# Stroke Prediction Analysis

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### **Predicting Strokes with Machine Learning**

#### Purpose and Questions we hope to answer:

- Every year more than 795,000 people in the US suffers a stroke, contributing to 1 out of every 6 deaths due to cardiovascular disease in 2018.
- How likely is someone to suffer a stroke based on our variables: gender, age, hypertenstion, heart disease history, BMI(Body Mass Index), smoking status, avg glucose level, if they were ever married, what type of work they do, and where they reside- rural or urban?
- Which variable contributes the most to suffering a stroke?
- Which age bracket shows when strokes start affecting people based on the data?

### **Data Storage**

#### **Data Storage Challenges**

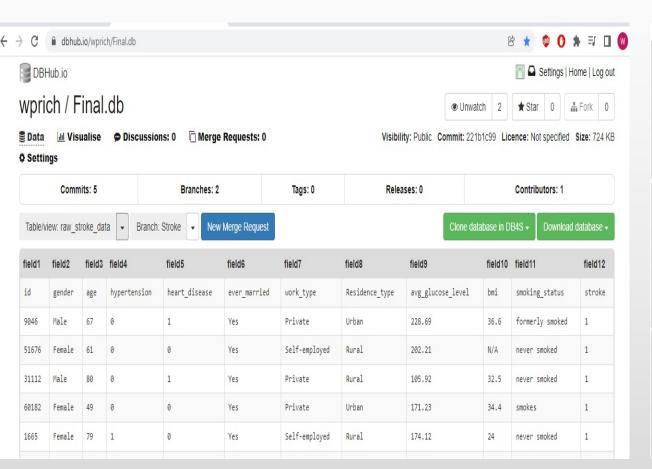
- Storage Location?
- > How to share database with team members?

### **Solution**

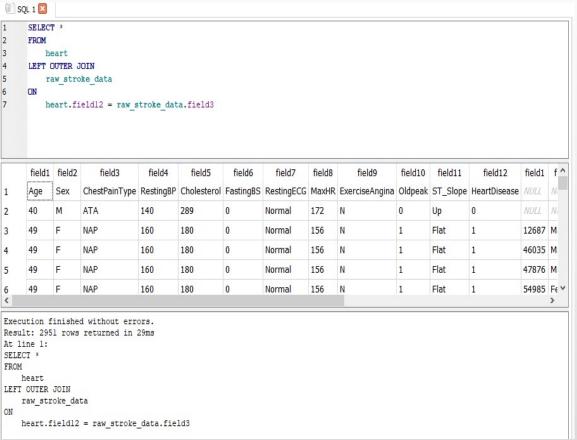
- SQLite is a high quality, visual, open-source tool to create, design, and edit database files compatible with SQLite.
- ▶ DBHub.io a simple API server, used for querying databases remotely was used to share data amongst team members.

### Setting Up Database and Potential Expansion

#### **DBHub.io Website Database View**

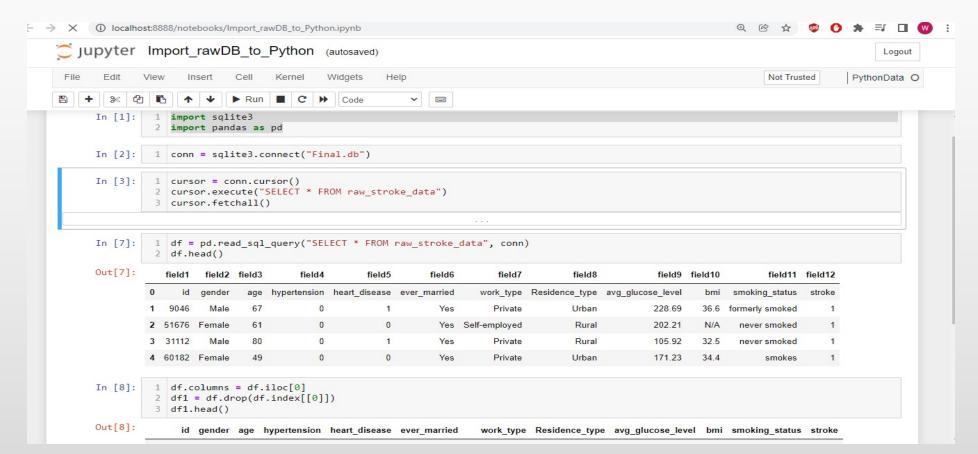


#### **Failed Join Dataset**



### **Exporting Database to Jupyter Notebook**

Also utilizing the wonderful world of google search results, I found a
way to connect our program running in python, to the database file.



### **Preliminary Data Exploration**

- After getting our data from Kaggle.com, we performed some initial clean up and data exploration techniques to describe its characteristics including size, quantity, and accuracy of the data.
- Using Python and Jupyter Notebook, we Extracted,
   Transformed, and Load our data into a Dataframe that we could analyze and manipulate.
- We went from 5110 rows to 5109 dropping one due to gender being "unknown"; we also replaced NaN values in our BMI column with the median value to avoid dropping a large number of our data points.

```
# Check unique values
 df2['gender'].unique()
array(['Male', 'Female', 'Other'], dtype=object)
 # Count how many 'Other' values are in gender column
 df2['gender'].value counts()
Female
          2994
Male
          2115
Other
Name: gender, dtype: int64
 # Drop the row that contains 'Other' value
 other value = df2[df2['gender'] =='Other'].index
 df3 = df2.drop(other value)
 df3.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 5109 entries, 1 to 5110
Data columns (total 11 columns):
     Column
                        Non-Null Count
                                        Dtype
                        5109 non-null
     gender
                                        object
                        5109 non-null
                                        float64
     age
                        5109 non-null
     hypertension
                                        int32
     heart disease
                        5109 non-null
                                        int32
     ever married
                                        object
                        5109 non-null
     work type
                        5109 non-null
                                        object
     Residence type
                        5109 non-null
                                        object
     avg glucose level 5109 non-null
                                        float64
     bmi
                        5109 non-null
                                        float64
                                        object
     smoking status
                        5109 non-null
     stroke
                        5109 non-null
                                        int32
dtypes: float64(3), int32(3), object(5)
memory usage: 419.1+ KB
Since we dropped 1 row, now we have 5109 rows.
```

Data Source: <a href="https://www.kaggle.com/fedesoriano/stroke-prediction-dataset">https://www.kaggle.com/fedesoriano/stroke-prediction-dataset</a>

### Data Analysis using Visualizations

#### Tableau Visualizations

#### **Distribution of predicted values:**

```
# Visualize distribution of predicted values
sns.countplot(x='stroke', data=df3)
df3.stroke.value_counts()

0    4860
1    249
Name: stroke, dtype: int64

5000
4000
```

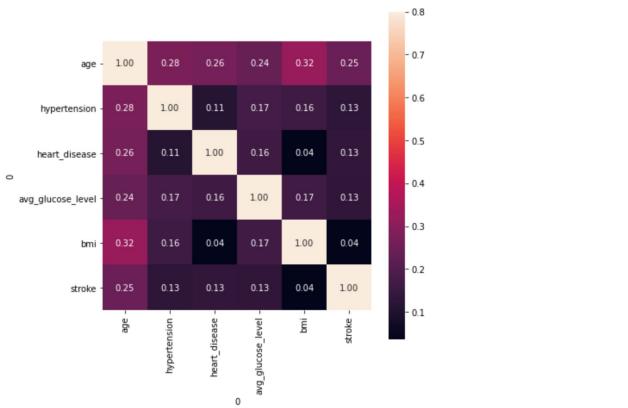
stroke

2000

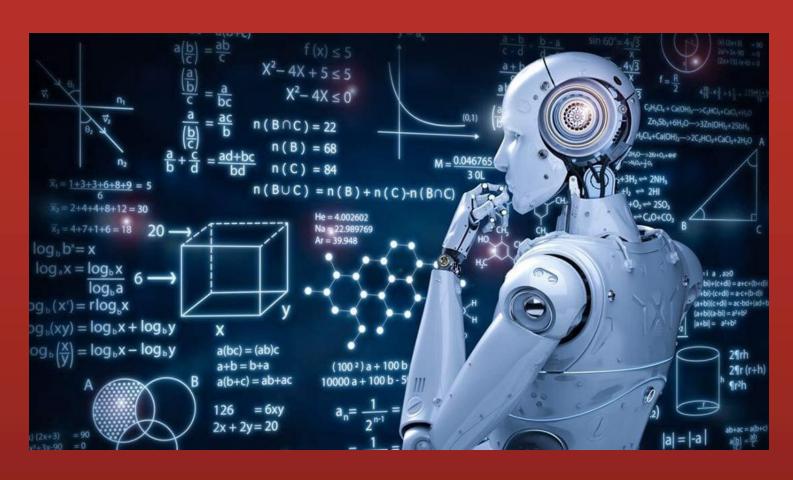
1000

#### Correlation between our variables and stroke:

```
# Check what correlation can be found between the stroke and variables in the dataset
correlation = df3.corr()
fig, axes = plt.subplots(figsize=(7, 7))
sns.heatmap(correlation, vmax=.8, cbar=True, annot=True, square=True, fmt='.2f', annot_kws={'size': 10});
```



## Machine learning



### Data Preprocessing/ Cleaning

- **►** Importing all necessary libraries
- **▶** Drop ID columns
- **→** Handling missing data
- **➤** Convert categorical variables to numerical (object to int or float)
- **►** Label encoding (get\_dummies)

### Preparing data for the model

- **▶** Defining features and target sets (X, y)
- >Splitting data into Train (80%) and Test (20%) sets (X\_train, X\_test, y\_train, y\_test)
- **➤** Scaling the data (StandardScaler())

```
# Check the numbers of positive and negative predicted stroke in training set
from collections import Counter
Counter(y_train)
Counter({0: 3900, 1: 187})
```

**➢**Oversample X and y training sets (SMOTE)

```
# Oversample X and y training sets
X_resampled, y_resampled = SMOTE(random_state=1).fit_resample(X_train, y_train)
Counter(y_resampled)
Counter({0: 3900, 1: 3900})
```

### Create/ Fit/ Predict

### 1. Support Vector Machine

```
# Create SVM model
SVM_model = SVC(kernel='linear')
# Fit the model using resampled data
SVM model.fit(X resampled, y resampled)
# Create predictions
y_pred = SVM_model.predict(X_test)
# Calculated the balanced accuracy score
acc score = balanced accuracy score(y test, y pred)
acc score
0.7613071236559139
```

#### **Confusion Matrix**

```
: # Display the confusion matrix
  plt.figure(figsize = (7, 4))
  sns.heatmap(cm, cmap = 'Greens', annot = True, fmt = 'd', linewidths = 5
               yticklabels = ['Actual No stroke', 'Actual Stroke'], xtickla
  plt.yticks(rotation = 0)
  plt.show()
                           703
                                                       257
   Actual No stroke -
                            13
                                                        49
     Actual Stroke -
                       Predicted no stroke
                                                   Predicted stroke
```

### **Classification report**

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.98	0.73	0.84	960
1	0.16	0.79	0.27	62
accuracy			0.74	1022
macro avg	0.57	0.76	0.55	1022
weighted avg	0.93	0.74	0.80	1022

Accuracy Score: 0.735812133072407

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F1 Score: 0.2663043478260869

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Train score: 0.9542454529664988

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Precision score: 0.16013071895424835

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Recall Score: 0.7903225806451613

### Comparison of Machine Learning models

	Models	Accuracy score	Recall
0	Random Forest	91%	13%
1	K Near Neighbour	81%	37%
2	Suport Vector machine	74%	79%
3	Logistic Regression	74%	79%
4	Naive Bias	30%	100%

The best Accuracy score has the Random forest classifier, but it also has the lowest Recall. On the other hand, Naive Bias has a 100% Recall, but the lowest Accuracy score. In conclusion we can say that the best performance showed SVM and Logistic regression with an Accuracy score of 74% and a Recall of 79%.

- We could have more access to data from hospitals that represented the entire population of the U.S.
- Have access to more cloud database options that are easily accessed and more affordable.
- **❖** A geographical map of stroke data across the Country.
- Use the Neural Network model for optional results.
- Questions?

# Recommendations for Future Analysis

