LEAD SCORING CASE STUDY

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Problem Statement

An education company named X Education sells online courses to industry professionals. On any given day, many professionals who are interested in the courses land on their website and browse for courses. The company markets its courses on several websites and search engines like Google. Once these people land on the website, they might browse the courses or fill up a form for the course or watch some videos. When these people fill up a form providing their email address or phone number, they are classified to be a lead. Moreover, the company also gets leads through past referrals. Once these leads are acquired, employees from the sales team start making calls, writing emails, etc. Through this process, some of the leads get converted while most do not. The typical lead conversion rate at X education is around 30% which is very poor rate.

Business Goal

Our job is to build a model wherein you need to assign a lead score to each of the leads such that the
customers with higher lead score have a higher conversion chance and the customers with lower lead
score have a lower conversion chance. The CEO, in particular, has given a ballpark of the target lead
conversion rate to be around 80%.

Data Understanding

This assignment has 2 files as explained below:

- 'Leads.csv' provides leads dataset from the past with around 9000 data points.
- 'Leads Data Dictionary.csv' is data dictionary which describes the meaning of the features.

Steps followed for Analysis

 Data Cleaning: Handling 'Select' & Missing values Handling Unique columns EDA to identify variables Univariate Analysis Bivariate Analysis Outlier Treatment 	 Data Preparation: Creating dummy variables Train and Test Spilt (70-30 ratio) Scaling of Numerical Variables Standardized Scaling techniques
 3. Data Modeling: Feature Selection using RFE Apply Logistic Regression using GLM model on train data with RFE Remove the features which are having P-value is greater than 0.05 and VIF 5 Measuring optimum probability Model accuracy & other metrics 	 4. Predictions: This involves making predictions on the test set Measuring the accuracy and other metrics Based on the model, identifying the variables which can influence the objective Draw the recommendations based on the model

Data Cleaning

Inference:

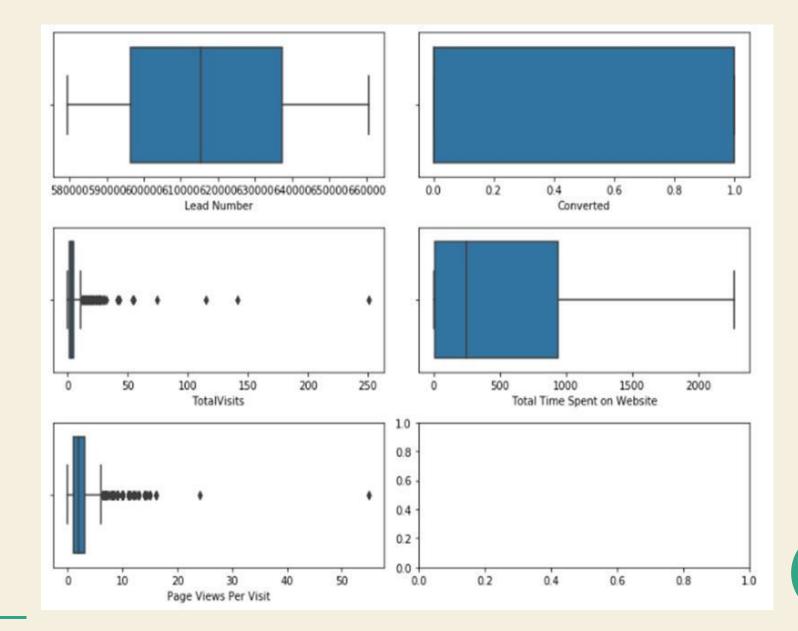
We can see the percentage of missing value in the figure.

- 1. Most of the variables are user entries, seems to be from website so the fields with no entry have "Select" as value. For modeling we have replaced these values with NAN.
- 2. Handling missing or Nan values with following steps:
 - Drop those fields with more than 45% missing values
 - Drop the records if the missing % value is lesser than 2%
 - Replacing the NaN values with most occuring values
 - If there is no obvious most occurring value then simply replace NaN with "Others"

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# Checking the percentage of missing values again
round(100*(df.isnull().sum())/len(df), 2).sort values(ascending=False)
How did you hear about X Education
                                                        78.46
Lead Profile
                                                        74.19
Lead Quality
                                                        51.59
Asymmetrique Profile Score
                                                        45.65
Asymmetrique Activity Score
                                                        45.65
Asymmetrique Profile Index
                                                        45.65
Asymmetrique Activity Index
                                                        45.65
City
                                                        39.71
Specialization
                                                        36.58
                                                        36.29
Tags
What matters most to you in choosing a course
                                                        29.32
What is your current occupation
                                                        29.11
Country
                                                        26.63
TotalVisits
                                                         1.48
Page Views Per Visit
                                                         1.48
Last Activity
                                                         1.11
Lead Source
                                                         0.39
# Rechecking % of null value columns
round(100*(df.isnull().sum())/len(df), 2)
Lead Number
                                     0.0
                                     0.0
Lead Origin
Lead Source
                                     0.0
Converted
                                     0.0
TotalVisits
                                     0.0
Total Time Spent on Website
                                     0.0
Page Views Per Visit
                                     0.0
Last Activity
                                     0.0
Specialization
                                     0.0
What is your current occupation
                                     0.0
                                     0.0
Tags
                                     0.0
A free copy of Mastering The Interview
                                     0.0
Last Notable Activity
                                     0.0
dtype: float64
# Finally after data cleaning, the percentage of data present when compare with old data.
round((len(df)/9240)*100 , 2)
99.61
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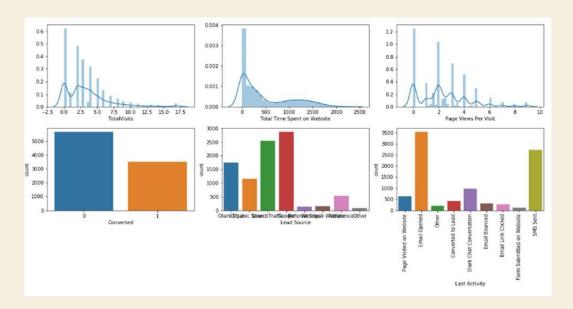
Outlier Analysis & Treatment

- We have observed that there are outliers for few variables (TotalVisits & Page Views Per Visit)
- we will use capping technique to treat the outliers
- We used the data <= 0.01 and data >=
 0.99 percentile into one group
- As you can observe, most of the outliers have been treated and we can go ahead with this data



EDA (Exploratory Data Analytics)

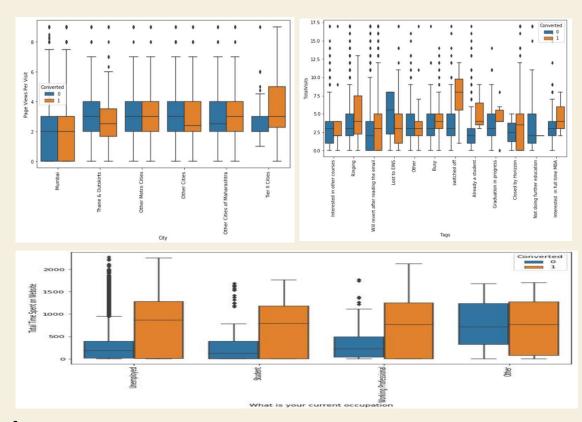
Univariate



Inference:

- •From above graghs we can see lot of variation in 'TotalVisits', 'Total Time Spent on Website'& 'Page Views Per Visit'
- •Converted rate is low in comparision
- •Lead Source 'Google' and 'Direct Traffic' have higher count of leads
- Last Activity 'Email Opened'; 'SMS Sent' has high number of activities

<u>Bivariate</u>



Inference:

- •Total time spent on website is high in Unemployed cases
- •Total Visits are high in Switched off and ringing cases
- •Page Views per Visit is high in Tier II Cities

Data Preparation

	Converted	TotalVisits	Total Time Spent on Website	Page Views Per Visit	A free copy of Mastering The Interview	Lead Origin_Landing Page Submission	Lead Origin_Lead Add Form	Lead Origin_Lead Import	Lead Source_Google	Lead Source_Olark Chat	Lead Source_Organic Search	Lead Source_Other
0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0
1	0	5.0	674	2.5	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0
2	1	2.0	1532	2.0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
3	0	1.0	305	1.0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0
4	1	2.0	1428	1.0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0

- Creating Dummy Variables for all the categorical variables.
- Scale the necessary variables with standard technique
- Data split into Train and test set in the ratio 70/30

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Total Time Page Views of Origin Landing Lead Lead Lead Lead Lead Lead

	Converted	TotalVisits	Total Time Spent on Website	Page Views Per Visit	Mastering The Interview	Origin_Landing Page Submission	Origin_Lead Add Form	Origin_Lead Import	Lead Source_Google	Source_Olark Chat	Source_Org Se:
count	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000000	6442.000
mean	0.394598	0.199376	0.219115	0.262456	0.311549	0.533685	0.076063	0.005123	0.314654	0.186122	0.127
std	0.488802	0.191336	0.241963	0.220388	0.463163	0.498903	0.265120	0.071395	0.464414	0.389236	0.333
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000
25%	0.000000	0.058824	0.007923	0.111111	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000
50%	0.000000	0.176471	0.114437	0.222222	0.000000	1.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000
75%	1.000000	0.294118	0.418904	0.364444	1.000000	1.000000	0.000000	0.000000	1.000000	0.000000	0.000
max	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000000	1.000

Model Building

- Feature selection using RFE method:
- RFE is used to select the attributes automatically. Thus after this process we end up selecting below variables.
 - 1. Total Time Spent on Website
 - 2. Lead Origin_Landing Page Submission
 - 3. Lead Origin_Lead Add Form
 - 4. Lead Source_Welingak Website
 - 5. Last Activity_Email Bounced
 - 6. Last Activity_Olark Chat Conversation
 - 7. Specialization_Others
 - 8. What is your current occupation_Unemployed
 - 9. What is your current occupation_Working Professional
 - 10. Tags_Busy
 - 11. Tags_Closed by Horizzon
 - 12. Tags_Interested in other courses
 - 13. Tags_Lost to EINS
 - 14. Tags_Not doing further education
 - 15. Tags_Ringing
 - 16. Tags_Will revert after reading the email
 - 17. Tags_switched off
 - 18. Last Notable Activity_Modified
 - 19. Last Notable Activity_Page Visited on Website
 - 20. Last Notable Activity_SMS Sent

Model Building

Recursive Feature Elimination (RFE) to perform Variable Selection

Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) to measure co-linearity

	coef	std err	Z	P> Z	[0.025	0.975]
const	-1.6857	0.389	-4.336	0.000	-2.448	-0.924
Total Time Spent on Website	4.3824	0.201	21.797	0.000	3.988	4.776
Lead Origin_Landing Page Submission	-1.6574	0.161	-10.286	0.000	-1.973	-1.342
Lead Origin_Lead Add Form	1.8534	0.285	6.502	0.000	1.295	2.412
Lead Source_Welingak Website	3.4239	1.055	3.246	0.001	1.357	5.491
Last Activity Email Bounced	-1.6532	0.357	-4.629	0.000	-2.353	-0.953
Last Activity_Olark Chat Conversation	-1.1006	0.199	-5.523	0.000	-1.491	-0.710
Specialization_Others	-1.4786	0.161	-9.163	0.000	-1.795	-1.162
what is your current occupation_Unemployed	-1.5506	0.324	-4.792	0.000	-2.185	-0.916
what is your current occupation_Working Professional	0.9632	0.407	2.368	0.018	0.166	1.760
Tags_Busy	3.1821	0.317	10.039	0.000	2.561	3.803
Tags_Closed by Horizzon	8.4608	0.766	11.050	0.000	6.960	9.962
Tags_Interested in other courses	-0.6070	0.517	-1.175	0.240	-1.620	0.406
Tags_Lost to EINS	8.8269	0.773	11.424	0.000	7.312	10.341
Tags_Not doing further education	-1.2619	1.168	-1.081	0.280	-3.550	1.026
Tags_Ringing	-1.1363	0.324	-3.511	0.000	-1.771	-0.502
Tags_Will revert after reading the email	3.5136	0.234	15.017	0.000	3.055	3.972
Tags_switched off	-1.4401	0.585	-2.460	0.014	-2.587	-0.293
Last Notable Activity_Modified	-1.0525	0.109	-9.700	0.000	-1.265	-0.840
Last Notable Activity_Page Visited on Website	-0.8796	0.248	-3.550	0.000	-1.365	-0.394
Last Notable Activity_SMS Sent	2.0652	0.121	17.075	0.000	1.828	2.302

- Removed below features which are having P-value is greater than 0.05 and VIF 5
 - Tags_Not doing further education
 - Tags_Interested in other courses
 - What is your current occupation_Unemployed
 - Tags_switched off
 - Tags_Ringing
- All the VIFs & p-values are now in the appropriate range. We are good to go with further predictions

VIF	vars	
14.555034	What is your current occupation_Unemployed	7
6.613062	Tags_Will revert after reading the email	15
5.460936	Lead Origin_Landing Page Submission	1
3.924065	Specialization_Others	6
2.286804	Last Notable Activity_Modified	17
2.248977	What is your current occupation_Working Profes	8
2.223206	Tags_Ringing	14
2.162898	Total Time Spent on Website	0
1.959886	Lead Origin_Lead Add Form	2
1.757316	Last Notable Activity_SMS Sent	19
1.610642	Tags_Closed by Horizzon	10
1.495424	Tags_Interested in other courses	11
1.461445	Last Activity_Olark Chat Conversation	5
1.350524	Lead Source_Welingak Website	3
1.256804	Tags_switched off	16
1.224686	Tags_Busy	9
1.209555	Tags_Lost to EINS	12
1.174179	Tags_Not doing further education	13
1.139064	Last Activity_Email Bounced	4
1.097202	Last Notable Activity_Page Visited on Website	18

Prediction

 1. Post model run, we are trying to calculate the probability of customer being converted

 2. Assuming customer with probability greater than 0.5 gets converted we create a new variable if customer is converted or not

Thus the data looks something like this.

	Converted	Converted_prob	Predicted
5310	0	0.033663	0
2181	0	0.006498	0
8215	0	0.034536	0
8887	0	0.778241	1
7920	0	0.278894	0

confusion = metrics.confusion_matrix(y_train_pred_final['Converted'], y_train_pred_final['Predicted'])

print(metrics.accuracy_score(y_train_pred_final['Converted'], y_train_pred_final['Predicted']))

Model Evaluation

- Confusion matrix is used :
- 3624 customer were not converted, and model also predicted them as non potential leads, these are called True Negatives(TN)

0.9006519714374418

print(confusion) [[3624 276] [364 2178]]

Predicted

Actual # not Lead

Lead

- 276 customers were wrongly predicted as potential customers while they were not actually these are called False Positives(FP)
- 364 customers were converted but the model predicted them as non potential leads these are called False Negative(FN).

not lead

3624

Let's check the overall accuracy.

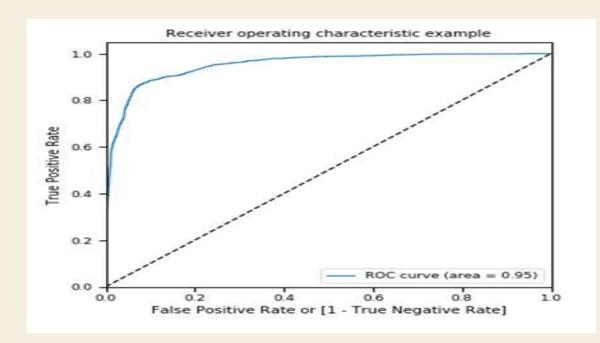
Lead

276

2178

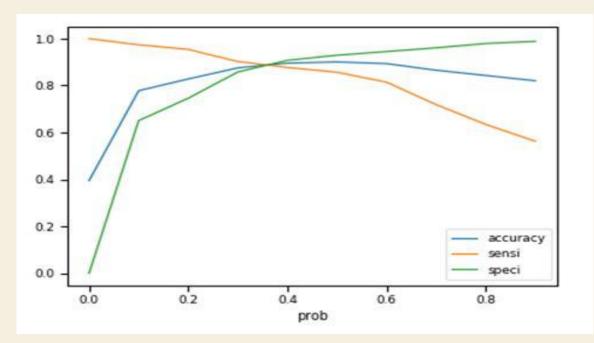
- 2178 customers who were converted was correctly predicted as potential leads these are called True Positives(TP)
- That's around 90%accuracy which is a very good value

ROC Curve



- The area under the curve of the ROC is 0.89 which is quite good.
- Model seems to be accurate.
- Let's also check the sensitivity and specificity tradeoff to find the optimal cutoff point.

Optimal Cutoff Point



- Optimal cutoff probability is that prob where we get balanced sensitivity and specificity.
- From the curve above, 0.35 is the optimum point to take it as a cutoff probability.

Train – Accuracy, Precision and Recall

- Accuracy 0.888699161751009
- Sensitivity (Recall) is 0.8886703383162864
- Specificity (Precision) is 0.8887179487179487
- Positive predictive value is 0.8388414407723728
- Negative predictive value is 0.9245132035209389

Test – Accuracy, Precision and Recall

- Accuracy 0.8924692251991311
- Specificity (Precision) is 0.8944695259593679
- Positive predictive value is 0.8247422680412371
- Negative predictive value is 0.9351032448377581

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# metric

# [ TN FP ]
# [ FN TP ]

TN = confusion_test[0,0] # true negatives
FP = confusion_test[0,1] # false positives
FN = confusion_test[1,0] # false negatives
TP = confusion_test[1,1] # true positive
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Recommendations

Since the model has resulted high accuracy results in predicting the leads who can be converted. So the marketing team can leverage this to make their operations more efficient by reducing the number customer interactions there by improving the conversions as well.

The top three variables that contribute towards the probability of a lead getting converted are:

- Leads who tag with Lost to EINS
- Leads tag with Closed by Horizon
- •Total Time Spent on Website

Phone calls should be done for the following people:

- •They spend a lot of time in the website and this can be done by making the website interesting and thus bringing them back to the site
- •They are seen coming back to the website repeatedly
- •Their last activity is through SMS or through Olark chat conversation
- They are working professionals

