Data Science

Algorithms

Task II: Implement and evaluate a Naive Bayes classifier for a given dataset.

This question is divided into three sub-questions. Please follow the instructions and answer all sub-questions accordingly.

1. Implement the Naive Bayes classifier.

Given a dataset with categorical features and a categorical target variable, implement a Naive Bayes classifier from scratch. Your implementation should include the following functions:

- 1.1. Function to calculate the prior probabilities for each class in the target variable.
- 1.2. Function to calculate the likelihood for each feature, given a specific class.
- 1.3. Function to predict the class of a new instance based on the calculated prior probabilities and likelihoods.

You may use any programming language of your choice. Please provide clear and concise code, along with comments explaining your implementation.

Naive Bayes classification:

A group of extremely fast and simple classification techniques known as naive Bayes models is frequently appropriate for very high-dimensional datasets. As a quick-and-dirty baseline for a classification test, they prove to be highly valuable due to their rapidity and limited number of adjustable factors.

Bayesian classification techniques are the foundation of naive Bayes classifiers. These rely on the relationship between conditional probabilities of statistical quantities, as described by the equation known as Bayes's theorem.

Probability of a label given some observed features can be given as $P(L \mid \text{features})$

$$P(L \mid \text{features}) = \frac{P(\text{features} \mid L)P(L)}{P(\text{features})}$$

One method to choose between two labels, let's say L1 and L2, is to calculate the ratio of the posterior probability for each label:

$$\frac{P(L_1 \mid \text{features})}{P(L_2 \mid \text{features})} = \frac{P(\text{features} \mid L_1)}{P(\text{features} \mid L_2)} \frac{P(L_1)}{P(L_2)}$$

A generative model can be used to calculate P(features | Li) for each label since it describes the hypothetical random process that produces the data.

The key to training such a Bayesian classifier is to specify this generative model for every label.

It is possible to find a rough approximation of the generative model for each class and then proceed with the Bayesian classification, assuming relatively naive assumptions about the generative model for each label.

Bayes Theorem:

Equation for the Posterior Probability:

Posterior Probability = (Likelihood * Class prior probability) / Predictor prior probability

$$P(c|x) = (P(x|c) * p(c)) / P(x)$$

Function to calculate the prior probabilities for each class in the target variable.

Function to calculate the likelihood for each feature, given a specific class.

Function to predict the class of a new instance based on the calculated prior probabilities and likelihoods.

```
In [16]: def predict(self, X):
        ──""" Calculates Posterior probability P(c|x) """
          ⊸results = []
          →X = np.array(X)

→for query in X:

              →probs_outcome = {}
              #for outcome in np.unique(self.y_train):
                  *prior = self.class_priors[outcome]
                 ⇒likelihood = 1
             → evidence = 1

→for feat, feat_val in zip(self.features, query):
              "evidence *= self.pred_priors[feat][feat_val]
                  ⇒posterior = (likelihood * prior) / (evidence)
                  #probs outcome[outcome] = posterior
              #result = max(probs_outcome, key = lambda x: probs_outcome[x])
             →results.append(result)
           ⇒return np.array(results)
```

2. Apply the Naive Bayes classifier to a dataset.

Choose a suitable dataset with categorical features and a categorical target variable. Apply your Naive Bayes classifier implementation from Sub-question 1 to this dataset.

2.1. Preprocess the dataset, including handling missing values, and split the data into training and testing sets.

Handling missing values = 1^{st} or 2^{nd} session.

- 2.2. Train your Naive Bayes classifier using the training set and predict the classes for the testing set.
- 2.3. Calculate the accuracy of your classifier on the testing set.

Please provide a brief explanation of the dataset you chose and any preprocessing steps you performed.

Below exercise's python file name: Algorithms_Assignment_Task2

Exercise 1:

Data source: mushrooms.txt from www.keggle.com

Loading data & viewing 1st five rows.

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In [21]: import numpy as np
        import pandas as pd
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import math
        df = pd.read_table("D:\mushrooms.txt")
        df.head()
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5 rows × 23 columns

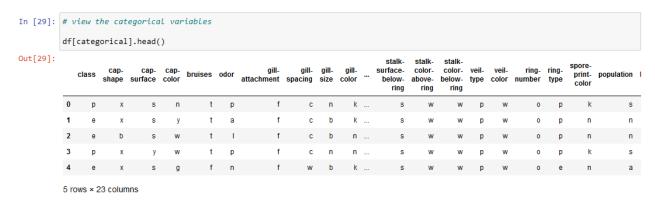
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In [22]:
         df[df.columns[-1]]
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          Name: habitat, Length: 8124, dtype: object
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Finding categorical variables.

```
In [28]: # find categorical variables
categorical = [var for var in df.columns if df[var].dtype=='0']
print('There are {} categorical variables\n'.format(len(categorical)))
print('The categorical variables are :\n\n', categorical)

There are 23 categorical variables
The categorical variables are :
   ['class', 'cap-shape', 'cap-surface', 'cap-color', 'bruises', 'odor', 'gill-attachment', 'gill-spacing', 'gill-size', 'gi ll-color', 'stalk-shape', 'stalk-root', 'stalk-surface-above-ring', 'stalk-surface-below-ring', 'stalk-color-above-ring', 'stalk-color-below-ring', 'veil-type', 'veil-color', 'ring-number', 'ring-type', 'spore-print-color', 'population', 'habit at']
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Displaying categorical variable data.



Checking any null values in the categorical variables' column.

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In [30]: df[categorical].isnull().sum()
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Viewing the frequency distribution of categorical variables.

```
In [33]: import numpy as np # linear algebra
          import pandas as pd # data processing, CSV file I/O (e.g. pd.read_csv)
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # for data visualization purposes
          import seaborn as sns # for statistical data visualization
          %matplotlib inline
          # view frequency distribution of categorical variables
          for var in categorical:
              print(df[var].value_counts()/float(len(df)))
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In [43]: # view frequency distribution of categorical variables
         for var in categorical:
             print(df[var].value counts()/float(len(df)))
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Checking labels in the stalk root variable.

Replacing unknown label with NaN.

Checking labels in the cap_shape variable.

Replacing unknown label with NaN.

Viewing the target variable column.

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In [5]: # target column = class
        df[df.columns[0]]
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Defining features and target column.

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In [9]: # features and target column
      X = df.drop([df.columns[0]], axis = 1)
      y = df[df.columns[0]]
      X,y
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The complete model's python code.

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In [16]: import numpy as np
         import pandas as pd
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import math
         def accuracy_score(y_true, y_pred):
             """*score = (y_true - y_pred) / len(y_true) """
             return round(float(sum(y_pred == y_true))/float(len(y_true)) * 100 ,2)
         def pre_processing(df):
             """ partioning data into features and target """
             X = df.drop([df.columns[0]], axis = 1)
             y = df[df.columns[0]]
             return X, y
         def train_test_split(x, y, test_size = 0.25, random_state = None):
             """ partioning the data into train and test sets """
             x_test = x.sample(frac = test_size, random_state = random_state)
             y_{\text{test}} = y[x_{\text{test.index}}]
             x_train = x.drop(x_test.index)
             y_train = y.drop(y_test.index)
             return x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test
```

```
class NaiveBayes:
   def __init__(self):
   Attributes:
       likelihoods: Likelihood of each feature per class
       class_priors: Prior probabilities of classes
       pred_priors: Prior probabilities of features
       features: All features of dataset
       self.features = list
       self.likelihoods = {}
       self.class_priors = {}
       self.pred_priors = {}
       self.X_train = np.array
       self.y_train = np.array
       self.train_size = int
       self.num_feats = int
   def fit(self, X, y):
       self.features = list(X.columns)
       self.X_train = X
       self.y_train = y
       self.train_size = X.shape[0]
       self.num_feats = X.shape[1]
       for feature in self.features:
           self.likelihoods[feature] = {}
           self.pred_priors[feature] = {}
           for feat_val in np.unique(self.X_train[feature]):
                self.pred_priors[feature].update({feat_val: 0})
                for outcome in np.unique(self.y_train):
                    self.likelihoods[feature].update({feat_val+'_'+outcome:0})
                    self.class_priors.update({outcome: 0})
```

```
self._calc_class_prior()
self._calc_likelihoods()
    self._calc_predictor_prior()
def _calc_class_prior(self):
""" P(c) - Prior Class Probability """
    for outcome in np.unique(self.y_train):
        outcome_count = sum(self.y_train == outcome)
self.class_priors[outcome] = outcome_count / self.train_size
def _calc_likelihoods(self):
    """ P(x|c) - Likelihood """
    for feature in self.features:
        for outcome in np.unique(self.y_train):
             outcome_count = sum(self.y_train == outcome)
             feat likelihood =
             self.X_train[feature][self.y_train[self.y_train == outcome].index.values.tolist()].value_counts().to_dict()
             for feat_val, count in feat_likelihood.items():
                 self.likelihoods[feature][feat_val + '_' + outcome] = count/outcome_count
def _calc_predictor_prior(self):
    """ P(x) - Evidence """
    for feature in self.features:
        feat_vals = self.X_train[feature].value_counts().to_dict()
        for feat_val, count in feat_vals.items():
             self.pred_priors[feature][feat_val] = count/self.train_size
```

Function for the prediction of a new class.

```
def predict(self, X):
    """ Calculates Posterior probability P(c|x) """
    results = []
    X = np.array(X)
    for query in X:
        probs_outcome = {}
         for outcome in np.unique(self.y_train):
            prior = self.class_priors[outcome]
             likelihood = 1
            evidence = 1
             for feat, feat_val in zip(self.features, query):
                 likelihood *= self.likelihoods[feat][feat_val + '_' + outcome]
evidence *= self.pred_priors[feat][feat_val]
            posterior = (likelihood * prior) / (evidence)
            probs_outcome[outcome] = posterior
        result = max(probs_outcome, key = lambda x: probs_outcome[x])
        results.append(result)
    return np.array(results)
```

Printing the accuracy of the test set.

```
if __name__ == "__main__":

    df = pd.read_table("D:\mushrooms.txt")

#Split fearures and target
X,y = pre_processing(df)

#Split data into Training and Testing Sets : test size 20% train size 80%Predictor prior probability
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size = 0.2, random_state = 0)

print(X_train, y_train)
    nb_clf = NaiveBayes()
    nb_clf.fit(X_train, y_train)
    print(X_train, y_train)

#print("Train Accuracy: {}".format(accuracy_score(y_train, nb_clf.predict(X_train))))

print("Test Accuracy: {}".format(accuracy_score(y_test, nb_clf.predict(X_test))))
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Printing a prediction.

```
In [18]: #Query
    query = np.array([['b','s','y','t','a','f','c','b','g','e','c','s','w','w','p','w','o','p','k','s','m']])
    print("Query 1:- {} ---> {}".format(query, nb_clf.predict(query)))

Query 1:- [['b' 's' 'y' 't' 'a' 'f' 'c' 'b' 'g' 'e' 'c' 's' 's' 'w' 'w' 'p' 'w' 'o'
    'p' 'k' 's' 'm']] ---> ['e']
```

The model has predicted the new class as 'e' which is 100% correct.

Below exercise's python file name: Algorithms_Assignment_Task2_2

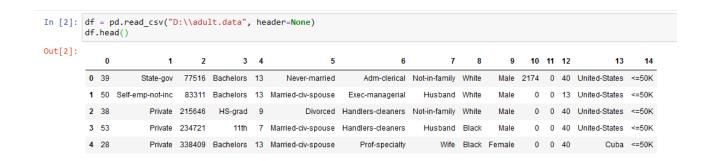
Exercise 2:

The following Gaussian Naïve Bayes Classifier model predicts whether a person makes over 50K a year or less than that.

Loading data and viewing the first five rows.



Since there are no headers on the dataset, it is possible to hide the header by using header=None.



Checking the columns of categorical variables. There are 9 columns that contain categorical variables.

```
In [3]: # find categorical variables
    categorical = [var for var in df.columns if df[var].dtype=='0']
    print('There are {} categorical variables\n'.format(len(categorical)))
    print('The categorical variables are :\n\n', categorical)

There are 9 categorical variables
    The categorical variables are :
    [1, 3, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 13, 14]
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Checking null values in categorical variables.

Adding proper column names.

View the first five rows of the dataset with the assigned header names.

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Viewing the summary of the dataset.

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In [7]: # summary
       df.info()
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
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Viewing the categorical variables (header names)

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In [8]: # categorical variables
    categorical = [var for var in df.columns if df[var].dtype=='0']
    print('There are {} categorical variables\n'.format(len(categorical)))
    print('The categorical variables are :\n\n', categorical)
    There are 9 categorical variables
    The categorical variables are :
    ['workclass', 'education', 'marital_status', 'occupation', 'relationship', 'race', 'sex', 'native_country', 'income']
```

Viewing the first five rows of the categorical variables.



Checking the missing values in the categorical variables (with header names)

```
In [10]: # missing values
         df[categorical].isnull().sum()
Out[10]: workclass
                            0
         education
                            Θ
         marital status
                            Θ
         occupation
                            0
         relationship
                            0
                            0
         race
                            0
         sex
         native_country
                            0
         income
                            0
         dtype: int64
```

Viewing the frequency counts of values in the categorical variables. It is observable that there is an unknown label '?' with 1836 frequency under the 'workclass' categorical variable.

```
In [11]: # frequency counts of values in categorical variables
         for var in categorical:
             print(df[var].value_counts())
          Private
                              22696
          Self-emp-not-inc
                               2541
          Local-gov
                               2093
                               1836
          State-gov
                               1298
          Self-emp-inc
                               1116
          Federal-gov
                               960
          Without-pay
                                 14
          Never-worked
                                  7
         Name: workclass, dtype: int64
          HS-grad
                          10501
          Some-college
                           7291
          Bachelors
                           5355
          Masters
                           1723
          Assoc-voc
                           1382
          11th
                           1175
          Assoc-acdm
                           1067
          10th
                            933
          7th-8th
                            646
          D--C --b--1
```

Viewing frequency distribution of categorical variables.

In this way, it is easy to interpret the dataset's information.

```
In [12]: # frequency distribution of categorical variables
          for var in categorical:
              print(df[var].value_counts()/float(len(df)))
           Private
                                0.697030
           Self-emp-not-inc
                                0.078038
           Local-gov 0.064279
                              0.056386
          ### 0.039864

#### 0.034274

Federal-gov 0.029483

Without-pay 0.000430

Never-worked 0.00033
          Name: workclass, dtype: float64
           HS-grad
                          0.322502
           Some-college 0.223918
                        0.164461
           Bachelors
           Masters
                          0.052916
           Assoc-voc
                         0.042443
           11th
                            0.036086
           Assoc-acdm
                         0.032769
           10th
                            0.028654
           7th-8th
                            0.019840
```

Checking labels in the 'workclass' variable.

It is observed that the presence of an unknown label '?'.

Viewing the frequency of this unknown label.

```
In [14]: # frequency distribution of values in workclass variable
         df.workclass.value_counts()
Out[14]:
         Private
                             22696
          Self-emp-not-inc
                              2541
          Local-gov
                              2093
          ?
                              1836
          State-gov
                              1298
          Self-emp-inc
                              1116
          Federal-gov
                               960
          Without-pay
                                14
          Never-worked
                                7
         Name: workclass, dtype: int64
```

Replacing the unknown label '?' with NaN (Not a Number) and then re-viewing the 'workclass' labels' frequency. Normally the missing values are coded as NaN.

```
In [22]: # replace '?' label in workclass variable with `NaN`
         df['workclass'].replace(' ?', np.NaN, inplace=True)
In [23]: # requency distribution of values in workclass variable
         df.workclass.value_counts()
Out[23]: Private
                             22696
          Self-emp-not-inc
                              2541
          Local-gov
                              2093
          State-gov
                              1298
          Self-emp-inc
                             1116
          Federal-gov
                              960
          Without-pay
                               14
          Never-worked
         Name: workclass, dtype: int64
```

Similarly, missing values in the 'occupation' and 'native_country' variables have been replaced with NaN.

```
In [51]: # replace '?' values in native_country variable with `NaN`
              df['native_country'].replace(' ?', np.NaN, inplace=True)
In [52]: # check labels in native_country variable
              df.native_country.unique()
Out[52]: array([' United-States', ' Cuba', ' Jamaica', ' India', nan, ' Mexico', ' South', ' Puerto-Rico', ' Honduras', ' England', ' Canada', ' Germany', ' Iran', ' Philippines', ' Italy', ' Poland', ' Columbia', ' Cambodia', ' Thailand', ' Ecuador', ' Laos', ' Taiwan', ' Haiti', ' Portugal', ' Dominican-Republic',
                         'El-Salvador', 'France', 'Guatemala', 'China', 'Japan',
'Yugoslavia', 'Peru', 'Outlying-US(Guam-USVI-etc)', 'Scotland',
'Trinadad&Tobago', 'Greece', 'Nicaragua', 'Vietnam', 'Hong',
                         'Ireland', 'Hungary', 'Holand-Netherlands'], dtype=object)
In [53]: # check frequency distribution of values in native_country variable
              df.native country.value counts()
Out[53]: United-States
                                                            29170
               Mexico
                                                               643
               Philippines
                                                               198
               Germany
                                                               137
               Canada
                                                               121
               Puerto-Rico
                                                               114
               El-Salvador
                                                               106
               India
                                                               100
               Cuba
                                                                95
               England
                                                                90
                Jamaica
                                                                81
               South
                                                                80
               China
                                                                75
               Italy
                                                                73
               Dominican-Republic
                                                                70
               Vietnam
                                                                67
               Guatemala
                                                                64
                Japan
                                                                62
```

Checking null values in the categorical variables after replacing missing values.

```
In [55]: # check null values
        df[categorical].isnull().sum()
Out[55]: workclass
                          1836
         education
                             0
         marital_status
                             0
         occupation
                          1843
         relationship
                             0
         race
                             0
         sex
         native_country
                           583
         income
         dtype: int64
```

Checking the number of labels each categorical variable contains. (Cardinality)

The variable 'native country' has a high cardinality.

Usually a high cardinality may cause some serious issues on the ML model.

Finding the numerical variables.

```
In [57]: # humerical variables
    numerical = [var for var in df.columns if df[var].dtype!='0']
    print('There are {} numerical variables\n'.format(len(numerical)))
    print('The numerical variables are :', numerical)

There are 6 numerical variables
The numerical variables are : ['age', 'fnlwgt', 'education_num', 'capital_gain', 'capital_loss', 'hours_per_week']
```

Viewing the first five rows of the numerical variables.

```
In [58]: # numerical variables
          df[numerical].head()
Out[58]:
                    fnlwgt education_num capital_gain capital_loss hours_per_week
              age
                    77516
           0
               39
                                     13
                                               2174
                                                              0
                                                                             40
                                                  0
                                                              0
               50
                    83311
                                      13
                                                                             13
               38 215646
                                                  0
                                                              0
                                                                             40
            3
               53 234721
                                      7
                                                  0
                                                              0
                                                                             40
               28 338409
                                      13
                                                              0
                                                                             40
```

Checking missing values in numerical variables.

Declaring the target variable and features. Here the target variable is the income column.

```
In [60]: # feature vector and target variable
X = df.drop(['income'], axis=1)
y = df['income']
```

Split the dataset into training set and testing set based on the 75% 25% scenario.

```
In [61]: # split X and y into training and testing sets
    from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size = 0.25, random_state = 0)
```

Checking sizes of the training set and testing set and finding data types of the training set.

```
In [63]: # shape of X_train and X_test
         X_train.shape, X_test.shape
Out[63]: ((24420, 14), (8141, 14))
In [64]: # data types in X_train
         X_train.dtypes
Out[64]: age
                            int64
         workclass
                           object
         fnlwgt
                            int64
         education
                           object
         education_num
                           int64
         marital_status
                           object
         occupation
                           object
         relationship
                           object
         race
                           object
                           object
         sex
         capital_gain
                            int64
         capital_loss
                            int64
         hours_per_week
                            int64
         native country
                           object
         dtype: object
```

Displaying categorical and numerical variables based on their data types.

```
In [65]: # categorical variables
         categorical = [col for col in X_train.columns if X_train[col].dtypes == '0']
         categorical
Out[65]: ['workclass',
           'education',
           'marital_status',
           'occupation',
           'relationship',
           'race',
           'sex',
           'native_country']
In [66]: # numerical variables
         numerical = [col for col in X_train.columns if X_train[col].dtypes != '0']
         numerical
Out[66]: ['age',
'fnlwgt',
           'education_num',
           'capital_gain',
           'capital_loss',
           'hours_per_week']
```

Viewing percentages of missing values in the categorical variables in the training set.

Printing only categorical variables with missing data.

Missing values can be imputed with a provided constant value, or using the statistics (mean, median or most frequent) of each column in which the missing values are located.

```
In [76]: # missing categorical variables with most frequent value

for df2 in [X_train, X_test]:
    df2['workclass'].fillna(X_train['workclass'].mode()[0], inplace=True)
    df2['occupation'].fillna(X_train['occupation'].mode()[0], inplace=True)
    df2['native_country'].fillna(X_train['native_country'].mode()[0], inplace=True)
```

Finding missing values in categorical variables in the training set.

```
In [74]: # missing values in categorical variables in X_train

X_train[categorical].isnull().sum()

Out[74]: workclass     0
    education     0
    marital_status     0
    occupation     0
    relationship     0
    race           0
    sex           0
    native_country     0
    dtype: int64
```

Finding missing values in categorical variables in the testing set.

```
In [77]: # missing values in categorical variables in X test
         X_test[categorical].isnull().sum()
Out[77]: workclass
         education
                          0
         marital status
                          0
         occupation
                          0
         relationship
                          0
                          0
         race
         sex
                          0
         native_country
         dtype: int64
```

Finding missing values in the train set.

```
In [78]: # missing values in X_train
         X_train.isnull().sum()
Out[78]: age
                            0
         workclass
fnlwgt
education
                            0
                            0
                           0
         education num
                            0
         marital_status
                            Θ
         occupation
                            0
         relationship
                            0
                            0
         race
                            0
         capital_gain
                           0
         capital_loss
                           0
         hours_per_week
                           0
         native_country
         dtype: int64
```

Finding missing values in the test set.

```
In [79]: # missing values in X_test
         X_test.isnull().sum()
Out[79]: age
                          0
         workclass
                          0
         fnlwgt
                          0
         education
                          0
         education_num
                          0
         marital_status
                          0
         occupation
                          0
         relationship
                          0
                          0
         race
         sex
                          0
         capital_gain
                          0
         capital_loss
                          0
         hours_per_week
                          0
         native_country
         dtype: int64
```

It is observed that there are no missing values in the test set and train set.

Viewing categorical variables.

```
In [80]: # Encoding

# categorical variables

categorical

Out[80]: ['workclass',
    'education',
    'marital_status',
    'occupation',
    'relationship',
    'race',
    'sex',
    'native_country']
```

Viewing the first five rows from the train set (categorical variables)

In [81]:	<pre>X_train[categorical].head()</pre>								
Out[81]:		workclass	education	marital_status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	native_country
	26464	Private	12th	Divorced	Transport-moving	Other-relative	Black	Male	United-States
	16134	Private	Masters	Never-married	Other-service	Not-in-family	White	Female	United-States
	4747	Private	Masters	Married-civ-spouse	Prof-specialty	Husband	White	Male	United-States
	8369	Private	HS-grad	Married-civ-spouse	Sales	Husband	White	Male	United-States
	5741	Private	1st-4th	Never-married	Machine-op-inspct	Own-child	White	Male	Puerto-Rico

Using one-hot encoding on the train and test sets.

```
In [83]: # import category encoders
import category_encoders as ce

In [84]: # encoding remaining variables with one-hot encoding
encoder = ce.OneHotEncoder(cols=['workclass', 'education', 'marital_status', 'occupation', 'race', 'sex', 'native_country'])

X_train = encoder.fit_transform(X_train)
X_test = encoder.transform(X_test)
```

After one-hot encoding, viewing train set data.

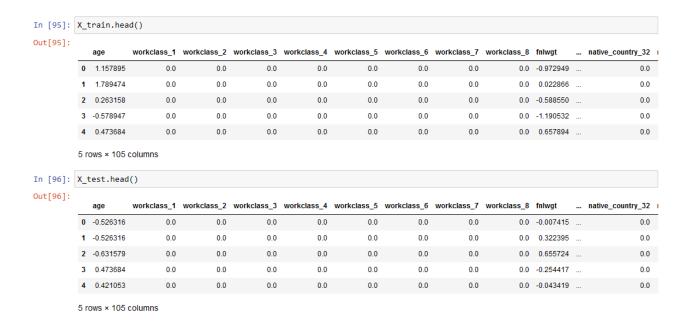
```
In [86]: X_train.head()
Out[86]:
          age workclass_1 workclass_2 workclass_3 workclass_5 workclass_6 workclass_7 workclass_8 fnlwgt ... native_country_32 nativ
      26464 59
             1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 61885 ...
      16134 71
               1 0 0 0 0 0 0
                                                                  0 180733 ...
      4747 42 1 0 0
                                            0 0
                                     0
                                                                0 107762 ...
                                                                  0 35917 ...
      5741 46
                                                                  0 256522 ...
      5 rows × 105 columns
In [87]: X_train.shape
Out[87]: (24420, 105)
```

After one-hot encoding, viewing test set data.

```
In [88]: X_test.head()
Out[88]:
                age workclass 1 workclass 2 workclass 3 workclass 5 workclass 5 workclass 7 workclass 8 fnlwgt ... native country 32 nativ
          22278 27
                                                               0
           8950
                                                                                                             0 216481
           7838
                                                               0
                                                                           0
                                                                                                 0
          16505
                                                                                                             0 147640 ...
          19140 45
          5 rows × 105 columns
In [89]: X_test.shape
Out[89]: (8141, 105)
```

Feature scaling: Feature scaling is a data preprocessing technique used to transform the values of features or variables in a dataset to a similar scale. The purpose is to ensure that all features contribute equally to the model and to avoid the domination of features with larger values. By applying feature scaling, the dataset's features can be transformed to a more consistent scale, making it easier to build accurate and effective machine learning models. Scaling facilitates meaningful comparisons between features, improves model convergence, and prevents certain features from overshadowing others based solely on their magnitude.

After applying feature scaling technique, RobustScaler.



Now the training and testing sets are ready to build the model.

Training the model.

Predicting the results.

Checking the accuracy of the model.

```
In [102]: # calculating the model accuracy
# y_test = true class labels
# y_pred = predicted class labels
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
print('Model accuracy score: {0:0.4f}'. format(accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)))
Model accuracy score: 0.8059
```

It is observed that the accuracy of this model is 80.59%.

Viewing the accuracy of the training set.

Compare accuracy scores of the training and test sets.

From the above, both scores are almost identical, meaning that there is no overfitting. Overfitting is an undesirable machine learning behavior that occurs when the machine learning model gives accurate predictions for training data but not for new data. When data scientists use machine learning models for making predictions, they first train the model on a known data set. Then, based on this information, the model tries to predict outcomes for new data sets. An overfit model can give inaccurate predictions and cannot perform well for all types of new data.

Even though the model accuracy (test set accuracy) is 0.8059, it is better to compare it with the null accuracy in order to certify the model's accuracy. The Null accuracy is the accuracy that could be achieved by always predicting the most frequent class.

Finding the class distribution in the test set.

Calculating the null accuracy using the most frequent class, 6159.

```
In [109]: # the null accuracy score
    null_accuracy = (6159/(6159+1982))
    print('Null accuracy score: {0:0.4f}'. format(null_accuracy))

Null accuracy score: 0.7565
```

Observation:

Model accuracy score = 0.8059 Null accuracy score = 0.7565

Review: This classification model should be good at predicting class labels.

Finding the effectiveness of the model:

1. Confusion Matrix: Finding the type of errors that the model can make.

```
In [110]: # Confusion Matrix and slice it into four pieces
    from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
    cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
    print('Confusion matrix\n\n', cm)
    print('\nTrue Positives(TP) = ', cm[0,0])
    print('\nTrue Negatives(TN) = ', cm[1,1])
    print('\nFalse Positives(FP) = ', cm[0,1])
    print('\nFalse Negatives(FN) = ', cm[1,0])

Confusion matrix
    [[4968 1191]
    [ 389 1593]]

True Positives(TP) = 4968

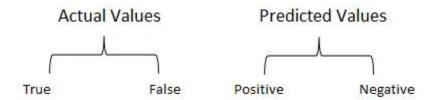
True Negatives(TN) = 1593

False Positives(FP) = 1191

False Negatives(FN) = 389
```

According to the confusion matrix, the total number of correct predictions is 6561 and the total number of incorrect predictions is 1580.

Note: predicted values describe as Positive and Negative whereas the actual values describe as True and Positive.



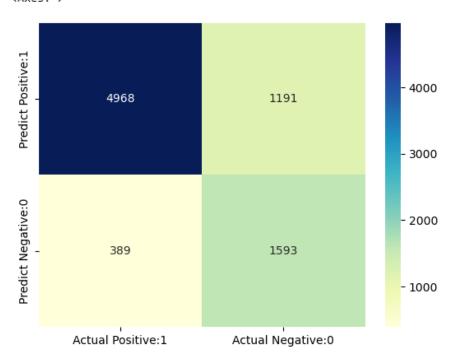
TP 4968: the model predicted 4968 times as positive, and it is true.

TN 1593: the model predicted 1593 times as negative, and it is true.

FP (type 1 error): the model predicted 1191 times as positive, but it is false.

FN (**type 2 error**): the model predicted 389 times as negative, but it is false.

Presenting the confusion matrix using seaborn heatmap.



2. Classification report: It is possible to use the classification report to evaluate the model's performance. In the classification report, it displays the scores of precision, recall, f1 and support.

Accuracy: This is how close the model can predict with a new value to be positioned at TP.

From all the classes (positive and negative), how many of them the model has predicted correctly. In this case, it is,

Accuracy =
$$(6561/8141) \times 100 = 80.59\%$$
.

Since the accuracy is comparatively high, the model's performance can be considered high.

F-Measure:

It is difficult to compare two models with low precision and high recall or vice versa. So to make them comparable, we use F-Score. F-score helps to measure Recall and Precision at the same time. It uses Harmonic Mean in place of Arithmetic Mean by punishing the extreme values more.

Review:

When the income below or equal 50,000: recall is 0.86

When the income greater than 50,000: recall is 0.67

Classification accuracy:

The classification accuracy is the ratio of the number of correct predictions to the total number of input samples.

Finding the classification accuracy.

```
In [114]: TP = cm[0,0]
TN = cm[1,1]
FP = cm[0,1]
FN = cm[1,0]

In [115]: # classification accuracy
    classification_accuracy = (TP + TN) / float(TP + TN + FP + FN)
    print('Classification accuracy : {0:0.4f}'.format(classification_accuracy))
    Classification accuracy : 0.8059
```

Since the classification accuracy is comparatively high, the model's performance can be considered high.

Classification error:

Classification error is a type of measurement error by which the model does not provide a true response.

```
In [116]: # classification error
    classification_error = (FP + FN) / float(TP + TN + FP + FN)
    print('Classification error : {0:0.4f}'.format(classification_error))
    Classification error : 0.1941
```

Since the classification error is comparatively very low, the model's performance can be considered high.

Precision: Precision can be seen as a measure of quality and a higher precision means that an algorithm returns more relevant results than irrelevant ones.

The below equation can be explained by saying, from all the classes the model has predicted as positive, how many are actually positive.

```
In [117]: # precision score
    precision = TP / float(TP + FP)

    print('Precision : {0:0.4f}'.format(precision))

    Precision : 0.8066
```

Since the precision is comparatively high, the model's performance can be considered high.

Recall: This can be seen as measure of quantity and a high recall means that an algorithm returns most of the relevant results (whether or not irrelevant ones are also returned).

The below equation can be explained by saying, from all the positive classes, how many the model predicted correctly.

Recall =
$$\frac{TP}{TP + FN}$$

```
In [118]: recall = TP / float(TP + FN)
    print('Recall or Sensitivity : {0:0.4f}'.format(recall))
    Recall or Sensitivity : 0.9274
```

True Positive Rate is synonymous with Recall.

Since the recall value or the true positive value is comparatively high, the model's performance can be considered high.

Calculating the false positive rate.

Specificity: When sensitivity is used to evaluate model performance, it is often compared to specificity. Specificity measures the proportion of true negatives that are correctly identified by the model. High specificity means that the model is correctly identifying most of the negative results, while a low specificity means that the model is mislabelling a lot of negative results as positive.

Calculating the specificity.

```
In [121]: specificity = TN / (TN + FP)
    print('Specificity : {0:0.4f}'.format(specificity))

Specificity : 0.5722
```

Calculating class probabilities:

2 classes:

Class 0: <=50K that a person's income is less than or equal to 50,000

Class 1: >50K that a person's income is greater than 50,000

```
In [123]: # store probabilities in dataframe
         y_pred_prob_df = pd.DataFrame(data=y_pred_prob, columns=['Prob of - <=50K', 'Prob of - >50K'])
         y_pred_prob_df
Out[123]:
            Prob of - <=50K Prob of - >50K
          0 9.999995e-01 4.712549e-07
          1 9.996533e-01 3.466701e-04
          2 1.387014e-01 8.612986e-01
          3 2.058783e-04 9.997941e-01
          4 1.132140e-08 1.000000e+00
          5 8.908361e-01 1.091639e-01
          6 9.999999e-01 5.456628e-08
          7 9.999940e-01 6.038631e-06
          8 9.871324e-01 1.286759e-02
          9 1.000000e+00 2.734412e-09
In [124]: # print the first 10 predicted probabilities for class 1 - Probability of >50K
            gnb.predict_proba(X_test)[0:10, 1]
Out[124]: array([4.71254904e-07, 3.46670117e-04, 8.61298632e-01, 9.99794122e-01,
                   9.99999989e-01, 1.09163904e-01, 5.45662843e-08, 6.03863116e-06,
                   1.28675929e-02, 2.73441203e-09])
In [125]: # store the predicted probabilities for class 1 - Probability of >50K
             y_pred1 = gnb.predict_proba(X_test)[:, 1]
```

```
In [126]: # plot histogram of predicted probabilities

# adjust the font size
plt.rcParams['font.size'] = 12

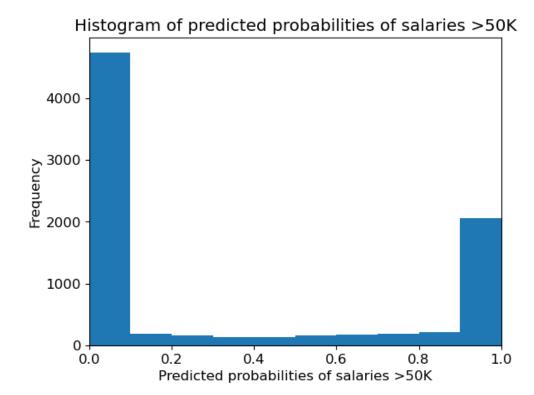
# plot histogram with 10 bins
plt.hist(y_pred1, bins = 10)

# set the title of predicted probabilities
plt.title('Histogram of predicted probabilities of salaries >50K')

# set the x-axis limit
plt.xlim(0,1)

# set the title
plt.xlabel('Predicted probabilities of salaries >50K')
plt.ylabel('Frequency')
```





According to the diagram,

- The first column tell us that there are approximately 5700 observations with probability between 0.0 and 0.1 whose salary is <=50K.
- There are relatively small number of observations that predict that the salaries will be >50K.
- Majority of observations predict that the salaries will be <=50K.

ROC AUC: Receiver Operating Characteristic - Area Under Curve

This is another way of measuring the classification model's performance.

```
In [128]: # compute ROC AUC
from sklearn.metrics import roc_auc_score
ROC_AUC = roc_auc_score(y_test, y_pred1)
print('ROC AUC : {:.4f}'.format(ROC_AUC))
ROC AUC : 0.8942
```

ROC AUC is a single number summary of classifier performance. The higher the value, the better the classifier.

```
In [129]: # calculate cross-validated ROC AUC
from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
Cross_validated_ROC_AUC = cross_val_score(gnb, X_train, y_train, cv=5, scoring='roc_auc').mean()
print('Cross validated ROC AUC : {:.4f}'.format(Cross_validated_ROC_AUC))
Cross validated ROC AUC : 0.8940
```

Since the ROC AUC value is comparatively high, it can be considered as the model is performing well.

k-Fold cross validation: This is another method of finding the performance of the classification model. The dataset is divided into k subsets or folds. The model is trained and evaluated k times, using a different fold as the validation set each time. Performance metrics from each fold are averaged to estimate the model's generalization performance.

```
In [130]: # Applying 10-Fold Cross Validation

from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score

scores = cross_val_score(gnb, X_train, y_train, cv = 10, scoring='accuracy')

print('Cross-validation scores:{}'.format(scores))

Cross-validation scores:[0.80630631 0.82268632 0.7972973 0.8030303 0.80712531 0.7960688 0.80712531 0.8001638 0.80917281 0.8046683 ]
```

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In [131]: # compute Average cross-validation score

print('Average cross-validation score: {:.4f}'.format(scores.mean()))

Average cross-validation score: 0.8054
```

So, it can be concluded that the model is accurate as 80.54% on average.

3. Analyze the results.

Based on the results of your Naive Bayes classifier, answer the following questions:

3.1. Discuss the performance of your classifier in terms of accuracy. Is it satisfactory, or do you think it could be improved?

1st exercise's classifier model accuracy: 99.94%

2nd exercise's classifier model accuracy: 80.59%

Both these models have high accuracy levels hence both of them are at a high performing level on their predictions.

However, in case, when need to improve these models' performance, it is possible to follow the below mentioned strategies.

1. Feature Engineering:

- Select appropriate features: Selecting features that are most pertinent to the process of classification. By removing superfluous or irrelevant features, the performance of the model can be enhanced.
- Feature Scaling: In order to guarantee that each feature contributes equally to the model, it is a best practise to normalize or standardize numerical features.

2. Handling Missing Data:

 Making necessary adjustments for missing values. This is deciding whether to impute missing values or eliminate occurrences of missing values based on the type of data.

3. Text Data Preprocessing:

 Preprocessing text data for text classification tasks can be achieved by converting text to lowercase, eliminating stop words, and stemming. When representing text features, methods like word embeddings or TF-IDF can be utilized.

4. Handling Imbalanced Data:

In order to balance the class distribution, when the dataset is unbalanced,
 oversampling the minority class or under-sampling the majority class is a better
 option, meaning that certain classes have a lot fewer instances than others.

5. Model Selection:

- Experimenting with other Naive Bayes variations based on the type of the data that the model has, like Multinomial Naive Bayes or Gaussian Naive Bayes, is another way of enhancing the performance of the model.
- Testing a few different algorithms can be done to evaluate performance and select the best categorization algorithm for the dataset.

6. **Hyperparameter Tuning:**

 By adjusting hyperparameters, it is possible to determine which setup works best for the model. This may involve exploring the hyper parameter space using methods like grid search or random search.

7. Cross-Validation:

 Using cross-validation, it is possible to evaluate the model's generalization performance. This provides a more accurate evaluation of the model's performance and helps in the detection of over fitting.

8. Smoothing Techniques:

 Rare events may cause naive Bayes models to become sensitive. The issue of zero probabilities for unforeseen occurrences can be helped by smoothing techniques like Laplace smoothing (additive smoothing).

9. Ensemble Methods:

 By combining several week classifiers using ensemble techniques like bagging or boosting, it is possible to turn them into a stronger one. This frequently enhances overall effectiveness.

10. Model Evaluation:

Depending on the type of classification problem, assessing the model using relevant metrics such as area under the ROC curve (AUC-ROC), precision, recall, F1-score, and so on can be mentioned.

11. Update the Model:

 As new data becomes available, updating the model on a regular basis is particularly crucial in dynamic settings where the distribution of data could fluctuate over time.

12. **Domain Knowledge:**

 Applying domain knowledge to the process of choosing features and creating models may result in more informed choices and enhanced model functionality. 3.2. Identify any potential limitations of using a Naive Bayes classifier for this dataset. Are there any assumptions made by the classifier that may not hold true in this context?

Limitations:

1. Assumption of Independence:

Given the class, Naive Bayes assumes that features are conditionally independent. This may not always be the case because numerous attributes are interdependent in real life. Dealing with associated features may result in less than ideal performance as a result.

2. Sensitivity to Input Data Quality:

The quality of input data affects the sensitivity of naive Bayes classifiers. The performance of the classifier may be impacted if the training data includes features that are noisy or irrelevant.

3. Zero Probability Issue:

Comparing Naive Bayes classifiers to more intricate models like decision trees or neural networks, the former exhibits greater expressiveness. They can find it difficult to identify complicated relationships in the data.

4. Difficulty with Continuous and Numeric Features:

Naive Bayes makes the assumption that features are categorical and that frequency counts can be used to estimate their probability.

5. Imbalanced Datasets:

In datasets that are unbalanced and have a substantial number of instances of one class compared to the others, Naive Bayes may not function well. It frequently favors the majority class, and the uncommon class could go unnoticed.

6. Lack of Model Interpretability:

Naive Bayes is easy to understand and straightforward, however it might not offer deep insights into the connections between features. Generally speaking, complex models are easier to interpret.

7. Inability to Learn Feature Interactions:

The independence requirement prevents Naive Bayes from modeling feature interactions. More complex models might be more suited in circumstances where feature interactions are important.

8. Limited Performance on Text Classification Tasks:

Although Naive Bayes is frequently used for text categorization, more sophisticated models, including deep learning techniques, may be able to better capture the semantics and contextual information included in the text.

3.2. Suggest alternative approaches or modifications to the Naive Bayes classifier that could potentially improve its performance on this dataset.

Suggestions:

1. Relax the Independence Assumption:

Consider utilizing more complex models, such as tree-based classifiers or ensemble techniques that can capture interactions between features, to relax the assumption that features are completely independent of one another.

2. Kernelized Naive Bayes:

In order to enable the model to incorporate nonlinear relations among features, apply kernel approaches to modify the feature space. When handling non-linearly separable data, this can be quite helpful.

3. Handling Continuous Features:

Gaussian Naive Bayes, which assumes a Gaussian distribution for continuous features, is an alternative to separating continuous features. This eliminates the requirement for separation and handles numerical data more effectively.

4. Handling Imbalanced Data:

To solve imbalanced datasets and enhance the classifier's capacity to learn from the minority class, investigate strategies like oversampling the minority class, under sampling the majority class, or employing more sophisticated resampling algorithms.

5. Feature Selection:

Reduce the influence of irrelevant or noisy features on the classification performance by using feature selection techniques to find and keep just the most useful features.

6. Ensemble Methods:

Using ensemble techniques like bagging or boosting, combine several Naive Bayes classifiers. By decreasing over fitting and boosting model robustness, this may help in enhancing overall performance.

7. Advanced Text Processing Techniques:

Consider employing more sophisticated text processing methods for text classification tasks, including word embeddings (like Word2Vec, GloVe) or pre-trained language models (like BERT) to capture contextual information and semantic connections.

8. Hybrid Models:

For building hybrid models, combine Naive Bayes with additional machine learning models. To benefit from the advantages of both, you can, for example, combine a simpler model with a Naive Bayes classifier.

9. Cross-Validation and Parameter Tuning:

To evaluate the model's generalization performance, use cross-validation. Then, adjust the hyperparameters in order to see which configuration works best for your particular dataset.

10. Probabilistic Classifiers:

More sophisticated probabilistic classifiers that are better able to represent complicated relationships between variables, like Bayesian networks or probabilistic graphical models, should be taken into consideration.

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