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# Machine Learning

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Train - Test  
70 - 30



- Evaluation metrics - classification

Accuracy  
Precision  
Recall  
F1  
ROC  
AUC



Evaluation metrics  
↓  
metrics  
Train data = ?  
or  
Test data ⇒

Regression Evaluation

MS E  
RMSE  
MAP  
MAE  
R<sup>2</sup>  
Adj R<sup>2</sup>

# Confusion matrix

*binary classification*

Confusion matrix: 2 by 2 table

What happened vs What should have happened

<i>actual</i> Ground truth	<i>Pred</i> ML system says	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	a (TP)	b (FN)
	c (FP)	d (TN)

*TP => True positive.  
FN = False negative.*

Mistakes: FN and FP

*Question: Which mistakes are worse than other mistakes?*

*low => test.*

# Evaluation metric for classification problems

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- **Accuracy** is the fraction of predictions our model got right. Formally, accuracy has the following definition:

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{\text{Number of correct predictions}}{\text{Total number of predictions}}$$

- **Error rate** =  $\frac{\text{Number of wrong predictions}}{\text{Total number of predictions}}$  can also be calculated in terms of positives and negatives as follows:

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{a + d}{a + b + c + d} = \frac{TP + TN}{TP + TN + FP + FN}$$

	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
ACTUAL CLASS	a (TP)	b (FN)
	c (FP)	d (TN)

few  
100%  
90%  
=> 90%  
=

# Problem with Accuracy

*class imbalance*

	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
ACTUAL CLASS	a (TP)	b (FN)
	c (FP)	d (TN)

- Consider a 2-class problem
  - Number of Class NO examples = 990
  - Number of Class YES examples = ~~10~~
- If a model predicts ~~everything~~ to be class NO, accuracy is  $990/1000 = 99\%$ 
  - This is misleading because this trivial model does not detect any class YES example
  - Detecting the rare class is usually more interesting (e.g., frauds, intrusions, defects, etc)

	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
ACTUAL CLASS	0 TP	10 FN
	0 FP	990 TN →

# Which model is better?

ACTUAL CLASS	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes a (TP) Class=No c (FP)	Class=No b (FN) d (TN)

Mileage (in kmpl)	Car Price (in cr)
9.8	High
9.12	Low
9.5	High
10	Low
....	...

Unseen Data	
Mileage (in kmpl)	Car Price (in cr)
7.5	High
10	Low
....	.....

ACTUAL	PREDICTED	
	Class=Y	Class=N
	Class=Y 0 Class=N 0	Class=N 10 FN 990 TN

ACTUAL	PREDICTED	
	Class=Y	Class=N
	Class=Y 10 TP Class=N 500 FP	Class=N 0 490 TN

**Model 1**

$$\text{CarPrice} = \frac{1}{1+e^{-8.5 + 0.5 \text{ Mileage} - 1.5 \text{ Mileage}^2}}$$

Accuracy: 99%

**Model 2**

$$\text{CarPrice} = \frac{1}{1+e^{5.5 - 1.5 \text{ Mileage}}}$$

Accuracy: 50%

# Alternative Measures

		PREDICTED CLASS	
		Class=Yes	Class=No
ACTUAL CLASS	Class=Yes	a (TP)	b (FN)
	Class=No	c (FP)	d (TN)

Two widely used metrics used where successful detection of one of the classes is considered more significant than detection of the other classes

$$\text{Precision (p)} = \frac{a}{a+c} = \frac{TP}{TP+FP}$$

# positives correct / # labelled positive



- What proportion of positive identifications was actually correct?
- It is the accuracy of the positive predictions
- A model that produces no false positives has a precision of 1.0.
- A system with high precision might leave some good items out but, what it returns of high quality e.g. book recommender system, safe video recommender system for kids

$$\text{Recall (r)} = \frac{a}{a+b} = \frac{TP}{TP+FN}$$



- Also called sensitivity or true positive rate
- What proportion of actual positives was identified correctly?
- This is the ratio of positive instances that are correctly detected by the classifier
- A model that produces no false negatives has a recall of 1.0
- A system with high recall might give you lot of bad items but, it also returns most of the good items e.g. robbing the shop, candidate hiring, detect shoplifters on surveillance images

# positives correct / # actually positive



# Sensitivity and Specificity

- Sensitivity: the ability of a test to correctly identify patients with a disease. ←
- Specificity: the ability of a test to correctly identify people without the disease. ↗

$$\text{Recall} = \text{Sensitivity} = \text{TP Rate} = \frac{TP}{TP + FN}$$

$$\text{Specificity} = \text{TN Rate} = \frac{TN}{TN + FP}$$

	ML system says	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
Ground truth	a (TP)	b (FN)
	c (FP)	d (TN)

# Precision and Recall



- Precision/recall tradeoff : increasing precision reduces recall, and vice versa.
- $F_1$  score :
  - Suitable for class imbalance cases
  - high  $F_1$  score if both recall and precision are High
  - F-score of 1.0, indicating perfect precision and recall

	ML system says	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
Ground truth	a (TP)	b (FN)
	c (FP)	d (TN)

$$F_1 = \frac{2}{\frac{1}{\text{precision}} + \frac{1}{\text{recall}}} = 2 \times \frac{\text{precision} \times \text{recall}}{\text{precision} + \text{recall}} = \frac{TP}{TP + \frac{FN + FP}{2}}$$

# Which Classifier is better? – Cancer prediction

## Low FN rate

Ground truth	ML system says	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	a (TP)	b (FN)
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	c (FP)	d (TN)

- FN to be minimized – use **RECALL**

- Want to make sure all people with cancer will be caught

- FP to be minimized – use **Precision**

- Want to say confidently that a person has cancer

ACTUAL CLASS	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	10 TP	0
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	10 FP	980 TN

$$\text{Precision (p)} = \frac{10}{10+10} = 0.5$$

$$\text{Recall (r)} = \frac{10}{10+0} = 1$$

$$\text{F-measure (F)} = \frac{2 * 1 * 0.5}{1 + 0.5} = 0.62$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{990}{1000} = 0.99$$

ACTUAL CLASS	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	1 TP	9
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	0	990

$$\text{Precision (p)} = \frac{1}{1+0} = 1$$

$$\text{Recall (r)} = \frac{1}{1+9} = 0.1$$

$$\text{F-measure (F)} = \frac{2 * 0.1 * 1}{1 + 0.1} = 0.18$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{991}{1000} = 0.991$$

# Which Classifier is better? – SPAM email prediction

## Low FP rate

		ML system says	
Ground truth	Class=Yes	a (TP)	b (FN)
	Class=No	c (FP)	d (TN)

- FN to be minimized – use **RECALL**
  - Want to make sure all SPAM emails are filtered
- FP to be minimized – use **PRECISION**
  - Want to confidently say email is SPAM

ACTUAL CLASS	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	10	0
Class=No	10	980

$$\text{Precision (p)} = \frac{10}{10+10} = 0.5$$

$$\text{Recall (r)} = \frac{10}{10+0} = 1$$

$$\text{F-measure (F)} = \frac{2 * 1 * 0.5}{1 + 0.5} = 0.62$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{990}{1000} = 0.99$$

ACTUAL CLASS	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	1	9
Class=No	0	990

$$\text{Precision (p)} = \frac{1}{1+0} = 1$$

$$\text{Recall (r)} = \frac{1}{1+9} = 0.1$$

$$\text{F-measure (F)} = \frac{2 * 0.1 * 1}{1 + 0.1} = 0.18$$

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{991}{1000} = 0.991$$

# Which Classifier is better? Low Skew

*Low class imbalance*

	PREDICTED CLASS	
	Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	Class=No
ACTUAL CLASS	a (TP)	b (FN)
	c (FP)	d (TN)

F1 score favors classifiers that have similar precision and recall i.e. low false positives and low false negatives

T1	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	50 <i>TP</i>	50
	Class=No	1	99 <i>TN</i>

$$\text{Precision } (p) = 0.98$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall } (r) = 0.5$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.01$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.66$$

T2	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	99	1
	Class=No	10	90

$$\text{Precision } (p) = 0.9$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall } (r) = 0.99$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.1$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.94$$

T3	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	99	1
	Class=No	1	99

$$\text{Precision } (p) = 0.99$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall } (r) = 0.99$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.01$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.99$$

		PREDICTED CLASS	
		Class=Yes	Class=No
ACTUAL CLASS	Class=Yes	a (TP)	b (FN)
	Class=No	c (FP)	d (TN)

# Which Classifier is better? Medium Skew case

T1	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	50 TP	50
	Class=No	10 F	990

$$\text{Precision } (p) = 0.83$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall } (r) = 0.5$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.01$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.62$$

T2	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	99	1
	Class=No	100 FP	900

$$\text{Precision } (p) = 0.5$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall } (r) = 0.99$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.1$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.66$$

T3	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	99 TP	1
	Class=No	10 FP	990

$$\text{Precision } (p) = 0.9$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall } (r) = 0.99$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.01$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.94$$

# Which Classifier is better? High Skew case



T1	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	50	50
	Class=No	100	9900

$$\text{Precision (p)} = 0.3$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall (r)} = 0.5$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.01$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.375$$

100  
1000

T2	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	99	1
	Class=No	1000	9000

$$\text{Precision (p)} = 0.09$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall (r)} = 0.99$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.1$$

$$\text{F1} = 0.165$$

100  
1000

T3	PREDICTED CLASS		
ACTUAL CLASS		Class=Yes	Class=No
	Class=Yes	99	1
	Class=No	100	9900

$$\text{Precision (p)} = 0.5$$

$$\text{TPR} = \text{Recall (r)} = 0.99$$

$$\text{FPR} = 0.01$$

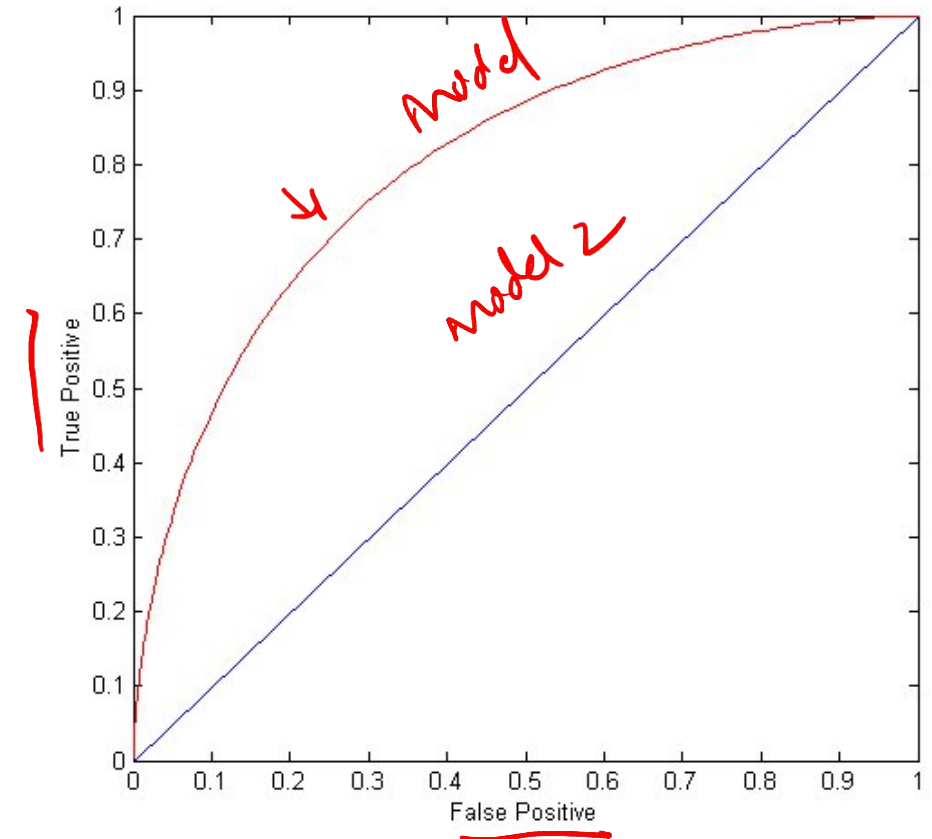
$$\text{F1} = 0.66$$

100  
1000

# ROC (Receiver Operating Characteristic)



- A graphical approach for displaying trade-off between detection rate and false alarm rate
- Developed in 1950s for signal detection theory to analyze noisy signals
- ROC curve plots TPR against FPR
- TPR: fraction of positive examples predicted ~~correctly~~ by the model
- *FPR*: fraction of negative examples predicted as a positive class





# ROC Curve

sensitivity, recall, hit rate, or true positive rate (TPR)

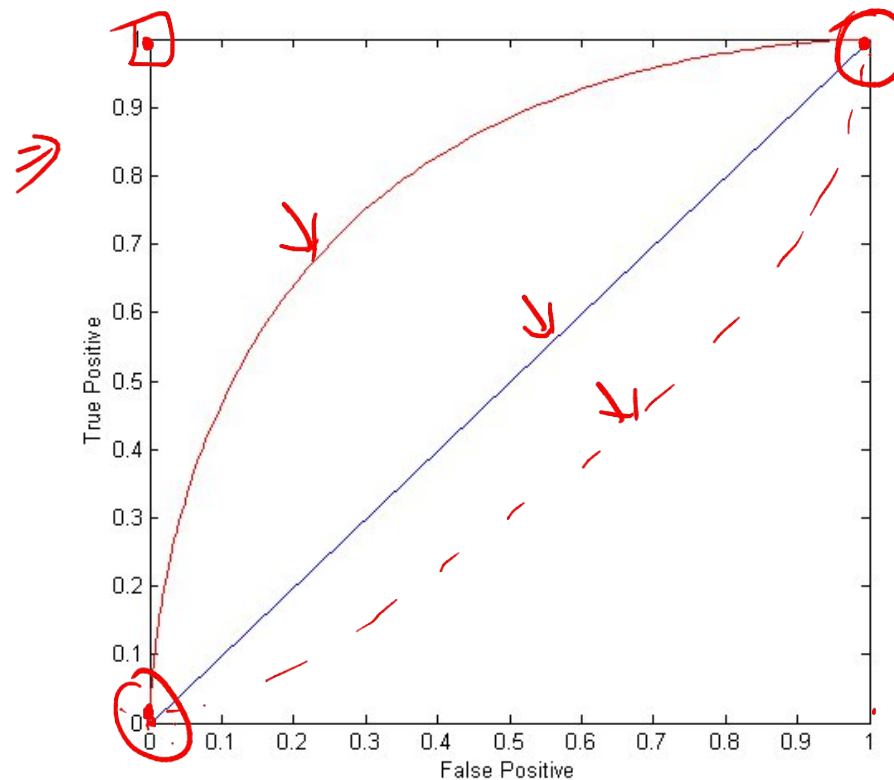
$$\text{TPR} = \frac{\text{TP}}{\text{P}} = \frac{\text{TP}}{\text{TP} + \text{FN}} = 1 - \text{FNR}$$

fall-out or false positive rate (FPR)

$$\text{FPR} = \frac{\text{FP}}{\text{N}} = \frac{\text{FP}}{\text{FP} + \text{TN}} = 1 - \text{TNR}$$

- Critical points along an ROC curve (TPR, FPR)
- (0,0): Model predicts every instance to be a negative class
- (1,1): Model predicts every instance to be a positive class
- (1,0): ideal
- Diagonal line:
  - Random guessing
  - Below diagonal line:
    - prediction is opposite of the true class
- Higher the recall (TPR), the more false positives

(TPR, 0,1)



# Comparing classifiers using AUC

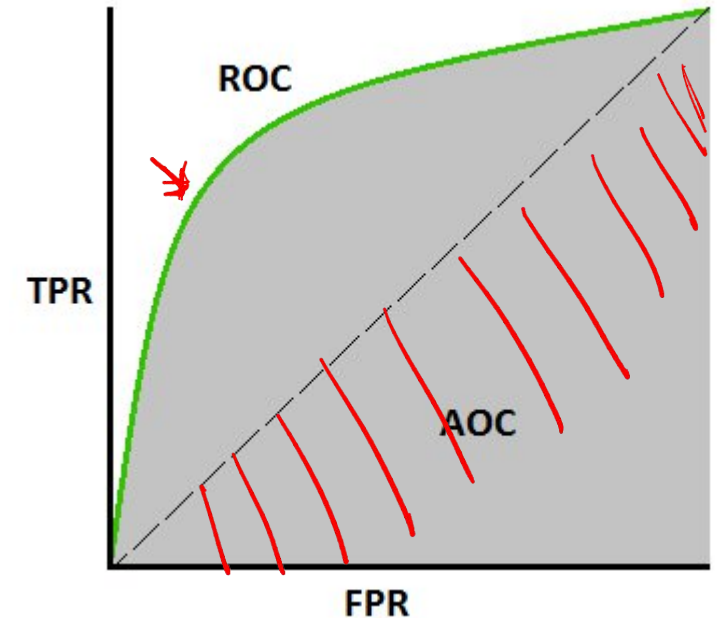


## Area Under Curve (AUC)

- Integrate Area under the curve
- Perfect score is 1
- Higher scores allow for generally better tradeoffs
- AUC of 0.5 indicates model is essentially randomly guessing
- AUC of  $< 0.5$  indicates you're doing something wrong...
- Scikit-Learn provides a function to compute the ROC-AUC:

**from sklearn.metrics import roc\_auc\_score**

- For model comparison, AUC of ROC should be larger for the model to be superior or better performing



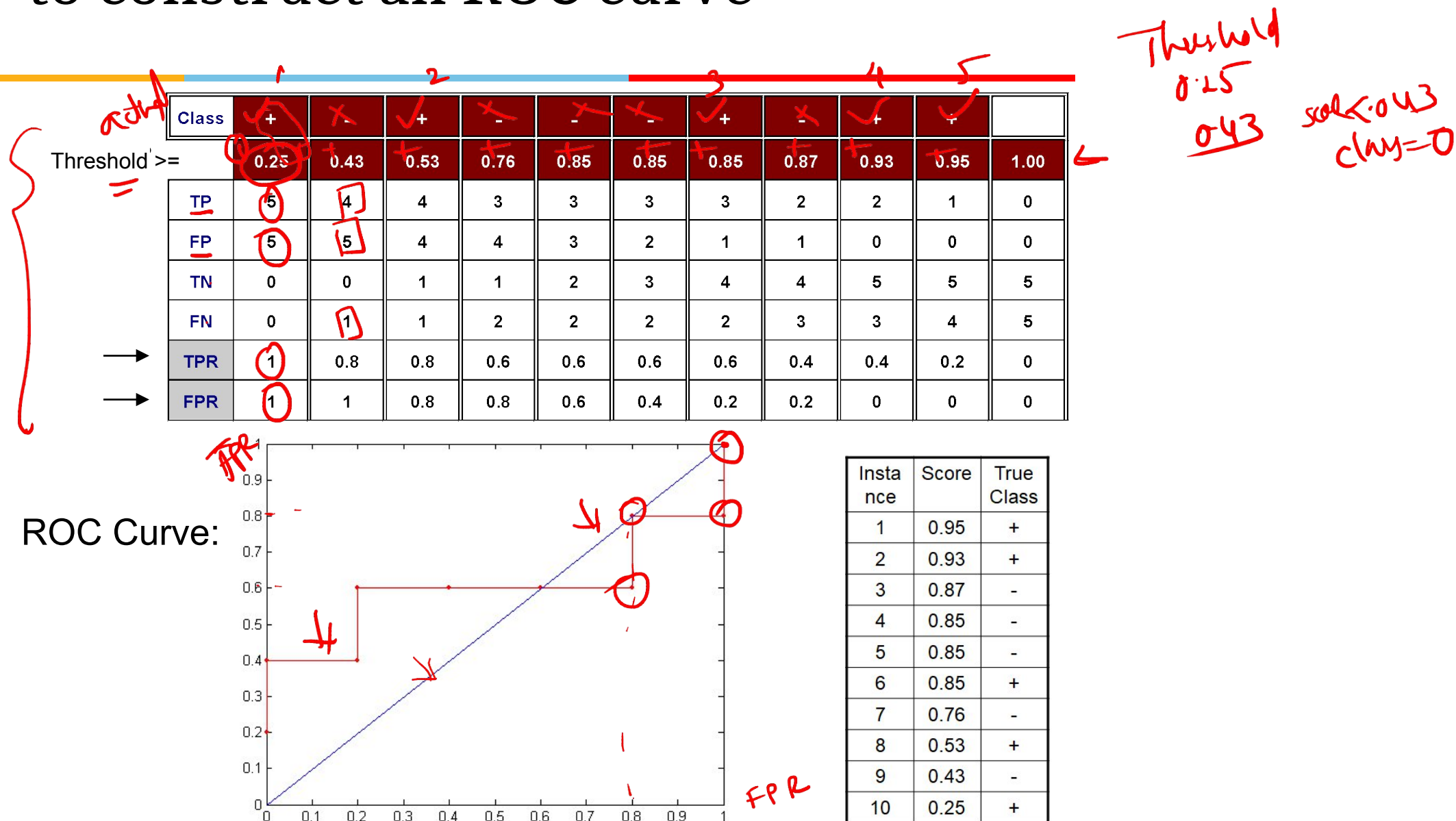
# How to Construct an ROC curve



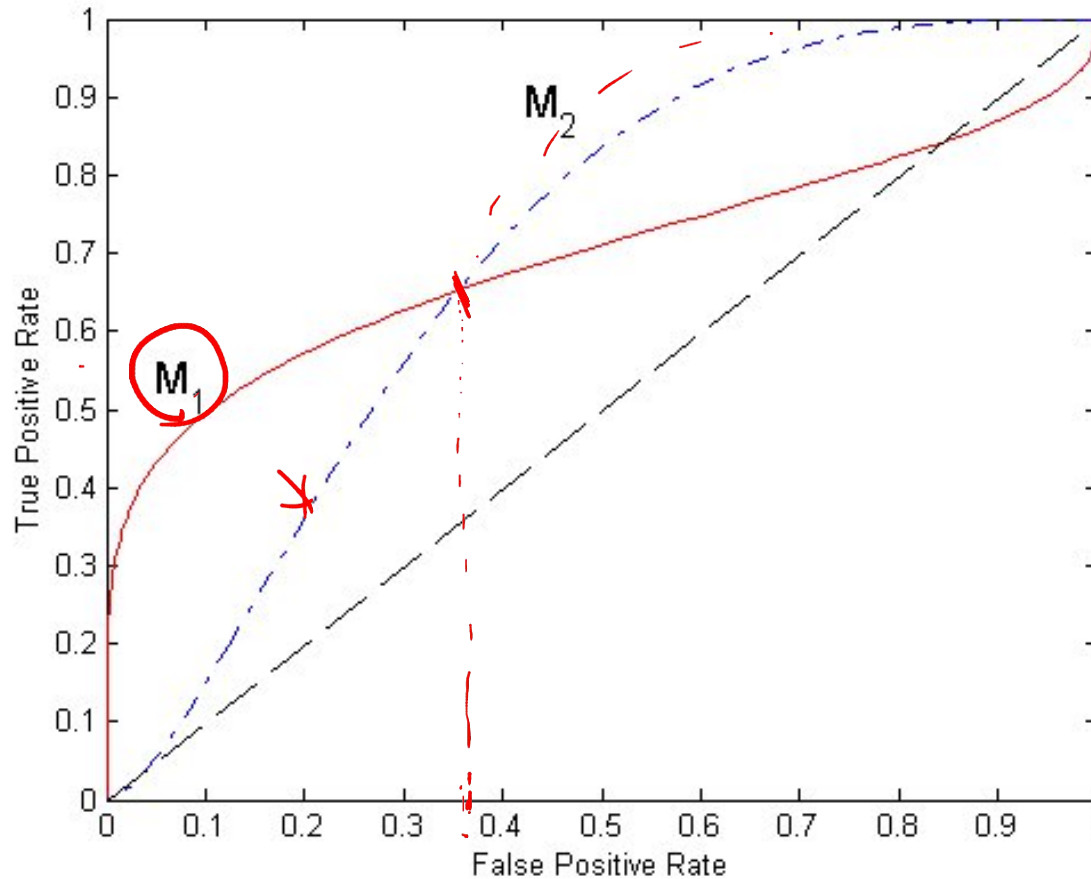
Instance	Score	True Class
→ 1	0.95 +	+
2	0.93 +	+
3	0.87 +	-
4	⇒ 0.85 -	-
5	0.85 -	-
6	0.85	+
7	0.76	-
8	0.53	+
9	0.43	-
10	0.25	+

- Use a classifier that produces a continuous-valued score for each instance
  - The more likely it is for the instance to be in the + class, the higher the score
- Sort the instances in decreasing order according to the score
- Apply a threshold at each unique value of the score
- Count the number of TP, FP, TN, FN at each threshold
  - $TPR = TP / (TP + FN)$
  - $FPR = FP / (FP + TN)$

# How to construct an ROC curve



# Using ROC for Model Comparison



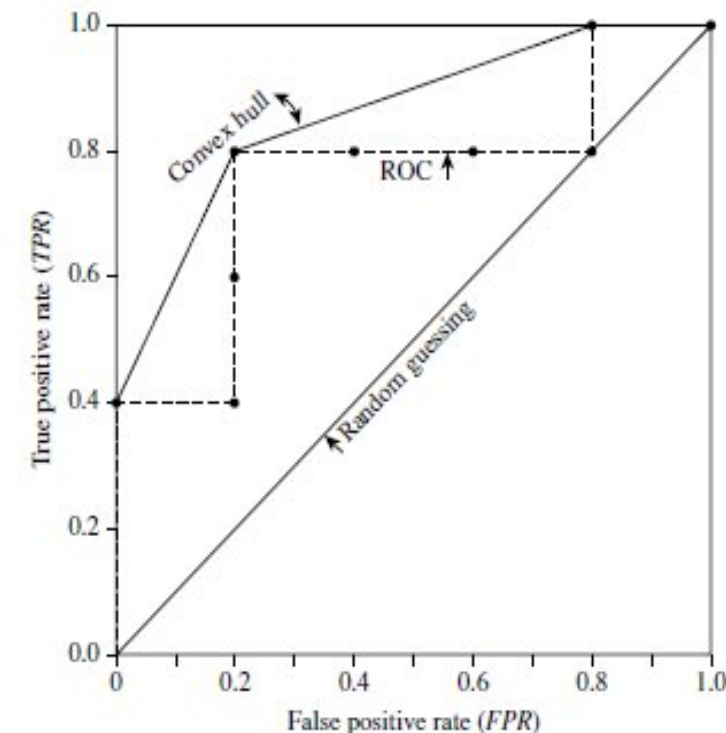
- No model consistently outperforms the other
  - $M_1$  is better than  $M_2$  when  $FPR$  is less than 0.36
  - $M_2$  is superior when  $FPR$  is greater than 0.36

# Example



The table below shows the probability value (column 3) returned by a probabilistic classifier for each of the 10 tuples in a test set, sorted by decreasing probability order. The corresponding ROC is given on right hand side.

Tuple #	Class	Prob.	TP	FP	TN	FN	TPR	FPR
→ 1	P	0.90	1	0	5	4	0.2	0
2	P	0.80	2	0	5	3	0.4	0
3	N	0.70	2	1	4	3	0.4	0.2
4	P	0.60	3	1	4	2	0.6	0.2
5	P	0.55	4	1	4	1	0.8	0.2
6	N	0.54	4	2	3	1	0.8	0.4
7	N	0.53	4	3	2	1	0.8	0.6
8	N	0.51	4	4	1	1	0.8	0.8
9	P	0.50	5	4	0	1	1.0	0.8
10	N	0.40	5	5	0	0	1.0	1.0



# Solution to Class Imbalance



Down sampling →  
= up sampling →

- Generate Synthetic Samples
- New samples based on the distances between the point and its nearest neighbors  
E.g. Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique, or **SMOTE** class in sklearn
- Change the performance metric : Use Recall, Precision or ROC curves instead of accuracy
- Try different algorithms : Some algorithms as Support Vector Machines and Tree-Based algorithms may work better with imbalanced classes.

# Logistic Regression –Additional Practice Exercises



CGPA	IQ	IQ	Job Offered
5.5	6.7	100	1
5	7	105	0
8	6	90	1
9	7	105	1
6	8	120	0
7.5	7.3	110	0

## Hyper parameters:

Learning Rate = 0.8

Initial Weights = (-0.1, 0.2, -0.5)

Regularization Constant = 10

For this similar problem discussed in class note that the hyper parameters are different

1. Formulate the gradient descent update equations for this problem
2. Repeat the GD for two iterations
3. Find the Loss at every iterations and interpret your observation
4. Using the results of second iteration answer below questions:
  - a) Interpret the influence of the CGPA in the response variable
  - b) Predict if a new candidates with IQ=5 and CGPA = 9 will be offered job or not?
5. Repeat the steps 2 to 4 by using stochastic gradient descent instead of batch gradient descent for 4 iterations. (Take any random sample from among 6 instances for these 4 iterations)



# Evaluation of Classifiers–Additional Practice Exercises

Given below is a confusion matrix for medical data where the class values are yes and no for a class label attribute, cancer. Answer the following questions.

*act*

*pred*

Classes	yes	no	Total	Recognition (%)
yes	90	210	300	30.00
no	140	9560	9700	98.56
Total	230	9770	10,000	96.40

Confusion matrix for the classes *cancer = yes* and *cancer = no*.

1. Calculate the Precision, Recall, F-Score, Error-rate, F-Score
2. Brainstorm on the use case / scenarios w.r.t given example, where precision is preferred over recall.
3. Brainstorm on the use case / scenarios w.r.t given example, where recall is preferred over precision.

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