

END-TO-END ML PIPELINE · BEHAVIORAL INSIGHTS · ROI SIMULATION

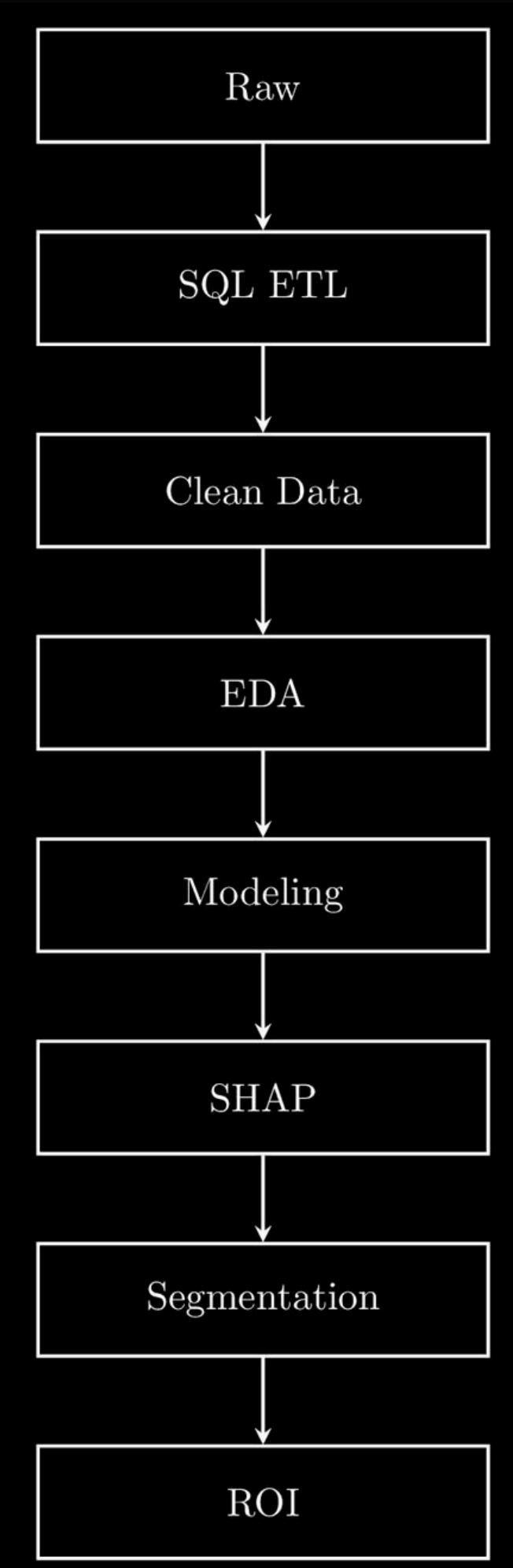
BANK CHURN PREDICTION & CUSTOMER SEGMENTATION

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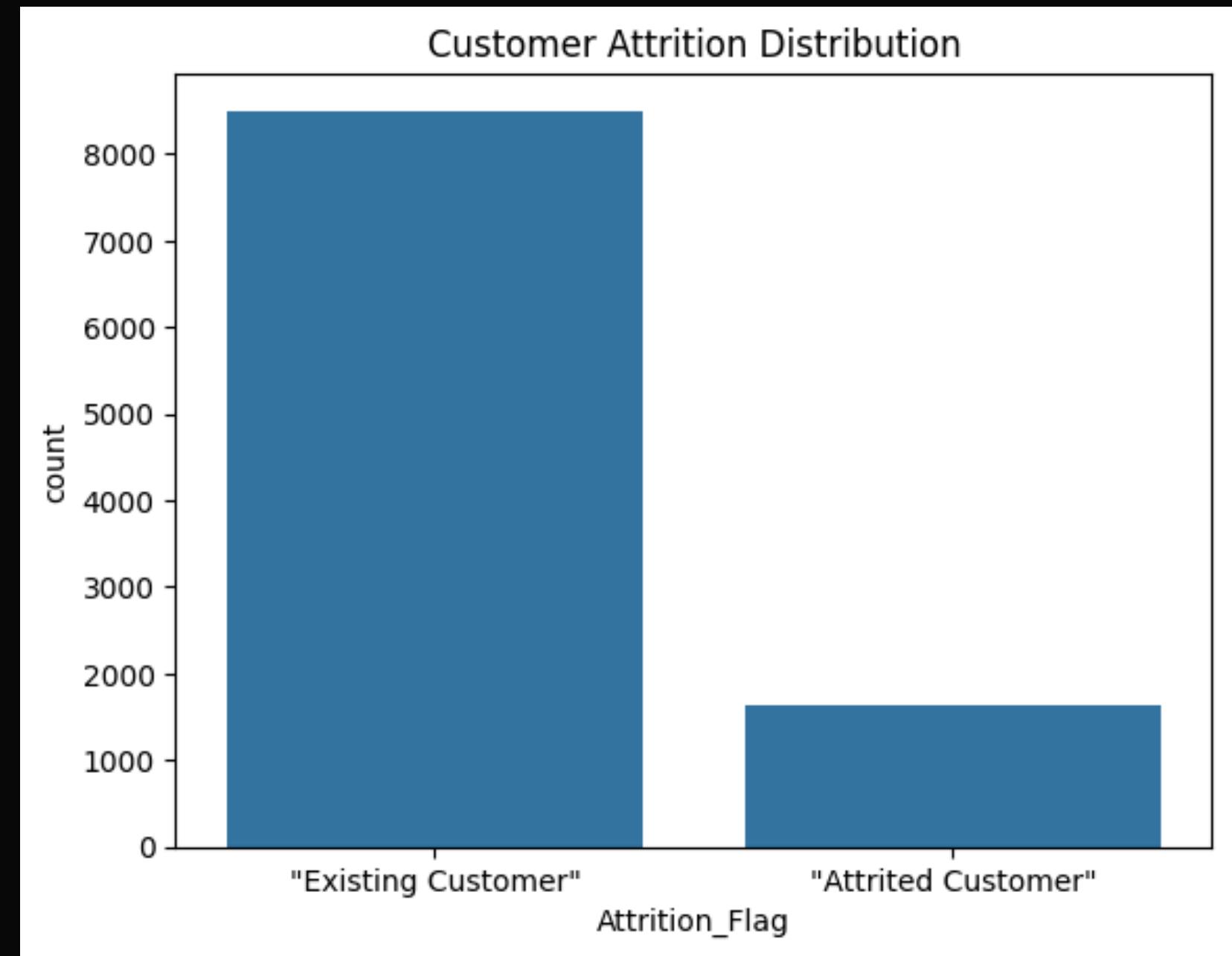
PROJECT PIPELINE OVERVIEW

- SQL SERVER ETL: STAGING → ODS (TYPED, CLEANED)
- PYTHON EDA + FEATURE ENGINEERING
- MODELING: LOGISTIC → RF → XGBOOST
- SHAP EXPLAINABILITY
- K-MEANS SEGMENTATION
- ROI DASHBOARD (STREAMLIT)



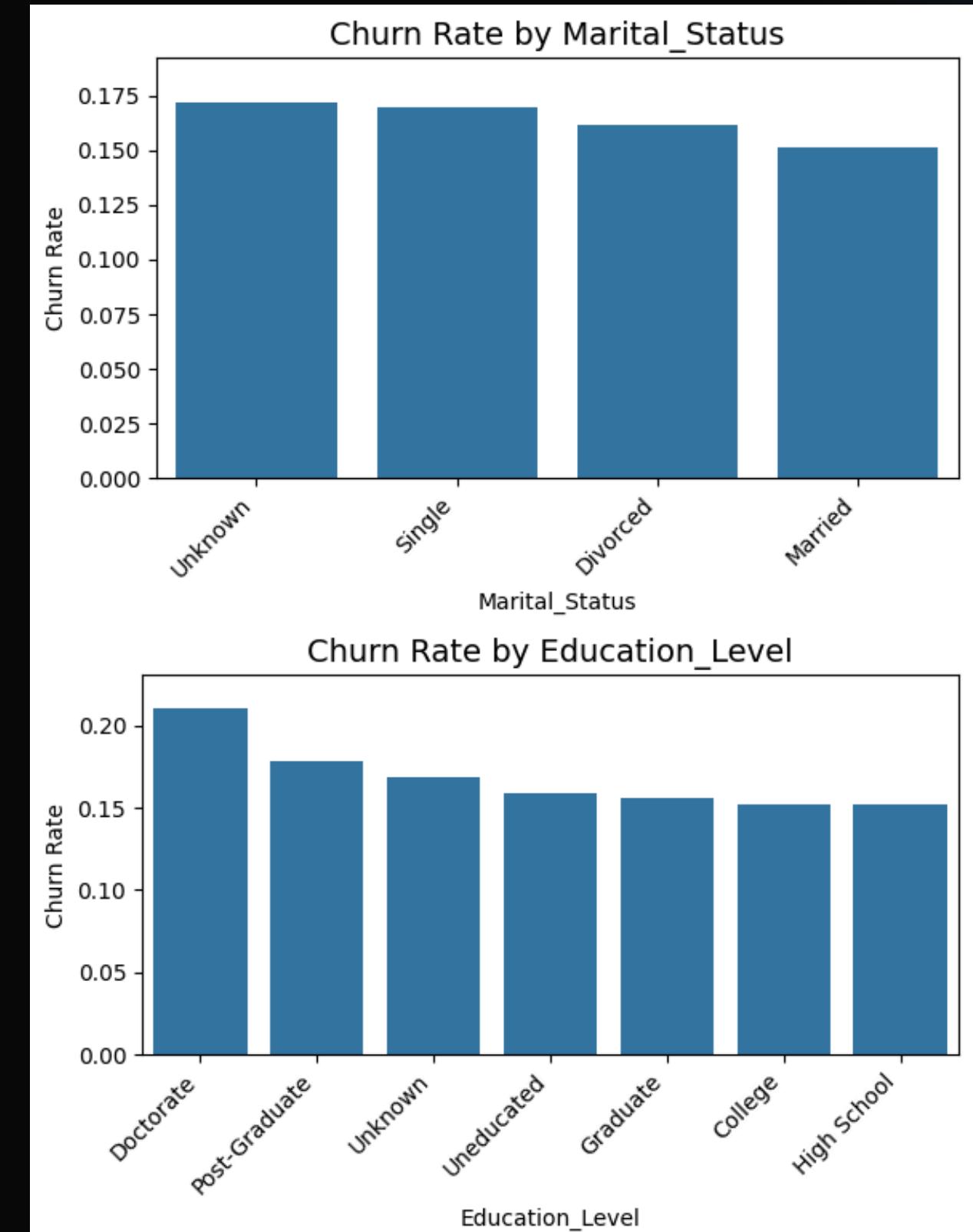
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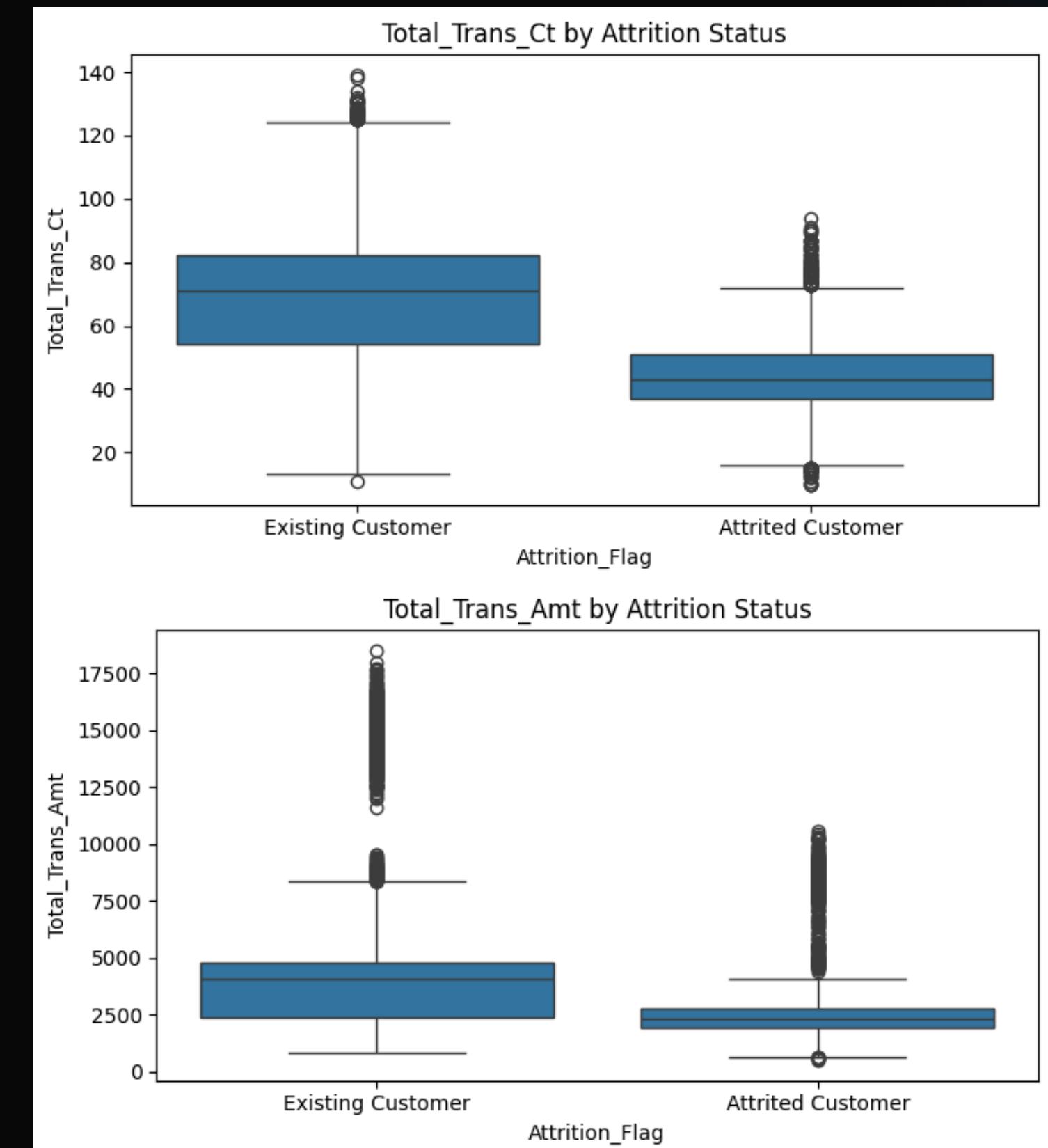
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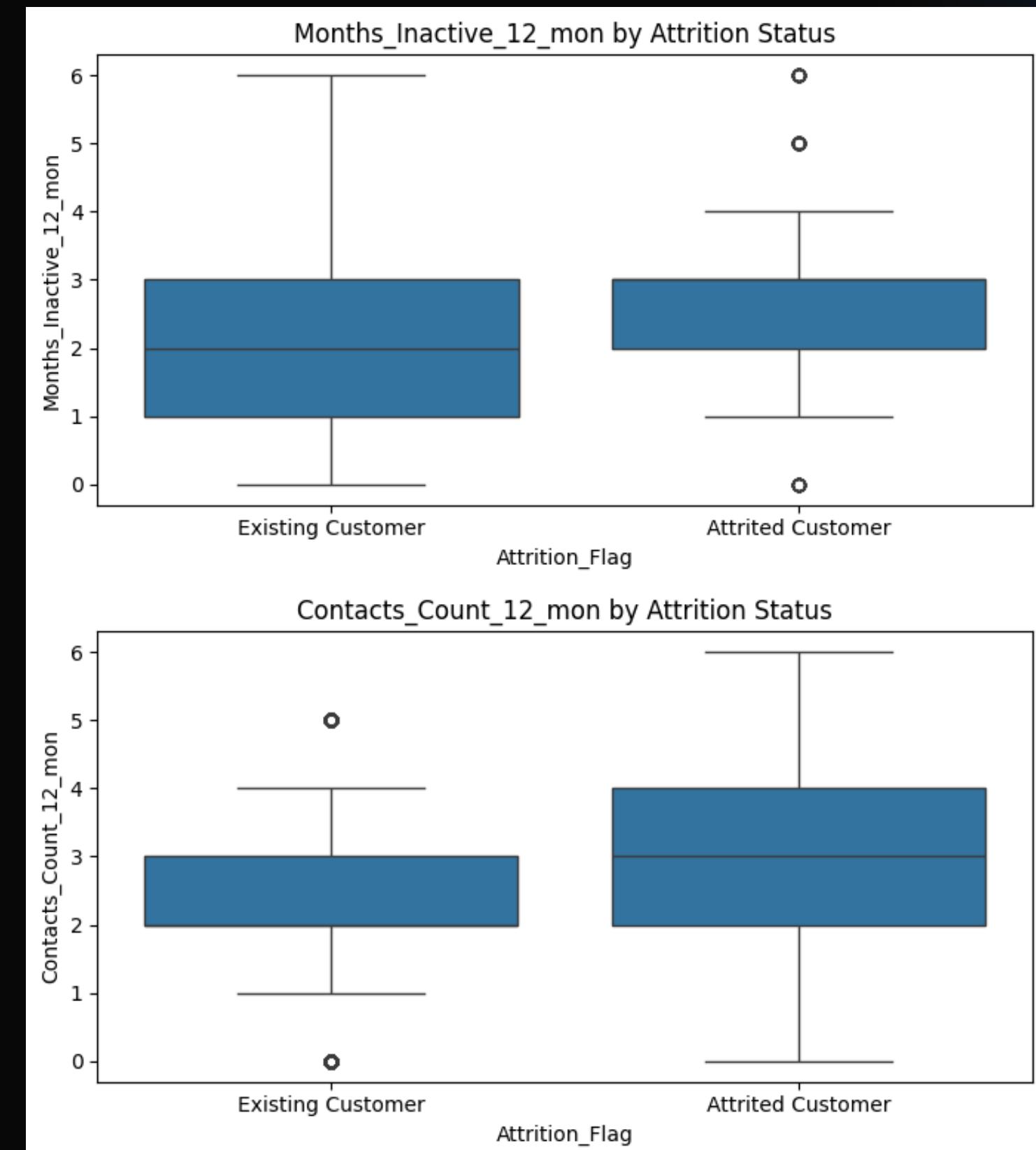
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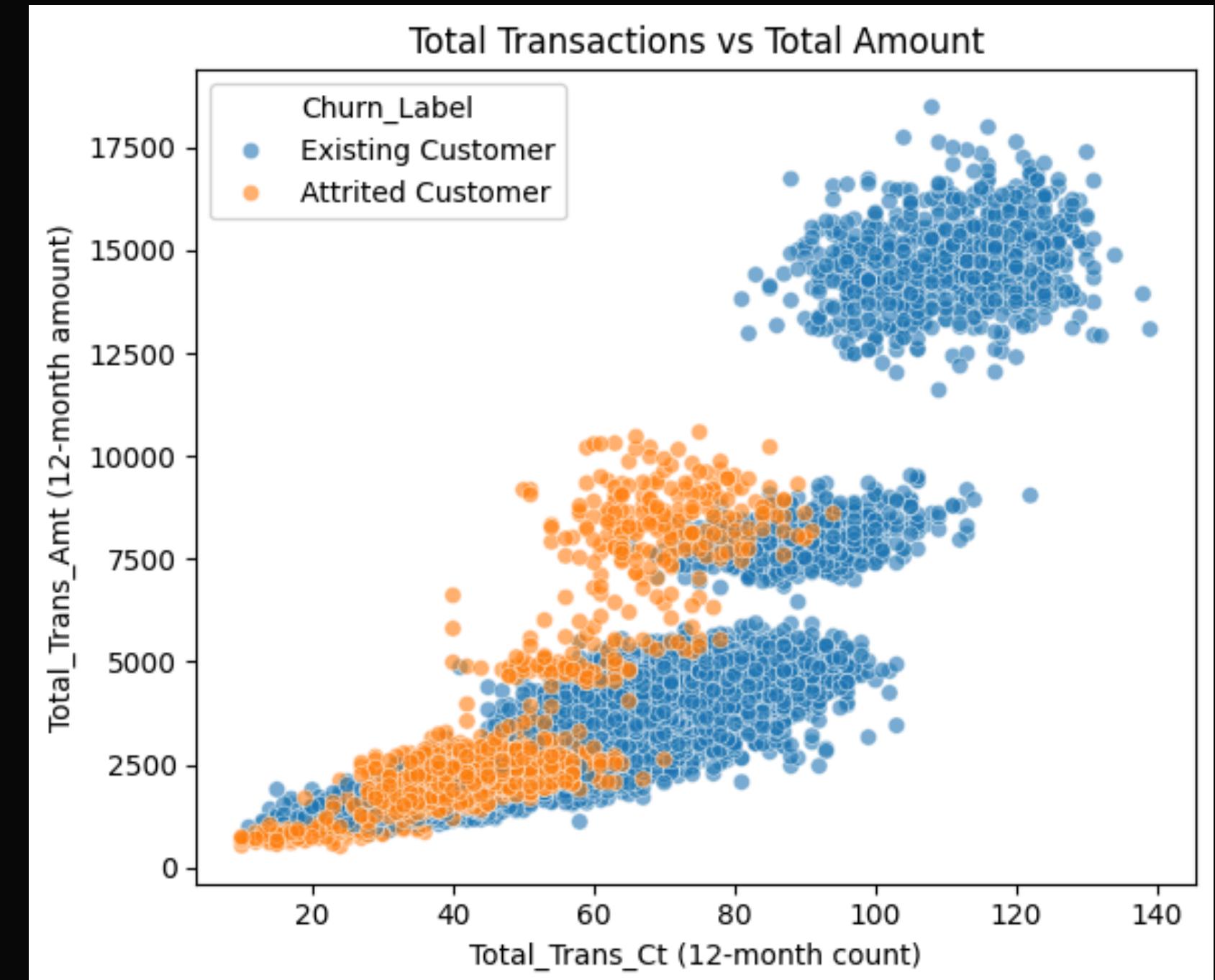
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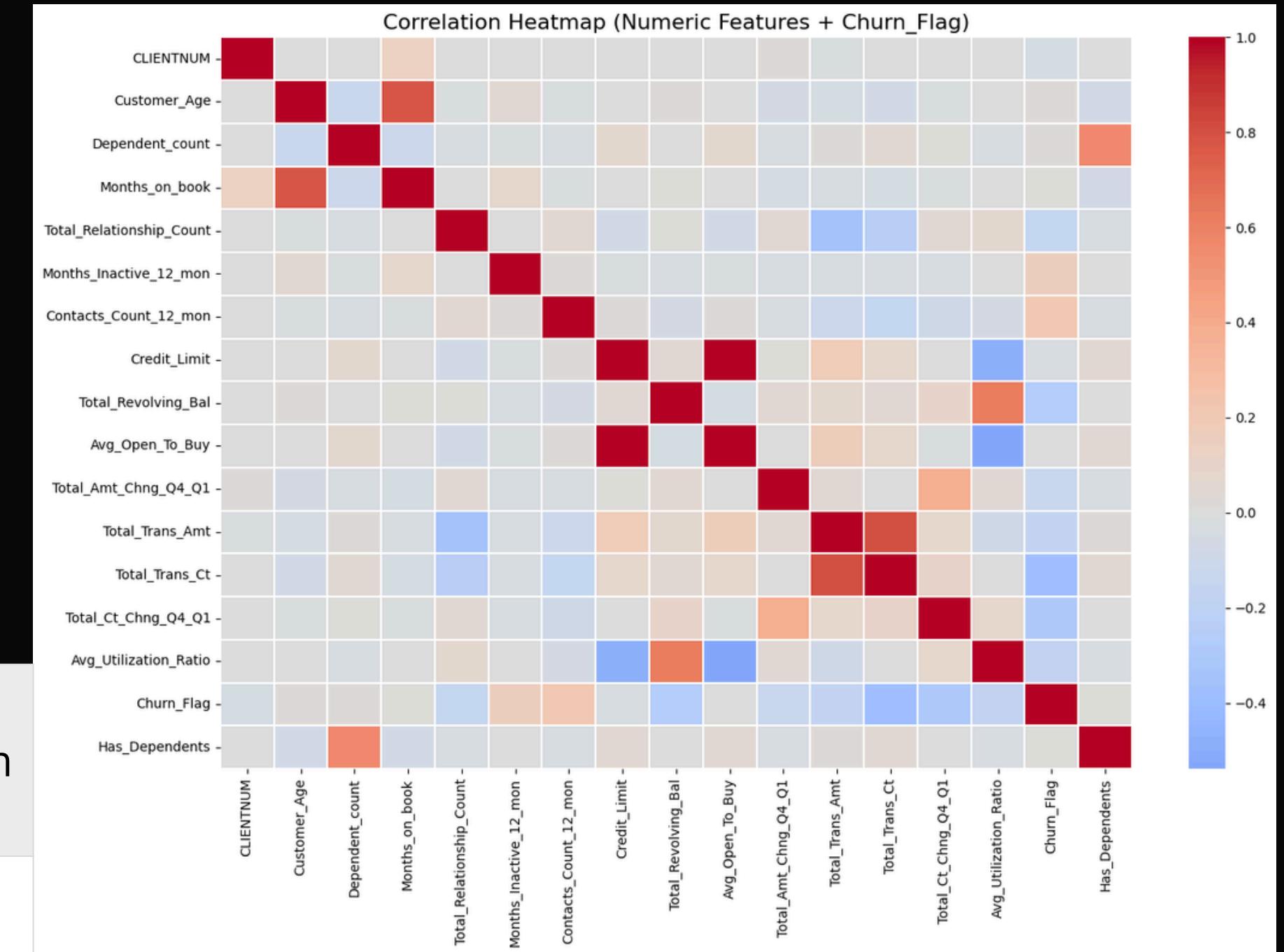


CORRELATION SUMMARY:

BEHAVIORAL FEATURES DOMINATE

- BEHAVIORAL FEATURES CORRELATE MOST WITH CHURN (TRANSACTIONS, SPENDING, INACTIVITY).
- DEMOGRAPHICS ARE NEAR ZERO.
- CHURN IS BEHAVIOR-DRIVEN, NOT PROFILE-DRIVEN.

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|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Highest + corr: | Contacts_Count_12_mon |
| Highest - corr: | Total_Trans_Ct |



FEATURE ENGINEERING: PREPARING 46 MODEL-READY FEATURES

CATEGORICAL FEATURES



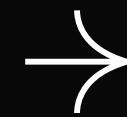
ONE-HOT ENCODED

SKEWED MONETARY FEATURES



LOG-TRANSFORMED VERSIONS

TENURE & AGE



TENURE BINS & AGE GROUPS

DEPENDENTS



HAS_DEPENDENTS INDICATOR

IDS & LABELS

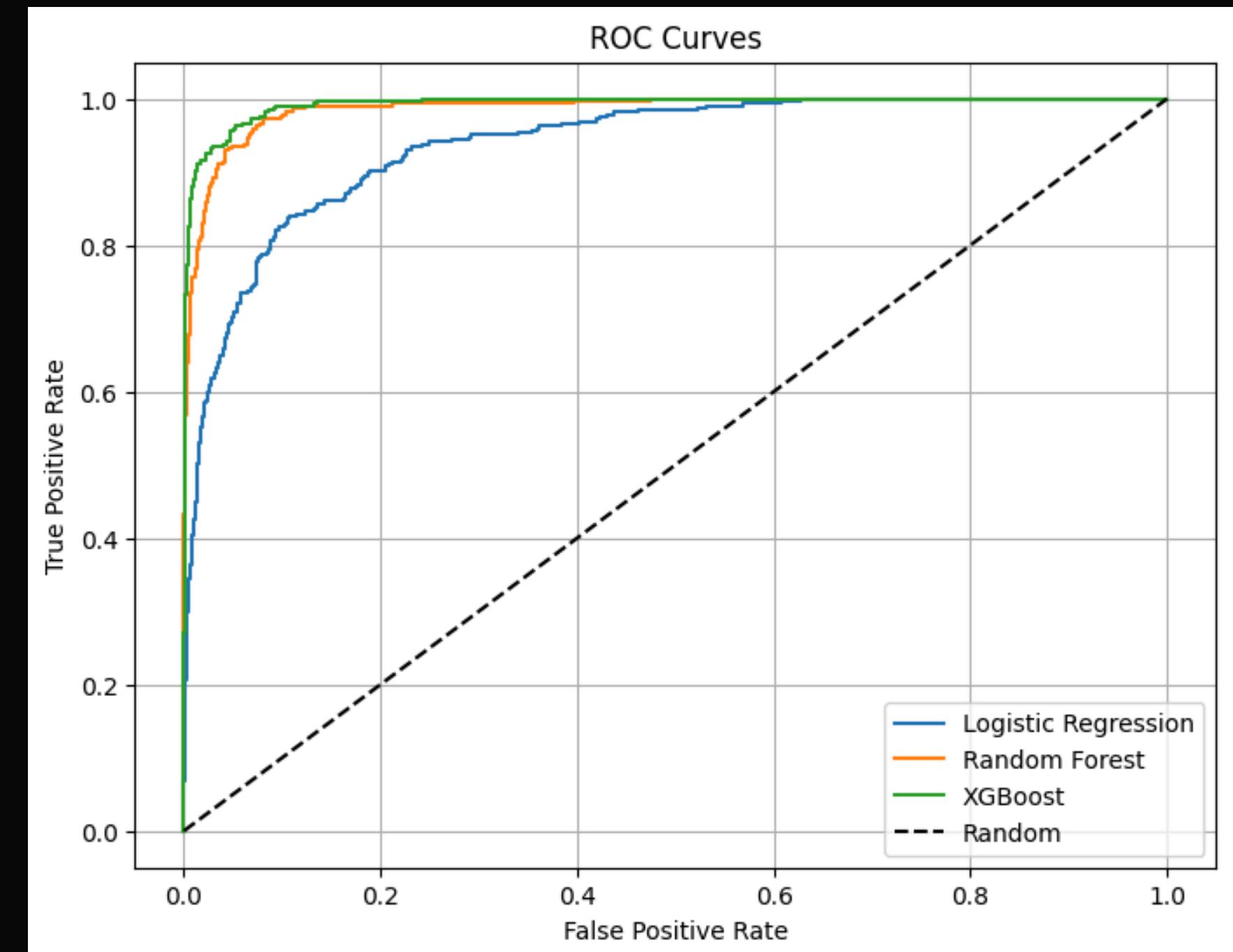


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MODELING OVERVIEW & MODEL COMPARISON

- BASELINE: LOGISTIC REGRESSION
→ SIMPLE, INTERPRETABLE, WEAKER PERFORMANCE
- RANDOM FOREST
→ BETTER HANDLING OF NONLINEAR PATTERNS
- XGBOOST (BEST MODEL)
→ STRONGEST PERFORMANCE ON CHURN PREDICTION
- EVALUATED USING ACCURACY, RECALL FOR CHURN, AND F1-SCORE



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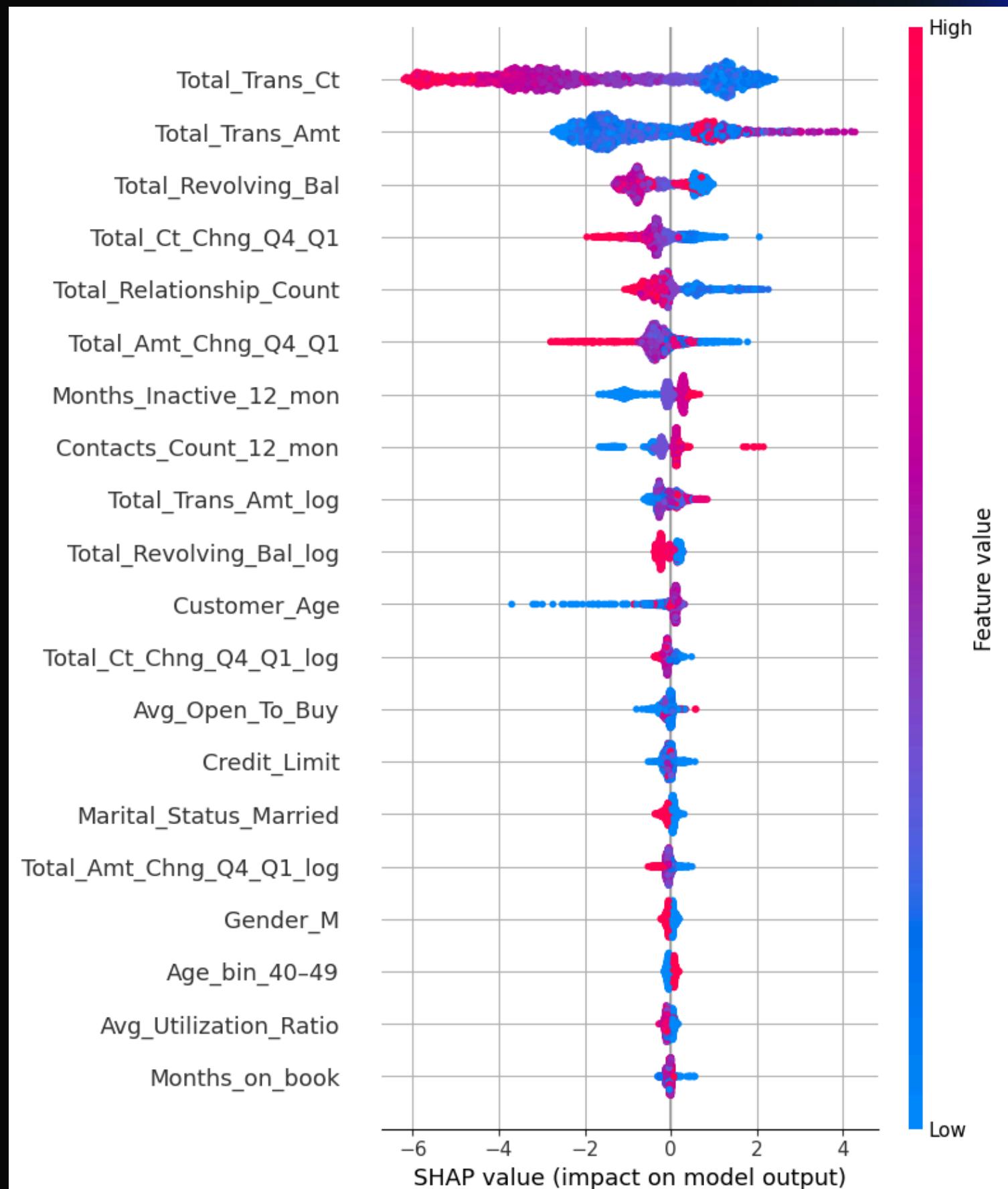
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| Model | Accuracy | Recall | F1 | ROC-AUC |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| Logistic Regression | 0.869 | 0.846 | 0.674 | 0.938 |
| Random Forest | 0.956 | 0.825 | 0.858 | 0.987 |
| XGBoost | 0.968 | 0.926 | 0.903 | 0.993 |



SHAP EXPLAINABILITY

- LOW TRANSACTIONS & LOW SPENDING ↑ CHURN
- DECLINING ACTIVITY TREND ↑ CHURN
- MORE INACTIVE MONTHS ↑ CHURN
- MORE SERVICE CONTACTS ↑ CHURN
- FEWER PRODUCT RELATIONSHIPS ↑ CHURN



CUSTOMER SEGMENTATION (K-MEANS): FOUR DISTINCT BEHAVIORAL SEGMENTS

Cluster 1 – Active Stable Users

- High usage & consistent activity
- Low inactivity
- Churn: 4%

→ Stable, low-risk users

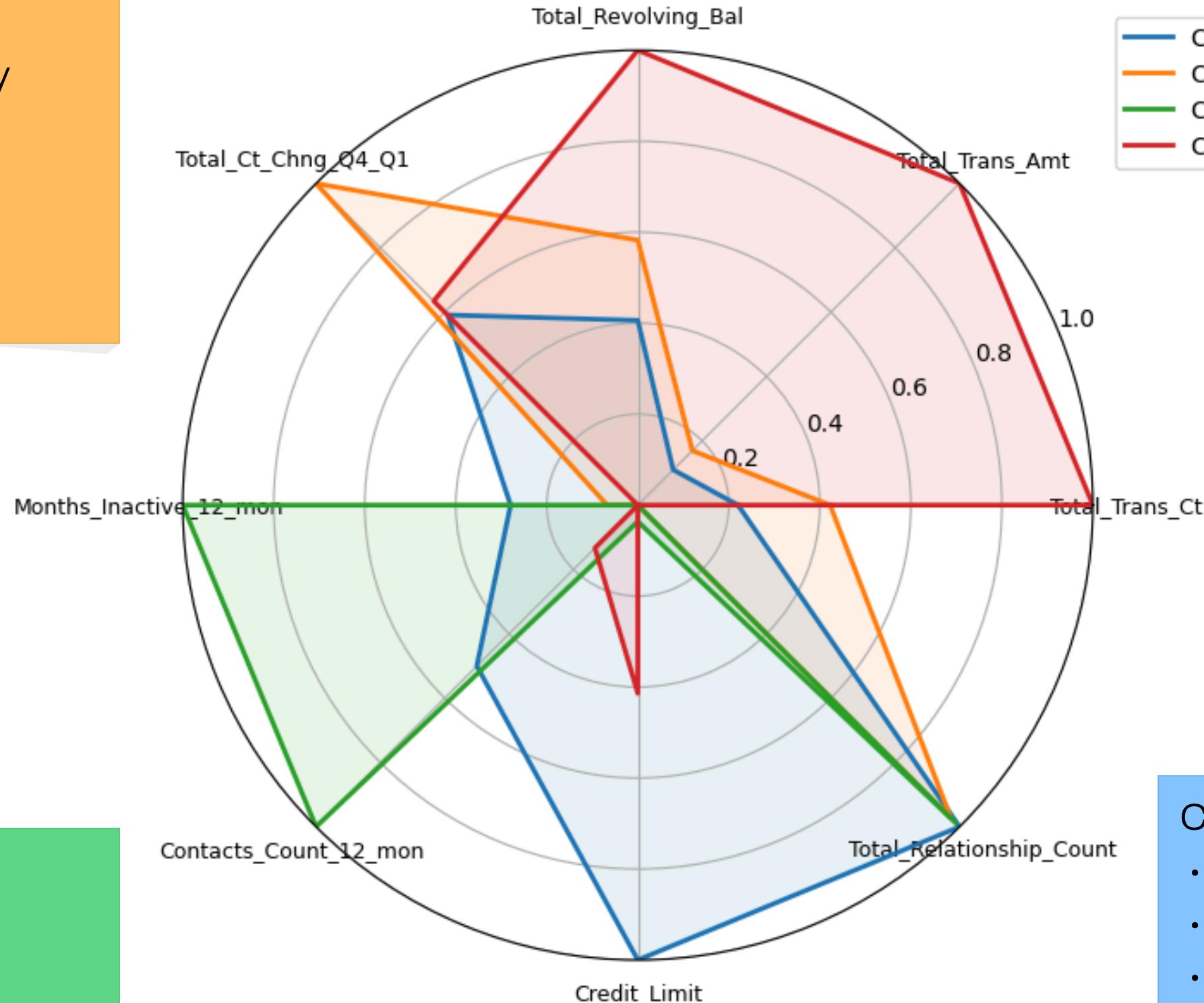
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Cluster 2 – Severely Disengaged

- Lowest transactions & balances
- Very high inactivity
- Churn: 38%

→ Low-ROI retention group

Customer Segments – Behavioral Profile (Radar Chart)



Cluster 3 – High-Value Loyal Users

- Highest transactions & spending
- Strong engagement
- Churn: 4%

→ Loyal high-value base

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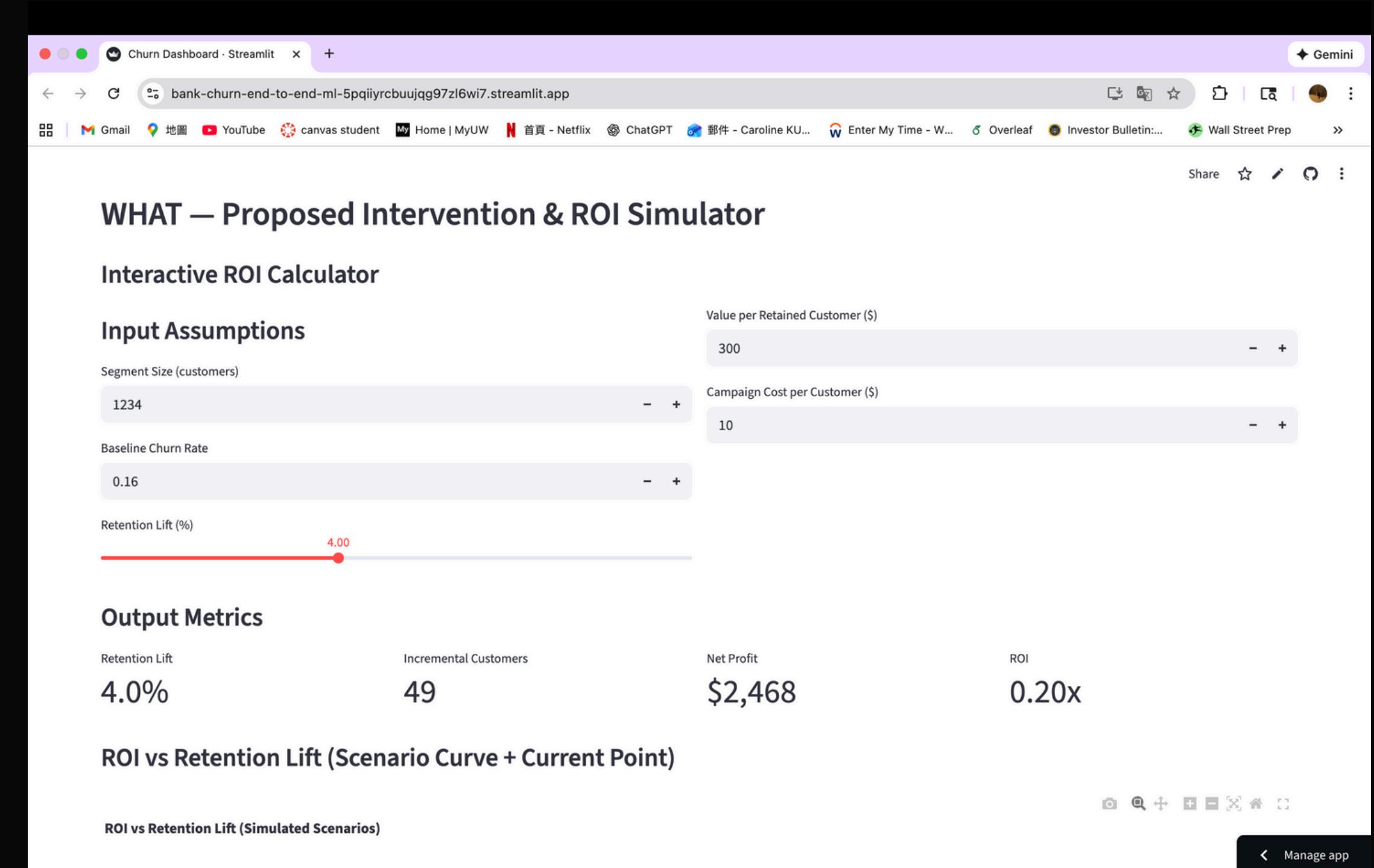
Cluster 0 – Mid-Value Early Disengagement

- High credit limit but declining activity
- Rising inactivity & service contacts
- Churn: 16%

→ Best reactivation target

TARGET SEGMENT & STRATEGY RECOMMENDATION

- WHY FOCUS ON CLUSTER 0?
- WHAT ACTION TO TAKE?
- HOW TO INTERVENE?
- STREAMLIT
- EXPECTED IMPACT



FINAL RECOMMENDATIONS

- ✓ Target Cluster 0 for reactivation
- ✓ Do NOT heavily invest in Cluster 2
- ✓ Maintain loyalty for Clusters 1 & 3

- ✓ Use ROI-guided incentives, not blanket offers
- ✓ Monitor early disengagement signals

THIS PROJECT DEMONSTRATES AN END-TO-END CHURN PREDICTION PIPELINE:

SQL → EDA →
Feature
Engineering →
Modeling →
SHAP →
Segmentation
→ ROI
simulation

XGBoost
achieved
strong recall
(92%) and AUC
(0.993)

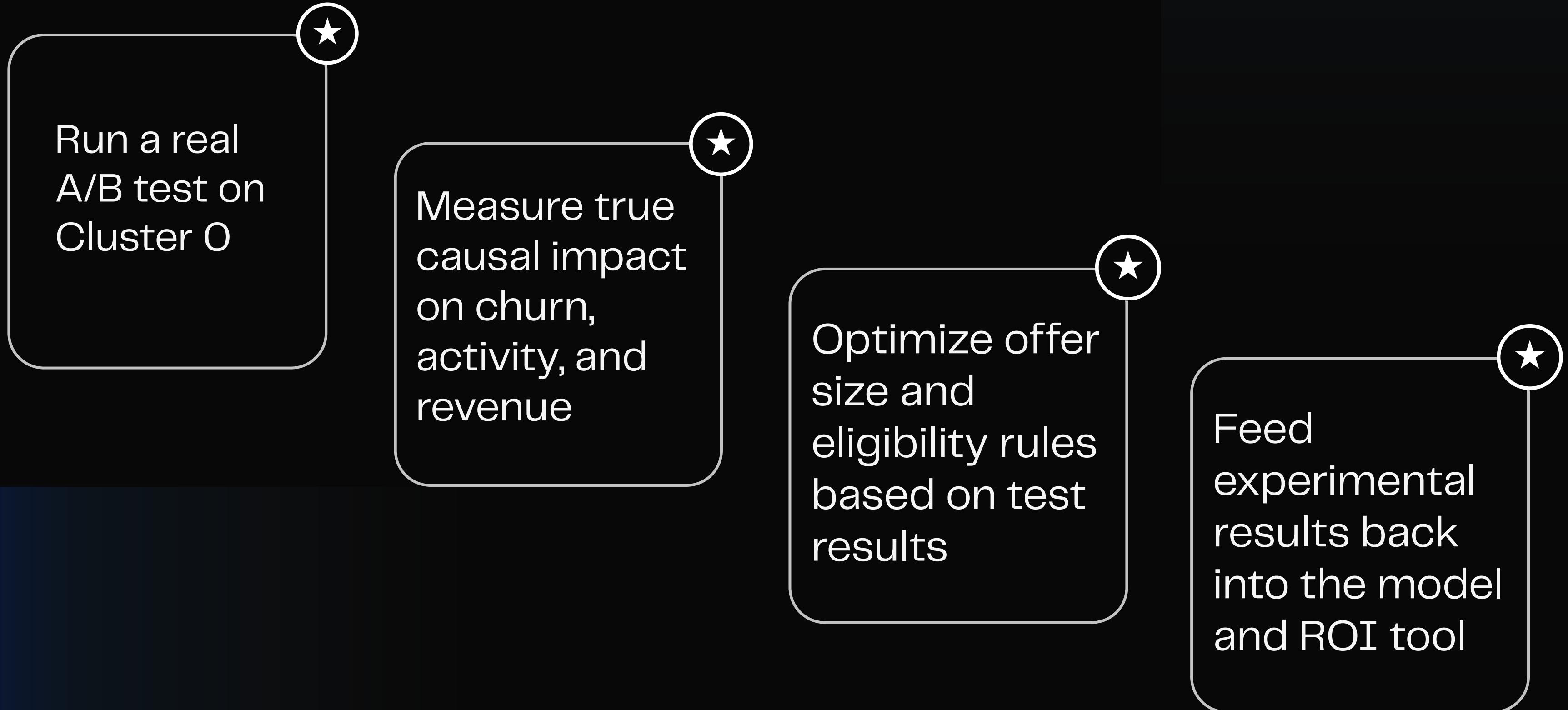
CONCLUSION

Key takeaway:
→ Churn is behavior-driven,
predictable, and actionable.

Segmentation
revealed a clear
high-ROI target
group (Cluster
0)

A Streamlit tool
was built to
support data-
driven retention
decisions

FUTURE WORK



THANKS!
Q&A