

# **Data Science - Technical Assignment**

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# Agenda

- Problem presentation
- Data Exploration
  - Main Features, Correlations, Pairplots
- Analysis
  - PCA, Feature Importance, and main factors to churn
- Insights and Recommendations
  - Churn Model and Metrics, Tiers and Triggers- New KPis ideas (Proactively CX), User comparison

# Churn

**Goal:** Identify key factors and Reduce customer churn rate by implementing targeted retention strategies based on the insights.

**Data:** 5630 rows, 16% churn rate, 19 features, ~5%nulls in some columns, no Duplicates, looks like a chunk of a bigger file.

**Index:** Customer ID

# Main Features - Churn

## Usage

- Tenure
- Hours spend on App
- Number of Devices Reg

## User

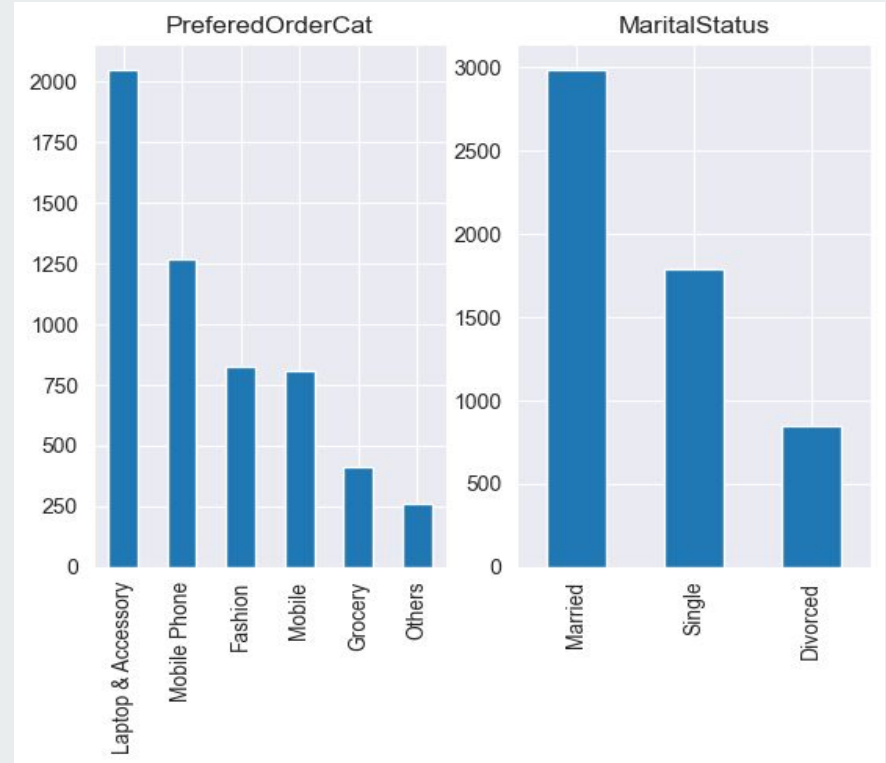
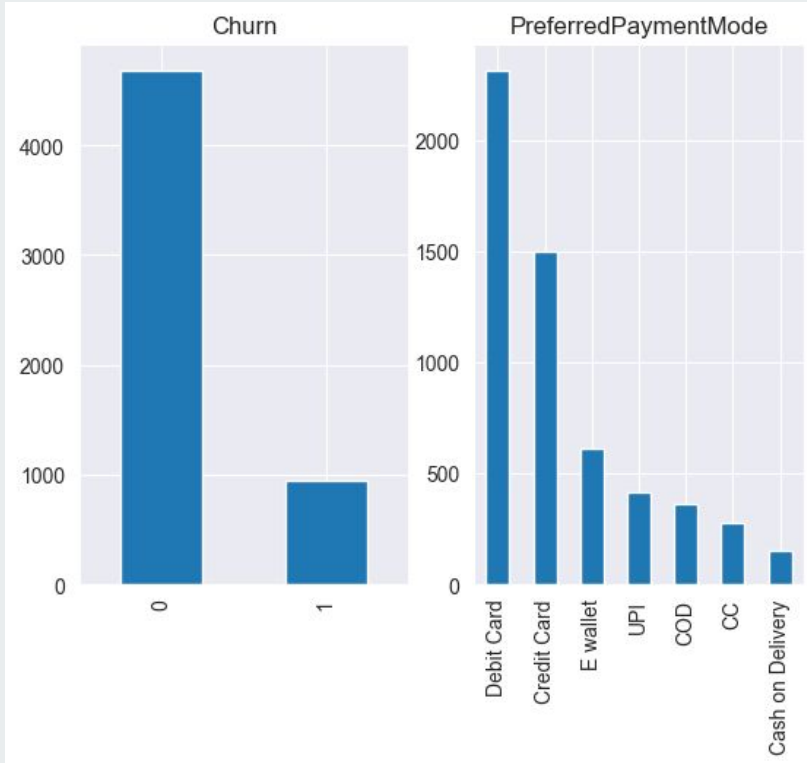
- City
- Gender
- Marital Status
- Number Of Address
- Satisfaction Score
- Complain

## Orders

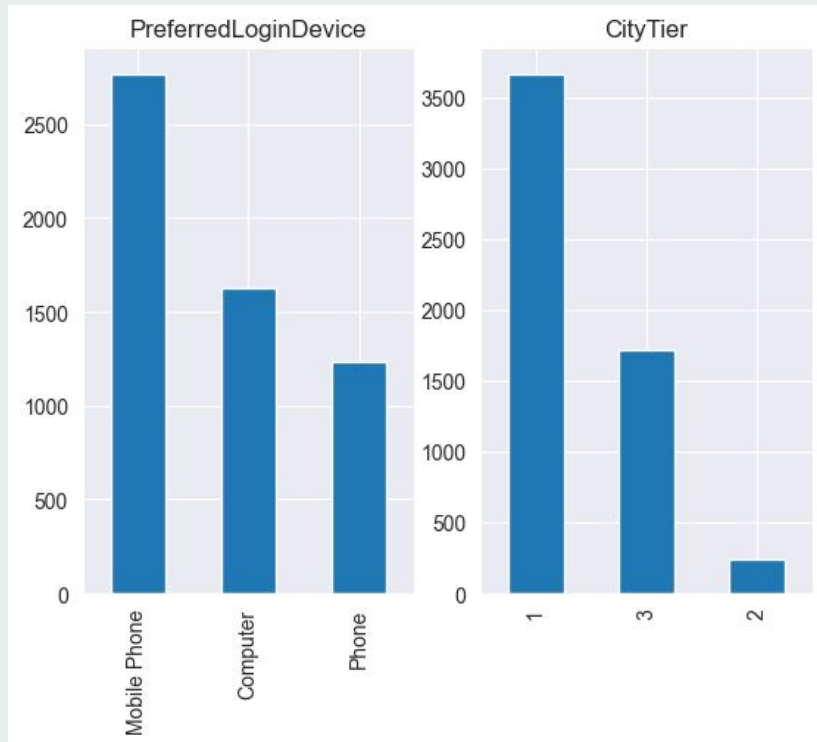
- Days Since Last Order
- Cashback Amount
- Order Count
- Coupon Used
- Order Hike y/y
- Preferred Device
- Payment mode
- Preferred Order category

How they perform vs. Churn and between them

# Categorical Features- presentation

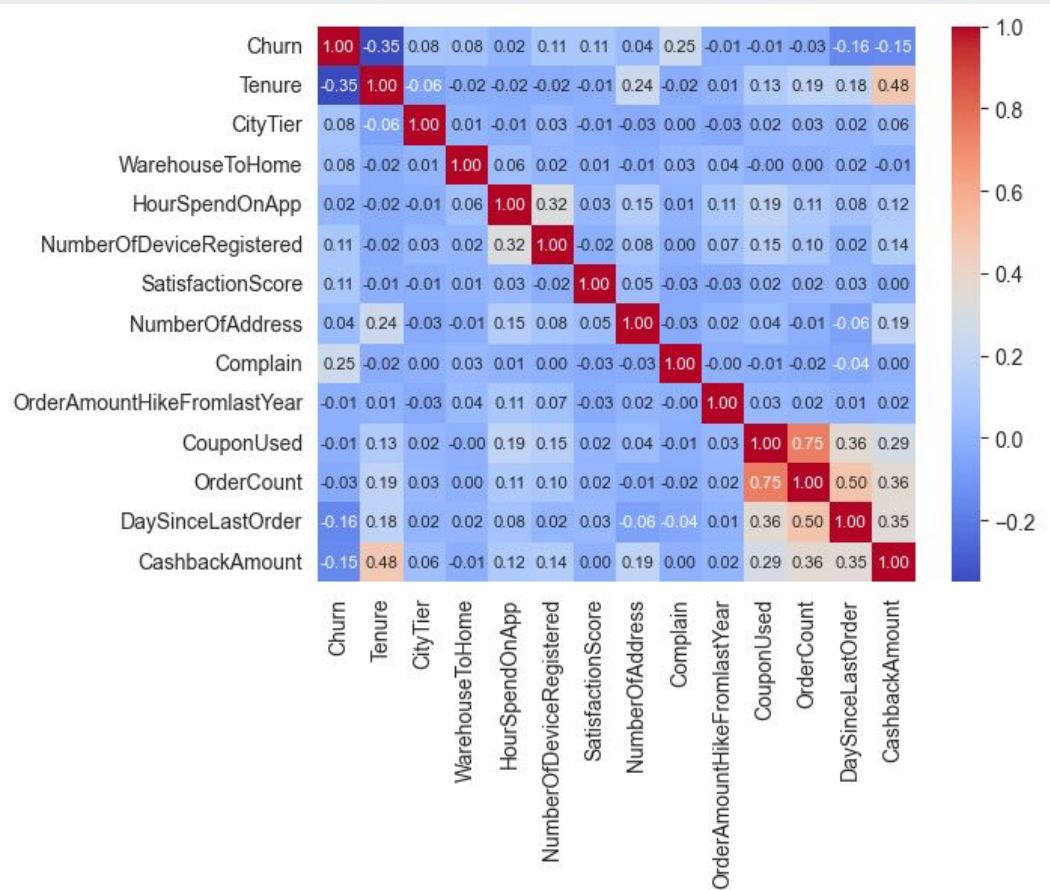


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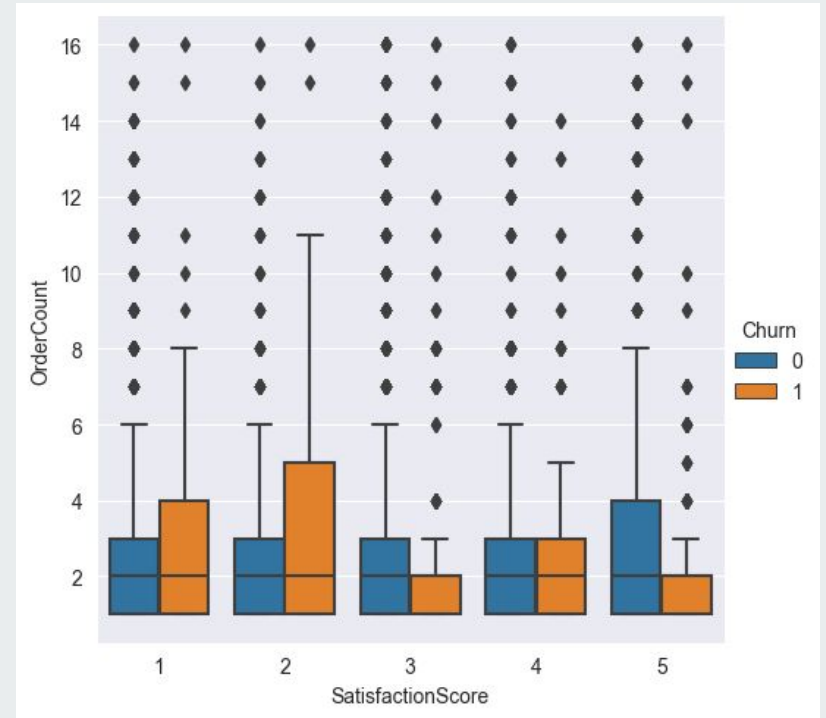
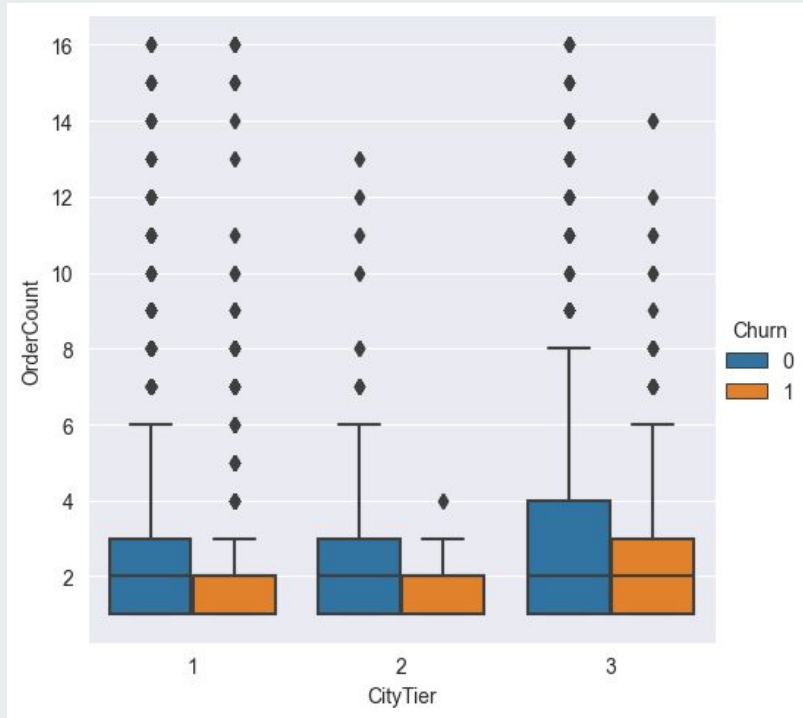


# Correlations

- Churn vs.
  - Tenure
  - Complain
  - Cashback
  - Days since last order
- High correlation between all the Order values

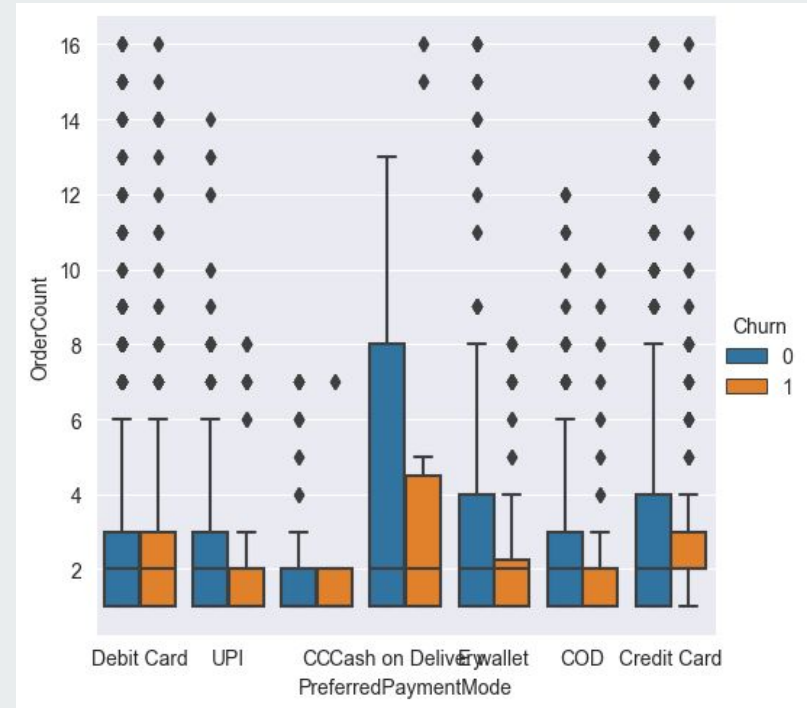
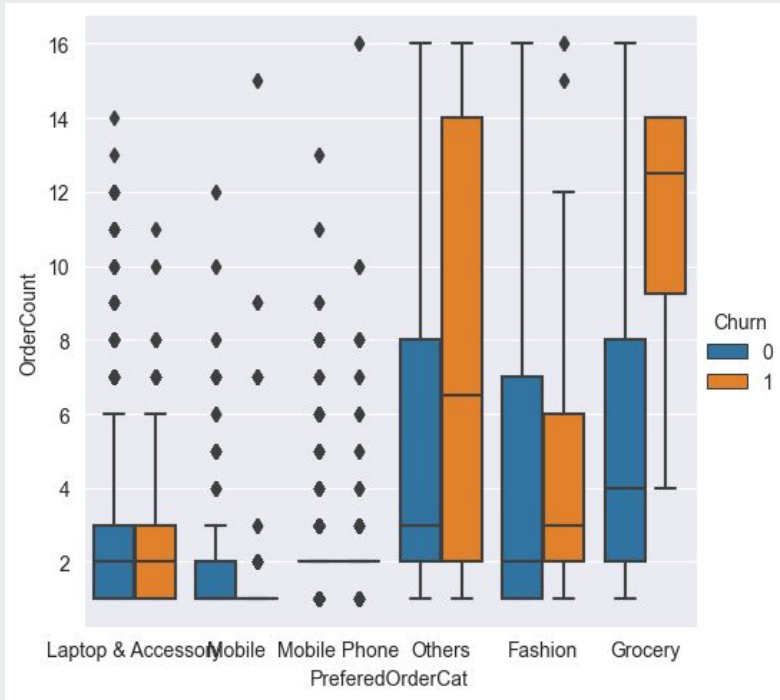


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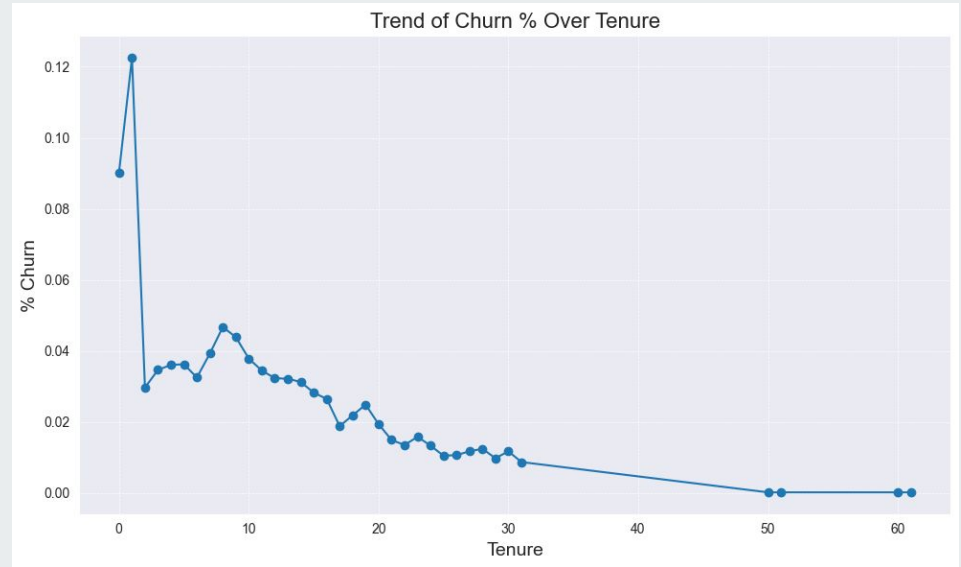


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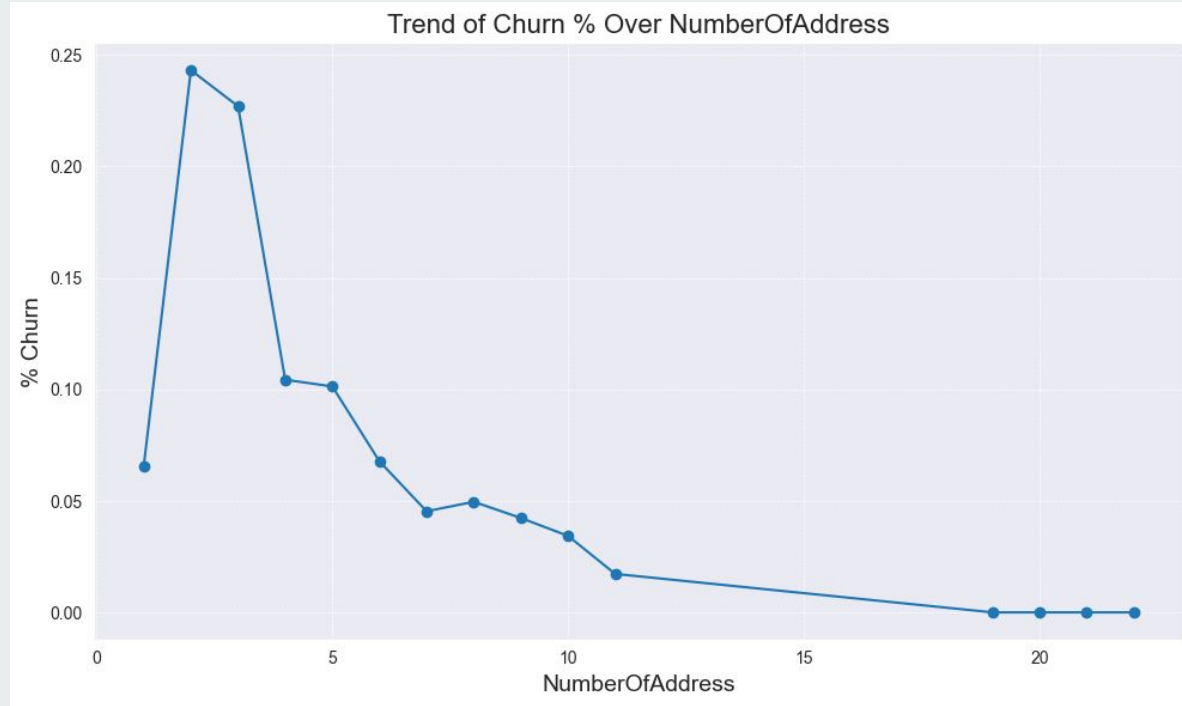
# Interesting relationships with Churn

- Tenure churn cycle



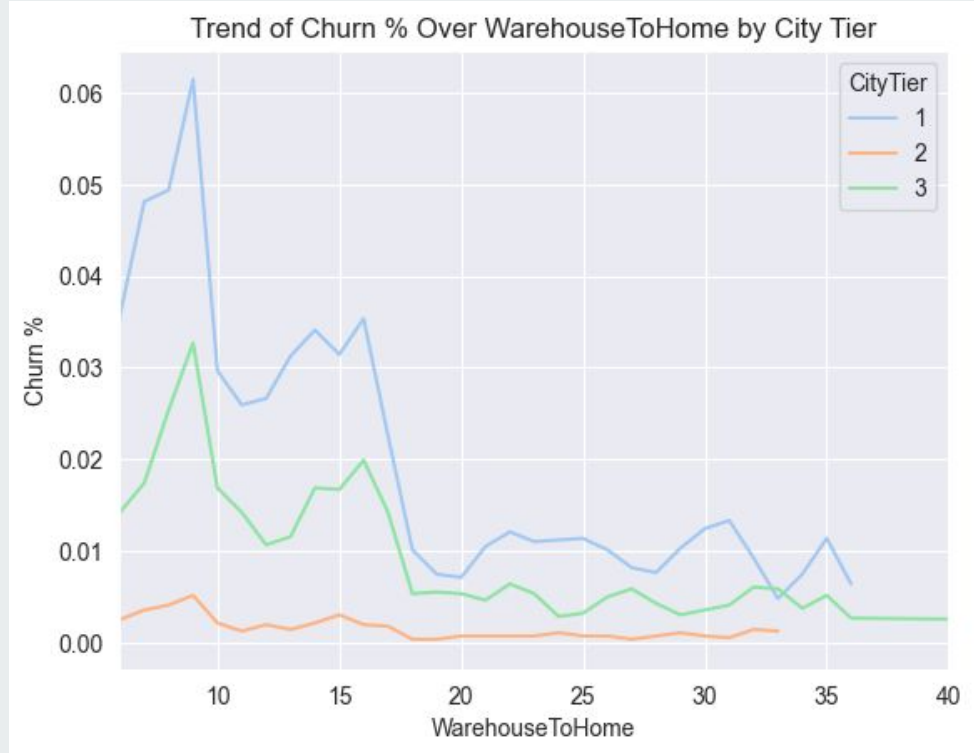
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- Retention by engagement



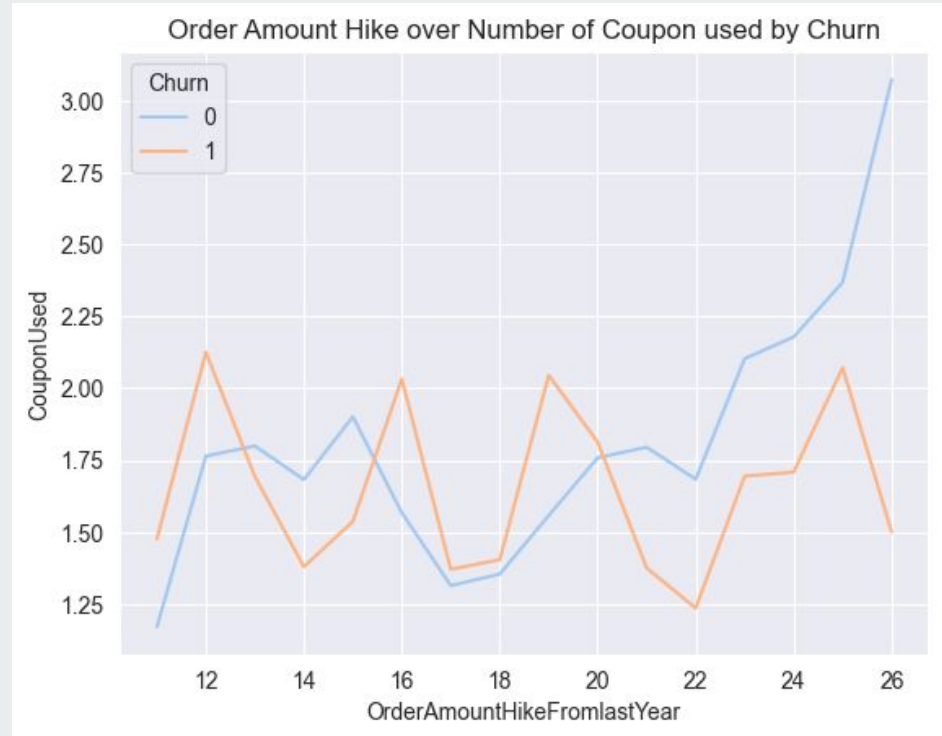
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- City differentiation

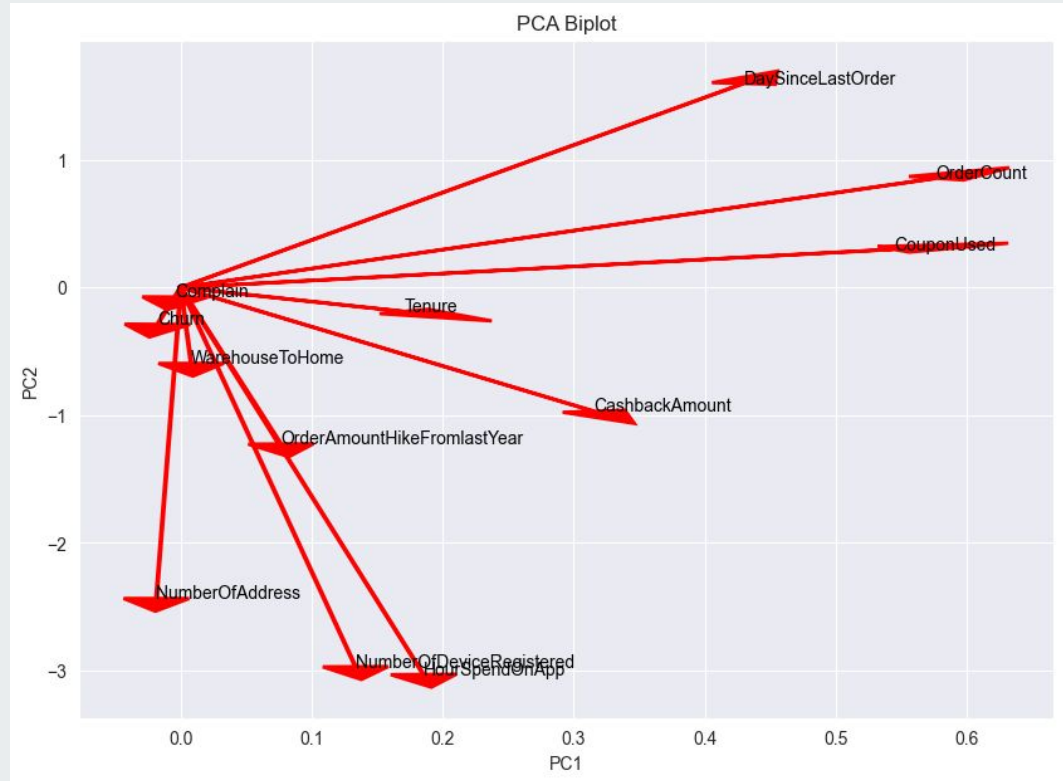


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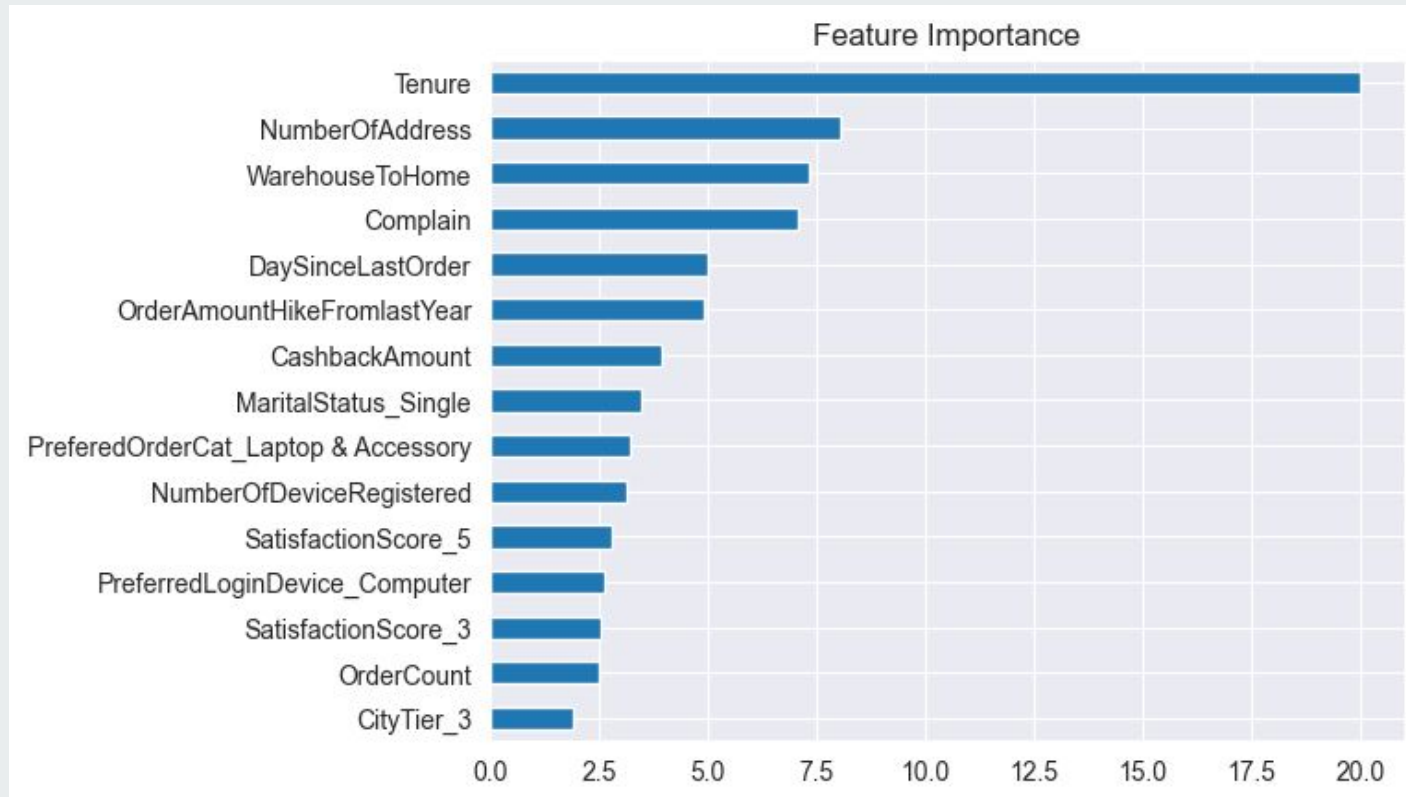
- Coupons effect



# Interesting relationships between features- PCA

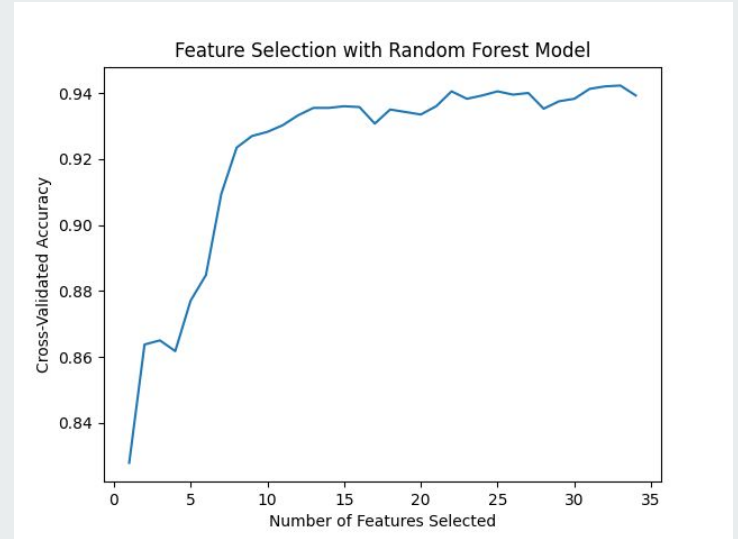


# Key Features- XGB Classifier



# Churn Model

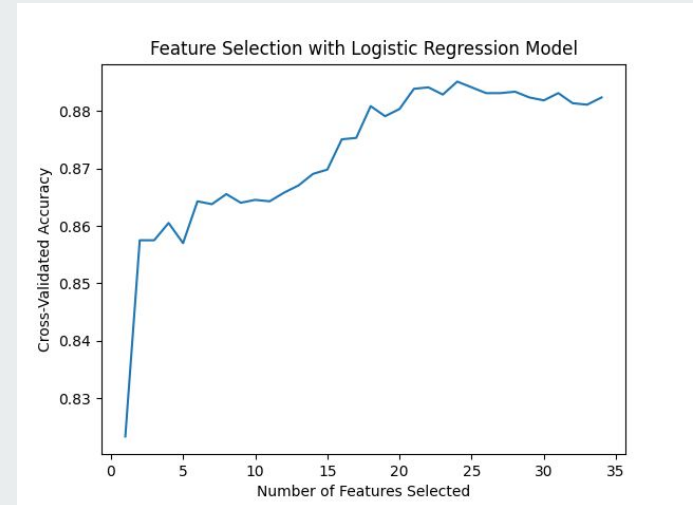
- Imbalanced data - ~16% Churn rate
- Pipeline:
  - Feature Engineering
  - Normalization
  - One hot encoder
  - Select Best features
  - Over Sampling
  - Classifier





# Recommendation- Churn Model

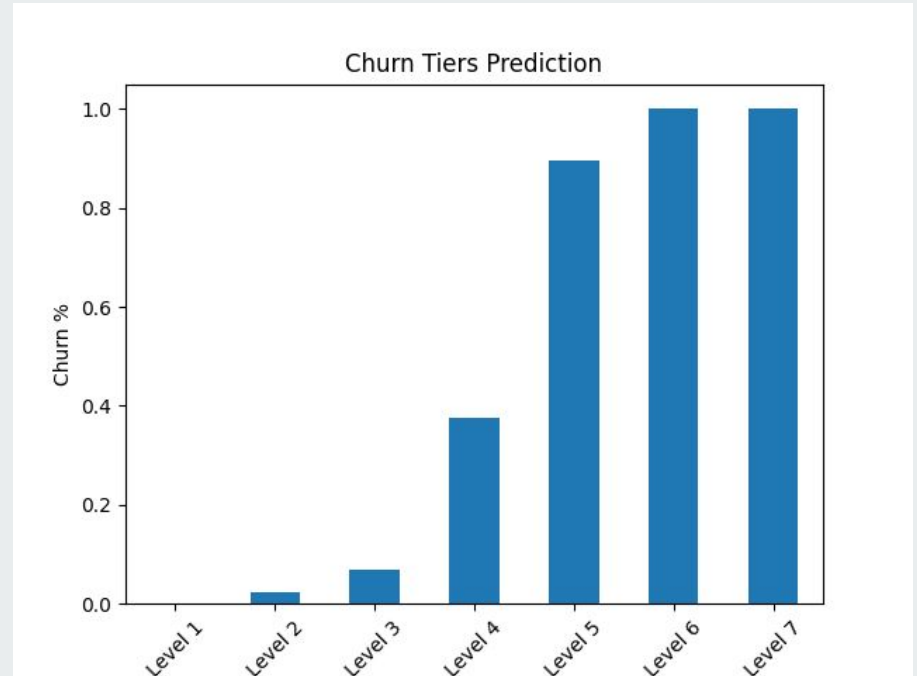
- Tree based approach perform well better than logistic regression (started from simple models, tree approach worked better, hinting about a non-strict linearity relationship).
- Metrics (Imbalanced data):
  - F1 (Minority class)
  - Macro f1 (Same weight for all classes)



# Insights- Proactive cx

- Tiers churn: Proactively reach users that  
Move between churn tiers.

Each level represent a predicted range of  
Probabilities to churn (X) vs. the actual  
Churn Rate (Y)



# Potential Retention Strategies:

## New KPIs, Signals and triggers

- Personalized offers and incentives- Coupons, target/untarget city and distance/ target high hike users, offer coupon before dead end.
- Improved customer support and engagement based on triggers- Movement between Churn tiers
- Enhancing product/service features based on customer feedback- Satisfaction Score, categories.
- Predictive analytics to anticipate and prevent churn

### KPIs

- Retention (Tenure cycles signals, hike, )
- Engagement- More locations added (5+ as a sweet spot), Devices
- Satisfaction Score Rate (3+)

# To Do

- Model optimization
  - Fine-tune hyperparameters to improve model performance.
  - Explore different algorithms or ensemble methods for better predictive power.
- Feature Engineering
  - Add new features for new KPIs
  - Identify additional relevant features to enhance model accuracy.
  - Add new Recency features, such as last X days activity level.
  - Smarter Imputation (KNN, etc.)
- Robust validation in validation sets. Check performance over time (Different dates).

**Thanks**

**Questions?**