# **Exploring Employee Turnover**

An in-depth analysis for leading causes of attrition at DDSAnalytics

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The Unofficial Intelligence Data Science Team

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# **Bottom Line Up Front**

#### Four factors:

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# **Initial Analysis**

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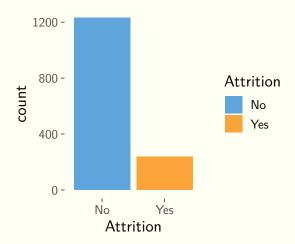
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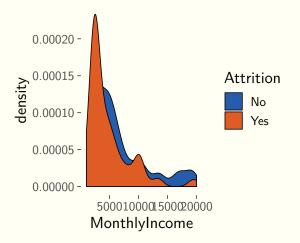
### **Attrition**



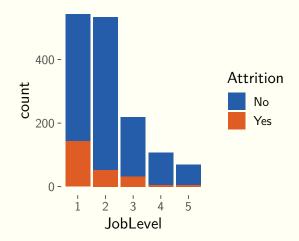
### **Attrition**

	Attrition	Proportion
1	No	0.84
2	Yes	0.16

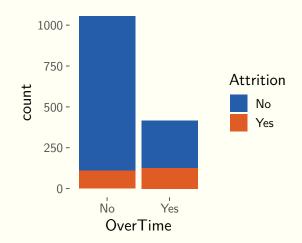
Proportion of Attrition



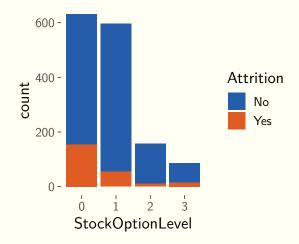
Monthly Income deserves further investigation



Job Level seems like an important variable

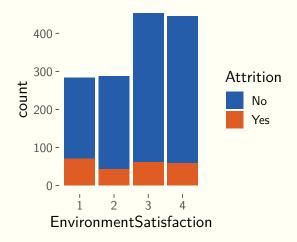


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Stock options seem to lower attrition

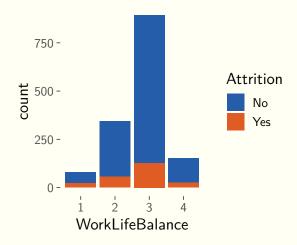
#### **Exploratory Graphics**



As does a healthy working environment

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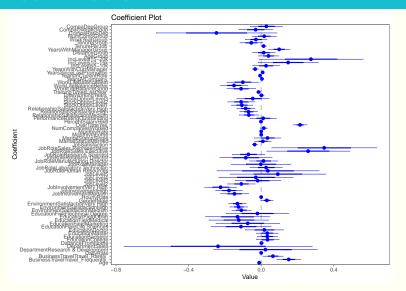
Work Life Balance also appears to combat attrition

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# **In-Depth Analysis**

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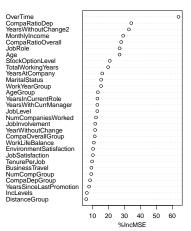
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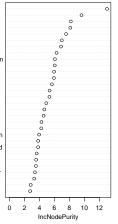
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#### Random Forests

#### VariableImportance







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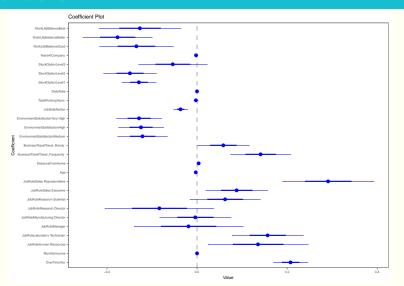
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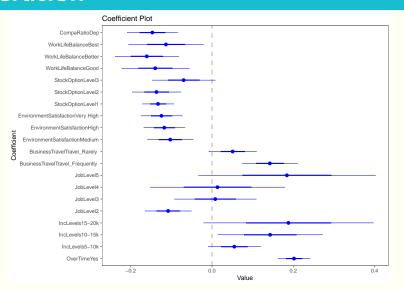
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- Added features
- Removed unimportant variables

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# **Executive Summary** and Next Steps

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- Engineered Features : 14
- Number of models : > 50

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#### Questions