



# Lending club case study

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# Problem statement

- Analysing the given loan dataset to identify the patterns to determine if
  - The loan applicant will be most likely to pay the loan
  - The loan applicant most likely to default the loan

# Structured approach



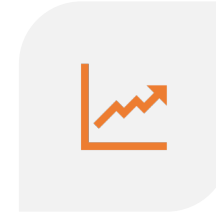
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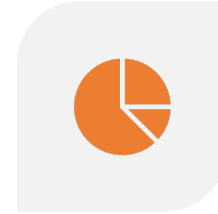
DATA CLEANING



UNIVARIATE ANALYSIS



BI VARIATE ANALYSIS

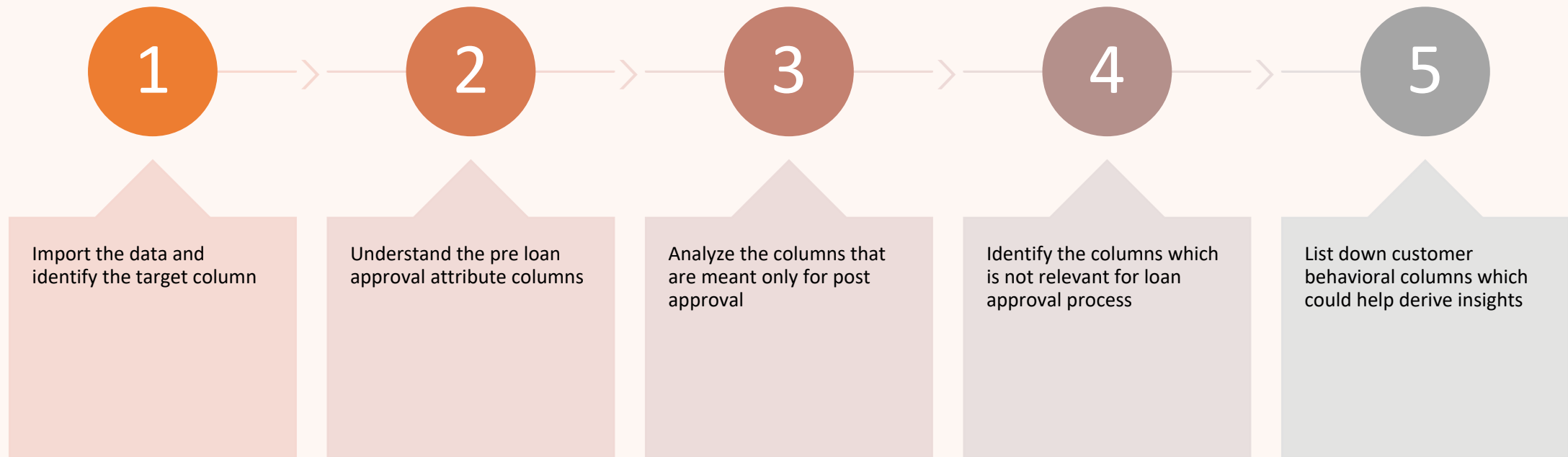


MULTIVARIATE  
ANALYSIS



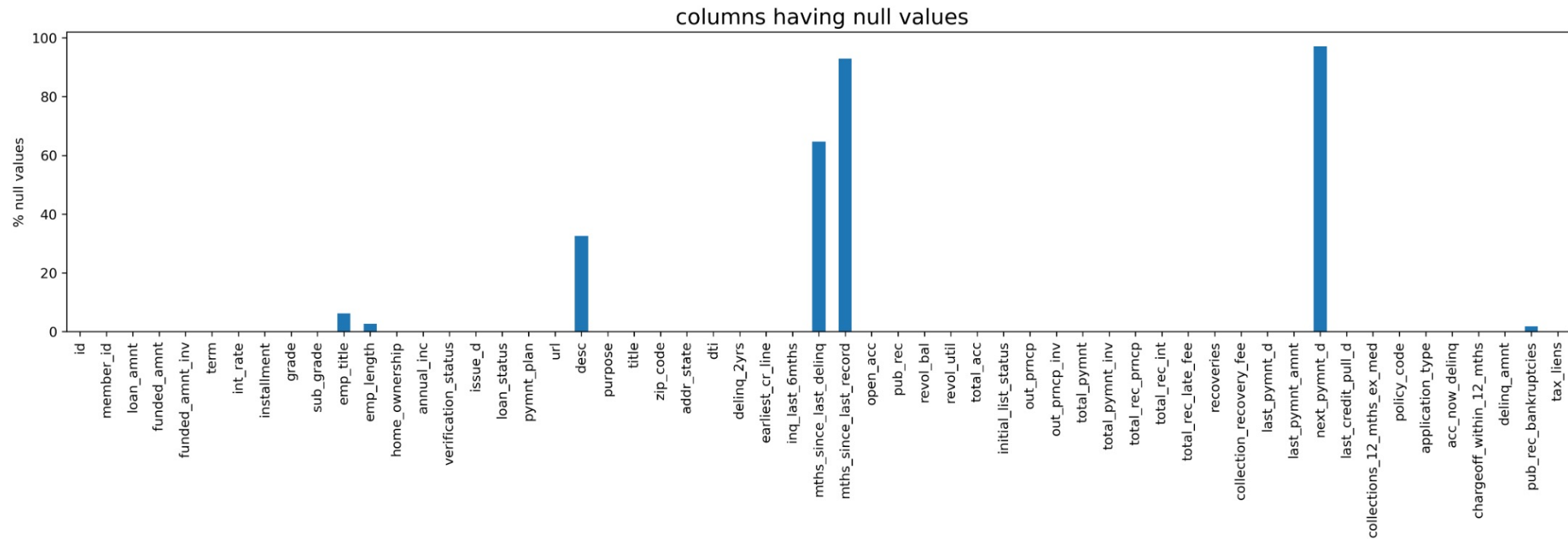
RECOMMENDATIONS

# Data analysis



# Data clean up

- We removed all columns that has only null values
- Analyze columns with redundant values and eliminate
- We standardized number columns by removing unwanted characters and convert them to numeric
- Derive new columns from existing columns to plot various graphs



## Insights on data cleanup/correction

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There are columns with redundant values which has to be eliminated

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There are numerical columns with special characters which will be cleaned and converted to numeric type

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Remove the Current ongoing loan application as it is not relevant to our problem statement

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Drop columns where we observe 50% NA values

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Drop post loan approval columns

# Univariate analysis

Broadly done on three types of columns

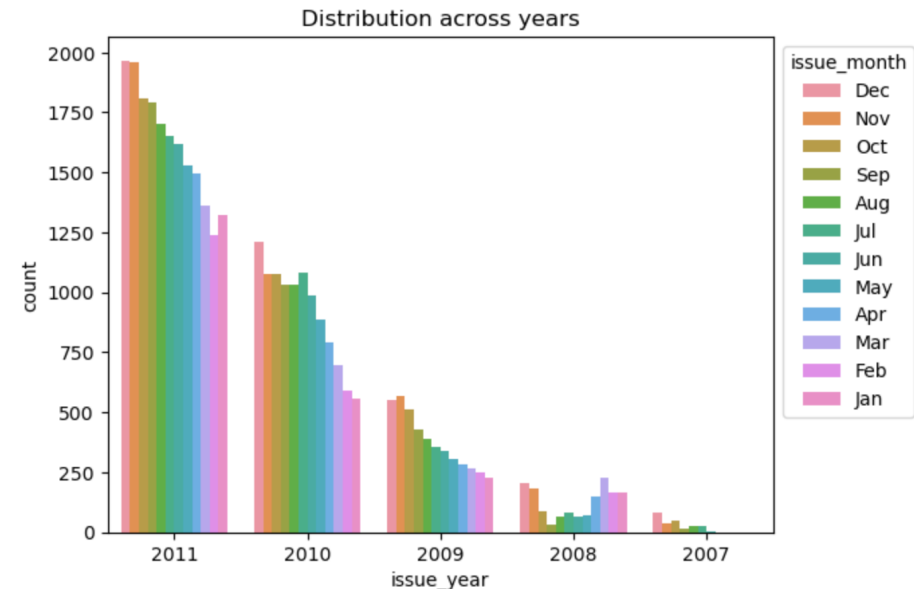
- Segmented categorical
- Ordered categorical
- Quantitative

What strategies used

- Single frequency tables
- Derive new columns wherever possible
- Curate columns that could correlate target variable

```
#plot countplot with issue_year hueed by issue_month to find the distribution of each year and month  
ax = sns.countplot(x='issue_year', hue='issue_month', data=loan)  
sns.move_legend(ax, "upper left", bbox_to_anchor=(1, 1))  
plt.title("Distribution across years")
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Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Distribution across years')





# Summary on Univariate analysis

- Year end has more applicants for loan than year start
- Rent and Mortgage house holders are seeking for loan more than own house people
- People above 10+years seeks loan more than lower experienced
- Removed outliers in Annual income field to get proper distribution of data.
- Annual income of 50K is the median of people who needs loan
- In int\_rate charging off is less in case of interest rate 21-24% but the total people taken 21-24% is less
- If we see the total proportion in interest rate 9-13% interest rate has increased chance of being fully paid.
- The interest rate 13-17% high percentage of getting charged off.
- In annual\_inc groups people with 112k - 140k has less percentage of getting charged off.
- The annual\_inc group with 31k-58k has higher percentage of getting charged off.

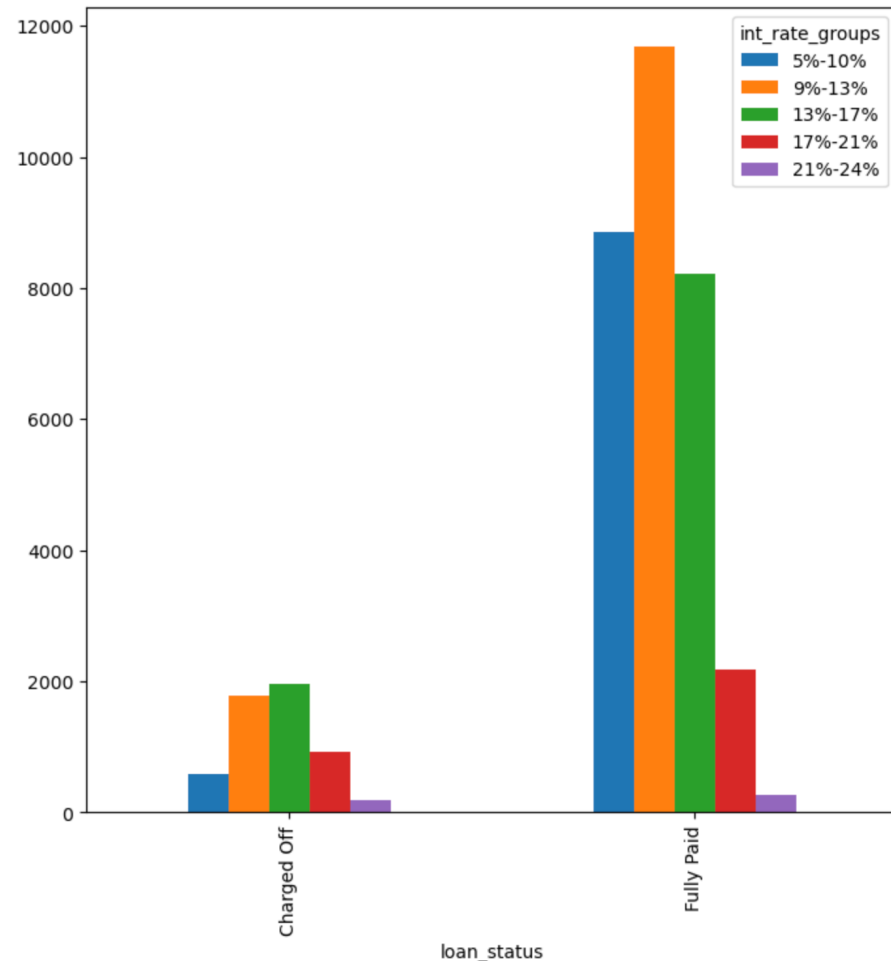


# Bi variate analysis

Plotting ideas used to understand the defaulters are mentioned below

- Heatmap to find correlation matrix
- Scatter plot to understand correlation between loan\_amnt
- Cross tabs to correlate categorical vs categorical
- Count plots to visualize the grades again target variable

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# crosstab function is used to create derived table by plotting against loan_status and int_rate_groups
int_crosstab = pd.crosstab(index=loan["loan_status"],
                           columns=loan["int_rate_groups"])
int_crosstab.plot(kind="bar",
                  figsize=(8,8),
                  stacked=False)
plt.show()
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# Summary of Bivariate analysis

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## **Below are the probable defaulters' reasons**

- Higher the interest rate as higher (13-17%) interest range has high defaulters
- Debt consolidation stands out in the defaulter's loan where it could be borrowers took a loan to close existing loan but failed again
- We can clearly see during the year 2011 end there are more defaulters which is directly correlating to recession in U.S hence market situation-based loan approvals would solve most of these.
- Employees with 10+ years has more probability of being a defaulter
- Employees with annual income range 31k-58k has more probability of being a defaulter
- The people who are marked as grade G has higher chance of getting charged off
- The Sub Grade F5 has the highest percentage of Charged off

## **Good candidates for providing loan which is inversely proportional to defaulters**

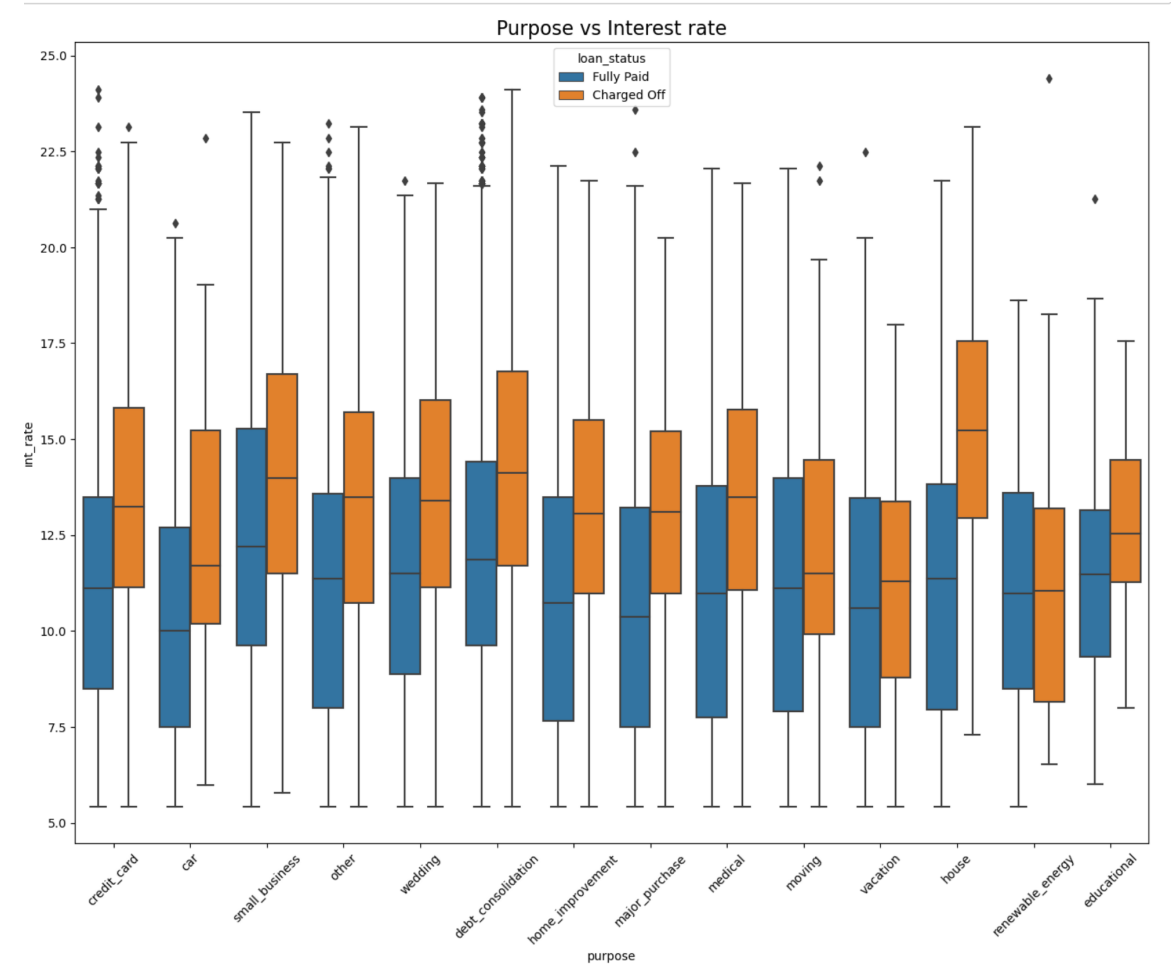
- Obviously, lesser interest rate helps borrowers repay the loan without fail
- People who owns a house have good records of closing the committed loan amount
- The grade B has higher chance of getting fully paid
- The interest rate 9-13% has a higher chance of getting paid.
- The Sub Grade A1 has the highest percentage of fully paid
- The income group 112k - 140k has less charged off count. Could be due to their high income.

# Multi variate analysis

We did multi variate analysis on top of our bi variate attributes to understand the impact of a third variable on the target

For example, when we validated purpose column debt\_consolidation appears to be on higher level on defaulters, however when interest rate is imposed as third column we could see the percentage small\_business and house has higher defaulters in real

By doing above step we were able to derive some depth insights on the influence of one variable over other



# Summary of Multi variate

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## Unlikely to repay

- The People in 31k - 58 k income group with a own house has higher chance of paying the loan
- Loan amnt higher than 12000 dollars has high chance for small business of getting Charged off.
- We could see here that irrespective of emp\_length when the loan\_amnt increases probablity of Charged off is slightly increasing

## Likely to repay

- The People in 31k - 58 k income group with house in mortgage or living in a rented house has higher chance of defaulting the loan
- Loan amnt lesser than 12000 dollars has high chance for small business of getting fully paid.
- Interest rate group in 21 - 24% having annual income 70k+ has the good candidates for offering the loan

# Recommendations

## **Probability of defaulters**

- Loan amnt higher than 12000 dollars for small buisness has slightly high chance of geting Charged off.
- The employees with 10+ years of experience and a annual income of 31k - 58k are more likely to get charged off
- People who are buying loan for their house between interest rate 12.5 - 17.5 are more likely to get charged off
- Car loan with interest rates above 15 are more likely to get charged off
- Small\_buisness loans with higher interest (above 11%) are more likely to be charged off
- The People in 31k - 58 k income group with house in mortgage or living in a rented house has higher chance of defaulting the loan
- The people who are buying loan for debt consolidation with home ownership has rent or mortgage has higher chance of getting charged off

## **Probability of eligible candidates**

- The employees with 10+ years of experience and a annual income of 51k - 85k are more likely to fully pay the loan
- People who are buying loan for their house less than 13% interest are more likely to fully pay the loan
- Car loan within interest rates 7.5 to 10 are more likely to get Fully Paid
- Small\_buisness loans with less interest (11%) are more likely to be fully paid
- Loan amount lesser than 12000 dollars for small buisness has high chance of geting fully paid.
- The People in 31k - 58 k income group with a own house has higher chance of paying the loan
- Intrest rate group in 21 - 24% having annual income 70k+ has the good candidated for offering the loan