Credit Risk Analysis and Modeling

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Outline of this project:

Goal: Analyzing and modeling the Taiwan credit risk dataset to gain practical insights into real-world scenarios

Steps:

- (1).Data description
- (2).Data analysis
- (3). Modeling

Part 1: Data description

Dataset: Default Payments of Credit Card Clients in Taiwan from 2005

Source: https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/uciml/default-of-credit-card-clients-dataset/data

Dataset Information

This dataset contains information on default payments, demographic factors, credit data, history of payment, and bill statements of credit card clients in Taiwan from April 2005 to September 2005.

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Part 2.Data analysis

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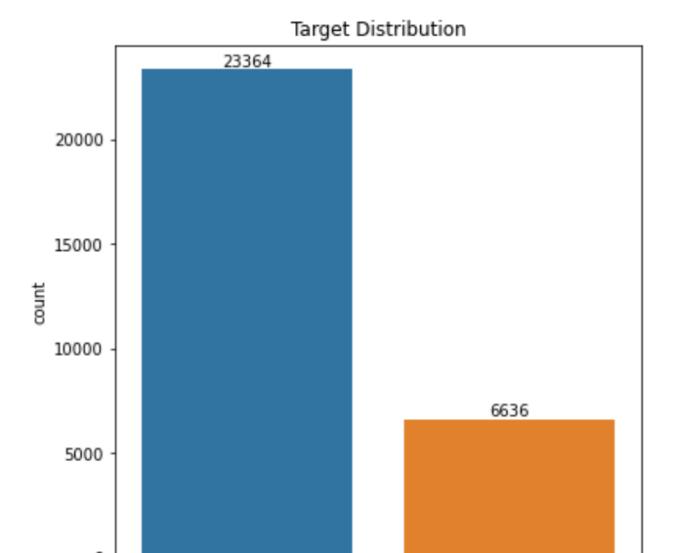
In credit analysis, the primary objective is to classify whether a client will default or not. To accomplish this, it's essential to examine the default history of our portfolio.

What is this figure:

This figure shows the distribution of default.

What is the conclusion:

77.88% of our clients are likely not to default and 22.12% are likely to default.



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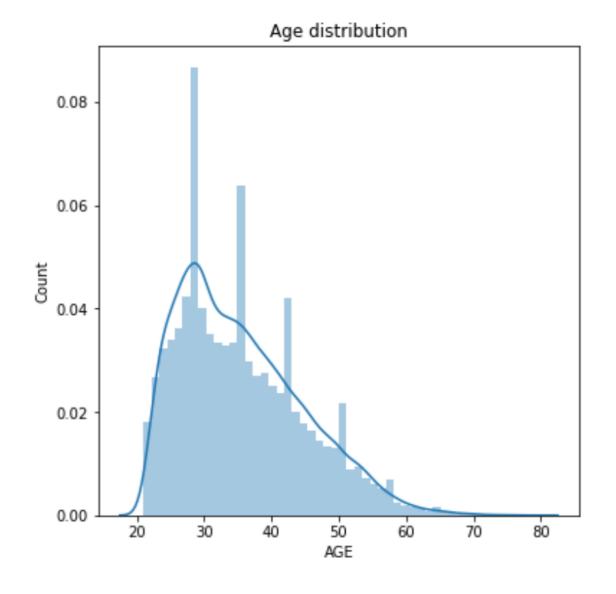
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Understanding who are our clients is important.

What is this figure:

This figure shows the distribution of the age of our clients.

What is the conclusion:

The age of most of our clients is around 30 years old.



Why plot this figure:

In credit analysis, the primary objective is to classify whether a client will default or not. Understanding which group of clients are more likely to default is important for selecting features for modeling.

What is this figure:

This figure shows the default distribution of clients under different group (gender, education and marriage).

What is the conclusion:

Default probability under each group:

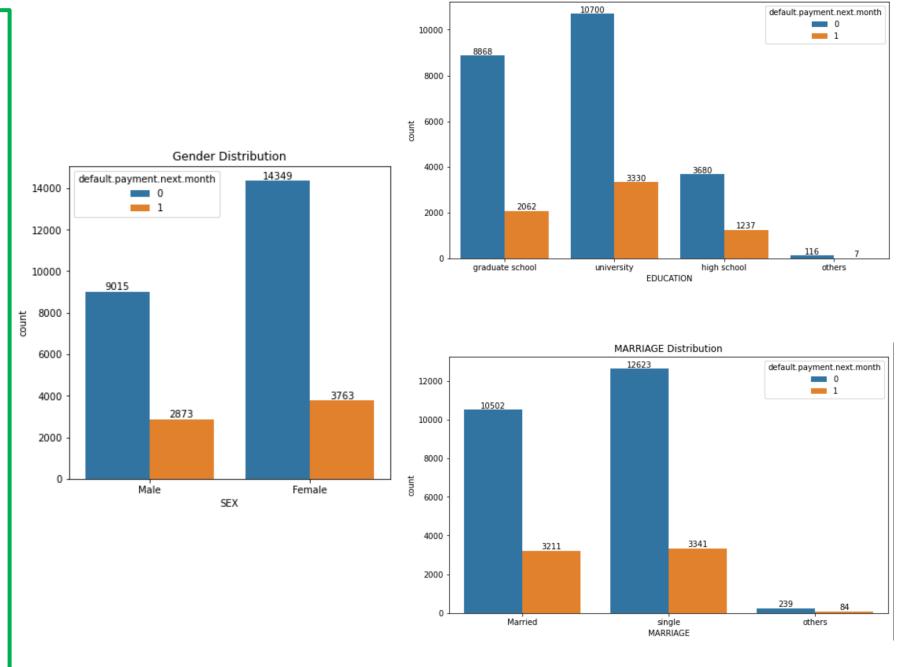
Male: 24% Female: 20%

Graduate school: 19%

University: 24% High school:25%

Married:23% Single:21%

- (1). Male have larger probability to default than female.
- (2). Higher education corresponds to lower default probability.
- (3). Married group has larger default probability than singer group.



Education Distribution

Part 2. Modeling

Goal:

Select the optimal model which can be used to predict the default of a client.

Considered models: Logistic Regression, Random Forest and SVM

Why choose these models:

- (1). We have historical default information of our clients. So supervised machine learning algorithms should be chosen.
- (2). As we predict the outcome (default or not default), so algorithm for binary classification should be chosen.

These three models are all supervised machine learning algorithms and can be used for binary classification.

Basic information about models:

(1).Logistic Regression

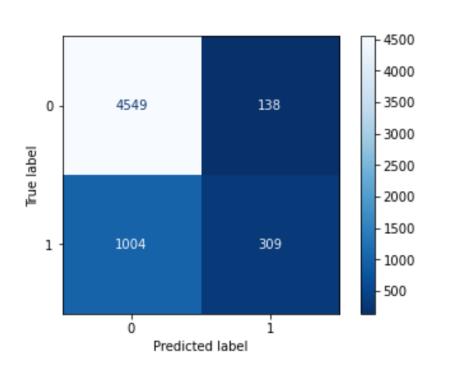
Logistic regression is defined as a supervised machine learning algorithm that accomplishes binary classification tasks by predicting the probability of an outcome, event, or observation.

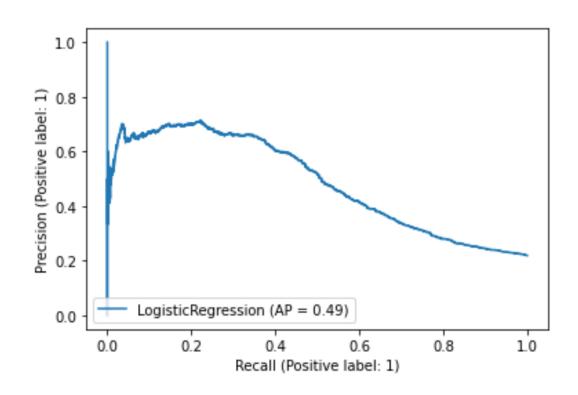
(2).Random forest

Random Forest is a non-linear ensemble learning algorithm for tasks such as classification. A large number of decision trees can be constructed from a training set. A decision tree is a flowchart-like structure in which each internal node represents a "test" on a feature, each branch represents the outcome of the test, and each leaf node represents a class label. (3).SVM

A support vector machine (SVM) is a supervised machine learning algorithm that classifies data by finding an optimal line or hyperplane that maximizes the distance between each class in an N-dimensional space

The outcome of Logistic Regression





	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0 1	0.82 0.69	0.97 0.24	0.89 0.35	4687 1313
accuracy			0.81	6000

Result of all models

	Precision	Recall	F1-score	Accuracy
Logistic Regression	0.82	0.97	0.89	0.81
Random Forest	0.84	0.94	0.89	0.82
SVM	0.84	0.96	0.89	0.82

Conclusion: SVM performs best among these three models.