FE8828 Programming Web Applications in Finance

Session 5 Building Financial Applications

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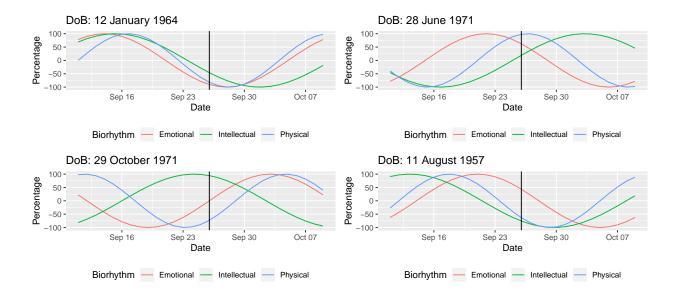
Lecture 10: Building Financial Applications

Starter

```
# biorhythm.R
library(dplyr)
library(tidyr)
library(ggplot2)
biorhythm <- function(dob, target = Sys.Date()) {</pre>
  dob <- as.Date(dob)</pre>
  target <- as.Date(target)</pre>
  t <- round(as.numeric(difftime(target, dob)))
  days \leftarrow (t - 14) : (t + 14)
  period <- tibble(Date = seq.Date(from = target - 15, by = 1, length.out = 29),</pre>
                        Physical = sin (2 * pi * days / 23) * 100,
                        Emotional = sin (2 * pi * days / 28) * 100,
                        Intellectual = sin (2 * pi * days / 33) * 100)
  period <- gather(period, key = "Biorhythm", value = "Percentage", -Date)</pre>
  ggplot(period, aes(x = Date, y = Percentage, col = Biorhythm)) +
    geom_line() +
    ggtitle(paste("DoB:", format(dob, "%d %B %Y"))) +
    geom_vline(xintercept = as.numeric(target)) +
    theme(legend.position = "bottom")
```

Starter - Result

```
# I took four people's birthdays. Hope they are in good mood today.
g1 <- biorhythm("1964-01-12", Sys.Date())
g2 <- biorhythm("1971-06-28", Sys.Date())
g3 <- biorhythm("1971-10-29", Sys.Date())
g4 <- biorhythm("1957-08-11", Sys.Date())
grid.arrange(g1, g2, g3, g4, ncol = 2, nrow = 2)
```



Main course

• We need following packages as a start. Use c() to install multiple packages.

install.packages(c("tidyquant", "Quandl", "fOptions", "fExoticOptions", "dygraph", "forecast"))

- tidyquant is also a collection of packages: xts, quantmod.
- Please validate option pricing code.
 - For example, I found Asian Option TurnbullWakemanAsianApproxOption() in fExoticOptions is strangely implemented. Maybe I am wrong.

tidyquant or Quandl?

Determining factors:

- tidyquant/quantmod can connect to various services: google, yahoo (still active), av (AlphaAdvantage).
- Quandl only connects to Quandl
- It's subjected to where you can find the data.
 - US ETF/Stocks on Quandl is a premium service.
 - ETF in Google/AlphaAdvantage is free.

tidyquant or Quandl?

Technical details:

- quantmod returns xts object. Quandl returns data frame or xts
- xts object is can collapse to daily, weekly, monthly price.

Tidyquant/quantmod

```
# library(tidyquant)
# use Google
```

```
getSymbols('SPY', src = 'yahoo', adjusted = TRUE, output.size = 'full')
## [1] "SPY"
str(SPY)
## An 'xts' object on 2007-01-03/2019-09-25 containing:
   Data: num [1:3205, 1:6] 142 141 141 141 141 ...
   - attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
##
    ..$ : NULL
##
     ..$ : chr [1:6] "SPY.Open" "SPY.High" "SPY.Low" "SPY.Close" ...
     Indexed by objects of class: [Date] TZ: UTC
##
##
     xts Attributes:
## List of 2
## $ src
           : chr "yahoo"
## $ updated: POSIXct[1:1], format: "2019-09-26 03:05:14"
# Sign up with AlphaAdvantage to get a token
# getSymbols('SPY', src = 'av', output.size = 'full', api.key = token_av)
# str(SPY)
```

Tidyquant/quantmod

```
# What's get returned?
head(SPY)
##
             SPY. Open SPY. High SPY. Low SPY. Close SPY. Volume SPY. Adjusted
## 2007-01-03
             142.25 142.86 140.57 141.37 94807600
                                                          109.0000
## 2007-01-04 141.23 142.05 140.61
                                      141.67
                                                 69620600
                                                              109.2313
## 2007-01-05 141.33
                      141.40 140.38
                                        140.54
                                                 76645300
                                                              108.3600
## 2007-01-08 140.82
                      141.41 140.25
                                        141.19
                                                 71655000
                                                              108.8612
## 2007-01-09 141.31
                       141.60 140.40
                                        141.07
                                                 75680100
                                                              108.7686
                       141.57 140.30
## 2007-01-10 140.58
                                         141.54
                                                 72428000
                                                              109.1311
tail(SPY)
             SPY. Open SPY. High SPY. Low SPY. Close SPY. Volume SPY. Adjusted
##
                       301.22 298.24
                                         301.10
                                                              299.7159
## 2019-09-18
             300.49
                                                 73375800
## 2019-09-19
             301.53
                       302.63 300.71
                                         301.08
                                                 76560500
                                                              299.6960
## 2019-09-20 300.36
                       300.67 297.41
                                        298.28 89565000
                                                              298.2800
## 2019-09-23 297.55 299.00 297.27
                                         298.21
                                                 43476800
                                                              298.2100
## 2019-09-24 299.41
                       299.84 294.81
                                         295.87
                                                 94869400
                                                              295.8700
## 2019-09-25
             295.96
                       297.55 294.33
                                         297.46
                                                 42617733
                                                              297.4600
symbols <- c("MSFT", "AAPL")</pre>
getSymbols(symbols, src = 'yahoo', adjusted = TRUE, from = "2016-01-01")
## [1] "MSFT" "AAPL"
```

xts object

- xts is a wide format. In contrast, ggplot/tidy uses long format.
- We have gather/spread to convert between long/wide format.
- Create xts object:
 - Put index aside, which is usually date
 - Store prices in columns.

```
library(xts)
```

```
# if df is a data frame.
# Date | V | GS
xts1 <- xts(x=df[, -1, drop = F], order.by = df[1])

# coredata: returns a matrix from xts objects
core_data <- coredata(xts2)

# index: vector of any Date, POSIXct, chron, yearmon, yearqtr, or DateTime classes
index(xts1)</pre>
```

Get data from xts object

```
# What price history is stored here.
str(SPY)
## An 'xts' object on 2007-01-03/2019-09-25 containing:
## Data: num [1:3205, 1:6] 142 141 141 141 141 ...
## - attr(*, "dimnames")=List of 2
## ..$ : NULL
## ..$: chr [1:6] "SPY.Open" "SPY.High" "SPY.Low" "SPY.Close" ...
## Indexed by objects of class: [Date] TZ: UTC
## xts Attributes:
## List of 2
## $ src : chr "yahoo"
## $ updated: POSIXct[1:1], format: "2019-09-26 03:05:14"
SPY2003 <- SPY["2003"]
SPY2 <- SPY["2003/2007"]
SPY3 <- SPY["2003-03-01/2007-07-01"]
SPY4 <- SPY["/2007-07-01"] # till
SPY5 <- SPY["2007-07-01/"] # from
SPY6 <- SPY["2007-07-01/", "SPY.High"]</pre>
SPY7 <- SPY["2007-07-01/", c("SPY.High", "SPY.Close")]</pre>
```

Quandl

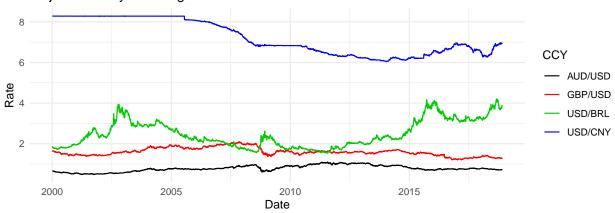
```
library(Quandl)
library(tidyverse)

# Sign up with Quandl to get a token
# token_qd <- "xxxx"
Quandl.api_key(token_qd)
## You don't get SPY: SPDR 500 ETF from Quandl from free service.
## rates <- Quandl(c("EOD/SPY"), start_date="2000-01-01", end_date="2013-06-07")
## You don't get EOD US Stocks for free from Quandl from 2019
## rates <- Quandl(c("EOD/V"), start_date="2000-01-01", end_date="2013-06-07")</pre>
```

Quandl

```
library(Quandl) # Quandl package
library(ggplot2) # Package for plotting
```

Major Currency Exchange Rates in USD



Quandl and forecast

```
# 52-quandl-forecast.R
# Quandl and Forecast
# Forecast using state space models and automatic ARIMA modelling.
library(Quandl)
library(dplyr)
library(xts)
library(lubridate)
library(forecast)
library(dygraphs)
# Start with daily data. Note that "type = raw" will download a data frame.
oil_daily <- Quand1("FRED/DCOILWTICO", type = "raw", collapse = "daily",
                    start_date="2006-01-01", end_date=Sys.Date())
# Now weekely and let's use xts as the type.
oil_weekly <- Quand1("FRED/DCOILWTICO", type = "xts", collapse = "weekly",</pre>
                     start_date="2006-01-01", end_date = Sys.Date())
oil_monthly <- Quandl("FRED/DCOILWTICO", type = "xts", collapse = "monthly",
                      start_date="2006-01-01", end_date = Sys.Date())
```

```
# Have a quick look at our three objects.
str(oil_daily)
str(oil_weekly)
str(oil monthly)
cat(paste0("daily: ", paste0(range(oil_daily$Date), collapse = ", "), "\n"))
cat(paste0("weekly: ", paste0(range(index(oil_weekly)), collapse = ", "), "\n"))
cat(paste0("monthly: ", paste0(range(index(oil monthly)), collapse = ", "), "\n"))
# Change index from month to day
head(index(oil_monthly))
index(oil_monthly) <- seq(mdy('01/01/2006'), Sys.Date(), by = 'months')[1:length(oil_monthly)]</pre>
\# index(oil\_monthly) \leftarrow seq(mdy('01/01/2006'), (Sys.Date() - 365 * 2), by = 'months')
str(oil monthly)
head(index(oil_monthly))
dygraph(oil_monthly, main = "Monthly oil Prices")
forebase1 <- oil_weekly[paste0("/", Sys.Date() - 365 * 2)]</pre>
forecast1 <- forecast(forebase1, h = 4 * 24)</pre>
plot(forecast1, main = "Oil Forecast1")
oil_forecast_data1 <- data.frame(date = seq(last(index(forebase1)),</pre>
                                            by = 'week', length.out = 4 * 24 + 1)[-1],
                                 Forecast = forecast1$mean,
                                 Hi_95 = forecast1$upper[,2],
                                 Lo_95 = forecast1$lower[,2])
oil_forecast_xts1 <- xts(oil_forecast_data1[,-1], order.by = oil_forecast_data1[,1])
forebase2 <- oil_weekly[paste0("/", Sys.Date() - 30)]</pre>
forecast2 <- forecast(forebase2, h = 4 * 3)</pre>
plot(forecast2, main = "Oil Forecast2")
oil_forecast_data2 <- data.frame(date = seq(last(index(forebase2)),</pre>
                                              by = 'week', length.out = 4 * 3 + 1)[-1],
                                  Forecast2 = forecast2$mean,
                                  Hi_95_2 = forecast2$upper[,2],
                                  Lo_95_2 = forecast2$lower[,2])
oil_forecast_xts2 <- xts(oil_forecast_data2[,-1], order.by = oil_forecast_data2[,1])</pre>
# Combine the xts objects with cbind.
oil_combined_xts <- merge(oil_weekly, oil_forecast_xts1, oil_forecast_xts2)</pre>
# Add a nicer name for the first column.
colnames(oil_combined_xts)[1] <- "Actual"</pre>
dygraph(oil_combined_xts, main = "Oil Prices: Historical and Forecast") %>%
 dySeries("Actual", label = "Actual") %>%
  dySeries(c("Lo_95", "Forecast", "Hi_95")) %>%
```

```
dySeries(c("Lo_95_2", "Forecast2", "Hi_95_2"))
```

dygraph

dygraph for xts https://rstudio.github.io/dygraphs/shiny.html

```
dygraphOutput("dygraph")

dygraph(oil_combined_xts, main = "Oil Prices: Historical and Forecast") %>%
  # Add the actual series

dySeries("Actual", label = "Actual") %>%
  # Add the three forecasted series

dySeries(c("Lo_95", "Forecast", "Hi_95"))
```

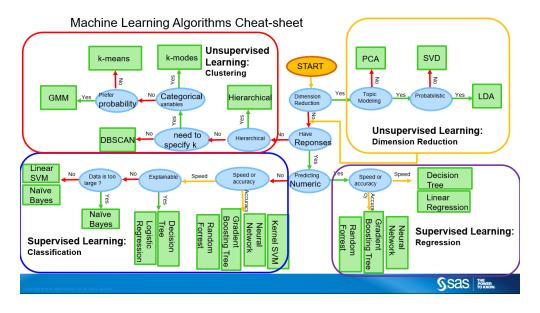
Quandl/Shiny/dygraph

```
# shiny-51-quandl.R
library(shiny)
library(tidyverse)
library(Quandl)
library(xts)
library(dygraphs)
goldChoice <- "CHRIS/CME_GC1.1" # gold data from CME</pre>
dataChoices <- c("WTI oil" = "FRED/DCOILWTICO", #oil data from Fred
                  "Copper" = "ODA/PCOPP_USD", # copper data from ODA
                  "Gold" = "CHRIS/CME_GC1.1",
                  "Silver" = "LBMA/SILVER.1",
                  "Copper" = "CHRIS/CME HG1.1",
                  "Iron Ore" = "ODA/PIORECR_USD",
                  "Platinum" = "LPPM/PLAT.1",
                  "Palladium" = "LPPM/PALL.1",
                  "Bitcoin" = "BCHARTS/WEXUSD.1")
frequencyChoices <- c("days" = "daily",</pre>
                       "weeks" = "weekly",
                       "months" = "monthly")
ui <- fluidPage(</pre>
  titlePanel("Commodity"),
  sidebarLayout(
    sidebarPanel(
      selectInput("dataSet",
                   "Commodity",
                   choices = dataChoices, #Freddie mac
                  selected = "WTI oil"),
      selectInput("frequency",
```

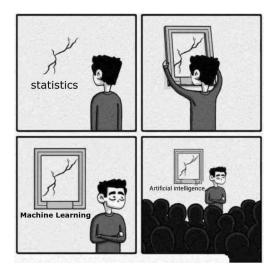
```
"freq",
                   choices = frequencyChoices,
                   selected = "months"),
      dateRangeInput("dateRange",
                      "Date range",
                      start = "1980-01-01",
                      end = Sys.Date())
    ),
    mainPanel(
      dygraphOutput("commodity"),
      dygraphOutput("commodity_gold")
    )
  )
)
server <- function(input, output, session) {</pre>
  Quandl.api_key("d9EidiiDWoFESfdk5nPy")
  gold <- reactive({</pre>
    gold <- Quandl(goldChoice,</pre>
                    start_date = format(input$dateRange[1]),
                    end_date = format(input$dateRange[2]),
                    order = "asc",
                    type = "xts",
                    collapse = as.character(input$frequency)
    )
  })
  commodity <- reactive({</pre>
    commodity <- Quandl(input$dataSet,</pre>
                         start_date = format(input$dateRange[1]),
                         end_date = format(input$dateRange[2]),
                         order = "asc",
                         type = "xts",
                         collapse = as.character(input$frequency)
    )
  })
  output$commodity <- renderDygraph({</pre>
    dd <- merge(gold(), commodity())</pre>
    dd$ratio <- dd[,1]/dd[,2]</pre>
    dd \leftarrow dd[, -1, drop = F]
    colnames(dd) <- c(names(dataChoices)[dataChoices == isolate(input$dataSet)],</pre>
                       "Gold ratio")
    dygraph(dd,
            main = paste("Price history of",
                          names(dataChoices[dataChoices==input$dataSet]),
                          sep = ""),
            group = "gold group") %>%
      dyAxis("y", label = "$") %>%
      dySeries("Gold ratio", axis = 'y2') %>%
```

Lecture 11: Building Predictive Model

Machine Learning



Statistics and Machine Learning



Statistics and Machine Learning

- Statistics is a age-old year subject, with many developed theory.
- Machine learning is an algorithm that can learn from data without relying on rules-based.
- ML uses many statistical theories in application.
- ML emphasizes optimization and performance (accuracy) over inference (conclusion based on reasons and evidence) which is what statistics is concerned about.

| ML professional: "The model is 85% accurate in predicting Y, given a, b and c." | Statistician: "The model is 85% accurate in predicting Y, given a, b and c; and I am 90% certain that you will obtain the same result."

Supervised v.s. Unsupervised

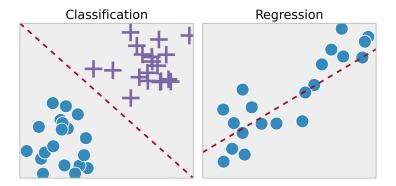
- Supervised learning: It is based on example input-output pairs. It infers a function from labeled training data consisting of a set of training examples
- Unsupervised learning: It is a type of self-organized learning that helps find previously unknown patterns in data set without pre-existing labels. It is also known as self-organization and allows modeling probability densities of given inputs.
- Reinforcement learning: ...

Machine Learning

- Regression
- Classification
- Ensemble
- Neutral network
 - Deep learning: multiple hidden layers.

Regression and Classification

Regression and classification are two main categories of machine learning algorithms under supervised learning.

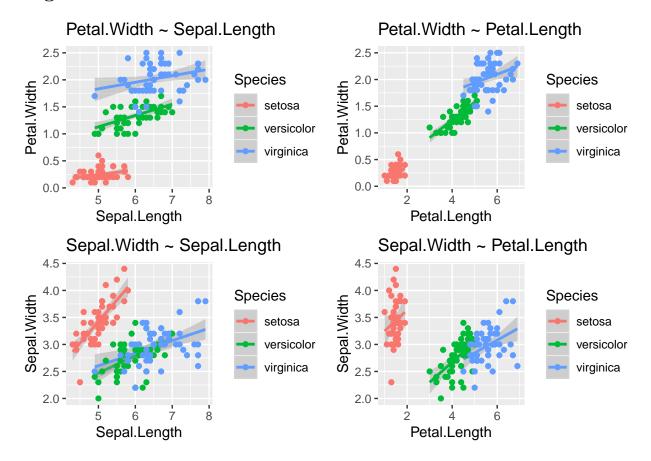


Regression

We can use many linear regression methods.

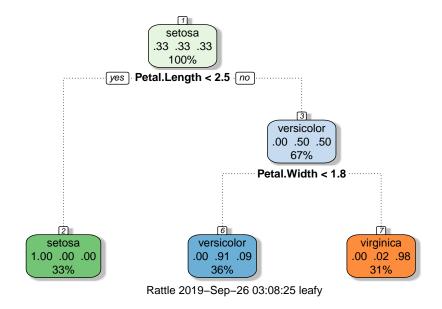
```
p1 <- ggplot(iris, aes(x = Sepal.Length, y = Petal.Width, color = Species)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Petal.Width ~ Sepal.Length")
p2 <- ggplot(iris, aes(x = Petal.Length, y = Petal.Width, color = Species)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Petal.Width ~ Petal.Length")
p3 <- ggplot(iris, aes(x = Sepal.Length, y = Sepal.Width, color = Species)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Sepal.Width ~ Sepal.Length")
p4 <- ggplot(iris, aes(x = Petal.Length, y = Sepal.Width, color = Species)) +
  geom_smooth(method = "lm") +
  geom_point() +
  labs(title = "Sepal.Width ~ Petal.Length")
```

Regression



Classification

Decision Tree



```
predictions <- predict(iris_rp, iris, type = "class")
which(iris$Species != predictions)
## [1] 71 107 120 130 134 135
# caret::confusionMatrix(predictions, iris$Species)</pre>
```

Confusion Matrix

• Shows how model performs

Actual Target	0		1
Model Output		1	
0	90	1	1 01
1	10	9	90

Machine Learning workflow

- 1. Setting
- 2. Exploratory Data Analysis
- 3. Feature Engineering
- 4. Data Preparation
- 5. Modelling
- 6. Conclusion

Machine Learning

• Data preparation:

Split into different groups. For simple data, we may split using 75/25 or 80/20. For complex data, we need to ensure selected 75 has coverage for different kinds, to avoid bias. For example, we are to predict a infrequent event (occurring 20%), shall our selected sample contain 20% or 50% or 75%?

• Modeling:

Choose a few models and tune the hyperparametes. Tuning of hyperparameters is model-specific. You shall learn it in-depth with each model.

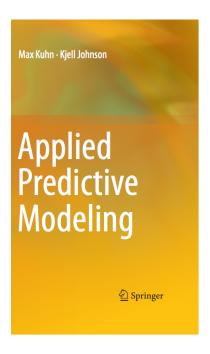
Measure the performance and optimize it. Confusion matrix, AUC/ROC, model-specific output...

Caret Package

Caret is short for C lassification A nd RE gression T raining.



Main author is Max Kuhn. He has a book "Applied Predictive Modeling", By Max Kuhn and Kjell Johnson. Max is now in RStudio, working on *parsnip* in tidymodel.



Caret Package

Links to 200 over (238 as of this version) https://topepo.github.io/caret/available-models.html

```
## Loading required package: lattice
##
## Attaching package: 'caret'
## The following object is masked from 'package:purrr':
##
## lift
## lift
## [1] "ada, AdaBag, AdaBoost.M1, adaboost, amdai, ANFIS, avNNet, awnb, awtan, bag, bagEarth,
```

Project Iris

Use the petal/sepal width/length to determine which species it is.

```
library(caret)
set.seed(123)
trainIndex <- createDataPartition(iris$Species, p = .8,
    list = FALSE,
    times = 1)

train <- iris[ trainIndex,]
test <- iris[-trainIndex,]

train_x <- select(train, -Species)
train_y <- train$Species

test_x <- select(test, -Species)
test_y <- test$Species</pre>
# Cross validation
```

```
fitControl <- trainControl(</pre>
method = "repeatedcv",
number = 10,
repeats = 5)
# first run may need to do package installation. Caret
# install.packages("e1071")
# recursive partition = decision tree
dt_fit <- train(Species ~ ., data = train,</pre>
method = "rpart",
trControl = fitControl,
preProcess=c("center", "scale"))
dt_fit
plot(dt_fit)
predictions <- predict(dt_fit, test)</pre>
confusionMatrix(predictions, test$Species)
# random Forests
rf_fit <- train(Species ~ .,
                 data = train,
                method = "ranger")
rf fit
plot(rf_fit)
predictions <- predict(rf_fit, test)</pre>
confusionMatrix(predictions, test$Species)
which(y_test != predictions)
y_test[which(y_test != predictions)]
```

Project Bank

We previous whether our telemarketing is successful.

The output is binary - classification for binary output is very common.

For model simplicity, we use logistic regression. For logistic regression, we need to use one-hot encoding.

One-hot Encoding is implemented with dummy variables in R.

If one column contains more-than-one value, e.g. "admin", "engineer", "manager", we replace it with 2=3 - 1 columns

Project Bank - Load

```
bank <- read.csv("https://goo.gl/PBQnBt", sep = ";")
# We only work on following fields.</pre>
```

Project Bank - Dummy Variables

Project Bank - Train/Test Data

Project Bank - Feature Plot

Project Bank - Train

```
train_control <- trainControl(</pre>
    method = 'repeatedcv',
                                                # k-fold cross validation
    number = 5,
                                       # number of folds
    savePredictions = 'final',
                                      # saves predictions for optimal tuning parameter
    classProbs = TRUE,
                                          # should class probabilities be returned
)
if (FALSE) {
  # Running time is too long. Skip running.
 adaboost_fit <- train(y ~ .,</pre>
                    data = bank_train,
                    method='adaboost',
                    tuneLength=2,
                   trControl = train_control)
  adaboost_fit
  predictions <- predict(adaboost_fit, newdata = bank_train)</pre>
  confusionMatrix(predictions, bank_train$y)
  predictions <- predict(adaboost_fit, bank_test)</pre>
  confusionMatrix(predictions, bank_test$y)
# Logistic regression
log_fit <- train(y ~ .,</pre>
                  data = bank train,
                 method = "glm",
                  family = binomial,
                  trControl = train_control)
predictions <- predict(log_fit, newdata = bank_train)</pre>
confusionMatrix(predictions, bank_train$y)
predictions <- predict(log_fit, bank_test)</pre>
confusionMatrix(predictions, bank_test$y)
# which(test$y != predictions)
```

Project Bank - Train with Decision Tree

```
confusionMatrix(predictions, bank_test$y)

rattle::ggVarImp(rpart_fit$finalModel, log=TRUE)
rattle::fancyRpartPlot(rpart_fit$finalModel)
```

Project Bank - Model comparison

```
models_compare <- resamples(list(RP = rpart_fit, GLM = log_fit))
# Summary of the models performances
summary(models_compare)</pre>
```

Project Australia Weather

• A complete project with some feature engineering.

 $https://www.dropbox.com/s/p73mdxcrx05mbwb/aus_weather_predict.Rmd?dl{=}1$