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# Physionet 2020 - Predicting patient survival in ICU

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# Overview of Competition : Physionet 2020

- Kaggle Competition: Women in Data Science Datathon (WIDS 2020)
- Timeline: January 30th - February 24th (**3 weeks**)
- Dataset: **130,000** hospital Intensive Care Unit (**ICU**) **visits** from patients in **one-year** timeframe
  - From: Argentina, Australia, New Zealand, Sri Lanka, Brazil, and more than **200 hospitals in the United States**
- Model: to predict **patient survival** in the **ICU** using data **of first 24hrs**
  - hospital\_death = **0 (survived)** and **1 (death)**
  - Training set: 186 variables and 91,713 samples
- Submissions: are **evaluated** on the **AUC** curve **between** the **predicted mortality** and **hospital\_death**
  - Graded using only 50% of testing data (final scores were different)
  - 2 final submissions for judging



# Exploratory Data Analysis

# Exploratory Data Analysis

- Understanding which are **important** out of 186 variables:
  - Between **similar or same tests**
  - Apache** scores
  - H1 vs D1** for each lab test
  - Researching** lab test

## Snapshot of Variables

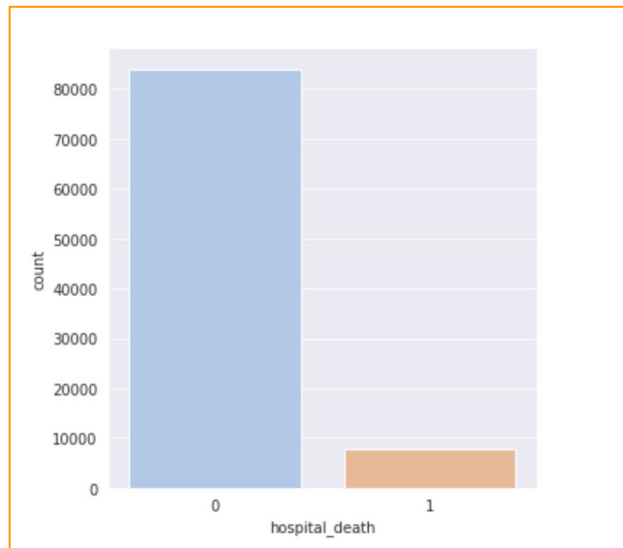
### Apache Variables

|                       |                       |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| hematocrit_apache     | Gcs_unable_apache     |
| intubated_apache      | Gcs_verbal_apache     |
| map_apache            | Glucose_apache        |
| paco2_apache          | Heart_rate_apache     |
| paco2_for_ph_apache   | Wbc_apache            |
| pao2_apache           | Apache_post_operative |
| ph_apache             | Arf_apache            |
| resprate_apache       | Bun_apache            |
| sodium_apache         | Creatinine_apache     |
| temp_apache           | Fio2_apache           |
| urineoutput_apache    | Gcs_eyes_apache       |
| Apache_2_diagnosis    | Gcs_motor_apache      |
| Apache_3j_diagnosis   | Ph_apache             |
| Apache_post_operative | Ventilated_apache     |

### Blood Pressure Variables

|                           |                           |
|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| d1_diasbp_invasive_max    | h1_diasbp_invasive_min    |
| d1_diasbp_invasive_min    | h1_diasbp_max             |
| d1_diasbp_max             | h1_diasbp_min             |
| d1_diasbp_min             | h1_diasbp_noninvasive_ma  |
| d1_diasbp_noninvasive_max | h1_diasbp_noninvasive_min |
| d1_diasbp_noninvasive_min | h1_mbp_invasive_max       |
| d1_mbp_invasive_max       | h1_mbp_invasive_min       |
| d1_mbp_invasive_min       | h1_mbp_max                |
| d1_mbp_max                | h1_mbp_min                |
| d1_mbp_min                | h1_mbp_noninvasive_max    |
| d1_mbp_noninvasive_max    | h1_mbp_noninvasive_min    |
| D1_mbp_noninvasive_min    | h1_sysbp_invasive_max     |
| d1_sysbp_invasive_max     | h1_sysbp_invasive_min     |
| D1_sysbp_invasive_min     | h1_sysbp_invasive_min     |
| d1_sysbp_max              | h1_sysbp_max              |
| d1_sysbp_min              | h1_sysbp_min              |
| D1_sysbp_noninvasive_max  | h1_sysbp_noninvasive_max  |
| D1_sysbp_noninvasive_min  | h1_sysbp_noninvasive_min  |
| D1_sysbp_noninvasive_min  | h1_diasbp_invasive_max    |
| h1_diasbp_invasive_max    | h1_diasbp_invasive_max    |

## Imbalanced



# Exploratory Data Analysis cont.

- Importance plots

- (RF vs. XGB)

- Using **pandas**:

- Pandas profiling
- Importance tables (RF vs. XGB)
- Correlation matrix

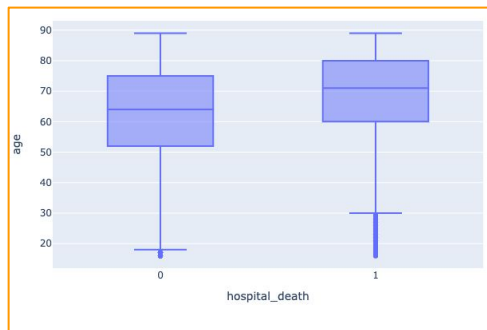
- Using **Google Colab**

- Bar and boxplot distributions for each variable

- Using **Clinical Knowledge**

- Max versus Min value for labs
- Expected range of values
- Right censored data

## Google Colab



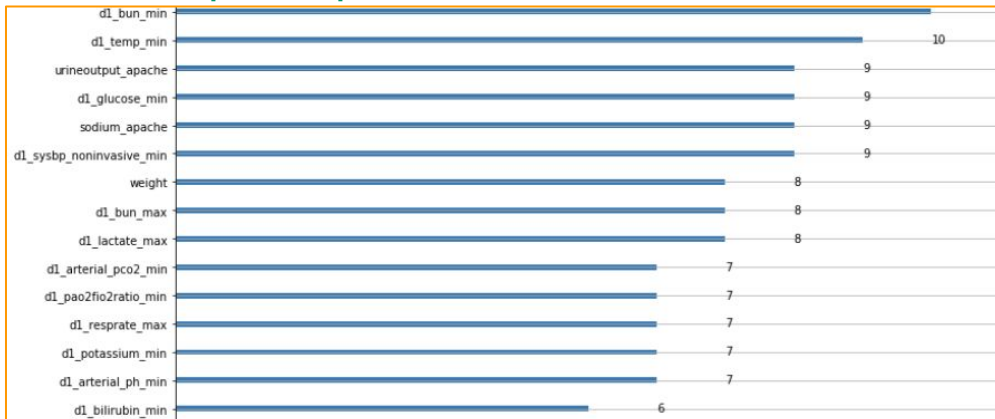
## Pandas profiling

|                                |  |                |       |
|--------------------------------|--|----------------|-------|
| <b>d1_lactate_max</b>          |  | Distinct count | 705   |
| Real number (R <sub>32</sub> ) |  | Unique (%)     | 0.8%  |
| <b>MISSING</b>                 |  | Missing        | 68396 |
|                                |  | Missing (%)    | 74.6% |
|                                |  | Infinite       | 0     |
|                                |  | Infinite (%)   | 0.0%  |

|                            |              |               |                |
|----------------------------|--------------|---------------|----------------|
| Statistics                 | Histogram(s) | Common values | Extreme values |
| <b>Quantile statistics</b> |              |               |                |
| Minimum                    |              |               | 0.4            |
| 5-th percentile            |              |               | 0.7            |
| Q1                         |              |               | 1.2            |
| median                     |              |               | 1.9            |
| Q3                         |              |               | 3.3            |
| 95-th percentile           |              |               | 9.304          |
| Maximum                    |              |               | 19.8           |
| Range                      |              |               | 19.4           |
| Interquartile range (IQR)  |              |               | 2.1            |

## XGB Importance plot

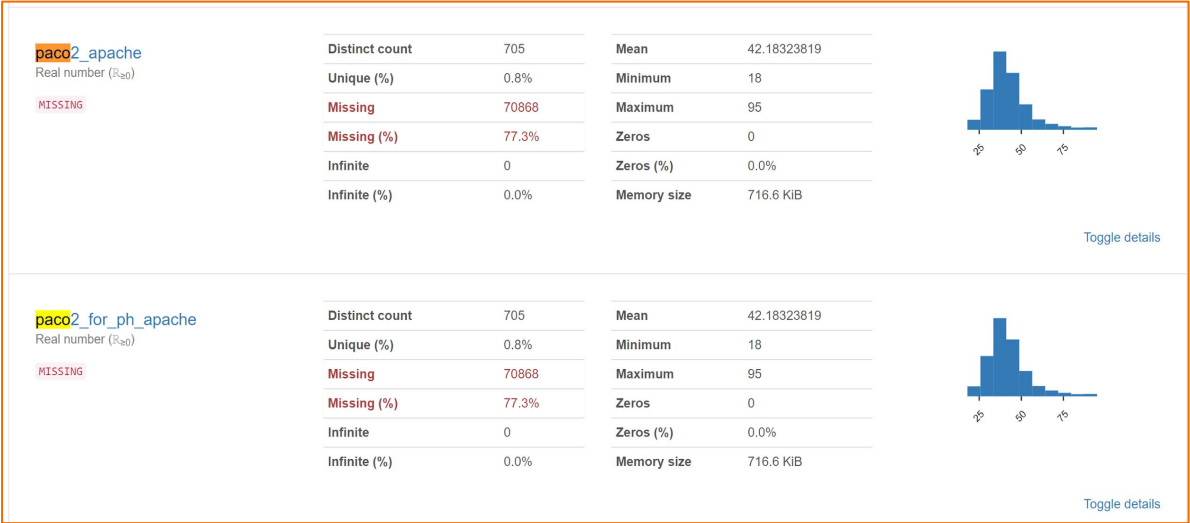


# Feature Selection And Feature Engineering

# Feature Selection

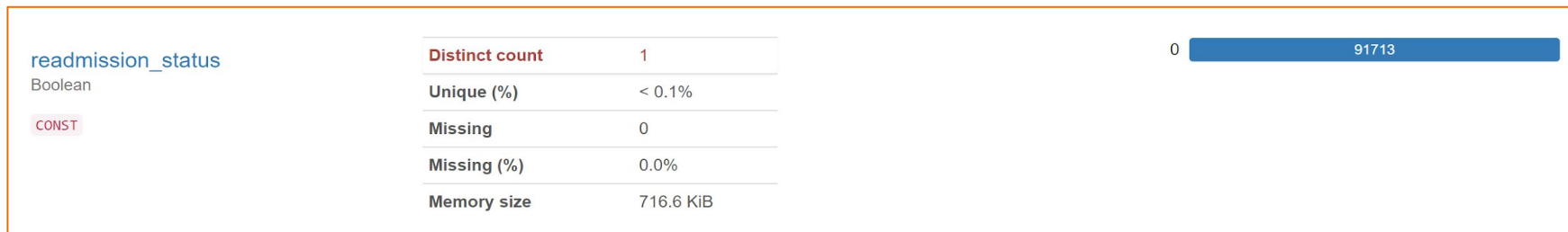
**Paco2\_for\_ph\_apache:** The partial pressure of carbon dioxide from the arterial blood gas taken during the first 24 hours of unit admission which produces the highest APACHE III score **for acid-base disturbance**

**Paco2\_apache:** The partial pressure of carbon dioxide from the arterial blood gas taken during the first 24 hours of unit admission which produces the highest APACHE III score **for oxygenation**



# Feature Selection

Readmission had only a single value for the entire dataset





# Impossible Values

Pre ICU Length of Stay has a minimum of -24.9 days.

**pre\_icu\_los\_days**

Real number (R)

ZEROS

|                |      |
|----------------|------|
| Distinct count | 9757 |
|----------------|------|

|            |       |
|------------|-------|
| Unique (%) | 10.6% |
|------------|-------|

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| Missing | 0 |
|---------|---|

|             |      |
|-------------|------|
| Missing (%) | 0.0% |
|-------------|------|

|          |   |
|----------|---|
| Infinite | 0 |
|----------|---|

|              |      |
|--------------|------|
| Infinite (%) | 0.0% |
|--------------|------|

|      |              |
|------|--------------|
| Mean | 0.8357660507 |
|------|--------------|

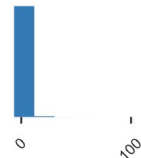
|         |              |
|---------|--------------|
| Minimum | -24.94722222 |
|---------|--------------|

|         |             |
|---------|-------------|
| Maximum | 159.0909722 |
|---------|-------------|

|       |      |
|-------|------|
| Zeros | 3711 |
|-------|------|

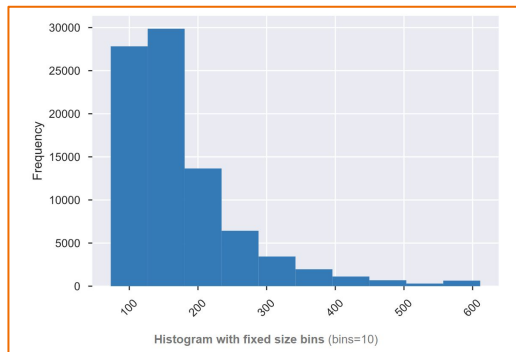
|           |      |
|-----------|------|
| Zeros (%) | 4.0% |
|-----------|------|

|             |           |
|-------------|-----------|
| Memory size | 716.6 KiB |
|-------------|-----------|



# Extreme Values: Are they impossible?

Glucose level that is considered to be normal is 90 - 140 mg/dL. This dataset had a maximum of 611 and minimum of 33



| Value | Count | Frequency (%)      |
|-------|-------|--------------------|
| 611   | 423   | 0.5% <div></div>   |
| 610   | 1     | < 0.1% <div></div> |
| 609   | 2     | < 0.1% <div></div> |
| 608   | 3     | < 0.1% <div></div> |
| 607   | 3     | < 0.1% <div></div> |

# Feature Engineering

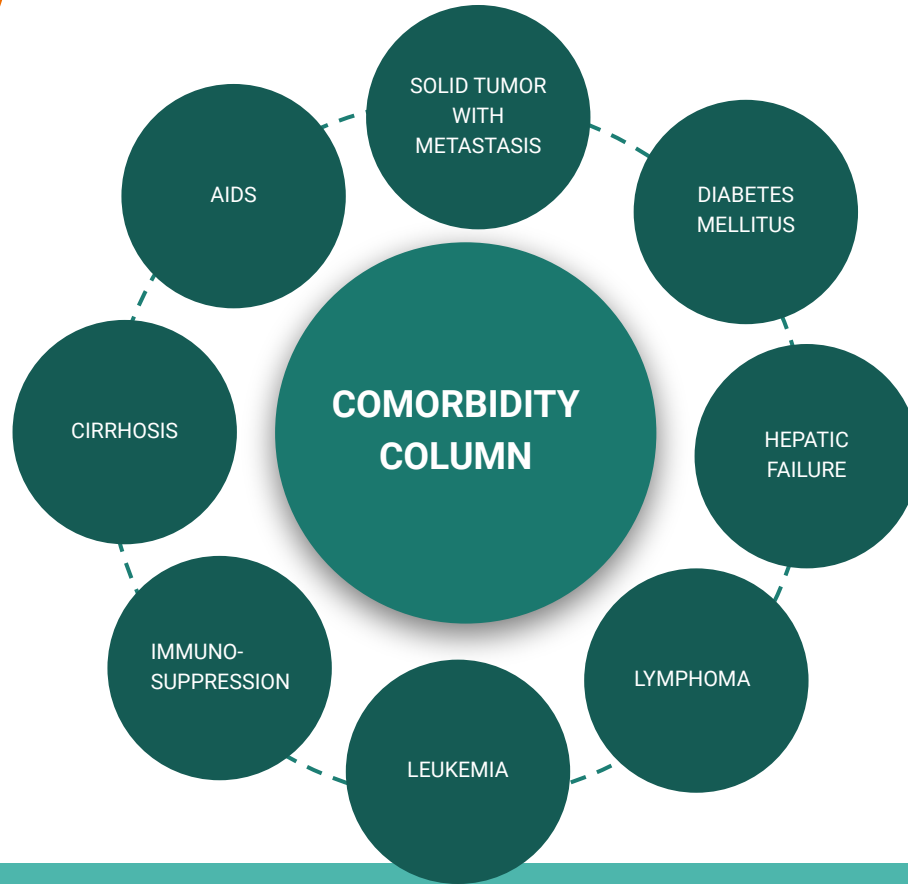
- Label Encoding
- Comorbidity Column
- Creation of a new Column for each lab test

# Label Encoding

**Label Encoding** refers to converting the labels into numeric form so as to convert it into the machine-readable form.

| ICU STAY TYPE | LABEL ENCODED ICU STAY TYPE |
|---------------|-----------------------------|
| Med-Surg ICU  | 0                           |
| Med-Surg ICU  | 0                           |
| CCU-CTICU     | 1                           |
| Med-Surg ICU  | 0                           |
| Neuro ICU     | 2                           |

# Comorbidity Column



## New Column for each test

| BS          | BT          | BU       |
|-------------|-------------|----------|
| d1_temp_max | d1_temp_min | temp_new |
| 39.9        | 37.2        | 2        |
| 36.3        | 35.1        | 2        |
| 37          | 37          | 1        |
| 38          | 34.8        | 2        |
| 37.2        | NA          | 1        |
| NA          | NA          | 0        |

# Imputation Technique

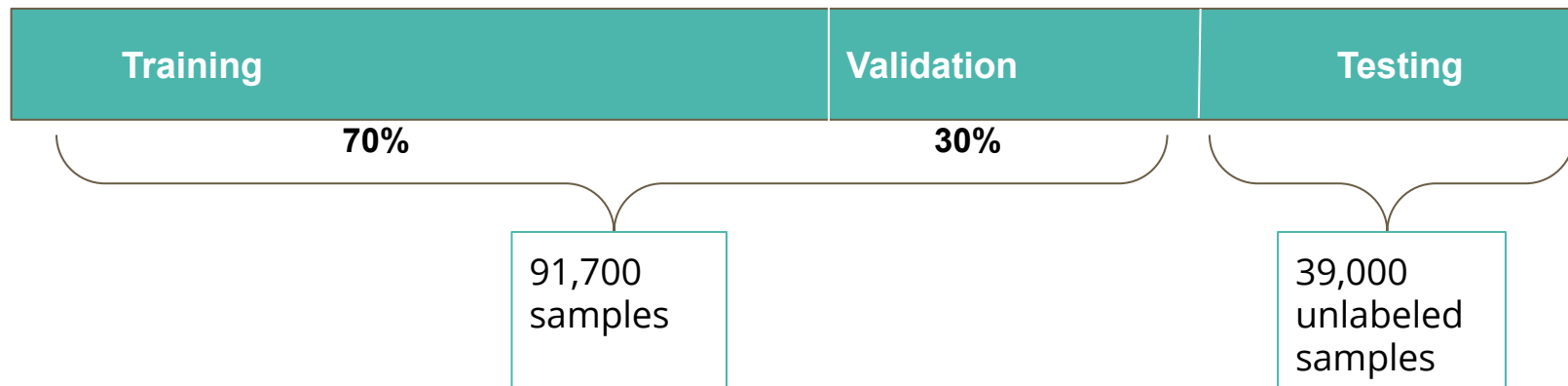
The dataset contained 45 columns with more than 75% data missing. We handled the missing values by:

- Imputing by Mean/ Median
- Filled in NAs with “Normal/Typical” values observed in patients

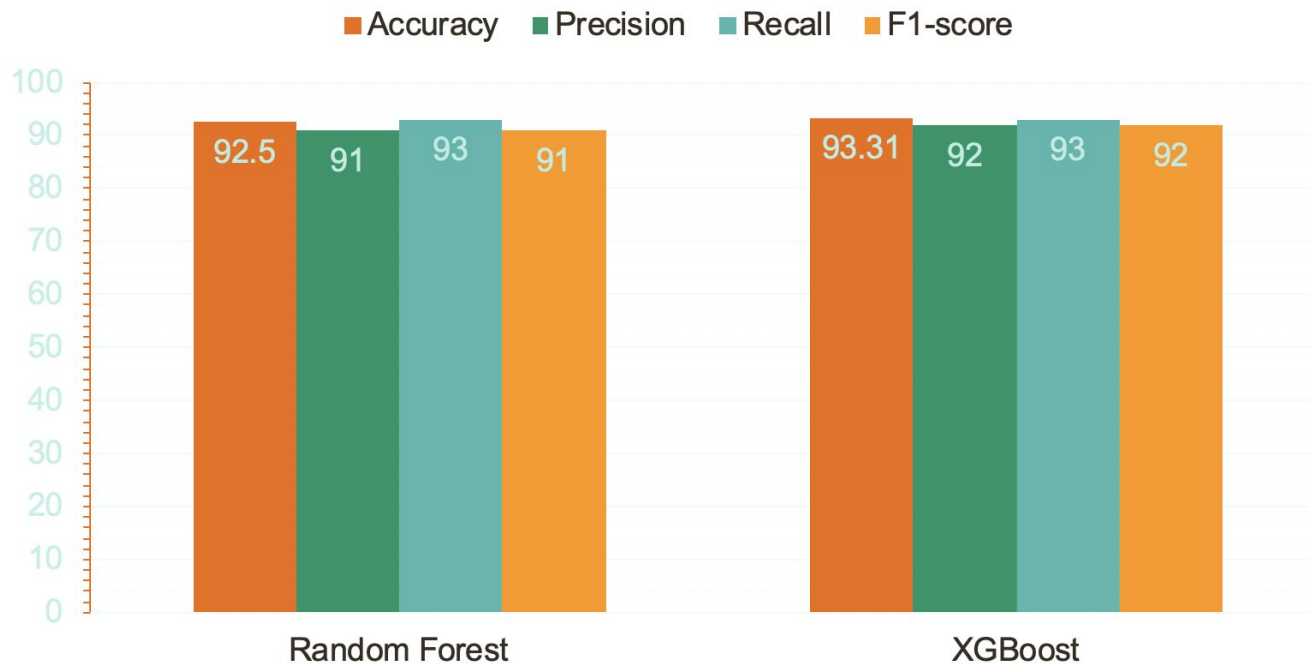
# Modeling



# Split of our data



# Comparison for base model



\* Random Forest + SMOTE performance < XGBoost performance

# Approach

## Algorithm

- XGBoost

## Data Pre-processing

- Imputing
- Label Encoding

## Different Models

- Model 1 - Feature engineering - EDA
- Model 2 - Top 70 features using Importance plots
- Model 3 - Top 30 features using Importance plot

# Improving our model

## Model 1 (Added derived variables)

### Imputing

- Imputing with mean/median
- Imputing with normal values

### Feature Engineering

- Adding a new variable – combination of multiple variable
- Total 106 variables (old + new)

### Parameter Tuning

- Grid search CV
- Class weight (class imbalance)
- Other parameters tuned were related to tree complexity

## Model 2 (Top 70) & Model 3 (Top 30)

### Imputing

- Imputing with mean/median

### Feature engineering

- Model 2 - Top 70 features - XGBoost+RF importance plots
- Model 3 - Top 30 features - XGBoost Importance plot

### Parameter Tuning

- Grid Search CV
- Class weight (class imbalance)
- Other parameters tuned related to tree complexity


# Model Evaluation Metrics

Evaluation metrics on validation data:

| Model<br>Metrics | Model 1 | Model 2 | Model 3 |
|------------------|---------|---------|---------|
| Accuracy         | 0.9327  | 0.9345  | 0.9303  |
| Precision        | 0.92    | 0.93    | 0.92    |
| Recall           | 0.93    | 0.93    | 0.93    |
| F1-score         | 0.92    | 0.92    | 0.92    |

Winning Team  
AUC = 0.9149

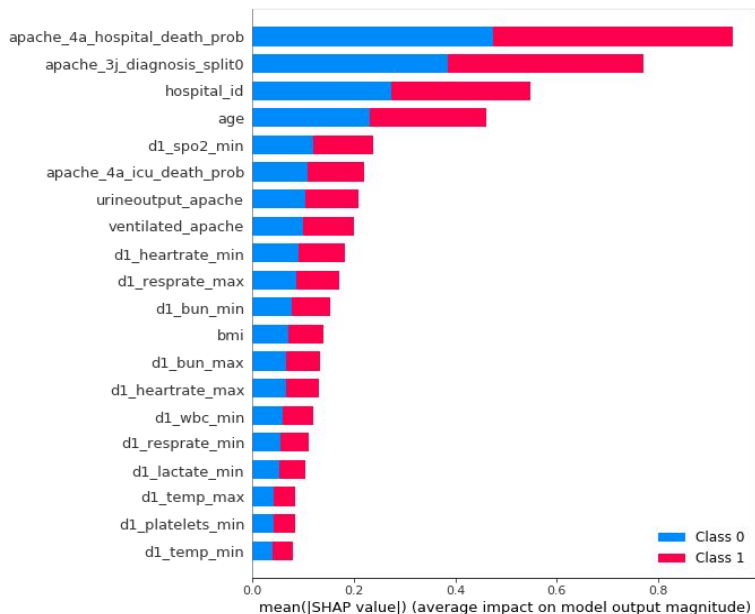
AUC for Test Data:



- Model 2**  
**Top 70**  
AUC = 0.9045
- Model 1**  
**New derived variables**  
AUC = 0.90382
- Model 3**  
**Top 30**  
AUC = 0.89355

# Interesting approaches used by Top 3 winners

- Importance plots based on class distribution



- Library (Missingno) : to combine similar features based on missing data
- LGBM or Catboost
- Bayesian Optimization for hyper parameter Tuning
- Adversarial Validation to further drop variables in the model

# Thank You

Questions?