PHASE 3 Modeling, Evaluation, Tuning (20%)

Choose Machine Learning Frameworks:

Decide on the machine learning apps, frameworks and libraries that your group will use, such as Sagemaker, AutoML, TensorFlow, PyTorch, scikit-learn, etc..

Develop and Train Models:

Perform additional data preprocessing, model development, and training. Explore different algorithms and techniques to solve the problem.

Evaluation and Validation:

Evaluate and validate their machine learning models. Use appropriate metrics such as ROC curves, MSE, precision, recall, F1-score, and accuracy to measure model performance.

Hyperparameter Tuning:

If appropriate, fine-tune hyperparameters to optimize model performance. This can involve using AWS SageMaker's hyperparameter tuning capability.

Phase 3 Deliverable:

Project Repository on GitHub (Updated Table of Contents)

Deliverable 3 Document accessible in Github (include screenshots)

MACHINE LEARNING FRAMEWORKS:

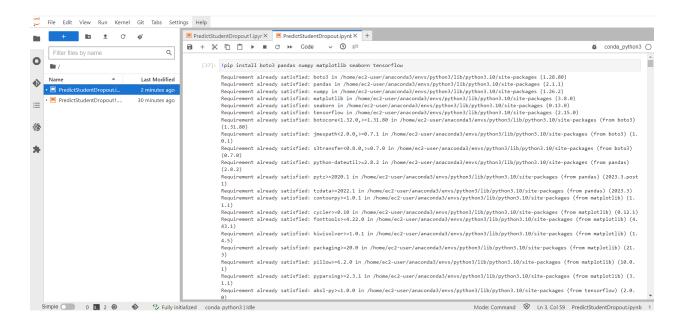
- Below are the list of tools used in this project
 - > Amazon Sagemaker
 - ➤ Amazon S3 buckets
 - > TensorFlow
 - ➤ Scikit-Learn

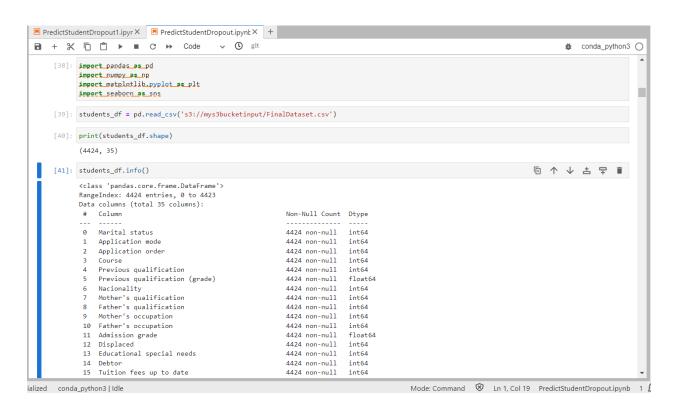
DEVELOP AND TRAIN MODELS:

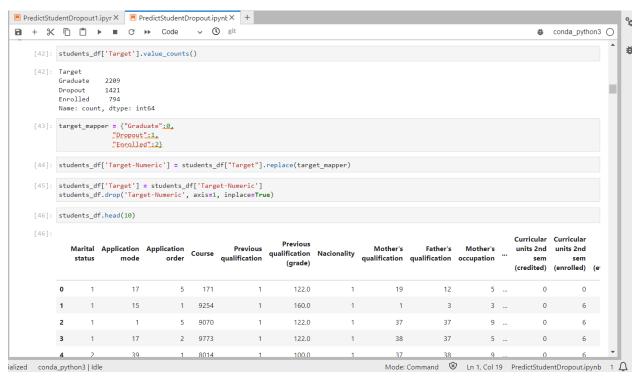
- Data Pre-processing:
 - Ensured data cleanliness, accurate labeling, and representation of real-world scenarios
 - > Encoded categorical variables

- Data Partitioning:
 - > Split the data into training, testing, and validation sets
- Data Analysis:
 - > Plotted a heatmap to understand the correlation between features
- Model Construction Techniques:
 - > Neural Network model with Simple Dense Layers
 - > Random Forest Classification model
 - > Logistic Regression

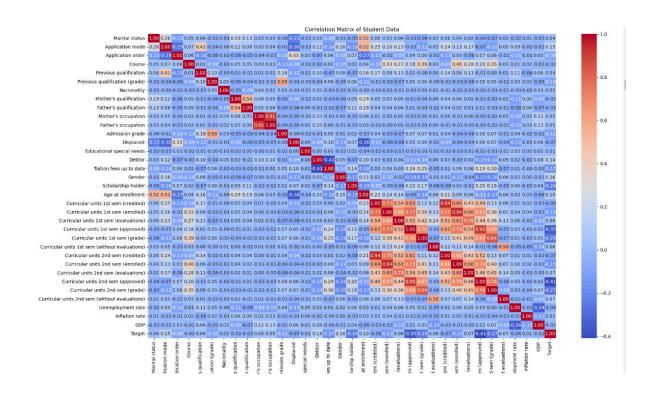
❖ Data Pre-processing







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❖ Neural Network model with Simple Dense Layers

- > The data was split into 80% training, 10% validation, and 10% testing sets.
- ➤ We used a 'Sequential' model First Layer: Dense layer with 128 neurons, Second Layer: Dense layer with 64 neurons, Third Layer: Dense layer with 32 neurons, all using ReLU activation.
- ➤ Output Layer is a Dense layer with 3 neurons (for 3 classes) using Softmax activation, which is suitable for multi-class classification.
- > Compiling the Model:
 - Optimizer: Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD) with a learning rate of 0.01.
 - Loss Function: 'sparse_categorical_crossentropy', appropriate for classification with integer targets (labels).
 - We used the 'accuracy' metric, to evaluate the performance of the model during training and testing.

> Training the Model:

- Training Process: Model trained on scaled training data (X train scaled).
- Validation Data: Uses scaled validation data (x_val_scaled, y_val) for evaluation during training.
- Number of epochs on the training dataset is 30.
- Batch Size: Number of samples processed before the model is updated, set to 32.

Neural Network model with Simple Dense Layers

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[48]: import tensorflow as tf
      from tensorflow.keras.models import Sequential
      from tensorflow.keras.layers import Dense
      from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
[49]: from tensorflow.keras.optimizers import SGD
[50]: from sklearn.model selection import train test split
      # Splitting the dataset into 80% training and 20% (for further splitting into validation and test)
      train_data, remaining_data = train_test_split(students_df, test_size=0.2, random_state=42)
      # Splitting the remaining 20% equally into validation and test sets
      validation_data, test_data = train_test_split(remaining_data, test_size=0.5, random_state=42)
[51]: train_data.head(10)
      train_data.shape
[51]: (3539, 35)
[52]: validation_data.head(10)
      validation_data.shape
[52]: (442, 35)
[53]: test_data.head(10)
      test_data.shape
[53]: (443, 35)
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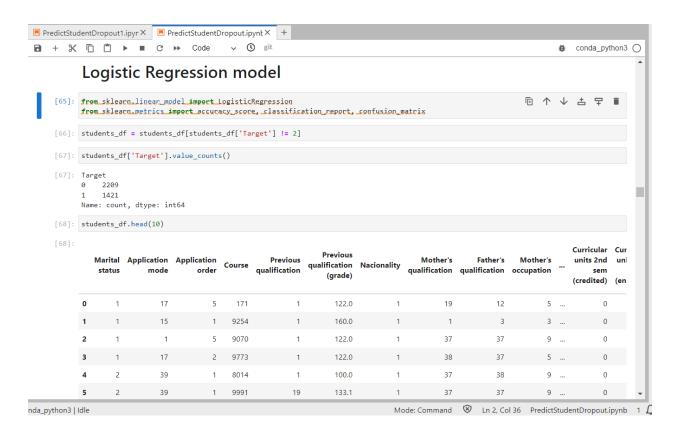
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[54]: # Separating the features and target variable
      X_train = train_data.drop('Target', axis=1)
      y_train = train_data['Target']
      X_val = validation_data.drop('Target', axis=1)
      y_val = validation_data['Target']
      X_test = test_data.drop('Target', axis=1)
      y_test = test_data['Target']
[55]: # Scaling the features
      scaler = StandardScaler()
      X_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
      X_val_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_val)
      X_test_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_test)
[56]: # 2. Creating the Model
      model = Sequential([
          Dense(128, activation='relu'),
          Dense(64, activation='relu'),
          Dense(32, activation='relu'),
Dense(3, activation='softmax') # 3 units for 3 classes
      ])
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      DEVICE: no CUDA-capable device is detected
[57]: #_3. Compiling the Model
      model.compile(optimizer=SGD(learning_rate=0.01),
                    loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy', # Suitable for integer targets
                    metrics=['accuracy'])
[58]: # 4. Training the Model
      history = model.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train, validation_data=(X_val_scaled, y_val), epochs=30, batch_size=32)
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                                         ====] - 0s 3ms/step - loss: 0.4611 - accuracy: 0.8163 - val_loss: 0.5655 - val_accuracy: 0.7851
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          Epoch 30/30
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                               :========] - 0s 4ms/step - loss: 0.4531 - accuracy: 0.8166 - val_loss: 0.5715 - val_accuracy: 0.7828
     [59]: # Extracting the history of training and validation loss and accuracy
          training_loss = history.history['loss']
          validation_loss = history.history['val_loss']
          training_accuracy = history.history['accuracy']
          validation_accuracy = history.history['val_accuracy']
     [60]: epochs = range(1, len(training_loss) + 1)
     [61]: plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
          plt.subplot(1, 2, 1)
          plt.plot(epochs, training_loss, 'bo', label='Training Loss')
          plt.plot(epochs, validation_loss, label='Validation Loss')
          plt.title('Training and Validation Loss')
          plt.xlabel('Epochs')
          plt.ylabel('Loss')
          plt.legend()
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Logistic Regression

- ➤ Initially, we have taken the dataset into a dataframe and then started with the preprocessing for the logistic regression model.
- > We have divided the dataset into two parts, training and validation sets of sizes 80 and 20 percent respectively.
- ➤ Later, we have dropped the rows which belong to the enrolled target variable ,which we are not going to use for our model to predict if a student drops out or not.
- > Then, we have applied feature extraction over all the features by selecting a few out of the bunch given to us from the dataset.
- > From the selected features, which were selected by considering the correlation matrix of all the features as well as the target variable, we convert the nominal data given in an ordinal format into one hot encoding.
- ➤ This adds additional columns to the model which converts a feature ex. Country to multiple columns of countries signifying 1 and 0 for a student to coming from their country and 0 for not (Course feature as well).

- > Then we apply a scalar transformation function over the dataset to flat out the values of all the features to represent a proportionate amount in the values.
- > Now, we will fit the model over the training data and test it over the test set about which we are going to discuss in the evaluation section.

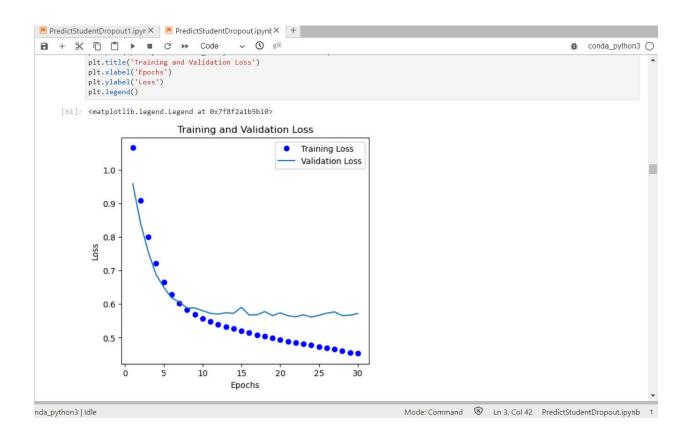


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                              # scaler = MinMaxScaler()
                               # students_df['Age'] = scaler.fit_transform(students_df[['Age']])
                              y = students_df['Target']
          [104]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.1, random_state=72)
          [105]: model = LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000) # Increase the number of iterations as_needed
                               # Fit the model to the training data
                              model.fit(X\_train, y\_train)
                              # Make predictions on the test set
                              y_pred = model.predict(X_test)
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conf_matrix = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
                              classification_rep = classification_report(y_test, y_pred)
                               /home/ec2-user/anaconda3/envs/python3/lib/python3.10/site-packages/sklearn/linear\_model/\_logistic.py: 460: ConvergenceWarning: lbfgs and logistic.py: 460: ConvergenceWarning: 460: Co
                              failed to converge (status=1):
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                              https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/preprocessing.html Please also refer to the documentation for alternative solver options:
                                           https://scikit-learn.org/stable/modules/linear_model.html#logistic-regression
                               n_iter_i = _check_optimize_result(
           [106]: print(f"Accuracy: {accuracy}")
                               print(f"Confusion Matrix:\n{conf_matrix}")
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X = X.drop('Target', axis=1)
y = students_df['Target']
[70]: X.shape
[70]: (3630, 34)
[71]: from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler
       scaler = MinMaxScaler()
       # Fit and transform the features
       X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
[72]: students_df.columns
'Displaced', 'Educational special needs', 'Debtor',
'Tuition fees up to date', 'Gender', 'Scholarship holder',
'Age at enrollment', 'Curricular units 1st sem (credited)',
                'Curricular units 1st sem (enrolled)',
                'Curricular units 1st sem (evaluations)'.
                'Curricular units 1st sem (approved)',
               'Curricular units 1st sem (grade)',
'Curricular units 1st sem (without evaluations)',
                'Curricular units 2nd sem (credited)',
                'Curricular units 2nd sem (enrolled)'
                'Curricular units 2nd sem (evaluations)',
                'Curricular units 2nd sem (approved)',
               'Curricular units 2nd sem (grade)',
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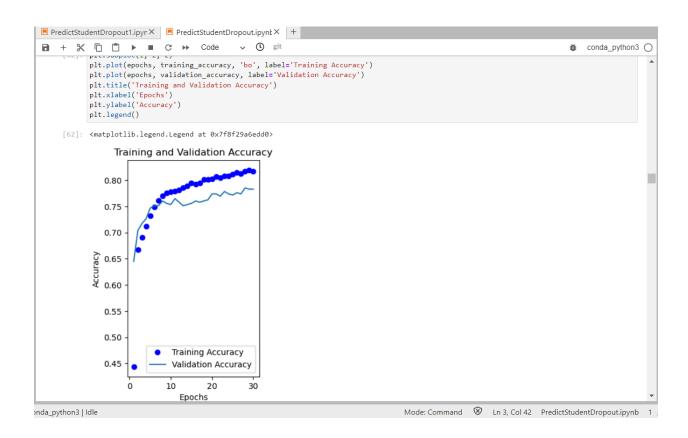
EVALUATION AND VALIDATION:

- Neural Network model with Simple Dense Layers
 - Training and Validation Loss:
 - The training loss decreases sharply and then plateaus, showing the model is learning effectively from the training data.



> Training and Validation Accuracy:

- The training accuracy increases consistently, indicating learning over time.
- The validation accuracy also increases reaching 78.28%, but with some fluctuations, suggesting that the model may not generalize as well to new data.



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   [63]: # Evaluating the model on the validation set
        val_loss, val_accuracy = model.evaluate(X_val_scaled, y_val)
       # Printing the accuracy
       print(f"Validation Accuracy: {val_accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
        Validation Accuracy: 78.28%
   [64]: y_test_pred = model.predict(X_test_scaled)
        # Evaluating the model on the validation set
       test_loss, test_accuracy = model.evaluate(X_test_scaled, y_test)
        # Printing the accuracy
       print(f"Test Accuracy: {test_accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
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> On testing dataset, model achieves an accuracy of 73.81%

Logistic regression model

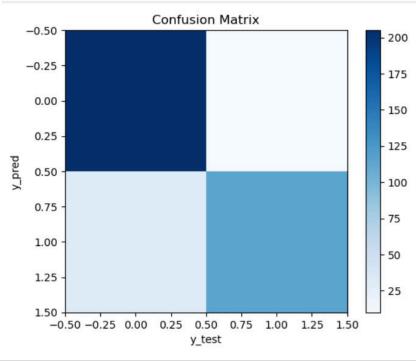
- ➤ The logistic regression model initially performed for an accuracy **88.1**% which needed hyperparameter tuning to increase the accuracy.
- ➤ Here, the confusion matrix has been visualized in the pictures below.
- ➤ Along with it, precision, recall f1-scores of the base model have been put as well.
- The number of observations belonging to the classes True positive, True negative, False positive as well as False negative have been listed.
- > The ROC-curve has been visualized as well in the pictures below.
- > We have obtained an ROC- curve area of **0.87**.
- From the confusion matrix heatmap, we can see that the majority of the observations have been correctly classified in the True positive and the True negative classes. With other two classes having significantly less observations, i.e, False positive as well as false negative classes.

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[106]: print(f"Accuracy: {accuracy}")
       print(f"Confusion Matrix:\n{conf_matrix}")
       print(f"Classification Report:\n{classification_rep}")
       Accuracy: 0.8815426997245179
       Confusion Matrix:
       [[205 10]
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       Classification Report:
                     precision recall f1-score support

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    0.95
    0.91
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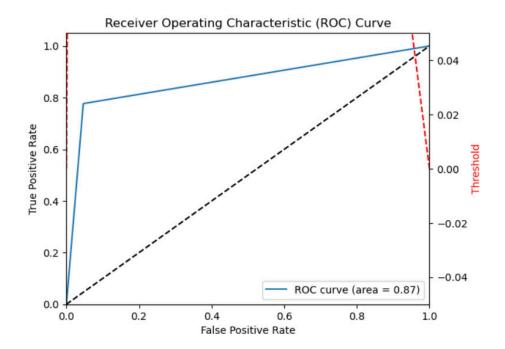
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           accuracy
       macro avg 0.89 0.87 0.87
weighted avg 0.89 0.88 0.88
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[107]: plt.imshow(conf_matrix, cmap="Blues")
       plt.title("Confusion Matrix")
       plt.xlabel("y_test")
       plt.ylabel("y_pred")
       plt.colorbar()
       plt.show()
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[108]: # Extract TP, FP, TN, FN from the confusion matrix
TN = conf_matrix[0][0]
         FP = conf_matrix[0][1]
         FN = conf_matrix[1][0]
         TP = conf_matrix[1][1]
         # Print the values
         print(f"True Positives (TP): {TP}")
print(f"False Positives (FP): {FP}")
print(f"True Negatives (TN): {TN}")
         print(f"False Negatives (FN): {FN}")
         True Positives (TP): 115
         False Positives (FP): 10
         True Negatives (TN): 205
         False Negatives (FN): 33
[109]: from sklearn.metrics import roc_auc_score
         # Assuming test_labels are the true labels and y_pred is the predicted labels
         test_labels = y_test
         target_predicted = y_pred
         # Calculate and print the Validation AUC
validation_auc = roc_auc_score(y_test, y_pred)
print("Validation AUC:", validation_auc)
         Validation AUC: 0.8652576995600251
[110]: from sklearn.metrics import ros_curve, auc
         # Assuming test_labels are the true labels and y_pred is the predicted labels
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[110]: from sklearn.metrics import ros_curve, auc
        # Assuming test_labels are the true labels and y_pred is the predicted labels
       test_labels = y_test
       target_predicted = y_pred
        fpr,\ tpr,\ thresholds\ \verb|=|\ roc_curve|(test_labels,\ target_predicted,\ pos_label=1)
        roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)
       thresholds = np.nan_to_num(thresholds, nan=0, posinf=0, neginf=0)
       # Plot ROC curve
       plt.figure()
       plt.plot(fpr, tpr, label='ROC curve (area = %0.2f)' % (roc_auc))
       plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'k--')
       plt.xlim([0.0, 1.0])
       plt.ylim([0.0, 1.05])
       plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
       plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic (ROC) Curve')
       plt.legend(loc="lower right")
       # Create the axis of thresholds (scores)
       ax2 = plt.gca().twinx()
       ax2.plot(fpr, thresholds, markeredgecolor='r', linestyle='dashed', color='r')
       ax2.set_ylabel('Threshold', color='r')
ax2.set_ylim([thresholds[-1], thresholds[0]])
       ax2.set_xlim([fpr[0], fpr[-1]])
       plt.show()
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HYPERPARAMETER TUNING:

Random Forest Classifier:

- ➤ The Random Forest model is used to perform classification on the dataset which requires hyperparameter tuning to get higher accuracy.
- ➤ The tuning is done using RandomizedSearchCV because it is a randomized search over a specified parameter distribution which works better for this model.
- ➤ After performing hyperparameter tuning the accuracy increased to 91.05%.

HyperParameter Tuning Random Forest Classisfier [111]: from sklearn.model_selection_import_train_test_split from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score from sklearn.model_selection import RandomizedSearchCV from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder □ ↑ ↓ 古 〒 盲 [112]: # Assuming the target variable is named 'Target' X = students_df.drop('Target', axis=1) y = students_df['Target'] [130]: # Split the data into training and validation sets X_train, X_val, y_train, y_val = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=32) [131]: # Define the Random Forest classifier rf_classifier = RandomForestClassifier() [132]: # Define hyperparameter grid for RandomizedSearchCV param_dist = { 'n_estimators': [50, 100, 200, 300], 'max_depth': [None, 10, 20, 30], 'min_samples_split': [2, 5, 10], 'min_samples_leaf': [1, 2, 4] [133]: # Use RandomizedSearchCV for hyperparameter tuning random search = RandomizedSearchCV(rf classifier, param distributions=param dist, n_iter=10, scoring='accuracy', cv=5, n_iobs=-1, ye

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               'max_depth': [None, 10, 20, 30], 'min_samples_split': [2, 5, 10],
               'min_samples_leaf': [1, 2, 4]
   [133]: # Use RandomizedSearchCV for hyperparameter tuning
           random_search = RandomizedSearchCV(rf_classifier, param_distributions=param_dist,_p_iter=10,_scoring='accuracy',_cv=5,_n_jobs=-1,_v/
   [134]: # Fit the model to the training data
           random_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
           Fitting 5 folds for each of 10 candidates, totalling 50 fits
                   RandomizedSearchCV
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                 ▶ RandomForestClassifier
   [135]: # Get the best model from the search
           best_rf_model = random_search.best_estimator_
   [136]: # Evaluate the best model on the validation set
           y_val_pred = best_rf_model.predict(X_val)
           accuracy = accuracy_score(y_val, y_val_pred)
   [137]: # Print the best hyperparameters and accuracy
           print("Best Hyperparameters:", random_search.best_params_)
           print(f"Test Accuracy: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
           Best Hyperparameters: {'n_estimators': 300, 'min_samples_split': 2, 'min_samples_leaf': 1, 'max_depth': 20}
           Test Accuracy: 91.05%
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Logistic regression model:

- ➤ The logistic regression model initially performed for an accuracy **88.1**% which needed hyperparameter tuning to increase the accuracy.
- ➤ The GridSearchCV from AWS is used for logistic regression because it performs an exhaustive search over all possible combinations of hyperparameters to find the best combination.
- After performing hyperparameter tuning the accuracy increased to 91.71%.
- > Below all the steps taken to achieve this have been shown below.

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Logistic Regression
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             [138]: from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
                               from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
                               from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
                               from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
                               from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
            [139]: # Assuming the target variable is named 'Target'
X = students_df.drop('Target', axis=1)
                              y = students_df['Target']
             [140]: # Split the data into training and validation sets
                              X_train, X_val, y_train, y_val = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=32)
             [141]: # Define the logistic regression model
                               model = LogisticRegression()
                               model.fit(X_train, y_train)
                               /home/ec2-user/anaconda3/envs/python3/lib/python3.10/site-packages/sklearn/linear\_model/\_logistic.py: 460: ConvergenceWarning: lbfgs = 1.00 to 1.00 
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                                    n_iter_i = _check_optimize_result(
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                              LogisticRegression()
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[142]: # Define the hyperparameter grid for GridSearchCV
param_grid = {
        'logistic_penalty': ['l1', 'l2'],
        'logistic_C': [0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1, 10, 100],
        'logistic_fit_intercept': [True, False],
        'logistic_solver': ['liblinear', 'saga']
}

[143]: # Define the pipeline
pipeline = Pipeline(steps=[('logistic', model)])

[145]: # Perform grid search cross-validation
grid_search = GridSearchCV(pipeline, param_grid=param_grid, cv=5, n_jobs=-1, verbose=1)
grid_search.fit(X_train, y_train)

Fitting 5 folds for each of 48 candidates, totalling 240 fits
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[146]: # Get the best model from the search
       best_model = grid_search.best_estimator
[147]: # Evaluate the best model on the validation set
       y_val_pred = model.predict(X_val)
       accuracy = accuracy_score(y_val, y_val_pred)
       print(f"Accuracy before hyperparameter tuning: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
       Accuracy before hyperparameter tuning: 84.44%
[148]: # Fit the best model to the entire dataset
       best_model.fit(X, y)
[148]: Pipeline
       ▶ LogisticRegression
[153]: # Make predictions on the entire dataset
       y_pred = best_model.predict(X)
[155]: # Evaluate the best model on the entire dataset
       accuracy = accuracy_score(y, y_pred)
       print(f"Accuracy after hyperparameter tuning: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
       Accuracy after hyperparameter tuning: 91.71%
```

CONCLUSION:

As we explored different approaches to our project like using Simple Dense layers and Logistic regression, Logistic regression got more accuracy of **88.1**%. After hyperparameter tuning it increased to **91**%. Logistic regression is computationally less intensive compared to training neural networks, especially deep neural networks. If we have limited resources, logistic regression may be a more practical choice.

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