Risk Assessment For HELOC Application

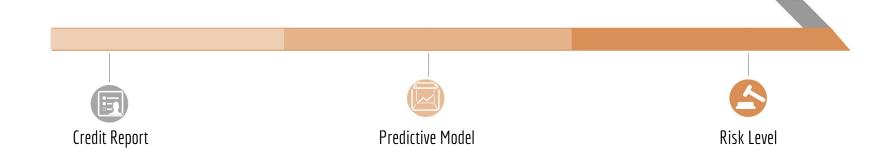
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Home Equity Line of Credit







Data overview

- 23 features
- 10,000+ Observations
- Each feature attempting to explain potential risk to banks
- Some strange values such as -9,-8,-7
 which are arbitrary placeholders
- Used pipeline to eliminate -9, and change all values of -8 and -7 to the mean of their respective feature

| | ExternalRiskEstimate | MSinceOldestTradeOpen |
|-------|----------------------|-----------------------|
| count | 10459.000000 | 10459.000000 |
| mean | 67.425758 | 184.205373 |
| std | 21.121621 | 109.683816 |
| min | -9.000000 | -9.000000 |
| 25% | 63.000000 | 118.000000 |
| 50% | 71.000000 | 178.000000 |
| 75% | 79.000000 | 249.500000 |
| max | 94.000000 | 803.000000 |

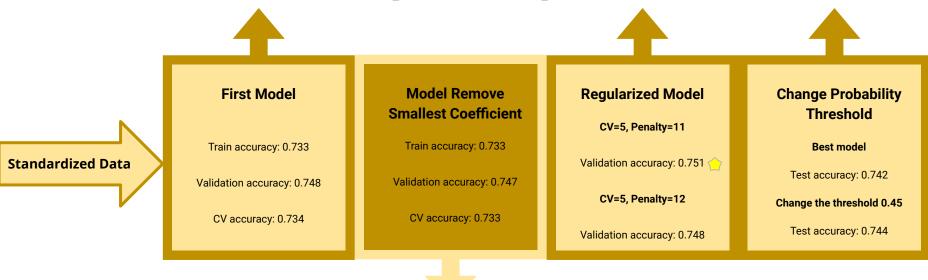
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Models We Tried

- K-Nearest Neighbors
 - Hyperparameters: n_neighbors, weights, algorithm, leaf_size, p
- Decision Tree
 - max_depth, min_samples_leaf, max_leaf_nodes
- Random Forests
 - n_estimators, max_depth, min_samples_leaf, max_leaf_nodes
- AdaBoost
 - n_estimators, random_state, learning_rate
- Logistic Regression
 - cs, cv, random_state, penalty, solver
- SVC
 - max_iter, random_state

| Model Names | Training Accuracy | Validation Accuracy | Test Accuracy |
|------------------------|-------------------|---------------------|---------------|
| SVC | 0.67 | 0.696 | 0.584 |
| K-Nearest Neighbors | 0.723 | 0.721 | 0.705 |
| Decision Tree | 0.72 | 0.72 | 0.707 |
| AdaBoost | 0.746 | 0.751 | 0.717 |
| Random Forest | 0.75 | 0.734 | 0.719 |
| Logistic Regression | 0.751 | 0.748 | 0.742 |

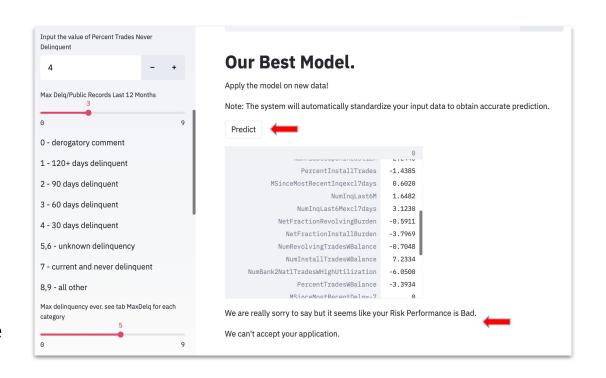
Our Best Model - Logistic Regression



Recall = 0.815
The recall is the ability of the classifier to find all the bad risk performance.

Assessment System

- An interactive interface.
- Sales representatives in a bank/credit card company can use to <u>decide on</u> <u>accepting or rejecting</u> <u>applications.</u>
- Users only need to master basic technical or computer skills.
- Users can <u>easily interpret</u>
 <u>the predictions</u> made by the model.



Thanks