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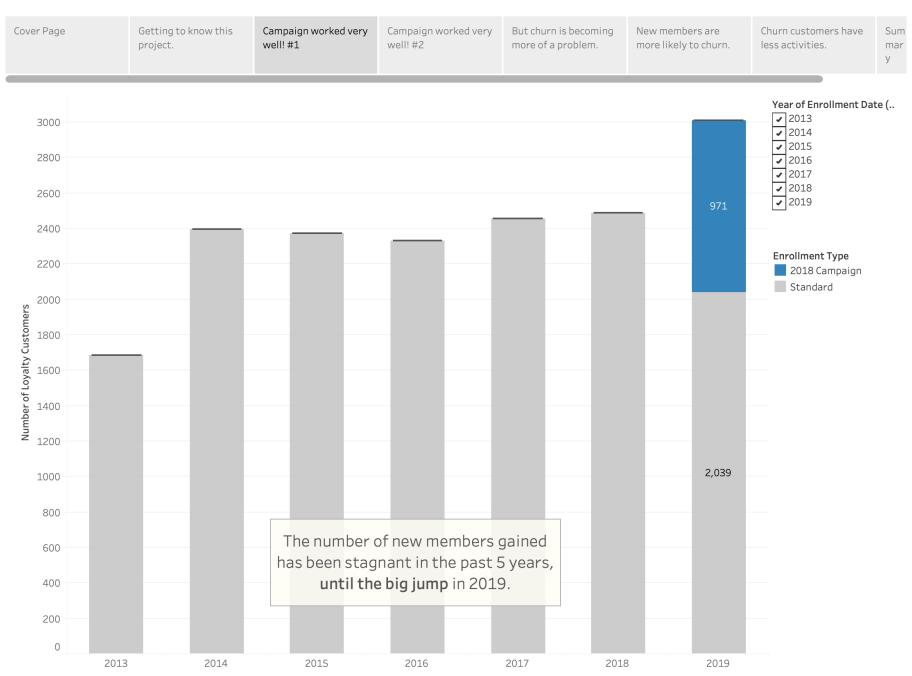
Background: An airline based in Canada has been running loyalty program since 2013.

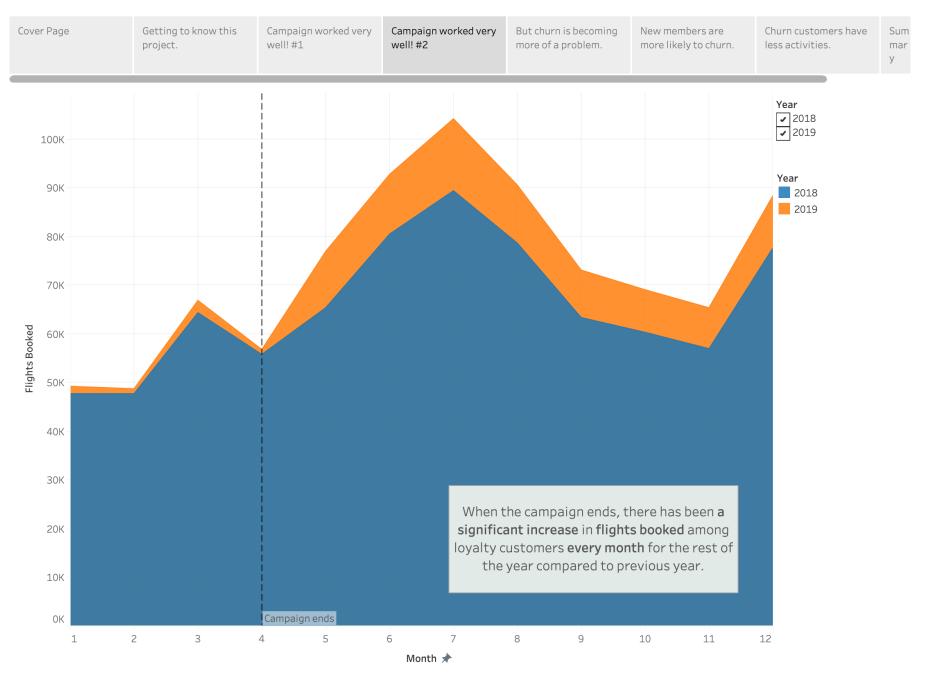
In 2019, they ran a marketing campaign for 3 months between February and April in an attempt to boost the program enrollments.

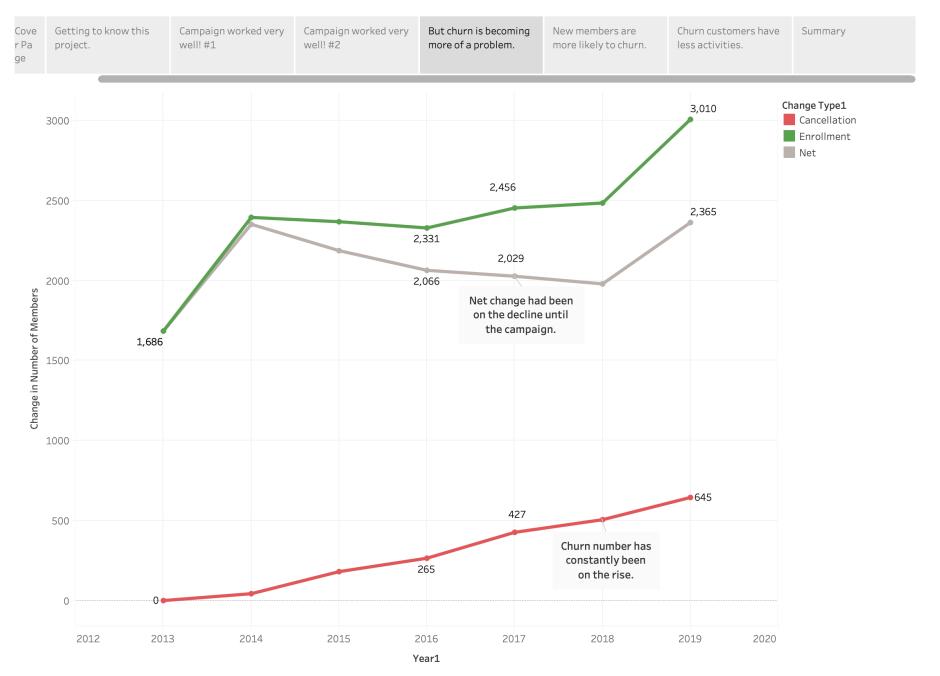
- **Objectives:** 1) Capture the <u>impacts</u> of the recent campaign.
 - 2) Understand the <u>current situation</u> and <u>problem</u> to address.
 - 3) Suggest improvement areas and next actions based on the findings.

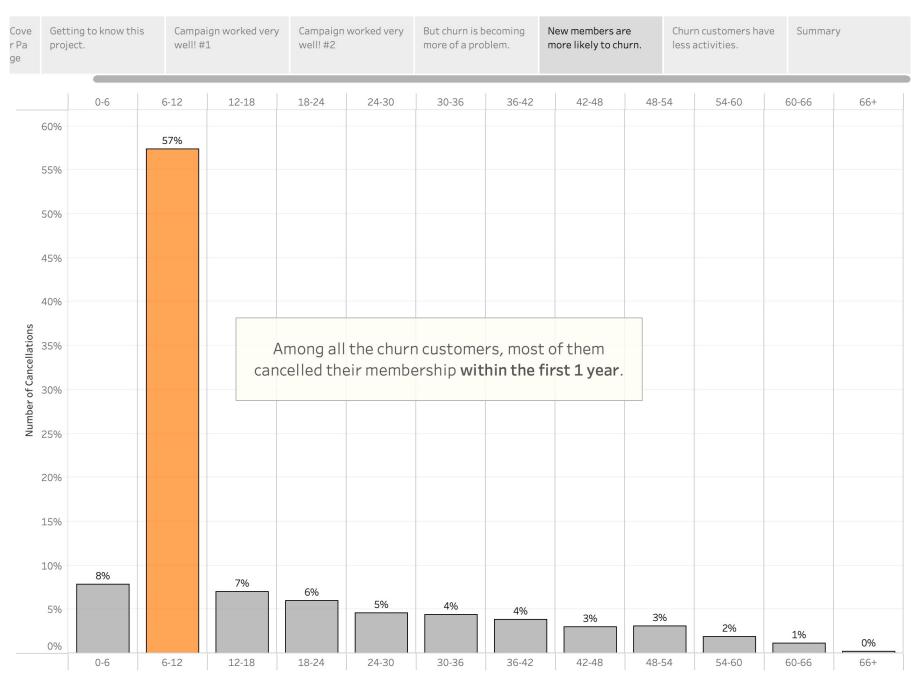
Dataset: - Loyalty customer data (ID, locations, status, dates, demographics, etc.).

- Data size: 167k rows, 16 columns.
- Customer flight activity data (ID, dates, flights, loyalty points, etc.).
 - Data size: 400k rows, 10 columns.









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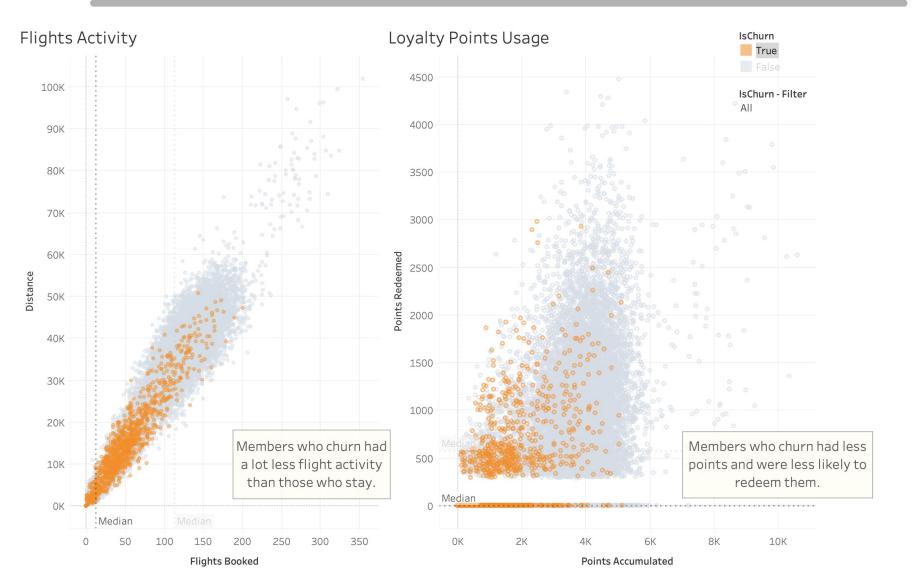
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Summary of Findings and Suggestions

KEY TAKEAWAYS:

- The campaign was effective. It not only increased enrollment rate but also significantly improved the number of flights booked by loyalty customers for the entire year.
- Cancellation number has been on the rise for the past years signaling the need for improvements on value preposition of the loyalty program.
- Churn customers tend to have less flight activity and accumulate & redeem less points.
- Majority of churn customers **left within the first 1 year period**. Once passing 1 year, the longer they stay, the less likely they are to leave.

NEXT FOCUSES:

- 1) Arrange another campaign early next year to boost enrollment and the number of flight booked applying similar concepts to the recent campaign that worked well.
- 2) Improve customer retention by making loyalty rewards more attractive, achievable, and personalized to the airline's main customer profiles.
- 3) **Investigate the reasons** why many members left within the 1 year period and form strategies accordingly. Utilize the insights on flight activity and points usage to build churn prevention plans.