Project Work - Web Analytics

The project uses MySQL to perform analysis. The code for database connection is hidden for security reasons.

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In [1]: %load_ext sql
import mysql

In [2]: # Connecting to the database
%sql mysql://root: @localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
```

Analysing Traffic Sources

Traffic source analysis is done with the help of **utm** tracker information.

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In [3]: # utm tracker information can be viewed for a given website session.
In [4]: | %%sql
         SELECT *
         FROM website_sessions
         WHERE website session id = 1059;
          * mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
         1 rows affected.
Out[4]:
          website_session_id
                                  created_at user_id is_repeat_session utm_source utm_campaign utm_content device_type
                                                                                                                              http_referer
                      1059 2012-03-26 13:51:37
                                                                  0
                                               1055
                                                                        gsearch
                                                                                     nonbrand
                                                                                                  g_ad_1
                                                                                                             desktop https://www.gsearch.com
In [5]: # All available traffic sources in the database.
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In [6]: %%sql SELECT DISTINCT utm source, utm campaign, utm content FROM website_sessions;

* mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory 7 rows affected.

Out[6]: utm source utm campaign utm content

utm_content	utm_campaign	utm_source
g_ad_1	nonbrand	gsearch
None	None	None
g_ad_2	brand	gsearch
b_ad_2	brand	bsearch
b_ad_1	nonbrand	bsearch
social_ad_1	pilot	socialbook
social_ad_2	desktop_targeted	socialbook

Where is the bulk of traffic for the business coming from?

- The query is asked on April 12, 2012

In [7]: %%sql

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SELECT utm_source,
   utm_campaign,
   utm_content,
    http_referer,
    COUNT(utm source) AS 'Sessions'
FROM website_sessions
WHERE created_at <= '2012-04-12' AND utm_source IS NOT NULL
GROUP BY utm source, utm campaign, utm content, http referer;
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* mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory 3 rows affected.

Out[7]:	utm_source	utm_campaign	utm_content	http_referer	Sessions
	gsearch	nonbrand	g_ad_1	https://www.gsearch.com	3613
	gsearch	brand	g_ad_2	https://www.gsearch.com	26
	bsearch	brand	b_ad_2	https://www.bsearch.com	7

In [8]: # It is found that most of the traffic is coming from 'gsearch nonbrand' campaign.

Is 'gsearch nonbrand' generating sales? What is the **conversion rate**?

- The query is asked on April 14, 2012
- The minimum CVR threshold is 4% (to justify budget)

In [9]: | %%sql **SELECT** order_id, o.created_at, o.website_session_id, ws.utm_source, ws.utm_campaign, ws.utm_content FROM orders o LEFT JOIN website sessions ws ON o.website_session_id = ws.website_session_id WHERE ws.utm_source = 'gsearch' AND ws.utm_campaign = 'nonbrand' AND ws.created_at <= '2012-04-14' LIMIT 5

- * mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
- 5 rows affected.

Out[9]:	order_id	created_at	website_session_id	utm_source	utm_campaign	utm_content
	1	2012-03-19 10:42:46	20	gsearch	nonbrand	g_ad_1
	2	2012-03-19 19:27:37	104	gsearch	nonbrand	g_ad_1
	3	2012-03-20 06:44:45	147	gsearch	nonbrand	g_ad_1
	4	2012-03-20 09:41:45	160	gsearch	nonbrand	g_ad_1
	5	2012-03-20 11:28:15	177	gsearch	nonbrand	g_ad_1

```
In [10]: | %%sql
         SELECT
             COUNT(DISTINCT ws.website session id) AS 'Sessions',
             COUNT(DISTINCT o.order id) AS 'Orders',
             (COUNT(DISTINCT o.order_id)/COUNT(DISTINCT ws.website_session_id))*100 AS 'Conversion Rate %'
         FROM website sessions ws
         LEFT JOIN orders o
         ON ws.website session id = o.website session id
         WHERE
             ws.utm source = 'gsearch' AND
             ws.utm_campaign = 'nonbrand' AND
             ws.created at <= '2012-04-14';
          * mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
         1 rows affected.
Out[10]: Sessions Orders Conversion Rate %
              3895
                     112
                                   2.8755
In [11]: # It is observed that CVR is below the 4% threshold.
         # Hence, the money is overspent and search bids must be reduced.
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Based on the analysis, **gsearch nonbrand** was *bid down* on 15 April, 2012

- Have bid changes caused a change in volume?
- The guery is asked on 10 May, 2012

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In [12]: %%sql

SELECT
     MIN(DATE(created_at)) AS 'Week Start Date',
     COUNT(website_session_id) AS 'Sessions'
FROM website_sessions ws
WHERE
     ws.utm_source = 'gsearch' AND
     ws.utm_campaign = 'nonbrand' AND
     ws.created_at <= '2012-05-10'
GROUP BY WEEK(created_at);</pre>
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* mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
8 rows affected.

Out[12]: Week Start Date Sessions

2012-03-19	896
2012-03-25	956
2012-04-01	1152
2012-04-08	983
2012-04-15	621
2012-04-22	594
2012-04-29	681
2012-05-06	399

In [13]: # 'gsearch nonbrand' traffic is sensitive to bid
changes since session volume has slightly dropped after Apr 15

Could **device type** influence conversion rates?

- Retrieve CVR by device type
- The query is asked on 11 May, 2012

* mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
2 rows affected.

Out[14]: device_type Sessions Orders Conversion Rate %

desktop	3911	146	3.7331
mobile	2492	24	0.9631

In [15]: # Yes, device type influences CVR. It's best to bid-up only for desktop.

The bid on **gsearch nonbrand desktop** campaigns was increased on 19 May, 2012.

- What impact is observed on sessions volume?
- The request was made on 09 June, 2012

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In [16]: %%sql

SELECT
        MIN(DATE(created_at)) AS 'Week Start Date',
        COUNT(CASE WHEN device_type = 'desktop' THEN website_session_id ELSE NULL END) AS 'Desktop Sessions',
        COUNT(CASE WHEN device_type = 'mobile' THEN website_session_id ELSE NULL END) AS 'Mobile Sessions'
FROM website_sessions ws
WHERE
        ws.utm_source = 'gsearch' AND
        ws.utm_campaign = 'nonbrand' AND
        ws.created_at BETWEEN '2012-04-15' AND '2012-06-09'
GROUP BY WEEK(created_at);
```

* mysql://root:***@localhost/mavenfuzzyfactory
8 rows affected.

Out[16]: Week Start Date Desktop Sessions Mobile Sessions

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2012-04-15	383	238
2012-04-22	360	234
2012-04-29	425	256
2012-05-06	430	282
2012-05-13	403	214
2012-05-20	661	190
2012-05-27	585	183
2012-06-03	582	157

In [19]: # 'gsearch nonbrand desktop' was bid-up on 19 Apr, 2012.
Desktop session volume has increased overall after bidding up.