



Data Science... for Consulting

Broom Solutions Credit
Card Fraud

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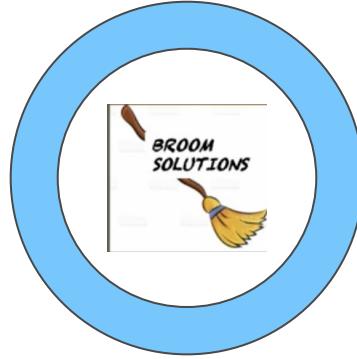
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Economic Impact

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Broom Solutions

Broom solutions is a family run payment processing and commerce solutions company offering a suite of services including POS systems, ecommerce payment processing, financial reporting, inventory management, and fraud detection.

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!!PROBLEM!!

Too Good at Fraud Detection



Catching Criminals

Broom Solutions current
fraud system catches
98% of fraudulent
transactions
...



Flagging the Innocent

Non fraudulent
transactions
flagged as fraud 6%
of the time
...



Client Complaints

Retail and ecommerce clients
complain of losing long term
business from customer
frustration
...

Our Solutions

$< \$600$

Allow more fraud transactions

- fewer false positives



$\geq \$600$

Increase / keep the current fraud detection precision level



Economic Value

Potential Economic Value = Correctly Predicted Transaction * Average Transaction Amt

Logistic Regression

- False positive predicted number * Average non-fraud amt
- = 51,393 (Q) * 68 (P) = **\$3,494,724**

Decision Tree

- False positive predicted number * Average non-fraud amt
- = 39,205 (Q) * 68 (P) = **\$2,665,940**

\$ 2,411,756

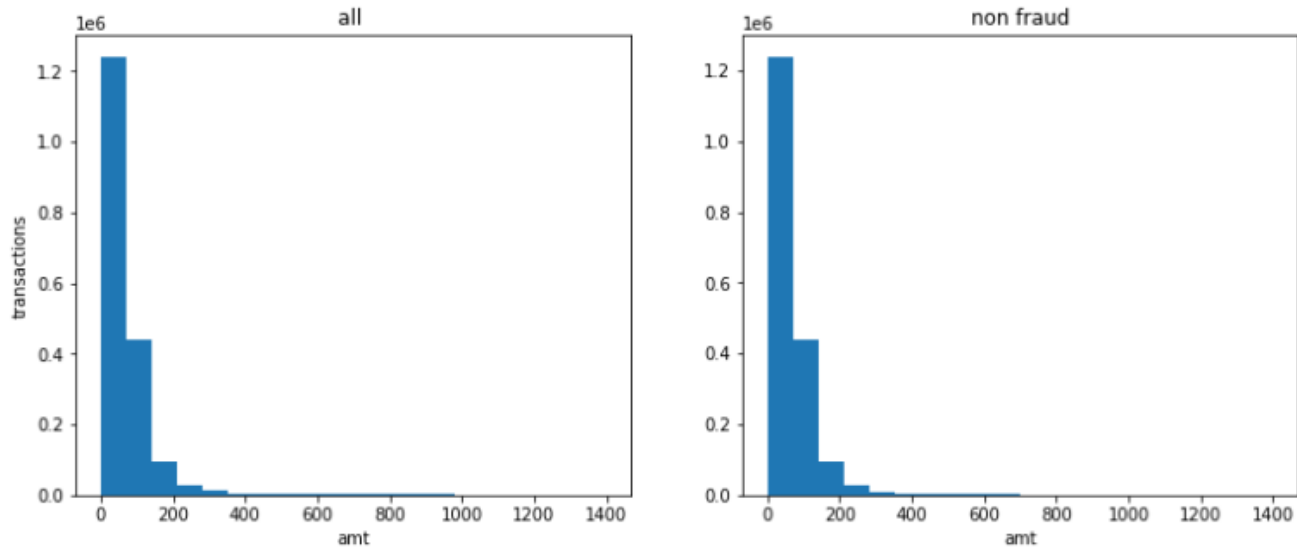
- False positive predicted number * Average non-fraud amt
- = 31,462 (Q) * 68 (P) = **\$2,139,416**

Random Forest

- False positive predicted number * Average non-fraud amt
- = 15,926 (Q) * 68 (P) = **\$1,082,968**

Xgboost

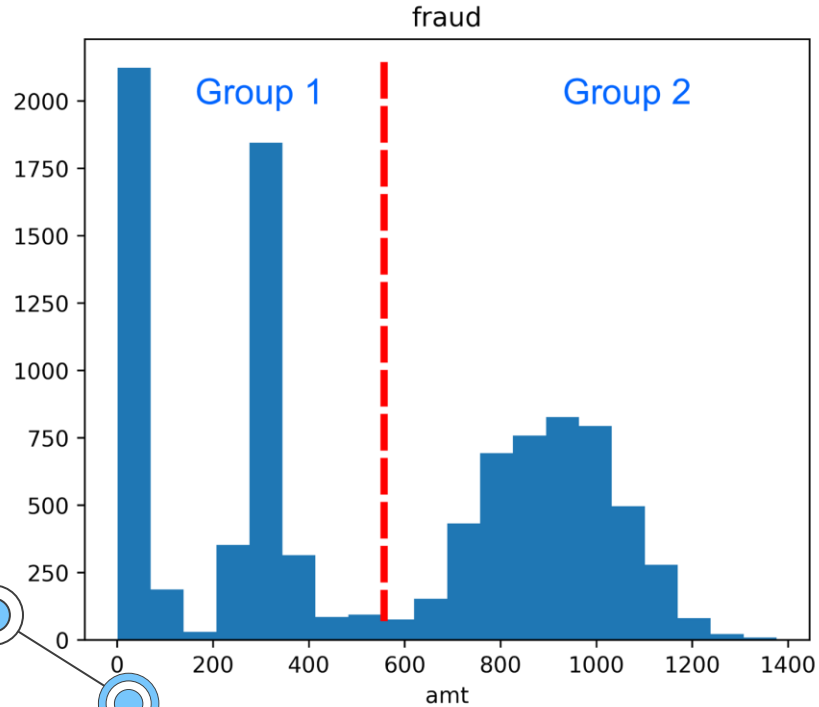
Data



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'first', 'last', 'gender', 'street', 'city', 'state', 'zip', 'lat',
'long', 'city_pop', 'job', 'dob', 'trans_num', 'unix_time', 'merch_lat',
'merch_long', 'is_fraud'

Exploratory Data Analysis

Dividing the Customers



We should focus on the "AMOUNT"

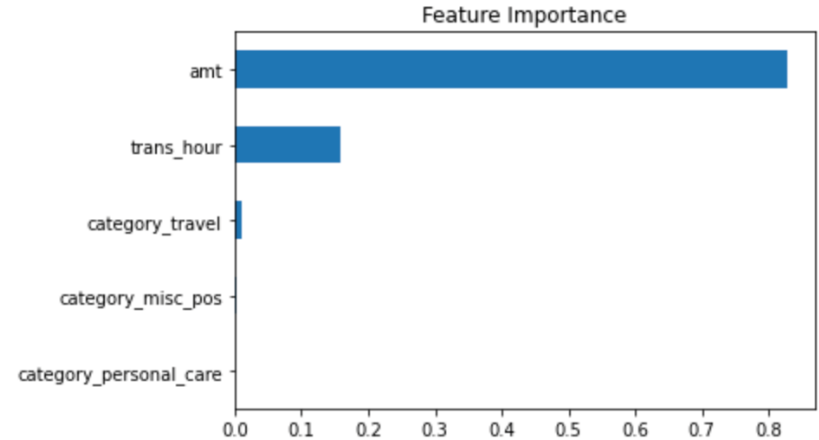


Figure above developed from EDA, showing the most relevant variables for fraud detection.

The Methodology

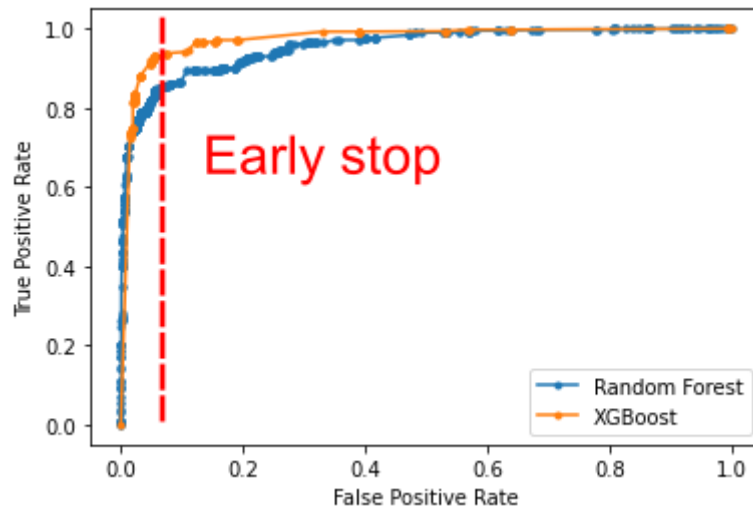
Divide the data into two groups

Oversampling for the imbalance and lack to data

Dual modeling for over-precise model

Results

Random Forest: ROC AUC=0.956
XGBoost: ROC AUC=0.974





Questions to Ask the Client

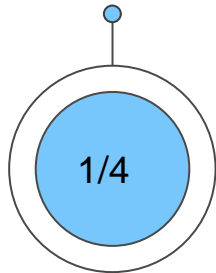


- Any data regarding the the customer satisfaction?
- How much loss would you take for a higher customer satisfaction?
- Any additional objectives in addition to the increase customer satisfaction?



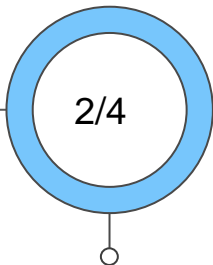
Next Steps

Consider the
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feedback

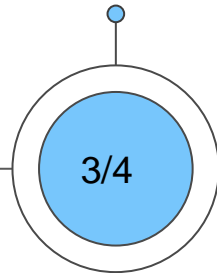


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Impact of the
model towards
the customers'
satisfaction



Discuss the
model



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Testing the
strategy

