Predicting Whether a Given Mushroom Is Edible

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Abstract:

Mushroom hunting and identification has been an important part of many cultures since the dawn of man. Cultural impacts ranging from essential spiritual journey to cooking ingredients and even into pop culture. Knowing which mushrooms are dangerous to you and which pose no threat is what gives mushrooms much of their cultural significance. Data on given mushroom characteristics have been collected and compiled via the *The Audubon Society Field Guide to North American Mushrooms* and our goal is to determine which physical characteristics are indicators of a mushroom being poisonous. The distributions and frequencies of each characteristic will be explored along with which characteristics we believe do not aid in classification. Both linear and non-linear models will be constructed using the training data, our top performing models will be used to predict on the testing set, and the final overall best performing model will be selected.

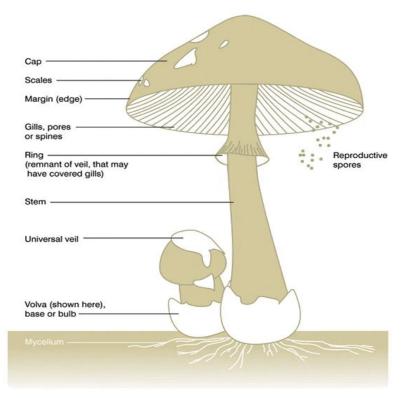


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1 Background

a) Variable Introduction and Definitions:

Data has been collected from *The Audubon Society Field Guide to North American Mushrooms* and accessed via Kaggle. Our response variable is "class" categorized by whether a given mushroom is poisonous or not. Below is a list of our variables, different categories for each variable and a description for each variable. There were 22 predicting variables, all categorical, and 8124 samples.

Predictor Name

- Cap shape
 - b = bell
 - o c = conical
 - \circ x = convex
 - f = flat
 - \circ k = knobbed
 - o s = sunken
- Cap surface
 - o f = fibrous
 - o g = grooves
 - o y = scaly
 - \circ s = smooth
- Cap color
 - \circ n = brown
 - \circ b = buff
 - o c = cinnamon
 - \circ g = gray
 - o r = green
 - \circ p = pink
 - \circ u = purple
 - e = red
 - \circ w = white
 - y = yellow
- Bruises
 - o t = bruises
 - o f = no bruises
- Odor

Description

The shape of the top of the mushroom

The surface of the top of the mushroom

The color of the top of the mushroom

The presence of any discoloration on the mushroom

The odor the mushroom gives off

- \circ a = almond
- I = anise
- o c = creosote
- \circ y = fishy
- o f = foul
- \circ m = musty
- o n = none
- \circ p = pungent
- o s = spicy
- Gill attachment
 - o a = attached
 - o d = descending
 - o f = free
 - \circ n = notched
- Gill spacing
 - \circ c = closed
 - w = crowded
 - o d = distant
- Gill size
 - o b = broad
 - o n = narrow
- Gill color
 - k = black
 - \circ n = brown
 - \circ b = buff
 - h = chocolate
 - o g = gray
 - o r = green
 - o o = orange
 - \circ p = pink
 - \circ u = purple
 - e = red
 - \circ w = white
 - y = yellow
- Stalk shape
 - e = enlarging
 - t = tapering
 - Stalk root
 - o b = bulbous
 - \circ c = club
 - u = cup
 - o e = equal
 - \circ z = rhizomorphs
 - \circ r = rooted

The attachment of the underside of the cap

The spacing between gills under the cap

The shape of the gills under the cap

The color of the gills under the cap

The size of the vertical portion of the mushroom

 Stalk surface above ring f = fibrous The surface between the ring and the companies	ар
○ y = scaly	
○ k = silky	
○ s = smooth	
Stalk surface below ring The surface of the mushroom bellow the right surface.	ng
o f = fibrous	
○ y = scaly	
○ k = silky	
○ s = smooth	
Stalk color above ring The color between the ring and t	ар
o n = brown	
o b = buff	
o c = cinnamon	
○ g = gray	
o o = orange	
o p = pink	
○ e = red	
○ w = white	
○ y = yellow	
Stalk color below ring The color below the ri	ng
o n = brown	
○ b = buff	
o c = cinnamon	
○ g = gray	
o o = orange	
o p = pink	
○ e = red	
○ w = white	
o y = yellow	
Veil type Presence of a veil below or above the c	•
p = partial (mostly found in premature mushroomu = universal	is)
	n t
Veil coloro n = brownColor of veil if present	וונ
o = orangew = white	
○ w = writte ○ y = yellow	
 Ring number Number of rings or vertical states. 	ile
o n = none	,IIO
 o = one 	
 t = two 	
● Ring type Shape of ring or v	eil
Shape of fing of	

- \circ c = cobwebby
- o e = evanescent
- f = flaring
- I = large
- o n = none
- o p = pendant
- \circ s = sheathing
- z = zone
- Spore print color
 - o k = black
 - o n = brown
 - \circ b = buff
 - o h = chocolate
 - o r = green
 - o o = orange
 - \circ u = purple
 - \circ w = white
 - o y = yellow
- Population
 - o a = abundant
 - o c = clustered
 - o n = numerous
 - o s = scattered
 - o v = several
 - y = solitary
- Habitat
 - o g = grasses
 - I = leaves
 - o m = meadows
 - \circ p = paths
 - o u = urban
 - o w = waste
 - o d = woods

Color produced when pressing spores to white paper

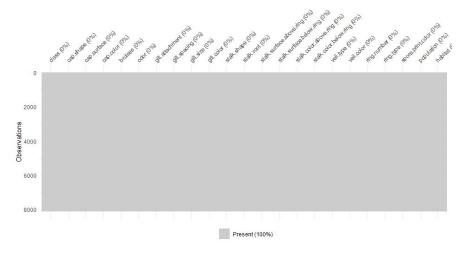
Amount of mushrooms seen in a given area

Environment where mushroom was observed at

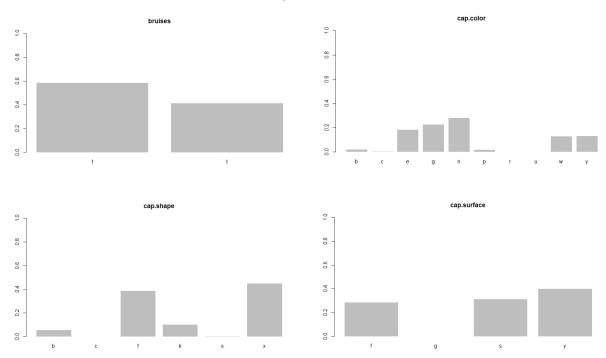
With these predictors the relationship between characteristics of each predictors will be analyzed to determine the most defining characteristic of an edible mushroom. The data will be preprocessed including missing variables, zero or near zero variances in the set, and collinearity between predictors. Then, both linear and non-linear models will be applied to predict defining characteristics of an edible mushroom.

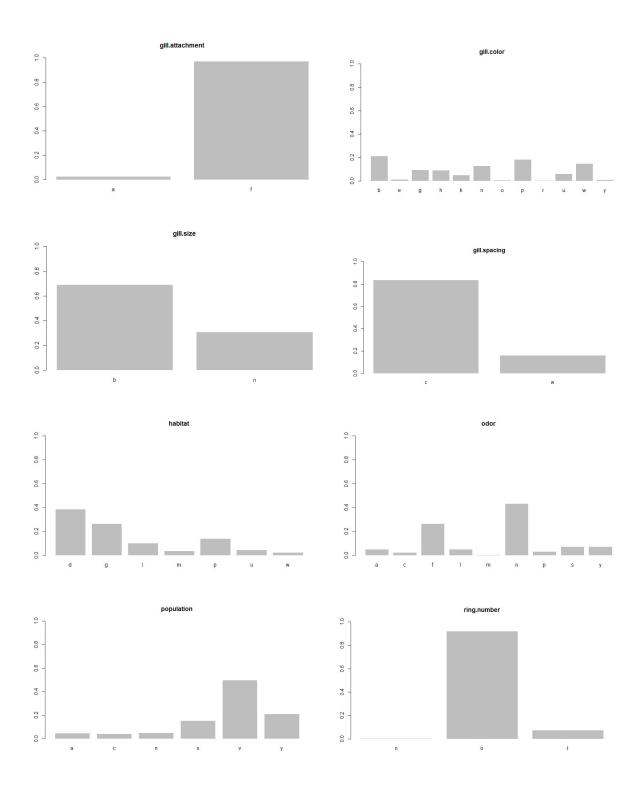
2 Preprocessing of the Predictors

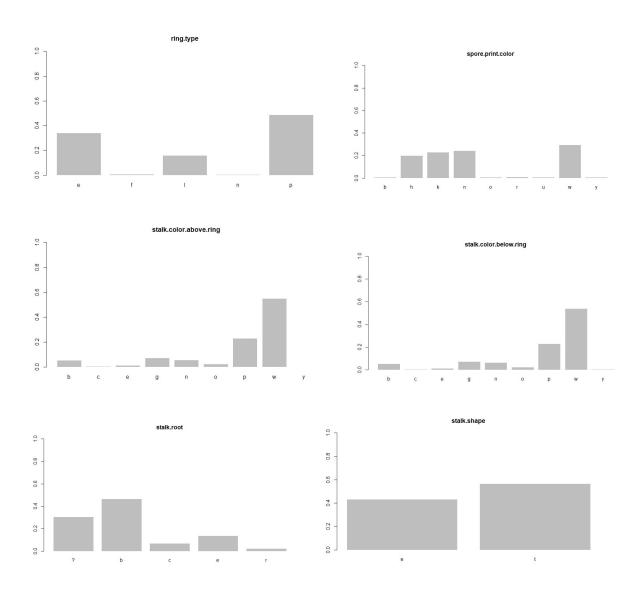
The first step in preprocessing our data is to find any missing variables in our set and impute new variables to obtain a complete data set.

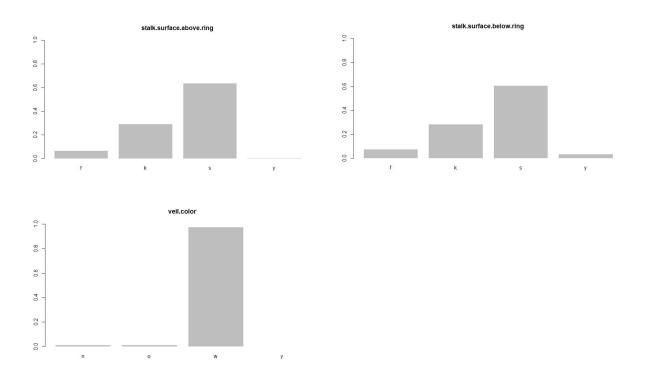


Our data set was complete in that there were no predictors with missing variables. Next we created dummy variables for every predictor. We created a total of 95 dummy variables. Then a check for unbalanced predictors was done.









As you can see, quite a few of our predictors were unevenly distributed. This is partially because when collecting samples the field workers determined characteristics prior to actually going out into the field and gathering data. So there were some characteristics that they expected to observe, however, found none for a handful of categories. This will be fixed after checking for zero/near-zero variances, followed up with center and scaling.

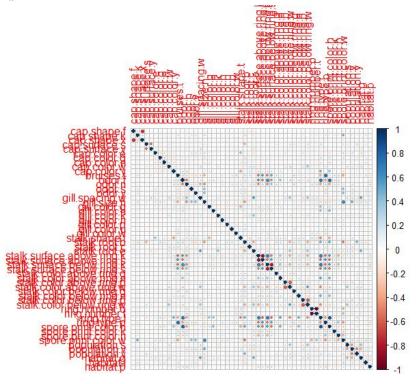
a. Zero/Near-Zero Variances

Using a cutoff of 95/5, the nearZeroVar function suggested that we remove nearly half of our predictors. R suggested that we remove so many because of the reasons mentioned earlier, that there were zero observations of certain characteristics. After removing the 41 near zero variance variables our set is left with 54 variables.

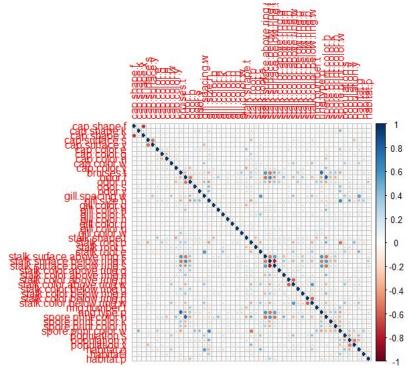
b. Collinearity

Nearly all of our data has a very weak correlation to each other. Using a cutoff value of 80% only three predictors were found to be highly correlated with one another.

Before highCorr() with a cutoff of 80%:



After highCorr() with a cutoff of 80%:



After this cutoff was implemented, we were left with 51 predictors.

c. Center and Scaling

Center and scaling was performed due to multiple models requiring center and scaling done. Following this process of centering and scaling the predictors, the dataset preprocessing is completed. We are left with 8124 observations and 51 dummy variables for predictors.

3 Splitting of the Data

To split the data, we decided to go with an 80/20 split training/testing using the stratified sampling method. The following figure is a distribution of the response variable, the variable we performed the split on.



While this class itself was not very unbalanced, performing a stratified split using this class gave the most equal representation of all other variables present within the dataset. Normal random would occasionally create huge disparities between the '1' and '0' values for other predictors, and even a stratified split performed predictors would cause the same issue. Stratified on the response variable ensured representation for each predictor in the training and testing sets. The split resulted in 6500 samples in the training set and 1624 in the testing set.

To help ensure overfitting would not be an issue within our model building, we also went with 10-fold-cross-validation. Our dataset is large enough where bootstrapping and

LOOCV would be too computationally intensive and unnecessary, so 10-fold-cross-validation felt the most appropriate.

4 Model Fitting

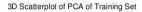
We chose to optimize the models for specificity, as the false positive rate is calculated from 1 - (specificity). It is important to have a good true positive rate in this study as a false positive in this context means that the mushroom is poisonous while being described as edible by the model, potentially resulting in a fatal consumption by the user.

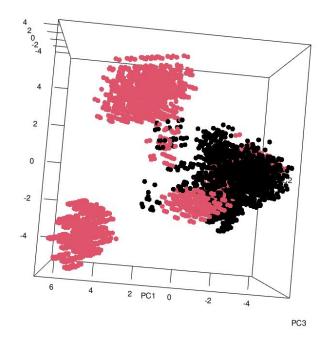
A. Linear Models

Starting with the linear models:

Model	Tuning Parameters	Specificity
Logistic Regression	N/A	1.000
Linear Discriminant Analysis	N/A	0.9818
Partial Least Squares	Components = 29	0.9818
General Linear Model	Alpha = 0.4, Lambda = 0.01	0.9780
Shrunken Centroid	Threshold = 18.7	0.9697

Our linear models performed very well on this data set with most of them giving a near perfect value for specificity. The Logistic Regression model did output a specificity value of 1, however, it is a little misleading. Whilst running the Logistic Regression model R output an error message stating "fitted probabilities numerically 0 or 1 occurred", and after researching what could cause that error message to appear we discovered that the predictor classes are perfectly separable. Looking at a 3D scatterplot of our data:





There is a very clear distinction between the edible and poisonous mushrooms which caused some errors when building said model. For this reason the Logistic Regression model will not be considered. For more insights into the linear classification models, their outputs, and their tuning plots, please refer to Appendix 1.

B. Non-Linear Models

While our linear models performed exceptionally well, we did observe some more appropriate models in the non-linear category.

Model	Tuning Parameters	Specificity	Карра
Regular Discriminant Analysis	Gamma = 0.1 Lamdba = 0.1	0.9965	0.9948
Mixture Discriminant Analysis	Subclasses = 11	1.000	1.000
Flexible Discriminant Analysis	Degree = 2 Nprune = 15	1.000	0.9975
K-Nearest Neighbors	K = 1	1.000	1.000
Naive Bayes	N/A	0.8529	0.8394
Support Vector Machine (Radial)	Sigma = 0.00736 C = 4	1.000	1.000
Neural Network	Size = 3 Decay = 1	1.000	1.000

Several of our non-linear models gave perfect values for specificity with the other models (RDA and Naive Bayes) also giving very good values. The top two models are highlighted in the table and were then used to predict on the test set for a final model selection. We chose these two models because they had specificity values of 1 and they have the least amount of tuning parameters meaning they are simpler models to build and compute. Again, we need a model with a high specificity value for minimizing false positives. For further insights into the nonlinear classification models, their outputs, and their tuning plots, please refer to Appendix 2.

C. Optimization

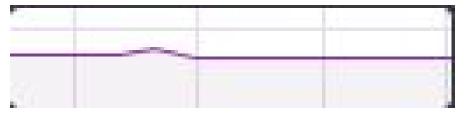
The two models we chose to predict with the testing set were MDA and KNN as they performed the best in terms of specificity and we're the easiest to interpret. Their testing outputs are as follows, with KNN on the left and MDA on the right.

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Confusion Matrix and Statistics
Confusion Matrix and Statistics
                                                                   Reference
         Reference
                                                                 on e p
e 841 ^
                                                         Prediction
Prediction
            e p
        e 841
                0
                                                                  p 0 783
        p 0 783
                                                                        Accuracy : 1
95% CI : (0.9977, 1)
              Accuracy : 1
                95% CI: (0.9977, 1)
                                                            No Information Rate : 0.5179
    No Information Rate: 0.5179
                                                            P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
                                                                           карра: 1
                  карра: 1
                                                         Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
                                                                     Sensitivity: 1.0000
            Sensitivity: 1.0000
                                                                     Specificity: 1.0000
            Specificity: 1.0000
                                                                  Pos Pred Value : 1.0000
        Pos Pred Value : 1.0000
                                                                 Neg Pred Value : 1.0000
        Neg Pred Value : 1.0000
                                                                     Prevalence: 0.5179
            Prevalence : 0.5179
                                                                 Detection Rate : 0.5179
        Detection Rate : 0.5179
                                                           Detection Prevalence : 0.5179
  Detection Prevalence : 0.5179
                                                              Balanced Accuracy : 1.0000
      Balanced Accuracy: 1.0000
                                                                'Positive' Class : e
       'Positive' Class : e
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Since the two models we chose to continue testing on (MDA and KNN) gave nearly the exact same output, we had to use a different metric to compare between these two models. Since all of our models performed very well our final model choice came down to which model was the most optimal to build and test on with respect to computational time/stress. First we looked at memory allocation between the two:



Here is the amount of memory required to train our MDA model. The flatline on either end of the graph is the normal amount of memory required by your computer to be able to open up web pages and other applications, we are only concerned with the central part of the graph. We can see that the amount of memory required by the MDA model has several peaks and troughs, when comparing that to the graph for KNN's memory allocation:



We can see that KNN had a single spike in memory usage. This implies that KNN requires less memory to run. Next, we looked at CPU utilization:



While this is a crude graph, we can still extract important information from it. This graph is a graph of CPU usage, or how much stress the models put on the computer when building. On the left is the range of CPU usage that MDA required, while on the right is KNN. Both models peaked near the same CPU usage, however MDA appeared to spike then plateau at that height. KNN on the other hand spiked, immediately dropped down to normal usage, then spiked again. That drop to normal CPU usage while running KNN was a major contributor in decreasing its gross CPU utilization.

Finally, when deciding between these two models we looked at the time it took to build and predict on the models. Using the tictoc function in R we can see how long each model took to run down to .01 of a second. The MDA model took a combined time of 7.54 seconds to build and predict on, while the KNN model took a combined time of 4.01 seconds. The KNN model did take longer on the prediction side, however building the KNN model took less than half the time than building on the MDA model.

For these reasons we have decided to continue with KNN as our final model. Something to note is that these observations are all empirical evidence. KNN may not be the more optimal model theoretically or when expanded onto a much larger set, say in the millions of data entries. However, this is what we observed so these are the assumptions we must go under.

5 Summary

As mentioned in the previous section, we have chosen K-Nearest Neighbors for our final model. KNN returned a specificity value of 1.000 along with a Kappa value of 1 with a k value of 1. It was the simplest model that still gave us very good results both on the training and testing sets. Boasting the kappa value of 1 and specificity of 1 can help reassure us that our model isn't just randomly guessing these mushroom types and it outputs data that is potentially trustable.

While it's nice to know this model has a 1.0 specificity and 100% accuracy rate, it would also be nice to know what predictors are most prominent in the predictions. The following figure displays the top 20 important predictors for the KNN model, indicating that not having a smell is the most important predictor.

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only 20 most important variables shown (out of 51)
                           Importance
odor.n
                              100.00
ring.type.p
                               70.56
odor.f
                               70.31
stalk.surface.below.ring.k
                               65.98
aill.size.n
                               64.46
                               64.17
bruises.t
stalk.surface.above.ring.s
                               60.55
population.v
                               56.02
                              53.33
49.86
stalk.surface.below.ring.s
spore.print.color.h
                              45.32
spore.print.color.n
spore.print.color.k
                              42.62
spore.print.color.w
                              41.57
gill.spacing.w
                               32.10
habitat.p
                               28.67
                                27.26
stalk.color.above.ring.w
stalk.color.below.ring.w
                               26.77
stalk.color.above.ring.p
                               24.79
gill.color.n
                                24.65
stalk.color.below.ring.p
                               24.57
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This model could surely help mushroom foragers decide whether a mushroom is worth the risk of trying out or not. For the tuning plot and outputs of the KNN model, please refer to Appendix 2.

6 Appendix 1: Linear Classification Model Outputs/Plots

1) Logistic Regression

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Confusion Matrix and Statistics
                           Reference
                 Prediction
                             e p
                         e 3367
                             0 3133
                                Accuracy : 1
                                  95% CI: (0.9994, 1)
                     No Information Rate: 0.518
                     P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
                                   Kappa: 1
                  Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA
                             Sensitivity: 1.000
                             Specificity: 1.000
                          Pos Pred Value : 1.000
                          Neg Pred Value : 1.000
                              Prevalence: 0.518
                          Detection Rate: 0.518
                    Detection Prevalence: 0.518
                       Balanced Accuracy: 1.000
                        'Positive' Class : e
2) Linear Discriminant Analysis
               Confusion Matrix and Statistics
                         Reference
               Prediction
                            e
                        e 3314
                           53 3076
                              Accuracy: 0.9831
                                95% CI: (0.9796, 0.9861)
                   No Information Rate: 0.518
                   P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16
                                 Kappa: 0.9661
                Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.7748
                           Sensitivity: 0.9843
                           Specificity: 0.9818
                        Pos Pred Value: 0.9831
                        Neg Pred Value : 0.9831
                            Prevalence: 0.5180
                        Detection Rate: 0.5098
                  Detection Prevalence: 0.5186
                     Balanced Accuracy: 0.9830
                      'Positive' Class : e
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3) Partial Least Squares

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3313 57 p 54 3076

Accuracy: 0.9829

95% CI: (0.9795, 0.9859)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16

Kappa: 0.9658

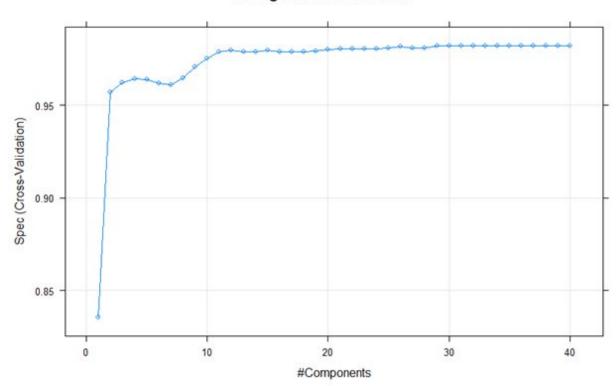
Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.8494

Sensitivity: 0.9840 Specificity: 0.9818 Pos Pred Value: 0.9831 Neg Pred Value: 0.9827 Prevalence: 0.5180

Detection Rate : 0.5097 Detection Prevalence : 0.5185 Balanced Accuracy : 0.9829

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for PLS Model



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final value used for the model was ncomp = 29.

4) Penalized GLM

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3336 69 p 31 3064

Accuracy: 0.9846

95% CI: (0.9813, 0.9875)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Карра: 0.9692

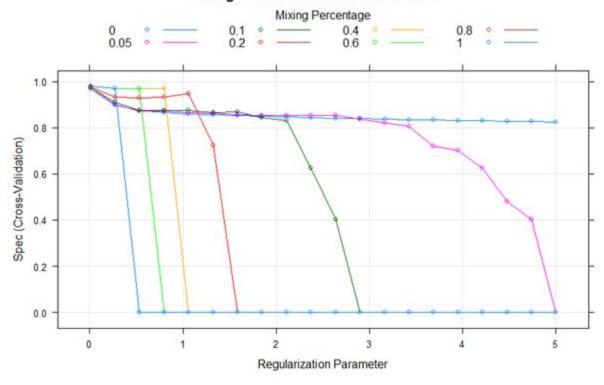
Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.0002156

Sensitivity: 0.9908
Specificity: 0.9780
Pos Pred Value: 0.9797
Neg Pred Value: 0.9900
Prevalence: 0.5180
Detection Rate: 0.5132

Detection Prevalence : 0.5238 Balanced Accuracy : 0.9844

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for Penalized GLM Model



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final values used for the model were alpha = 0.4 and lambda = 0.01.

5) Nearest Shrunken Centroids

Reference Prediction e p e 3289 95 p 78 3038

Accuracy: 0.9734

95% CI: (0.9692, 0.9772)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16

Kappa: 0.9467

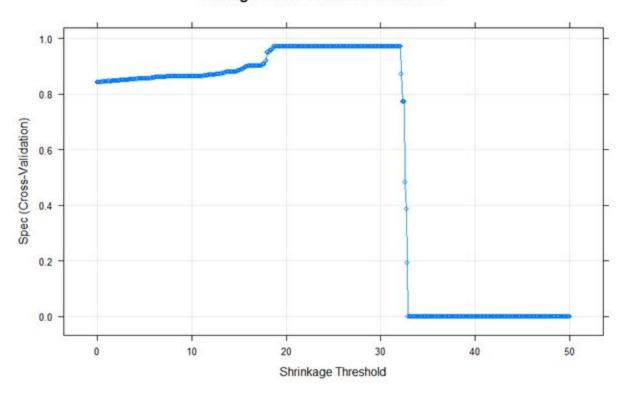
Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.2238

Sensitivity: 0.9768 Specificity: 0.9697 Pos Pred Value: 0.9719 Neg Pred Value: 0.9750 Prevalence: 0.5180

Detection Rate : 0.5060 Detection Prevalence : 0.5206 Balanced Accuracy : 0.9733

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for Shrunken Centroids



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final value used for the model was threshold = 18.7.

7 Appendix 2: Nonlinear Classification Model Outputs/Plots

1) Regular Discriminant Analysis

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Confusion Matrix and Statistics
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Reference Prediction e p e 3361 11 p 6 3122

> Accuracy: 0.9974 95% CI: (0.9958, 0.9985)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : <2e-16

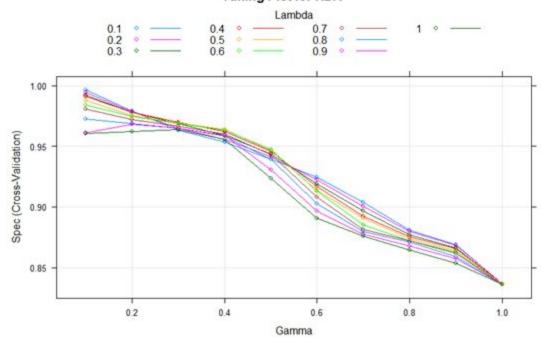
карра: 0.9948

Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.332

Sensitivity: 0.9982 Specificity: 0.9965 Pos Pred Value: 0.9967 Neg Pred Value: 0.9981 Prevalence: 0.5180 Detection Rate: 0.5171 Detection Prevalence: 0.5188 Balanced Accuracy: 0.9974

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for RDA



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final values used for the model were gamma = 0.1 and lambda = 0.1.

2) Mixture Discriminant Analysis

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3367 0 p 0 3133

> Accuracy : 1 95% CI : (0.9994, 1) No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

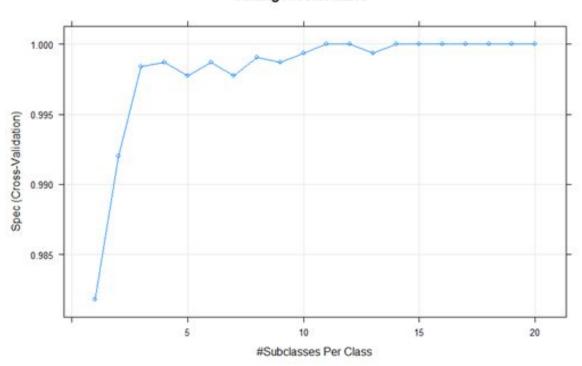
> > Карра: 1

Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA

Sensitivity: 1.000
Specificity: 1.000
Pos Pred Value: 1.000
Neg Pred Value: 1.000
Prevalence: 0.518
Detection Rate: 0.518
Detection Prevalence: 0.518
Balanced Accuracy: 1.000

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for MDA



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final value used for the model was subclasses = 11.

3) Flexible Discriminant Analysis

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3359 0 p 8 3133

Accuracy: 0.9988

95% CI: (0.9976, 0.9995)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2e-16

Карра: 0.9975

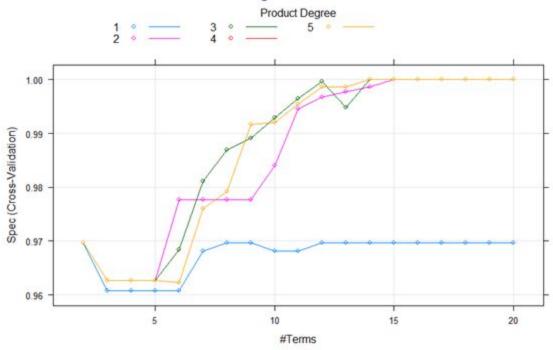
Mcnemar's Test P-Value: 0.01333

Sensitivity: 0.9976 Specificity: 1.0000 Pos Pred Value: 1.0000 Neg Pred Value: 0.9975 Prevalence: 0.5180 Detection Rate: 0.5168

Detection Prevalence : 0.5168 Balanced Accuracy : 0.9988

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for FDA



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final values used for the model were degree = 2 and nprune = 15.

4) K-Nearest-Neighbor

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3367 0 p 0 3133

Accuracy : 1

95% CI : (0.9994, 1)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Карра : 1

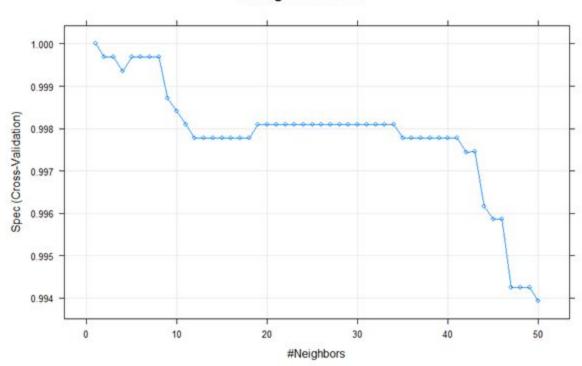
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA

Sensitivity: 1.000 Specificity: 1.000 Pos Pred Value: 1.000 Neg Pred Value: 1.000 Prevalence: 0.518 Detection Rate: 0.518

Detection Prevalence : 0.518 Balanced Accuracy : 1.000

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for KNN



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final value used for the model was k=1.

5) Support Vector Machine (Radial)

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3367 0 p 0 3133

Accuracy: 1

95% CI: (0.9994, 1)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Kappa: 1

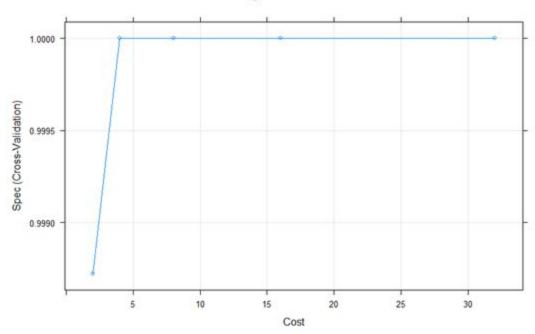
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA

Sensitivity: 1.000
Specificity: 1.000
Pos Pred Value: 1.000
Neg Pred Value: 1.000
Prevalence: 0.518
Detection Rate: 0.518
Detection Prevalence: 0.518

Balanced Accuracy : 1.000

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for SVM



Tuning parameter 'sigma' was held constant at a value of 0.007310723 Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final values used for the model were sigma = 0.007310723 and C = 4.

6) Neural Network

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3367 0 p 0 3133

Accuracy: 1

95% CI: (0.9994, 1)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Карра: 1

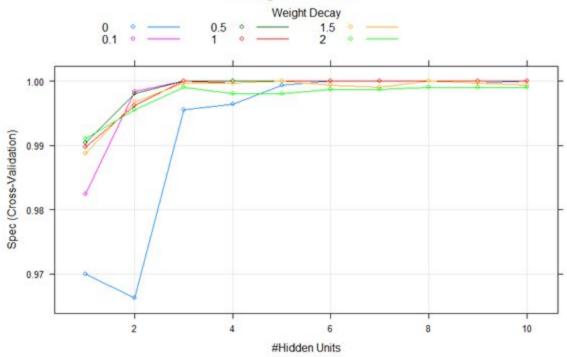
Mcnemar's Test P-Value : NA

Sensitivity: 1.000 Specificity: 1.000 Pos Pred Value: 1.000 Neg Pred Value: 1.000 Prevalence: 0.518 Detection Rate: 0.518

Detection Prevalence : 0.518 Balanced Accuracy : 1.000

'Positive' Class : e

Tuning Plot for NNet



Spec was used to select the optimal model using the largest value. The final values used for the model were size = 3 and decay = 1.

7) Naive Bayes

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference Prediction e p e 3309 461 p 58 2672

Accuracy: 0.9202 95% CI: (0.9133, 0.9266)

No Information Rate : 0.518 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16

Kappa: 0.8394

Mcnemar's Test P-Value : < 2.2e-16

Sensitivity: 0.9828 Specificity: 0.8529 Pos Pred Value : 0.8777 Neg Pred Value : 0.9788 Prevalence: 0.5180 Detection Rate: 0.5091

Detection Prevalence: 0.5800 Balanced Accuracy: 0.9178

'Positive' Class : e

8 R Code

library("caret") library('corrplot') library(AppliedPredictiveModeling) library("e1071") library("lattice") library("ggplot2") library("naniar") library('plyr') library('pamr') library('rms') library('mda') library('MASS') library('klaR') library(nnet) library('pROC') library('kernlab') library('rgl') library('ggplot2') library('tictoc') # Authors: Caleb Hiltunen, Ian Boulis # Date: 9/14/20 # Description: Creating training/testing sets, detecting collinearity, creating models mushrooms <- read.csv('mushrooms.csv')</pre> # Making everything workable mushrooms\$class <- as.factor(mushrooms\$class)</pre> mushrooms\$cap.shape <- as.factor(mushrooms\$cap.shape) mushrooms\$cap.surface <- as.factor(mushrooms\$cap.surface)</pre> mushrooms\$cap.color <- as.factor(mushrooms\$cap.color)</pre> mushrooms\$bruises <- as.factor(mushrooms\$bruises)</pre> mushrooms\$odor <- as.factor(mushrooms\$odor)</pre> mushrooms\$gill.attachment <- as.factor(mushrooms\$gill.attachment)</pre> mushrooms\$gill.spacing <- as.factor(mushrooms\$gill.spacing)</pre> mushrooms\$gill.size <- as.factor(mushrooms\$gill.size)</pre> mushrooms\$gill.color <- as.factor(mushrooms\$gill.color)</pre> mushrooms\$stalk.shape <- as.factor(mushrooms\$stalk.shape)</pre> mushrooms\$stalk.root <- as.factor(mushrooms\$stalk.root)</pre>

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mushrooms$stalk.surface.above.ring <- as.factor(mushrooms$stalk.surface.above.ring)
mushrooms$stalk.surface.below.ring <- as.factor(mushrooms$stalk.surface.below.ring)
mushrooms$stalk.color.above.ring <- as.factor(mushrooms$stalk.color.above.ring)
mushrooms$stalk.color.below.ring <- as.factor(mushrooms$stalk.color.below.ring)</pre>
mushrooms$veil.color <- as.factor(mushrooms$veil.color)</pre>
mushrooms$ring.number <- as.factor(mushrooms$ring.number)</pre>
mushrooms$ring.type <- as.factor(mushrooms$ring.type)</pre>
mushrooms$spore.print.color <- as.factor(mushrooms$spore.print.color)</pre>
mushrooms$population <- as.factor(mushrooms$population)</pre>
mushrooms$habitat <- as.factor(mushrooms$habitat)</pre>
mushrooms$veil.type <- as.factor(mushrooms$veil.type)</pre>
# Checking for missing data
vis miss(mushrooms)
# Distribution graphs
colnames <- colnames(mushrooms)</pre>
for(i in 1:23){
barplot(prop.table(table(mushrooms[i])),
  main = colnames[i],
   col = "gray",
   border = "white",
   ylim = c(0,1)
}
# Dummy variables
dummRes <-
dummyVars("~+cap.shape+cap.surface+cap.color+bruises+odor+gill.spacing+gill.size+
gill.color+veil.color+gill.attachment+stalk.shape+stalk.root+stalk.surface.above.ring+stal
k.surface.below.ring+stalk.color.above.ring+stalk.color.below.ring+ring.number+ring.typ
e+spore.print.color+population+habitat", data = mushrooms, fullRank = TRUE)
Add dumm <- data.frame(predict(dummRes,newdata = mushrooms))
# Near 0 Variance
varmush <- nearZeroVar(Add dumm,95/5)</pre>
varmush
filter Add dum <- Add dumm[,-varmush]
# Correlation
mush2 <- cor(filter Add dum)
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corrplot(mush2)
highCorr <- findCorrelation(mush2,0.8)
length(highCorr)
highCorr
filter Add dum 2 <- filter Add dum[,-highCorr]
mush3 <- cor(filter Add dum 2)
corrplot(mush3)
# Center and Scaling
mush4 <- scale(filter Add dum 2, center = TRUE, scale = TRUE)
mush5 <- data.frame(mush4)
# Splitting the data
set.seed(121)
trainingSetHold <- createDataPartition(mushrooms$class, p = 0.80, list = FALSE)
trainingSetX <- mush5[ trainingSetHold, ]</pre>
trainingSetY <- mushrooms[ trainingSetHold, 1]
testingSetX <- mush5[-trainingSetHold,]
testingSetY <- mushrooms[-trainingSetHold, 1]
# PCA plots
plot3d(x = pca2$x[,c(1,3,2)], col = as.numeric(trainingSetY),size = 10, main = '3D'
Scatterplot of PCA of Training Set')
scatterplot3d::scatterplot3d(x = pca$x[,c(1,3,2)], color = as.numeric(mushrooms$class),
main = '3D Scatterplot of PCA of Entire Dataset')
scatterplot3d::scatterplot3d(x = pca2$x[,c(2,1,3)], color = as.numeric(trainingSetY),
main = '3D Scatterplot of PCA of Training Dataset')
# Resampling method
ctrl <- trainControl(method = 'cv',
            number = 10,
            classProbs = TRUE,
            summaryFunction = twoClassSummary,
            savePredictions = TRUE)
## LINEAR CLASSIFICATION MODELS ##
# Logistic Regression
set.seed(111)
Ir <- train(x = trainingSetX,</pre>
       y = trainingSetY,
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method = 'glm',
       metric = 'Spec',
       trControl = ctrl,
        maxit = 250)
lr
confusionMatrix(Ir$pred$pred,
          reference = Ir$pred$obs)
# LDA
set.seed(111)
lda <- train(x = trainingSetX,</pre>
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'lda',
        metric = 'Spec',
        trControl = ctrl)
lda
confusionMatrix(Ida$pred$pred,
          reference = Ir$pred$obs)
#PLS
plsGrid <- expand.grid(.ncomp = 1:40)
set.seed(111)
pls <- train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'pls',
        metric = 'Spec',
        trControl = ctrl,
        tuneGrid = expand.grid(.ncomp = 29))
pls
plot(pls,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for PLS Model')
confusionMatrix(pls$pred$pred,
          reference = pls$pred$obs)
# Penalized
glmnGrid \leftarrow expand.grid(.alpha = c(0, 0.05, .1, .2, .4, .6, .8, 1),
               .lambda = seq(.01, 5, length = 20)
set.seed(111)
glm < -train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
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method = 'glmnet',
        metric = 'Spec',
        trControl = ctrl,
        tuneGrid = expand.grid(.alpha = 0.4, .lambda = 0.01))
glm
plot(glm,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for Penalized GLM Model')
confusionMatrix(glm$pred$pred,
          reference = glm$pred$obs)
# Shrunken Centroids
nscGrid <- data.frame(.threshold = seq(0, 50, by = 0.1))
set.seed(111)
cent <- train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'pam',
        trControl = ctrl.
        tuneGrid = nscGrid,
        metric = 'Spec')
cent
plot(cent,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for Shrunken Centroids')
confusionMatrix(cent$pred$pred,
          reference = cent$pred$obs)
## NONLINEAR CLASSIFICATION MODELS ##
# RDA
rdaGrid \leftarrow expand.grid(.gamma = seq(0.1, 1, by = .1),
              .lambda = seq(0.1, 1, by = .1)
set.seed(111)
rda1 <- train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'rda',
        trControl = ctrl,
        metric = 'Spec',
        tuneGrid = expand.grid(.gamma = 0.1, .lambda = 0.1),
        na.action = na.pass)
rda1
plot(rda1,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for RDA')
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confusionMatrix(rda1$pred$pred,
         reference = rda1$pred$obs)
# MDA
set.seed(111)
tic()
mda1 <- train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'mda',
        metric = 'Spec',
        trControl = ctrl.
        tuneGrid = expand.grid(.subclasses = 11))
toc()
mda1
plot(mda1,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for MDA')
confusionMatrix(mda1$pred$pred,
          reference = mda1$pred$obs)
# Neural Network
nnetGrid <- expand.grid(.size = 1:10, .decay = c(0, 0.1, 0.5, 1, 1.5, 2))
maxSize <- max(nnetGrid$.size)</pre>
mxWts < -(maxSize * (51 + 1) + (maxSize + 1)* 2)
set.seed(111)
nnet1 <- train(x = trainingSetX,
         y = trainingSetY,
         method = 'nnet',
         metric = 'Spec',
         tuneGrid = expand.grid(.size = 3, .decay = 1),
         maxit = 2000,
         MaxNWts = mxWts,
         trControl = ctrl,
         trace = FALSE)
nnet1
plot(nnet1,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for NNet')
confusionMatrix(nnet1$pred$pred,
          reference = nnet1$pred$obs)
# FDA
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marsGrid <- expand.grid(.degree = 1:5, .nprune = 2:20)
set.seed(111)
fda <- train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'fda',
        metric = 'Spec',
        tuneGrid = expand.grid(.degree = 2, .nprune = 15),
        trControl = ctrl)
fda
plot(fda,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for FDA')
confusionMatrix(fda$pred$pred,
          reference = fda$pred$obs)
# SVM
sigmaRange <- sigest(as.matrix(trainingSetX))</pre>
svmGrid <- expand.grid(.sigma = sigmaRange[1],</pre>
              .C = 4)
set.seed(111)
svm1 <- train(x = trainingSetX,</pre>
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'svmRadial',
        metric = 'Spec',
        tuneGrid = svmGrid,
        trControl = ctrl)
svm1
plot(svm1,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for SVM')
confusionMatrix(svm1$pred$pred,
          reference = svm1$pred$obs)
# KNN
set.seed(111)
tic()
knn1 < -train(x = trainingSetX,
        y = trainingSetY,
        method = 'knn',
        metric = 'Spec',
        tuneGrid = data.frame(.k = 1),
        trControl = ctrl)
```

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toc()
knn1
plot(knn1,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for KNN')
confusionMatrix(knn1$pred$pred,
         reference = knn1$pred$obs)
# Naive bayes
set.seed(111)
bayes1 <- train(x = trainingSetX,
         y = trainingSetY,
         method = 'nb',
         metric = 'Spec',
         tuneGrid = expand.grid(.fL = 10, .adjust = TRUE, .usekernel = TRUE),
         trControl = ctrl
bayes1
plot(bayes1,
   main = 'Tuning Plot for Naive Bayes')
confusionMatrix(bayes1$pred$pred,
         reference = bayes1$pred$obs)
# Testing on two best ones
# KNN
tic()
knnPred <- predict(knn1, newdata = testingSetX)
postResample(knnPred, testingSetY)
confusionMatrix(knnPred,
         reference = testingSetY)
# MDA
tic()
MDAPred <- predict(mda1, newdata = testingSetX)
toc()
postResample(MDAPred, testingSetY)
confusionMatrix(MDAPred,
         reference = testingSetY)
# Important Predictors
varImp(knn1, metric = 'Spec')
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