

HEALTH INSURANCE LEAD PREDICTION

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to predict whether the person will be interested in their proposed Health plan/policy given the information about the customer

APPROACH

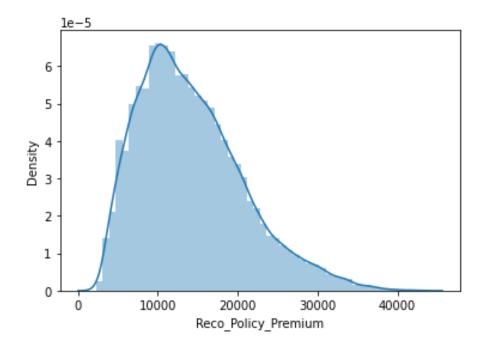
Understanding Data

Feature Engineering

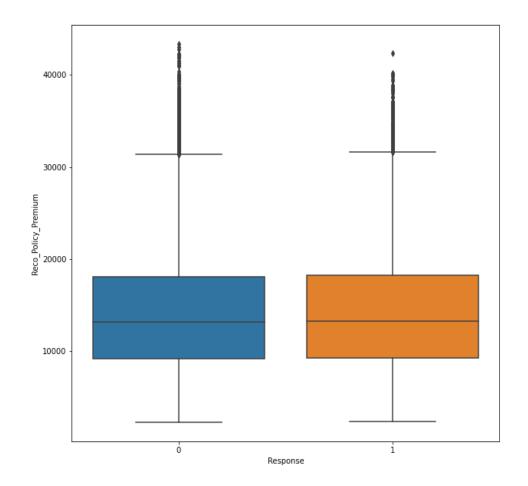
Model training

Result and Summary





Median value of Recommended policy premium is pretty much same across interested and not interested customers

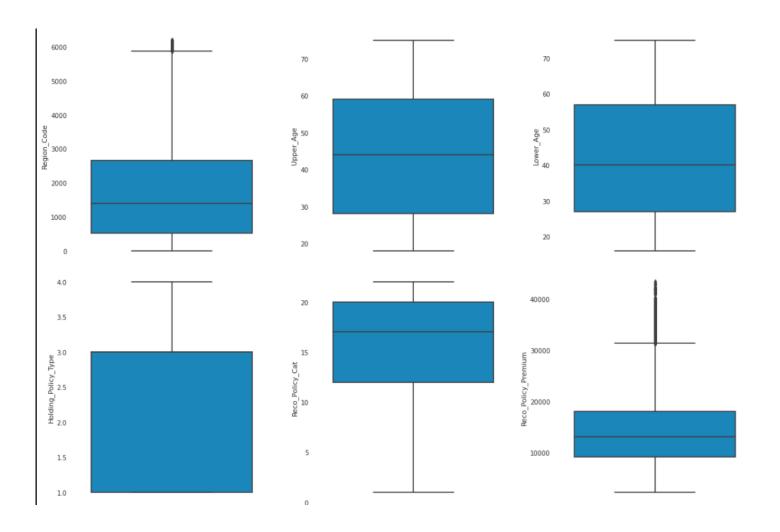




Region_Code -	1	-0.0062	-0.0048	0.014	-0.063	-0.014	-0.0051	-0.0036
Upper_Age -	-0.0062	1	0.92	0.38	0.024	0.79	-0.00057	0.2
Lower_Age ⁻	-0.0048	0.92	1	0.34	0.02	0.61	-0.00025	-0.2
Holding_Policy_Duration -	0.014	0.38	0.34	1	0.033	0.29	-0.0042	0.087
Reco_Policy_Cat -	-0.063	0.024	0.02	0.033	1	0.06	-0.0016	0.011
Reco_Policy_Premium -	-0.014	0.79	0.61	0.29	0.06	1	-0.0025	0.45
Response -	-0.0051	-0.00057	-0.00025	-0.0042	-0.0016	-0.0025	1	-0.00081
agediff -	-0.0036	0.2	-0.2	0.087	0.011	0.45	-0.00081	1
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Premium is correlated to Lower and upper age, which themselves are correlated

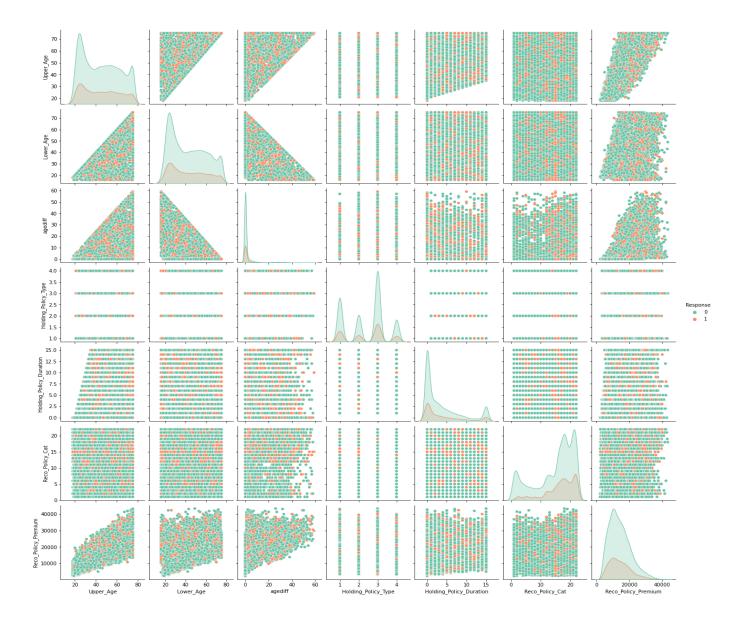




Some outliers are evident



Pairplot to understand relations and patterns between variables taking Response into account





Key points

- 222 Region codes are new in test data
- Frequency encoding would be a good approach
- Recommended policy premium is correlated to the age of the customer(s)
- If data related to holding policy is missing then that customer could be taken as a new customer
- Smart group level imputation for Health Indicator would be a better approach



Feature Engineering

Key points

- New feature for the age difference (Upper age Lower)
- Encoding 14+ in Holding Policy Duration as 15 and them imputing 0 for nulls
- Logic behind imputing 0 is to treat those cases as new customers
- Fill 'nc' (new customer) Holding Policy Type for missing values
- Using category level mode to impute the Health Indicator for the available category levels and global mode of training data in remaining cases
- New feature using Holding Policy Duration
- Category and label encoding
- New column to flag out any new customer



Model Training

Salient points

- Using LightGbm, Xgboost and catboost algorithms
- Giving categorical feature index in catboost (to make the algorithm understand which columns are categorical)
- Hyper parameter tuning
- Cross validation and using class weight is a good approach



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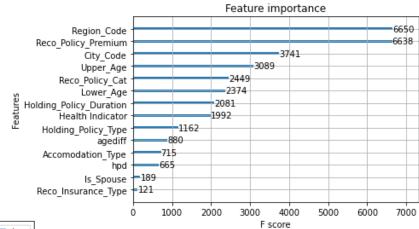
Final model: Using Catboost

Validaton Roc_Auc: 0.80

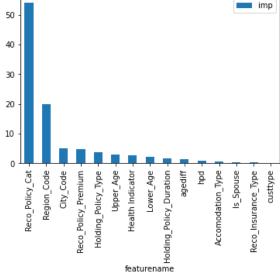
Test Roc_Auc: 0.80 (Submission score)

Summary:

- Region code is an important feature
- Recommended Policy category and Policy premium are also important features driving the decision of the customer



Xgboost feature important







Thanks

