

Title:-TELECOM CUSTOMER CHURN PREDICTION

SUBTITLE: ANALYZING HIGH-VALUE CUSTOMER BEHAVIOR TO PREDICT AND MANAGE CHURN

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Business Objective

- •Goal: Predict churn among high-value customers in the last month (September) based on the previous three months of data.
- •Business Impact: Proactively identify at-risk customers to reduce churn by offering retention incentives.

Understanding Customer Lifecycle Phases

Customer Phases:

- Good Phase: First two months customer satisfied.
- Action Phase: Third month potential signs of dissatisfaction.
- Churn Phase: Fourth month no activity (defines churn).
- •Churn Tagging: Defined customers as churned if no call or internet usage in the fourth month.

Data Preparation

- Dataset: Customer-level data for four months (June-September).
- •Key Steps:
- •Filtered high-value customers (above 70th percentile recharge).
- •Tagged churners.
- •Removed churn-phase columns (i.e., all columns ending in "_9").

Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) Insights

- •Churn Rate Among High-Value Customers:
- •Visualized churn rate: ~8.6% of high-value customers churned.
- Average Recharge Amount vs. Churn:
- •Customers with lower average recharges in the good phase show a higher churn rate.

Feature Engineering and Model Selection

- •Feature Engineering: Created variables such as avg_rech_amt_6_7 (average recharge in good phase) to capture behavior patterns.
- •Model Choice:
- •Used logistic regression for interpretability and to handle class imbalance.
- •Model evaluation with accuracy, F1-score, and AUC-ROC for churn prediction.

Model Results and Key Predictors

- •Evaluation:
- Confusion Matrix: Displays predictions vs. actuals.
- •AUC-ROC: Indicates model reliability.
- •Important Predictors:
- •Recharge Amount: Lower recharge correlated with churn.
- •Call Volume: Higher call drop-off in the action phase increased churn risk

Recommendations

- •Targeted Retention Efforts:
- •Identify customers with declining recharge behavior for proactive offers.
- •Monitor call and internet usage drop-offs and intervene with support.
- •Business Actions:
- •Offer loyalty rewards and exclusive promotions in the action phase.
- Address complaints to improve customer experience proactively.

Conclusion

•Summary:

- Built a predictive model for high-value customer churn.
- Derived actionable insights to help reduce churn.
- •Next Steps: Implement a pilot intervention plan and evaluate retention improvement over subsequent months.