





The data set contains laboratory values of blood donors and Hepatitis C patients and demographic values like age.

Dataset Characteristics

Multivariate

Associated Tasks

Classification, Clustering

Instances

615

Subject Area

Life Science

Feature Type

Integer, Real

Features

11

Dataset Information

What do the instances in this dataset represent?

Instances are patients

Additional Information

The target attribute for classification is Category (blood donors vs. Hepatitis C, including its progress: 'just' Hepatitis C, Fibrosis, Cirrhosis).

Has Missing Values?

Yes

Introductory Paper

<u>Using machine learning techniques to generate laboratory diagnostic pathways—a case study</u>

By Georg F. Hoffmann, A. Bietenbeck, R. Lichtinghagen, F. Klawonn. 2018 Published in Journal of Laboratory and Precision Medicine

Variable Name	Role	Туре	Demographic	Description	Units	Missing Value
ID	ID	Integer		Patient ID		no
Age	Feature	Integer	Age		years	no
Sex	Feature	Binary	Sex			no
ALB	Feature	Continuous				yes
ALP	Feature	Continuous				yes
AST	Feature	Continuous				yes
BIL	Feature	Continuous				no
CHE	Feature	Continuous				no
CHOL	Feature	Continuous				yes
CREA	Feature	Continuous				no
CGT	Feature	Continuous				no
PROT	Feature	Continuous				yes
Category	Target	Categorical		values: '0=Blood Donor', '0s=suspect Blood Donor', '1=Hepatitis', '2=Fibrosis', '3=Cirrhosis'		no

Additional Variable Information

All attributes except Category and Sex are numerical. The laboratory data are the attributes 5-14.

- 1) X (Patient ID/No.)
- 2) Category (diagnosis) (values: '0=Blood Donor', '0s=suspect Blood Donor', '1=Hepatitis', ...

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