Lead Score Case Study Report

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Summary -

Problem Statement:

- X Education wants to increase it's lead conversion from 30% to 80%.
- The company wants to focus more on `Hot Leads`.

Objective:

• Design a model to assign lead scores based on the conversion likelihood.

Steps followed:

1. Data Cleaning -

The data was pretty clean, but there were some null values and some bogus 'Select' values. In the data cleaning step, the null values were dropped, and the 'Select' values were replaced by NaN; and all the NaNs and the NAs or the null values were then replaced with 'not provided'.

2. EDA -

Relationships between variables was looked out for; a lot of categorical variables turned out to not be useful enough.

3. Dummy Variables -

Categorical variables with high correlation were converted into dummies, out of which the `not provided` ones were discarded.

4. Model Building -

1. Train Test Split -

70-30 Train-Test Split was made

2. Model Fitting -

RFE was carried out to choose limited number(15) of features to build the model on, then manually other irrelevant features were removed using VIF and p-values(VIF<5 and p-value<0.05 were kept, other variables were discarded)

5. Model Evaluation -

Confusion Matrix was made. Optimum cut off point was determined using the ROC curve to be 0.35, using which the values for accuracy, sensitivity and specificity were calculated to be ~80% each.

6. Prediction -

Optimum cut off of 0.35 was used to make the predictions on the test data

7. Precision and Recall -

Using Precision and Recall, a new optimum cut off value was found of 0.41, with a Precision value of 73% and a Recall value of 76%.

Findings -

It was found that the variables that mattered the most in the potential buyers are (In descending order):

- 1. The total time spent on the Website.
- 2. Total number of visits.
- 3. When the lead source was:
 - 1. Google
 - 2. Direct traffic
 - 3. Organic search
 - 4. Welingak website
- 4. When the last activity was:
 - 1. SMS
 - 2. Olark chat conversation
- 5. When the lead origin is Lead add format.
- 6. When their current occupation is as a working professional.

Keeping these in mind **X Education** can identify the `**Hot Leads**` and maximize their conversion rate.