

Phase 3 Project

1. Business understanding

Project Goal

To predict whether there is a pattern of customers who will ("soon") stop doing business with SyriaTel, a telecommunications company.

The audience are the telecom business staff whose interest is reducing how much money is lost because of customers who don't want to stay with the company very long.

Objectives

To determine if there is a predictive pattern of customers who will ("soon") stop doing bussiness with SyriaTel.

2. Data understanding

2.1 Loading the data

```
In [1]:
         # importing the necessary Libraries
         import pandas as pd
         import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import seaborn as sns
         from scipy import stats
         import warnings
         warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
         import statsmodels.api as sm
         from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
         from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
         from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error, r2_score
         from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
         from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
In [2]:
         # Importing the data
         df = pd.read_csv('bigml_csv.csv', index_col = 0)
         df.head() # returns 3333 entries and 20 columns
Out[2]:
                                                   voice
                                                           number
                                                                       total total
               account area
                               phone international
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mail

plan

vmail

length code number

day

day

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state									
KS	128	415	382- 4657	no	yes	25	265.1	110	4.
ОН	107	415	371- 7191	no	yes	26	161.6	123	2.
NJ	137	415	358- 1921	no	no	0	243.4	114	4
ОН	84	408	375- 9999	yes	no	0	299.4	71	51
ОК	75	415	330- 6626	yes	no	0	166.7	113	2
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In [3]:

more information about the data
df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Index: 3333 entries, KS to TN

Data columns (total 20 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype		
0	account length	3333 non-null	int64		
1	area code	3333 non-null	int64		
2	phone number	3333 non-null	object		
3	international plan	3333 non-null	object		
4	voice mail plan	3333 non-null	object		
5	number vmail messages	3333 non-null	int64		
6	total day minutes	3333 non-null	float64		
7	total day calls	3333 non-null	int64		
8	total day charge	3333 non-null	float64		
9	total eve minutes	3333 non-null	float64		
10	total eve calls	3333 non-null	int64		
11	total eve charge	3333 non-null	float64		
12	total night minutes	3333 non-null	float64		
13	total night calls	3333 non-null	int64		
14	total night charge	3333 non-null	float64		
15	total intl minutes	3333 non-null	float64		
16	total intl calls	3333 non-null	int64		
17	total intl charge	3333 non-null	float64		
18	customer service calls	3333 non-null	int64		
19	churn	3333 non-null	bool		
<pre>dtypes: bool(1), float64(8),</pre>		<pre>int64(8), object(3)</pre>			

memory usage: 524.0+ KB

3. Data Preparation

```
In [4]: # format the naming of the columns # Replace the spaces with '_'
df.rename(columns=lambda x: x.replace(' ', '_'), inplace=True)
In [5]: # check the formated column names
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print(df.columns)

3.1. Check for missing values

```
In [6]:
         # checking for missing values
         df.isnull().sum()
Out[6]: account_length
                                  0
        area_code
        phone number
        international_plan
        voice_mail_plan
        number_vmail_messages
        total_day_minutes
        total_day_calls
        total_day_charge
        total_eve_minutes
                                  0
        total eve calls
        total_eve_charge
        total_night_minutes
        total_night_calls
        total_night_charge
        total_intl_minutes
        total_intl_calls
        total_intl_charge
        customer_service_calls
        churn
        dtype: int64
```

There are no missing values

```
In [7]:
          # Format the columns to remove any spaces from the column lables
          df.columns = df.columns.str.strip()
In [8]:
          # print the column names
          print(df.columns)
        Index(['account_length', 'area_code', 'phone_number', 'international_plan',
                'voice_mail_plan', 'number_vmail_messages', 'total_day_minutes',
                'total_day_calls', 'total_day_charge', 'total_eve_minutes',
                'total_eve_calls', 'total_eve_charge', 'total_night_minutes',
                'total_night_calls', 'total_night_charge', 'total_intl_minutes', 'total_intl_calls', 'total_intl_charge', 'customer_service_calls',
                'churn'],
              dtype='object')
In [9]:
          # print the unique values of area code
          df['area_code'].unique()
Out[9]: array([415, 408, 510], dtype=int64)
```

3.2. Defining the features (X) and target (y)

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In [10]:
           # Defining the features (X) and target (y)
          X_features = df.drop('churn', axis=1)
          y_target = df['churn']
In [11]:
          #convert categorical variables to numerical
          # drop-first = True
          X_numerical = pd.get_dummies(X_features, drop_first = True)
          X_numerical.head(5)
Out[11]:
                account_length area_code number_vmail_messages total_day_minutes total
          state
            KS
                           128
                                      415
                                                               25
                                                                               265.1
                                                                               161.6
           ОН
                           107
                                      415
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            NJ
                           137
                                      415
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           ОН
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           OK
                            75
                                      415
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         5 rows × 3350 columns
In [12]:
          # Encode 'churn'
          # print y_encode
          y_encode = y_target.astype(int)
          y encode
Out[12]: state
          KS
                0
          ОН
                a
          NJ
                0
          ОН
                0
          OK
                0
          ΑZ
                0
          WV
                0
          RΙ
                0
          CT
                0
          TN
          Name: churn, Length: 3333, dtype: int32
In [13]:
           #encode area code
          df['area_code'] = LabelEncoder().fit_transform(df['area_code'])
          df['area_code']
         state
Out[13]:
          KS
                1
          OH
                1
          NJ
                1
          OH
                0
```

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AZ 1
WV 1
RI 2
CT 2
TN 1
Name: area_code, Length: 3333, dtype: int64
```

3.3 Selecting the features for modelling

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In [14]:
           # Selecting the features for medelling
           X = X_numerical[['account_length', 'area_code', 'total_day_charge', 'total_
           y = y_encode
                                                                                          In [15]:
           # print X
           print(X)
                account_length area_code total_day_charge total_eve_charge
        state
        KS
                                        415
                                                          45.07
                                                                             16.78
                            128
        OH
                            107
                                        415
                                                          27.47
                                                                             16.62
        NJ
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        OH
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        RΙ
                             28
                                        510
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                                                                             24.55
        CT
                            184
                                        510
                                                          36.35
                                                                             13.57
        TN
                             74
                                        415
                                                          39.85
                                                                             22.60
                total_night_charge total_intl_charge
        state
        KS
                                                    2.70
                              11.01
        OH
                              11.45
                                                    3.70
        NJ
                               7.32
                                                    3.29
        OH
                               8.86
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        OK
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        ΑZ
        WV
                               8.61
                                                    2.59
        RΙ
                               8.64
                                                    3.81
        CT
                               6.26
                                                    1.35
        TN
                              10.86
                                                    3.70
        [3333 rows x \in columns]
In [16]:
           #print y
Out[16]:
          state
          KS
                 0
          ОН
                 0
          NJ
                 0
          OH
                 0
          OK
                 0
          ΑZ
                 0
          WV
                 0
```

CT 0 TN 0

Name: churn, Length: 3333, dtype: int32

4. Modelling

4.1 Modelling Using statsmodels

```
In [17]: # fit the baseline Logistic Regression model using statsmodels
# Add a constant (intercept) term to the features
X_constant = sm.add_constant(X)

# Create and fit the Logistic Regression model
logistic_model = sm.Logit(y, X_constant)
results = logistic_model.fit()
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Optimization terminated successfully.

Current function value: 0.384108

Iterations 7

```
In [18]: # Print summary
print(results.summary())
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Logit Regression Results									
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Date:	Sat, 10 May 2025		Pseudo R-squ.:	0.071					
72 Time:	17:59:59		Log-Likelihood	-128					
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0.975]					[
const -5.462	-6.8268	0.69	6 -9.806	0.000	-8.191				
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0.004 area_code	0.0007 0.00		1 0.556	0.578	-0.002				
0.003 total_day_charge	0.0675 0.06		6 11.632	0.000	0.056				
0.079	0.0663	0.01	2 5 402	0.000	0.043				
total_eve_charge 0.090	0.0662 0.01		2 5.483	0.000	0.043				
<pre>total_night_charge 0.094</pre>	0.0505	0.02	2 2.265	0.023	0.007				
total_intl_charge 0.428	0.2935	0.06	9 4.262	0.000	0.159				

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Pseudo R-Squared of 0.07172 indicated that the model explains only 7.17% of the variability

```
In [19]:
          # Printing the coefficients
          print(results.params)
                             -6.826829
        const
        account length
                              0.001220
        area code
                              0.000664
        total_day_charge
                              0.067466
        total eve charge
                              0.066206
        total_night_charge
                              0.050466
        total_intl_charge
                              0.293521
        dtype: float64
```

The coefficients indicate that total_day_charge, total_eve_charge, total_night_charge, total_intl_charge are significant and influence whether whether one churns or not.

A unit increase in international charge increases the chance of churn by 29%.

4.2. Modelling using scikit-learn

```
In [20]:
          # import the necessary library
          from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
          from sklearn.metrics import classification report, accuracy score
In [21]:
          # Select the features (X) and target (y)
          X = X_numerical[['account_length', 'area_code', 'total_day_charge', 'total_
          y = y_encode
In [22]:
          # train and split the data
          X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2,
                                                               random state=42)
In [23]:
          #view the lengths of the results
          print(len(X_train), len(X_test), len(y_train), len(y_test))
        2666 667 2666 667
In [24]:
          # Train and fit model
          model2 = LogisticRegression()
          results2 = model2.fit(X_train, y_train)
In [25]:
          print(results.summary())
                                   Logit Regression Results
```

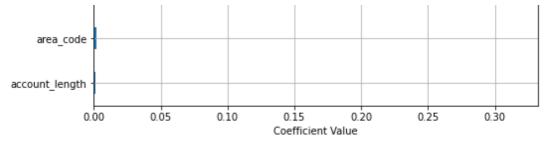
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0.003
total_day_charge
              0.0675
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total_night_charge
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total_intl_charge
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```

```
In [26]:
          # Make predictions on the test data
          y pred = model2.predict(X test)
```

In [27]:

```
#plotting coeficients vs features
coefs = pd.Series(model2.coef_[0], index=X.columns).sort_values()
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5))
coefs.plot(kind='barh')
plt.title('Logistic Regression Feature Importance (Coefficients)')
plt.xlabel('Coefficient Value')
plt.grid(True)
plt.show()
```





The most important feature is the total_intl_charge

A unit increase in international charge increases the chance of churn by 31%.

```
In [29]: #Evaluation using mse and r squared

mse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred)
    r2 = r2_score(y_test, y_pred) # 0-1: the higher(closer to 1) the better the print("mse", mse)
    print ("r2:", r2)

mse 0.14992503748125938
```

A negative r2 indicated that the model is performing poorly

```
In [30]:
          # Evaluate the model on training data
          train_pred = model2.predict(X_train)
          print("Training Accuracy:", accuracy_score(y_train, train_pred)) # checking
          print("Training report")
          print(classification_report(y_train, train_pred))
          #f1 is a combination of precision and recall
        Training Accuracy: 0.858589647411853
        Training report
                                    recall f1-score
                      precision
                                                       support
                           0.86
                                      1.00
                                                0.92
                                                          2284
                   1
                           1.00
                                      0.01
                                                           382
                                                0.03
                                                0.86
                                                          2666
            accuracy
           macro avg
                           0.93
                                      0.51
                                                0.47
                                                          2666
```

0.86

0.80

2666

0.88

weighted avg

r2: -0.16677745513067221

The results indicate that the model accurately predicts whether one will churn or not churn SyriaTel 86% of the time when using the training data

The f1 score for the class 0 is 0.92. However, the f1 score for class 1 is very low 0.02. This is due to the data imbalances, there are more instances for class 0 (2284) compared to class 1(382)

4.3 Confusion Matrix

```
In [32]:
         # import library
         from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
In [33]:
         # Evaluate on testing data
         test pred = model2.predict(X test)
         print("Testing Accuracy:", accuracy_score(y_test, test_pred)) # checking th
         print("Testing report")
          print(classification_report(y_test, test_pred))
       Testing Accuracy: 0.8500749625187406
       Testing report
                     precision recall f1-score
                                                   support
                         0.85
                                 1.00
                                            0.92
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                                                       566
                                   0.01
                         1.00
                                             0.02
                                                       101
                                            0.85
                                                       667
           accuracy
                                           0.47
                      0.92
                                   0.50
                                                       667
          macro avg
                                   0.85
       weighted avg
                        0.87
                                            0.78
                                                       667
```

5. Evaluation using ROC and AUC

```
In [34]: # addressing the data imbalances
    from sklearn.metrics import roc_curve, auc
    # Scikit-learn's built in roc_curve method returns the fpr, tpr, and thresh
    # Calculate the probability scores of each of the datapoints:
    y_score = model2.fit(X_train, y_train).decision_function(X_test)
    fpr, tpr, thresholds = roc_curve(y_test, y_score)

In [35]: roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)
    roc_auc

Out[35]: 0.7116467830528636
```

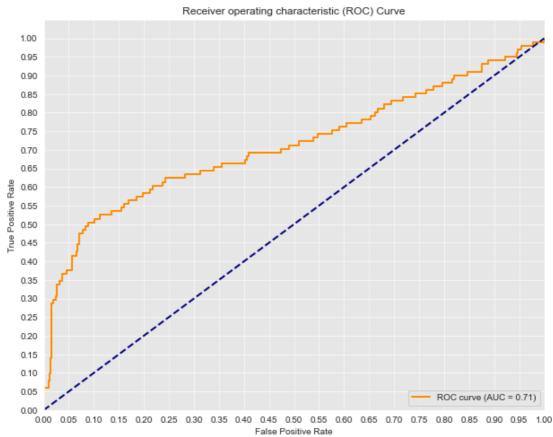
```
# Print the AUC
print('AUC: {}'.format(auc(fpr, tpr)))
```

AUC: 0.7116467830528636

The model has a moderate ability of prediction. The model has a 71.16% chance of predictily correctly the negative and positive classes.

```
In [37]:
          # Visualizing the ROC and AUC
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          import seaborn as sns
          %matplotlib inline
          # Seaborn's beautiful styling
          sns.set_style('darkgrid', {'axes.facecolor': '0.9'})
          print('AUC: {}'.format(auc(fpr, tpr)))
          plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
          lw = 2
          plt.plot(fpr, tpr, color='darkorange',
                   lw=lw, label='ROC curve (AUC = {:.2f})'.format(roc_auc))
          plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], color='navy', lw=lw, linestyle='--')
          plt.xlim([0.0, 1.0])
          plt.ylim([0.0, 1.05])
          plt.yticks([i/20.0 for i in range(21)])
          plt.xticks([i/20.0 for i in range(21)])
          plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
          plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
          plt.title('Receiver operating characteristic (ROC) Curve')
          plt.legend(loc='lower right')
          plt.show()
```

AUC: 0.7116467830528636



Scaling the data

```
In [38]:
          # import the libraries
          from sklearn.preprocessing import MinMaxScaler, PolynomialFeatures, Standar
          X = X_numerical[['account_length', 'area_code', 'total_day_charge', 'total]
          y = y_encode
          # train and split the data
          X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2,
                                                               random state=42)
          # Standardize tha data
          scaler = StandardScaler()
          X_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
          X_test_scaled = scaler.transform(X_test)
          # train and fit the model
          model3 = LogisticRegression()
          results3 = model3.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
          results3
```

Out[38]: LogisticRegression()

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Hyperparameter Tuning in Decision Trees

```
In [52]: #import the libraries
    from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeRegressor
    from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, GridSearchCV
    from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
In [53]: # define the data
    X = X_numerical[['account_length', 'total_day_charge', 'total_eve_charge',
    y = df['churn']
```