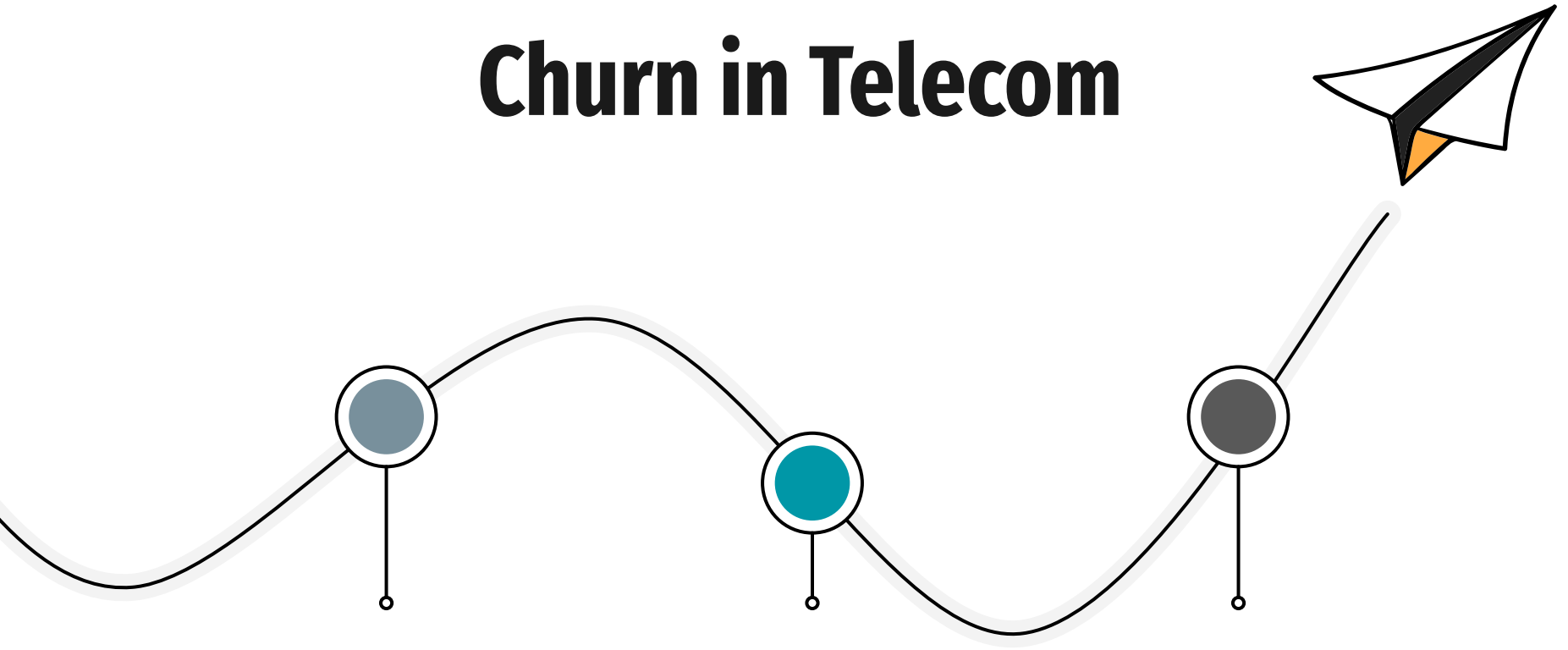


Churn in Telecom



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Agenda

**Business
Case**

**Data and
Variables**

EDA

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Conclusions

**Future
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Business Case

Definition:

USERS AT BEGINNING OF
PERIOD - USERS AT END OF
PERIOD

USERS AT BEGINNING OF
PERIOD

=

**CHURN
RATE**



Business Case

Potential Audience



Telecom
companies

Goal



Predict which
customers might
Churn and define
them as target for
retention
strategies

Success Metrics



Precision and recall

Data and Variables

Columns:

State
Account length
Area code
International plan
Voice mail plan
Number vmail messages
Total day minutes
Total day calls
Total day charge
Total eve minutes
Total eve calls
Total eve charge
Total night minutes
Total night calls
Total night charge
Total intl minutes
Total intl calls
Total intl charge
Customer service calls
Churn

Source:

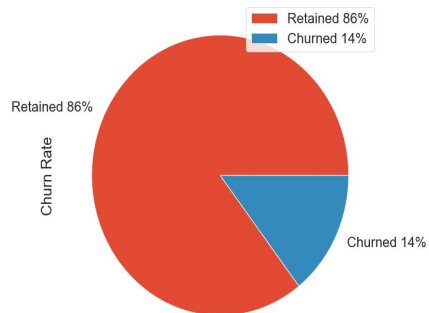
<https://bml-data.s3.amazonaws.com/churn-bigml-80.csv>

Dataset:

Orange Telecom for USA, 2019

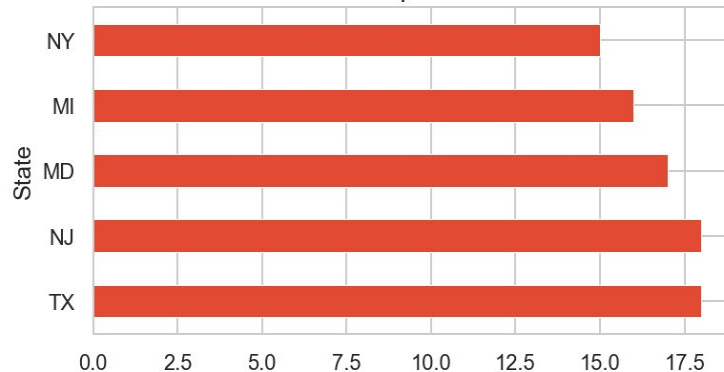
Shape: 3333, 20

EDA



Top 5

Churn per state



Relevant variables

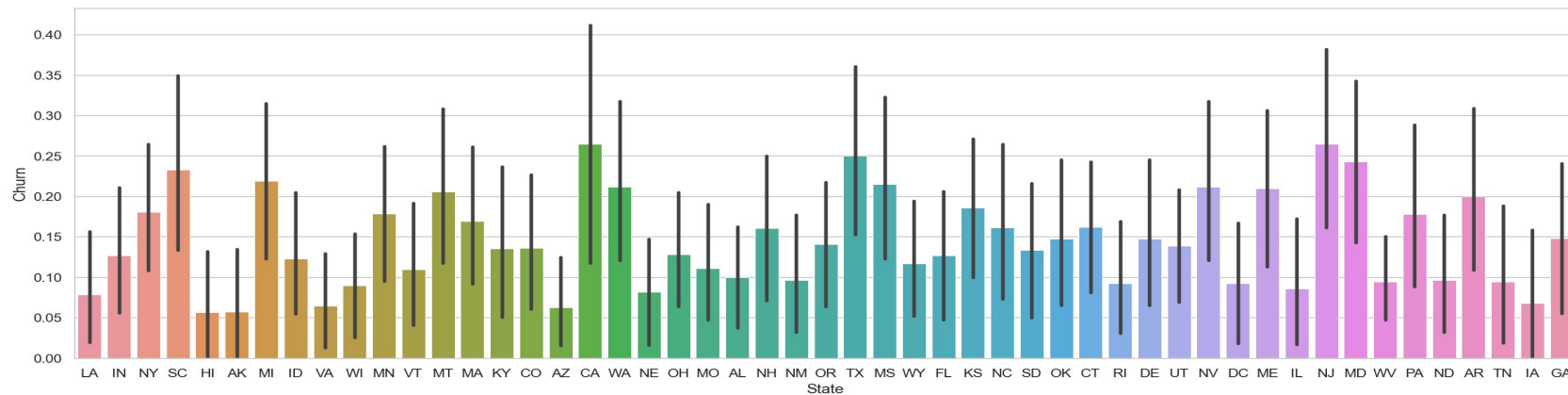
Customer Service
Calls

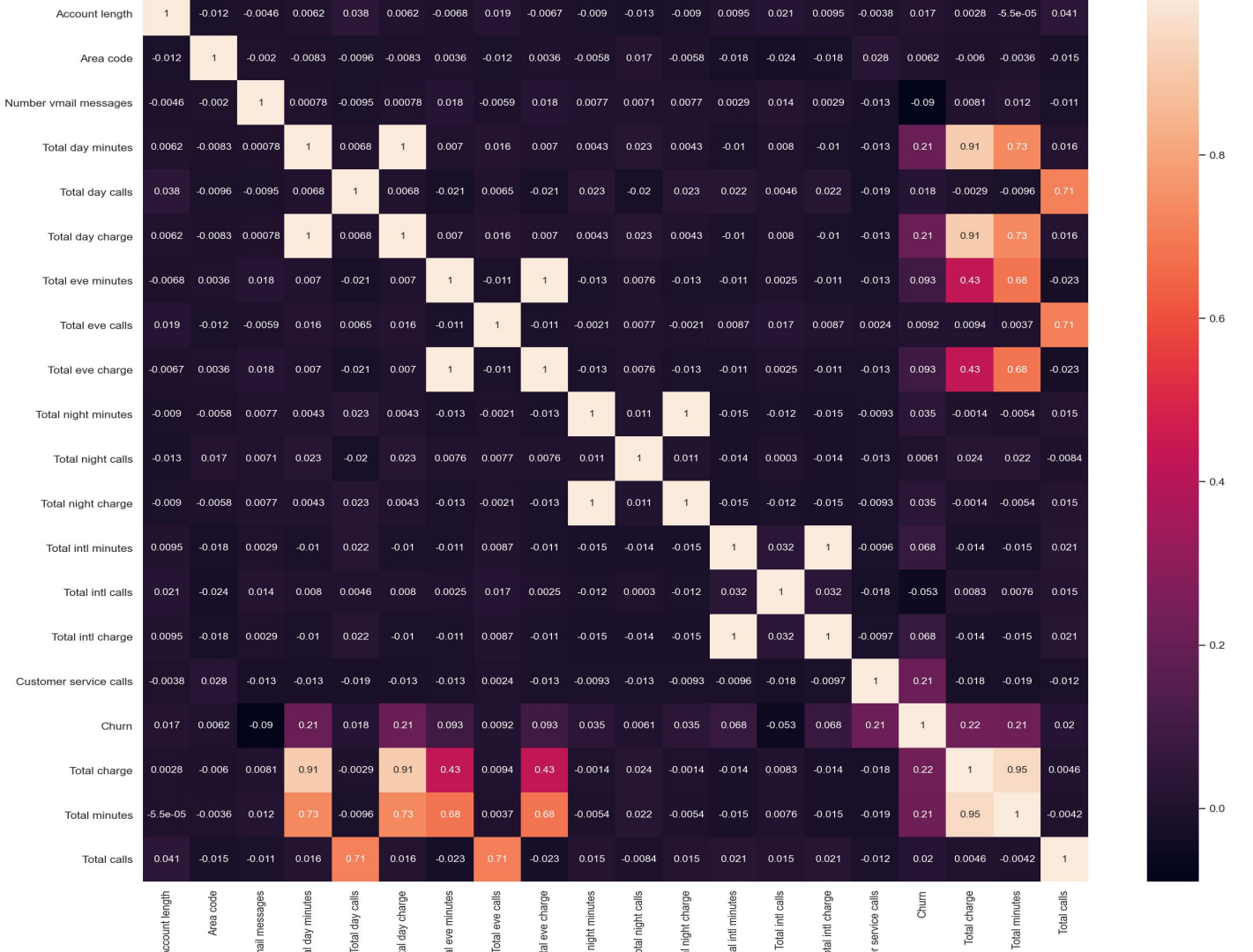


Total
Charges



Total
minutes





Models

Baseline: 0.8551

Logistic Regression

0.8694

KNN

0.8578

Decision Tree Classifier

0.9370

Random Forest Classifier

0.9565

Gradient Boosting Classifier

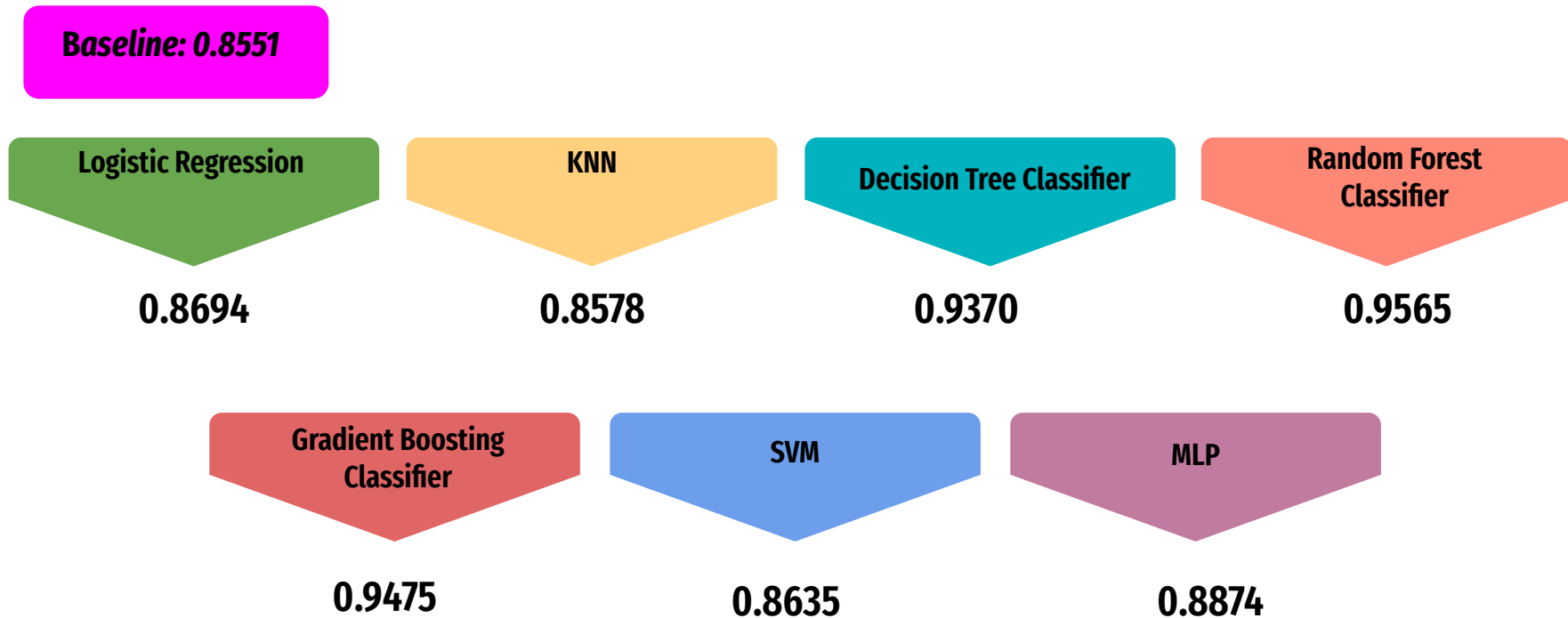
0.9475

SVM

0.8635

MLP

0.8874



Random Forest Classifier

RF

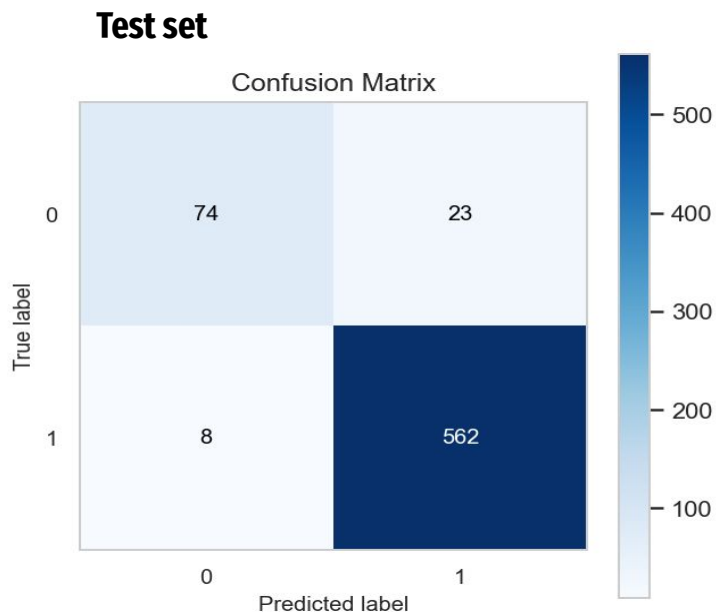


`class_weight = 'balance'`

`scoring = 'recall'`

Cross-validated score = 0.9565

Should I stay or should I churn?



Classification report

Test set	Precision	Recall	F1-scores	Support
0	0.90	0.76	0.83	97
1	0.96	0.99	0.97	570
Accuracy			0.95	667
Macro Avg	0.91	0.85	0.88	667
Weighted avg	0.94	0.94	0.94	667

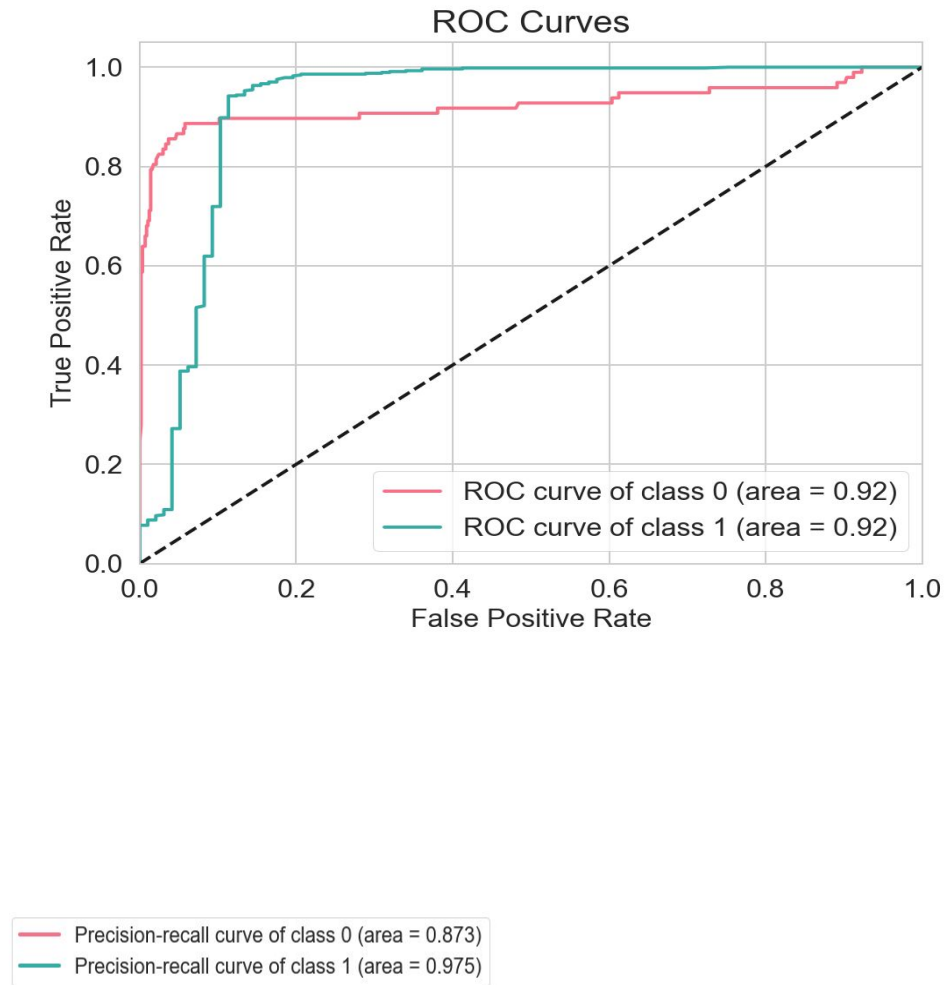
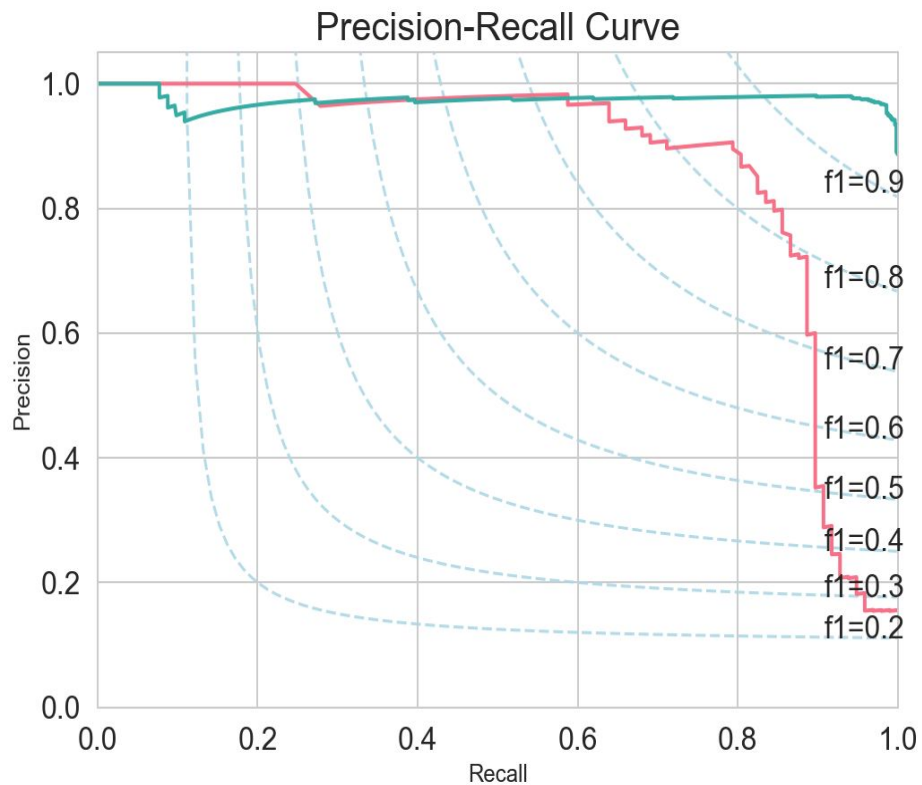
Summary

tp: 74
fp: 8
tn: 562
fn: 23
Number of correct classifications: 636
Number of classification errors: 31

Classes

0: Churn
1: Retained

Precision x Recall and ROC Curves



Conclusions

Recommendations

Review Customer Service strategy

Review price strategy

Target the top churners states

Model limitations

Nature of the subject:
sensitive information

Number of observation and
features (ex.no info about
internet)

Unbalanced classes

Future development

Clustering and more
models

NLP

Clustering and more models

Thank you

