

# Airline Passenger Satisfaction

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## Introduction

Customer satisfaction plays a major role in affecting the business of a company therefore analyzing and improving the factors that are closely related to customer satisfaction is important for the growth and reputation of a company.





## **Problem Statement**



One of the problems of many airline industries is how to measure customer satisfaction concerning the experience of using online services.

The objective or goal of this project is to guide an airline company to determine the important factors that influence customer or passenger satisfaction.







## Dataset

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## **Dataset Description**

This dataset contains an airline passenger satisfaction survey:

- Which factors are highly correlated to a satisfied (or dissatisfied) passenger?
- ▲ Can you predict passenger satisfaction?





- Gender: Gender of the passengers (Female, Male)
- Customer Type: The customer type (Loyal customer, disloyal customer)
- Age: The actual age of the passengers
- Type of Travel: Purpose of the flight of the passengers (Personal Travel, Business Travel)
- Class: Travel class in the plane of the passengers (Business, Eco, Eco Plus)
- Flight distance: The flight distance of this journey

- Inflight wifi service: Satisfaction level of the inflight wifi service (0:Not Applicable;1-5)
- Departure/Arrival time convenient: Satisfaction level of Departure/Arrival time convenient
- Ease of Online booking: Satisfaction level of online booking
- Gate location: Satisfaction level of Gate location
- Food and drink: Satisfaction level of Food and drink
- Online boarding: Satisfaction level of online boarding

- Seat comfort: Satisfaction level of Seat comfort
- Inflight entertainment: Satisfaction level of inflight entertainment
- On-board service: Satisfaction level of On-board service
- Leg room service: Satisfaction level of Leg room service
- Baggage handling: Satisfaction level of baggage handling
- Check-in service: Satisfaction level of Check-in service

- Inflight service: Satisfaction level of inflight service
- Cleanliness: Satisfaction level of Cleanliness
- Departure Delay in Minutes: Minutes delayed when departure
- Arrival Delay in Minutes: Minutes delayed when Arrival
- Satisfaction: Airline satisfaction level(Satisfaction, neutral or dissatisfaction)





```
Connect to the Spark server
[3] spark = pyspark.sql.SparkSession.builder.getOrCreate()
Obtain the Data
    fullpath = 'Airline Passenger Satisfaction.csv'
    data = spark.read.csv(fullpath)
    data
    DataFrame[ c0: string, c1: string, c2: string, c3: string, c4: string, c5: string, c6: string, c7: string, c8: string, c9: string,
```

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c20: string, c21: string, c22: string, c23: string, c24: string]



## **Data Preparation**

```
data.printSchema()
root
 -- Unnamed: 0: integer (nullable = true)
  -- id: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Gender: string (nullable = true)
  -- CustomerType: string (nullable = true)
  -- Age: integer (nullable = true)
  -- TypeofTravel: string (nullable = true)
  -- Class: string (nullable = true)
  -- FlightDistance: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Inflightwifiservice: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Departure/Arrivaltimeconvenient: integer (nullable = true)
  -- EaseofOnlinebooking: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Gatelocation: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Foodanddrink: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Onlineboarding: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Seatcomfort: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Inflightentertainment: integer (nullable = true)
  -- On-boardservice: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Legroomservice: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Baggagehandling: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Checkinservice: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Inflightservice: integer (nullable = true)
  -- Cleanliness: integer (nullable = true)
  -- DepartureDelayinMinutes: integer (nullable = true)
  -- ArrivalDelayinMinutes: double (nullable = true)
  -- satisfaction: integer (nullable = true)
```

# Data Preprocessing







## **Data Cleaning**

```
# these columns are useless to us, drop them
drop_cols = ['DepartureDelayinMinutes', 'ArrivalDelayinMinutes', '_c0', 'id']

data = data.drop(*drop_cols)

data = data.replace('other', None, subset=['Gender'])

data = data.replace('other', None, subset=['Class'])
```







# **Data Exploration**



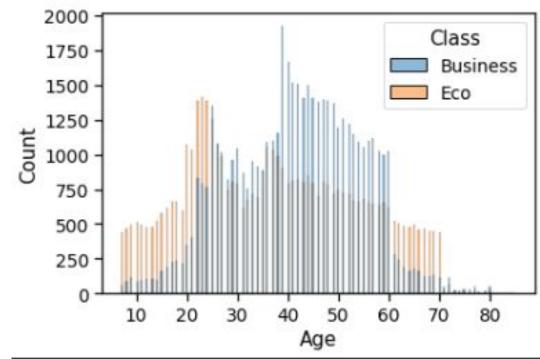






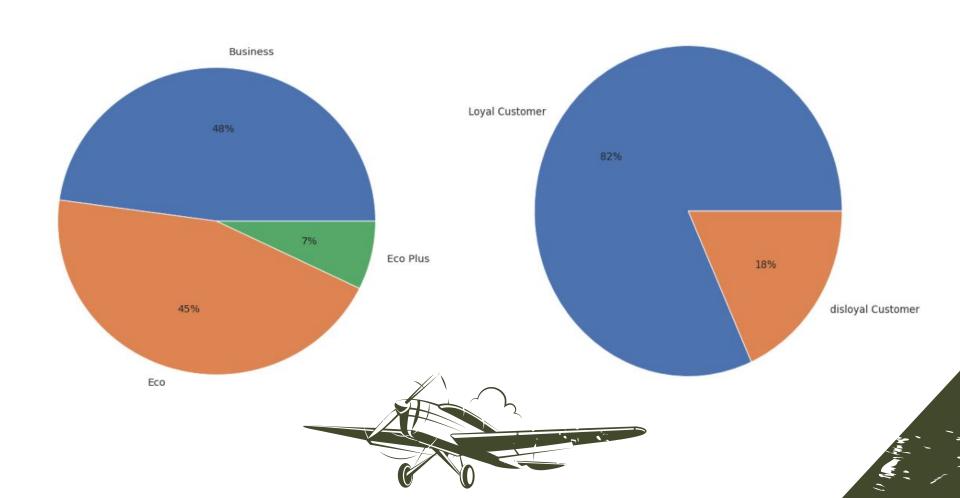






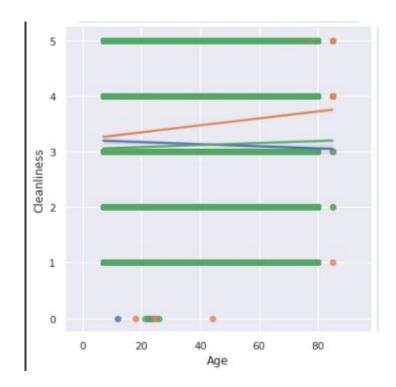






Class

- Eco Plus
- Business
- Eco













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# Data Preparation



#### Category columns

```
cat_cols = ['Gender', 'CustomerType', 'TypeofTravel', 'Class', 'satisfaction']

n = 4

for col in cat_cols:
    most_freq = data.groupBy(col).count().orderBy('count', ascending=False).take(n - 1)
    most_freq = spark.createDataFrame(most_freq).toPandas()
    most_freq = most_freq[col].tolist()

data = data.withColumn(col, F.when(F.col(col).isin(most_freq), F.col(col)))
```



On Categorical Columns, we will encode all the categorical columns using StringIndexer and drop the original columns.

```
[ ] for col in cat_cols:
    indexer = StringIndexer(inputCol=col, outputCol=col+'_idx')
    data = indexer.fit(data).transform(data)

data = data.drop(*cat_cols)
```



```
cols = data.columns
cols.remove('satisfaction_idx') #remove -> we need this to be our label

assembler = VectorAssembler(inputCols=cols, outputCol='features')

data = assembler.transform(data)

# We have created a new dataframe only consisting of the features column and the label column (actually price column but renamed, df_data = data.select(F.col('features'), F.col('satisfaction_idx').alias('label'))

df_train, df_test = df_data.randomSplit([0.8, 0.2])
```





# Building a Model







## **Building a Model**

#### Model Building

```
evaluator = RegressionEvaluator() # Can specify what metrics we want to use. Default metric is Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE)
grid = ParamGridBuilder().build()
```

cv lr = CrossValidator(estimator=classifier lr, evaluator=evaluator, estimatorParamMaps=grid, numFolds=5)

#### Initialize Regressors and Train

cv model lr = cv lr.fit(df train)

```
[] #Random Forest Regressor
    classifier_rf = RandomForestRegressor(featuresCol='features', labelCol='label')
    cv_rf = CrossValidator(estimator=classifier_rf, evaluator=evaluator, estimatorParamMaps=grid, numFolds=5)
    cv_model_rf = cv_rf.fit(df_train)

[] #Gradient Boosted Tree Regressor
    classifier_gbt = GBTRegressor(featuresCol="features", labelCol='label', maxIter=10)
    cv_gbt = CrossValidator(estimator=classifier_gbt, evaluator=evaluator, estimatorParamMaps=grid, numFolds=5)
    cv_model_gbt = cv_gbt.fit(df_train)

[] #Linear Regression
    classifier_lr = LinearRegression(maxIter=10, regParam=0.3, elasticNetParam=0.8)
```



## **Model Evaluation**





#### **Model Evaluation**

```
metrics = []
models = [cv_model_rf, cv_model_gbt, cv_model_lr]

for model in models:
    metrics.append(model.avgMetrics)
print (metrics)

for idx, model in enumerate(models):
    metrics[idx].append(RegressionEvaluator(predictionCol='prediction', labelCol='label', metricName='r2').evaluate(model.bestModels):
    metrics[idx].append(RegressionEvaluator(predictionCol='prediction', labelCol='label', metricName='rmse').evaluate(model.bestModels):
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    metrics[idx].append(RegressionEvaluator(predictionCol='prediction', labelCol='label', metricName='mae').evaluate(model.bestModels):
    df = pd.DataFrame(metrics, index = ['Random Forest Regressor', 'Gradient Boosted Tree Regressor', 'Linear Regression'], columns:
    df
```

[[0.24528405092644592], [0.22446513982488212], [0.4954913818117944]]

#### Average Metrics (CV) Best Model R2 on Test Set Best Model RMSE on Test Set Best Model MAE on Test Set

Random Forest Regressor	0.245284	0.752917	0.246414	0.162691
Gradient Boosted Tree Regressor	0.224465	0.795455	0.224201	0.113253
Linear Regression	0.495491	-0.000013	0.495732	0.491257



Do you have any questions?

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