
ENGIE Data Science Challenge

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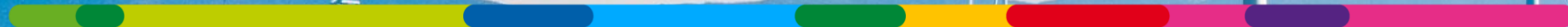


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Preprocessing

- Label Encoding

It is used to transform non-numerical labels to numerical labels.

Language	Python
Library	sklearn.preprocessing; LabelEncoder
Variables	ini, codeClosing, libjob, consumer, ArDailyStatConsumer, VALDailyStatConsumer, VARDailyStatConsumer
Sample script	<code>fullData['ini'] = number.fit_transform(fullData['ini'].astype('str'))</code>

- Treatment of Missing Values in variables

The data description states that the Resource Plan before January 2015 was not available, which means that the 'slot' field will have no data for the jobs before January 2015. This missing data has been treated by filling in the **mean** values.

- Replacing NaN with 0



Feature Creation / Processing (1/2)

- Create Year, Month, Day, Week, Day of the week, Hour, Minute from the date variables.

Language	Python
Library	Pandas
Variables	datdeb, dateCalcul, datdealversion
Sample script	<pre>dt = pd.to_datetime(fullData.datdeb).dt fullData["datdeb_Year"] = dt.year</pre>

- Create Milliseconds from date variables.

Language	Python
Library	Pandas, Numpy
Variables	dateCalcul, tradeDate, datcrever, Datmodver
Sample script	<pre>df1=pd.to_datetime(fullData['dateCalcul']) fullData["dateCalculMS"]= df1.astype(np.int64) // 10**9</pre>

Feature Creation / Processing (2/2)

- Creating « dealtype_count » and « fin_count »

The deals dataset contains the number of deal traded each day by dealtype. The data description highlighted that the number of deals traded each day can be helpful for the model precision.

Language	Python
Library	Pandas, Numpy
Variables	dealtype, count
Sample script	<pre>deals = deals.groupby(['tradeDate','dealtype']).mean().squeeze().unstack().add_suffix('_count') df1 = deals.replace(np.nan,0, regex=True) deals['fin_count'] = deals.apply(lambda row: row['CHC_count'] + row['CPT_count'] + row['CSH_count'] + row['CSHCO_count'] + row['EXFLEX_count'] + row['EXOSCP_count'] + row['EXSCP_count'] + row['FUTCO_count'] + row['GEFWD_count'] + row['GEFWI_count'] + row['GEOPT_count'] + row['GESWA_count'] + row['GETRA_count'] + row['OCH_count'] + row['OPA_count'] + row['OPC_count'] + row['OPTMO_count'] + row['PECUR_count'] + row['STOK_count'] + row['SWA_count'] + row['SWF_count'] + row['SWT_count'] + row['TER_count'] + row['TSC_count'], axis=1)</pre>

Models (1/2)

- This challenge was an opportunity for me to experiment on some new libraries and approaches.
- In the initial phase I experimented on the H2O library with some very good results.
- The H2O library is rich and can allow training the models within the available resources.

- **H2O Library**

Language	R Programming
Library	h2o
Approach	Ensemble learning
Algorithms	GLM, Random Forest, GBM
Highest Score	13.6542046128

Models (2/2)

- In the final stages of the challenge, I moved on to the xgboost library, which is quite popular amongst the kagglers and a personal favourite that almost, always ensures good result.
- I experimented xgboost library with the bag of models approach which after some rounds of parameters tuning gave the highest score.

- **Library XGBOOST**

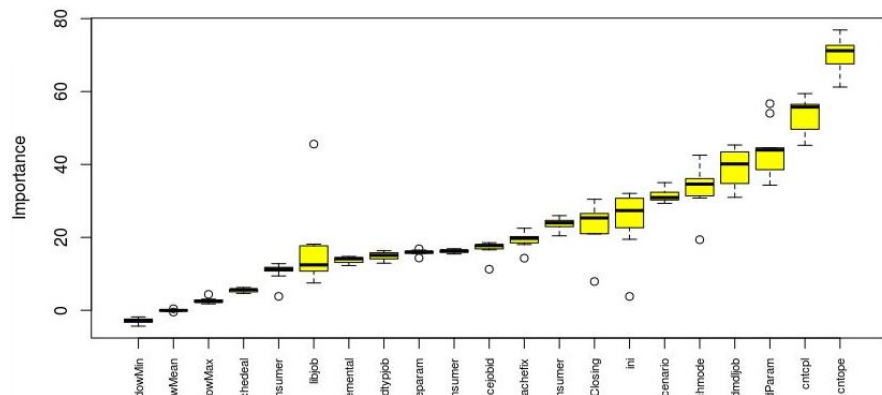
Language	R Programming
Library	Xgboost
Approach	Bag of models
Algorithms	Gradient tree boosting
Highest Score	12.3187479036

Features importance

- For feature importance, I experimented on the Boruta algorithm during this challenge.
- Boruta is a feature selection algorithm. Precisely, it works as a wrapper algorithm around Random Forest.

Language	R Programming
Library	Boruta

	meanImp	medianImp	minImp	maxImp	normHits	decision
codtypjob	14.934670	15.078228	12.911324	16.337305	1.0	Confirmed
ini	25.138846	27.357467	3.808829	32.057937	1.0	Confirmed
cntope	70.250920	71.197926	61.231584	76.894304	1.0	Confirmed
cntcpl	53.932561	55.743292	45.257485	59.435008	1.0	Confirmed
codmdljob	39.074359	40.142600	30.969667	45.325027	1.0	Confirmed
libjob	16.087546	12.438285	7.493510	45.588435	1.0	Confirmed
isincremental	13.883126	14.118249	12.265184	14.762873	1.0	Confirmed
referencejobid	16.995208	17.736344	11.268129	18.536686	1.0	Confirmed
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idParam	43.750994	43.968532	34.310573	56.690496	1.0	Confirmed
codeClosing	23.521509	25.338465	7.900929	30.448458	1.0	Confirmed
codscenario	31.388452	30.911212	29.334952	35.012042	1.0	Confirmed
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isusecachefix	19.310960	19.732971	14.296433	22.516132	1.0	Confirmed
ArDailyStatConsumer	23.617142	23.969306	20.431533	25.953979	1.0	Confirmed
VALDailyStatConsumer	10.531338	11.296081	3.814953	12.788028	0.9	Confirmed
VARDailyStatConsumer	16.233508	16.315605	15.440343	16.870240	1.0	Confirmed



Final Blend

- The final model was trained by tuning the hyper parameters after performing different experiments and submissions.

Language	R Programming
Library	Xgboost
Approach	Bag of models
Algorithms	Gradient tree boosting
Total number of models	50
Final Calculation	Mean of all models
Parameters	shrinkage(eta), rounds, depth, gamma, min.child, colsample.bytree, subsample
Features	all

Tools and frameworks

Language	Python, R Programming, SQL
Tools	Jupyter Notebook, R Studio, DB Browser for SQLite
Librairies (Python)	Pandas, Numpy, ScikitLearn, csv
Librairies (R Programming)	dplyr,data.table,lubridate,ggplot2,sqldf,xgboost,h2o

Source Code



All_Code.txt