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# **postlearn Documentation**

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A collection of useful post-estimation diagnostics for scikit-learn models.

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## Postlearn

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Common post-estimation tasks for scikit-learn.





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## Usage

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There are two interfaces to the library. Anything that actually does something useful, like plotting the grid scores or a learning curve, is available as a top-level function.

There are convenience classes built on top of these functions. These classes take a fit estimator, and the training data (optionally test data). The classes provide caching of predicted values and a few other conveniences. Post-estimation reporting methods.

**class** `postlearn.reporter.ClassificationResults` (*model*, *X\_train*, *y\_train*, *X\_test=None*,  
*y\_test=None*, *labels=None*)

A convenience class, wrapping all the reporting methods and caching intermediate calculations.

**plot\_roc\_curve** (\*, *ax=None*, *y\_true=None*, *y\_score=None*)  
 Plot the ROC.

**proba\_test**  
 Predicted probabilities for the test set

**proba\_train**  
 Predicted probabilities for the training set

**y\_pred\_test**  
 Predicted values for the test set

**y\_pred\_train**  
 Predicted values for the training set

**y\_score\_test**  
 Predicted positive score (column 1) for the test set

**y\_score\_train**  
 Predicted positive score (column 1) for the training set

**class** `postlearn.reporter.GridSearchMixin`  
 Helper methods appropriate for estimators fit with a GridSearch.

`postlearn.reporter.confusion_matrix` (*y\_true=None*, *y\_pred=None*, *labels=None*)  
 Dataframe of confusion matrix. Rows are actual, and columns are predicted.

**Parameters** *y\_true* : array

*y\_pred* : array

*labels* : list-like

**Returns** *confusion\_matrix* : DataFrame

`postlearn.reporter.default_args (**attrs)`

Pull the defaults for a method from *self*.

**Parameters** `attrs` : dict

mapping parameter name to attribute name Attributes with the same name need not be included.

**Returns** deco: new function, injecting the *attrs* into *kwargs*

### Notes

Only usable with keyword-only arguments.

### Examples

```
@default_args({'y': 'y_train'}) def printer(self, *, y=None, y_pred=None):
```

```
    print('y: ', y) print('y_pred: ', y_pred)
```

`postlearn.reporter.extract_grid_scores (model)`

Extract grid scores from a model or pipeline.

**Parameters** `model` : Estimator or Pipeline

must end in `sklearn.grid_search.GridSearchCV`

**Returns** `scores` : list

**See also:**

[\*unpack\\_grid\\_scores\*](#)

`postlearn.reporter.plot_feature_importance (model, labels, n=10, orient='h')`

Bar plot of feature importance.

**Parameters** `model` : Pipeline or Estimator

`labels` : list-like

`n` : int

number of features to include

`orient` : {'h', 'v'}

horizontal or vertical barplot

**Returns** `ax` : matplotlib.axes

### Notes

Works with Regression, **coefs\_**, or ensembles with **feature\_importances\_**

`postlearn.reporter.plot_grid_scores (model, x, y=None, hue=None, row=None, col=None, col_wrap=None, **kwargs)`

Wrapper around `seaborn.factorplot`.

**Parameters** `model` : Pipeline or Estimator

`x, hue, row, col` : str

parameters grid searched over

**y** : str

the target of interest, default `'mean_'`

**Returns** **g** : seaborn.FacetGrid

`postlearn.reporter.plot_learning_curve` (*estimator*, *X*, *y*, *train\_sizes*=array([ 0.1, 0.325, 0.55, 0.775, 1. ]), *cv*=None, *n\_jobs*=1, *ax*=None)

Plot the learning curve for *estimator*.

**Parameters** **estimator** : sklearn.Estimator

**X** : array-like

**y** : array-like

**train\_sizes** : array-like

list of floats between 0 and 1

**cv** : int

**n\_jobs** : int

**ax** : matplotlib.axes

`postlearn.reporter.plot_regularization_path` (*model*)

Plot the regularization path of coefficients from e.g. a Lasso

`postlearn.reporter.plot_roc_curve` (*y\_true*, *y\_score*, *ax*=None)

Plot the Receiving Operator Characteristic curved, including the Area under the Curve (AUC) score.

**Parameters** **y\_true** : array

**y\_score** : array

**ax** : matplotlib.axes, defaults to new axes

**Returns** **ax** : matplotlib.axes

`postlearn.reporter.unpack_grid_scores` (*model*=None)

Unpack mean grid scores into a DataFrame

**Parameters** **model** : Estimator or Pipeline

must end in `sklearn.grid_search.GridSearchCV`

**Returns** **scores** : DataFrame

**See also:**

[`plot\_grid\_scores`](#)

## Examples

```
>>> from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
>>> from sklearn import datasets
>>> from sklearn.grid_search import GridSearchCV
>>> from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
>>> X, y = datasets.make_classification()
>>> model = GridSearchCV(RandomForestClassifier(),
...                       param_grid={
...                           'n_estimators': [10, 20, 30],
...                           'max_features': [.1, .5, 1]
...                       })
```

```
...                                })
>>> model.fit(X, y)
>>> unpack_grid_scores(model)
    mean_      std_  max_features  n_estimators
0  0.88  0.062416          0.1           10
1  0.88  0.046536          0.1           20
2  0.85  0.095309          0.1           30
3  0.88  0.062686          0.5           10
4  0.91  0.072044          0.5           20
5  0.90  0.073366          0.5           30
6  0.78  0.032929          1.0           10
7  0.86  0.048224          1.0           20
8  0.85  0.072174          1.0           30
```

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