Credit Card Fraud Detection - Group 3

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Before We Begin (About the Dataset)

- The dataset contains transactions made by credit cards in September 2013 by European cardholders.
- This dataset presents transactions that occurred in two days, where we have 492 frauds out of 284,807 transactions. The dataset is highly unbalanced, the positive class (frauds) account for 0.172% of all transactions.
- It contains only numerical input variables which are the result of a PCA transformation.
- Unfortunately, due to confidentiality issues, the original features cannot be obtained.

Our Goals

- Gather Sense of the data from the numerical variables.
- Scale and Distribute the data so that it can be used by ML/DL Models.
- Understand the distribution of the data that was provided.

1. Gather Sense of the data

- We need to gather some **basic sense** of the data.
- Except for the **transaction** and **amount** columnsm we have absolutely no clue what the other columns are (privacy reasons).
- What we do know, is that the data has already been scaled.

2. Initial Preprocessing

Importing all required libraries

```
In [ ]: # Data-preprocessing and Graphing Libraries
  import numpy as np
  import pandas as pd
  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

```
# Scaling, Sampling, and Shuffling of the data
from sklearn.preprocessing import RobustScaler
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.model_selection import StratifiedShuffleSplit
from sklearn.model_selection import StratifiedKFold

# Classification Models
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.svm import SVC
from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier

# Validation Scores
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
```

Loading the data into a dataframe

Out[]:		Time	V1	V2	V3	V4	V5	V6	V7	V8	
	0	0.0	-1.359807	-0.072781	2.536347	1.378155	-0.338321	0.462388	0.239599	0.098698	0.3
	1	0.0	1.191857	0.266151	0.166480	0.448154	0.060018	-0.082361	-0.078803	0.085102	-0.2
	2	1.0	-1.358354	-1.340163	1.773209	0.379780	-0.503198	1.800499	0.791461	0.247676	-1.5
	3	1.0	-0.966272	-0.185226	1.792993	-0.863291	-0.010309	1.247203	0.237609	0.377436	-1.3
	4	2.0	-1.158233	0.877737	1.548718	0.403034	-0.407193	0.095921	0.592941	-0.270533	0.8

5 rows × 31 columns

Getting a statistical description of the data

```
In [ ]: credit_df.describe()
```

Out[]:		Time	V1	V2	V3	V4	V5
	count	284807.000000	2.848070e+05	2.848070e+05	2.848070e+05	2.848070e+05	2.848070e+05
	mean	94813.859575	1.168375e-15	3.416908e-16	-1.379537e-15	2.074095e-15	9.604066e-16
	std	47488.145955	1.958696e+00	1.651309e+00	1.516255e+00	1.415869e+00	1.380247e+00
	min	0.000000	-5.640751e+01	-7.271573e+01	-4.832559e+01	-5.683171e+00	-1.137433e+02
	25%	54201.500000	-9.203734e-01	-5.985499e-01	-8.903648e-01	-8.486401e-01	-6.915971e-01
	50%	84692.000000	1.810880e-02	6.548556e-02	1.798463e-01	-1.984653e-02	-5.433583e-02
	75%	139320.500000	1.315642e+00	8.037239e-01	1.027196e+00	7.433413e-01	6.119264e-01
	max	172792.000000	2.454930e+00	2.205773e+01	9.382558e+00	1.687534e+01	3.480167e+01
	8 rows	× 31 columns					

• From here, it can be observed that the transaction amount is relatively low, with the

Checking for null values in the data

mean standing at around 88.34 USD

```
In [ ]: credit_df.isnull().sum()
```

```
Out[]: Time
         V1
         V2
                    0
         V3
                    0
         ٧4
                    0
         V5
                    0
         ۷6
         V7
                    0
         V8
                    0
         V9
                    0
         V10
                    0
        V11
         V12
                    0
        V13
                    0
        V14
                    0
        V15
                    0
        V16
                    0
         V17
                    0
        V18
                    0
         V19
                    0
        V20
                    0
        V21
                    0
         V22
                    0
        V23
         V24
                    0
        V25
                    0
        V26
                    0
         V27
                    0
         V28
         Amount
                    0
         Class
         dtype: int64
```

• No null values are present in the dataset

Verifying the columns in the dataset

• The dataset is extremely imbalanced.

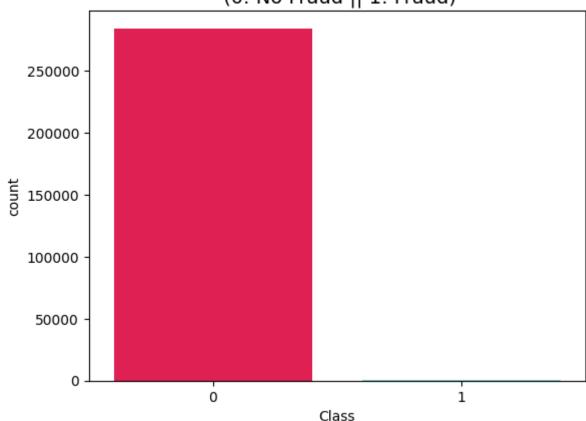
- Almost all of the transaction are non-fraud.
- This will be a huge challenge in training a model, as it will definitely overfit, if the data is used as is.
- We need to convert the data into a more useful form that's not highly skewed.

Plotting the dataset balance in Seaborn

```
In [ ]: colors = ["#FF0043", "#69E2E5"]

sns.countplot(x='Class', palette=colors, data=credit_df)
plt.title('Class Distributions \n (0: No Fraud || 1: Fraud)', fontsize=14)
plt.show()
```

Class Distributions (0: No Fraud || 1: Fraud)



- The distribution gives us an even better idea of skewed the dataset really is
- Techniques have to be applied to make the distributions less skewed

Plotting a distance plot for transaction amounts and transaction times to check if those columns need to be separately scaled

```
In [ ]: fig, ax = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(18,4))
amount_val = credit_df['Amount'].values
time_val = credit_df['Time'].values
```

```
sns.distplot(amount_val, ax=ax[0], color='r')
ax[0].set_title('Distribution of Transaction Amount', fontsize=14)
ax[0].set_xlim([min(amount_val), max(amount_val)])
sns.distplot(time_val, ax=ax[1], color='b')
ax[1].set_title('Distribution of Transaction Time', fontsize=14)
ax[1].set_xlim([min(time_val), max(time_val)])
plt.show()
```

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`distplot` is a deprecated function and will be removed in seaborn v0.14.0.

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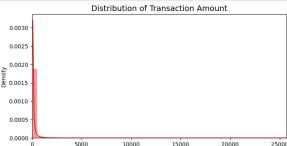
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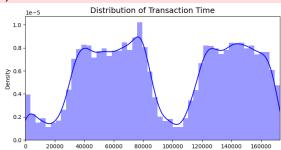
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sns.distplot(time_val, ax=ax[1], color='b')





- It also appears that the **Time** and the **Amount** columns need to be scaled before further analysis is performed on them
- The skewness of the data can be handled using sub-samples which have a 50-50 ratio of fraud and non-fraud transactions

3. Scaling the amount and time columns

Using RobustScaler from sklearn to scale amount and time

```
In [ ]: rob_scaler = RobustScaler()
         credit_df['scaled_amount'] = rob_scaler.fit_transform(credit_df['Amount'].values.re
         credit df['scaled time'] = rob scaler.fit transform(credit df['Time'].values.reshap
        # Dropping the unscaled columns
         credit_df.drop(['Time', 'Amount'], axis=1, inplace=True)
In [ ]: scaled_amount = credit_df['scaled_amount']
         scaled_time = credit_df['scaled_time']
         credit_df.drop(['scaled_amount', 'scaled_time'], axis=1, inplace=True)
         credit_df.insert(0, 'scaled_amount', scaled_amount)
         credit_df.insert(1, 'scaled_time', scaled_time)
        # Scaling is complete
        credit_df.head()
Out[ ]:
           scaled_amount scaled_time
                                          V1
                                                    V2
                                                            V3
                                                                      V4
                                                                               V5
                                                                                         V6
        0
                           -0.994983 -1.359807 -0.072781 2.536347 1.378155 -0.338321
                 1.783274
                                                                                    0.462388
                                                                                             0.2
                -0.269825
                           -0.994983 1.191857
         1
                                               0.266151  0.166480  0.448154  0.060018  -0.082361  -0.0
         2
                                                                                             0.7
                4.983721
                           -0.994972 -1.358354 -1.340163 1.773209 0.379780 -0.503198 1.800499
         3
                 1.418291
                           -0.994972 -0.966272 -0.185226 1.792993 -0.863291 -0.010309 1.247203
                                                                                             0.2
```

-0.994960 -1.158233 0.877737 1.548718 0.403034 -0.407193 0.095921 0.5

 $5 \text{ rows} \times 31 \text{ columns}$

0.670579

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Plotting another distanceplot after scaling

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  sns.distplot(amount_val, ax=ax[0], color='r')
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  sns.distplot(time_val, ax=ax[1], color='b')
            Distribution of Transaction Amount
                                                          Distribution of Transaction Time
                                              0.8
 0.20
```

0.6

0.2

0.0

-0.75

-0.50

-0.25

0.00

0.25

0.50

0.75

• The columns have been sufficiently scaled without losing the features

250

Splitting the Data (Original DataFrame)

150

100

0.15 Densit 0.10

0.05

```
In []: print('No Frauds', round(credit_df['Class'].value_counts()[0]/len(credit_df) * 100, print('Frauds', round(credit_df['Class'].value_counts()[1]/len(credit_df) * 100,2),

X = credit_df.drop('Class', axis=1)
y = credit_df['Class']

sss = StratifiedKFold(n_splits=5, random_state=None, shuffle=False)

for train_index, test_index in sss.split(X, y):
    print("Train:", train_index, "Test:", test_index)
    original_Xtrain, original_Xtest = X.iloc[train_index], X.iloc[test_index]
    original_ytrain, original_ytest = y.iloc[train_index], y.iloc[test_index]

# We already have X_train and y_train for undersample data thats why I am using ori
# original_Xtrain, original_Xtest, original_ytrain, original_ytest = train_test_spl
# Check the Distribution of the labels
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# Turn into an array
original Xtrain = original Xtrain.values
original_Xtest = original_Xtest.values
original_ytrain = original_ytrain.values
original_ytest = original_ytest.values
# See if both the train and test label distribution are similarly distributed
train unique label, train counts label = np.unique(original ytrain, return counts=T
test_unique_label, test_counts_label = np.unique(original_ytest, return_counts=True
print('-' * 100)
print('Label Distributions: \n')
print(train_counts_label/ len(original_ytrain))
print(test_counts_label/ len(original_ytest))
No Frauds 99.83 % of the dataset
Frauds 0.17 % of the dataset
Train: [ 30473 30496 31002 ... 284804 284805 284806] Test: [ 0 1
... 57017 57018 57019]
Train: [ 0 1
                         2 ... 284804 284805 284806] Test: [ 30473 30496 31002
... 113964 113965 113966]
Train: [ 0 1
                         2 ... 284804 284805 284806] Test: [ 81609 82400 83053
... 170946 170947 170948]
                         2 ... 284804 284805 284806] Test: [150654 150660 150661
Train: [ 0 1
... 227866 227867 227868]
Train: [ 0 1
                         2 ... 227866 227867 227868] Test: [212516 212644 213092
... 284804 284805 284806]
Label Distributions:
[0.99827076 0.00172924]
[0.99827952 0.00172048]
```

Preventing Model Overfitting with Random Under-Sampling

- We are aiming for a 50/50 ratio for training in the dataset but, considering how low the fraud data is, we will be needing to remove a lot of information bringing the *non-fraud transactions* to the same number of the fraud transactions.
- After implementing it, we will have samples of our dataframe with 50/50 ratios in regard to fraud/non-fraud transactions.
- We will of course be shuffling the data to see if our models can maintain the same accuracy everytime it's being run

```
In [ ]: # Since our classes are highly skewed we should make them equivalent in order to ha
# Lets shuffle the data before creating the subsamples

df = credit_df.sample(frac=1)

# amount of fraud classes 492 rows.
fraud_df = df.loc[df['Class'] == 1]
```

```
non_fraud_df = df.loc[df['Class'] == 0][:492]
normal_distributed_df = pd.concat([fraud_df, non_fraud_df])

# Shuffle dataframe rows
new_df = normal_distributed_df.sample(frac=1, random_state=42)
new_df.head()
```

Out[]:		scaled_amount	scaled_time	V1	V2	V3	V4	V5	
	250397	0.108293	0.824645	0.125696	0.652337	-0.560628	-0.358196	1.027344	-0.8
	43428	4.781527	-0.507372	-16.526507	8.584972	-18.649853	9.505594	-13.793819	-2.83
	4209	1.016558	-0.950916	1.299369	-0.852354	-0.974292	-1.573454	1.406209	3.29
	18472	-0.297911	-0.648046	-1.060676	2.608579	-2.971679	4.360089	3.738853	-2.72
	190368	2.150493	0.518227	-2.272473	2.935226	-4.871394	2.419012	-1.513022	-0.48

5 rows × 31 columns

Verifying the distrubution of the classes in our samples

```
In [ ]: print('Distribution of the Classes in the subsample dataset')
    print(new_df['Class'].value_counts()/len(new_df))

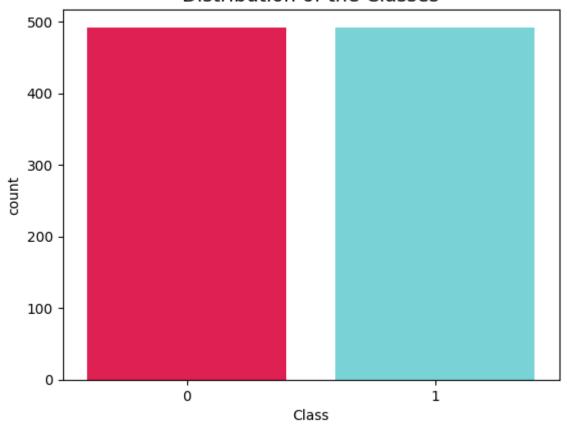
sns.countplot(x='Class', palette=colors, data=new_df)
    plt.title('Distribution of the Classes', fontsize=14)
    plt.show()
```

Distribution of the Classes in the subsample dataset $% \left(1\right) =\left(1\right) \left(1\right)$

0 0.5 1 0.5

Name: Class, dtype: float64

Distribution of the Classes



- It can clearly be seen that the skewedness of the data has been mostly fixed.
- We will proceed with undersampling of the data to train our models

Training multiple models and comparing their accuracies

```
In [ ]: # Undersampling before cross validation
        X = new_df.drop('Class', axis=1)
        y = new_df['Class']
        # Explicit usage for undersampling.
        X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_sta
        # Turn the values into an array for feeding the classification algorithms.
        X_train = X_train.values
        X_test = X_test.values
        y_train = y_train.values
        y_test = y_test.values
        # Implementing simple classifiers
        classifiers = {
            "LogisiticRegression": LogisticRegression(),
            "KNearest": KNeighborsClassifier(),
            "Support Vector Classifier": SVC(),
            "DecisionTreeClassifier": DecisionTreeClassifier()
```

```
for key, classifier in classifiers.items():
    classifier.fit(X_train, y_train)
    training_score = cross_val_score(classifier, X_train, y_train, cv=5)
    print("Classifiers: ", classifier.__class__.__name__, "Has a training score of"

Classifiers: LogisticRegression Has a training score of 94.0 % accuracy score
Classifiers: KNeighborsClassifier Has a training score of 94.0 % accuracy score
Classifiers: SVC Has a training score of 93.0 % accuracy score
Classifiers: DecisionTreeClassifier Has a training score of 91.0 % accuracy score
```

This completes the FDS Project from data pre-processing to model training