574M Statistical Machine Learning Project Report

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Introduction

Advertisement CTR prediction is the key problem in the area of computing advertising. Increasing the accuracy of Advertisement CTR prediction is critical to improve the effectiveness of precision marketing.

We analyze highly imbalanced dataset and deploy several classification models with different resampling techniques to minimize the effects of class imbalance on big advertising datasets that are anonymized.

Data Overview

The datasets (after being masked) contain the advertising behavior data collected from seven consecutive days, including a training dataset and a testing dataset. This section describes the data format. Detailed data fields are illustrated in the following sections.

Below given table contains the column names of the training data along with description:

Column name	Description
label	Label (0 = No Click, 1 = Click)
uid	Unique user ID after data anonymization
task_id	Unique ID of an ad task
adv_id	Unique ID of an ad material
creat_type_cd	Unique ID of an ad creative type
adv_prim_id	Advertiser ID of an ad task
dev_id	Developer ID of an ad task
inter_typ_cd	Display form of an ad material
slot_id	Ad slot ID
spread_app_id	App ID of an ad task
tags	App tag of an ad task

Column name	Description
app_first_class	App level-1 category of an ad task
app_second_class	App level-2 category of an ad task
age	User age
city	Resident city of a user
city_rank	Level of the resident city of a user
device_name	Phone model used by a user
device_size	Size of the phone used by a user
career	User occupation
gender	User gender
net_type	Network status when a behavior occurs
residence	Resident province of a user
his_app_size	App storage size
his_on_shelf_time	Release time
app_score	App rating score
emui_dev	EMUI version
list_time	Model release time
device_price	Device price
up_life_duration	HUAWEI ID lifecycle
up_membership_grade	Service membership level
membership_life_duration	Membership lifecycle
consume_purchase	Paid user tag
communication_onlinerate	Active time by mobile phone
communication_avgonline_30d	Daily active time by mobile phone
indu_name	Ad industry information
pt_d	Date when a behavior occurs

```
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
import pandas as pd
import imblearn
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
import xgboost as xgb
from xgboost.sklearn import XGBClassifier
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix, precision_score, recall_score, roc_curve
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, cross_val_score
from sklearn.feature_selection import f_classif,chi2
from sklearn import tree
import numpy as np
```

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import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
import random
import scipy.stats as stats

from imblearn.over_sampling import RandomOverSampler
from imblearn.under_sampling import RandomUnderSampler

data = pd.read_csv("C:/Users/ual-laptop/Downloads/train_data.csv", sep = "|",nrows = 1
#data["label"].value_counts()
```

```
# Take random sample from thee data
In [3]:
         columns = ['label', 'uid', 'task_id', 'adv_id', 'creat_type_cd', 'adv_prim_id',
                 'dev_id', 'inter_type_cd', 'slot_id', 'spread_app_id', 'tags',
                 'app_first_class', 'app_second_class', 'age', 'city', 'city_rank',
                 'device_name', 'device_size', 'career', 'gender', 'net_type', 'residence', 'his_app_size', 'his_on_shelf_time', 'app_score',
                 'emui_dev', 'list_time', 'device_price', 'up_life_duration',
                 'up_membership_grade', 'membership_life_duration', 'consume_purchase',
                 'communication_onlinerate', 'communication_avgonline_30d', 'indu_name',
                 'pt d']
         data = pd.DataFrame()
         for i in range(1,51):
                 #print(i)
                 s = 10000*(i-1)
                 df = pd.read_csv("C:/Users/ual-laptop/Downloads/train_data.csv", sep = "|",skir
                 df.columns = columns
                 skip = sorted(random.sample(range(10000),2400))
                 df = df.iloc[skip]
                 if i==1:
                        data = df.copy()
                 else:
                        data = data.append(df,ignore index=True)
         data["label"].value counts()
```

Out[3]: 0 115535 1 4465

Name: label, dtype: int64

EDA

In the dataset we have a column label (Target variable) taking value 0 (add not clicked) and 1(add clicked) and 35 features including numerical features like app_score, membership_life_duration etc. and categorical features like gender, career etc. Data is being

divided into continous and categorical variables.\

```
continous_cols = ["age","city_rank","device_size","his_app_size","his_on_shelf_time",
   "app_score","emui_dev","list_time","device_price","up_life_duration",
   "membership_life_duration","consume_purchase","communication_avgonline_30d","pt_d"]\
Categorical_cols = ['uid', 'task_id', 'adv_id', 'creat_type_cd', 'adv_prim_id', 'dev_id', 'inter_type_cd',
   'slot_id', 'spread_app_id', 'tags', 'app_first_class', 'app_second_class', 'city', 'device_name', 'career',
   'gender', 'net_type', 'residence', 'up_membership_grade', 'communication_onlinerate',
   'indu_name'] \
```

From each of the categorical variables we have checked the total number of unique classes. If the number of classes are less than one percent of the dataset we have moved the categories to "others"

```
continous_cols = ["age","city_rank","device_size","his_app_size","his_on_shelf_time",
In [4]:
                           "app_score","emui_dev","list_time","device_price","up_life_duration'
                           "membership life duration", "consume purchase", "communication avgonli
        categorical cols = data.drop(columns = continous cols).columns
        categorical cols = categorical cols[1:len(categorical cols)]
        def give_count(colname):
In [5]:
            counts = pd.DataFrame()
            for i in set(data[colname]):
                 counts= counts.append({"name":i,"count":len(data[data[colname==i]])},ignore_ir
            return counts
        #ANOVA for continous variables
In [6]:
        alpha = 0.01
        f_values,p_values = f_classif(data[continous_cols], data["label"])
        #Chisq test for categorical
In [7]:
        Unique values = []
        for c in categorical cols:
            Unique_values.append({c:len(set(data[c]))})
        #Unique values
```

Chi-square test

We have performed chi-square test on the categorical columns to check the association between the categorical variables and output variable. The test result detects all variables have significant relationship between the variables.

```
p_values = p_values.append(d,ignore_index=True)

p_values["column"] = categorical_cols[1:len(categorical_cols)]
```

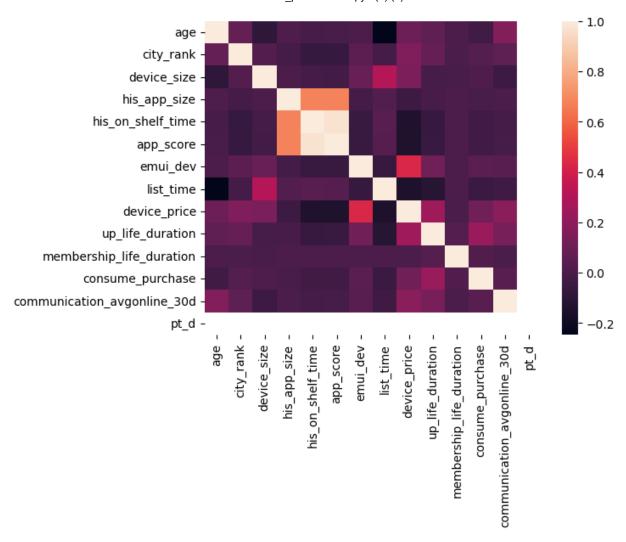
In this section, we introduced dummy variables for all the categorical variables retained from EDA.

```
In [10]: X = encoded_data.drop(columns = ["label"])
y = encoded_data["label"]
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=
```

Heat map

The heat map on the dataset is visualized below

```
In [11]: sns.heatmap(X_train[continous_cols].corr())
Out[11]: <AxesSubplot:>
```



From above heat map we can observe that the columns "his_app_size", "his_on_shelf_time", "app_score" are correlated to each other.

Feature engineering

For the variable Communication_onlinerate which takes value of the form $3^4^5^6^7^8^9^10^1^12^13^14^15^16^17^18^19^20$ and shows the active time of a user on his/her device, we extracted the starting and ending time and constructed two separate variables for starting and ending time.

```
In [12]: def convert_communication_onlinerate1(row):
        return int(row["communication_onlinerate"].split("^")[0])

def convert_communication_onlinerate2(row):
        return int(row["communication_onlinerate"].split("^")[-1])

In [13]: X_train["communication_onlinerate_start"] = X_train.apply( convert_communication_onliner X_train["communication_onlinerate_end"] = X_train.apply( convert_communication_onliner X_test["communication_onlinerate_start"] = X_test.apply( convert_communication_onlinerate_start"] = X_test.apply( convert_communication_onlinerate_end"] = X_test.apply( convert_communication_onlinerate_end")
```

```
X_train1 = X_train.drop(columns = ["communication_onlinerate","pt_d","uid","task_id",'
X_test1 = X_test.drop(columns = ["communication_onlinerate","pt_d","uid","task_id","ac
```

But after this operation, we were getting 4000+ variables and it was very difficult for us to deal with large number of variables in terms of computation cost. To deal with this, we decided to create a separate category (say other) for each of the categorical variables and all the categories occurring less than 1% of the time are grouped in the other category. In this manner, the total number of variables reduced to 462.

Baseline Models

Decision Tree

Since this is a classification problem with a large number of categorical variables, our first choice was to use Decision Tree. Since the dataset is highly imbalanced, the initial accuracy (precision and recall) is not very good. So, we decided to apply Random Forest algorithm.

```
from sklearn.metrics import classification report
In [14]:
         model = DecisionTreeClassifier()
          model.fit(X_train1,y_train)
          print(classification_report(y_test,model.predict(X_test1)))
                        precision
                                    recall f1-score
                                                        support
                     0
                             0.96
                                       0.96
                                                 0.96
                                                          23084
                     1
                             0.07
                                       0.06
                                                 0.07
                                                            916
              accuracy
                                                 0.93
                                                          24000
                             0.51
                                       0.51
                                                 0.51
                                                          24000
            macro avg
         weighted avg
                             0.93
                                       0.93
                                                 0.93
                                                          24000
```

Random Forest

Although it is expected that Random Forest will provide better results than Decision Tree but, in our case, there isn't any significant improvement over Decision Tree.

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0 1	1.00 0.01	0.96 0.32	0.98 0.02	23966 34
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.51 1.00	0.64 0.96	0.96 0.50 0.98	24000 24000 24000

XGBoost

After Decision Tree and Random Forest, we tried XGBoost, but due to highly imbalanced data, even XGBoost could not provide any good result.

```
m3 = xgb.XGBClassifier(use label encoder=False)
In [17]:
         m3.fit(X train1,y train)
          print(classification_report(y_test,m3.predict(X_test1)))
                        precision
                                     recall f1-score
                                                         support
                     0
                             0.96
                                       1.00
                                                  0.98
                                                           23084
                             0.40
                                       0.01
                                                  0.01
                                                             916
              accuracy
                                                  0.96
                                                           24000
             macro avg
                             0.68
                                       0.50
                                                  0.50
                                                           24000
         weighted avg
                             0.94
                                       0.96
                                                  0.94
                                                           24000
```

Logisitc

```
In [18]:
         log = LogisticRegression(penalty='l1',C=0.01, solver = "saga")
          #scores = cross_val_score(log, X_train1, y_train, cv=5, scoring='precision')
          log.fit(X_train1,y_train)
          print(classification_report(y_test,log.predict(X_test1)))
                        precision
                                     recall f1-score
                                                         support
                     0
                             0.96
                                       1.00
                                                  0.98
                                                           23084
                     1
                             0.00
                                       0.00
                                                 0.00
                                                             916
                                                 0.96
                                                           24000
             accuracy
                             0.48
                                       0.50
                                                 0.49
                                                           24000
            macro avg
         weighted avg
                             0.93
                                       0.96
                                                 0.94
                                                           24000
```

SMOTE

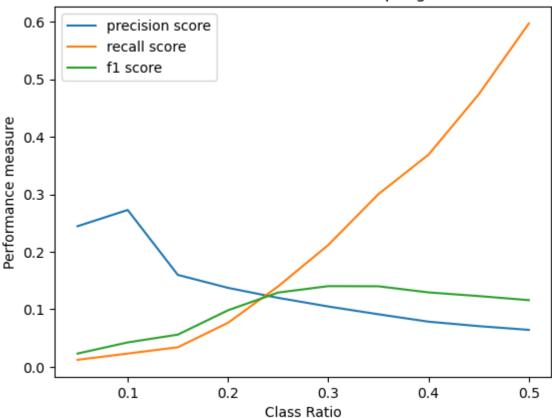
Undersampling

In this technique, we tried to under sample the 0 class labels to balance the data. We resampled the data for different value of r between 0 and 0.5, where r = no of label 1/no of label 0. We

observed that precision and recall vary significantly with the value of r as shown in the plot.

```
#Under sampling
In [28]:
          rus = RandomUnderSampler(random state=42, replacement=True)# fit predictor and target
          x_rus, y_rus = rus.fit_resample(X_train1, y_train)
         ratio = [0.05, 0.1, 0.15, 0.20, 0.25, 0.30, 0.35, 0.4, 0.45, 0.5]
In [29]:
         n1 = 92521
          n2 = 3479
          precision_scores = []
          recall_scores = []
          x1 = X_train1[y_train==1]
          x0 = X_train1[y_train==0]
          y1 = y_train[y_train==1]
In [30]: for r in ratio:
              sample size = int(float(n2)*(1/r-1))
              subset_index= sorted(random.sample(range(0,len(x0)),sample_size))
              x0 = x0.iloc[subset index]
              x_rus = x1.append(x0)
              y0 = y_train[y_train==0].iloc[subset_index]
              y rus = y1.append(y0)
              #len(x rus.columns)
              #models = [ DecisionTreeClassifier(),RandomForestClassifier(),xgb.XGBClassifier(us
              m = RandomForestClassifier()
              m.fit(x rus,y rus)
              precision_scores.append(precision_score(y_test,m.predict(X_test1)))
              recall scores.append(recall score(y test,m.predict(X test1)))
         f1 scores = []
In [22]:
          for i in range(0,10):
              f1 scores.append(2*precision scores[i]*recall scores[i]/(precision scores[i]+recal
         plt.plot(ratio,precision_scores,label="precision score")
In [23]:
          plt.plot(ratio,recall scores, label="recall score")
          plt.plot(ratio,f1 scores, label="f1 score")
          plt.title("Performance measure vs sampling ratio")
          plt.xlabel("Class Ratio")
          plt.ylabel("Performance measure")
          plt.legend(loc="upper left")
         <matplotlib.legend.Legend at 0x262bde20fa0>
Out[23]:
```

Performance measure vs sampling ratio



Decision Tree

```
In [24]:
         #Tree
          model = DecisionTreeClassifier()
          model.fit(x_rus,y_rus)
          print(classification_report(y_test,model.predict(X_test1)))
                        precision
                                      recall f1-score
                                                          support
                     0
                             0.97
                                        0.56
                                                            23084
                                                  0.71
                     1
                             0.05
                                        0.58
                                                  0.09
                                                              916
                                                  0.56
                                                            24000
              accuracy
             macro avg
                             0.51
                                        0.57
                                                  0.40
                                                            24000
         weighted avg
                             0.94
                                        0.56
                                                  0.68
                                                            24000
```

Random Forest

```
In [25]: m2 = RandomForestClassifier()
    m2.fit(x_rus,y_rus)
    print(classification_report(y_test,m2.predict(X_test1)))
```

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0 1	0.98 0.06	0.64 0.59	0.78 0.11	23084 916
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.52 0.94	0.62 0.64	0.64 0.44 0.75	24000 24000 24000

XGBoost

```
In [26]:
         #XGBoost
         x1_rus, y_rus = rus.fit_resample(X_train1, y_train)
         m3 = xgb.XGBClassifier(use label encoder=False)
         m3.fit(x1 rus,y rus)
         print(classification report(y test,m3.predict(X test1)))
                       precision
                                    recall f1-score
                                                       support
                    0
                            0.98
                                      0.63
                                                0.77
                                                         23084
                    1
                            0.06
                                      0.60
                                                0.11
                                                           916
                                                0.63
                                                         24000
             accuracy
            macro avg
                            0.52
                                      0.62
                                                0.44
                                                         24000
                                                         24000
         weighted avg
                            0.94
                                      0.63
                                                0.74
```

Oversampling using SMOTE

SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique) is a technique used to address class imbalance in a dataset. Class imbalance refers to a situation in which one class in a classification dataset has significantly more examples than another class. This can be a problem because many machine learning algorithms are designed to maximize accuracy, and they can sometimes have difficulty learning from imbalanced datasets. SMOTE works by creating new synthetic examples of the minority class in order to balance the dataset. It does this by selecting a minority class example and finding its nearest neighbors. It then creates new examples that are some combination of the selected example and its neighbors. This can help to improve the performance of machine learning algorithms on imbalanced datasets. In the data set after applying this technique we can observe that the classes have been almost balanced. Then we applied the model, here are the following results

```
In [31]: # oversampling
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE, ADASYN
# fit predictor and target variable
x_ros, y_ros = ADASYN().fit_resample(X_train1, y_train)
```

Decision Tree

```
In [32]: model = DecisionTreeClassifier()
model.fit(x_ros,y_ros)
```

```
print(classification_report(y_test,model.predict(X_test1)))
              precision
                            recall f1-score
                                                support
           0
                   0.96
                              0.96
                                         0.96
                                                  23084
           1
                   0.06
                              0.06
                                        0.06
                                                    916
                                        0.93
                                                  24000
    accuracy
                                                  24000
                   0.51
                              0.51
                                        0.51
   macro avg
weighted avg
                   0.93
                              0.93
                                        0.93
                                                  24000
```

Random Forest

```
In [33]:
         m2 = RandomForestClassifier()
          m2.fit(x ros,y ros)
          print(classification_report(y_test,m2.predict(X_test1)))
                        precision
                                      recall f1-score
                                                          support
                     0
                             0.96
                                        1.00
                                                  0.98
                                                            23084
                     1
                                        0.02
                             0.25
                                                  0.04
                                                              916
                                                  0.96
                                                            24000
              accuracy
             macro avg
                             0.61
                                        0.51
                                                  0.51
                                                            24000
         weighted avg
                             0.94
                                        0.96
                                                  0.94
                                                            24000
```

XGBoost

```
x1_ros, y_ros = ADASYN().fit_resample(X_train1, y_train)
In [34]:
          m3 = xgb.XGBClassifier(use_label_encoder=False)
          m3.fit(x1_ros,y_ros)
          print(classification_report(y_test,m3.predict(X_test1)))
                        precision
                                     recall f1-score
                                                         support
                     0
                             0.96
                                       1.00
                                                  0.98
                                                           23084
                     1
                             0.23
                                       0.02
                                                  0.04
                                                             916
                                                  0.96
                                                           24000
              accuracy
             macro avg
                             0.60
                                       0.51
                                                  0.51
                                                           24000
         weighted avg
                             0.93
                                       0.96
                                                  0.94
                                                           24000
```

Logistic Regression

```
In [35]: log = LogisticRegression(penalty='l1',C=0.01, solver = "saga")
log.fit(x_ros,y_ros)
print(classification_report(y_test,log.predict(X_test1)))
```

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	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.96	0.98	0.97	23084
1	0.12	0.06	0.08	916
accuracy			0.95	24000
macro avg	0.54	0.52	0.53	24000
weighted avg	0.93	0.95	0.94	24000

Results

From the above models we can observe that after resampling better results can be seen when the data is undersampled. As the data set is highly imbalanced high precision and recall cannot be attained simultaneously hence it depends on the business needs which is a tradeoff. The best results are summarized in the below table.

Model	precision	Recall	F1-Score	Technique
Decision Tree	0.05	0.58	0.09	Undersampling
Random Forest	0.06	0.59	0.11	Undersampling
XG Boost	0.06	0.60	0.11	Undersampling
Logistic Regression	0.12	0.06	80.0	Oversampling