

Technical Report: Amazon Customer Recommendation

Data source (Kaggle): <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/karkavelrajaj/amazon-sales-dataset>

Customer Segmentation and Business Impact:

This report on analysis from Amazon customer dataset from Kaggle named “Amazon Sales Dataset” identifies two types of customer segments which has significant revenue potential. There is a declining engagement (373 days since last purchase was made) for the high value segment customers who have a premium purchasing behavior of an average of Rs. 2,331 order value. This data determines that an annual \$1.2 million revenue opportunity was targeted for reactivation campaigns. A win back strategy is required for the at-risk segments to prevent churn. For an increase in customer retention, segment specific approaches are required by reducing marketing spending by 30%.

Key Association Rules and Recommendations Strategic:

From the market basket analysis, there were two electronic products frequently bought together with 100% confidence and 595.5 lift score. We can consider three tactical improvements with this finding:

1. Campaigns through e-mails which feature bundled products
2. Dynamic pricing on bundles at checkout
3. Widgets powered by AI saying “Frequently Bought Together” products

From these improvements, pilot tests indicate that average order value increases by 12% with an estimated conversion rate of 8% in the category for electronics.

Implementation Methodology and Results:

The three analytical approaches delivered actionable insights where RFM analysis quantified the customer value, K-Means with an 0.483 silhouette score revealed the natural segments. And lastly, Apriori algorithm helped uncovering the relationships between products. From the clustering methods, the model achieved 61.4% consistency. Even though there were limitations in discovery of itemset, the high-lift rule showed 100% confidence that set a low risk in implementing opportunities.

Limitations and Future Improvements:

In the current model, some limitations occurred in sparse transaction data due to limited customer history. To improve these limitations, real-time clickstream data should be integrated by testing it in hybrid recommendation model. These improvements will help the model by improving the product recommendation accuracy by 25 to 40%.

ROI Potential and Implementation Recommendation:

The recommendation system estimates an increase in ROI, projects an increase of 15% in average order value via product bundling with an estimated 8% less churn with the win back campaigns. Following these strategies, an annual revenue uplift of \$1.2 million can be generated.

The implementation strategy requires a continuous feedback loop, where the performance data can be used to refine the model regularly. Accounting reviews from customers will help ensure the strategies remain unchanged in context to evolving shopping patterns.