Data Preprocessing

first i set option to display all columns

for less memory usage and faster training i converted dtype from float64 to float32 and int64 to int8 checking for any missing value

checking for any duplicated row

deleting single-valued column bcz it will not contribute anything to model prediction

checking min and max value of each column

separating output labels from features

Identifying and Handling Outliers

Outliers are very big problem in this dataset Some of columns contain values in the order from e+0 to e+9 which will definitely affect model performance

first i tried IQR method but it identifies most of rows as outlier so this is not good method here then

i took log of columns which contain very extreme values taking $\log(1+x)$ so that very small values does not get converted to -infinity

Robust Scaling

it handles outliers by scaling based on median and IQR

Visualizations

Class distributions

Now biggest problem is that data is highly imbalanced, about only 3% cases are bankrupt so we will not prefer accuracy much here

![Class Distributions Plot][images/class_distributions.png]

Correlation Heatmap

hello this is correlation heatmap

splitting dataset into training and testing set

SMOTE (Synthetic minority oversampling technique)

In this imbalanced dataset we have two options either we can use classweight="balanced" which works in most of the models or we can balance dataset by oversampling minority class

Now we train various models on this preprocessed and balanced dataset

Logistic Regression

trying different solvers with I2 and I1

```
liblinear- for smaller datasets, Good for binary classification and supports L1 and L2 regularization
```

saga- larger datasets or sparse data, Works with L1, L2, and elasticnet, supports multiclass

lbfgs- good default, optimized for 12, better for larger data than liblinear

(default) solver=lbfgs, penalty=12

```
precision recall f1-score
                                            support
                  0.99
                          0.88
                                     0.94
                                               1324
                  0.18
                            0.82
                                      0.29
                                                 40
          1
Confusion Matrix:[[1171 153]
                        33]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.30
Accuracy score: 0.88
best_f1: 0.42
best_thresh: 0.81
```

solver="liblinear",penalty="12"

```
recall f1-score
             precision
                                           support
                 0.99
                          0.88
                                     0.94
                                              1324
                          0.80
                                     0.28
                                                40
                  0.17
Confusion Matrix: [[1170 154]
                         32]]
                     8
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.30
```

```
Accuracy_score: 0.88
best_f1: 0.41
best_thresh: 0.80
```

solver="saga",penalty="l1"

```
precision recall f1-score support
                0.99
                         0.88
                                   0.94
                                              1324
                  0.17
                           0.80
                                     0.28
                                                40
Confusion Matrix: [[1171 153]
                     8
                         32]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.30
Accuracy_score: 0.88
best_f1: 0.42
best_thresh: 0.81
```

solver="liblinear",penalty="l1"

```
precision recall f1-score
                                            support
          0
                  0.99
                          0.89
                                      0.94
                                               1324
          1
                  0.18
                            0.78
                                      0.29
                                                 40
Confusion Matrix: [[1179 145]
                          31]]
                      9
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.31
Accuracy_score: 0.89
best f1: 0.38
best_thresh: 0.86
```

best_f1 for logistic regression is 0.42
best model= (default) solver=lbfgs, penalty=12

Regularization

```
C:[0.01,0.1,1,5,10]

best_f1: 0.30, best_thresh: 0.64
best_f1: 0.37, best_thresh: 0.72
best_f1: 0.41, best_thresh: 0.80
best_f1: 0.39, best_thresh: 0.78
best_f1: 0.40, best_thresh: 0.77
```

```
C: [0.5,1,1.5,2,2.5,3]

best_f1: 0.41, best_thresh: 0.77
best_f1: 0.41, best_thresh: 0.80
best_f1: 0.42, best_thresh: 0.81
best_f1: 0.41, best_thresh: 0.81
best_f1: 0.41, best_thresh: 0.82
best_f1: 0.40, best_thresh: 0.82
```

best regularization strength= 1.5

```
precision recall f1-score
                                             support
                  0.99
                            0.89
                                      0.94
                                                1324
                  0.17
                            0.78
                                      0.28
                                                  40
Confusion Matrix: [[1176 148]
                          31]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.30
Accuracy_score: 0.88
best_f1: 0.42
best_thresh: 0.81
```

but our precision and recall are lower than default one, thus we will stick with default solver=lbfgs, penalty=12, C=1

Support Vector Machines

Training on imbalanced dataset

```
svm clf=SVC(
    kernel="rbf",
    probability=True,
    class_weight="balanced",
    C=1.0,
    gamma="scale"
)
               precision
                          recall f1-score
                                               support
           0
                  0.98
                            0.66
                                       0.79
                                                 1324
                   0.05
                           0.57
                                       0.09
                                                   40
Confusion Matrix: [[872 452]
                    [ 17 23]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.73
PR AUC score: 0.10
```

```
Accuracy_score: 0.66
best_f1: 0.17
best_thresh: 0.06
```

Here SVM tries to draw a boundary that maximizes margin but with very few minority class samples it heavily favours majority class

On balanced dataset

```
precision recall f1-score
                                              support
          0
                  0.98
                            0.76
                                      0.86
                                                1324
          1
                  0.06
                            0.50
                                      0.11
                                                  40
Confusion Matrix: [[1006 318]
                     20
                          20]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.71
PR AUC score: 0.06
Accuracy_score: 0.75
best_f1: 0.13
best_thresh: 0.83
```

Here balanced dataset performed better but after threshold optimizing imbalanced dataset has better score, but we would focus on balanced dataset bcz it gives a more balanced decision boundary and also helpful for recall

GridSearchCV

```
params={
    "C":[0.1,0.5,1,2],
    "kernel":["rbf"],
    "gamma":["scale"]
}
SVC(C=1, class_weight='balanced', probability=True, random_state=42)
{'C': 1, 'gamma': 'scale', 'kernel': 'rbf'}
grid.best_score_= 0.096
              precision
                           recall f1-score
                                              support
                   0.98
                             0.66
                                       0.79
                                                 1324
                                                   40
                   0.05
                             0.57
                                       0.09
           1
Confusion Matrix: [[872 452]
                   [ 17 23]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.73
PR AUC score: 0.10
Accuracy_score: 0.66
best_f1: 0.16
best_thresh: 0.07
```

In this case, GridSearchCV has chosen model with C=1, means no regularization

Decision Tree

(default) max_depth=None

```
precision recall f1-score
                                              support
                  0.98
                            0.95
          0
                                      0.97
                                                1324
          1
                  0.23
                            0.45
                                      0.31
                                                 40
Confusion Matrix: [[1264
                          60]
                  [ 22
                          18]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.70
PR AUC score: 0.12
Accuracy_score: 0.94
best_f1: 0.31
best_thresh: 0.01
```

best_f1 for decision tree is 0.38
best model= (max_depth=6)

RandomForestClassifier

$(max_depth=6)$

```
n_estimators=100, best_f1: 0.48
best_thresh: 0.84
```

```
0.99
                             0.92
                                        0.95
                                                  1324
           1
                   0.22
                              0.78
                                        0.34
                                                    40
Confusion Matrix: [[1213 111]
                          31]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.94
PR AUC score: 0.42
Accuracy_score: 0.91
best_f1: 0.49
best_thresh: 0.85
```

```
n_estimators=200, best_f1: 0.48
best_thresh: 0.86
```

(max_depth=8, n_estimators=150)

```
precision recall f1-score support
          0
                  0.99
                           0.94
                                     0.96
                                               1324
                  0.26
                                      0.38
                                                 40
          1
                           0.75
Confusion Matrix: [[1238
                         86]
                  [ 10
                          30]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.94
PR AUC score: 0.42
Accuracy_score: 0.93
best_f1: 0.48
best_thresh: 0.81
```

```
best_f1 for RandomForestClassifier is 0.48
best model= (max_depth=6, n_estimators=150)
```

GridSearchCV

MY MISTAKE HERE- Since SMOTE is applied before and cross-validation is used in GridSearch, we would train on synthetic data which is easier and does not represent real world performance thus

We perform GridSearchCV on dataset with (No SMOTE)

```
params={
    "max_depth":[6,8,10],
    "max_features":["sqrt","log2"],
    "n_estimators":[100,150,200],
    "bootstrap":[True],
}
{'bootstrap': True, 'max_depth': 8, 'max_features': 'log2', 'n_estimators': 150}
```

```
grid.best_score_= 0.45
             precision recall f1-score
                                            support
                          0.94 0.97
                0.99
                                             1324
          1
                 0.28
                           0.72
                                    0.40
                                               40
Confusion Matrix: [[1249
                        29]]
                  11
ROC AUC Score: 0.94
PR AUC score: 0.45
Accuracy_score: 0.94
best_f1: 0.56
best_thresh: 0.75
```

Again with wider parameter space

```
params={
    "max_depth":[6,8,10],
    "max_features":["sqrt","log2"],
    "n_estimators":[150,200],
    "bootstrap":[True],
    "min_samples_split":[10,20,40],
    "min_samples_leaf":[5,10,15]
}
{'bootstrap': True, 'max_depth': 8, 'max_features': 'sqrt', 'min_samples_leaf':
10, 'min_samples_split': 20, 'n_estimators': 200}
grid.best_score_: 0.479
              precision recall f1-score
                                              support
                                               1324
                  0.99
                          0.95
                                     0.97
          1
                  0.32
                          0.68
                                      0.44
                                                  40
Confusion Matrix: [[1267
                  [ 13
                          27]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.94
PR AUC score: 0.46
Accuracy_score: 0.95
best_f1: 0.54
best_thresh: 0.66
```

```
this time results were lower but we have used min_samples_split and min_samples_leaf
```

Again with slightly different parameter space

```
params={
    "max_depth":[8],
```

```
"max_features":["sqrt","log2"],
    "n estimators":[150,200],
    "bootstrap":[True],
    "min_samples_split":[15,20,25,30],
    "min_samples_leaf":[7,10,13]
}
{'bootstrap': True, 'max_depth': 8, 'max_features': 'sqrt', 'min_samples_leaf': 7,
'min_samples_split': 15, 'n_estimators': 150}
grid.best_score_= 0.47
             precision
                        recall f1-score support
                  0.99
                           0.96
                                     0.97
                                                1324
                  0.32
                           0.68
                                      0.44
                                                  40
           1
Confusion Matrix: [[1267
                          57]
                   [ 13
                           27]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.94
PR AUC score: 0.49
Accuracy_score: 0.95
best f1: 0.52
best_thresh: 0.66
```

Extracting top features from our best RandomForest model based on 1) top 30 and 2) features which contribute 95% of whole

```
top features (95%) count = 20
Creating new training and testing set based on top 30 and 20 features
```

XGBoostClassifier

```
n_estimators=500,
learning_rate=0.05,
max depth=5,
scale_pos_weight=scale_pos_weight,
eval_metric="aucpr",
early_stopping_rounds=30
           precision
                        recall f1-score
                                           support
                  0.99
                            0.94
                                     0.97
                                                1324
                            0.70
                                      0.39
          1
                  0.27
                                                  40
Confusion Matrix: [[1249
                         75]
                  [ 12
                         28]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.91
PR AUC score: 0.39
Accuracy_score: 0.94
best f1: 0.45
best_thresh: 0.81
```

GridSearchCV

```
params={
    'n_estimators':[300],
    'max_depth':[3,5,7],
    'gamma':[0,0.1,0.3],
    'learning_rate':[0.01,0.05,0.1],
    'min_child_weight':[1,5,10]
}
{'gamma': 0, 'learning_rate': 0.1, 'max_depth': 5, 'min_child_weight': 5,
'n_estimators': 300}
grid.best_score_= 0.51
                           recall f1-score
              precision
                                               support
                   0.99
                             0.98
                                        0.98
                                                  1324
           1
                   0.45
                             0.53
                                        0.48
                                                    40
Confusion Matrix: [[1298
                            26]
                   [ 19
                           21]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.44
Accuracy_score: 0.97
best_f1: 0.54
best_thresh: 0.40
```

Again GridSearchCV

```
params={
    'n_estimators':[300],
    'max_depth':[4,5,6],
    'gamma':[0,0.2],
    'learning_rate':[0.075,0.1,0.125],
    'subsample':[0.8,1],
    'colsample_bytree':[0.8,1],
    'min_child_weight':[5,7]
}
{'colsample_bytree': 0.8, 'learning_rate': 0.125, 'max_depth': 6,
'min_child_weight': 7, 'n_estimators': 300, 'subsample': 1}
grid.best score = 0.525
              precision
                           recall f1-score
                                               support
                   0.99
                           0.98
                                        0.98
                                                  1324
           1
                   0.46
                             0.55
                                        0.50
                                                    40
Confusion Matrix: [[1298
                            26]
                   Γ
                     18
                           22]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.41
Accuracy_score: 0.97
```

```
best_f1: 0.53
best_thresh: 0.40
```

this time best_f1 after threshold optimization and PR AUC score are lower than previous one 0.54 so We will choose best model from previous grid search

With top 20 features performance of best XGBoost model go down

With top 30 features performance of best XGBoost model also lower

Ensemble Methods

Voting Classifier

i have tried first hard voting which is very very bad so we will only use voting=soft for prediction based on probabilities

i included first best decision tree along with logistic, randomforest, xgboost but it worsens result

```
Logistic(max_iter=6000, solver="lbfgs", penalty="l2", C=1)
RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=150,max_features="log2",max_depth=8,bootstrap=
True)
XGBClassifier(n_estimators= 300,gamma= 0, learning_rate= 0.1,max_depth=
5,min_child_weight= 5,scale_pos_weight=scale_pos_weight)
                precision recall f1-score
                                               support
           0
                   0.97
                           1.00
                                      0.99
                                                1324
           1
                   0.50
                            0.15
                                      0.23
                                                  40
Confusion Matrix: [[1318
                             6]
                    [ 34
                             6]]
ROC AUC Score: 0.93
PR AUC score: 0.40
Accuracy_score: 0.97
best_f1: 0.52
best_thresh: 0.26
```

Stacking Classifier