Adult Census Income

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Predict whether income exceeds \$50K/yr based on census data

1.1 Informations on the dataset

This data was extracted from the 1994 Census bureau database by Ronny Kohavi and Barry Becker (Data Mining and Visualization, Silicon Graphics). A set of reasonably clean records was extracted using the following conditions: ((AAGE>16) && (AGI>100) && (AFNLWGT>1) && (HRSWK>0)). The prediction task is to determine whether a person makes over \$50K a year.

Original dataset open sourced, can be found here.

1.2 Goal

Predict **whether or not a person makes more than USD 50,000** from the information contained in the columns. Find clear insights on the profiles of the people that make more than 50,000USD / year. For example, which variables seem to be the most correlated with this phenomenon?

2 Dataset first insight

Libraries import

```
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier, ExtraTreesClassifier
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
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Out[4]:	age workclass fnl		wgt	education		cation.n	um mar	marital.status		
0	90	?	77	053	HS-gr	ad		9	Wido	wed
1	82	Private	132870		HS-gr	ad		9	Wido	wed
2	66	?	186	061	Some-colle	ge		10	Wido	wed
3	54	Private	140	359	7th-8	th		4	Divor	ced
4	41	Private	264	663	Some-college			10	Separated	
	occupation			re	lationship	race	sex	capit	al.gain	\
0	?			Not	t-in-family Whi		Female		0	
1	Exec-managerial			Not	-in-family	White	Female		0	
2	?				Unmarried	Black	Female		0	
3	Machine-op-inspct				Unmarried	White	Female		0	
4	Prof-specialty				Own-child	White	Female		0	
	capital.loss hours.per.week native.country income									
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1		4356			18 Uni	ted-Sta	tes <=5	OK		
2		4356			40 Uni	ted-Sta	tes <=5	OK		
3		3900			40 Uni	ted-Sta	tes <=5	OK		
4		3900			40 Uni	ted-Sta	tes <=5	OK		

Columns description

- age: continuous.
- workclass: Private, Self-emp-not-inc, Self-emp-inc, Federal-gov, Local-gov, State-gov, Without-pay, Never-worked.
- fnlwgt: continuous.
- education: Bachelors, Some-college, 11th, HS-grad, Prof-school, Assoc-acdm, Assoc-voc, 9th, 7th-8th, 12th, Masters, 1st-4th, 10th, Doctorate, 5th-6th, Preschool.
- education-num: continuous.
- marital-status: Married-civ-spouse, Divorced, Never-married, Separated, Widowed, Married-spouse-absent, Married-AF-spouse.
- occupation: Tech-support, Craft-repair, Other-service, Sales, Exec-managerial, Profspecialty, Handlers-cleaners, Machine-op-inspct, Adm-clerical, Farming-fishing, Transportmoving, Priv-house-serv, Protective-serv, Armed-Forces.
- relationship: Wife, Own-child, Husband, Not-in-family, Other-relative, Unmarried.
- race: White, Asian-Pac-Islander, Amer-Indian-Eskimo, Other, Black.
- sex: Female, Male.
- capital-gain: continuous.
- capital-loss: continuous.

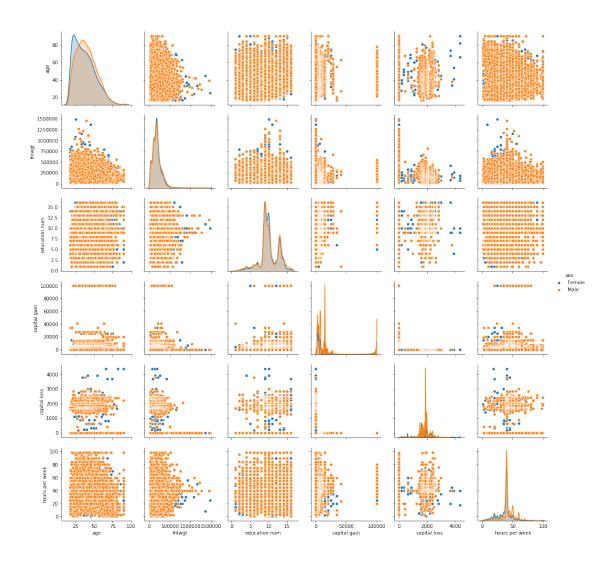
- hours-per-week: continuous.
- native-country: United-States, Cambodia, England, Puerto-Rico, Canada, Germany, Outlying-US(Guam-USVI-etc), India, Japan, Greece, South, China, Cuba, Iran, Honduras, Philippines, Italy, Poland, Jamaica, Vietnam, Mexico, Portugal, Ireland, France, Dominican-Republic, Laos, Ecuador, Taiwan, Haiti, Columbia, Hungary, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Scotland, Thailand, Yugoslavia, El-Salvador, Trinadad&Tobago, Peru, Hong, Holand-Netherlands.

```
In [5]: df.shape
Out[5]: (32561, 15)
In [6]: df.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 32561 entries, 0 to 32560
Data columns (total 15 columns):
                  32561 non-null int64
age
                  32561 non-null object
workclass
                  32561 non-null int64
fnlwgt
education
                  32561 non-null object
                  32561 non-null int64
education.num
                  32561 non-null object
marital.status
                  32561 non-null object
occupation
                  32561 non-null object
relationship
race
                  32561 non-null object
                  32561 non-null object
sex
capital.gain
                  32561 non-null int64
capital.loss
                  32561 non-null int64
hours.per.week
                  32561 non-null int64
native.country
                  32561 non-null object
income
                  32561 non-null object
dtypes: int64(6), object(9)
memory usage: 3.7+ MB
```

When it comes to numerical values, no information is missing. On the contrary for categorical features, there are '?', which indicated unknow information. Some rows are duplicated and need to be removed:

```
In [9]: cat_feat = df.select_dtypes(include=['object']).columns
        cat_feat
Out[9]: Index(['workclass', 'education', 'marital.status', 'occupation',
               'relationship', 'race', 'sex', 'native.country', 'income'],
              dtype='object')
   The number of missing value isn't relevant
In [10]: print('% of missing values :')
         for c in cat feat:
             perc = len(df[df[c] == '?']) / df.shape[0] * 100
             print(c, f'{perc:.1f} %')
% of missing values :
workclass 5.6 %
education 0.0 %
marital.status 0.0 %
occupation 5.7 %
relationship 0.0 %
race 0.0 %
sex 0.0 %
native.country 1.8 %
income 0.0 %
   Basic statistics for numerical values:
In [11]: df.describe()
Out[11]:
                                                             capital.gain
                                                                            capital.loss
                                     fnlwgt
                                              education.num
                          age
         count
                32537.000000
                               3.253700e+04
                                              32537.000000
                                                             32537.000000
                                                                            32537.000000
                   38.585549
                               1.897808e+05
                                                  10.081815
                                                              1078.443741
                                                                               87.368227
         mean
                   13.637984
                               1.055565e+05
                                                   2.571633
                                                              7387.957424
                                                                              403.101833
         std
         min
                   17.000000 1.228500e+04
                                                   1.000000
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         25%
                               1.178270e+05
                   28.000000
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         50%
                   37.000000
                               1.783560e+05
                                                  10.000000
                                                                 0.000000
                                                                                0.00000
         75%
                   48.000000
                               2.369930e+05
                                                  12.000000
                                                                 0.000000
                                                                                0.00000
         max
                   90.000000 1.484705e+06
                                                  16.000000
                                                            99999.000000
                                                                             4356.000000
                hours.per.week
         count
                  32537.000000
         mean
                     40.440329
         std
                     12.346889
                       1.000000
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         75%
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3 Exploratory Analysis



Distributions of numerical values

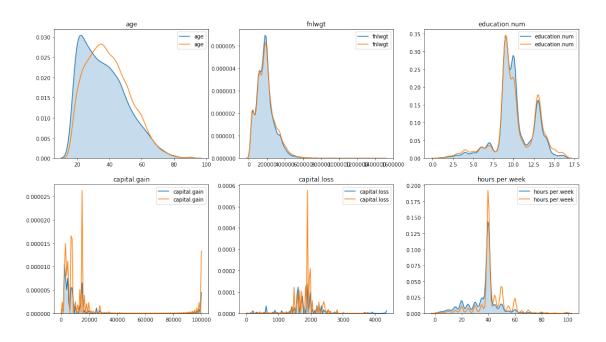
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In [15]: plt.figure(figsize=(18,10))
    plt.subplot(231)

i=0
    for c in num_feat:
        plt.subplot(2, 3, i+1)
        i += 1
        sns.kdeplot(df[df['sex'] == 'Female'][c], shade=True, )
        sns.kdeplot(df[df['sex'] == 'Male'][c], shade=False)
        plt.title(c)

plt.show()
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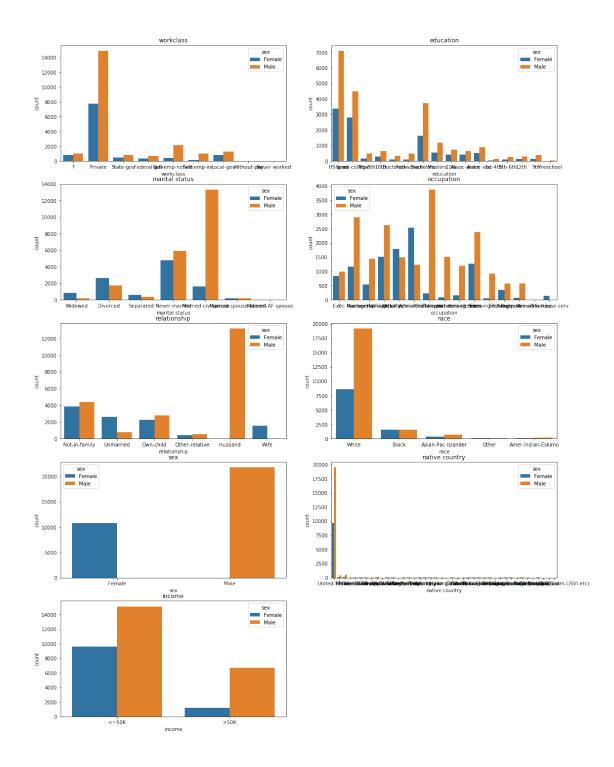


There are significant differences when it comes to capital gain / loss and hours per week.

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In [16]: plt.figure(figsize=(18,25))
        plt.subplot(521)

i=0
    for c in cat_feat:
        plt.subplot(5, 2, i+1)
        i += 1
        sns.countplot(x=c, data=df, hue='sex')
        plt.title(c)
```

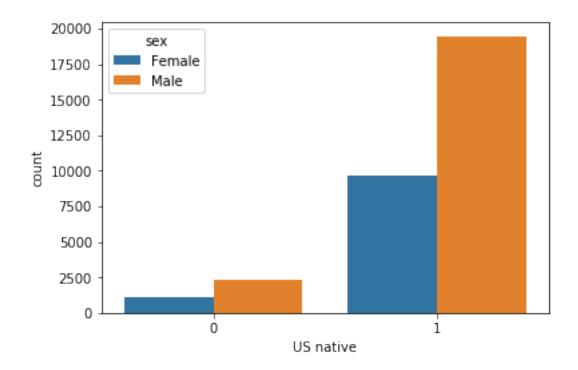
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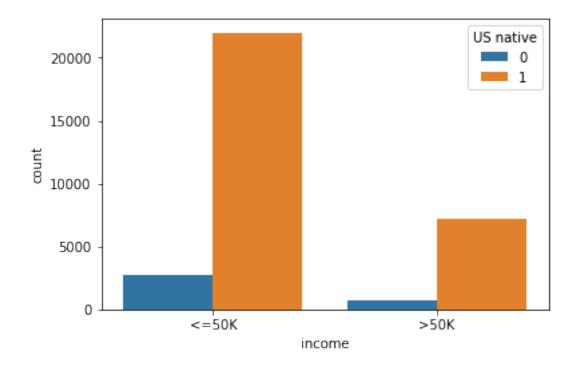


There are far more male earning >50k than female, but at the same time there are also more male earning <50k and even more males recorded in general. The counts need to be normalized.

```
In [17]: # nb of female / male
    nb_female = (df.sex == 'Female').astype('int').sum()
    nb_male = (df.sex == 'Male').astype('int').sum()
    nb_female, nb_male
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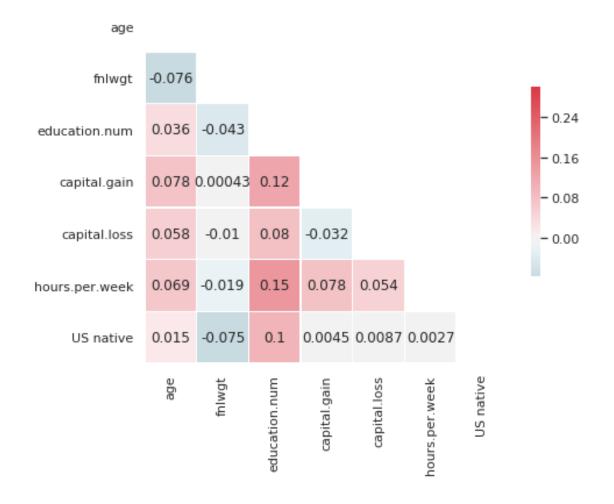
```
Out[17]: (10762, 21775)
In [18]: # nb of people earning more or less than 50k per gender
         nb male above = len(df[(df.income == '>50K') & (df.sex == 'Male')])
         nb_male_below = len(df[(df.income == '<=50K') & (df.sex == 'Male')])</pre>
         nb_female_above = len(df[(df.income == '>50K') & (df.sex == 'Female')])
         nb_female_below = len(df[(df.income == '<=50K') & (df.sex == 'Female')])</pre>
         nb_male_above, nb_male_below, nb_female_above, nb_female_below
Out[18]: (6660, 15115, 1179, 9583)
In [19]: print(f'Among Males : {nb_male_above/nb_male*100:.0f}% earn >50K // {nb_male_below/s
         print(f'Among Females : {nb_female_above/nb_female*100:.0f}% earn >50K // {nb_female_i
Among Males : 31% earn >50K // 69% earn <=50K
Among Females : 11% earn >50K // 89% earn <=50K
In [20]: # normalization
         nb_male_above /= nb_male
         nb_male_below /= nb_male
         nb_female_above /= nb_female
         nb_female_below /= nb_female
         nb_male_above, nb_male_below, nb_female_above, nb_female_below
Out [20]: (0.3058553386911596,
          0.6941446613088404,
          0.1095521278572756,
          0.8904478721427244)
In [21]: print(f'Among people earning >50K : {nb_male_above / (nb_male_above + nb_female_above
         print(f'Among people earning =<50K : {nb_male_below / (nb_male_below + nb_female_below</pre>
Among people earning >50K : 74% are Females and 26% are Males
Among people earning =<50K : 44% are Females and 56% are Males
  The distinction between american natives and the others should also be made
In [22]: df['US native'] = (df['native.country'] == 'United-States').astype('int')
         plt.figure(figsize=(6,4))
         sns.countplot(x='US native', data=df, hue='sex')
         plt.show()
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In [24]: # nb of people earning more or less than 50k per origin
         nb_native_above = len(df[(df.income == '>50K') & (df['US native'] == 1)])
         nb_native_below = len(df[(df.income == '<=50K') & (df['US native'] == 1)])</pre>
         nb_foreign_above = len(df[(df.income == '>50K') & (df['US native'] == 0)])
         nb_foreign_below = len(df[(df.income == '<=50K') & (df['US native'] == 0)])</pre>
         nb_native_above, nb_native_below, nb_foreign_above, nb_foreign_below
Out [24]: (7169, 21984, 670, 2714)
In [25]: nb_native = (df['US native'] == 1).astype('int').sum()
         nb_foreign = df.shape[0] - nb_native
         nb_native, nb_foreign
Out [25]: (29153, 3384)
In [26]: print(f'Among natives : {nb_native_above/nb_native*100:.0f}% earn >50K // {nb_native_above/nb_native*100:.0f}%
         print(f'Among foreigners : {nb_foreign_above/nb_foreign*100:.0f}% earn >50K // {nb_foreign_above/nb_foreign*100:.0f}%
                 : 25% earn >50K // 75% earn <=50K
Among foreigners: 20% earn >50K // 80% earn <=50K
In [27]: # normalization
         nb_native_above /= nb_native
         nb_native_below /= nb_native
         nb_foreign_above /= nb_foreign
         nb_foreign_below /= nb_foreign
         nb_native_above, nb_native_below, nb_foreign_above, nb_foreign_below
Out [27]: (0.24590951188556923,
          0.7540904881144308,
          0.1979905437352246,
          0.8020094562647754)
In [28]: print(f'Among people earning >50K : {nb_native_above / (nb_native_above + nb_foreign
         print(f'Among people earning =<50K : {nb_native_below / (nb_native_below + nb_foreign</pre>
Among people earning >50K \, : 55% are natives and 45% are foreigners
Among people earning =<50K : 48% are natives and 52% are foreigners
In [29]: num_feat = df.select_dtypes(include=['float', 'int']).columns
         num_feat
Out[29]: Index(['age', 'fnlwgt', 'education.num', 'capital.gain', 'capital.loss',
                 'hours.per.week', 'US native'],
               dtype='object')
```

Out[30]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7fe274a74710>



4 Preparing data

cols

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In [31]: df['income'] = pd.get_dummies(df['income'], prefix='income', drop_first=True)
In [32]: y = df.income
         df = df.drop(columns=['income'])
In [33]: print(f'Ratio above 50k: {y.sum()/len(y)*100:.2f}%')
Ratio above 50k: 24.09%
In [34]: #cat_columns = ['workclass', 'education', 'marital-status', 'occupation', 'relationsh
In [35]: #df_clean['sex'] = df_clean['sex'].str.replace('Female', '0').str.replace('Male', '1')
In [36]: df.head()
Out [36]:
            age workclass fnlwgt
                                      education education.num marital.status
             90
                            77053
                                        HS-grad
        0
                                                             9
                                                                      Widowed
         1
             82
                 Private
                          132870
                                        HS-grad
                                                             9
                                                                      Widowed
             66
                        ?
                          186061 Some-college
                                                            10
                                                                      Widowed
         3
                                        7th-8th
             54
                 Private
                          140359
                                                                     Divorced
             41
                 Private 264663
                                   Some-college
                                                            10
                                                                    Separated
                   occupation
                                relationship
                                                        sex capital.gain
                                              race
        0
                              Not-in-family White Female
                             Not-in-family White Female
                                                                        0
        1
              Exec-managerial
        2
                                   Unmarried Black Female
                                                                        0
           Machine-op-inspct
                                   Unmarried White Female
                                                                        0
         3
               Prof-specialty
                                   Own-child White Female
            capital.loss hours.per.week native.country
        0
                    4356
                                      40 United-States
                    4356
                                      18 United-States
                                                                 1
        1
         2
                    4356
                                      40 United-States
                                                                 1
         3
                    3900
                                      40 United-States
                                                                 1
                    3900
                                      40 United-States
In [37]: cols = list(df.columns)
```

```
Out[37]: ['age',
          'workclass',
          'fnlwgt',
          'education',
          'education.num',
          'marital.status',
          'occupation',
          'relationship',
          'race',
          'sex',
          'capital.gain',
          'capital.loss',
          'hours.per.week',
          'native.country',
          'US native']
In [38]: selected_feat = cols.copy()
         selected_feat.remove('US native')
         selected_feat
Out[38]: ['age',
          'workclass',
          'fnlwgt',
          'education',
          'education.num',
          'marital.status',
          'occupation',
          'relationship',
          'race',
          'sex',
          'capital.gain',
          'capital.loss',
          'hours.per.week',
          'native.country']
In [42]: df_final = df[selected_feat]
In [43]: cat_feat = df_final.select_dtypes(include=['object']).columns
         X = pd.get_dummies(df_final[cat_feat], drop_first=True)
In [44]: \#X = pd.concat([df_final[continuous_columns], df_dummies], axis=1)
In [45]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2)
```

5 Model training and predictions

Choose carefully your features, you can even create new ones, and focus on training Decision Trees and Random Forests.

Improve your models by finding the optimal hyperparameters that minimize your models' error.

5.1 Baseline LogisticRegression

```
In [47]: print_score(LogisticRegression(), 'LogisticReg')
Accuracy score of the LogisticReg : on train = 83.61%, on test = 81.78%
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5.2 Decision Tree

```
In [48]: print_score(DecisionTreeClassifier(), 'DecisionTreeClf')
Accuracy score of the DecisionTreeClf : on train = 87.14%, on test = 80.19%
```

5.3 Random Forest

5.4 ExtraTreesClassifier

5.5 Tuned model

```
Out[54]: GridSearchCV(cv=5, error_score='raise-deprecating',
                estimator=RandomForestClassifier(bootstrap=True, class_weight=None, criterion=
                     max_depth=None, max_features='auto', max_leaf_nodes=None,
                     min_impurity_decrease=0.0, min_impurity_split=None,
                     min_samples_leaf=1, min_samples_split=2,
                     min_weight_fraction_leaf=0.0, n_estimators='warn', n_jobs=None,
                     oob_score=False, random_state=None, verbose=0,
                     warm_start=False),
                fit_params=None, iid='warn', n_jobs=None,
                param_grid={'n_estimators': [50, 100, 150, 200, 250], 'max_features': [1, 2, 3
                pre_dispatch='2*n_jobs', refit=True, return_train_score='warn',
                scoring=None, verbose=0)
In [55]: rfc_cv.best_params_
Out[55]: {'max_depth': 8, 'max_features': 5, 'n_estimators': 250}
In [57]: rfc_best = RandomForestClassifier(max_depth=8, max_features=5, n_estimators=250).fit(
         print(f'Accuracy score of the RandomForrest: on train = {rfc_best.score(X_train, y_train);
Accuracy score of the RandomForrest: on train = 80.54%, on test = 79.78%
```

6 Profiling

Let's find clear insights on the profiles of the people that make more than USD 50K a year. Which features seem to be the most correlated with this phenomenon.

6.1 Based on the rf model

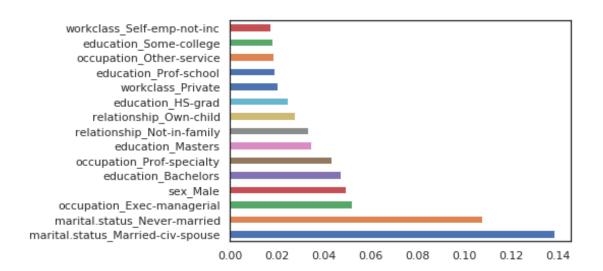
```
In [58]: # indexes of columns which are the most important
         np.argsort(rf.feature_importances_)[-16:]
Out[58]: array([91, 5, 22, 36, 21, 3, 18, 45, 43, 19, 38, 16, 52, 32, 26, 24])
In [59]: # most important features
         [list(X.columns)[i] for i in np.argsort(rf.feature_importances_)[-16:]][::-1]
Out[59]: ['marital.status_Married-civ-spouse',
          'marital.status_Never-married',
          'occupation_Exec-managerial',
          'sex_Male',
          'education_Bachelors',
          'occupation_Prof-specialty',
          'education_Masters',
          'relationship_Not-in-family',
          'relationship_Own-child',
          'education_HS-grad',
          'workclass_Private',
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'education_Prof-school',
          'occupation_Other-service',
          'education_Some-college',
          'workclass_Self-emp-not-inc',
          'native.country United-States']
In [60]: # Feature importances
         features = X.columns
         importances = rf.feature_importances_
         indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]
         num_features = len(importances)
         # Plot the feature importances of the tree
         plt.figure(figsize=(16, 4))
         plt.title("Feature importances")
         plt.bar(range(num_features), importances[indices], color="g", align="center")
         plt.xticks(range(num_features), [features[i] for i in indices], rotation='45')
         plt.xlim([-1, num_features])
         plt.show()
         # Print values
         for i in indices:
             print ("{0} - {1:.3f}".format(features[i], importances[i]))
                                      Feature importances
      0.14
      0.10
      0.08
      0.06
      0.04
```

```
marital.status_Married-civ-spouse - 0.139
marital.status_Never-married - 0.108
occupation_Exec-managerial - 0.052
sex_Male - 0.050
education_Bachelors - 0.047
occupation_Prof-specialty - 0.043
education_Masters - 0.034
```

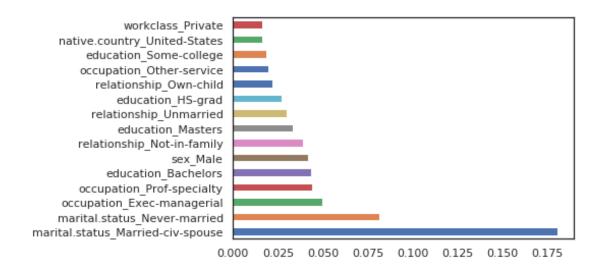
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relationship_Not-in-family - 0.033
relationship_Own-child - 0.028
education_HS-grad - 0.025
workclass_Private - 0.020
education Prof-school - 0.019
occupation_Other-service - 0.019
education Some-college - 0.018
workclass_Self-emp-not-inc - 0.017
native.country_United-States - 0.017
race_White - 0.017
education_Doctorate - 0.016
workclass_Self-emp-inc - 0.015
relationship_Unmarried - 0.014
relationship_Wife - 0.013
occupation_Sales - 0.013
occupation_Craft-repair - 0.012
race_Black - 0.011
workclass_State-gov - 0.011
occupation_Adm-clerical - 0.011
workclass_Local-gov - 0.011
workclass_Federal-gov - 0.010
education_Assoc-voc - 0.010
education_Assoc-acdm - 0.010
occupation_Tech-support - 0.010
education_7th-8th - 0.009
occupation_Farming-fishing - 0.009
marital.status_Separated - 0.008
education_11th - 0.007
occupation_Machine-op-inspct - 0.007
marital.status_Widowed - 0.007
occupation_Transport-moving - 0.007
race_Asian-Pac-Islander - 0.007
relationship_Other-relative - 0.007
occupation_Protective-serv - 0.006
education 9th - 0.006
occupation_Handlers-cleaners - 0.006
native.country Mexico - 0.005
marital.status_Married-spouse-absent - 0.004
education_12th - 0.004
native.country_Germany - 0.003
education_5th-6th - 0.003
native.country_Canada - 0.003
native.country_Philippines - 0.003
race_Other - 0.003
native.country_Italy - 0.002
native.country_England - 0.002
native.country_India - 0.002
native.country_Poland - 0.002
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education_1st-4th - 0.002
native.country_Cuba - 0.002
native.country_South - 0.002
native.country_Puerto-Rico - 0.002
native.country Japan - 0.002
native.country_France - 0.001
native.country Greece - 0.001
native.country_China - 0.001
native.country_Taiwan - 0.001
native.country_El-Salvador - 0.001
native.country_Iran - 0.001
native.country_Jamaica - 0.001
native.country_Dominican-Republic - 0.001
marital.status_Married-AF-spouse - 0.001
native.country_Vietnam - 0.001
native.country_Ireland - 0.001
native.country_Columbia - 0.001
native.country_Portugal - 0.001
native.country_Peru - 0.001
native.country Haiti - 0.001
native.country_Yugoslavia - 0.001
native.country_Hungary - 0.001
native.country_Cambodia - 0.000
native.country_Ecuador - 0.000
native.country_Hong - 0.000
native.country_Nicaragua - 0.000
occupation_Priv-house-serv - 0.000
native.country_Guatemala - 0.000
education_Preschool - 0.000
native.country_Laos - 0.000
native.country_Scotland - 0.000
native.country_Thailand - 0.000
native.country_Trinadad&Tobago - 0.000
workclass_Without-pay - 0.000
native.country Outlying-US(Guam-USVI-etc) - 0.000
occupation_Armed-Forces - 0.000
native.country Honduras - 0.000
workclass_Never-worked - 0.000
native.country_Holand-Netherlands - 0.000
In [61]: (pd.Series(rf.feature_importances_, index=X_train.columns)
            .nlargest(15)
            .plot(kind='barh'))
Out[61]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7fe2780ecef0>
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6.2 Based on the ExtraTree model

Out[62]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7fe277f0f7f0>



The same features come first.