# BA810 Team 12 Customer Churn

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# 1 Customer Churn Prediction in Telecom Industry

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#### 1.1 Problem Statement

In this project, we aim to create a model that can effectively predict when customers might churn within a telecommunications company. The cost of acquiring new customers typically outweighs the expenses involved in retaining existing ones, an accurate churn prediction model can help the company allocate resources more effectively. Correctly predicting customers who are likely to churn can significantly benefit the company by reducing the overall costs associated with customer acquisition. This will help decrease customer turnover, improve customer satisfaction, and ensure better retention rates. We will use supervised machine learning techniques to build models that can classify customers as potential churners or non-churners based on their historical usage patterns, service plan features etc. This model will assist the company in identifying customers who are likely to leave in advance, enabling them to take timely actions to retain them.

#### 1.2 Motivation

The telecom industry has a churn rate of 21% following cable (25%), financial/credit (25%), general retail (24%), and online retail (22%). Its churn rate is just a tad lower than fast-moving retail goods. One study even estimated that individual telecom businesses lose up to \$65 million because of churn.

Efficient churn analysis involves the early identification and anticipation of customers likely to churn, which leads to promptly addressing issues and enhancing satisfaction. According to some reports, the acquisition cost is 5 times that of the retention cost. The prediction model will help with strategic and efficient resource allocation for acquisition or retention activities. It also helps with optimizing marketing spend through predictive churn analytics. The overall impact extends to minimizing revenue loss through targeted strategies and fostering long-term customer relationships, contributing to sustained business growth.

#### 1.3 Practical Implications

• Targeted Marketing: By segmenting customers based on their churn likelihood, the company can target its marketing campaigns more effectively. High-risk customers can receive campaigns focused on retention. • The insights gained from the model can guide improvements in customer support.

For example, if the model identifies that poor customer service interactions are a significant churn driver, the company can invest in training and resources to address this issue. • Financial Impact: By allocating resources where they are most needed, the company can optimize its budget and efforts. By reducing churn, the company can increase its revenue and profitability. • Customer-Centric Approach: This project reflects a customer-centric approach, which is crucial in today's competitive market. It demonstrates that the company cares about its customers and is willing to invest in retaining them.

### 2 Data Preview

This dataset will be used for predicting customer churn in telecommunications industry, and it contains categorical varibles and numerical varibles that can be explored and analyzed for predictive modeling and insights. The dataset can be accessed by : https://data.world/bob-wakefield/call-center-data

### 2.0.1 Data Loading

```
[]: import pandas as pd
     import numpy as np
     import seaborn as sns
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     import statsmodels.api as sm
     import statsmodels.formula.api as smf
[]: url = 'https://raw.githubusercontent.com/Parita2442/BA810-Project-Churn-Dataset/
       →main/customer_churn_data.csv'
     df = pd.read_csv(url)
     df.head()
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    59063354.0
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    25464504.0
      691824.0
[5 rows x 22 columns]
```

# 2.0.2 Data Description

```
[]: print("The data has {} number of rows and {} number of columns.".format(df. shape[0],df.shape[1]))
```

The data has 12892 number of rows and 22 number of columns.

# 2.0.3 Column Description

Column	Description
recordID	Primary key of the record
state	Customers state
account_length	Age of account in months
area_code	area code
international_plan	Whether or not the customer has an
	international calling plan
voice_mail_plan	Whether or not the customer has a voice mail
	plan
$number\_vmail\_messages$	Number of VM messages customer currently
	has on the server

Column	Description
total_day_minutes	Customers total usage of day minutes in plan
total_day_calls	Total number of calls customer has made during the day
total_day_charge	How much the customer has been charged for day minutes
total_eve_minutes	Customers total usage of evening minutes in plan
total_eve_calls	Total number of calls customer has made during the evening
total_eve_charge	How much the customer has been charged for evening minutes
total_night_minutes	Customers total usage of night minutes in plan
total_night_calls	Total number of calls customer has made during the night
total_night_charge	How much the customer has been charged for night minutes
total_intl_minutes	Total international minutes
total_intl_calls	Total international calls
total_intl_charge	Total international charges
$number\_customer\_service\_calls$	How many times the customer has called the
	IVR system
churn	Customer has churned
customer_id	Enterprise ID of the customer

# []: df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 12892 entries, 0 to 12891
Data columns (total 22 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	recordID	12892 non-null	int64
1	state	12892 non-null	object
2	account_length	12892 non-null	int64
3	area_code	12892 non-null	int64
4	international_plan	12892 non-null	object
5	voice_mail_plan	12892 non-null	object
6	number_vmail_messages	12892 non-null	int64
7	total_day_minutes	12892 non-null	float64
8	total_day_calls	12892 non-null	int64
9	total_day_charge	12892 non-null	float64
10	total_eve_minutes	12892 non-null	float64
11	total_eve_calls	12892 non-null	int64
12	total_eve_charge	12892 non-null	float64

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13 total_night_minutes
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14 total_night_calls
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15 total_night_charge
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16 total_intl_minutes
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17 total_intl_calls
                                 12892 non-null int64
18 total_intl_charge
                                  12892 non-null float64
19 number_customer_service_calls 12892 non-null int64
20 churn
                                  12892 non-null object
21 customer_id
                                  12892 non-null float64
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dtypes: float64(9), int64(9), object(4)

memory usage: 2.2+ MB

# 2.0.4 Summary Statistics

# []: df.describe()

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	max	12892.00000	24	13.000000	510.	000000		52.000000	
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	std	54.20	7056	19.	946657		9.215171		
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	50%	180.00	0000	101.	.000000		30.600000		
	75%	216.30	0000	114.	.000000		36.770000		
	max	351.50	0000	165.	.000000		59.760000		
		total_eve_min	utes	total_eve	e_calls	_	eve_charge	\	
	count	12892.00			.000000	128	392.000000		
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	std	50.78	31851	19.	894032		4.316445		
	min	0.00	0000	0.	.000000		0.000000		
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	max	363.70	0000	170.	.000000		30.910000		

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    df.describe(include=object)
[]:
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# 3 Data Exploration

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[]: df.dropna(inplace=True)
   df['international_plan'] = df['international_plan'].map({'yes': 1, 'no': 0})
   df['voice_mail_plan'] = df['voice_mail_plan'].map({'yes': 1, 'no': 0})
   df['churn'] = df['churn'].map({'yes': 1, 'no': 0}).astype(int)
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Mapping the dataset and converting the string 'Yes' and 'No' to numeric data type - 1 and 0 respectively, for prediction and analysis functions.

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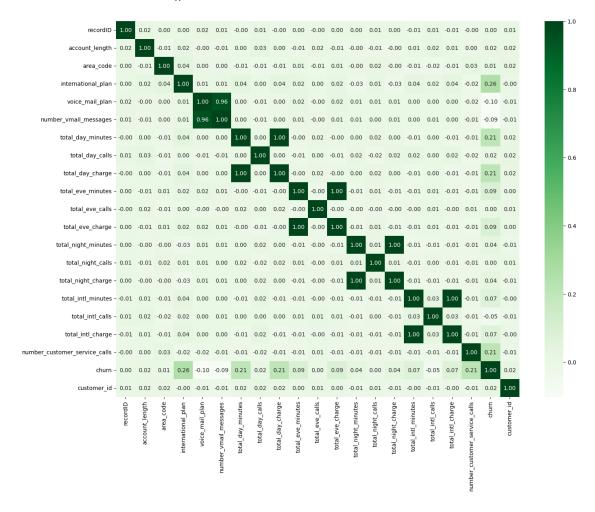
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[]: plt.figure(figsize = (16,12))
    correlations = df.corr()
    sns.heatmap(correlations,annot=True,cmap="Greens",fmt=".2f" )
    plt.show()
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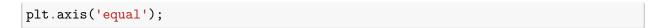
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numeric\_only in DataFrame.corr is deprecated. In a future version, it will
default to False. Select only valid columns or specify the value of numeric\_only
to silence this warning.

correlations = df.corr()

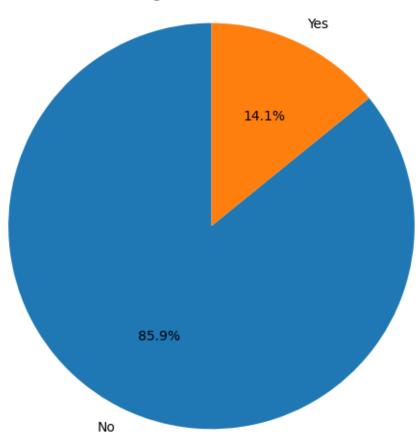


```
[]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
    chun_counts = df['churn'].value_counts()

plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))
    plt.pie(chun_counts, labels=['No','Yes'], autopct='%1.1f%%', startangle=90)
    plt.title('Percentage Distribution of churn')
```







As we can see a high class imbalance in the churn distribution, we take balanced accuracy as a scoring measure instead of accuracy score.

```
[]: def dataoveriew(df, message):
    print(f'{message}:\n')
    print("Rows:", df.shape[0])
    print("\nNumber of features:", df.shape[1])
    print("\nFeatures:")
    print(df.columns.tolist())
    print("\nMissing values:", df.isnull().sum().values.sum())
    print("\nUnique values:")
    print(df.nunique())
    dataoveriew(df, 'Overiew of the dataset')
```

Overiew of the dataset:

Rows: 12892

Number of features: 22

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Features:
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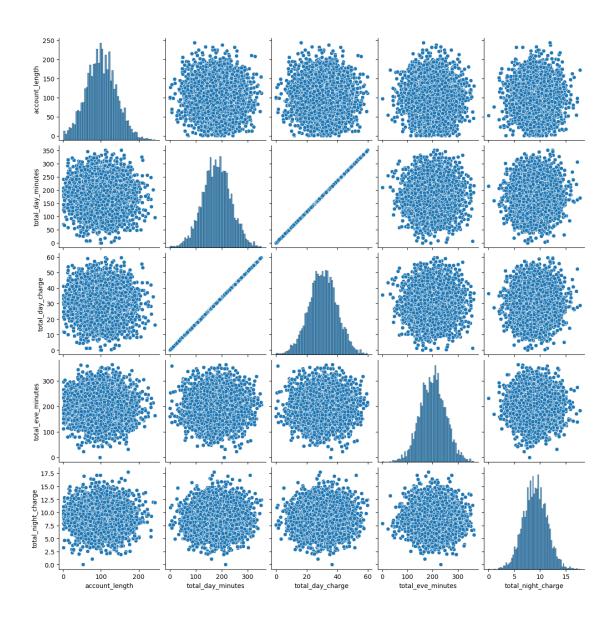
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['recordID', 'state', 'account_length', 'area_code', 'international_plan', 'voice_mail_plan', 'number_vmail_messages', 'total_day_minutes', 'total_day_calls', 'total_day_charge', 'total_eve_minutes', 'total_eve_calls', 'total_eve_charge', 'total_night_minutes', 'total_night_calls', 'total_night_charge', 'total_intl_minutes', 'total_intl_calls', 'total_intl_charge', 'number_customer_service_calls', 'churn', 'customer_id']
```

### Missing values: 0

# Unique values:

recordID	12892
state	51
account_length	218
area_code	3
international_plan	2
voice_mail_plan	2
number_vmail_messages	48
total_day_minutes	1961
total_day_calls	123
total_day_charge	1961
total_eve_minutes	1879
total_eve_calls	126
total_eve_charge	1659
total_night_minutes	1853
total_night_calls	131
total_night_charge	1028
total_intl_minutes	170
total_intl_calls	21
total_intl_charge	170
number_customer_service_calls	10
churn	2
customer_id	12892
dtype: int64	

dtype: int64



# 4 Data Preprocessing

```
[]: # drop Record ID and customer ID - unique values , total charges- rates same

⇒based on usage

df.drop(columns=['recordID','customer_id',

⇒'state','total_day_charge','total_eve_charge',

'total_night_charge','total_intl_charge'],inplace=True)
```

'Customer\_id' and 'recordID' are dropped because they are unique and do not hold any importance in the models. Looking at the correlation matrix, the 'total charges' columns are highly correlated to the 'call minutes' columns (as total charges is a product of minutes and rate), we drop them as it affects the target variable - churn in the same way.

# []: df.info()

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 12892 entries, 0 to 12891
Data columns (total 15 columns):
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#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype		
0	account_length	12892 non-null	int64		
1	area_code	12892 non-null	category		
2	international_plan	12892 non-null	category		
3	voice_mail_plan	12892 non-null	category		
4	number_vmail_messages	12892 non-null	int64		
5	total_day_minutes	12892 non-null	float64		
6	total_day_calls	12892 non-null	int64		
7	total_eve_minutes	12892 non-null	float64		
8	total_eve_calls	12892 non-null	int64		
9	total_night_minutes	12892 non-null	float64		
10	total_night_calls	12892 non-null	int64		
11	total_intl_minutes	12892 non-null	float64		
12	total_intl_calls	12892 non-null	int64		
13	<pre>number_customer_service_calls</pre>	12892 non-null	int64		
14	churn	12892 non-null	category		
dtypes: category(4), float64(4), int64(7)					
memory usage: 1.1 MB					

As the dataset is highly imbalanced, we use the stratification technique for the train test split, so a more accurate model prediction is achieved.

#### 4.0.1 Stratified Train Test Split

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[]: ((10313, 14), (2579, 14), (10313,), (2579,))
```

# 4.0.2 Preprocessing Pipeline

[]:

```
[]: from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
     from sklearn.impute import SimpleImputer
     from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder, StandardScaler
     from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer, make_column_selector
     from sklearn import set_config
     set_config(display='diagram')
     num_pipeline = Pipeline([
             ('imputer', SimpleImputer(strategy='median')),('standard_
      ⇔scaler',StandardScaler())
     cat_pipeline = Pipeline([
             ('imputer', SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent')),
             ('cat_encoder', OneHotEncoder(drop="first"))
         1)
     prep_pipeline = ColumnTransformer([
         ('num', num_pipeline, make_column_selector(dtype_include=np.number)),
         ('cat', cat_pipeline, make_column_selector(dtype_include='category'))
     ])
    prep_pipeline
```

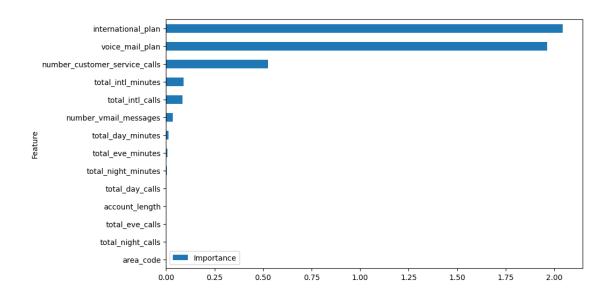
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# 4.0.3 Feature Selection - Logistic Regression L1

```
[]: from sklearn.feature selection import SelectFromModel
     from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
     from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
     lr = LogisticRegression(penalty='l1', solver='liblinear')
     select_from_model = SelectFromModel(lr)
     model_pipe = Pipeline([
         ('prep', prep_pipeline),
         ('select', select_from_model),
         ('model', lr)])
     model_pipe
[]: Pipeline(steps=[('prep',
                      ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                        Pipeline(steps=[('imputer',
     SimpleImputer(strategy='median')),
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     StandardScaler())]),
     <sklearn.compose._column_transformer.make_column_selector object at</pre>
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     SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent')),
     ('cat_encoder',
     OneHotEncoder(drop='first'))]),
     <sklearn.compose._column_transformer.make_column_selector object at</pre>
     0x7a730f4427a0>)])),
                      SelectFromModel(estimator=LogisticRegression(penalty='l1',
     solver='liblinear'))),
                      LogisticRegression(penalty='l1', solver='liblinear'))])
[]: #Grid Search Using L1 regularization
     from sklearn.model selection import GridSearchCV
     param_grid = {
         'select_estimator_C': [0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1, 10, 100],
         'select__threshold': ['mean', 'median']
     }
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grid_search = GridSearchCV(model_pipe, param_grid, cv=5,_
      ⇔scoring='balanced_accuracy')
     grid_search.fit(X_train_all_features, y_train_all_features)
     best_params = grid_search.best_params_
     print("Best parameters:", best params)
     cv_res = pd.DataFrame(grid_search.cv_results_)
     cv_res.sort_values(by="mean_test_score", ascending=False, inplace=True)
     display(cv_res.filter(regex='(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1))
     best_model = grid_search.best_estimator_
     selected_features = best_model['prep'].
      Get_feature_names_out()[best_model['select'].get_support()]
     print(f'The selected features are {selected_features}')
    Best parameters: {'select__estimator__C': 0.1, 'select__threshold': 'median'}
       param_select__estimator__C param_select__threshold mean_test_score
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     'num__total_night_minutes' 'num__total_intl_minutes'
     'num__total_intl_calls' 'num__number_customer_service_calls'
     'cat__international_plan_1' 'cat__voice_mail_plan_1']
[]: # Feature Importance
     lr.fit(X_train_all_features, y_train_all_features)
     feature_importance = pd.DataFrame({'Feature': X.columns, 'Importance': np.
      \rightarrowabs(lr.coef_[0])})
     feature_importance = feature_importance.sort_values('Importance',_
      →ascending=True)
     feature_importance.plot(x='Feature', y='Importance', kind='barh', figsize=(10,__
      ⊸6))
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[]: <Axes: ylabel='Feature'>



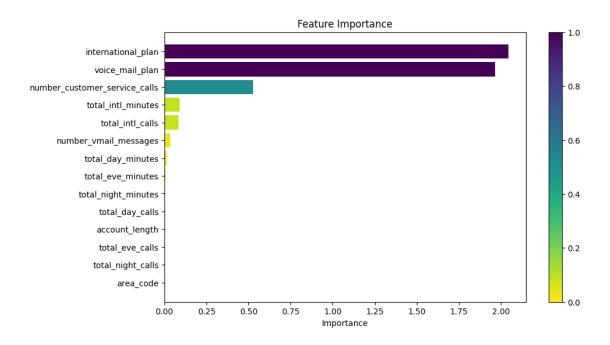
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fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 6))
bars = ax.barh(feature_importance['Feature'], feature_importance['Importance'],
color=plt.cm.get_cmap('viridis_r')(feature_importance['Importance']))

cbar = plt.colorbar(plt.cm.ScalarMappable(cmap='viridis_r'), ax=ax)

ax.set_xlabel('Importance')
ax.set_title('Feature Importance')

plt.show()
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<ipython-input-19-05b557d4c8e6>:2: MatplotlibDeprecationWarning: The get_cmap
function was deprecated in Matplotlib 3.7 and will be removed two minor releases
later. Use ``matplotlib.colormaps[name]`` or
   ``matplotlib.colormaps.get_cmap(obj)`` instead.
   bars = ax.barh(feature_importance['Feature'],
feature_importance['Importance'],
color=plt.cm.get_cmap('viridis_r')(feature_importance['Importance']))
```



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[]: selected_features = ['total_day_minutes', 'total_eve_minutes',
    'total_night_minutes', 'total_intl_minutes',
    'total_intl_calls', 'number_customer_service_calls',
    'international_plan', 'voice_mail_plan']
    X_train = X_train_all_features[selected_features]
    y_train = y_train_all_features
    X_test= X_test_all_features[selected_features]
    y_test = y_test_all_features
```

Lasso shrinks the less important feature's coefficient to zero thus, removing some features altogether. So, this works well for feature selection in case we have a huge number of features. This is why we used L1 with logistic regression to find the best features for our model.

#### 4.0.4 Cost Function

```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import make_scorer, confusion_matrix
  def default_cost(y_true, y_pred):
    cm = confusion_matrix(y_true, y_pred)
    return cm[1,0] * 34 + cm[0,1] * 7
    # cost of 34 for false negative and 7 for false positives

cost_scorer = make_scorer(default_cost)
```

The industry average for Monthly revenue per customer in the telecom industry is USD 62 and the gross margin is 55%. Studies show that the acquisition cost is 5 times that of the retention cost in the industry. A telecom company will have to incur costs like - customer acquisition and retention costs. When the model predicts correctly, it helps the company efficiently allocate its resources

towards the acquisition and retention activities.

When the model predicts that a customer will not churn but in actuality, change their service provider (False Negative), the company loses out on the revenue that that customer would have generated (64\*0.55 = USD 34). Whereas, when the model predicts that a customer will churn but instead, he doesn't (False Positive) - the company wrongly incurs retention costs (Acquistion cost/5 = USD 7) to try and keep the customer with their telecom plan.

#### 4.0.5 Score Function

```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, balanced_accuracy_score, f1_score,
      precision_score, recall_score, confusion_matrix, ConfusionMatrixDisplay
     def print_scores(y_test, y_pred):
       cmd = ConfusionMatrixDisplay.from_predictions(y_test, y_pred, cmap=plt.cm.
      →Blues, colorbar=False)
       accuracy = accuracy score(y test, y pred)
      balanced_accuracy = balanced_accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
      print(f'Accuracy = {accuracy:.4f}, Balanced Accuracy = {balanced_accuracy:.
      <4f}')
      precision = precision_score(y_test, y_pred)
      recall = recall_score(y_test, y_pred)
       f1 = f1 score(y test, y pred)
      print(f'Precision = {precision:.4f}, Recall = {recall:.4f}, F1-score = {f1:.

4f}')
       cost = default_cost(y_test, y_pred)
       print(f'Cost = {cost}')
```

# 5 Model Building

#### 5.1 1. Logistic Regression

#### **5.1.1** L1 Scores

```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report,_
     ⇒balanced_accuracy_score
     from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
     scaler = StandardScaler()
     X_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
     X_test_scaled = scaler.transform(X_test)
     logreg = LogisticRegression(penalty='11', solver='saga', random_state=42)
     logreg.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
     y_pred = logreg.predict(X_test_scaled)
     accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
     classification_rep = classification_report(y_test, y_pred)
     balanced_accuracy = balanced_accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
     print(f'Accuracy: {accuracy:.4f}')
     print('Classification Report:\n', classification_rep)
     print(f'Balanced Accuracy of Logistic Regression with L1: {balanced_accuracy}')
     print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

Accuracy: 0.8631 Classification Report:

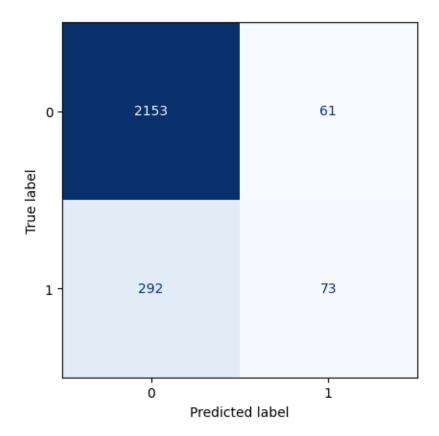
		precision	recall	f1-score	support
	0	0.88	0.97	0.92	2214
	1	0.54	0.20	0.29	365
accura	су			0.86	2579
macro a	ıvg	0.71	0.59	0.61	2579
weighted a	ıvg	0.83	0.86	0.83	2579

Balanced Accuracy of Logistic Regression with L1: 0.5862240289069558

```
Accuracy = 0.8631, Balanced Accuracy = 0.5862

Precision = 0.5448, Recall = 0.2000, F1-score = 0.2926

Cost = 10355
```



The Logistic Regression model with L1 regularization exhibits a high overall accuracy of 86.31%, indicating strong performance on the majority class. The Balanced Accuracy of approximately 58.62% suggests a reasonable ability to make accurate predictions across both classes, considering class imbalance. The relatively low recall indicates that the model might not effectively capture all actual positive instances. The cost associated with misclassifications is 10,355, highlighting the economic impact of prediction errors.

#### 5.1.2 Grid Search with L2

```
param_grid = {
    'model__C': [0.001, 0.01, 0.1, 1, 10, 100],
    #'model__threshold': ['mean', 'median']
}

grid_search = GridSearchCV(lr_l2_pipe, param_grid, cv=5,__
    scoring='balanced_accuracy')
grid_search.fit(X_train, y_train)

best_params = grid_search.best_params_
print("Best parameters:", best_params)

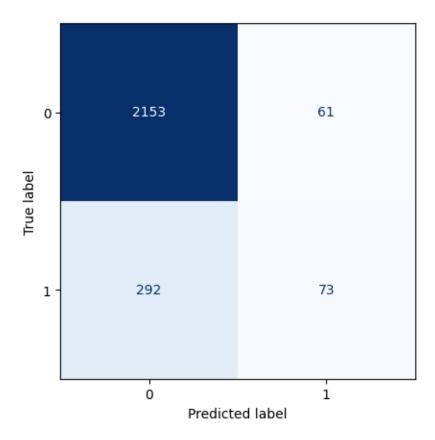
cv_res = pd.DataFrame(grid_search.cv_results_)
cv_res.sort_values(by="mean_test_score", ascending=False, inplace=True)
display(cv_res.filter(regex='(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1))
```

```
Best parameters: {'model__C': 10}
 param_model__C mean_test_score
4
                         0.595158
              10
5
             100
                         0.595158
3
                         0.594411
               1
2
             0.1
                         0.585354
                         0.548520
1
            0.01
0
           0.001
                         0.508295
```

# **5.1.3 L2** Scores

```
[ ]: y_pred= grid_search.best_estimator_.predict(X_test)
    print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

```
Accuracy = 0.8631, Balanced Accuracy = 0.5862
Precision = 0.5448, Recall = 0.2000, F1-score = 0.2926
Cost = 10355
```



The Logistic Regression model with L2 regularization, tuned using grid search, presents an accuracy of 86.31% and a balanced accuracy of 58.62%. The use of L2 regularization helps control overfitting by penalizing large coefficients. It's noteworthy that while the accuracy is high, the balanced accuracy is not significantly higher than that achieved with L1 regularization. This suggests that in the context of the imbalanced dataset, the benefits of L2 regularization in improving balanced accuracy might be limited.

[]: !pip install scikit-optimize

```
Requirement already satisfied: scikit-learn>=0.20.0 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from scikit-optimize) (1.2.2) Requirement already satisfied: PyYAML in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from pyaml>=16.9->scikit-optimize) (6.0.1) Requirement already satisfied: threadpoolctl>=2.0.0 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from scikit-learn>=0.20.0->scikit-optimize) (3.2.0) Installing collected packages: pyaml, scikit-optimize Successfully installed pyaml-23.9.7 scikit-optimize-0.9.0
```

### 5.1.4 Bayesian Optimization with L1

```
[]: # Bayesian Optimization with L1
     from skopt import BayesSearchCV
     param_space = {
         'model C': (0.001, 1000.0, 'log-uniform')
     }
     bayes_search_1 = BayesSearchCV(
         lr_pipe,
         param_space,
         n_iter=50,
         cv=5.
         scoring='balanced_accuracy',
         random_state=42
     )
     bayes_search_1.fit(X_train, y_train)
     cv_res = pd.DataFrame(bayes_search_1.cv_results_)
     cv_res.sort_values(by="mean_test_score", ascending=False, inplace=True)
     display(cv_res.filter(regex='(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1))
```

/usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages/skopt/optimizer/optimizer.py:449: UserWarning: The objective has been evaluated at this point before. warnings.warn("The objective has been evaluated "

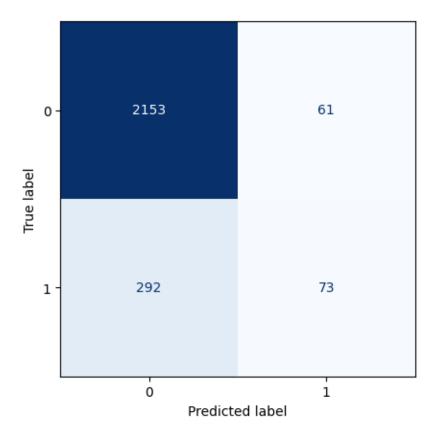
```
param_model__C mean_test_score
25
       767.513693
                          0.595158
30
        13.717307
                          0.595158
        31.567638
                          0.595158
28
27
         6.148263
                          0.595158
26
         49.63817
                          0.595158
       105.762117
                          0.595158
1
31
        20.658877
                          0.595158
23
       158.597896
                          0.595158
22
         16.82718
                          0.595158
```

```
21
         7.500133
                            0.595158
20
       359.385191
                            0.595158
33
            1000.0
                            0.595158
18
        38.913655
                            0.595158
34
       449.059292
                            0.595158
37
       134.307189
                            0.595158
38
       700.828495
                            0.595158
14
        11.146207
                            0.595158
40
         8.987967
                            0.595158
41
       197.135766
                            0.595158
11
       236.983664
                            0.595158
10
       995.041655
                            0.595158
43
        91.977108
                            0.595158
8
       540.589888
                            0.595158
45
            1000.0
                            0.595158
6
         5.040529
                            0.595158
5
        25.361101
                            0.595158
4
        62.707668
                            0.595158
3
         74.88174
                            0.595158
46
        45.965476
                            0.595158
29
       291.835129
                            0.595158
49
         2.371127
                            0.594814
17
         3.074934
                            0.594814
7
         1.821455
                            0.594814
44
          1.10021
                            0.594585
42
         1.349826
                            0.594585
                            0.594355
39
         0.689484
16
         0.979426
                            0.594242
2
         0.466654
                            0.592866
0
         0.288818
                            0.591945
24
         0.171718
                            0.589652
35
         0.155587
                            0.589421
36
            0.1141
                            0.586332
13
         0.097524
                            0.586272
19
         0.054925
                            0.578083
32
         0.026621
                            0.565195
12
         0.027451
                            0.565082
48
         0.014315
                            0.544129
47
         0.011414
                            0.532566
15
         0.005206
                            0.503437
9
         0.001051
                            0.500000
```

#### 5.1.5 Scores for Logistic Regression with best parameters from Bayesian L1

```
[]: best_model = bayes_search_1.best_estimator_
y_pred = best_model.predict(X_test)
print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

```
Accuracy = 0.8631, Balanced Accuracy = 0.5862
Precision = 0.5448, Recall = 0.2000, F1-score = 0.2926
Cost = 10355
```



The Bayesian-optimized Logistic Regression model with L1 regularization demonstrates an accuracy of 86.31% and a balanced accuracy of 58.62%. There is no improvement in the accuracy or balanced accuracy scores when the searching strategies are changed. The Bayesian optimization process likely contributed to fine-tuning hyperparameters for improved performance, but no improvement in the balanced accuracy was noticed.

#### 5.1.6 Bayesian Optimization with L2

```
param_space = {
    'model__C': (0.001, 1000.0, 'log-uniform')
}

bayes_search_2 = BayesSearchCV(
    lr2_pipe,
    param_space,
    n_iter=50,
    cv=5,
    scoring='balanced_accuracy',
    random_state=42
)

bayes_search_2.fit(X_train, y_train)

cv_res = pd.DataFrame(bayes_search_2.cv_results_)
    cv_res.sort_values(by="mean_test_score", ascending=False, inplace=True)
    display(cv_res.filter(regex='(^param_lmean_test_score)', axis=1))
```

```
param_model__C mean_test_score
46
         2.547234
                          0.595271
38
         3.321972
                          0.595214
27
         3.411386
                          0.595214
41
         3.858294
                          0.595214
17
         4.019829
                          0.595214
23
         2.901769
                          0.595214
33
         2.747669
                          0.595214
         3.443508
30
                          0.595214
24
           50.587
                          0.595158
       105.762117
1
                          0.595158
26
       395.813981
                          0.595158
29
       227.438082
                          0.595158
28
       137.207448
                          0.595158
21
        16.629869
                          0.595158
31
       206.863006
                          0.595158
34
        31.559637
                          0.595158
35
       337.243118
                          0.595158
40
         9.331376
                          0.595158
37
        20.604067
                          0.595158
22
       761.975093
                          0.595158
25
         7.616889
                          0.595158
20
        38.973231
                          0.595158
39
       703.265642
                          0.595158
3
         74.88174
                          0.595158
4
        62.707668
                          0.595158
5
        25.361101
                          0.595158
6
         5.040529
                          0.595158
```

```
8
       540.589888
                           0.595158
45
         6.205895
                           0.595158
11
       999.841784
                           0.595158
43
         13.69988
                           0.595158
13
       289.822074
                           0.595158
14
       999.416587
                           0.595158
15
        11.287735
                           0.595158
19
       178.489026
                           0.595158
7
         1.821455
                           0.594985
44
          1.10021
                           0.594754
32
           1.1636
                           0.594754
         1.189104
                           0.594754
16
49
         0.719154
                           0.594237
2
         0.466654
                           0.593435
0
         0.288818
                           0.592970
36
         0.182397
                           0.589651
12
         0.099752
                           0.584674
42
         0.046535
                           0.576883
10
          0.03095
                           0.573097
48
         0.014315
                           0.553114
47
         0.011414
                           0.544011
18
         0.006391
                           0.526502
9
         0.001051
                           0.502402
```

# 5.1.7 Cost for Logistic Regression

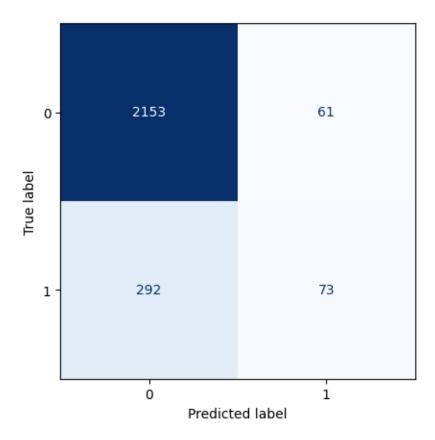
```
[]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score lr_costs = cross_val_score(lr_pipe, X_train, y_train, cv=5, scoring=cost_scorer) print(f'The average cost of Logistic Regression is {lr_costs.mean():.1f}.')
```

The average cost of Logistic Regression is 8102.4.

#### 5.1.8 Scores for Logistic Regression with best parameters from Bayesian L2

```
[]: best_model = bayes_search_2.best_estimator_
   y_pred = best_model.predict(X_test)
   print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

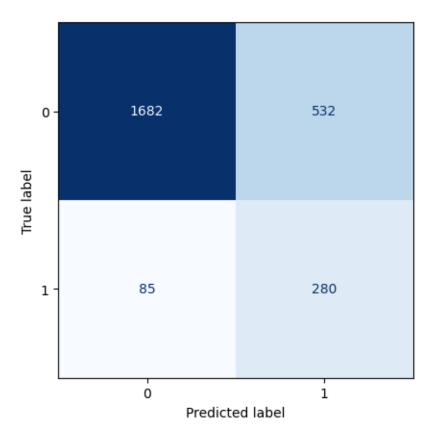
```
Accuracy = 0.8631, Balanced Accuracy = 0.5862
Precision = 0.5448, Recall = 0.2000, F1-score = 0.2926
Cost = 10355
```



The Bayesian-optimized Logistic Regression model with L2 regularization exhibits an accuracy of 86.31% and a balanced accuracy of 58.62%. A different searching strategy did not yield improved results from that of grid search. Using L2 with Bayesian with L2 did not change results of the model.

# 5.1.9 Class Imbalance through SMOTENC - Logistic Regression

Accuracy = 0.7608, Balanced Accuracy = 0.7634 Precision = 0.3448, Recall = 0.7671, F1-score = 0.4758 Cost = 6614



# 5.2 2. K-Nearest Neighbors

# 5.2.1 KNN Pipeline

```
<sklearn.compose._column transformer.make_column selector object at</pre>
     0x7d73a83a0640>),
                                                      ('cat',
                                                       Pipeline(steps=[('imputer',
     SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent')),
     ('cat_encoder',
     OneHotEncoder(drop='first'))]),
     <sklearn.compose._column_transformer.make_column_selector object at</pre>
     0x7d73a790dbd0>)])),
                     ('knn', KNeighborsClassifier())])
    5.2.2 Grid Search
[]: param_grid = [
         {'knn_n_neighbors': np.arange(2, 21, 2),
         'knn__p': np.arange(2, 21, 2)
         },
         ]
     print('The parameter grid : ')
     print(param_grid)
     grid_search = GridSearchCV(knn_pipeline, param_grid, cv=3,
                                      scoring='balanced_accuracy',_
     ⇔error_score='raise')
     grid_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
     print('\n\nThe best parameters are ', grid_search.best_params_)
     grid_cv_res = pd.DataFrame(grid_search.cv_results_)
     grid_cv_res.sort_values(by='mean_test_score', ascending=False, inplace=True)
     grid_cv_res.filter(regex = '(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1).head()
    The parameter grid :
    [{'knn_n_neighbors': array([ 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20]), 'knn_p':
    array([ 2, 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 14, 16, 18, 20])}]
    The best parameters are {'knn_n_neighbors': 2, 'knn_p': 2}
```

```
[]:
      param_knn__n_neighbors param_knn__p mean_test_score
                            2
                                                   0.830297
     2
                            2
                                         6
                                                   0.822074
                            2
     5
                                        12
                                                   0.821675
                            2
     1
                                         4
                                                   0.821562
     7
                            2
                                        16
                                                   0.820533
```

#### 5.2.3 Random Search

```
[]: from sklearn.model selection import RandomizedSearchCV
     from sklearn.svm import SVC
     from scipy.stats import randint
     param_distribs = [
         {'knn_n_neighbors': randint(2, 20),
          'knn__p': randint(2, 20)
          },
         1
     random_search = RandomizedSearchCV(knn_pipeline, param_distribs, n_iter=25,_
      \hookrightarrowcv=3,
                                       scoring='balanced_accuracy', random_state=42)
     random_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
     random_search.best_estimator_
     random_cv_res = pd.DataFrame(random_search.cv_results_)
     random_cv_res.sort_values(by='mean_test_score', ascending=False, inplace=True)
     random_cv_res.filter(regex = '(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1).head()
```

```
[]:
        param_knn__n_neighbors param_knn__p mean_test_score
                              3
                                          13
                                                      0.835653
                              3
                                           7
     23
                                                      0.833930
     7
                              2
                                                     0.820533
                                          13
     21
                              5
                                          19
                                                      0.771951
                             7
                                                      0.761388
     6
                                           3
```

#### 5.2.4 Scores and Costs

```
[]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score

knn_scores = cross_val_score(knn_pipeline, X_train, y_train, cv=5, use of scoring='balanced_accuracy')

print(f'The balanced accuracy of K Nearest Neighbor is {knn_scores.mean():.3f}.

□ ')
```

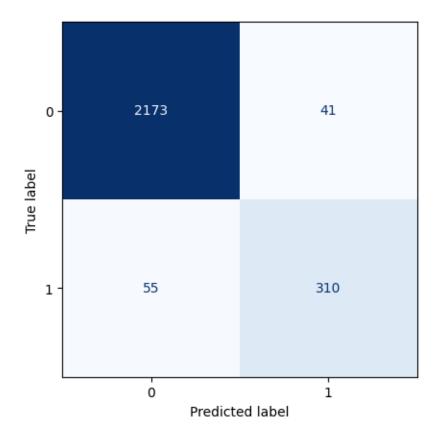
The balanced accuracy of K Nearest Neighbor is 0.795.

The average cost of k-Nearest Neighbor is 4117.8.

#### 5.2.5 Scores and Costs with Best Parameters

```
[]: random_search.best_estimator_.fit(X_train,y_train)
    y_pred = random_search.best_estimator_.predict(X_test)
    print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

```
Accuracy = 0.9628, Balanced Accuracy = 0.9154
Precision = 0.8832, Recall = 0.8493, F1-score = 0.8659
Cost = 2157
```



After applying grid search and random search to find the best parameters, the K-Nearest Neighbors model using the result exhibits an accuracy of 96.28% and a balanced accuracy of 91.54%, which greatly improved the accuracy than before using the best parameters. The cost has also been reduced greatly from over 4000 dollars to 2157 dollars.

#### 5.3 3. Decision Trees

#### 5.3.1 Fit Dataset in Prep Pipeline

```
[]: from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier, plot_tree from sklearn.pipeline import make_pipeline
```

```
X_train_prepd = prep_pipeline.fit_transform(X_train)

X_test_prepd = prep_pipeline.transform(X_test)
```

Applying the preprocessing as a separate step and work with the transformed data

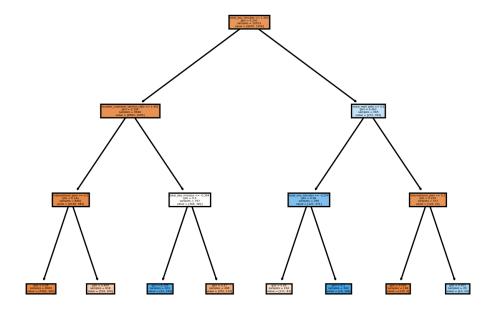
We are going to build a small tree, stopping after the depth has reached 3, just for our inspection. max\_depth is only one of many arguments to limit the growth of a tree (control complexity, thus variance and overfitting, by incurring some bias). We use this because it most directly controls the look/structure of the tree (how tall we want it to be).

#### 5.3.2 Create CLF Model and Fit it to the Train Data

```
[]: clf = DecisionTreeClassifier(max_depth=3)

clf.fit(X_train_prepd, y_train)

plt.figure(dpi=250)
 plot_tree(clf, filled=True, feature_names=list(X_train.columns));
```

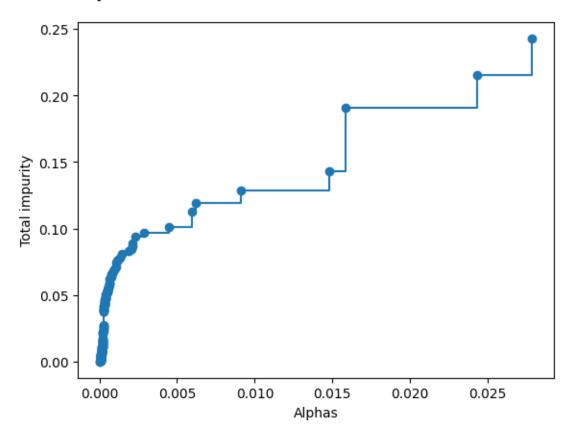


We have build a small tree, stopping after the depth has reached 3, just for our inspection. max\_depth is only one of many arguments to limit the growth of a tree (control complexity, thus variance and overfitting, by incurring some bias). We use this because it most directly controls the

look/structure of the tree (how tall we want it to be).

#### 5.3.3 Visualizing the cost-complexity pruning path

There are 133 alpha values.



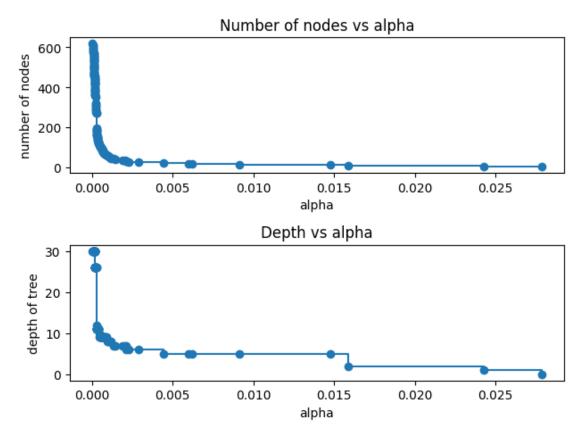
At  $\alpha = 0$  we have no pruning: the leaves will contain primarily one of the two classes, so low gini impurity index. At the largest  $\alpha$  value, we have the gini of the original training data (without any split), therefore, high gini impurity index.

```
[]: clfs = []
for ccp_alpha in ccp_alphas:
    clf_i = DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=0, ccp_alpha=ccp_alpha)
```

```
clf_i.fit(X_train_prepd, y_train)
    clfs.append(clf_i)

node_counts = [clf_i.tree_.node_count for clf_i in clfs]
depth = [clf_i.tree_.max_depth for clf_i in clfs]

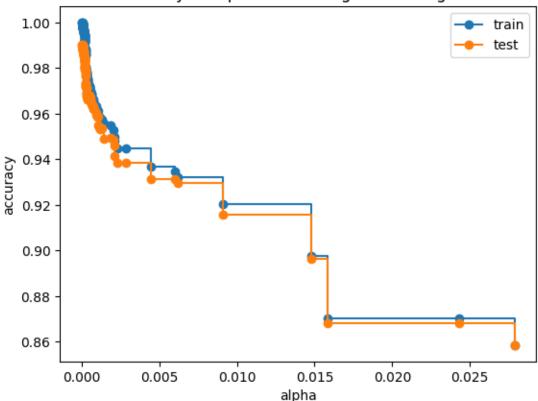
fig, ax = plt.subplots(2, 1, dpi=100)
ax[0].plot(ccp_alphas, node_counts, marker="o", drawstyle="steps-post")
ax[0].set_xlabel("alpha")
ax[0].set_ylabel("number of nodes")
ax[0].set_title("Number of nodes vs alpha")
ax[1].plot(ccp_alphas, depth, marker="o", drawstyle="steps-post")
ax[1].set_xlabel("alpha")
ax[1].set_ylabel("depth of tree")
ax[1].set_title("Depth vs alpha")
fig.tight_layout()
```



The trees get smaller as  $\alpha$  increases. we wil see which one of those 133 trees predicts best.

# 5.3.4 Plotting Accuracy vs Alpha

# Accuracy vs alpha for training and testing sets



The accuracy monotonically decreases with the  $\alpha$  (as the tree gets smaller)

# 5.3.5 Grid Search for the optimal value of the (ccp\_alpha)

```
from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV

param_grid = {'ccp_alpha': ccp_alphas}

grid_search = GridSearchCV(DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42), param_grid, cv=5, scoring='accuracy')

grid_search.fit(X_train_prepd, y_train)

grid_cv_res = pd.DataFrame(grid_search.cv_results_)

grid_cv_res.sort_values(by="mean_test_score", ascending=False, inplace=True)

display(grid_cv_res.filter(regex = '(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1).head())

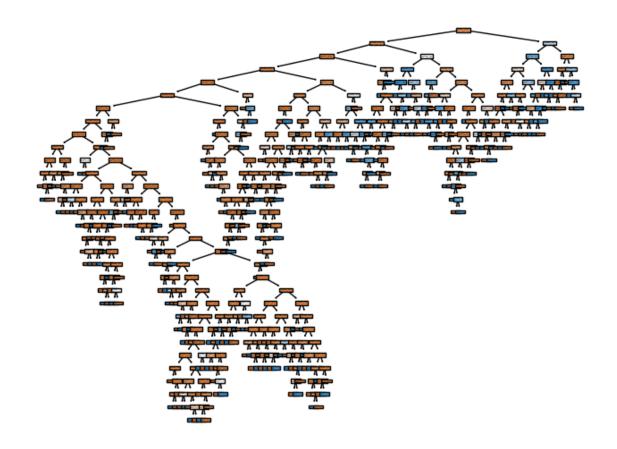
best_tree = grid_search.best_estimator_

print(f'The total number of nodes is {best_tree.tree_.node_count} and the max_codepth is {best_tree.tree_.max_depth}.')
```

```
param_ccp_alpha mean_test_score
0 0.0 0.983515
1 0.000048 0.983515
2 0.000064 0.983419
3 0.000064 0.983419
4 0.000065 0.983419
```

The total number of nodes is 619 and the max depth is 30.

We have a relatively narrow range of alpha values with near best performances. Let's test the tree that corresponds to the best  $\alpha$ :



## 5.3.6 Scores and Costs

```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import balanced_accuracy_score,accuracy_score

y_pred_clf = clf.predict(X_test_prepd)

print('Accuracy score :' ,accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred_clf))
print('Balanced accuracy score :' ,balanced_accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred_clf))
```

Accuracy score : 0.9026754556029469
Balanced accuracy score : 0.6836210416898689

```
[]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score clf_costs = cross_val_score(clf, X_train, y_train, cv=5, scoring=cost_scorer) print(f'The average cost of clf is {clf_costs.mean():.1f}.')
```

The average cost of clf is 6010.2.

```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import balanced_accuracy_score best_model = grid_search.best_estimator_
```

Balanced accuracy of the best found model on the test data is 0.979 Accuracy score of the best found model on the test data is: 0.9906940674680108

```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred_clf_best)
print(cm)
```

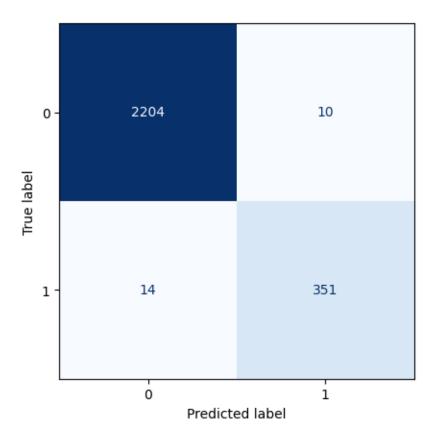
[[2204 10] [ 14 351]]

```
[]: # Calculate the cost on the test set
test_cost = default_cost(y_test, y_pred_clf_best)
print(f'The cost on the test set is {test_cost:.1f}.')
```

The cost on the test set is 546.0.

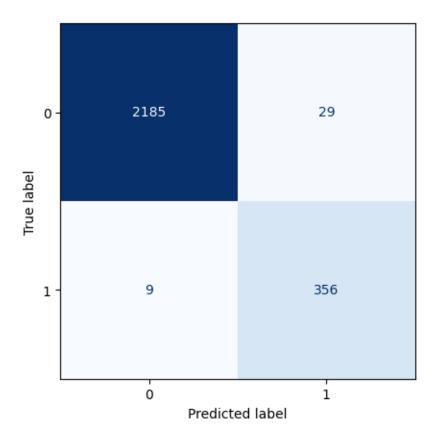
```
[ ]: y_pred = best_model.predict(X_test_prepd)
print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

```
Accuracy = 0.9907, Balanced Accuracy = 0.9786
Precision = 0.9723, Recall = 0.9616, F1-score = 0.9669
Cost = 546
```



# 5.3.7 Class Imbalance through SMOTENC - Decision Tree

Accuracy = 0.9853, Balanced Accuracy = 0.9811Precision = 0.9247, Recall = 0.9753, F1-score = 0.9493Cost = 509



SMOTENC helped improve the model's performance, especially in capturing patterns within the minority class. In summary, the high balanced accuracy, precision, recall, and F1-score, along with a relatively low cost, suggest that the Decision Tree model, trained on a dataset with SMOTENC, effectively handles class imbalance.

## 5.4 4. SVM

After looking at the performance of the above models, we decided to try the Support Vector Machine to train and test the learning model. As we saw fromt he first model - Logistic Regression, the model does not perform like we do like for it to. It is safe to say that the model does not show a linear relationship. To test this theory, we use the SVM and tune it based on kernels (linear, poly or radial) as well as C and gamma for regularization.

Additionally, SVMs are less prone to overfitting and hence might prove to be a more reliable option (as we were considering a situation in which the decision tree model specified above could be overfitting).

# 5.4.1 Check support vectors and create Pipeline

```
[]: from sklearn.svm import SVC
     lin svc = SVC(kernel='linear')
     svm_lin_pipeline = Pipeline([
         ("preprocessing", prep_pipeline),
         ("svm", lin_svc),
     ])
     svm_lin_pipeline
[]: Pipeline(steps=[('preprocessing',
                      ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                        Pipeline(steps=[('imputer',
     SimpleImputer(strategy='median')),
                                                                         ('standard '
                                                                          'scaler',
     StandardScaler())]),
     <sklearn.compose._column_transformer.make_column_selector object at</pre>
     0x7d73a83a0640>),
                                                       ('cat',
                                                        Pipeline(steps=[('imputer',
     SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent')),
     ('cat encoder',
     OneHotEncoder(drop='first'))]),
     <sklearn.compose._column_transformer.make_column_selector object at</pre>
     0x7d73a790dbd0>)])),
                     ('svm', SVC(C=2, kernel='linear'))])
[]: svm_lin_pipeline.fit(X_train, y_train)
     y_pred_lin_svm = svm_lin_pipeline.predict(X_test)
     print(lin_svc.n_support_)
     cost_scorer(svm_lin_pipeline, X_test, y_test)
    [1619 1458]
[]: 12410
    5.4.2 Scores and Costs
[]: from sklearn.metrics import balanced_accuracy_score,accuracy_score
     print('Accuracy score :' ,accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred_lin_svm))
```

```
print('Balanced accuracy score :'u

,balanced_accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred_lin_svm))
```

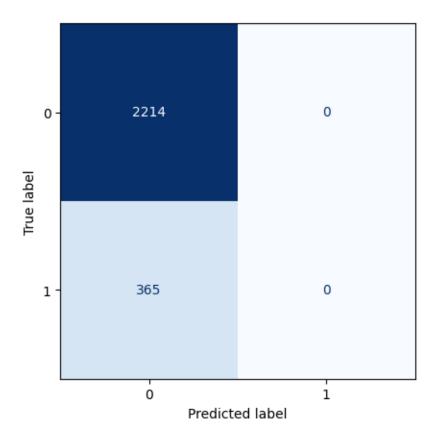
Accuracy score : 0.8584722760759984 Balanced accuracy score : 0.5

The average cost of SVM is 9914.4.

```
[]: print_scores(y_test,y_pred_lin_svm);
```

```
Accuracy = 0.8585, Balanced Accuracy = 0.5000
Precision = 0.0000, Recall = 0.0000, F1-score = 0.0000
Cost = 12410
```

/usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages/sklearn/metrics/\_classification.py:1344: UndefinedMetricWarning: Precision is ill-defined and being set to 0.0 due to no predicted samples. Use `zero\_division` parameter to control this behavior.
\_warn\_prf(average, modifier, msg\_start, len(result))



Using linear Support Vector Machine (SVM) as a metric for model learning is suboptimal, as indicated by the balanced accuracy score of 0.5. This score suggests that the model's predictive performance is on par with random chance or a coin toss. A closer look at other performance metrics is not even needed as the imbalanced nature of the dataset renders them less informative than the balanced accuracy score.

To reap the benefits of a good SVM, we need to hyper tune the parameters. To achieve this, we experimented with various search strategies such as grid search, randomized search, and Bayesian search. However, these approaches proved computationally intensive and time-consuming due to the substantial number of parameters which requiring tuning. Consequently, we opted for the Halving Randomized Search strategy. It strikes a balance between efficiency and effectiveness, making it advantageous for tuning SVM parameters in such a large search space.

## 5.4.3 Halving Randomized Search

```
])
     param_distr = [
       {'svm_kernel': ['linear'], 'svm_C': loguniform(1e-1, 1e+3)},
       {'svm_kernel': ['rbf'], 'svm_C': loguniform(1e-1, 1e+3), 'svm_gamma':
      \hookrightarrowloguniform(1e-3, 1)},
       {'svm kernel': ['poly'], 'svm C': loguniform(1e-1, 1e+3), 'svm gamma':
      →loguniform(1e-3, 1), 'svm__degree': randint(2, 5)},
     ]
     random search = HalvingRandomSearchCV(svm hr pipeline, param distr, cv=3,
                                            n candidates=40, min resources='exhaust',
                                             scoring='balanced_accuracy', __
      →random state=0)
     random_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
     random_cv_res = pd.DataFrame(random_search.cv_results )
     random_cv_res.sort_values(by="mean_test_score", ascending=False, inplace=True)
     random_cv_res.filter(regex = '(iter|^param_|mean_test_score|n_resources)',__
      ⇒axis=1)
[]:
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               n_resources param_svm_C param_svm_kernel param_svm_gamma \
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                                                                     0.091079
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                              325.667099
                                                        rbf
                                                                     0.033797
     55
            2
                       3429
                               757.24475
                                                        rbf
                                                                     0.091079
     58
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                       3429
                              325.667099
                                                        rbf
                                                                     0.033797
     57
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                       3429
                               28.079081
                                                        rbf
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                                                       poly
                                                                     0.001776
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                                                        rbf
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        param_svm__degree mean_test_score
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     34
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                                   0.500000
     30
                      NaN
```

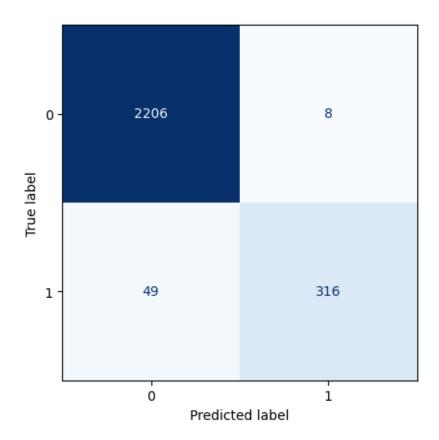
("svm", SVC()),

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#### 5.4.4 Scores and Costs with Best Parameters

```
[]: y_pred = random_search.best_estimator_.predict(X_test)
print_scores(y_test, y_pred)
```

Accuracy = 0.9779, Balanced Accuracy = 0.9311 Precision = 0.9753, Recall = 0.8658, F1-score = 0.9173 Cost = 1722



The hyper-tuned SVM model aligns with our initial assumption of a non-linear relationship within the dataset. The radial kernel with a coefficient of 0.091, and a regularisation strength of 757.24 helps us create a complex classification model with enhanced model accuracy, balanced accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score, and cost-effectiveness compared to the initial Linear SVM.

## 5.5 5. XGBoost - Ensemble Method

# 5.5.1 Preprocessing Data

```
[]: tr_X = prep_pipeline.fit_transform(X_train)
tr_y = y_train

t_X = prep_pipeline.transform(X_test)
t_y = y_test

X_train.shape, tr_X.shape, tr_y.shape, t_X.shape, t_y.shape
```

[]: ((10313, 8), (10313, 8), (10313,), (2579, 8), (2579,))

## 5.5.2 Voting Classifier

```
[]: from sklearn.ensemble import VotingClassifier
  from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
  from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
  from sklearn.svm import SVC
  from xgboost import XGBClassifier

voting_clf = VotingClassifier(
    estimators=[
        ('dt', DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)),
        ('svc', SVC(random_state=42)),
        ('knn', KNeighborsClassifier())

        ]
    )
    voting_clf.fit(tr_X, tr_y)
```

```
[]: for name, clf in voting_clf.named_estimators_.items():
    print(f'Accuracy of {name} is {clf.score(t_X, t_y):.4f}')

print(f'Them voting give {voting_clf.score(t_X, t_y):.4f}')
```

```
Accuracy of dt is 0.9907
Accuracy of svc is 0.9624
Accuracy of knn is 0.9318
Them voting give 0.9767
```

```
Balanced Accuracy of dt is 0.9786
Balanced Accuracy of svc is 0.8797
Balanced Accuracy of knn is 0.8253
The voting ensemble has a Balanced Accuracy of 0.9201
```

The decision tree (dt) achieved a balance accuracy of 97.86%, the support vector machine (svc) achieved a balance accuracy of 87.97%, and the k-nearest neighbors (knn) achieved a balance accuracy of 82.53%. The ensemble method of voting, combining these models, resulted in an overall balanced accuracy of 92.01%. For svc and knn the voting classifier improve the model but for dt, it's already high, so we may try stacking to give more weight on dt which performs well.

# 5.5.3 Stacking Classifier

```
[]: from sklearn.ensemble import StackingClassifier, RandomForestClassifier

stacking_clf = StackingClassifier(
    estimators=[
          ('dt', DecisionTreeClassifier(random_state=42)),
          ('svc', SVC(random_state=42)),
          ('knn', KNeighborsClassifier())
    ],
    final_estimator=XGBClassifier(random_state=42),
    cv=5
)

stacking_clf.fit(tr_X, tr_y)
```

importance\_type=None, interaction\_constraints=None, learning\_rate=None, max\_bin=None, max\_cat\_threshold=None, max\_cat\_to\_onehot=None, max\_delta\_step=None, max\_depth=None, max leaves=None, min\_child\_weight=None, missing=nan, monotone\_constraints=None, multi\_strategy=None, n\_estimators=None, n\_jobs=None, num\_parallel\_tree=None, random\_state=42, ...))

#### 5.5.4 Scores and Costs

```
[]: print(f'Stacking the three has accuracy of {stacking_clf.score(t_X, t_y):.4f}')
from sklearn.metrics import balanced_accuracy_score, classification_report,
confusion_matrix, make_scorer
predictions = stacking_clf.predict(t_X)
print(f'Stacking the three has balance accuracy of
{balanced_accuracy_score(t_y, predictions):.4f}')
```

Stacking the three has accuracy of 0.9922 Stacking the three has balance accuracy of 0.9806

The stacking ensemble, which combines three models, achieved an accuracy of 99.22%. This suggests that the ensemble performed well in correctly predicting the class labels. The balance accuracy of the stacking ensemble is 98.06%. Balance accuracy takes into account the accuracy of each class, providing a more comprehensive evaluation, especially in imbalanced datasets.

```
[]: report = classification_report(t_y, predictions)
print("Classification Report:\n", report)
```

# Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.99	1.00	1.00	2214
1	0.98	0.96	0.97	365
accuracy			0.99	2579
macro avg weighted avg	0.99 0.99	0.98 0.99	0.98 0.99	2579 2579

```
[]: confusion_matrix = confusion_matrix(t_y, predictions)
print(confusion_matrix)
```

```
[[2207 7]
[ 13 352]]
```

```
[]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
    from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix

def default_cost(y_true, y_pred):
        cm = confusion_matrix(y_true, y_pred)
        return cm[1, 0] * 34 + cm[0, 1] * 7

cost_scorer = make_scorer(default_cost)

xgb_costs = cross_val_score(stacking_clf, tr_X, tr_y, cv=5, scoring=cost_scorer)
    print(f'The average cost of Stacking is {xgb_costs.mean():.1f}.')
```

The average cost of Stacking is 698.2.

The average cost of the stacking ensemble is 698.2. This cost metric reflects the combined impact of misclassifications and may involve different costs assigned to false positives and false negatives.

```
[]: test_cost = default_cost(t_y, predictions)
print(f'The cost on the test set is {test_cost:.0f}.')
```

The cost on the test set is 491.

The cost on the test set for the stacking ensemble is 491. This indicates the total cost incurred by the model when making predictions on a separate set of data. A lower cost is generally desired, suggesting that the model is effective in minimizing misclassification costs.

In summary, the stacking ensemble demonstrated high accuracy and balance accuracy, while the cost metrics provide insights into the economic implications of the model's predictions. The lower cost on the test set suggests that the stacking ensemble performs well in terms of cost-effectiveness.

# 5.6 6. Random Forest

```
print('Balanced accuracy score :' ,balanced_accuracy_score(y_test,y_pred_rf))
print(f'The balanced accuracy of Random Forest is {rf_scores.mean():.3f}.')
```

Balanced accuracy score: 0.9833358082439272 The balanced accuracy of Random Forest is 0.975.

```
[]: from sklearn.model_selection import cross_val_score
clf_costs = cross_val_score(rf_pipe, X_train, y_train, cv=5,__
scoring=cost_scorer)
print(f'The average cost of clf is {clf_costs.mean():.1f}.')
```

The average cost of clf is 499.6.

#### 5.6.1 RandomizedSearchCV for Best Parameters

```
[]: from sklearn.model_selection import RandomizedSearchCV
     param_distribs = {
         'randomforestclassifier max depth': [int(x) for x in np.linspace(10, 100, 11)
         'randomforestclassifier__min_samples_leaf': [1, 2, 4, 6, 8]
     }
     random_search = RandomizedSearchCV(rf_pipe, param_distribs, n_iter=20, cv=3,
                                        scoring='balanced accuracy', random state=42)
     random_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
     # Print the best estimator
     print("Best Estimator:", random_search.best_estimator_)
     # Display the best parameters and corresponding mean test score
     random_rf_res = pd.DataFrame(random_search.cv_results_)
     random_rf_res.sort_values(by='mean_test_score', ascending=False, inplace=True)
     random_rf_res.filter(regex='(^param_|mean_test_score)', axis=1).head()
    Best Estimator: Pipeline(steps=[('columntransformer',
                     ColumnTransformer(transformers=[('num',
                                                       Pipeline(steps=[('imputer',
    SimpleImputer(strategy='median')),
                                                                        ('standard '
                                                                         'scaler',
    StandardScaler())]),
    <sklearn.compose. column transformer.make column selector object at</pre>
    0x7841da1b6ad0>),
                                                      ('cat',
                                                       Pipeline(steps=[('imputer',
    SimpleImputer(strategy='most_frequent')),
```

```
('cat_encoder',
    OneHotEncoder(drop='first'))]),
    <sklearn.compose._column_transformer.make_column_selector_object_at</pre>
    0x7841da1b6a40>)])),
                     ('randomforestclassifier',
                      RandomForestClassifier(max_depth=70, random_state=42))])
[]:
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     3
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     7
                                                        1
     17
                                                        2
        param_randomforestclassifier__max_depth mean_test_score
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                                                           0.962515
     2
                                               70
                                                           0.962515
     3
                                              100
                                                           0.962515
     7
                                               60
                                                           0.962515
     17
                                              100
                                                           0.936678
```

## 5.6.2 Scores and Cost

Balanced accuracy of the best found model on the test data is 0.98 Accuracy score of the best found model on the test data is: 0.9949592865451725

```
[]: # Calculate the cost on the test set
test_cost = default_cost(y_test, y_pred_rf_best)
print(f'The cost on the test set is {test_cost:.1f}.')
```

The cost on the test set is 415.0.

# 6 Cost Optimization

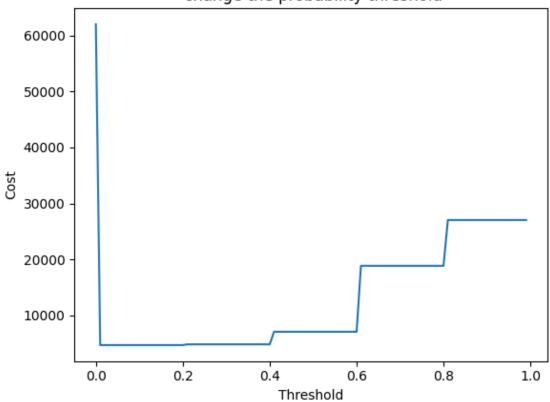
The aim of the the model is to now reduce the cost of misclasifications such that the model proves to be economical, on top of it being accurate. We try to find the optimal threshold whihe minimises the misclassification costs, such that every model probability greater than the threshold is classified as 1 (as misclassification of false negative is costlier).

#### 6.0.1 KNN

```
[]: knn_pipeline.fit(X_train,y_train)
     def predict_labels(pos_probs, threshold):
         return np.where(pos_probs >= threshold, 1, 0)
     class_probabilities_knn = knn_pipeline.predict_proba(X_train)
     probs_knn = class_probabilities_knn[:, 1]
     step\_size = 0.01
     thresholds = np.arange(0, 1, step_size)
     scores_knn = [default_cost(y_train, predict_labels(probs_knn, t)) for t in_
      →thresholds]
     ix = np.argmin(scores_knn)
     opt_thresh_knn = thresholds[ix]
     test_class_probabilities_knn = knn_pipeline.predict_proba(X_test)
     test_probs_knn = test_class_probabilities_knn[:, 1]
     opt_cost_knn = default_cost(y_test, predict_labels(test_probs_knn,_
      →opt_thresh_knn))
     print(f'After optimization, threshold should be set at {opt_thresh_knn:.2f},\
     which will lead to cost of misclassification of {opt_cost_knn}.')
     plt.plot(thresholds, scores_knn);
     plt.xlabel('Threshold'); plt.ylabel("Cost");
     plt.title('Cost of misclassification as we \n change the probability⊔
      ⇔threshold');
```

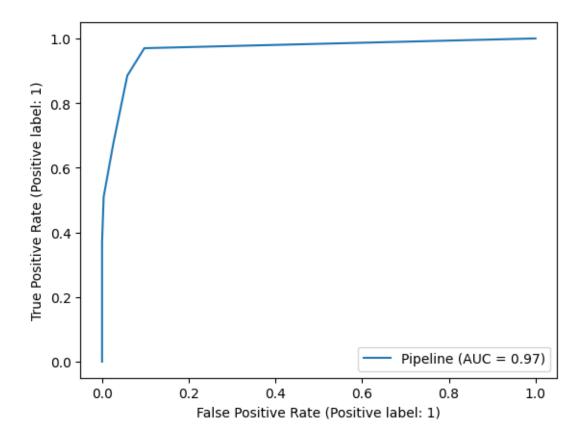
After optimization, threshold should be set at 0.01, which will lead to cost of misclassification of 1886.

# Cost of misclassification as we change the probability threshold



```
[]: from sklearn.metrics import RocCurveDisplay

RocCurveDisplay.from_estimator(knn_pipeline, X_test, y_test);
```



# ###Stacking

```
[]: def predict_labels(pos_probs, threshold):
    return np.where(pos_probs >= threshold, 1, 0)

class_probabilities = stacking_clf.predict_proba(tr_X)

probs = class_probabilities[:, 1]

step_size = 0.01
    thresholds = np.arange(0, 1, step_size)

scores = [default_cost(tr_y, predict_labels(probs, t)) for t in thresholds]

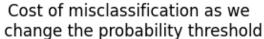
ix = np.argmin(scores)
    opt_thresh = thresholds[ix]

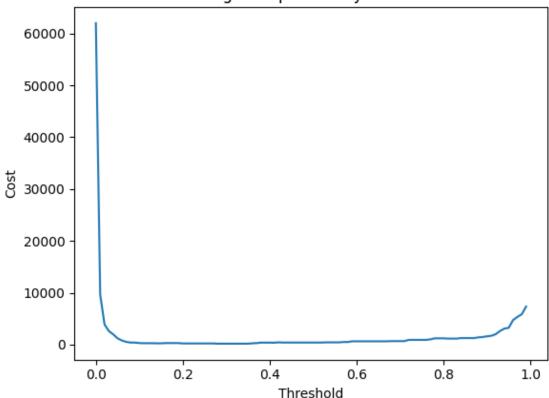
test_class_probabilities = stacking_clf.predict_proba(t_X)
    test_probs = test_class_probabilities[:, 1]
    opt_cost = default_cost(t_y, predict_labels(test_probs, opt_thresh))
```

```
print(f'After optimization, threshold should be set at {opt_thresh:.2f},\
  which will lead to cost of misclassification of {opt_cost}.')

plt.plot(thresholds, scores);
  plt.xlabel('Threshold'); plt.ylabel("Cost");
  plt.title('Cost of misclassification as we \n change the probability_\(\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{\text{
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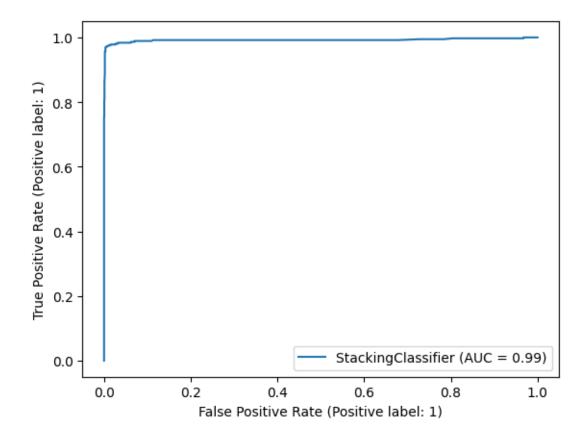
After optimization, threshold should be set at 0.28, which will lead to cost of misclassification of 444.





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[]: from sklearn.metrics import RocCurveDisplay

RocCurveDisplay.from_estimator(stacking_clf, t_X, t_y);
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Tuning the threshold in the KNN model gives a probbaility threshold of 0.01, with a cost of USD 1886, and AUC as 0.97. Whereas, in the stacking cost optimization at the threshold of 0.28, cost is as low as USD 444 with 0.99 AUC.

# 7 Conclusion

In conclusion, the stacking method with XGBoost exhibits the best performance with a balanced accuracy of 0.9806 and an average cost reduction to \$698.2 among 5 models applied. The ensemble method with stacking XGBoost is a model combining 3 best performance models which are decision tree, SVC and KNN.

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