



# Choosing Intro

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# Patterns in Retail Behavior

- Obtain
- Scrub
- **Explore**
- **Model**
- **iNterpret**





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# What Do We Recommend?



# How Do We Retain Customers?

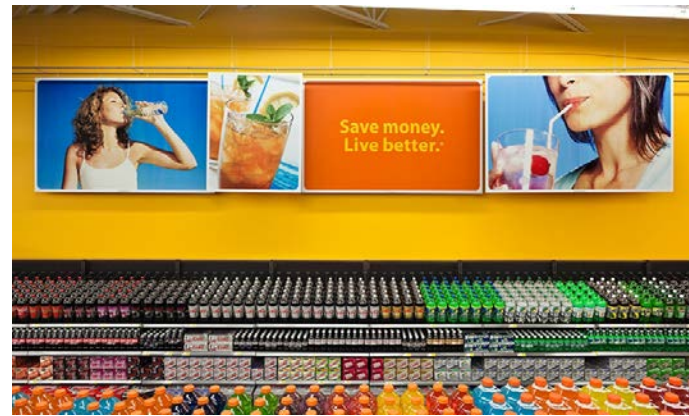
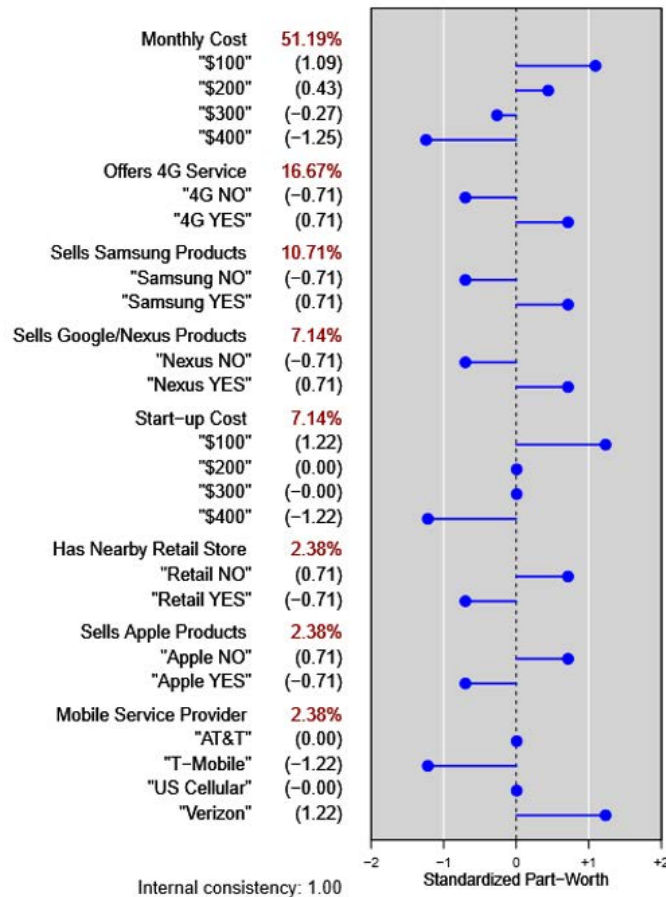


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# But How to Choose?







# Data Review

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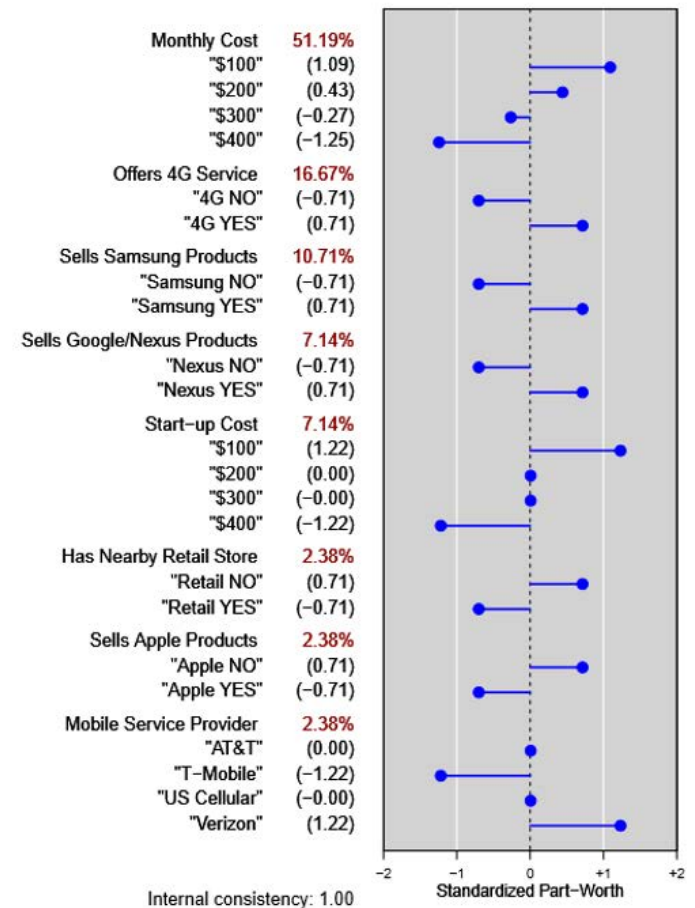
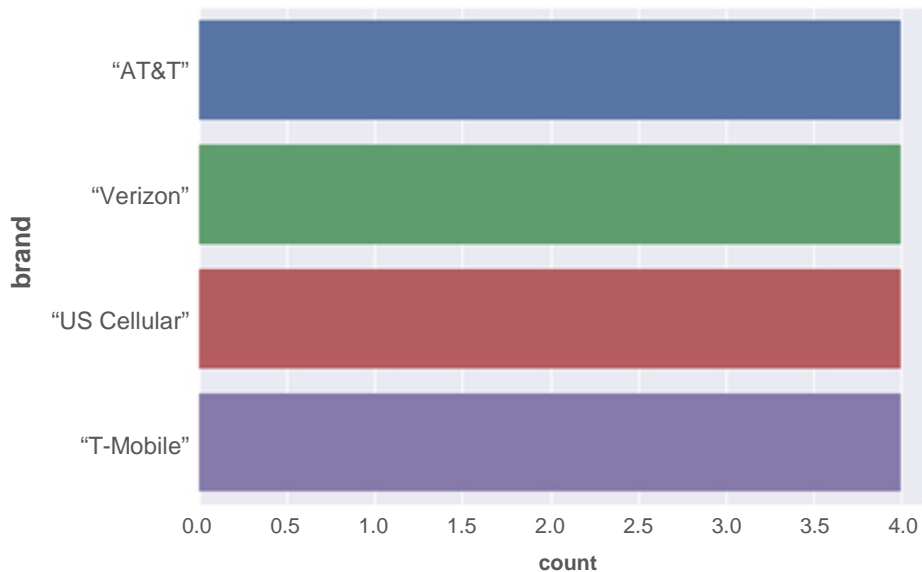
# Choosing Data

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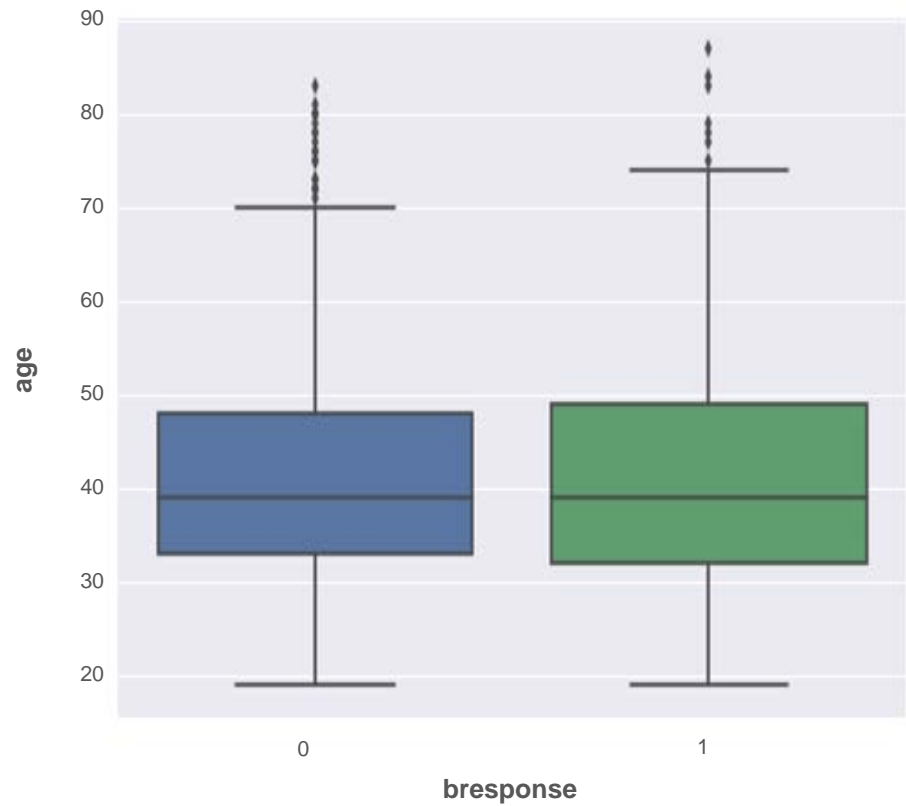
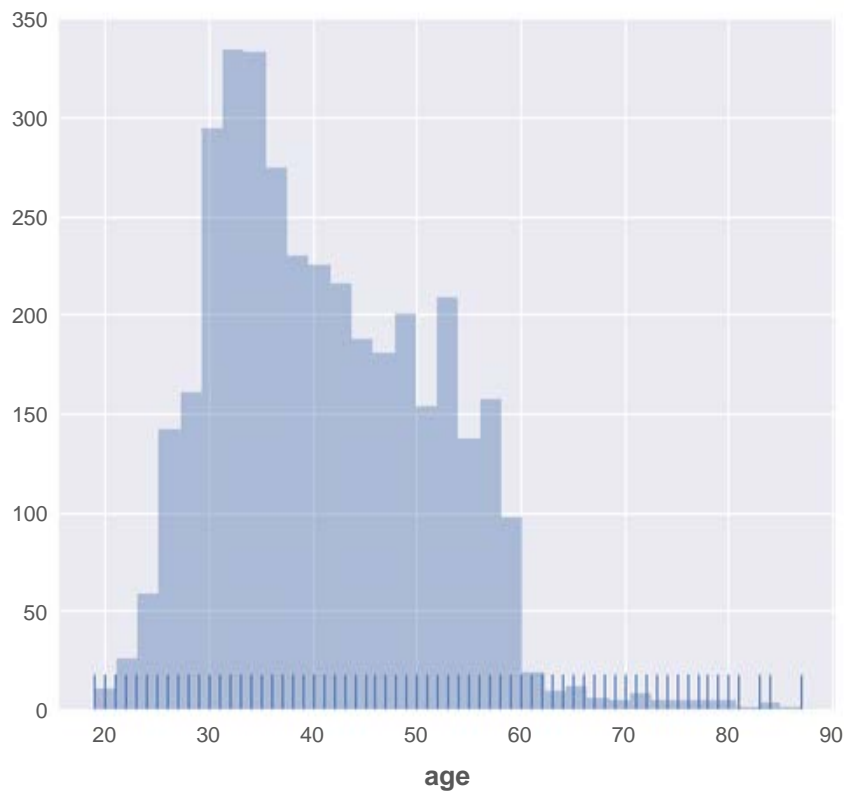
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59	no	0	yes	no	unknown	5	may	226	1	-1	0	unknown	no
35	no	747	no	no	cellular	23	feb	141	2	176	3	failure	no
36	no	307	yes	no	cellular	14	may	341	1	330	2	other	no
39	no	147	yes	no	cellular	6	may	151	2	-1	0	unknown	no
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# Preference Data

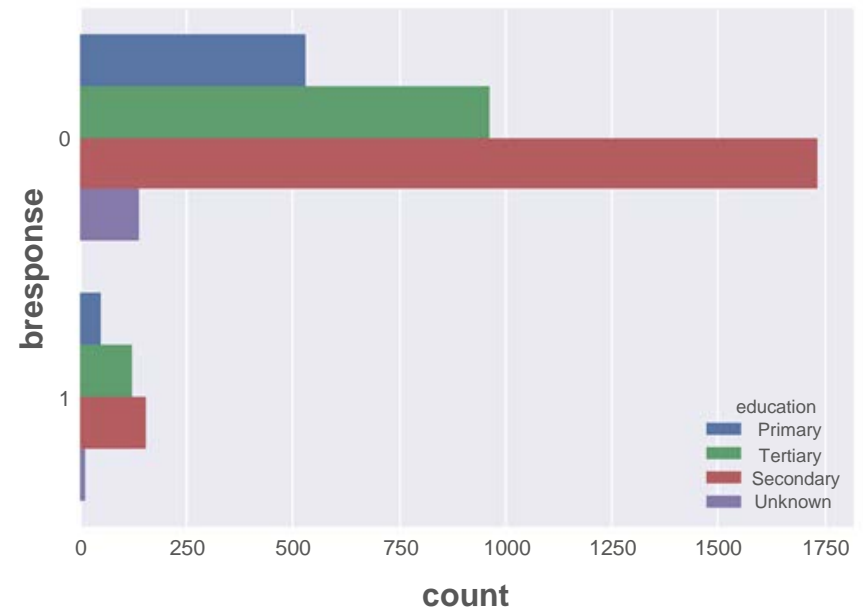
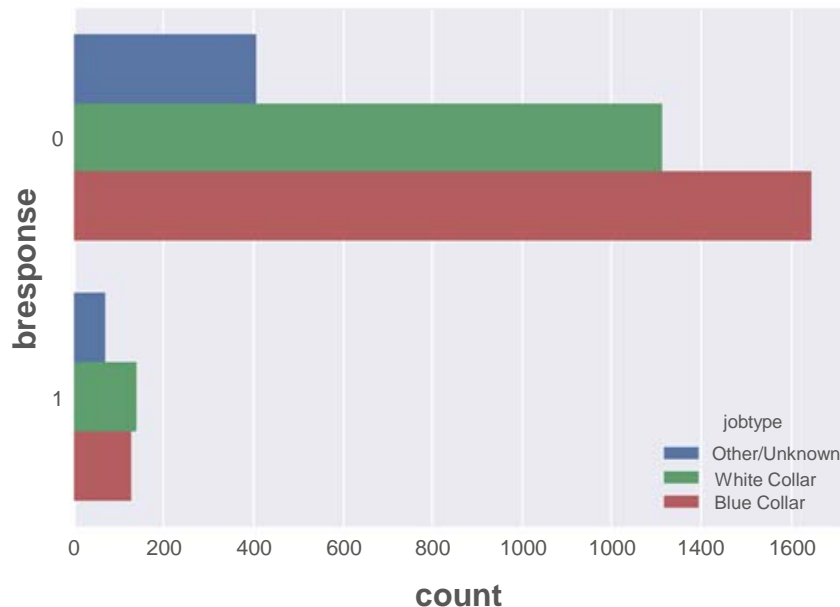


# Consumer Description



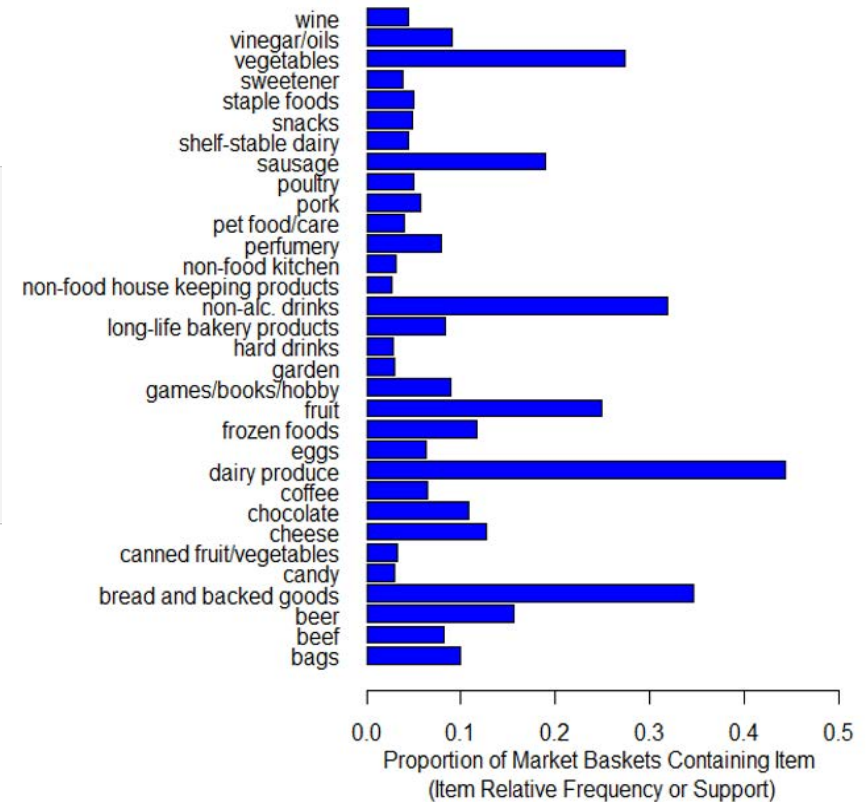


# Consumer Description (cont.)



# Product Description

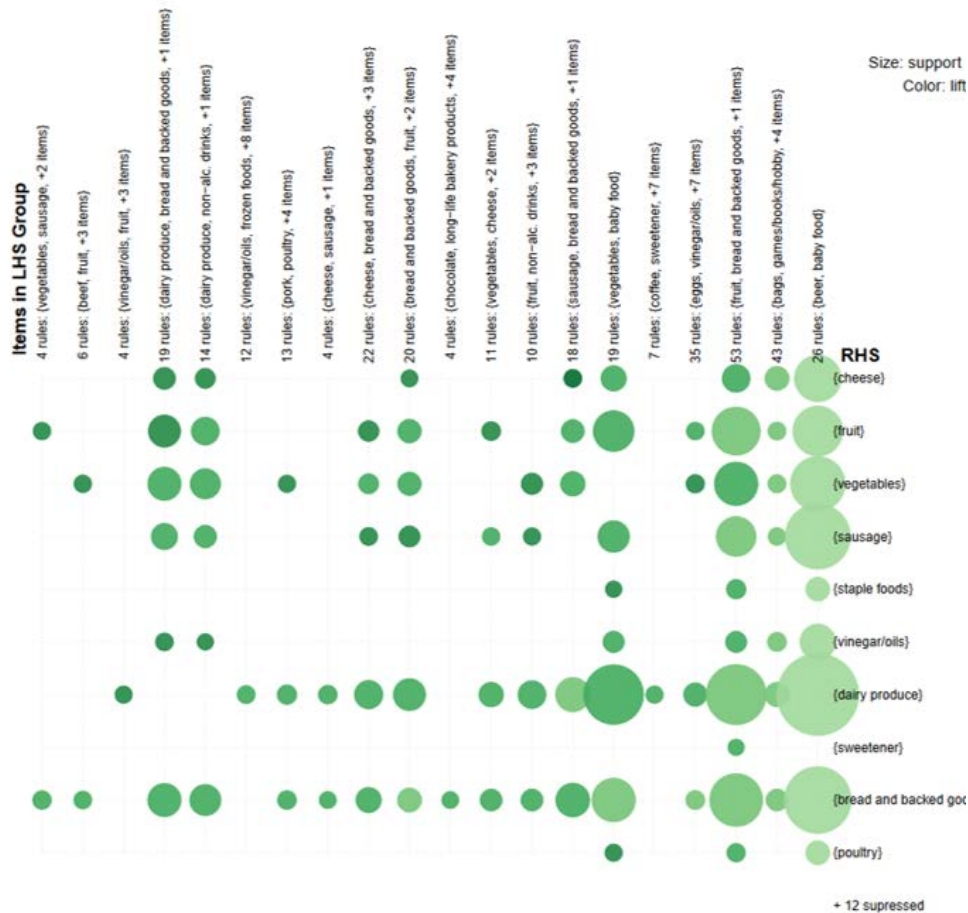
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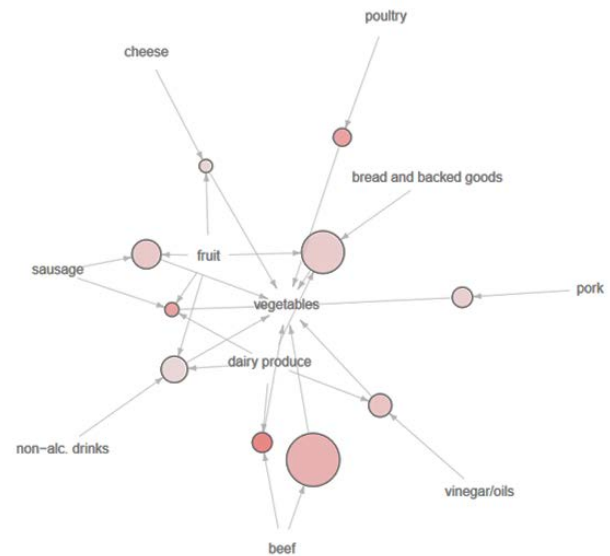


# Product Association

Grouped Matrix for 344 Rules



Graph for 10 rules



size: support (0.027 - 0.04)  
color: lift (1.899 - 2.22)



# Recommendation

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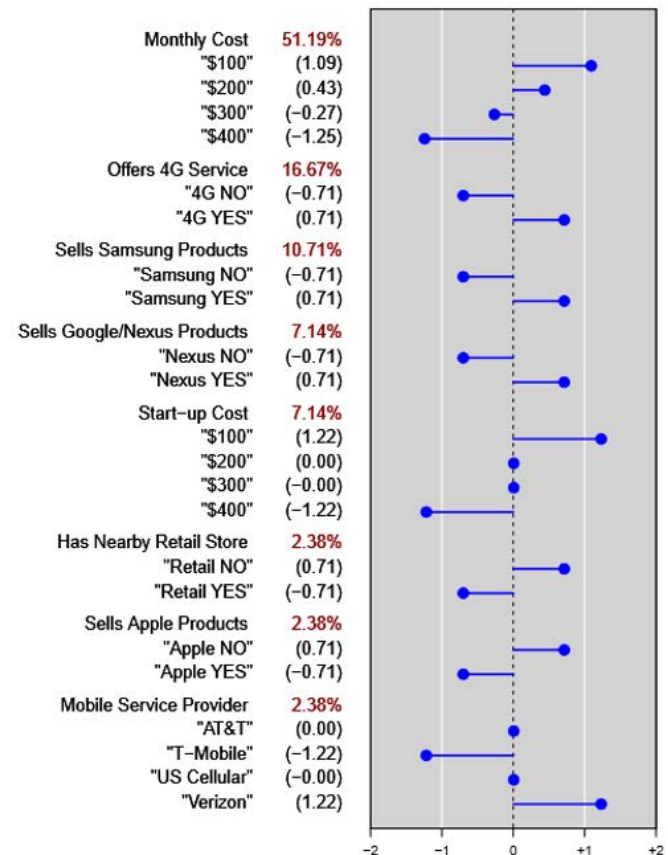


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# Recommendation

- Low cost is better
- Smaller start-up cost is better
- Regional carrier preference is strong
- Google / Samsung preferred

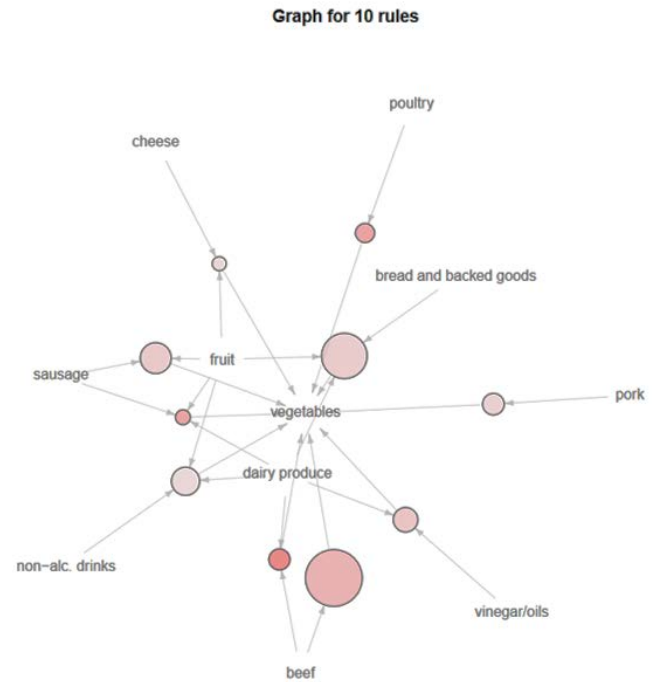
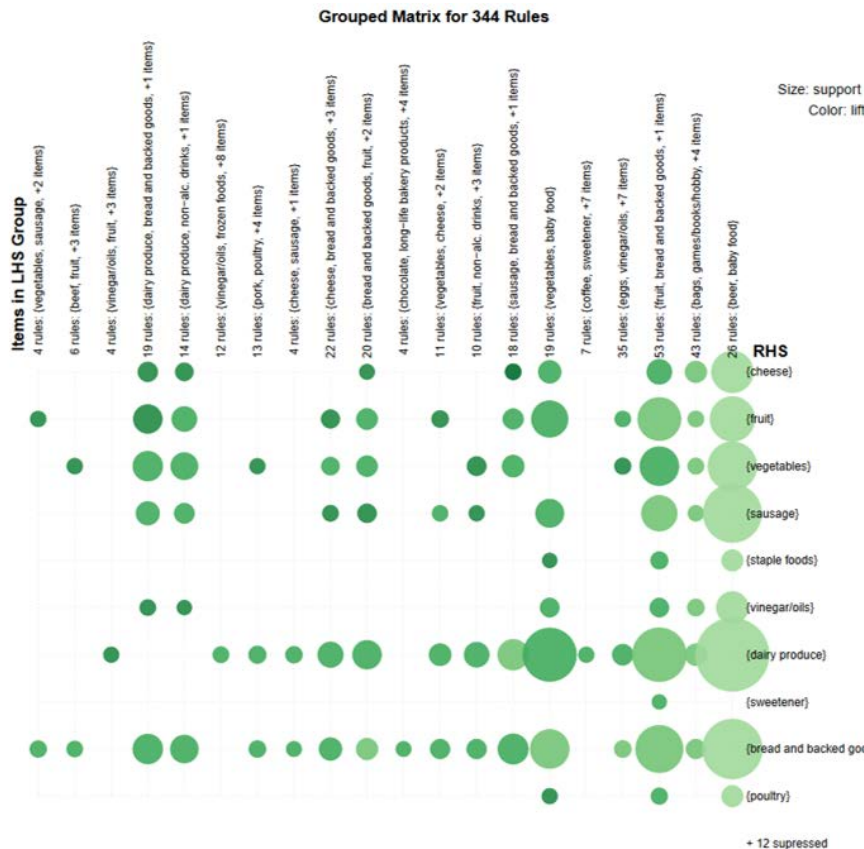




# What Do We Recommend?



# Product Recommendations







# Consumer Choice

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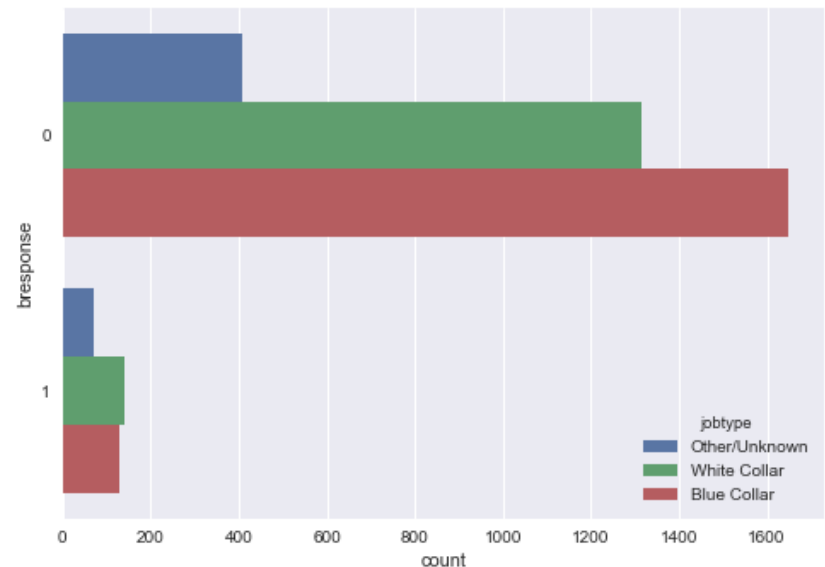
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# Summary Statistics

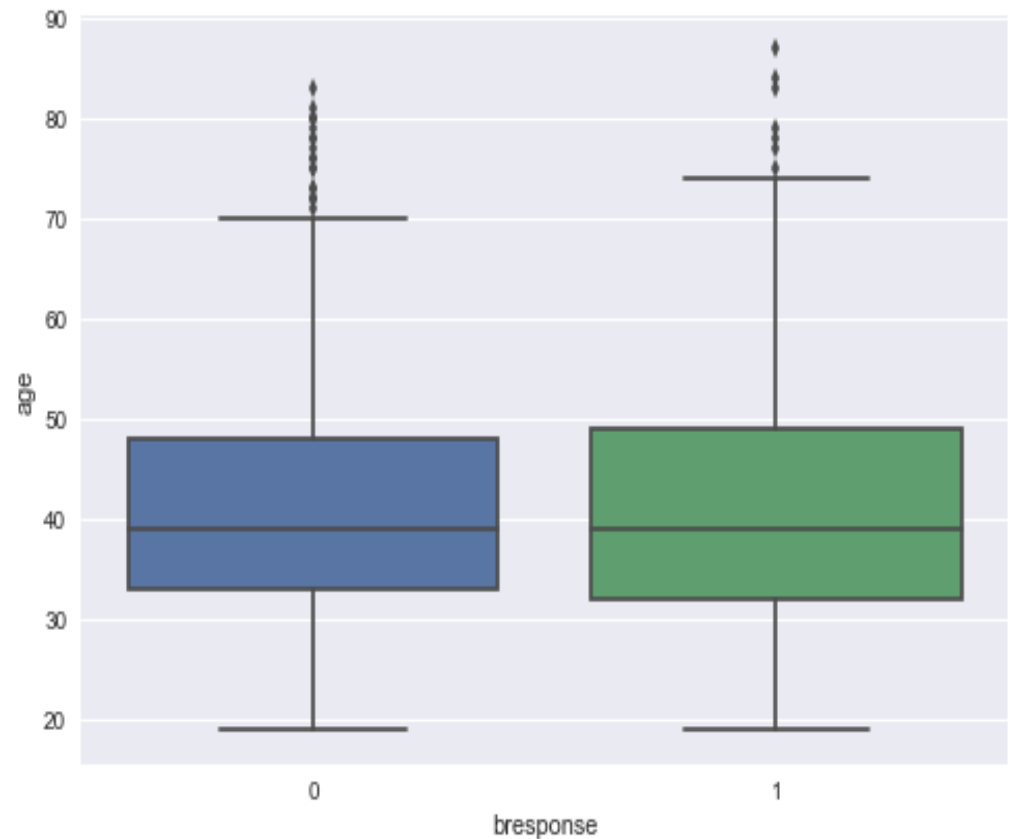
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- Low – (-) 3,313
- High – 71,188
- Mean – 1,422
- Number of records: 4521
  - Blue-collar – 946
  - Management – 969
  - Technician – 768
  - Retired – 230



# Summary Statistics

- Counts – per factor
- Range – per factor
- Deviation – by response
- Conjoint analysis







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# Consumer Knowledge

age	job	marital	education	default	balance	rentown	repairplan	contact	plannum	months	devices	bresponse
30	unemployed	married	primary	no	1787	rent	no	cellular	19	79	1	0
33	services	married	secondary	no	4789	own	yes	cellular	11	220	5	0
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39	services	married	secondary	no	9374	own	no	unknown	20	273	1	0
43	admin.	married	secondary	no	264	own	no	cellular	17	113	1	0
36	technician	married	tertiary	no	1109	rent	no	cellular	13	328	1	0
20	student	single	secondary	no	502	rent	no	cellular	30	261	1	1

# Consumer Choice

- Response variable
  - What do we do to predict?
  - Continuous
  - Categorical
- Explanatory variables
  - What do we know?
  - Continuous
  - Categorical
- Factors that prompt a choice
  - Geographic
  - Demographic
  - Behavioral
  - Psychographic

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-88	own	yes
9374	own	no
264	own	no
1109	rent	no
502	rent	no



# Logistic Regression

- What if my response variable is not continuous?
  - Dead or alive
  - Approve or disapprove
  - Switch plans or stay
  - Renew or cancel
- Assumption is Bernoulli distribution

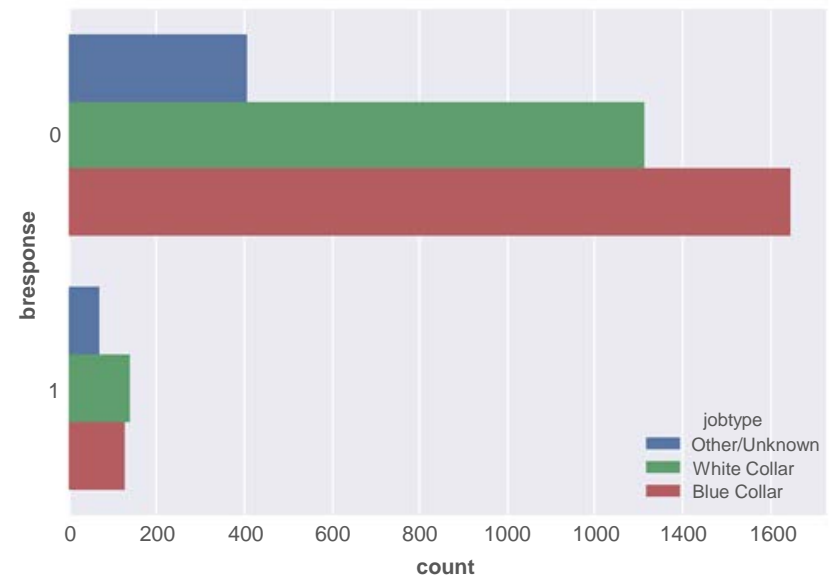
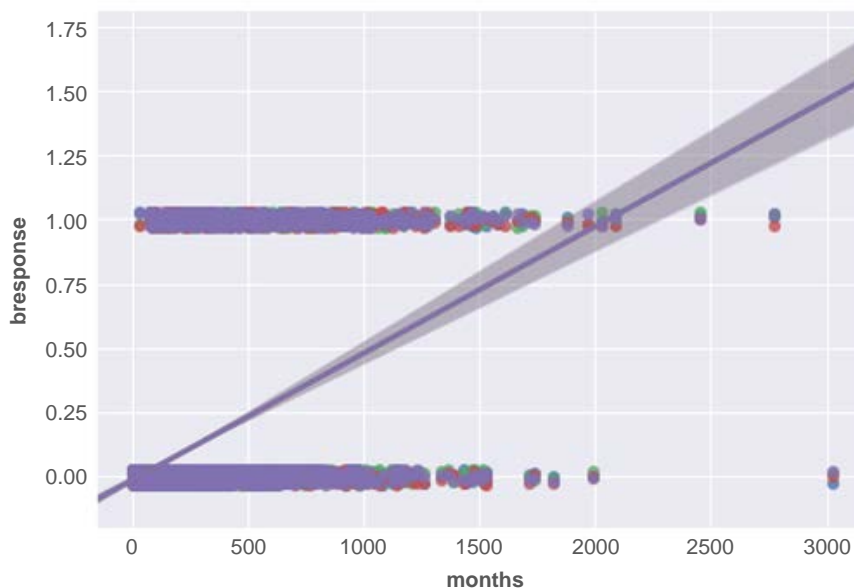
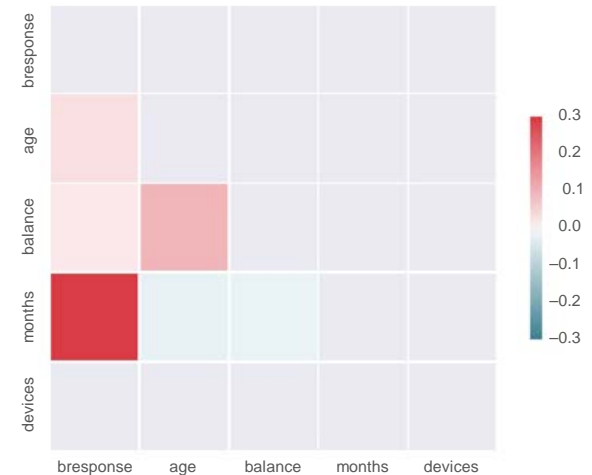
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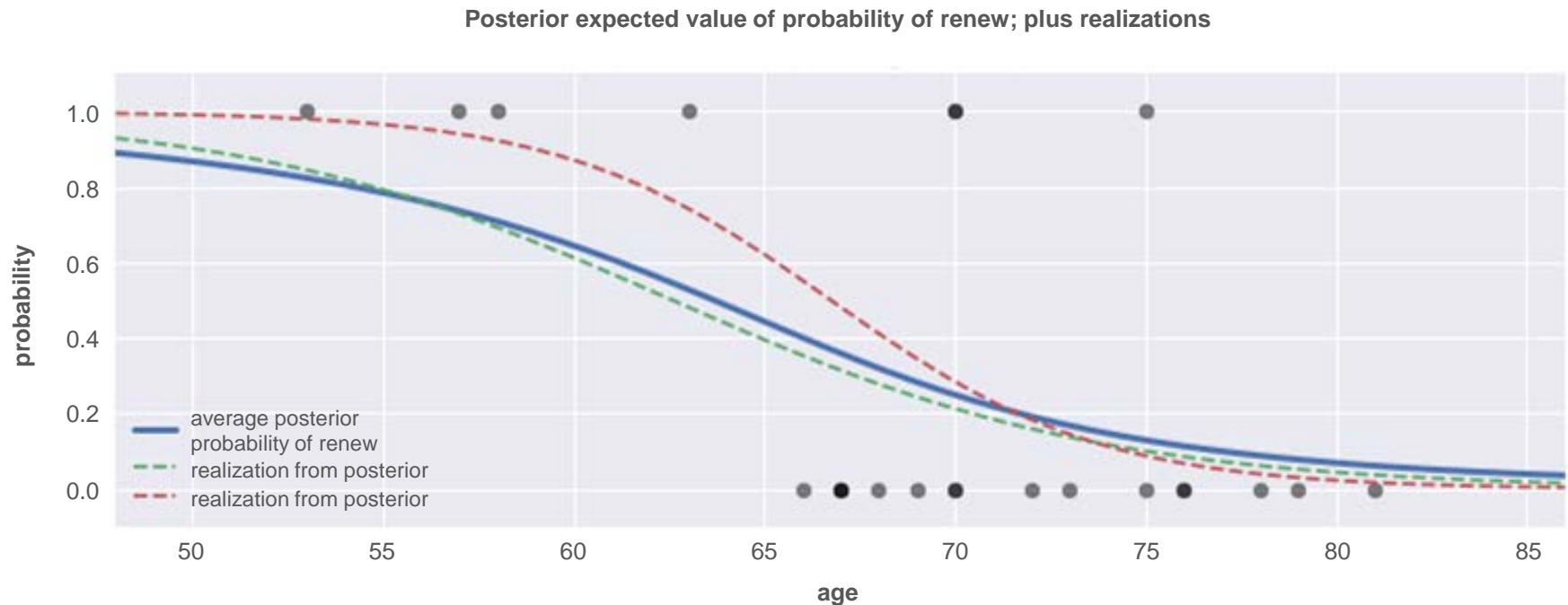


# Logistic Regression (cont.)

- More classification than regression
- Link function
- Probability



# Consumer Choice Splits



# Consumer Choice

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# Market Basket

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# Market Basket



GV BROWN RICE 007874212222	1	9.10	N
GV LONG RICE 007874235205	F	1.28	N
GV 2 RF MLK 007874235187	F	3.08	0
RAMEN-BEEF12 004178900232	F	1.82	0
SUBTOTAL		10.30	
TOTAL		10.30	
SHOPPING CARD TEND		10.00	
CASH TEND		0.50	
CHANGE DUE		0.20	

SHOP.CARD REDEMPTION	10.00
ACCOUNT 605214515600	
APPR. CODE = 037453	
REF #0571931	

# Market Basket (cont.)

- What goes with what?
- What products are ordered together?
- What activities go together?
- What products should be featured?
- What products should be recommended?



# Data Conversion

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 SHOPPING CARD TEND 10.00  
 CASH TEND 0.50  
 CHANGE DUE 0.20  
  
 SHOP.CARD REDEMPTION 10.00  
 ACCOUNT 605214515600  
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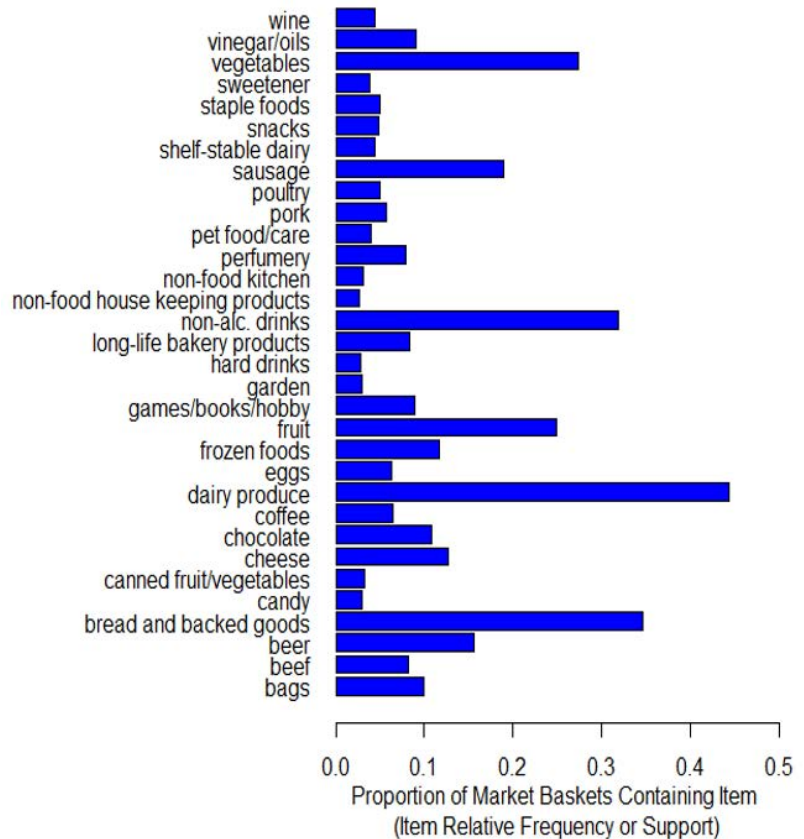
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Row Labels	1000	1008	1012	1012	1013	1013	1013	1100	1503	1503	1503	1503	1600	1601	1601	1601	1601	1601	1603	
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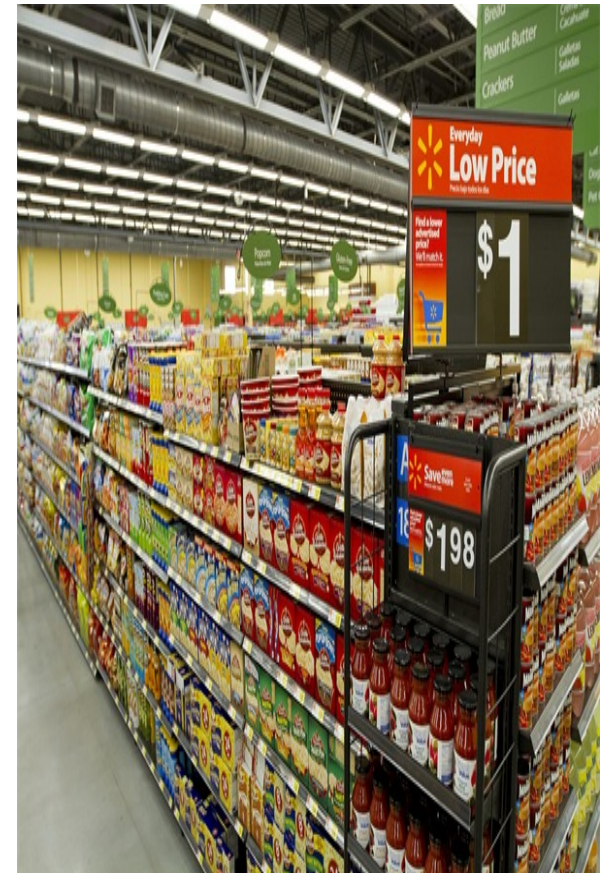
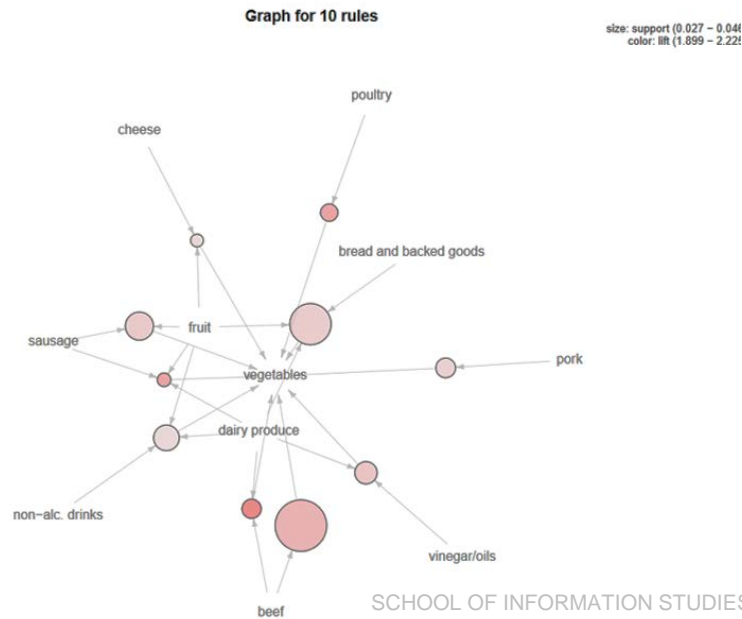
# Terminology

- Item set
- Association rule
  - Antecedent
  - Consequent
- Selection criteria
  - Support
  - Confidence
  - Lift



# Use Cases

- Store layout
- Feature promotions
- Product bundling
- Recommended items





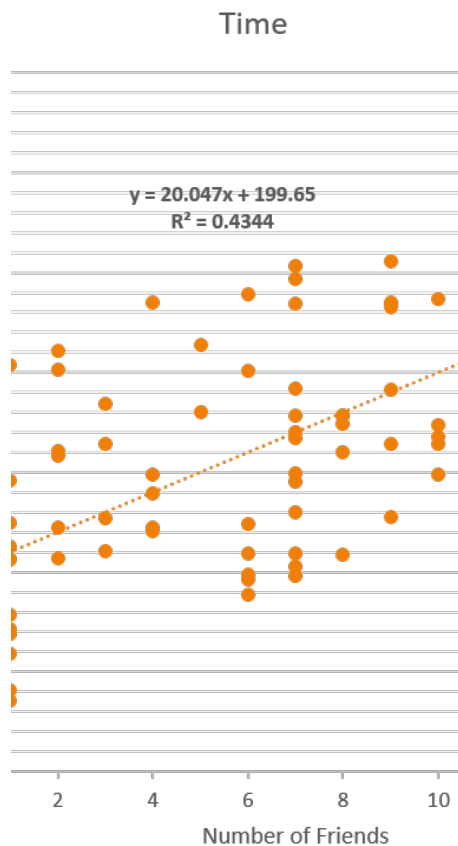


# Evaluation Methods

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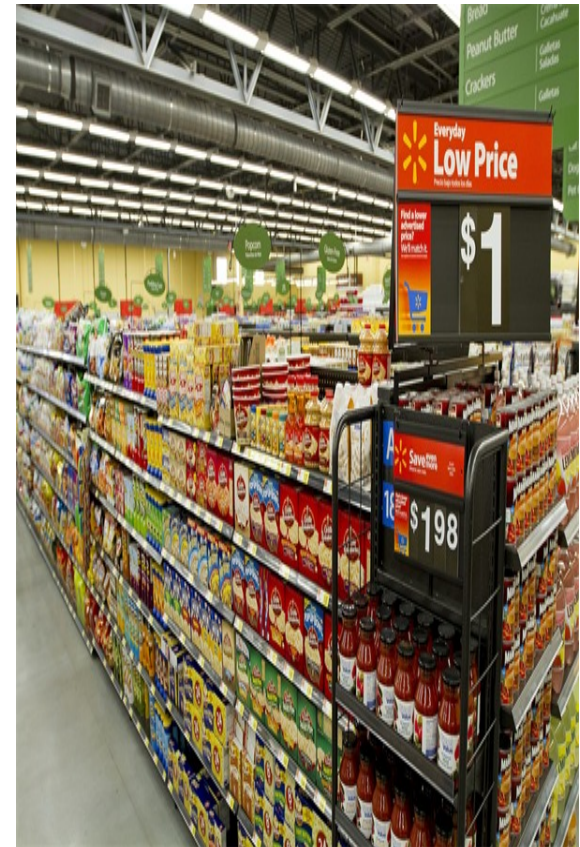


# Evaluation Methods



# Agenda

- Intro
- R-squared
- P-values
- Model validation



# R-Squared

$$R^2 = 1 - \frac{\sum_i (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2}{\sum_i (y_i - \bar{y}_i)^2}$$

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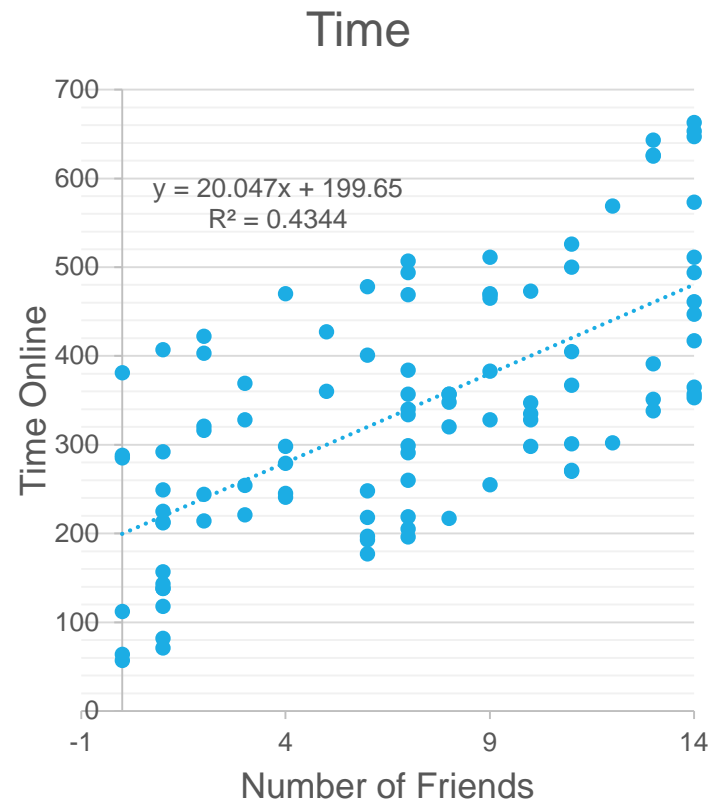
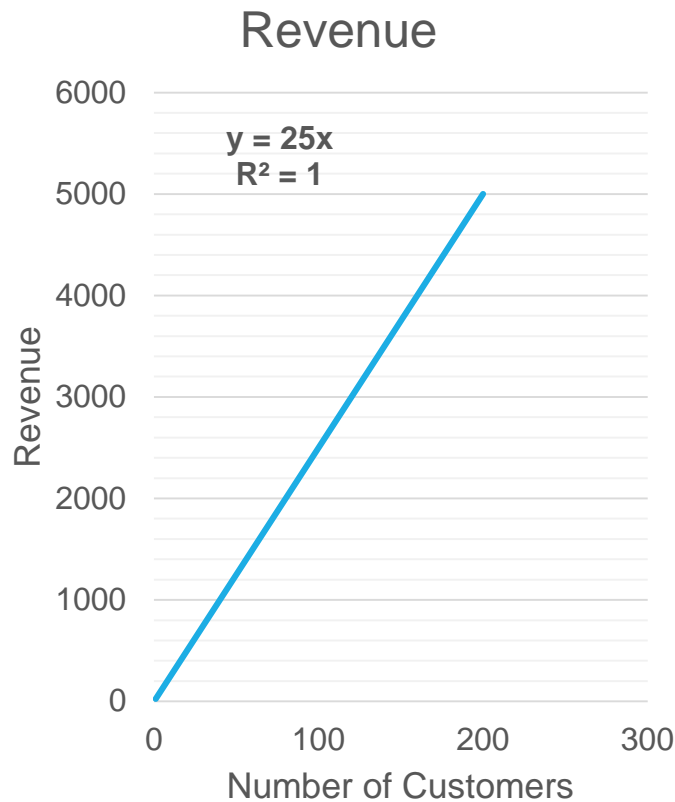
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# R-Squared (cont.)



# P-Values

- Low p-value?
  - Highly unlikely to occur randomly, therefore significant
- High p-value?
  - Coefficient might actually be zero, therefore consider removing from model

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# Model Validation

- Collect new data
- Compare the results with:
  - Theoretical expectation (how much should a 0-bedroom house cost?)
  - Earlier empirical studies
  - Simulation (see GPA example from text)
- Split the original data with one portion for training and one for testing

# Confusion Matrix

- True positive
- False positive
- Accuracy
- Precision
- Specificity

		0	1
true label	0	3	1
	1	2	4
		predicted label	