

#### Intro to classification - Logistic regression - 2

One should look for what is and not what he thinks should be. (Albert Einstein)

## Chat question

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- iv. Split into \_\_\_\_ and test sets
- v. Scale \_\_\_\_



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  - v. Scale **features**



#### Loading packages

#### Let's load the packages we will be using:

```
import os
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore", category=FutureWarning)
# Helper packages.
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from pathlib import Path
# Scikit-learn package for logistic regression.
from sklearn import linear_model
# Model set up and tuning packages from scikit-learn.
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
# Scikit-learn packages for evaluating model performance.
from sklearn import metrics
# Scikit-learn package for data preprocessing.
from sklearn import preprocessing
```

#### Directory settings

- In order to maximize the efficiency of your workflow, you should encode your directory structure into variables
- We will use the pathlib library
- Let the main\_dir be the variable corresponding to your course folder
- Let data\_dir be the variable corresponding to your data folder

```
# Set 'main_dir' to location of the project folder home_dir = Path(".").resolve() main_dir = home_dir.parent.parent print(main_dir)
```

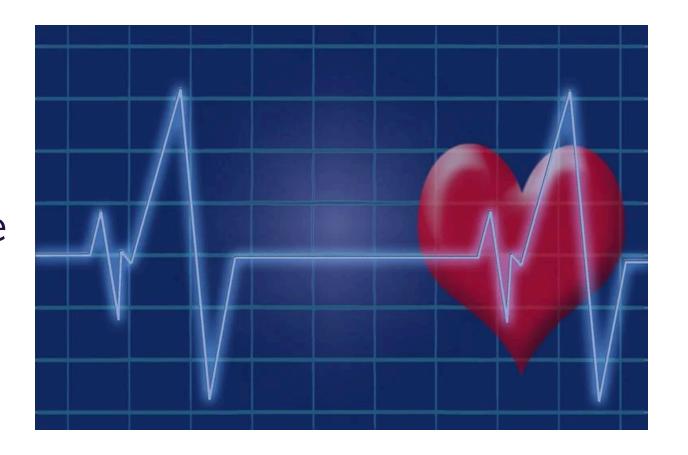
```
data_dir = str(main_dir) + "/data" print(data_dir)
```

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# Stroke Prediction survey: case study

- According to the World Health Organization (WHO), stroke is the 2nd leading cause of death globally
- Click here to see a dataset showing the results of a clinical trial of a heart-disease drug survey on a sample of US adults
- Each row in the data provides relevant information about the adult, including whether they had a stroke or not
- We would like to use this data to predict whether a patient is likely to have a stroke based on their demographic information and medical history



#### Dataset

- In order to implement what you learn in this course, we will be using the healthcare-dataset-stroke-data.csv dataset
- We will be working with columns from the dataset such as:
  - stroke
  - gender
  - age
  - hypertension
  - heart\_disease
  - ever\_married
- We will be using different columns of the dataset to predict stroke as the target variable

## Loading data into Python

- Let's load the entire dataset
- We are now going to use the function read\_csv to read in our healthcare-dataset-stroke-data.csv dataset

```
df = pd.read_csv(str(data_dir)+"/"+ 'healthcare-dataset-stroke-data.csv')
print(df.head())

id_gender__age____bmi__smoking_status_stroke
```

```
bmi
        gender
                               smoking_status stroke
                age
        Male 67.0 ... 36.6
                              formerly smoked
   9046
  51676 Female 61.0 ...
                                 never smoked
                        NaN
                    ... 32.5
 31112
        Male 80.0
                             never smoked
 60182 Female 49.0 ... 34.4
                                      smokes
  1665 Female 79.0 ... 24.0
                             never smoked
[5 rows x 12 columns]
```

#### Subset data

 Remove any columns from the dataframe that are not numeric or categorical, as we will not be using them in our models

```
df_subset = df[['age', 'avg_glucose_level', 'heart_disease', 'ever_married', 'hypertension',
'Residence_type', 'gender', 'smoking_status', 'work_type', 'stroke', 'id']]
print(df_subset.head())
```

```
avg_glucose_level heart_disease ... work_type stroke
                                                       id
  age
               228.69
 67.0
                                         Private
                                                        9046
               202.21
 61.0
                               0 ... Self-employed
                                                    1 51676
 80.0
              105.92
                               1 ... Private 1 31112
              171.23
                                    Private 1 60182
 49.0
 79.0
              174.12
                                 ... Self-employed
                                                       1665
[5 rows x 11 columns]
```

## Convert target to binary

Let's convert the target so that it is a binary class if it is not already

```
# Target is binary
print(df_subset['stroke'].head())

0    1
1    1
2    1
3    1
4    1
Name: stroke, dtype: int64
```

• We want to convert this to bool so that it is a binary class

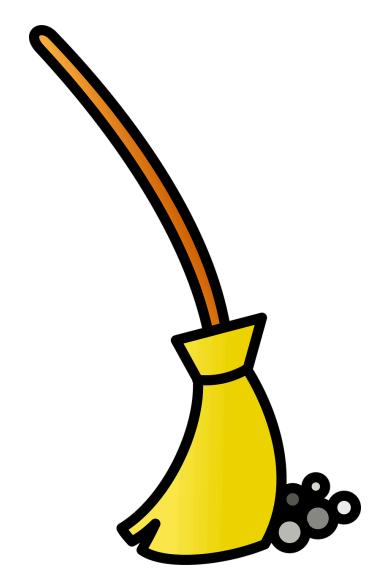
```
# Identify the the two unique classes
unique_values = sorted(df_subset['stroke'].unique())
df_subset['stroke'] = np.where(df_subset['stroke'] == unique_values[0], False,True)
```

#### ID variables

- We will not use certain columns like ID variables in our dataset like id or variables with more than 50% NAs
- We want to see if the independent variables would predict stroke well

# Data cleaning steps for logistic regression

- There are a few steps to remember to take before jumping into splitting the data and training the model
- Let's look at what it means to scale our predictors, and why it's necessary with logistic regression
- We will also talk through why we need to make sure the target variable is labeled
  - i. Make sure the target is labeled
  - ii. Check for NAs
  - iii. Encode categorical data into numerical data
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  - v. Scale features



#### Data prep: target variable

- The first step of our data cleanup is to ensure that target variable is a binary class and has a label
- Let's look at the dtype of stroke

```
print(df_subset['stroke'].dtypes)
int64
```

We want to convert this to bool so that is a binary class

```
# Identify the the two unique classes
unique_values = sorted(df_subset['stroke'].unique())
df_subset['stroke'] = np.where(df_subset['stroke'] == unique_values[0], False,True)
# Check class again.
```

```
/opt/conda/envs/sdaia-python-classification/bin/python:1: SettingWithCopyWarning:
A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame.
Try using .loc[row_indexer,col_indexer] = value instead

See the caveats in the documentation: https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-
docs/stable/user_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy
```

```
print(df_subset['stroke'].dtypes)
```

#### Data prep: check for NAs

 We now check for NAs, and there are multiple methods to deal with them

```
# Check for NAs.
print(df_subset.isnull().sum())
```

```
age 0 0 avg_glucose_level 0 heart_disease 0 ever_married 0 hypertension 0 Residence_type 0 gender 0 smoking_status 1544 work_type 0 stroke 0 dtype: int64
```

 If we do have NA, we could replace them with a mean or 0

```
percent_missing = df_subset.isnull().sum() * 100 /
len(df_subset)
print(percent_missing)
```

```
0.00000
age
avg_glucose_level
                      0.00000
heart_disease
                      0.00000
                      0.00000
ever married
hypertension
                      0.00000
Residence_type
                      0.00000
gender
                      0.00000
smoking_status
                     30.215264
work_type
                      0.00000
                      0.00000
stroke
id
                      0.00000
dtype: float64
```

#### Data prep: check for NAs (cont'd)

 We will delete the columns which contain either 50% or more than 50% missing data from the subset

```
(5110, 11)
```

#### Data prep: check for NAs (cont'd)

 We will impute the numerical columns which have less than 50% missing data with mean and categorical columns with mode respectively

```
# Function to impute NA in both numeric and categorical columns
def fillna(df):
    # Fill numeric columns with mean value
    numeric_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=['float64', 'int64']).columns
    df[numeric_cols] = df[numeric_cols].fillna(df[numeric_cols].mean())

# Fill categorical columns with mode value
    categorical_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=['object']).columns
    df[categorical_cols] = df[categorical_cols].fillna(df[categorical_cols].mode().iloc[0])

    return df

df_subset = fillna(df_subset)
```

#### Data prep: split data

 We'll now split the data subset into a dataframe consisting of features and an target variable array

```
# Split the data into X and y
columns_to_drop_from_X = ['stroke'] + ['id']
X = df_subset.drop(columns_to_drop_from_X, axis = 1)
y = np.array(df_subset['stroke'])
```

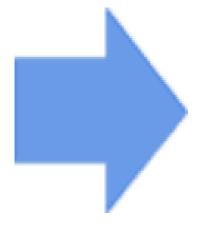
We are now ready to convert our data to numerical values

## Dummy variables: one hot encoding

#### Dummy variables:

- are artificial variables used to represent variables with two or more distinct levels or categories
- represent categorical predictors as binary values, 0 or 1 and are often used for regression analysis

ID	Pet
1	Dog
2	Cat
3	Cat
4	Dog
5	Fish



D	Dog	Cat	Fish
1	1	0	0
2	0	1	0
3	0	1	0
4	1	0	0
5	0	0	1

# Dummy variables: reference category

- The number of dummy variables necessary to represent a single attribute variable is equal to the **number of levels (categories) in that variable minus one**
- One of the categories is omitted and used as a base or reference category
- The reference category, which is not coded, is the category to which all other categories will be compared
- The biggest group / category will often be the reference category

## Dummy variables in Python

- data is a pandas series or dataframe
- drop\_first indicates whether to get
   k-1 dummies out of k categorical levels

#### pandas.get dummies

pandas.get\_dummies(data, prefix=None, prefix\_sep='\_', dummy\_na=False, columns=None, sparse=False, drop\_first=False, dtype=None) [so

Convert categorical variable into dummy/indicator variables

data : array-like, Series, or DataFrame

prefix: string, list of strings, or dict of strings, default None

String to append DataFrame column names. Pass a list with length equal to the number of columns when calling get\_dummies on a DataFrame. Alternatively, *prefix* can be a dictionary mapping column names to prefixes.

prefix sep : string, default '

If appending prefix, separator/delimiter to use. Or pass a list or dictionary as with

dummy\_na : bool, default False

Add a column to indicate NaNs, if False NaNs are ignored.

Parameters:

columns : list-like, default None

Column names in the DataFrame to be encoded. If *columns* is None then all the columns with *object* or *category* dtype will be converted.

sparse : bool, default False

Whether the dummy-encoded columns should be be backed by a  ${\tt sparseArray}$ 

(True) or a regular NumPy array (False).

drop\_first : bool, default False

Whether to get k-1 dummies out of k categorical levels by removing the first level.

New in version 0.18.0.

dtype : dtype, default np.uint8

Data type for new columns. Only a single dtype is allowed.

New in version 0.23.0.

Returns:

dummies : DataFrame

# Data prep: convert categorical data columns to dummies

- In logistic regression, we use numeric data as predictors
- Let's double check:

```
print(X.dtypes)
```

float64	
float64	
int64	
object	
int64	
object	
object	
object	
object	
	float64 int64 object int64 object object

 Let's convert the categorical data to dummy variables

```
X = pd.get_dummies(X, columns = ['heart_disease',
'ever_married', 'hypertension', 'Residence_type',
'gender', 'smoking_status', 'work_type'],
dtype=float, drop_first=True)
print(X.dtypes)
```

```
float64
age
avg_glucose_level
                                float.64
heart_disease_1
                                float64
ever_married_Yes
                                float64
hypertension_1
                                float.64
Residence_type_Urban
                                float64
gender_Male
                                float64
gender_Other
                                float64
smoking_status_never smoked
                                float.64
smoking_status_smokes
                                float64
work_type_Never_worked
                                float64
work_type_Private
                                float64
work_type_Self-employed
                                float.64
work_type_children
                                float64
dtype: object
```

#### Split into train and test set

- We can now split our data into train and test sets
- We'll run logistic regression initially on the training data

#### Scale the features

- Feature scaling is an essential step of many machine learning algorithms
- Algorithms that use **gradient descent**, like logistic regression, are sensitive to the range of data points
- Performing feature scaling speeds up the gradient descent process used to calculate optimal coefficients
- Click here to learn more about gradient descent

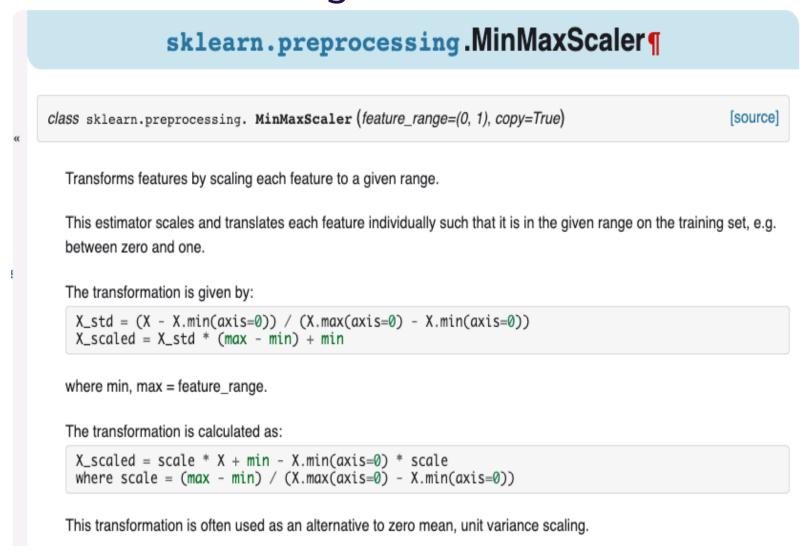
#### Scale the features (cont'd)

- sklearn's implementation of LogisticRegression, by default, implements regularization to prevent the model from overfitting
  - Regularization makes the model dependent on the scale of features
  - Features with larger magnitudes get penalized more in regularization than features with smaller magnitudes
  - Scaling features before fitting the model ensures that all features are penalized equally
- For more information about sklearn.linear\_model.LogisticRegression, click here

#### Scale the features (cont'd)

MinMaxScaler()

 We will use sklearn's MinMaxScaler for feature scaling in this module



```
# Initialize scaler.
scaler = preprocessing.MinMaxScaler()

# Fit on training data.
scaler.fit(X_train)

# Scale training and test data.
```

```
X_train_scaled = scaler.transform(X_train)
```

X\_test\_scaled = scaler.transform(X\_test)

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# scikit-learn: logistic regression

• We will be using the LogisticRegression library from scikit-learn.linear\_model package

```
sklearn.linear_model.LogisticRegression

class sklearn.linear_model. LogisticRegression (penalty='l2', dual=False, tol=0.0001, C=1.0, fit_intercept=True, intercept_scaling=1, class_weight=None, random_state=None, solver='liblinear', max_iter=100, multi_class='ovr', verbose=0, warm_start=False, n_jobs=1)

Logistic Regression (aka logit, MaxEnt) classifier.
```

- All inputs are optional arguments, but we will concentrate on two key inputs:
  - penalty: a regularization technique used to tune the model (either 11, a.k.a. Lasso, or 12, a.k.a. Ridge, default is 12)
  - $\circ$  C: a regularization constant used to amplify the effect of the regularization method (a value between  $[0,\infty]$  default is 1)

# Logistic regression: solvers and their penalties

Solver	Behavior	Penalty
liblinear	Ideal for small datasets and one vs rest schemes	L1 and L2
lbfgs	Default solver, ideal for large datasets and multi-class problems	L2 or no penalty
newton-cg	Ideal for large datasets and multi-class problems	L2 or no penalty
sag	Works faster on large datasets and handles multi-class problems	L2 or no penalty
saga	Works faster on large datasets and handles multi-class problems	L1, L2, elastic net or no penalty

• Note: We'll be using liblinear and lfbgs solvers in this module

## Logistic regression: build

- We're ready to build our logistic regression model
- We'll use all default parameters for now as our baseline model

```
# Set up logistic regression model.
logistic_regression_model = linear_model.LogisticRegression()
print(logistic_regression_model)
```

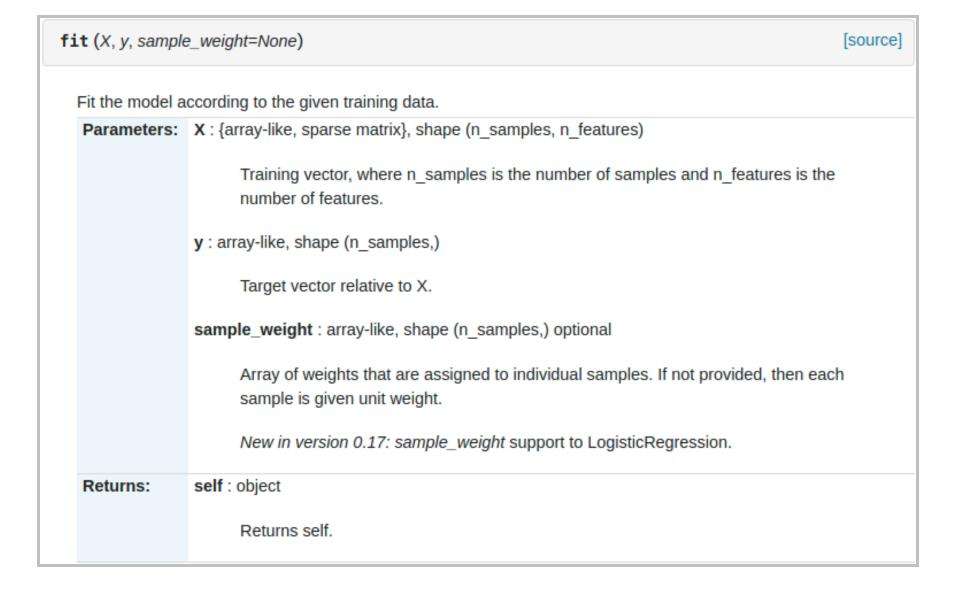
```
LogisticRegression()
```

- We can see that the default model contains C = 1 and penalty = '12'
- We will discuss what that means later in more detail when we tune our model

#### Logistic regression: fit

The two main arguments are the same as with most classifiers in scikit-learn:

- 1. X: a pandas DataFrame or a numpy array of training data predictors
- 2. y: a pandas series or a numpy array of training labels



## Logistic regression: fit (cont'd)

- We fit the logistic regression model with X\_train and y\_train
- We will run the model on our training data and predict on test data

```
LogisticRegression()
```

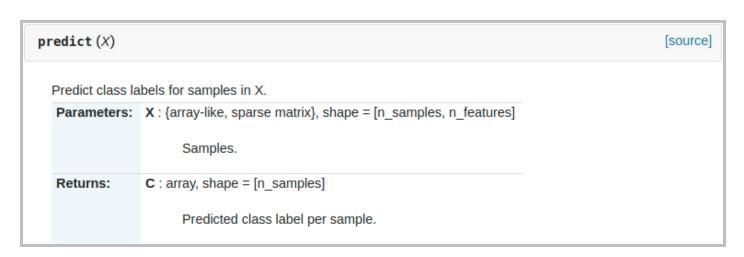
# Logistic regression: predict

The main argument is the same as with most classifiers in scikit-learn:

- 1. X: a pandas dataframe or a numpy array of test data predictors
- We will predict on the test data using our trained model
- The result is a **vector** of the predictions

```
# Predict on test data.
predicted_values =
logistic_regression_model.predict(X_test_scaled)
print(predicted_values[:20])
```

```
[False False False
```



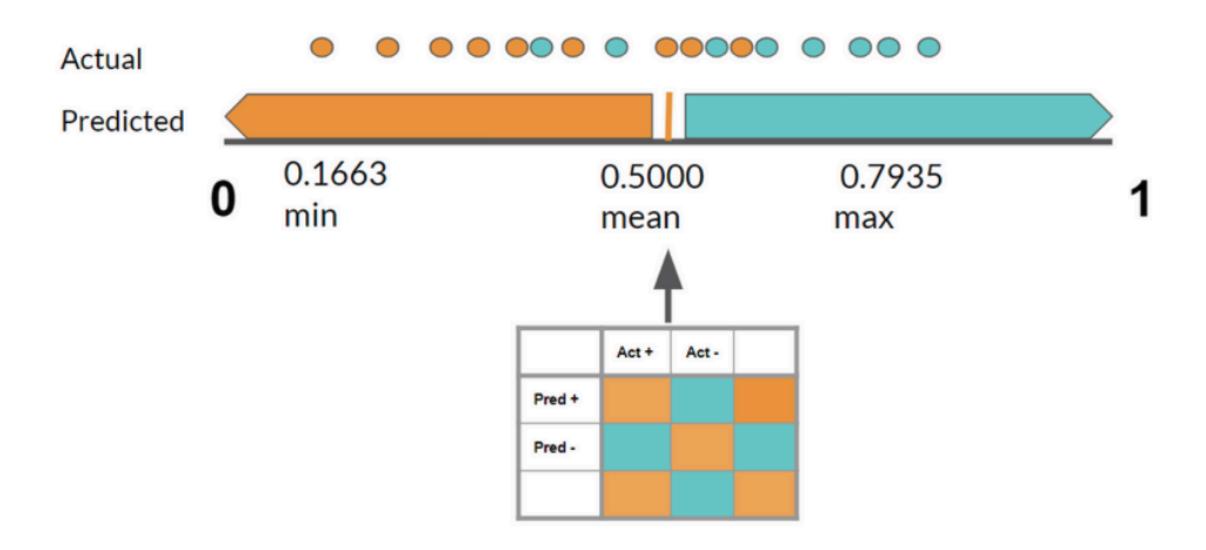
#### Confusion matrix: overview

	Predicted Low value	Predicted High value	Actual totals
Actual low value	True negative (TN)	False positive (FP)	Total negatives
Actual high value	False negative (FN)	True positive (TP)	Total positives
<b>Predicted totals</b>	Total predicted negatives	Total predicted positives	Total

- True positive rate (TPR) (a.k.a. Sensitivity, Recall) = TP / Total positives
- True negative rate (TNR) (a.k.a. Specificity) = TN / Total negatives
- False positive rate (FPR) (a.k.a. Fall-out, Type I Error) = FP / Total negatives
- False negative rate (FNR) (a.k.a. Type II Error) = FN / Total positives
- Accuracy = TP + TN / Total
- Misclassification rate = FP + FN / Total

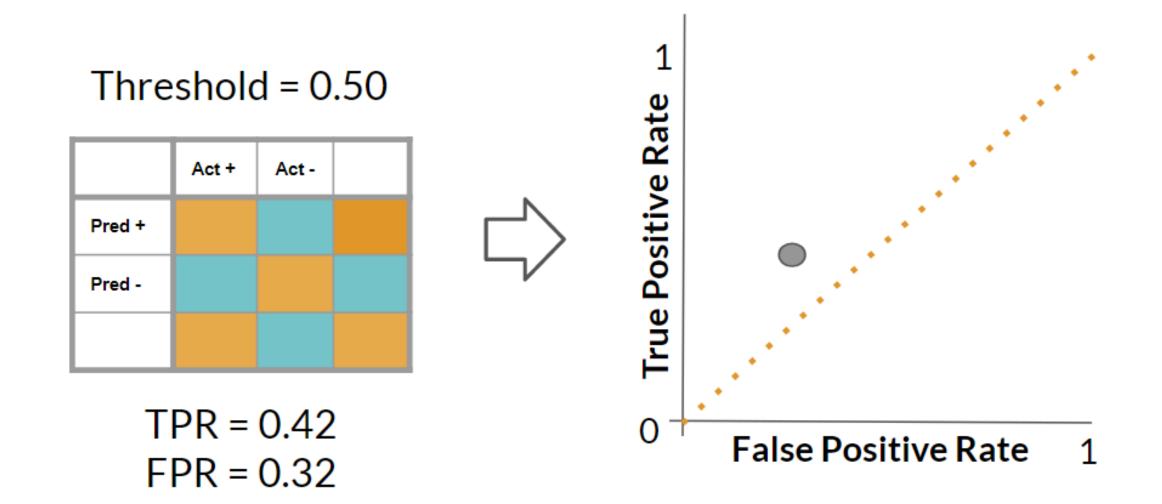
#### From threshold to metrics

- In logistic regression, the output is a range of probabilities from 0 to 1
- But how do you interpret that as a 1 / 0 or High value / Low value label?
- You set a threshold where everything above is predicted as 1 and everything below is predicted as 0
- A typical threshold for logistic regression is 0.5



#### From metrics to a point

- Each threshold can create a confusion matrix, which can be used to calculate a point in space defined by:
  - True positive rate (TPR) on the y-axis
  - False positive rate (FPR) on the x-axis

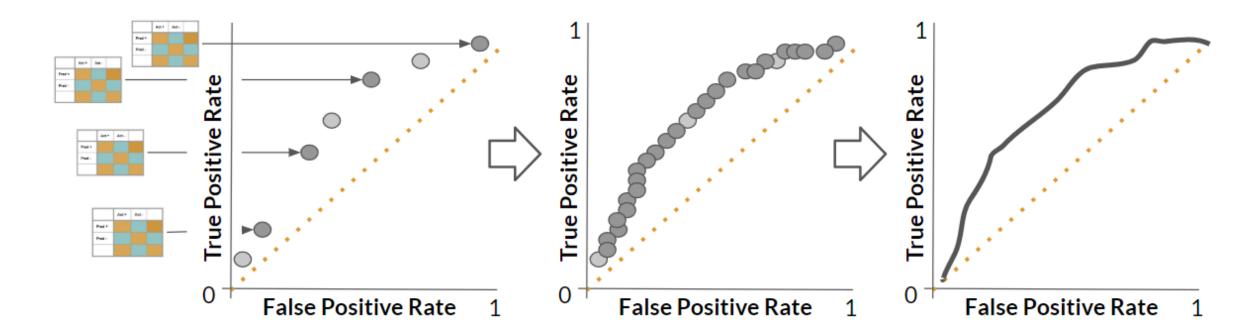


#### From points to a curve

- The ROC curve is a performance metric used to compare classification models to measure predictive accuracy
- The AUC (Area under the ROC Curve) should be above 0.5 to say the model is better than a random guess
- We can obtain the AUC by providing the FPR and TPR using the function metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)

#### From points to a curve (cont'd)

- When we move thresholds, we re-calculate our metrics and create confusion matrices for every threshold
- Each time, we plot a new point in the TPR vs. FPR space



## scikit-learn: metrics package

#### sklearn.metrics: Metrics

See the Model evaluation: quantifying the quality of predictions section and the Pairwise metrics, Affinities and Kernels section of the user guide for further details.

The sklearn.metrics module includes score functions, performance metrics and pairwise metrics and distance computations.

- We will use the following methods from this library:
  - o confusion\_matrix
  - o accuracy\_score
  - o classification\_report
  - o roc\_curve
  - o auc
- For all the methods and parameters of the metrics package, visit scikit-learn's documentation by clicking here

#### Confusion matrix and accuracy

Both confusion\_matrix and accuracy\_score take two arguments:

- 1. Original data labels
- 2. Predicted labels

```
# Take a look at test data confusion matrix.
conf_matrix_test = metrics.confusion_matrix(y_test, predicted_values)
print(conf_matrix_test)
```

```
[[1450 0]
[ 83 0]]
```

```
# Compute test model accuracy score.
test_accuracy_score = metrics.accuracy_score(y_test, predicted_values)
print("Accuracy on test data: ", test_accuracy_score)
```

```
Accuracy on test data: 0.9458577951728636
```

#### Classification report

• We can more easily interpret the output classification\_report by adding the target variable's class names to the two arguments that confusion\_matrix takes

```
# Create a list of target names to interpret class assignments.
target_names = df_subset['stroke'].unique()
target_names=target_names.tolist()
target_names = [str(x) for x in target_names]
```

```
/opt/conda/envs/sdaia-python-classification/lib/python3.7/site-
packages/sklearn/metrics/_classification.py:1245: UndefinedMetricWarning: Precision and F-
score are ill-defined and being set to 0.0 in labels with no predicted samples. Use
`zero_division` parameter to control this behavior.
   _warn_prf(average, modifier, msg_start, len(result))
/opt/conda/envs/sdaia-python-classification/lib/python3.7/site-
packages/sklearn/metrics/_classification.py:1245: UndefinedMetricWarning: Precision and F-
score are ill-defined and being set to 0.0 in labels with no predicted samples. Use
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## Classification report (cont'd)

print(class\_report)

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
True False	0.95	1.00	0.97	1450 83
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.47	0.50 0.95	0.95 0.49 0.92	1533 1533 1533

#### Precision

	Positive	Negative
Positive	TP	FP
Negative	FN	TN

$${}^ullet PR=rac{(TP)}{(TP+FP)}$$

- A proportion of values that is truly positive out of all predicted positive values
- A.K.A. positive predicted value (PPV)

#### Recall

	Positive	Negative
Positive	TP	FP
Negative	FN	TN

$${}^ullet RE=rac{(TP)}{(TP+FN)}$$

- Proportion of actual positives that is classified correctly
- A.K.A. sensitivity, hit rate, or true positive rate (TPR)

#### F1: precision vs. recall

- A score that gives us a numeric value of the precision vs recall tradeoff
- f1-score is calculated as a weighted harmonic mean of precision and recall
- $^ullet$   $F1=2 imes rac{(PR*RE)}{(PR+RE)}$
- ullet The higher the F1 score, the better (the score can be a value between 0 and 1)
- Support is the actual number of occurrences of each class in y\_test

#### Save accuracy score

• So we have it, let's add this score to model\_final in case we need to use it again to compare against other models

```
{'metrics': 'accuracy', 'values': 0.9459, 'model': 'logistic'}
```

#### Getting probabilities instead of class labels

- Now we can start gathering the various components to build our ROC curve and calculate the AUC
- Again, we are looking to ensure that our model has better predictive ability than making a random guess

```
# Get probabilities instead of predicted values.
test_probabilities = logistic_regression_model.predict_proba(X_test_scaled)
print(test_probabilities[0:5, :])
[[0.98291824 0.01708176]
 [0.82575294 0.17424706]
 [0.98913898 0.01086102]
 [0.83706934 0.16293066]
 [0.96511303 0.03488697]]
# Get probabilities of test predictions only.
test_predictions = test_probabilities[:, 1]
print (test_predictions[0:5])
```

#### Computing FPR, TPR, and threshold

## Computing AUC

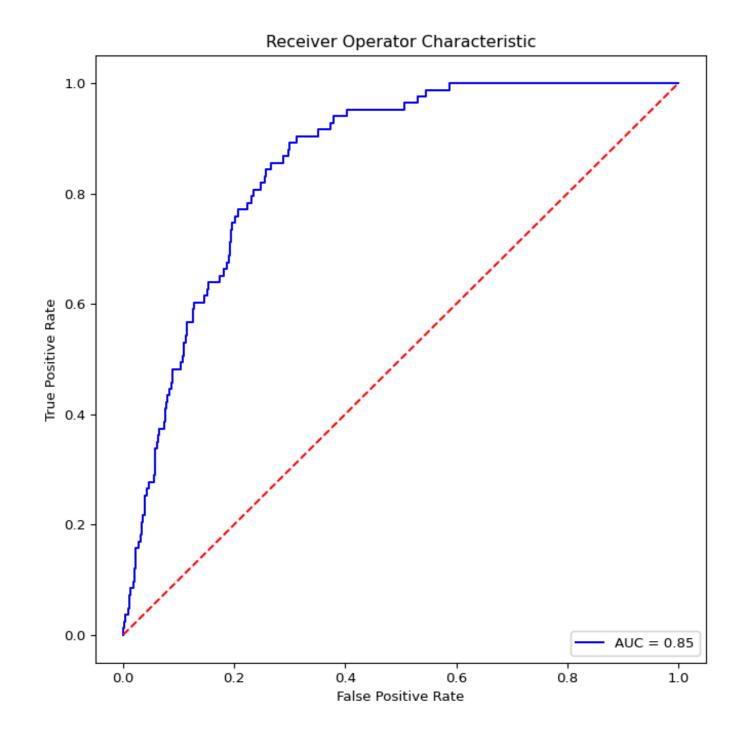
```
# Get AUC by providing the FPR and TPR.
auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
print("Area under the ROC curve: ", auc)
```

Area under the ROC curve: 0.8549646863315331

## Putting it all together: ROC plot

```
# Make an ROC curve plot.
plt.title('Receiver Operator Characteristic')
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % auc)
plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.show()
```

- Our model achieved the accuracy of about
   0.95
- Our estimated AUC is about 0.85
- How would you rate this model as a baseline?



# Knowledge check



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# Congratulations on completing this module!

You are now ready to try Tasks 1-8 in the Exercise for this topic

