MARKET SEGMENTATION ANALYSIS

Milestone 1: Project Initialization and Planning Phase

The "Project Initialization and Planning Phase" marks the project's outset, defining goals, scope, and stakeholders. This crucial phase establishes project parameters, identifies key team members, allocates resources, and outlines a realistic timeline. It also involves risk assessment and mitigation planning. Successful initiation sets the foundation for a well-organized and efficiently executed machine learning project, ensuring clarity, alignment, and proactive measures for potential challenges.

Activity 1: Define Problem Statement

> Problem Statement: The success of a business relies on offering the right product to the right consumer at the right time.
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> To do this, marketers need to know their customers inside out. This makes market segmentation a vital tool for organizations to study and segment consumer behavior—one that can reap huge dividends

. Market segmentation, while a powerful tool for targeting specific customer groups, faces several challenges that can impact its effectiveness and implementation". Every consumer comes with unique requirements, so a one-size-fits-all marketing strategy won't work to engage users across the board. So, an application can be made which can make people divide users into unique groups to analyze their needs and communicate with them effectively.

Problem Statement Report: Click Here

Activity 2: Project Proposal (Proposed Solution)

“Developing a predictive model using machine learning techniques that accurately divides customers into segments according to the data based on demographic and customer food preferences, thereby provide the effective communication and needs of customers."

Project Proposal Report: Click Here

Activity 3: Initial Project Planning

Initial Project Planning involves outlining key objectives, defining scope, and identifying clustering methods for a market segmentation analysis system. It encompasses setting timelines, allocating resources, and determining the overall project strategy. During this phase, the team establishes a clear understanding of the dataset, formulates goals for analysis, and plans the workflow for data processing. Effective initial planning lays the foundation for a systematic and well-executed project, ensuring successful outcomes.

Project Planning Report: Click Here

Milestone 2: Data Collection and Preprocessing Phase

The Data Collection and Preprocessing Phase involves executing a plan to gather relevant market segmentation data from Kaggle, ensuring data quality through verification and addressing missing values. Preprocessing tasks include cleaning, encoding, and organizing the dataset for subsequent exploratory analysis and machine learning model development.

Activity 1: Data Collection Plan, Raw Data Sources Identified, Data Quality Report

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Data Collection Report: Click Here

Activity 2: Data Quality Report

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Data Quality Report: Click Here

Activity 3: Data Exploration and Preprocessing

Data Exploration involves analyzing the customers dataset to understand patterns, distributions, and outliers. Preprocessing includes handling missing values, scaling, and encoding categorical variables. These crucial steps enhance data quality, ensuring the reliability and effectiveness of subsequent analyses in the medical cost prediction project.

Data Exploration and Preprocessing Report: Click Here

Milestone 3: Model Development Phase

The Model Development Phase entails crafting a predictive model for market segmentation analysis. It encompasses strategic feature selection, evaluating and selecting models (Kmeans), initiating training with code, and rigorously validating and assessing model performance for informed decisionmaking in the lending process.

Activity 1: Feature Selection Report

The Feature Selection Report outlines the rationale behind choosing specific features (e.g., Sex, Age,Bmi,Children,region) for the customers data clustering model. It evaluates relevance, importance, and impact on predictive accuracy, ensuring the inclusion of key factors influencing the model's ability to discern predict charges.

Feature Selection Report: Click Here

Activity 2: Model Selection Report

The Model Selection Report details the rationale behind choosing kmeans models for market segmentation analysis. It considers each model's strengths in handling complex relationships, interpretability, adaptability, and overall predictive performance, ensuring an informed choice aligned with project objectives.

Model Selection Report: Click Here

Activity 3: Initial Model Training Code, Model Validation and Evaluation Report

The Initial Model Training Code employs selected algorithms on the customers dataset, setting the foundation for predictive modelling. The subsequent Model Validation and Evaluation Report rigorously assesses model performance, employing metrics like accuracy and precision to ensure reliability and effectiveness in predicting medical cost outcomes.

Model Development Phase Template: Click Here

Milestone 4: Model Optimization and Tuning Phase

The Model Optimization and Tuning Phase involves refining machine learning models for peak performance. It includes optimized model code, fine-tuning hyperparameters, comparing performance metrics, and justifying the final model selection for enhanced predictive accuracy and efficiency.

Activity 1: Hyperparameter Tuning Documentation

The Kmeans clustering model was selected for its superior performance, exhibiting high accuracy during hyperparameter tuning. Its ability to handle complex relationships, minimize overfitting, and optimize predictive accuracy aligns with project objectives, justifying its selection as the final model.

Activity 2: Performance Metrics Comparison Report

The Performance Metrics Comparison Report contrasts the baseline and optimized metrics for various models, specifically highlighting the enhanced performance of the Kmeans clustering algorithm. This assessment provides a clear understanding of the refined predictive capabilities achieved through hyperparameter tuning.

Activity 3: Final Model Selection Justification

The Final Model Selection Justification articulates the rationale for choosing Kmeans algorithm as the ultimate model. Its exceptional accuracy, ability to handle complexity, and successful hyperparameter tuning align with project objectives, ensuring optimal data clustering.

Model Optimization and Tuning Phase Report: Click Here

Milestone 5: Project Files Submission and Documentation

For project file submission in Github, Kindly click the link and refer to the flow. Click Here

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Milestone 6: Project Demonstration

Demo link: click here