

Summary

Process

Data Cleaning:

- **Reduced Dataset:** Trimmed from 37 columns and 9,240 rows to 10 columns and 6,300 rows.
- **Handled Null Values:** Removed rows with missing data.
- **Eliminated Non-Essential Columns:** Dropped columns with little impact or no selections by leads.
- **Dropped Redundant Variables:** Removed columns where one variable had a much higher percentage.
- **Addressed Outliers:** Treated extreme values in numeric columns to maintain data quality.

Data Processing:

- **Dummy Variable Creation:** Dummy variables were generated for categorical columns.
- **Data Scaling:** Numeric columns like '**TotalVisits**', '**Page Views Per Visit**' and '**Total Time Spent on Website**' were scaled using Min-Max Scaler to normalize values and improve model performance.
- **Train-Test Split:** The dataset was split into training and testing sets with a ratio of 70:30, ensuring a robust evaluation of the model's performance.

Data modelling :

- **Post-Processing Columns:** The dataset was reduced to 55 columns after initial data processing.
- **Automated Feature Selection:** Recursive Feature Elimination (RFE) was used to identify the top 15 most important variables.
- Variables were further refined using **statsmodels**, focusing on those with a p-value less than 0.05 and a Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) not exceeding 5.
- This process resulted in the selection of 12 key features from the top 15.
- **Model Development:** Four models were prepared during the manual selection phase, ensuring a robust evaluation of the most critical features.

Model Evaluation:

- **Probability Prediction:** The model was used to predict probabilities on the training set.
- **Cutoff Threshold:** A cutoff value of 0.5 was applied to classify the predictions. Probabilities above 0.5 were considered as **converted (1)**, and those below 0.5 were classified as **not converted (0)**.

Finding Optimal CutOff:

- **Metrics Calculation:** Specificity, sensitivity, and accuracy were calculated over a range of cutoff values to evaluate the model's performance.
- **Plotting Results:** The results were plotted to visualize how these metrics varied with different cutoff thresholds.
- **Optimal Cutoff:** The optimal cutoff threshold was determined to be **0.42**, balancing the model's ability to correctly classify leads while minimizing errors.

Predicting Test set using model:

- **Accuracy:** The model achieved an accuracy of **0.788**, indicating the proportion of correctly classified leads out of the total leads.
- **Precision:** The precision was **0.789**, reflecting the proportion of true positives among the predicted positives.
- **Recall:** The recall was **0.783**, showing the proportion of true positives identified out of the actual positives.

Recommendations based on Insights:

- **Enhance Visibility of the Lead Add Form:** Improve placement and accessibility to capture more high-converting leads.
- **Optimize Marketing on Key Sources:** Allocate resources to enhance visibility on Google, Reference, and the Welingak Website.
- **Focus on High-Interest Activities:** Implement targeted follow-up strategies for leads with SMS Sent and Email Opened.
- **Target Hot Specializations:** Customize marketing and outreach efforts for the identified high-potential specializations.
- **Address Working Professionals:** Develop specialized programs and highlight benefits that align with the career needs of working professionals.