Final Project Report

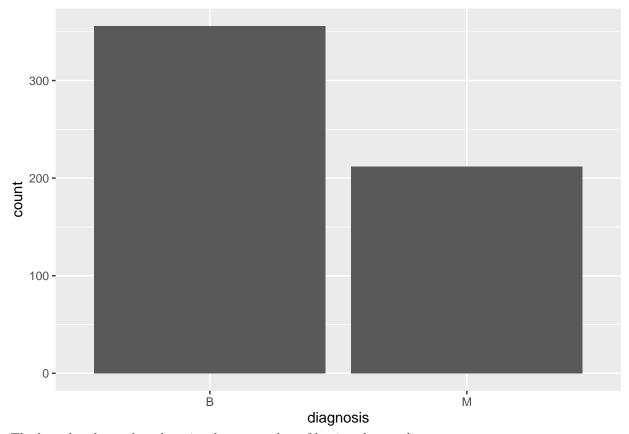
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Data Processing

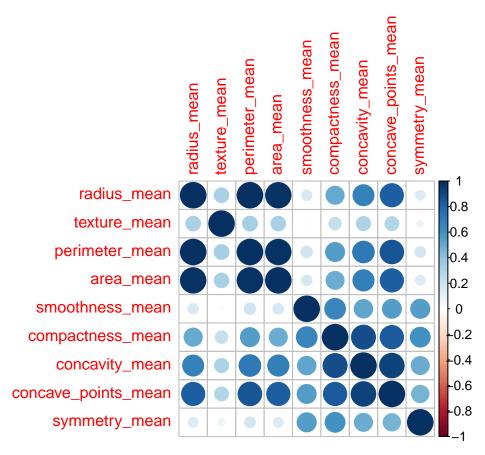
In order to fit SVM on the data, we encode the diagnosis variable into a factor variable with level 1 and -1: We partition the data into training and testing sets using a 70-30 percentage split(70% of the original data as the training set, and 30% as the testing set):

EDA



The bar plot shows that there is a larger number of benign than malignant cancer.

We divide the data into 3 categories according to their features.



Major observations:

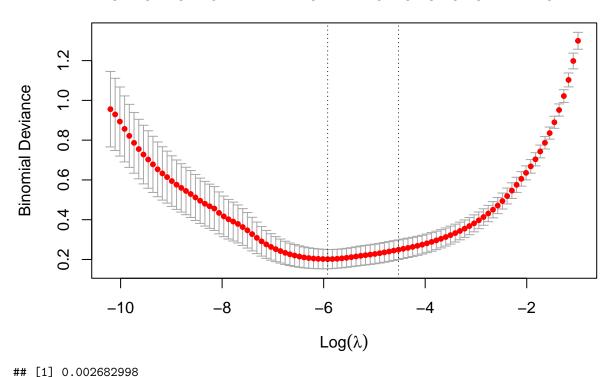
- Radius_mean, perimeter_mean, and area_mean are highly correlated.
- Compactness_mean, concavity_mean and concave_points_mean are highly correlated.

Methodology

SVM

Model Selection (Lasso penalized logistic regression)

28 25 26 23 21 17 16 14 10 9 8 6 5 4 4 3 2



31 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix" ## (Intercept) -28.77675317 ## radius_mean ## texture_mean 0.05593184 ## perimeter_mean ## area_mean ## smoothness_mean ## compactness_mean ## concavity_mean ## concave_points_mean 26.70558695 ## symmetry_mean ## fractal_dimension_mean ## radius_se 4.68352247 ## texture_se -0.53071651 ## perimeter_se ## area_se 0.04732961 ## smoothness se 88.30404283 ## compactness_se -42.98049312 ## concavity_se ## concave_points_se ## symmetry_se ## fractal_dimension_se -85.32165947 ## radius_worst 0.58890672 ## texture_worst 0.22994413

perimeter_worst
area_worst

Linear Kernel SVM

We use the predictors selected by the LASSO penalized logistic regression as predictors for the support vector machine model:

```
##
## Parameter tuning of 'svm':
##
## - sampling method: 10-fold cross validation
##
## - best parameters:
## cost
##
   0.1
##
## - best performance: 0.03282051
##
## - Detailed performance results:
               error dispersion
##
      cost
## 1 1e-03 0.10576923 0.04378205
## 2 1e-02 0.04794872 0.03015895
## 3 1e-01 0.03282051 0.02914580
## 4 1e+00 0.04282051 0.02652294
## 5 5e+00 0.04282051 0.03132482
## 6 1e+01 0.03769231 0.03164962
## 7 1e+02 0.03775641 0.02700681
##
## Call:
## best.tune(METHOD = svm, train.x = diagnosis_binary ~ concavity_mean +
       concave_points_mean + radius_se + texture_se + smoothness_se +
##
##
       compactness_se + fractal_dimension_se + radius_worst + texture_worst +
       smoothness worst + concavity worst + concave points worst + symmetry worst +
##
##
       fractal_dimension_worst, data = cancer_train, ranges = list(cost = c(0.001,
##
       0.01, 0.1, 1, 5, 10, 100)), kernel = "linear")
##
##
## Parameters:
##
     SVM-Type: C-classification
##
   SVM-Kernel: linear
##
         cost: 0.1
##
## Number of Support Vectors: 62
##
##
   (30 32)
##
##
## Number of Classes: 2
##
```

```
## Levels:
## -1 1
## truth
## predict -1 1
## -1 97 2
## 1 1 71
## [1] 0.01754386
```

The misclassification rate is 0.0467.

Radial Kernel SVM

```
## Parameter tuning of 'svm':
## - sampling method: 10-fold cross validation
## - best parameters:
  cost gamma
##
      1 0.5
##
## - best performance: 0.04794872
## - Detailed performance results:
##
      cost gamma
                     error dispersion
## 1 1e-01 0.5 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 2 1e+00 0.5 0.04794872 0.03641743
## 3 1e+01
             0.5 0.05544872 0.02849221
## 4 1e+02
             0.5 0.05544872 0.02849221
## 5 1e+03
             0.5 0.05544872 0.02849221
## 6 1e-01
             1.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 7 1e+00
             1.0 0.20423077 0.07710401
## 8 1e+01
            1.0 0.17397436 0.07285805
## 9 1e+02 1.0 0.17397436 0.07285805
## 10 1e+03 1.0 0.17397436 0.07285805
## 11 1e-01
             2.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 12 1e+00 2.0 0.34262821 0.05486857
## 13 1e+01
             2.0 0.33506410 0.05581714
## 14 1e+02
             2.0 0.33506410 0.05581714
## 15 1e+03
            2.0 0.33506410 0.05581714
## 16 1e-01 3.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 17 1e+00 3.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 18 1e+01
             3.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 19 1e+02
             3.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 20 1e+03
             3.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 21 1e-01
             4.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 22 1e+00
             4.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 23 1e+01
             4.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 24 1e+02
            4.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## 25 1e+03
             4.0 0.35019231 0.06877558
## Call:
## best.tune(METHOD = svm, train.x = diagnosis_binary ~ concavity_mean +
```

```
##
       concave_points_mean + radius_se + texture_se + smoothness_se +
##
       compactness_se + fractal_dimension_se + radius_worst + texture_worst +
       smoothness_worst + concavity_worst + concave_points_worst + symmetry_worst +
##
       fractal_dimension_worst, data = cancer_train, ranges = list(cost = c(0.1,
##
       1, 10, 100, 1000), gamma = c(0.5, 1, 2, 3, 4)), kernel = "radial")
##
##
##
## Parameters:
##
     SVM-Type: C-classification
   SVM-Kernel: radial
##
##
          cost: 1
##
## Number of Support Vectors: 278
##
##
  ( 128 150 )
##
##
## Number of Classes: 2
##
## Levels:
## -1 1
         truth
## predict -1 1
##
       -1 94 3
       1 4 70
##
```

Random Forest

##

```
##
## randomForest(formula = diagnosis_binary ~ texture_mean + perimeter_mean +
                  Type of random forest: classification
                        Number of trees: 500
##
## No. of variables tried at each split: 2
##
##
          OOB estimate of error rate: 8.56%
## Confusion matrix:
      -1
          1 class.error
## -1 246 12 0.04651163
      22 117 0.15827338
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
##
            Reference
## Prediction -1 1
          -1 97 10
##
##
          1 1 63
##
##
                  Accuracy : 0.9357
##
                    95% CI: (0.8878, 0.9675)
      No Information Rate: 0.5731
##
##
      P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2e-16
```

smoothness_mean + co

```
##
                     Kappa : 0.8664
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.01586
##
##
               Sensitivity: 0.9898
##
##
               Specificity: 0.8630
##
            Pos Pred Value : 0.9065
            Neg Pred Value: 0.9844
##
                Prevalence : 0.5731
##
##
            Detection Rate : 0.5673
     Detection Prevalence : 0.6257
##
         Balanced Accuracy: 0.9264
##
##
##
          'Positive' Class : -1
##
```