

## **Advertisement CTR Prediction**

## **Shortlist Promising Models**

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#### Introduction

In this part, we trained five different models using standard parameters.

#### ■ Goal:

• Minimize false positive instances (Type I error) to lower the rate of sending advertisements to users who are not interested

#### Five models used:

- SGD classifier
- Random forest classifier
- Decision tree classifier
- Adaboost classifier
- Gradient boosting classifier

#### Steps for each model:

- Define default model
- Evaluate model performance on train set
- Evaluate model performance on validation set
- Drop the least important attributes based on permutation importance
- Re-evaluate the model performance on validation set
- Update the attributes that need to be dropped

#### Classifier defined

#### SGD Classifier

```
SGDClassifier(class_weight='balanced', loss='log_loss', max_iter=10000, random_state=42)
```

#### Ada Boost Classifier

#### Decision Tree Classifier

```
DecisionTreeClassifier(class_weight='balanced', criterion='log_loss', random_state=42)
```

#### Gradient Boosting Classifier

GradientBoostingClassifier(random\_state=42)

#### Random forest classifier

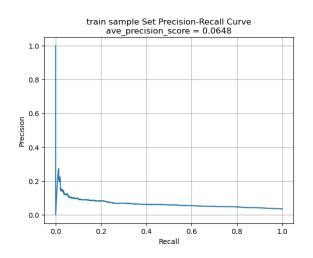
DecisionTreeClassifier(class\_weight='balanced', random\_state=42)

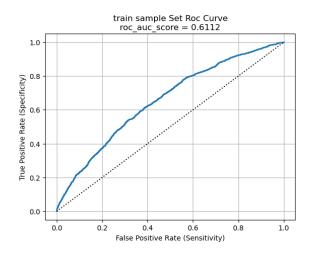
Note: Because the distribution (0/1) is imbalanced, we set 'class\_weight=balanced' to adjust the weights of the classes.

## SGD classifier – Performance on train

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.976314872866597, 'recall': 0.6928900287365201, 'f1-score': 0.8105402035025573, 'support': 32363.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.05800398066533978, 'recall': 0.5294117647058824, 'f1-score': 0.10455283163919024, 'support': 1156.
0}, 'accuracy': 0.687252006324771, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5171594267659684, 'recall': 0.6111508967212012, 'f1-score': 0.4575465175708738, 'support': 33519.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9446442564584507, 'recall': 0.68725200632477
1, 'f1-score': 0.7861921799375926, 'support': 33519.0}}
```

```
Check confusion matrix
train sample set confusion matrix:
[[22424 9939]
  [ 544 612]]
True Positives = 22424
True Negatives = 612
False Positives(Type I error) = 9939
False Negatives(Type II error) = 544
```



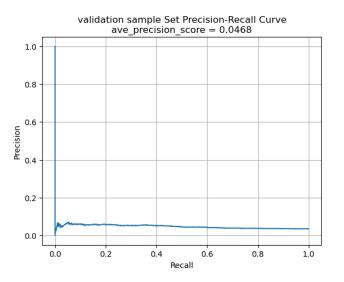


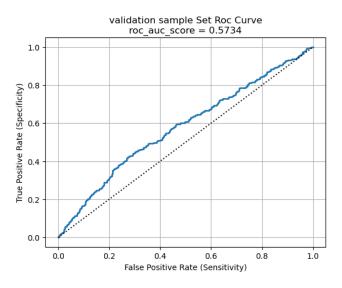
■ The low **precision score** and the large number of **false positive** instances indicate that the model is not performing well in correctly identifying positive instances. The **average precision score** is very low.

## SGD classifier – Performance on validation

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9726169844020798, 'recall': 0.6935244686109738, 'f1-score': 0.8096955706247295, 'support': 8092.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.050172347759479125, 'recall': 0.4532871972318339, 'f1-score': 0.09034482758620688, 'support': 289.
0}, 'accuracy': 0.6852404247703138, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5113946660807794, 'recall': 0.5734058329214039, 'f1-score': 0.4500201991054682, 'support': 8381.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9408085486557831, 'recall': 0.6852404247703138, 'f1-score': 0.7848903725889185, 'support': 8381.0}}
```

```
Check confusion matrix
validation sample set confusion matrix:
[[5612 2480]
  [ 158 131]]
True Positives = 5612
True Negatives = 131
False Positives(Type I error) = 2480
False Negatives(Type II error) = 158
```





■ The performances on train set and validation set are similar. The **average precision score** is slightly lower on validation set.

#### SGD classifier – Feature selection

Check out permutation importance:

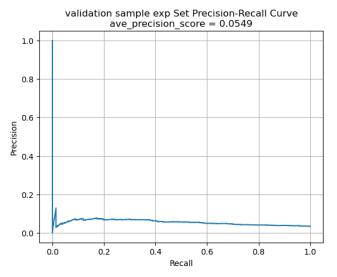
	metric_name	feature_name	metric_mean	metric_std_dev	
0	average_precision	adv_id	0.020945	0.000338	
1	average_precision	slot_id	0.018599	0.000785	
2	average_precision	his_app_size	0.008557	0.000639	
3	average_precision	app_first_class	0.008095	0.000767	
4	average_precision	emui_dev	0.002821	0.000375	
5	average_precision	residence	0.002556	0.000454	
6	average_precision	device_name	0.001781	0.000218	
7	average_precision	communication_onlinerate	0.001639	0.000186	
8	average_precision	device_size	0.001557	0.000187	
9	average_precision	city_rank	0.001319	0.000246	
10	average_precision	consume_purchase	0.000794	0.000150	
11	average_precision	indu_name	0.000690	0.000067	
12	average_precision	creat_type_cd	0.000011	0.000003	
13	roc_auc	slot_id	0.085976	0.006940	
14	roc_auc	adv_id	0.075197	0.001920 0.003345	
15	roc_auc	app_first_class	0.035279		
16	roc_auc	his_app_size	0.030286	0.001527	
17	roc_auc	residence	0.009932	0.001391	
18	roc_auc	emui_dev	0.006867	0.001516	
19	roc_auc	device_name	0.005542	0.000388	
20	roc_auc	city_rank	0.004867	0.000757	
21	roc_auc	device_size	0.004330	0.000449	
22	roc_auc	communication_onlinerate	0.002477	0.000245	
23	roc_auc	consume_purchase	0.002053	0.000733	
24	roc_auc	indu_name	0.001902	0.000154	
25	roc_auc	creat_type_cd	0.000026	0.000007	

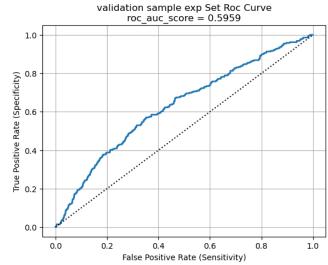
- We use average\_precision and roc\_auc to list the most significant features.
- To improve the performance, we conduct a feature selection. Below are additional features that might be dropped
  - 'indu\_name',
  - 'creat\_type\_cd',
  - 'emui\_dev',
  - 'residence',
  - 'city\_rank',
  - 'communication\_onlinerate',
  - 'device\_name',
  - 'consume\_purchase',
  - 'device\_size'

# SGD classifier – Performance after feature selection (v)

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9771590167500543, 'recall': 0.5551161641127039, 'f1-score': 0.7080148159823468, 'support': 8092.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.048625792811839326, 'recall': 0.6366782006920415, 'f1-score': 0.09035109256076602, 'support': 289.0},
'accuracy': 0.5579286481326811, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5128924047809469, 'recall': 0.5958971824023727, 'f1-score': 0.3
991829542715564, 'support': 8381.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9451406297177021, 'recall': 0.5579286481326811, 'f1-score': 0.686716066898844, 'support': 8381.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
validation sample exp set confusion matrix:
[[4492 3600]
 [ 105 184]]
True Positives = 4492
True Negatives = 184
False Positives(Type I error) = 3600
False Negatives(Type II error) = 105



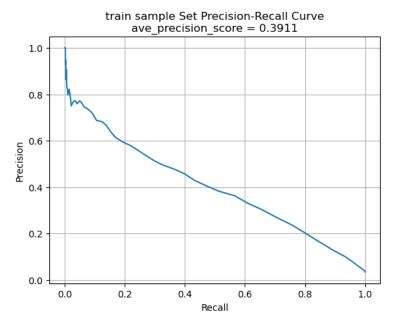


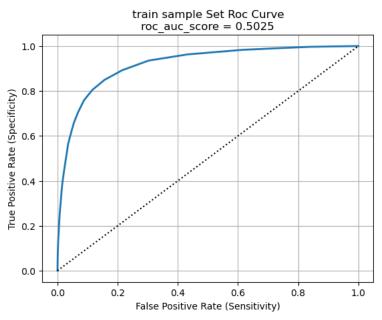
Above is the performance after dropping those additional features on the validation set. The number of **false positive** instances increases greatly; therefore, we won't drop features at this step.

### Random forest classifier – Performance on train

```
Check classification report {'0': {'precision': 0.965660366090358, 'recall': 0.9999768087261033, 'f1-score': 0.982519036135427, 'support': 129359.0}, '1': {'precision': 0.8846153846153846, 'recall': 0.004975124378109453, 'f1-score': 0.009894600989460099, 'support': 4623. 0}, 'accuracy': 0.965644638832082, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.9251378753528713, 'recall': 0.5024759665521064, 'f1-score': 0.49620681856244353, 'support': 133982.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9628639385899563, 'recall': 0.965644638832 082, 'f1-score': 0.9489589850563283, 'support': 133982.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
train sample set confusion matrix:
[[129356 3]
[ 4600 23]]
True Positives = 129356
True Negatives = 23
False Positives(Type I error) = 3
False Negatives(Type II error) = 4600



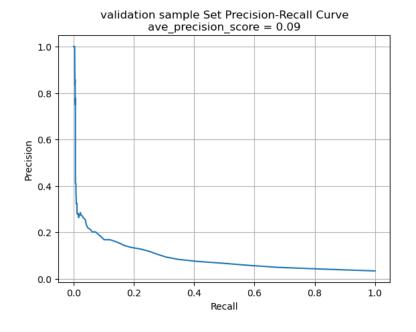


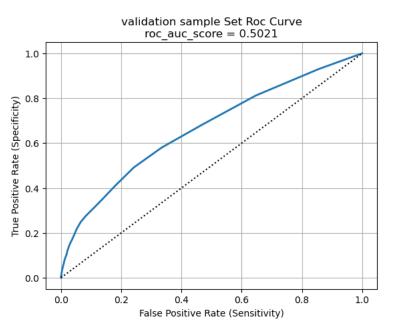
This model has few false positive although the number of false negatives is large.

## Random forest classifier – Performance on validation

```
Check classification report {'0': {'precision': 0.9656612667442346, 'recall': 0.9999691062436281, 'f1-score': 0.9825157843613403, 'support': 32369. 0}, '1': {'precision': 0.8333333333334, 'recall': 0.004325259515570935, 'f1-score': 0.008605851979345956, 'support': 1 156.0}, 'accuracy': 0.9656375838926174, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.899497300038784, 'recall': 0.5021471828795995, 'f1-score': 0.49556081817034314, 'support': 33525.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9610983706659944, 'recall': 0.9656375838 926174, 'f1-score': 0.9489336849777883, 'support': 33525.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
validation sample set confusion matrix:
[[32368 1]
[ 1151 5]]
True Positives = 32368
True Negatives = 5
False Positives(Type I error) = 1
False Negatives(Type II error) = 1151





Compared to the performance on the train set, the ave\_precision\_score decreases significantly

## Random forest classifier – Feature selection

	metric_name	feature_name	metric_mean	metric_std_dev	28	roc_auc	adv
0	average_precision	adv_id	0.218420	0.003740	29	roc_auc	slo
1	average_precision	slot_id	0.207453	0.004109	30	roc_auc	adv_prim
2	average_precision	age	0.139255	0.002333	31	roc_auc	
3	average_precision	adv_prim_id	0.129304	0.004174	32	roc_auc	car
4	average_precision	device_name	0.097855	0.002307	33	roc_auc	device_na
5	average_precision	career	0.094860	0.002013	34	roc_auc	his_app_s
6	average_precision	his_app_size	0.091076	0.003060	35	roc_auc	indu_na
7	average_precision	list_time	0.069913	0.002469	36	roc_auc	resider
8	average_precision	residence	0.069176	0.002431	37	roc_auc	list_ti
9	average_precision	city	0.068589	0.002436	38	roc_auc	up_life_durat
10	average_precision	pt_d	0.066925	0.001172	39	roc_auc	р
11	average_precision	communication_onlinerate	0.066848	0.000545	40	roc_auc	
12	average_precision	up_life_duration	0.063416	0.001760	41	roc_auc	communication_onliner
13	average_precision	indu_name	0.055372	0.003199	42	roc_auc	device_pr
14	average_precision	communication_avgonline_30d	0.054584	0.001954	43	roc_auc	city_ra
15	average_precision	emui_dev	0.051711	0.001721	44	roc_auc	app_second_cla
16	average_precision	city_rank	0.050455	0.002069	45	roc_auc	communication_avgonline_3
17	average_precision	device_price	0.048232	0.001159	46	roc_auc	emui_c
18	average_precision	app_second_class	0.046992	0.002088	47	roc_auc	device_s
19	average_precision	device_size	0.046958	0.001051	48	roc_auc	gen
20	average_precision	gender	0.025624	0.001169	49	roc_auc	net_ty
21	average_precision	creat_type_cd	0.016801	0.001316	50	roc_auc	creat_type_
22	average_precision	consume_purchase	0.016742	0.001208	51	roc_auc	app_first_cla
23	average_precision	net_type	0.015281	0.001049	52	roc_auc	consume_purcha
24	average_precision	inter_type_cd	0.013299	0.000862	53	roc_auc	inter_type_
25	average_precision	up_membership_grade	0.008780	0.000963	54	roc_auc	up_membership_gra
26	average_precision	app_first_class	0.008365	0.001548	55	roc_auc	membership_life_durat
27	average_precision	membership_life_duration	0.000116	0.000026			

- We use average\_precision and roc\_auc to rank features.
- Features to be dropped

0.001974

0.002481

0.001181

0.001417

0.000895

0.001040

0.001164

0.000841

0.000828

0.000685

0.000705

0.000636

0.000639

0.000602

0.000776

0.000681

0.000545

0.000391

0.000703

0.000340

0.000230

0.000446

0.000362

0.000563

0.000275

0.000011

0.118968 0.108140

0.049408

0.048640

0.036239

0.032971

0.024529

0.023072

0.022735

0.022554

0.022327

0.021381

0.021212

0.019487

0.019000

0.018540

0.017424

0.016000

0.015233

0.008234

0.006883

0.005967

0.005200

0.004506

0.004238

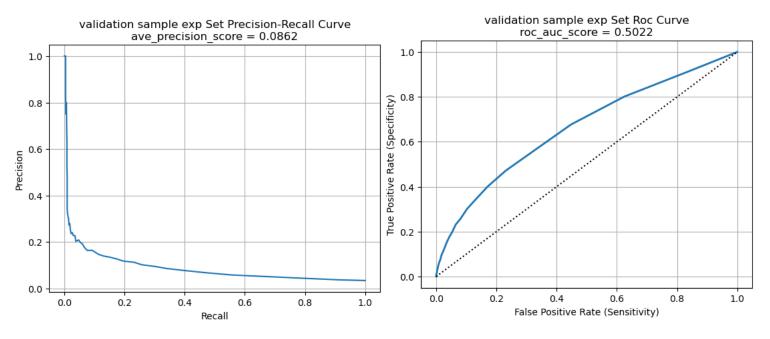
0.000037

- 'creat\_type\_cd',
- 'up\_membership\_grade',
- 'membership\_life\_duration',
- 'net\_type',
- 'consume\_purchase',
- 'app\_first\_class',
- 'gender',
- 'inter\_type\_cd'

# RF classifier – Performance after feature selection (v)

```
Check classification report {'0': {'precision': 0.9656622911694511, 'recall': 1.0, 'f1-score': 0.9825312267601573, 'support': 32369.0}, '1': {'precision': 1.0, 'recall': 0.004325259515570935, 'f1-score': 0.008613264427217916, 'support': 1156.0}, 'accuracy': 0.9656674123 788218, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.9828311455847256, 'recall': 0.5021626297577855, 'f1-score': 0.49557224559368757, 'support': 33525.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9668463147759572, 'recall': 0.9656674123788218, 'f1-score': 0.948948850 4900042, 'support': 33525.0}}
```

```
Check confusion matrix
validation sample exp set confusion matrix:
[[32369 0]
[ 1151 5]]
True Positives = 32369
True Negatives = 5
False Positives(Type I error) = 0
False Negatives(Type II error) = 1151
```

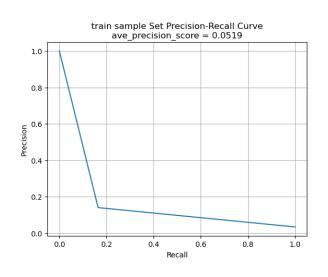


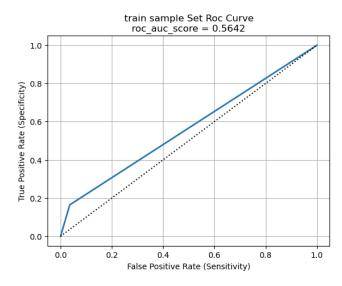
Because dropping attributes doesn't significantly decrease the performance, we would apply the new drop list in the fine-tuning stage.

## Decision Tree Classifier – Performance on train

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9699701566774435, 'recall': 0.964125699100825, 'f1-score': 0.9670390974880291, 'support': 32363.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.14063656550703182, 'recall': 0.1643598615916955, 'f1-score': 0.1515755883526127, 'support': 1156.0},
'accuracy': 0.9365434529669739, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5553033610922377, 'recall': 0.5642427803462603, 'f1-score':
0.5593073429203209, 'support': 33519.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9413681807416162, 'recall': 0.9365434529669739,
'f1-score': 0.9389154715874789, 'support': 33519.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
train sample set confusion matrix:
[[31202 1161]
 [ 966 190]]
True Positives = 31202
True Negatives = 190
False Positives(Type I error) = 1161
False Negatives(Type II error) = 966





- The low ave\_precision\_score and the number of false positives indicate a high rate of Type I error.
- **False negatives** is also high, indicating that the model doesn't perform well in identifying users who actually click on ads.

## Decision Tree Classifier – Performance on validation

```
Check classification report
   {'0': {'precision': 0.9658512355643859, 'recall': 0.9611962432031637, 'f1-score': 0.9635181170641066, 'support': 8092.0},
   '1': {'precision': 0.042682926829268296, 'recall': 0.04844290657439446, 'f1-score': 0.0453808752025932, 'support': 289.
   0}, 'accuracy': 0.9297219902159647, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5042670811968271, 'recall': 0.504819574888779, 'f1-scor
   e': 0.5044494961333499, 'support': 8381.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9340178456080026, 'recall': 0.929721990215964
   7, 'f1-score': 0.9318582121723303, 'support': 8381.0}}
                                                                                                       validation sample Set Roc Curve
                                                      validation sample Set Precision-Recall Curve
                                                                                                          roc auc score = 0.5048
                                                          ave precision score = 0.0349
                                                                                            1.0
                                               1.0
Check confusion matrix
                                                                                          (Specificity)
validation sample set confusion matrix:
[[7778 314]
 [ 275 14]]
True Positives = 7778
True Negatives = 14
False Positives(Type I error) = 314
                                                                                          Ĕ 0.2
False Negatives(Type II error) = 275
```

■ Compared to the train set, the **precision score** decreases significantly. Other performance metrics also decrease slightly. The model doesn't generalize to new and unseen data well.

False Positive Rate (Sensitivity)

## **Decision Tree Classifier— Feature selection**

	metric_name	feature_name	metric_mean	metric_std_dev
0	average_precision	slot_id	0.014788	0.000735
1	average_precision	adv_id	0.010747	0.000821
2	average_precision	age	0.009576	0.000729
3	average_precision	adv_prim_id	0.006379	0.000842
4	average_precision	his_app_size	0.006036	0.000881
5	average_precision	pt_d	0.005560	0.000769
6	average_precision	device_name	0.005175	0.000775
7	average_precision	communication_onlinerate	0.004435	0.000937
8	average_precision	indu_name	0.004168	0.000883
9	average_precision	device_size	0.003804	0.000435
10	average_precision	communication_avgonline_30d	0.003558	0.000979
11	average_precision	residence	0.003484	0.000747 0.000614
12	average_precision	creat_type_cd	0.003479	
13	average_precision	career	0.003367	0.000890
14	average_precision	up_life_duration	0.002743	0.000749
15	average_precision	emui_dev	0.002566	0.000471
16	average_precision	city	0.002350	0.000855
17	average_precision	gender	0.002335	0.000607
18	average_precision	city_rank	0.001203	0.000407
19	average_precision	inter_type_cd	0.001119	0.000267
20	average_precision	app_first_class	0.001034	0.000227
21	average_precision	consume_purchase	0.000968	0.000247

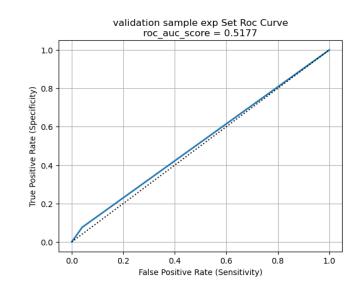
22	roc_auc	slot_id	0.044079	0.003718
23	roc_auc	adv_id	0.028933	0.002563
24	roc_auc	age	0.024442	0.002277
25	roc_auc	adv_prim_id	0.015625	0.002164
26	roc_auc	his_app_size	0.014556	0.002323
27	roc_auc	device_name	0.012585	0.001805
28	roc_auc	pt_d	0.011762	0.002195
29	roc_auc	indu_name	0.011195	0.002089
30	roc_auc	communication_onlinerate	0.010001	0.002278
31	roc_auc	career	0.008708	0.002018
32	roc_auc	device_size	0.008660	0.000935
33	roc_auc	creat_type_cd	0.008020	0.001417
34	roc_auc	communication_avgonline_30d	0.007759	0.002269
35	roc_auc	residence	0.007384	0.001779
36	roc_auc	up_life_duration	0.006448	0.001730
37	roc_auc	emui_dev	0.004705	0.001030
38	roc_auc	city	0.004628	0.002208
39	roc_auc	gender	0.004559	0.001562
40	roc_auc	list_time	0.003307	0.001436
41	roc_auc	device_price	0.002728	0.000783
42	roc_auc	city_rank	0.002464	0.000824
43	roc_auc	consume_purchase	0.002036	0.000576
44	roc_auc	inter_type_cd	0.001980	0.000608
45	roc auc	net type	0.001535	0.000574
40		-71		

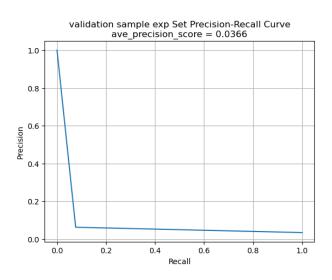
- The use of average\_precision and roc\_auc together calculates which feature is important.
- Features to be dropped
  - 'inter\_type\_cd',
  - 'city\_rank',
  - 'app\_first\_class',
  - 'consume\_purchase'

## DTree Classifier – After feature selection validation

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9667496886674969, 'recall': 0.9593425605536332, 'f1-score': 0.9630318819005087, 'support': 8092.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.06267806267806268, 'recall': 0.07612456747404844, 'f1-score': 0.06875, 'support': 289.0}, 'accurac
y': 0.92888676768882, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5147138756727798, 'recall': 0.5177335640138409, 'f1-score': 0.51589094
09502543, 'support': 8381.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9355748050126889, 'recall': 0.92888676768882, 'f1-score':
0.9321945756280774, 'support': 8381.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
validation sample exp set confusion matrix:
[[7763 329]
 [ 267 22]]
True Positives = 7763
True Negatives = 22
False Positives(Type I error) = 329
False Negatives(Type II error) = 267



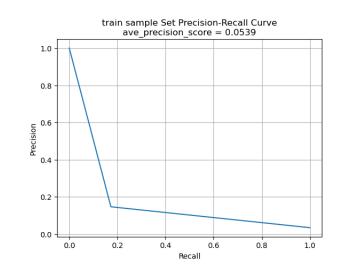


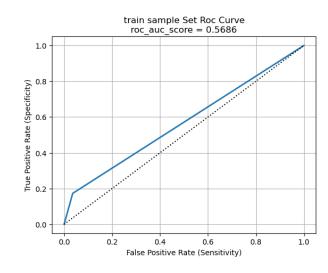
■ Because the decrease in **false positives** is subtle and other performance metrics don't change much, we'll consider dropping these features in the fine-tuning stage.

### Adaboost Classifier – Performance on train

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9702708585999937, 'recall': 0.9640947996168464, 'f1-score': 0.9671729696218226, 'support': 32363.
0}, '1': {'precision': 0.14684287812041116, 'recall': 0.17301038062283736, 'f1-score': 0.15885623510722796, 'support': 11
56.0}, 'accuracy': 0.9368119573972971, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5585568683602025, 'recall': 0.5685525901198418, 'f1-score': 0.5630146023645253, 'support': 33519.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.941872554789188, 'recall': 0.936811957397
2971, 'f1-score': 0.9392958209867538, 'support': 33519.0}}
```

```
Check confusion matrix
train sample set confusion matrix:
[[31201 1162]
  [ 956 200]]
True Positives = 31201
True Negatives = 200
False Positives(Type I error) = 1162
False Negatives(Type II error) = 956
```



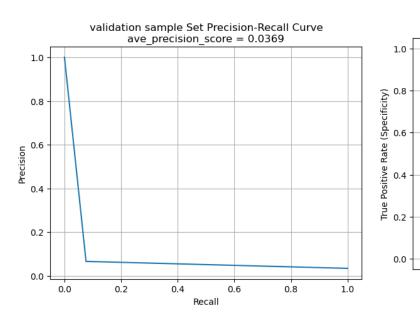


■ The default model has many **false positives** and **false negatives**. The model fails to predict the instances well.

### Adaboost Classifier – Performance on validation

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9668281774133433, 'recall': 0.9616905585763718, 'f1-score': 0.9642525246267271, 'support': 8092.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.06626506024096386, 'recall': 0.07612456747404844, 'f1-score': 0.07085346215781, 'support': 289.0},
'accuracy': 0.9311538002624985, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5165466188271536, 'recall': 0.5189075630252101, 'f1-score':
0.5175529933922686, 'support': 8381.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9357742768211923, 'recall': 0.9311538002624985,
'f1-score': 0.933445660403661, 'support': 8381.0}}
```

```
Check confusion matrix
validation sample set confusion matrix:
[[7782 310]
  [ 267 22]]
True Positives = 7782
True Negatives = 22
False Positives(Type I error) = 310
False Negatives(Type II error) = 267
```



Compared to the performance on the train set, the performance on the validation set is worse.

validation sample Set Roc Curve

roc auc score = 0.5189

False Positive Rate (Sensitivity)

## Adaboost Classifier – Feature selection

	metric_name	feature_name	metric_mean	metric_std_dev	
0	average_precision	slot_id	0.016272	0.000864	
1	average_precision	adv_id	0.012030	0.000730	
2	average_precision	age	0.010448	0.000795	
3	average_precision	his_app_size	0.007816	0.001075	
4	average_precision	pt_d	0.007778	0.001217	
5	average_precision	adv_prim_id	0.007673	0.001035	
6	average_precision	device_name	0.005794	0.000841	
7	average_precision	communication_onlinerate	0.004792	0.000735	
8	average_precision	device_size	0.004531	0.000710	
9	average_precision	career	0.004139	0.000880	
10	average_precision	indu_name	0.003994	0.000681	
11	average_precision	up_life_duration	0.003354	0.000791	
12	average_precision	residence	0.003322	0.000891	
13	average_precision	city	0.003281	0.000811	
14	average_precision	creat_type_cd	0.003232	0.000752	
15	average_precision	communication_avgonline_30d	0.003198	0.001096	
16	average_precision	list_time	0.003094	0.001196	
17	average_precision	gender	0.002545	0.000491	
18	average_precision	emui_dev	0.002105	0.000845	
19	average_precision	city_rank	0.001585	0.000703	
20	average_precision	app_second_class	0.001367	0.000463	
21	average_precision	consume_purchase	0.000975	0.000310	
22	average_precision	inter_type_cd	0.000836	0.000175	

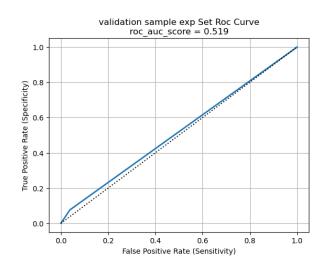
23	roc_auc	slot_id	0.046739	0.003767
24	roc_auc	adv_id	0.031356	0.002091
25	roc_auc	age	0.025616	0.002141
26	roc_auc	his_app_size	0.018290	0.002933
27	roc_auc	adv_prim_id	0.017958	0.002537
28	roc_auc	pt_d	0.016878	0.003343
29	roc_auc	device_name	0.014610	0.002014
30	roc_auc	indu_name	0.010725	0.001406
31	roc_auc	communication_onlinerate	0.010452	0.001712
32	roc_auc	career	0.010141	0.001948
33	roc_auc	device_size	0.009744	0.001499
34	roc_auc	list_time	0.008616	0.002535
35	roc_auc	creat_type_cd	0.008223	0.001590
36	roc_auc	up_life_duration	0.007430	0.001896
37	roc_auc	residence	0.006655	0.002105
38	roc_auc	communication_avgonline_30d	0.006593	0.002308
39	roc_auc	city	0.006490	0.001848
40	roc_auc	gender	0.005201	0.001211
41	roc_auc	emui_dev	0.004727	0.001798
42	roc_auc	device_price	0.004110	0.001098
43	roc_auc	app_second_class	0.003659	0.000940
44	roc_auc	city_rank	0.003235	0.001437
45	roc_auc	net_type	0.002243	0.000750
46	roc_auc	consume_purchase	0.001999	0.000697
47	roc_auc	inter_type_cd	0.001128	0.000385

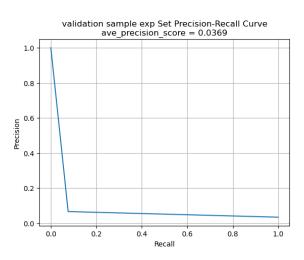
- Features to be dropped
  - 'city\_rank',
  - 'consume\_purchase',
  - 'emui\_dev',
  - 'inter\_type\_cd',
  - 'app\_second\_class',
  - 'creat\_type\_cd',

## Adaboost Classifier – After feature selection validation

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.966832298136646, 'recall': 0.9618141374196737, 'f1-score': 0.9643166893817371, 'support': 8092.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.06646525679758308, 'recall': 0.07612456747404844, 'f1-score': 0.07096774193548387, 'support': 289.0},
'accuracy': 0.9312731177663763, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.5166487774671145, 'recall': 0.518969352446861, 'f1-score': 0.51
76422156586105, 'support': 8381.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9357851587801266, 'recall': 0.9312731177663763, 'f1-score': 0.9335115532629008, 'support': 8381.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
validation sample exp set confusion matrix:
[[7783 309]
 [ 267 22]]
True Positives = 7783
True Negatives = 22
False Positives(Type I error) = 309
False Negatives(Type II error) = 267



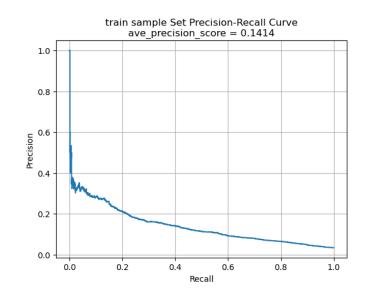


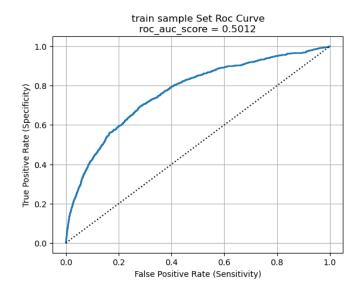
■ Because the decrease in **false positives** is subtle and other performance metrics don't change much, we'll consider dropping these features in the fine-tuning stage.

# **Gradient Boosting Classifier – Performance on train**

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9655944139412748, 'recall': 0.9998764020640856, 'f1-score': 0.9824364326375712, 'support': 32363.
0}, '1': {'precision': 0.42857142857142855, 'recall': 0.0025951557093425604, 'f1-score': 0.005159071367153912, 'support': 1156.0}, 'accuracy': 0.9654822637906859, 'macro avg': {'precision': 0.6970829212563516, 'recall': 0.5012357788867141, 'f1-score': 0.49379775200236253, 'support': 33519.0}, 'weighted avg': {'precision': 0.9470736176440242, 'recall': 0.9654822637906859, 'f1-score': 0.948732186400255, 'support': 33519.0}}
```

Check confusion matrix
train sample set confusion matrix:
[[32359 4]
 [ 1153 3]]
True Positives = 32359
True Negatives = 3
False Positives(Type I error) = 4
False Negatives(Type II error) = 1153



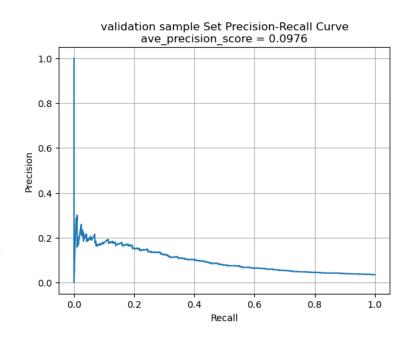


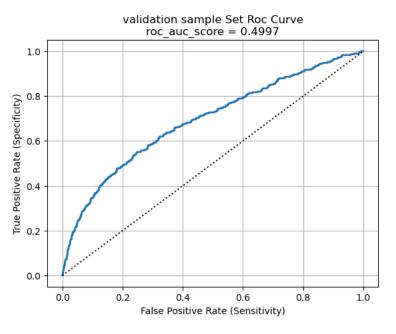
This model has few false positive although the number of false negatives is large.

# **GBoosting Classifier – Performance on validation**

```
Check classification report
{'0': {'precision': 0.9654966571155683, 'recall': 0.9993821057834898, 'f1-score': 0.982147194559145, 'support': 8092.0},
'1': {'precision': 0.0, 'recall': 0.0, 'f1-score': 0.0, 'support': 289.0}, 'accuracy': 0.9649206538599212, 'macro avg':
{'precision': 0.48274832855778416, 'recall': 0.4996910528917449, 'f1-score': 0.4910735972795725, 'support': 8381.0}, 'wei
ghted avg': {'precision': 0.9322036689391694, 'recall': 0.9649206538599212, 'f1-score': 0.9482800499191745, 'support': 83
81.0}}
```

```
Check confusion matrix
validation sample set confusion matrix:
[[8087 5]
[ 289 0]]
True Positives = 8087
True Negatives = 0
False Positives(Type I error) = 5
False Negatives(Type II error) = 289
```





Compared to the train set, the validation set has much lower precision score and ave\_precision\_score.
Notably, precision score for class 1 is 0.

# **GBoosting Classifier – Feature selection**

	metric_name	feature_name	metric_mean	metric_std_dev
0	average_precision	adv_id	0.053603	0.002183
1	average_precision	slot_id	0.043309	0.003156
2	average_precision	city	0.012961	0.001394
3	average_precision	age	0.012066	0.001944
4	average_precision	device_size	0.007031	0.001541
5	average_precision	his_app_size	0.006827	0.001260
6	average_precision	communication_onlinerate	0.006441	0.001109
7	average_precision	career	0.006397	0.001760
8	average_precision	adv_prim_id	0.005482	0.001684
9	average_precision	device_price	0.002916	0.000559
10	average_precision	gender	0.002265	0.000400
11	average_precision	emui_dev	0.001379	0.000559
12	average_precision	list_time	0.001295	0.000492
13	average_precision	communication_avgonline_30d	0.001203	0.000596
14	average_precision	city_rank	0.001095	0.000353
15	average_precision	up_life_duration	0.000689	0.000287
16	average_precision	pt_d	0.000561	0.000245

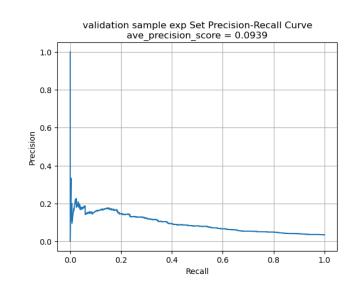
17	roc_auc	adv_id	0.079517	0.002664
18	roc_auc	slot_id	0.060020	0.006323
19	roc_auc	age	0.005321	0.000476
20	roc_auc	city	0.004122	0.001010
21	roc_auc	adv_prim_id	0.004120	0.000715
22	roc_auc	device_size	0.003292	0.001010
23	roc_auc	career	0.003048	0.000697
24	roc_auc	list_time	0.002246	0.000286
25	roc_auc	communication_onlinerate	0.002119	0.000628
26	roc_auc	device_price	0.001890	0.000895
27	roc_auc	emui_dev	0.001109	0.000206
28	roc_auc	net_type	0.001007	0.000210
29	roc_auc	gender	0.000813	0.000200
30	roc_auc	communication_avgonline_30d	0.000668	0.000302
31	roc_auc	city_rank	0.000634	0.000154
32	roc_auc	pt_d	0.000268	0.000112
33	roc_auc	consume_purchase	0.000247	0.000089
34	roc_auc	inter_type_cd	0.000008	0.000003

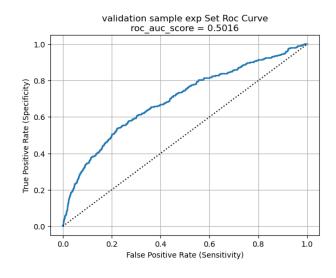
#### Features to be dropped

- 'device\_size',
- 'pt\_d',
- 'career',
- 'emui\_dev',
- 'communication\_avgonline\_30d',
- 'adv\_prim\_id',
- 'gender',
- 'list\_time',
- 'city\_rank',
- 'communication\_onlinerate',
- 'device\_price'

# GBoosting Classifier – After feature selection validation

```
Check confusion matrix
validation sample exp set confusion matrix:
[[8090 2]
 [288 1]]
True Positives = 8090
True Negatives = 1
False Positives(Type I error) = 2
False Negatives(Type II error) = 288
```





■ The model performances before and after dropping some common least important features in permutation importance test are similar. We'll drop these features in the fine-tuning stage.

# **Classifiers – Comparison**

#### ■ SGD Classifier

	stage	accuracy	precision	recall	cv_mean_accuracy	cv_mean_precision	cv_mean_recall	cv_mean_f1	roc_auc_score
0	train sample	0.6873	0.058004	0.529412	0.5468	0.0457	0.6064	0.0849	0.6112
0	validation sample	0.6852	0.050172	0.453287	0.5531	0.0444	0.5746	0.0823	0.5734
0	train sample exp	0.5561	0.053088	0.705017	0.5464	0.0474	0.6229	0.0880	0.6279
0	validation sample exp	0.5579	0.048626	0.636678	0.5890	0.0431	0.5160	0.0792	0.5959

#### Random Forest Classifier

	stage	accuracy	precision	recall	cv_mean_accuracy	cv_mean_precision	cv_mean_recall	cv_mean_f1	roc_auc_score
0	train sample	0.9656	0.884615	0.004975	0.9655	0.3467	0.0013	0.0026	0.5025
0	validation sample	0.9656	0.833333	0.004325	0.9655	0.1333	0.0017	0.0034	0.5021
0	train sample exp	0.9657	0.958333	0.004975	0.9655	0.4333	0.0011	0.0022	0.5025
0	validation sample exp	0.9657	1.000000	0.004325	0.9655	0.0000	0.0000	0.0000	0.5022

#### Adaboost Classifier

	stage	accuracy	precision	recall	cv_mean_accuracy	cv_mean_precision	cv_mean_recall	cv_mean_f1	roc_auc_score
0	train sample	0.9368	0.146843	0.173010	0.9265	0.0552	0.0701	0.0617	0.5686
0	validation sample	0.9312	0.066265	0.076125	0.9260	0.0674	0.0831	0.0738	0.5189
0	train sample exp	0.9370	0.162429	0.198962	0.9241	0.0577	0.0796	0.0666	0.5812
0	validation sample exp	0.9313	0.066465	0.076125	0.9267	0.0560	0.0691	0.0612	0.5190

#### Decision Tree Classifier

	stage	accuracy	precision	recall	cv_mean_accuracy	cv_mean_precision	cv_mean_recall	cv_mean_f1	roc_auc_score
0	train sample	0.9365	0.140637	0.164360	0.9265	0.0547	0.0701	0.0614	0.5642
0	validation sample	0.9297	0.042683	0.048443	0.9264	0.0723	0.0898	0.0795	0.5048
0	train sample exp	0.9350	0.150273	0.190311	0.9246	0.0599	0.0796	0.0680	0.5759
0	validation sample exp	0.9289	0.062678	0.076125	0.9281	0.0638	0.0762	0.0691	0.5177

#### Gradient Boosting Classifier

	stage	accuracy	precision	recall	cv_mean_accuracy	cv_mean_precision	cv_mean_recall	cv_mean_f1	roc_auc_score
0	train sample	0.9655	0.428571	0.002595	0.9654	0.00	0.0000	0.0000	0.5012
0	validation sample	0.9649	0.000000	0.000000	0.9650	0.10	0.0034	0.0067	0.4997
0	train sample exp	0.9655	0.600000	0.002595	0.9652	0.05	0.0009	0.0017	0.5013
0	validation sample exp	0.9654	0.333333	0.003460	0.9644	0.25	0.0070	0.0133	0.5016

This is a summary table for all models. All models need to be improved based on the performance metrics.