# **Customer Satisfaction Prediction**

# **❖** Project Introduction

# **Objective**:

The goal of this project is to develop a predictive model that can determine whether a customer is satisfied or dissatisfied based on various customer interaction and behavioral features. By accurately predicting satisfaction, businesses can take proactive steps to improve customer retention and service quality.

# **Business Importance:**

- Understanding customer satisfaction drives loyalty and profitability.
- Early prediction helps in reducing churn and increasing lifetime value.
- Insight into key satisfaction drivers helps refine marketing and service strategies.

### **Tools & Technologies**:

- Languages: Python, SQL
- Libraries: Pandas, NumPy, Matplotlib, Seaborn, Scikit-learn
- Environment: Jupyter Notebook / VS Code
- **Domain**: Data Analytics / Customer Experience

### **Dataset Overview:**

- Features include customer demographics, transaction history, product/service usage, and feedback scores.
- Target variable: Customer Satisfaction (1 = Satisfied, 0 = Not Satisfied)

# Data Analysis and Preprocessing

**Title:** Data Cleaning, Exploration, and Feature Engineering

### 1. Data Cleaning:

- Handled missing values using imputation or deletion.
- Converted categorical variables using encoding (LabelEncoding, OneHotEncoding).

• Removed outliers using IQR method and z-score.

# 2. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA):

- Plotted histograms and boxplots to analyze feature distributions.
- Used sns.countplot() to examine satisfaction class balance.
- Found key patterns:
  - o Low wait time, high product rating → high satisfaction
  - o More complaints or service failures → low satisfaction

# **3. Feature Engineering:**

- Created new features:
  - o Total Transactions, Complaint Rate, Avg Spend
  - o Derived time-based features like Customer Tenure
- Correlation matrix showed strongest predictors: service quality, wait time, resolution time

### 4. Handling Imbalanced Classes:

- Applied SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Over-sampling Technique)
- Alternative: class weighting during model training

# **❖** Model Building and Training

**Title**: Machine Learning Models for Classification

# 1. Dataset Split:

- 80% training, 20% testing
- Stratified split for balanced satisfaction classes

#### 2. Models Used:

- Logistic Regression
- Decision Tree Classifier
- Random Forest Classifier

- Support Vector Machine (SVM)
- Gradient Boosting (e.g., XGBoost or LightGBM)

#### 3. Model Evaluation Metrics:

- Accuracy
- Precision, Recall, F1-score
- ROC-AUC score
- Confusion Matrix

# 4. Sample Model Code (Random Forest):

```
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
model = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=100, random_state=42)
model.fit(X_train, y_train)
y pred = model.predict(X test)
```

### **5.** Cross-validation:

- Applied GridSearchCV for hyperparameter tuning
- Used 5-fold cross-validation for robustness

# **\*** Results and Visualizations

**Title**: Model Performance and Feature Insights

# **Model Comparison Table:**

Model	Accuracy	F1-Score	ROC-AUC
Logistic Regression	78%	0.76	0.80
Decision Tree	81%	0.79	0.83
Random Forest	87%	0.86	0.91
SVM	84%	0.83	0.89

Best Model: Random Forest

**Key Visuals**:

- Confusion Matrix
- ROC Curve
- Feature Importance Plot:
  - Top Features: Product rating, Resolution time, Customer service score, Repeat complaints

# **Model Export:**

• Saved the trained model using pickle for later deployment:

```
import pickle
with open('customer_satisfaction_model.pkl', 'wb') as file:
    pickle.dump(model, file)
```

### **\*** Conclusion and Recommendations

Title: Insights, Business Value, and Future Enhancements

# **Summary**:

- Built a reliable model with 87% accuracy to classify customer satisfaction.
- Identified key drivers such as service quality and response time.
- Helps businesses identify dissatisfied customers in advance.

#### **Recommendations:**

- Use insights to prioritize improvements in service operations.
- Deploy predictive system in CRM tools for real-time feedback.
- Automate alerts for at-risk customers for retention efforts.

### **Future Work:**

- Integrate real-time data sources (chat logs, social media feedback)
- Build a dashboard (e.g., Streamlit or Power BI)
- Try deep learning (LSTM for feedback text sentiment)
- Use NLP to mine open-ended feedback into satisfaction indicators