# Heart Disease Prediction

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#### 1.0 Abstract

#### Introduction

Modern days, people are busy with lives and satisfaction on materialistic needs, but neglect of body and mental health. This cause more and more heart suffer with various causes. Heart is the most crucial organ inside human body. Cardiovascular disease(heart disease) are #1 cause of death globally, which can take 17.9 million lives per year in estimation. This occupies 31% of all deaths worldwide.

People with heart disease need early detection due to its high risk of death. In this case, machine learning model can be a great helper. Thus, I choose the heart failure prediction dataset to predict if someone is at high risk of being diagonised with heart disease. This dataset contains 11 features that can be used to predict possible heart disease. I first got to know the dataset and visualized it and then use cross-validation for the machine to better learn the data and to tune machine learning models: Random Forest, XGBoost, KNN, Decision Tree to compare which model perform the best on the train set in order prediction on the test set.

### Description of the Dataset

The Heart Failure Prediction Dataset was created by combining five different datasets with observations from different places among the world, with total 918 observations and 11 variables that can be possible predictors and our target variable 'heart\_disease'.

- -Age: age of the patient [years]
- -Sex: sex of the patient [M: Male, F: Female]
- -ChestPainType: chest pain type [TA: Typical Angina, ATA: Atypical Angina, NAP: Non-Anginal Pain, ASY: Asymptomatic]
- -RestingBP: resting blood pressure [mm Hg]
- -Cholesterol: serum cholesterol [mm/dl]
- -FastingBS: fasting blood sugar [1: if FastingBS > 120 mg/dl, 0: otherwise]
- -Resting ECG: resting electrocardiogram results [Normal: Normal, ST: having ST-T wave abnormality (T wave inversions and/or ST elevation or depression of > 0.05 mV), LVH: showing probable or definite left ventricular hypertrophy by Estes' criteria
- -MaxHR: maximum heart rate achieved [Numeric value between 60 and 202]
- -ExerciseAngina: exercise-induced angina [Y: Yes, N: No]
- -Oldpeak: oldpeak = ST [Numeric value measured in depression]
- -ST Slope: the slope of the peak exercise ST segment [Up: upsloping, Flat: flat, Down: downsloping]
- -HeartDisease: output class [1: heart disease, 0: Normal]

```
#input file and use clean_names() function to put variables into a clear format
heart = read_csv("/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/heart.csv") %>%
    clean_names()
```

```
## Rows: 918 Columns: 12
## -- Column specification ------
## Delimiter: ","
## chr (5): Sex, ChestPainType, RestingECG, ExerciseAngina, ST_Slope
## dbl (7): Age, RestingBP, Cholesterol, FastingBS, MaxHR, Oldpeak, HeartDisease
##
## i Use 'spec()' to retrieve the full column specification for this data.
## i Specify the column types or set 'show col types = FALSE' to quiet this message.
```

```
#display the first couple lines of the dataset
heart$heart_disease=as.character(heart$heart_disease)
heart$fasting bs=as.character(heart$fasting bs)
heart= heart %>%
  filter(heart$cholesterol != 0)
heart=heart %>%
  mutate(fasting_bs=factor(fasting_bs),
         heart_disease=factor(heart_disease),
         chest_pain_type=factor(chest_pain_type),
         resting_ecg=factor(resting_ecg),
         exercise_angina=factor(exercise_angina))
heart %>%
 head()
## # A tibble: 6 x 12
       age sex
                 chest_pai~1 resti~2 chole~3 fasti~4 resti~5 max_hr exerc~6 oldpeak
##
     <dbl> <chr> <fct>
                                <dbl>
                                        <dbl> <fct>
                                                      <fct>
                                                                <dbl> <fct>
                                                                                 <dbl>
## 1
        40 M
                 ATA
                                  140
                                          289 0
                                                       Normal
                                                                  172 N
                                                                                   0
## 2
        49 F
                                  160
                                          180 0
                                                      Normal
                                                                  156 N
                 NAP
                                                                                   1
## 3
        37 M
                 ATA
                                  130
                                          283 0
                                                      ST
                                                                   98 N
                                                                                   0
## 4
        48 F
                 ASY
                                  138
                                          214 0
                                                      Normal
                                                                  108 Y
                                                                                   1.5
## 5
        54 M
                 NAP
                                  150
                                          195 0
                                                      Normal
                                                                  122 N
                                                                                   0
## 6
        39 M
                 NAP
                                          339 0
                                                                                   0
                                  120
                                                      Normal
                                                                  170 N
## # ... with 2 more variables: st_slope <chr>, heart_disease <fct>, and
       abbreviated variable names 1: chest_pain_type, 2: resting_bp,
       3: cholesterol, 4: fasting bs, 5: resting ecg, 6: exercise angina
heart %>%
  summary()
```

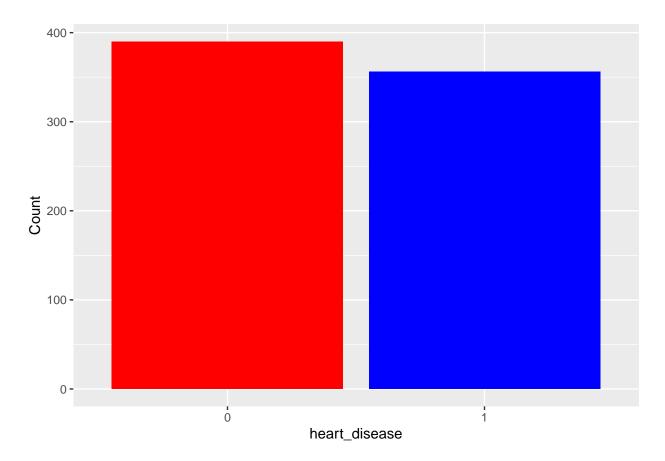
```
resting_bp
##
         age
                       sex
                                      chest_pain_type
          :28.00
##
   Min.
                   Length:746
                                      ASY:370
                                                      Min. : 92
                   Class : character
                                                      1st Qu.:120
   1st Qu.:46.00
                                      ATA:166
## Median:54.00
                   Mode :character
                                      NAP:169
                                                      Median:130
##
   Mean :52.88
                                      TA: 41
                                                      Mean
                                                             :133
##
   3rd Qu.:59.00
                                                      3rd Qu.:140
## Max.
          :77.00
                                                      Max.
                                                             :200
    cholesterol
##
                   fasting_bs resting_ecg
                                               max_hr
                                                           exercise_angina
## Min.
          : 85.0
                   0:621
                              LVH
                                     :176
                                           Min.
                                                  : 69.0
                                                           N:459
## 1st Qu.:207.2
                   1:125
                              Normal:445
                                           1st Qu.:122.0
                                                           Y:287
## Median :237.0
                                           Median :140.0
                              ST
                                    :125
         :244.6
## Mean
                                           Mean
                                                  :140.2
##
   3rd Qu.:275.0
                                           3rd Qu.:160.0
##
          :603.0
                                                  :202.0
   Max.
                                           Max.
##
      oldpeak
                                        heart_disease
                       st_slope
##
  Min.
          :-0.1000
                     Length:746
                                        0:390
  1st Qu.: 0.0000
                     Class :character
                                        1:356
##
## Median: 0.5000
                     Mode :character
## Mean : 0.9016
## 3rd Qu.: 1.5000
## Max. : 6.2000
```

I first make 'heart\_disease and 'fasting\_bs' to characters, then it's easy to mutate all characteristic variables to factors for further prediction. I filtered out the observations with cholesterol equal to 0. Obtain a cholesterol equal to 0 is very rare, so we can regard these as no observation. Thus, filter them out for further analysis might be a good idea.

### 2.0 EDA

The data is already a cleaned one! Let's get a deeper understanding of the dataset, I first visualized the distribution of the '1' and '0' from 'heart\_disease'. Then, I made a correlation heatmap for all numeric variables to see if there is any interesting correlations. Next, I visualize the numeric variables with density plots fill by heart\_disease, which can easily see the relationship between each numeric variable and heart disease. And, for categorical variables, I used barplot fill by 'heart\_disease' and boxplot to explore some interesting relationships.

## heart\_disease count

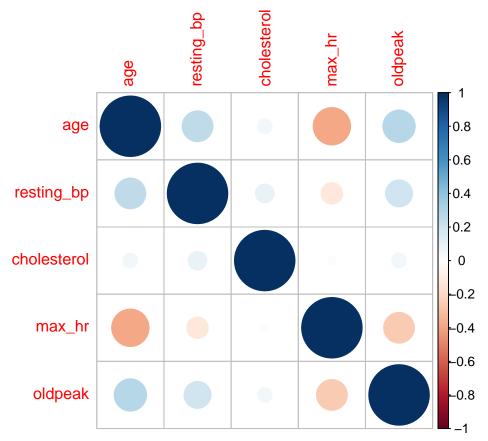


```
## [1] "52.28%"
```

From this plot, we can see there are 52.28% of the dataset is observed with heart disease.

#### correlations

```
heart %>%
  select(is.numeric) %>%
  cor() %>%
  corrplot()
```

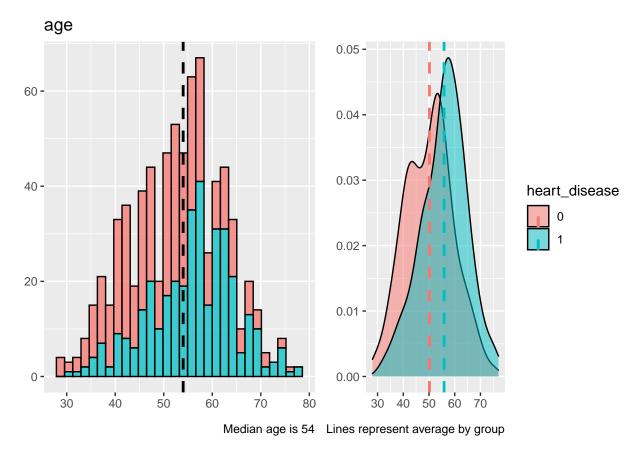


From this correlation heatmap, we can see max\_hr is negatively correlated with age, this makes sense because maximum heart rate achieved often happens on younger people. Additionally, 'resting\_bp','fasting\_bs','oldpeak', are positively correlated with age, since older people usually have high blood pressure, sugar.

#### Numerical variables

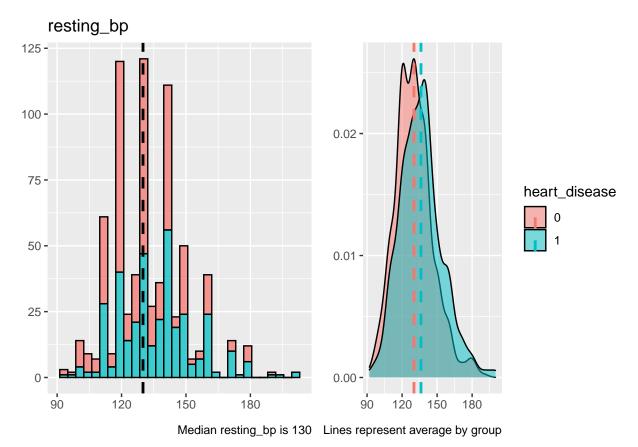
```
plot_histogram <- function(df, var1, var2) {</pre>
    # From object to string: deparse(substitute(varname))
    var1name <- as.name(var1)</pre>
    df %>%
        ggplot(aes(x = {
            {
                var1name
        }, fill = {
            {
                var2
            }
        })) + geom_histogram(alpha = 0.75, position = "stack",
        color = "black", bins = 30) + geom_vline(aes(xintercept = median({
        {
            var1name
        }
    })), linetype = 2, size = 1) + labs(caption = paste0("Median ",
            {
                var1
        }, " is ", round(median({
            {
                df
        }]]{
                var1
        }]]), 2)), y = element_blank(), x = element_blank(),
        title = paste0({
            {
                var1
        })) + theme(legend.position = "none")
}
plot_density <- function(df, var1, var2) {</pre>
    var1name <- as.name(var1)</pre>
    df %>%
        ggplot(aes(x = {
            {
                var1name
        }, fill = {
            {
                var2
        })) + geom_density(alpha = 0.5, color = "black") + geom_vline(data = df %>%
        group_by({
            {
                var2
```

```
}
        }) %>%
        summarize(mean.grp = mean({
                var1name
        })), aes(xintercept = mean.grp, color = heart_disease), linetype = "dashed",
        size = 1) + labs(caption = paste0("Lines represent average by group"),
        y = element_blank(), x = element_blank(), title = "")
}
plot_2plots <- function(df, var1, var2) {</pre>
    p1 <- plot_histogram({</pre>
            df
    }, {
            var1
    }, {
            var2
    })
    p2 <- plot_density({</pre>
            df
    }, {
            var1
    }, {
            var2
        }
    })
    grid.arrange(p1, p2, ncol = 2)
plot_2plots(heart, "age", heart_disease)
```



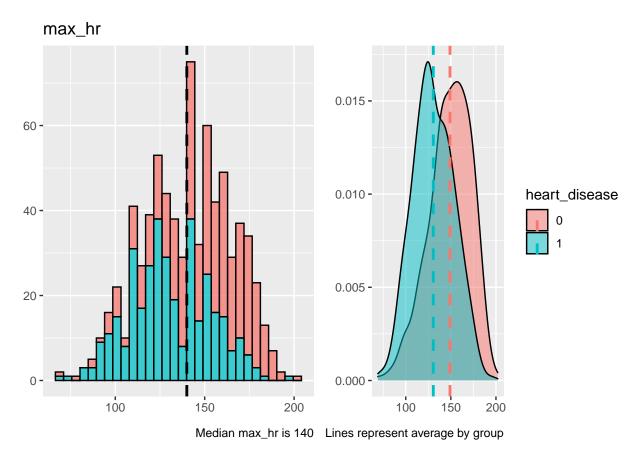
From the age plots, we can easily see that heart disease occur more on old people.

plot\_2plots(heart, "resting\_bp", heart\_disease)



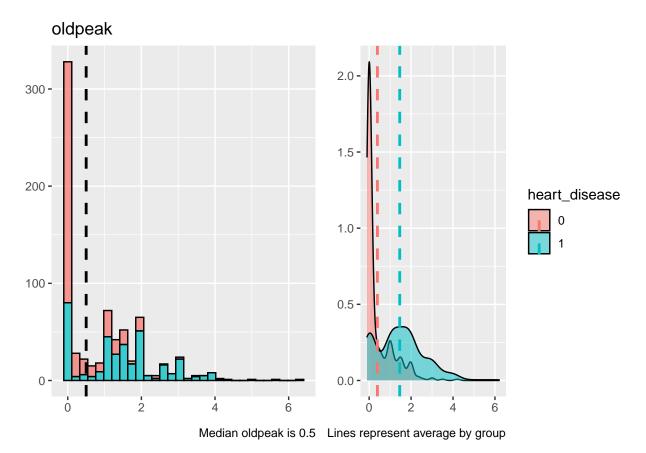
From the resting\_bp plots, we can see that when resting blood pressure is between 100-150 mmhg, the occurance of heart-disdease is basically half-half; but when exceeding 150mmhg, the occurance of heart-disease increases a little.

plot\_2plots(heart, "max\_hr", heart\_disease)



From the max\_hr graphs, there is a negative correlation between max\_hr and heart\_disease. People who acheive higher heart rate have less probibility to get heart disease.

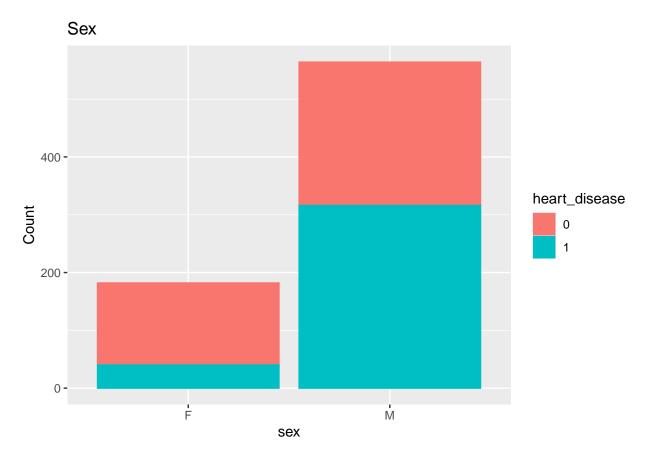
plot\_2plots(heart, "oldpeak", heart\_disease)



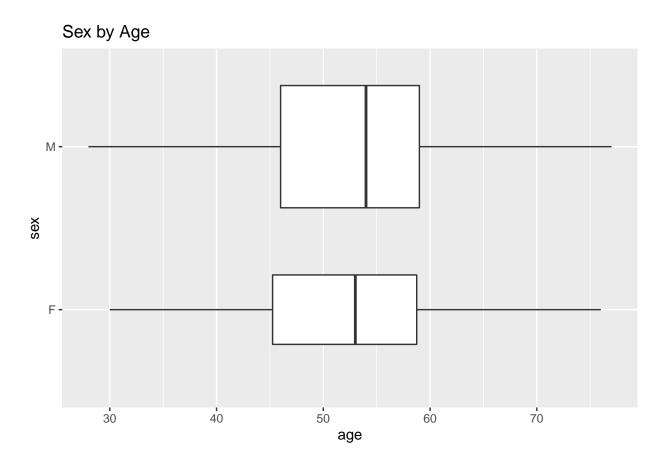
'Oldpeak' means a depressed/lower line on an ECG induced by exercise. We can easily see that people with high oldpeak get heart disease more than people with low oldpeak.

## Categorical variables

```
#barplot of sex fill by heart_disease
options(repr.plot.width = 10, repr.plot.height = 10)
ggplot(heart) + geom_bar(aes(x = sex, color = heart_disease,
    fill = heart_disease)) + ggtitle("Sex") + labs(x = "sex",
    y = "Count")
```

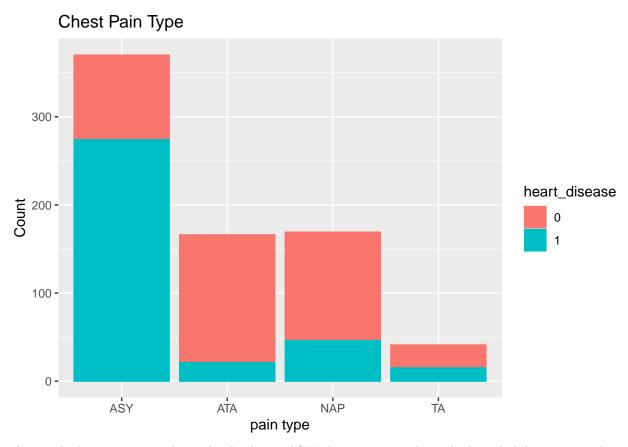


```
#boxplot of sex and age
ggplot(heart, aes(reorder(sex, age), age)) +
  geom_boxplot(varwidth = TRUE) +
  coord_flip() +
  labs(
    title = "Sex by Age",
    x = "sex"
)
```



From the Sex graph, the observations of male is much higher than the one of female. Thus, we only concentrate on the heart disease proportion for each sex. Male with heart disease have slightly higher proportion among all male, but female with heart disease have a much lower proportion among all female. Also, with the help from sex by age boxplot, we see that the observations of male and female are basically selected from the same age range. Thus, we can conclude that, according to this dataset, male is much likely to get heart disease.

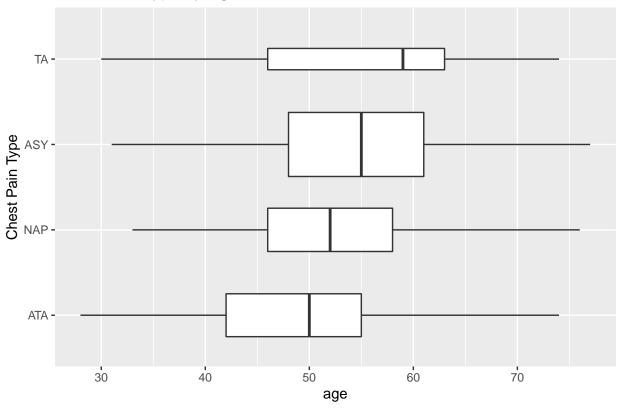
```
#barplot of chest pain type fill by heart_disease
options(repr.plot.width = 10, repr.plot.height = 10)
ggplot(heart) + geom_bar(aes(x = chest_pain_type, color = heart_disease,
    fill = heart_disease)) + ggtitle("Chest Pain Type") + labs(x = "pain type",
    y = "Count")
```



The graph chest pain type above clearly shows 'ASY' chest pain type has a high probability to cause heart disease, but the others are not likewise; especially, 'ATA' and 'NAP' are less likely to cause heart disease. The observasions of 'TA' is fewer, but the proportion of causing heart disease or not is close to 50%.

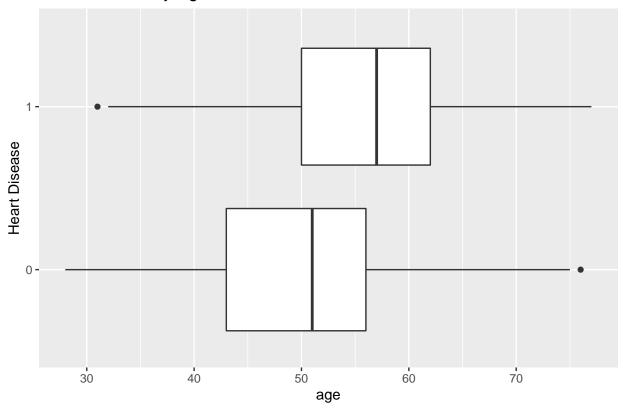
```
#boxplot of chest pain type and age
ggplot(heart, aes(reorder(chest_pain_type, age), age)) +
  geom_boxplot(varwidth = TRUE) +
  coord_flip() +
  labs(
    title = "Chest Pain Type by Age",
    x = "Chest Pain Type"
)
```

# Chest Pain Type by Age



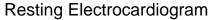
```
#boxplot of heart-disease and age
ggplot(heart, aes(reorder(heart_disease, age), age)) +
  geom_boxplot(varwidth = TRUE) +
  coord_flip() +
  labs(
    title = "Heart Disease by Age",
    x = "Heart Disease"
)
```

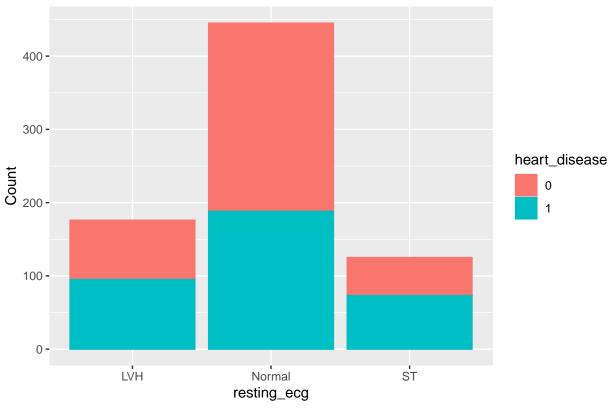
## Heart Disease by Age



The 'chest pain type by age' graph and the 'heart disease by age' graph both supports the result from the previous chest pain type bar plot. Age can be an important cause of heart disease. Older people are more likely have heart disease than younger ones. Moreover, the 'ATA' and 'NAP' are seen more in younger people. Thus, these two types are less likely to relate to heart disease. 'TA' and 'ASY' occur more on older people. Thus, they have a higher relation to heart disease. And since, both 'TA' and 'ASY' are roughly ranged between age of 50-60, we can conclude that age of 50-60 might be a common period to get heart disease.

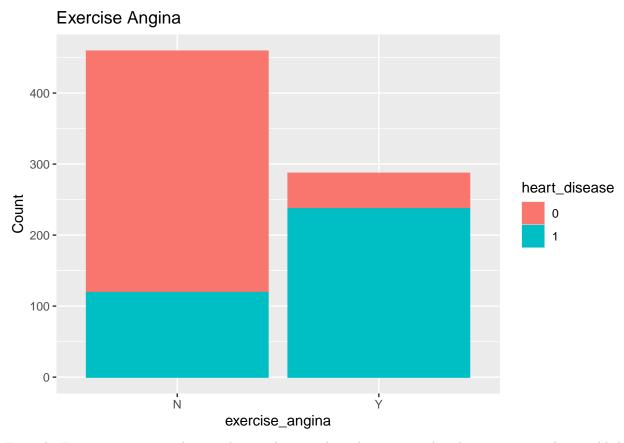
```
#barplot of restingECG fill by heart_disease
options(repr.plot.width = 10, repr.plot.height = 10)
ggplot(heart) + geom_bar(aes(x = resting_ecg, color = heart_disease,
    fill = heart_disease)) + ggtitle("Resting Electrocardiogram") + labs(x = "resting_ecg",
    y = "Count")
```





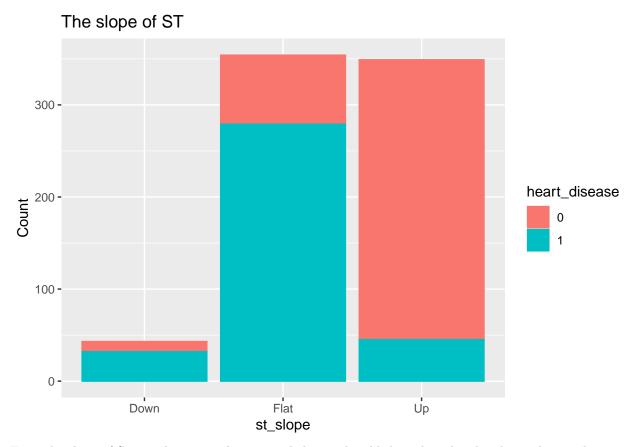
From the resting electrocardiogram barplot, base on this particular dataset, we can conclude that people with normal resting ECG have a slightly lower proportion of having heart disease, people with 'LVH','ST' have a higher proportion of having heart disease, which make sense because normal resting ECG means the heart is at a relatively good condition.

```
#barplot of exerciseangina fill by heart_disease
options(repr.plot.width = 10, repr.plot.height = 10)
ggplot(heart) + geom_bar(aes(x = exercise_angina, color = heart_disease,
    fill = heart_disease)) + ggtitle("Exercise Angina") + labs(x = "exercise_angina",
    y = "Count")
```



From the Exercise angina graph, it is obvious that people with exercise induced angina are much more likely to have heart disease. Angina occurs when the heart needs more oxygen-rich blood but the demand is not met, which can be a big influencer of heart disease.

```
#barplot of st_slope fill by heart_disease
options(repr.plot.width = 10, repr.plot.height = 10)
ggplot(heart) + geom_bar(aes(x = st_slope, color = heart_disease,
    fill = heart_disease)) + ggtitle("The slope of ST") + labs(x = "st_slope",
    y = "Count")
```



From the slope of ST graph, we see that upward slope is less likely to be related to heart disease, however, flat and downward slope have a high relationship with heart disease.

Thus, we can conclude from the EDA section that Age is a important factor that influence the target variable and also other variables, except 'cholesterol' which isn't really influenced by age, however, other variables doesn't really correlate with each other.

# 3.0 Set Up for Model Building

With a deeper understanding of the data, we are going to prepare for the model building. I first split the data into train and test set, make a recipe and do a cross-validation for resampling. ## train and testing split

```
heart_split <- heart %>%
  initial_split(prop = 0.8, strata = "heart_disease")
heart_train <- training(heart_split)
heart_test <- testing(heart_split)

dim(heart_train)

## [1] 596 12

dim(heart_test)</pre>
```

```
## [1] 150 12
```

There are 596 observations in the train set, and 150 observations in the test set. Stratified sampling was used on the response variable 'heart\_disease'.

### Recipe Building

We will create the recipe with dummy-coding categorical variables, and center and scale all predictors for model usage.

```
heart_recipe=recipe(heart_disease ~ . , data=heart_train) %>%
  step_dummy(all_nominal_predictors()) %>%
  step_normalize(all_predictors())
```

#### K-Fold Cross Validation

```
heart_folds <- vfold_cv(heart_train, v = 10, strata = heart_disease) # 10-fold CV
```

## 3.0 Model Building

We are ready for model building! The four model I used are Random Forest, XGBoost, KNN, Decision Tree. I first tried to create a regular grid to tune the random forest, and then tried to let the tidymodel tune by default. After comparing the result, they are both time-consuming, especially when I specified to a higher level, and the result is really close, so I decided to choose tuning by default.

#### Random Forest

```
rf_model <-
 rand_forest() %>%
 set_engine("randomForest") %>%
 set mode("classification") %>%
 set_args(mtry = tune(), trees = tune(), min_n = tune())
rf wf <-
 workflow() %>%
 add_model(rf_model) %>%
 add_recipe(heart_recipe)
rf wf
## == Workflow ======
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: rand_forest()
## 2 Recipe Steps
##
```

Create regular grid to tune with specified ranges.

```
# rf_grid=grid_regular(mtry(range = c(2,10)),
# trees(range = c(100, 1300)),
# min_n(range = c(5, 35)),
# levels = 4)
```

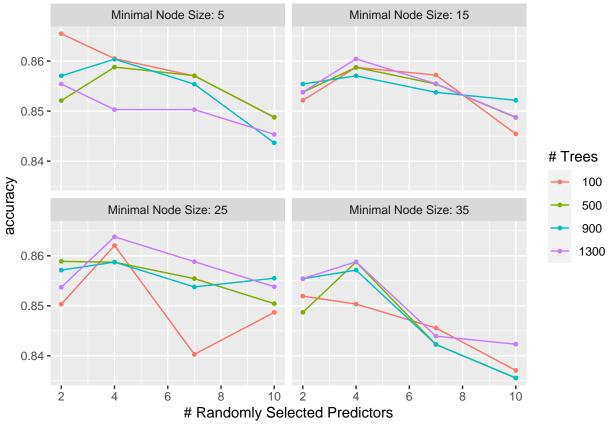
```
# rf_tune=tune_grid(rf_wf,
# resamples=heart_folds,
# grid=rf_grid,
# metrics=metric_set(accuracy))
```

I save the rf\_grid, rf\_tune into a rda for time-saving

```
#save(rf_grid, rf_tune, file=
# "/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/rfgrid.rda")
```

```
load("/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/rfgrid.rda")
```

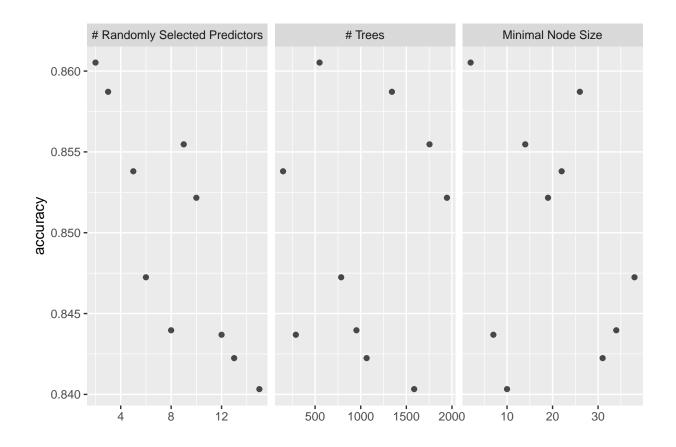
```
autoplot(rf_tune)
```



```
rf_tune_final <- rf_tune %>%
 select_best(metric = "accuracy")
rf_tune_final
## # A tibble: 1 x 4
     mtry trees min_n .config
    <int> <int> <int> <chr>
## 1
        2
          100
                  5 Preprocessor1_Model01
rf_tune_wf <- rf_wf %>%
 finalize_workflow(rf_tune_final)
rf_tune_wf
## == Workflow ======
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: rand_forest()
##
## -- Preprocessor -
## 2 Recipe Steps
##
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
##
## -- Model -----
## Random Forest Model Specification (classification)
```

```
##
## Main Arguments:
    mtry = 2
##
##
    trees = 100
##
    min n = 5
##
## Computational engine: randomForest
#fitting the final workflow to the train set(create regular grid to tune)
rf_tune_fit=fit(rf_tune_wf, heart_train)
#accuracy of rf model
rf_tune_acc <- predict(rf_tune_fit, new_data = heart_train, type = "class") %>%
  bind_cols(heart_train %>%
              select(heart_disease)) %>%
  accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
rf_tune_acc
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
   .metric .estimator .estimate
   <chr>
             <chr>
                          <dbl>
## 1 accuracy binary
                           0.926
rf on test set
rf_tune_acc_test <- predict(rf_tune_fit, new_data = heart_test,</pre>
                            type = "class") %>%
  bind_cols(heart_test %>%
              select(heart_disease)) %>%
  accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
rf_tune_acc_test
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
   .metric .estimator .estimate
##
    <chr> <chr>
                          <dbl>
                             0.88
## 1 accuracy binary
Next, I will try do not create grid and let 'tidymodel' to chose the range for parameters by default.
rf results <-
 rf_wf %>%
  tune_grid(resamples = heart_folds,
           metrics = metric_set(accuracy)
## i Creating pre-processing data to finalize unknown parameter: mtry
```

autoplot(rf\_results)



```
rf_results %>%
collect_metrics()
```

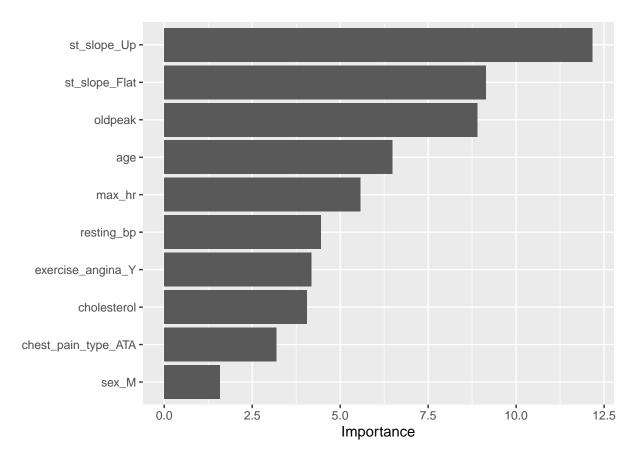
```
## # A tibble: 10 x 9
##
       mtry trees min_n .metric
                                                       n std_err .config
                                 .estimator mean
      <int> <int> <int> <chr>
##
                                  <chr>
                                             <dbl> <int>
                                                           <dbl> <chr>
##
             1754
                     14 accuracy binary
                                             0.855
                                                      10 0.0128 Preprocessor1_Mode~
   1
##
   2
          5
              149
                     22 accuracy binary
                                             0.854
                                                      10 0.0109 Preprocessor1_Mode~
##
   3
            1945
                     19 accuracy binary
                                             0.852
                                                      10 0.0117 Preprocessor1_Mode~
         10
##
   4
          8
              953
                     34 accuracy binary
                                             0.844
                                                      10 0.00752 Preprocessor1_Mode~
                                             0.861
##
   5
          2
              549
                      2 accuracy binary
                                                      10 0.0122 Preprocessor1_Mode~
##
   6
         15 1586
                     10 accuracy binary
                                             0.840
                                                      10 0.0168 Preprocessor1_Mode~
##
   7
         13 1065
                     31 accuracy binary
                                             0.842
                                                      10 0.00951 Preprocessor1_Mode~
##
   8
          3
            1342
                     26 accuracy binary
                                             0.859
                                                      10 0.0131 Preprocessor1_Mode~
##
   9
          6
              786
                                             0.847
                                                      10 0.00742 Preprocessor1_Mode~
                     38 accuracy binary
              289
                                                      10 0.0167 Preprocessor1_Mode~
## 10
         12
                      7 accuracy binary
                                             0.844
```

```
rf_param_final <- rf_results %>%
    select_best(metric = "accuracy")
rf_param_final
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 x 4
## mtry trees min_n .config
## <int> <int> <int> <chr>
## 1 2 549 2 Preprocessor1_Model05
```

```
final_rf_wf <- rf_wf %>%
 finalize_workflow(rf_param_final)
final_rf_wf
## == Workflow ======
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: rand_forest()
##
## -- Preprocessor -------
## 2 Recipe Steps
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
## -- Model ------
## Random Forest Model Specification (classification)
## Main Arguments:
## mtry = 2
##
   trees = 549
   min_n = 2
##
## Computational engine: randomForest
#fitting the final workflow to the train set
rf_fit=fit(final_rf_wf, heart_train)
#accuracy of rf model
rf_acc <- predict(rf_fit, new_data = heart_train, type = "class") %>%
 bind_cols(heart_train %>%
            select(heart_disease)) %>%
 accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
rf_acc
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
    .metric .estimator .estimate
   <chr> <chr> <dbl>
                     0.950
## 1 accuracy binary
#fitting the final workflow to the test set(tuning by default)
rf_fit=fit(final_rf_wf, heart_test)
#accurary of rf model
rf_acc_test <- predict(rf_fit, new_data = heart_test, type = "class") %>%
 bind_cols(heart_test %>%
            select(heart disease)) %>%
 accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
rf_acc_test
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
   .metric .estimator .estimate
   <chr> <chr>
                       <dbl>
## 1 accuracy binary
                         0.96
```

```
rf_fit %>%
  extract_fit_engine() %>%
  vip()
```



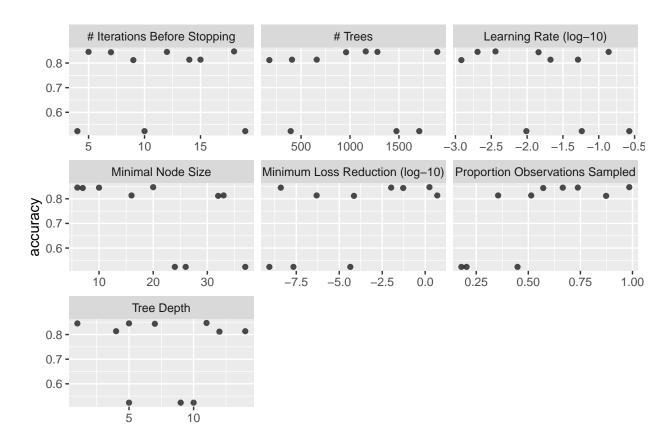
Through comparing the results of creating a regular grid to tune and letting 'tidymodel' to chose the range for parameters and tune by default. I found that creating regular grid to tune is more time-consuming and the accuracy on test set is really close and even worse than the tuning by default(0.88<0.89). Thus, for the rest of the model, I choose to tune it by default for time-saving and relatively good accuracy.

#### **XGBoost**

```
xgb_wf <-
 workflow() %>%
 add model(xgb model) %>%
 add_recipe(heart_recipe)
xgb_wf
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: boost_tree()
##
## 2 Recipe Steps
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
## -- Model ------
## Boosted Tree Model Specification (classification)
## Main Arguments:
   trees = tune()
##
    min_n = tune()
    tree_depth = tune()
##
##
    learn_rate = tune()
    loss_reduction = tune()
##
    sample_size = tune()
##
    stop_iter = tune()
##
## Computational engine: xgboost
# xgb_results <-
  xgb_wf %>%
  tune grid(resamples = heart folds,
#
           metrics = metric_set(accuracy)
#save(xgb_results, file="/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/xgbresults.rda")
load("/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/xgbresults.rda")
xgb_results %>%
collect metrics()
## # A tibble: 10 x 13
##
   trees min_n tree_depth learn~1 loss_r~2 sampl~3 stop_~4 .metric .esti~5 mean
     <int> <int> <int> <dbl> <dbl> <dbl> <int> <chr> <chr> <dbl>
## 1 1892
           6
                       5 0.00203 1.05e- 2 0.738
                                                   5 accura~ binary 0.845
                  7 0.0144 5.25e- 2 0.572 7 accura~ binary 0.844
1 0.137 4.00e- 9 0.665 12 accura~ binary 0.845
14 0.0212 5.05e+ 0 0.355 14 accura~ binary 0.814
11 0.00362 1.77e+ 0 0.985 18 accura~ binary 0.847
## 2 960 7
## 3 1280 10
## 4 407 16
## 5 1161 20
```

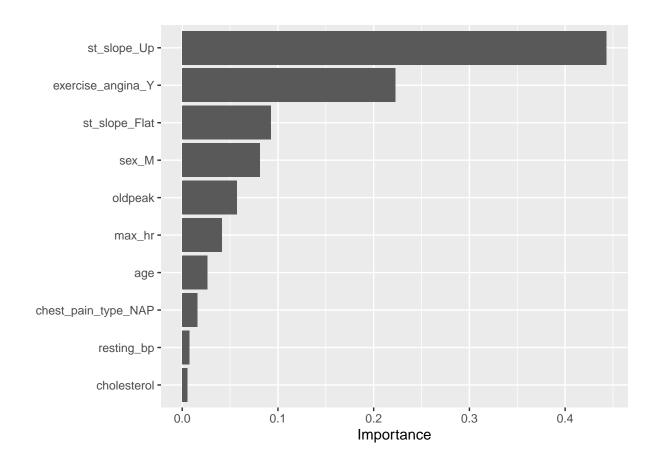
```
1475
                           5 0.00977 2.18e- 8
                                                0.179
                                                           10 accura~ binary 0.524
##
                          10 0.0580 8.63e-10
##
   7
       394
               26
                                                0.204
                                                           19 accura~ binary 0.524
##
        176
               32
                          12 0.00121 7.17e- 5
                                                0.873
                                                            9 accura~ binary 0.812
   8
##
   9
       660
               33
                           4 0.0513 4.84e- 7
                                                0.514
                                                           15 accura~ binary 0.814
               37
                                     4.41e- 5
## 10 1708
                           9 0.267
                                                0.448
                                                            4 accura~ binary 0.524
  # ... with 3 more variables: n <int>, std err <dbl>, .config <chr>, and
      abbreviated variable names 1: learn_rate, 2: loss_reduction,
      3: sample_size, 4: stop_iter, 5: .estimator
## #
```

#### autoplot(xgb\_results)



```
xgb_param_final <- xgb_results %>%
  select_best(metric = "accuracy")
xgb_param_final
## # A tibble: 1 x 8
     trees min_n tree_depth learn_rate loss_reduction sample_size stop_iter .config
##
     <int> <int>
                      <int>
                                  <dbl>
                                                 <dbl>
                                                              <dbl>
                                                                        <int> <chr>
## 1 1161
              20
                          11
                                0.00362
                                                  1.77
                                                              0.985
                                                                           18 Prepro~
final_xgb_wf <- xgb_wf %>%
  finalize_workflow(xgb_param_final)
final_xgb_wf
```

```
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: boost_tree()
##
## 2 Recipe Steps
##
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
## -- Model ------
## Boosted Tree Model Specification (classification)
## Main Arguments:
##
   trees = 1161
##
   min_n = 20
##
  tree_depth = 11
##
   learn_rate = 0.00362082579057878
##
   loss_reduction = 1.7711445798218
##
   sample_size = 0.984743045249488
##
   stop_iter = 18
##
## Computational engine: xgboost
#fitting the final workflow to the train set
xgb_fit=fit(final_xgb_wf, heart_train)
#accurary of xgb model
xgb_acc <- predict(xgb_fit, new_data = heart_train, type = "class") %>%
 bind_cols(heart_train %>%
           select(heart_disease)) %>%
 accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
xgb_acc
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
  .metric .estimator .estimate
  <chr> <chr> <dbl>
                     0.859
## 1 accuracy binary
xgb_fit %>%
 extract_fit_engine() %>%
vip()
```



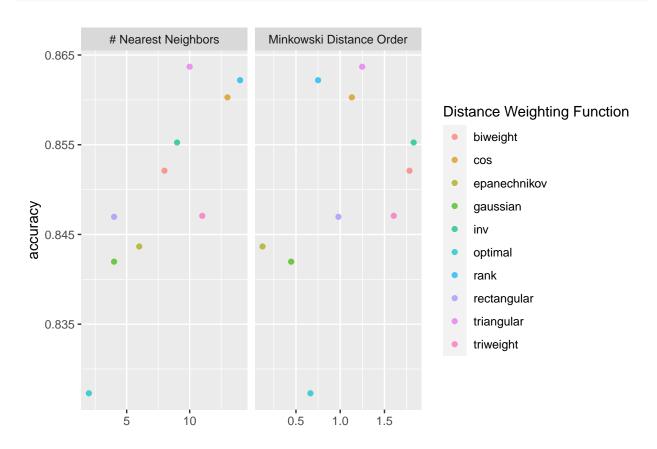
#### **KNN**

```
#install.packages("kknn")
library(kknn)
knn_model <-
 nearest_neighbor() %>%
 set_engine("kknn") %>%
 set_mode("classification") %>%
 set_args(neighbors = tune(),
        weight_func = tune(),
        dist_power = tune())
knn_wf <-
 workflow() %>%
 add_model(knn_model) %>%
 add_recipe(heart_recipe)
knn_wf
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: nearest_neighbor()
##
```

```
## 2 Recipe Steps
##
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
##
## -- Model ------
## K-Nearest Neighbor Model Specification (classification)
##
## Main Arguments:
    neighbors = tune()
##
    weight_func = tune()
##
    dist_power = tune()
##
## Computational engine: kknn
# knn_results <-</pre>
  knn_wf %>%
#
  tune_grid(resamples = heart_folds,
#
            metrics = metric_set(accuracy)
#save(knn_results, file="/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/knnresults.rda")
load("/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/knnresults.rda")
knn_results %>%
collect_metrics()
## # A tibble: 10 x 9
##
     neighbors weight_func dist_power .metric .esti~1 mean
                                                          n std_err .config
##
        <int> <chr>
                          <dbl> <chr> <dbl> <int> <dbl> <int> <dbl> <chr>
## 1
                             1.78 accura~ binary 0.852 10 0.0135 Prepro~
            8 biweight
          13 cos
## 2
                             1.13 accura~ binary 0.860 10 0.0170 Prepro~
          6 epanechnikov 0.122 accura~ binary 0.844 10 0.0181 Prepro~ 4 gaussian 0.446 accura~ binary 0.842 10 0.0181 Prepro~
## 3
## 4
                           1.83 accura~ binary 0.855 10 0.0170 Prepro~ 0.664 accura~ binary 0.827 10 0.0145 Prepro~
## 5
           9 inv
           2 optimal
## 6
                             0.750 accura~ binary 0.862 10 0.0116 Prepro~
## 7
          14 rank
## 8
                            0.980 accura~ binary 0.847 10 0.0153 Prepro~
           4 rectangular
                             1.25 accura~ binary 0.864 10 0.0160 Prepro~
           10 triangular
## 9
## 10
           11 triweight
                             1.60 accura~ binary 0.847 10 0.0130 Prepro~
```

## # ... with abbreviated variable name 1: .estimator

#### autoplot(knn\_results)



```
knn_param_final <- knn_results %>%
  select_best(metric = "accuracy")
knn_param_final
## # A tibble: 1 x 4
    neighbors weight_func dist_power .config
##
##
        <int> <chr>
                            <dbl> <chr>
           10 triangular
                              1.25 Preprocessor1_Model09
## 1
final_knn_wf <- knn_wf %>%
  finalize_workflow(knn_param_final)
final_knn_wf
## == Workflow ======
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: nearest_neighbor()
##
## -- Preprocessor ------
## 2 Recipe Steps
##
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
```

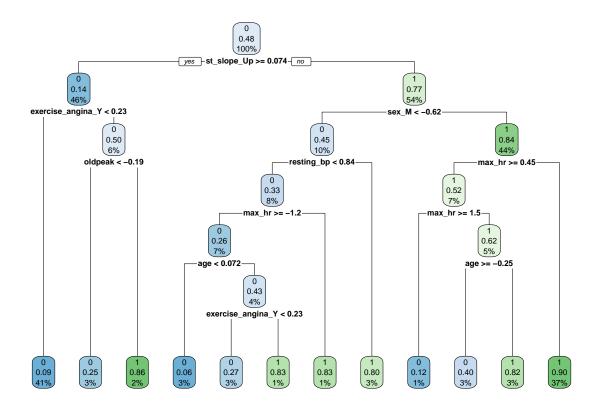
```
##
## -- Model ------
## K-Nearest Neighbor Model Specification (classification)
## Main Arguments:
## neighbors = 10
    weight_func = triangular
    dist_power = 1.24821168610826
##
##
## Computational engine: kknn
#fitting the final workflow to the train set
knn_fit=fit(final_knn_wf, heart_train)
#accurary of knn model
knn_acc <- predict(knn_fit, new_data = heart_train, type = "class") %>%
 bind_cols(heart_train %>%
            select(heart_disease)) %>%
 accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
knn_acc
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
   .metric .estimator .estimate
## <chr> <chr> <dbl>
## 1 accuracy binary 0.950
```

#### Decision tree

```
dt_wf <-
  workflow() %>%
  add_model(dt_model) %>%
  add_recipe(heart_recipe)
dt_wf
```

```
## Decision Tree Model Specification (classification)
## Main Arguments:
##
    cost_complexity = tune()
##
    tree depth = tune()
##
    min n = tune()
##
## Computational engine: rpart
dt results <-
 dt wf %>%
  tune_grid(resamples = heart_folds,
           metrics = metric_set(accuracy)
#save(dt_results, file="/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/dtresults.rda")
load("/Users/ritahan/Desktop/pstat131/dtresults.rda")
dt results %>%
collect_metrics()
## # A tibble: 10 x 9
     cost_complexity tree_depth min_n .metric .esti~1 mean
##
                                                              n std_err .config
##
               <dbl> <int> <int> <chr>
                                              <chr>
                                                     <dbl> <int> <dbl> <chr>
## 1
            1.64e-10
                            1
                                  3 accuracy binary 0.812 10 0.0127 Prepro~
## 2
           3.80e- 9
                            3 11 accuracy binary 0.815 10 0.0140 Prepro~
           1.44e- 7
                                  36 accuracy binary 0.792 10 0.00902 Prepro~
## 3
                           11
                            5
                                  38 accuracy binary 0.795 10 0.0102 Prepro~
## 4
           2.00e- 4
## 5
           2.92e- 6
                            14
                                  29 accuracy binary 0.819 10 0.0114 Prepro~
           1.59e- 8
                            13 17 accuracy binary 0.815 10 0.0133 Prepro~
## 6
                                  22 accuracy binary 0.815 10 0.0182 Prepro~ 7 accuracy binary 0.760 10 0.0210 Prepro~
## 7
           1.14e- 4
                             6
           4.91e- 6
## 8
                            10
            3.73e- 2
                                  28 accuracy binary 0.805 10 0.0110 Prepro~
## 9
                             8
            5.97e- 3
                             7
                                  15 accuracy binary 0.825 10 0.0154 Prepro~
## # ... with abbreviated variable name 1: .estimator
dt_param_final <- dt_results %>%
  select_best(metric = "accuracy")
dt_param_final
## # A tibble: 1 x 4
    cost_complexity tree_depth min_n .config
##
              <dbl>
                       <int> <int> <chr>
                            7 15 Preprocessor1_Model10
## 1
            0.00597
final_dt_wf <- dt_wf %>%
 finalize_workflow(dt_param_final)
final_dt_wf
```

```
## Preprocessor: Recipe
## Model: decision_tree()
##
## 2 Recipe Steps
##
## * step_dummy()
## * step_normalize()
## Decision Tree Model Specification (classification)
## Main Arguments:
##
   cost\_complexity = 0.00597345983576604
##
   tree_depth = 7
##
   min_n = 15
##
## Computational engine: rpart
#fitting the final workflow to the train set
dt_fit=fit(final_dt_wf, heart_train)
#accurary of knn model
dt_acc <- predict(dt_fit, new_data = heart_train, type = "class") %>%
 bind_cols(heart_train %>%
           select(heart_disease)) %>%
 accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
dt_acc
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
##
  .metric .estimator .estimate
  <chr> <chr>
## 1 accuracy binary
                     0.883
dt_fit %>%
 extract_fit_engine() %>%
 rpart.plot()
```



## **Accuracy of Models**

```
rf_table_acc <- augment(rf_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  accuracy(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class) %>%
  select(.estimate)
xgb_table_acc <- augment(xgb_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  accuracy(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class) %>%
  select(.estimate)
knn_table_acc <- augment(knn_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  accuracy(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class) %>%
  select(.estimate)
dt_table_acc <- augment(dt_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  accuracy(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class) %>%
  select(.estimate)
heart_disease_train_acc=c(rf_table_acc$.estimate,
                         xgb_table_acc$.estimate,
                         knn_table_acc$.estimate,
                         dt table acc$.estimate)
model names=c('Random Forest',
```

```
'XGBoost',
               'K-Nearest Neighbor',
               'Decision Tree')
acc_table <- tibble(Model = model_names,</pre>
                             Accuracy = heart_disease_train_acc)
acc_table
## # A tibble: 4 x 2
##
    Model
                        Accuracy
##
     <chr>
                           <dbl>
## 1 Random Forest
                           0.841
## 2 XGBoost
                           0.859
## 3 K-Nearest Neighbor
                           0.950
## 4 Decision Tree
                           0.883
Roc_auc of models
rf_table_auc <- augment(rf_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  roc_auc(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_0) %>%
  select(.estimate)
xgb_table_auc <- augment(xgb_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  roc_auc(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_0) %>%
  select(.estimate)
knn_table_auc <- augment(knn_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  roc_auc(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_0) %>%
  select(.estimate)
dt_table_auc <- augment(dt_fit, new_data = heart_train) %>%
  roc_auc(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_0) %>%
  select(.estimate)
heart_disease_train_auc=c(rf_table_auc$.estimate,
                         xgb_table_auc$.estimate,
                         knn_table_auc$.estimate,
                         dt_table_auc$.estimate)
auc_table <- tibble(Model = model_names,</pre>
                             Roc_auc = heart_disease_train_auc)
auc_table
## # A tibble: 4 x 2
##
    Model
                        Roc_auc
     <chr>
                          <dbl>
##
## 1 Random Forest
                          0.911
```

0.930

0.905

## 2 XGBoost

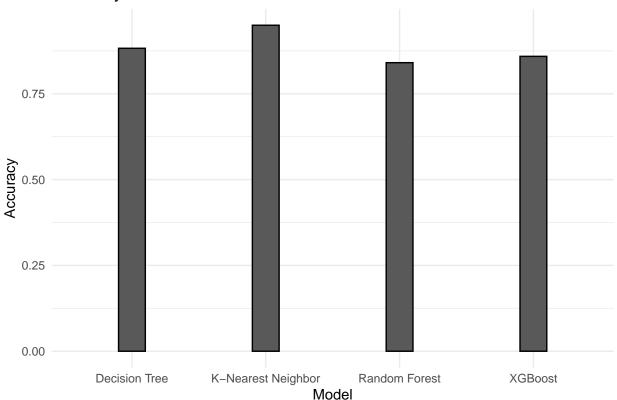
## 4 Decision Tree

## 3 K-Nearest Neighbor 0.994

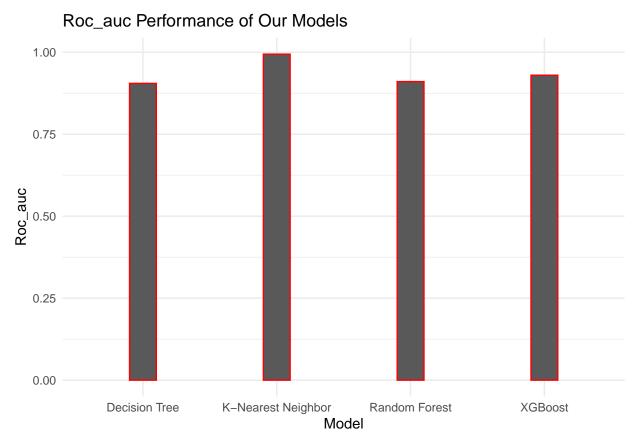
## **Graphs for Model Evaluation**

Barplot of models' accuracy

# Accuracy Performance of Our Models



Barplot of Models' roc-auc



From all the graphs above, all of the models perform fairly well. Among them, it is obvious that knn is the best-performing model. Next, we are going to fit it on to the test set.

## Predicting

```
## # A tibble: 150 x 13
      .pred_cl~1
##
                    age sex
                              chest~2 resti~3 chole~4 fasti~5 resti~6 max_hr exerc~7
##
      <fct>
                  <dbl> <chr> <fct>
                                         <dbl>
                                                  <dbl> <fct>
                                                                <fct>
                                                                          <dbl> <fct>
                              ATA
                                                                            172 N
##
    1 0
                     40 M
                                           140
                                                    289 0
                                                                Normal
##
   2 0
                     54 M
                              NAP
                                           150
                                                    195 0
                                                                Normal
                                                                            122 N
##
   3 0
                     54 M
                              ATA
                                           110
                                                    208 0
                                                                Normal
                                                                            142 N
                     37 M
                              ASY
                                                    207 0
                                                                Normal
                                                                            130 Y
##
   4 1
                                           140
                     54 F
##
    5 0
                              ATA
                                           120
                                                    273 0
                                                                Normal
                                                                            150 N
                     43 F
                                                                            142 N
##
   6 0
                              TA
                                           100
                                                    223 0
                                                                Normal
##
  7 0
                     49 F
                              ATA
                                           124
                                                    201 0
                                                                Normal
                                                                            164 N
```

```
8 0
                    52 M
                             ATA
                                                  284 0
                                                              Normal
##
                                         120
                                                                         118 N
                             ATA
                                                              Normal
## 9 0
                    51 M
                                         125
                                                  188 0
                                                                         145 N
                    41 F
                             ATA
                                         110
                                                 250 0
                                                              ST
## 10 0
                                                                         142 N
## # ... with 140 more rows, 3 more variables: oldpeak <dbl>, st_slope <chr>,
       heart_disease <fct>, and abbreviated variable names 1: .pred_class,
       2: chest_pain_type, 3: resting_bp, 4: cholesterol, 5: fasting_bs,
       6: resting_ecg, 7: exercise_angina
#accuracy on test set for knn
knn_test_acc <- predict(knn_fit, new_data = heart_test, type = "class") %>%
  bind_cols(heart_test %>%
              select(heart_disease)) %>%
  accuracy(truth = heart_disease, estimate = .pred_class)
knn_test_acc
## # A tibble: 1 x 3
##
     .metric .estimator .estimate
```

Roc Curve of Test Set Prediction in knn

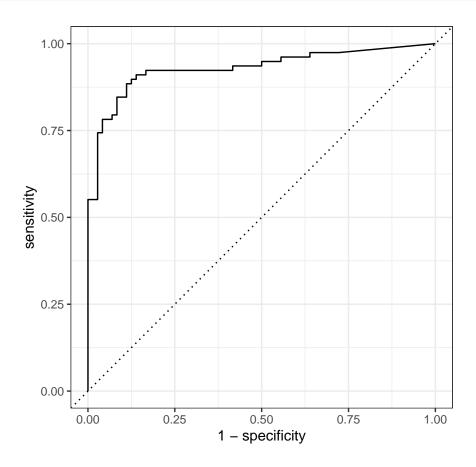
<chr>>

##

<chr>> ## 1 accuracy binary <dbl>

0.887

```
knn_prediction_roc_curve=augment(knn_fit, new_data=heart_test) %>%
  roc_curve(heart_disease, estimate=.pred_0)
autoplot(knn_prediction_roc_curve)
```



```
auc <- augment(knn_fit, new_data = heart_test) %>%
  roc_auc(heart_disease, estimate = .pred_0) %>%
  select(.estimate)
auc
```

```
## # A tibble: 1 x 1
## .estimate
## <dbl>
## 1 0.929
```

## 5.0 Conclusion:

Through the whole analysis, the best model to predict the heart disease is KNN. The accuracy for the train set is 0.95, the roc-auc is 0.99, and the accuracy for the test set is 0.89, and the roc-auc is 0.93. The performance of all models were fairly well. From the importance variable plot, the most important variables are 'st\_slope', 'excercise\_angina', 'oldpeak' and the least important one is 'cholestoral'. This is surprising because I assume 'Age' would be an important variable.

The places that can be improved are creating regular grid for tuning if time and my computering power on Mac was enough. Also, the dataset has 916 observations which might be a small dataset after I remove some observations during model cleaning or dealing with NAs. It might be a more professional one if I combine more datasets to one, since heart disease prediction can be a extremely helpful for human beings.