Data-Driven Approach To Predict Success Of Bank Telemarketing

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Objectives

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Nowadays, marketing spending in the banking industry is massive, meaning that it is essential for banks to optimize marketing strategies and improve effectiveness. Understanding customers' need leads to more effective marketing plans, smarter product designs and greater customer satisfaction. The main objective of this project is to increase the effectiveness of the bank's telemarketing campaign. This project will enable the bank to develop a more granular understanding of its customer base, predict customers' response to its telemarketing campaign and establish a target customer profile for future marketing plans.

By analyzing customer features, such as demographics and transaction history, the bank will be able to predict customer saving behaviours and identify which type of customers is more likely to make term deposits. The bank can then focus its marketing efforts on those customers. This will not only allow the bank to secure deposits more effectively but also increase customer satisfaction by reducing undesirable advertisements for certain customers.

We are given the data of direct marketing campaigns (phone calls) of a Portuguese banking institution. The classification goal is to predict if the client will subscribe a term deposit (target variable y). The goal here is to model the probability of buying, as a function of the customer features.

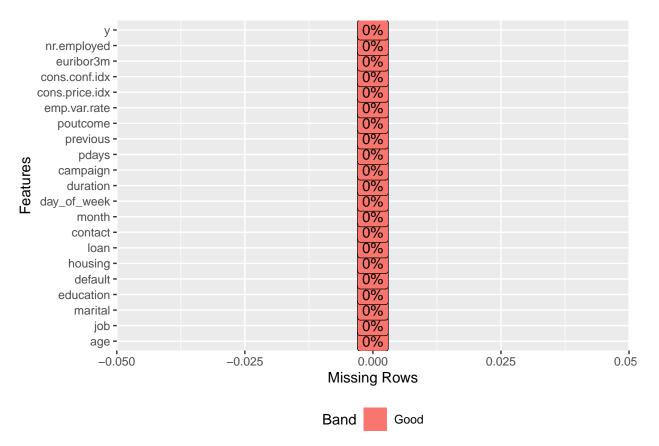
Data Description

• Data set which is utilized for this research has been taken from University of California, Irvine machine learning repository (https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Bank+Marketing?package=regsel&ver sion=0.2) which is openly available for the public for research purpose. The dataset contains 41188 marketing campaigns observations with 20 input features. The details of 20 attributes are following.

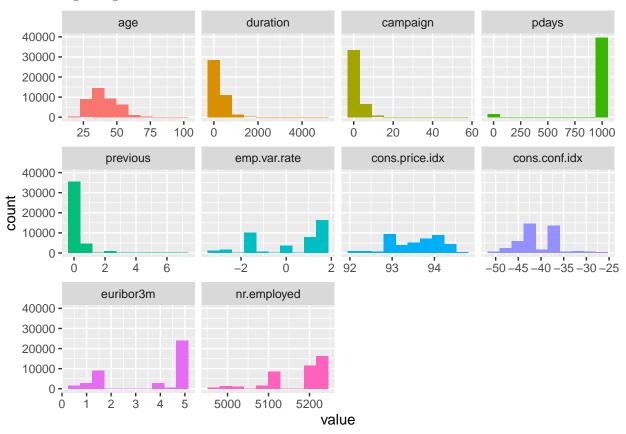
Names	Description	
age	Numeric - Age of the client	
job	Categorical - Type of Job	
marital	Categorical - Marital Status of Client	
education	Categorical - Education qualification of client	
default	Categorical - Has credit in default?	
housing	Categorical - Has housing loan?	
loan	Categorical - Has personal loan?	
contact	Categorical - Contact like cellular, telephone	
month	Categorical - Last Contact Month of Year	
day_of_week	Categorical - Last Contact Day of the Week	
duration	Numerical - Last Contact Duration in Seconds	
campaign	Numerical - No of contacts performed for Campaign	
pdays	Numerical - No of days passed after previous campaign contact.	
previous	Numerical - No of contacts performed before this campaign for this	
	client	
poutcome	Categorical - Outcome of the previous marketing campaign	
emp.var.rate	Numerical - Employment Variation Rate - quarterly indicator	
cons.price.idx	Numerical - Consumer price index - monthly indicator	
cons.conf.idx	Numerical - Consumer confidence index - monthly indicator	
euribor3m	Numerical- Euribor 3 month rate - daily indicator	
nr.employed	Numerical- No of employees - quarterly indicator	
У	Categorical- Has the client subscribed a term deposit?	

Data Analysis

 $\bullet\,$ Plot missing values of all the features in the dataset.



• Ploting histograms for numerical variables.

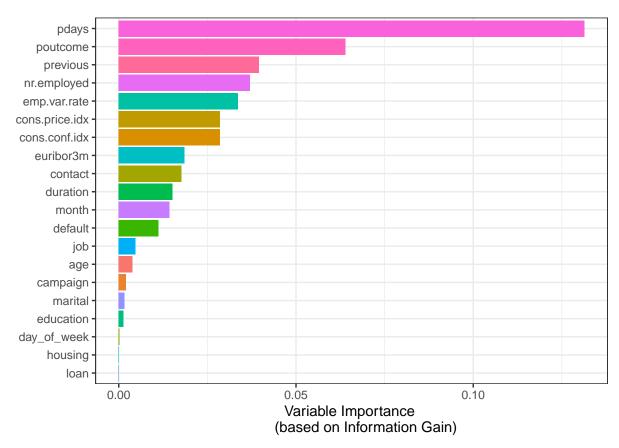


 Get metric table with many indicators for all numerical variables, automatically skipping the nonnumerical variables.

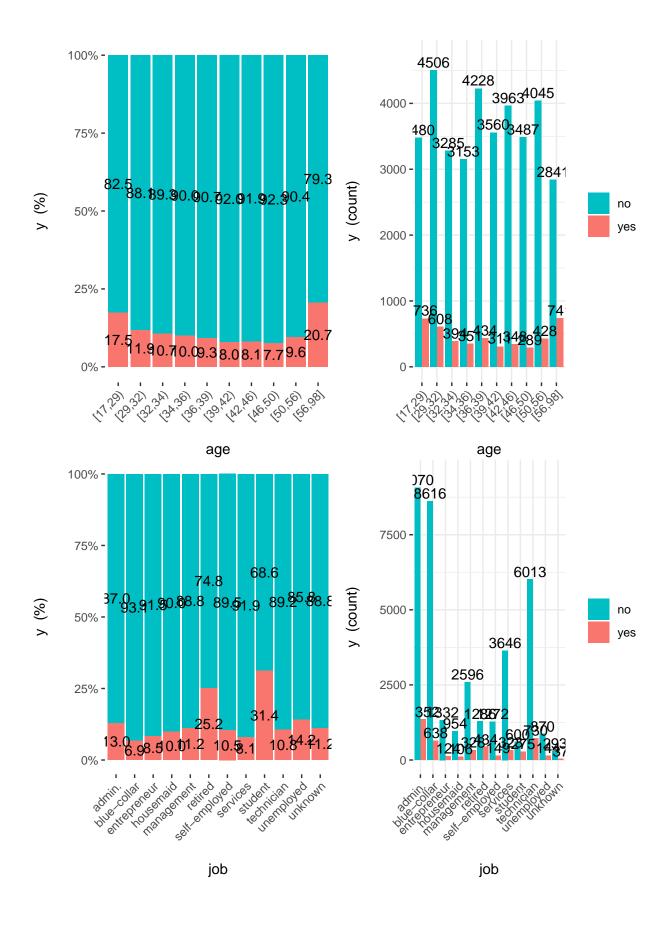
```
##
            variable
                                         std_dev variation_coef
                                                                                 p_05
                               mean
                                                                        p_01
## 1
                        40.0240604
                                     10.4212500
                                                                    23.00000
                                                                               26.000
                  age
                                                    0.260374632
## 2
            duration
                       258.2850102 259.2792488
                                                    1.003849386
                                                                   11.00000
                                                                               36.000
## 3
                                                                                1.000
            campaign
                         2.5675925
                                      2.7700135
                                                    1.078836903
                                                                    1.00000
                       962.4754540 186.9109073
## 4
               pdays
                                                    0.194198103
                                                                    3.00000
                                                                              999.000
## 5
            previous
                         0.1729630
                                      0.4949011
                                                    2.861311858
                                                                    0.00000
                                                                                0.000
## 6
                                      1.5709597
                                                                               -2.900
                         0.0818855
                                                   19.184834048
                                                                   -3.40000
        emp.var.rate
## 7
      cons.price.idx
                        93.5756644
                                      0.5788400
                                                    0.006185797
                                                                    92.20100
                                                                               92.713
## 8
       cons.conf.idx
                       -40.5026003
                                      4.6281979
                                                   -0.114269154
                                                                  -49.50000
                                                                              -47.100
## 9
           euribor3m
                         3.6212908
                                      1.7344474
                                                    0.478958331
                                                                    0.65848
                                                                                0.797
## 10
         nr.employed 5167.0359109
                                     72.2515277
                                                    0.013983167 4963.60000 5017.500
                    p_50
                                                 p_99
##
          p_25
                              p_75
                                       p_95
                                                         skewness
                                                                   kurtosis
                                                                                 iqr
                            47.000
## 1
        32.000
                  38.000
                                     58.000
                                               71.000
                                                       0.7846682
                                                                   3.791070
                                                                              15.000
## 2
       102.000
                 180.000
                          319.000
                                    752.650 1271.130
                                                       3.2630224 23.245334 217.000
## 3
         1.000
                   2.000
                             3.000
                                      7.000
                                               14.000
                                                       4.7623333 39.975160
                                                                               2.000
## 4
       999.000
                 999.000
                          999.000
                                    999.000
                                              999.000 -4.9220107 25.226619
                                                                               0.000
## 5
         0.000
                   0.000
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                                      1.000
                                                2.000
                                                       3.8319027 23.106230
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## 6
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                   1.100
                             1.400
                                      1.400
                                                1.400 -0.7240692
                                                                   1.937352
                                                                               3.200
## 7
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                            93.994
                                               94.465 -0.2308792
                                                                   2.170146
                  93.749
                                     94.465
                                                                               0.919
## 8
       -42.700
                 -41.800
                           -36.400
                                    -33.600
                                              -26.900
                                                       0.3031688
                                                                   2.641340
                                                                               6.300
## 9
         1.344
                   4.857
                             4.961
                                      4.966
                                                4.968 -0.7091621
                                                                   1.593222
                                                                               3.617
## 10 5099.100 5191.000 5228.100 5228.100 5228.100 -1.0442244
                                                                   2.996094 129.000
##
               range 98
                                 range 80
## 1
               [23, 71]
                                 [28, 55]
## 2
          [11, 1271.13]
                                [59, 551]
## 3
                [1, 14]
                                   [1, 5]
## 4
               [3, 999]
                               [999, 999]
## 5
                 [0, 2]
                                   [0, 1]
## 6
            [-3.4, 1.4]
                              [-1.8, 1.4]
## 7
      [92.201, 94.465]
                        [92.893, 94.465]
## 8
        [-49.5, -26.9]
                           [-46.2, -36.1]
## 9
      [0.65848, 4.968]
                           [1.046, 4.964]
## 10 [4963.6, 5228.1] [5076.2, 5228.1]
```

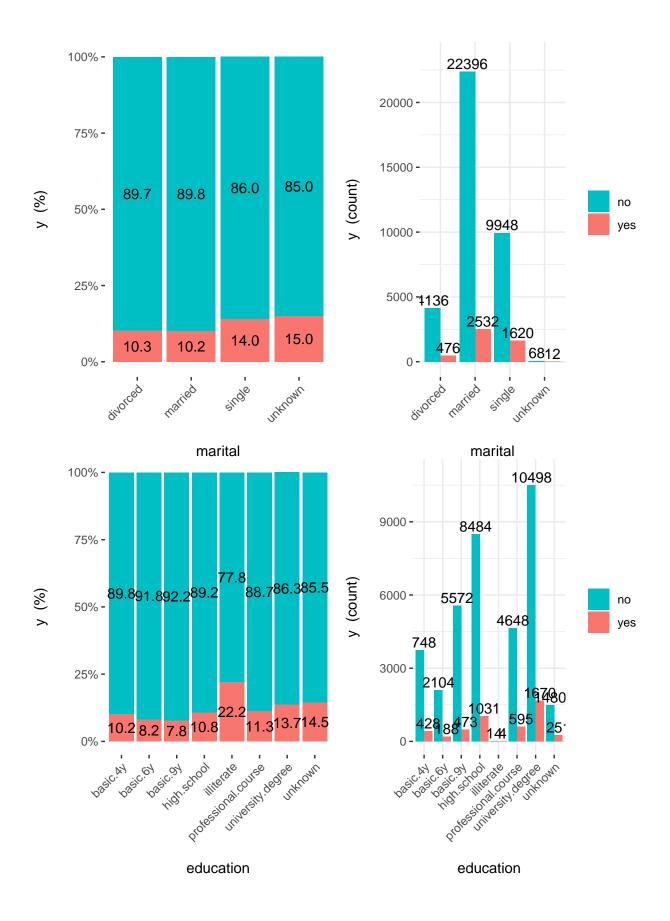
Variable Importance & Crossplot to Deposit

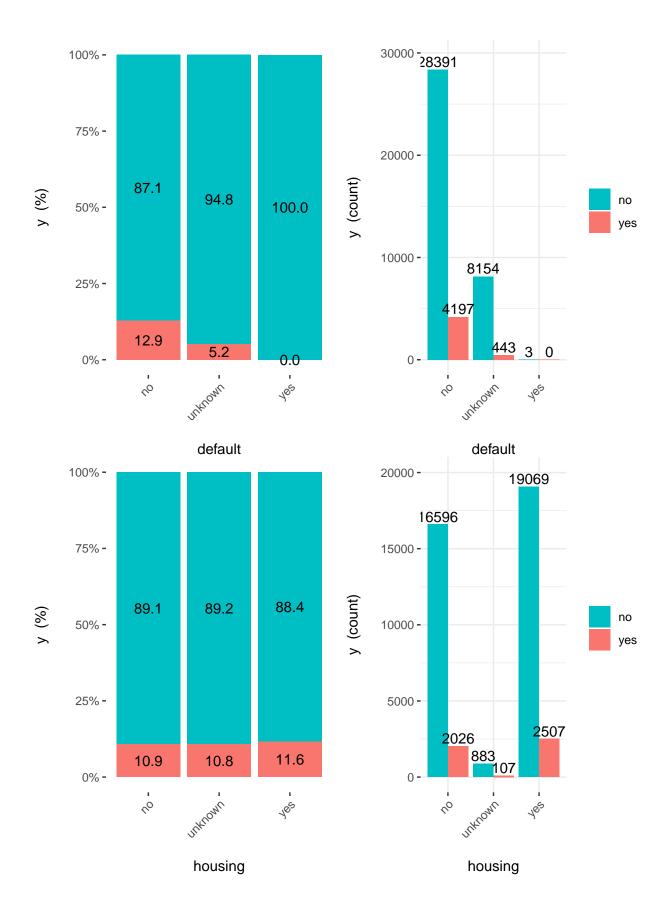
• Plot variable importance with several metrics such as entropy (en), mutual information(mi), information gain (ig) and gain ratio (gr).

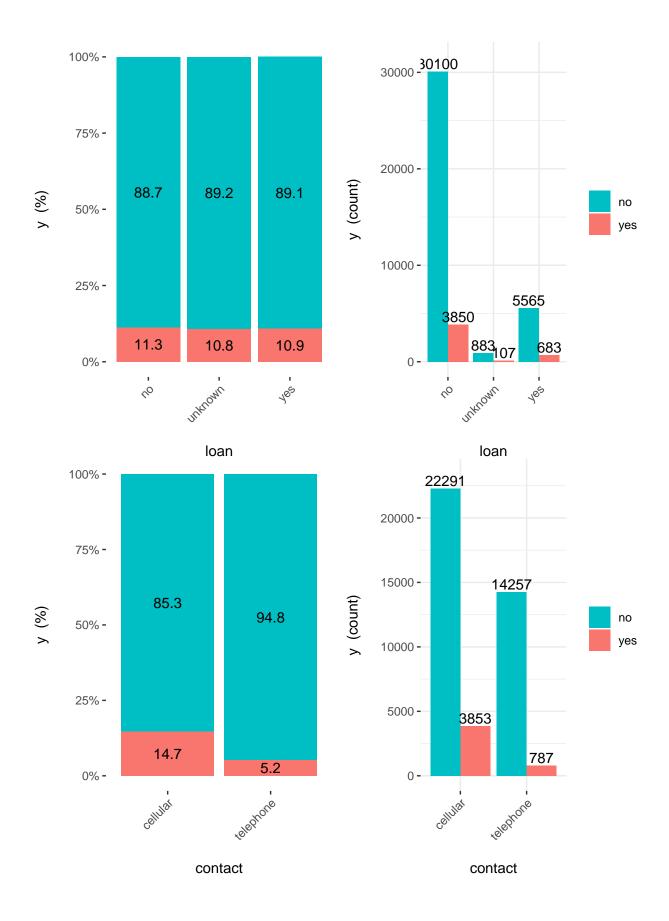


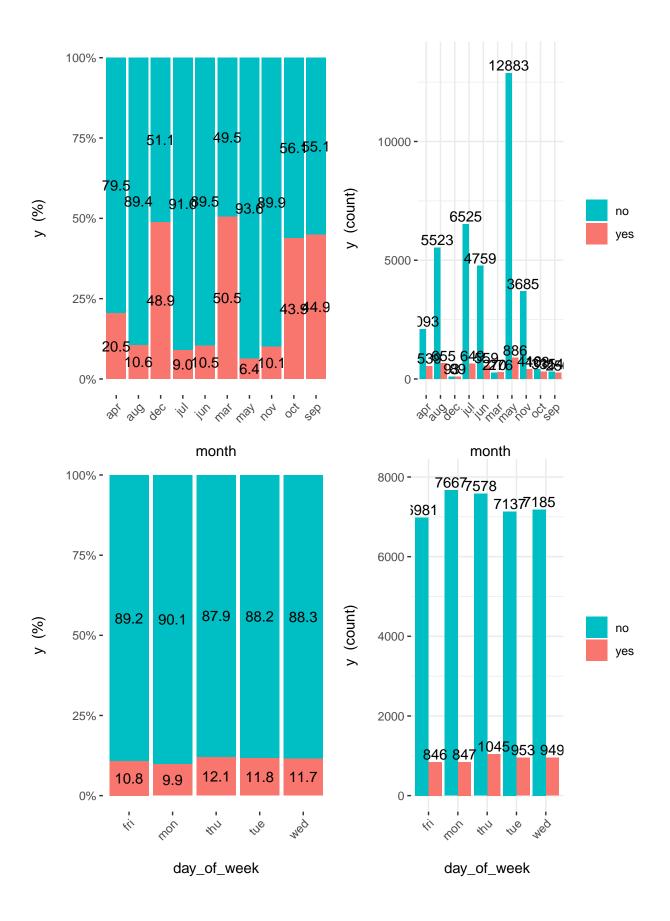
• Bivariate analysis crosss plot showing relationship of each and every variable with respect to target variable

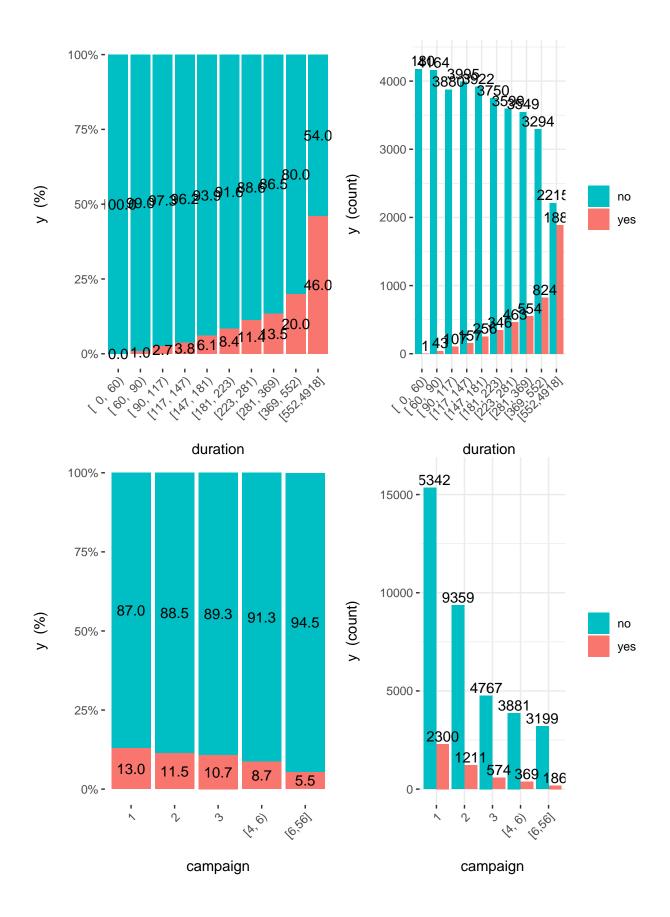


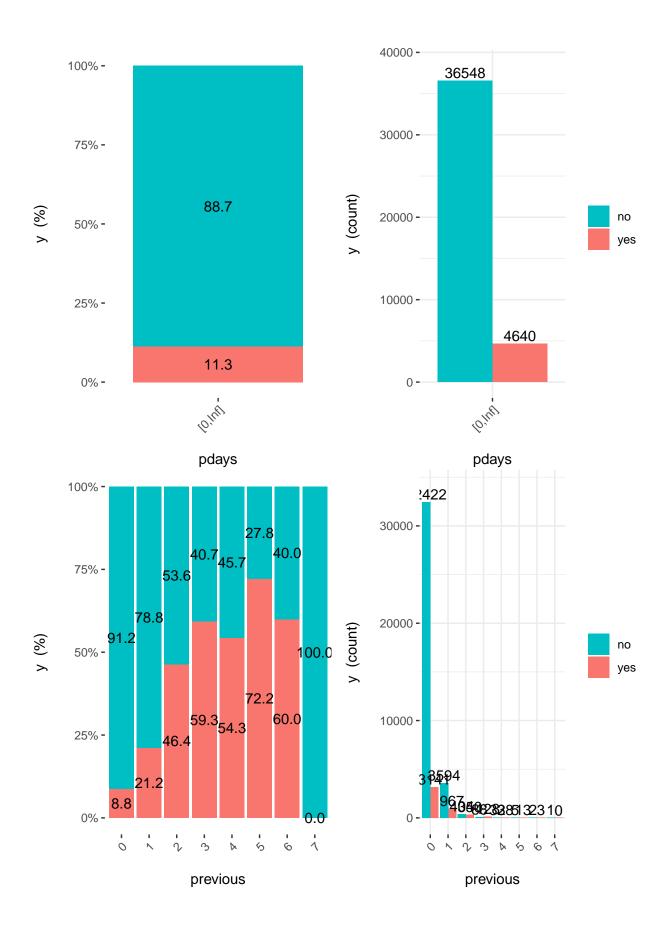


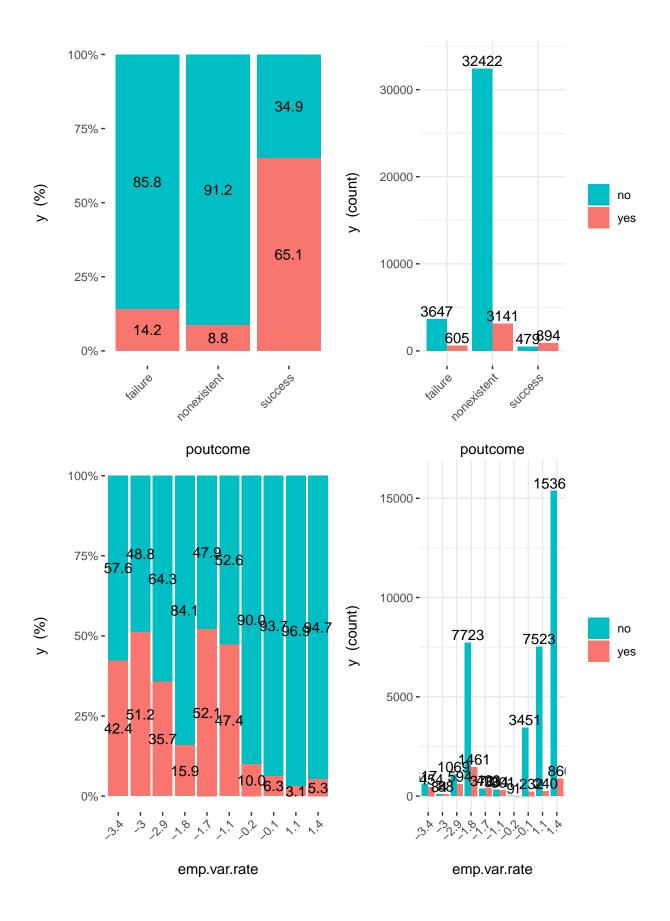


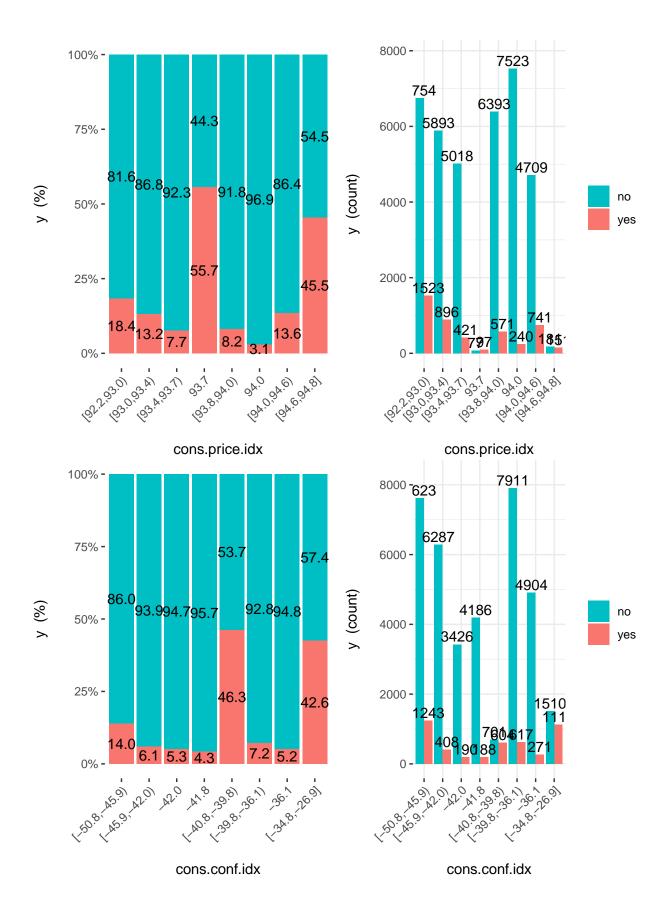


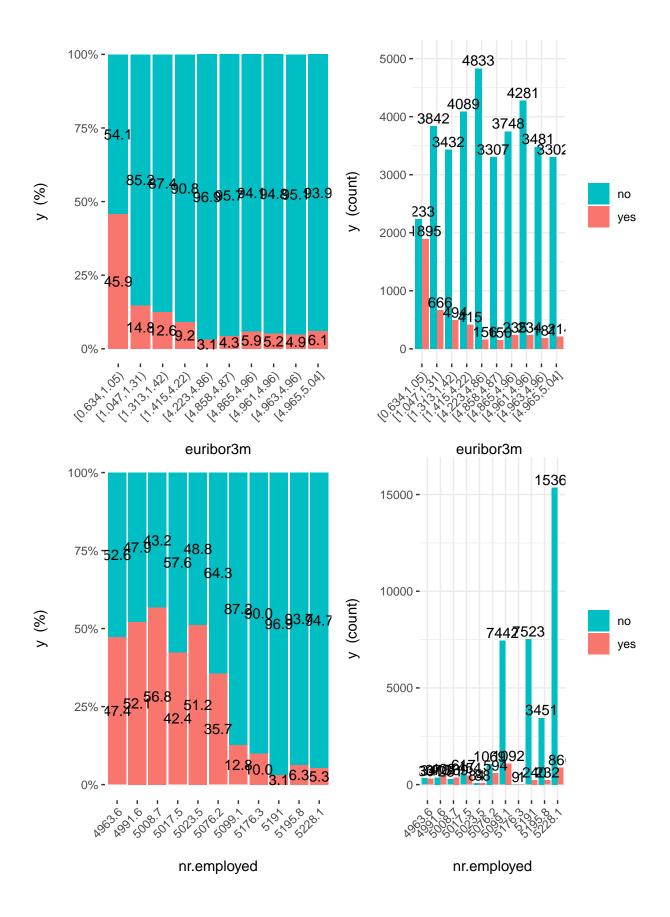












Prepare Data for Classification

• Select variables relevant to customers:Based on the variable importance, we will use pdays, poutcome, previous, duration, cons.price.idx,cons.conf.idx,contact feature for further analysis.

```
## 'data.frame':
                    41188 obs. of 8 variables:
                                        : Factor w/ 2 levels "no", "yes": 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 1 ...
##
   $ Term Deposit
   $ NumberOfDaysPassedAfterLastContact: num
                                               999 999 999 999 999 999 999 999 . . .
##
   $ PreviousMarketingOutCome
                                        : num
                                               2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 . . .
                                               0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 ...
##
   $ NoOfContactsPerformed
                                        : num
##
   $ LastContactDuration
                                               261 149 226 151 307 198 139 217 380 50 ...
                                        : num
   $ ContactCommunicationType
                                               2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 . . .
##
                                        : num
                                               -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -36.4 -3
##
   $ ConsumerPriceIndex
                                        : num
  $ ConsumerConfidenceIndex
                                        : num 94 94 94 94 ...
```

- Load the cleaned dataset: Convert categorical variable to numerical variable.
- Data slicing:
 - Dataset is split into 80 percent of training data, 20 % of test set.
- TrainingParameters :
 - train() method is passed with repeated cross-validation resampling method for 10 number of resampling iterations repeated for 3 times.

Machine Learning: Classification using Neural Networks

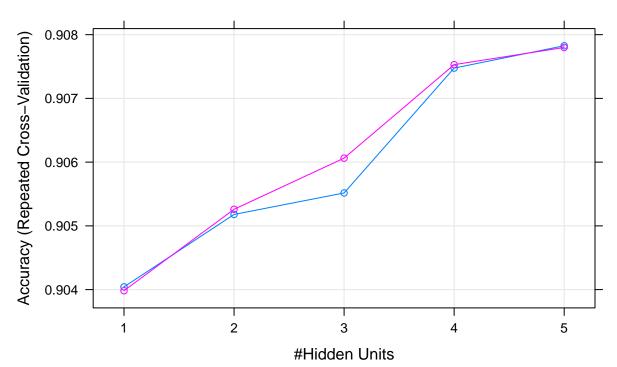
- Model Training
 - We can us neuralnet() to train a NN model. Also, the train() function from caret can help us tune parameters. We can plot the result to see which set of parameters is fit our data the best.
 - nnnet package by defualt uses the Logisite Activation function.
 - Data Pre-Processing With Caret: The scale transform calculates the standard deviation for an attribute and divides each value by that standard deviation.
 - The center transform calculates the mean for an attribute and subtracts it from each value.
 - Combining the scale and center transforms will standardize your data.
 - Attributes will have a mean value of 0 and a standard deviation of 1.
 - Training transforms can prepared and applied automatically during model evaluation.
 - Transforms applied during training are prepared using the preProcess() and passed to the train() function via the preProcess argument.
 - Backpropagation algorithm is a supervised learning method for multilayer feed-forward networks from the field of Artificial Neural Networks.
 - The principle of the backpropagation approach is to model a given function by modifying internal weightings of input signals to produce an expected output signal. The system is trained using a supervised learning method, where the error between the system's output and a known expected output is presented to the system and used to modify its internal state.
 - We use Backpropagation as algorithm in neural network package.

- Based on the caret neural network model, train sets hidden layer.caret neural network picks the best neural network based on size, decay.We can visualize accuracy for different hidden layers below:

```
##
      size decay Accuracy
                               Kappa AccuracySD
                                                     KappaSD
## 1
             0.1 0.9040427 0.4358269 0.002567681 0.01507662
## 2
             0.2 0.9039820 0.4367773 0.002584615 0.01548641
## 3
             0.1 0.9051791 0.4418804 0.002210548 0.02086579
             0.2 0.9052600 0.4422005 0.002728089 0.01602451
## 4
##
  5
         3
             0.1 0.9055163 0.4370649 0.003408263 0.04122454
             0.2 0.9060626 0.4388124 0.003642564 0.04049697
##
  6
         3
             0.1 0.9074754 0.4514426 0.003252861 0.02746812
             0.2 0.9075294 0.4470578 0.002480409 0.03099499
##
  8
             0.1 0.9078261 0.4603130 0.002673938 0.02354327
## 9
         5
             0.2 0.9077991 0.4425523 0.004547698 0.07854141
## 10
         5
```

Weight Decay

0.1 • - 0.2 • -



- Prediction
 - Now, our model is trained with accuracy = 0.8889 We are ready to predict classes for our test set.

```
## ## prediction no yes
## no 284 25
## yes 8 16
```

• Confusion matrix & Accuracy of Neural Network model:

```
## [1] 0.9009009
## Confusion Matrix and Statistics
##
## Reference
## Prediction no yes
```

```
284
##
          no
                   25
              8 16
##
          yes
##
##
                  Accuracy : 0.9009
                    95% CI : (0.8636, 0.9308)
##
##
       No Information Rate: 0.8769
       P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.103011
##
##
##
                     Kappa : 0.4415
##
    Mcnemar's Test P-Value : 0.005349
##
##
##
               Sensitivity: 0.9726
               Specificity: 0.3902
##
##
            Pos Pred Value : 0.9191
##
            Neg Pred Value: 0.6667
##
                Prevalence: 0.8769
            Detection Rate: 0.8529
##
##
      Detection Prevalence: 0.9279
         Balanced Accuracy: 0.6814
##
##
##
          'Positive' Class : no
##
```

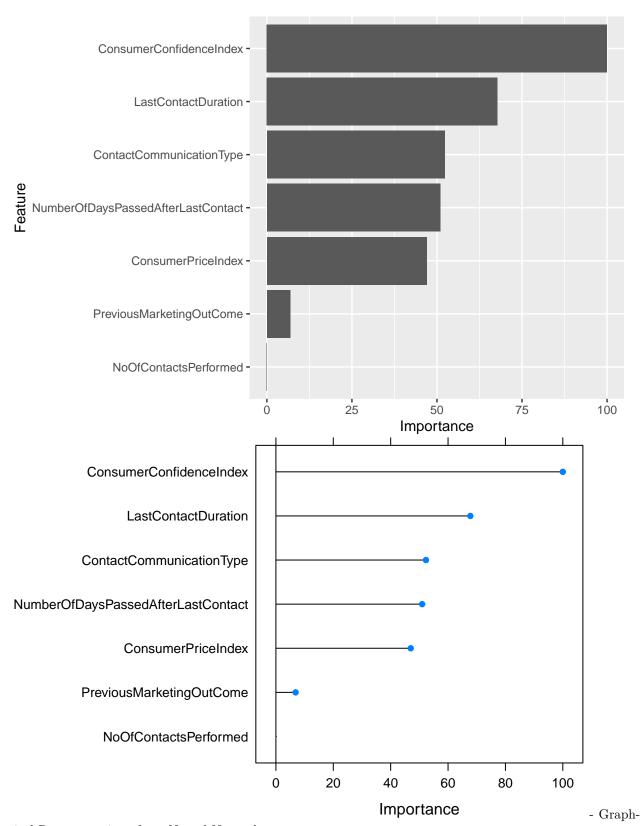
• Confusion matrix & Accuracy of Neural Network model:

- Plotting nnet variable importance

nnet variable importance

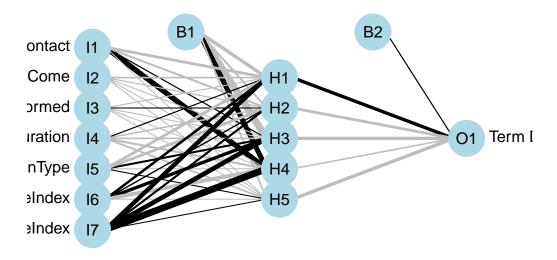
##

##		Overall
##	ConsumerConfidenceIndex	100.000
##	LastContactDuration	67.780
##	ContactCommunicationType	52.298
##	${\tt NumberOfDaysPassedAfterLastContact}$	50.969
##	ConsumerPriceIndex	46.995
##	PreviousMarketingOutCome	6.867
##	NoOfContactsPerformed	0.000



ical Representation of our Neural Network

Graphical Representation of our Neural Network



Machine Learning: Classification using SVM

- SVM is another classification method that can be used to predict if a client falls into either 'yes' or 'no' class.
- The linear, polynomial and RBF or Gaussian kernel in SVM are simply different in case of making the hyperplane decision boundary between the classes.
- The kernel functions are used to map the original dataset (linear/nonlinear) into a higher dimensional space with view to making it linear dataset.
- Usually linear and polynomial kernels are less time consuming and provides less accuracy than the rbf
 or Gaussian kernels.
- The k cross validation is used to divide the training set into k distinct subsets. Then every subset is used for training and others k-1 are used for validation in the entire training phase. This is done for the better training of the classification task. Overall, if you are unsure which kernel method would be best, a good practice is use of something like 10-fold cross-validation for each training set and then pick the best algorithm.

SVM Classifier using Linear Kernel

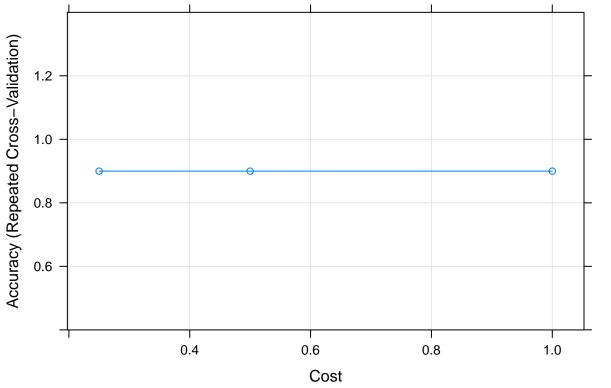
- Caret package provides train() method for training our data for various algorithms. We just need to pass different parameter values for different algorithms. Before train() method, we will first use trainControl() method.
- We are setting 3 parameters of trainControl() method. The "method" parameter holds the details about resampling method. We can set "method" with many values like "boot", "boot632", "cv", "repeatedcv", "LOOCV", "LGOCV" etc. For this project, let's try to use repeatedcv i.e, repeated cross-validation.
- The "number" parameter holds the number of resampling iterations. The "repeats" parameter contains the complete sets of folds to compute for our repeated cross-validation. We are using setting number =10 and repeats =3. This trainControl() methods returns a list. We are going to pass this on our train() method.
- Before training our SVM classifier, set.seed().
- For training SVM classifier, train() method should be passed with "method" parameter as "svmLinear". We are passing our target variable Term_Deposit. The "Term_Deposit.~." denotes a formula for using all attributes in our classifier and Term_Deposit. as the target variable. The "trControl" parameter

should be passed with results from our trianControl() method. The "preProcess" parameter is for preprocessing our training data.

• As discussed earlier for our data, preprocessing is a mandatory task. We are passing 2 values in our "preProcess" parameter "center" & "scale". These two help for centering and scaling the data. After preProcessing these convert our training data with mean value as approximately "0" and standard deviation as "1". The "tuneLength" parameter holds an integer value. This is for tuning our algorithm.

```
trctrl <- trainControl(method = "repeatedcv", number = 10, repeats = 2)</pre>
set.seed(323)
grid <- expand.grid(C = c(0.25, 0.5, 1))
svm_Linear_Grid <- train(Term_Deposit ~ ., data = subTrainSVM, method = "svmLinear", trControl=trctrl, ;</pre>
                         tuneGrid = grid,
                         tuneLength = 10)
svm Linear Grid
## Support Vector Machines with Linear Kernel
## 9888 samples
      7 predictor
##
      2 classes: 'no', 'yes'
##
## Pre-processing: centered (7), scaled (7)
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold, repeated 2 times)
## Summary of sample sizes: 8898, 8900, 8899, 8900, 8899, 8899, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
##
     С
           Accuracy
                      Kappa
##
     0.25
          0.8997786 0.2837249
     0.50 0.8997786 0.2837249
##
##
     1.00 0.8997786 0.2837249
##
## Accuracy was used to select the optimal model using the largest value.
## The final value used for the model was C = 0.25.
```

• The above model is showing that our classifier is giving best accuracy on C = 0.25 Let's try to make predictions using this model for our test set and check its accuracy.



Accuracy on the test set by train control is 89% using C=0.25.

[1] 0.9166667

##

• Final prediction accuracy on the test set is 0.9166667.

SVM Classifier using Non-Linear Kernel

Pre-processing: centered (7), scaled (7)

Resampling results across tuning parameters:

Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold, repeated 2 times)

Summary of sample sizes: 8898, 8900, 8899, 8900, 8899, 8899, ...

• Now, we will try to build a model using Non-Linear Kernel like Radial Basis Function. For using RBF kernel, we just need to change our train() method's "method" parameter to "svmRadial". In Radial kernel, it needs to select proper value of Cost "C" parameter and "sigma" parameter.

+

```
set.seed(323)
grid_radial \leftarrow expand_grid(sigma = c(0.25, 0.5, 0.9),
C = c(0.25, 0.5, 1)
svm_Radial <- train(Term_Deposit ~ ., data = subTrainSVM, method = "svmRadial",</pre>
trControl=trctrl,
preProcess = c("center", "scale"),tuneGrid = grid_radial,
tuneLength = 10)
svm_Radial
## Support Vector Machines with Radial Basis Function Kernel
##
##
  9888 samples
##
      7 predictor
##
      2 classes: 'no', 'yes'
```

```
##
##
            С
                  Accuracy
                              Kappa
     sigma
                  0.9131796
##
     0.25
            0.25
                              0.4235344
##
     0.25
            0.50
                  0.9128756
                              0.4232314
##
     0.25
            1.00
                  0.9153028
                              0.4430922
##
     0.50
            0.25
                  0.9163140
                              0.4454370
                  0.9198031
##
     0.50
            0.50
                              0.4851975
##
     0.50
            1.00
                  0.9230389
                              0.5121697
##
     0.90
            0.25
                  0.9220279
                              0.4926883
##
     0.90
            0.50
                  0.9236464
                              0.5192152
                              0.5520005
##
     0.90
            1.00
                  0.9271349
##
## Accuracy was used to select the optimal model using the largest value.
## The final values used for the model were sigma = 0.9 and C = 1.
```

• SVM-RBF kernel calculates variations and will present us best values of sigma & C. Based on the output best values of sigma= 0.9 & C=1 Let's check our trained models' accuracy on the test set.

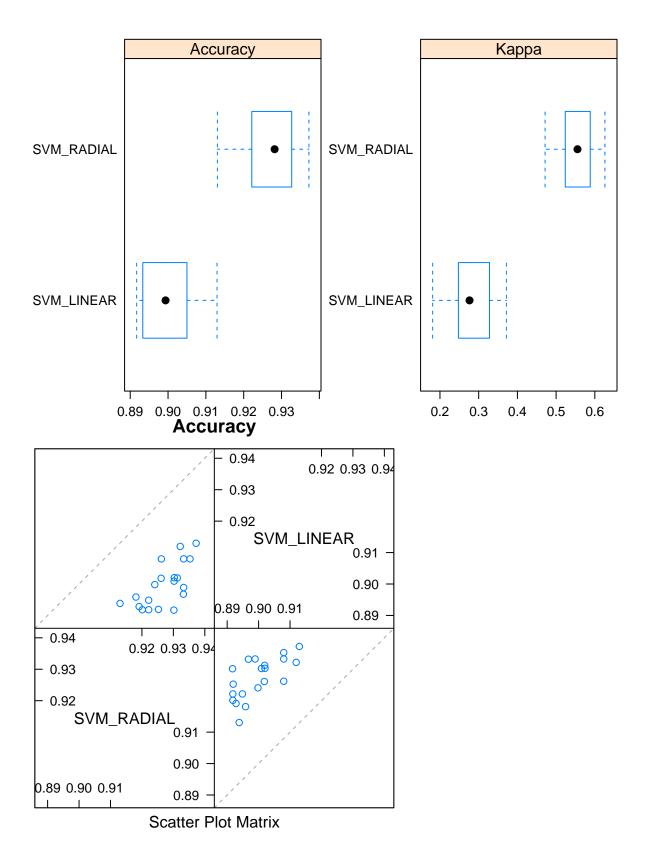
[1] 0.8333333

• Final prediction accuracy on the test set is 0.8333333

Comparision between SVM models

• Comparision between SVM Linear and Radial Models.

```
##
## Call:
## summary.resamples(object = algo_results)
##
## Models: SVM_RADIAL, SVM_LINEAR
## Number of resamples: 20
##
## Accuracy
##
                           1st Qu.
                                                          3rd Qu.
                   Min.
                                      Median
                                                  Mean
## SVM RADIAL 0.9130435 0.9221436 0.9281750 0.9271349 0.9324393 0.9372470
                                                                               0
## SVM_LINEAR 0.8917004 0.8935794 0.8993427 0.8997786 0.9035121 0.9129555
                                                                               0
##
## Kappa
                                      Median
                   Min.
                           1st Qu.
                                                  Mean
                                                          3rd Qu.
                                                                       Max. NA's
## SVM_RADIAL 0.4714582 0.5264890 0.5552111 0.5520005 0.5850553 0.6261048
                                                                               0
## SVM_LINEAR 0.1811203 0.2504363 0.2763777 0.2837249 0.3243298 0.3717218
```



Conclusion

From the above implementation, the results are impressive and convincing in terms of using a machine learning algorithm to decide on the marketing campaign of the bank. Majority of the attributes in the dataset contribute significantly to the building of a predictive model. All the three ML approach acheives good accuracy rate (>85%) and are easier to implement.