#### CUSTOMER CHURN PREDICTION

# Summary

Customer churn is a financial expression referring to losing of a customer or client when a customer abandons interaction with business or company. Churn rate is defined as the rate of customers leaving a company within a specific time duration. Low churn rate can be an indicator of success for companies so they try to retain as many customers as they can. With the advent of machine learning deep learning techniques, companies can identify potential customers who may stop doing business with them in the near future. Strategies can be applied to retain those costumers. In this notebook, customer churn is predicted for a bank based on different customer attributes including geography, age, gender, income and more. a wide range of predictive algorithms and various performance metrics were considered to achieve the most reliable classifier.

Python functions and data files to run this notebook are in my Github page.

import os

import pandas as pd

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

import numpy as np

from functions import\* # import require functions to run this notebook

from IPython.display import HTML

import pickle

import logging

import matplotlib.patheffects as pe

import matplotlib.ticker as mtick

import warnings

warnings.filterwarnings('ignore

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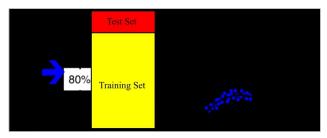
# Methodology

A binary classification will be applied Churn\_Modelling.csv downloaded from Kaggle: the target feature is Exited (0 and 1). The following steps will be applied:

The irrelevant features are removed from data (we do not need customer's name, customer's ID). The linear correlation between features and target are calculated or run Random Forest analysis to rank the importance of features to predict the target.

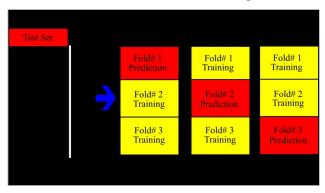
The data set is divided into 80% training set and 20% test set. The test set is only applied at the end as a never-before-seen dataset to only evaluate the trained models and make sure the models are not overfitted and no information leaks occur (see Figure below).

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Data processing is applied for training set including imputation of missing values, normalization and text handling. The data is clean up and get ready to feed ML algorithms.

Train ML algorithms mentioned above using the training set by implementing a binary classification. Each algorithm is optimized by fine-tuning the hyperparameters. To avoid overfitting, K-fold cross validation is applied. The training set (we do not touch test set) into 3-folds (k=3); each model is trained with 2 folds and apply prediction for 1-folds. The process is repeated for all 3 folds to apply prediction for all training set. This leads to prevent overfitting and have a clean prediction (See Figure below). Therefore, performance of the algorithms can be measured for the training set and compared with other since the same data is fed to each algorithms



The trained models are applied to predict test set to confirm the performances make sure there is no overfitting. The models have not seen the test sets during the training so the resulted performance for test set can be an indication of performance for future prediction of these models. The same data processing for training set should be applied for test set. The same statistics for imputation of training set should be applied for test set.

**Data Processing** 

The data set Churn\_Modelling.csv can be downloaded from Kaggle named.

# Read data 'Churn\_Modelling.csv' df = pd.read\_csv('./Data/Churn\_Modelling.csv')

# Shuffle the data

np.random.seed(32)

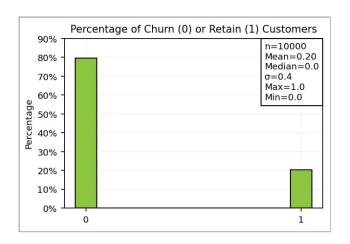
df=df.reindex(np.random.permutation(df.index))

df.reset\_index(inplace=True, drop=True) # Reset
index

# Remove 'RowNumber','CustomerId','Surname' features that are un

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df=df.drop(['RowNumber','CustomerId','Surname'],axi
s=1,inplace=False)
Divide Data into Training set (80%) and Test set (20%)
font = {'size' : 9.5}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 3), dpi= 150,
facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
bins = np.array([-0.05, 0.05, 0.95, 1.05])
EDA plot.histplt
(df['Exited'],bins=bins,title='Percentage of Churn (0)
or Retain (1) Customers',xlabl="",
     ylabl='Percentage',xlimt=(-0.1,1.1),ylimt=
(0,0.9), axt=ax1,x tick=[0,1],
     scale=1.1,loc=1,font=8,color='#8DC63F')
```

plt.show()



## # Training and Test

spt = StratifiedShuffleSplit(n\_splits=1, test\_size=0.2,
random\_state=42)

for train\_idx, test\_idx in spt.split(df, df['Exited']):

train\_set\_strat = df.loc[train\_idx]

test\_set\_strat = df.loc[test\_idx]

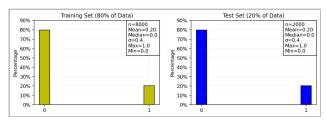
train\_set\_strat.reset\_index(inplace=True, drop=True)
# Reset index

test\_set\_strat.reset\_index(inplace=True, drop=True) #
Reset index

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font = {'size' : 10}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 3), dpi= 160,
facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
val=train set strat['Exited']
EDA plot.histplt(val,bins=bins,title="Training Set
(80% of Data)",xlabl="",
     ylabl='Percentage',xlimt=(-0.1,1.1),ylimt=
(0,0.9), axt=ax1,x tick=[0,1],
     scale=1.2,loc=1,font=8,color='v')
ax2=plt.subplot(1,2,2)
val=test set strat['Exited']
EDA plot.histplt(val,bins=bins,title="Test Set (20% of
Data)",xlabl="",
     ylabl='Percentage',xlimt=(-0.1,1.1),ylimt=
(0,0.9), axt=ax2,x tick=[0,1],
     scale=1.2,loc=1,font=8,color='b')
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# plt.subplots\_adjust(wspace=0.25)

## plt.show()



### **Text Handeling**

'Geography' and 'Gender' features are text that are converted to numbers via one-hot-encoding.

# Convert Geography to one-hot-encoding

Geog\_1hot=pd.get\_dummies(train\_set\_strat['Geograph y'],prefix='Geography')

# Convert gender to 0 and 1

ordinal\_encoder = OrdinalEncoder()

train\_set\_strat['Gender'] =
ordinal\_encoder.fit\_transform(train\_set\_strat[['Gende
r']])

# Remove 'Geography'

train\_set\_strat=train\_set\_strat.drop(['Geography'],axis
=1,inplace=False)

train\_set\_strat=pd.concat([Geog\_1hot,train\_set\_strat],
axis=1) # Concatenate rows

# train\_set\_strat

Geo	Geo Ten	grap ure	rand hy_S Bala Mem	pair ince	ı Nun	Creo nOfP	ditSc rodu	ore acts	Gen Has	CrCa	_	
0	1 0	0 127	0 166.4		1.0 1	50	4	1371	104.4	<b>!</b> 7	1	1
1		0 876.1	0 13	699 1	1.0	40	7	0.00	1	0	1	
2	1 1	0 1778	0 844.0		1.0 0	46	5	1238	373.1	9	1	1
3	1 5658	0 83.88		759 0	0.0	33	2	0.00	2	1	0	
4	1 174	0 196.6		599 0	1.0	34	8	0.00	2	1	1	
7995	5 1	0	0 123	1 181.4		0.0 1	43	4	951	40.44	ŀ	2
7996	6 1	0 1	0 136	1 539.1		1.0 0	33	3	1004	476.4	16	2
7997	7 1	0 1	1 6679	0 99.28		1.0 0	47	7	107	363.2	29	1

8000 rows × 13 columns

0

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- Geography\_France Geography\_Germany Geography Spain CreditScore Gender Age Tenure Balance NumOfProducts HasCrCard IsActiveMember EstimatedSalary Exited 0 0 614 1.0 50 4 137104.47 1 1 1 0 127166.49 1 1 0 0 699 1.0 40 7 0.001 0 1 152876.13 1 2 1 0 0 666 1.0 46 5 123873.19 1 1 1 177844.06 0 3 1 0 0 759 0.0 33 2 0.002 1 0 56583.88 0

0.002

1 1

0 599 1.0 34 8

7995 0 0 1 560 0.0 43 4 95140.44 2 1 0 123181.44 1

8000 rows × 13 columns

Impute Missing Values
Check if there is missing values.

train\_set\_strat.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>

RangeIndex: 8000 entries, 0 to 7999

Data columns (total 13 columns):

# Column Non-Null Count Dtype

- 0 Geography\_France 8000 non-null uint8
- 1 Geography\_Germany 8000 non-null uint8
- 2 Geography Spain 8000 non-null uint8

- 3 CreditScore 8000 non-null int64
- 4 Gender 8000 non-null float64
- 5 Age 8000 non-null int64
- 6 Tenure 8000 non-null int64
- 7 Balance 8000 non-null float64
- 8 NumOfProducts 8000 non-null int64
- 9 HasCrCard 8000 non-null int64
- 10 IsActiveMember 8000 non-null int64
- 11 EstimatedSalary 8000 non-null float64
- 12 Exited 8000 non-null int64

dtypes: float64(3), int64(7), uint8(3)

memory usage: 648.6 KB

There is no missing value.

## # Correlation matrix

font = {'size' : 11}

plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

fig, ax=plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 8), dpi= 110, facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')

df\_tmp=train\_set\_strat.drop(['Geography\_France','Geo
graphy\_Germany','Geography\_Spain'], axis=1)

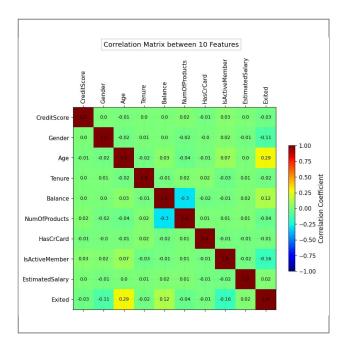
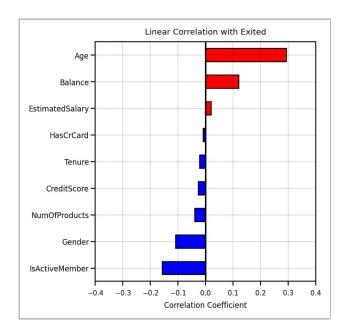


Figure below show correlation between training features and target feature (Exited). Age has positive correlation and IsActiveMember has negative correlation with target (Exited). Other Features are not linearly correlated with the target (Exited).

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font = {'size' : 5.5}
plt.rc('font', **font)
ax1 = plt.subplots(figsize=(3.2, 3.5), dpi= 200,
facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')
# Plot correlations of attributes with the last column
target='Exited'
corr=df tmp.corr()
corr=corr[target].drop([target])
coefs=corr.values
clmns=list(corr.index)
Correlation_plot.corr_bar(coefs,clmns=clmns,yfontsiz
e=6.0,xlim=[-0.4,0.4],
              title=f'Linear Correlation with
{target}',ymax_vert_lin=30)
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## Standardization

# Make training features and target

X\_train = train\_set\_strat.drop("Exited", axis=1)

y\_train = train\_set\_strat["Exited"].values

# Divide into two training sets (with and without standization)

clmn=

['Geography\_France','Geography\_Germany','Geograph y\_Spain',

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'Gender','NumOfProducts','HasCrCard','IsActiveMemb
er']
X train for std = X train.drop(clmn, axis=1)
X train not std =X train[clmn]
features colums=list(X train for std.columns)+list(X
train not std.columns)
# Standadization
scaler = StandardScaler()
scaler.fit(X train for std)
# Standardization for training set
df train std=scaler.transform(X train for std)
fname = './Trained Models/scaler.sav'
pickle.dump(scaler, open(fname, 'wb'))
X train std=np.concatenate((df train std,X train not
std), axis=1)
X train std
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array([[-0.37708143, 1.05758327, -0.35609222, ..., 1.
 ,
    1. . 0. l.
   [ 0.50297627, 0.10215877, 0.68069212, ..., 1.
    0. . 1. l.
   [ 0.16130681, 0.67541347, -0.01049744, ..., 1.
    1. , 1. ],
   ...,
   [-0.30460609, 0.77095592, 0.68069212, ..., 1.
    1. . 1. l.
   [ 0.03706337, -1.42652045, 1.0262869, ..., 1.
    1. , 1. l,
   [ 1.22772967, -1.13989309, 0.68069212, ..., 1.
    1. . 0. 11)
# Divide training data into smaller training and
validation
# Training set
Training_c=np.concatenate((X_train_std,y_train.resha
pe(-1,1)),axis=1)
Smaller Training, Validation =
train test split(Training c, test size=0.2,
random state=100)
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Smaller_Training_Target=Smaller_Training[:,-1]
Smaller Training=Smaller Training[:,:-1]
# Validation set
Validation_Target=Validation[:,-1]
Validation=Validation[:::-1]
# Number of predictors and make empty arrays
predictor= ['Dummy Classifier','Stocastic Gradient
Descent', 'Logistic Regression',
      'Support Vector Machine', 'Decision
Trees', 'Adaptive Gradient Boosting',
      'Random Forest','Neural Network']
filename=["" for x in range(len(predictor))]
# Creat Empty List for Avergae Accuracy for each
regressor
Predict training=np.zeros(len(predictor))
pre prob=[]
Train_Accu=np.zeros(len(predictor));
Train_Rec=np.zeros(len(predictor));Train_Pre=np.zer
os(len(predictor));Train_Spe=np.zeros(len(predictor))
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Test Accu=np.zeros(len(predictor

#### **Predictive Models**

A wide range of machine learning algorithms from basic to advanced methods. A brief explanation of each is as follows:

Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD) is a good place to start. Gradient descent is a general idea to minimize a cost function by iteratively tweaking parameters. It has a wide range of application to find optimal solutions for many problems. It computes the gradient of the cost function regarding model parameters and updates the parameters through iteration until a global minimum of cost function is reached. Gradient Descent (and mini-batch) can be very slow for large data set: Stochastic Gradient Descent is efficient because it just picks a random instance at every iteration and computes the gradients based only on that single instance.

Logistic Regression (LR) is a simple approach to estimate the probability of a particular class. It calculates a weighted sum of the input features (plus a bias term) and use sigmoid function to estimate probability of each class. It has been commonly used for medical science and health and failure detection in engineering.

Support Vector Machine (SVM) is a powerful algorithm to perform linear or nonlinear classification. It is highly preferred since less computation power is required to produce reliable accuracy. The fundamental idea is to have the largest possible margin between the classes. It predicts the class of a new instance by computing a decision function with optimum parameters.

Decision Trees (DT) is a reliable ML algorithms and has been widely applied to solve complex and nonlinear problems for both classification and regression. It is the fundamental component of Random Forest: it is applied based on a flowchart structure in which each node denotes a test, each branch represents the result of the test, and each leaf node represents a class label.

Random Forest (RF) is among the most versatile and reliable machine learning algorithms for non-linear and complex data. The RF randomly creates and merges multiple decision trees and predicts a class that gets the most votes among all trees. Despite its simplicity, RF is one of the most powerful ML algorithms available today.

Adaptive Boosting (AB) can be applied for any predictor mentioned above to enhance the

performance and turn into a stronger learner. The general idea is to use a base classifier and apply on training set first, then corrects base classifier by paying attention to the training instances that are underfitted. This leads to a new classifier focusing more on the hard cases. The process of training a classifier repeated sequentially, each classifier trying to correct its predecessor.

Neural Network is a specific subfield of machine learning for tackling a very complex problem. In comparison with Shallow Neural Network, Deep Neural Network usually involves much more successive layers of representations that are learned from training data. The large network's architecture may lead to some problems such as vanishing/exploding gradients, overfitting, computational cost and slow training. However, these problems can be resolved by tuning some hyperparameters. Deep Neural Network has been recently applied in many disciplines including computer vision, speech recognition, natural language processing, audio recognition and so on.

Ensemble Learning usually applies near the end of project when a few good and promising predictors are built to integrate them into an even stronger predictor. It works by aggregating the predictions of a group of predictors. RF and AB can be categorized as

EL. A very simple EL is hard voting (HV) that aggregates the predictions of each classifier and predicts the class that gets the most votes. Soft voting (SV) is another EL that works by averaging the probability of

each class and predict a class with the highest probability. It often achieves higher performance than HV due to giving more weight to highly confident votes. Instead of using simple functions to aggregate the predictions of all predictors, staking approach (SA) trains a model to perform this aggregation. The final predictor takes these predictions as inputs and makes the final prediction. EL may lead to even better prediction than the best individual if predictors are independent from each other (Géron 2019).

The performance of all seven algorithms are measured for both training set and test set compared with a Dummy Classifier for sanity check. This classifier is useful as a simple baseline to compare with other (real) classifiers. The ML algorithms for this work are retrieved from Scikit-Learn and Tensorflow Libraries.

Performance Measurement

The most common approach for assessment of classification is accuracy, which is calculated by number of true predicted over total number of data. However, accuracy alone may not be practical for performance measurement of classifiers, especially in cease of skewed datasets. Accuracy should be considered along with other metrics. Confusion matrix is a much better way to evaluate the performance of a classifier. The general idea is to consider the number of times instances of negative class are misclassified as positive class and vice versa. Three more metrics Sensitivity, Precision and Specificity can be calculated as well as Accuracy:

Accuracy=(*TP+TN*)/(*TP+TN+FP+FN*): Accuracy is simply the fraction of the total samples that is correctly identified.

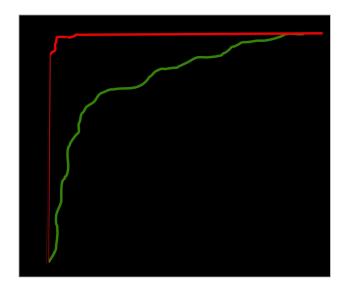
Sensitivity (Recall)= *TP*/(*TP+FN*): Sensitivity is the proportion of correct positive predictions to the total positive classes.

Precision= *TP*/(*TP*+*FP*): Precision is the proportion of correct positive prediction to the total predicted values.

Specificity= TN/(TN+FP) Specificity is the true negative rate or the proportion of negatives that are correctly identified.

TP: True Positives, FP: False Positives, FN: False Negatives, TN: True Negatives

Another common approach to measure performance is the receiver operating characteristic (ROC). The ROC curve plots the true positive rate (Sensitivity) against the false positive rate (1-Specificity). Every point on the ROC curve represents a chosen cut-off even though it cannot be seen. For more information and details see ROC. The most common way to compare classifiers is to measure the area under the curve (AUC). A perfect classifier will have a ROC AUC equal to 1, whereas a purely random classifier will have a ROC AUC equal to 0.5 (See Figure below).



```
Dummy Classifier

dmy_clf = DummyClassifier(random_state=42)

dmy_clf.fit(X_train_std,y_train)

y_train_pred=cross_val_predict(dmy_clf,X_train_std,y_train, cv=3)

y_train_proba_dc=cross_val_predict(dmy_clf,X_train_std,y_train, cv=3, method='predict_proba')

font = {'size' : 6}

plt.rc('font', **font)

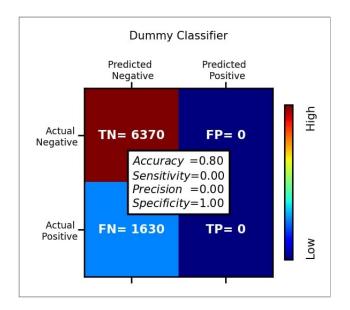
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
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edgecolor='k')

```
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=0
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce_plot.Conf_Matrix(y_train,y_train_pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t_fontsize=6,x_fontsize=5,y_fontsize=5,title='Dummy Classifier')
```

Train\_Accu[i]=tmp1; Train\_Pre[i]=tmp2; Train\_Rec[i]=tmp3; Train\_Spe[i]=tmp4

# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained\_Models/dmy\_clf.sav'
pickle.dump(dmy\_clf, open(



Stochastic Gradient Descent

sgd\_clf = SGDClassifier(random\_state=42,loss='log')

sgd\_clf.fit(X\_train\_std,y\_train)

y\_train\_pred=cross\_val\_predict(sgd\_clf,X\_train\_std,y\_t
rain, cv=3)

y\_train\_proba\_sgd=cross\_val\_predict(sgd\_clf,X\_train\_s td,y\_train, cv=3, method='predict\_proba')

font = {'size' : 6}

plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

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fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')

ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)

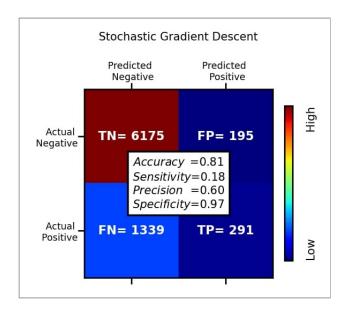
i=1

tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce_plot.Conf_Matrix(y_train,y_train_pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,t_fontsize=6, x_fontsize=5,

y_fontsize=5,title='Stochastic
Gradient Descent')

Train_Accu[i]=tmp1; Train_Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train_Rec[i]=tmp3; Train_Spe[i]=tmp4
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# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained\_Models/sgd\_clf.sav'
pickle.dump(sgd\_clf, open(



# Logistic Regression

lr\_clf = LogisticRegression(max\_iter= 50,C=50,random state=42)

lr\_clf.fit(X\_train\_std,y\_train)

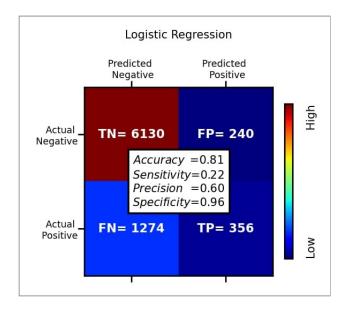
y\_train\_pred=cross\_val\_predict(lr\_clf,X\_train\_std,y\_tr ain, cv=3)

y\_train\_proba\_lr=cross\_val\_predict(lr\_clf,X\_train\_std, y\_train, cv=3, method='predict\_proba')

font = {'size' : 6}

plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

```
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=2
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce plot.Conf Matrix(y
train,y train pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t fontsize=6,x fontsize=5,y fontsize=5,title='Logistic
Regression')
Train Accu[i]=tmp1; Train Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train Rec[i]=tmp3; Train Spe[i]=tmp4
# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained Models/lr clf.sav'
pickle.dump(lr_clf, open(
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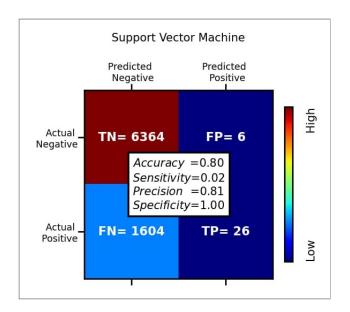


# **Support Vector Machine**

font = {'size' : 6}
plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

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svm_clf =
LinearSVC(C=60,loss='hinge',random_state=42)
svm_clf.fit(X_train_std,y_train)
y_train_pred=cross_val_predict(svm_clf,X_train_std,y_train, cv=3)
y_train_proba_svm=y_train_pred
```

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fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=3
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce plot.Conf Matrix(y
train,y train pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t fontsize=6,x fontsize=5,y fontsize=5,title='Support
Vector Machine')
Train Accu[i]=tmp1; Train Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train Rec[i]=tmp3; Train Spe[i]=tmp4
# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained Models/svm clf.sav'
pickle.dump(svm_clf, open(
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### **Decision Trees**

tree\_clf = DecisionTreeClassifier(max\_depth= 10, min\_samples\_leaf= 15, min\_samples\_split=2, random\_state=42)

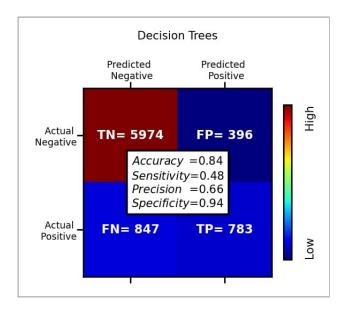
tree\_clf.fit(X\_train\_std,y\_train)

y\_train\_pred=cross\_val\_predict(tree\_clf,X\_train\_std,y\_ train, cv=3)

y\_train\_proba\_dt=cross\_val\_predict(tree\_clf,X\_train\_st d,y\_train, cv=3, method='predict\_proba')

font = {'size' : 6}

```
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w'.
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=4
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce plot.Conf Matrix(y
train,y train pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t fontsize=6,x fontsize=5,y fontsize=5,title='Decision
Trees')
Train Accu[i]=tmp1; Train Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train Rec[i]=tmp3; Train Spe[i]=tmp4
# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained_Models/tree clf.sav'
pickle.dump(tree_clf, open(filename[i], 'wb'))
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## Flowchart of Decision Tree for Prediction

# Flowchart of Decision Tree for Prediction with 3 depths. Training features (X) and target (y) are shown in the figure.

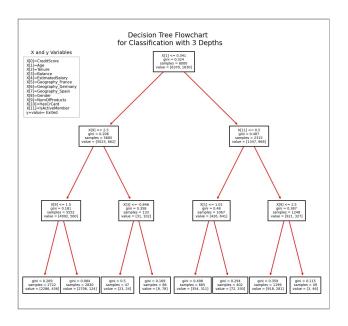
np.random.seed(42)

tree\_clf = tree.DecisionTreeClassifier(max\_depth=3)

tree\_clf.fit(X\_train\_std,y\_train)

fig, axes = plt.subplots(nrows = 1,ncols = 1,figsize = (8,8), dpi=200)

```
out = tree.plot_tree(tree_clf,fontsize=5)
for o in out:
  arrow = o.arrow patch
  if arrow is not None:
    arrow.set edgecolor('red')
    arrow.set linewidth(1)
txt="
for i in range(len(features colums)):
  txt+='X'+'['+str(i)+']='+features colums[i]+'\n'
txt+='y=value= Exited'
plt.text(0.025,0.9, 'X and y Variables',
fontsize=7,bbox=dict(facecolor='white', alpha=0.0))
plt.text(0.01,0.7, txt,
fontsize=5.5,bbox=dict(facecolor='white', alpha=0.2))
fig.suptitle('Decision Tree Flowchart \n for
Classification with 3 Depths', fontsize=10,y=0.86)
plt.show()
```



## Adaptive Boosting with Decision Trees

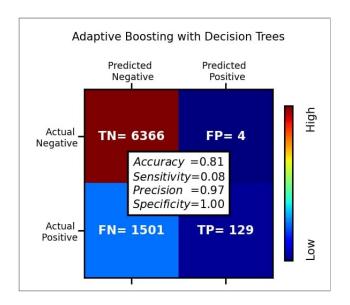
ada\_tree = AdaBoostClassifier(n\_estimators=100, algorithm= 'SAMME.R', learning\_rate= 0.01, random\_state=42)

ada\_tree.fit(X\_train\_std,y\_train)

y\_train\_pred=cross\_val\_predict(ada\_tree,X\_train\_std,y
\_train, cv=3)

y\_train\_proba\_ada=cross\_val\_predict(ada\_tree,X\_train\_std,y\_train, cv=3, method='predict\_proba')

```
font = {'size' : 6}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=5
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce plot.Conf Matrix(y
train,y train pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t fontsize=6,x fontsize=5,y fontsize=5,title='Adaptive
Boosting with Decision Trees')
Train Accu[i]=tmp1; Train Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train_Rec[i]=tmp3; Train_Spe[i]=tmp4
# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained Models/ada tree.sav'
pickle.dump(ada_tree, open
```



### Random Forest

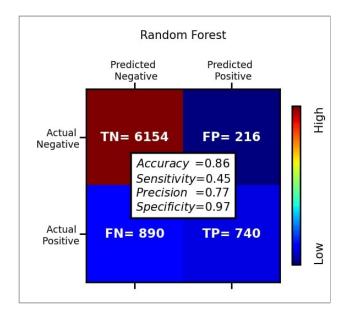
rnd = RandomForestClassifier(n\_estimators=50, max\_depth= 25, min\_samples\_split= 20, bootstrap= True, random\_state=42)

rnd.fit(X\_train\_std,y\_train)

y\_train\_pred=cross\_val\_predict(rnd,X\_train\_std,y\_train, cv=3)

y\_train\_proba\_rnd=cross\_val\_predict(rnd,X\_train\_std, y\_train, cv=3, method='predict\_proba')

```
font = {'size' : 6}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=6
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce plot.Conf Matrix(y
train,y train pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t fontsize=6,x fontsize=5,y fontsize=5,title='Random
Forest')
Train Accu[i]=tmp1; Train Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train_Rec[i]=tmp3; Train_Spe[i]=tmp4
# save the model to disk
filename[i] = './Trained Models/rnd.sav'
pickle.dump(rnd, open
```



Random Forest Feature Importance # Plot the importance of features

font = {'size' : 7}

plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

fig, ax1 = plt.subplots(figsize=(6, 3), dpi= 180, facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')

importance=rnd.feature\_importances\_

\_=prfrmnce\_plot(importance, title=f'Random Forest Algorithm to Rank Importance of Features to Predict Churn Customers'.

Neural Network

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model\_NN=ANN
(input\_dim=Smaller\_Training.shape[1], activation=
'relu',

dropout\_rate= False, neurons= 100 )

# Early stopping to avoid overfitting

monitor=

keras.callbacks.EarlyStopping(monitor='val\_loss', min\_delta=1e-5,patience=5, mode='auto')

history=model\_NN.fit(Smaller\_Training,Smaller\_Training\_Target,batch\_size=32,validation\_data=

(Validation, Validation\_Target), callbacks= [monitor], verbose=1, epochs=1000)

Epoch 1/1000
200/200 [======] - 1s 3ms/step - loss: 0.4440 - accuracy: 0.8061 - val_loss: 0.4116 - val_accuracy: 0.8356
Epoch 2/1000
200/200 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3962 - accuracy: 0.8333 - val_loss: 0.3923 - val_accuracy: 0.8394
Epoch 3/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3706 - accuracy: 0.8477 - val_loss: 0.3713 - val_accuracy: 0.8525
Epoch 4/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3500 - accuracy: 0.8531 - val_loss: 0.3720 - val_accuracy: 0.8619
Epoch 5/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3369 - accuracy: 0.8628 - val_loss: 0.3578 - val_accuracy: 0.8550
Epoch 6/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3270 - accuracy: 0.8678 - val_loss: 0.3498 - val_accuracy: 0.8625
Epoch 7/1000

200/200 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3182 - accuracy: 0.8728 - val_loss: 0.3549 - val_accuracy: 0.8587
Epoch 8/1000
200/200 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3140 - accuracy: 0.8744 - val_loss: 0.3475 - val_accuracy: 0.8594
Epoch 9/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3041 - accuracy: 0.8780 - val_loss: 0.3460 - val_accuracy: 0.8619
Epoch 10/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.3003 - accuracy: 0.8781 - val_loss: 0.3659 - val_accuracy: 0.8619
Epoch 11/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.2920 - accuracy: 0.8797 - val_loss: 0.3572 - val_accuracy: 0.8556
Epoch 12/1000
200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.2888 - accuracy: 0.8820 - val_loss: 0.3617 - val_accuracy: 0.8619
Epoch 13/1000

200/200 [=======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.2841 - accuracy: 0.8844 - val\_loss:

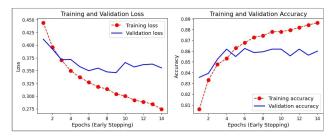
0.3628 - val\_accuracy: 0.8562

Epoch 14/1000

 $200/200 \; [============] - 0s$ 

2ms/step - loss: 0.2744 - accuracy: 0.8864 - val\_loss:

0.3553 - val\_accuracy: 0.8600



# Bootstraping (Neural Network)

Bootstrapping is run to achieve reliable number of epochs for neural network.

tf.get\_logger().setLevel(logging.ERROR) # Disable tensorflow warning

pred\_out\_of\_smpl= []

y\_out\_of\_smpl = []

acr\_out\_of\_smpl = []

```
# Apply 20 bootstraping sampling
n splits=20
boot =
StratifiedShuffleSplit(n splits=n splits,test size=0.2,
random state=42)
num = 0
ES epoches=[]
for train idx, validation idx in boot.split(X train std,
y train):
  num+=1
  x train = X train std[train idx]
  t_train = y_train[train_idx]
  x validation = X train std[validation idx]
  t validation = y train[validation idx]
  y_out_of_smpl.append(t_validation)
  # Call Function
  model.
epoch=BS ANN(x train=x train,y train=t train,
```

```
x_Validation=x_validation,y_Validation=t validation,
neurons=100, activation= 'relu',
       dropout rate= False)
  ES epoches.append(epoch)
  pred = model.predict(x validation)
  pred=[1 if i \ge 0.5 else 0 for i in pred]
  pred out of smpl.append(pred)
  acr=accuracy_score(t_validation, pred)
  reca=recall_score(t_validation, pred) # ==
TP/(TP+FN))
  acr_out_of_smpl.append(reca)
  # Record this
  print('Sample #'+str(num)+', Mean
Recall='+str(np.round(np.mean(acr_out_of_smpl),4))
     +', S.D.
Recall='+str(np.round(np.sqrt(np.var(acr_out_of_smpl
)),4))
```

+', Epoch='+str(epoch)+', Mean Epoch='+str(int(np.mean(ES_epoches))))
50/50 [=======] - 0s 899us/step
Sample #1, Mean Recall=0.4448, S.D. Recall=0.0, Epoch=10, Mean Epoch=10
50/50 [======] - 0s 857us/step
Sample #2, Mean Recall=0.4525, S.D. Recall=0.0077, Epoch=10, Mean Epoch=10
50/50 [======] - 0s 1ms/step
Sample #3, Mean Recall=0.4611, S.D. Recall=0.0138, Epoch=11, Mean Epoch=10
50/50 [======] - 0s 857us/step
Sample #4, Mean Recall=0.4609, S.D. Recall=0.012, Epoch=13, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 899us/step
Sample #5, Mean Recall=0.4663, S.D. Recall=0.0152, Epoch=15, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 898us/step

Sample #6, Mean Recall=0.4729, S.D. Recall=0.0203, Epoch=9, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 357us/step
Sample #7, Mean Recall=0.4667, S.D. Recall=0.0242, Epoch=9, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 939us/step
Sample #8, Mean Recall=0.4609, S.D. Recall=0.0273, Epoch=15, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 980us/step
Sample #9, Mean Recall=0.47, S.D. Recall=0.0365, Epoch=13, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 959us/step
Sample #10, Mean Recall=0.4687, S.D. Recall=0.0348, Epoch=11, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s Ims/step
Sample #11, Mean Recall=0.4702, S.D. Recall=0.0335, Epoch=11, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step

Sample #12, Mean Recall=0.4783, S.D. Recall=0.0419, Epoch=13, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 837us/step
Sample #13, Mean Recall=0.4792, S.D. Recall=0.0404, Epoch=11, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 837us/step
Sample #14, Mean Recall=0.4783, S.D. Recall=0.039, Epoch=12, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [=====] - 0s 918us/step
Sample #15, Mean Recall=0.4736, S.D. Recall=0.0416, Epoch=9, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 837us/step
Sample #16, Mean Recall=0.4751, S.D. Recall=0.0407, Epoch=12, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 899us/step
Sample #17, Mean Recall=0.478, S.D. Recall=0.0411, Epoch=12, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 837us/step

Sample #18, Mean Recall=0.4761, S.D. Recall=0.0407,
Epoch=10, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 852us/step
Sample #19, Mean Recall=0.4839, S.D. Recall=0.0514, Epoch=14, Mean Epoch=11
50/50 [======] - 0s 898us/step
Sample #20, Mean Recall=0.4888, S.D. Recall=0.0545, Epoch=9, Mean Epoch=11
# Call Function with fined-tune numebr of neurons
model_FNN=ANN (input_dim=X_train_std.shape[1], activation= 'relu',
dropout_rate= False, neurons= 100 )
# Early stopping to avoid overfitting
history=model_FNN.fit(X_train_std, y_train,batch_size=32,verbose=1,epochs=11)
Epoch 1/11
250/250 [=======] - 1s 1ms/step - loss: 0.4393 - accuracy: 0.8040
Epoch 2/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3931 - accuracy: 0.8365

Epoch 3/11
250/250 [======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3624 - accuracy: 0.8516
Epoch 4/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3447 - accuracy: 0.8593
Epoch 5/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3349 - accuracy: 0.8655
Epoch 6/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3252 - accuracy: 0.8679
Epoch 7/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3197 - accuracy: 0.8673
Epoch 8/11
250/250 [======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3152 - accuracy: 0.8705
Epoch 9/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3118 - accuracy: 0.8698
Epoch 10/11
250/250 [=======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 0.3039 - accuracy: 0.8754

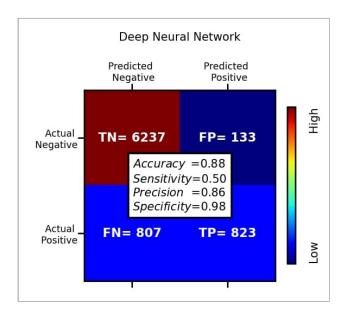
```
Epoch 11/11
250/250 [===========] - 0s
1ms/step - loss: 0.3013 - accuracy: 0.8754
font = {'size' : 6}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
i=7
pred = model FNN.predict(X train std)
y train proba ai=pred
y_train_pred=np.array([1 if i >= 0.5 else 0 for i in
pred])
tmp1,tmp2,tmp3,tmp4=prfrmnce_plot.Conf_Matrix(y_
train,y_train_pred.reshape(-1,1),axt=ax1,
t_fontsize=6,x_fontsize=5,y_fontsize=5,title='Deep
Neural Network')
Train_Accu[i]=tmp1; Train_Pre[i]=tmp2;
Train_Rec[i]=tmp3; Train_Spe[i]=tmp4
```

# save the model to disk

filename[i] = './Trained Models/'

model\_FNN.save(os.path.join(filename[i],"NN\_model. h5"))

250/250 [======] - 0s 839us/step



## **ROC Chart for Training set**

The receiver operating characteristic (ROC) curve is another common tool used with binary classifiers. It is very similar to the precision/recall curve, but instead of plotting precision versus recall, the ROC curve plots the true positive rate (another name for recall) against the false positive rate. The FPR is the ratio of negative instances that are incorrectly classified as positive. It is equal to one minus the true negative rate, which is the ratio of negative instances that are correctly classified as negative. The TNR is also called specificity. Hence the ROC curve plots sensitivity (recall) versus 1 – specificity.

For more information and details about ROC, see ROC

Thus every point on the ROC curve represents a chosen cut-off even though you cannot see this cut-off. What you can see is the true positive fraction and the false positive fraction that you will get when you choose this cut-off.

```
font = {'size' : 12}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig,ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(6.5,6), dpi= 120,
facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')
prediction_prob=[y_train_proba_dc,
y_train_proba_sgd,y_train_proba_lr,y_train_proba_dt,
```

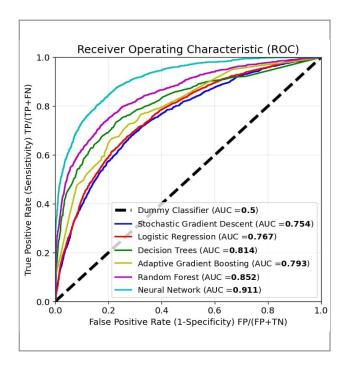
y\_train\_proba\_ada,y\_train\_proba\_rnd,y\_train\_proba\_
ai]

predictor\_name=['Dummy Classifier','Stochastic Gradient Descent','Logistic Regression','Decision Trees',

'Adaptive Gradient Boosting','Random Forest','Neural Network']

prfrmnce\_plot.AUC(prediction\_prob,np.array(y\_train)
, n\_algorithm=len(predictor\_name),
label=predictor\_name

,title='Receiver



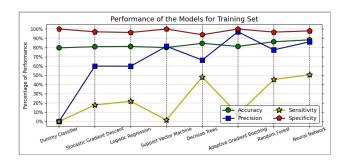
The best model is neural network with AUC=0.91 followed by Random Forest (AUC=0.85). Lets compare accuracy, sensitivity, specificity and precision of the classifiers.

Performance of the Models on Training Set

font = {'size' :9 }
plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

```
ax2 = ax1.twinx()
fig, ax1 = plt.subplots(figsize=(10, 3.7), dpi= 120,
facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')
ax1.plot(predictor,Train Accu*100,'go-
',linewidth=1,path effects=[pe.Stroke(linewidth=2,
foreground='k'), pe.Normal()],
markersize=9,label='Accuracy',markeredgecolor='k')
ax1.plot(predictor,Train Pre*100,'bs-
',linewidth=1,path_effects=[pe.Stroke(linewidth=2,
foreground='k'), pe.Normal()],
markersize=8.5,label='Precision',markeredgecolor='k'
)
ax1.plot(predictor,Train_Rec*100,'y*-
',linewidth=2,path effects=[pe.Stroke(linewidth=2,
foreground='k'), pe.Normal()],
markersize=12,label='Sensitivity',markeredgecolor='k
')
ax1.plot(predictor,Train_Spe*100,'rp-
',linewidth=1,path effects=[pe.Stroke(linewidth=2,
foreground='k'), pe.Normal()],
```

```
markersize=10,label='Specificity',markeredgecolor='k
')
ax1.set xticks(np.arange(len(predictor)))
ax1.set xticklabels(predictor,y=0.03, rotation=19)
ax1.xaxis.grid(color='k', linestyle='--', linewidth=0.8)
ax1.yaxis.grid(color='k', linestyle='--', linewidth=0.2)
plt.ylabel('Percentage of Performance',fontsize=10)
plt.title('Performance of the Models for Training
Set'.fontsize=14)
legend=plt.legend(ncol=2.loc=4.fontsize='11'.framealp
ha = 0.8)
legend.get_frame().set_edgecolor("black")
ax1.yaxis.set major formatter(mtick.PercentFormatte
r())
plt.yticks([0,10,20,30,40,50,60,70,80,90,100],y=0,
fontsize=9)
ax1.vaxis.set ticks position('both')
#plt.ylim(0.55,0.75)
plt.show()
```

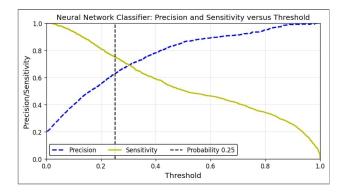


Sensitivity is very low for all classifiers that lead to very high false negatives. This is problematic for customer churn since we want to minimize false negatives prediction. We can change the threshold to decrease precision that leads to increase sensitivity. See the Figure below for the plot of precision and sensitivity for each threshold for Neural Network. By decreasing the threshold from 0.5 to 0.29, sensitivity will increase.

```
font = {'size' : 10}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(8,4), dpi= 120, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
```

pred=y\_train\_proba\_ai

precisions, sensitivity, thresholds =
precision\_recall\_curve(y\_train, pred)
threshold\_ = 0.25
plot\_precision\_recall\_vs\_threshold(precisions, sensitivity, thresholds,x=threshold\_)
plt.show()



Now calculate the sensitivity and precision again with threshold 0.25. Sensitivity increases to 0.72 but precision decreases to 0.65. This threshold will apply for test set and future data.

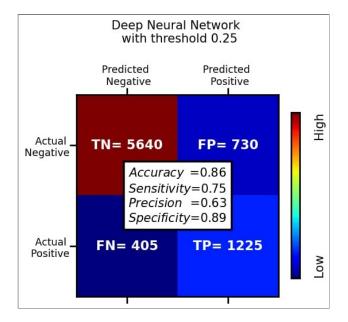
font = {'size' : 6}
plt.rc('font', \*\*font)

fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w', edgecolor='k')

ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)

 $y_p=np.array([1 if i \ge threshold_else 0 for i in pred])$ 

\_,\_,\_=prfrmnce\_plot.Conf\_Matrix(y\_train,y\_p.reshap e(-1,1),axt=ax1,



### Test Set

Process the test data using the same approach and statistics from training set.

```
# Data Processing
# Convert Geography to one-hot-encoding
Geog 1hot=pd.get dummies(test set strat['Geography'
],prefix='Geography')
# Convert gender to 0 and 1
ordinal encoder = OrdinalEncoder()
test set strat['Gender'] =
ordinal encoder.fit transform(test set strat[['Gender'
11)
# Remove 'Geography'
test_set_strat=test_set_strat.drop(['Geography'],axis=1,
inplace=False)
test_set_strat=pd.concat([Geog_1hot,test set strat],
axis=1) # Concatenate rows
# Standardize data
X_test = test_set_strat.drop("Exited", axis=1)
y_test = test_set_strat["Exited"].values
#
```

```
clmn=
['Geography_France','Geography_Germany','Geograph
y Spain',
'Gender','NumOfProducts','HasCrCard','IsActiveMemb
er'l
X test for std = X test.drop(clmn, axis=1)
X test not std = X test[clmn]
features colums=list(X test for std.columns)+list(X te
st not std.columns)
#
fname = './Trained Models/scaler.sav'
scaler_model = pickle.load(open(fname, 'rb'))
#
```

Prediction on Never Seen before Data

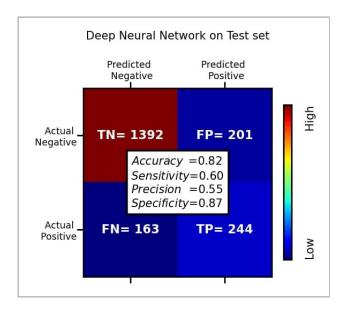
X\_test\_std=np.concatenate

df test std=scaler model.transform(X test for std)

Load the trained Neural Network model and apply for prediction of test set.

Now apply threshold that we applied for training set. The Figure below shows the calculated metrics for test sets.

```
filename = './Trained Models'
loaded model =
keras.models.load model(os.path.join(filename,"NN
model.h5"))
pred=loaded model.predict(X test std)
63/63 [========] - 0s
903us/step
font = {'size' : 6}
plt.rc('font', **font)
fig = plt.subplots(figsize=(5, 5), dpi= 250, facecolor='w',
edgecolor='k')
ax1=plt.subplot(1,2,1)
y_p=np.array([1 if i >= threshold_ else 0 for i in pred])
______=prfrmnce_plot.Conf_Matrix(y_test,y_p.reshape(
-1,1),axt=ax1.
      t fontsize=6,
```



The sensitivity and precision have been reduced for test set because of the model has not seen the data during training. The performance can be enhanced by increasing more training data

### Train Final Model with all Data

The final step is training the best model (Neural Network) with entire data to take advantage of all data data to train a better model. The same hyper parameters should be applied.

```
# Data Processing
```

```
# Read data 'Churn_Modelling.csv'
df = pd.read csv('./Data/Churn Modelling.csv')
```

# Remove 'RowNumber','CustomerId','Surname' features that are un

df=df.drop(['RowNumber','CustomerId','Surname'],axi s=1,inplace=False)

# Shuffle the data

np.random.seed(32)

df=df.reindex(np.random.permutation(df.index))

df.reset\_index(inplace=True, drop=True) # Reset
index

# Convert Geography to one-hot-encoding

Geog\_1hot=pd.get\_dummies(df['Geography'],prefix='Geography')

# Convert gender to 0 and 1

```
ordinal_encoder = OrdinalEncoder()
df['Gender'] =
ordinal encoder.fit transform(df[['Gender']])
# Remove 'Geography'
df set strat=df.drop(['Geography'],axis=1,inplace=Fals
e)
df_set_strat=pd.concat([Geog_1hot,df_set_strat],
axis=1) # Concatenate rows
# Standardize data
X_df = df_set_strat.drop("Exited", axis=1)
v df = df set strat["Exited"].values
#
clmn=
['Geography_France','Geography_Germany','Geograph
y_Spain',
'Gender','NumOfProducts','HasCrCard','IsActiveMemb
er'l
X_for_std = X_df.drop(clmn, axis=1)
X_not_std = X_df[clmn]
features colums=list(X for std.columns)+list(clmn)
```

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scaler = StandardScaler() scaler.fit(X for std) df std=scaler.transform(X for std) X test std=np.concatenate((X for std,X not std), axis=1) # Retain Neural Network with entire data Final Model=ANN (input dim=X for std.shape[1], activation= 'relu'. dropout rate= False, neurons= 100) history=Final\_Model.fit(X\_for\_std, v df,batch size=32,verbose=1,epochs=11) Epoch 1/11 2ms/step - loss: 88.0091 - accuracy: 0.6745 Epoch 2/11 2ms/step - loss: 12.5444 - accuracy: 0.6775 Epoch 3/11 313/313 [=========== - - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 5.0050 - accuracy: 0.6806 Epoch 4/11

313/313 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 3.1567 - accuracy: 0.6871
Epoch 5/11
313/313 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 1.7455 - accuracy: 0.6909
Epoch 6/11
313/313 [======] - 0s 1ms/step - loss: 1.6542 - accuracy: 0.6924
Epoch 7/11
313/313 [======] - 1s 2ms/step - loss: 0.7191 - accuracy: 0.7439
Epoch 8/11
313/313 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.6707 - accuracy: 0.7428
Epoch 9/11
313/313 [======] - 1s 2ms/step - loss: 0.6263 - accuracy: 0.7584
Epoch 10/11
313/313 [======] - 1s 2ms/step - loss: 0.6046 - accuracy: 0.7596
Epoch 11/11
313/313 [======] - 0s 2ms/step - loss: 0.6500 - accuracy: 0.7458
# Save final model to disk

filename = './Trained\_Models/'
model\_FNN.save(os.path.join