

WEST NILE VIRUS

Pesticides - To spray or not to spray?

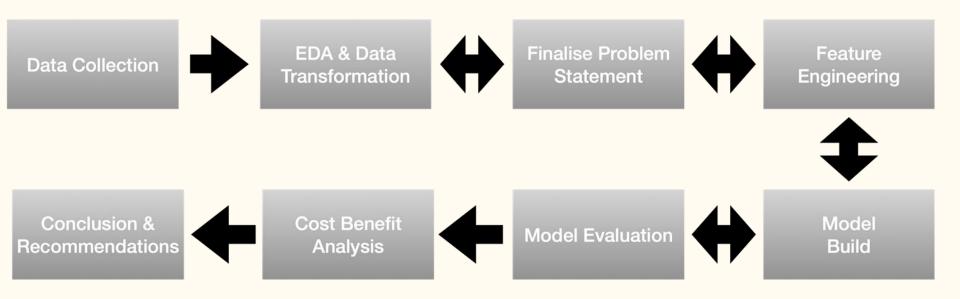
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Problem Statement

- Make predictions where West Nile Virus is present in the city of Chicago
- Predictions will be used to decide where to spray
- Conduct cost-benefit analysis



Data Science WorkFlow



Data Description

		Period								
Dataset	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	Rows	Columns
Train	~		~		~		~		10506	12
Test		~		~		~		~	116293	11
Weather	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	~	14835	4
Spray					~	~			2944	22

Data Cleaning & Transformation



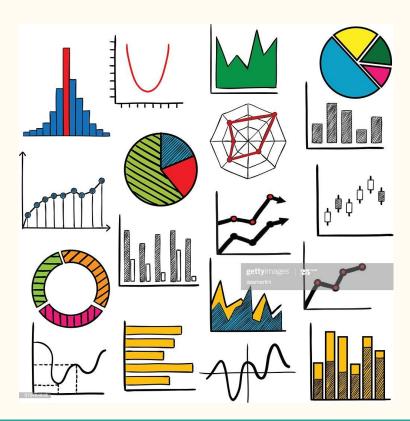
Data Cleaning

Merging Rows > 50 Mosquitos

Merge Train & Weather dataset

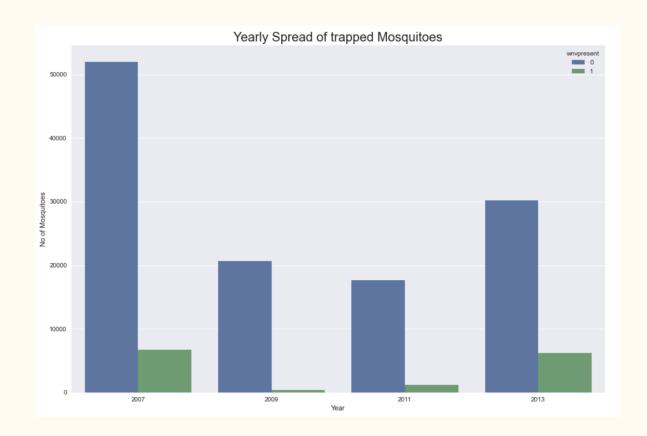
Data Imputation

Weather Station 1 & 2 Ffill



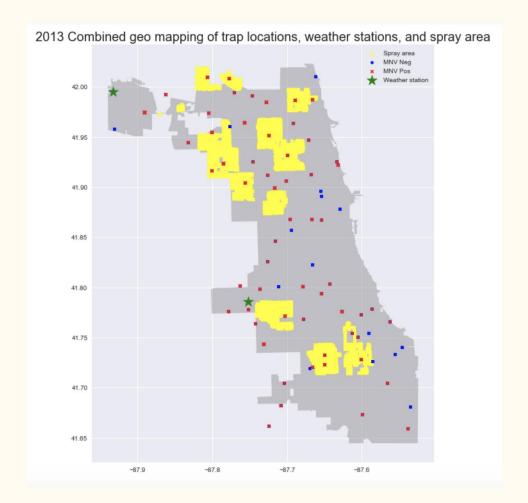
Spread of Trapped Mosquitoes By Year

Even though the total number of mosquitoes caught in 2013 was lower than that of 2013, the percentage of WNV presence went up in 2013.



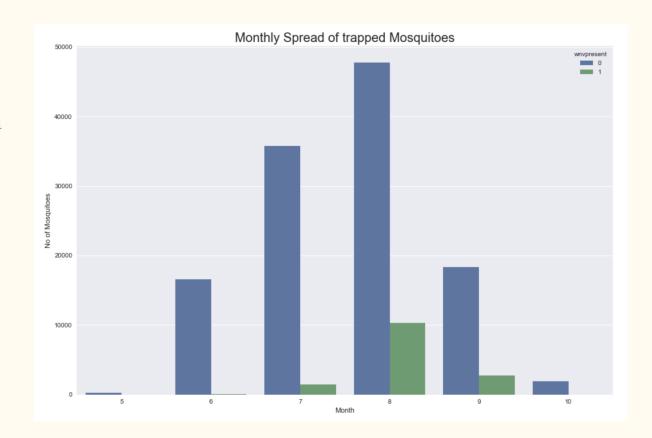
2013 Trap locations and Spray Area

In 2013, WNV presence was found in most traps across the city. The area near Station 1 in the northern region seems to be a hotspot for WNV presence. The spraying of pesticide is concentrated in this region.



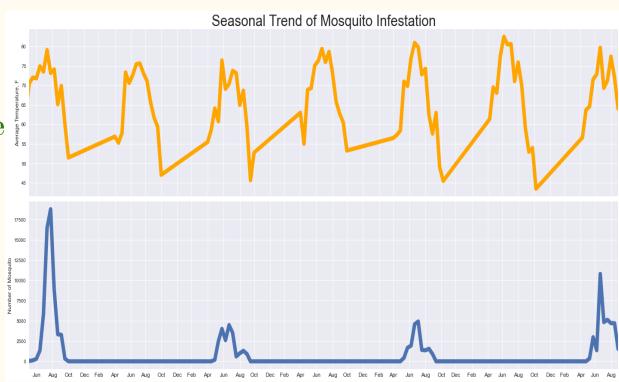
Spread of Trapped Mosquitoes By Month

Number of mosquitoes trapped was the highest in the month of August where the weather is hot and humid. The presence of WNV was also higher in this month.



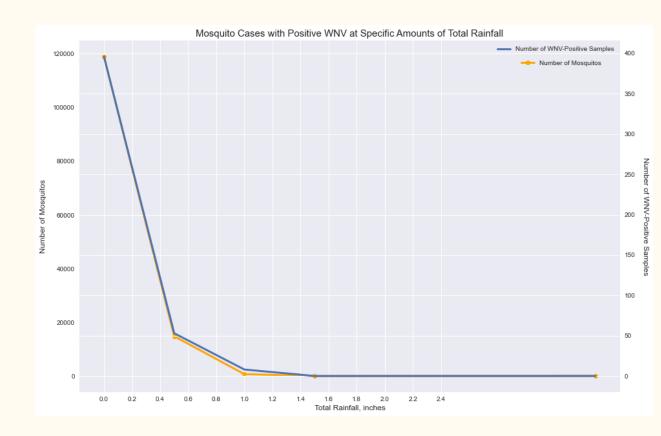
Seasonal Trend of Mosquitoes Infestation With Ave Temperature

The above graph shows that mosquitoes prefer the higher temperatures as when temperature increase so does the number of mosquitoes.



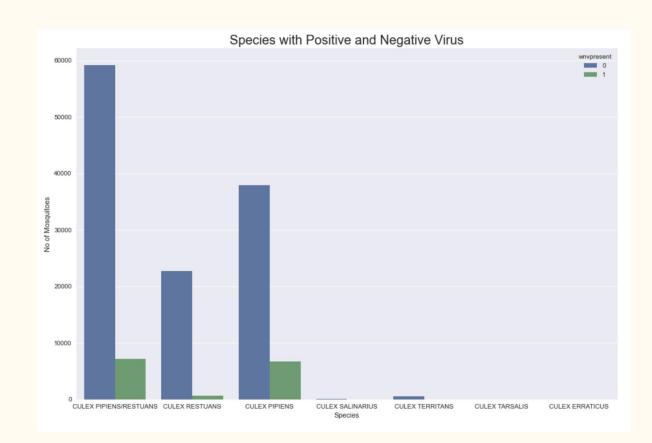
No. of Mosquitoes Cases with Total Rainfall

Total rainfall (precipitation) is inversely proportional to both the number of mosquitos and number of WNV-positive traps.

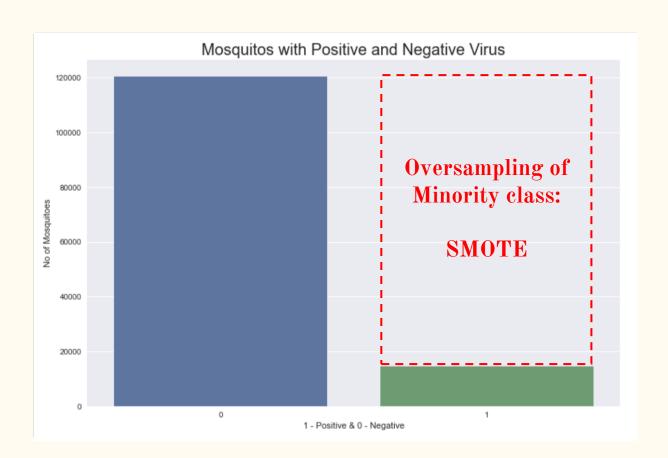


Mosquito Species with Positive & Negative Virus

The types of mosquitoes carrying the WNV virus are Culex Restuans and Culex Pipiens. Traps with presence of these mosquitoes have a higher probability of testing positive for the virus as compared to other types of mosquitoes.



Imbalanced Class



Feature Engineering

One-Hot Encoding

Time-lagged Weather Conditions

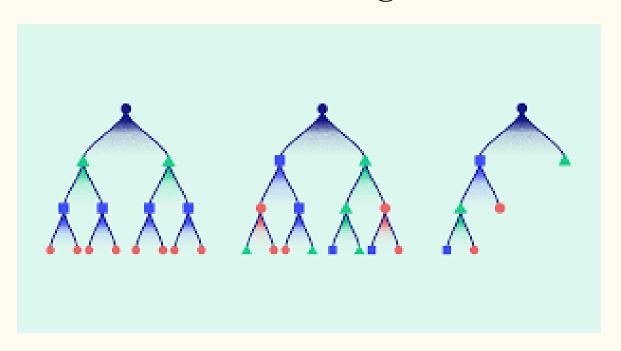
Interaction Terms

Principal Component Analysis

SMOTE

Multicollinearity Reduction

Modeling



Modeling Approach

Model Types

- Logistic Regression
- Random Forest
- XGBoost

Tuning Techniques

- Pipeline
- GridSearch
- PCA



Evaluation Approach

Metrics

- Accuracy
- Precision
- ROC_AUC

Methods

- Cross Validation (Kfold)
- Confusion Matrix
- Feature Importance Analysis
- ROC_AUC Curve
- Misclassification Analysis

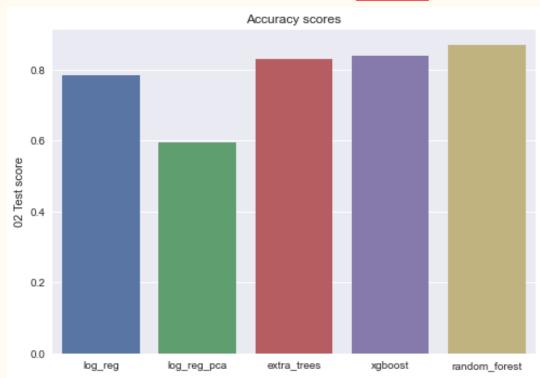
Model

	log_reg	log_reg_pca	extra_trees	xgboost	random_forest
01 Train score	0.7723	0.6487	0.9068	0.903	0.9919
02 Test score	0.7851	0.5947	0.8316	0.8386	0.8699
03 Score diff	-0.0128	0.054	0.0752	0.0644	0.122
04 Train recall	0.7411	0.6911	0.9456	0.9434	0.9933
05 Test recall	0.4565	0.7174	0.4783	0.6304	0.2391
06 Precision	0.116	0.0894	0.1538	0.1921	0.125
07 Specificity	0.8037	0.5877	0.8515	0.8503	0.9055
08 Sensitivity	0.4565	0.7174	0.4783	0.6304	0.2391
09 True Negatives	655	479	694	693	738
10 False Positives	160	336	121	122	77
11 False Negatives	25	13	24	17	35
12 True Positives	21	33	22	29	11
13 Train ROC Score	0.857	0.7012	0.9708	0.9671	0.9998
14 Test ROC Score	0.7229	0.7286	0.8101	0.8623	0.7531
15 Train CV Score	0.77	0.649	0.8915	0.8904	0.9031
16 Test CV Score	0.9466	0.9466	0.9466	0.9396	0.9291

Evaluation

log_reg log_reg pca extra_trees xgboost andom_forest Train Score 0.7723 0.649 0.907 0.902 0.992 Test Score 0.785 0.595 0.832 0.841 0.870

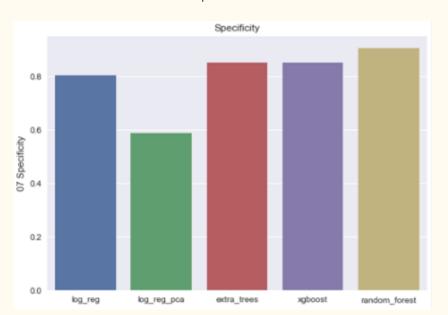
Accuracy



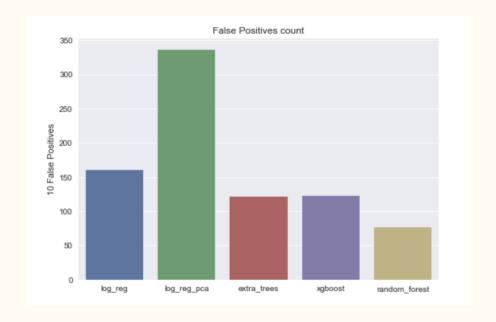
Evaluation

	log_reg	log_reg_pca	extra_trees	xgboost	random_forest
Specificity	0.804	0.588	0.852	0.854	0.906
False Positives	160	336	121	119	77

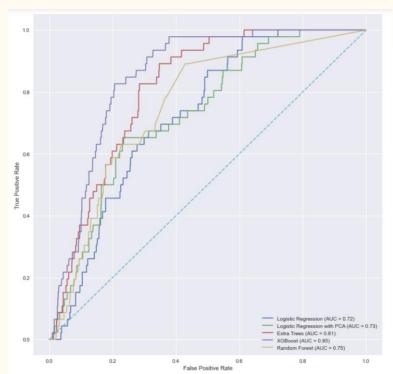
Specificity $\frac{TN}{TN+FP}$



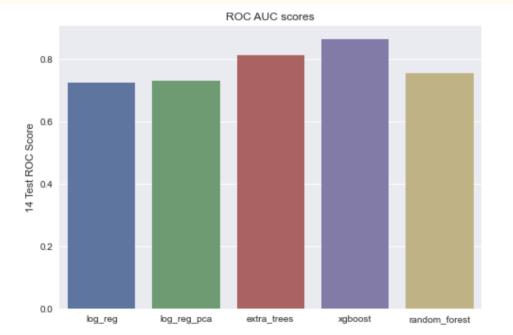
False Positive Count



Evaluation ROC - AUC Score



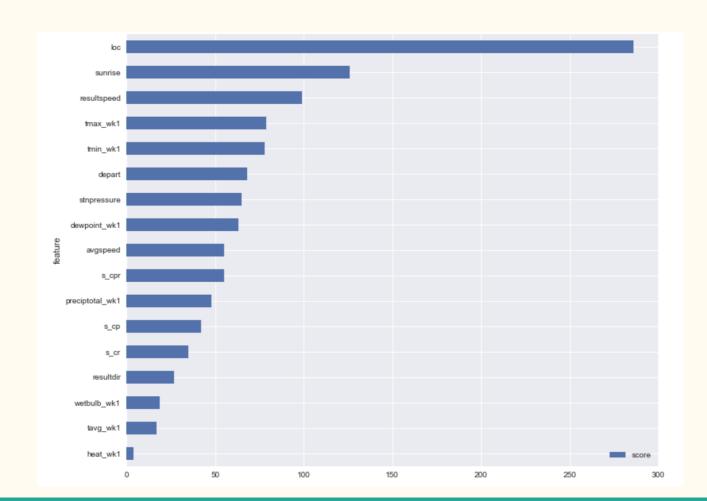
	log_reg	log_reg_pca	extra_trees	xgboost	random_forest
Train ROC	0.857	0.701	0.971	0.968	0.999
Test ROC	0.722	0.729	0.810	0.852	0.753



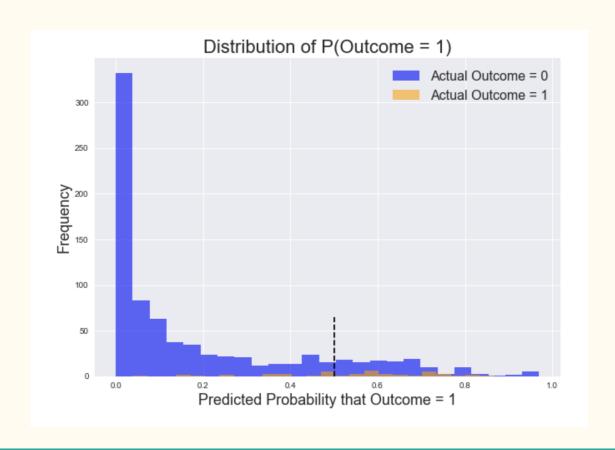
Evaluation

Top 5 Features:

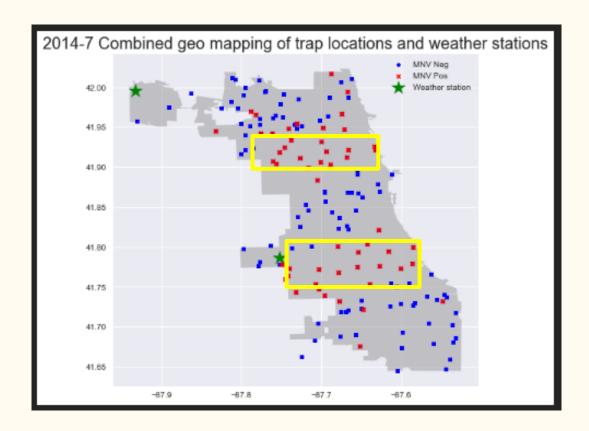
- loc
- sunrise
- resultspeed
- tmax_wk1
- tmin_wk1



Evaluation



Model Prediction



XG Boost Model Prediction for 2014 - July

Cost Benefit Analysis



Table 2

Estimated inpatient and outpatient economic costs of WNND cases, Sacramento County, California, 2005*

Item	Cost per case†	No. cases to which cost applies‡	% Cases to which cost applies§	Total cost for all cases	Total cost if treatment/service were used in all cases	
Inpatient treatment costs	\$33,143	46	100	\$1,524,570		
Outpatient costs	Cost per case¶					
Outpatient hospital treatment	\$333	17	36	\$5,668	\$15,337	
Physician visits	\$450	46	100	\$20,708	\$20,708	
Outpatient physical therapy	\$909	46	100	\$41,810	\$41,810	
Occupational therapy	\$4,037	3	7	\$12,111	\$185,699	
Speech therapy	\$588	1	1	\$588	\$27,032	
Total				\$80,885	\$290,586	
Nursing home costs	Cost#					
Nursing home stay**	\$190	2	4	\$36,195	\$36,195	
Transportation	\$65	46	100	\$2,977	\$2,977	
Home health aides, babysitters, etc.	\$1,569	7	14	\$10,983	\$505,211	
Total				\$50,154	\$544,383	
Total for WNND				\$2,140,409	\$2,844,339	

*WNND, West Nile neuroinvasive disease; BLS, Bureau of Labor Statistics of the US Department of Labor. †Estimated by using 2005 data from California's Office of Statewide Health Planning and Development (J. Teague and J. Morgan, pers. comm.).

[‡]WNND cases from the total number of cases reported by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (3). \$See (10).

^{*}Estimated by using data from Zohrabian et al. (10) and updated using data from the US Department of Labor's Bureau of Labor Statistics (BLS) (13-15).

[#]Estimated by using data from MetLife Mature Market Institute (10), Zohrabian et al. (10), and BLS (13-15).

**Average length of nursing home stay was 96 days.

Conclusion

XG Boost model was selected to predict the WNV presence in the 2014 traps.

We drilled down into years of july as the outbreak starts to occur, should spray in mid june

Cost of spraying vs cost of non-spraying

\$1.01 million vs \$15.40 million

- Adopt genetically modified mosquitoes



Thank You