# Gender Neutrality and Inclusion Using Machine Learning

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### **Methods Tried**

- Data Engineering:
  - Feature Binning, Aggregation.
  - Normalization of Continuous Values
  - Normalization of Target
  - Value[Fitment Percentage]

- Statistical Models for Classification:
  - Tree Models
    - Xgboost, CatBoost and LightGBM.
- Models for Regression:
  - LinearRegression, KNeighborsRegressor
  - Lasso, ElasticNet
  - DecisionTreeRegressor, GradientBoosting Regressor

## What Worked:

**Model:**The three models performed equally well but LightGBM

performed a little better.

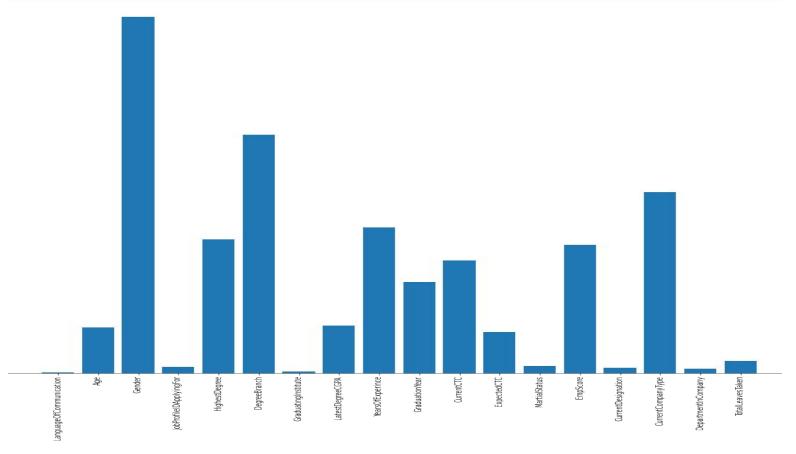
**Data Handling:** Binning of continuous values was performed but simple normalization performed better.

#### Results

Using a 5 fold CV the GBM based Bias-Influential classifier achieved an ROC of ~0.99 on 20% of the hold-out test data.

The GB Regressor achieved an MAE of 5.60 on the same test set.

\*The NaN values were imputed using a ml model



**Final Conclusion:** Gender, Degree Branch and Current Company Type seems to be the most important in deciding the Bias.

## Notebook

For More Detailed Understanding of the technique including the comparative analysis see:

https://colab.research.google.com/drive/1zK1m0FicTBJoJMmKc R\_4m8qWR2uMDta7?usp=sharinq