

# SYRIATEL CUSTOMER CHURN

Project\_Phase 3

## Presentation



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# BUSINESS PROBLEM

Telecom industry is a highly competitive market

➤ **850**

Telecom operators

Source: <https://www.statista.com/statistics/816735/customer-churn-rate-by-industry-us/>

➤ **21%**

industry average  
churn rate

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➤ **\$300**

acquire 1 new customer

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**What are the alert factors to be aware  
before customers leave?**

# CLASSIFICATION MODEL

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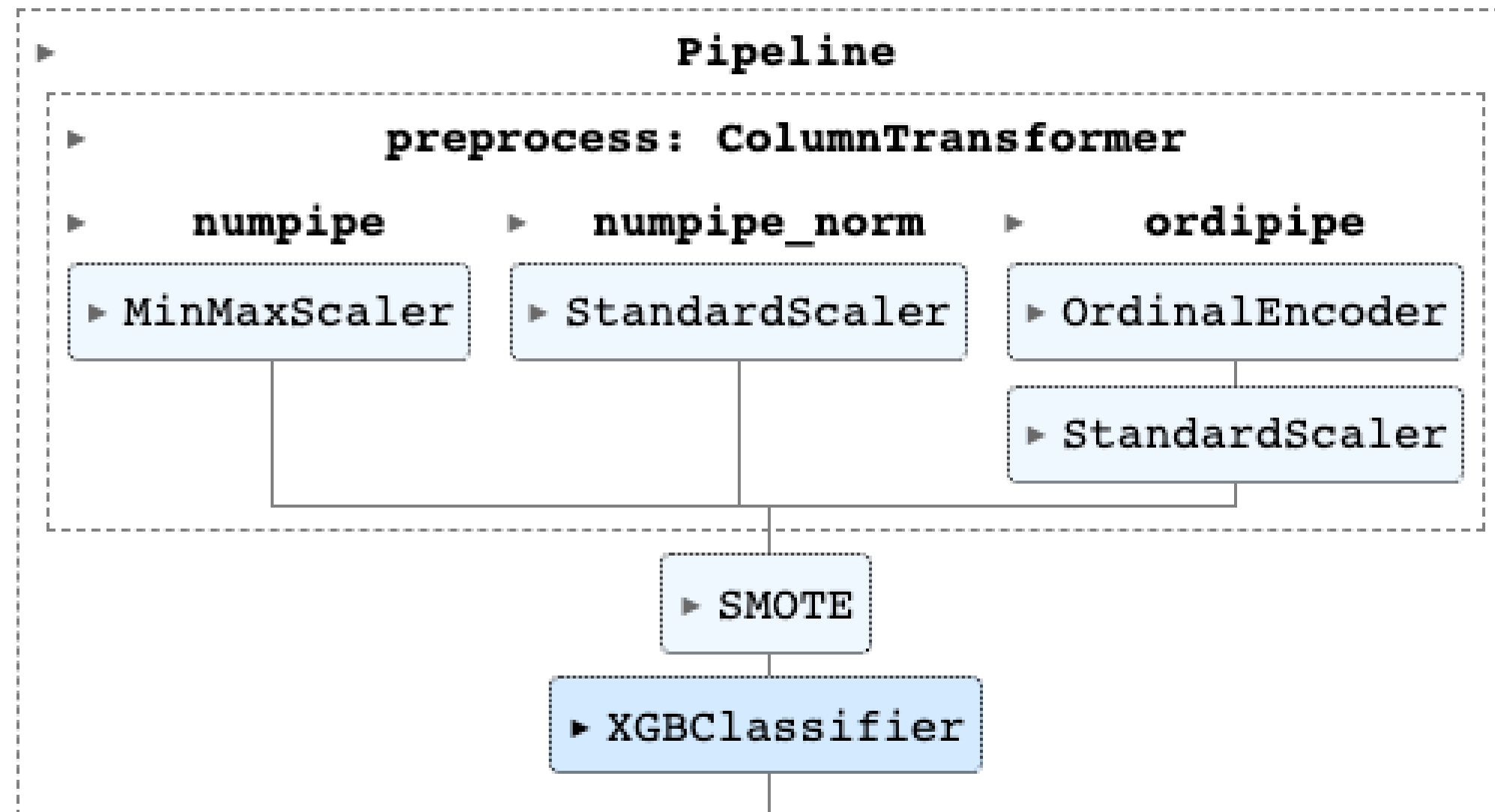
**95%**

F1-SCORE

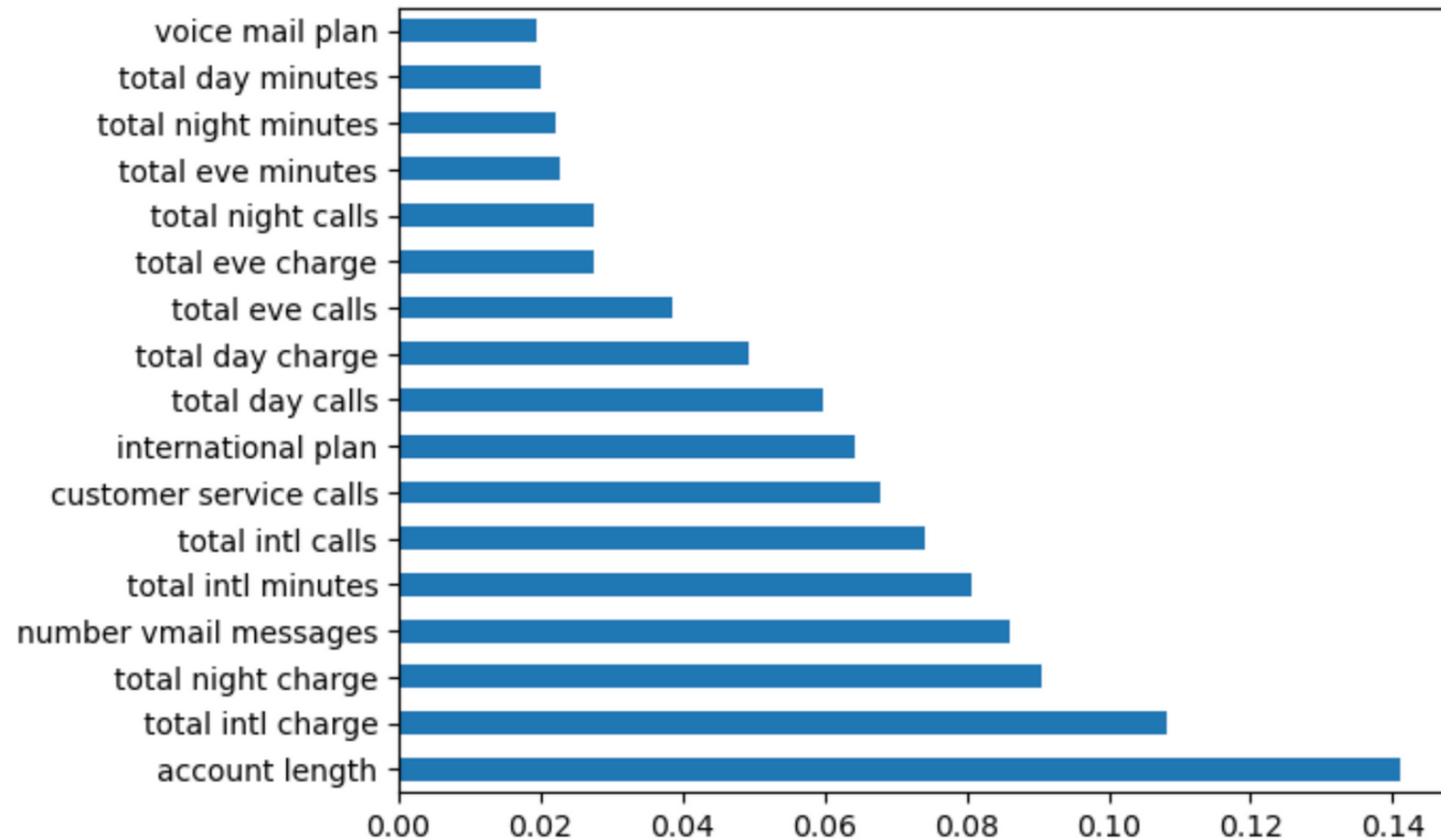
**83%**

AUC

**87%**

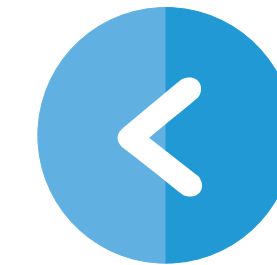
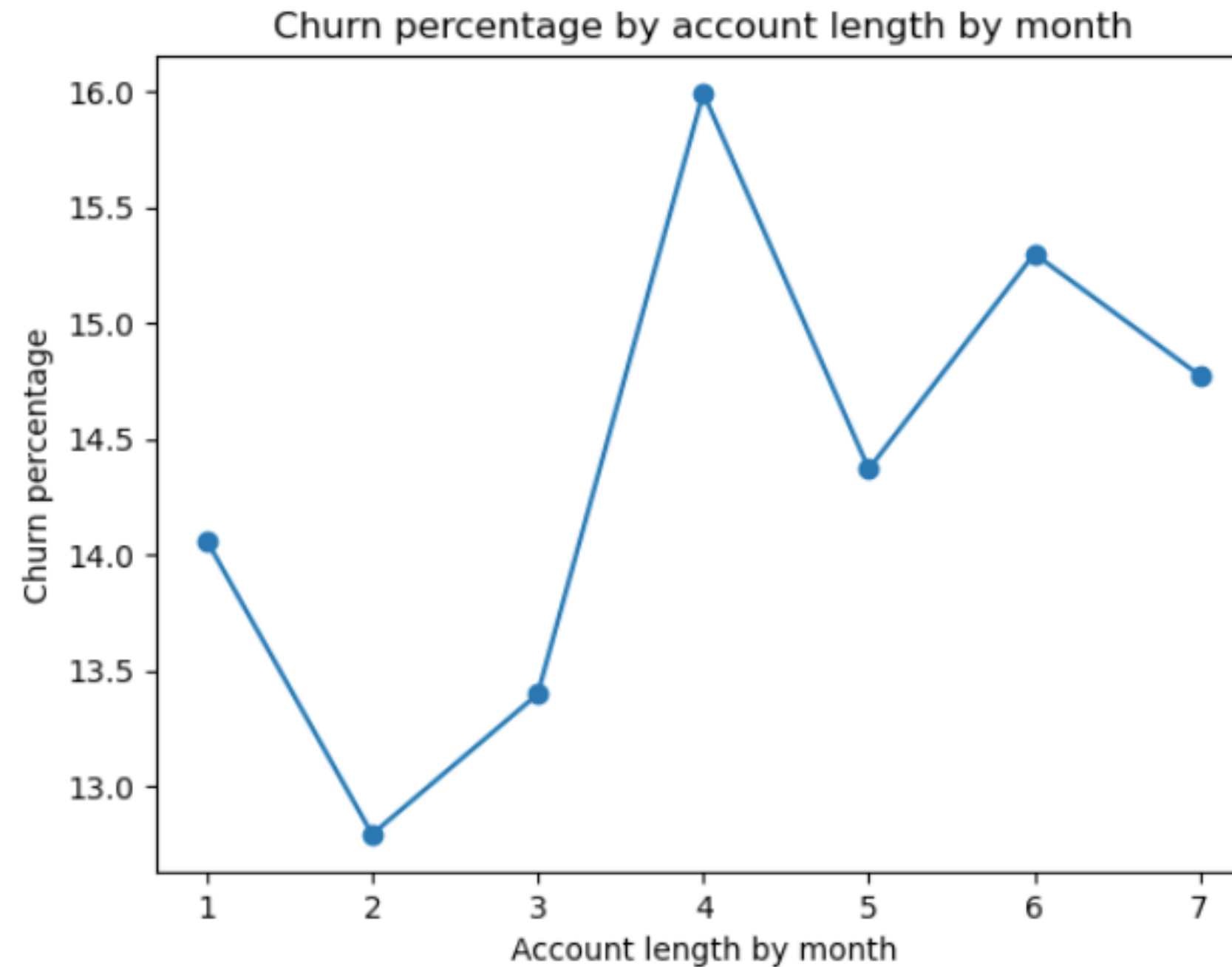


# FEATURES IMPORTANCE



# ALERT FACTOR-RECOMMENDATION 1

## ACCOUNT LENGTH



**21%**

industry average  
churn rate

- Churn rate ~13%~16%, less than industry average rate



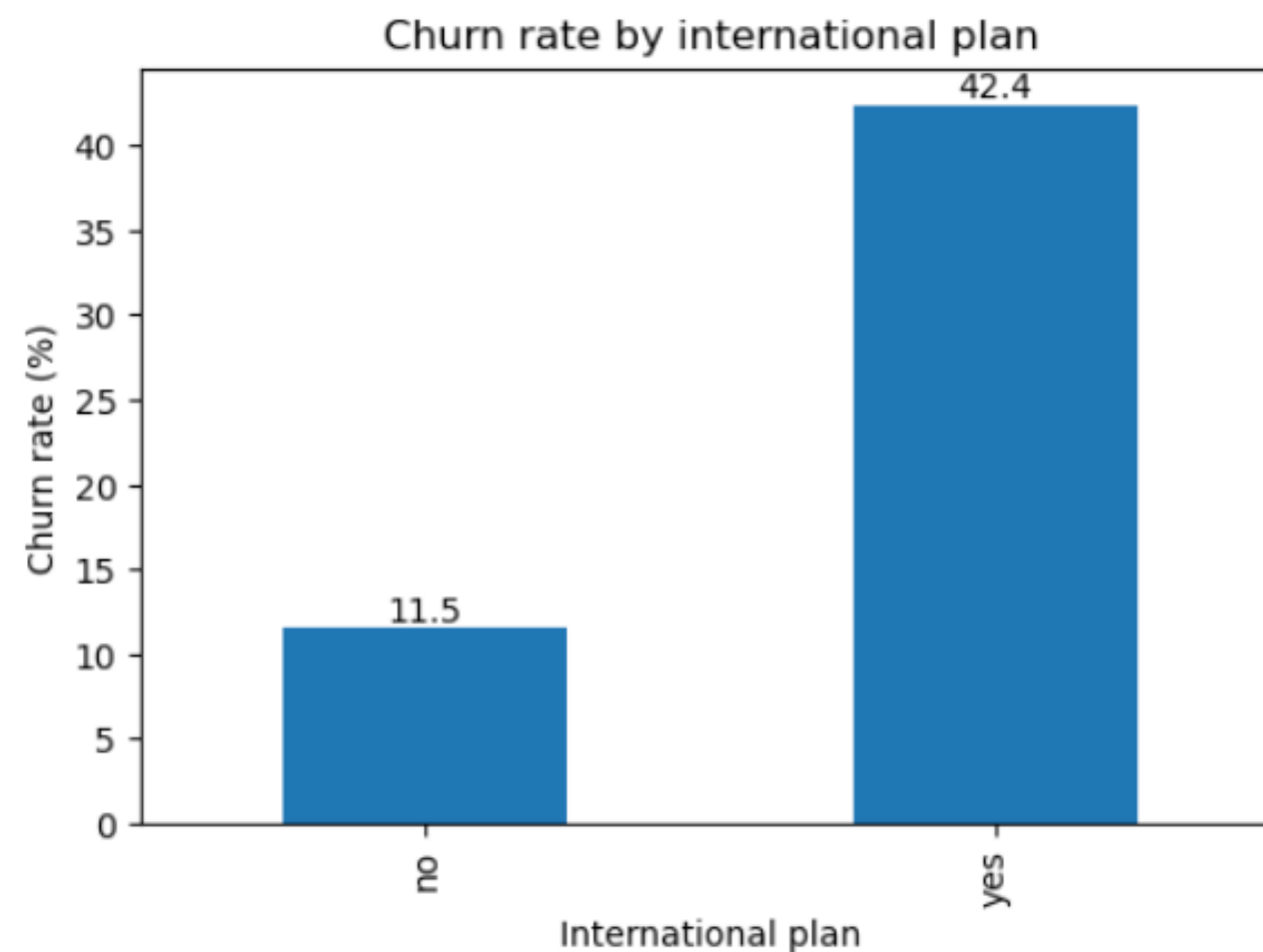
- Churn rate increases after 3rd month



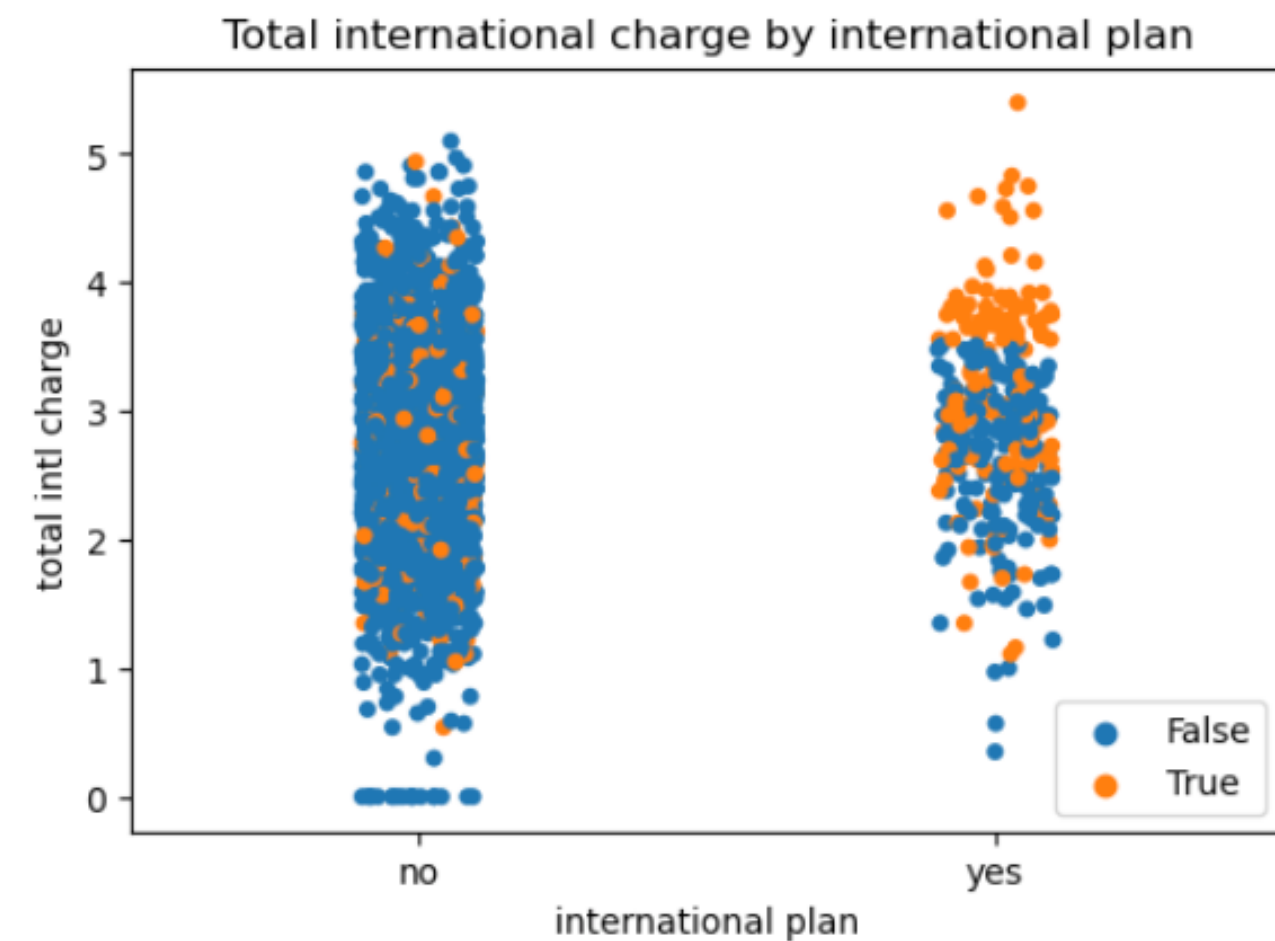
Start retention plan after 3rd month instead of 6th month to maintain good churn rate.

# ALERT FACTOR-RECOMMENDATION 2

## International plan



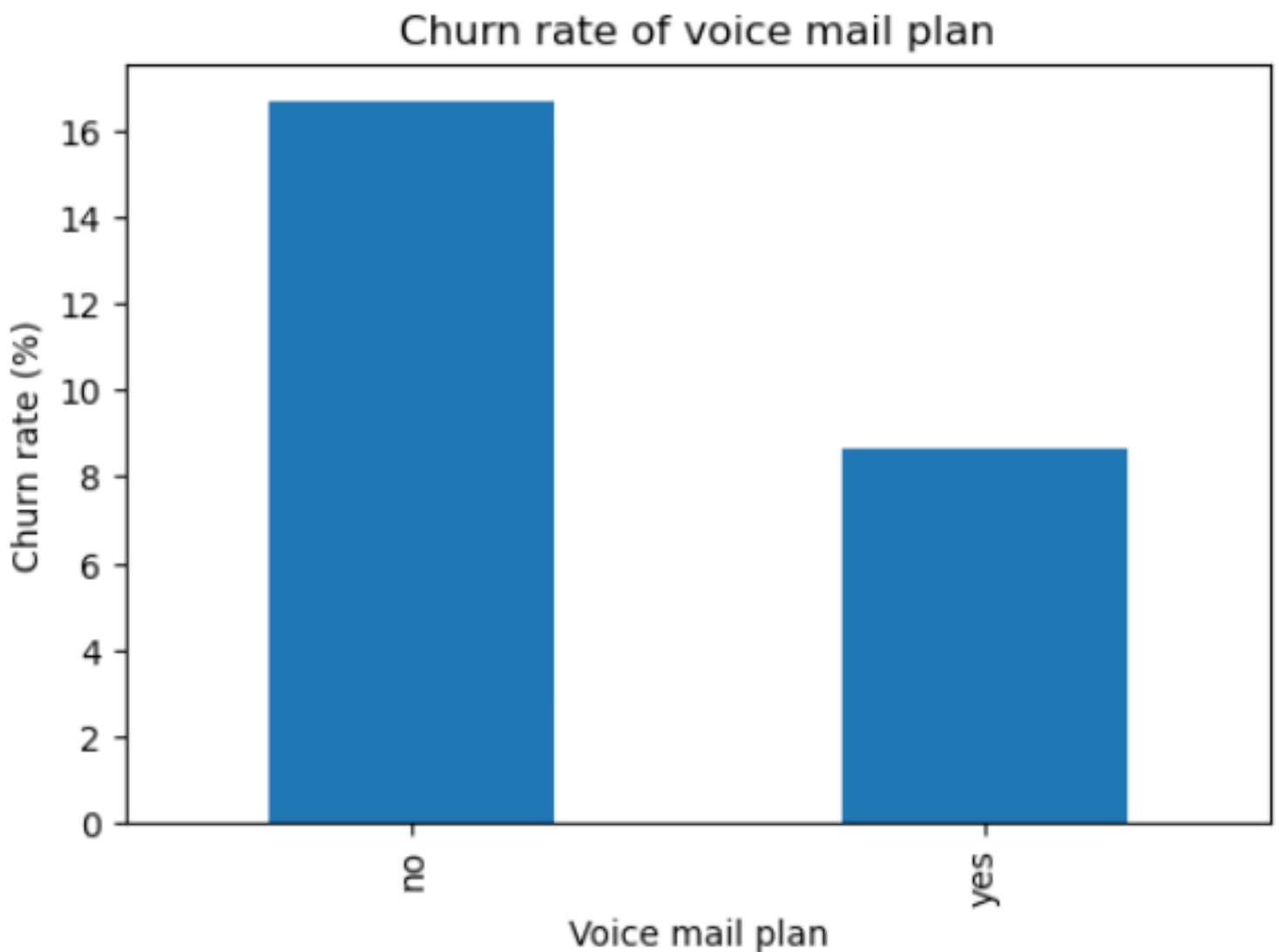
## Total international charge



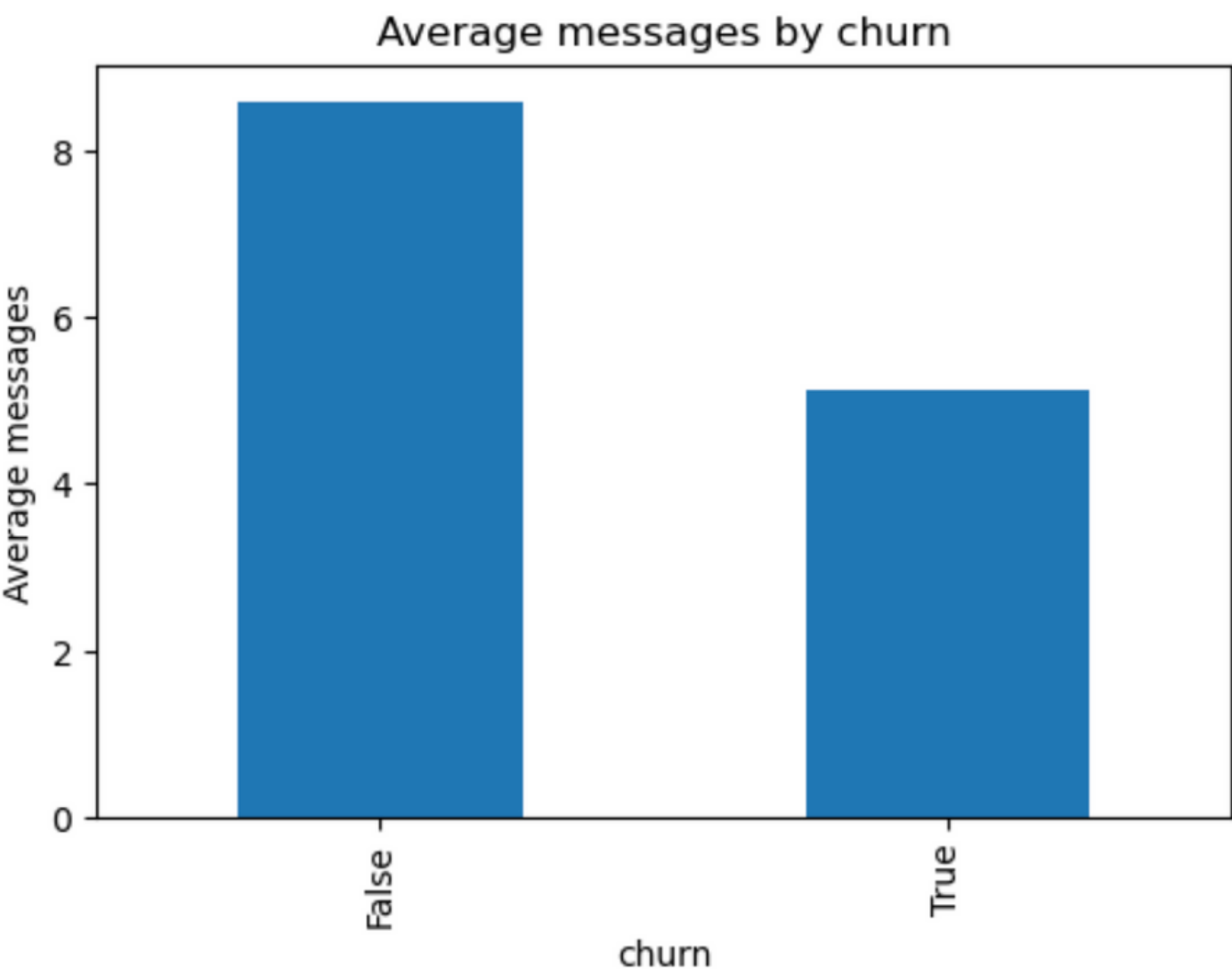
Conduct a market analysis to compare international call pricing with competitors.

# ALERT FACTOR-RECOMMENDATION 3

## Voice mail plan



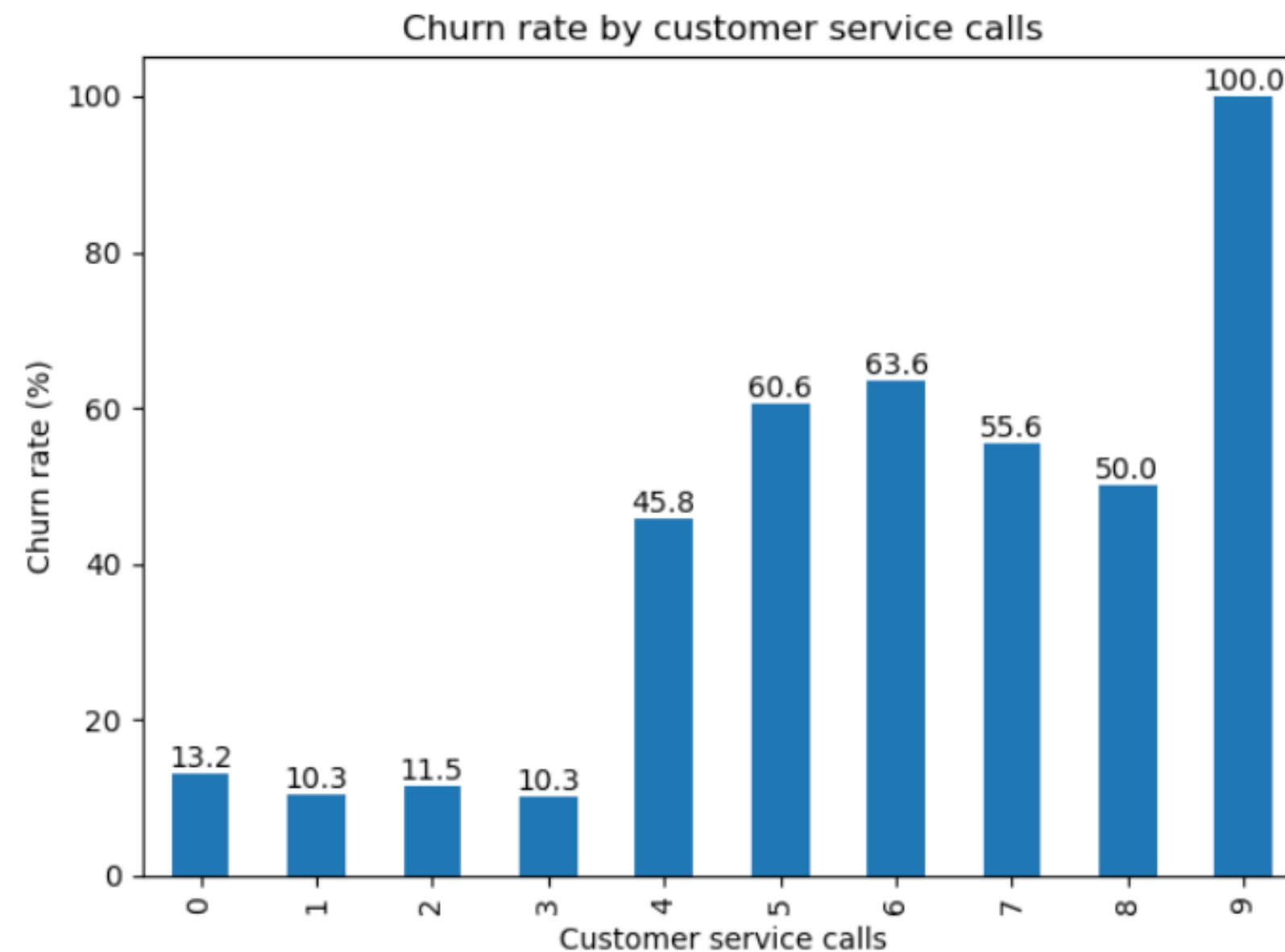
## Voice mail messages



Increase voice mail plan subscribers to encourage greater customer engagement with company services.



# ALERT FACTOR-RECOMMENDATION 4



## Customer service calls



calls  $\geq 4$



Set a threshold of customer calls = 3 to pay more attention to these customers to reinforce the retention

# RECOMMENDATION SUMMARY

## ACCOUNT LENGTH

### **Start retention plan earlier**

Implement after 3rd month instead of 6th month

## INTL PLAN + TOTAL INTL CHARGE

### **Conduct a market analysis**

Compare international call pricing with competitors.

## VOICE MAIL PLAN & VOICE MAIL MESSAGES

### **Increase voice mail plan subscribers**

Encourage greater customer engagement with company services.

## CUSTOMER SERVICE CALLS

### **Set a threshold of customer calls = 3**

Pay more attention to these customers to reinforce the retention

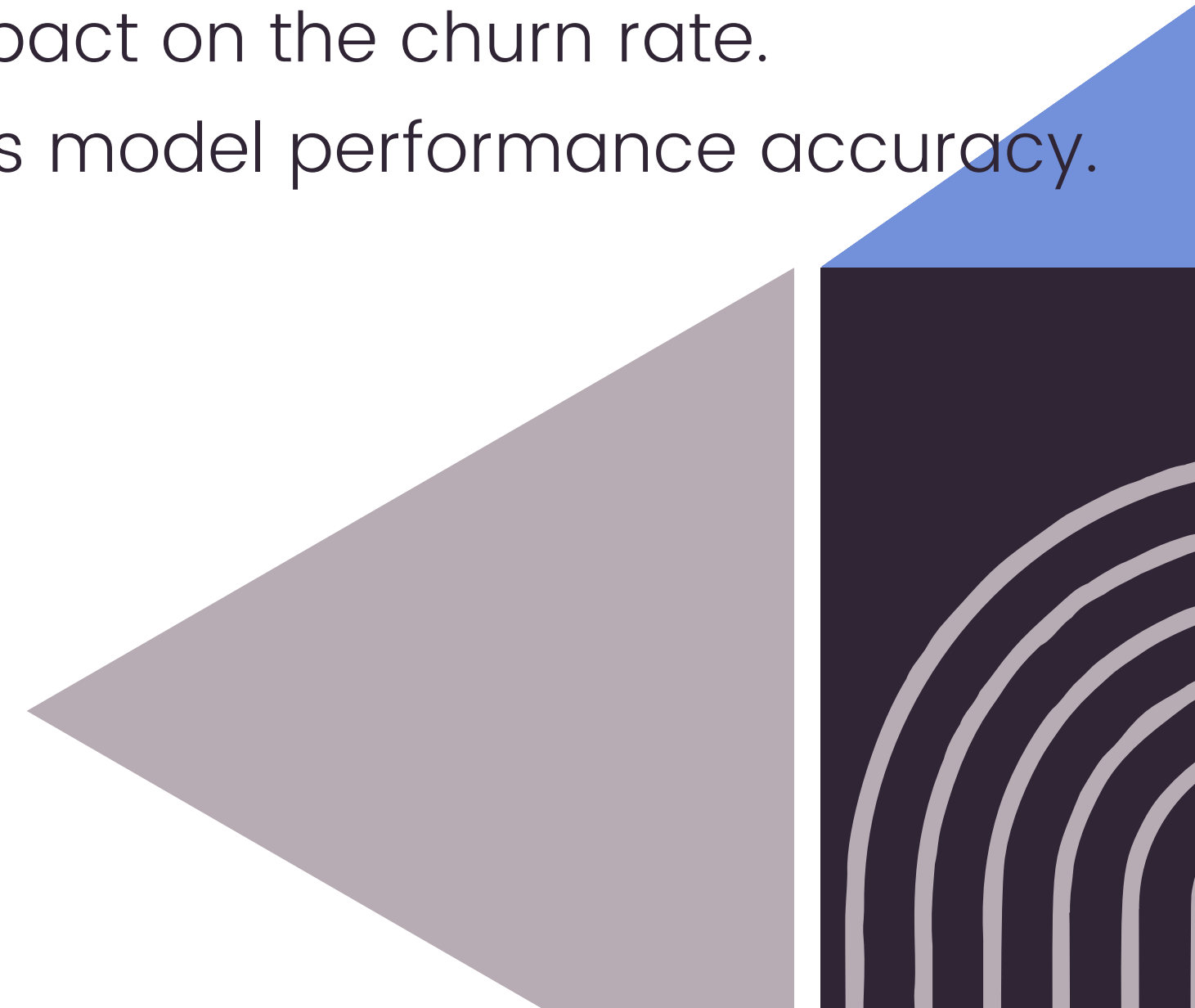
# LIMITATIONS & NEXT STEP

## Limitation

- Dataset with account length less than 7 months only
- Dataset with limited features to evaluate the impact on the churn rate.
- Dataset with imbalanced classes, which impacts model performance accuracy.

## Next step

- Investigate data from month 7



**QUESTION?**



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