LEAD SCORE CASE STUDY

Select leads that are most likely to convert into paying customers

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Problem Statement and Objective

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- An education company named X Education sells online courses to industry professionals.
- When these people fill up a form providing their email address or phone number, they are classified to be a lead.
- Typical lead conversion rate at X education is around 30%.
- > Company wishes to identify the most potential leads, also known as 'Hot Leads'.
- > Sales team can then focus on these 'Hot Leads' for bettering the conversion rate.

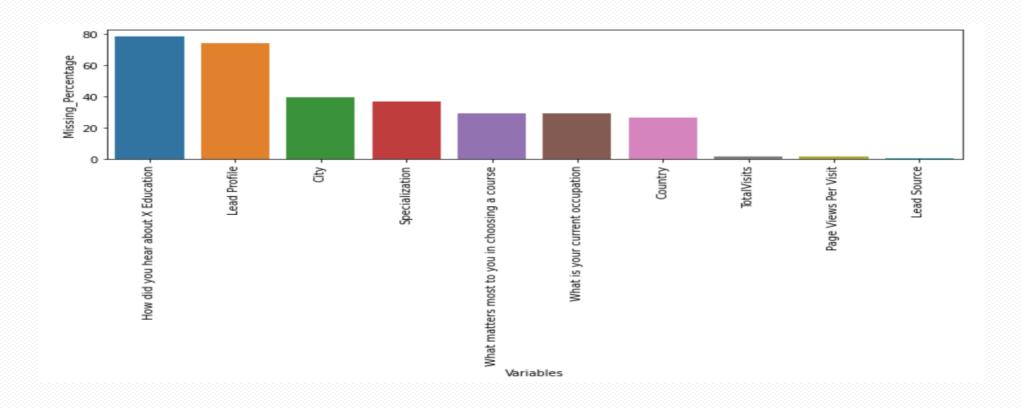
Objective

- > Categorize the leads and identify hot leads.
- > For the above, build a logistic regression model

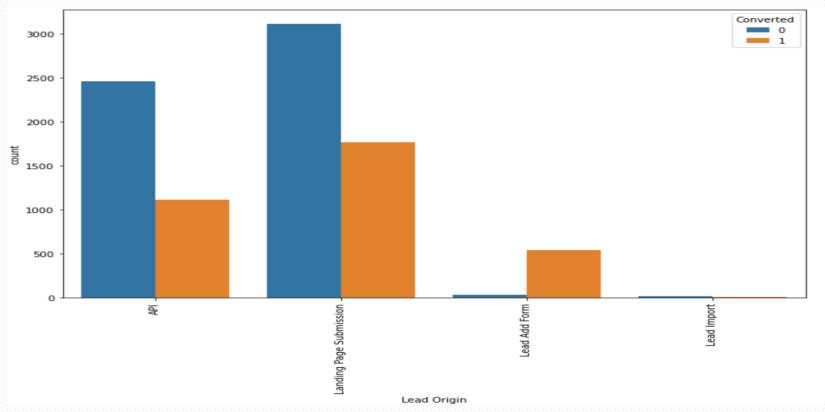
Analysis Approach

- 1. Data cleaning and manipulation:
 - Check the data for duplicate values
 - Check the data for any missing values and treat them accordingly, either by imputing or removing the column if large amount of data is missing.
 - Check and handle outliers in the data.
- 2. Univariate and Bivariate analysis:
 - Analyze important features using various plots like:
 - Countplot
 - Boxplot
 - Create a heatmap of correlation coefficients
- 3. Data preparation:
 - Create dummies of the variables with multiple options.
 - Encode binary categorical variables to 0s and 1s.
- 4. Model Building:
 - Split the data into train and test sets.
 - Scale the train set, if necessary.
 - Apply RFE to select the top 15 variables.
 - Classification technique: Use Logistic Regression to build the model and predict hot leads.
- 5. Model Evaluation:
 - Check various scores of the model like, precision, recall etc.
- 6. Interpret the model and Business recommendations

Data Cleanliness Check

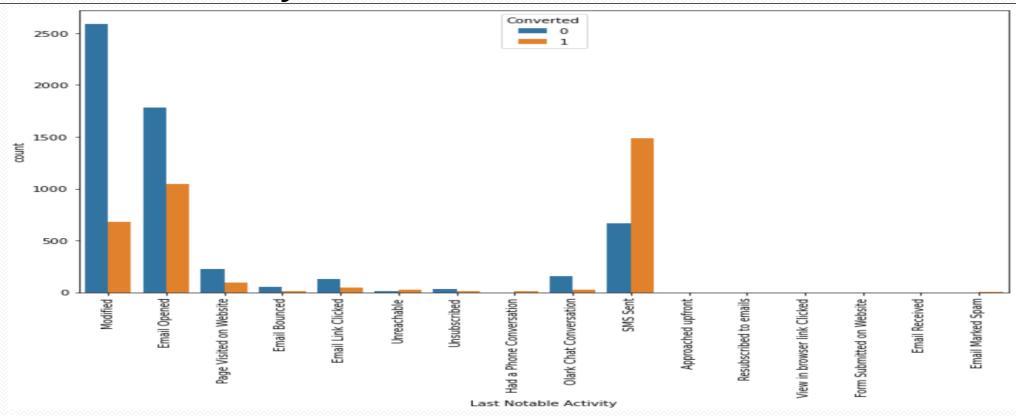


- 1. Few variables have very high missing values (>60%). These variables can directly be dropped.
- 2. Other categorical variables can be imputed with mode of the variable
- 3. Variables with very less missing values (<=1%), rows can be directly dropped.



LEAD ORIGIN

- 1. When the lean origination is Lead Add Form the chances of conversion is very high.
- 2. When the lead origination is Landing Page Submission the chances of conversion is low.



LAST NOTABLE ACTIVITY

- 1. When the last notable activity was SMS sent the conversion ratio is very high
- 2. When the last notable activity was Modified the conversion ratio is very poor.

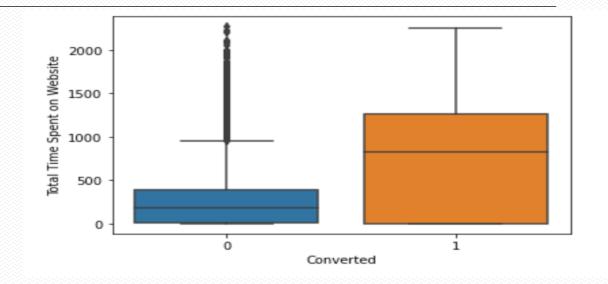
TOTAL TIME SPENT ON WEBSITE

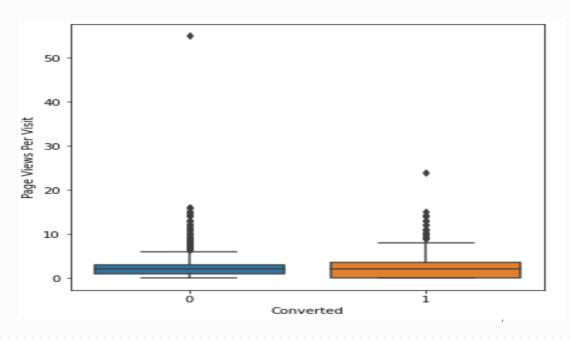
Observations:

- 1. More is the time spent on the website, the higher is the likelihood of conversion.
- 2. Business should focus on improving their website UI to engage the customer on the website more.

PAGE VIEWS PER VISIT

- Median page views per visit for both the categories are very similar.
- 2. Converted category has more page views per visits, which again boils down to engaging the customers more on the website.





MAGAZINE

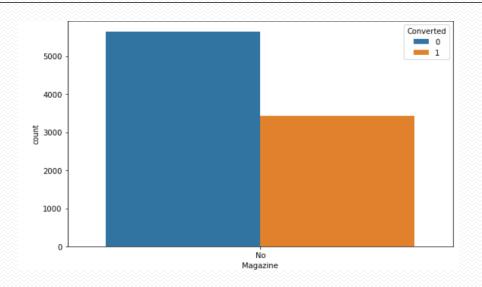
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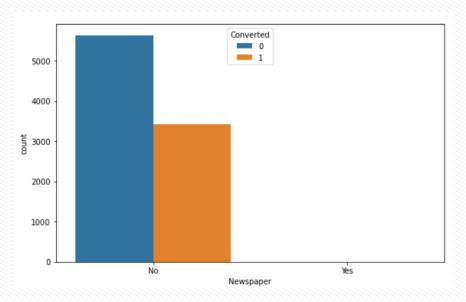
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NEWSPAPER

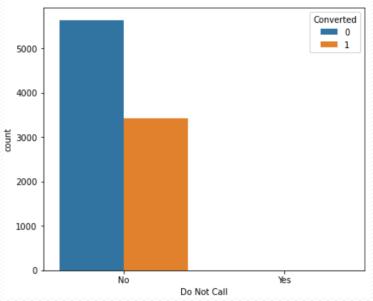
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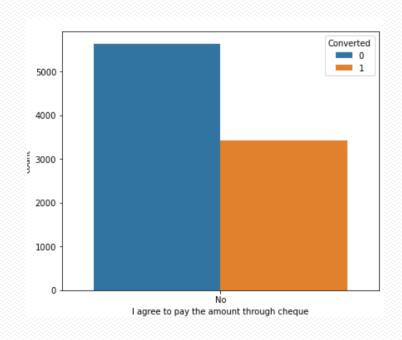
1. Data is highly skewed – we have mostly "No" category in the Newspaper.











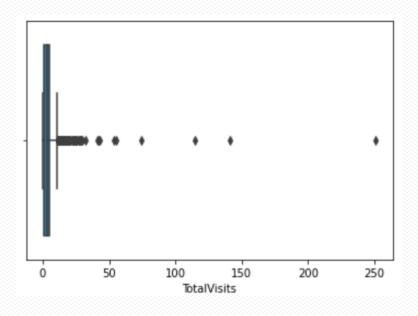
- RECEIVE MORE UPDATES ABOUT OUR COURSES
- Observations:
- Data is highly skewed we have only "No" category
- DO NOT CALL
- Observations:
- 1. Data is highly skewed we have only "No" category
- 1 AGREE TO PAY THE AMOUNT THROUGH CHEQUE
- Observations:
- Data is highly skewed we have only "No" category

Correlation Table



- 1. We note that "Total tine spent on Website" is highly correlated with "Converted" variable.
- 2. "Page Views per Visit" is highly correlated with "Total time spent on Website".

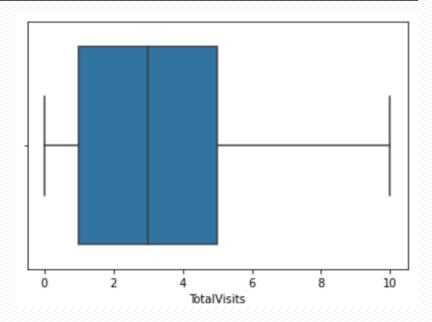
Outlier Analysis

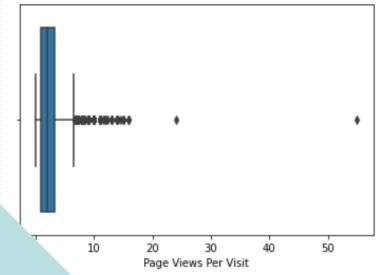




Observations:

1. Few Outliers are noted – we cap the data at 95th percentile.

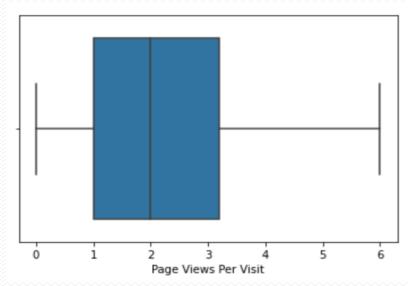




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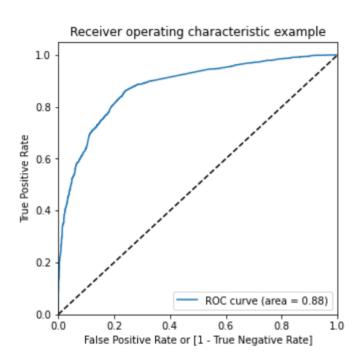


Model Building and Evaluation

- > Split the data into train test sets
- > Scale the variables in train dataset
- ➤ Using RFE select 15 variables to build the model on.
- > Build the logistic regression model and follow the below:
 - If the p-value is high, drop the variable and rebuild the model.
 - Continue the above till all p-values are low.

ROC CURVE

- 1. The ROC curve looks acceptable.
- 2. Area under the curve = 0.88



Model Building and Evaluation

Optimal Cutoff

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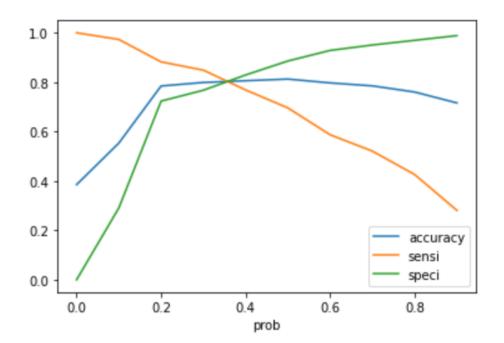
- 1. Cutoff = 0.35 seems like a good option to predict the values on.
- 2. Overall accuracy of 80.40% is achieved using 0.35 as cut off for Converted probability.
- Using 0.35 as the cutoff, we find the metrics for the model evaluation:

Train Set:

- Overall Accuracy: 80.40%Sensitivity / Recall: 81.89%
- Precision: 71.41%

Test Set:

- Overall Accuracy: 79.76%Sensitivity / Recall: 80.89%
- Precision: 68.85%



Interpretation

- The business should focus on the leads who are being sourced from Welingak website.
- The total time spent on the website is directly proportional to the lead being hot. The business should focus on spending to make website UI more engaging.
- ➤ When the last notable activity was:
 - Conversation on phone.
 - Chat on Olark Chat
- People who have their occupation as "Working Professional" should be focused more upon.
- ➤ When the lead is sourced through references Business can create more incentives and campaigns to encourage references from existing customers.

