

Class 16: Linking Analytics with a Business Outcomes Model

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Customer Analytics Course Structure

Customer Centric Marketing

- Customer Analytics and AI Overview (Class 1)
AI and Analytics,
Why Customer Analytics and AI Needs Customer Centricity

Getting Ready for Analytics

- Using R for Customer Analytics and AI (Class 2)
- Statistics Review (Class 3)

Targeting Customers for Acquisition and Development

- Predicting Response with RFM analysis (Class 4)
- Case Analysis: "Tuango: RFM Analysis for Mobile App Push Messaging" (Class 5)
Lift and Gains
- Predicting Response with Logistic Regression (Class 6)
- Predicting Response with Neural Networks (Class 7)
- Using Neural Networks for Customer Analytics and AI (Class 8)
Training Machine Learning Models
- Case Analysis: Intuit QuickBooks Upgrade: Moving to the Cloud (Class 9)
- Predicting Response with Tree Methods (Class 10)

Targeting based on Incrementality

- From Propensity to Uplift (Class 11)
- The Causality Checklist (Class 12)
- Case Analysis: Creative Gaming Uplift Modeling (Class 13)
- Hyper-Personalization: Next-Product-to-Buy Models (Class 14)

Retaining Customers

- Predicting Attrition (Class 15)
- Linking Analytics with a Business Outcomes Model (Class 16)
- Case Analysis: "S-Mobile: Churn Management" (Class 17)
From Prediction to Action

Selecting the Right Offers

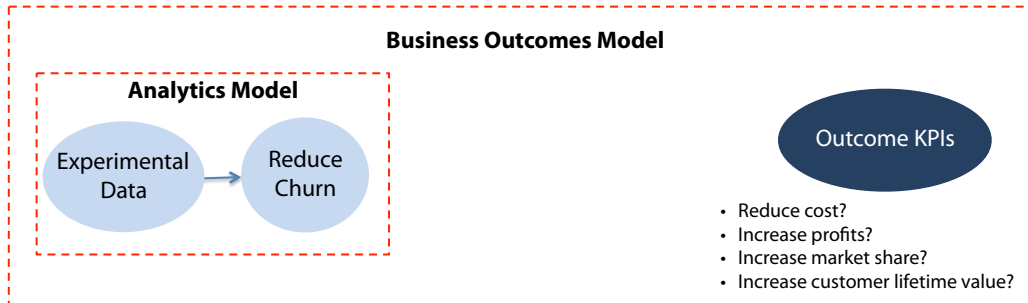
- Design of Experiments / Multivariate Testing (Class 18)
- Case Analysis: "Capital One: Information-Based Credit Card Design" (Class 19)

Scaling Analytics

- Scaling Analytics in Practice (Class 20)
Course Wrap-up

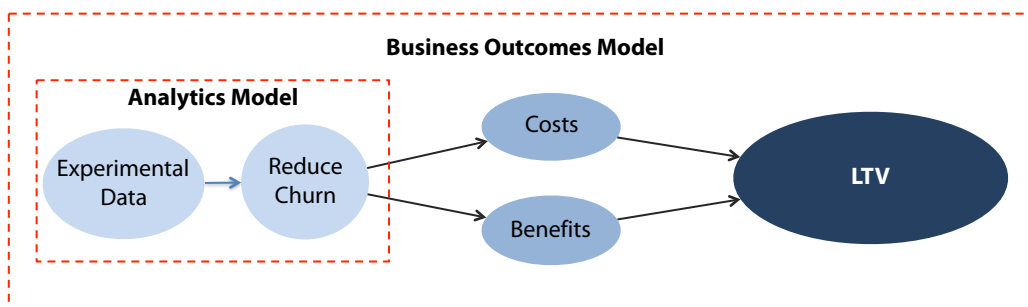
First, you need to decide what business outcomes matter

EXAMPLE: CHURN MANAGEMENT



When revenues and costs accrue over time, the lifetime value of a customer is a helpful business outcome

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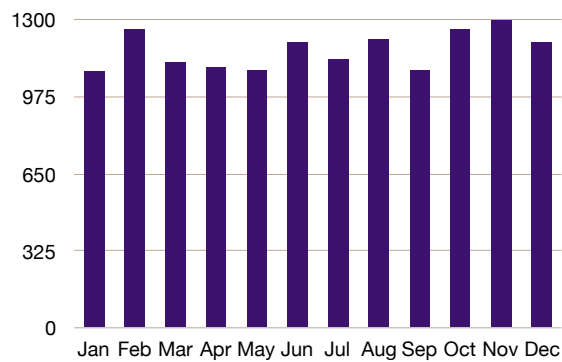
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	Future		Life Time Value (LTV)

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AVERAGE CUSTOMER REVENUE IN PAST YEAR



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IN REALITY ...

- Revenues and costs change over time ("Times change")
- Customer may not be around in 5 years ("Customer Churn")
- Profits earned in 5 years are less valuable than profits earned today ("Time Value of Money")

An LTV calculation **starts** at a specific **moment in time**

	Start of LTV Calc.	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Revenue	\$0					
Product/Service Cost	\$0					
Marketing Cost	\$0					
Profit	\$0					

An LTV calculation always **compares** two or more **scenarios**

	Start of LTV Calc.	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5
Revenue	\$0					
Product/Service Cost	\$0	Benchmark				
Marketing Cost	\$0					
Profit	\$0					

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Revenue	\$0					
Product/Service Cost	\$100	New Initiative				
Marketing Cost	\$0					
Profit	-\$100					

How do we build our **benchmark LTV**?

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We need to make some assumptions about the future based on data from the past

ASSUMPTIONS

- Yearly revenue growth: 8%
- Yearly cost growth: 8%
- Yearly churn (attrition): 20%
- Financial discount rate: 10%

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Average prob. of being active in period	100%	90%				
Expected Profit	\$0	\$7,121				

90% Probability: Profit \$7,912
10% Probability: Profit \$0
Average: \$7,121

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Prob. of being active at end of period	100%	80%	64%			
Average prob. of being active in period	100%	90%	72%			
Expected Profit	\$0	\$7,121				

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72% Probability: Profit \$8,545
28% Probability: Profit \$0
Average: \$6,152

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Present Value of Exp. Profit	\$0					

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10% discount rate (mid-year):
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Why 5 years and not a “Lifetime”?

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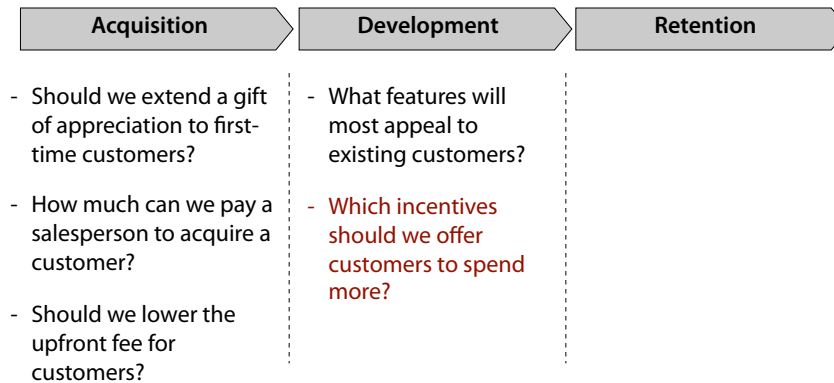
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Product/Service Cost	\$0	\$6,390	\$6,902	\$7,454	\$8,050	\$8,694	\$9,389	\$10,141	\$10,952	\$11,828	\$12,774	\$13,796	\$14,900	\$16,092	\$17,379	\$18,770	\$20,271	\$21,893	\$23,644	\$25,536	\$27,579
Marketing Cost	\$0	\$913	\$986	\$1,065	\$1,150	\$1,242	\$1,341	\$1,449	\$1,565	\$1,690	\$1,825	\$1,971	\$2,129	\$2,299	\$2,483	\$2,681	\$2,896	\$3,128	\$3,378	\$3,648	\$3,940
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Prob. of being active within period	100%	90%	72%	58%	46%	37%	29%	24%	19%	15%	12%	10%	8%	6%	5%	4%	3%	3%	2%	2%	1%
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Present Value of Exp. Profit	\$0	\$6,789	\$5,333	\$4,189	\$3,290	\$2,584	\$2,233	\$1,929	\$1,667	\$1,440	\$1,244	\$1,075	\$929	\$802	\$693	\$599	\$518	\$447	\$386	\$334	\$288
Customer Lifetime Value (LTV):																					\$36,769

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TYPICAL USES FOR LTV CALCULATIONS



Recall the Amazon cloud example

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Amazon wants to assess whether a 3-day training visit by a AWS specialist to boutique analytics companies might pay off

TRAINING PROGRAM

- 3 day visit
- Cost of visit \$1,000 / day
- Projected revenue increase:
 - \$1,000 bump in first year
 - Grows organically

This is clearly a bad idea!

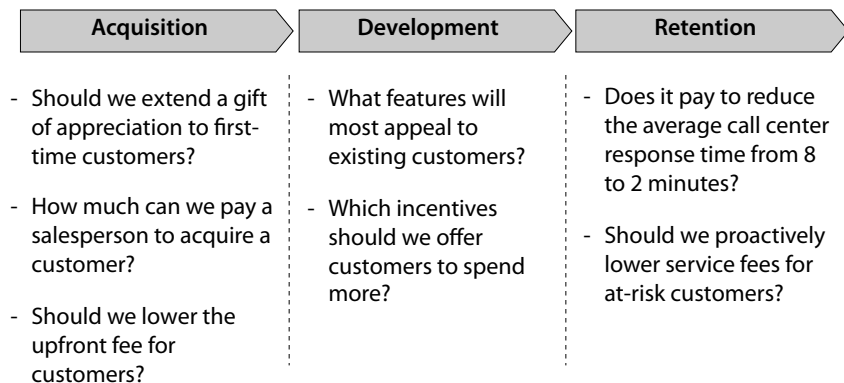
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This would work, but can we get the \$1000 revenue bump with 1 day?

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TYPICAL USES FOR LTV CALCULATIONS



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