

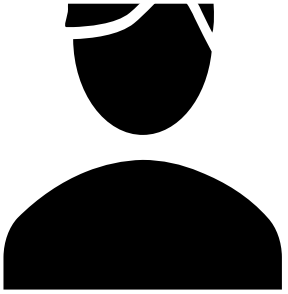
# Leveraging Machine Learning For Credit Card Fraud Detection.

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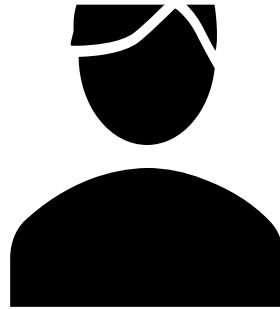
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# Credit Card Fraud Definition

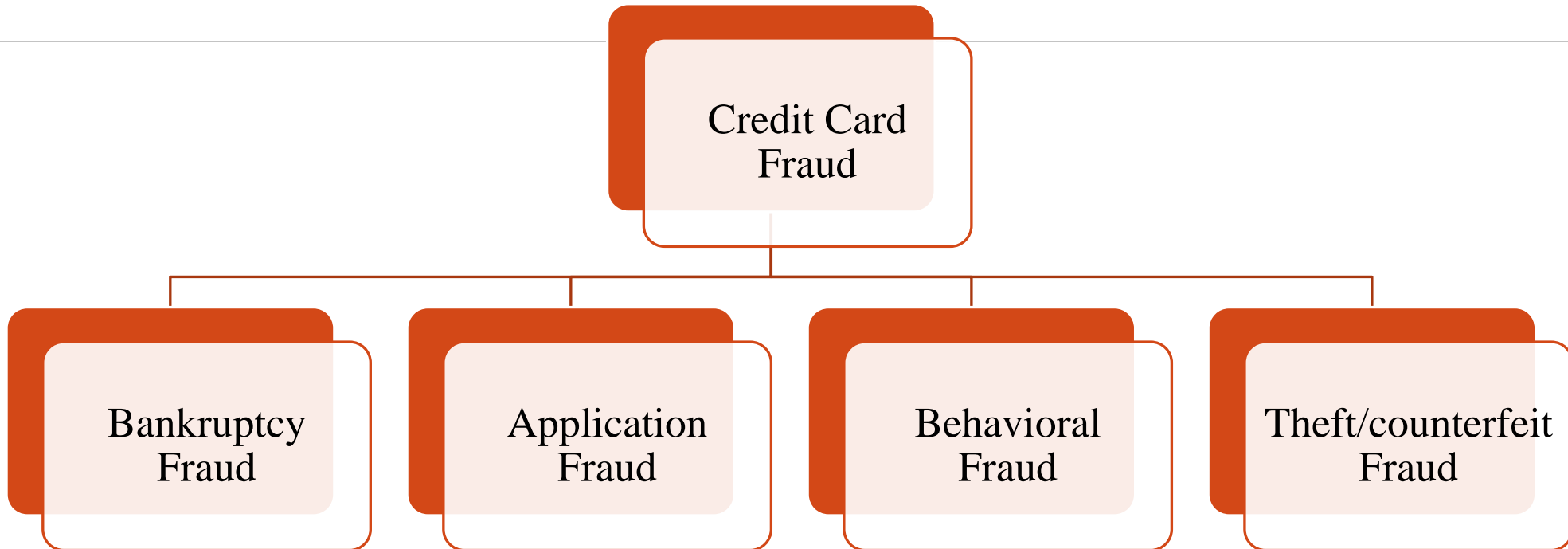
Credit card frauds are committed in the following ways:

- An act of criminal deception (mislead with intent) by use of unauthorized account and/or personal information
- Illegal or unauthorized use of account for personal gain
- Misrepresentation of account information to obtain goods and/or services.

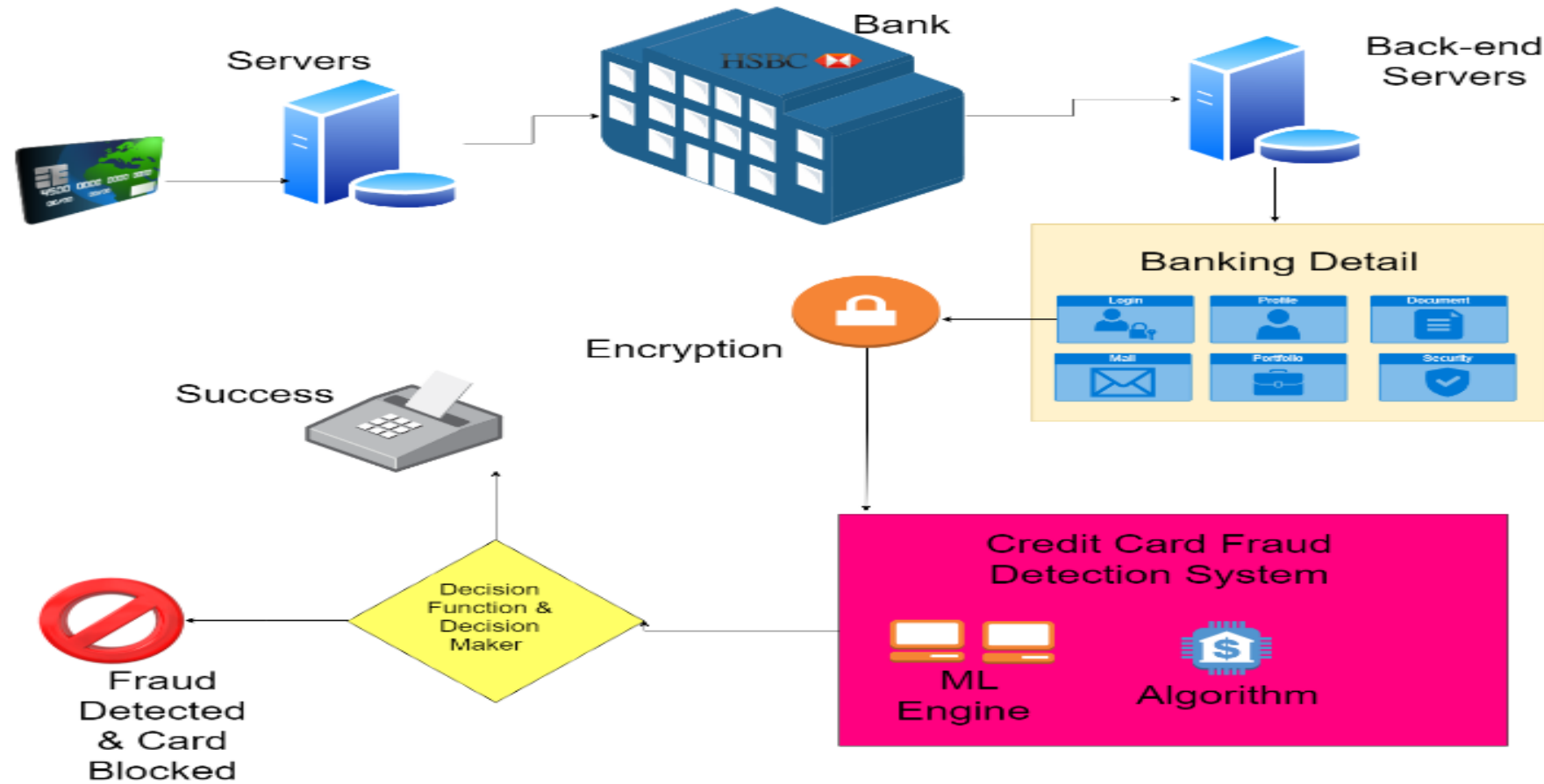


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# CREDIT CARD FRAUD TYPES



# Credit Card Fraud Detection Scheme



# Machine Learning Methods

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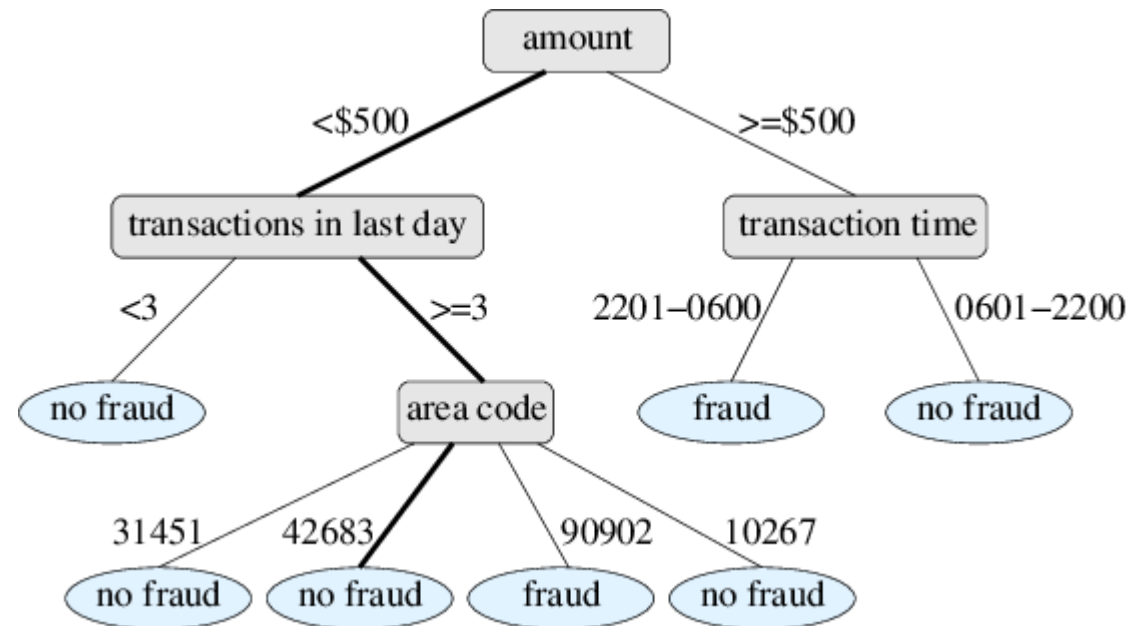
- The Decision tree (DT)
- K-nearest Neighbor(KNN)
- Logistic Regression
- Random Forest



# The Decision Tree Classifier(DT)

- Classification rules, extracted from decision trees, IF-THEN expressions and all the tests have to be succeed if each rule is to be generated
- Separates the complex problem into many simple ones
- Resolves the Sub problem through repeatedly using

**Example of DT implementation in fraud detection**



## Advantage

High flexibility/good haleness/ explainable/easy to implement/easy to display and to understand

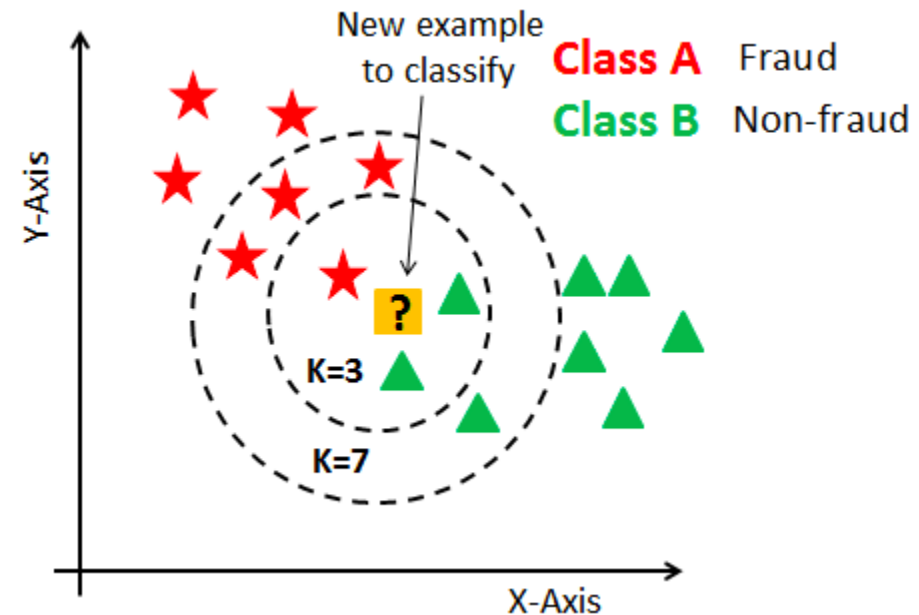
## Disadvantage

Requirements to check each condition one by one. In fraud detection condition is transaction.



# K-nearest Neighbor(KNN)

- All the instances correspond to points in an n-dimensional feature space.
- Each instance is represented with a set of numerical attributes.
- Each of the training data consists of a set of vectors and a class label associated with each vector.
- Classification is done by comparing feature vectors of different K nearest points.
- Selection the K-nearest examples to sample in the training set.
- Assigning the sample to the most common class among its K-nearest neighbors.



## Advantage

There is no requirement of the predictive model before transaction classification in a dataset.

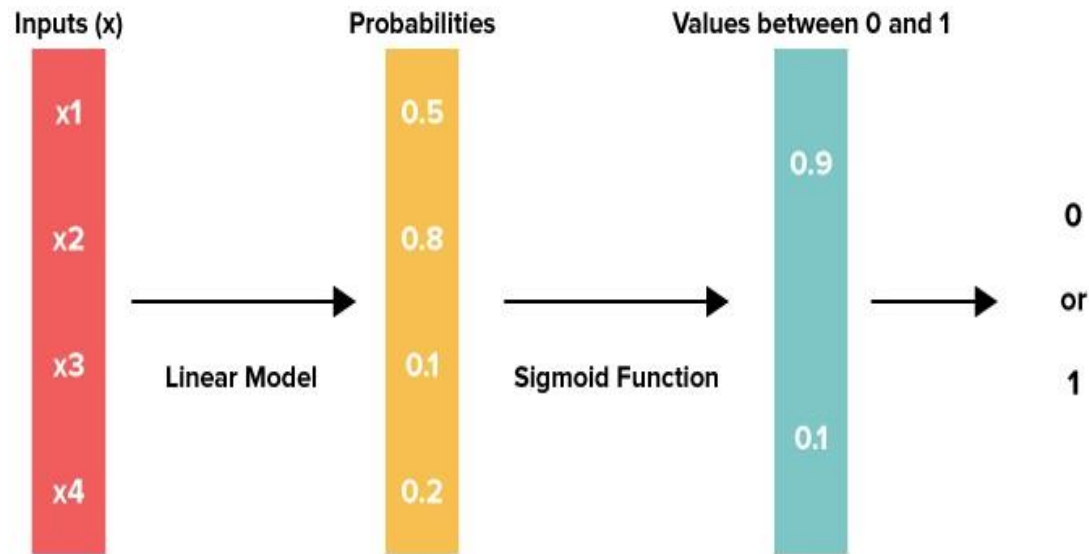
## Disadvantage

The fraud detection accuracy depends on the measure of distance between two neighbors. This technique cannot detect the fraud at the time of transaction.

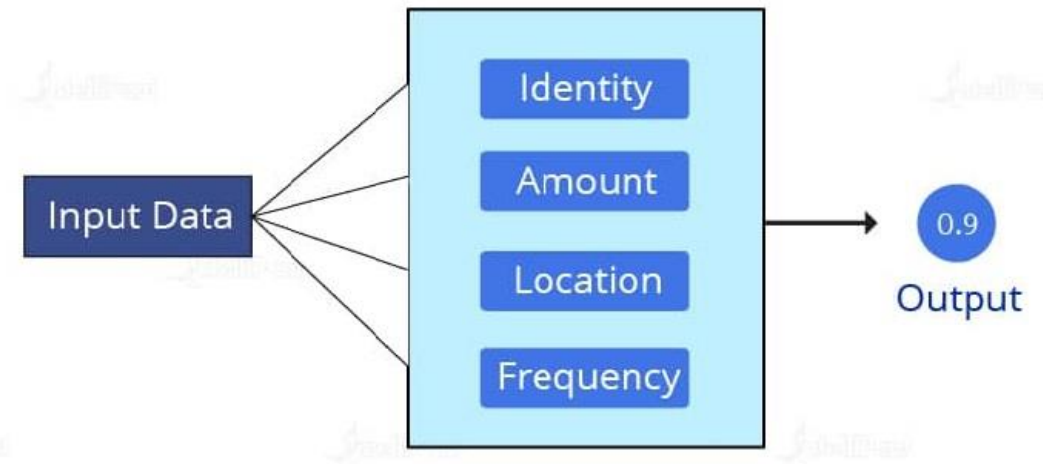




# Logistic Regression(LR)



## Simple example of LR work in Credit Card Fraud Detection Process



### Advantage

It produces a simple probability formulae for classification. It works well with linear data for credit card fraud detection

### Disadvantage

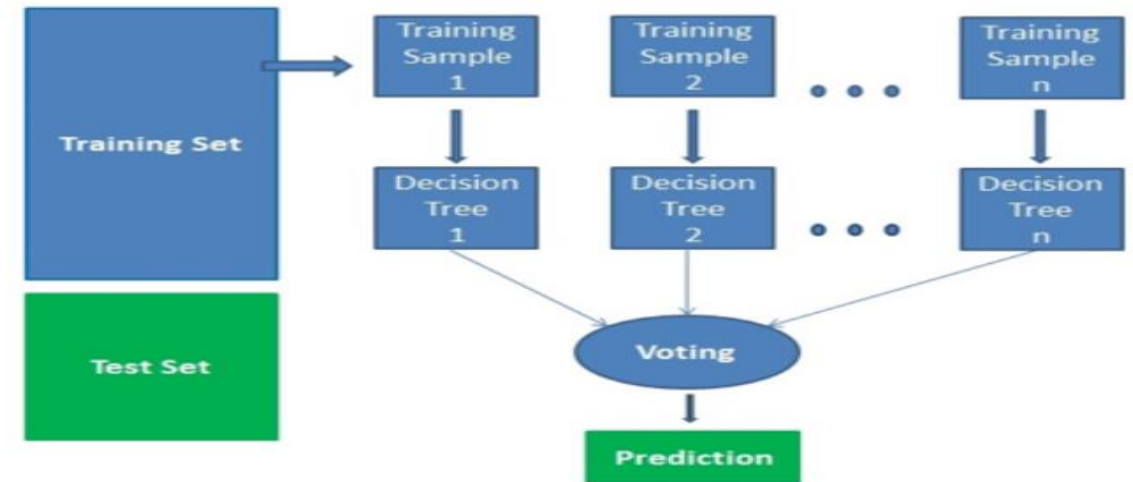
1. It can't be applied on non-linear data
2. It is not capable of handling fraud detection at the time of transaction



# Random Forest Classifier(RF)

- All the instances correspond to points in an n-dimensional feature space.
- RF uses bootstrap samples from the training data to build multiple DTs.
- RF only uses a random subset of input features to split the data at each node in the tree.
- The predictions of each DT are combined and the most common output class (majority voting) is selected

Simple example of RF work in Credit Card Fraud Detection Process



## Advantage

Its simplicity and quick implementation. It serves as a baseline for evaluating more advanced models, requiring minimal computational resources. While not effective for actual detection, it aids in cost-efficient initial assessment and guides further model development

## Disadvantage

It lack of discriminative power, ineffectiveness in detecting fraud, and potential for generating false positives, risking customer inconvenience



# Evaluation Criteria

Measure	Description	Formula
Accuracy	The percentage of correctly predicated transactions	$TN+TP/TP+TN+FP+FN$
Detection Rate (Precision)	The number of classified fraud transactions that actually are fraud transactions, and gives the accuracy of the fraud transaction	$TP/TP+FP$
False Alarm Rate	The ratio of credit card fraud detected incorrectly	$FP/FP+TN$
True Positive Rate (Sensitivity or Recall)	The number of correctly classified fraud transaction and gives the accuracy of the fraud transaction.	$TP/TP+FN$
True Negative Rate (Specificity)	The amount of correctly classified non-fraud and gives the accuracy of the non-fraud transaction.	$TN/TN+FP$

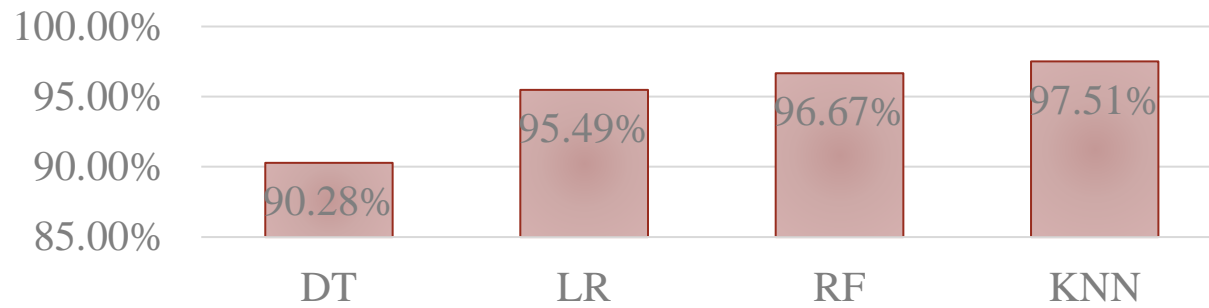
P = Positive      N = Negative  
FP = False Positive    FN = False Negative  
TP = True Positive    TN = True Negative



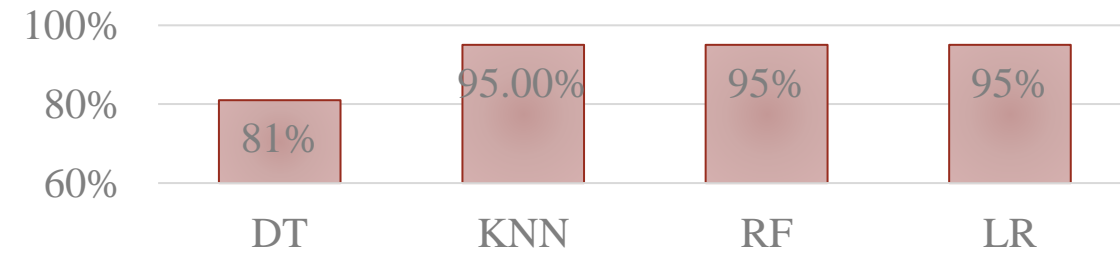
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# Results

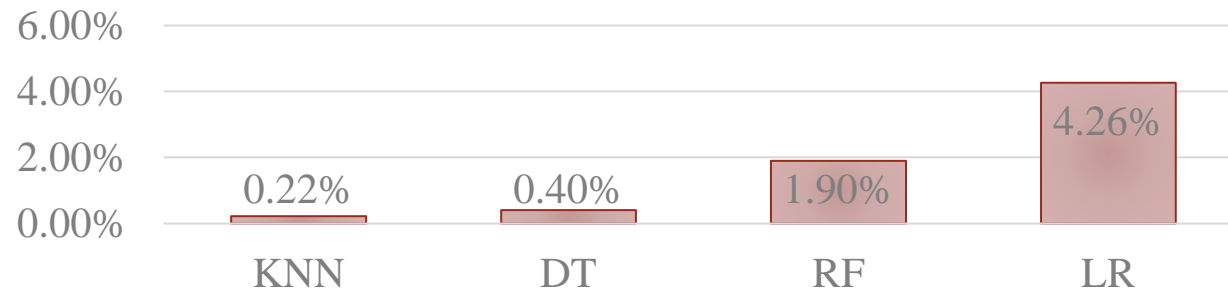
Performance



Detection rate



False Alarm Rate



# Comparative analysis

## Comparison of different techniques.

ML Algorithm	Cross Validation Score	ROC AUC Score	Recall Score (Fraud)	False Positives F	False Negatives
Logistic Regression (Vanilla)	99.09%	95.49%	95.00%	4.26%	0.01%
Logistic Regression (Tuned)	99.09%	95.49%	95.00%	4.26%	0.01%
Decision Tree Classifier (Vanilla)	99.81%	92.71%	86%	0.29%	0.02%
Decision Tree Classifier (Tuned)	99.87%	90.28%	81%	0.40%	0.03%
KNN Classifier (Vanilla)	99.94%	97.46%	95%	0.32%	0.01%
KNN Classifier (Tuned)	99.94%	97.51%	95%	0.22%	0.01%
Random Forest Classifier (Tuned)	99.46%	96.67%	95%	1.90%	0.01%



# Challenges in Credit Card Fraud Detection

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Data Deficiency

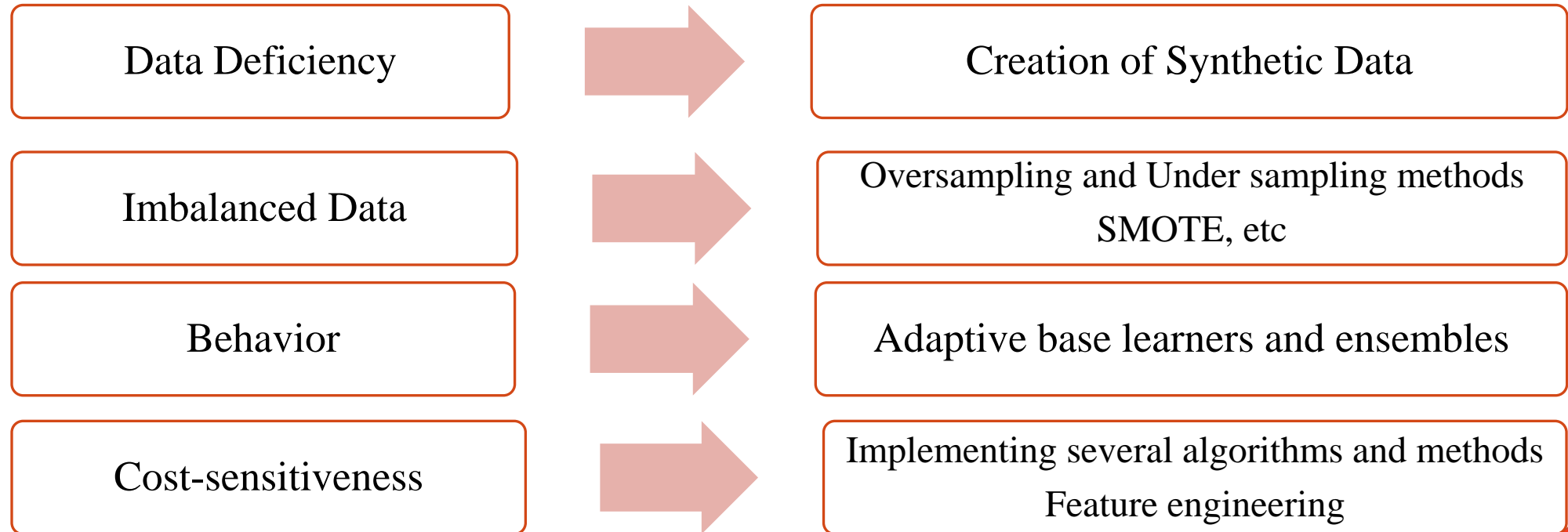
Highly Imbalanced Data

Behavior Variations

Cost-sensitive Problem



# Current Solutions to the Challenges



# Recommendations

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- Creating a Hybrid Model of Various Techniques
- Improvement of Optimization Techniques of Existing CCFD Models
- Further exploration of hyperparameter tuning techniques, such as Bayesian optimization or grid search, may yield better-tuned models with
- Ensemble methods, such as stacking or boosting, could be explored to combine the strengths of multiple models and mitigate individual weaknesses.
- Continual monitoring and updating of models with new data and evolving fraud patterns are essential to maintain their effectiveness over time.





*Any Questions?*





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