

## Retention Data and Customer Intelligence-Round 1

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Our strategy is to find the people who has the most targetst possiblity to leave and invite them to prevent them from leaving.Firstly, I have checked the data and find out that there are so many missing values there.

```
streamraw=read.csv("Retention_train.csv")
summary(streamraw)
```

To avoid missing values which will cause a misleading to the regression, we will give the values of the NA obeying the characteristic of those variables who have missing values.(Average, Maximum,Medium based on the real business meaning environment) and changing those factors varibales into factor format.(e.g.)

```
streamraw$timeSinceLastTechProb[is.na(streamraw$timeSinceLastTechProb)]=100
streamraw$minutesVoice[is.na(streamraw$minutesVoice)]=200
```

Set the artificial variable 'Freq' which means the number of people who are using the plan in each single family to simulate the factor of conformity behavior.

```
summary(streamraw$Freq)
```

```
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##      1.000   1.000   1.000   1.163   1.000   5.000
```

Seperate the data into the training set and the testing set and do the binary regression to get mod1.

```
mod1=glm(churnIn3Month~.,family="binomial", data=train)
```

Doing the prediction based on our model we get from the training data.

```
p1=predict(mod1,newdata=validate,type="response")
cbind(p1,validate)[sort.list(p1,decreasing=TRUE)[1:2],]
```

```
##              p1 nbAdultAvg chrono age gender isWorkPhone planType data
## 624694 0.1241081         4   115  33      F           0   bring    9
## 666979 0.1240167         4   117  27      F           0   bring    7
##      dataAvgConsumption nbrIsOverData timeSinceLastIsOverData
## 624694              4.455              0              80
## 666979              2.185              0              80
##      unlimitedVoice minutesVoice voiceAvgConsumption nbrIsOverVoice
## 624694              1           200             57.708              0
## 666979              1           200             30.181              0
##      timeSinceLastIsOverVoice texttoAvgConsumption phonePrice cashDown
## 624694              30             478.232              0   91.16
## 666979              30             267.013              0  152.84
##      phoneBalance baseMonthlyRateForPlan baseMonthlyRateForPhone
## 624694              0              59.3              0
## 666979              0              53.9              0
##      timeSinceLastTechProb nbrTechnicalProblems timeSinceLastComplaints
## 624694              100              0              100
## 666979              100              0              100
##      nbrComplaints lifeTime churnIn3Month Freq
## 624694              0          3          1    4
## 666979              0          1          1    4
```

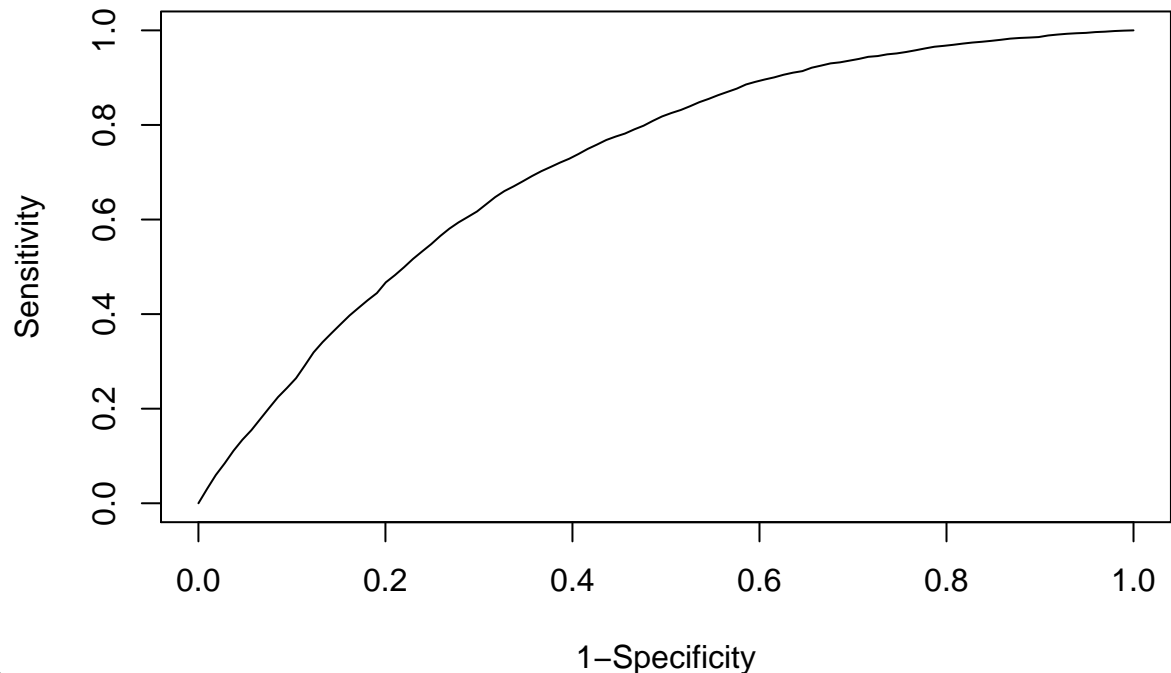
Adding predict\_correction\_p1 as our index showing the prediction correction rate of our model

```
cbind1=cbind(p1,validate)[sort.list(p1,decreasing=TRUE)[1:10000],]
predict_correction_p1=sum(cbind1$churnIn3Month)/10000
predict_correction_p1
```

```
## [1] 0.0712
```

We can get the mod2 by using the stepwise of mod1 and by considering the correlations between variables, we can get mod3, after comparing the AUC between all the models, mod1 has the best performance so we choose it

## ROC curve



as our optimal model.

```
## [1] 0.7214807
```

```
leaving_rate=sum(streamraw$churnIn3Month)/nrow(streamraw)
leaving_rate
```

```
## [1] 0.02714581
```

But the prediction correction rate for this model is too small as being a good binary model, after checking the previous dataset. We can get the leaving rate for all the clients.

## Modifying Strategy

a. We find out that only 2.7% percentage of people will leave in three months, and the most largest possibility of mod1 is 12.4% combining the largest 7.12% prediction correction rate from all the models, which means that we don't have a big confidence to find out those who will leave in 3 months. b. Plus we are not sure if we invite them to come to our dinner event will help to change their mind from leaving, to remedy the weakness of our model, we modify our strategy from inviting those who has the largest possibilities to leave to the modified strategy that finding the expectation money we will lost for each person, it means that we will take the potential value of each customer into consideration.

c. We will use the equations as follows to calculate the potential value of each customer:

$$PotentialValue = baseMonthlyRateForPlan + (baseMonthlyRateForPhone + cashDown + phonePrice + phoneBalance)^{1/2}$$

$$ExpectationLossingValue = PotentialValue * Probability$$

