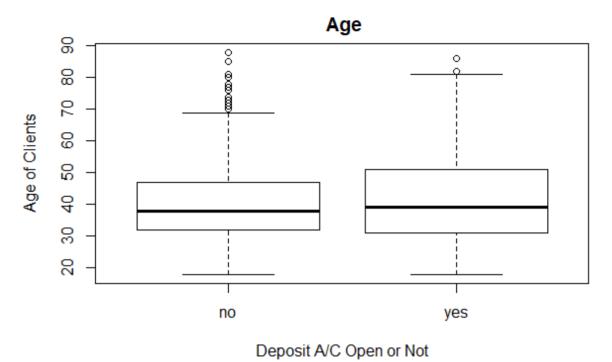
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barplot(table(bank job), col="blue", ylab="No. of Clients", las=2, main="Job", cex.names = 0.8, cex.axis = 0.8)



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boxplot(bank\$age~bank\$y, main=" Age",ylab="Age of Clients",xlab="Deposit A/C Open or Not")



# Splitting the dataset for training and testing

Now the dataset of 4119 observations are splitted into training and test data. We use stratified sampling to split the data, so that distribution of the outcome within training and testing datasets is preserved. We split the data with 75% (or 3090) of observations is used for training the model and 25% (or 1029) of observations is used to test the prediction outcome from the classifier model.

```
no yes
0.8911565 0.1088435
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nrow(test)
```

Thus, stratified sampling has enabled to maintain the distribution with about 89% of clients have responded 'no' to opening a deposit in both testing and training data set.

## Classification Methods

#### **Decision Tree**

# Training the model

After partitioning the data to train and test, use a 10 fold cross validation to evaluate the model

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```
TrainingParameters <- trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10, repeats = 5)</pre>
```

Then create the decision tree using the C5.0 algorithm.

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Let us take a look at the model.

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DecTreeModel

```
C5.0
3090 samples
 20 predictor
  2 classes: 'no', 'yes'
No pre-processing
Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
Summary of sample sizes: 2781, 2781, 2781, 2782, 2781, 2781, ...
Resampling results across tuning parameters:
 model winnow trials Accuracy
                                   Kappa
 rules FALSE
                 1
                        0.9058282 0.3751454
 rules FALSE
                10
                        0.9158554 0.5038596
 rules FALSE
                20
                        0.9116514 0.4569425
 rules
         TRUE
                 1
                        0.9051799 0.3708574
 rules
         TRUE
                10
                        0.9084151 0.4536081
 rules
         TRUE
                20
                        0.9100322 0.4580616
        FALSE
                        0.9029156 0.4009655
 tree
                 1
 tree
        FALSE
                10
                        0.9097033 0.4473559
 tree
        FALSE
                20
                        0.9103548 0.4750974
                        0.9045327 0.3887380
 tree
         TRUE
                1
                        0.9100353 0.4479091
         TRUE
                10
 tree
         TRUE
                20
                        0.9106826 0.4656236
 tree
Accuracy was used to select the optimal model using the largest value.
The final values used for the model were trials = 10, model = rules
and winnow = FALSE.
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summary(DecTreeModel)

```
Call:
(function (x, y, trials = 1, rules = FALSE, weights = NULL, control
 "winnow", "noGlobalPruning", "CF", "minCases",
 "fuzzyThreshold", "sample", "earlyStopping", "label", "seed")))
C5.0 [Release 2.07 GPL Edition]
                                  Mon Jun 11 14:02:50 2018
Class specified by attribute `outcome'
Read 3090 cases (54 attributes) from undefined.data
----- Trial 0: -----
Rules:
Rule 0/1: (2514/79, lift 1.1)
   duration <= 677
   poutcomesuccess <= 0
   nr.employed > 5076.2
    -> class no [0.968]
Rule 0/2: (2463/93, lift 1.1)
    duration <= 395
    poutcomesuccess <= 0
    -> class no [0.962]
Rule 0/3: (71/16, lift 7.0)
    duration > 395
   nr.employed <= 5076.2
    -> class yes [0.767]
Rule 0/4: (113/40, lift 5.9)
    poutcomesuccess > 0
    -> class yes [0.643]
Rule 0/5: (183/79, lift 5.2)
    duration > 677
    -> class yes [0.568]
Default class: no
----- Trial 1: -----
Rules:
Rule 1/1: (1782.4/67.6, lift 1.2)
   monthmar <= 0
   duration <= 395
   nr.employed > 5076.2
    -> class no [0.962]
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Rule 1/2: (1147.6/48.8, lift 1.2)
   monthmar <= 0
   duration <= 163
   -> class no [0.957]
Rule 1/3: (2359.5/269.5, lift 1.1)
   age <= 57
   monthmar <= 0
   nr.employed > 5076.2
   -> class no [0.885]
Rule 1/4: (64.3/16.5, lift 3.6)
   monthmar > 0
   -> class yes [0.736]
Rule 1/5: (36.8/10.3, lift 3.5)
   age > 57
   duration > 395
   nr.employed > 5076.2
    -> class yes [0.708]
Rule 1/6: (417.6/160.3, lift 3.0)
   duration > 163
   nr.employed <= 5076.2
    -> class yes [0.615]
Default class: no
----- Trial 2: -----
Rules:
Rule 2/1: (2033.9/321.6, lift 1.2)
   monthoct <= 0
   duration <= 454
   cons.price.idx > 92.379
   -> class no [0.842]
Rule 2/2: (120.1/22, lift 1.1)
   age <= 25
   monthoct <= 0
   cons.price.idx > 92.379
    -> class no [0.811]
Rule 2/3: (2343.6/617.5, lift 1.0)
   educationbasic.6y <= 0
   previous <= 0
   -> class no [0.736]
Rule 2/4: (292.9/95.4, lift 2.4)
   age > 25
    jobretired <= 0
   educationbasic.6y <= 0
   monthoct <= 0
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```
duration > 454
   duration <= 697
    previous <= 0
    -> class yes [0.673]
Rule 2/5: (794.3/345.5, lift 2.0)
   monthoct <= 0
   duration > 454
    cons.price.idx > 92.379
    -> class yes [0.565]
Default class: no
----- Trial 3: -----
Rules:
Rule 3/1: (673.2/22, lift 1.5)
   duration <= 152
   euribor3m > 0.851
    -> class no [0.966]
Rule 3/2: (778.3/132.4, lift 1.3)
   age <= 74
   contacttelephone > 0
    duration <= 837
    -> class no [0.829]
Rule 3/3: (332.9/63.3, lift 1.2)
    educationbasic.9y > 0
   duration <= 837
    -> class no [0.808]
Rule 3/4: (1811.9/362.5, lift 1.2)
   age <= 74
   educationunknown <= 0
   duration <= 837
    euribor3m > 1.27
    -> class no [0.800]
Rule 3/5: (518.8/107.1, lift 1.2)
    jobblue-collar > 0
    duration <= 837
    -> class no [0.792]
Rule 3/6: (438.8/95.6, lift 1.2)
   age <= 74
   monthjul > 0
   duration <= 837
    -> class no [0.781]
Rule 3/7: (33.3/4.2, lift 2.5)
    duration > 152
    euribor3m > 1.51
```

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nr.employed <= 5099.1
    -> class yes [0.854]
Rule 3/8: (89.4/26.9, lift 2.0)
    duration <= 152
    euribor3m <= 0.851
    -> class yes [0.695]
Rule 3/9: (300/99.1, lift 2.0)
    duration > 837
    -> class yes [0.669]
Rule 3/10: (937.5/425, lift 1.6)
    jobblue-collar <= 0
    educationbasic.9y <= 0
    duration > 152
    nr.employed <= 5099.1
    -> class yes [0.547]
Default class: no
----- Trial 4: -----
Rules:
Rule 4/1: (567.9/80.4, lift 1.3)
    contacttelephone > 0
    monthmar <= 0
    duration <= 616
    pdays > 7
    cons.price.idx > 92.379
    -> class no [0.857]
Rule 4/2: (1256.4/237.9, lift 1.3)
    duration <= 228
    -> class no [0.810]
Rule 4/3: (61.2/11.8, lift 1.2)
    duration > 228
    pdays > 7
    cons.price.idx <= 92.379</pre>
    -> class no [0.798]
Rule 4/4: (110.1/24.2, lift 1.2)
    contacttelephone <= 0</pre>
    duration > 533
    duration <= 616
    pdays > 7
    -> class no [0.776]
Rule 4/5: (116.5/25.7, lift 1.2)
    jobself-employed > 0
    pdays > 7
    -> class no [0.775]
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Rule 4/6: (1495.8/384.3, lift 1.2)
    monthmar <= 0
    day of weekwed <= 0
    duration <= 533
    pdays > 7
    cons.price.idx > 92.379
    -> class no [0.743]
Rule 4/7: (105.8/32.2, lift 1.9)
    duration > 228
    pdays <= 7
    -> class yes [0.692]
Rule 4/8: (36.7/11.3, lift 1.9)
    monthmar > 0
    duration > 228
    duration <= 616
    -> class yes [0.682]
Rule 4/9: (144.3/48.5, lift 1.8)
    contacttelephone <= 0</pre>
    day_of_weekwed > 0
    duration > 228
    duration <= 533
    cons.price.idx > 92.379
    -> class yes [0.662]
Rule 4/10: (596.2/243.1, lift 1.7)
    jobself-employed <= 0</pre>
    duration > 616
    cons.price.idx > 92.379
    -> class yes [0.592]
Default class: no
----- Trial 5: -----
Rules:
Rule 5/1: (251.1/10, lift 1.5)
    duration <= 88
    -> class no [0.957]
Rule 5/2: (2838.9/1166.3, lift 1.0)
    duration > 88
    -> class no [0.589]
Rule 5/3: (42.4/7.5, lift 2.1)
    age > 74
    duration > 88
    -> class yes [0.809]
Rule 5/4: (28.5/6.9, lift 1.9)
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educationbasic.6y > 0
   monthmay <= 0
   duration > 88
   nr.employed <= 5099.1
    -> class yes [0.741]
Rule 5/5: (30.1/8, lift 1.9)
   monthdec > 0
    duration > 88
    -> class yes [0.719]
Rule 5/6: (122.9/46.1, lift 1.6)
    jobretired <= 0
   defaultunknown > 0
   monthmay <= 0
    duration > 366
   nr.employed > 5099.1
    -> class yes [0.623]
Rule 5/7: (490.6/185.5, lift 1.6)
   age <= 74
    educationbasic.6y <= 0
   monthmay <= 0
    day of weekwed <= 0
    duration > 88
    poutcomenonexistent > 0
   nr.employed <= 5099.1
    -> class yes [0.621]
Default class: no
----- Trial 6: -----
Rules:
Rule 6/1: (443.5/53.1, lift 1.5)
   duration <= 127
    -> class no [0.879]
Rule 6/2: (123.7/21.9, lift 1.4)
    age > 32
    jobmanagement > 0
   previous <= 0
    -> class no [0.818]
Rule 6/3: (2768.6/1011, lift 1.1)
    pdays > 15
    -> class no [0.635]
Rule 6/4: (182.4/50.1, lift 1.8)
   age > 28
    duration > 361
   campaign <= 5
    previous > 0
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-> class yes [0.723]
Rule 6/5: (280.5/87.2, lift 1.7)
   duration > 127
    pdays <= 15
    -> class yes [0.688]
Rule 6/6: (237.4/77.2, lift 1.7)
    age > 28
   age <= 32
    jobself-employed <= 0</pre>
    duration > 361
    campaign <= 5
    -> class yes [0.673]
Rule 6/7: (424.4/164.9, lift 1.5)
    age > 28
    jobself-employed <= 0</pre>
   maritalmarried <= 0
    duration > 361
   campaign <= 5
    -> class yes [0.611]
Rule 6/8: (1334.8/634.6, lift 1.3)
   duration > 361
   campaign <= 5
    -> class yes [0.525]
Default class: no
----- Trial 7: -----
Rules:
Rule 7/1: (479.9/32.6, lift 1.5)
   duration <= 152
    -> class no [0.930]
Rule 7/2: (1181.4/149.9, lift 1.4)
   monthmar <= 0
    duration <= 637
    euribor3m > 1.281
    -> class no [0.872]
Rule 7/3: (555.4/115.6, lift 1.3)
   contacttelephone > 0
   monthmar <= 0
   duration <= 797
    euribor3m > 0.778
    -> class no [0.791]
Rule 7/4: (78.1/17.5, lift 1.2)
    duration > 152
    euribor3m > 0.731
```

```
euribor3m <= 0.778
    -> class no [0.769]
Rule 7/5: (183.2/41.8, lift 1.2)
    jobservices > 0
   monthmar <= 0
    euribor3m > 1.281
    -> class no [0.769]
Rule 7/6: (193.2/48, lift 2.0)
   monthmar <= 0
   duration > 152
    euribor3m <= 0.731
    -> class yes [0.749]
Rule 7/7: (89.9/28.5, lift 1.8)
   monthmar > 0
   duration > 152
    -> class yes [0.679]
Rule 7/8: (589.7/247.1, lift 1.6)
    jobservices <= 0
   monthmar <= 0
    duration > 637
   euribor3m > 1.281
    -> class yes [0.581]
Rule 7/9: (938.6/408.4, lift 1.5)
   contacttelephone <= 0</pre>
    duration > 152
    euribor3m <= 1.281
    -> class yes [0.565]
Rule 7/10: (726.3/317.3, lift 1.5)
   monthmar <= 0
   duration > 637
    -> class yes [0.563]
Default class: no
----- Trial 8: -----
Rules:
Rule 8/1: (413/4.5, lift 1.4)
   duration <= 152
    -> class no [0.987]
Rule 8/2: (1343.8/92, lift 1.3)
   age <= 74
   duration <= 677
   nr.employed > 5076.2
    -> class no [0.931]
```

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Rule 8/3: (220.9/17.3, lift 1.3)
   educationbasic.9y > 0
   duration <= 677
    -> class no [0.918]
Rule 8/4: (1592.7/285.4, lift 1.2)
   age <= 74
   monthdec <= 0
    duration <= 401
    -> class no [0.820]
Rule 8/5: (165.9/36.2, lift 1.1)
   age <= 74
   jobretired > 0
    -> class no [0.778]
Rule 8/6: (1979.4/460.7, lift 1.1)
   age <= 48
   cons.price.idx > 92.843
    -> class no [0.767]
Rule 8/7: (91.8/17.6, lift 3.0)
   educationbasic.9y <= 0
   monthdec <= 0
    duration > 401
    duration <= 677
   nr.employed <= 5076.2
    -> class yes [0.802]
Rule 8/8: (41.6/9.8, lift 2.8)
   age > 74
   duration > 152
    -> class yes [0.752]
Rule 8/9: (107.5/26.9, lift 2.8)
   age > 48
    jobretired <= 0
   duration > 677
    cons.price.idx > 92.843
    -> class yes [0.745]
Rule 8/10: (29.5/7.8, lift 2.7)
   monthdec > 0
   duration > 152
    -> class yes [0.723]
Default class: no
----- Trial 9: -----
Rules:
Rule 9/1: (490.3/15.2, lift 1.5)
    duration <= 172
```

```
-> class no [0.967]
Rule 9/2: (107.8/4, lift 1.5)
   campaign > 5
    pdays > 21
    -> class no [0.955]
Rule 9/3: (102.4/7.1, lift 1.5)
    educationunknown > 0
   pdays > 21
   euribor3m > 0.715
    -> class no [0.922]
Rule 9/4: (1594.1/141.3, lift 1.4)
    duration <= 679
    pdays > 21
    -> class no [0.911]
Rule 9/5: (1674.9/177.2, lift 1.4)
   educationbasic.6y <= 0
   duration <= 837
   pdays > 21
   euribor3m > 0.715
    -> class no [0.894]
Rule 9/6: (47.4, lift 3.2)
   educationbasic.6y > 0
   duration > 679
    -> class yes [0.980]
Rule 9/7: (29.6, lift 3.1)
   duration > 679
   euribor3m <= 0.715
   -> class yes [0.968]
Rule 9/8: (468.8/84.5, lift 2.7)
   duration > 172
   pdays <= 21
    -> class yes [0.818]
Rule 9/9: (504.5/152, lift 2.3)
   educationunknown <= 0
    duration > 837
   campaign <= 5
    -> class yes [0.698]
Default class: no
Evaluation on training data (3090 cases):
Trial
                Rules
        No
                Errors
```

```
0
            5 272(8.8%)
            6 299( 9.7%)
  1
  2
            5 411(13.3%)
  3
           10 311(10.1%)
  4
           10 330(10.7%)
  5
            7 429(13.9%)
            8 341(11.0%)
  6
  7
           10 330(10.7%)
           10 273(8.8%)
  8
  9
            9 260(8.4%)
boost
               218(7.1%)
                           <<
           (b)
                   <-classified as
      (a)
                   (a): class no
     2725
             26
```

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(b): class yes

#### Attribute usage:

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```
100.00% duration
99.94% euribor3m
99.55% age
99.55% pdays
97.80% cons.price.idx
97.35% monthmar
97.31% nr.employed
95.83% monthoct
93.27% poutcomesuccess
90.10% educationbasic.6y
83.82% previous
83.72% monthdec
83.56% educationunknown
72.23% day_of_weekwed
49.22% contacttelephone
36.70% jobblue-collar
29.22% educationbasic.9y
27.15% campaign
16.15% monthjul
15.63% jobself-employed
13.37% jobservices
12.01% jobretired
 9.42% monthmay
 7.06% poutcomenonexistent
 5.57% maritalmarried
 5.02% jobmanagement
```

Time: 0.4 secs

1.88% defaultunknown

# Testing the Model

Based on confusion matrix for test data, using the decision tree model we have correctly classified 901 + 40 = 941 observations and misclassified 16 + 40 = 56 representing a 91% accuracy.

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```
DTPredictions <-predict(DecTreeModel, test, na.action = na.pass)
confusionMatrix(table(DTPredictions, test$y))</pre>
```

```
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
DTPredictions no yes
         no 901 72
         ves 16 40
              Accuracy : 0.9145
                95% CI: (0.8957, 0.9308)
   No Information Rate: 0.8912
   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.007798
                 Kappa: 0.4352
Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 4.545e-09
           Sensitivity: 0.9826
           Specificity: 0.3571
         Pos Pred Value: 0.9260
        Neg Pred Value: 0.7143
            Prevalence: 0.8912
         Detection Rate: 0.8756
   Detection Prevalence: 0.9456
      Balanced Accuracy: 0.6698
       'Positive' Class : no
```

#### **Naive Bayes**

# Training the Model

The next machine learning method used to predict if a customer opens a bank account is Naive Bayes method. The Naive Bayes method assumes independence among all the variables, i.e. the algorithm assumes that attributes such as job and education are independent from each other in predicting whether a customer will open a bank account or not.

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```
NBModel <- train(train[,-20], train$y, method = "nb",trControl= trainControl(method = "cv", numbe
r = 10, repeats = 5))
NBModel</pre>
```

```
Naive Bayes
3090 samples
  20 predictor
   2 classes: 'no', 'yes'
No pre-processing
Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
Summary of sample sizes: 2781, 2781, 2781, 2781, 2782, 2781, ...
Resampling results across tuning parameters:
 usekernel Accuracy
                        Kappa
 FALSE
             0.8844626 0.4239128
   TRUE
             0.9019415 0.3593001
Tuning parameter 'fL' was held constant at a value of 0
Tuning
parameter 'adjust' was held constant at a value of 1
Accuracy was used to select the optimal model using the largest value.
The final values used for the model were fL = 0, usekernel = TRUE
 and adjust = 1.
```

After invoking the Naive Bayes method using training data set, lets feed test data to the model.

# Testing the model

Below confusion matrix by class y shows that there is 89% accuracy in classification per Naive Bayes method.

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```
NBPredictions <-predict(NBModel, test)
confusionMatrix(table(NBPredictions, test$y))</pre>
```

```
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
NBPredictions no yes
         no 899 87
         yes 18 25
              Accuracy: 0.898
                95% CI: (0.8778, 0.9158)
   No Information Rate: 0.8912
   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.2601
                 Kappa: 0.279
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 3.22e-11
           Sensitivity: 0.9804
           Specificity: 0.2232
        Pos Pred Value: 0.9118
        Neg Pred Value: 0.5814
            Prevalence: 0.8912
        Detection Rate: 0.8737
  Detection Prevalence: 0.9582
     Balanced Accuracy: 0.6018
       'Positive' Class : no
```

# **Support Vector Machines**

SVM is another classification method that can be used to predict if a client falls into either 'yes' or 'no' class.

# Training the model

As before, create a prediction model using svmPoly method.

```
Support Vector Machines with Polynomial Kernel

3090 samples
20 predictor
2 classes: 'no', 'yes'

No pre-processing
Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
Summary of sample sizes: 2781, 2781, 2781, 2781, 2780, 2781, ...
Resampling results:

Accuracy Kappa
0.9084099 0.4400775

Tuning parameter 'degree' was held constant at a value of 1

Tuning parameter 'scale' was held constant at a value of 1

Tuning parameter 'C' was held constant at a value of 1
```

After using polynomial kernal function to build a model, lets use test data to predict the accuracy of the model.

# Testing the model

```
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```

```
SVMPredictions <-predict(svm_model, test, na.action = na.pass)
confusionMatrix(table(SVMPredictions, test$y))</pre>
```

```
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
SVMPredictions no yes
          no 897
                   75
          yes 20
              Accuracy : 0.9077
                95% CI: (0.8883, 0.9247)
   No Information Rate: 0.8912
   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.04685
                 Kappa: 0.3933
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 3.02e-08
           Sensitivity: 0.9782
           Specificity: 0.3304
        Pos Pred Value: 0.9228
        Neg Pred Value : 0.6491
            Prevalence: 0.8912
        Detection Rate: 0.8717
  Detection Prevalence: 0.9446
      Balanced Accuracy: 0.6543
       'Positive' Class : no
```

## Model Evaluation

We created three models above to classify whether a cutomer would open a bank account or not. Lets build some key performance indicators to understand which model is the most successful in predicting the customer's decision.

The typically used performance metrics are:

precision: success rate in identifying whether a customer did not subscibe to the deposit account recall: proportion of clients correctly or incorrectly predicted to unsubscribe to an account

The classification goal is to predict whether or not customers will subscribe to a term deposit. Here the positive class is 'no' or that a customer does not subscribe to a deposit. Thus, it is important to choose a model with a low recall, i.e. the model that should contain a lower proportion of true positives (customers that did not subscribe to the deposit) out of total actual positives. If the bank aggressively determines those customers that do not subscribe to the bank account, the bank will lose some customers.

In order to illustrate recall and precision for each model, lets compute the weighted F-measure. The R output of the Confusion Matrix of each model already calculates recall and precision indicated by sensitivity and Pos Pred Value respectively. Thus, we can compute weighted F-measure (giving equal weights to reall and precision) as below. We collect sensitivity and Pos Pred Value from confusion matrix to compute F-measure for each model.

```
model = c("dec","nb","svm")
recall = c(0.9826, 0.9706, 0.9760)
precision = c(0.9260, 0.9242, 0.9284)
fmeasure <- 2 * precision * recall / (precision + recall)
eval_table = data.frame(model,recall,precision,fmeasure)
eval_table</pre>
```

model <fctr></fctr>	recall <dbl></dbl>	precision <dbl></dbl>	fmeasure <dbl></dbl>
dec	0.9826	0.9260	0.9534608
nb	0.9706	0.9242	0.9468319
svm	0.9760	0.9284	0.9516051
3 rows			

Based on the above table, Naive Bayes method is the recommended classification method as it contains lowest recall. We do not want a model that aggressively classifies a customer response as 'no', we want more customers to open a bank account.

# Tuning with Principal Component Analysis

Since the bank dataset on telephone calls contains multiple variables, we can perform a principal component analysis (PCA), a dimensionality reduction technique, to reduce some of the variables with less variance, such that we can improve the model performances by focusing only on those attributes with relatively high variance.

As before, we will partition the data to test and training and perform each classification method to predict whether or not a customer will open a bank account. The pca function in caret package in R is used to perform dimensionality reduction which will exclude all categorical variables in the bank dataset.

```
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TrainingDataIndex <- createDataPartition(bank$y, p=0.75, list = FALSE)
trainingData <- bank[TrainingDataIndex,]
testData <- bank[-TrainingDataIndex,]</pre>
```

#### **Decision Tree**

The decision tree model uses PCA to predict the class variable with an accuracy of 89.3%. This is slightly lower than the accuracy produced without performing dimensionalty reduction (89.9%). However, this model DecTreeModel2 contains a higher precision, 91.3% compared to 90.4% of DTPredictions.

```
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
DTPredictions2 no ves
          no 903
          ves 14 46
              Accuracy : 0.9223
                95% CI: (0.9042, 0.9379)
   No Information Rate: 0.8912
   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.0005051
                 Kappa: 0.4967
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 1.184e-08
           Sensitivity: 0.9847
           Specificity: 0.4107
        Pos Pred Value: 0.9319
        Neg Pred Value: 0.7667
            Prevalence: 0.8912
        Detection Rate: 0.8776
  Detection Prevalence: 0.9417
      Balanced Accuracy: 0.6977
       'Positive' Class : no
```

# **Naive Bayes**

With PCA, naive bayes method produces a higher accuracy of 88.6% compared to the accuracy produced with PCA, 87.7%, thus this model predict a higher true negative rate (customers identified as opening a bank account) compared to the model without PCA. This model produces the same recall in comparison to the naive bayes model without PCA. The specificity is significantly higher than that from without PCA (39% versus 30%). Specificity is instances of true negative (44) as a proportion of true negative and false positive (44 + 68). In the banking campaigns, we want to minimize false positives, i.e. identifying class variable as 'no' when a customer actually wants to a bank account.

```
NBModel2 <- train(trainingData[,-20], trainingData$y, method = "nb",trControl= trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10, repeats = 5))
NBPredictions2 <-predict(NBModel2, testData, na.action = na.pass)
confusionMatrix(table(NBPredictions2, testData$y))</pre>
```

```
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
NBPredictions2 no yes
          no 887
                   76
          yes 30 36
              Accuracy: 0.897
                95% CI: (0.8768, 0.9149)
   No Information Rate: 0.8912
   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.2941
                 Kappa: 0.3522
Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 1.238e-05
           Sensitivity: 0.9673
           Specificity: 0.3214
        Pos Pred Value : 0.9211
        Neg Pred Value: 0.5455
            Prevalence: 0.8912
        Detection Rate: 0.8620
  Detection Prevalence: 0.9359
     Balanced Accuracy: 0.6444
       'Positive' Class : no
```

# Support Vector Machine

When using PCA with SVM polynomial model, the accuracy improved from 89.6% to 90.3%. However, the model using PCA produced higher false positives (the model predicted a 'no' when a customer subscibed to an account) and thus SVM using PCA produced a higher precision, 91.1% versus 90.7%

```
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
SVpredictions2 no yes
          no 896 67
          yes 21 45
              Accuracy : 0.9145
                95% CI: (0.8957, 0.9308)
   No Information Rate: 0.8912
    P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.007798
                 Kappa: 0.4622
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 1.61e-06
           Sensitivity: 0.9771
           Specificity: 0.4018
         Pos Pred Value: 0.9304
        Neg Pred Value: 0.6818
            Prevalence: 0.8912
         Detection Rate: 0.8707
   Detection Prevalence: 0.9359
      Balanced Accuracy: 0.6894
       'Positive' Class : no
```

### Discussion

The previous section showed that all classifiers did not perform accurately in predicting the term deposit subcribers despite the stratified sampling. This implies the imbalance class problem was prevalent. The NB model assumes the descriptive features to follow normality that are not necessarily true. The solution would be a transformation on numeric features.

### Conclusion

Among three classifiers, the Naive Bayes produces the best performance in predicting if an individual will subscribe to a term deposit or not. We split the data into training and test sets. After using the PCA, we observed that even though there is no improvement in the recall value, the method produces an higher accuracy. Also, the accuracy of all the models are almost close to each other. We can try to create an ensemble model to see if there is a significant improvement in the performance of the model.