STA6714-19Spring 0001- Term Project Step 2--Data Analysis

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Task: Binary classification on predicting the rain

Data pre-processing:

The rain dataset has a lot of missing data for few predictors .so I have to drop all the rows that has missing data .

R code for missing data:

new.data <- na.omit(rain)</pre>

Also , date variable is trivial and had to be dropped new.data\$Date= NULL

The rain dataset has 6 categorical variables. They have to be converted into numerical factor variables before fitting the model.

R code for factors:

new.data\$Location=as.numeric(factor(new.data\$Location))
new.data\$WindGustDir=as.numeric(factor(new.data\$WindGustDir))
new.data\$WindDir9am=as.numeric(factor(new.data\$WindDir9am))
new.data\$WindDir3pm=as.numeric(factor(new.data\$WindDir3pm))
new.data\$RainToday=as.numeric(factor(new.data\$RainToday))
new.data\$RainTomorrow=as.numeric(factor(new.data\$RainTomorrow))

Logistic regression:

The logistic regression model is fitted on pre-processed data.

R code:

logit.reg <- glm(new.data\$RainTomorrow~ ., data = new.data[,-23], family =
"binomial",control = list(maxit = 50, epsilon=1))</pre>

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options(scipen=999)
summary(logit.reg)
```

Results are:

```
call:
glm(formula = new.data$RainTomorrow ~ ., family = "binomial",
data = new.data[, -23], control = list(maxit = 50, epsilon = 1))
Deviance Residuals:
                Median
           1Q
                           30
                                 Max
-2.1999 -0.6110
              -0.4635 -0.3310
                               2.5036
Coefficients:
             Estimate Std. Error z value
                                               Pr(>|z|)
0.0000000000323 ***
                                                      ***
Humidity9am
           0.002688
                                                      ***
Humidity3pm
           Pressure9am
Pressure3pm
           -0.0202418 0.0052046 0.0263413 0.0055461
                               -3.889
4.750
cloud9am
                                               0.000101
                                        0.00000203898403
cloud3pm
                               -0.590
                                               0.555123
Temp9am
           -0.0043457
                     0.0073643
                     0.0106769
Temp3pm
           -0.0132852
                               -1.244
                                               0.213389
                               14.148 < 0.000000000000000 ***
            0.4390677 0.0310329 14.148 < 0.0000000000000002 ***
0.0677015 0.0012621 53.643 < 0.0000000000000000 ***
RainToday
RISK_MM
Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
   Null deviance: 59493 on 56419
                              degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 35641
                              degrees of freedom
                     on 56397
AIC: 35687
```

As we see above , there are few number of predictors which are statistically insignificant having high p-values > 0.05 for predicting the response variable.

Hence we run stepwise logistic regression on the pre-processed data.

Confusion matrix:

```
pred
0 1
No 43171 822
Yes 6132 6295
```

ACCURACY: 87%

Step-wise logistic regression:

Results are:

```
glm(formula = new.data$RainTomorrow ~ MinTemp + MaxTemp + Rainfall +
   Sunshine + WindGustDir + WindGustSpeed + WindDir9am + WindDir3pm +
   WindSpeed9am + WindSpeed3pm + Humidity9am + Humidity3pm +
   Pressure9am + Pressure3pm + Cloud9am + Cloud3pm + RainToday +
   RISK_MM, family = "binomial", data = new.data[, -23], control = list(maxit = 50,
   epsilon = 1))
Deviance Residuals:
            1Q Median
                                    мах
-2.1812 -0.6116 -0.4635 -0.3301
                                 2.5159
Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error z value
                                                  Pr(>|z|)
MinTemp
MaxTemp
            -0.0051523 0.0017189
                                                  0.002722 **
Rainfall
                                 -2.997
Sunshine
            -0.1016516  0.0047279  -21.500 < 0.0000000000000002
WindGustDir
             0.0094464 0.0027767
                                                  0.000669 ***
                                  3.402
WindGustSpeed 0.0309821 0.0012305
WindDir9am -0.0081792 0.0024578
                                 25.178 < 0.0000000000000000 ***
                                 -3.328
                                                  0.000875
WindDir3pm
            0.0046593 0.0027370
                                 1.702
                                                  0.088692
                                  -1.379
WindSpeed9am -0.0021778 0.0015791
                                                  0.167833
Humidity9am -0.0037030 0.0008311 -4.455 0.0000083700372431 ***
Humidity3pm 0.0322340 0.0009495 33.947 < 0.000000000000000002
                                 9.076 < 0.0000000000000000 ***
Pressure9am
            0.0595823 0.0065645
            Pressure3pm
cloud9am
                                -3.777
                                                  0.000159
             0.0268633 0.0055246
                                         0.0000011591123352 ***
                                 4.863
cloud3pm
                       0.0308423 13.982 < 0.0000000000000000 ***
RainToday
             0.4312313
             RISK_MM
signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
(Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
   Null deviance: 59493
                       on 56419
                                degrees of freedom
Residual deviance: 35637
                                degrees of freedom
                      on 56401
AIC: 35675
Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 1
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As we see above, the number of predictors (18 out of total 23) is less after running step-wise regression.

Also the null deviance is 59493 on 56419 df is reduced to 35637 on 56401 when using predictors which indicates the model is a good fit.

Using the important predictors via stepwise model results in almost same residual deviance as that of model using all the predictors.

The predictors used are:

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MinTemp + MaxTemp + Rainfall + Sunshine + WindGustDir + WindGustSpeed + WindDir9am + WindDir3pm + WindSpeed9am + WindSpeed3pm + Humidity9am + Humidity3pm + Pressure9am + Pressure3pm + Cloud9am + Cloud3pm + RainToday + RISK_MM
```

These predictors are statistically significant as their p-value< 0.05.

Confusion matrix:

```
pred
0 1
No 43178 815
Yes 6139 6288
```

Accuracy: 87%

R code:

```
stepw1=step(logit.reg,trace = 0)
summary(stepw1)
```

To ensure that these variables are statistically important, we can run chisquare test between the response variable and predictors:

Chi-square test results:

For mintemp:

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chisq.test(new.data$RainTomorrow,new.data$MaxTemp,correct = FALSE)
Chi-squared approximation may be incorrect
        Pearson's Chi-squared test
data: new.data$RainTomorrow and new.data$MaxTemp
X-squared = 1918, df = 394, p-value < 0.0000000000000022
For rainfall:
chisq.test(new.data$RainTomorrow,new.data$Rainfall,correct = FALSE)
Chi-squared approximation may be incorrect
         Pearson's Chi-squared test
 data: new.data$RainTomorrow and new.data$Rainfall
 X-squared = 7351.7, df = 409, p-value < 0.0000000000000022
For sunshine:
chisq.test(new.data$RainTomorrow,new.data$Sunshine,correct = FALSE)
Chi-squared approximation may be incorrect
         Pearson's Chi-squared test
data: new.data$RainTomorrow and new.data$Sunshine
X-squared = 12103, df = 144, p-value < 0.0000000000000022
FOR WINDGUSTSPEED:
chisq.test(new.data$RainTomorrow,new.data$WindGustSpeed,correct = FALSE)
Chi-squared approximation may be incorrect
        Pearson's Chi-squared test
data: new.data$RainTomorrow and new.data$WindGustSpeed
X-squared = 3405.1, df = 60, p-value < 0.0000000000000022
Fr winddir9am:
chisq.test(new.data$RainTomorrow,new.data$WindDir9am,correct = FALSE)
        Pearson's Chi-squared test
data: new.data$RainTomorrow and new.data$WindDir9am X-squared = 987.91, df = 15, p-value < 0.00000000000000022
For windspeed9am:
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For humidity9am:

For riskmm:

Since all the predictors obtained through stepwise model have chi-square p-value less than 0.05 obtained by chi-square test between response and predictors, response variable is dependent on those variables.

Statistically significant variables:

```
MinTemp + MaxTemp + Rainfall + Sunshine + WindGustDir + WindGustSpeed + WindDir9am + WindDir3pm + WindSpeed9am + WindSpeed3pm + Humidity9am + Humidity3pm + Pressure9am + Pressure3pm + Cloud9am + Cloud3pm + RainToday + RISK_MM
```

PCA:

PCA cannot be conducted because most of the variables are categorical having more than 2 classes.