

PREREQUISITES

MACHINE LEARNING CASE STUDY: CREDIT DATA SET

- German Credit Dataset is a research dataset from the University of Hamburg from 1994 and donated by Prof. Hans Hoffman.
- Description (and manual download) at the UCI repository.

Importing the Data

We use OpenML (R-Package) to download the dataset in a machine-readable format and convert it into a data.frame:

```
# load the dataset from OpenML Library
d = OpenML::getOMLDataSet(data.id = 31)

# convert the OpenML object to a regular data.frame
credit = as.data.frame(d)
```

Factor Variables

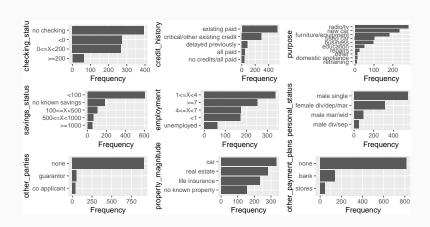
```
skimr::skim_to_list(credit) %>%

.$factor %>%
knitr::kable(format = 'latex', booktabs = TRUE) %>%
kableExtra::kable_styling(latex_options = 'HOLD_position', font_size = 5)
```

variable	missing	n_unique	top_counts	
checking_status	0	4	no: 394, <0: 274, 0<=: 269, >=2: 63	
class	0	2	goo: 700, bad: 300, NA: 0	
credit_history	0	5	exi: 530, cri: 293, del: 88, all: 49	
employment	0	5	1<=: 339, >=7: 253, 4<=: 174, <1: 17	
foreign_worker	0	2	yes: 963, no: 37, NA: 0	
housing	0	3	own: 713, ren: 179, for: 108, NA: 0	
job	0	4	ski: 630, uns: 200, hig: 148, une: 22	
other_parties	0	3	non: 907, gua: 52, co : 41, NA: 0	
other_payment_plans	0	3	non: 814, ban: 139, sto: 47, NA: 0	
own_telephone	0	2	non: 596, yes: 404, NA: 0	
personal_status	0	4	mal: 548, fem: 310, mal: 92, mal: 50	
property_magnitude	0	4	car: 332, rea: 282, lif: 232, no : 154	
purpose	0	10	rad: 280, new: 234, fur: 181, use: 103	
savings_status	0	5	<10: 603, no : 183, 100: 103, 500: 63	

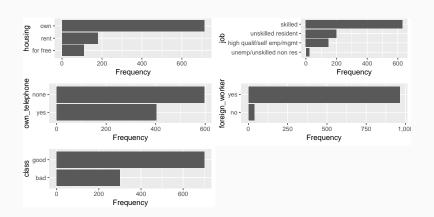
Barplots of discrete features

plot_bar(credit[, 1:14])



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plot_bar(credit[, 15:21])



Numerical Variables

```
skimr::skim_to_list(credit) %>%
.$numeric %>%
knitr::kable(format = 'latex', booktabs = TRUE) %>%
kableExtra::kable_styling(latex_options = 'HOLD_position', font_size = 6)
```

variable	missing	mean	sd
age	0	35.55	11.38
credit_amount	0	3271.26	2822.74
duration	0	20.9	12.06
existing_credits	0	1.41	0.58
$installment_commitment$	0	2.97	1.12
num_dependents	0	1.16	0.36
residence_since	0	2.85	1.1

Histograms of numerical features

plot_histogram(credit)

