

Pentathlon II

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Setup

Create an rmarkdown document in which you calculate the LTV for each of the plans over a period of 104 weeks using the average subscription churn and revenue numbers provided on below. Generate a line plot to compare the five LTV curves. Are your results consistent with your answer to question 3 in the pentathlon-II.pdf file on Dropbox? Why (or why not)?

Hints

This is an R Markdown document. Markdown is a simple formatting syntax for authoring HTML, PDF, and MS Word documents. For more details on using R Markdown see <http://rmarkdown.rstudio.com>. Go to <http://commonmark.org/help/> for a 10-minute interactive Markdown tutorial

When you click the **Knit** button in Rstudio, a document will be generated that includes both the text you type as well as the output of any embedded R-code chunks within the document.

Analysis

The code chunk below sets the values for the different variables you should use in your analysis. Note that you still have to calculate the weekly discount rate based on the annual discount rate mentioned below.

```
weeks <- 1:104
discount <- .1 ## annual discount rate
discount_weekly <- discount/52
cost <- .6
net_factor <- 0.4

## Pentathlon II (1 email per week)
schurn1 <- .005650      ## subscription churn
rev_sub1 <- .29          ## average revenue from subscribers
rev_unsub1 <- .1225      ## average revenue from non-subscribers

## Pentathlon II (2 emails per week)
schurn2 <- .00755
rev_sub2 <- .34125
rev_unsub2 <- .12375

## Pentathlon II (3 emails per week)
schurn3 <- 0.02345
rev_sub3 <- .35375
rev_unsub3 <- .15

## Pentathlon II (4 emails per week)
schurn4 <- 0.040388
rev_sub4 <- .355
rev_unsub4 <- .1325
```

```
## Pentathlon II (5 emails per week)
schurn5 <- 0.063025
rev_sub5 <- .358750
rev_unsub5 <- .13
```

Create a code chunk that contains a function that you can call to calculate the LTV for each of the 5 email plans.

```
## insert ltv function below
## determine what arguments the function needs to generate the required
## return value
ltv <- function(schurn, rev_sub, rev_unsub) {
  ## weekwise effective subscribers after churning through unsubscription
  subscriber <- rep(100,104)
  for(i in 2:104){
    subscriber[i] <- subscriber[i-1] - subscriber[i-1]*(schurn)
  }
  ## weekwise effective unsubscribers being added after churning through unsubscription
  unsubsubscriber <- rep(0,104)
  total_cust <- rep(100,104)

  for(i in 2:104){
    unsubsubscriber[i] <- unsubsubscriber[i-1] + (subscriber[i-1]- subscriber[i])
    total_cust[i] <- unsubsubscriber[i] + subscriber[i]
  }
  ## total customers will stay the same over the weeks as everybody is buying
  ## and churning implies conversion from subscriber to non- subscriber only

  ## profit = (1-0.6)* revenue (respective subscriber or unsubsubscriber category)
  rev_sub_post_attr <- rev_sub* subscriber
  profit_sub_post_attr <- 0.4*rev_sub_post_attr

  rev_unsub_post_attr <- rev_unsub*unsubsubscriber
  profit_unsub_post_attr <- 0.4*rev_unsub_post_attr

  ## effective profit after converting to NPV;
  ## weekly discount rate=(annual discount rate)/(52 * 100)
  effective_subs_profit <- rep(0,104)
  for(i in 1:104){
    effective_subs_profit[i] <- profit_sub_post_attr[i] /(1+discount_weekly)**i
  }

  effective_unsubs_profit <- rep(0,104)
  for(i in 1:104){
    effective_unsubs_profit[i] <- profit_unsub_post_attr[i] /(1+discount_weekly)**i
  }

  ## customer overall profit = weekly eff profit from subscribers and unsubscribers.
  total_cust_profit <- effective_subs_profit + effective_unsubs_profit
  total_cust_profit_std <- total_cust_profit/100

  ## Cumulated LTV vector = previos weeks LTV + addtional effective profit expected at the end of
```

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## current week LTV[week i] = LTV[week i-1] + additional value for last week
LTV_vect <- rep(total_cust_profit_std[1],104)
for( i in 2:104){
  LTV_vect[i] <- LTV_vect[i-1] + total_cust_profit_std[i]
}

LTV_sub_104 <- sum(effective_subs_profit)
LTV_unsub_104 <- sum(effective_unsubs_profit)
LTV_total_104 <- LTV_sub_104 + LTV_unsub_104

##For 100 customer --> per customer
LTV_total_std_104 <- LTV_total_104/100
print(LTV_total_std_104)
return(LTV_vect)
}

```

Next, create a tibble (or data.frame) with 6 columns. Five columns for the LTV series for each of the plans and one column for the `weeks` variable defined above. Call the `ltv` function you created above to fill-in the columns.

```

## LTV vectors for 5 different email schemes:
e1 <- ltv(schurn1, rev_sub1, rev_unsub1)

## [1] 9.442921
e2 <- ltv(schurn2, rev_sub2, rev_unsub2)

## [1] 10.42634
e3 <- ltv(schurn3, rev_sub3, rev_unsub3)

## [1] 8.639796
e4 <- ltv(schurn4, rev_sub4, rev_unsub4)

## [1] 7.071249
e5 <- ltv(schurn5, rev_sub5, rev_unsub5)

## [1] 6.304762

## create the tibble (data.frame)
LTV_Tibble <- data.frame(weeks, e1, e2,e3,e4,e5)

print("First 6 weeks")

## [1] "First 6 weeks"
head(LTV_Tibble)

```

```

##   weeks      e1      e2      e3      e4      e5
## 1     1 0.1157774 0.1362380 0.1412284 0.1417274 0.1432246
## 2     2 0.2309554 0.2715602 0.2802819 0.2796021 0.2804296
## 3     3 0.3455381 0.4059745 0.4172129 0.4137826 0.4119989
## 4     4 0.4595295 0.5394888 0.5520724 0.5444209 0.5382917
## 5     5 0.5729334 0.6721109 0.6849102 0.6716624 0.6596438
## 6     6 0.6857539 0.8038484 0.8157748 0.7956466 0.7763691

```

```
print("Last 6 weeks")
```

```
## [1] "Last 6 weeks"
```

```
tail(LTV_Tibble)
```

```
##      weeks      e1      e2      e3      e4      e5
## 99      99 9.086127 10.05654 8.362672 6.847710 6.090504
## 100     100 9.158114 10.13129 8.418604 6.892685 6.133534
## 101     101 9.229785 10.20564 8.474277 6.937525 6.176475
## 102     102 9.301142 10.27960 8.529698 6.982231 6.219326
## 103     103 9.372186 10.35316 8.584869 7.026805 6.262088
## 104     104 9.442921 10.42634 8.639796 7.071249 6.304762
```

Next, generate three line plots that compare the LTV curves for each of the five plans. The first graphs should plot weeks 1 through 8. The second graph should plot weeks 1 through 52 and the final graph should show weeks 1 through 104.

PLOTS

- Comparison of weekwise LTV for different email frequency for week 1 to week 8

```
## Loading tidyverse: tibble
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## Loading tidyverse: tidyr
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## Loading tidyverse: readr
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## Loading tidyverse: purrr
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## Loading tidyverse: dplyr
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## Conflicts with tidy packages -----
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## filter(): dplyr, stats
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## lag():      dplyr, stats
```

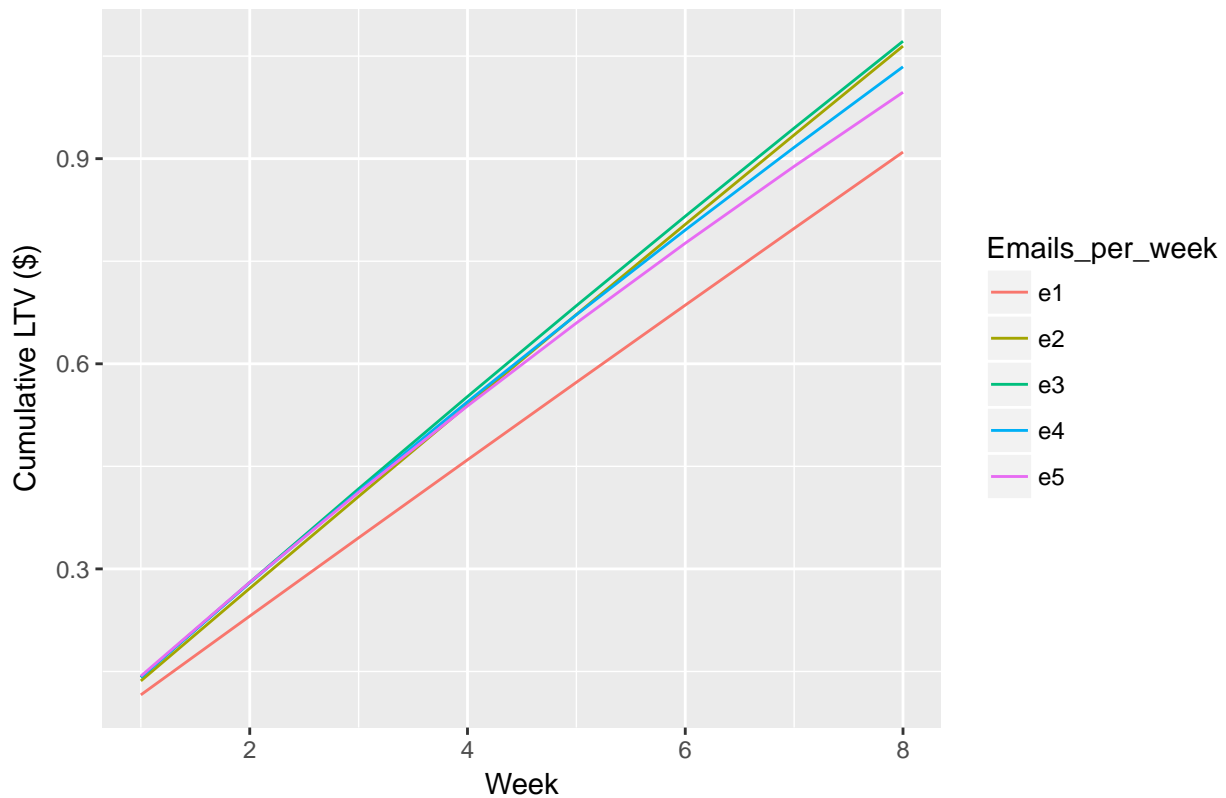
```
## generate graph 1
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LTV_gather_8 <- gather(data = LTV_Tibble[1:8,],key = "Email", value = "LTV", -weeks)
```

```
colnames(LTV_gather_8) <- c("Week", "Emails_per_week", "Weekwise_LTV")
```

```
ggplot(data = LTV_gather_8,mapping = aes(x = Week,y=Weekwise_LTV, color= Emails_per_week))+geom_line()+
  xlab("Week") + ylab("Cumulative LTV ($)")
```

Comparison of weekwise LTV for different email frequency: week 1:8

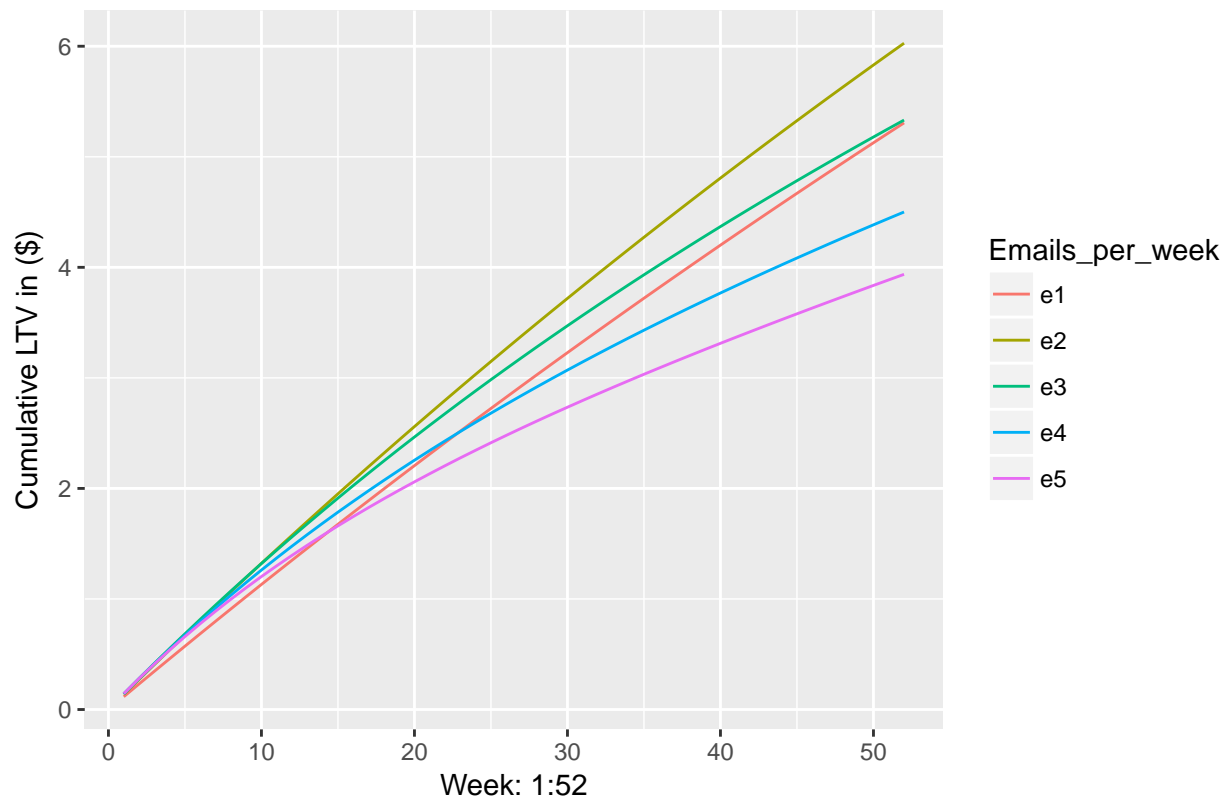


- Comparison of weekwise LTV for different email frequency for week 1 to week 52

```
## generate graph 2
LTV_gather_52 <- gather(data = LTV_Tibble[1:52,], key = "Email", value = "LTV", -weeks)
colnames(LTV_gather_52) <- c("Week", "Emails_per_week", "Weekwise_LTV")

ggplot(data = LTV_gather_52, mapping = aes(x = Week, y = Weekwise_LTV, color = Email)) + geom_line()
  xlab("Week: 1:52") + ylab("Cumulative LTV in ($)")
```

Comparison of weekwise LTV for different email frequency: week 1–52

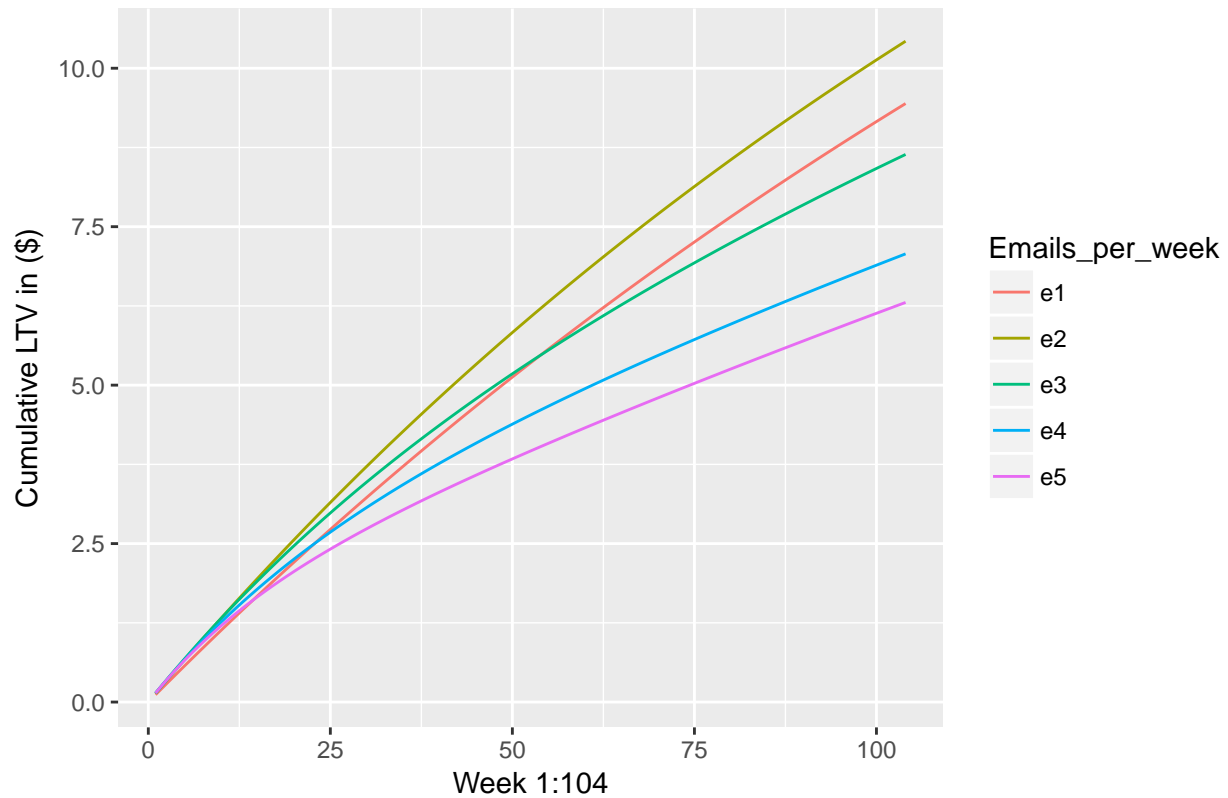


Comparison of weekwise LTV for different email frequency for week 1 to week 104

```
## generate graph 3
LTV_gather_104 <- gather(data = LTV_Tibble[1:104,],key = "Email", value = "LTV", -weeks)
colnames(LTV_gather_104) <- c("Week", "Emails_per_week", "Weekwise_LTV")

ggplot(data = LTV_gather_104,mapping = aes(x = Week,y=Weekwise_LTV, color= Emails_per_week))+geom_line(
  xlab("Week 1:104") + ylab("Cumulative LTV in ($)")
```

Comparison of weekwise LTV for different email frequency: week 1–104



Please generate a pdf file with your results and upload it to TED together with a document containing your answers to all the questions listed in the pentathlon-II.pdf file on Dropbox.

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