Challenge:

Dataset Overview

The dataset is having incidents raised by customers. Which contains an event log of an incident management process extracted from a service desk platform of an IT company.

Once incident is raised it needs to be assigned to support group and support engineer.

This challenge is divided into several parts:

Part 1

IT team has limited capacity and therefore, they are interested in solution that could help them prioritize important incidents.

Every incident is manually evaluated and labeled with *Impact* value which provide us information about incident importance. IT team wants to solve incidents with high impact as soon as possible. Impact value may be updated during troubleshooting process.

Try to create solution for this problem and create quick PoC where you will evaluate your idea.

Expected deliverables:

Code:

Preferably commented, self-explaining ipython notebook (Note: try to avoid sharing the notebook as attached ipynb file, use repository or any cloud notebook hosting service)

Presentation:

How would you present the idea to business users from IT team?

- Max. 3 slides
- List findings, explain approach, and explain benefits and why and how will they benefit from selected approach.

Part 2

- a) What would be your next steps if IT team likes your PoC from part 1?
- b) IT team would like to understand if they can utilize ML/Al for other processes. Think about use-cases and problems that could be solved by ML capabilities, list your ideas. (Base your ideas on provided dataset).

c) How would you productionize suggested solution?

Dataset details:

Values provided at Incident creation / re-opening:

ID

Incident identifier (24,918 different values)

• ID status

Eight levels controlling the incident management process transitions from opening until closing the case

active

Boolean attribute that shows whether the record is active or closed/canceled

count reassign

Number of times the incident has the group or the support analysts changed

• count_opening

Number of times the incident resolution was rejected by the caller

count_updated

Number of incident updates until that moment

• ID_caller

Identifier of the user affected

opened by

Identifier of the user who reported the incident

• opened time

Incident user opening date and time

Created_by

Identifier of the user who registered the incident

created at

Incident system creation date and time

updated_by

Identifier of the user who updated the incident and generated the current log record

updated at

Incident system update date and time

type contact

Categorical attribute that shows by what means the incident was reported

location

Identifier of the location of the place affected

Category Id

First-level description of the affected service

user symptom

Description of the user perception about service availability

Values selected [manually] after Incident is raised and:

• Impact

Description of the impact caused by the incident (values: 1-High; 2-Medium; 3-Low)

• Support group

Identifier of the support group in charge of the incident

• support_incharge

Identifier of the user in charge of the incident

• Doc_knowledge

Boolean attribute that shows whether a knowledge base document was used to resolve the incident

• confirmation check

Boolean attribute that shows whether the priority/Impact field has been double-checked

Notify

Categorical attribute that shows whether notifications were generated for the incident

• Problem id

identifier of the problem associated with the incident

• change_request

identifier of the change request associated with the incident