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Description

This function provides descriptive statistic for exploratory data analysis.

Usage

describe(dt)

Arguments

dt A data frame.

Examples

library(data.table)

data("germancredit")
dat = rbind(
    setDT(germancredit),
data.table(creditability=sample(c("good","bad"),100,replace=TRUE)),
)
gains_table

    fill=TRUE)
    eda = describe(dat)
    eda

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### gains_table

**Gains Table**

**Description**

gains_table creates a data frame including distribution of total, negative, positive, positive rate and approval rate by score bins. It provides both equal width and equal frequency intervals on score binning.

**Usage**

gains_table(score, label, bin_num = 10, method = "freq", width_by = NULL, breaks_by = NULL, positive = "bad|1", ...)

**Arguments**

- **score**: A list of credit score for actual and expected data samples. For example, score = list(actual = scoreA, expect = scoreE).
- **label**: A list of label value for actual and expected data samples. For example, label = list(actual = labelA, expect = labelE).
- **bin_num**: Integer, the number of score bins. Defaults to 10. If it is 'max', then individual scores are used as bins.
- **method**: The score is binning by equal frequency or equal width. Accepted values are 'freq' and 'width'. Defaults to 'freq'.
- **width_by**: Number, increment of the score breaks when method is set as 'width'. If it is provided the above parameter bin_num will not be used. Defaults to NULL.
- **breaks_by**: The name of data set to create breakpoints. Defaults to the first data set. Or numeric values to set breakpoints manually.
- **positive**: Value of positive class. Defaults to "bad|1".
- **...**: Additional parameters.

**Value**

A data frame

**See Also**

perf_eva, perf.psi
Examples

```r
# data preparing ------
# load germancredit data
data("germancredit")
# filter variable via missing rate, iv, identical value rate
dt_f = var_filter(germancredit, "creditability")
# breaking dt into train and test
dt_list = split_df(dt_f, "creditability")
label_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) x$creditability)

# woe binning ------
bins = woebin(dt_list$train, "creditability")
# converting train and test into woe values
dt_woe_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) woebin_ply(x, bins))

# glm ------
m1 = glm(creditability ~ ., family = binomial(), data = dt_woe_list$train)
# vif(m1, merge_coef = TRUE)
# Select a formula-based model by AIC
m_step = step(m1, direction="both", trace=FALSE)
m2 = eval(m_step$call)
# vif(m2, merge_coef = TRUE)

# predicted probability
pred_list = lapply(dt_woe_list, function(x) predict(m2, type = 'response', x))

# scorecard ------
card = scorecard(bins, m2)

# predicted probability
score_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) scorecard_ply(x, card))

# perf_eva examples ######
# Example I, one dataset
## predicted p1
perf_eva(pred = pred_list$train, label=dt_list$train$creditability, title = 'train')
## predicted score
# perf_eva(pred = score_list$train, label=dt_list$train$creditability, title = 'train')

# perf_psi examples ######
# Example I # only total psi
```
germancredit


g1 = gains_table(score = score_list$train, label = label_list$train)
g2 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list)
g3 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list, bin_num = 20)
g4 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list, method = 'width')

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germancredit  German Credit Data

Description
Credit data that classifies debtors described by a set of attributes as good or bad credit risks. See source link below for detailed information.

Usage
data(germancredit)

Format
A data frame with 21 variables (numeric and factors) and 1000 observations.

Source
http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Statlog+(German+Credit+Data)

Examples
# load German credit data
data(germancredit)

# structure of germancredit
str(germancredit)

# summary of germancredit
iv

Information Value

Description

This function calculates information value (IV) for multiple x variables. It treats each unique value in x variables as a group. If there is a zero number of y class, it will be replaced by 0.99 to make sure woe/iv is calculable.

Usage

iv(dt, y, x = NULL, positive = "bad|1", order = TRUE)

Arguments

dt
A data frame with both x (predictor/feature) and y (response/label) variables.
y
Name of y variable.
x
Name of x variables. Defaults to NULL. If x is NULL, then all columns except y are counted as x variables.
positive
Value of positive class, Defaults to "bad|1".
order
Logical, Defaults to TRUE. If it is TRUE, the output will descending order via iv.

Details

IV is a very useful concept for variable selection while developing credit scorecards. The formula for information value is shown below:

\[ IV = \sum (\text{DistributionPositive}_i - \text{DistributionNegative}_i) \times \ln(\frac{\text{DistributionPositive}_i}{\text{DistributionNegative}_i}). \]

The log component in information value is defined as weight of evidence (WOE), which is shown as

\[ \text{Weight of Evidence} = \ln(\frac{\text{DistributionPositive}_i}{\text{DistributionNegative}_i}). \]

The relationship between information value and predictive power is as follows:

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<td>0.1 to 0.3</td>
<td>Medium predictor</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>&gt; 0.3</td>
<td>Strong predictor</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Value

A data frame with columns for variable and info_value

Examples

# Load German credit data
data(germancredit)

# information values
info_value = iv(germancredit, y = "creditability")
str(info_value)

Description

One-hot encoding on categorical variables and replace missing values. It is not needed when creating a standard scorecard model, but required in models that without doing woe transformation.

Usage

one_hot(dt, var_skip = NULL, var_encode = NULL, nacol_rm = FALSE, ...)

Arguments

dt A data frame.
var_skip Name of categorical variables that will skip for one-hot encoding. Defaults to NULL.
var_encode Name of categorical variables to be one-hot encoded. Defaults to NULL. If it is NULL, then all categorical variables except in var_skip are counted.
nacol_rm Logical. One-hot encoding on categorical variable contains missing values, whether to remove the column generated to indicate the presence of NAs. Defaults to FALSE.
...

Value

A data frame
Examples

```r
# load germancredit data
data(germancredit)
library(data.table)
dat = rbind(
    setDT(germancredit)[, c(sample(20,3),21)],
    data.table(creditability=sample(c("good","bad"),10,replace=TRUE)),
    fill=TRUE)

# one hot encoding
## keep na columns from categorical variable
dat_onehot1 = one_hot(dat, var_skip = "creditability", nacol_rm = FALSE) # default
str(dat_onehot1)
## remove na columns from categorical variable
dat_onehot2 = one_hot(dat, var_skip = "creditability", nacol_rm = TRUE)
str(dat_onehot2)
```

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**perf_cv**

**Cross Validation**

**Description**

`perf_cv` provides cross validation on logistic regression and other binomial classification models.

**Usage**

```r
perf_cv(dt, y, x = NULL, no_folds = 5, seeds = NULL,
    binomial_metric = "ks", positive = "bad|1", breaks_list = NULL, ...)
```

**Arguments**

- `dt` A data frame with both x (predictor/feature) and y (response/label) variables.
- `y` Name of y variable.
- `x` Name of x variables. Defaults to NULL. If x is NULL, then all columns except y are counted as x variables.
- `no_folds` Number of folds for K-fold cross-validation. Defaults to 5.
- `seeds` The seeds to create multiple random splits of the input dataset into training and validation data by using `split_df` function. Defaults to NULL.
- `binomial_metric` Defaults to ks.
- `positive` Value of positive class, defaults to "bad|1".
- `breaks_list` List of break points, defaults to NULL. If it is NULL, then using original values of the input data to fitting model, otherwise converting into woe values based on training data.
- `...` Additional parameters.
Value

A list of data frames of binomial metrics for each datasets.

Examples

```r
## Not run:
data("germancredit")

dt = var_filter(germancredit, y = "creditability")
bins = woebin(dt, y = "creditability")
dt_woe = woebin_ply(dt, bins)

perf1 = perf_cv(dt_woe, y = "creditability", no_folds = 5)
perf2 = perf_cv(dt_woe, y = "creditability", no_folds = 5,
               seeds = sample(1000, 10))
perf3 = perf_cv(dt_woe, y = "creditability", no_folds = 5,
               binomial_metric = c("ks", "auc"))

## End(Not run)
```

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**perf_eva**

*Binomial Metrics*

Description

`perf_eva` calculates metrics to evaluate the performance of binomial classification model. It can also create a confusion matrix and model performance graphics.

Usage

```r
perf_eva(pred, label, title = NULL, binomial_metric = c("mse", "rmse", "logloss", "r2", "ks", "auc", "gini"), confusion_matrix = FALSE, threshold = NULL, show_plot = c("ks", "lift"), pred_desc = TRUE, positive = "bad|1", ...)
```

Arguments

- **pred**: A list or vector of predicted probability or score.
- **label**: A list or vector of label values.
- **title**: The title of plot. Defaults to NULL.
- **binomial_metric**: Defaults to c(‘mse’, ‘rmse’, ‘logloss’, ‘r2’, ‘ks’, ‘auc’, ‘gini’). If it is NULL, then no metric will be calculated.
confusion_matrix Logical, whether to create a confusion matrix. Defaults to TRUE.

threshold Confusion matrix threshold. Defaults to the pred on maximum F1.

show_plot Defaults to c('ks', 'roc'). Accepted values including c('ks', 'lift', 'gain', 'roc', 'lz', 'pr', 'f1', 'density').

pred_desc whether to sort the argument of pred in descending order. Defaults to TRUE.

positive Value of positive class. Defaults to "bad/1".

... Additional parameters.

Details

Accuracy = true positive and true negative/total cases

Error rate = false positive and false negative/total cases

TPR, True Positive Rate(Recall or Sensitivity) = true positive/total actual positive

PPV, Positive Predicted Value(Precision) = true positive/total predicted positive

TNR, True Negative Rate(Specificity) = true negative/total actual negative = 1-FPR

NPV, Negative Predicted Value = true negative/total predicted negative

Value

A list of binomial metric, confusion matrix and graphics

See Also

perf_psi

Examples

# data preparing ------
# load germancredit data
data("germancredit")
# filter variable via missing rate, iv, identical value rate
dt_f = var_filter(germancredit, "creditability")
# breaking dt into train and test
dt_list = split_df(dt_f, "creditability")
label_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) x$creditability)

# woe binning -------
bins = woebin(dt_list$train, "creditability")
# converting train and test into woe values
dt_woe_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) woebin_ply(x, bins))

# glm ------
m1 = glm(creditability ~ ., family = binomial(), data = dt_woe_list$train)
# vif(m1, merge_coef = TRUE)
# Select a formula-based model by AIC
m_step = step(m1, direction="both", trace=FALSE)
m2 = eval(m_step$call)
# vif(m2, merge_coef = TRUE)

# predicted probability
pred_list = lapply(dt_woe_list, function(x) predict(m2, type = 'response', x))

# scorecard ------
card = scorecard(bins, m2)

# credit score, only_total_score = TRUE
score_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) scorecard_ply(x, card))
# credit score, only_total_score = FALSE
score_list2 = lapply(dt_list, function(x) scorecard_ply(x, card,
    only_total_score=FALSE))

###### perf_eva examples ######
# Example I, one dataset
## predicted p1
perf_eva(pred = pred_list$train, label=dt_list$train$creditability,
    title = 'train')
## predicted score
# perf_eva(pred = score_list$train, label=dt_list$train$creditability,
#    title = 'train')

# Example II, multiple datasets
## predicted p1
perf_eva(pred = pred_list, label = label_list,
    show_plot = c('ks', 'lift', 'gain', 'roc', 'lz', 'pr', 'f1', 'density'))
## predicted score
# perf_eva(score_list, label_list)

###### perf_psi examples ######
# Example I # only total psi
psi1 = perf_psi(score = score_list, label = label_list)
psi1$psi # psi data frame
psi1$pic # pic of score distribution

# Example II # both total and variable psi
psi2 = perf_psi(score = score_list2, label = label_list)
# psi2$psi # psi data frame
# psi2$pic # pic of score distribution

###### gains_table examples ######
# Example I, input score and label can be a list or a vector
g1 = gains_table(score = score_list$train, label = label_list$train)
g2 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list)

# Example II, specify the bins number and type
g3 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list, bin_num = 20)
g4 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list, method = 'width')
perf_psi

Description

perf_psi calculates population stability index (PSI) for total credit score and Characteristic Stability Index (CSI) for variables. It can also create graphics to display score distribution and positive rate trends.

Usage

```r
perf_psi(score, label = NULL, title = NULL, show_plot = TRUE,
positive = "bad|1", threshold_variable = 20, var_skip = NULL, ...)
```

Arguments

- **score**: A list of credit score for actual and expected data samples. For example, score = list(expect = scoreE, actual = scoreA).
- **label**: A list of label value for actual and expected data samples. For example, label = list(expect = labelE, actual = labelA). Defaults to NULL.
- **title**: Title of plot, Defaults to NULL.
- **show_plot**: Logical. Defaults to TRUE.
- **positive**: Value of positive class, Defaults to "bad|1".
- **threshold_variable**: Integer. Defaults to 20. If the number of unique values > threshold_variable, the provided score will be counted as total credit score, otherwise, it is variable score.
- **var_skip**: Name of variables that are not score, such as id column. It should be the same with the var_kp in scorecard_ply function. Defaults to NULL.
- **...**: Additional parameters.

Details

The population stability index (PSI) formula is displayed below:

\[
PSI = \sum ((Actual\% - Expected\%) \times (\ln(\frac{Actual\%}{Expected\%})))
\]

The rule of thumb for the PSI is as follows: Less than 0.1 inference insignificant change, no action required; 0.1 - 0.25 inference some minor change, check other scorecard monitoring metrics; Greater than 0.25 inference major shift in population, need to delve deeper.

Characteristic Stability Index (CSI) formula is displayed below:

\[
CSI = \sum ((Actual\% - Expected\%) \times score)
\]
Value

A data frame of psi and graphics of credit score distribution

See Also

perf_eva gains_table

Examples

# data preparing -----
# load germancredit data
data("germancredit")
# filter variable via missing rate, iv, identical value rate
dt_f = var_filter(germancredit, "creditability")
# breaking dt into train and test
dt_list = split_df(dt_f, "creditability")
label_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) x$creditability)

# woe binning -------
bins = woebin(dt_list$train, "creditability")
# converting train and test into woe values
dt_woe_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) woebin_ply(x, bins))

# glm ------
m1 = glm(creditability ~ ., family = binomial(), data = dt_woe_list$train)
# vif(m1, merge_coef = TRUE)
# Select a formula-based model by AIC
m_step = step(m1, direction="both", trace=FALSE)
m2 = eval(m_step$call)
# vif(m2, merge_coef = TRUE)

# predicted proability
pred_list = lapply(dt_woe_list, function(x) predict(m2, type = 'response', x))

# scorecard ------
card = scorecard(bins, m2)

# credit score, only_total_score = TRUE
score_list = lapply(dt_list, function(x) scorecard_ply(x, card))
# credit score, only_total_score = FALSE
score_list2 = lapply(dt_list, function(x) scorecard_ply(x, card, only_total_score=FALSE))

##### perf_eva examples #####
# Example I, one dataset
## predicted p1
perf_eva(pred = pred_list$train, label=dt_list$train$creditability, title = 'train')
## predicted score
perf_eva(pred = score_list$train, label=dt_list$train$creditability, title = 'train')

# Example II, multiple datsets
## predicted p1
perf_eva(pred = pred_list, label = label_list)
## predicted score
# perf_eva(score_list, label_list)

### perf_psi examples #####
# Example I # only total psi
psi1 = perf_psi(score = score_list, label = label_list)
psi1$psi # psi data frame
psi1$pic # pic of score distribution
# modify colors
# perf_psi(score = score_list, label = label_list,
# line_color='#FC8D59', bar_color=c('#FFFFFF', '#99D594'))

# Example II # both total and variable psi
psi2 = perf_psi(score = score_list2, label = label_list)
# psi2$psi # psi data frame
# psi2$pic # pic of score distribution

##### gains_table examples #####
# Example I, input score and label can be a list or a vector
g1 = gains_table(score = score_list$train, label = label_list$train)
g2 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list)

# Example II, specify the bins number and type
g3 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list, bin_num = 20)
g4 = gains_table(score = score_list, label = label_list, method = 'width')

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### replace_na

**Replace Missing Values**

**Description**
Replace missing values with a specified value or mean/median value.

**Usage**
replace_na(dt, repl)

**Arguments**
- **dt**: A data frame or vector.
- **repl**: Replace missing values with a specified value such as -1, or the mean/median value for numeric variable and mode value for categorical variable if repl is mean or median.
Examples

```r
# load germancredit data
data(germancredit)

library(data.table)
dat = rbind(
  setDT(germancredit)[, c(sample(20,3),21)],
  data.table(creditability=sample(c("good","bad"),10,replace=TRUE)),
  fill=TRUE)

## replace with -1
dat_repna1 = replace_na(dat, repl = -1)
## replace with median for numeric, and mode for categorical
dat_repna2 = replace_na(dat, repl = 'median')
## replace with mean for numeric, and mode for categorical
dat_repna3 = replace_na(dat, repl = 'mean')
```

Description

`report` creates a scorecard modeling report and save it as a xlsx file.

Usage

```r
report(dt, y, x, breaks_list, special_values = NULL, seed = 618,
       save_report = "report", positive = "bad|1", ...)
```

Arguments

- `dt` A data frame or a list of data frames that have both `x` (predictor/feature) and `y` (response/label) variables. If there are multiple data frames are provided, only the first data frame would be used for training, and the others would be used for testing/validation.
- `y` Name of `y` variable.
- `x` Name of `x` variables. Defaults to `NULL`. If `x` is `NULL`, then all columns except `y` are counted as `x` variables.
- `breaks_list` A list of break points. It can be extracted from `woebin` and `woebin_adj` via the argument `save_breaks_list`.
- `special_values` The values specified in `special_values` will be in separate bins. Defaults to `NULL`.
- `seed` A random seed to split input data frame. Defaults to 618. If it is `NULL`, input `dt` will not split into two datasets.
- `save_report` The name of xlsx file where the report is to be saved. Defaults to 'report'.
- `positive` Value of positive class, default "bad|1".
- `...` Additional parameters.
Examples

## Not run:
data("germancredit")

y = 'creditability'
x = c(
  "status.of.existing.checking.account",
  "duration.in.month",
  "credit.history",
  "purpose",
  "credit.amount",
  "savings.account.and.bonds",
  "present.employment.since",
  "installment.rate.in.percentage.of.disposable.income",
  "personal.status.and.sex",
  "property",
  "age.in.years",
  "other.installment.plans",
  "housing"
)
special_values=NULL
breaks_list=list(
  status.of.existing.checking.account=c("... < 0 DM%,%0 <= ... < 200 DM",
    "... >= 200 DM / salary assignments for at least 1 year", "no checking account"),
  duration.in.month=c(8, 16, 34, 44),
  credit.history=c(
    "no credits taken/ all credits paid back duly%,%all credits at this bank paid back duly",
    "existing credits paid back duly till now", "delay in paying off in the past",
    "critical account/ other credits existing (not at this bank)"),
  purpose=c("retraining%,%car (used)", "radio/television",
    "furniture/equipment%,%domestic appliances%,%business%,%repairs",
    "car (new)%%,%other%%,%education"),
  credit.amount=c(1400, 1800, 4000, 9200),
  savings.account.and.bonds=c("... < 100 DM", "100 <= ... < 500 DM",
    "500 <= ... < 1000 DM%,%... >= 1000 DM%,%unknown/ no savings account"),
  present.employment.since=c("unemployed%,%... < 1 year", "1 <= ... < 4 years",
    "4 <= ... < 7 years", "... >= 7 years"),
  installment.rate.in.percentage.of.disposable.income=c(2, 3),
  personal.status.and.sex=c("male : divorced/separated", "female : divorced/separated/married",
    "male : single", "male : married/widowed"),
  property=c("real estate", "building society savings agreement/ life insurance",
    "car or other, not in attribute Savings account/bonds", "unknown / no property"),
  age.in.years=c(26, 28, 35, 37),
  other.installment.plans=c("bank%,%stores", "none"),
  housing=c("rent", "own", "for free"))

# Example I
# input dt is a data frame
# split input data frame into two
report(germancredit, y, x, breaks_list, special_values, seed=618, save_report='report1',
show_plot = c('ks', 'lift', 'gain', 'roc', 'lz', 'pr', 'f1', 'density')

# donot split input data
report(germancredit, y, x, breaks_list, special_values, seed=NULL, save_report='report2')

# Example II
# input dt is a list
# only one dataset
report(list(dt=germancredit), y, x,
    breaks_list, special_values, seed=NULL, save_report='report3')

# multiple datasets
report(list(dt1=germancredit[sample(1000,500)],
    dt2=germancredit[sample(1000,500)]), y, x,
    breaks_list, special_values, seed=NULL, save_report='report4')

# multiple datasets
report(list(dt1=germancredit[sample(1000,500)],
    dt2=germancredit[sample(1000,500)],
    dt3=germancredit[sample(1000,500)]), y, x,
    breaks_list, special_values, seed=NULL, save_report='report5')

## End(Not run)

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### scorecard Creating a Scorecard

**Description**

scorecard creates a scorecard based on the results from woebin and glm.

**Usage**

scorecard(bins, model, points0 = 600, odds0 = 1/19, pdo = 50,
    basepoints_eq0 = FALSE, digits = 0)

**Arguments**

- **bins**: Binning information generated from woebin function.
- **model**: A glm model object.
- **points0**: Target points, default 600.
- **odds0**: Target odds, default 1/19. Odds = p/(1-p).
- **pdo**: Points to Double the Odds, default 50.
- **basepoints_eq0**: Logical. Defaults to FALSE. If it is TRUE, the basepoints will equally distribute to each variable.
- **digits**: The number of digits after the decimal point for points calculation. Default 0.
Value

A list of scorecard data frames

See Also

scorecard2 scorecard_ply

Examples

# load germancredit data
data("germancredit")

# filter variable via missing rate, iv, identical value rate
dt_sel = var_filter(germancredit, "creditability")

# woe binning ------
bins = woebin(dt_sel, "creditability")
dt_woe = woebin_ply(dt_sel, bins)

# glm ------
m = glm(creditability ~ ., family = binomial(), data = dt_woe)

# Select a formula-based model by AIC
m_step = step(m, direction="both", trace=FALSE)
m = eval(m_step$call)

# scorecard
# Example I # creat a scorecard
card = scorecard(bins, m)
card2 = scorecard2(bins=bins, dt=germancredit, y='creditability',
                      x=sub('_woe', '', names(coef(m))[-1]))

# credit score
# Example I # only total score
score1 = scorecard_ply(germancredit, card)

# Example II # credit score for both total and each variable
score2 = scorecard_ply(germancredit, card, only_total_score = FALSE)

scorecard2

Creating a Scorecard

Description

scorecard2 creates a scorecard based on the results from woebin. It has the same function of scorecard, but without model object input and provided adjustment for oversampling.
Usage

scorecard2(bins, dt, y, x = NULL, posprob_pop = NULL, points0 = 600, odds0 = 1/19, pdo = 50, basepoints_eq0 = FALSE, digits = 0, return_prob = FALSE, positive = "bad|1", ...)

Arguments

bins Binning information generated from woebin function.
dt A data frame with both x (predictor/feature) and y (response/label) variables.
y Name of y variable.
x Name of x variables. If it is NULL, then all variables in bins are used. Defaults to NULL.
posprob_pop Positive probability of population. Accepted range: 0-1, default to NULL. If it is not NULL, the model will adjust for oversampling.
points0 Target points, default 600.
odds0 Target odds, default 1/19. Odds = p/(1-p).
pdo Points to Double the Odds, default 50.
basepoints_eq0 Logical, defaults to FALSE. If it is TRUE, the basepoints will equally distribute to each variable.
digits The number of digits after the decimal point for points calculation. Default 0.
return_prob Logical, defaults to FALSE. If it is TRUE, the predict probability will also return.
positive Value of positive class, default "bad|1".
... Additional parameters.

Value

A list of scorecard data frames

See Also

scorecard scorecard_ply

Examples

# load germancredit data
data("germancredit")

# filter variable via missing rate, iv, identical value rate
dt_sel = var_filter(germancredit, "creditability")

# woe binning -------
bins = woebin(dt_sel, "creditability")
dt_woe = woebin_ply(dt_sel, bins)
# glm -------
m = glm(creditability ~ ., family = binomial(), data = dt_woe)

# Select a formula-based model by AIC
m_step = step(m, direction="both", trace=FALSE)
m = eval(m_step$call)

# scorecard
# Example I # creat a scorecard
card = scorecard(bins, m)
card2 = scorecard2(bins=bins, dt=germancredit, y='creditability',
    x= sub('woe', '', names(coef(m))[-1]))

# credit score
# Example I # only total score
score1 = scorecard_ply(germancredit, card)

# Example II # credit score for both total and each variable
score2 = scorecard_ply(germancredit, card, only_total_score = FALSE)

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### scorecard_ply

#### Score Transformation

cscorecard_ply calculates credit score using the results from scorecard.

#### Usage

```r
scorecard_ply(dt, card, only_total_score = TRUE, print_step = 0L,
    replace_blank_na = TRUE, var_kp = NULL)
```

#### Arguments

- **dt**: A data frame, which is the original dataset for training model.
- **card**: The scorecard generated from the function scorecard.
- **only_total_score**: Logical. Defaults to TRUE. If it is TRUE, then the output includes only total credit score; Otherwise, if it is FALSE, the output includes both total and each variable’s credit score.
- **print_step**: A non-negative integer. Defaults to 1. If print_step>0, print variable names by each print_step-th iteration. If print_step=0, no message is print.
- **replace_blank_na**: Logical. Replace blank values with NA. Defaults to TRUE. This argument should be the same with woebin’s.
- **var_kp**: Name of force kept variables, such as id column. Defaults to NULL.
split_df

Value

A data frame in score values

See Also

scorecard scorecard2

Examples

# load germancredit data
data("germancredit")

# filter variable via missing rate, iv, identical value rate
dt_sel = var_filter(germancredit, "creditability")

# woe binning -----
bins = woebin(dt_sel, "creditability")
dt_woe = woebin_ply(dt_sel, bins)

# glm ------
m = glm(creditability ~ ., family = binomial(), data = dt_woe)

# Select a formula-based model by AIC
m_step = step(m, direction="both", trace=FALSE)
m = eval(m_step$call)

# scorecard
# Example I # creat a scorecard
card = scorecard(bins, m)
card2 = scorecard2(bins=bins, dt=germancredit, y="creditability",
x=sub('_woe', '', names(coef(m))[-1]))

# credit score
# Example I # only total score
score1 = scorecard_ply(germancredit, card)

# Example II # credit score for both total and each variable
score2 = scorecard_ply(germancredit, card, only_total_score = FALSE)
Usage

split_df(dt, y = NULL, ratios = c(0.7, 0.3), name_dfs = c("train", "test"), seed = 618, ...)

Arguments

dt       A data frame.
y       Name of y variable, Defaults to NULL. The input data will split based on the predictor y, if it is provide.
ratios       A numeric vector indicating the ratio of total rows contained in each split, defaults to c(0.7, 0.3).
name_dfs       Name of returned data frames. Its length should equals to the ratios'. Defaults to train and test.
seed       A random seed, Defaults to 618.
...       Additional parameters.

Value

A list of data frames

Examples

# load German credit data
data(germancredit)

# Example I
dt_list = split_df(germancredit, y="creditability")

# dimensions of each split data sets
lapply(dt_list, dim)

# Example II
dt_list2 = split_df(germancredit, y="creditability",
ratios = c(0.5, 0.3, 0.2),
name_dfs = c('train', 'test', 'valid'))
lapply(dt_list2, dim)

Description

This function filter variables base on specified conditions, such as information value, missing rate, identical value rate.
var_filter

Usage

var_filter(dt, y, x = NULL, iv_limit = 0.02, missing_limit = 0.95, identical_limit = 0.95, var_rm = NULL, var_kp = NULL, return_rm_reason = FALSE, positive = "bad|1")

Arguments

dt  A data frame with both x (predictor/feature) and y (response/label) variables.
y  Name of y variable.
x  Name of x variables. Defaults to NULL. If x is NULL, then all columns except y are counted as x variables.
iv_limit  The information value of kept variables should >= iv_limit. The Defaults to 0.02.
missing_limit  The missing rate of kept variables should <= missing_limit. The Defaults to 0.95.
identical_limit  The identical value rate (excluding NAs) of kept variables should <= identical_limit. The Defaults to 0.95.
var_rm  Name of force removed variables, Defaults to NULL.
var_kp  Name of force kept variables, Defaults to NULL.
return_rm_reason  Logical, Defaults to FALSE.
positive  Value of positive class, Defaults to "bad|1".

Value

A data frame with columns for y and selected x variables, and a data frame with columns for remove reason if return_rm_reason == TRUE.

Examples

# Load German credit data
data(germancredit)

# variable filter
dt_sel = var_filter(germancredit, y = "creditability")
dim(dt_sel)

# return the reason of variable removed
dt_sel2 = var_filter(germancredit, y = "creditability", return_rm_reason = TRUE)
lapply(dt_sel2, dim)

str(dt_sel2$dt)
str(dt_sel2$rm)

# keep columns manually, such as rowid
germancredit$rowid = row.names(germancredit)
dt_sel3 = var_filter(germancredit, y = "creditability", var_kp = 'rowid')
# remove columns manually
dt_sel4 = var_filter(germancredit, y = "creditability", var_rm = 'rowid')

### var_scale

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### Usage

var_scale(dt, var_skip = NULL, type = "standard", ...)

### Arguments

dt | a data frame or vector
var_skip | Name of variables that will skip for scaling Defaults to NULL. type | type of scaling method, including standard or minmax. ...

### Examples

data("germancredit")

# standardization
dts1 = var_scale(germancredit, type = 'standard')

# normalization/minmax
dts2 = var_scale(germancredit, type = 'minmax')
dts2 = var_scale(germancredit, type = 'minmax', new_range = c(-1, 1))

### vif

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### Usage

vif(model, merge_coef = FALSE)
woebin

Arguments

model A model object.
merge_coef Logical, whether to merge with coefficients of model summary matrix. Defaults to FALSE.

Value

A data frame with columns for variable and gvif, or additional columns for df and $\text{gvif}^{1/(2*\text{df})}$ if provided model uses factor variable.

See Also

https://cran.r-project.org/package=car

Examples

data(germancredit)

# Example I
fit1 = glm(creditability~ age.in.years + credit.amount +
    present.residence.since, family = binomial(), data = germancredit)
vif(fit1)
vif(fit1, merge_coef=TRUE)

# Example II
fit2 = glm(creditability~ status.of.existing.checking.account +
    credit.history + credit.amount, family = binomial(), data = germancredit)
vif(fit2)
vif(fit2, merge_coef=TRUE)

woebin WOE Binning

Description

woebin generates optimal binning for numerical, factor and categorical variables using methods including tree-like segmentation or chi-square merge. woebin can also customizing breakpoints if the breaks_list was provided. The default woe is defined as $\ln(\text{Pos}_i/\text{Neg}_i)$. If you prefer $\ln(\text{Neg}_i/\text{Pos}_i)$, please set the argument positive as negative value, such as '0' or 'good'. If there is a zero frequency class when calculating woe, the zero will replaced by 0.99 to make the woe calculable.
Usage

woebin(dt, y, x = NULL, var_skip = NULL, breaks_list = NULL,
special_values = NULL, stop_limit = 0.1, count_distr_limit = 0.05,
bin_num_limit = 8, positive = "bad|1", no_cores = 2, print_step = 0L,
method = "tree", save_breaks_list = NULL, ignore_const_cols = TRUE,
ignore_datetime_cols = TRUE, check_cate_num = TRUE,
replace_blank_inf = TRUE, ...)

Arguments

dt            A data frame with both x (predictor/feature) and y (response/label) variables.
y            Name of y variable.
x            Name of x variables. Defaults to NULL. If x is NULL, then all columns except
            y and var_skip are counted as x variables.
var_skip            Name of variables that will skip for binning. Defaults to NULL.
breaks_list            List of break points. Defaults to NULL. If it is not NULL, variable binning will
            based on the provided breaks.
special_values            the values specified in special_values will be in separate bins. Defaults to NULL.
stop_limit            Stop binning segmentation when information value gain ratio less than the 'stop_limit'
            if using tree method; or stop binning merge when the chi-square of each neigh-
            bor bins are larger than the threshold under significance level of 'stop_limit' and
            freedom degree of 1 if using chimerge method. Accepted range: 0-0.5; Defaults
            to 0.1. If it is 'N', each x value is a bin.
count_distr_limit            The minimum count distribution percentage. Accepted range: 0.01-0.2; De-
           faults to 0.05.
bin_num_limit            Integer. The maximum number of binning. Defaults to 8.
positive            Value of positive class, defaults to "bad|1".
no_cores            Number of CPU cores for parallel computation. Defaults to 2, if it sets to NULL
            then 90 percent of total cpu cores will be used.
print_step            A non-negative integer. Defaults to 1. If print_step>0, print variable names by
            each print_step-th iteration. If print_step=0 or no_cores>1, no message is print.
method            Four methods are provided, "tree" and "chimerge" for optimal binning that sup-
            port both numerical and categorical variables, and 'width' and 'freq' for equal
            binning that support numerical variables only. Defaults to "tree".
save_breaks_list            A string. The file name to save breaks_list. Defaults to None.
ignore_const_cols            Logical. Ignore constant columns. Defaults to TRUE.
ignore_datetime_cols            Logical. Ignore datetime columns. Defaults to TRUE.
check_cate_num            Logical. Check whether the number of unique values in categorical columns
            larger than 50. It might make the binning process slow if there are too many
            unique categories. Defaults to TRUE.
woebin

\texttt{replace\_blank\_inf}

Logical. Replace blank values with NA and infinite with -1. Defaults to TRUE.

... Additional parameters.

\textbf{Value}

A list of data frames include binning information for each \texttt{x} variables.

\textbf{See Also}

\texttt{woebin\_ply}, \texttt{woebin\_plot}, \texttt{woebin\_adj}

\textbf{Examples}

# load germancredit data
data(germancredit)

# Example I
# binning of two variables in germancredit dataset
# using tree method
bins2\_tree = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y="creditability"},
x=\texttt{c("credit.amount","housing"), method="tree"})
bins2\_tree

## Not run:
# using chimerge method
bins2\_chi = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y="creditability"},
x=\texttt{c("credit.amount","housing"), method="chimerge"})

# binning in equal freq/width # only supports numerical variables
numeric\_cols = \texttt{c("duration.in.month", "credit.amount",}
\texttt{"installment.rate.in.percentage.of.disposable.income",}
\texttt{"present.residence.since",}
\texttt{"age.in.years", "number.of.existing.credits.at.this.bank",}
\texttt{"number.of.people.being.liable.to.provide.maintenance.for")}
bins\_freq = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y="creditability"},
x=\texttt{numeric\_cols}, method="freq")
bins\_width = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y="creditability"},
x=\texttt{numeric\_cols}, method="width")

# y can be NULL if no label column in dataset
bins\_freq\_noy = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y=NULL, x=numeric\_cols})

# Example II
# setting of stop\_limit
# stop\_limit = 0.1 (by default)
bins\_x1 = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y = 'creditability', x = 'foreign.worker', stop\_limit = 0.1})
# stop\_limit = 'N', each \texttt{x} value is a bin
bins\_x1\_N = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y = 'creditability', x = 'foreign.worker', stop\_limit = 'N'})

# Example III
# binning of the germancredit dataset
bins\_germ = woebin(germancredit, \texttt{y = "creditability")}
# converting \texttt{bins\_germ} into a data frame
# bins\_germ\_df = data.table::rbindlist(bins\_germ)
# Example IV
# customizing the breakpoints of binning
library(data.table)
dat = rbind(
    setDT(germancredit),
    data.table(creditability=sample(c("good","bad"),10,replace=TRUE)),
    fill=TRUE)

breaks_list = list(
    age.in.years = c(26, 35, 37, "Inf%,%missing"),
    housing = c("own", "for free%,%rent")
)
special_values = list(
    credit.amount = c(2600, 9960, "6850%,%missing"),
    purpose = c("education", "others%,%missing")
)

bins_cus_brk = woebin(dat, y="creditability",
                       x=c("age.in.years","credit.amount","housing","purpose"),
                       breaks_list=breaks_list, special_values=special_values)

# Example V
# save breaks_list as a R file
bins2 = woebin(germancredit, y="creditability",
               x=c("credit.amount","housing"), save_breaks_list='breaks_list')

# Example VI
# setting bin closed on the right
options(scorecard.bin_close_right = TRUE)

binsRight = woebin(germancredit, y = 'creditability', x = 'age.in.years')
# setting bin close on the left, the default setting
options(scorecard.bin_close_right = FALSE)

## End(Not run)

woebin_adj  

**WOE Binning Adjustment**

**Description**

woebin_adj interactively adjust the binning breaks.

**Usage**

woebin_adj(dt, y, bins, adj_all_var = TRUE, special_values = NULL,
           method = "tree", save_breaks_list = NULL, count_distr_limit = 0.05,
           to = "breaks_list", ...)
woebin_adj

Arguments

dt A data frame.
y Name of y variable.
Bins A list of data frames. Binning information generated from woebin.
adj_all_var Logical, whether to show variables have monotonic woe trends. Defaults to TRUE.
special_values The values specified in special_values will in separate bins. Defaults to NULL.
method Optimal binning method, it should be "tree" or "chimerge". Defaults to "tree".
save_breaks_list A string. The file name to save breaks_list. Defaults to None.
count_distr_limit The minimum count distribution percentage. Accepted range: 0.01-0.2; Defaults to 0.05. This argument should be the same with woebin’s.
to Adjusting bins into breaks_list or bins_list. Defaults to breaks_list.
... Additional parameters.

Value

A list of modified break points of each x variables.

See Also

woebin, woebin_ply, woebin_plot

Examples

## Not run:
# Load German credit data
data(germancredit)

# Example I
dt = germancredit[, c("creditability", "age.in.years", "credit.amount")]
bins = woebin(dt, y="creditability")
breaks_adj = woebin_adj(dt, y="creditability", bins)
bins_final = woebin(dt, y="creditability",
  breaks_list=breaks_adj)

# Example II
binsII = woebin(germancredit, y="creditability")
breaks_adjII = woebin_adj(germancredit, "creditability", binsII)
bins_finalII = woebin(germancredit, y="creditability",
  breaks_list=breaks_adjII)

## End(Not run)
woebin_plot

WOE Binning Visualization

Description

woebin_plot create plots of count distribution and positive probability for each bin. The binning informations are generates by woebin.

Usage

```r
woebin_plot(bins, x = NULL, title = NULL, show_iv = TRUE, line_value = "posprob", ...)
```

Arguments

- **bins**: A list of data frames. Binning information generated by woebin.
- **x**: Name of x variables. Defaults to NULL. If x is NULL, then all columns except y are counted as x variables.
- **title**: String added to the plot title. Defaults to NULL.
- **show_iv**: Logical. Defaults to TRUE, which means show information value in the plot title.
- **line_value**: The value displayed as line. Accepted values are 'posprob' and 'woe'. Defaults to positive probability.
- **...**: Additional parameters

Value

A list of binning graphics.

See Also

woebin, woebin_ply, woebin_adj

Examples

```r
# Load German credit data
data(germancredit)

# Example I
bins1 = woebin(germancredit, y="creditability", x="credit.amount")

p1 = woebin_plot(bins1)
print(p1)

# modify line value
p1_w = woebin_plot(bins1, line_value = 'woe')
print(p1_w)
```
woebin_ply

# modify colors
p1_c = woebin_plot(bins1, line_color='#FC8D59', bar_color=c('#FFFFBF', '#99D594'))
print(p1_c)

# show iv, line value, bar value
p1_iv = woebin_plot(bins1, show_iv = FALSE)
print(p1_iv)
p1_lineval = woebin_plot(bins1, show_lineval = FALSE)
print(p1_lineval)
p1_barval = woebin_plot(bins1, show_barval = FALSE)
print(p1_barval)

# Example II
bins = woebin(germancredit, y="creditability")
plotlist = woebin_plot(bins)
print(plotlist$credit.amount)

# # save binning plot
# for (i in 1:length(plotlist)) {
# ggplot2::ggsave(
#   paste0(names(plotlist[i]), ".png"), plotlist[[i]],
#   width = 15, height = 9, units="cm"
# )
# }

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woebin_ply  

**WOE/BIN Transformation**

**Description**

woebin_ply converts original values of input data into woe or bin based on the binning information generated from woebin.

**Usage**

woebin_ply(dt, bins, to = "woe", no_cores = 2, print_step = 0L,
   replace_blank_inf = TRUE, ...)

**Arguments**

- **dt**  
  A data frame.

- **bins**  
  Binning information generated from woebin.

- **to**  
  Converting original values to woe or bin. Defaults to woe.

- **no_cores**  
  Number of CPU cores for parallel computation. Defaults to 2, if it sets to NULL then 90 percent of total cpu cores will be used.
**print_step**  
A non-negative integer. Defaults to 1. If print_step > 0, print variable names by each print_step-th iteration. If print_step = 0 or no_cores > 1, no message is print.

**replace_blank_inf**  
Logical. Replace blank values with NA and infinite with -1. Defaults to TRUE. This argument should be the same with woebin's.

...  
Additional parameters.

**Value**  
A data frame with columns for variables converted into woe values.

**See Also**  
woebin, woebin_plot, woebin_adj

**Examples**

```r
# load germancredit data
data(germancredit)

# Example I
dt = germancredit[, c("creditability", "credit.amount", "purpose")]

# binning for dt
bins = woebin(dt, y = "creditability")

# converting to woe
dt_woe = woebin_ply(dt, bins=bins)
str(dt_woe)

# converting to bin
dt_bin = woebin_ply(dt, bins=bins, to = 'bin')
str(dt_bin)

# Example II
# binning for germancredit dataset
bins_germancredit = woebin(germancredit, y="creditability")

# converting the values in germancredit to woe
# bins is a list which generated from woebin()
germancredit_woe = woebin_ply(germancredit, bins=bins_germancredit)

# bins is a data frame
bins_df = data.table::rbindlist(bins_germancredit)
germancredit_woe = woebin_ply(germancredit, bins_df)
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