

Interview Status Prediction

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The Business Problem

Problem Abstract

A data scientist of a big MNC who usually hires more than 10k candidates every year. To complete the task they conduct more than 1 lakhs of interviews every year.

Problem statement

Need to predict the status of the interviews so that recruiters can check the sanity of the interview and find if the interview was biased.

Target Approach

To predict the “Status” column using Classifier Machine Learning Algorithms.

Challenges Faced (Deep-Dive)

Challenge 1

Columns

The dataset consists of many features consisting of both numerical (Major) and categorical (Minor) values, hence feature understanding need to be done efficiently.

Challenge 2

Feature Selection

The Correlation the columns were unique because it consists of very low positive values and high negative values except S.L.R.C & S.L.R.I Columns.

Challenge 3

Model Predictions

By Training and Testing the data with ML models to get a close to perfect prediction score.

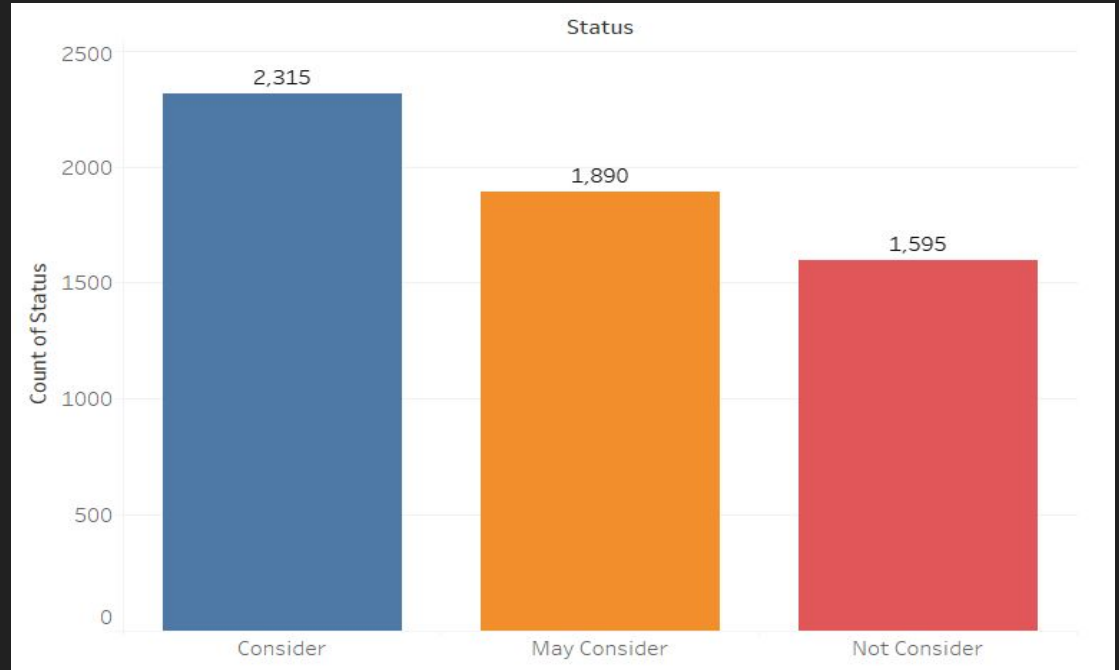
Solution

SVM Classifier

Support Vector Machines Classifier
ML Algorithm was the best model
when comparing with other models
and considering this dataset.

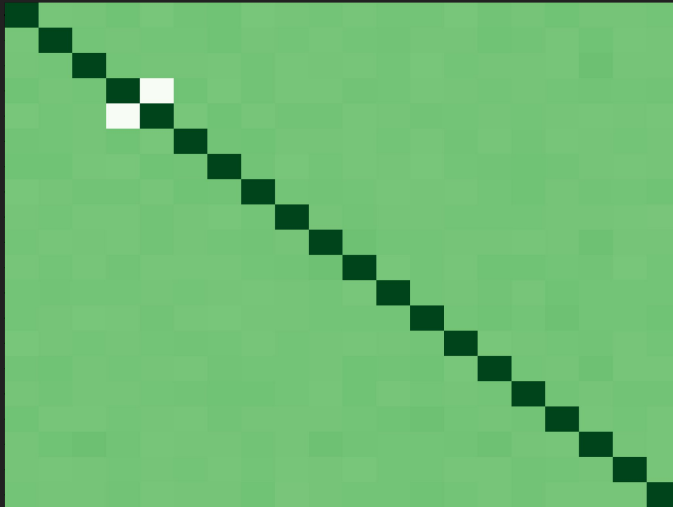
Target Feature - Status

- The Target feature “Status” has 3 unique values in it, namely ‘Consider’, ‘May Consider’ & ‘Not Consider’.
- The “Status” feature is has poor correlation with each and every feature in the dataset.
- The Majority of the candidates were considers in this company.



Interesting Findings

Low Data Correlation



Diversity in Data

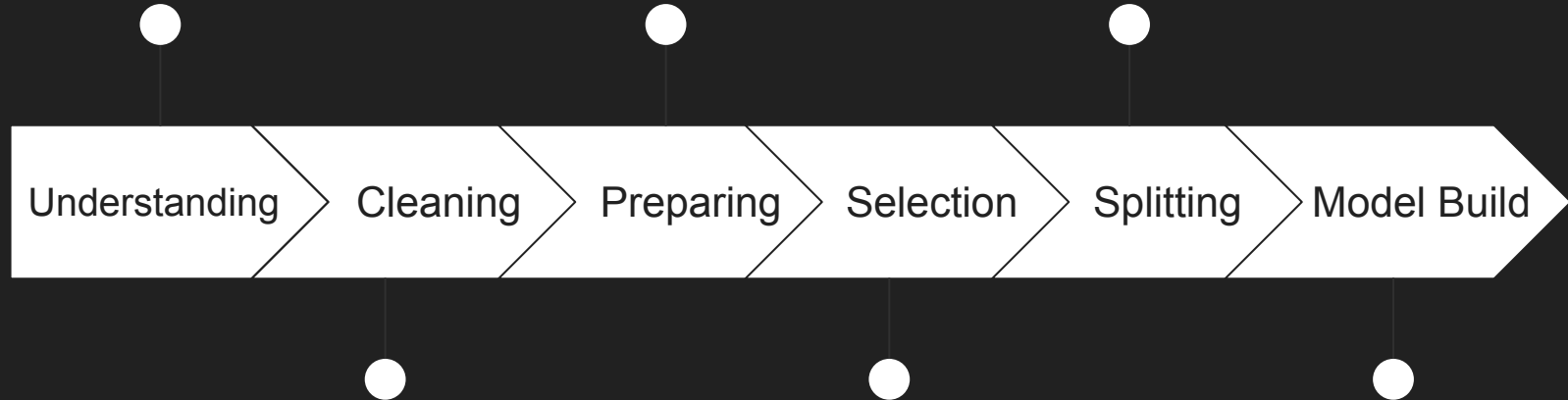
Status	Profile				
	Account Manager	Data Scientist	Developer	HR	Marketing
Consider	238	235	265	203	207
May Consider	185	181	197	185	216
Not Consider	175	150	156	170	151
Status	Product Manager	Program Manager	QA Automation	QA Manual	Sales
Consider	216	227	249	239	236
May Consider	201	180	171	198	176
Not Consider	154	161	157	148	173

Implementation of the Solution

Feature
Understanding of the
dataset

Preparing the dataset
for Modeling by
Encoding the columns

Splitting the dataset
into train and test
datasets



Cleaning the dataset
of noises and outliers

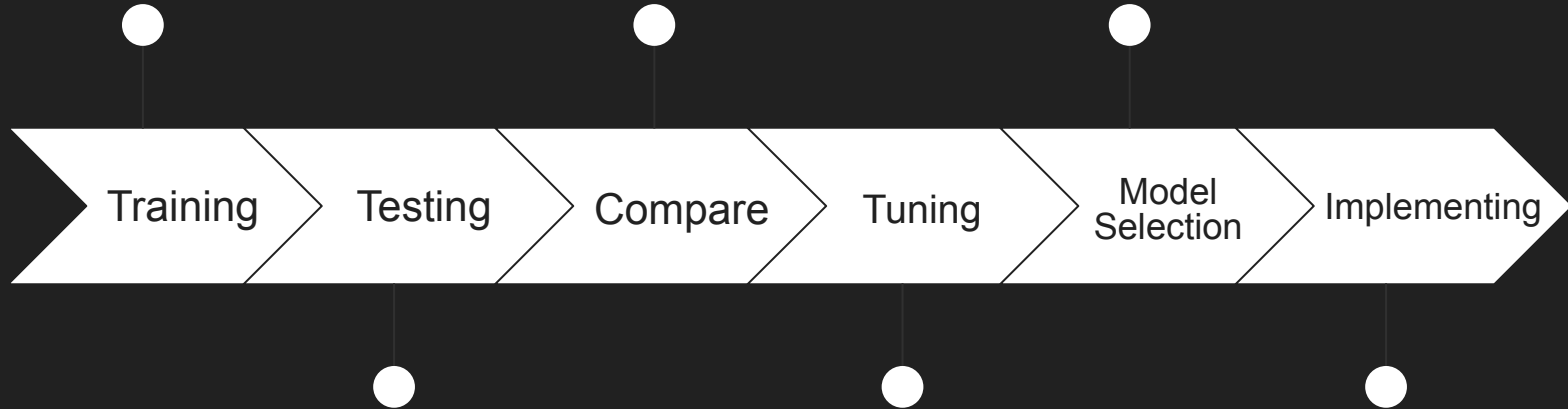
Selecting the Features
based on relevance
and Correlation

Building and initiating
several models

Training the Models
with the training
dataset

Comparing each
Model's training &
testing score

Selecting the best
Model



Testing the Models for
accuracy

Change the Hyper
Parameters of all the Models
for better performance

Implementing the
selected Model

Final Accuracy Score

Train Score: 0.9982758620689656

Test Score: 0.9942528735632183

Submission Score: 0.708

Source Code:

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