Credit Card Fraud Detection

Anonymized credit card transactions labeled as fraudulent or genuine

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Overview:

The datasets contains transactions made by credit cards in September 2013 by european card-holders. This dataset presents transactions that occurred in two days.

Source: https://www.kaggle.com/mlg-ulb/creditcardfraud

Column Information:

- Features V1, V2, ..., V27, V28 are results of PCA transformations. Due to confidentiality
 issues, the original features and more background information about the data could not be
 obtained.
- Features which have not been transformed with PCA are Time and Amount
 - 'Time' contains the seconds elapsed between each transaction and the first transaction in the dataset.
 - 'Amount' is the transaction Amount.
- Feature **Class** is the response variable
 - 1 in case of fraud
 - 0 otherwise

1 Exploratory Data Analysis

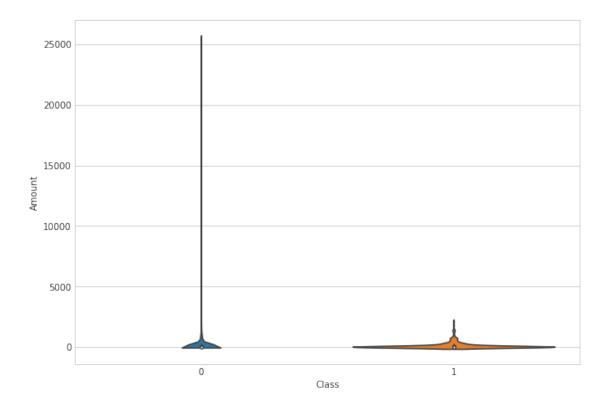
Conclusions:

- 1. The dataset is highly unbalanced.
 - the positive class (frauds) accounts for only **0.173**% (492/284807) of all transactions.

Conclusions:

1. There are no missing(Null/Empty) values in the dataset.

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In [7]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    import seaborn as sns
    sns.set_style('whitegrid')
In [8]: # Studying 'Amount' feature
    fig, axs = plt.subplots(figsize=(10,7))
    sns.violinplot(ax=axs, x=ccfd['Class'], y=ccfd['Amount']);
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In [9]: # (Q) What is the maximum amount for which a transaction was fraud
        ccfd[ccfd['Class']==1]['Amount'].max()
Out[9]: 2125.87
In [10]: # Amount-distribution for genuine transactions
         ccfd[ccfd['Class']==0]['Amount'].describe()
Out[10]: count
                  284315.000000
                      88.291022
         mean
                     250.105092
         std
                       0.000000
         min
         25%
                       5.650000
         50%
                      22.000000
                      77.050000
         75%
         max
                   25691.160000
         Name: Amount, dtype: float64
In [11]: # Amount-distribution for fraud transactions
         ccfd[ccfd['Class']==1]['Amount'].describe()
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Out[11]: count
                   492.000000
                   122.211321
        mean
         std
                   256.683288
                     0.000000
         min
         25%
                     1.000000
         50%
                     9.250000
         75%
                   105.890000
                  2125.870000
         Name: Amount, dtype: float64
In [12]: # sum(amount) for transaction in 48 hours
         print("Genuine: {}".format(sum(ccfd[ccfd['Class']==0]['Amount'])))
         print("Fruad: {}".format(sum(ccfd[ccfd['Class']==1]['Amount'])))
         print("Total(Genuine+Fraud): {}".format(sum(ccfd['Amount'])))
Genuine: 25102462.039983638
Fruad: 60127.96999999997
Total(Genuine+Fraud): 25162590.009983554
In [13]: # (Q) How many transactions was of 0 amount
         len(ccfd[ccfd['Amount']==0])
Out[13]: 1825
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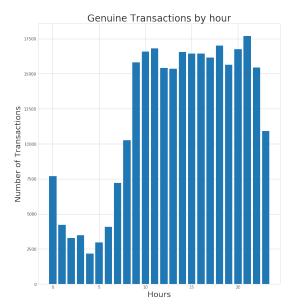
Conclusions:

- 1. ~0.24% (60128/25162590) of the total sum transacted in 48 hours was fraud.
- 2. On average, Amount for a fraud transaction is ~33.92 (122.21-88.29) units higher than a genuine transaction.
- 3. Maximum amount for any fraud transaction is \sim **8.3**% (2126/25691) of Maximum amount for all transactions.
- 4. ~0.64% (1825/284807) of transactions are found to be of zero-amount. Possible reasons for this could be:
 - The transaction Amount provided in the dataset must have been rounded down after certain decimal points.
 - Though the transaction did not succeed(due to technical/user failures), they were recorded by the machine
 - in this case, the average failure rate is ~38 times per hour

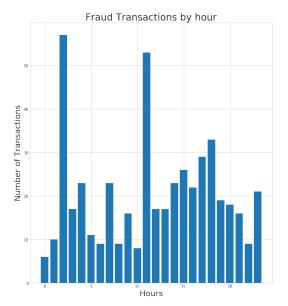
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In [14]: # Studying 'Time' feature
# counting frequency of transactions by hour
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# lists to store count of transactions by hour
         Count = [0]*24
         gCount = [0]*24
         fCount = [0]*24
        hr = list(range(24))
         # iterating each row in the dataframe
         for index,row in ccfd.iterrows():
             # calculating hour from seconds
             hour = (int(row['Time'])//3600)\%24
             Count[hour] += 1
             # checking genuine//fraud
             if row['Class']==1:
                 fCount[hour] += 1
             else:
                 gCount[hour] += 1
In [15]: # ploting frequency of transactions by hour(genuine vs fraud)
         fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(24,12))
         plt.suptitle("Number of transactions by hour", fontsize=30);
        plt.subplot(1,2,1)
         plt.title('Genuine Transactions by hour', fontsize=24)
         plt.xlabel('Hours', fontsize=20)
         plt.ylabel('Number of Transactions', fontsize=20)
         plt.bar(hr,gCount);
         plt.subplot(1,2,2)
         plt.title('Fraud Transactions by hour', fontsize=24)
         plt.xlabel('Hours', fontsize=20)
         plt.ylabel('Number of Transactions', fontsize=20)
         plt.bar(hr,fCount);
         plt.show()
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Number of transactions by hour



In [18]: # Between hours 1-7



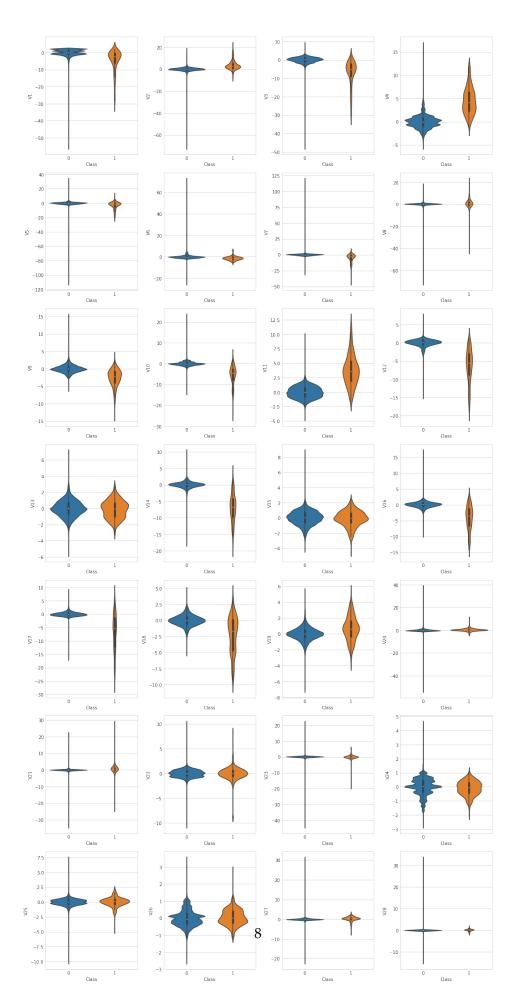
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# (Q) What % of total-transactions occur
print("% of total-transactions: {}".format(ttc*100/284807))

# (Q) What % of fraud-transactions occur
print("% of fraud-transactions: {}".format(tfc*100/492))

% of total-transactions: 9.684804095404958
% of fraud-transactions: 30.48780487804878
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Conclusions:

1. Though only ~9.685% of transactions occur between 1-7 hours, ~30.488% of frauds occur in the same-timeframe



Conclusions:

1. Distribution for each PCA transformed variable(V1-V28) shows no significant differences for the 2 classes(genuine vs fraud)

2 Similarity of transactions

For a random sample, given any transaction, which are the 10 most similar transactions to it?

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In [20]: from sklearn.metrics.pairwise import cosine_similarity
         import numpy as np
In [21]: sample_size = 1000
         neighbours = 10 # must be <=sample_size</pre>
         {\it\# pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/generated/pandas.DataFrame.sample.html}
         my_sample = ccfd.sample(sample_size)
         # list of indices in my_sample
         print("Index of random samples")
         print(my_sample.index)
         # using cosine_similarity, refer http://scikit-learn.org/ -
         # - stable/modules/generated/sklearn.metrics.pairwise.cosine_similarity.html
         my_sample_sim = cosine_similarity(my_sample)
         sorted_my_sample_sim = np.sort(my_sample_sim)
         #print(sorted_my_sample_sim)
         # user input for query-row
         query_index = int(input("Enter Query index (0-{}): ".format(sample_size-1)))
         print()
         # query row
         query = my_sample.iloc[query_index]
         print("given transaction id = {}, Amount = {}, class = {}\n"
               .format(query.name, query['Amount'], query['Class']))
         # 10 rows with highest similarity
         min_10 = my_sample_sim[query_index].argsort()[:sample_size-2-neighbours:-1]
         print("Similar Transactions")
         count = 1
         for i in min_10:
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item = my_sample.iloc[i]
            print("\t{}. trans-id = {}, similarity= {}, Amount = {}, class = {}"
                   .format(count, item.name, my_sample_sim[query_index][i],
                           item['Amount'], item['Class'] ))
             count += 1
Index of random samples
Int64Index([169659, 83775, 228465, 94275, 107938, 251431, 254871, 51708,
           149268, 87000,
           219406, 263110, 145080, 14676, 151033, 57944, 44050, 158781,
            37126, 90479],
          dtype='int64', length=1000)
Enter Query index (0-999): 67
given transaction id = 249419, Amount = 92.4, class = 0.0
Similar Transactions
       1. trans-id = 249419, similarity= 0.9999999999999, Amount = 92.4, class = 0.0
       2. trans-id = 271811, similarity= 0.9999999996360052, Amount = 97.28, class = 0.0
       3. trans-id = 199449, similarity= 0.999999991715189, Amount = 79.59, class = 0.0
       4. trans-id = 217439, similarity= 0.999999991315733, Amount = 80.03, class = 0.0
       5. trans-id = 242358, similarity= 0.999999999192626, Amount = 89.0, class = 0.0
       6. trans-id = 266885, similarity= 0.99999999998965417, Amount = 101.98, class = 0.0
       7. trans-id = 241806, similarity= 0.999999998709141, Amount = 85.9, class = 0.0
       8. trans-id = 138456, similarity= 0.9999999987055095, Amount = 49.42, class = 0.0
       9. trans-id = 163106, similarity= 0.999999998693327, Amount = 65.21, class = 0.0
       10. trans-id = 217833, similarity= 0.999999998659578, Amount = 78.99, class = 0.0
       11. trans-id = 261689, similarity= 0.9999999985924037, Amount = 102.0, class = 0.0
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