Lead-Scoring Case Study

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Problem Statement



An **education company** named X Education sells online courses to industry professionals. On any given day, many professionals who are interested in the courses land on their website and browse for courses.

The company markets its courses on several websites and search engines like Google. Once these people land on the website, they might browse the courses or fill up a form for the course or watch some videos. When these people fill up a form providing their email address or phone number, they are classified to be a <u>lead</u>. Moreover, the company also gets leads through past referrals. Once these leads are acquired, employees from the sales team <u>start making calls</u>, <u>writing emails</u>, <u>etc</u>. Through this process, some of the leads get converted while most do not. The typical lead conversion rate at X education is around 30%. Now, although X Education gets a lot of leads, its lead conversion rate is very poor. For example, if, say, they acquire 100 leads in a day, only about 30 of them are converted. To make this <u>process more efficient</u>, the <u>company wishes to identify the most potential leads</u>, also known as <u>'Hot Leads'</u>. If they successfully identify this set of leads, the lead conversion rate should go up as the sales team will now be focusing more on communicating with the potential leads rather than making calls to everyone. A typical lead conversion process can be represented using the funnel image on the left

Goal

There are quite a few goals for this case study.

- 1. Build a logistic regression model to assign a lead score between 0 and 100 to each of the leads which can be used by the company to target potential leads. A higher score would mean that the lead is hot, i.e. is most likely to convert whereas a lower score would mean that the lead is cold and will mostly not get converted.
- 2. There are some more problems presented by the company which our model should be able to adjust to if the company's requirement changes in the future so you will need to handle these as well. These problems are provided in a separate doc file. Please fill it based on the logistic regression model you got in the first step. Also, make sure you include this in your final PPT where you'll make recommendations.

Step 1. Data Preparation

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RangeIndex: 9240 entries, 0 to 9239
Data columns (total 37 columns):
Prospect ID
                                                  9240 non-null object
Lead Number
                                                  9240 non-null int64
Lead Origin
                                                  9240 non-null object
Lead Source
                                                  9204 non-null object
Do Not Email
                                                  9240 non-null object
Do Not Call
                                                  9240 non-null object
                                                  9240 non-null int64
Converted
                                                  9103 non-null float64
TotalVisits
Total Time Spent on Website
                                                  9240 non-null int64
Page Views Per Visit
                                                  9103 non-null float64
Last Activity
                                                  9137 non-null object
Country
                                                  6779 non-null object
Specialization
                                                  7802 non-null object
How did you hear about X Education
                                                  7033 non-null object
What is your current occupation
                                                  6550 non-null object
What matters most to you in choosing a course
                                                  6531 non-null object
Search
                                                  9240 non-null object
Magazine
                                                  9240 non-null object
                                                  9240 non-null object
Newspaper Article
X Education Forums
                                                  9240 non-null object
                                                  9240 non-null object
Newspaper
Digital Advertisement
                                                  9240 non-null object
Through Recommendations
                                                  9240 non-null object
Receive More Updates About Our Courses
                                                  9240 non-null object
                                                  5887 non-null object
Tags
Lead Ouality
                                                  4473 non-null object
Update me on Supply Chain Content
                                                  9240 non-null object
Get updates on DM Content
                                                  9240 non-null object
Lead Profile
                                                  6531 non-null object
City
                                                  7820 non-null object
Asymmetrique Activity Index
                                                  5022 non-null object
Asymmetrique Profile Index
                                                  5022 non-null object
Asymmetrique Activity Score
                                                  5022 non-null float64
Asymmetrique Profile Score
                                                  5022 non-null float64
I agree to pay the amount through cheque
                                                  9240 non-null object
A free copy of Mastering The Interview
                                                  9240 non-null object
Last Notable Activity
                                                  9240 non-null object
dtypes: float64(4), int64(3), object(30)
memory usage: 2.6+ MB
```

37 Columns, mix of numeric and categorical variables. 9240 Rows

Handling Missing Data

- 1. Check for missing values
- 2. Drop columns with more than 40% missing values
- 3. Check for rows with missing values
- 4. Remove rows that have missing values
- 5. Convert to NaN (values that don't add meaning like 'select')
- 6. Drop NA
- 7. Check for corrections (google, Google)
- 8. Drop columns that won't add any significance/variance
- 9. Check data again for completeness

Before Cleanup

After Cleanup

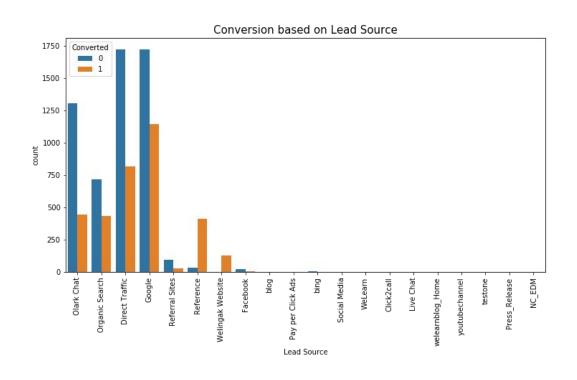
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In [7]: round(100*(lead score.isnull().sum(axis=0)/len(lead score)),3)
Out[7]: Prospect ID
                                                            0.000
                                                           0.000
        Lead Number
                                                           0.000
        Lead Origin
        Lead Source
                                                            0.390
        Do Not Email
                                                            0.000
        Do Not Call
                                                           0.000
        Converted
                                                            0.000
        TotalVisits
                                                           1.483
        Total Time Spent on Website
                                                           0.000
        Page Views Per Visit
                                                           1.483
        Last Activity
                                                           1.115
                                                           26.634
        Country
        Specialization
                                                           15.563
        How did you hear about X Education
                                                           23.885
        What is your current occupation
                                                           29.113
        What matters most to you in choosing a course
                                                           29.318
        Search
                                                           0.000
        Magazine
                                                           0.000
        Newspaper Article
                                                            0.000
        X Education Forums
                                                           0.000
        Newspaper
                                                            0.000
        Digital Advertisement
                                                           0.000
        Through Recommendations
                                                           0.000
                                                           0.000
        Receive More Updates About Our Courses
                                                           36.288
        Lead Ouality
                                                           51.591
        Update me on Supply Chain Content
                                                           0.000
        Get updates on DM Content
                                                           0.000
        Lead Profile
                                                           29.318
        City
                                                           15.368
        Asymmetrique Activity Index
                                                           45.649
        Asymmetrique Profile Index
                                                           45.649
        Asymmetrique Activity Score
                                                           45.649
                                                           45.649
        Asymmetrique Profile Score
        I agree to pay the amount through cheque
                                                           0.000
        A free copy of Mastering The Interview
                                                           0.000
                                                           0.000
        Last Notable Activity
        dtype: float64
```

```
In [33]: round(100*(lead score.isnull().sum(axis =0)/len(lead score)), 2)
Out[33]: Lead Origin
                                                       0.0
          Lead Source
                                                       0.0
                                                       0.0
          Do Not Email
          Converted
                                                       0.0
          TotalVisits
                                                       0.0
          Total Time Spent on Website
                                                       0.0
          Page Views Per Visit
                                                       0.0
          Last Activity
                                                       0.0
          What is your current occupation
                                                       0.0
          A free copy of Mastering The Interview
                                                       0.0
          Last Notable Activity
                                                       0.0
          dtype: float64
          After the above cleaning and replacement the data appears to be in a good condition
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hence we are good to proceed with further analysis and model building

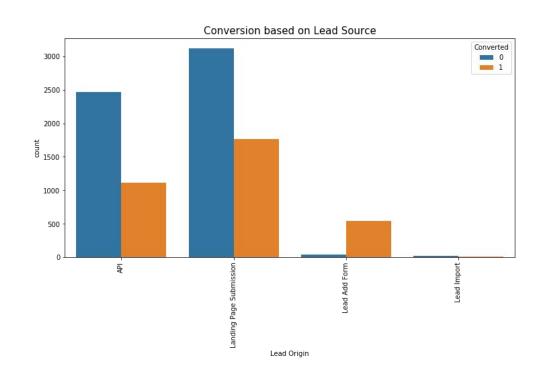
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Lead conversion based on Lead Source



Check that Olark Chat, Direct Traffic and Google has more conversion. Conversion rate is good at Organic Search and on Reference.



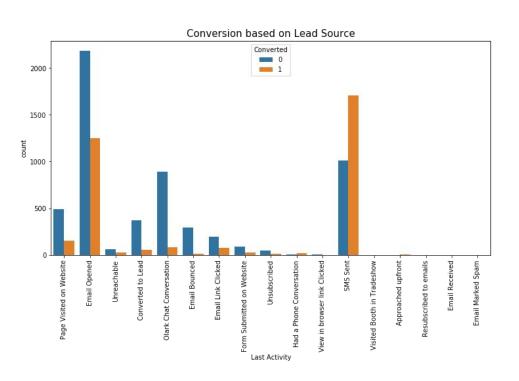


From the above plot we see that the highest conversion rate based on lead source are:

- 1. Landing page submission
- 2. API



Contributors of high conversion rate



Top 3 contributors with high conversion rate of lead are:

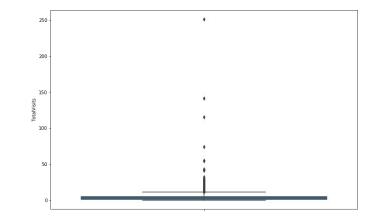
- 1. SMS sent
- 2. Email opened
- 3. Olark chat conversion

Outlier Treatment

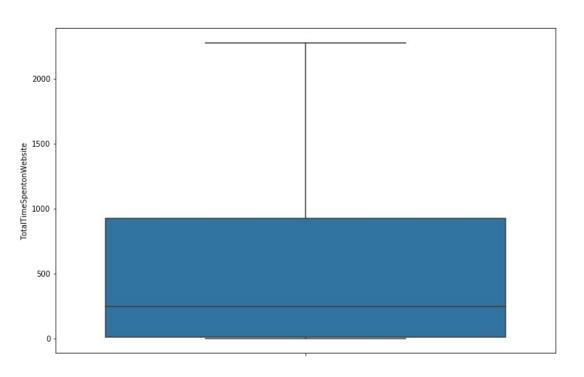
Finding and removing outliers

	TotalVisits	TotalTimeSpentonWebsite	PageViewsPerVisit
count	9074.000000	9074.000000	9074.000000
mean	3.456028	482.887481	2.370151
std	4.858802	545.256560	2.160871
min	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000
25%	1.000000	11.000000	1.000000
50%	3.000000	246.000000	2.000000
75%	5.000000	922.750000	3.200000
90%	7.000000	1373.000000	5.000000
95%	10.000000	1557.000000	6.000000
99%	17.000000	1839.000000	9.000000
max	251.000000	2272.000000	55.000000

Notice when everything has a uniform growth percentile, TotalVisits has 251 as Max from 17 at 99%. Thats a big jump, you can see that in the box plot below.

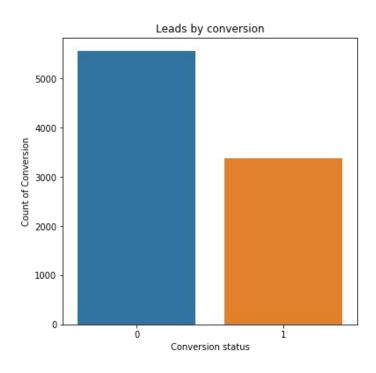


No Outliers!



We removed that outlier. Now, no outliers!





Checking the converted and not converted leads in the data after the data cleaning and outlier removal

Dummy Variables & Scaling

	Do Not Email	Converted	TotalVisits	Total Time Spent on Website	Page Views Per Visit	A free copy of Mastering The Interview	Lead Origin_Landing Page Submission	Lead Origin_Lead Add Form	Lead Origin_Lead Import	Lead Source_Direct Traffic	 Last Notable Activity_Form Submitted on Website	30.000 A
0	0	0	0.0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0
1	0	0	5.0	674	2.5	0	0	0	0	0	 0	0
2	0	1	2.0	1532	2.0	1	1	0	0	1	 0	0
3	0	0	1.0	305	1.0	0	1	0	0	1	 0	0
4	0	1	2.0	1428	1.0	0	1	0	0	0	 0	0

Standard Scaler

	Do Not Email	TotalVisits	Total Time Spent on Website	Page Views Per Visit	A free copy of Mastering The Interview	Lead Origin_Landing Page Submission	Lead Origin_Lead Add Form	Lead Origin_Lead Import	Lead Source_Direct Traffic	Lead Source_Facebook	 Last No Activity Submit Website
6676	0	-0.049636	1.395668	0.395289	0	1	0	0	1	0	 0
6138	0	0.297929	0.609686	0.926758	0	1	0	0	0	0	 0
8650	0	-0.049636	1.178657	0.395289	1	1	0	0	1	0	 0
3423	0	-1.092332	-0.878390	-1.199117	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0
6552	0	-1.092332	-0.878390	-1.199117	0	0	0	0	0	0	 0

Model building

Split Train and Test Data

```
: # Selecting only the columns which are selected by RFE
  col = X train.columns[rfe.support ]
  col
: Index(['Do Not Email', 'TotalVisits', 'Total Time Spent on Website',
         'Page Views Per Visit', 'Lead Origin Lead Add Form',
         'Lead Source Direct Traffic', 'Lead Source Google',
         'Lead Source Olark Chat', 'Lead Source Organic Search',
         'Lead Source Referral Sites', 'Lead Source Welingak Website',
         'Last Activity Converted to Lead', 'Last Activity Email Bounced',
         'Last Activity Email Marked Spam',
         'Last Activity Had a Phone Conversation',
         'Last Activity Olark Chat Conversation',
         'Last Activity Resubscribed to emails', 'Last Activity SMS Sent',
         'Last Activity Unsubscribed',
         'Last Activity View in browser link Clicked',
         'What is your current occupation Housewife',
         'What is your current occupation Other',
         'What is your current occupation Student',
         'What is your current occupation Unemployed',
         'What is your current occupation Working Professional',
         'Last Notable Activity Had a Phone Conversation',
         'Last Notable Activity Modified',
         'Last Notable Activity Olark Chat Conversation',
         'Last Notable Activity Page Visited on Website',
         'Last Notable Activity Unreachable'],
        dtype='object')
```



```
In [88]: #Lets get the predicted values on the train set
    y_train_pred = pd.DataFrame(res.predict(X_train_sm))
    y_train_pred = y_train_pred.values.reshape(-1)

In [89]: ## Creating a dataframe with the actual Converted data and the predicted probabilities
    y_train_pred_final = pd.DataFrame({'Converted':y_train.values, 'Convert_Prob':y_train_pred})
    y_train_pred_final['LeadID'] = y_train.index

##### lets create a column 'predicted' assigning the value as 1 if prob of conversion is above 0.5 else as 0
    y_train_pred_final['predicted'] = y_train_pred_final.Convert_Prob.map(lambda x: 1 if x > 0.5 else 0)
    y_train_pred_final.head()
```

Out[89]:

	Converted	Convert_Prob	LeadID	predicted
0	1	0.551830	6676	1
1	1	0.734836	6138	1
2	1	0.920502	8650	1
3	0	0.031934	3423	0
4	0	0.144225	6552	0

First Accuracy

```
#lets look at the accuracy of this model
acc = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train_pred_final.Converted, y_train_pred_final.predicted)
print(acc)
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0.8224463656740314

We see that the accuracy of the model is 0.8222

Lets proceed with rmeoving the insignificant variables to model it further precisely

Fine Tuning

```
: col = col.drop('Last Activity Email Marked Spam')
  col
: Index(['Do Not Email', 'TotalVisits', 'Total Time Spent on Website',
         'Page Views Per Visit', 'Lead Origin Lead Add Form',
         'Lead Source Direct Traffic', 'Lead Source Google',
         'Lead Source Olark Chat', 'Lead Source Organic Search',
         'Lead Source Referral Sites', 'Lead Source Welingak Website',
         'Last Activity Converted to Lead', 'Last Activity Email Bounced',
         'Last Activity Had a Phone Conversation',
         'Last Activity Olark Chat Conversation',
         'Last Activity Resubscribed to emails', 'Last Activity SMS Sent',
         'Last Activity Unsubscribed',
         'Last Activity View in browser link Clicked',
         'What is your current occupation Housewife',
         'What is your current occupation Other',
         'What is your current occupation Student',
         'What is your current occupation Unemployed',
         'What is your current occupation Working Professional',
         'Last Notable Activity Had a Phone Conversation',
         'Last Notable Activity Modified',
         'Last Notable Activity Olark Chat Conversation',
         'Last Notable Activity Page Visited on Website',
         'Last Notable Activity Unreachable'],
        dtype='object')
```

ViF and Final Accuracy

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Out[166]:

	Features	VIF		
5	Lead Source_Google	1.57		
12	Last Activity_SMS Sent	1.53		
1	TotalVisits	1.52		
3	Lead Origin_Lead Add Form	1.52		
4	Lead Source_Direct Traffic	1.47		
13	What is your current occupation_Other	1.47		
6	Lead Source_Organic Search	1.37		
2	Total Time Spent on Website	1.29		
8	Lead Source_Welingak Website	1.29		
11	Last Activity_Olark Chat Conversation	1.23		
9	Last Activity_Converted to Lead	1.17		
14	What is your current occupation_Working Profes	1.16		
0	Do Not Email	1.13		
7	Lead Source_Referral Sites	1.03		
10	Last Activity_Had a Phone Conversation	1.01		
15	Last Notable Activity_Unreachable	1.01		

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In [167]: #lets look at the accuracy of this model
 acc = metrics.accuracy_score(y_train_pred_final.Converted, y_train_pred_final.predicted)
 print(acc)

0.8179634966378482

Now we can clearly observer that the p value and VIF value both are within the limits

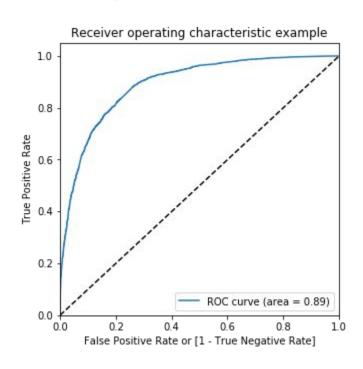
And the accuracy is also well above 0.80

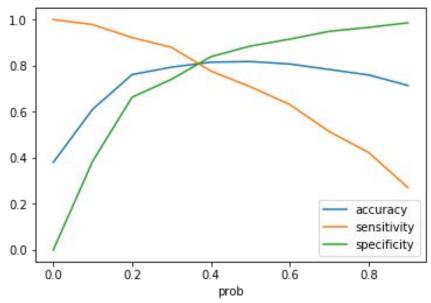
Lets now proceed with testing it on the test data

81%

Accuracy

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From the above graph, we see that at 0.36 all the features are achievable

However once we check the Rate we would be to finalize on it

Checking other parameters of accuracy

```
In [189]: from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
           #True negative
          TN = confusionM 2[0,0]
          #False positives
          FP = confusionM 2[0,1]
          #False negatives
          FN = confusionM 2[1,0]
           #True Positive
          TP = confusionM 2[1,1]
In [190]: # Let's check the sensitivity and specificity of our logistic regression model
          print("Sensitivity=",(TP / (TP+FN)))
          print("Specificity=",(TN / (TN+FP)))
          Sensitivity= 0.7987368421052632
          Specificity= 0.8155515370705244
In [191]: # Calculate false postive rate - which says how much is showing as converted, when actually not converted
          print("false postive rate =",(FP/ (TN+FP)))
          false postive rate = 0.1844484629294756
In [192]: # Positive predictive rate
           print("Positive predictive rate =",(TP / (TP+FP)))
           # Negative predictive rate
          print("Negative predictive rate =",(TN / float(TN+ FN)))
          Positive predictive rate = 0.7265415549597856
          Negative predictive rate = 0.8685006877579092
          As we can see that the positive prediction rate is only 0.72
          lets stick on to cut off value at 0.5 as we even had the accuracy greater than this
```

Hot Leads Final



Hot Leads predicted along with Lead Id

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y_pred_final['final_predicted'] = y_pred_final.Convert_Prob.map(lambda x: 1 if x > 0.8 else 0)
y_pred_final.head()
```

	LeadID	Converted	Convert_Prob	final_predicted	Lead_Score
0	7625	0	0.704232	0	70.42
1	5207	1	0.376488	0	37.65
2	2390	1	0.945249	1	94.52
3	4362	0	0.438270	0	43.83
4	1023	0	0.276035	0	27.60

Refer to the notebook for lead details and start calling! All the best!

Thank you

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