CHURN PREDICTION PROJECT

1.0 Business Overview:

1.1 Business Undertanding:

Our company offers telecommunication service to customers spread across various location, the customers enjoy diverse billing tariffs and subscription packages.

The company has been faced with significant drop in revenue despite implementing strategies to grow the customer base.

Management is concerned about the customer churn and is seeking understanding of the customer behaviours to adopt proactive strategies to retain them at minimal cost.

1.2 Business Objectives:

The aim of this review is to design a data driven model to help identify the factors that influence customers to exit the company.

The model will also support the company management to identify customers who are likely to eiti.

The company management will then design initiatives targeting the possible exits to retain the such as offering promotions, reviewing qulaity of customer service touch point.

1.3 Model Success Metrics:

The prediction model should be able to capture atleat 85% of all the cutomers who churn(Recall of 85%). The model should be have a high ability to exclude false postives and false negatives achieving an F1 score of atleast 85%.

The project should also identify features that influence customer churn.

2.0 Data Understanding:

The project was underaken using SyriaTel Customer Churn data that can be accessed from the below link: https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/becksddf/churn-in-telecoms-dataset

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In [1]:
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#loading required python modues:
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix, classification_report
from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
from sklearn import tree
import numpy as np
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve, auc
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE
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In [2]:
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#loading the data:
df=pd.read_csv('bigml_59c28831336c6604c800002a.csv')
df.head()
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Out[2]:

	state	account length		phone number	international plan	voice mail plan	number vmail messages	day	day	total day charge	 total eve calls	total eve charge	•	total night calls	ı ch
0	KS	128	415	382- 4657	no	yes	25	265.1	110	45.07	 99	16.78	244.7	91	
1	ОН	107	415	371- 7191	no	yes	26	161.6	123	27.47	 103	16.62	254.4	103	
2	NJ	137	415	358- 1921	no	no	0	243.4	114	41.38	 110	10.30	162.6	104	
3	ОН	84	408	375- 9999	yes	no	0	299.4	71	50.90	 88	5.26	196.9	89	
4	ок	75	415	330- 6626	yes	no	0	166.7	113	28.34	 122	12.61	186.9	121	

5 rows × 21 columns

In [3]:

#viewing the data types and confirming if there are missing values: df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'> RangeIndex: 3333 entries, 0 to 3332 Data columns (total 21 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	state	3333 non-null	object
1	account length	3333 non-null	int64
2	area code	3333 non-null	int64
3	phone number	3333 non-null	object
4	international plan	3333 non-null	object
5	voice mail plan	3333 non-null	object
6	number vmail messages	3333 non-null	int64
7	total day minutes	3333 non-null	float64
8	total day calls	3333 non-null	int64
9	total day charge	3333 non-null	float64
10	total eve minutes	3333 non-null	float64
11	total eve calls	3333 non-null	int64
12	total eve charge	3333 non-null	float64
13	total night minutes	3333 non-null	float64
14	total night calls	3333 non-null	int64
15	total night charge	3333 non-null	float64
16	total intl minutes	3333 non-null	float64
17	total intl calls	3333 non-null	int64
18	total intl charge	3333 non-null	float64
19	customer service calls	3333 non-null	int64
20	churn	3333 non-null	bool
dtyp	es: bool(1), float64(8),	int64(8), objec	t(4)
memo	ry usage: 524.2+ KB		

The data has 20 columns with 3333 entries each. It has no missing values.

There are string, boleans and numeric data types.

The data has informantion about the company customers summarised as follows:

Customer static data:

state

area code

phone number

Customer Product subscription data:

international plan

voice mail nlan

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customer service calls
customer status: Churn
In [4]:
 #**Identifying varibale types in the data: **
 df.dtypes
Out[4]:
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total intl charge float64
customer service calls int64
churn
churn
                                           bool
dtype: object
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Categorical varibales such as: (state, Voice mail plan, international plan)
Discrete numberic variables such as: (number vmail messages, customer service calls)
Conitinous varibales such as:(total day charge,total day calls)
In [5]:
 # checking for missing data
 df.isnull ().sum()
Out[5]:
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total intl charge
customer service calls
churn
dtype: int64
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The data has no misisng values .All the colums have data.

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In [6]:
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# checking the disbribution of customers by churn
df['churn'].value_counts()
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Out[6]:
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churn False 2850 True 483

Name: count, dtype: int64

As seen above only 483 of the 3,333 customers churned. The data is thus not evely distributed.

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In [7]:
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#creating total charges :
df['total_charges']=(df['total day charge']+df['total eve charge']+df['total night charg
e']+df['total intl charge'])
df.head()
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Out[7]:

	state	account length		phone number	international plan	voice mail plan	number vmail messages	total day minutes	total day calls	total day charge	 total eve charge	total night minutes	total night calls	total night charge
0	KS	128	415	382- 4657	no	yes	25	265.1	110	45.07	 16.78	244.7	91	11.01
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2	NJ	137	415	358- 1921	no	no	0	243.4	114	41.38	 10.30	162.6	104	7.32
3	ОН	84	408	375- 9999	yes	no	0	299.4	71	50.90	 5.26	196.9	89	8.86
4	ОК	75	415	330- 6626	yes	no	0	166.7	113	28.34	 12.61	186.9	121	8.41

5 rows × 22 columns

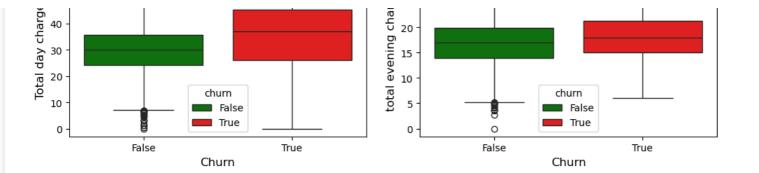
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2.1 Visualizing churn by feaures:

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In [8]:
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fig,axis=plt.subplots(3,2,figsize=(10,10))
sns.boxplot(x='churn', y='customer service calls', data=df, ax=axis[0, 0],hue='churn',pa
lette={True:'red',False:'green'})
axis[0,0].set_title ('Customer service calls by churn',fontsize=14)
axis[0,0].set_xlabel('Churn',fontsize=12)
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axis[0,0].set_ylabel('No of customer service calls',fontsize=12)
sns.boxplot(x='churn', y='total night charge', data=df, ax=axis[0, 1], hue='churn', palett
e={True: 'red', False: 'green'})
axis[0,1].set title ('Distribution of night charge by churn',fontsize=14)
axis[0,1].set xlabel('Churn', fontsize=12)
axis[0,1].set ylabel('Total night charge', fontsize=12)
sns.boxplot(x='churn', y='total charges', data=df, ax=axis[1, 0], hue='churn', palette={Tr
ue:'red',False:'green'})
axis[1,0].set title ('Distribution of Total charge by churn',fontsize=14)
axis[1,0].set xlabel('Churn', fontsize=12)
axis[1,0].set_ylabel('Total charge', fontsize=12)
sns.boxplot(x='churn', y='total day charge', data=df, ax=axis[2, 0], hue='churn', palette=
{True: 'red', False: 'green'})
axis[2,0].set title ('Distribution of Total day charge by churn',fontsize=14)
axis[2,0].set_xlabel('Churn',fontsize=12)
axis[2,0].set ylabel('Total day charge',fontsize=12)
sns.boxplot(x='churn', y='total eve charge', data=df, ax=axis[2, 1], hue='churn', palette=
{True: 'red', False: 'green'})
axis[2,1].set title ('Distribution of total evening charge by churn',fontsize=14)
axis[2,1].set xlabel('Churn', fontsize=12)
axis[2,1].set ylabel('total evening charge', fontsize=12)
sns.boxplot(x='churn', y='total intl charge', data=df, ax=axis[1, 1], hue='churn', palette
={True: 'red', False: 'green'})
axis[1,1].set title ('Distribution of total international charge by churn',fontsize=14)
axis[1,1].set xlabel('Churn', fontsize=12)
axis[1,1].set ylabel('total intl charge', fontsize=12)
plt.tight layout()
plt.show()
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We note that:

Customers who churned had received a higher customer service calls than those who remained.

Customers who exited experienced similar night charges to those who remained. Night charges may not have a higher influence on churn.

Churners were experienced relatively higher total charges than those who did not exit.

Customers who exited experienced similar international charges to those who remained. International charges may not have a higher influence on churn.

Churners experienced higher day time charges than non churners.

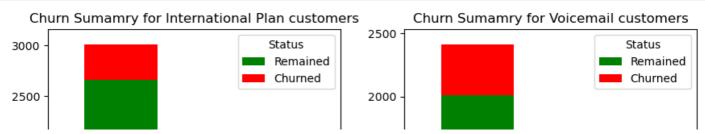
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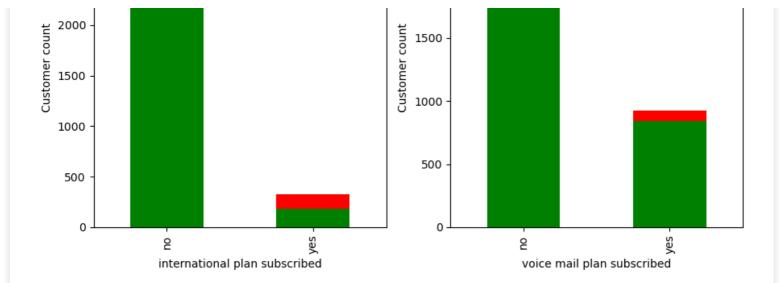
2.2 Visualizing churn by products

In [9]:

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#Summary of churn churn and non churn by products:
#Summary by Intertnational plan:
int_churn_summary=df.groupby(['international plan','churn']).size().unstack(fill_value=0)
int_churn_summary.columns=['Remained','Churned']
#int_churn_summary
#Summary by Voice mail plan:
Voicemail_churn_summary=df.groupby(['voice mail plan','churn']).size().unstack(fill_value=0)
Voicemail_churn_summary.columns=['Remained','Churned']
#Voicemail_churn_summary
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In [10]:





We note that:

Most customers were not on international plan.

In both international and non international plan, more customers were reatined compared to those that exited. There were less customers on voice mail plan compared to those that were not subscribed to voice mail plan. In both cases under voice mail plan, less customers exited.

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In [11]:
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#Creating logistic model:
#Our Target
            is churn:
X=df.drop(['churn','phone number'],axis=1) #dropping target and phone number
y=df['churn']
#Splitting data to tain and test:
X train, X test, y train, y test=train test split(X, y, test size=0.2, random state=42)
#Encoding categorical features in the data using OHE:
encoder=OneHotEncoder(drop='first', sparse output=False)
#Fititng and transforming training data:
X train encoded=encoder.fit transform(X train[['international plan','voice mail plan','st
X train encoded df=pd.DataFrame(X train encoded, columns=encoder.get feature names out(['
international plan','voice mail plan','state']))
#X train encoded df.head(2)
#Transforming the test data:
X test encoded=encoder.transform(X test[['international plan','voice mail plan','state']
X test encoded df=pd.DataFrame(X test encoded,columns=encoder.get feature names out(['in
ternational plan','voice mail plan','state']))
X_train_encoded_df.reset_index(drop=True,inplace=True)
#Dropping the categorical features after encoding:
X_train.drop(['international plan','voice mail plan','state'],axis=1,inplace=True)
X test.drop(['international plan','voice mail plan','state'],axis=1,inplace=True)
X train.dropna(inplace=True)
X test.dropna(inplace=True)
#Combining the original with encoded data
X train final=pd.concat([X train.reset index(drop=True), X train encoded df],axis=1)
X test final=pd.concat([X test.reset index(drop=True), X test encoded df],axis=1)
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3.0 Modelling:

3.1 Base Logisting Regression Modelling:

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In [12]:
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#Model initializing:
model1=LogisticRegression(max_iter=7000,)
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#Fitting triaing data in the model:
model1.fit(X_train_final,y_train)
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Out[12]:

▼ LogisticRegression ⁱ

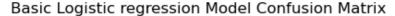
LogisticRegression(max iter=7000)

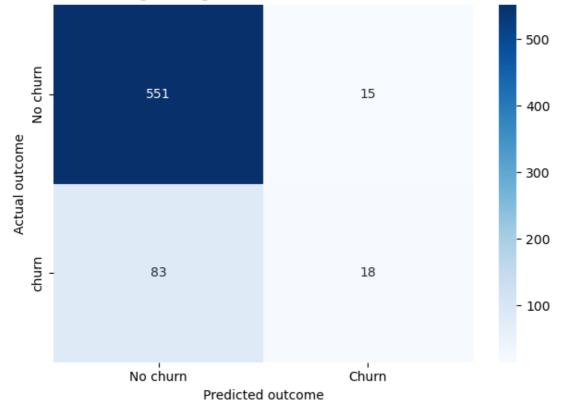
In [13]:

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#Predicting using the base model:
y_pred_model1=model1.predict(X_test_final)
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In [14]:

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#Visualizing the confudion matrix of the outcome:
cm=confusion_matrix(y_test,y_pred_model1)
#plotting the cm
sns.heatmap(cm,annot=True,fmt='d',cmap='Blues',xticklabels=['No churn','Churn'], ytickla
bels=['No churn','churn'])
plt.title('Basic Logistic regression Model Confusion Matrix')
plt.xlabel('Predicted outcome')
plt.ylabel('Actual outcome')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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We note that:

The model precicted 18 chruners correctly.

It also predicted 551 non churners correctly.

It predcted that 83 customers would not chrun but they actulaly churned.

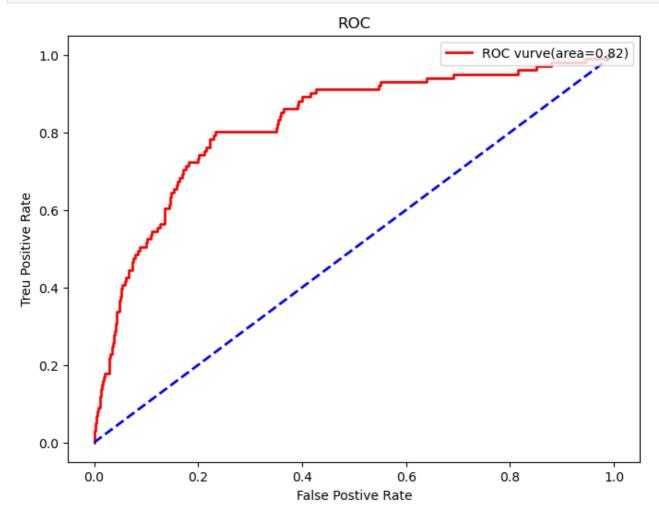
It predicted that 15 customers would churn but they did not churn.

In [15]:

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#Visualizing the ROC curve:
#Computing probabilities:
y_prob_model1=model1.predict_proba(X_test_final)[:,1]
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In [16]:

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#ROC curve visulaization:
fpr,tpr,thresholds=roc_curve(y_test,y_prob_model1)
roc_auc=auc(fpr,tpr)
plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
plt.plot(fpr,tpr,color='red',lw=2,label=f'ROC vurve(area={roc_auc:.2f})')
plt.plot([0,1],[0,1],color='blue',lw=2,linestyle='--')
plt.xlabel('False Postive Rate')
plt.ylabel('Treu Positive Rate')
plt.title('ROC')
plt.legend(loc='upper right')
plt.show()
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In [17]:

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#Base model classification report
report_model1=classification_report(y_test,y_pred_model1)
print(f"Basic Logistic Regression Model Confusion Matrix report:\n{report_model1}")
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Basic Logistic Regression Model Confusion Matrix report:

precision recall fl-score support

	brecision	recarr	II-SCOLE	Support
False	0.87	0.97	0.92	566
True	0.55	0.18	0.27	101
accuracy			0.85	667
macro avg	0.71	0.58	0.59	667
weighted avg	0.82	0.85	0.82	667

The model was 85% accurate.

The model is correct 87% of the time in predicting non churners .

It has a lower capacity to correctly predict churners since it is only accurate 55% of the time.

Of all the customers who churned, the model only predicted 18%.

The base model has thus scored poorly on its ability to be relied upon by the compnay to correctly predict churners.

The modle has a higher F1 score of 92% in predicitg non churners.

It is not performing well when predicting churners for the company to use

it to their perferming their triber producting entanties of the company to does

The model has a good ability to distinguish between churners and non churners at AUC value of 0.82

The model has not met our success criteria. It not suitable but needs improvements .

3.1 Improved Logisting Regression Modelling:

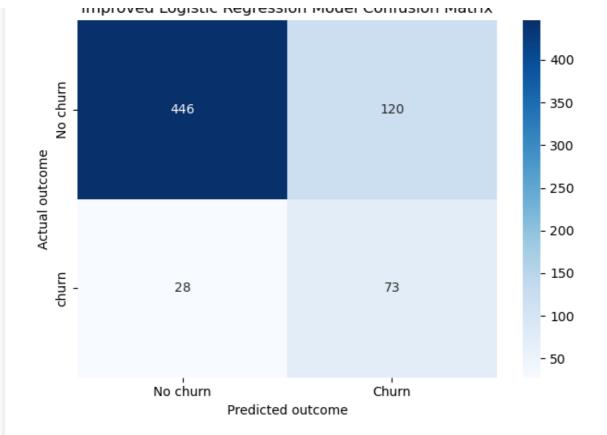
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In [18]:
# checking the disbribution of customers by churn
df['churn'].value counts()
Out[18]:
churn
False
        2850
         483
True
Name: count, dtype: int64
The data has class imbalance. It has less churners.
To improve the model we will adopt SMOTE method to handle class imbalances.
We shall also apply standardization of the data using standard scaler
In [19]:
# Scaling and transforming the data:
scaler=StandardScaler()
X train scaled=scaler.fit_transform(X_train_final)
X test scaled=scaler.transform(X test final)
In [20]:
#applying SMOTE on training data:
smote=SMOTE(random state=42)
X train bal, y train bal=smote.fit resample(X train scaled, y train)
In [21]:
#training the model after balancing the data:
model2=LogisticRegression()
model2.fit(X train bal, y train bal)
Out[21]:
   LogisticRegression i ?
LogisticRegression()
In [22]:
#Predicting:
y pred model2=model2.predict(X test scaled)
In [23]:
#Visualizing the confusion matrix of the model2:
cm=confusion matrix(y test,y pred model2)
#plotting the cm
sns.heatmap(cm,annot=True,fmt='d',cmap='Blues',xticklabels=['No churn','Churn'], ytickla
bels=['No churn','churn'])
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plt.title('Improved Logistic Regression Model Confusion Matrix')

plt.xlabel('Predicted outcome')
plt.ylabel('Actual outcome')

plt.tight layout()

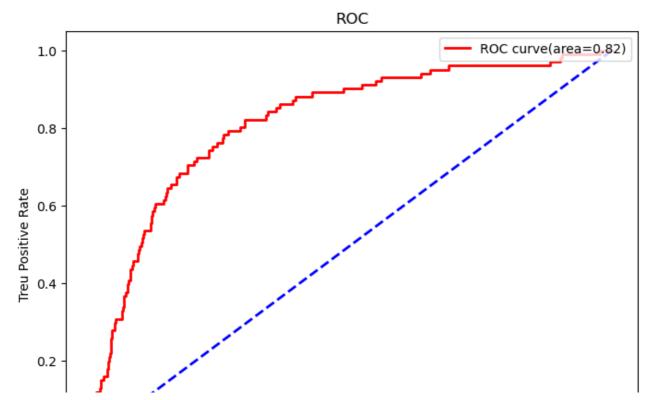
plt.show()



Improved model has correctly predicted 73 churners and 446 non churners .

In [24]:

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#Visualizing the ROC curve of the improved Logistic Regression model
#Computing probabilities:
y_prob_model2=model2.predict_proba(X_test_scaled)[:,1]
fpr,tpr,thresholds=roc_curve(y_test,y_prob_model2)
roc_auc2=auc(fpr,tpr)
plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
plt.plot(fpr,tpr,color='red',lw=2,label=f'ROC curve(area={roc_auc2:.2f})')
plt.plot([0,1],[0,1],color='blue',lw=2,linestyle='--')
plt.xlabel('False Postive Rate')
plt.ylabel('Treu Positive Rate')
plt.title('ROC')
plt.legend(loc='upper right')
plt.show()
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The model still has a good ability to distnguish between churners and non churners at AUC value of 0.82

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In [25]:
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#model 2 perfromance evalaution:
report_model2=classification_report(y_test,y_pred_model2)
#classification report:
print(f"Improved Logistic Regression Model Confusion Matrix report:\n{report_model2}")
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Improved Logistic Regression Model Confusion Matrix report:

	precision	recall	II-score	support
False True	0.94 0.38	0.79 0.72	0.86 0.50	566 101
accuracy			0.78	667
macro avg	0.66	0.76	0.68	667
weighted avg	0.86	0.78	0.80	667

Overall accuracy had declined to 78% from 85% in the base model.

The accuracy in predicting non churners has declined to 79% from 87% in the base model.

The ability to correctly predict churners has improved to 72% from 18%.

The f1 score has in predicting churners has improved to 50% from 27% in the base model.

Overall the standardised model has performed better in predicting churners than the base model.

The model has not met our threshold of 85% on recall and f1 score

3.1 Base Decision Tree Modelling:

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In [26]:
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#initiating the model:
model3=DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)
model3.fit(X_train_final,y_train)
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Out[26]:

▼ DecisionTreeClassifier ⁱ?

DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)

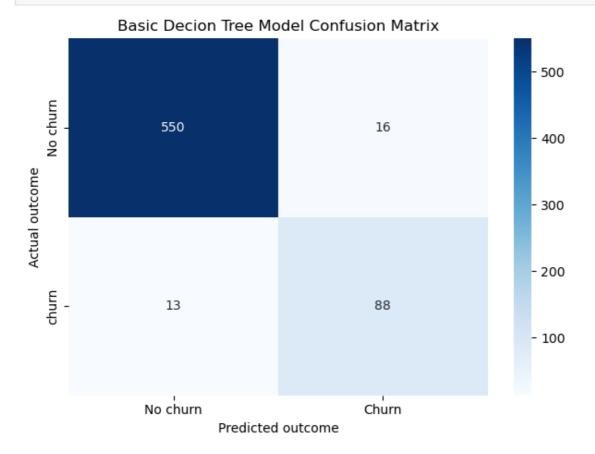
In [27]:

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#predicting using the model:
y_pred_model3=model3.predict(X_test_final)
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In [28]:

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#Visualizing the confusion matrix of the model3:
cm=confusion_matrix(y_test,y_pred_model3)
#plotting the cm
sns.heatmap(cm,annot=True,fmt='d',cmap='Blues',xticklabels=['No churn','Churn'], ytickla
bels=['No churn','churn'])
plt.title('Basic Decion Tree Model Confusion Matrix')
plt.xlabel('Predicted outcome')
plt.ylabel('Actual outcome')
plt.tight_layout()
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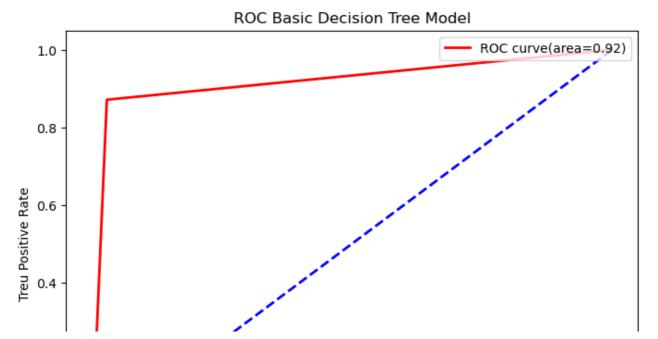


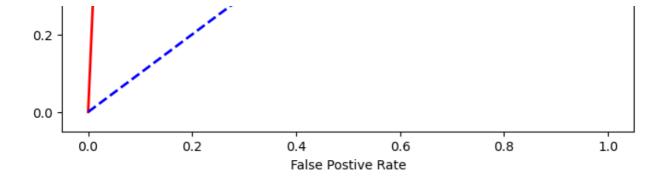


The model has correctly predicted 88 churners. It has correctly predicted 550 non churners.

In [29]:

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#Visualizing the ROC curve of the base decisionTree:
#Computing probabilities:
y_prob_model3=model3.predict_proba(X_test_final)[:,1]
fpr,tpr,thresholds=roc_curve(y_test,y_prob_model3)
roc_auc2=auc(fpr,tpr)
plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
plt.plot(fpr,tpr,color='red',lw=2,label=f'ROC curve(area={roc_auc2:.2f})')
plt.plot([0,1],[0,1],color='blue',lw=2,linestyle='--')
plt.xlabel('False Postive Rate')
plt.ylabel('Treu Positive Rate')
plt.title('ROC Basic Decision Tree Model')
plt.legend(loc='upper right')
plt.show()
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Based on the AUC value of 0.92. the model shows a very stong ability to distinguish between churners and non churners.

In [30]:

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#evaluating the model performance
report_model3=classification_report(y_test,y_pred_model3)
print(report_model3)
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	precision	recall	f1-score	support
False True	0.98 0.85	0.97 0.87	0.97 0.86	566 101
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.91 0.96	0.92 0.96	0.96 0.92 0.96	667 667 667

Overall accuracy has improved to 96% compared to 78% in the improved regression model and 85% in the base regression model.

The accuracy in predicting non churners has inceased to 98%.

The ability to correctly predict churners has improved 87% compared to 72% in improved Regression model and 18% in base regression model.

The f1 score has in predicting churners has improved to 87% compared to 50% in improved regression model and 27% in the base model.

Overall the base decion tree model has a higher value to the compnay than both of the logistic regression models in predicting customer churn.

The model has met both our recall and f1 scores hence it is suitable for our churn prediction

3.2 Improved Decision Tree Modelling:

In theis case the model has been enahnced to select the best parameters using gridsearch to tune.

In [31]:

In [32]:

```
#Initailizing the improved model:
model4=DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)
grid_search=GridSearchCV(estimator=model4,param_grid=param_grid,cv=5,scoring='recall_mac
ro',n_jobs=-1,verbose=1)
```

```
#fitting the model:
grid_search.fit(X_train_final,y_train)
```

Fitting 5 folds for each of 800 candidates, totalling 4000 fits

Out[33]:

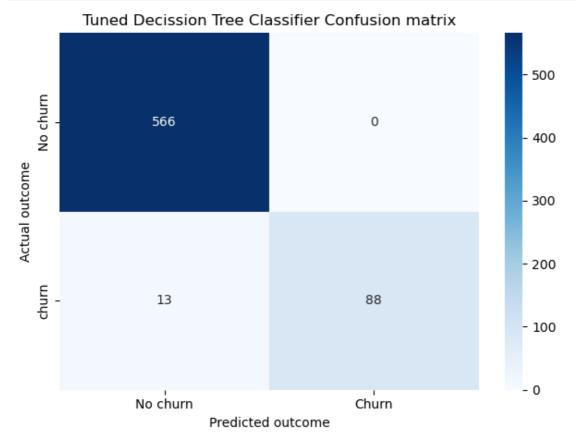
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In [34]:

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best_model=grid_search.best_estimator_
y_pred_best=best_model.predict(X_test_final)
```

In [35]:

```
#Visualizing the confusion matrix:
cm=confusion_matrix(y_test,y_pred_best)
#plotting the cm
sns.heatmap(cm,annot=True,fmt='d',cmap='Blues',xticklabels=['No churn','Churn'], ytickla
bels=['No churn','churn'])
plt.title('Tuned Decission Tree Classifier Confusion matrix')
plt.xlabel('Predicted outcome')
plt.ylabel('Actual outcome')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



The model has correctly predicted 88churners.

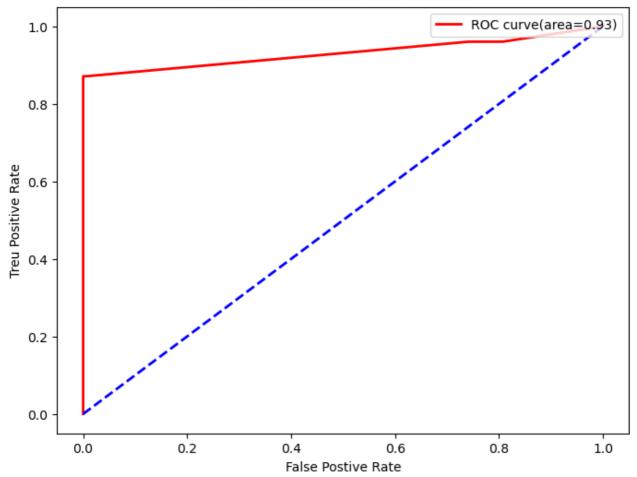
The model has correctly predicted 566 non churners.

In [36]:

```
#Visualizing the ROC curve of the improved decisionTree:
#Computing probabilities:
y_prob_model4=best_model.predict_proba(X_test_final)[:,1]
fpr,tpr,thresholds=roc_curve(y_test,y_prob_model4)
```

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roc_auc2=auc(fpr,tpr)
plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
plt.plot(fpr,tpr,color='red',lw=2,label=f'ROC curve(area={roc_auc2:.2f})')
plt.plot([0,1],[0,1],color='blue',lw=2,linestyle='--')
plt.xlabel('False Postive Rate')
plt.ylabel('Treu Positive Rate')
plt.title('ROC Tuned Decsion Tree Classifier')
plt.legend(loc='upper right')
plt.show()
```





The AUC has increased to 0.94 meaning the model is very strong in distingushing churners and non churners.

In [37]:

```
#classification report:
report_model4 = classification_report(y_test, y_pred_best)
print(f"Tuned Decision Tree Classifier Confusion Matrix report:\n{report_model4}")
```

Tuned Decision Tree Classifier Confusion Matrix report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
False	0.98	1.00	0.99	566
True	1.00	0.87	0.93	101
accuracy			0.98	667
macro avg	0.99	0.94	0.96	667
weighted avg	0.98	0.98	0.98	667

Overall accuracy has improved to 98% the highest among all the four models.

The accuracy in predicting non churners has inceased to 100%.

The ability to correctly predict churners has remained at 87% similar to the base decision tree model which was higher than both regression models.

F1 score in predicting churners has imporoved to 83%, the highest of the four models.

Overall the improved decion tree model has the highest utility to the company .

4.0 Recomendations and way foward:

We recommend that the company adopts the improved decision tree classifier model to predict the churn. The management should take not that there will be 7% **risk** that true churnners will not be detected by the model.

The company undertakes a business impact analysis of the 7% risk to evaluate further investments needed to improve the model.

With new discoveries on the customer profiles, continued enhancmeent of the model can be done to improve its utility.