



Feature selection using SHAP: An Explainable AI approach

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Reserach Goals

- Understand how SHAP works as feature selection tool by measuring performance metrics, training time, accuracy
- We apply SHAP as study of case

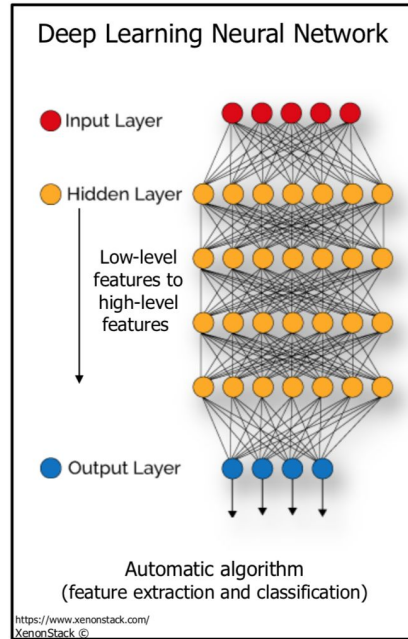


Background: **Black Box**

- Black boxes are models usually complex that present comprehension gaps, impairing people's understanding.
- Brings questions such as:
 - Why did you do that?
 - When Can I trust you?
 - When do You succeed?
 - How do I correct an error?



Background: **Black Box**



E.g Black Box - Source: XenonStack

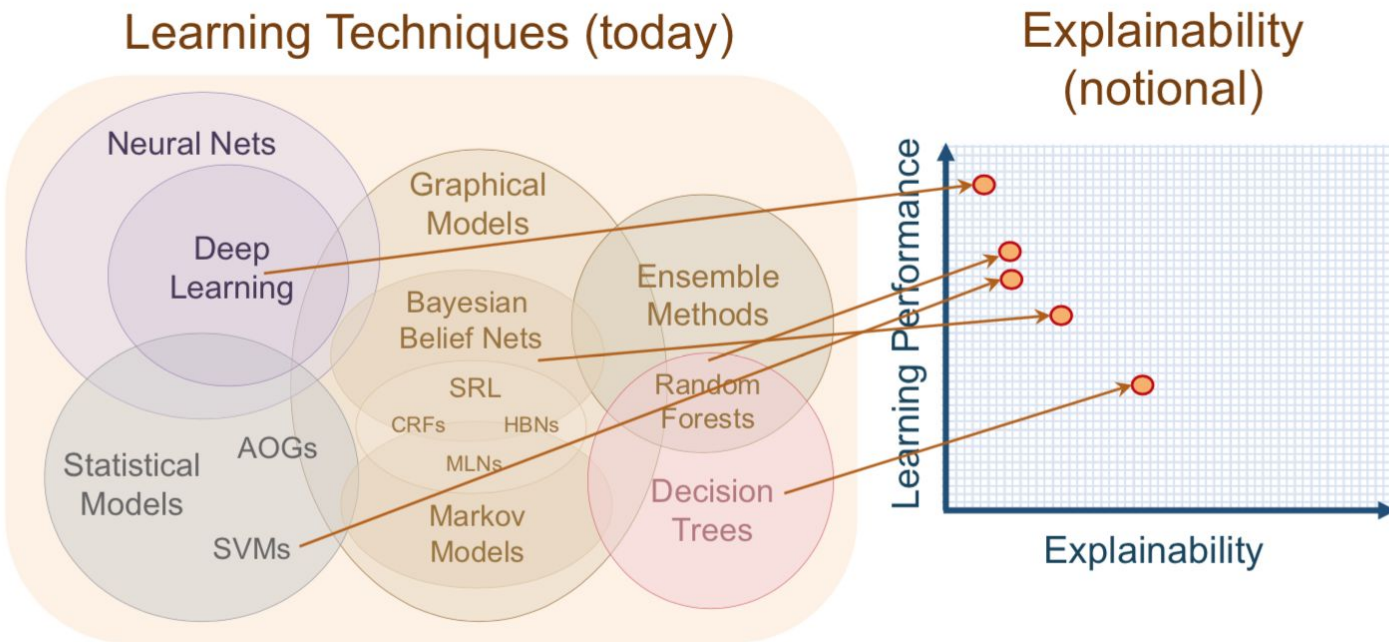


Background: **Explainable AI**

- Explainable AI (XAI) is an area of artificial intelligence research related to the ability in which humans can understand AI solutions.
- XAI contrasts with the concept of "black box"
- There was a common belief that a trade off must be done in favour of interpretability or accuracy



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- XAI presents other relevant characteristics:
 - Verification of the system
 - Improvement of the System
 - Learning from the system
 - Compliance to legislation



Background: **SHAP** - General Idea

Suppose you had to explain a machine learning model that calculates the value of an apartment. There are several attributes that can set your price, for example, covered parking, swimming pool, pets friendly, size, location, etc.

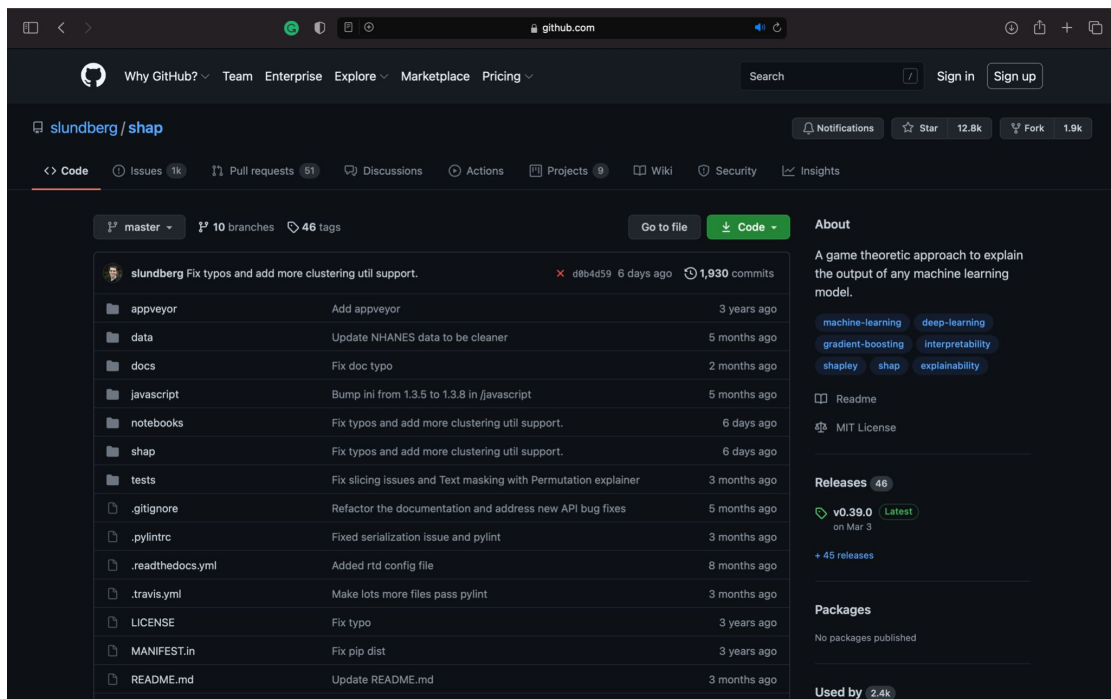


Background: **SHAP**

- Shapley Values
- Understand the impact of each feature in the final prediction
- Post-hoc
- Model Agnostic
- Optimized library for Shapley Values
- Python Library



Background: SHAP



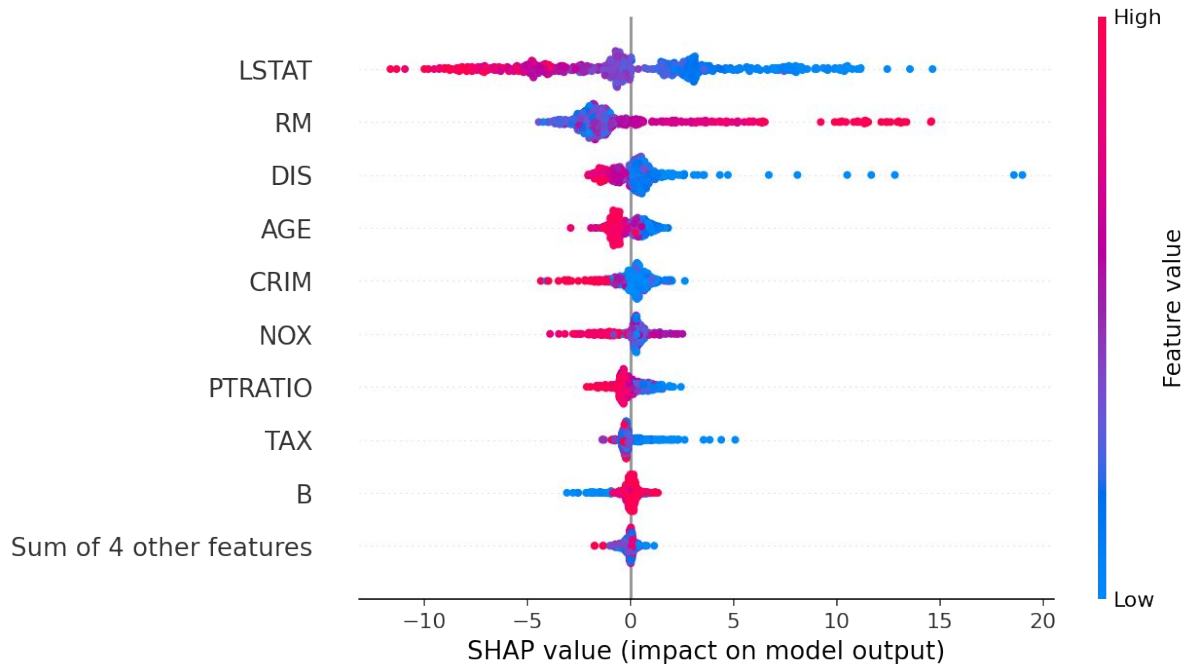
The screenshot shows the GitHub repository for SHAP (shap) by slundberg. The repository has 12.8k stars and 1.9k forks. The main page displays the repository name, navigation links (Code, Issues, Pull requests, Discussions, Actions, Projects, Wiki, Security, Insights), and a list of files and folders. The 'About' section describes SHAP as a game theoretic approach to explain the output of any machine learning model. The 'Releases' section shows the latest version v0.39.0. The 'Packages' section indicates no packages are published. The 'Used by' section shows 2.4k users.

File/Folder	Description	Last Commit
appveyor	Add appveyor	3 years ago
data	Update NHANES data to be cleaner	5 months ago
docs	Fix doc typo	2 months ago
javascript	Bump ini from 1.3.5 to 1.3.8 in javascript	5 months ago
notebooks	Fix typos and add more clustering util support.	6 days ago
shap	Fix typos and add more clustering util support.	6 days ago
tests	Fix slicing issues and Text masking with Permutation explainer	3 months ago
.gitignore	Refactor the documentation and address new API bug fixes	5 months ago
.pylintrc	Fixed serialization issue and pylint	3 months ago
.readthedocs.yml	Added rtd config file	8 months ago
.travis.yml	Make lots more files pass pylint	3 months ago
LICENSE	Fix typo	3 years ago
MANIFEST.in	Fix pip dist	3 years ago
README.md	Update README.md	3 months ago

SHAP Repository - Source: SHAP



Background: SHAP



Example SHAP Output - Source: SHAP



Background: **Feature Selection**

- This concept of selecting features that are relevant to an AI model is called feature selection
- Feature Selection can be classified as: Filter; Wrapper; and Embedded.
- Feature Selection could bring some benefits, such as: Reduces Overfitting; Improves Accuracy; and Reduces Training Time.



Background: **Modelos**

- In the experiments were used the following models:
 - Random Forest
 - Catboost
 - LightGBM
 - XGBoost



Materials & Methods: **Metrics**

- Performance: Accuracy; Precision; Recall; and F1 Score
- Training time
- Storage



Materials & Methods: **Hardware**

- **Processor:** Intel Core i5 (10th generation), 4 cores and 2.0 GHz, Turbo Boost up to 3.8 GHz, with 6 MB shared L3 cache
- **RAM memory:** 16GB LPDDR4X integrated memory with 3733 MHz
- **Graphics Chip:** Intel Iris Plus Graphics
- **Storage:** 512 GB SSD
- **Operating System:** macOS Big Sur 11.2.3



Dataset: Cancer Breast Dataset

Data Set Characteristics	Multivariate
Attribute Characteristics	Real
Associated Tasks	Classification
Number of Instances	569
Number of Attributes	32
Missing Values	No
Area	Life
Date Donated	01-11-1195
Number of Web Hits	1485620





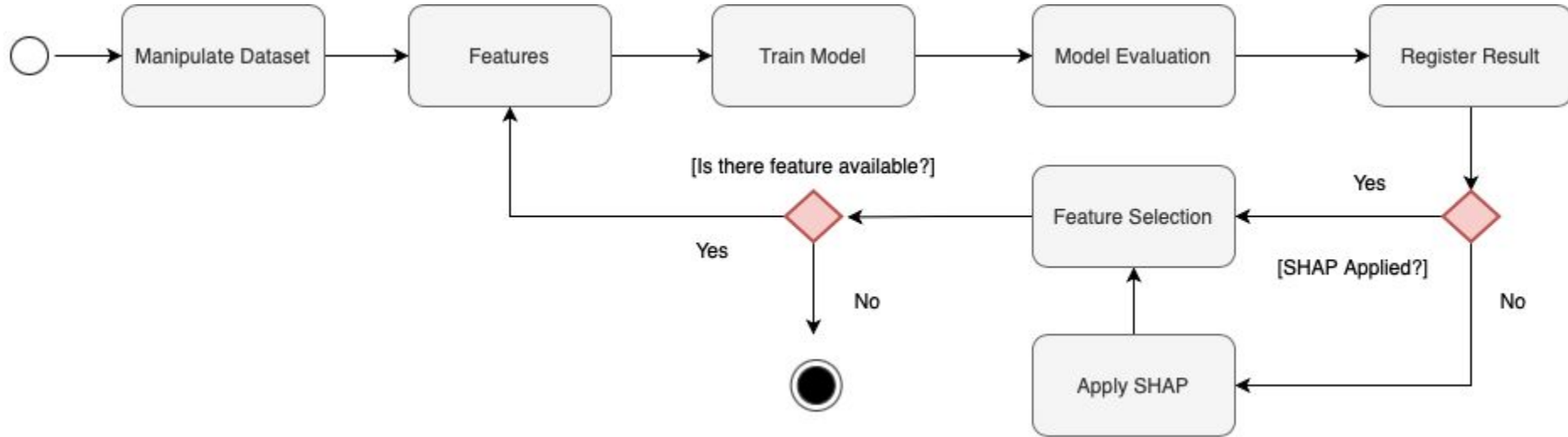
Dataset: Credit Card Fraud Dataset

Data Set Characteristics	Multivariate
Attribute Characteristics	Real
Associated Tasks	Classification
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Number of Attributes	31
Missing Values	No
Area	Finance
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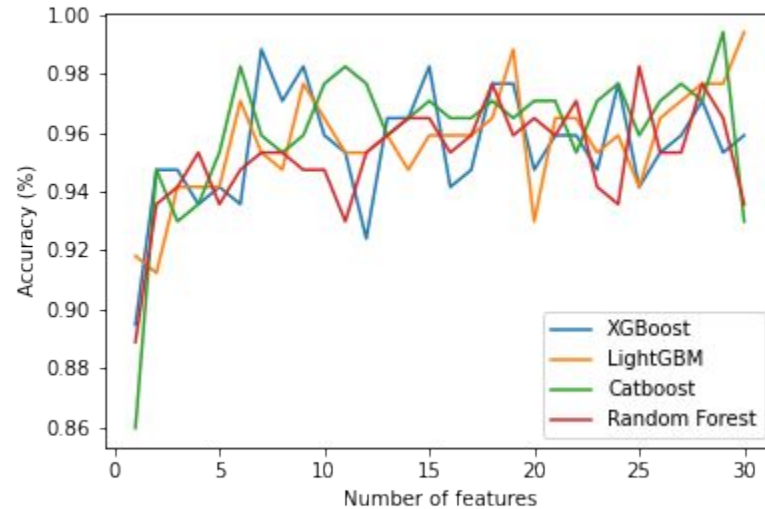


Materials & Methods: **Experiment**



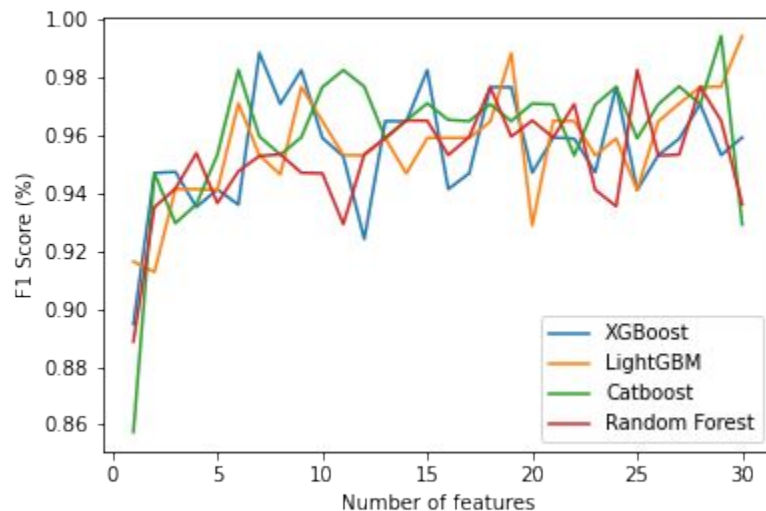


Breast Cancer Dataset - Accuracy



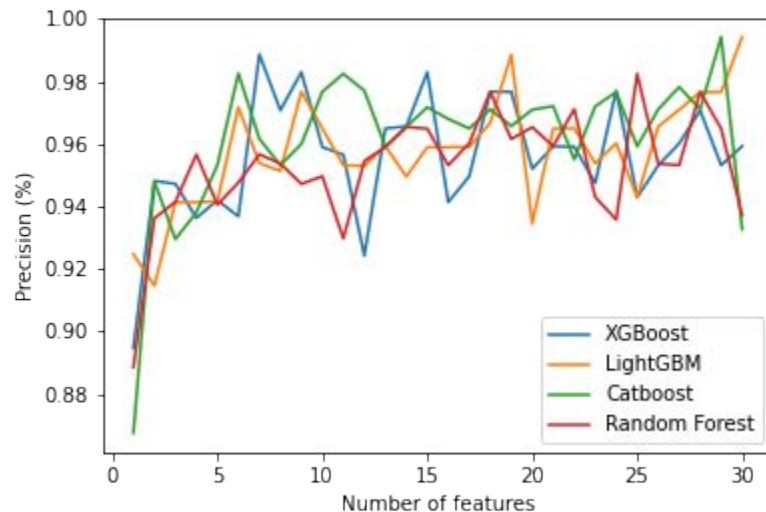


Breast Cancer Dataset - F1 Score



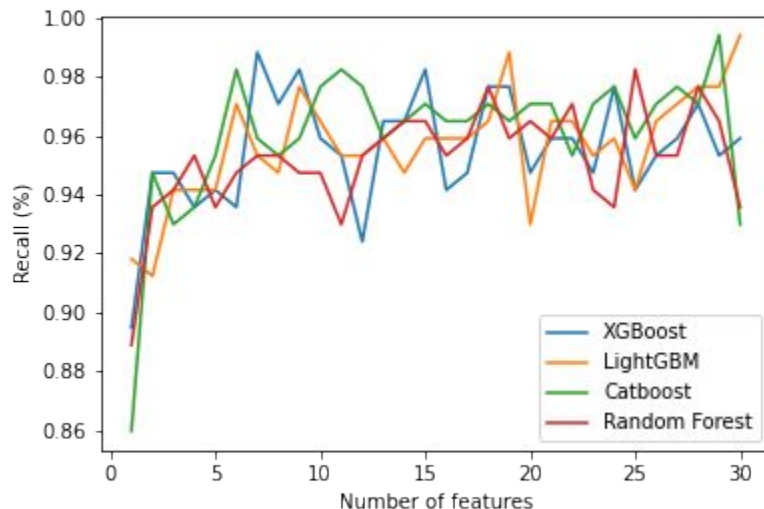


Breast Cancer Dataset - Precision



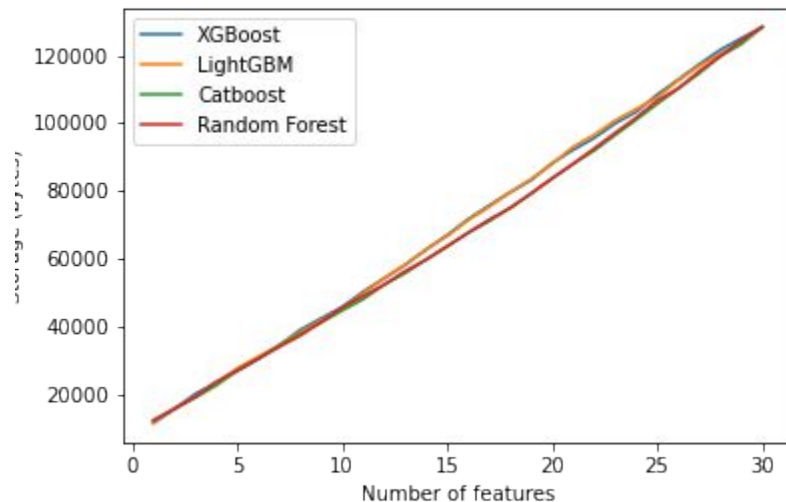


Breast Cancer Dataset - Recall



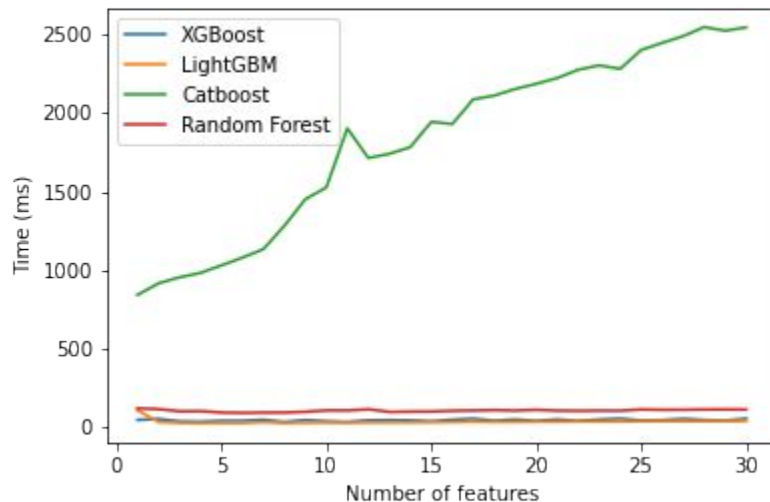


Breast Cancer Dataset - Storage



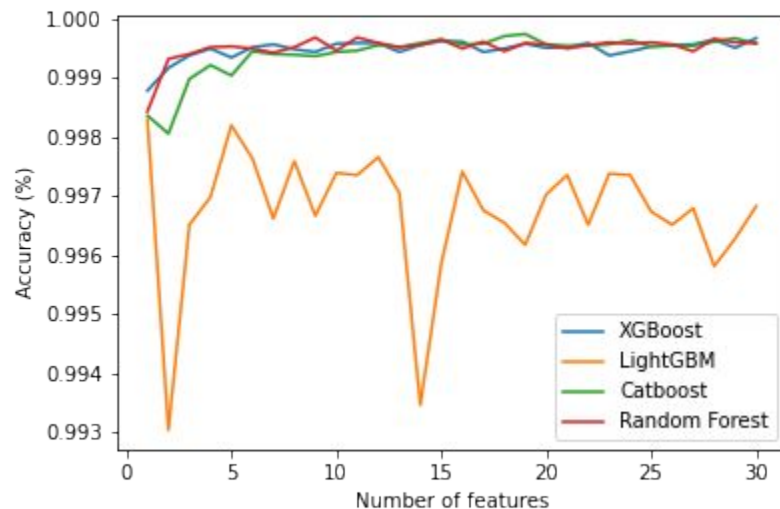


Breast Cancer Dataset - Training Time



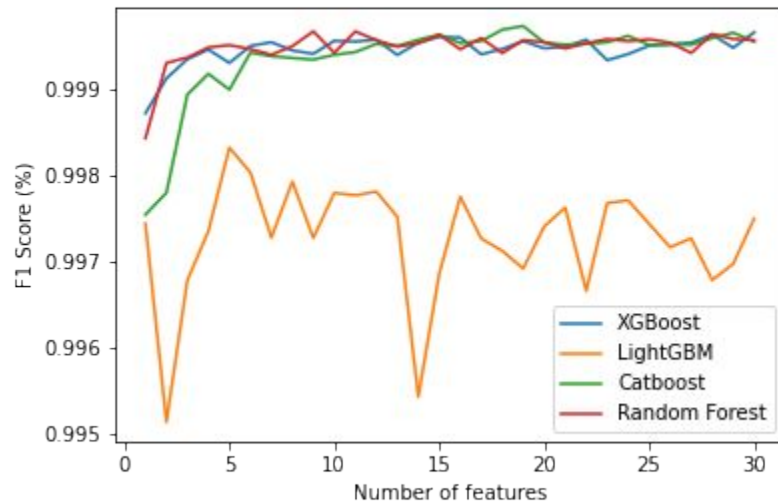


CC Fraud Detection - Accuracy



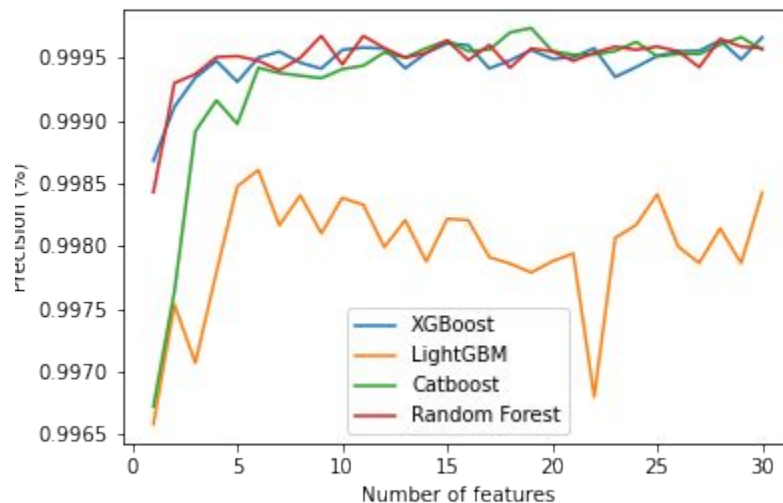


CC Fraud Detection - F1 Score



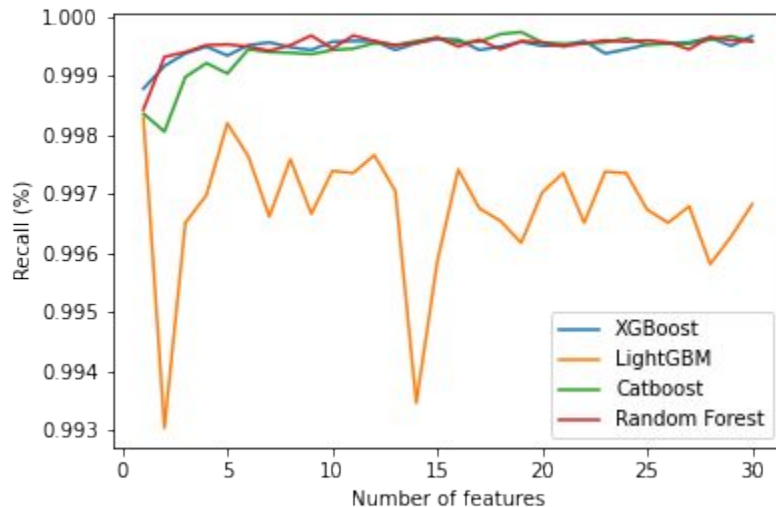


CC Fraud Detection - Precision



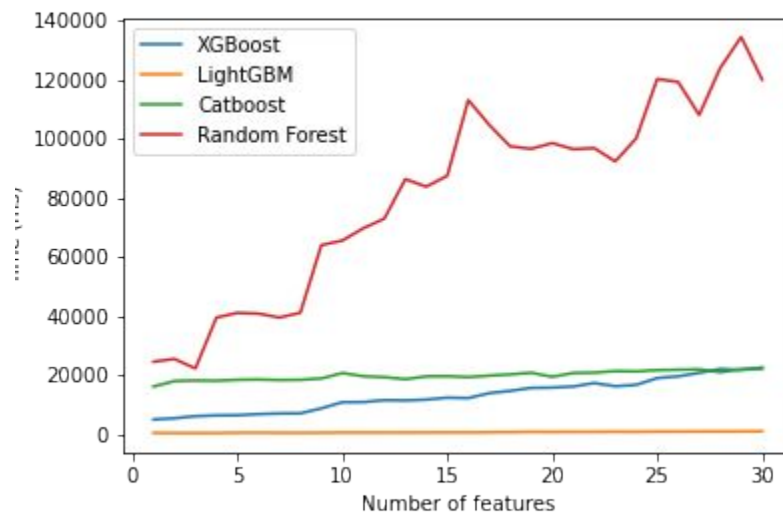


CC Fraud Detection - Recall



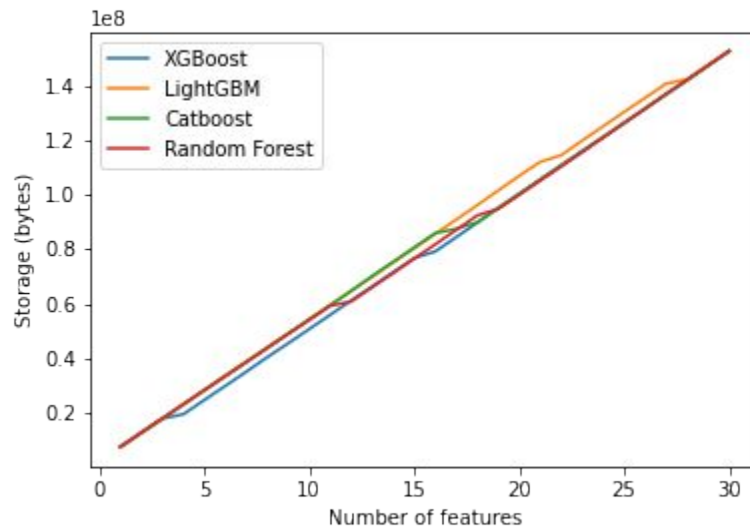


CC Fraud Detection - Training Time





CC Fraud Detection - Storage



Conclusion

- SHAP allows to understand how relevant each feature is.
- In some cases, with a small group of features are possible to obtain great results (storage, training time, and performance metrics)
- In future works, studies about how we can development machine learning models based on SHAP could be performed, since SHAP can be used in different ways.



Thank you!

Any questions?

