Practical Machine Learning Prediction Assignment

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The goal of our project is to predict the manner in which 6 participants did certain exercises.

Data is taken from accelerometers on the belt, forearm, arm, and dumbell.

Participants were asked to perform barbell lifts correctly and incorrectly in 5 different ways.

Set working directory and load required libraries

```
knitr::opts_chunk$set(echo = TRUE)
library(data.table)
library(caret)
## Loading required package: lattice
## Loading required package: ggplot2
library(knitr)
library(xtable)
library(rpart)
library(randomForest)
## randomForest 4.6-14
## Type rfNews() to see new features/changes/bug fixes.
## Attaching package: 'randomForest'
## The following object is masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
       margin
library(rpart.plot)
library(rattle)
## Rattle: A free graphical interface for data science with R.
## Version 5.2.0 Copyright (c) 2006-2018 Togaware Pty Ltd.
## Type 'rattle()' to shake, rattle, and roll your data.
## Attaching package: 'rattle'
## The following object is masked from 'package:randomForest':
##
##
       importance
```

```
library(gbm)
## Loaded gbm 2.1.5
library(corrplot)
## corrplot 0.84 loaded
rm(list = ls())
set.seed(54321)
setwd("/Users/psartor/Desktop/Data Management & Analytics/Practical Machine Learning/Week4")
Load and explore the data
# Load and read the training and test data into R using, read.csv function
training <- read.csv("pml-training.csv", na.strings = c("NA","#DIV/0!",""))</pre>
testing <- read.csv("pml-testing.csv", na.strings = c("NA","DIV/0!",""))</pre>
dim(training)
## [1] 19622
              160
dim(testing)
## [1] 20 160
str(training)
                   19622 obs. of 160 variables:
## 'data.frame':
## $ X
                             : int 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
## $ user_name
                             : Factor w/ 6 levels "adelmo", "carlitos",..: 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 ...
## $ raw_timestamp_part_1
                                    1323084231 1323084231 1323084231 1323084232 1323084232 1323084232
## $ raw_timestamp_part_2
                                   788290 808298 820366 120339 196328 304277 368296 440390 484323 484
## $ cvtd_timestamp
                             : Factor w/ 20 levels "02/12/2011 13:32",..: 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 9 ...
                             : Factor w/ 2 levels "no", "yes": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
## $ new_window
## $ num_window
                             : int 11 11 11 12 12 12 12 12 12 12 ...
## $ roll_belt
                                   1.41 1.41 1.42 1.48 1.48 1.45 1.42 1.42 1.43 1.45 ...
## $ pitch_belt
                             : num 8.07 \ 8.07 \ 8.07 \ 8.05 \ 8.07 \ 8.06 \ 8.09 \ 8.13 \ 8.16 \ 8.17 \ \dots
## $ yaw_belt
                                    -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 -94.4 ...
## $ total_accel_belt
                             : int 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 3 ...
## $ kurtosis roll belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ kurtosis_picth_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ kurtosis_yaw_belt
                             : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ skewness_roll_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ skewness roll belt.1
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ skewness_yaw_belt
                             : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_roll_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_picth_belt
                             : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_yaw_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ min_roll_belt
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## $ min_pitch_belt
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## $ min_yaw_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ amplitude_roll_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ amplitude_pitch_belt
                             : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ amplitude_yaw_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ var_total_accel_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ avg_roll_belt
                             : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
```

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## $ stddev roll belt
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA . . .
                          : num
## $ var_roll_belt
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ avg pitch belt
                          : num
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ stddev_pitch_belt
## $ var_pitch_belt
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ avg_yaw_belt
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ stddev yaw belt
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ var_yaw_belt
                          : num
                                 ##
   $ gyros belt x
                          : num
## $ gyros_belt_y
                          : num
                                0 0 0 0 0.02 0 0 0 0 0 ...
## $ gyros_belt_z
                          : num
                                -0.02 -0.02 -0.02 -0.03 -0.02 -0.02 -0.02 -0.02 -0.02 0 ...
                                -21 -22 -20 -22 -21 -21 -22 -22 -20 -21 ...
## $ accel_belt_x
                          : int
## $ accel_belt_y
                          : int
                                4 4 5 3 2 4 3 4 2 4 ...
## $ accel_belt_z
                          : int
                                22 22 23 21 24 21 21 21 24 22 ...
## $ magnet_belt_x
                          : int
                                 -3 -7 -2 -6 -6 0 -4 -2 1 -3 ...
## $ magnet_belt_y
                          : int
                                 599 608 600 604 600 603 599 603 602 609 ...
## $ magnet_belt_z
                                 -313 -311 -305 -310 -302 -312 -311 -313 -312 -308 ...
                          : int
## $ roll arm
                                : num
## $ pitch_arm
                                22.5 22.5 22.5 22.1 22.1 22 21.9 21.8 21.7 21.6 ...
                          : num
## $ yaw arm
                          : num
                                ## $ total_accel_arm
                          : int
                                34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 34 ...
## $ var accel arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ avg_roll_arm
                          : num
## $ stddev roll arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
## $ var_roll_arm
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ avg_pitch_arm
## $ stddev_pitch_arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ var_pitch_arm
                          : num
## $ avg_yaw_arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
## $ stddev_yaw_arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA . . .
                          : num
## $ var_yaw_arm
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ gyros_arm_x
                          : num
                                ## $ gyros_arm_y
                          : num
                                0 -0.02 -0.02 -0.03 -0.03 -0.03 -0.03 -0.02 -0.03 -0.03 ...
                                -0.02 -0.02 -0.02 0.02 0 0 0 0 -0.02 -0.02 ...
## $ gyros_arm_z
                          : num
## $ accel arm x
                          : int
                                ## $ accel_arm_y
                          : int
                                109 110 110 111 111 111 111 111 109 110 ...
## $ accel arm z
                          : int
                                -123 -125 -126 -123 -123 -122 -125 -124 -122 -124 ...
## $ magnet_arm_x
                          : int
                                 -368 -369 -368 -372 -374 -369 -373 -372 -369 -376 ...
## $ magnet_arm_y
                          : int
                                 337 337 344 344 337 342 336 338 341 334 ...
## $ magnet_arm_z
                          : int
                                 516 513 513 512 506 513 509 510 518 516 ...
## $ kurtosis_roll_arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
## $ kurtosis_picth_arm
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ kurtosis_yaw_arm
                          : num
## $ skewness_roll_arm
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                          : num
## $ skewness_pitch_arm
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
##
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
   $ skewness_yaw_arm
                          : num
##
   $ max_roll_arm
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA . . .
## $ max_picth_arm
                          : num
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_yaw_arm
                          : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
                                NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ min_roll_arm
                          : num
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ min_pitch_arm
## $ min_yaw_arm
                          : int NA ...
## $ amplitude_roll_arm
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ amplitude pitch arm
                          : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
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## $ amplitude_yaw_arm
                        : int NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ roll dumbbell
                        : num 13.1 13.1 12.9 13.4 13.4 ...
## $ pitch dumbbell
                        : num -70.5 -70.6 -70.3 -70.4 -70.4 ...
## $ yaw_dumbbell
                         : num -84.9 -84.7 -85.1 -84.9 -84.9 ...
## $ kurtosis picth dumbbell : num NA ...
## $ kurtosis yaw dumbbell : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ skewness roll dumbbell : num NA ...
##
   $ skewness_pitch_dumbbell : num NA ...
## $ skewness_yaw_dumbbell
                        : logi NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_roll_dumbbell
                        : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_picth_dumbbell
                         : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ max_yaw_dumbbell
                         : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ min_roll_dumbbell
                         : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ min_pitch_dumbbell
                        : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
## $ min_yaw_dumbbell
                         : num NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA NA ...
[list output truncated]
```

The training data set contains 19622 observations and 160 variables, while the testing data set contains 20 observations and 160 variables.

The "classe" variable in the training set is the outcome to predict.

There are 5 levels of classe "A", "B", "C", "D", "E".

Clean the data set

As we can see there are many "NAs" in the dataset.

We removed any features that contained NA values.

```
training <- training[, colSums(is.na(training)) == 0]
testing <- testing[, colSums(is.na(testing)) == 0]</pre>
```

Remove columns that do not contribute much to the accelerometer measurements.

```
classe <- training$classe
trainRemove <- grepl("^X|timestamp|window", names(training))
training <- training[, !trainRemove]
trainCleaned <- training[, sapply(training, is.numeric)]
trainCleaned$classe <- classe
testRemove <- grepl("^X|timestamp|window", names(testing))
testing <- testing[, !testRemove]
testCleaned <- testing[, sapply(testing, is.numeric)]
dim(trainCleaned)
## [1] 19622 53
dim(testCleaned)</pre>
## [1] 20 53
```

Look for near zero variance data as it can be advantageous to remove the variable from the model.

```
nzv <- nearZeroVar(trainCleaned, saveMetrics = TRUE)
nzv</pre>
```

```
##
                        freqRatio percentUnique zeroVar
                                                           nzv
## roll_belt
                         1.101904
                                      6.7781062
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## pitch_belt
                         1.036082
                                      9.3772296
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## yaw_belt
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.058480
                                      9.9734991
## total accel belt
                         1.063160
                                      0.1477933
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_belt_x
                         1.058651
                                      0.7134849
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_belt_y
                         1.144000
                                      0.3516461
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_belt_z
                         1.066214
                                      0.8612782
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## accel belt x
                                                 FALSE FALSE
                         1.055412
                                      0.8357966
## accel belt y
                                      0.7287738
                                                FALSE FALSE
                         1.113725
## accel_belt_z
                         1.078767
                                      1.5237998
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## magnet_belt_x
                         1.090141
                                      1.6664968
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## magnet_belt_y
                         1.099688
                                      1.5187035
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## magnet_belt_z
                         1.006369
                                      2.3290184
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## roll_arm
                        52.338462
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                                     13.5256345
## pitch_arm
                        87.256410
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                                     15.7323412
## yaw_arm
                        33.029126
                                     14.6570176
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## total_accel_arm
                         1.024526
                                      0.3363572
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_arm_x
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.015504
                                      3.2769341
## gyros_arm_y
                         1.454369
                                      1.9162165
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_arm_z
                        1.110687
                                      1.2638875
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## accel_arm_x
                         1.017341
                                      3.9598410
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## accel_arm_y
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.140187
                                      2.7367241
## accel_arm_z
                         1.128000
                                      4.0362858
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## magnet_arm_x
                         1.000000
                                      6.8239731
                                                 FALSE FALSE
                                      4.4439914
## magnet_arm_y
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.056818
## magnet arm z
                         1.036364
                                      6.4468454
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## roll_dumbbell
                         1.022388
                                     84.2065029
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## pitch dumbbell
                         2.277372
                                     81.7449801
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## yaw_dumbbell
                         1.132231
                                     83.4828254
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## total_accel_dumbbell 1.072634
                                      0.2191418
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_dumbbell_x
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.003268
                                      1.2282132
## gyros_dumbbell_y
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.264957
                                      1.4167771
## gyros_dumbbell_z
                         1.060100
                                      1.0498420
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## accel_dumbbell_x
                         1.018018
                                      2.1659362
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## accel_dumbbell_y
                                      2.3748853
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.053061
## accel_dumbbell_z
                         1.133333
                                      2.0894914
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## magnet_dumbbell_x
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                         1.098266
                                      5.7486495
## magnet_dumbbell_y
                         1.197740
                                      4.3012945
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## magnet_dumbbell_z
                         1.020833
                                      3.4451126
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## roll forearm
                        11.589286
                                     11.0895933
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## pitch_forearm
                        65.983051
                                     14.8557741
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## yaw forearm
                                                  FALSE FALSE
                        15.322835
                                     10.1467740
## total accel forearm
                        1.128928
                                     0.3567424
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_forearm_x
                         1.059273
                                      1.5187035
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_forearm_y
                         1.036554
                                      3.7763735
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## gyros_forearm_z
                         1.122917
                                      1.5645704
                                                  FALSE FALSE
## accel_forearm_x
                         1.126437
                                      4.0464784
                                                  FALSE FALSE
```

```
FALSE FALSE
## accel_forearm_y
                       1.059406
                                    5.1116094
## accel_forearm_z
                        1.006250
                                    2.9558659 FALSE FALSE
## magnet forearm x
                        1.012346
                                    7.7667924 FALSE FALSE
## magnet_forearm_y
                                    9.5403119 FALSE FALSE
                        1.246914
## magnet_forearm_z
                        1.000000
                                    8.5771073
                                               FALSE FALSE
## classe
                        1.469581
                                    0.0254816 FALSE FALSE
```

Partitioning the training set into two datasets

Next, we can split the cleaned training set into a pure training data set (70%) and a validation data set (30%).

The training set is used to train or build the model.

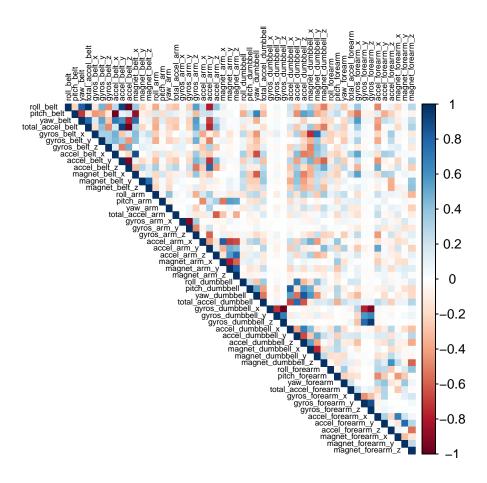
The testing set (or validation set) is used to test or validate the model by estimating the prediction error.

```
inTrain <- createDataPartition(trainCleaned$classe, p=0.70, list=F)
trainData <- trainCleaned[inTrain, ]
testData <- trainCleaned[-inTrain, ]</pre>
```

Graphical display to visualise the correlation matrix

In the following graph, positive correlations are displayed in blue and negative correlations in red. Colour intensity is proportional to the correlation coefficients.

```
corrPlot <- cor(trainData[, -length(names(trainData))])
corrplot(corrPlot, tl.cex = 0.5, tl.col = rgb(0, 0, 0), method="color", type = "upper")</pre>
```



Prediction model building

We will use Random Forest, Decision Trees, and the Generalized Boosted Regression Model.

From this, we will determine the alogorithm that provides the best out-of-sample accuracy.

Prediction with Random Forest

```
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##
     mtry
           Accuracy
                      Kappa
##
     2
           0.9906097 0.9881208
##
     27
           0.9895177
                      0.9867405
     52
           0.9826748 0.9780817
##
## Accuracy was used to select the optimal model using the largest value.
## The final value used for the model was mtry = 2.
```

Cross Validation on our testing data

```
predR <- predict(modFitRandForest, newdata = testData)
RF <- confusionMatrix(predR, testData$classe)
RF$overall["Accuracy"]
## Accuracy
## 0.9916737</pre>
```

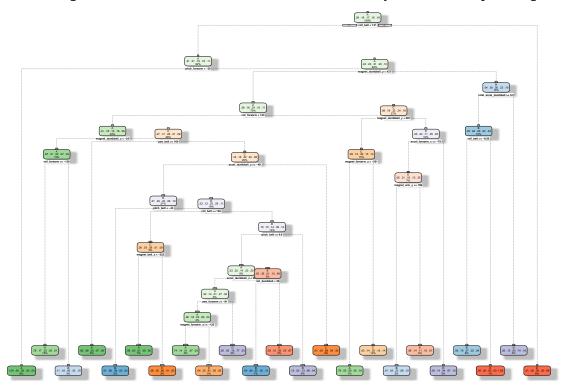
Prediction with Decision Tree

```
modFitDecTree <- rpart(classe ~., data = trainData, method = "class")</pre>
modFitDecTree
## n= 13737
##
## node), split, n, loss, yval, (yprob)
##
         * denotes terminal node
##
       1) root 13737 9831 A (0.28 0.19 0.17 0.16 0.18)
##
##
         2) roll belt< 130.5 12587 8694 A (0.31 0.21 0.19 0.18 0.11)
##
           4) pitch forearm< -34.55 1107
                                            2 A (1 0.0018 0 0 0) *
           5) pitch_forearm>=-34.55 11480 8692 A (0.24 0.23 0.21 0.2 0.12)
##
##
            10) magnet_dumbbell_y< 436.5 9644 6924 A (0.28 0.18 0.24 0.19 0.11)
              20) roll_forearm< 122.5 5972 3532 A (0.41 0.18 0.19 0.16 0.061)
##
                40) magnet_dumbbell_z< -24.5 2080 690 A (0.67 0.21 0.017 0.075 0.03)
##
                  80) roll forearm>=-136.5 1730 377 A (0.78 0.17 0.02 0.025 0.0052) *
##
                  81) roll_forearm< -136.5 350 204 B (0.11 0.42 0.0029 0.32 0.15) *
##
##
                41) magnet_dumbbell_z>=-24.5 3892 2819 C (0.27 0.17 0.28 0.21 0.078)
##
                  82) yaw_belt>=168.5 518
                                            77 A (0.85 0.075 0.0019 0.068 0.0039) *
                  83) yaw_belt< 168.5 3374 2302 C (0.18 0.18 0.32 0.23 0.09)
##
##
                   166) accel_dumbbell_y>=-40.5 2910 2141 D (0.21 0.2 0.23 0.26 0.097)
##
                     332) pitch_belt< -43.15 319
                                                   44 B (0.0094 0.86 0.075 0.028 0.025) *
##
                     333) pitch_belt>=-43.15 2591 1831 D (0.23 0.12 0.25 0.29 0.11)
##
                       666) roll_belt>=125.5 637 260 C (0.36 0.035 0.59 0.0094 0.0016)
##
                        1332) magnet_belt_z< -322.5 203
                                                           5 A (0.98 0.0049 0.015 0 0.0049) *
##
                        1333) magnet_belt_z>=-322.5 434
                                                          60 C (0.076 0.048 0.86 0.014 0) *
                       667) roll_belt< 125.5 1954 1200 D (0.19 0.15 0.14 0.39 0.14)
##
##
                        1334) pitch belt>=0.895 1237 956 A (0.23 0.22 0.14 0.22 0.2)
##
                          2668) accel_dumbbell_z< 27.5 778 512 A (0.34 0.14 0.21 0.27 0.037)
##
                            5336) yaw forearm>=-90.9 557 291 A (0.48 0.18 0.24 0.065 0.039)
                             10672) magnet_forearm_z>=-125.5 348
##
                                                                    90 A (0.74 0.14 0.011 0.075 0.032) *
                             10673) magnet_forearm_z< -125.5 209
                                                                    82 C (0.038 0.25 0.61 0.048 0.053) *
##
```

```
##
                           5337) yaw forearm< -90.9 221
                                                        50 D (0 0.032 0.16 0.77 0.032) *
                         ##
##
                           5338) roll dumbbell< 38.61985 170
                                                             34 B (0.035 0.8 0.024 0.024 0.12) *
##
                           5339) roll_dumbbell>=38.61985 289
                                                             96 E (0.031 0.1 0 0.2 0.67) *
##
                       1335) pitch_belt< 0.895 717 231 D (0.13 0.025 0.13 0.68 0.042) *
                                                   57 C (0.0086 0.032 0.88 0.037 0.045) *
                  167) accel_dumbbell_y< -40.5 464
##
             21) roll forearm>=122.5 3672 2470 C (0.076 0.18 0.33 0.24 0.18)
##
##
               42) magnet_dumbbell_y< 286.5 2091 1063 C (0.093 0.13 0.49 0.15 0.13)
##
                 84) magnet_forearm_z< -251 165
                                                 34 A (0.79 0.055 0 0.048 0.1) *
##
                 85) magnet_forearm_z>=-251 1926 898 C (0.033 0.14 0.53 0.16 0.14) *
##
               43) magnet_dumbbell_y>=286.5 1581 1034 D (0.054 0.24 0.11 0.35 0.25)
                 86) accel_forearm_x>=-79.5 942 612 E (0.051 0.31 0.16 0.13 0.35)
##
##
                  172) magnet_arm_y>=188.5 384 171 B (0.013 0.55 0.23 0.078 0.12) *
##
                  173) magnet_arm_y< 188.5 558 276 E (0.077 0.14 0.11 0.16 0.51) *
##
                 87) accel_forearm_x< -79.5 639 212 D (0.059 0.14 0.036 0.67 0.097) *
##
           11) magnet_dumbbell_y>=436.5 1836 913 B (0.037 0.5 0.046 0.22 0.19)
##
             22) total_accel_dumbbell>=5.5 1317 473 B (0.052 0.64 0.063 0.018 0.23)
##
               44) roll_belt>=-0.565 1114 270 B (0.061 0.76 0.075 0.022 0.085) *
##
               45) roll_belt< -0.565 203
                                           0 E (0 0 0 0 1) *
##
             23) total accel dumbbell < 5.5 519 133 D (0 0.15 0.0039 0.74 0.1) *
##
        3) roll_belt>=130.5 1150
                                  13 E (0.011 0 0 0 0.99) *
```

fancyRpartPlot(modFitDecTree)

Warning: labs do not fit even at cex 0.15, there may be some overplotting



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Cross Validation on our testing data

```
predD <- predict(modFitDecTree, testData, type = "class")</pre>
DT <-confusionMatrix(testData$classe, predD)</pre>
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
             Reference
## Prediction
                 Α
                      В
                           C
                                D
                                      Ε
                     50
            A 1482
                          50
                                    32
##
                               60
            В
               166
                    647
                         182
                                    59
##
                                    32
            C
                28
                         801
                               72
##
                     93
                    100
                                    61
##
            D
                56
                         152
                              595
                               54 785
##
            Ε
                19
                     92
                         132
## Overall Statistics
##
                  Accuracy: 0.7324
##
                    95% CI: (0.7209, 0.7436)
       No Information Rate: 0.2975
##
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : < 2.2e-16
##
##
##
                     Kappa: 0.6611
##
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : < 2.2e-16
## Statistics by Class:
##
##
                        Class: A Class: B Class: C Class: D Class: E
## Sensitivity
                          0.8464 0.6589
                                            0.6082
                                                      0.6871
                                                               0.8101
                                                      0.9265
                                                               0.9396
## Specificity
                          0.9536
                                 0.8997
                                             0.9507
## Pos Pred Value
                          0.8853 0.5680
                                             0.7807
                                                      0.6172
                                                               0.7255
## Neg Pred Value
                                  0.9294
                                            0.8938
                          0.9361
                                                      0.9449
                                                               0.9617
## Prevalence
                          0.2975 0.1669
                                            0.2238
                                                      0.1472
                                                               0.1647
## Detection Rate
                          0.2518 0.1099
                                            0.1361
                                                      0.1011
                                                               0.1334
## Detection Prevalence
                          0.2845
                                   0.1935
                                             0.1743
                                                      0.1638
                                                               0.1839
## Balanced Accuracy
                          0.9000
                                   0.7793
                                             0.7795
                                                      0.8068
                                                               0.8748
DT$overall["Accuracy"]
## Accuracy
```

Prediction with Generalized Boosted Regression

There were 52 predictors of which 52 had non-zero influence.

0.7323704

```
modFitBoostRegress <- train(classe ~., data = trainData, method = "gbm",verbose = FALSE,
modFitBoostRegress$finalModel

## A gradient boosted model with multinomial loss function.
## 150 iterations were performed.</pre>
```

Cross Validation on our testing data

```
predG <- predict(modFitBoostRegress, testData)
GBM <- confusionMatrix(testData$classe, predG)
GBM$overall["Accuracy"]
## Accuracy
## 0.9575191</pre>
```

Applying the best model to the provided test set

The Random Forest model yielded the best prediction in in-sample. Therefore, this model will be applied to predict the provided 20 different test cases.