# **Predictive Analytics**

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# Module 4 Assignment - Understanding Magazine Subscription Behavior

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# **Logistic Regression Model**

Logistic Regression is a *statistical type of machine learning model* that helps in the **classification and predictive analytics** in order to estimate the probability and likelihood of an event occurring. [1] The difference between a Linear Regression model and a Logistic Regression model is that Linear Regression algorithms are used to identify relationships between a continuous dependent variable and one or more independent variable, whereas Logistic Regression models are used to **predict a category based on categorical type** variable versus the continuous data points.

The different types of Logistic Regression algorithms which are defined based on the categorical data points are as follows.

- 1. Binary Logistic Regression
- 2. Multinomial Logistic Regression
- 3. Ordinal Logistic Regression

# **SVM Model**

A Support Vector Machine (SVM) model is a powerful supervised machine learning algorithm which is used for **classification and regression** based problems. The main idea of the SVM algorithm is to **find the best hyperplane** which *separates the two classes into a high-dimensional feature space*. The algorithm thus tries to find a hyperplane that maximizes the margin between the classes. [2] Hyperplanes are decision boundaries that help classify the data points, and the data points fall on either side of the hyperplane that can be attributed to different classes.

# **Decision Tree Model**

Decision Tree algorithm is a powerful tool for **classification and regression** based problems, which is a **flowchart-like tree structure** where the internal node denotes a test on the attribute, each branch represents the outcome of the test, and each leaf node (terminal node) represents a class label. Decision Tree algorithms are a tree-like model that helps in decision making that is followed by a sequence of if-else questions about the various input data until a prediction is made. [3]

#### **Problem Statement**

A magazine company is trying to understand last year's decline in subscriptions. With people spending more time at home, they thought people would be spending more time reading. Using this dataset, help the company understand what is or isn't working.

# **Magazine Subscription Behavior Analysis**

The magazine subscription behavior analysis is based on the **marketing dataset** which has over 29 different features in order to understand and analyze the response on the subscriptions of the customer. This will help in recommending the company what parameters are influencing the response variable and what percent of customers have declined the subscriptions.

The marketing dataset has over **2240 rows of data and 29 field values** where the goal is to build **different classification models** in order to classify whether the subscriptions had a response or no from the customer. The various factors that affect the response parameter can be further analyzed in order to understand the parameters affecting and contributing to the target variable. The features present in the marketing dataset are *ID*, *Education*, *Marital Status*, *Income*, *Kidhome*, *Teenhome*, *Number of purchases made*, *Number of attempts the customer accepted the offer in the campaign*, *etc.* and that will help in analyzing the various independent variables and classifying the target variable, which in this case is the **Response variable**.

# **Analysis**

#### Task 1:

Use proper data cleansing techniques to ensure you have the highest quality data to model this problem. Detail your process and discuss the decisions you made to clean the data.

#### Task 2:

Build a logistic model to accurately predict subscription behavior. Discuss which variables are significant, their business impact, and how that may help you learn about the business.

#### Task 3:

Build an SVM model to accurately predict subscription behavior. Discuss the model's accuracy and how that compares to the logistic model.

# Task 4:

Build a decision tree model (at most 4 branches) to accurately predict subscription behavior. Discuss the model's accuracy and how that compares to the other two models (variables and accuracy).

# Task 5:

Compare the accuracy of all the models (overall accuracy, precision, recall) and the overall variables that were deemed significant. Discuss which model you would recommend based on these three metrics. Discuss what key variables they should focus on and their business context once you select your final model (that should be the key takeaway).

# Installing required packages

```
In [4]: !pip install pandas_profiling
        !pip install featurewiz
        Looking in indexes: https://pypi.org/simple, (https://pypi.org/simple,) https://us-python.pkg.dev/colab-w
        heels/public/simple/ (https://us-python.pkg.dev/colab-wheels/public/simple/)
        Collecting pandas_profiling
          Downloading pandas_profiling-3.6.6-py2.py3-none-any.whl (324 kB)
                                                  - 324.4/324.4 kB 11.0 MB/s eta 0:00:00
        Collecting ydata-profiling
          Downloading ydata_profiling-4.1.2-py2.py3-none-any.whl (345 kB)
                                                  - 345.9/345.9 kB 35.2 MB/s eta 0:00:00
        Requirement already satisfied: seaborn<0.13,>=0.10.1 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from yda
        ta-profiling->pandas_profiling) (0.12.2)
        Collecting matplotlib<3.7,>=3.2
          Downloading matplotlib-3.6.3-cp310-cp310-manylinux_2_17_x86_64.manylinux2014_x86_64.whl (11.8 MB)
                                                   - 11.8/11.8 MB 119.4 MB/s eta 0:00:00
        Requirement already satisfied: pandas!=1.4.0,<1.6,>1.1 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from y
        data-profiling->pandas profiling) (1.5.3)
        Requirement already satisfied: pydantic<1.11,>=1.8.1 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from yda
        ta-profiling->pandas profiling) (1.10.7)
        Requirement already satisfied: statsmodels<0.14,>=0.13.2 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from
        ydata-profiling->pandas_profiling) (0.13.5)
```

```
Looking in indexes: https://pypi.org/simple, (https://pypi.org/simple,) https://us-python.pkg.dev/colab-wheels/public/simple/ (https://us-python.pkg.dev/colab-wheels/public/simple/)
Requirement already satisfied: scikit-learn in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (1.2.2)
Requirement already satisfied: threadpoolctl>=2.0.0 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from scikit-learn) (3.1.0)
Requirement already satisfied: scipy>=1.3.2 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from scikit-learn) (1.9.3)
Requirement already satisfied: joblib>=1.1.1 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from scikit-learn) (1.2.0)
Requirement already satisfied: numpy>=1.17.3 in /usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages (from scikit-learn) (1.22.4)
```

# **Importing libraries**

In [ ]: !pip install --upgrade scikit-learn

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
        import numpy as np
        import pandas_profiling
        import ydata_profiling
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import seaborn as sns
        from sklearn.impute import KNNImputer
        from featurewiz import featurewiz
        from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
        from sklearn.linear_model import Lasso, LogisticRegression
        from sklearn.utils.class_weight import compute_class_weight
        import statsmodels.api as sm
        from statsmodels.stats.outliers influence import variance inflation factor
        from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
        from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
        from sklearn import metrics
        from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, confusion_matrix, roc_curve, auc, precision_score, recall_score
        from sklearn.svm import SVC
        from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier, plot_tree
        from sklearn import tree
```

# Loading the dataset

2240 rows × 29 columns

```
In [2]: marketing_data = pd.read_csv("marketing_campaign-1.csv")
marketing_data
```

# Out[2]:

	ID	Year_Birth	Education	Marital_Status	Income	Kidhome	Teenhome	Dt_Customer	Recency	MntWines	 NumWebVisits
0	5524	1957	Graduation	Single	58138.0	0	0	2012-09-04	58	635	
1	2174	1954	Graduation	Single	46344.0	1	1	2014-03-08	38	11	
2	4141	1965	Graduation	Together	71613.0	0	0	2013-08-21	26	426	
3	6182	1984	Graduation	Together	26646.0	1	0	2014-02-10	26	11	
4	5324	1981	PhD	Married	58293.0	1	0	2014-01-19	94	173	
2235	10870	1967	Graduation	Married	61223.0	0	1	2013-06-13	46	709	
2236	4001	1946	PhD	Together	64014.0	2	1	2014-06-10	56	406	
2237	7270	1981	Graduation	Divorced	56981.0	0	0	2014-01-25	91	908	
2238	8235	1956	Master	Together	69245.0	0	1	2014-01-24	8	428	
2239	9405	1954	PhD	Married	52869.0	1	1	2012-10-15	40	84	

Table 1. Marketing Data for Magazine Behavior Analysis

- ID: Customer's Unique Identifier
- Year\_Birth: Customer's Birth Year
- Education: Customer's education level
- Marital\_Status: Customer's marital status
- Income: Customer's yearly household income
- Kidhome: Number of children in customer's household
- Tennhome: Number of teenagers in customer's household
- Dt\_Customer: Date of customer's enrollment with the company
- Recency: Number of days since customer's last purchase
- MntWines: Amount spent on wine in the last 2 years
- MntFruits: Amount spent on fruits in the last 2 years
- MntMeatProducts: Amount spent on meat in the last 2 years
- MntFishProducts: Amount spent on fish in the last 2 years
- MntSweetProducts: Amount spent on sweets in the last 2 years
- MntGoldProds: Amount spent on gold in the last 2 years
- NumDealsPurchase: Number of purchases made with a discount
- NumWebPurchase: Number of purchases made through the company's website
- NumCatalogPurchase: Number of purchases made using a catalog
- NumStorePurchase: Number of purchases made directly in stores
- . NumWebVisitsMonth: Number of visits to company's website in the last month
- AcceptedCmp3: 1 if customer accepted the offer in the 3rd campaign, 0 otherwise
- AcceptedCmp4: 1 if customer accepted the offer in the 4th campaign, 0 otherwise
- · AcceptedCmp5: 1 if customer accepted the offer in the 5th campaign, 0 otherwise
- AcceptedCmp1: 1 if customer accepted the offer in the 1st campaign, 0 otherwise
- AcceptedCmp2: 2 if customer accepted the offer in the 2nd campaign, 0 otherwise
- Response: 1 if customer accepted the offer in the last campaign, 0 otherwise
- Complain: 1 if a customer complained in the last 2 years, 0 otherwise
- Country: Customer's Location

Figure 1. Data Dictionary for Marketing Data Analysis

# **Step 1: Exploratory Data Analysis**

EDA is performed on the data in order to analyze various parameters and features of the dataset and to understand the *structure* of the dataset such that various *trends and patterns* between the variables is known. Exploratory Data Analysis helps in understanding the *relationship between the various independent and dependent variables* of the dataset that would further be useful in building the model such as description analysis and statistical analysis.

# **Descriptive Analysis**

```
In [7]: # displaying number of rows and columns
       print("Total number of Rows and Columns:", marketing data.shape)
       print("\n-----")
       # displaying field values/column names
       print("\nColumn Names:\n")
       marketing_data.columns
       Total number of Rows and Columns: (2240, 29)
       ______
       Column Names:
Out[7]: Index(['ID', 'Year_Birth', 'Education', 'Marital_Status', 'Income', 'Kidhome',
              'Teenhome', 'Dt_Customer', 'Recency', 'MntWines', 'MntFruits',
              'MntMeatProducts', 'MntFishProducts', 'MntSweetProducts',
              'MntGoldProds', 'NumDealsPurchases', 'NumWebPurchases',
              'NumCatalogPurchases', 'NumStorePurchases', 'NumWebVisitsMonth',
              'AcceptedCmp3', 'AcceptedCmp4', 'AcceptedCmp5', 'AcceptedCmp1',
              'AcceptedCmp2', 'Complain', 'Z_CostContact', 'Z_Revenue', 'Response'],
             dtype='object')
```

```
In [8]: # displaying data types
print("Data types:\n")
marketing_data.dtypes
```

Data types:

Out[8]: ID int64 Year\_Birth int64 Education object Marital\_Status object Income float64 Kidhome int64 Teenhome int64 Dt\_Customer object int64 Recency MntWines int64 MntFruits int64 MntMeatProducts int64 MntFishProducts int64 MntSweetProducts int64 MntGoldProds int64 NumDealsPurchases int64 NumWebPurchases int64 NumCatalogPurchases int64 NumStorePurchases int64 NumWebVisitsMonth int64 AcceptedCmp3 int64 AcceptedCmp4 int64 AcceptedCmp5 int64 AcceptedCmp1 int64 AcceptedCmp2 int64 Complain int64 Z\_CostContact int64 Z\_Revenue int64 Response int64 dtype: object

Table 2. Data types for Marketing Data

From the *descriptive analysis*, it is observed that there are total **2240 rows of data** and **29 field values** and the data type for each of the field value is displayed in order to understand what data type values are present in the dataset.

Here, there are different types of data points that are present in the dataset which are **numerical data type** having either 'int' or 'float' values, along with **object data type** which further needs to be corrected to *string or category* type of data and *datetime* datatype.

#### **Statistical Analysis**

```
In [9]: # dataset info
       print("Dataset Info:\n")
       marketing_data.info()
       Dataset Info:
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
        RangeIndex: 2240 entries, 0 to 2239
       Data columns (total 29 columns):
        # Column
                                Non-Null Count Dtype
        _ _ _
           -----
                                -----
                                2240 non-null
        0
            ID
                                               int64
            Year_Birth
        1
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        2
            Education
                                2240 non-null
                                               object
        3
            Marital_Status
                                2240 non-null
                                               object
            Income
                                2216 non-null
        4
                                              float64
        5
            Kidhome
                                2240 non-null int64
        6
            Teenhome
                                2240 non-null int64
        7
            Dt_Customer
                                2240 non-null
                                               object
                                2240 non-null
        8
            Recency
                                               int64
        9
            MntWines
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        10 MntFruits
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        11 MntMeatProducts
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
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                                2240 non-null
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        13 MntSweetProducts
                                               int64
                                2240 non-null
        14 MntGoldProds
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
                                2240 non-null
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                                               int64
        16 NumWebPurchases
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        17 NumCatalogPurchases 2240 non-null
                                               int64
        18 NumStorePurchases
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
                                               int64
        19 NumWebVisitsMonth
                                2240 non-null
        20 AcceptedCmp3
                                2240 non-null
                                              int64
        21 AcceptedCmp4
                                2240 non-null int64
        22 AcceptedCmp5
                                2240 non-null int64
                                2240 non-null
        23 AcceptedCmp1
                                               int64
        24 AcceptedCmp2
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        25 Complain
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        26 Z_CostContact
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
        27 Z Revenue
                                2240 non-null
                                               int64
                                2240 non-null
        28 Response
                                               int64
        dtypes: float64(1), int64(25), object(3)
        memory usage: 507.6+ KB
```

Table 3. Information about the dataset

```
In [10]: # describing the dataset
print("Describing the dataset:\n")
round(marketing_data.describe(),1)
```

Describing the dataset:

Out[10]	:
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	ID	Year_Birth	Income	Kidhome	Teenhome	Recency	MntWines	MntFruits	MntMeatProducts	MntFishProducts	•••	Num
count	2240.0	2240.0	2216.0	2240.0	2240.0	2240.0	2240.0	2240.0	2240.0	2240.0		
mean	5592.2	1968.8	52247.3	0.4	0.5	49.1	303.9	26.3	167.0	37.5		
std	3246.7	12.0	25173.1	0.5	0.5	29.0	336.6	39.8	225.7	54.6		
min	0.0	1893.0	1730.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
25%	2828.2	1959.0	35303.0	0.0	0.0	24.0	23.8	1.0	16.0	3.0		
50%	5458.5	1970.0	51381.5	0.0	0.0	49.0	173.5	8.0	67.0	12.0		
75%	8427.8	1977.0	68522.0	1.0	1.0	74.0	504.2	33.0	232.0	50.0		
max	11191.0	1996.0	666666.0	2.0	2.0	99.0	1493.0	199.0	1725.0	259.0		

8 rows × 26 columns

Table 4. Dataset Description

Statistical Analysis helps in understanding about each of the numerical field type based on the **total count values, minimum value, maximum value, standard deviation**, etc. giving an overall analysis of the field data points about the various rows present in the dataset.

For example, as observed in the dataset, we see that there are multiple field values having the *minimum, maximum values* along with the *total count of values* which is **2240** and *standard deviation* of the column values. It can be observed that the maximum value of *Income* is **666666.0** and the maximum value of *Recency* is **99.0**.

Thus, similarly, other parameters of the dataset can be analyzed based on their statistical values.

# **Data Profiling**

```
In [11]: | marketing_data_report = marketing_data.profile_report(title='Marketing Data Analysis Report', explorative = T
         marketing_data_report
         Summarize dataset:
                               0%|
                                            | 0/5 [00:00<?, ?it/s]
                                                    | 0/1 [00:00<?, ?it/s]
                                       0%|
         Generate report structure:
         Render HTML:
                        0%|
                                      | 0/1 [00:00<?, ?it/s]
```

#### Out[11]:

```
In [12]: # Saving the profile report
         marketing_data_report.to_file(output_file="Marketing Data Analysis Report.html")
                                                | 0/1 [00:00<?, ?it/s]
         Export report to file:
                                  0%|
```

The data profiling report generated for the dataset helps in understanding various parameters such as the data type of the field values, the missing and duplicate values present in the dataset, the correlation between each of the field value, and the analysis of each of

From the profiling report, it is observed that there are 15 numerical variable type and 14 categorical data type field values present in the dataset of which the numerical data type have integer and float values, along with string and datetime objects. Apart from this, there are missing values present in the dataset, and the missing values visualization or plot also helps in understanding the same, for which the percent of missing values is less than 0.1% i.e., 24 missing cells are present in the dataset for one of the field value. For each field value a separate visualization is also displayed in order to specifially analyze a particular field value, and there are **no** duplicate values present in the dataset.

It can also be observed that there are two constant data values present in the dataset; 'Z\_CostContact' and 'Z\_Revenue', and each of the field value displays the correlation with each other indicating overall correlation along with any imbalance data present in the column data.

Further cleaning of the data is implemented in the below steps.

# **Step 2: Data Cleaning**

Task 1: Use proper data cleansing techniques to ensure you have the highest quality data to model this problem. Detail your process and discuss the decisions you made to clean the data.

- 1. Checking for null values in each column of the dataset, i.e., missing values
- 2. Replacing missing values using various imputation methods
- 3. Checking for incorrect data types in field values and correcting the data type of the column

the field value on a individual basis based on correlation plot, histogram, and interaction graphs.

- 4. Checking for outliers in the dataset
  - a. Boxplot
  - b. Distribution Plot

#### 1. Checking for null values in each column of the dataset, i.e., missing values

```
In [ ]: for x in range(29):
            print("%-45s %10d" % (marketing_data.columns.values[x], marketing_data.iloc[:,x].isna().sum()))
        ID
                                                                0
        Year_Birth
                                                                0
                                                                0
        Education
        Marital_Status
                                                                0
        Income
                                                               24
        Kidhome
                                                                0
        Teenhome
                                                                0
        Dt Customer
                                                                0
                                                                0
        Recency
        MntWines
                                                                0
        MntFruits
                                                                0
        MntMeatProducts
                                                                0
                                                                0
        MntFishProducts
        MntSweetProducts
                                                                0
                                                                0
        MntGoldProds
        NumDealsPurchases
                                                                0
                                                                0
        NumWebPurchases
                                                                0
        NumCatalogPurchases
                                                                0
        NumStorePurchases
        NumWebVisitsMonth
                                                                0
                                                                0
        AcceptedCmp3
                                                                0
        AcceptedCmp4
        AcceptedCmp5
                                                                0
        AcceptedCmp1
                                                                0
        AcceptedCmp2
                                                                0
        Complain
                                                                0
        Z_CostContact
                                                                0
        Z_Revenue
                                                                0
        Response
```

Table 5. Missing or null values

As observed from the table above, there are missing values present in the **Income** column that needs to be addressed by either imputation methods or dropping the rows of data if there are less than 20% of missing values. Hence, the data is analyzed in order to understand which imputation method needs to be implemented.

#### 2. Replacing missing values using various imputation methods

```
In [ ]: # displaying unique data
print("Displaying the unique data present in columns\n")
marketing_data.nunique()
```

Displaying the unique data present in columns

```
Out[14]: ID
                                 2240
         Year_Birth
                                   59
         Education
                                    5
         Marital_Status
                                    8
         Income
                                1974
         Kidhome
                                    3
                                    3
         Teenhome
         Dt_Customer
                                 663
         Recency
                                 100
         MntWines
                                 776
         MntFruits
                                  158
         MntMeatProducts
                                  558
         MntFishProducts
                                 182
                                  177
         MntSweetProducts
         MntGoldProds
                                  213
         NumDealsPurchases
                                   15
         NumWebPurchases
                                   15
         NumCatalogPurchases
                                   14
         NumStorePurchases
                                   14
                                   16
         NumWebVisitsMonth
         AcceptedCmp3
                                    2
         AcceptedCmp4
                                    2
         AcceptedCmp5
                                    2
         AcceptedCmp1
                                    2
         AcceptedCmp2
                                    2
         Complain
                                    2
         Z_CostContact
                                    1
         Z_Revenue
                                    1
         Response
                                    2
         dtype: int64
```

```
In [ ]: # checking for data distribution of field values 'Income' as it has missing values

# distribution plot for Income column

plt.figure(figsize=(16,5))
plt.subplot(1,2,1)
sns.distplot(marketing_data['Income'])
plt.title("Distribution Plot for Income")
plt.show()
```

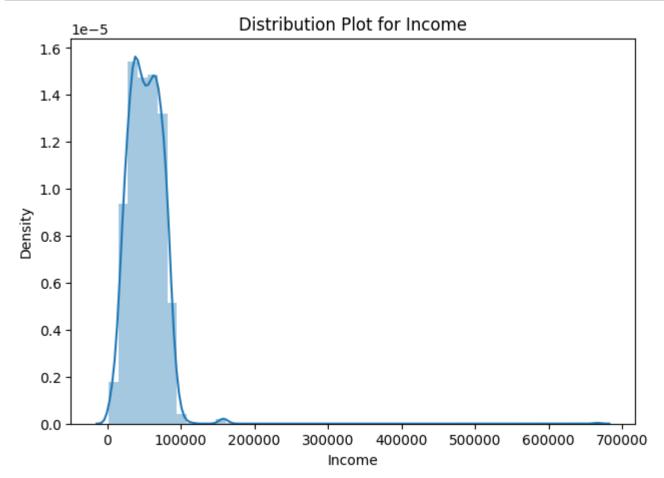


Figure 2. Distribution Plot for Income variable

The distribution plot for the Income variable above shows that the data points are right skewed and hence if applying a mean-median imputation, the median method needs to be applied to replace the missing values present in the dataset.

```
In [ ]: # checking for missing values in Income column
         missing_values = pd.isnull(marketing_data['Income'])
         missing_values
Out[16]: 0
                  False
                  False
         2
                  False
         3
                 False
         4
                  False
         2235
                  False
         2236
                 False
         2237
                  False
         2238
                  False
         2239
                  False
         Name: Income, Length: 2240, dtype: bool
```

# KNN Imputation method for replacing missing values in Income column

```
In [3]: # KNN imputation method for replacing missing values in Income column
imputer = KNNImputer(n_neighbors=3)
marketing_data['Income'] = imputer.fit_transform(marketing_data[['Income']])
print("Imputation successful.")
```

Imputation successful.

Since the missing values are present in the **Income** column, which indicates the income of a person, it **cannot be randomly imputed using mean or median** method as the approach would be inefficient. Thus, using a **KNN imputation** or **regression imputation** method the missing values can be replaced or imputed.

The above code successful imputed the missing values for the Income column using the **KNN imputation method** which is more efficient as compared to other imputation methods in this scenario.

# In [ ]: # checking for dataframe after imputation marketing\_data.head(20)

# Out[18]:

	ID	Year_Birth	Education	Marital_Status	Income	Kidhome	Teenhome	Dt_Customer	Recency	MntWines	 NumWebVis
0	5524	1957	Graduation	Single	58138.000000	0	0	2012-09-04	58	635	 
1	2174	1954	Graduation	Single	46344.000000	1	1	2014-03-08	38	11	
2	4141	1965	Graduation	Together	71613.000000	0	0	2013-08-21	26	426	
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4	5324	1981	PhD	Married	58293.000000	1	0	2014-01-19	94	173	
5	7446	1967	Master	Together	62513.000000	0	1	2013-09-09	16	520	
6	965	1971	Graduation	Divorced	55635.000000	0	1	2012-11-13	34	235	
7	6177	1985	PhD	Married	33454.000000	1	0	2013-05-08	32	76	
8	4855	1974	PhD	Together	30351.000000	1	0	2013-06-06	19	14	
9	5899	1950	PhD	Together	5648.000000	1	1	2014-03-13	68	28	
10	1994	1983	Graduation	Married	52247.251354	1	0	2013-11-15	11	5	
11	387	1976	Basic	Married	7500.000000	0	0	2012-11-13	59	6	
12	2125	1959	Graduation	Divorced	63033.000000	0	0	2013-11-15	82	194	
13	8180	1952	Master	Divorced	59354.000000	1	1	2013-11-15	53	233	
14	2569	1987	Graduation	Married	17323.000000	0	0	2012-10-10	38	3	
15	2114	1946	PhD	Single	82800.000000	0	0	2012-11-24	23	1006	
16	9736	1980	Graduation	Married	41850.000000	1	1	2012-12-24	51	53	
17	4939	1946	Graduation	Together	37760.000000	0	0	2012-08-31	20	84	
18	6565	1949	Master	Married	76995.000000	0	1	2013-03-28	91	1012	
19	2278	1985	2n Cycle	Single	33812.000000	1	0	2012-11-03	86	4	
20 r	ows ×	29 columns	i								

Table 7. Marketing Data after data imputation

```
Year_Birth
                                                          0
Education
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Marital_Status
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Income
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Kidhome
                                                          0
Teenhome
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Dt_Customer
Recency
                                                          0
MntWines
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MntFruits
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MntMeatProducts
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MntFishProducts
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MntSweetProducts
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                                                          0
MntGoldProds
                                                          0
NumDealsPurchases
                                                          0
NumWebPurchases
NumCatalogPurchases
                                                          0
{\tt NumStorePurchases}
                                                          0
{\tt NumWebVisitsMonth}
                                                          0
AcceptedCmp3
                                                          0
{\tt AcceptedCmp4}
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AcceptedCmp5
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AcceptedCmp1
                                                          0
AcceptedCmp2
                                                          0
Complain
                                                          0
Z_CostContact
                                                          0
                                                          0
Z_Revenue
Response
                                                          0
```

#### 3. Checking for incorrect data types in field values and correcting the data type of the column

```
In [4]: |# correcting the data types for the variables of the dataset which are of object type to string/category and
          marketing_data['Education'] = marketing_data['Education'].astype('category')
          marketing_data['Marital_Status'] = marketing_data['Marital_Status'].astype('category')
          marketing_data['Dt_Customer'] = marketing_data['Dt_Customer'].astype('datetime64[ns]')
          marketing_data['Income'] = marketing_data['Income'].astype('int')
          print("Data Type conversion successful.")
          Data Type conversion successful.
In [15]: # checking for the correct data type of the variable
          marketing_data.dtypes
Out[15]: ID
                                             int64
          Year_Birth
                                             int64
          Education
                                         category
          Marital_Status
                                         category
          Income
                                             int64
          Kidhome
                                             int64
          Teenhome
                                             int64
          Dt Customer
                                   datetime64[ns]
          Recency
                                             int64
          MntWines
                                             int64
          MntFruits
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          MntMeatProducts
                                             int64
          MntFishProducts
                                             int64
          MntSweetProducts
                                             int64
          MntGoldProds
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          NumDealsPurchases
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          NumWebPurchases
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          NumCatalogPurchases
                                             int64
          NumStorePurchases
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          NumWebVisitsMonth
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          AcceptedCmp4
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          AcceptedCmp5
                                             int64
          AcceptedCmp1
                                             int64
          AcceptedCmp2
                                             int64
          Complain
                                             int64
          {\tt Z\_CostContact}
                                             int64
          Z_Revenue
                                             int64
          Response
                                             int64
          dtype: object
 In [ ]: # checking for data values after data type conversion
          marketing_data
Out[22]:
                   ID Year_Birth Education Marital_Status Income Kidhome Teenhome Dt_Customer Recency MntWines ... NumWebVisits
                 5524
                           1957 Graduation
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                                                  Single
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                 2174
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                 4141
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             2
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                 6182
                           1984 Graduation
                                                                                                              11 ...
                                                Together
                                                         26646
                                                                                0
                                                                                     2014-02-10
                                                                                                    26
                 5324
                           1981
                                      PhD
                                                 Married
                                                         58293
                                                                      1
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                                                                                     2014-01-19
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               10870
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                                                 Married
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                                                                                     2013-06-13
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                                                                                                             709 ...
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                 4001
                           1946
                                      PhD
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                 7270
                                                         56981
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                           1981
                                Graduation
                                                Divorced
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                                                                                                    91
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           2238
                 8235
                           1956
                                    Master
                                                Together
                                                         69245
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                 9405
                           1954
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                                                                                                    40
                                                                                                              84
           2239
                                                 Married
```

Table 8. Marketing Data after data type conversion

2240 rows × 29 columns

#### 4. Checking for outliers in the dataset

#### a. Boxplot

The below code creates **boxplots** for the various field values of the marketing dataset in order to check for outliers present in the dataset. Here, the boxplots are implemented for the variables **Kidhome**, **Teenhome**, **Recency**, and **MntWines** as shown in the figures below.

There are outliers present in the variables as observed in the boxplot below, which will not be removed as each of the data point is important for analysis and model building.

```
In []: # creating boxplot for 'Kidhome' and 'Teenhome' variable

fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(10, 5))
axs[0].boxplot(marketing_data['Kidhome'])
axs[1].boxplot(marketing_data['Teenhome'])
axs[0].set_title('Boxplot for column, Kidhome')
axs[1].set_title('Boxplot for column, Teenhome')
axs[0].set_ylabel('Data Values')
axs[1].set_ylabel('Data Values')
```

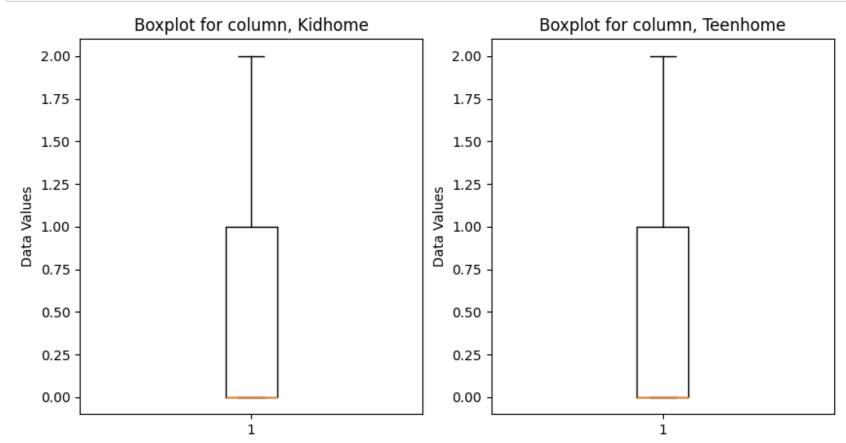


Figure 3. Boxplot for Kidhome & Teenhome column

```
In []: # creating boxplot for 'Recency' and 'MntWines' variable

fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(10, 5))
axs[0].boxplot(marketing_data['Recency'])
axs[1].boxplot(marketing_data['MntWines'])
axs[0].set_title('Boxplot for column, Recency')
axs[1].set_title('Boxplot for column, MntWines')
axs[0].set_ylabel('Data Values')
axs[1].set_ylabel('Data Values')
```

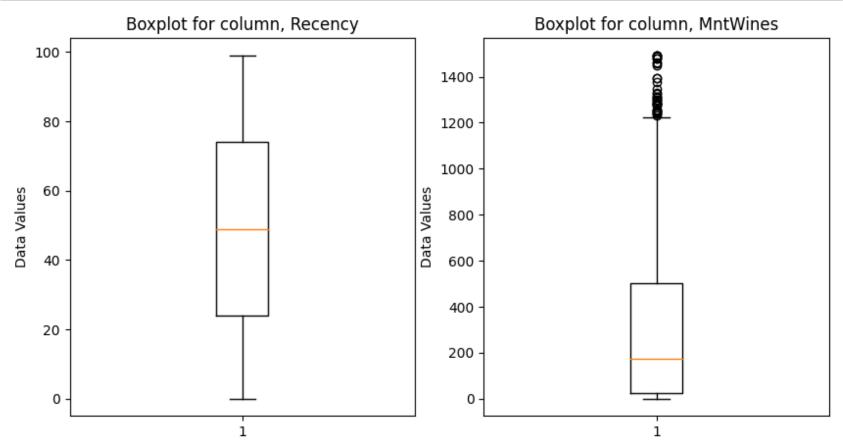


Figure 4. Boxplot for Recency & MntWines column

#### b. Distribution Plot

The distribution plot for the various parameters of the dataset values gives an overview of the outliers that are present and the distribution of the data points across present in the dataset.

The plot below for *NumStorePurchases* shows that the data is **normally distributed** across the data points, meaning that the data points are evenly distributed around the mean value. However, the plot for the *MntFruits* and *MntMeatProducts* variable indicates that the data is **right skewed**, i.e., the data is concentrated towards a certain range of values and is not equally distributed.

```
In [ ]: # distribution plot for MntFruits & MntMeatProducts
          plt.figure(figsize=(16,5))
          plt.subplot(1,2,1)
          sns.distplot(marketing_data['MntFruits'])
          plt.subplot(1,2,2)
          sns.distplot(marketing_data['MntMeatProducts'])
          plt.show()
                                                                                 0.012
             0.08
                                                                                 0.010
             0.07
             0.06
                                                                                 0.008
             0.05
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                                                                                                                     1000
                                                                                                                           1250
                                                                                                                                 1500
                                                                                                                                        1750
                                           MntFruits
                                                                                                             MntMeatProducts
```

Figure 5. Distribution Plot for MntFruits & MntMeatProducts

#### In [ ]: # distribution plot for NumStorePurchases & NumWebPurchases plt.figure(figsize=(16,5)) plt.subplot(1,2,1) sns.distplot(marketing\_data['NumStorePurchases']) plt.subplot(1,2,2) sns.distplot(marketing\_data['NumWebPurchases']) plt.show() 0.30 0.25 0.25 0.20 0.20 Density 0.15 Density 0.15 0.10 0.10 0.05 0.05 0.00 0.00 15 12.5 15.0 20 25 -2.5 0.0 5.0 7.5 10.0 NumStorePurchases NumWebPurchases

Figure 6. Distribution Plot for NumStorePurchases & NumWebPurchases

```
In [ ]: # distribution plot for NumDealsPurchases & NumCatalogPurchases
         plt.figure(figsize=(16,5))
         plt.subplot(1,2,1)
         sns.distplot(marketing_data['NumDealsPurchases'])
         plt.subplot(1,2,2)
         sns.distplot(marketing_data['NumCatalogPurchases'])
         plt.show()
            1.4
            1.2
            1.0
                                                                              0.3
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5.0
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¤°°
            0.6
            0.4
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                                                        12.5
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                                   5.0
                                          7.5
                                    NumDealsPurchases
                                                                                                     NumCatalogPurchases
```

Figure 7. Distribution Plot for NumDealsPurchases & NumCatalogPurchases

Here, the data points for *NumDealsPurchase* and *NumCatalogPurchases* are right skewed and the data is concentrated towards a range of values and not normally distributed across the mean values.

```
In []: # 1. Response Count Analysis

plt.figure(figsize=(6,5))
    sns.countplot(x='Response', data=marketing_data, palette="pastel")
    plt.title('\nResponse Count Analysis')
    plt.show()
```

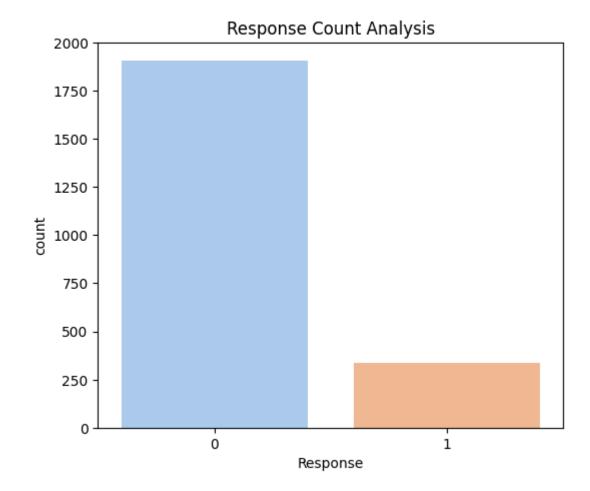


Figure 8. Response Count Analysis

From the above graph of *Response Count Analysis*, it is observed that the data is **biased towards one class** of no reponse, and hence there is a possibility that the model will be biased to this class which will classify majority of the data points into no response from the customers.

```
In [ ]: # 2. Count Analysis of Number of Deal and Web Purchases

fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(12, 5))
sns.countplot(x='NumDealsPurchases', data=marketing_data, palette="pastel", ax=axs[0])
axs[0].set_title('\nAnalysis of Number of Deal Purchases')
sns.countplot(x='NumWebPurchases', data=marketing_data, palette="pastel", ax=axs[1])
axs[1].set_title('\nAnalysis of Number of Web Purchases')
plt.show()
```

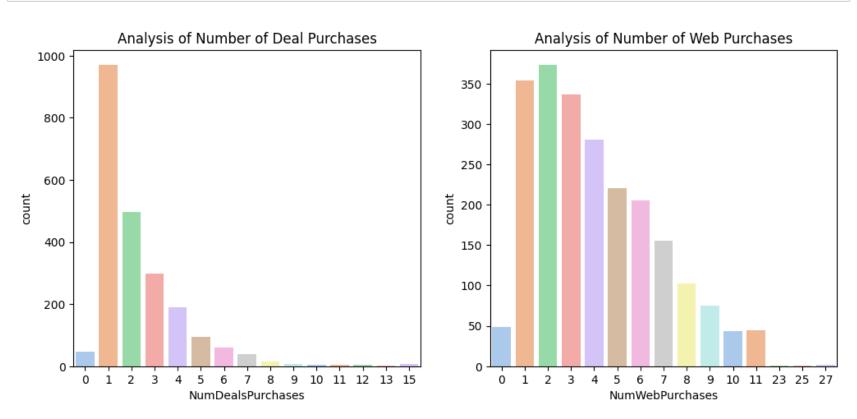


Figure 9. Analysis of Number of Deal Purchases & Number of Web Purchases

The above visualization plots for the **NumDealsPurchases graph** and **NumWebPurchases** helps in analyzing the count of purchases where the various count values of the percentage are displayed that can show which percent value has a higher count. This helps in understanding the count of number of deal purchases and number of web purchases of a customer.

```
In []: # 3. Count Analysis of Number of Catalog and Store Purchases

fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(12, 5))
sns.countplot(x='NumCatalogPurchases', data=marketing_data, palette="pastel", ax=axs[0])
axs[0].set_title('\nAnalysis of Number of Catalog Purchases')
sns.countplot(x='NumStorePurchases', data=marketing_data, palette="pastel", ax=axs[1])
axs[1].set_title('\nAnalysis of Number of Store Purchases')
plt.show()
```

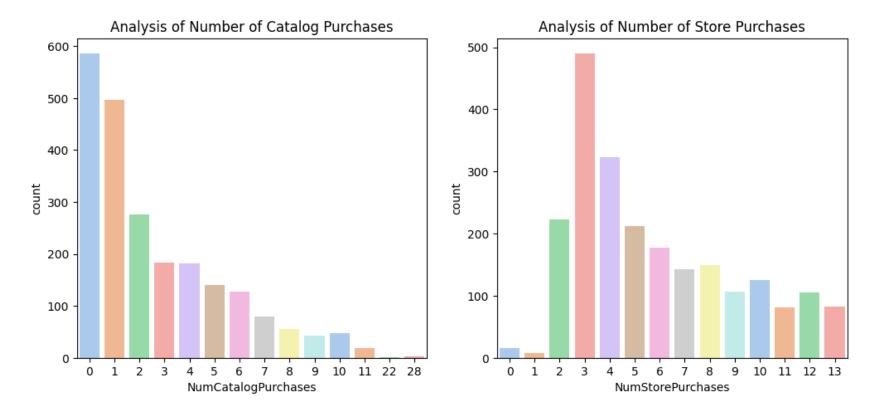


Figure 10. Analysis of NumCatalogPurchases & NumStorePurchases

The above visualization plots for the **NumCatalogPurchases graph** and **NumStorePurchases** helps in analyzing the count of purchases where the various count values of the percentage are displayed that can show which percent value has a higher count. This helps in understanding the count of number of catalog purchases and number of store purchases of a customer.

```
In [ ]: # 4. Presence of Complain (Yes or No)

plt.figure(figsize=(5,5))
sns.countplot(x='Complain', data=marketing_data, palette="pastel")
plt.title('\nPresence of Complain from Customer in last 2 years')
plt.show()
```

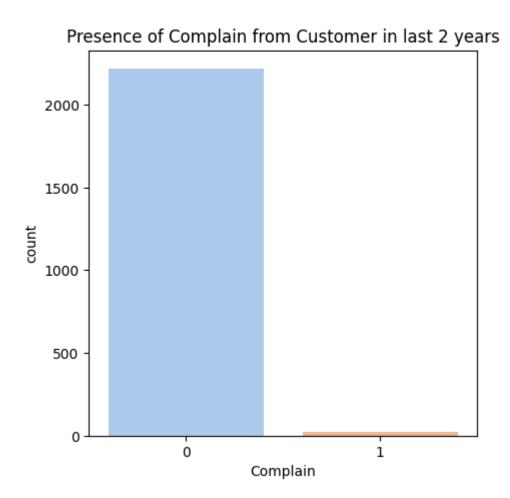


Figure 11. Count of Presence of Complain from Customer

This graph above displays the count of presence of complain received from the customer. Again, the visualization helps to understand that the class is biased towards one category and hence requires to be addressed further to avoid class imbalance and inefficient model performance.

# **Step 4: Pre-Modeling Steps**

- 1. Label Encoding
- 2. Correlation Plot
- 3. Defining the features for model training
- 4. Spliting the dataset into train & test set
- 5. Class Bias
- 6. Standardization

#### 1. Label Encoding

Since some of the selected features for prediction are categorical data and most of the ML models require the data to be numerical or binary, it is important that these features are converted into **binary** or **numerical** type data in order for the model to be able to classify the classes.

**Label Encoding** is a method which helps to **convert the categorical variables** into **numerical values**, thus helping to transform the data point into a format where the algorithm is able to process the data for classification. *LabelEncoder()* function is used to encode the categorical type data to numerical type, where new columns of data are created for the categorical field value in the dataset which will be used in the training of the model.

```
In [5]: labelencoder = LabelEncoder()

marketing_data['Education_Label'] = labelencoder.fit_transform(marketing_data["Education"])
marketing_data['Marital_Status_Label'] = labelencoder.fit_transform(marketing_data["Marital_Status"])
print("Label Encoding successful.")
```

Label Encoding successful.

```
In [ ]: # checking for data values and field names after Label Encoding
marketing_data
```

Out[33]:

	ID	Year_Birth	Education	Marital_Status	Income	Kidhome	Teenhome	Dt_Customer	Recency	MntWines	 AcceptedCmp4
0	5524	1957	Graduation	Single	58138	0	0	2012-09-04	58	635	 (
1	2174	1954	Graduation	Single	46344	1	1	2014-03-08	38	11	 (
2	4141	1965	Graduation	Together	71613	0	0	2013-08-21	26	426	 (
3	6182	1984	Graduation	Together	26646	1	0	2014-02-10	26	11	 (
4	5324	1981	PhD	Married	58293	1	0	2014-01-19	94	173	 (
2235	10870	1967	Graduation	Married	61223	0	1	2013-06-13	46	709	 (
2236	4001	1946	PhD	Together	64014	2	1	2014-06-10	56	406	 (
2237	7270	1981	Graduation	Divorced	56981	0	0	2014-01-25	91	908	 ,
2238	8235	1956	Master	Together	69245	0	1	2014-01-24	8	428	 (
2239	9405	1954	PhD	Married	52869	1	1	2012-10-15	40	84	 (
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Table 9. Marketing Data after Label Encoding

A **correlation plot** or matrix is a *visual representation of the variables* present in the dataset which helps in understanding the *relationship* between the different variables and how highly the variables are corelated to each other.

The values of the correlation plot range from -1 to 1, where -1 indicates a **negative correlation** between the variables, 0 indicates **no correlation**, and 1 indicates a **positive correlation**.

The variables that have positive correlation are said to be highly correlated to each and hence either of the two variables must be removed for the model building as it may lead to **multicollinearity** where the efficiency of the model may reduce.

```
In [ ]: # creating a new dataframe for correlation matrix
          new_marketingdata = pd.DataFrame()
          new_marketingdata = marketing_data.drop(columns=['ID', 'Z_Revenue', 'Z_CostContact'])
          print("Dataframe created.")
           Dataframe created.
 In [ ]: new_marketingdata.columns
'MntGoldProds', 'NumDealsPurchases', 'NumWebPurchases',
                   'NumCatalogPurchases', 'NumStorePurchases', 'NumWebVisitsMonth',
                   'AcceptedCmp3', 'AcceptedCmp4', 'AcceptedCmp5', 'AcceptedCmp1',
                   'AcceptedCmp2', 'Complain', 'Response', 'Education Label',
                   'Marital_Status_Label'],
                  dtype='object')
 In [ ]: # plotting correlation matrix
          plt.figure(figsize = (15,8))
          ax = plt.subplot()
          sns.heatmap(new marketingdata.corr(),annot=True, fmt='.1f', ax=ax, cmap="Blues")
          ax.set_title('Correlation Plot');
                                                                    Correlation Plot
                                                                                                                                   1.0
                    Income - -0.2 1.0 -0.4 0.0 -0.0 0.6 0.4 0.6 0.4 0.6 0.4 0.3 -0.1 0.4 0.6 0.5 -0.5 -0.0 0.2 0.3 0.3 0.1 -0.0 0.1 0.1 0.0
                     Kidhome - 0.2 -0.4 1.0 -0.0 0.0 -0.5 -0.4 -0.4 -0.4 -0.4 -0.3 0.2 -0.4 -0.5 -0.5 0.4 0.0 -0.2 -0.2 -0.2 -0.2 -0.1 0.0 -0.1 -0.0 -0.0
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                    Teenhome - -0.4 0.0 -0.0 1.0 0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.3 -0.2 -0.2 -0.0 0.4 0.2 -0.1 0.1 0.1 -0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.1 -0.0 0.0 -0.2 -0.1 -0.0
                     MntWines - -0.2 0.6 -0.5 0.0 0.0 1.0 0.4 0.6 0.4 0.4 0.4 0.0 0.5 0.6 0.6 -0.3 0.1 0.4 0.5 0.4 0.2 -0.0 0.2 0.2 0.2
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               MntMeatProducts - -0.0 0.6 -0.4 -0.3 0.0 0.6 0.5 1.0 0.6 0.5 0.4 -0.1 0.3 0.7 0.5 -0.5 0.0 0.1 0.4 0.3 0.0 -0.0 0.2 0.0 0.0
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              - 0.4
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            NumCatalogPurchases - -0.1 0.6 -0.5 -0.1 0.0 0.6 0.5 0.7 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.4 -0.0 0.4 1.0 0.5 -0.5 0.1 0.1 0.3 0.3 0.1 -0.0 0.2 0.1 0.0
             NumStorePurchases - -0.1 0.5 -0.5 0.1 0.0 0.6 0.5 0.5 0.5 0.4 0.4 0.1 0.5 0.5 1.0 -0.4 -0.1 0.2 0.2 0.2 0.1 -0.0 0.0 0.1 0.0
             NumWebVisitsMonth - 0.1 -0.5 0.4 0.1 -0.0 -0.3 -0.4 -0.5 -0.4 -0.5 -0.4 -0.3 0.3 -0.1 -0.5 -0.4 1.0 0.1 -0.0 -0.3 -0.2 -0.0 0.0 -0.0 -0.0 -0.0
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                 AcceptedCmp4 - -0.1 0.2 -0.2 0.0 0.0 0.4 0.0 0.1 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.2 0.1 0.2 -0.0 -0.1 1.0 0.3 0.3 0.3 -0.0 0.2 0.1 0.0
                 AcceptedCmp5 - 0.0 0.3 -0.2 -0.2 0.0 0.5 0.2 0.4 0.2 0.3 0.2 -0.2 0.0 0.5 0.2 0.4 0.2 0.3 0.2 -0.2 0.1 0.3 0.2 -0.3 0.1 0.3 1.0 0.4 0.2 -0.0 0.3 0.0 0.0
                 AcceptedCmp1 - -0.0 0.3 -0.2 -0.1 -0.0 0.4 0.2 0.3 0.3 0.2 0.2 -0.1 0.2 0.3 0.3 0.2 0.2 -0.1 0.3 0.4 1.0 0.2 -0.0 0.3 -0.0 -0.0
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                 AcceptedCmp2 - -0.0 0.1 -0.1 -0.0 -0.0 0.2 -0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 0.1 0.1 -0.0 0.1 0.3 0.2 0.2 1.0 -0.0 0.2 0.0 0.0
                     Response - 0.0 0.1 -0.1 -0.2 -0.2 0.2 0.1 0.2 0.1 0.1 0.1 0.0 0.1 0.2 0.0 -0.0 0.3 0.2 0.3 0.3 0.2 -0.0 1.0 0.1 -0.0
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                                                                                                    AcceptedCmp1
                                                                                                                       Marital_Status_Label
                                                                      NumDealsPurchases
```

Figure 12. Correlation Matrix

As observed in the correlation matrix above, we see that there are many variables or features that are *highly correlated* to each other and hence we need to analyze the features that are strongly correlated such that these features are excluded from the training of the model in order to avoid **multicollinearity** and *improve the efficiency of the model*. The following features are strongly correlated with the other features in the dataset and can be excluded from model building to avoid multicollinearity.

Correlation among the variables:

- 1. **Income** is highly correlated with majority of the independent variables like *MntWines, MntFruits, MntGoldProds, NumWebPurchases, etc.*
- 2. MntWines, MntFruits, MntMeatProducts, MntFishProducts, MntSweetProducts, MntGoldProds are all highly correlated to each other
- 3. NumWebPurchases, NumCatalogPurchases, NumWebVisitsMonth are highly correlated to each other
- 4. MntWines is correlated with variables AcceptedCmp1, AcceptedCmp2, AcceptedCmp4, AcceptedCmp5

#### **Checking VIF score for Multicollinearity**

27 Marital\_Status\_Label 1.010188

VIF score i.e., **Variance Inflation Factor** is a *measure of multicollinearity* between the independent variables in the regression analysis. This calculates the variance of the variables which helps in understanding the coefficient value and how much the variable is inflated due to collinearity in the model. The VIF score from **range 0 to 5** can be accepted to be considered for the training of the model, while values above 5 are considered to have high multicollinearity which would affect the accuracy and performance of the model, hence should be excluded.

```
In [ ]: # checking VIF score for field values
        numerical_marketing_data = marketing_data.select_dtypes(include=[np.number])
        vif_score1 = pd.DataFrame()
        vif_score1["Feature"] = numerical_marketing_data.columns
        vif_score1["VIF Score"] = [variance_inflation_factor(numerical_marketing_data.values, i) for i in range(numer
        print(vif_score1)
                         Feature VIF Score
        0
                             ID
                                  1.010835
        1
                      Year_Birth
                                  1.259204
        2
                         Income
                                  2.190397
        3
                        Kidhome 1.884153
        4
                        Teenhome 1.618260
        5
                        Recency 1.063283
        6
                       MntWines
                                  3.494357
        7
                       MntFruits
                                  1.954082
        8
                 MntMeatProducts
                                  2.949711
        9
                 MntFishProducts 2.144942
                MntSweetProducts 1.934484
        10
        11
                    MntGoldProds 1.540669
               NumDealsPurchases 1.683694
        12
        13
                 NumWebPurchases 1.947963
        14
             NumCatalogPurchases
                                  3.063649
        15
               NumStorePurchases
                                  2.424874
               NumWebVisitsMonth
        16
                                  2.347542
        17
                    AcceptedCmp3
                                  1.159159
        18
                    AcceptedCmp4
                                  1.377840
        19
                   AcceptedCmp5
                                  1.663838
        20
                    AcceptedCmp1
                                  1.360058
                    AcceptedCmp2
        21
                                  1.159884
        22
                        Complain
                                  1.011329
                   Z CostContact
        23
                                  0.000000
        24
                       Z_Revenue
                                  0.000000
                                  1.410645
        25
                       кеsponse
        26
                 Education_Label 1.187969
```

Table 10. VIF Score Table

From the above VIF score table it is observed that the VIF score is in the range from 0 to 5, thus there is no issue of multicollinearity and that the variables are not correlated to each. The features of the dataset thus can be used for training the model avoiding the issue of multicollinearity where the performance of the model can be improved.

```
In [ ]: corr_result = marketing_data.corr()
    correlation_response = corr_result['Response'].sort_values(ascending=False)
    topfeatures = correlation_response[1:6]
    print("The top features selected by correlation matrix are:\n")
    print(topfeatures)
```

The top features selected by correlation matrix are:

AcceptedCmp5 0.326634
AcceptedCmp1 0.293982
AcceptedCmp3 0.254258
MntWines 0.247254
MntMeatProducts 0.236335
Name: Response, dtype: float64

#### b. Lasso Regression to select the most important features for model training

Dataframe created.

```
In [ ]: A = new_marketingdata_lasso.drop(['Response'], axis=1)
    B = new_marketingdata_lasso['Response']
    lasso_result = Lasso(alpha=0.1)
    lasso_result.fit(A, B)
    coef = pd.Series(lasso_result.coef_, index=A.columns)
    features_lasso = coef.abs().sort_values(ascending=False).head(5).index
    print("The top features selected by Lasso regression:\n")
    print(features_lasso)
```

The top features selected by Lasso regression:

# c. Features selected for model building

The features that are selected for the model building based on the Correlation Plot values, Lasso Regression, and VIF Score are as follows:

<b>Correlation Plot Values</b>	Lasso Regression	Features with VIF Scores in range 0 to 5
AcceptedCmp5	NumStorePurchases	ID
AcceptedCmp1	Recency	Year_Birth
AcceptedCmp3	Year_Birth	Income
MntWines	MntGoldProds	Kidhome
MntMeatProducts	MntMeatProducts	Teenhome
		Recency
		MntWines
		MntFruits
		MntMeatProducts
		MntFishProducts
		MntSweetProducts
		MntGoldProds
		NumDealsPurchases
		NumWebPurchases
		NumCatalogPurchases
		NumStorePurchases
		NumWebVisitsMonth
		AcceptedCmp3
		AcceptedCmp4
		AcceptedCmp5
		AcceptedCmp1

AcceptedCmp2

Complain

Z\_CostContact

Z\_Revenue

Education

Table 11. Feature Selection & Extraction Table

#### 3. Defining the features for model training (Dimensionality Reduction)

The model is trained & built on the below mentioned features that are selected from the analysis of the Feature selection and extraction, Correlation matrix, Lasso Regression, and VIF score for multicollinearity.

- 1. **ID, Education, Marital\_Status, Dt\_Customer, Year\_Birth** are considered irrelevant for the training and prediction of the model for the response variable, hence is excluded from the model building.
- 2. **Z\_CostContact and Z\_Revenue** are constant values in the dataset, thus are excluded from the training of the model.
- 3. Since **VIF Score** of the variables are in the range of 0 to 5 it indicates that the variables are not correlated to each and hence there is no issue of multicollinearity.

```
In [6]: X = marketing_data.drop(columns=['ID', 'Education', 'Marital_Status', 'Dt_Customer', 'Year_Birth', 'Z_CostCon
y = marketing_data['Response']
```

#### 4. Splitting the dataset into train & test set

The dataset is split into training and testing data with a random split of 80% train set and 20% for test data.

```
In [7]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state = 42)
```

#### 5. Handling imbalance data (Class Bias)

Class Bias in a dataset occurs when **distribution of data points in a dataset is uneven**, with one or more classes being overrepresented or underrepresented, which means that either of the category has majority of the data points and thus while training of the model, the prediction will be biased to that category. Hence, it is important to **handle class imbalance** in the dataset which can be performed using various methods, and one such method that is implemented below is the **class weights**.

{0: 0.5867714472822528, 1: 3.3811320754716983}

# 6. Standardization

Standardization is performed on the split dataset in order to make the features selected comparable to a standardized scale.

```
In [9]: scaler = StandardScaler()
    X_train_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
    X_test_scaled = scaler.transform(X_test)
    print("Standardization successful")
```

Standardization successful

# Label Count in train & test dataset

```
In [10]: print('Labels count in y:', np.bincount(y))
    print('Labels count in y_train:', np.bincount(y_train))
    print('Labels count in y_test:', np.bincount(y_test))

Labels count in y: [1906 334]
    Labels count in y_train: [1527 265]
    Labels count in y_test: [379 69]
```

# Step 5: Model Building

Task 2: Build a logistic model to accurately predict subscription behavior. Discuss which variables are significant, their business impact, and how that may help you learn about the business.

Building a Logistic Regression model to predict subscription behavior.

#### Fitting the Logistic Regression model

The LR model is fit with a balanced class weight method in order to avoid class imbalance or bias data present in the training dataset.

#### Displaying the coefficients & intercepts after fitting the model

As observed from the below code, the coefficient values of the variables are displayed which are either positive or negative, which indicates that the variables with **positive** value have a **positive relationship with the target variable** whereas values having a **negative sign** indicate that there is a **negative relationship between the independent variable and the target variable**.

coefficient\_values = pd.DataFrame({'Feature': X.columns, 'Coefficient': logisticreg\_model.coef\_[0]})

```
print('Coefficients:')
print(coefficient_values)
Coefficients:
                 Feature Coefficient
                            -0.118962
0
                 Income
                            -0.073578
1
                 Kidhome
2
                Teenhome
                            -0.556644
3
                            -0.838319
                 Recency
4
                MntWines
                            -0.205099
               MntFruits
5
                             0.001428
6
        MntMeatProducts
                             0.617741
7
         MntFishProducts
                            -0.008853
8
        MntSweetProducts
                             0.235296
9
            MntGoldProds
                             0.200380
10
       NumDealsPurchases
                             0.368254
11
         NumWebPurchases
                             0.272962
     NumCatalogPurchases
                             0.421981
12
                            -0.435297
       NumStorePurchases
13
14
       NumWebVisitsMonth
                             0.753439
            AcceptedCmp3
                             0.499251
15
16
            AcceptedCmp4
                             0.322702
            AcceptedCmp5
17
                             0.554986
            AcceptedCmp1
18
                             0.280563
19
            AcceptedCmp2
                             0.125874
                Complain
20
                             0.016911
21
         Education_Label
                             0.595678
```

Table 12. Coefficients Table

# Summary Report of the Logistic Regression model

-0.081501

22 Marital\_Status\_Label

Summary report of the Logistic Regression model provides an overview of the model build and how accurately the model fits the data for each independent variable to predict or classify the target variable or dependent variable. The report is used to evaluate the overall fit of the model, identify which independent variables are most important in predicting the dependent variable, and analyze the statistical significance of each coefficients.

- From the summary report for the Logistic Regression model below, it is observed that the p-value for some of the features of the dataset is greater that the significance value of 0.05, hence these variables or features are considered statistically insignificant. The variables that are statistically insignificant are Kidhome, MntFruits, MntFishProducts, MntSweetProducts, MntGoldProds, NumWebVisitsMonth, and Complain. Thus, these variables are not contributing in the classification of the response variable.
- The remaining features have **p-value less than the significance value of 0.05**, hence are consider as **statistically significant variables**, indicating that these features are contributing in the prediction of the target variable.
- Of the statistically significant variables, features having highest coefficient values are **AcceptedCmp3** and **AcceptedCmp5**, indicating that they have the **highest positive influence on the target variable**, whereas **Income** has the **highest negative impact on the target variable**, which means that if the income is higher, there is no response for the magazine subscription.

• Hence, the variables that are significant which have an impact on the business are AcceptedCmp3 and AcceptedCmp5, and the variable that has the highest negative impact is the Income feature.

```
In [ ]: model_summary = sm.Logit(endog=y, exog=X)
summary_result = model_summary.fit()
print(summary_result.summary())
```

Optimization terminated successfully.

Current function value: 0.294728

Iterations 7

Logit Regression Results

Dep. Variable:	Response	No. Observations:	2240
Model:	Logit	Df Residuals:	2217
Method:	MLE	Df Model:	22
Date:	Sat, 06 May 2023	Pseudo R-squ.:	0.3002
Time:	22:11:10	Log-Likelihood:	-660.19
converged:	True	LL-Null:	-943.39
Covariance Type:	nonrobust	LLR p-value:	9.636e-106

============	========	========	========	========	========	========
	coef	std err	Z	P> z	[0.025	0.975]
Income	-2.874e-05	6.42e-06	-4.480	0.000	-4.13e-05	-1.62e-05
Kidhome	-0.2396	0.189	-1.270	0.204	-0.609	0.130
Teenhome	-0.8331	0.184	-4.521	0.000	-1.194	-0.472
Recency	-0.0301	0.003	-11.011	0.000	-0.036	-0.025
MntWines	0.0007	0.000	2.069	0.039	3.64e-05	0.001
MntFruits	0.0020	0.002	0.864	0.387	-0.003	0.006
MntMeatProducts	0.0022	0.000	4.613	0.000	0.001	0.003
MntFishProducts	-0.0002	0.002	-0.121	0.904	-0.004	0.003
MntSweetProducts	0.0008	0.002	0.380	0.704	-0.003	0.005
MntGoldProds	0.0018	0.002	1.178	0.239	-0.001	0.005
NumDealsPurchases	0.1455	0.044	3.295	0.001	0.059	0.232
NumWebPurchases	0.1045	0.031	3.350	0.001	0.043	0.166
NumCatalogPurchases	0.0673	0.039	1.731	0.083	-0.009	0.143
NumStorePurchases	-0.1697	0.033	-5.203	0.000	-0.234	-0.106
NumWebVisitsMonth	0.0313	0.033	0.942	0.346	-0.034	0.097
AcceptedCmp3	1.6615	0.212	7.827	0.000	1.245	2.078
AcceptedCmp4	1.0475	0.269	3.887	0.000	0.519	1.576
AcceptedCmp5	1.5294	0.271	5.637	0.000	0.998	2.061
AcceptedCmp1	1.1352	0.262	4.336	0.000	0.622	1.648
AcceptedCmp2	1.4602	0.524	2.787	0.005	0.433	2.487
Complain	0.4325	0.751	0.576	0.565	-1.040	1.905
Education_Label	0.2601	0.068	3.824	0.000	0.127	0.393
Marital_Status_Label	-0.2130	0.060	-3.526	0.000	-0.331	-0.095

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Ranking the top three variables by the highest coefficient (by absolute value).

```
In [ ]: coef_sort = abs(summary_result.params).sort_values(ascending=False).head(3)
    table2 = pd.DataFrame({'Coefficient (abs)': coef_sort})
    table2 = table2.loc[coef_sort.index]
    print(table2)
```

Coefficient (abs)
AcceptedCmp3 1.661463
AcceptedCmp5 1.529384
AcceptedCmp2 1.460207

# **Model Testing**

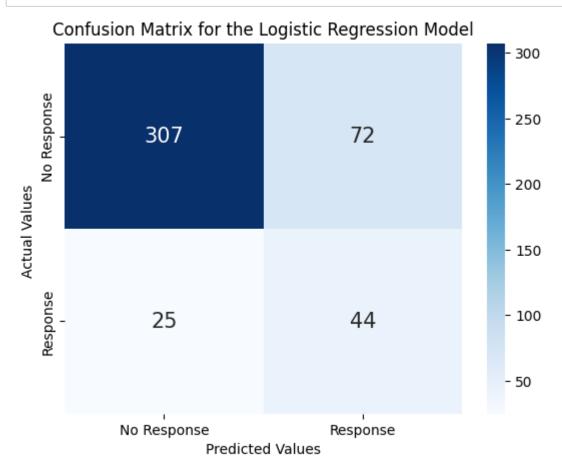
```
In [ ]: y_pred = logisticreg_model.predict(X_test_scaled)
```

# **Evaluating the performance of the model**

- 1. Accuracy of the model on training and testing dataset
- 2. Confusion Matrix
- 3. Classification Report
- 4. AUC-ROC curve

```
In []: # Accuracy of the model on training and testing set

print('Accuracy of Logistic Regressor model on training set: {:.3f}'.format(logisticreg_model.score(X_train_s print('Accuracy of Logistic Regressor model on test set: {:.3f}'.format(logisticreg_model.score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_score(X_test_
```



weighted avg

0.84

Figure 13. Confusion Matrix for Logistic Regression Model

```
In [ ]: # Classification Report
        print("\n Classification report %s:\n%s\n" % (logisticreg_model, metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_pred
         Classification report LogisticRegression(class_weight='balanced', solver='newton-cg'):
                                    recall f1-score
                      precision
                                                       support
                   0
                            0.92
                                      0.81
                                                0.86
                                                           379
                                                0.48
                                                            69
                   1
                            0.38
                                      0.64
                                                0.78
                                                           448
            accuracy
           macro avg
                            0.65
                                      0.72
                                                0.67
                                                           448
```

448

0.80

0.78

```
In []: # AUC-ROC Curve

ypred_prob = logisticreg_model.predict_proba(X_test_scaled)[:,1]
fpr, tpr, thresholds = roc_curve(y_test, ypred_prob)
roc_auc = auc(fpr, tpr)
plt.figure(figsize=(8,5))
plt.title('ROC Curve')
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1],'r--')
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate (Sensitivity)')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.show()
```

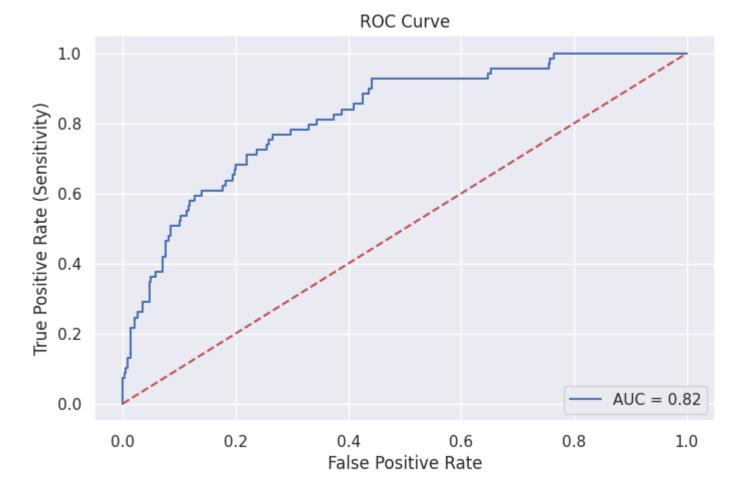


Figure 14. ROC Curve

# Accuracy metric:

From the above evaluation metrics it is observed that the Logistic Regression model performed well in classifying the magazine behavior with an accuracy of 83.3% for training data and 78.3% for testing data, which indicates that the model has good accuracy in classification. However, the accuracy difference between the training and testing data is more which may occur in overfitting of the data, indicating that the model is able to make predictions on the training data but cannot accurately predict on the new or unseen data.

# **Confusion matrix:**

The confusion matrix of the Logistic Regression model indicates that the **no response category is correctly classified 307 times** whereas the **response class is correctly classified 44 times**, which is a good percent where the data is been correctly classified. However, the **no response category is wrongly classified times as response class 72 times** and **response class is classified as no response category 25 times**. Hence, the false positive and false negative values need to addressed to avoid inefficiency of the category classification.

# Classification Report:

From the classification report we understand the model performance in terms of training and testing data based on the precision and recall values. The precision score for **no response and response is 92% and 38% respectively**, and as it can be observed the precision score is less for the response category. Similarly, the recall score for the **no response class is 81%** and for **response class is 64%** indicating a good score for the two classes.

# **ROC Curve:**

The AUC score for the Logistic Regression model built to classify the magazine behavior is **82**% which is a good AUC score indicating that the model is a best-fit model.

# Step 5: Model Building

Task 3: Build an SVM model to accurately predict subscription behavior. Discuss the model's accuracy and how that compares to the logistic model.

The SVM model is fit with a linear kernel and balanced class weight method in order to avoid class imbalance or bias data present in the training dataset.

#### **Model Testing**

```
In [ ]: y_pred = svm_model.predict(X_test_scaled)
```

#### Evaluating the performance of the model

- 1. Accuracy of the model on training and testing dataset
- 2. Confusion Matrix
- 3. Classification Report
- 4. Feature Importance

```
In [ ]: # Accuracy of the model on training and testing set

print('Accuracy of SVM model on training set: {:.3f}'.format(svm_model.score(X_train_scaled, y_train)))
print('Accuracy of SVM model on test set: {:.3f}'.format(svm_model.score(X_test_scaled, y_test)))

model_result2 = svm_model.score(X_test_scaled, y_test)
model_result2 = round(model_result2,4)
print("Overall Accuracy of the model is ", model_result2)
Accuracy of SVM model on training set: 0.832
```

```
Accuracy of SVM model on training set: 0.832
Accuracy of SVM model on test set: 0.799
Overall Accuracy of the model is 0.7991
```

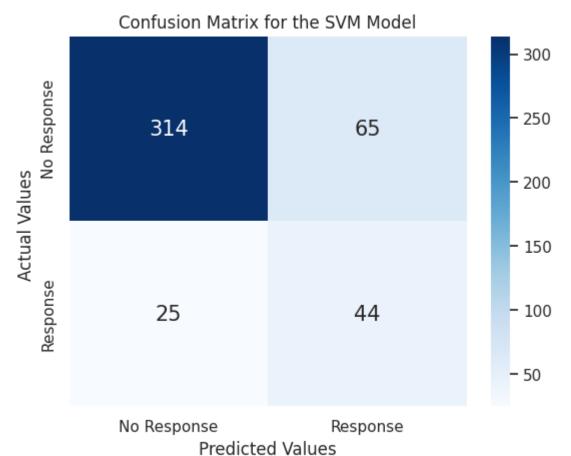


Figure 15. Confusion Matrix for SVM Model

```
In [ ]: # Classification Report
print("\n Classification report %s:\n%s\n" % (svm_model, metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_pred)))
```

```
Classification report SVC(C=1, class_weight='balanced', kernel='linear', random_state=42):
                           recall f1-score
              precision
                                               support
           0
                   0.93
                              0.83
                                        0.87
                                                   379
           1
                   0.40
                              0.64
                                        0.49
                                                    69
                                        0.80
                                                   448
    accuracy
                   0.66
                              0.73
                                        0.68
                                                   448
   macro avg
                   0.85
                                        0.82
                                                   448
weighted avg
                              0.80
```

#### **Feature Importance Visualization for SVM Model**

```
In [ ]: feature_importances = pd.Series(abs(svm_model.coef_[0]), index=X.columns)
feature_importances.nlargest(10).plot(kind='barh', color="darkblue", title="Feature Importance for SVM model")
```

Out[66]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Feature Importance for SVM model'}>

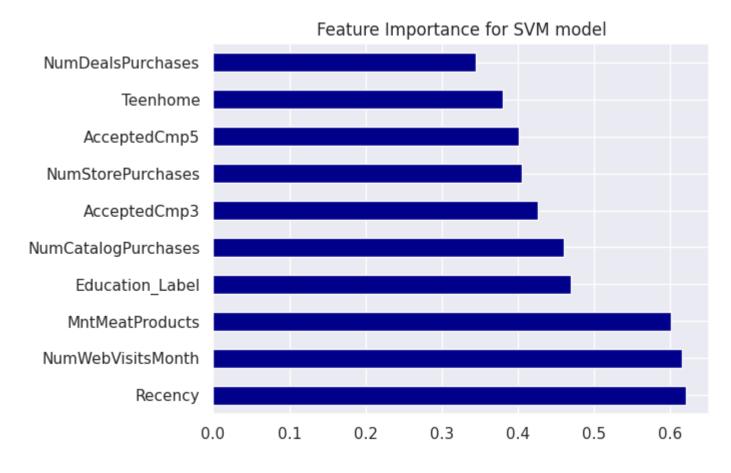


Figure 16. Feature Importance for SVM Model

# Accuracy metric:

From the above evaluation metrics it is observed that the SVM model performed well in classifying the magazine behavior with an accuracy of 83.2% for training data and 79.9% for testing data, which indicates that the model has good accuracy in classification. However, the accuracy difference between the training and testing data is slighlty more in this case which may occur in overfitting of the data, indicating that the model is able to make predictions on the training data but cannot accurately predict on the new or unseen data.

# Confusion matrix:

The confusion matrix of the SVM model indicates that the **no response category is correctly classified 314 times** whereas the **response class is correctly classified 44 times**, which is a good percent where the data is been correctly classified. However, the **no response category is wrongly classified times as response class 65 times** and **response class is classified as no response category 25 times**. Hence, the false positive and false negative values need to addressed to avoid inefficiency of the category classification.

# **Classification Report:**

From the classification report we understand the model performance in terms of training and testing data based on the precision and recall values. The precision score for **no response and response is 93% and 40% respectively**, and as it can be observed the precision score is less for the response category. Similarly, the recall score for the **no response class is 83%** and for **response class is 64%** indicating a good score for the two classes.

# **Feature Importance Score:**

The feature importance graph shows that variables **Recency**, **NumWebVisitsMonth**, **and MntMeatProducts** have the highest feature importance with **score of 0.6** indicating that the model classification for magazine behavior is based on these features and that they are highly contributing in the prediction of the target variable. Thus, **it is recommended that the company should focus on these** 

#### **SVM** model comparison with Logistic Regression model

- As compared to the goodness of fit metrics and evaluation metrics for the Logistic Regression and SVM model, it is observed that **SVM model performed better in classifying the magazine behavior of the customers**.
- This is because the accuracy of the testing data is slightly high as compared to that of the Logistic Regression model.
- Apart from that, when analyzed the **confusion matrix we see that high number of classes are correctly classified** using the SVM model as compared to the LR model, which is important because if the less number of false positive and false negative values are there, it will be less of a job to manually address that and hence would be effective in analyzing the data.
- Also, the **precision and recall score is slightly better for the SVM model** in comparison with the Logistic Regression model, indicating that the prediction of classes is better performed in SVM model.

# **Step 5: Model Building**

Task 4: Build a decision tree model (at most 4 branches) to accurately predict subscription behavior. Discuss the model's accuracy and how that compares to the other two models (variables and accuracy).

Building a Decision Tree model to predict subscription behavior.

#### **Fitting the Decision Tree model**

The Decision Tree model is fit with a max depth of 4 and balanced class weight method in order to avoid class imbalance or bias data present in the training dataset.

```
In [13]: decisiontree_model = DecisionTreeClassifier(max_depth=4, random_state=42, class_weight="balanced")
decisiontree_model.fit(X_train_scaled, y_train)
```

Out[13]:

```
DecisionTreeClassifier

DecisionTreeClassifier(class_weight='balanced', max_depth=4, random_state=42)
```

# **Plotting the Decision Tree**

```
In [ ]: # plotting the decision tree

plt.figure(figsize=(18,8))
plot_tree(decisiontree_model, filled=True, rounded=True, feature_names=X_train.columns, class_names=["No Resp
plt.show()
```

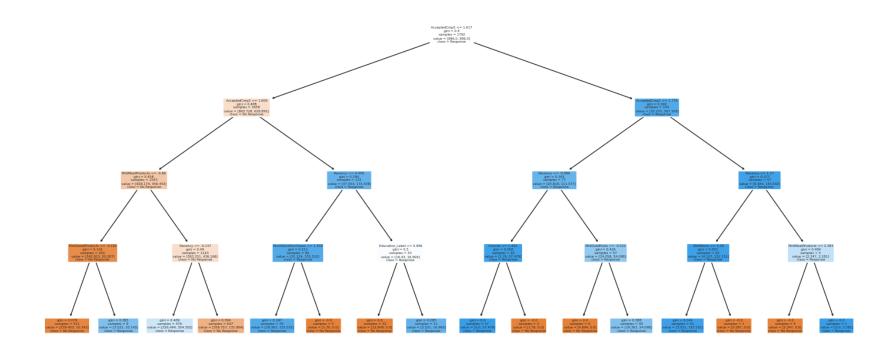


Figure 17. Decision Tree

```
In [ ]: y_pred = decisiontree_model.predict(X_test_scaled)
```

#### **Evaluating the performance of the model**

- 1. Accuracy of the model on training and testing dataset
- 2. Confusion Matrix
- 3. Classification Report
- 4. Feature Importance

```
In []: # Accuracy of the model on training and testing set

print('Accuracy of Decision Tree model on training set: {:.3f}'.format(decisiontree_model.score(X_train_scale print('Accuracy of Decision Tree model on test set: {:.3f}'.format(decisiontree_model.score(X_test_scaled model_result3 = decisiontree_model.score(X_test_scaled, y_test) model_result3 = round(model_result3,4) print("Overall Accuracy of the model is ", model_result3)

Accuracy of Decision Tree model on training set: 0.714
Accuracy of Decision Tree model on test set: 0.672
Overall Accuracy of the model is 0.6719
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In []: # Confusion Matrix

confusionmatrix_LR = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)

fig = sns.heatmap(confusionmatrix_LR, annot=True, annot_kws={"size": 15}, cmap = 'Blues', fmt='g')
fig.xaxis.set_ticklabels(['No Response','Response'])
fig.yaxis.set_ticklabels(['No Response','Response'])
fig.set_xlabel('Predicted Values')
fig.set_ylabel('Actual Values ')
fig.set_title('Confusion Matrix for the Decision Tree Model')
sns.set(font_scale=1.0)
```

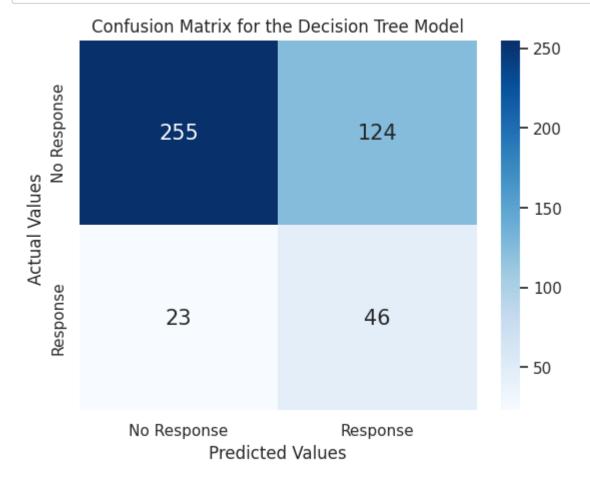


Figure 18. Confusion Matrix for Decision Tree model

```
In [ ]: # Classification Report
        print("\n Classification report %s:\n%s\n" % (decisiontree_model, metrics.classification_report(y_test, y_pre
         Classification report DecisionTreeClassifier(class_weight='balanced', max_depth=4, random_state=42):
                      precision
                                 recall f1-score
                                                      support
                   0
                           0.92
                                     0.67
                                               0.78
                                                          379
                   1
                           0.27
                                     0.67
                                               0.38
                                                           69
                                               0.67
                                                          448
            accuracy
           macro avg
                           0.59
                                     0.67
                                               0.58
                                                          448
```

448

#### **Feature Importance for Decision Tree model**

0.82

weighted avg

```
In [ ]: feature_importances = pd.Series(decisiontree_model.feature_importances_, index=X.columns)
    feature_importances.nlargest(10).plot(kind='barh', color="darkblue", title = "Feature Importance for Decision")
```

Out[73]: <Axes: title={'center': 'Feature Importance for Decision Tree model'}>

0.67

0.72

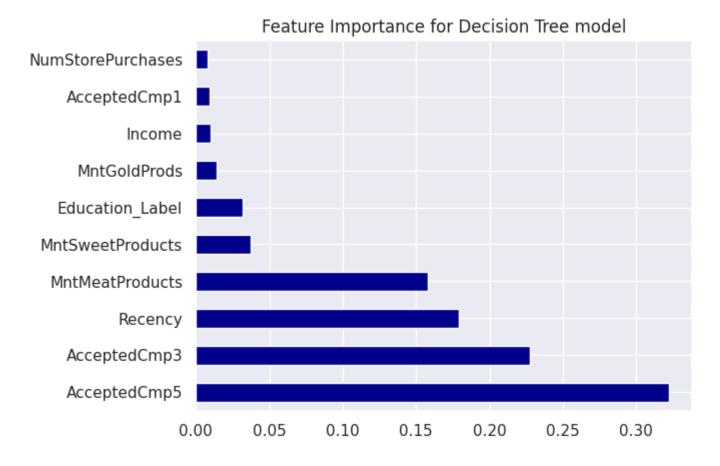


Figure 19. Feature Importance for Decision Tree model

# **Feature Importance Score**

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In [ ]: # extracting feature importance
        feature_importance = pd.DataFrame({'Feature': X_train.columns, 'Importance Score' : np.round(decisiontree_mod
        feature_importance.sort_values('Importance Score', ascending=False, inplace = True)
        print(feature_importance)
                          Feature Importance Score
                     AcceptedCmp5
        15
                    AcceptedCmp3
                                               0.228
        3
                          Recency
                                               0.179
                  MntMeatProducts
        6
                                               0.158
        8
                MntSweetProducts
                                               0.037
                  Education Label
                                               0.032
        21
                    MntGoldProds
        9
                                               0.014
        0
                           Income
                                               0.010
                     AcceptedCmp1
                                               0.009
        18
        13
               NumStorePurchases
                                               0.008
        4
                         MntWines
                                               0.003
                                               0.000
        20
                         Complain
                     AcceptedCmp2
                                               0.000
        19
                                               0.000
        16
                     AcceptedCmp4
        11
                                               0.000
                  NumWebPurchases
        14
               NumWebVisitsMonth
                                               0.000
        12
             NumCatalogPurchases
                                               0.000
                                               0.000
        1
                          Kidhome
        10
                                               0.000
               NumDealsPurchases
        7
                  MntFishProducts
                                               0.000
                                               0.000
        5
                        MntFruits
        2
                         Teenhome
                                               0.000
            Marital_Status_Label
                                               0.000
```

#### Accuracy metric:

From the above evaluation metrics it is observed that the Decision Tree model performed well in classifying the magazine behavior with an accuracy of **71.4% for training data and 67.2% for testing data**, which indicates that the model has somewhat a good accuracy in classification. However, the accuracy difference between the training and testing data is slighly more in this case which may occur in overfitting of the data, indicating that the model is able to make predictions on the training data but cannot accurately predict on the new or unseen data.

#### **Confusion matrix:**

The confusion matrix of the SVM model indicates that the **no response category is correctly classified 255 times** whereas the **response class is correctly classified 46 times**, which is a good percent where the data is been correctly classified. However, the **no response category is wrongly classified times as response class 124 times** and **response class is classified as no response category 23 times**. Hence, the false positive and false negative values need to addressed to avoid inefficiency of the category classification.

#### **Classification Report:**

From the classification report we understand the model performance in terms of training and testing data based on the precision and recall values. The precision score for **no response and response is 92% and 27% respectively**, and as it can be observed the precision score is less for the response category. Similarly, the recall score for the **no response class is 87%** and for **response class is 67%** indicating a good score for the two classes.

#### **Feature Importance Score:**

The feature importance graph shows that variables **AcceptedCmp5**, **AcceptedCmp3**, and **Recency** have the highest feature importance with a **score of 0.3** indicating that the model classification for magazine behavior is based on these features and that they are highly contributing in the prediction of the target variable. Thus, it is recommended that the company should focus on these parameters and features while analyzing the magazine subscription behavior of the customer.

# Decision Tree model comparison with Logistic Regression & SVM model

- As compared to the goodness of fit metrics and evaluation metrics for the Logistic Regression, SVM model and Decision Tree
  model, it is observed that SVM model performed better in classifying the magazine behavior of the customers as compared
  to the Logistic Regression and Decision Tree model.
- Decision Tree model **performed poor** as compared to both Logistic Regression and SVM model.
- This is because the **accuracy of the training and testing data dropped down to high percent** as compared to that of the SVM and Logistic Regression model.
- Apart from that, when analyzed the **confusion matrix we see that high number of classes are correctly classified** using the SVM model as compared to the LR model and Decision Tree model, which is important because if the less number of false positive and false negative values are there, it will be less of a job to manually address that and hence would be effective in analyzing the data.
- Also, the precision and recall score is relatively low for the Decision Tree model in comparison with the Logistic Regression model and SVM model, indicating that the prediction of classes is better performed in SVM model and Logistic Regression model.

# Results

Task 5: Compare the accuracy of all the models (overall accuracy, precision, recall) and the overall variables that were deemed significant. Discuss which model you would recommend based on these three metrics. Discuss what key variables they should focus on and their business context once you select your final model (that should be the key takeaway).

1. Comparing the accuracy of the models built (accuracy, precision, recall)

```
In [ ]: metrics_data = []
    metrics_data.append(['Logistic Regression Model', model_result1, '38%', '64%', 'AcceptedCmp3, AcceptedCmp5, A
    metrics_data.append(['SVM Model', model_result2, '40%', '64%', 'Recency, NumWebVisitsMonth, MntMeatProducts']
    metrics_data.append(['Decision Tree Model', model_result3, '27%', '67%', 'AcceptedCmp5, AcceptedCmp3, Recency
    metrics_df = pd.DataFrame(metrics_data, columns=['Model', 'Accuracy', 'Precision', 'Recall', 'Significant Var
    metrics_df
```

Out[79]:		Model	Accuracy	Precision	Recall	Significant Variables
	0	Logistic Regression Model	0.7835	38%	64%	AcceptedCmp3, AcceptedCmp5, AcceptedCmp2
	1	SVM Model	0.7991	40%	64%	Recency, NumWebVisitsMonth, MntMeatProducts
	2	Decision Tree Model	0 6710	27%	67%	AccentedCmn5 AccentedCmn3 Recency

2. Discussing the models to be recommended based on the evaluation metrics

Based on the evaluation metrics as shown in the table above, it is observed that **SVM model has performed the best** as compared to the Logistic Regression model and Decision Tree model for the classification of the magazine behavior for customers. This is because the accuracy and precision - recall score for the SVM model is higher as compared to the other models and **hence the model that would be recommended based on the evaluation metrics is the SVM model.** 

3. Discussing the key variables they should focus on their business context

The key variables based on the model selected which is the SVM model are 'Recency', 'NumWebVisitsMonth', 'MntMeatProducts'. The feature importance score for the SVM model for the three variables is 0.6 and hence they are the key variables that the company should focus on based on the business context.

# **Conclusion**

#### Recommendations

- Based on the analysis and results, we conclude that SVM model is recommended to be implemented for the classification of the
  magazine behavior for the customer. The SVM model is overfitted as the accuracy values for training and testing data differ
  by a certain percent value, and hence the model requires further improvement such that it can be used in future for further
  prediction and classification, which can be done by updating new features and data points that will increase the efficiency and
  performance of the model, implying a best-fit model for training.
- The features that should be focused upon are Recency, NumWebVisitsMonth, and MntMeatProducts based on the feature importance score of the SVM model. Hence, the company should focus on these features for analyzing the magazine subscription behavior of the customer.

#### **Future Scope**

The SVM model selected is able to classify the target variable and also extract the features that contribute to the prediction, but the performance and efficiency of the model can be improved and thus requires reevaluating the performance of the model by adding new features to the model and increasing the training data. Based on the results, it is observed that the data is overfitted and hence it is important that both the quantity and quality of data is improved to increase the efficiency of the model.

Thus, the model can be improved and updated based on new features being added to the dataset that can help to better analyze the target variable.

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