Ola Case Study

Introduction

Ola is a leading ride-sharing platform, aiming to provide reliable, affordable, and convenient urban transportation for everyone. The constant challenge Ola faces is the churn rate of its drivers. Ensuring driver loyalty and reducing attrition are crucial to the company's operation. Analyzing driver data can reveal patterns in driver behavior, performance, and satisfaction. This would help in foreseeing potential churn, allowing proactive measures. By leveraging data science and ensemble learning, Ola can predict driver churn, which would be pivotal in its driver retention strategy.

What is expected

Assuming you are a data scientist at Ola, you are entrusted with the responsibility of analyzing the dataset to predict driver attrition. Your primary goal is to utilize ensemble learning techniques, evaluate the performance of your models, and provide actionable insights to reduce driver churn.

1. Data

The analysis was done on the data located at - https://d2beiqkhq929f0.cloudfront.net/public_assets/assets/000/002/492/original/ola_driver_scaler.csv

2. Libraries

Below are the libraries required

```
In [1]: # libraries to analyze data
        import numpy as np
        import pandas as pd
        # libraries to visualize data
        import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        import seaborn as sns
        import statsmodels.api as sm
        from statsmodels.stats.outliers_influence import variance_inflation_factor
        from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder, MinMaxScaler, label binarize
        from sklearn.model selection import train test split, RandomizedSearchCV, GridSearchCV,
        from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier, GradientBoostingClassifier
        from sklearn.metrics import classification report, accuracy score, confusion matrix, Con
        from sklearn.multiclass import OneVsRestClassifier
        from imblearn.over sampling import SMOTE
        from scipy.stats import randint
        from xqboost import XGBClassifier
```

3. Data Loading

Education Level

Loading the data into Pandas dataframe for easily handling of data

```
In [2]: # read the file into a pandas dataframe
     df = pd.read csv('ola driver scaler.csv')
     # look at the datatypes of the columns
     print(df.info())
     print(f'Shape of the dataset is {df.shape}')
     print(f'Number of nan/null values in each column: \n{df.isna().sum()}')
     print(f'Number of unique values in each column: \n{df.nunique()}')
     print(f'Duplicate entries: \n{df.duplicated().value counts()}')
     ************
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     RangeIndex: 19104 entries, 0 to 19103
     Data columns (total 14 columns):
     # Column
                      Non-Null Count Dtype
                       -----
       Unnamed: 0
                       19104 non-null int64
                19104 non-null object
19104 non-null int64
19043 non-null float64
19052 non-null float64
     1 MMM-YY
                      19104 non-null object
     2 Driver ID
     3 Age
       Gender
     4
     5 City 19104 non-null object
6 Education_Level 19104 non-null int64
7 Income 19104 non-null int64
     8 Dateofjoining 19104 non-null object
9 LastWorkingDate 1616 non-null object
     10 Joining Designation 19104 non-null int64
                       19104 non-null int64
     11 Grade
     12 Total Business Value 19104 non-null int64
     13 Quarterly Rating 19104 non-null int64
     dtypes: float64(2), int64(8), object(4)
     memory usage: 2.0+ MB
     **********
     **********
     Shape of the dataset is (19104, 14)
     **************
     ***********
     Number of nan/null values in each column:
     Unnamed: 0
                        0
     MMM-YY
                        0
     Driver ID
                       0
                       61
     Age
     Gender
                       52
                        0
     City
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Income
Dateofjoining
                      0
LastWorkingDate
                  17488
Joining Designation
                     0
Grade
                      0
Total Business Value
                      0
Quarterly Rating
dtype: int64
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***********
Number of unique values in each column:
                  19104
Unnamed: 0
MMM-YY
Driver ID
                    2381
Age
                     36
                     2
Gender
                     29
City
Education Level
                     3
Income
                   2383
Dateofjoining
                   869
LastWorkingDate
                    493
Joining Designation
                     5
```

dtype: int64

Quarterly Rating

Grade

5

10181

Duplicate entries: False 19104

Name: count, dtype: int64

Total Business Value

In [3]: # look at the top 20 rows df.head(20)

Out[3]:

	Unnamed: 0	MMM- YY	Driver_ID	Age	Gender	City	Education_Level	Income	Dateofjoining	LastWorkingDate
0	0	01/01/19	1	28.0	0.0	C23	2	57387	24/12/18	NaN
1	1	02/01/19	1	28.0	0.0	C23	2	57387	24/12/18	NaN
2	2	03/01/19	1	28.0	0.0	C23	2	57387	24/12/18	03/11/19
3	3	11/01/20	2	31.0	0.0	C 7	2	67016	11/06/20	NaN
4	4	12/01/20	2	31.0	0.0	C 7	2	67016	11/06/20	NaN
5	5	12/01/19	4	43.0	0.0	C13	2	65603	12/07/19	NaN
6	6	01/01/20	4	43.0	0.0	C13	2	65603	12/07/19	NaN
7	7	02/01/20	4	43.0	0.0	C13	2	65603	12/07/19	NaN
8	8	03/01/20	4	43.0	0.0	C13	2	65603	12/07/19	NaN
9	9	04/01/20	4	43.0	0.0	C13	2	65603	12/07/19	27/04/20
10	10	01/01/19	5	29.0	0.0	C9	0	46368	01/09/19	NaN
11	11	02/01/19	5	29.0	0.0	C9	0	46368	01/09/19	NaN
12	12	03/01/19	5	29.0	0.0	C9	0	46368	01/09/19	03/07/19
13	13	08/01/20	6	31.0	1.0	C11	1	78728	31/07/20	NaN

14	14 09/01/20	6 31.0	1.0 C11	1	78728	31/07/20	NaN
15	15 10/01/20	6 31.0	1.0 C11	1	78728	31/07/20	NaN
16	16 11/01/20	6 31.0	1.0 C11	1	78728	31/07/20	NaN
17	17 12/01/20	6 31.0	1.0 C11	1	78728	31/07/20	NaN
18	18 09/01/20	8 34.0	0.0 C2	0	70656	19/09/20	NaN
19	19 10/01/20	8 34.0	0.0 C2	0	70656	19/09/20	NaN

In [4]: df.describe()

Out[4]:

	Unnamed: 0	Driver_ID	Age	Gender	Education_Level	Income	Joining Designation	
count	19104.000000	19104.000000	19043.000000	19052.000000	19104.000000	19104.000000	19104.000000	191
mean	9551.500000	1415.591133	34.668435	0.418749	1.021671	65652.025126	1.690536	
std	5514.994107	810.705321	6.257912	0.493367	0.800167	30914.515344	0.836984	
min	0.000000	1.000000	21.000000	0.000000	0.000000	10747.000000	1.000000	
25%	4775.750000	710.000000	30.000000	0.000000	0.000000	42383.000000	1.000000	
50%	9551.500000	1417.000000	34.000000	0.000000	1.000000	60087.000000	1.000000	
75%	14327.250000	2137.000000	39.000000	1.000000	2.000000	83969.000000	2.000000	
max	19103.000000	2788.000000	58.000000	1.000000	2.000000	188418.000000	5.000000	

In [5]:

df.describe(include='object')

Out[5]:

	MMM-YY	City	Dateofjoining	LastWorkingDate
count	19104	19104	19104	1616
unique	24	29	869	493
top	01/01/19	C20	23/07/15	29/07/20
freq	1022	1008	192	70

- There are **19104** entries with 14 columns
- There are 61 null/missing values in Age, 52 in Gender and 17488 in LastWorkingDate
- There are 2381 unique drivers
- There are no duplicates
- The column **Unnamed: 0** can be dropped as it doesnt provide any new information
- The columns **Gender**, **City**, **Education_Level**, **Joining Designation**, **Grade** and **Quarterly Rating** can be converted to categorical datatype
- The columns MMM-YY, Dateofjoining and LastWorkingDate can be converted to datetime datatype
- Drivers who have valid *LastWorkingDate* can be considered as **churned**

```
# Drop "Unnamed: 0" column
In [6]:
        df.drop(columns=['Unnamed: 0'], inplace=True)
        # Convert to category
        categorical columns = ['Gender', 'City', 'Education Level', 'Joining Designation', 'Grad
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df[categorical columns] = df[categorical columns].astype('category')
df['Gender'].replace({0.0:'Male', 1.0: 'Female'}, inplace=True)
df['Education Level'].replace({0:'10+', 1:'12+', 2:'Graduate'}, inplace=True)
# Convert to datetime
df['MMM-YY'] = pd.to datetime(df['MMM-YY'], format='%m/%d/%y')
df['Dateofjoining'] = pd.to datetime(df['Dateofjoining'], format='%d/%m/%y')
df['LastWorkingDate'] = pd.to datetime(df['LastWorkingDate'], format='%d/%m/%y')
# Rename 'MMM-YY' to 'ReportingMonthYear'
df.rename(columns={'MMM-YY':'ReportingMonthYear'}, inplace=True)
df['ReportingMonthYear'] = df['ReportingMonthYear'].dt.to period('M')
df['ReportingYear'] = df['ReportingMonthYear'].dt.year
# Extract month and year from 'Dateofjoining'
df['Monthofjoining'] = df['Dateofjoining'].dt.month
df['Yearofjoining'] = df['Dateofjoining'].dt.year
# Find drivers who haved churned
df['Churn'] = df.groupby('Driver ID')['LastWorkingDate'].transform('last')
df['Churn'] = df['Churn'].apply(lambda x: 0 if pd.isnull(x) else 1)
df.info()
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 19104 entries, 0 to 19103
Data columns (total 17 columns):
# Column
                         Non-Null Count Dtype
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O ReportingMonthYear 19104 non-null period[M]
1 Driver_ID 19104 non-null int64
 2 Age
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                       19052 non-null category
 3 Gender
 4 City
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4 City
5 Education_Level 19104 non-null category
6 Income 19104 non-null int64
 7 Dateofjoining 19104 non-null datetime64[ns]
8 LastWorkingDate 1616 non-null datetime64[ns]
 9 Joining Designation 19104 non-null category
 10 Grade
                          19104 non-null category
 11 Total Business Value 19104 non-null int64
12 Quarterly Rating 19104 non-null int64
13 ReportingYear
                         19104 non-null int64
14 Monthofjoining
                         19104 non-null int32
15 Yearofjoining
                         19104 non-null int32
16 Churn
                          19104 non-null int64
dtypes: category(5), datetime64[ns](2), float64(1), int32(2), int64(6), period[M](1)
memory usage: 1.7 MB
df.head(5)
```

In [7]: # look at the top 5 rows

Out[7]:

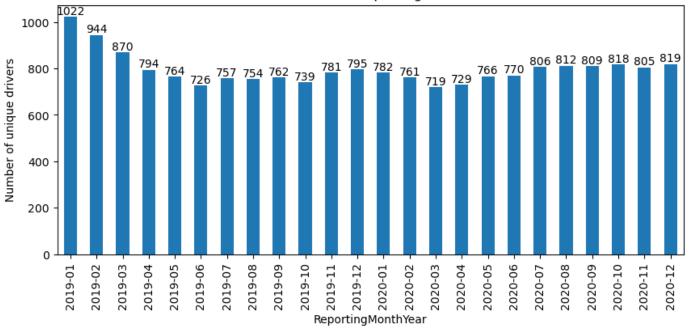
	ReportingMonthYear	Driver_ID	Age	Gender	City	Education_Level	Income	Dateofjoining	LastWorkingDate
0	2019-01	1	28.0	Male	C23	Graduate	57387	2018-12-24	NaT
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1	2019-02	1	28.0	Male	C23	Graduate	57387	2018-12-24	NaT
2	2019-03	1	28.0	Male	C23	Graduate	57387	2018-12-24	2019-11-03
3	2020-11	2	31.0	Male	C 7	Graduate	67016	2020-06-11	NaT
4	2020-12	2	31.0	Male	C 7	Graduate	67016	2020-06-11	NaT

4. Exploratory Data Analysis

4.1. Univariate analysis

```
In [8]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,4))
   temp_df = df.groupby('ReportingMonthYear')['Driver_ID'].nunique()
   ax = temp_df.plot(kind='bar')
   ax.bar_label(ax.containers[0])
   plt.ylabel('Number of unique drivers')
   plt.title('Number of drivers reporting each month')
   plt.show()
```

Number of drivers reporting each month



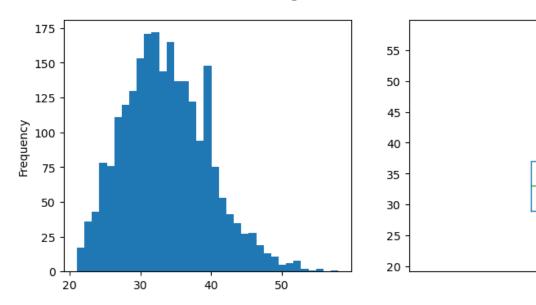
- The **month** during which **maximum** number of **drivers reported is January 2019**. A total of **1022 drivers** reported on January 2019
- It then dropeed every month after January and has been stagnant at around 800 drivers reported every month

```
In [9]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(10,4))
  temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Age':'last'})['Age']
  temp_df.plot(ax=axs[0], kind='hist', bins=35)
  temp_df.plot(ax=axs[1], kind='box')
  fig.suptitle('Age distribution of drivers')
  plt.show()
```

Age distribution of drivers

0

Age

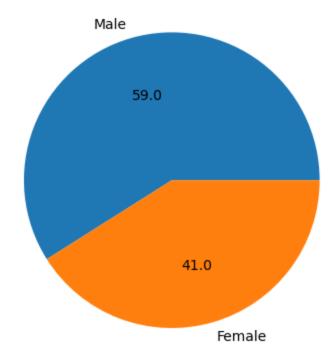


Insight

- There are drivers from different age groups ranging from 21 to 58 years
- Most of the drivers are in the age group of 30 to 35
- The distribution is mostly **normal** with **little skewness** towards the **right**

```
In [10]: temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Gender':'first'})
    temp_df['Gender'].value_counts().plot(kind='pie', autopct='%.1f')
    plt.title('Gender % distribution of drivers')
    plt.ylabel('')
    plt.show()
```

Gender % distribution of drivers

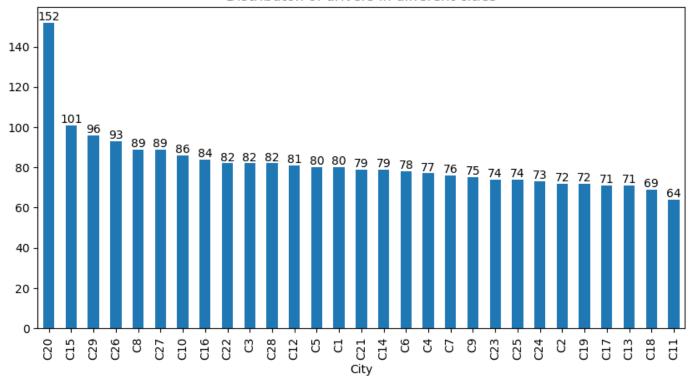


Insight

• 59% of the drivers are Male and remaining 41% are Female

```
In [11]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
  temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'City':'first'})
  ax = temp_df['City'].value_counts().plot(kind='bar')
  ax.bar_label(ax.containers[0])
  plt.title('Distributon of drivers in different cities')
  plt.show()
```

Distributon of drivers in different cities

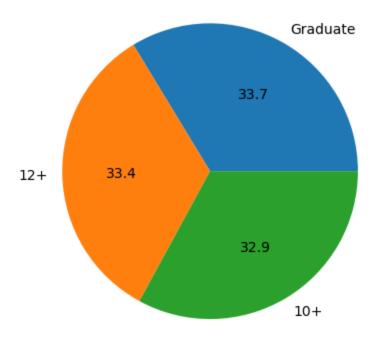


Insight

City C20 has the maximum number of drivers followed by city C15

```
In [12]: temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Education_Level':'first'})
    temp_df['Education_Level'].value_counts().plot(kind='pie', autopct='%.1f')
    plt.ylabel('')
    plt.title('Education level % distribution of drivers')
    plt.show()
```

Education level % distribution of drivers

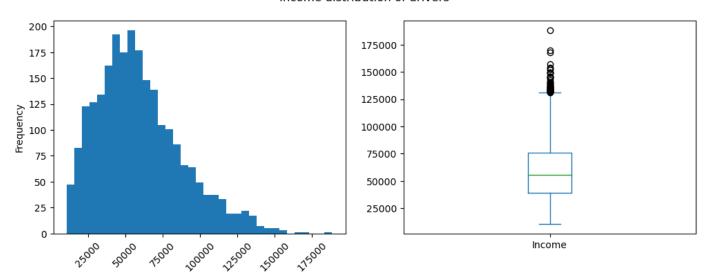


Insight

Almost equal proportion of drivers are from the 3 different education level

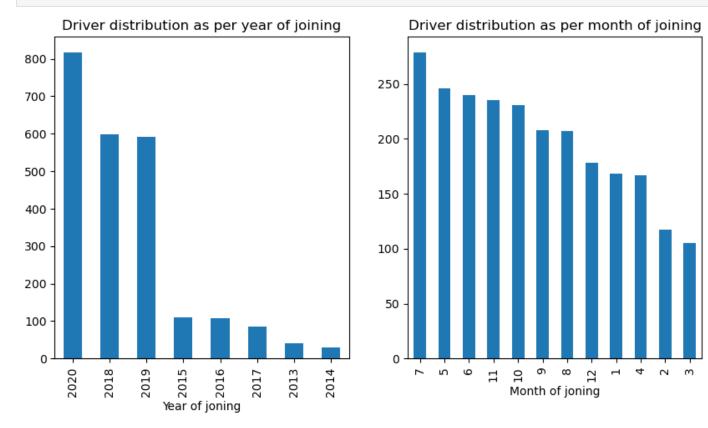
```
In [13]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(12,4))
    temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Income':'last'})['Income']
    temp_df.plot(ax=axs[0], kind='hist', bins=35, rot=45)
    temp_df.plot(ax=axs[1], kind='box')
    fig.suptitle('Income distribution of drivers')
    plt.show()
```

Income distribution of drivers



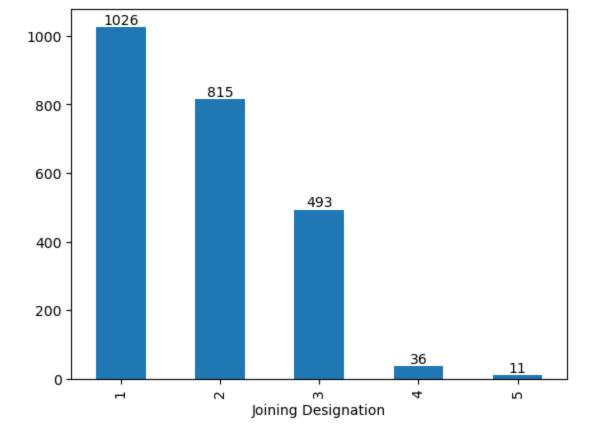
- Most of the drivers have an average monthly income of 40k to 75k
- The distribution is **right skewed**

In [14]: temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Dateofjoining':'first'})['Dateofjoining']
 fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(10,5))
 temp_df.dt.year.value_counts().plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[0], xlabel='Year of joning', titl
 temp_df.dt.month.value_counts().plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[1], xlabel='Month of joning', titl
 plt.show()



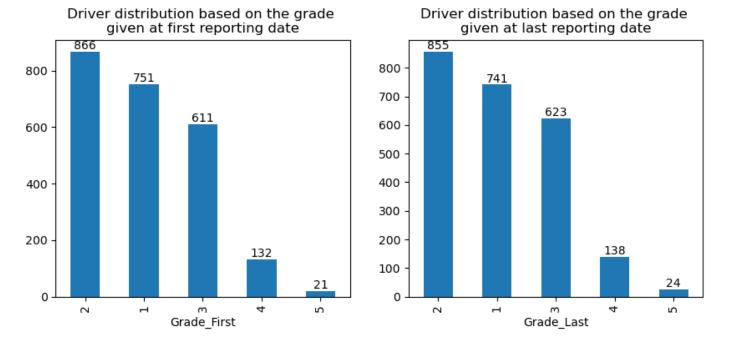
- Maximum number of drivers joined in the year 2020
- Maximum number of drivers joined in the month of July

```
In [15]: ax = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Joining Designation':'first'})['Joining Designation']
    ax.bar_label(ax.containers[0])
    plt.show()
```

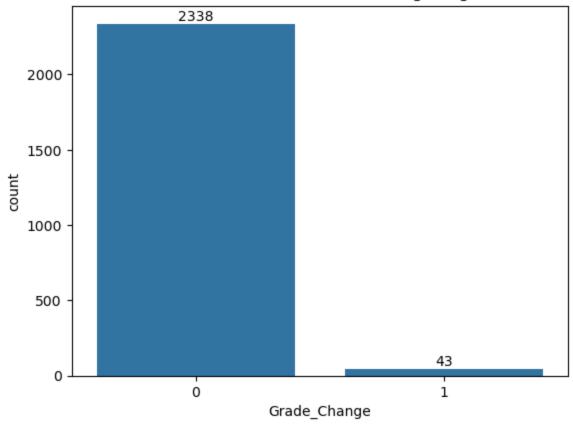


Maximum number of drivers, 1026, have a joining designation of 1

```
temp df 1 = df.groupby('Driver ID').agg({'Grade':'first'}).reset index()
In [16]:
         temp df 1.rename(columns = {'Grade':'Grade First'}, inplace=True)
         temp df 2 = df.groupby('Driver ID').agg({'Grade':'last'}).reset index()
         temp df 2.rename(columns = {'Grade':'Grade Last'}, inplace=True)
         temp df = pd.merge(temp df 1, temp df 2, on='Driver ID')
         temp df['Grade Change'] = temp df['Grade Last'].astype('int') - temp df['Grade First'].a
         fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(10,4))
         ax = temp df['Grade First'].value counts().plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[0], title='Driver dis
         ax.bar label(ax.containers[0])
         ax = temp df['Grade Last'].value counts().plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[1], title='Driver dist
         ax.bar label(ax.containers[0])
         plt.show()
         ax = sns.countplot(data=temp df, x = 'Grade Change')
         ax.set title('Driver distribution based on change in grade')
         ax.bar label(ax.containers[0])
         plt.show()
```



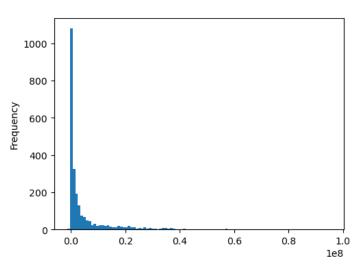


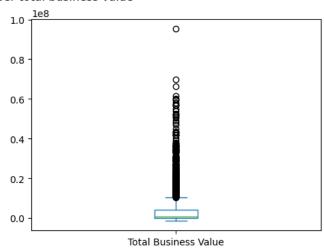


• Maximum number of drivers have a grade of 2 and it doesnt change for the majority of the drivers

```
In [17]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(12,4))
    temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Total Business Value':'sum'})['Total Business Va
    temp_df.plot(ax=axs[0], kind='hist', bins=100)
    temp_df.plot(ax=axs[1], kind='box')
    fig.suptitle('Distribution of drivers as per total business value')
    plt.show()
```

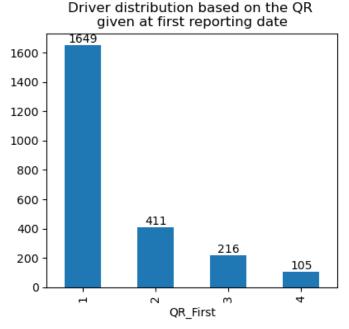
Distribution of drivers as per total business value

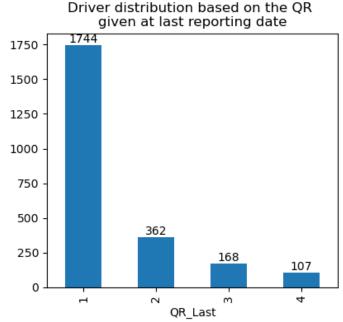


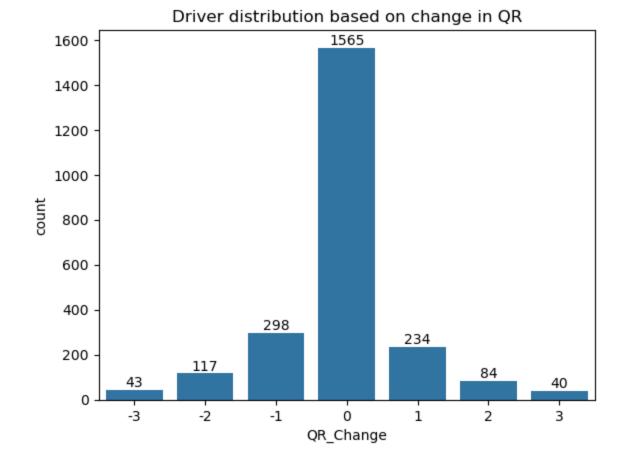


- It is very evident that **many drivers** have a **total business value of 0** and there are also a few drivers who have a -ve business value
- The distribution is extremely **right skewed**

```
temp df 1 = df.groupby('Driver ID').agg({'Quarterly Rating':'first'}).reset index()
In [18]:
         temp df 1.rename(columns = {'Quarterly Rating':'QR First'}, inplace=True)
         temp df 2 = df.groupby('Driver ID').agg({'Quarterly Rating':'last'}).reset index()
         temp df 2.rename(columns = {'Quarterly Rating':'QR Last'}, inplace=True)
         temp df = pd.merge(temp df 1, temp df 2, on='Driver ID')
         temp df['QR Change'] = temp df['QR Last'].astype('int') - temp df['QR First'].astype('in
         fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(10, 4))
         ax = temp df['QR First'].value counts().plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[0], title='Driver distri
         ax.bar label(ax.containers[0])
         ax = temp df['QR Last'].value counts().plot(kind='bar', ax=axs[1], title='Driver distrib
         ax.bar label(ax.containers[0])
         plt.show()
         ax = sns.countplot(data=temp df, x = 'QR Change')
         ax.set title('Driver distribution based on change in QR')
         ax.bar label(ax.containers[0])
         plt.show()
```







- Majority of the drivers have a very low quarterly rating of 1
- The change in QR plot shows that **majority** of the drivers **don't see a change in their QR** but there are **decent number** of drivers with **positive change in QR** and equally decent number of drivers with **negative change in QR**
- There are **no drivers** with QR of **5**

```
In [19]: temp_df = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({'Churn':'first'})['Churn']
    ax = temp_df.value_counts().plot(kind='bar', title='Driver distribution based on the chu
    ax.bar_label(ax.containers[0])
    plt.show()
    (temp_df.value_counts(normalize=True)*100).round(0)
```

Driver distribution based on the churn 1600 - 1616 1400 - 1200 - 1000 - 765 600 - 400 - 200 - 100

Churn

0

```
Out[19]: Churn

1 68.0
0 32.0
Name: proportion, dtype: float64
```

Insight

0

• 1616 drivers have **churned**, which is around 68%

4.2. Bivariate analysis

```
driver df = df.groupby('Driver ID').agg({
In [22]:
             'ReportingMonthYear' : len,
             'Age' : 'last',
             'Gender' : 'first',
             'City' : 'first',
             'Education Level' : 'first',
             'Income' : 'last',
             'Dateofjoining' : 'first',
             'LastWorkingDate' : 'last',
             'Joining Designation' : 'first',
             'Grade' : 'last',
             'Total Business Value' : 'sum',
             'Quarterly Rating' : 'last',
             'Churn':'last'
         }).reset index()
         driver df.rename(columns={'ReportingMonthYear': 'Months of Service'}, inplace=True)
         driver df.head(10)
```

Out[22]:	Driver_ID	Months of Service	Age	Gender	City	Education_Level	Income	Dateofjoining	LastWorkingDate	Joining Designation
	0 1	3	28.0	Male	C23	Graduate	57387	2018-12-24	2019-11-03	1

1	2	2	31.0	Male	C7	Graduate	67016	2020-06-11	NaT	2
2	4	5	43.0	Male	C13	Graduate	65603	2019-07-12	2020-04-27	2
3	5	3	29.0	Male	C9	10+	46368	2019-09-01	2019-07-03	1
4	6	5	31.0	Female	C11	12+	78728	2020-07-31	NaT	3
5	8	3	34.0	Male	C2	10+	70656	2020-09-19	2020-11-15	3
6	11	1	28.0	Female	C19	Graduate	42172	2020-07-12	NaT	1
7	12	6	35.0	Male	C23	Graduate	28116	2019-06-29	2019-12-21	1
8	13	23	31.0	Male	C19	Graduate	119227	2015-05-28	2020-11-25	1
9	14	3	39.0	Female	C26	10+	19734	2020-10-16	NaT	3

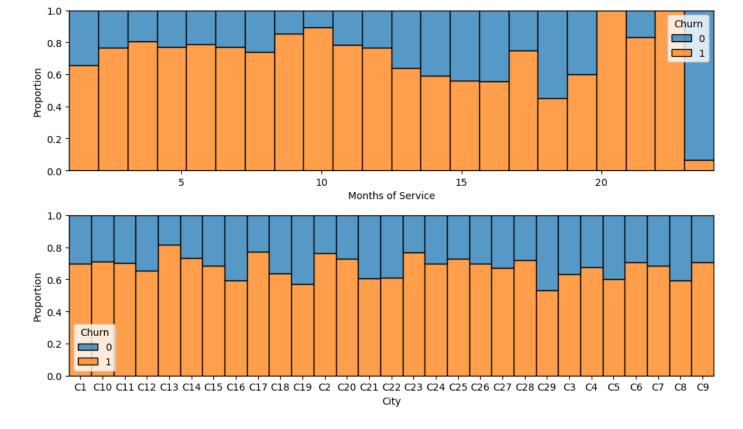
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In [23]: drivers_with_2_year_service = driver_df[driver_df['Months of Service'] == 24]['Driver_ID
```

```
In [24]: def calculate_change(df, column_name):
    temp_df_1 = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({column_name:'first'}).reset_index()
    first_column_name = column_name+'_First'
    temp_df_1.rename(columns = {column_name:first_column_name}, inplace=True)
    temp_df_2 = df.groupby('Driver_ID').agg({column_name:'last'}).reset_index()
    last_column_name = column_name+'_Last'
    temp_df_2.rename(columns = {column_name:last_column_name}, inplace=True)
    temp_df = pd.merge(temp_df_1, temp_df_2, on='Driver_ID')
    temp_df[column_name+'_Change'] = temp_df[last_column_name].astype('int') - temp_df[f temp_df.drop(columns=[first_column_name, last_column_name], inplace=True)
    return temp_df
```

```
In [25]: column_name = 'Income'
    temp_df1 = calculate_change(df, 'Income')
    driver_df = pd.merge(driver_df, temp_df1, on='Driver_ID')
    temp_df2 = calculate_change(df, 'Grade')
    driver_df = pd.merge(driver_df, temp_df2, on='Driver_ID')
    temp_df3 = calculate_change(df, 'Quarterly Rating')
    driver_df = pd.merge(driver_df, temp_df3, on='Driver_ID')
    driver_df['Quarterly Rating Improved'] = driver_df['Quarterly Rating_Change'].apply(lamb driver_df.head()
```

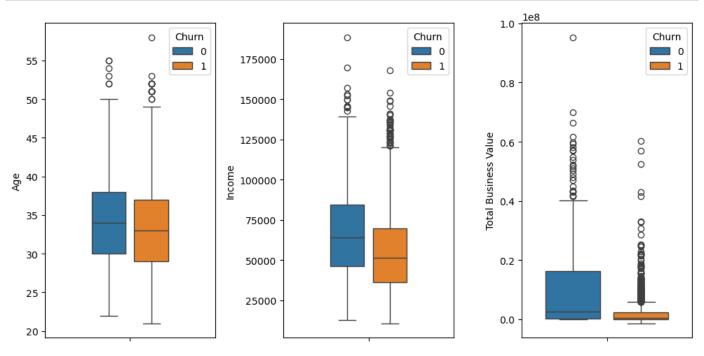
Out[25]:		Driver_ID	Months of Service	Age	Gender	City	Education_Level	Income	Dateofjoining	LastWorkingDate	Joining Designation
	0	1	3	28.0	Male	C23	Graduate	57387	2018-12-24	2019-11-03	1
	1	2	2	31.0	Male	C7	Graduate	67016	2020-06-11	NaT	2
	2	4	5	43.0	Male	C13	Graduate	65603	2019-07-12	2020-04-27	2
	3	5	3	29.0	Male	C9	10+	46368	2019-09-01	2019-07-03	1
	4	6	5	31.0	Female	C11	12+	78728	2020-07-31	NaT	3

```
In [26]: driver_df['Income_Raise'] = driver_df['Income_Change'].apply(lambda x: 1 if x>0 else 0)
In [27]: fig. axs = plt.subplots(2.1.figsize=(10.6))
```



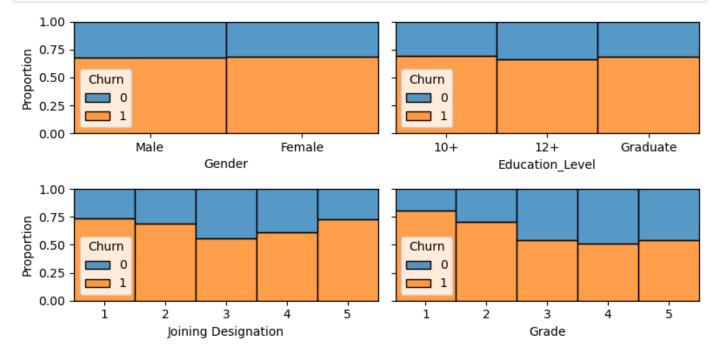
- The **churn** rate is generally **higher** in drivers with **less months of service** and low in drivers with longer months of service with exception for 21, 22 and 23 months of service where the churn rates seems to be very high
- The city C13 has the highest churn rate and city C29 has the lowest churn rate

```
fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,3,figsize=(10,5))
sns.boxplot(ax=axs[0], data=driver_df, y='Age', hue='Churn', width=0.5, gap=0.2)
sns.boxplot(ax=axs[1], data=driver_df, y='Income', hue='Churn', width=0.5, gap=0.2)
sns.boxplot(ax=axs[2], data=driver_df, y='Total Business Value', hue='Churn', gap=0.2)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



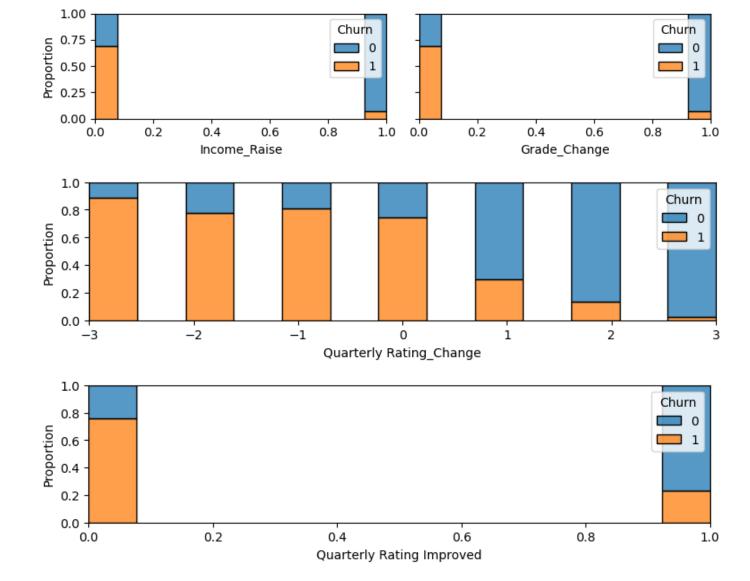
- The **median age** of drivers who have **churned** is **slighly lesser** than that of the drivers who have not churned
- The **median income** of drivers who have **churned** is **lesser** than that of the drivers who have not churned
- The median Total Bussiness Value of drivers who have churned is lesser than that of the drivers who
 have not churned
- The drivers who have churned also had -ve Total Bussiness Value

```
In [29]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(2,2,figsize=(8,4),sharey=True)
    sns.histplot(ax=axs[0,0], data=driver_df, x='Gender', hue='Churn', stat="proportion", mu
    sns.histplot(ax=axs[0,1], data=driver_df, x='Education_Level', hue='Churn', stat='proportion', sns.histplot(ax=axs[1,0], data=driver_df, x='Joining Designation', hue='Churn', stat='proportion', mul
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
```



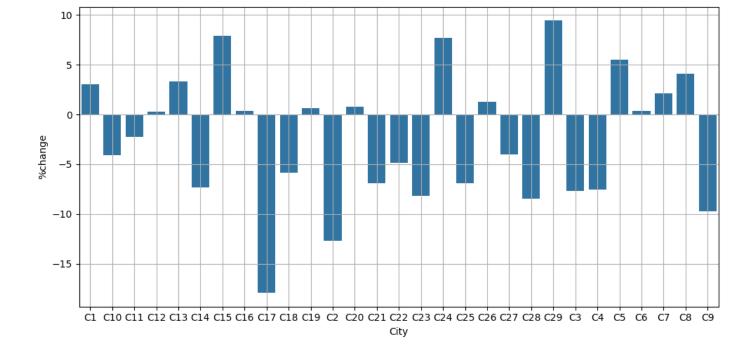
- The **churn** rate is **almost equal** in both **male and female** drivers
- The churn rate is almost equal in 10+ and Graduates and slighly lower in 12+
- The churn rate is less for joining designation 3
- The churn rate is less for higher grades

```
In [30]: fig, axs = plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(8,2),sharey=True)
    sns.histplot(ax=axs[0], data=driver_df, x='Income_Raise', hue='Churn', stat='proportion'
    sns.histplot(ax=axs[1], data=driver_df, x='Grade_Change', hue='Churn', stat='proportion'
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
    plt.figure(figsize=(9,2))
    sns.histplot(data=driver_df, x='Quarterly Rating_Change', hue='Churn', stat='proportion'
    plt.show()
    plt.figure(figsize=(9,2))
    sns.histplot(data=driver_df, x='Quarterly Rating Improved', hue='Churn', stat='proportion'
    plt.show()
```



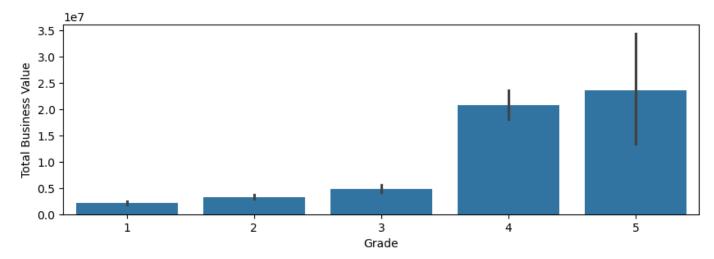
- The churn rate is very less in drivers whose income has raised
- The churn rate is very less in drivers whose grade has raised
- The churn rate is very less in drivers whose Quarterly rating has increased

```
In [31]: temp_df = df.groupby(['City', 'ReportingYear']).agg({'Quarterly Rating': 'mean'}).reset_
    temp_df1 = pd.pivot_table(data=temp_df, index='City', columns='ReportingYear', values='Q
    temp_df1.rename(columns={'ReportingYear':'index', 2019:'2019', 2020:'2020'}, inplace=Tru
    temp_df1['%change'] = (((temp_df1['2020'] - temp_df1['2019'])/temp_df1['2019'])*100).rou
    plt.figure(figsize=(10,5))
    sns.barplot(data=temp_df1, x='City', y='%change')
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.grid(True)
    plt.show()
```



• The city C29 shows most improvement in Quarterly Rating in 2020 compared to 2019

```
In [32]: plt.figure(figsize=(10,3))
    sns.barplot(data=driver_df, x='Grade', y='Total Business Value', estimator='mean')
    plt.show()
    print('Mean of Total Business Value of drivers with grade 5:', driver_df[driver_df['Grad
```



Mean of Total Business Value of drivers with grade 5: 565760460

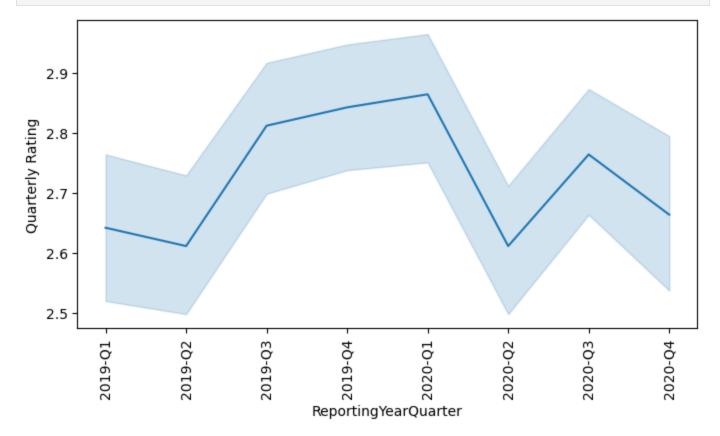
Insight

• The mean of Total Business Value of drivers with grade 5 is higher than those with other grades

```
In [33]: def convert_to_year_quarter(x):
    year = str(x.year)
    month = x.month
    if(month >=1 and month <=3):
        return year+'-Q1'
    elif(month >=4 and month <=6):
        return year+'-Q2'
    elif(month >=7 and month <=9):
        return year+'-Q3'</pre>
```

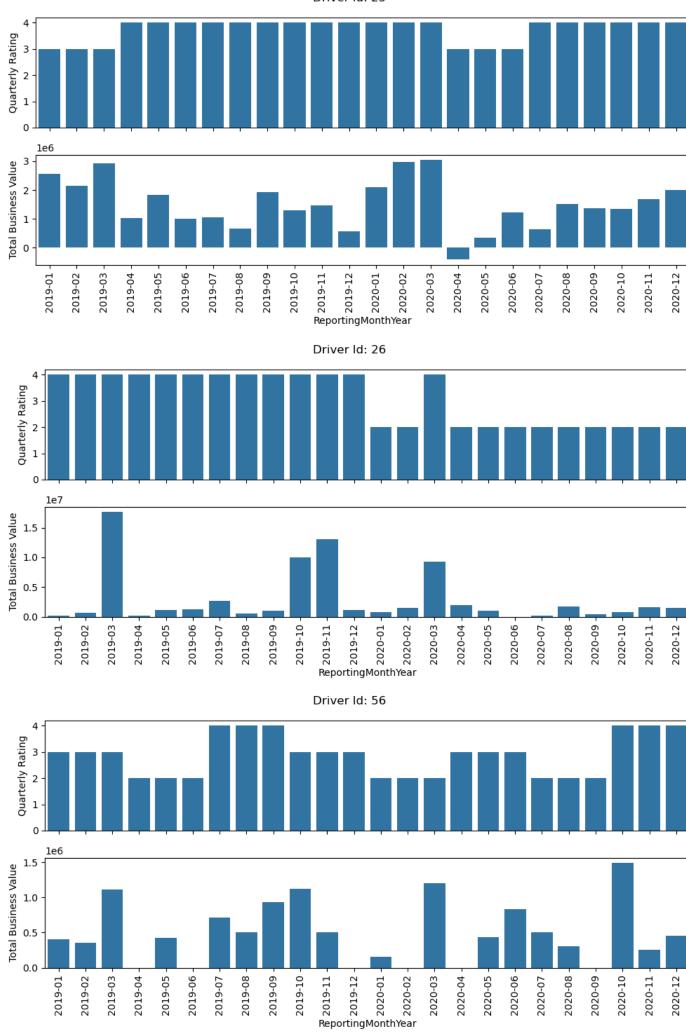
```
else:
    return year+'-Q4'

temp_df = df.copy()
temp_df['ReportingYearQuarter']=temp_df['ReportingMonthYear'].apply(convert_to_year_quar
temp_df.head()
temp_driver_full_service_df = temp_df[temp_df['Driver_ID'].isin(drivers_with_2_year_serv
plt.figure(figsize=(8,4))
sns.lineplot(data=temp_driver_full_service_df, x='ReportingYearQuarter', y='Quarterly Ra
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
```

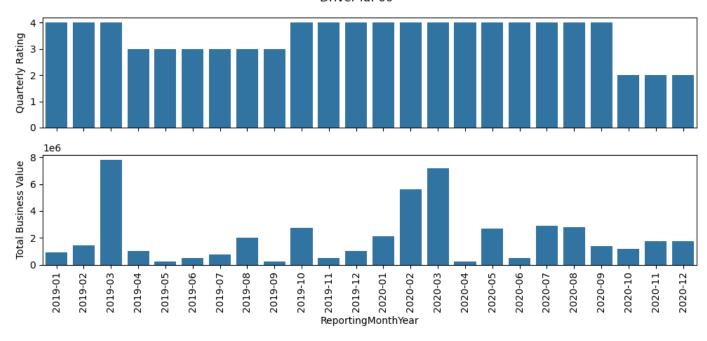


- There is a dip in the quarterly rating in Q2 and then it increases in Q3.
- This pattern can be osberved for both the years

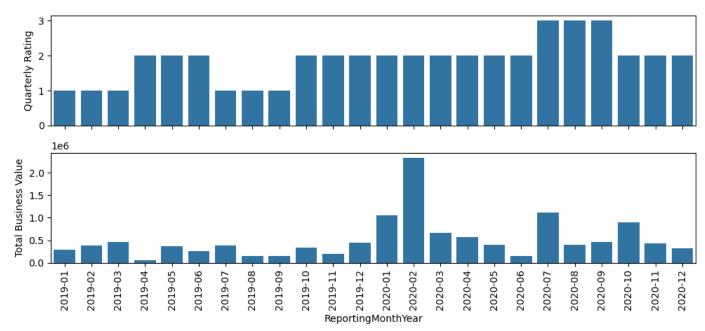
```
temp driver full service df = temp df[temp df['Driver ID'].isin(drivers with 2 year serv
In [34]:
         num of drivers = 20
         count=0
         for driver_id in temp_driver_full_service_df['Driver ID'].unique():
             if(count < num of drivers):</pre>
                 count = count + 1
                 sample df = temp driver full service df[temp driver full service df['Driver ID']
                 fig, axs = plt.subplots(2,1,figsize=(10, 5), sharex=True)
                 sns.barplot(ax=axs[0], data=sample df, x = 'ReportingMonthYear', y='Quarterly Ra
                 axs[0].tick params(axis='x', rotation=90)
                 sns.barplot(ax=axs[1], data=sample df, x = 'ReportingMonthYear', y='Total Busine
                 axs[1].tick params(axis='x', rotation=90)
                 fig.suptitle(f'Driver Id: {driver id}')
                 plt.tight layout()
                 plt.show()
             else:
                 break
```

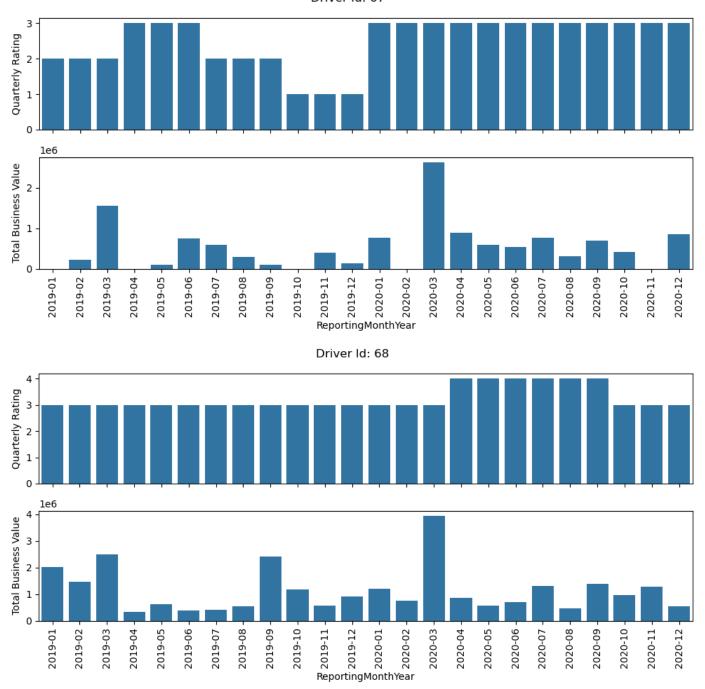


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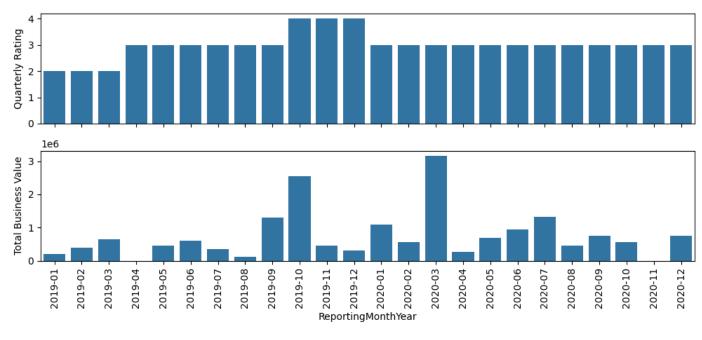


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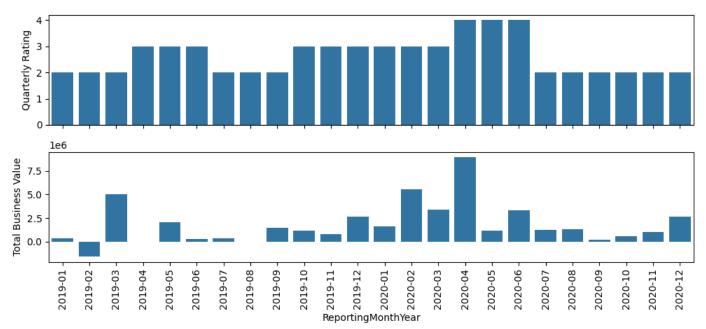




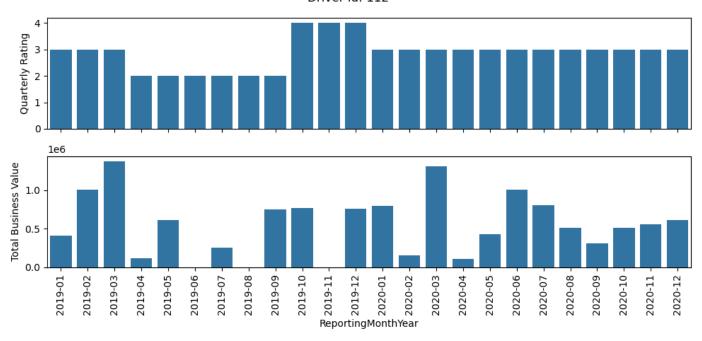
Driver Id: 77



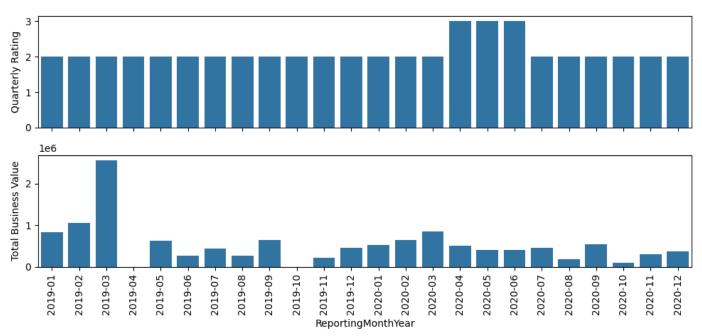
Driver Id: 78



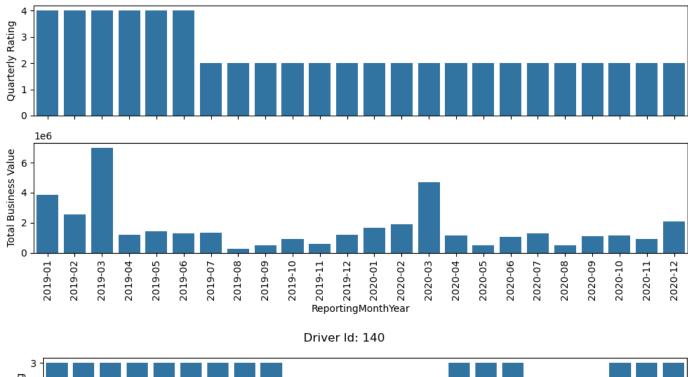
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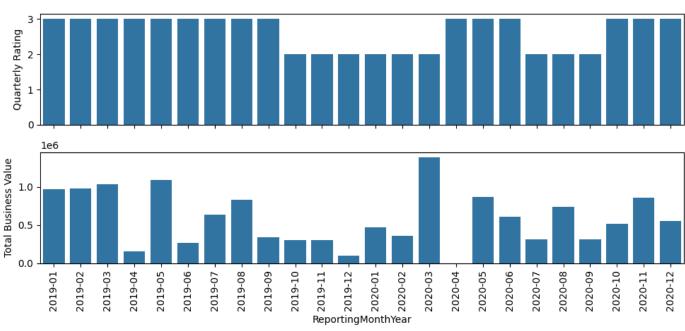


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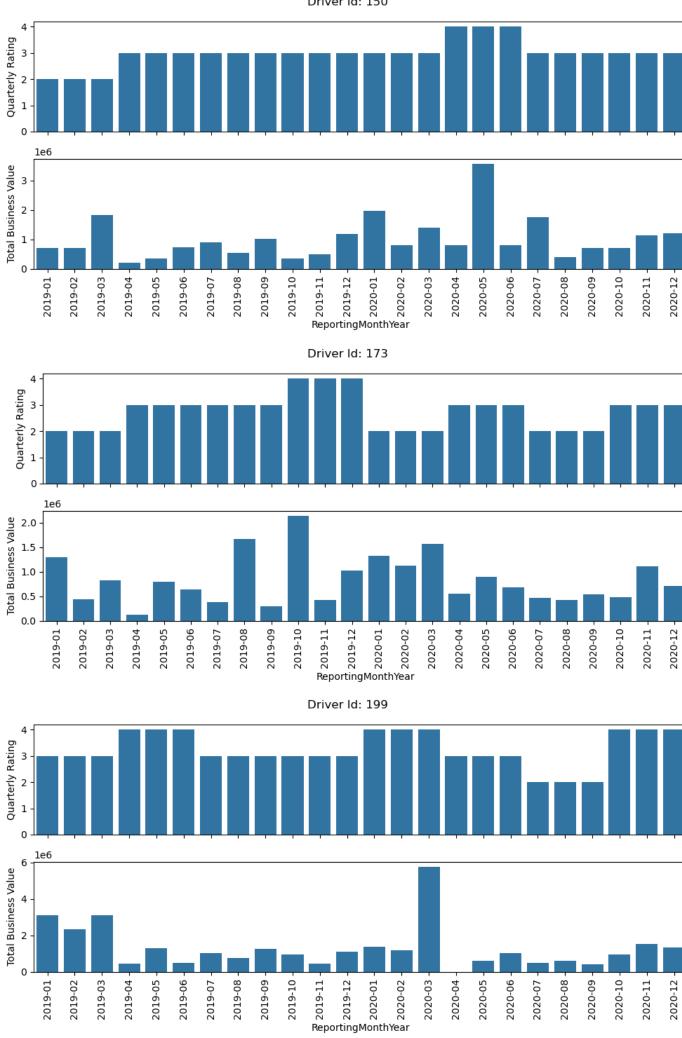


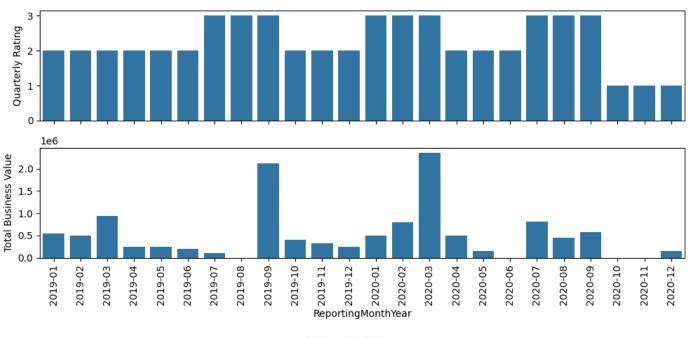
Driver Id: 117



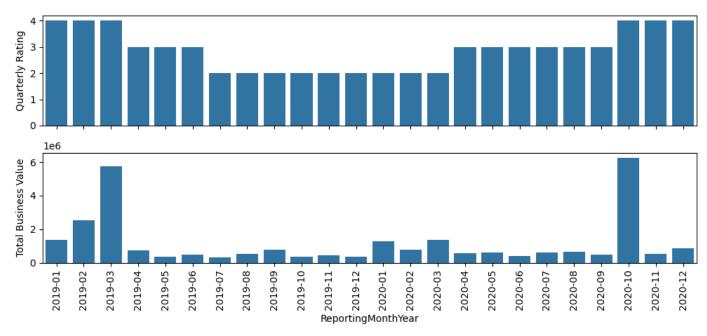


Driver Id: 150

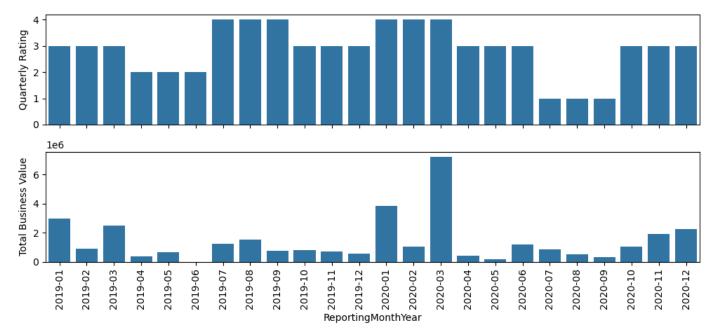




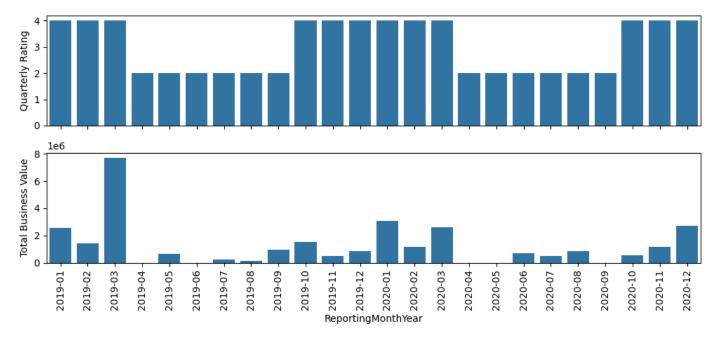
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Driver Id: 275

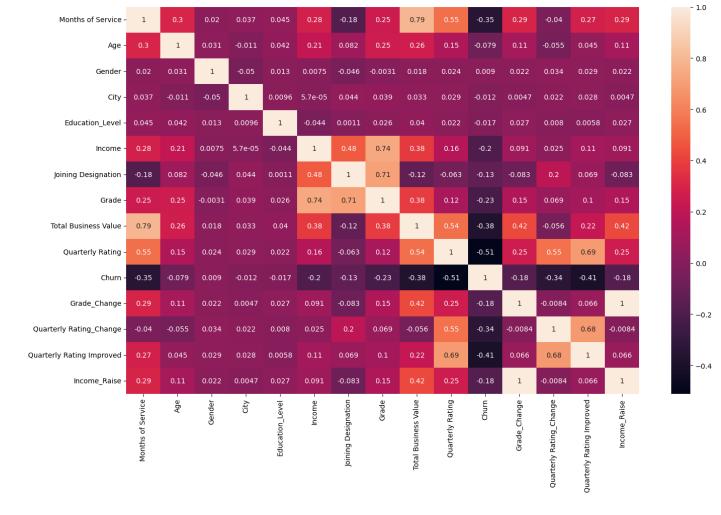






• It can be observed that a significant drop in rating impacts the Total Business Value. Drop in rating demotivates the drivers, leading to accepting only a few rides or in somecases not accepting any rides and hence impacting the Total Business Value

4.3. Multivariate analysis



Grade

- Months of Service and Total Business Value are highly correlated
- Income and Grade are highly correlated
- Joining Designation and Grade are highly correlated
- Quarterly Rating and Months of Service are highly correlated
- Chrun is decently correlated with Quarterly Rating, Total Business Value, Months of Service

5. Data Preprocessing

```
In [37]:
         driver df.info()
         <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
         RangeIndex: 2381 entries, 0 to 2380
         Data columns (total 19 columns):
          #
              Column
                                           Non-Null Count
                                                            Dtype
              Driver ID
          0
                                                            int64
                                           2381 non-null
          1
              Months of Service
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            int64
          2
              Age
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            float64
          3
              Gender
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            category
          4
              City
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            object
          5
              Education Level
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            category
          6
              Income
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            int64
          7
              Dateofjoining
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            datetime64[ns]
          8
              LastWorkingDate
                                                            datetime64[ns]
                                           1616 non-null
          9
              Joining Designation
                                           2381 non-null
                                                            category
```

2381 non-null

category

```
11 Total Business Value 2381 non-null int64
12 Quarterly Rating 2381 non-null int64
13 Churn 2381 non-null int64
14 Income_Change 2381 non-null int32
15 Grade_Change 2381 non-null int32
16 Quarterly Rating_Change 2381 non-null int32
17 Quarterly Rating Improved 2381 non-null int64
18 Income_Raise 2381 non-null int64
dtypes: category(4), datetime64[ns](2), float64(1), int32(3), int64(8), object(1)
memory usage: 261.2+ KB
```

• The columns **Driver_ID**, **Gender**, **City**, **Education_Level**, **Dateofjoining**, **LastWorkingDate** can be dropped as they do not contribute towards the driver churn rate

```
In [38]: driver_df.drop(columns=['Driver_ID', 'Gender', 'City', 'Education_Level', 'Dateofjoining
    driver_df['Quarterly Rating'] = driver_df['Quarterly Rating'].astype('category')
    driver_df['Churn'] = driver_df['Churn'].astype('category')
    driver_df['Grade_Change'] = driver_df['Grade_Change'].astype('category')
    driver_df['Quarterly Rating_Change'] = driver_df['Quarterly Rating_Change'].astype('category')
    driver_df['Income_Raise'] = driver_df['Income_Raise'].astype('category')
    driver_df.head()
```

Out[38]:		Months of Service	Age	Income	Joining Designation	Grade	Total Business Value	Quarterly Rating	Churn	Grade_Change	Quarterly Rating_Change	Quart Rai Impro
	0	3	28.0	57387	1	1	1715580	2	1	0	0	
	1	2	31.0	67016	2	2	0	1	0	0	0	
	2	5	43.0	65603	2	2	350000	1	1	0	0	
	3	3	29.0	46368	1	1	120360	1	1	0	0	
	4	5	31.0	78728	3	3	1265000	2	0	0	1	

Insight

There are no duplicates

5.1. Handling null values

```
In [40]: driver_df.isna().sum()
Out[40]: Months of Service
                                     0
                                     0
        Age
        Income
        Joining Designation
                                     0
        Grade
                                     0
        Total Business Value
                                    0
        Quarterly Rating
                                    0
        Churn
                                    0
                                     0
        Grade Change
        Quarterly Rating Change
```

```
Quarterly Rating Improved 0
Income_Raise 0
dtype: int64
```

• There are no missing data or null values

5.2. Outlier Treatment

```
In [41]: # helper function to detect outliers using IQR method
         def detectOutliers iqr(df):
            q1 = df.quantile(0.25)
             q3 = df.quantile(0.75)
             iqr = q3-q1
             lower outliers = df[df < (q1-1.5*iqr)]
             higher outliers = df[df>(q3+1.5*iqr)]
             return lower outliers, higher outliers
         # helper function to detect outliers using standard deviation method
         def detectOutliers std(df):
            mean = df.mean()
            std = df.std()
            upper limit = mean+(3*std)
             lower limit = mean-(3*std)
             lower outliers = df[df<lower limit]</pre>
             higher outliers = df[df>upper limit]
             return lower outliers, higher outliers
         numerical columns = driver df.select dtypes(include=np.number).columns
In [42]:
         column outlier dictionary = {}
         for column in numerical columns:
             lower outliers, higher outliers = detectOutliers iqr(driver df[column])
             column outlier dictionary[column] = [lower outliers, higher outliers]
             #print('*'*50)
             #print(f'Outliers of \'{column}\' column are:')
             #print("Lower outliers:\n", lower outliers)
             #print("Higher outliers:\n", higher outliers)
             #print('*'*50, end="\n")
In [43]: for key, value in column outlier dictionary.items():
             print(f'The column \'{key}\' has {len(value[0]) + len(value[1])} outliers')
         The column 'Months of Service' has 249 outliers
         The column 'Age' has 25 outliers
         The column 'Income' has 48 outliers
         The column 'Total Business Value' has 336 outliers
         The column 'Quarterly Rating Improved' has 358 outliers
In [44]: numerical columns = driver df.select dtypes(include=np.number).columns
         column outlier dictionary = {}
         for column in numerical columns:
             lower outliers, higher outliers = detectOutliers std(driver df[column])
             column outlier dictionary[column] = [lower outliers, higher outliers]
             #print('*'*50)
             #print(f'Outliers of \'{column}\' column are:')
             #print("Lower outliers:\n", lower outliers)
             #print("Higher outliers:\n", higher outliers)
             #print('*'*50, end="\n")
In [45]: for key, value in column outlier dictionary.items():
```

```
print(f'The column \'{key}\' has {len(value[0]) + len(value[1])} outliers')
The column 'Months of Service' has 0 outliers
The column 'Age' has 14 outliers
The column 'Income' has 16 outliers
The column 'Total Business Value' has 64 outliers
The column 'Quarterly Rating Improved' has 0 outliers
```

- I will keep the outliers in Age and Income columns as they are less in number
- I will **cap the outliers** in **Total Business Value** column as drivers with higher business value do not churn usually

```
In [46]: mean = driver_df['Total Business Value'].mean()
    std = driver_df['Total Business Value'].std()
    upper_limit = mean+(3*std)
    driver_df['Total Business Value'] = driver_df['Total Business Value'].apply(lambda x: x
```

5.3. Multicollinearity Check

```
Out[47]:
                                Features
                                            VIF
            0
                                   const 36.42
                     Total Business Value
                                           3.99
            1
                       Months of Service
                                           3.83
            3
                                 Income
                                           1.19
            2
                                           1.12
                                    Age
            5 Quarterly Rating Improved
                                           1.09
```

Insight

Based on the above VIF scores, I can conclude that there are no multicolinear numerical features

5.4. Encode categorical variables

```
In [48]: final_df = driver_df.copy()
```

Sepearte out target and feature columns

```
In [49]: X = final_df.drop(columns=['Churn'])
y = final_df['Churn']
```

```
X.shape, y.shape
        ((2381, 11), (2381,))
Out[49]:
        Encode target variable
In [50]: y = y.astype(int)
        Encode features with just 2 classes as 0 or 1
        X[['Grade Change','Quarterly Rating Change', 'Income Raise']] = X[['Grade Change','Quart
In [51]:
        One-Hot-Encoding for remaining categorical features
In [52]: X.info()
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
        RangeIndex: 2381 entries, 0 to 2380
        Data columns (total 11 columns):
            Column
                                        Non-Null Count Dtype
                                        _____
         0 Months of Service
                                       2381 non-null int64
         1 Age
                                       2381 non-null float64
         2 Income
                                       2381 non-null int64
```

```
3 Joining Designation 2381 non-null category
4 Grade
                           2381 non-null category
5 Total Business Value
                          2381 non-null float64
                          2381 non-null category
  Quarterly Rating
7
  Grade Change
                           2381 non-null int8
8 Quarterly Rating Change 2381 non-null int8
9 Quarterly Rating Improved 2381 non-null int64
                            2381 non-null int8
10 Income Raise
dtypes: category(3), float64(2), int64(3), int8(3)
memory usage: 107.7 KB
```

```
In [53]: categorical_columns = X.select_dtypes(include='category').columns
    categorical_columns
```

Out[53]: Index(['Joining Designation', 'Grade', 'Quarterly Rating'], dtype='object')

```
In [54]: encoder = OneHotEncoder(sparse_output=False)
    encoded_data = encoder.fit_transform(X[categorical_columns])
    encoded_df = pd.DataFrame(encoded_data, columns = encoder.get_feature_names_out(categori
    X = pd.concat([X, encoded_df], axis=1)
    X.drop(columns = categorical_columns, inplace=True)
    X.head()
```

Out[54]:		Months of Service	Age	Income	Total Business Value	Grade_Change	Quarterly Rating_Change	Quarterly Rating Improved	Income_Raise	Joining Designation_1	Des
	0	3	28.0	57387	1715580.0	0	0	0	0	1.0	
	1	2	31.0	67016	0.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
	2	5	43.0	65603	350000.0	0	0	0	0	0.0	
	3	3	29.0	46368	120360.0	0	0	0	0	1.0	
	4	5	31.0	78728	1265000.0	0	1	1	0	0.0	

6. Model building

6.1. Train-test split

```
In [55]: X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=0)
X_train.shape, X_test.shape, y_train.shape, y_test.shape
Out[55]: ((1904, 22), (477, 22), (1904,), (477,))
```

6.2. Perform data normalization/standardization

Data normalization/standardization is required so that features with higher scales do not dominate the model's performance. Hence all features should have same scale

Data before scaling

```
In [56]: X_train.head()
```

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	Months of Service	Age	Income	Total Business Value	Grade_Change	Quarterly Rating_Change	Quarterly Rating Improved	Income_Raise	Joining Designation_1
223	36 7	28.0	57164	1092560.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
	6 1	28.0	42172	0.0	0	0	0	0	1.0
181	18 1	29.0	43989	0.0	0	0	0	0	1.0
153	34 7	40.0	59636	2589640.0	0	0	0	0	0.0
212	23 6	25.0	29052	2172260.0	0	0	0	0	1.0

5 rows × 22 columns

```
In [57]: min_max_scaler = MinMaxScaler()
# Fit min_max_scaler to training data
min_max_scaler.fit(X_train)
# Scale the training and testing data
X_train = pd.DataFrame(min_max_scaler.transform(X_train), columns=X_train.columns)
X_test = pd.DataFrame(min_max_scaler.transform(X_test), columns=X_test.columns)
```

Data after scaling

```
In [58]: X_train.head()
```

Out[58]:		Months of Service	Age	Income	Total Business Value	Grade_Change	Quarterly Rating_Change	Quarterly Rating Improved	Income_Raise	Joining Designation_1
	0	0.260870	0.205882	0.261253	0.074297	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
	1	0.000000	0.205882	0.176872	0.041541	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.0
	2	0.000000	0.235294	0.187099	0.041541	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.0
	3	0.260870	0.558824	0.275166	0.119183	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0
	4	0.217391	0.117647	0.103028	0.106669	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.0	1.0

Check for imbalance in target class

We can see a clear imbalance in the target class with 1 being ~69% and 0 being ~31%. Hence, I will use **SMOTE** to fix this imbalance

```
In [60]: sm = SMOTE(random_state=0)
X_train, y_train = sm.fit_resample(X_train, y_train)
y_train.value_counts(normalize=True)*100

Out[60]: Churn
1     50.0
0     50.0
Name: proportion, dtype: float64
```

6.3. Ensemble Learning: Bagging - RandomForestClassifier

A random forest is a meta estimator that fits a number of decision tree classifiers on various sub-samples of the dataset and uses averaging to improve the predictive accuracy and control over-fitting.\ The hyperparameters of the random forest classifier will be selected using grid search cross validation

```
In [61]: | # Define parameter grid
         param grid = {
             'n estimators': list(range(100, 1000, 100)),
             'max features': ['sqrt', 'log2'],
             'max depth': list(range(10, 100, 10)),
             'min samples split': list(range(2, 10, 1))
         # Initialize classifier and RandomizedSearchCV
         rf = RandomForestClassifier()
         rf random = GridSearchCV(estimator=rf, param grid=param grid, cv=3, verbose=2, n jobs=-1
         # Fit the model
         rf random.fit(X train, y train)
         # Evaluate best parameters
         print("Best parameters found: ", rf random.best params )
         Fitting 3 folds for each of 1296 candidates, totalling 3888 fits
         Best parameters found: {'max depth': 50, 'max features': 'sqrt', 'min samples split':
         2, 'n estimators': 200}
In [62]: color = ' \setminus 033[91m']
         bold = ' \setminus 033[1m']
         end = ' \033[0m']
         # Predict and evaluate performance
         y true = y train
         y pred = rf random.predict(X train)
         print(color + bold + "Train data:" + color + end)
```

print("Accuracy: ", accuracy score(y true, y pred))

y true = y test

print("Classification Report:\n", classification report(y true, y pred))

```
print(color + bold + "Test data:" + color + end)
print("Accuracy: ", accuracy score(y true, y pred))
print("Classification Report:\n", classification report(y true, y pred))
Train data:
Accuracy: 1.0
Classification Report:
           precision recall f1-score support
                                       1307
               1.00 1.00 1.00
               1.00
                       1.00
                               1.00
                                        1307
                                1.00
   accuracy
                                       2614
  macro avg 1.00 1.00 1.00 2614 ighted avg 1.00 1.00 2614
weighted avg
Test data:
Accuracy: 0.777777777778
Classification Report:
            precision recall f1-score support
         0 0.70 0.65 0.67
                                         168
              0.82
                      0.85
                               0.83
                                         309
                                0.78
                                        477
   accuracy
              0.76 0.75
                               0.75
                                         477
  macro avg
              0.77
weighted avg
                       0.78
                               0.78
                                         477
```

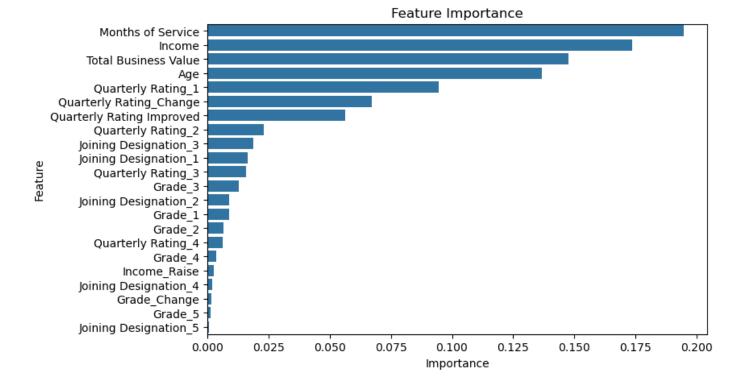
- The training accuracy is 1 whereas testing accuracy is 0.778. This is a case of overfitting.
- The best parameters found are well within the provided range

6.3.1 Feature Importance Plot

y_pred = rf_random.predict(X_test)

```
In [63]: def plot feature importance(estimator, features):
             # Extract feature importances
             importances = estimator.feature importances
             # Create a DatafRame for plotting
            feature importance df = pd.DataFrame({'Feature':features, 'Importance':importances})
            feature importance df = feature importance df.sort values(by='Importance', ascending
             # Plot feature importance
            plt.figure(figsize=(8,5))
            sns.barplot(data=feature importance df, x='Importance', y='Feature')
            plt.title('Feature Importance')
            plt.show()
```

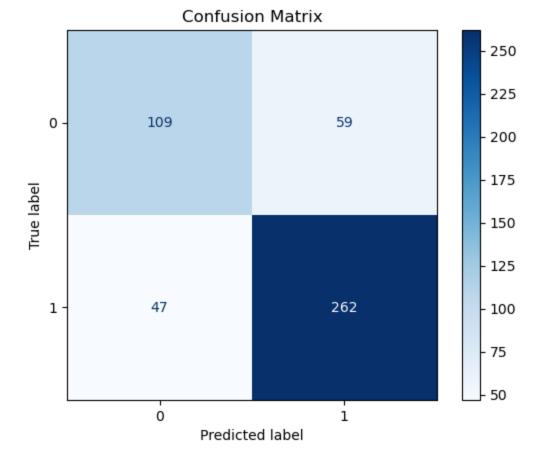
```
In [64]: | plot feature importance(rf random.best estimator , X train.columns)
```



6.3.2 Confusion Matrix

```
In [65]: def display_confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred):
    # Compute confusion matrix
    cm = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)

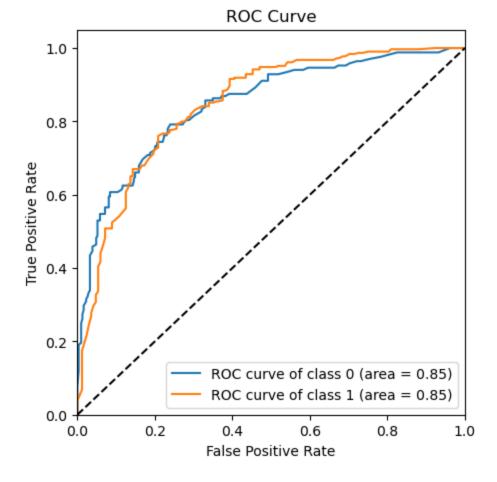
# Plot confusion matrix
    disp = ConfusionMatrixDisplay(confusion_matrix=cm)
    disp.plot(cmap=plt.cm.Blues)
    plt.title('Confusion Matrix')
    plt.show()
In [66]: display_confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
```



6.3.3 ROC Curve

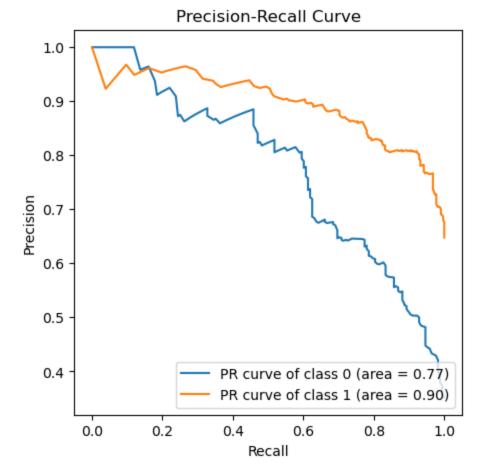
```
def plot roc curve(estimator, X train, X test, y train, y test):
In [67]:
            # Binarize the output
            y_test_binarized = label_binarize(y_test, classes=[0, 1, 2])
            n classes = y test binarized.shape[1]-1
             # Compute ROC curve and ROC area for each class
             classifier = OneVsRestClassifier(estimator)
            y score = classifier.fit(X train, y train).predict proba(X test)
            fpr = dict()
            tpr = dict()
            roc auc = dict()
             for i in range(n classes):
                 fpr[i], tpr[i], _ = roc_curve(y_test_binarized[:, i], y score[:, i])
                 roc auc[i] = auc(fpr[i], tpr[i])
             # Plot ROC curve for each class
             plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
             for i in range(n classes):
                plt.plot(fpr[i], tpr[i], label='ROC curve of class {0} (area = {1:0.2f})'.format
            plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'k--')
            plt.xlim([0.0, 1.0])
            plt.ylim([0.0, 1.05])
            plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
            plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
            plt.title('ROC Curve')
            plt.legend(loc='lower right')
            plt.show()
```

```
In [68]: plot_roc_curve(rf_random.best_estimator_, X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test)
```



6.3.4 Precision-Recall Curve

```
In [69]:
        def plot pr curve(estimator, X train, X test, y train, y test):
             # Binarize the output
             y test binarized = label binarize(y test, classes=[0, 1, 2])
             n_classes = y_test_binarized.shape[1]-1
             # Compute ROC curve and ROC area for each class
             classifier = OneVsRestClassifier(estimator)
             y_score = classifier.fit(X_train, y_train).predict proba(X test)
             # For each class
            precision = dict()
             recall = dict()
             average precision = dict()
             for i in range(n classes):
                 precision[i], recall[i], = precision recall curve(y test binarized[:, i], y sc
                 average precision[i] = average precision score(y test binarized[:, i], y score[:
             # Plot Precision-Recall curve for each class
             plt.figure(figsize=(5, 5))
             for i in range(n classes):
                 plt.plot(recall[i], precision[i], label='PR curve of class {0} (area = {1:0.2f})
             plt.xlabel('Recall')
            plt.ylabel('Precision')
             plt.title('Precision-Recall Curve')
            plt.legend(loc='lower right')
             plt.show()
```



- The top 5 features as per the RandomForestCLassifier are \ --Months of Service \ --Income \ --Total Business Value \ --Age\ --Quarterly Rating 1
- Both the classes 0 and 1 have a decent Area Under the ROC curve of 0.85
- The Area Under the PR curve for class 0 is 0.77 and class 1 is 0.90

6.4. Ensemble Learning: Boosting - GradientBoostingClassifier

This algorithm builds an additive model in a forward stage-wise fashion; it allows for the optimization of arbitrary differentiable loss functions. In each stage nclasses regression trees are fit on the negative gradient of the loss function, e.g. binary or multiclass log loss.\ The hyper-parameters of the GradientBoostingClassifier will be selected using random search cross validation

```
In [71]: # Define parameter grid
param_grid = {
    'n_estimators': np.arange(100, 1001, 100),
    'learning_rate': np.logspace(-3, 0, 10),
    'max_depth': np.arange(3, 11, 1),
    'min_samples_split': np.arange(2, 21, 2),
    'min_samples_leaf': np.arange(1, 21, 2),
    'subsample': np.linspace(0.5, 1.0, 6)
}

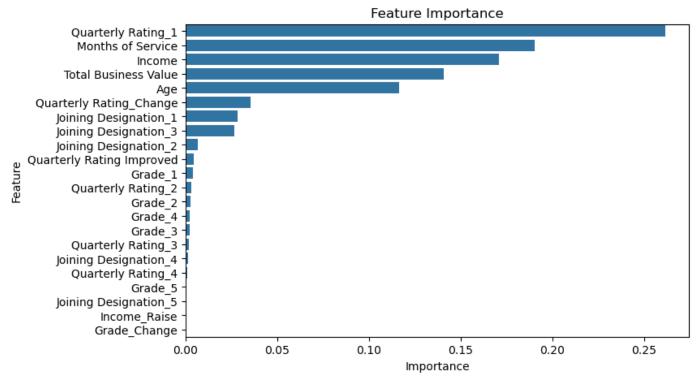
# Initialize classifier and RandomizedSearchCV
gb = GradientBoostingClassifier()
gb_random = RandomizedSearchCV(estimator=gb, param_distributions=param_grid,
```

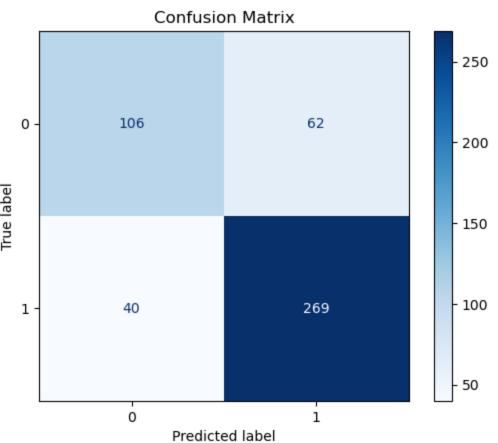
```
n iter=300, cv=3, verbose=2, random state=42, n jobs=-1)
        # Fit the model
        gb random.fit(X train, y train)
        # Evaluate best parameters
        print("Best parameters found for GradientBoostingClassifier: ", gb random.best params)
        Fitting 3 folds for each of 300 candidates, totalling 900 fits
        Best parameters found for GradientBoostingClassifier: {'subsample': 0.8, 'n estimator
        s': 500, 'min samples split': 20, 'min samples leaf': 3, 'max depth': 10, 'learning rat
        e': 0.021544346900318832}
In [72]: |color = ' \setminus 033[91m']
        bold = ' \setminus 033[1m']
        end = ' \033[0m']
        # Predict and evaluate performance
        y true = y train
        y pred = gb random.predict(X train)
        print(color + bold + "Train data:" + color + end)
        print("Accuracy: ", accuracy score(y true, y pred))
        print("Classification Report:\n", classification report(y true, y pred))
        y true = y test
        y pred = gb random.predict(X test)
        print(color + bold + "Test data:" + color + end)
        print("Accuracy: ", accuracy score(y true, y pred))
        print("Classification Report:\n", classification report(y true, y pred))
        Train data:
        Accuracy: 1.0
        Classification Report:
                     precision recall f1-score support
                         1.00 1.00 1.00
1.00 1.00 1.00
                                                      1307
1307
                                             1.00
                                                     2614
           accuracy
                                   1.00 1.00
1.00 1.00
                         1.00
                                   1.00
                                                       2614
           macro avq
        weighted avg
                         1.00
                                                      2614
        Test data:
        Accuracy: 0.7861635220125787
        Classification Report:
                     precision recall f1-score support
                      0.73 0.63 0.68
0.81 0.87 0.84
                                                     168
                   0
                                                        309
                                             0.79
                                                      477
           accuracy
           macro avg 0.77 0.75
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                         0.78
                                   0.79
                                             0.78
        weighted avg
                                                        477
```

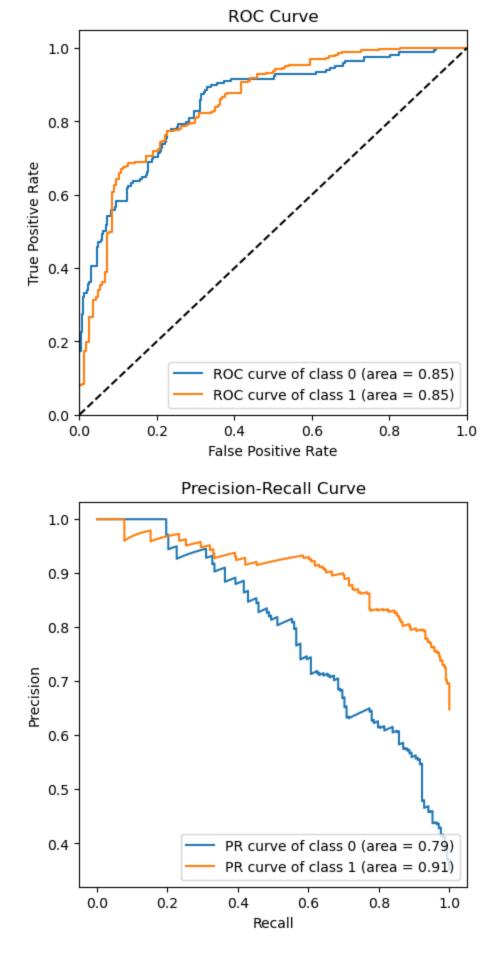
• The training accuracy is 1 whereas testing accuracy is 0.786. This is also a case of **overfitting**.

6.4.1 Performance

```
In [73]: plot_feature_importance(gb_random.best_estimator_, X_train.columns)
display_confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
plot_roc_curve(gb_random.best_estimator_, X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test)
plot_pr_curve(gb_random.best_estimator_, X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test)
```







• The top 5 features as per the GradientBoostingClassifier are \ --Quarterly Rating 1 \ --Months of Service \ --Income \ --Total Business Value \ --Age

- Both the classes 0 and 1 have a decent Area Under the ROC curve of 0.85
- The Area Under the PR curve for class 0 is 0.79 and class 1 is 0.91

6.5. Ensemble Learning: Boosting - XGBClassifier

XGBClassifier is a highly optimized version of GBM. It includes regularization to prevent overfitting and various other enhancements.\ The hyper-parameters of the XGBClassifier will be selected using random search cross validation

```
In [74]: # Define parameter grid
         param grid = {
             'n estimators': np.arange(100, 1001, 100),
             'learning rate': np.logspace(-3, 0, 10),
             'max depth': np.arange(3, 11, 1),
             'min child weight': np.arange(1, 11, 1),
             'gamma': np.logspace(-3, 1, 10),
             'subsample': np.linspace(0.5, 1.0, 6),
             'colsample bytree': np.linspace(0.5, 1.0, 6)
         # Initialize classifier and RandomizedSearchCV
         xgb = XGBClassifier(eval metric='mlogloss')
         xgb random = RandomizedSearchCV(estimator=xgb, param distributions=param grid,
                                          n iter=300, cv=3, verbose=2, random state=42, n jobs=-1)
         # Fit the model
         xgb random.fit(X train, y train)
         # Evaluate best parameters
         print("Best parameters found for XGBoost: ", xgb random.best params )
         Fitting 3 folds for each of 300 candidates, totalling 900 fits
         Best parameters found for XGBoost: {'subsample': 0.8, 'n estimators': 200, 'min child w
         eight': 1, 'max depth': 7, 'learning rate': 0.046415888336127774, 'gamma': 0.00774263682
         6811269, 'colsample bytree': 0.5}
In [75]: color = ' \setminus 033[91m']
         bold = ' \setminus 033[1m']
         end = ' \033[0m']
         # Predict and evaluate performance
         y true = y train
         y_pred = xgb_random.predict(X train)
         print(color + bold + "Train data:" + color + end)
         print("Accuracy: ", accuracy score(y true, y pred))
         print("Classification Report:\n", classification report(y true, y pred))
         y true = y test
         y pred = xgb random.predict(X test)
         print(color + bold + "Test data:" + color + end)
         print("Accuracy: ", accuracy_score(y_true, y_pred))
         print("Classification Report:\n", classification report(y true, y pred))
         Train data:
         Accuracy: 0.9391736801836267
         Classification Report:
                      precision recall f1-score support
```

0 0.96 0.92 0.94 1307 1 0.92 0.96 0.94 1307

0.94 0.94

accuracy

macro avq

0.94 2614 0.94 2614

Test data	.:				
Accuracy:	0.8	3134171907756	813		
Classific	atior	Report:			
		precision	recall	f1-score	support
	0	0.76	0.68	0.72	168
	1	0.84	0.88	0.86	309
accuracy				0.81	477
macro	avg	0.80	0.78	0.79	477
weighted	ava	0.81	0.81	0.81	477

0.94

0.94

Insight

weighted avg

• The training accuracy has reduced to 0.939 whereas testing accuracy has slightly increased to 0.813. This is still a case of **overfitting** but better than all the previous models.

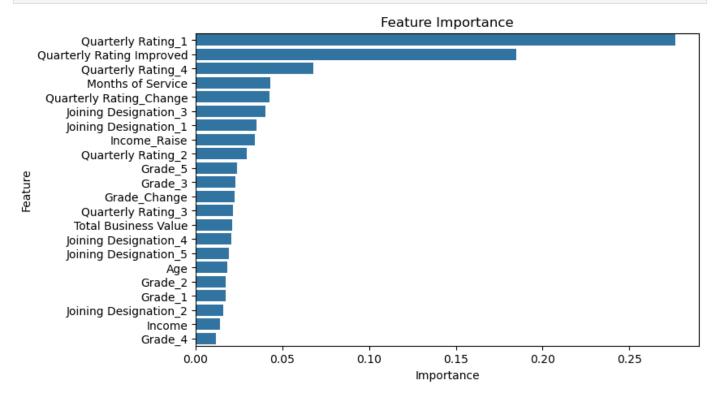
0.94

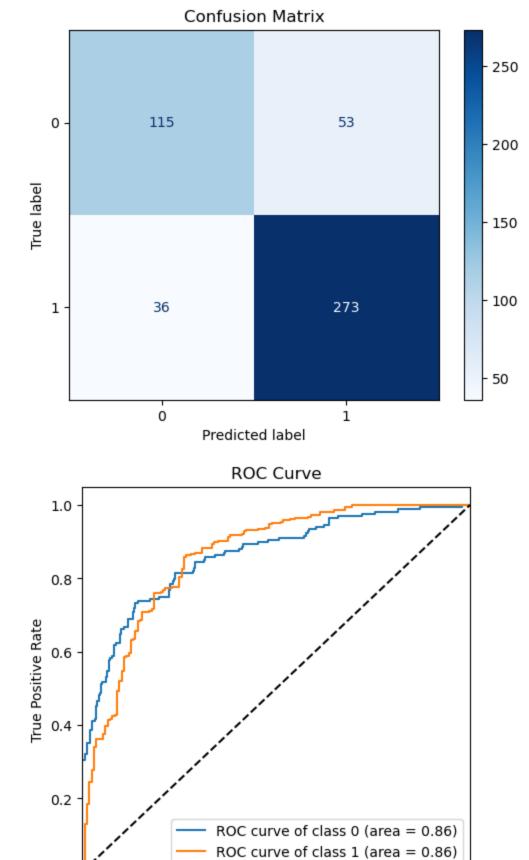
2614

• This model is also faster than the previous models

6.5.1 Performance

```
In [76]: plot_feature_importance(xgb_random.best_estimator_, X_train.columns)
    display_confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)
    plot_roc_curve(xgb_random.best_estimator_, X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test)
    plot_pr_curve(xgb_random.best_estimator_, X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test)
```





0.0 + 0.0

0.2

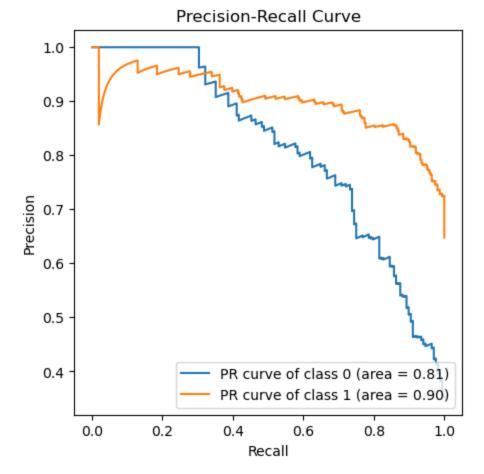
0.4

False Positive Rate

0.6

0.8

1.0



- The top 5 features as per the XGBClassifier are \ --Quarterly Rating 1 \ --Quarterly Rating Improved \ --Quarterly Rating 4 \ --Months of Service \ --Quarterly Rating_Change \
- Both the classes 0 and 1 have a decent Area Under the ROC curve of 0.86
- The Area Under the PR curve for class 0 is 0.81 and class 1 is 0.90

7. Insights

- Most of the drivers are in the age group of 30 to 35
- 59% of the drivers are Male and remaining 41% are Female
- City C20 has the maximum number of drivers
- Maximum number of drivers joined in the year 2020 and in the month of July
- 1026 drivers have a joining designation of 1
- Maximum number of drivers have a grade of 2
- Majority of the drivers have a very low quarterly rating of 1
- There are no drivers with quarterly rating of 5
- 1616 drivers have churned, which is around 68%
- The median income of drivers who have churned is lesser than that of the drivers who have not churned
- The churn rate is very less in drivers whose income has raised
- The churn rate is very less in drivers whose grade has raised
- The churn rate is very less in drivers whose Quarterly rating has increased

8. Recommendation

- The quartely rating has been the top contibutor on deciding if a driver will churn or not. As the ratings are given by the customers to the driver, Ola should urge all customers to rate the drivers on time. Ola should provide incentives/points to the customers to encourage timely rating.
- Ola should make sure that the income of deserving drivers should be increased every 6 months, if not every quarter, to encourage drivers to stay
- Long service awards/bonuses should be given to drivers to keep them motivated
- Special trainings should be given to drivers on how to handle different customers and different situations so that the customers always provide positive ratings

9. Questionnaire

9.1 What percentage of drivers have received a quarterly rating of 5?

Ans: No drivers have received a quarterly rating of 5

9.2 Comment on the correlation between Age and Quarterly Rating.

Ans: Age and Quarterly rating do not have much correlation. They have a small correlation value of 0.15

9.3 Name the city which showed the most improvement in Quarterly Rating over the past year

Ans: The city C29 shows most improvement in Quarterly Rating in 2020 compared to 2019

9.4 Drivers with a Grade of 'A' are more likely to have a higher Total Business Value. (T/F)

Ans: Yes, the mean of Total Business Value of drivers with grade 5(or A) is higher than those with other grades

9.5 If a driver's Quarterly Rating drops significantly, how does it impact their Total Business Value in the subsequent period?

Ans: A significant drop in rating leads to dip in the Total Business Value in the subsequesnt period. Drop in rating demotivates the drivers, leading to accepting only a few rides or in somecases not accepting any rides and hence impacting the Total Business Value

9.6 From Ola's perspective, which metric should be the primary focus for driver retention? 1. ROC AUC, 2. Precision, 3. Recall, 4. F1 Score

Ans: Recall. It is ok if the model predicts most drivers as **Churn** but it should not predict **Churn** drivers as **Not Churn**

9.7 How does the gap in precision and recall affect Ola's relationship with its drivers and customers?

Ans: Gap in the precision and recall implies that the False Negatives and False Positives values are very different. If more instances of Churn are misclassified as Not Churn, then the customers may get drives who are not-motived/unsatisfied leading to bad customer experience. On the other hand if more instances of Not Churn are misclassified as Churn, then the good performing drivers will be neglected leading to driver dissatification.

9.8 Besides the obvious features like "Number of Rides", which lesser-discussed features might have a strong impact on a driver's Quarterly Rating?

Ans: 1) Customers not providing timely rating or providing false rating has a strong impact on high performing drivers and their quarterly rating.\ 2) Lack of training to the driver on handling different situation can also impact their quarterly rating. Not all customers are same, so the driver needs to adapt his behaviour as per the customer.

9.9 Will the driver's performance be affected by the City they operate in? (Yes/No)

Ans: Yes, it might be the case that the people(customers) of a city are of a particular mindset. The people of a city could be more accommodative and provide good ratings always and people of a different city could get irriated easily and provide bad ratings

9.10 Analyze any seasonality in the driver's ratings. Do certain times of the year correspond to higher or lower ratings, and why might that be?

Ans: Yes, there is a seasonality in the driver's rating. The ratings dip in Q2 and then shoot up in Q3. This could be because of the holiday season in Q2 when many people move out of the cities for vacation and hence less usage of cabs.