

HR Analytics - CASE STUDY

SUBMISSION

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HR analytics case study - Outline

A large company XYZ, employs, around 4000 employees. Every year 15% employees leave the company and management needs to replace the talent pool available in the job market. Management of the company is worried about 15 % attrition as it can harm company reputation among stakeholders due to some of the following reasons:

- The project of ex-employee gets delayed , which makes it difficult to meet timelines.
- Need to train new employees for the job in short time.
- A sizable department has to be maintain for recruiting new talent

Based on above observations, problem statement is:

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Problem Statement

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Business Objective

- Identify reasons which lead to employee attrition.
- Identify any patterns among multiple reasons leading to attrition.

Goal of Analysis

- Model the probability of attrition using a logistic regression.
- Find out which of the variables in the given data is most important and needs to be addressed right away.

Problem Solving Methodology

1. Data Sourcing and understanding

- There are 5 datasets provided for the analysis.
- Employee ID is unique among all the files.

2. Data Cleaning

- Missing value treatment
- NA value treatment
- Outlier treatment
- Scaling of continuous variables
- Dummy variable creation for categorical variables.

Problem Solving Methodology

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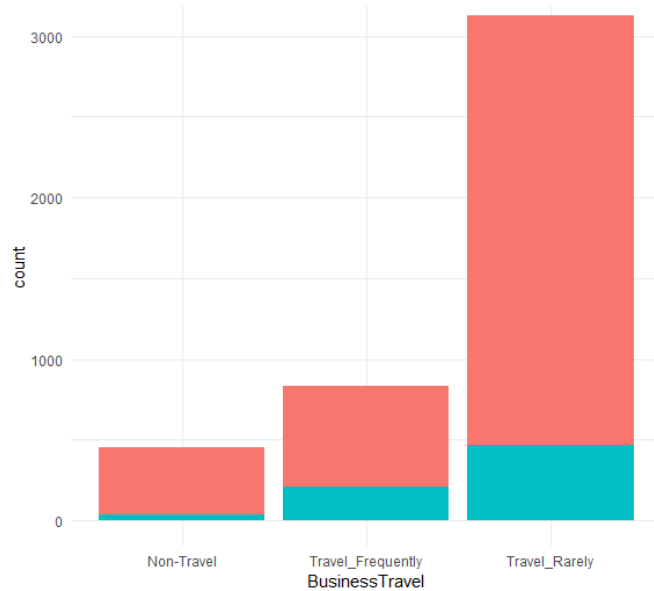
3. Derived Data creation

- Generate new data columns using the existing data. E.g work hours using in and out time.

4. Model Creation & optimization

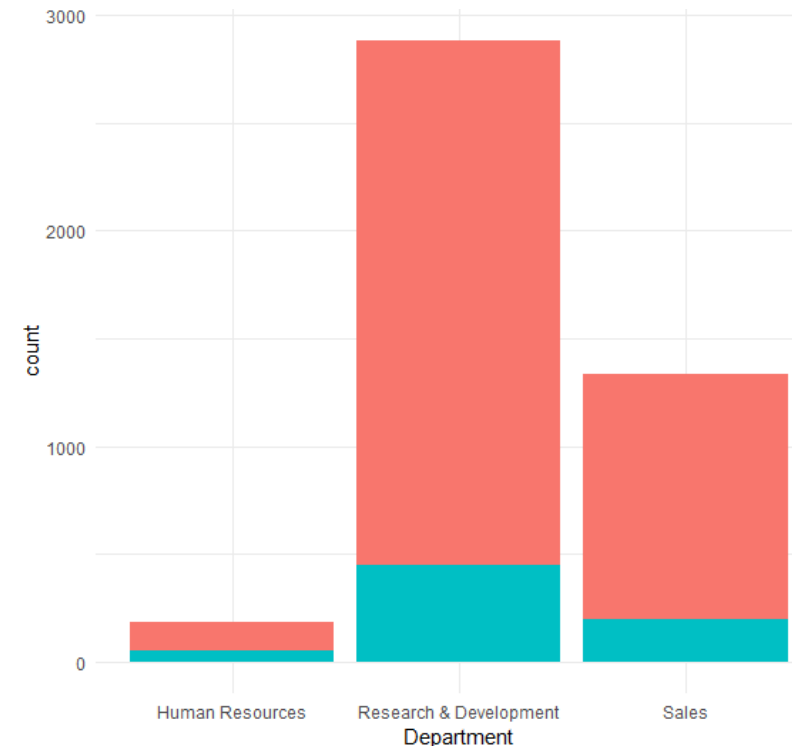
- Create initial model.
- Using P values and VIF optimize the model

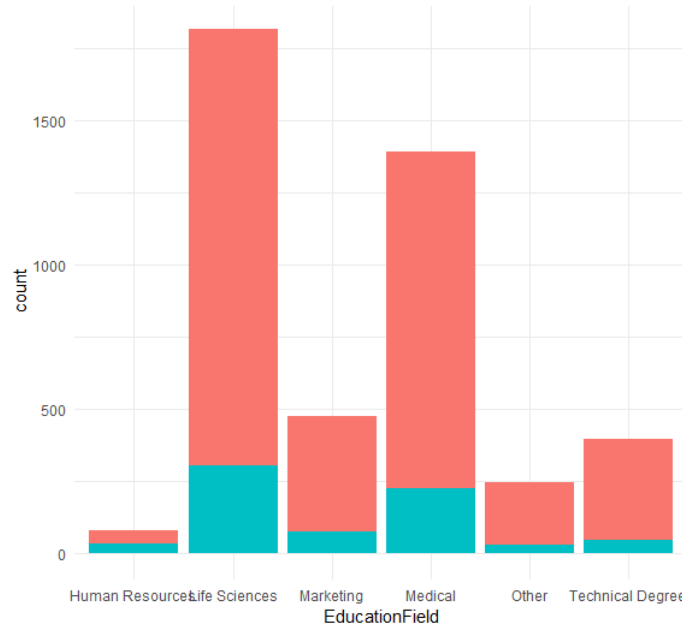
5. Evaluate the model



- Even though employee's who TRAVEL_RARELY have the highest attrition count.
- But % wise into individual category who TRAVEL_FREQUENTLY are **most likely to leave** the company.

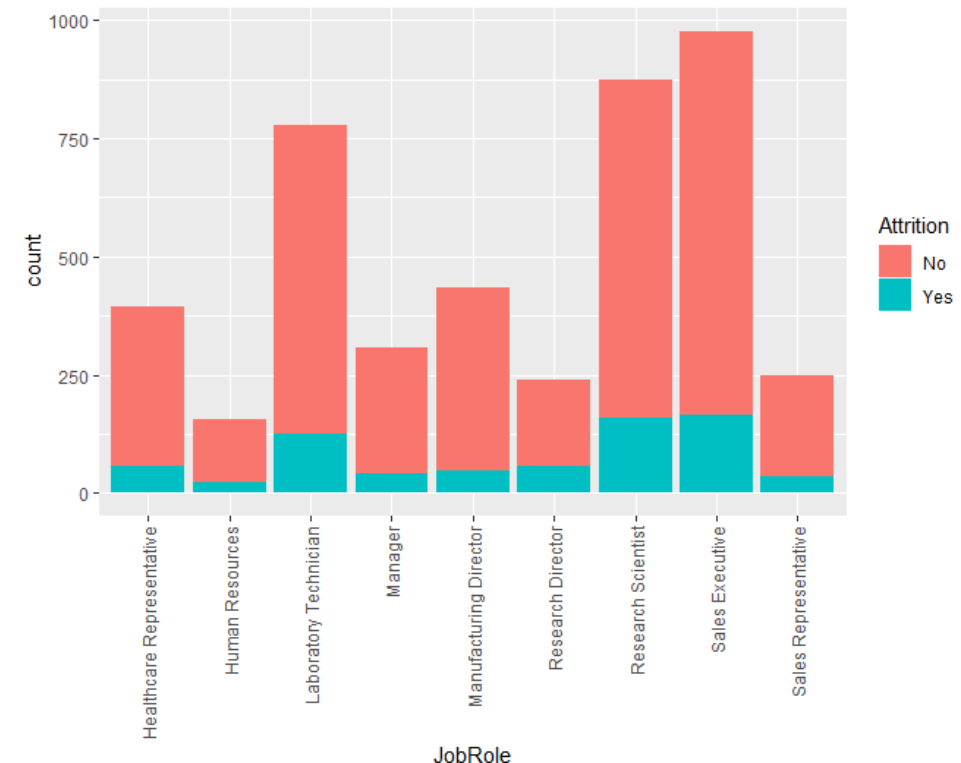
- Employees who are in RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT have the highest attrition count.
- But employees who are in HUMAN RESOURCES have the **highest attrition rate** 57 out of 189 left.

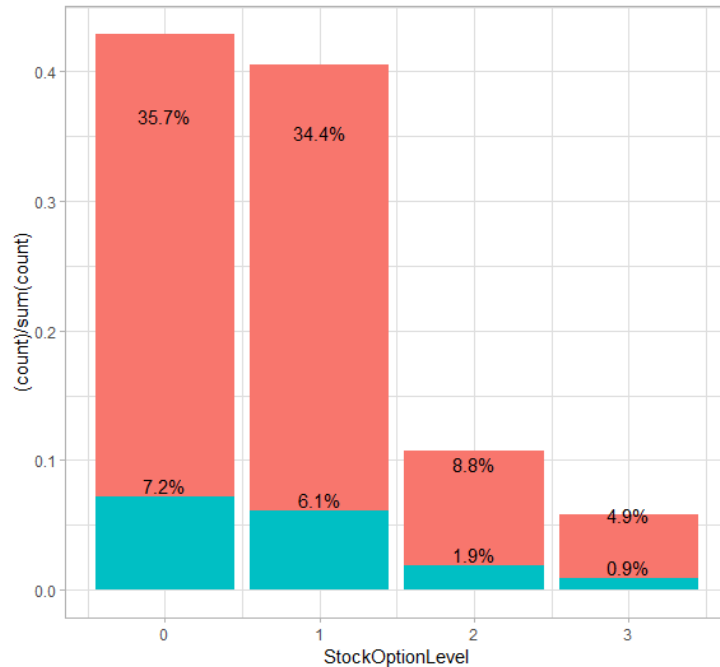




- Employees having Education Field of life sciences have the highest attrition count.
- But employees from HUMAN RESOURCES have highest attrition rate 40% (33 out of 81 left).

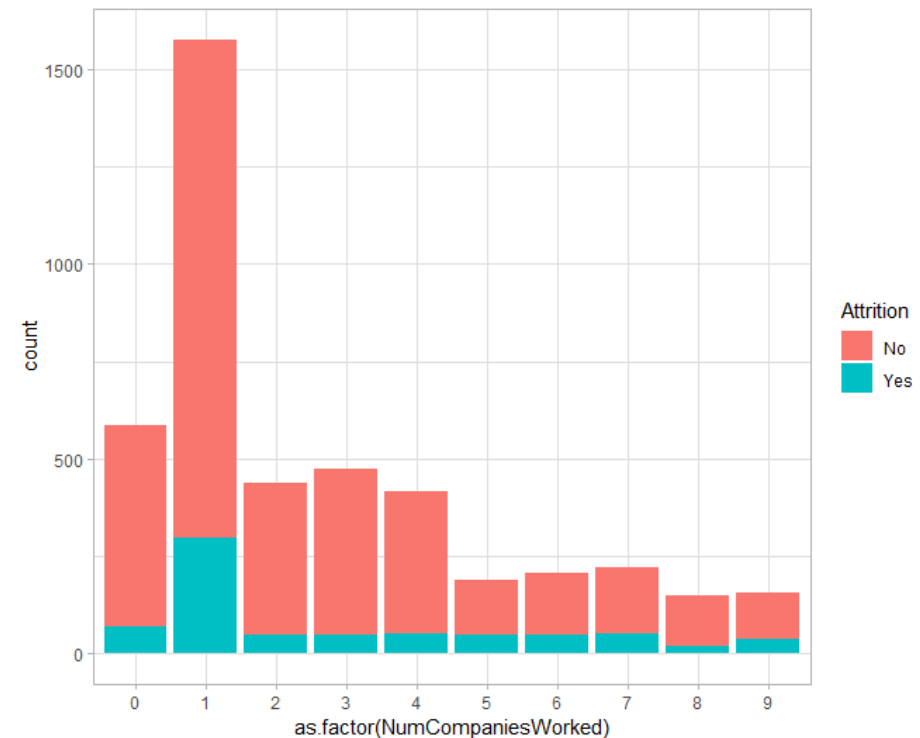
- SALES EXECUTIVE job role has the highest attrition count.
- But the RESEARCH Director job role has highest attrition rate (~24%) where 57 out of 240 left.

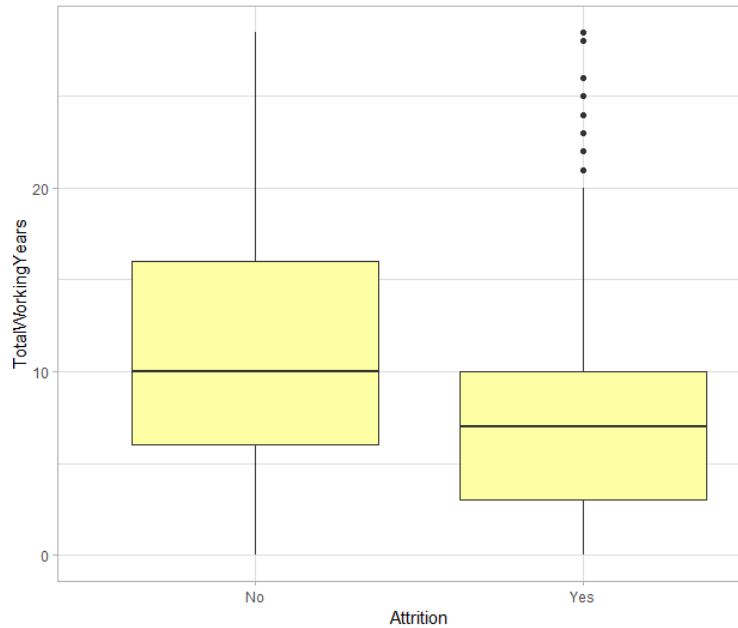




- Employees with 0 have highest attrition count (318) and highest attrition rate ~17%.

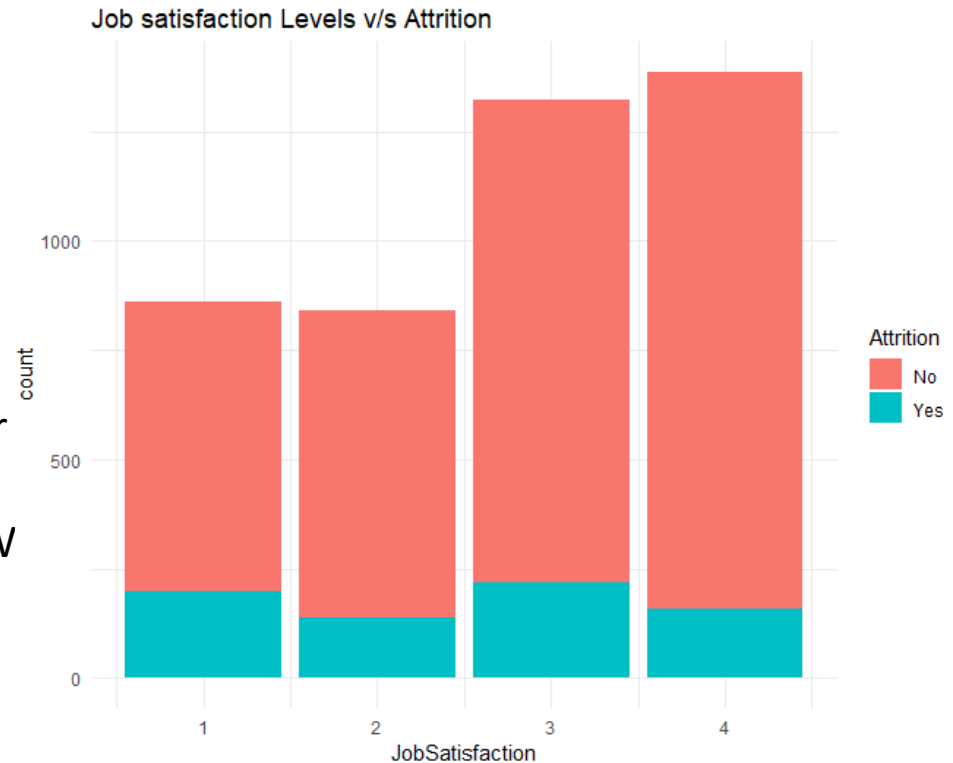
- Employees with NumCompaniesWorked=1 have the highest attrition count.
- But employees with NumCompaniesWorked=5 have highest rate at ~26% with 46 leaving out of 187.

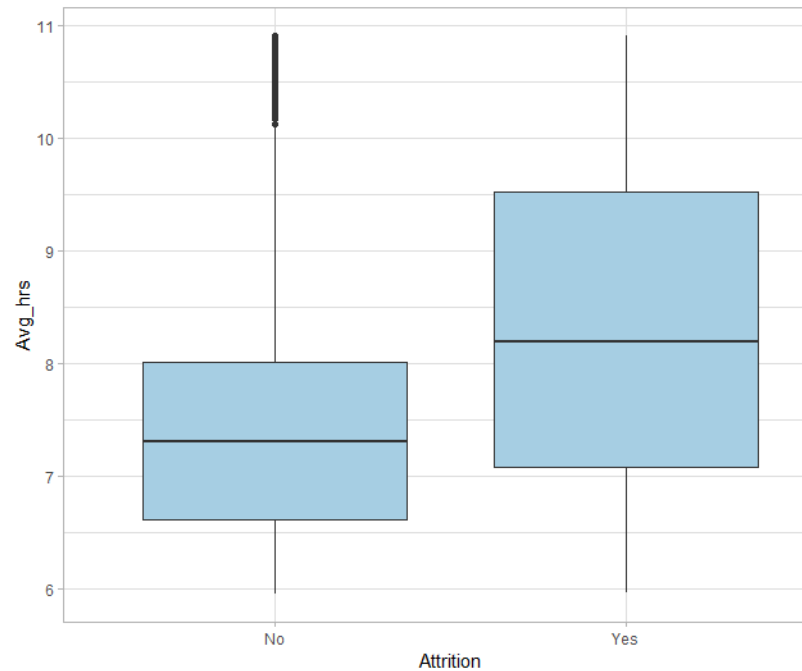




- Employees with less than 7 years of Total Working Years are more likely to leave.

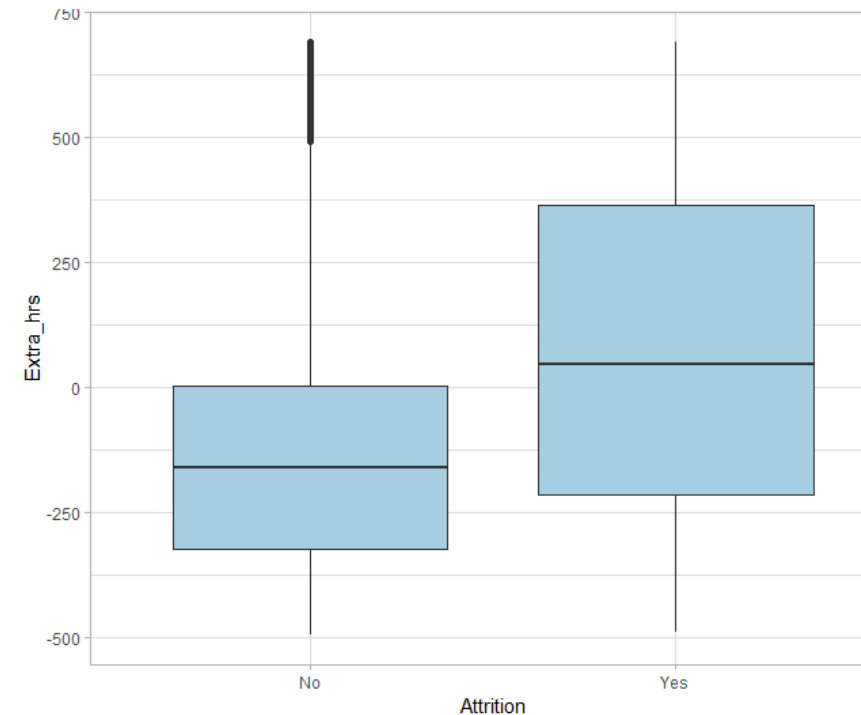
- Employees with high job satisfaction level "HIGH" or have the highest attrition count 219,
- But employees with low Job Satisfaction levels "LOW" or 1 have the highest attrition rate ~23%.





- Employees working more than average 8 hours are more likely to leave company.

- Employees working more extra hours are more likely to leave company.



The final version of the model is based on the below 12 factors:

- TotalWorkingYears < 2e-16 ***
- Total_hrs < 2e-16 ***
- MaritalStatusSingle < 2e-16 ***
- YearsSinceLastPromotion 1.80e-15 ***
- EnvironmentSatisfaction 1.08e-14 ***
- JobSatisfaction 1.97e-12 ***
- BusinessTravelTravel_Frequently 1.21e-10 ***
- NumCompaniesWorked 2.37e-09 ***
- YearsWithCurrManager 5.39e-09 ***
- JobRoleManufacturing.Director 2.28e-05 ***
- WorkLifeBalance 0.000210 ***
- TrainingTimesLastYear 0.000329 ***

- (arranged from most to least significance based on their P values)

Model Evaluation statistics 1:

Confusion Matrix and Statistics

Reference		
Prediction	No	Yes
No	1093	151
Yes	23	56

Accuracy : 0.8685
 95% CI : (0.8491, 0.8862)
 No Information Rate : 0.8435
 P-Value [Acc > NIR] : 0.006089

Sensitivity : 0.27053
 Specificity : 0.97939
 Pos Pred Value : 0.70886
 Neg Pred Value : 0.87862
 Prevalence : 0.15646
 Detection Rate : 0.04233
 Detection Prevalence : 0.05971
 Balanced Accuracy : 0.62496

'Positive' Class : Yes

Kappa : 0.334
 Mcnemar's Test P-Value : < 2.2e-16

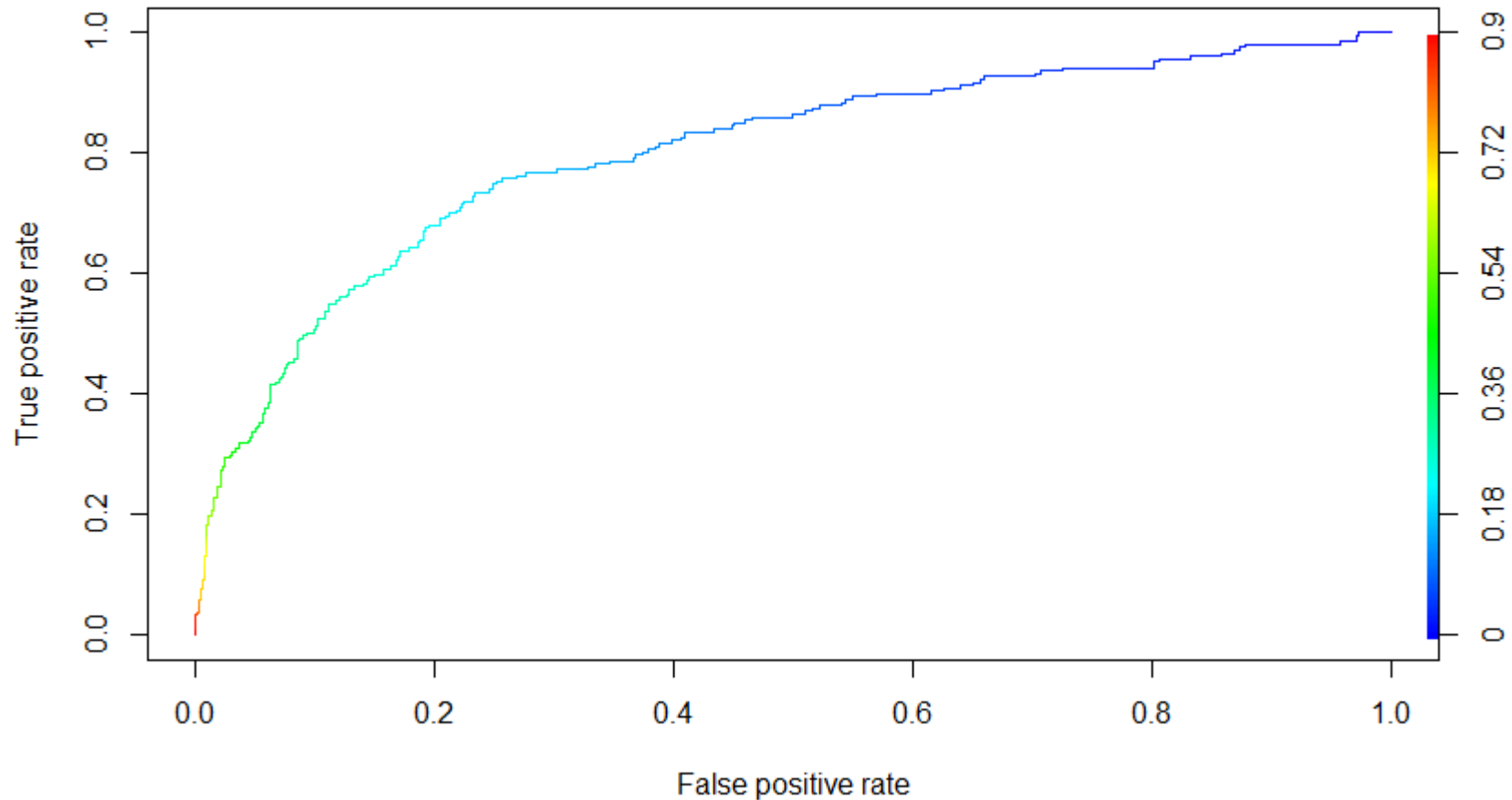
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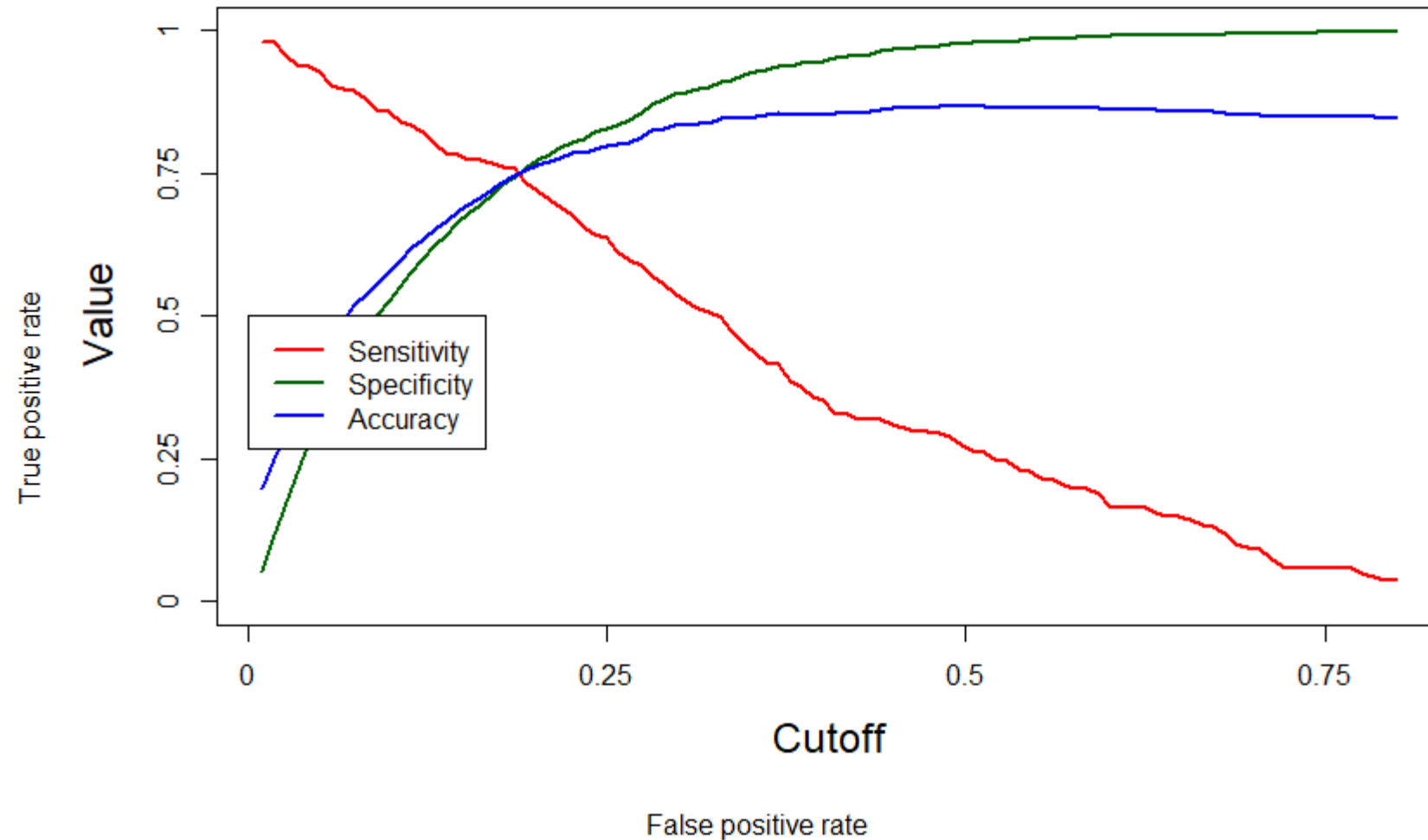
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Overall  
NumCompaniesWorked 5.945444  
TotalWorkingYears 8.363161  
TrainingTimesLastYear 3.648413  
YearsSinceLastPromotion 6.855929  
YearsWithCurrManager 5.567291  
EnvironmentSatisfaction 7.681116  
JobSatisfaction 7.171940  
WorkLifeBalance 3.816703  
Total_hrs 12.101837  
BusinessTravelTravel_Frequently 6.437628  
JobRoleManufacturing.Director 4.256072  
MaritalStatusSingle 8.596049
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ROCR Curve





GOAL #1

- Based on the data provided below 12 factors have been identified to have a significant impact on employee attrition.

TotalWorkingYears

MaritalStatusSingle

EnvironmentSatisfaction

BusinessTravelTravel_Frequently

YearsWithCurrManager

WorkLifeBalance

Total_hrs

YearsSinceLastPromotion

JobSatisfaction

NumCompaniesWorked

JobRoleManufacturing.Director

TrainingTimesLastYear

CONCLUSION

GOAL #2

- Below factors need to be addressed right away as they have the highest impact on employee attrition:
 - `TotalWorkingYears`
Employees with less than 7 years of Total Working Years are more likely to leave. Special attention should be given to understand issues these set of employees are facing.
 - `Total_hrs`
Employees work regularly above average total hours are more likely to leave. Policy around limiting Working hours might help alleviate this factor.
 - `MaritalStatusSingle`
Employees who are single are more likely to leave the company. These set of employees should be engaged more in the project activities.