Vehicle Insurance Customer Targeting

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01 Introduction



Morning

Go through **emails** from potential and existing **customers**

After lunch

Make **cold call** to potential **customers**

Evening

Meet with customers face-to-face to evaluate thier needs

Mid-Morning

Meet with customers to determine coverage

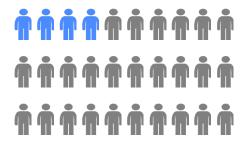
Mid-Afternoon

Work on various marketing options to secure **new leads**



Background

- Insurance sales agents spend **more than 45 hours** a week on meeting clients.
- However, only **14.3%** customers will buy insurance.



Objective

Build a model to **predict whether** the clients is interested in extending their vehicle insurance **based on thier behaviour**.

→ Accuracy: 99%



Benefit

WHO

- Reach out those potential clients effectively
- Increase the **conversion rate** of marketing campaigns.

WHICH

Predict which product is going to be bought by each client to make more efficient campaigns.

02 Data

Data Description Preliminary Data Analysis

Data Description

Response Variable

"Yes" - the customers would like to renew their insurance

"No" - the customers would discontinue their insurance

Explanatory Variable

Demographic

- 1. Customer Customer unique ID
- 2. Marital Status
- 3. Education
- 4. State where customers live in
- 5. Gender
- 6. Location Code

Consumption Records

12. Effective To Month - The first month when customer would like to activate their car insurance

Response:

- 13. Months Since Last Claim
- 14. Months Since Policy Inception
- 15. Number of Open Complaints
- 16. Total Claim Amount

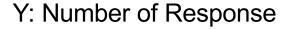
Financial

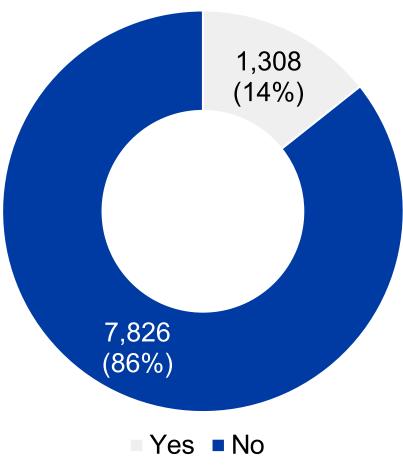
- 7. Income
- 8. Employment Status
- 9. Vehicle Class
- 10. Vehicle Size
- 11. Monthly Premium Auto Premium auto that customers need to pay

Renew Sales

- 17. <u>Customer Lifetime Value Equals to Customer Value * Customer lifespan</u>
- 18. Number of Policies
- 19. Policy Type
- 20. Policy 22. Sales Channel
- 21. Renew Offer Type 23. Coverage

Preliminary Data Analysis



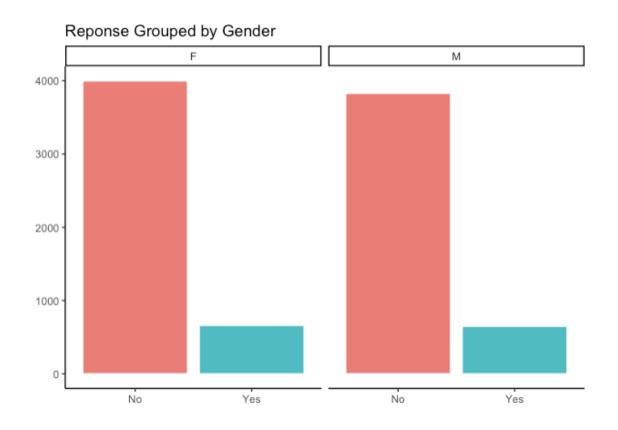


Much more customers answering "No"

| X: Numeric Features | mean | sd | max | min |
|-------------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| Customer.Lifetime.Value | 8004.94 | 6870.97 | 3658.9 | 1898.01 |
| Income | 37657.4 | 30379.9 | 42522.5 | 0 |
| Monthly.Premium.Auto | 93.22 | 34.41 | 26.69 | 61 |
| Months.Since.Last.Claim | 15.1 | 10.07 | 11.86 | 0 |
| Months.Since.Policy.Inception | 48.06 | 27.91 | 35.58 | 0 |
| Number.of.Open.Complaints | 0.38 | 0.91 | 0 | 0 |
| Number.of.Policies | 2.97 | 2.39 | 1.48 | 1 |
| Total.Claim.Amount | 434.09 | 290.5 | 213.58 | 0.1 |

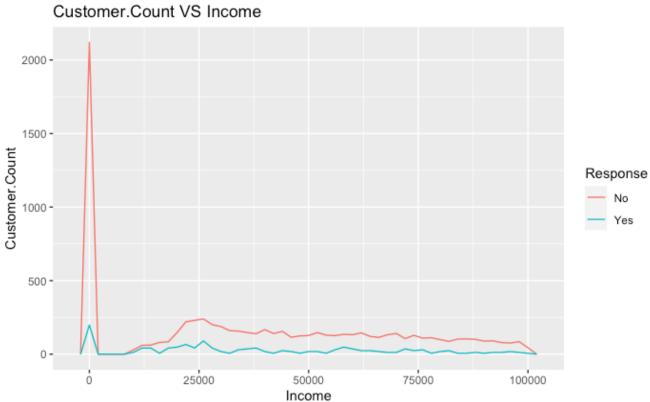
"Customer.Lifetime.Value" and "Income" have large ranges

Preliminary Data Analysis



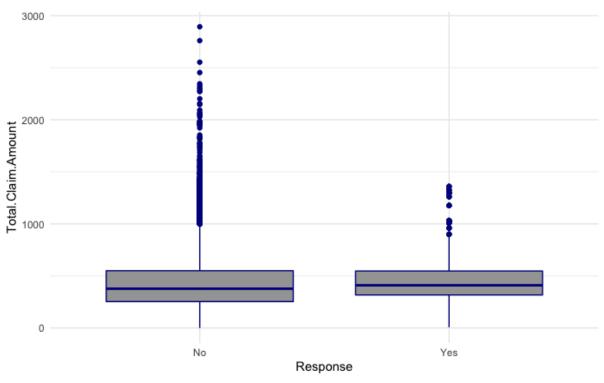
For "No Response" customers, there is a higher proportion of zero income customers

No obvious difference between genders

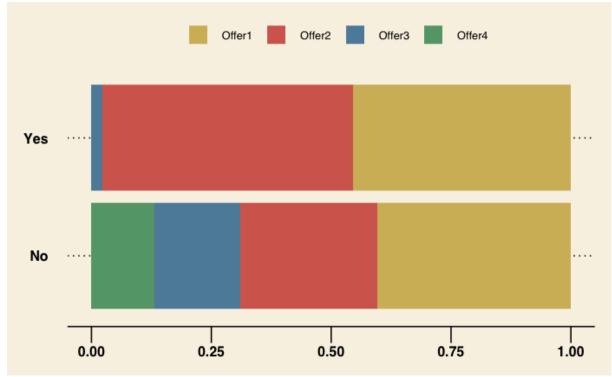


Preliminary Data Analysis

Total.Claim.Amount VS Response



Response Grouped by Offer Type



Customers who have high Total Claim Amount tended to not to renew their vehicle insurance

Offer2 is more attractive to existing customers, while Offer1 is somehow undesirable

03 ML methods

Data Preprocessing Machine Learning Algorithms

Data Preprocessing

Missing Value

Feature Filtering

Feature Engineering

Data Splitting

- No missing data
- Delete feature: Customer ID
- No near Zero Variable
- Lumping
 "Effective.To.Date"
 to
 "Effective.To.Month"
- Dummy Encoding
 * nominal variables
- Label Encoding
 * ordinal variables

- Stratified sampling
- 70% training data
- 30% testing data

Data Preprocessing

Data Splitting

Normalizing

Standardize

Recipe

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Numerical variables

- Step_center()
- Step_scale()
- Step_normalize()

ML methods & comparison

Random **Basic GBM SVM** - radial KNN **SVM** - linear **Forest** 0.9949 0.9898 0.9143 0.8723 accuracy 0.9376 short medium run time short long long **Decision** Logistic SVM -LDA polynomial Regression **Tree** 0.8709 0.8709 0.8639 0.8713 accuracy run time short medium short short

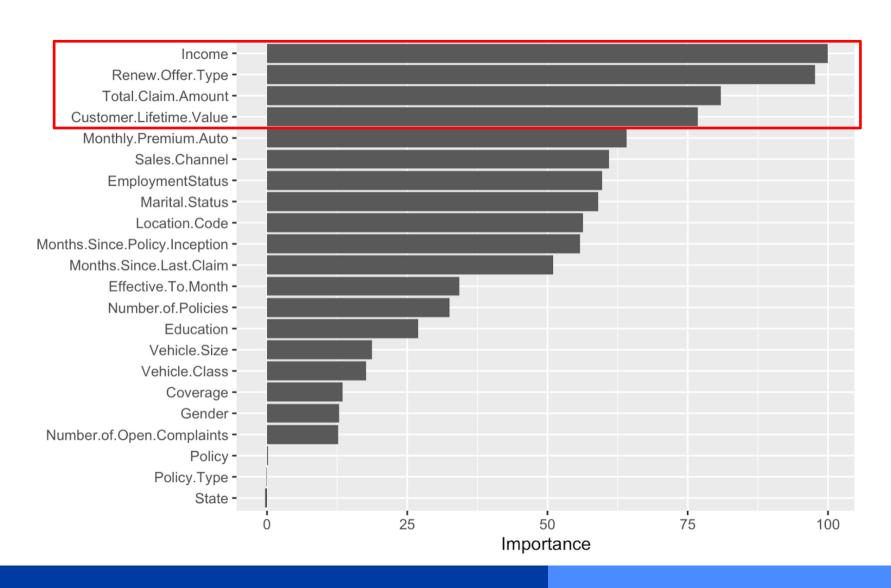
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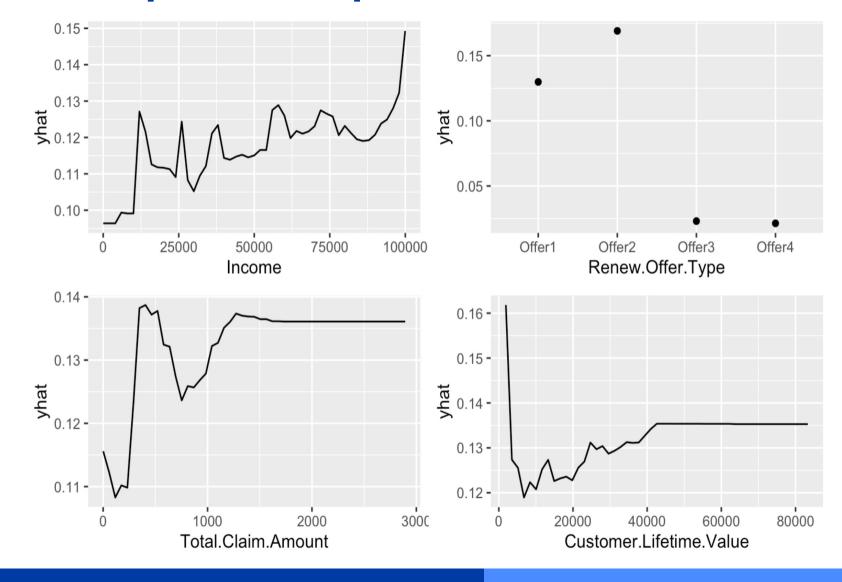
| | 4 most important feature | | | | | |
|---------------|-----------------------------|----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--|
| Random Forest | Income | Renew.Offer.Type | Total.Claim. Amount | Customer. Lifetime.Value | | |
| Basic GBM | Customer. Lifetime.Value | Income | Effective.To. Month | Employment Status | | |
| SVM - radial | Effective.To. Month | Employment Status | Renew.Offer.Type | Education | | |

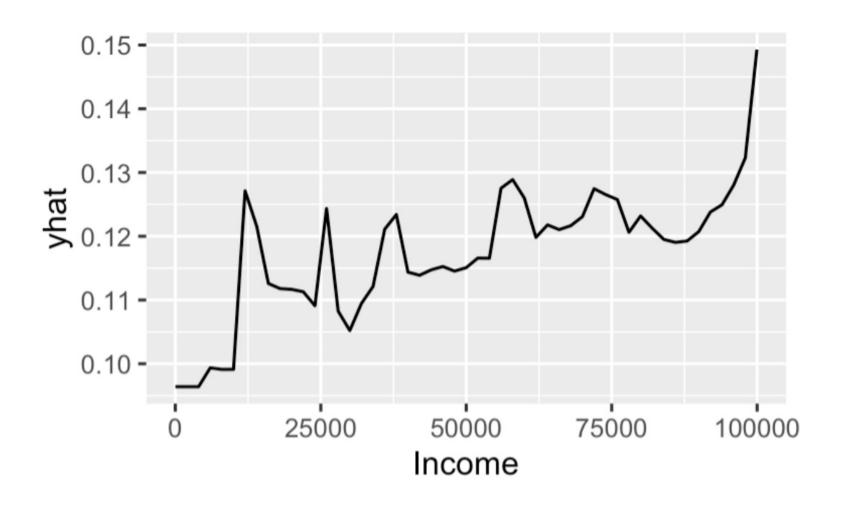
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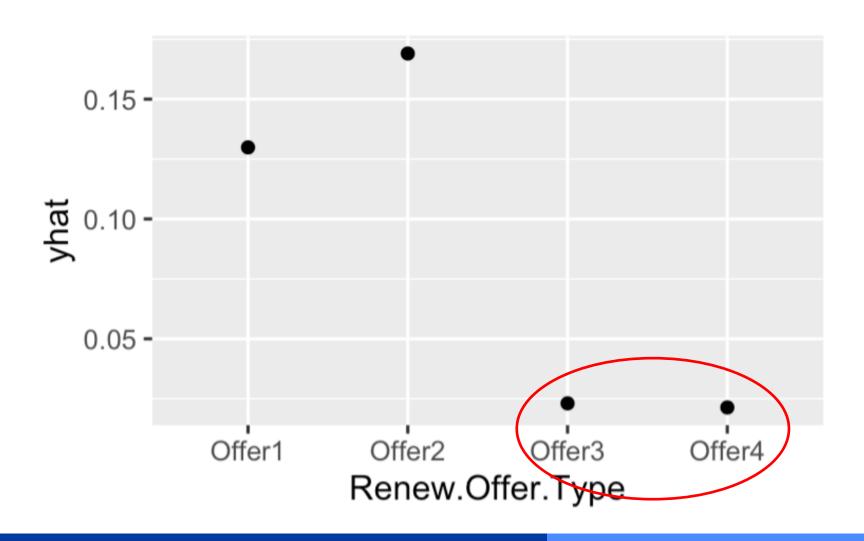
Most important features Partial dependence plots

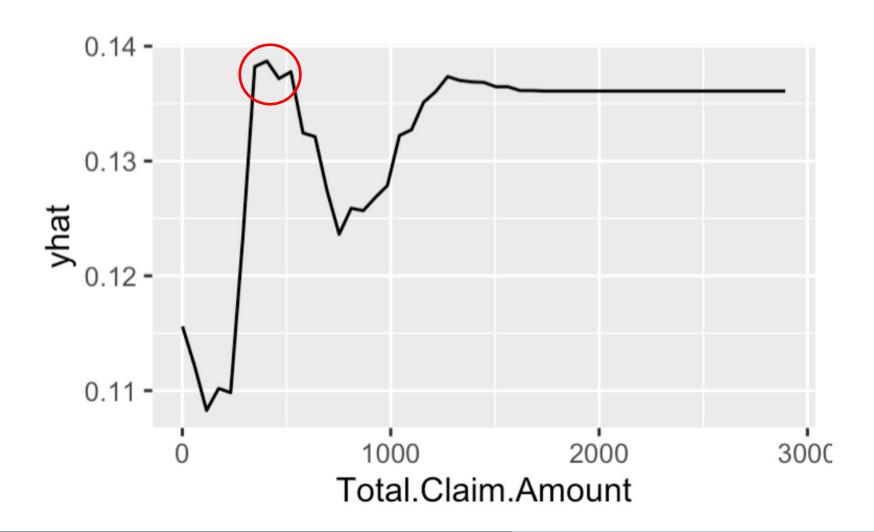
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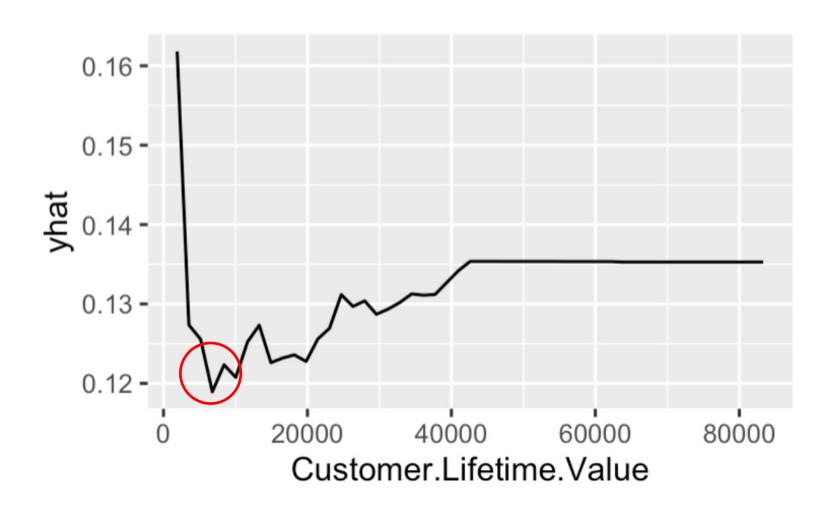












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Q & A