

Classification of sellers with high probability to stop selling with Olist and **cluster analysis**

Context

Olist is inserted in the marketplaces context, giving to the small sellers the opportunity of selling its products in the great brazilian e-commerces.

Considering its revenue comes from a percentage of transactions made in case that Olist inserted the seller in the e-commerce, we understand that the variables who has more impact on revenue are:

- Volume of sellers;
- Sells frequency of the sellers;
- Value of each transaction (average ticket).

- **Business problem**

High number of sellers who stop selling with Olist in the first months of operation.

- **Motivation**

Decreasing the number of sellers who stop selling with Olist, the company can make more revenue in the long-term, because Olist already has a significant entrance of sellers through time.

- **Method**

Identifying sellers with high probability to stop selling and make clusters, for possible prioritizations and different action plans for each cluster.

Solution's architecture



Azure Data Lake
Storage (Gen 2)

AZURE DATA LAKE STORAGE

- Original and processed datasets
- Classification model
- Clustering model



Azure Databricks

AZURE DATABRICKS

- Python scripts for data processing

PYCARET

python™



Azure
Data Factory

AZURE DATA FACTORY

- Cloud ETL service to scale-out serverless data integration and transformation using python scripts located in Databricks

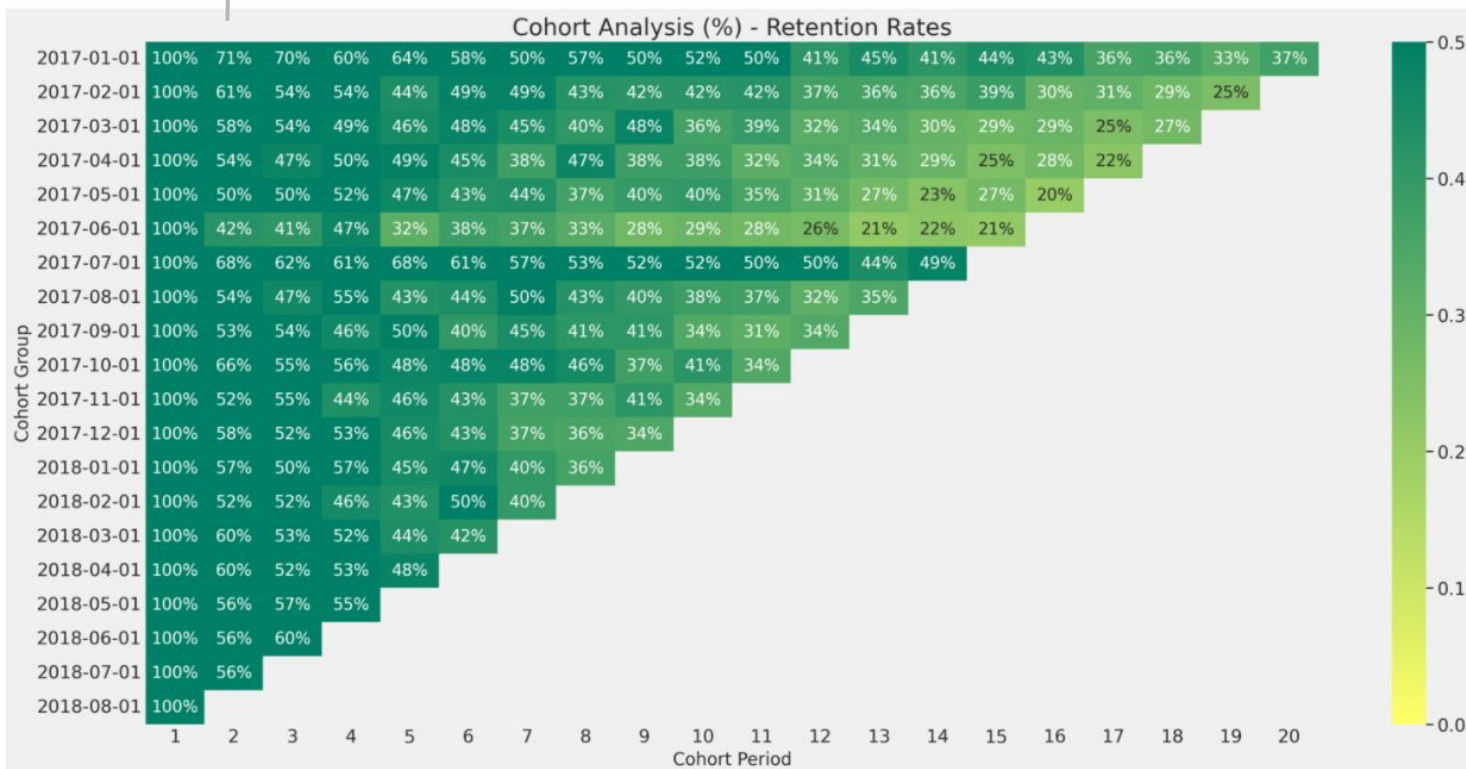
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Exploratory analysis



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Sellers who joined Olist in Jan/2017, Feb/2017 and sold in the second, third month and so on...

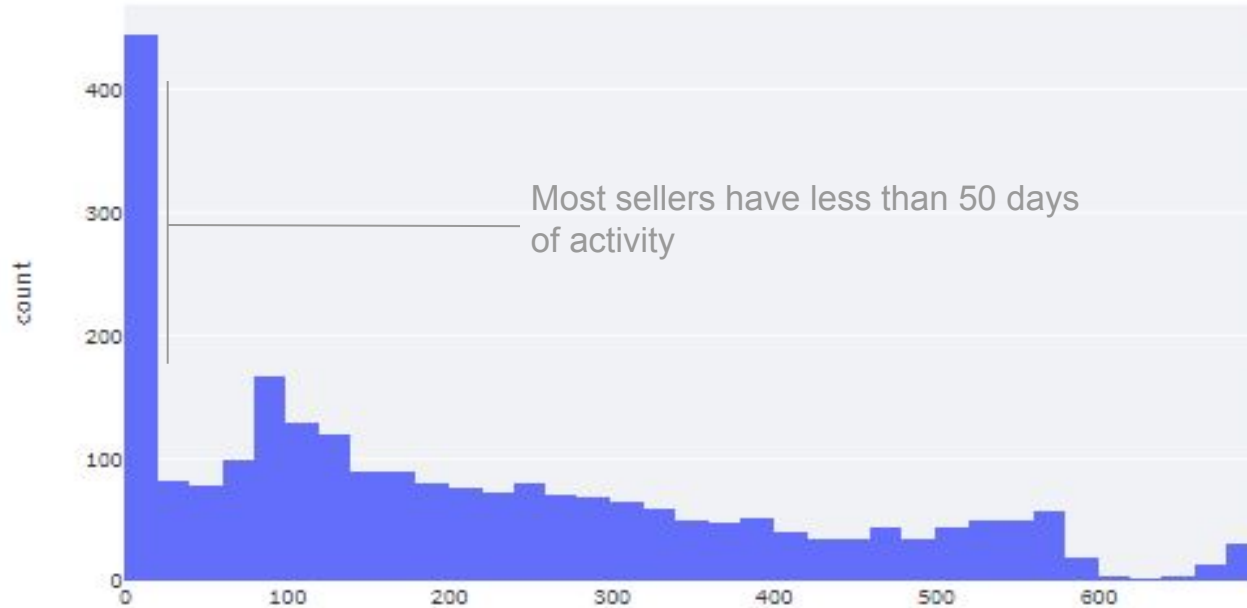


Average of **46 p.p*** of the sellers doesn't sell products in the next month of entrance. The percentage keeps decreasing through time

*p.p: percentual points

Exploratory analysis

Distribution of number of days between first sell date and last sell date



Looking through these insights, **Olist should spent some effort to retain sellers on its base**. The strategy to make this possible, could be analyzed between the business and data teams.

A way to make it easier is creating a **Data App that allow the CRM team to get sellers with high possibility to stop selling**, understanding its characteristics.

Here is the url to the Data App where you'll find the classification and cluster analysis:
https://share.streamlit.io/streamlitstack/olist_stack/main/app.py