

Leveraging Risk Scores to Reduce Heart Attacks in the Workplace



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Introduction

- What is a Heart Attack?
- Heart Attacks : an increasing trend
 - Workplace Stress



Problem Statement

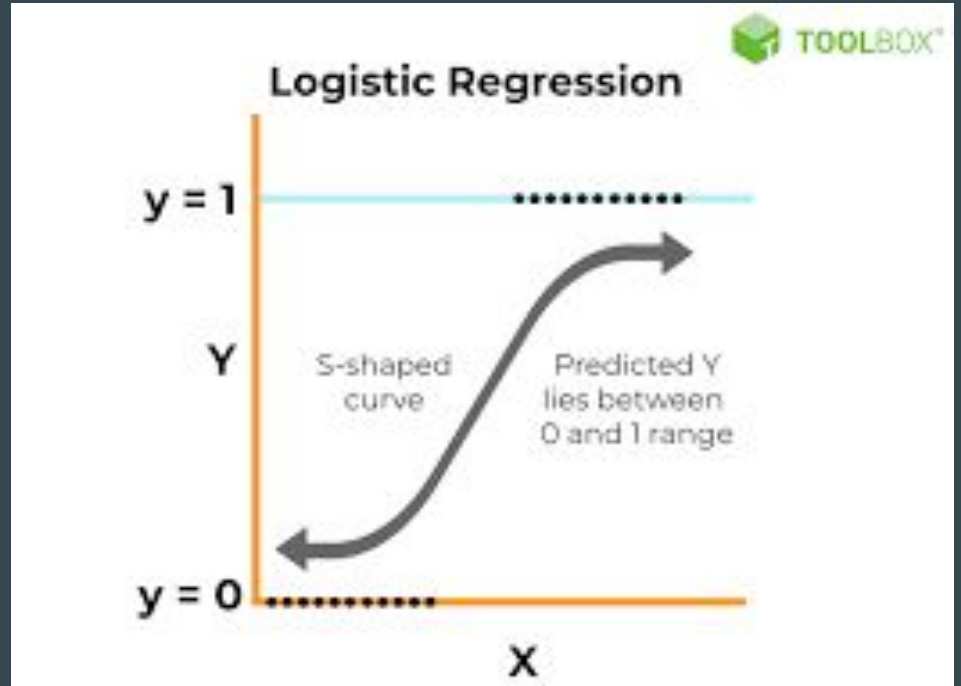
- Companies are losing high value employees due to sudden heart attacks
 - Decreased workplace productivity
 - Increased hiring and training costs

Objective Function

- Recognize key factors contributing to heart attacks
- Develop a model which predicts the risk score % using these factors
- Implement the results for companies to make changes in workplace and employee health

Method

- Logistic Regression



Descriptive Statistics

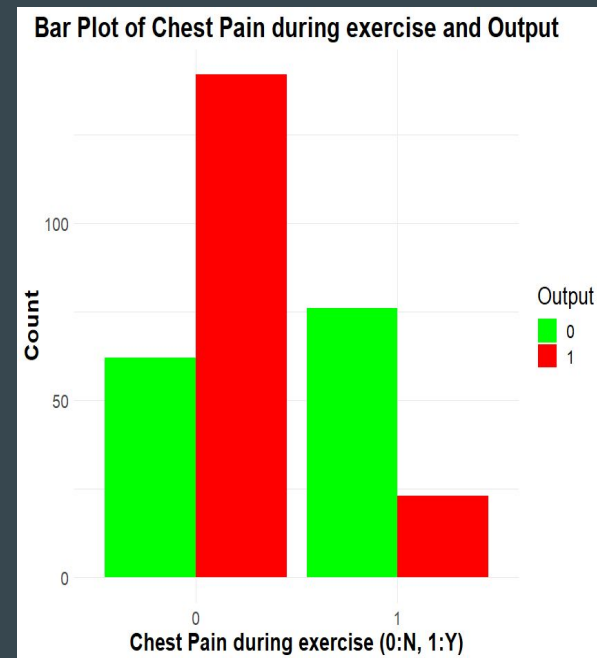
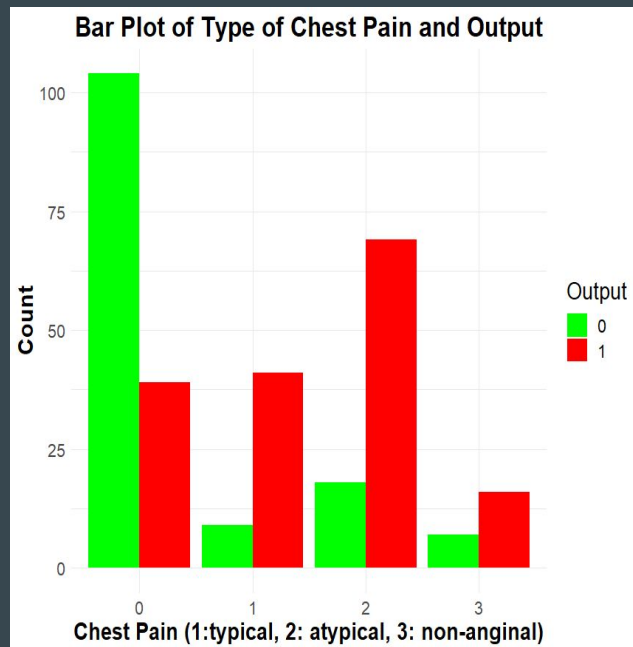
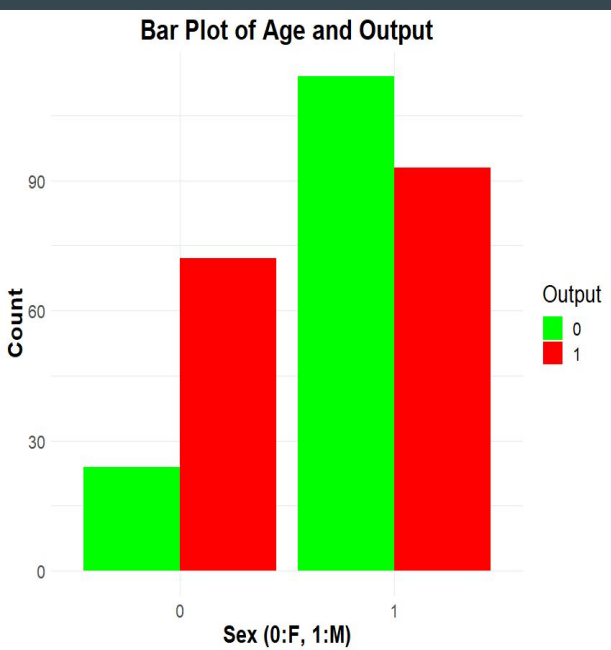
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> summary(data)
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sex	cp	thalachh	exng	oldpeak	caa	output
0: 96	0:143	Min. : 71.0	0:204	Min. :0.00	Min. :0.0000	0:138
1:207	1: 50	1st Qu.:133.5	1: 99	1st Qu.:0.00	1st Qu.:0.0000	1:165
	2: 87	Median :153.0		Median :0.80	Median :0.0000	
	3: 23	Mean :149.6		Mean :1.04	Mean :0.7294	
		3rd Qu.:166.0		3rd Qu.:1.60	3rd Qu.:1.0000	
		Max. :202.0		Max. :6.20	Max. :4.0000	

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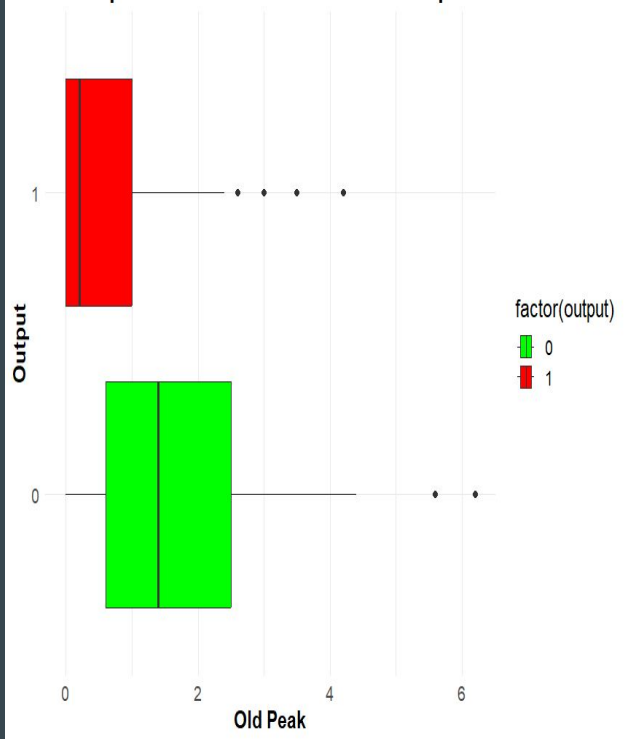
- CP ~ Type of chest pain (1: typical angina, 2: atypical angina, 3: non-anginal pain)
- Thalachh ~ Max Heart Rate Achieved
- Exng ~ Exercise induced angina (Exercise that makes the heart work hard)
- Old Peak ~ Amount of oxygen heart muscles receive (ECG machine) **
- Caa ~ # of major blood vessels in the heart
- Output(Y) ~ 0: Healthy, 1: At Risk for Heart Attack

Data Visualization - Categorical Variables

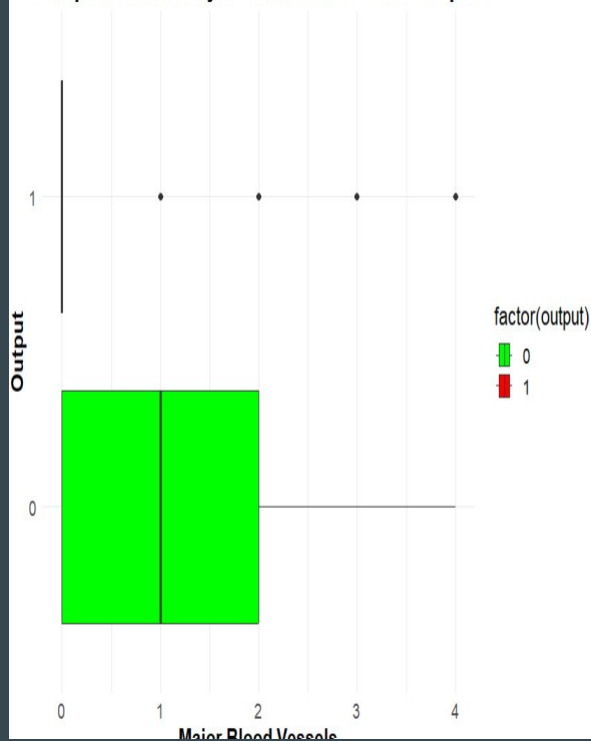


Data Visualization - Continuous Variables

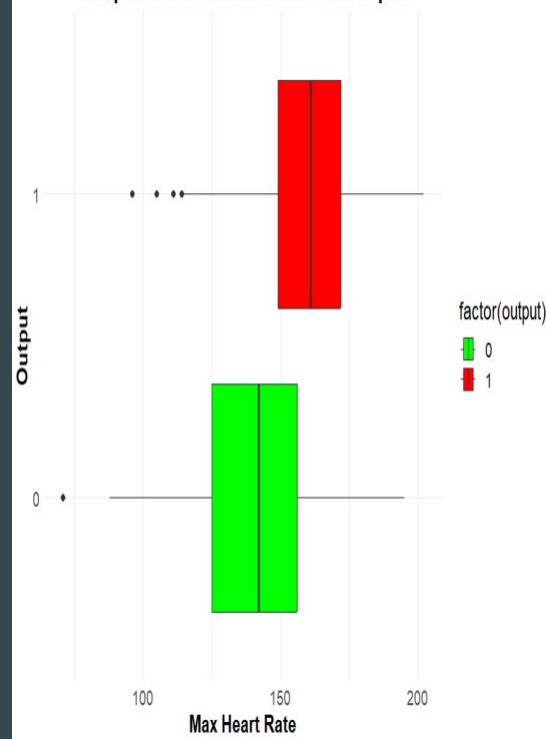
Boxplot of Previous Old Peak and Output



Boxplot of # of Major Blood vessels and Output



Boxplot of Max Heart Rate and Output



Data Analysis

- Binomial Logistic Regression
 - Leveraging the probability an employee might be at a risk for heart attack
 - Alpha = .05

- Probability (Y= 1) =
$$\frac{e^{-1.41 - 1.52x_1 + 1.22x_2 + \dots - .72x_7}}{1 + e^{-1.41 - 1.52x_1 + 1.22x_2 + \dots - .72x_7}}$$

(Intercept)	sex1	cp1	cp2	cp3	thalachh	exng1
-1.4121152	-1.5244929	1.2214219	1.9518797	1.8507347	0.0220054	-1.0204647
oldpeak	caa					
-0.7014139	-0.7225997					

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Results

- McFadden's Pseudo R squared
 - $r^2 = .44$
- Example Risk Score
 - Anyone above a 75% is at a risk for heart attack

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> # Example usage
> sex1 <- 1
> cp1 <- 0
> cp2 <- 0
> cp3 <- 0
> thalachh <- 185
> exng <- 0
> oldpeak <- 1
> caa <- 3
> predicted_probability <- calculate_probability(sex1, cp1, cp2, cp3, thalachh, exng, oldpeak, caa)
> cat(predicted_probability, "%")
15 %
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Conclusion and Recommendations

Heart rate risk predictors:

- Chest pain
- Sex
- Maximum heart rate achieved
- Exercise
- Amount of oxygen heart muscles receive
- Number of major blood vessels

Business Recommendations:

- Management can assess individual heart attack risk using our model
- Implement monthly screenings for high blood pressure and other vital factors
- Provide access to therapeutic counseling or programs

Lessons Learned

1. Age, resting blood pressure, cholesterol, fasting blood sugar, resting heart rate, and slope show no significant impact on heart attack risk.
2. There is a significant reward for exercise, stretching, or moving from time to time.
3. Gender/sex contributes to the significance of an individual's heart attack risk
4. Learned how to accurately conduct a regression analysis problem.

Challenges

- Scheduling Conflicts
- Time Management
- Understanding the Data
- Changing Our Statistical Approach/Method to the Problem

Thank you!

