







# Week 4

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#### Build a risk model using linear and tree-based models







This week, you will fit a linear model, and a tree-based risk model on survival data, to customize a risk score for each patient, based on their health profile. The risk score represents the patient's relative risk of getting a particular disease. You will then evaluate each model's performance by implementing and using a concordance index that incorporates time to event and censored data.

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#### **Learning Objectives**

- Fit and interpret a Cox Model, a linear estimate of the risk of disease.
- Fit a random survival forest model (a non-linear risk model).
- Calculate the relative risk between any two pairs of patients.
- Calculate the Harell's concordance index to evaluate both models.
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### Survival and hazard functions

▶ Video: Hazard Functions 51 sec

▶ Video: Hazard 3 min

▶ Video: Survival to hazard 2 min

▶ Video: Cumulative Hazard 3 min

Lab: Categorical variables 1h

## Customizing risk models to individual patients

**▶ Video:** Individualized Predictions 3 min

▶ Video: Relative risk 3 min

▶ Video: Ranking patients by risk 1 min

▶ Video: Individual vs. baseline hazard 2 min

▶ Video: Smoker vs. non-smoker 2 min

▶ Video: Effect of age on hazard 3 min

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▶ Video: Risk Factor Increase or Decrease 4 min

Lab: Hazard function 1h

Non-linear risk models with survival trees

<b>▶ Video:</b> Intro to Survival Trees 4 min
<b>▶ Video:</b> Survival tree 5 min
▶ Video: Nelson Aalen estimator 5 min
▶ Video: Comparing risks of patients 1 min
▶ Video: Mortality score 2 min
Evaluate survival models
Video: Evaluation of Survival Model 3 min
<b>▶ Video:</b> Permissible and Non-Permissible Pairs 2 min
<b>▶ Video:</b> Possible Permissible Pairs 1 mln
<b>▶ Video:</b> Example of Harrell's C-Index 3 min
<b>▶ Video:</b> Example of Concordant Pairs 2 min
▶ Video: Week 4 Summary 47 sec
Lab: Permissible pairs 1h
Quiz week 4  Practice Quiz: Week 4 Quiz 9 questions
Assessment: Cox Proportional Hazards and Random Survival Forests
Programming Assignment: Cox Proportional Hazards and Random Survival Forests 3h Due Nov 30, 1:59 AM CST
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