# **ACME Employee Job Attrition**

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### **Objectives**

ACME has an attrition problem. We are going to: (1) Identify the primary reasons behind attrition (2) Design machine learning algorithms to identify the 10 employees most inclined to leave (3) Indicate the likelihood of the attrition of the most important attributes

#### **Data Structures**

```
## -- Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.2.1 --
## v ggplot2 3.1.0 v purrr 0.2.5
                  v dplyr 0.7.6
## v tibble 1.4.2
## v tidyr 0.8.1 v stringr 1.3.1 ## v readr 1.1.1 v forcats 0.3.0
## -- Conflicts ----- tidyverse conflicts() --
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag() masks stats::lag()
## Warning: package 'mdsr' was built under R version 3.5.2
## Warning: package 'mosaic' was built under R version 3.5.2
## Loading required package: lattice
## Loading required package: ggformula
## Warning: package 'ggformula' was built under R version 3.5.2
## Loading required package: ggstance
## Warning: package 'ggstance' was built under R version 3.5.2
##
## Attaching package: 'ggstance'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
##
      geom errorbarh, GeomErrorbarh
##
## New to ggformula? Try the tutorials:
   learnr::run_tutorial("introduction", package = "ggformula")
   learnr::run_tutorial("refining", package = "ggformula")
##
## Loading required package: mosaicData
## Warning: package 'mosaicData' was built under R version 3.5.2
```

### The most significant reasons for attrition are:

(i)BusinessTravel (Travel\_Frequently) (ii)DistanceFromHome

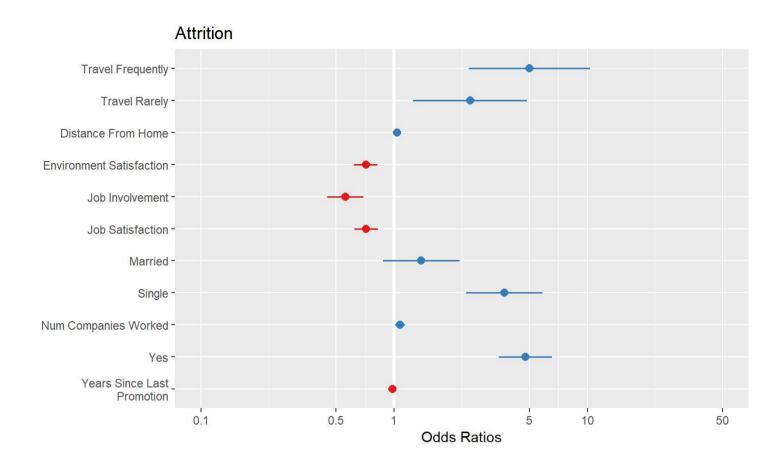
- (iii)EnvironmentSatisfaction (iv)JobInvolvement (v)JobSatisfaction
- (vi)MaritalStatus (Single) (vii)NumCompaniesWorked (viii)OverTime (Yes)
- (ix)YearsSinceLastPromotion

#### **Attrition**

```
##
## Call:
## glm(formula = Attrition ~ BusinessTravel + DistanceFromHome +
       EnvironmentSatisfaction + JobInvolvement + JobSatisfaction +
##
##
       MaritalStatus + NumCompaniesWorked + OverTime + YearsSinceLastPromotion,
       family = "binomial", data = hr)
##
##
## Deviance Residuals:
      Min
               1Q Median
##
                               3Q
                                      Max
## -1.738
          -0.568 -0.385 -0.219
                                    3.015
##
## Coefficients:
                                   Estimate Std. Error z value
##
## (Intercept)
                                   -1.02758
                                               0.54022
                                                         -1.90
## BusinessTravelTravel Frequently
                                    1.61184
                                               0.36828
                                                          4.38
## BusinessTravelTravel Rarely
                                    0.90421
                                               0.34540
                                                          2.62
## DistanceFromHome
                                               0.00927
                                                          3.42
                                    0.03174
## EnvironmentSatisfaction
                                                         -4.72
                                   -0.33974
                                               0.07198
## JobInvolvement
                                   -0.58238
                                                         -5.34
                                               0.10914
## JobSatisfaction
                                   -0.33523
                                               0.07082
                                                         -4.73
## MaritalStatusMarried
                                                          1.38
                                    0.32106
                                               0.23318
## MaritalStatusSingle
                                                          5.67
                                    1.31232
                                               0.23129
## NumCompaniesWorked
                                                          2.18
                                    0.06727
                                               0.03083
## OverTimeYes
                                                          9.62
                                    1.56362
                                               0.16246
## YearsSinceLastPromotion
                                   -0.02150
                                               0.02563
                                                         -0.84
##
                                               Pr(>|z|)
## (Intercept)
                                                0.05715 .
## BusinessTravelTravel_Frequently
                                            0.000012050 ***
## BusinessTravelTravel_Rarely
                                                0.00885 **
## DistanceFromHome
                                                0.00062 ***
## EnvironmentSatisfaction
                                            0.000002359 ***
## JobInvolvement
                                            0.000000095 ***
## JobSatisfaction
                                            0.000002209 ***
## MaritalStatusMarried
                                                0.16854
                                            0.000000014 ***
## MaritalStatusSingle
## NumCompaniesWorked
                                                0.02914 *
                                   ## OverTimeYes
## YearsSinceLastPromotion
                                                0.40147
## ---
## Signif. codes: 0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1
##
## (Dispersion parameter for binomial family taken to be 1)
##
       Null deviance: 1298.6 on 1469 degrees of freedom
##
## Residual deviance: 1059.7 on 1458 degrees of freedom
## AIC: 1084
##
```

## Number of Fisher Scoring iterations: 5

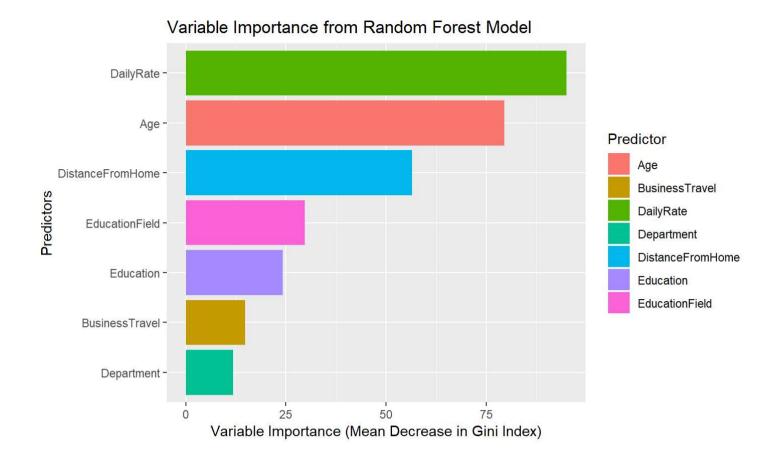
### **Attrition**



#### Random Forest

```
[1] "Age"
                                    "Attrition"
##
    [3] "BusinessTravel"
                                    "DailyRate"
##
    [5] "Department"
                                    "DistanceFromHome"
##
    [7] "Education"
                                    "EducationField"
##
                                    "Gender"
    [9] "EnvironmentSatisfaction"
##
## [11] "HourlyRate"
                                    "JobInvolvement"
## [13] "JobLevel"
                                    "JobRole"
## [15] "JobSatisfaction"
                                    "MaritalStatus"
## [17] "MonthlyIncome"
                                    "MonthlyRate"
                                    "0ver18"
## [19] "NumCompaniesWorked"
## [21] "OverTime"
                                    "PercentSalaryHike"
## [23] "PerformanceRating"
                                    "RelationshipSatisfaction"
                                    "StockOptionLevel"
## [25] "StandardHours"
## [27] "TotalWorkingYears"
                                    "TrainingTimesLastYear"
                                    "YearsAtCompany"
## [29] "WorkLifeBalance"
                                    "YearsSinceLastPromotion"
## [31] "YearsInCurrentRole"
## [33] "YearsWithCurrManager"
##
##
           Yes
      No
## 0.841 0.159
## Attrition
     No Yes
## 84.1 15.9
##
## Call:
    randomForest(formula = form, data = train, ntree = 200, mtry = 3)
##
##
                  Type of random forest: classification
                        Number of trees: 200
##
## No. of variables tried at each split: 3
##
           OOB estimate of error rate: 16.58%
## Confusion matrix:
##
        No Yes class.error
## No 962
                    0.0273
           27
## Yes 168 19
                    0.8984
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
             Reference
##
## Prediction No Yes
              240
                   48
##
          No
                    2
##
          Yes
                4
##
```

#### **Random Forest**

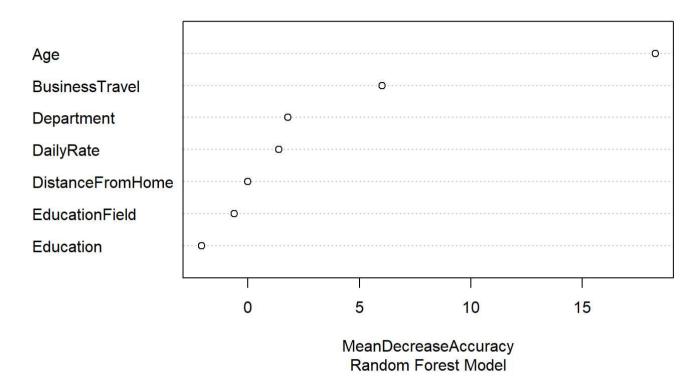


### **Important Variables**

```
##
## Call:
   randomForest(formula = form, data = train, ntree = 500, importance = TRUE, na.action = na.
##
                 Type of random forest: classification
##
                       Number of trees: 500
##
## No. of variables tried at each split: 2
##
           OOB estimate of error rate: 16.07%
##
## Confusion matrix:
       No Yes class.error
##
## No 977 12
                  0.01213
## Yes 177 10
                  0.94652
```

### Important Variable

#### Variable Importance (Accuracy)



#### **Confusion Matrix**

note: accuracy 83.7%

```
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
             Reference
##
## Prediction No Yes
##
          No 243 46
          Yes
                1
                   4
##
##
                  Accuracy: 0.84
##
                    95% CI: (0.793, 0.88)
##
##
      No Information Rate: 0.83
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.354
##
##
                     Kappa : 0.118
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.000000000138
##
##
                 Precision: 0.8000
##
                    Recall: 0.0800
##
##
                        F1: 0.1455
                Prevalence: 0.1701
##
            Detection Rate: 0.0136
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.0170
##
         Balanced Accuracy : 0.5380
##
##
          'Positive' Class : Yes
##
##
```

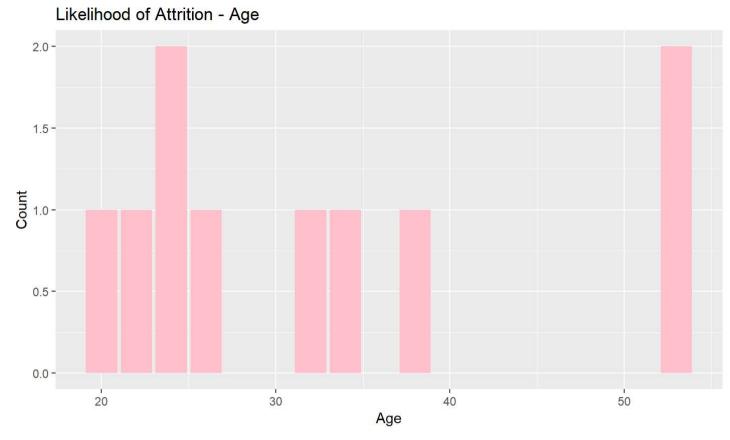
### Top 10 Employee likely to abscond

These are the 10 employees most likely to leave according to the prediction analysis.

##		EmployeeNumber	Age	Bus	inessTravel		Department
##	1	72	26	Tr	avel_Rarely		Sales
##	2	217	22	Tr	avel_Rarely	Research	& Development
##	3	621	34	Tr	avel_Rarely		Sales
##	4	632	24	Travel	_Frequently		Sales
##	5	893	38	Tr	avel_Rarely		Sales
##	6	901	53	Tr	avel_Rarely	Research	& Development
##	7	1050	53	Travel	_Frequently		Sales
##	8	1226	20	Tr	avel_Rarely		Sales
##	9	1746	24	Travel	_Frequently	Н	uman Resources
##	10	2010	32	Tr	avel_Rarely	Research	& Development
##		${\it Education Field}$	Dail	LyRate	DistanceFror	nHome Edu	cation
##	1	Marketing		<b>144</b> 3		23	3
##	2	Medical		1256		19	1
##	3	Life Sciences		258		21	4
##	4	Medical		535		24	3
##	5	Marketing		395		9	3
##	6	Life Sciences		102		23	4
##	7	Marketing		124		2	3
##	8	Marketing		654		21	3
##	9	Medical		897		10	3
##	10	Life Sciences		267		29	4

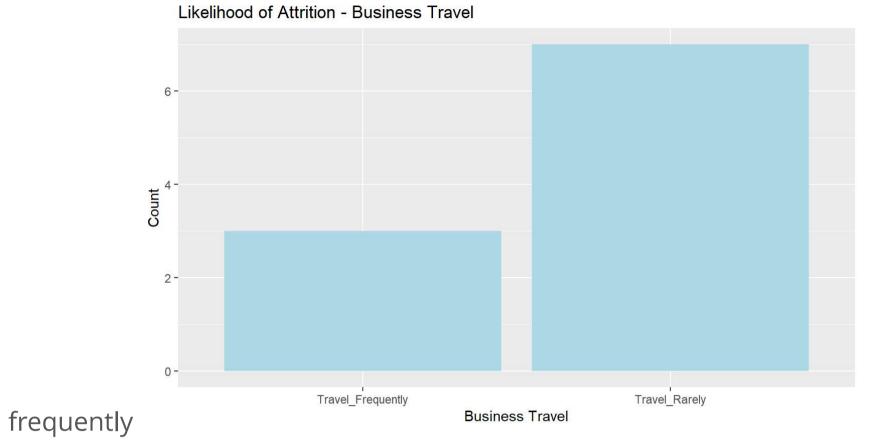
### Likelihood of Attrition - Age

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, half of them were below age 30



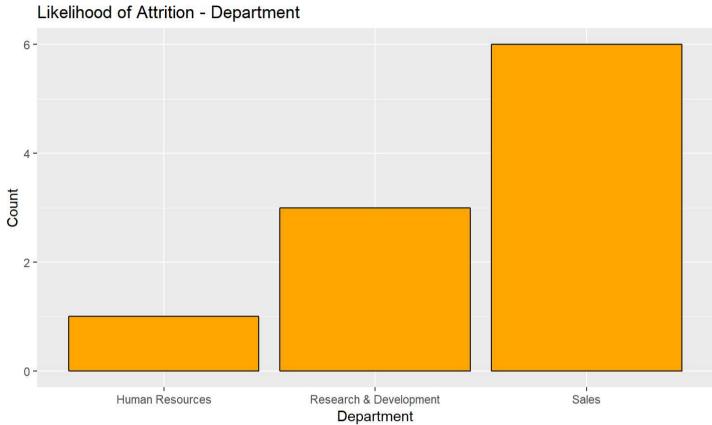
### Likelihood of Attrition - Business Travel

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, 7 travel rarely and 3 travel



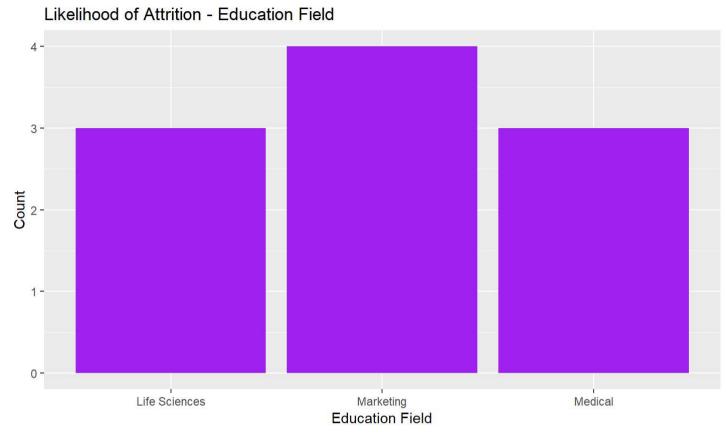
### Likelihood of Attrition - Department

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, most were found in the Sales department follwed with a 3 in Research & Development and the rest were in the Human Resources department.



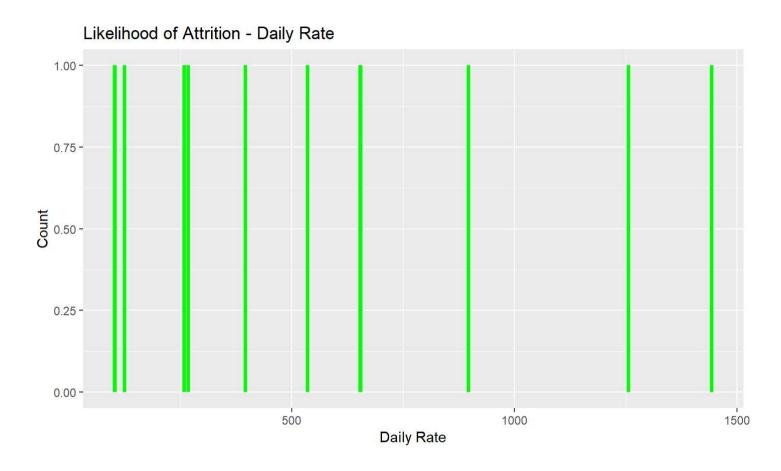
### Likelihood of Attrition - Education Field

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, most had their education field as Marketing and the rest in Life Science and Medical



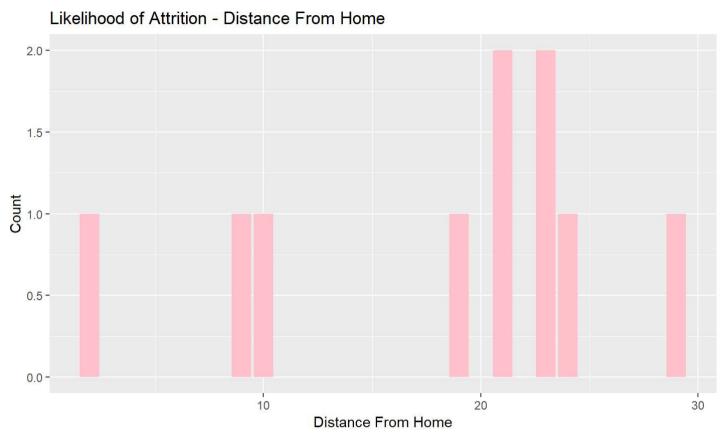
## Likelihood of Attrition - Daily Rate

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, half the employees had a daily rate less than 500.



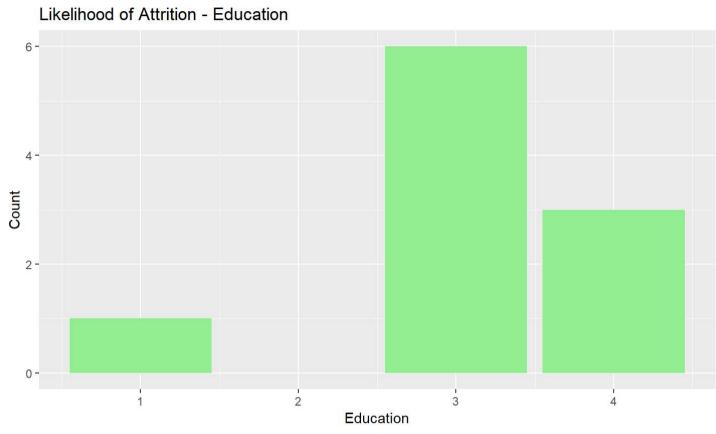
### Likelihood of Attrition - Distance From Home

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, majority had to work at a distance over 20 from home.



#### Likelihood of Attrition - Education

Of the 10 employees most likely to abscond, 3 have an education level of 4, 6 have an education level of 3, and 1 has an education level of 1.

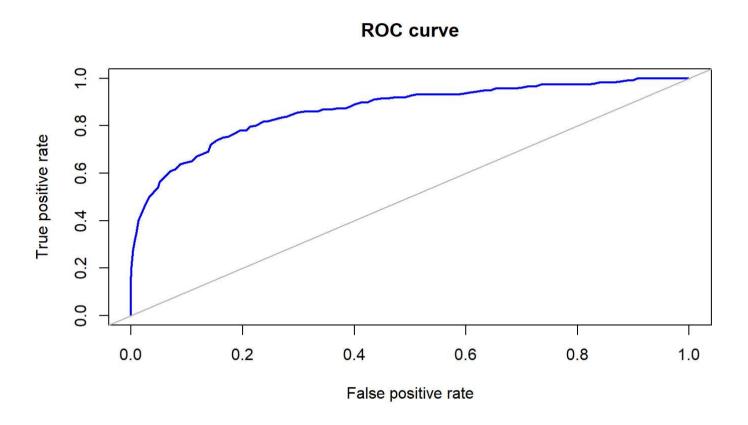


#### **ROC CONFUSION MATRIX**

```
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
             Reference
##
## Prediction
                No Yes
          No 1200
                   126
##
                33 111
          Yes
##
##
                  Accuracy: 0.892
##
                    95% CI : (0.875, 0.907)
##
      No Information Rate: 0.839
##
      P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.000000003865643
##
##
                     Kappa: 0.525
##
   Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.000000000000296
##
##
               Sensitivity: 0.973
##
               Specificity: 0.468
##
           Pos Pred Value: 0.905
##
           Neg Pred Value : 0.771
##
                Prevalence: 0.839
##
            Detection Rate: 0.816
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.902
##
         Balanced Accuracy : 0.721
##
##
          'Positive' Class : No
##
##
```

#### **ROC CURVE**

The ROC Curve shows that the attrition prediction model can correctly distinguish between a true positive and false positive rate with an accuracy of 87.8%.



```
## Area under the curve (AUC): 0.869
```

```
##
## Call:
## accuracy.meas(response = as.factor(hr$Attrition), predicted = logit_predict,
## threshold = 0.5)
##
## Examples are labelled as positive when predicted is greater than 0.5
##
## precision: 0.771
## recall: 0.468
## F: 0.291
```