Capstone Report

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1. Define the problem, investigate potential solutions and performance metrics

Problem

Predict a customer response to different promotion/offer activities. We should be able to predict a customer spending with all the information starbucks has regarding the customer. If the customer are willing to buy without any promotion, it will not make sense for starbucks to give reduce cost for that customer. However, if the customer initially do not plan to buy, but make a move after seeing the promotion, it will be a win for starbucks

Promotion/offer: Either buy one get one free(BOGO) or a fixed discount

Potential Solutions

Since our aim is to predict a customer success rate to different promotion. We must have a definition of success. For a promotion to be successful to a customer, the customer must meet the following three criteria.

- Receiving the promotion material (regardless of method, mail, text, social media,etc)
- Viewing the promotion material
- Be enticed by the promotion material and complete the offer that's given

Note that fulfilling the second point will result in the first point being fulfilled. Given the above three criteria, I have proposed a measure whether a specific customer is receptive to a promotion by the following metric.

Success of a specific person = (viewing rate of promotion materials >70%) AND (completion rate of promotion >70%)

We will look at demographic data given (age, membership_start_date, annual income, gender) and try to predict the success of each promotion event using the above metric

Performance Metrics

Before we start on performance metrics, we want to know the success rate for promotional materials with current data that we have.

For customer who was given BOGO promotion, the success rate is 33.187%

For customer who was given the discount promotion, the success rate is 33.52%

```
In [290]: df['bogo_success'] = (df.bogo_view_rate>70) & (df.bogo_com_rate>70)
    df['dis_success'] = (df.dis_view_rate>70) & (df.dis_com_rate>70)

In [315]: print(df.bogo_success.sum())
    df.bogo_success.mean()

    4848

Out[315]: 0.33187294633077763

In [314]: print(df.dis_success.sum())
    print(df.dis_success.mean())

    4898
    0.335295728368
```

We will evaluate the performance of our models by using F1 score. F1 score conveys the balance between precision and recall. F1 score is defined as the following

The traditional F-measure or balanced F-score (F₁ score) is the harmonic mean of precision and recall:

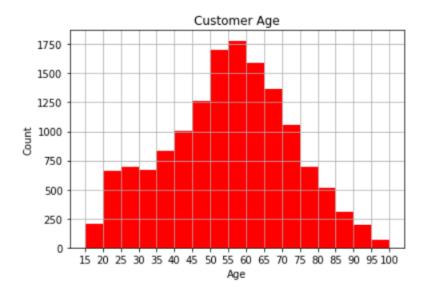
$$F_1 = \frac{2}{\text{recall}^{-1} + \text{precision}^{-1}} = 2 \cdot \frac{\text{precision} \cdot \text{recall}}{\text{precision} + \text{recall}}$$

We seek to maximize F1 score for our model.

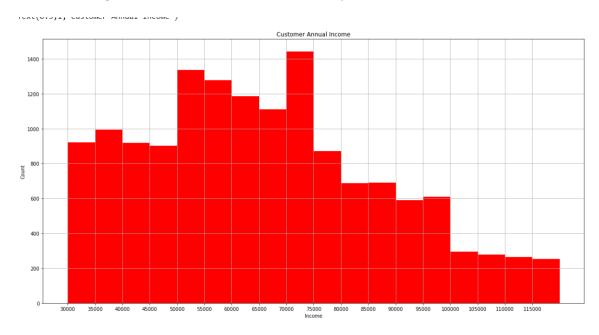
2. Analyze the problem through visualization and data exploration

We first visualize data on the demographic of Starbuck's Members.

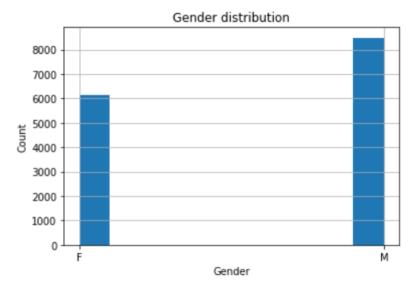
1. Age: Surprisingly most of the customers are middle aged people from 55-60. We can see that the graph bellow shows the customer based is approximately normal.



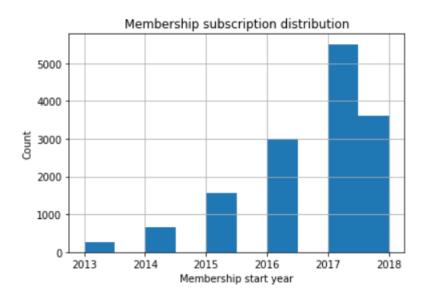
2. Annual Income: Most of the people who drinks starbucks are not excessively rich. They are earning 75000 and below. We can see the 75 percentile for income is 80,000



3. Gender: Surprisingly, there are more male members compared to female members.



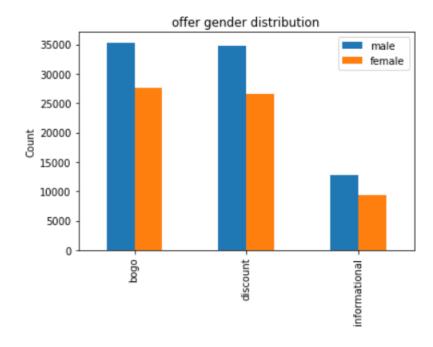
4. Became_member_on: We have two charts here, plotted year on year and month on month. Do note that the earliest data point is 29 July 2013 and latest data point is 26 July 2018. This mean that for year on year data, 2013 and 2018 data point might be underestimated. We can see there's a year on year increase in membership. (2018 only has 7/12 of the membership for that year). For monthly data point, there's no significant visible seasonal trend, except membership subscription is slightly more from August to January.

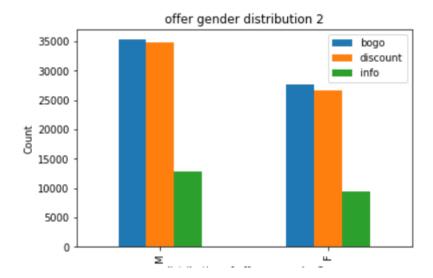




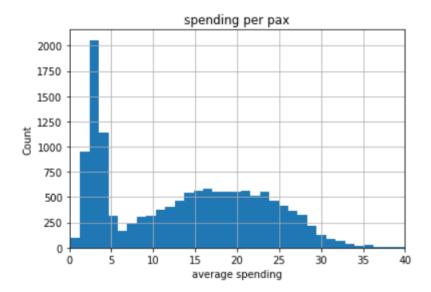
In the following visualization below, we will combined members' transaction data with the member details. We do a left join using transaction data as main table and customer detail as secondary table. More about data transformation in the next section.

5. Investigating whether the data fair towards each gender, or is it heavily scaled. We see that the distribution is similar in both male and female.

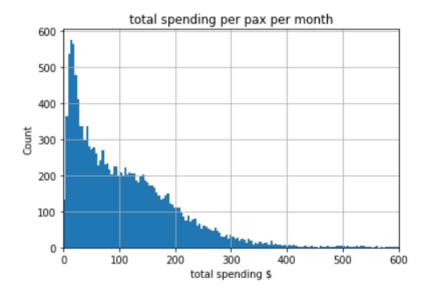




6. Average spending of each person: This looks like a bi-modal model, at around \$3 and \$18. This make sense as the people who spend there are most likely segregated into just a coffee break or a complete meal and a coffee.



7. Total spending for each person: Note that this dataset is over a one month period, so the following is graph of distribution of total spending per month for each pax. The distribution below looks like an exponential distribution. Few people spend more than \$500 at starbucks a month(likely the people who dines there frequently) and it slowly decays.



3. Preprocessing of data

The structure of this section will be split into three steps.

- 1. Preprocessing of each individual tables
- 2. Combining three tables into 1
- 3. Further processing after combination
- 4. Preprocessing for ML algorithms

1a) Preprocessing of Portfolio.json

Table is read in as offers. 10 rows x 6 cols

```
# read in the json files
offers = pd.read_json('data/portfolio.json', orient='records', lines=True)
customers = pd.read_json('data/profile.json', orient='records', lines=True)
actions = pd.read_json('data/transcript.json', orient='records', lines=True)
```

Since the data is small, we can print the whole data out to take a look at it.

```
In [206]: print(offers.shape)
            print(offers.columns)
            offers
            index(['channels', 'difficulty', 'duration', 'id', 'offer_type', 'reward'], dtype='object')
Out[206]:
                            channels difficulty duration
                                                                                           offer type reward
                   [email, mobile, social]
                                               7 ae264e3637204a6fb9bb56bc8210ddfd
                                                                                               bogo
            1 [web, email, mobile, social]
                                           10
                                                    5 4d5c57ea9a6940dd891ad53e9dbe8da0
                                                                                                         10
                                                                                                         0
                    [web, email, mobile]
                                           0
                                                         3f207df678b143eea3cee63160fa8bed informational
                                                    7 9b98b8c7a33c4b65b9aebfe6a799e6d9
                    [web, email, mobile]
                                           20 10 0b1e1539f2cc45b7b9fa7c272da2e1d7
                                                                                                         5
                          [web, email]
                                                                                            discount
                                           7
                                                    7 2298d6c36e964ae4a3e7e9706d1fb8c2
            5 [web. email. mobile. social]
                                                                                            discount
                                                                                                          3
                                           10 10
               [web, email, mobile, social]
                                                          fafdcd668e3743c1bb461111dcafc2a4 discount
                                            0
                   [email, mobile, social]
                                                     3 5a8bc65990b245e5a138643cd4eb9837 informational
                                           5
                                                                                                         5
            8 [web, email, mobile, social]
                                                    5 f19421c1d4aa40978ebb69ca19b0e20d
                                                                                               bogo
                     [web, email, mobile]
                                                     7 2906b810c7d4411798c6938adc9daaa5
                                                                                            discount
                                                                                                          2
```

Under the channels columns, a list is hard to manipulate and work with. We will perform a one hot encoding of it and drop the channels columns

In [210]:	10]: offers									
Out[210]:	difficulty duration		duration	id	offer_type	offer_reward	email	mobile	social	web
	0	10	7	ae264e3637204a6fb9bb56bc8210ddfd	bogo	10	1	1	1	0
	1	10	5	4d5c57ea9a6940dd891ad53e9dbe8da0	bogo	10	1	1	1	1
	2	0	4	3f207df678b143eea3cee63160fa8bed	informational	0	1	1	0	1

1b)Pre-processing of profile.json

Table is read in as customers, 17000 rows X 5 columns

```
In [211]:
           print(customers.shape)
            print(customers.columns)
            customers.head()
            (17000, 5)
           Index(['age', 'became member on', 'gender', 'id', 'income'], dtype='object')
Out[211]:
               age became_member_on gender
                                                                            id
                                                                                income
               118
            0
                              20170212
                                         None
                                               68be06ca386d4c31939f3a4f0e3dd783
                                                                                   NaN
            1
                55
                              20170715
                                            F 0610b486422d4921ae7d2bf64640c50b 112000.0
            2
               118
                              20180712
                                         None
                                                 38fe809add3b4fcf9315a9694bb96ff5
                                                                                   NaN
            3
                75
                                            F
                                                78afa995795e4d85b5d9ceeca43f5fef 100000.0
                             20170509
                                               a03223e636434f42ac4c3df47e8bac43
               118
                              20170804
                                         None
                                                                                   NaN
```

The first manipulation here is making became_member_on into a datetime column.

```
In [213]: customers['became_member_on']=pd.to_datetime(customers.became_member_on,format = "%Y%m%d")
```

Next manipulation is to see amount of NaN in the data

Interestingly, the amount of NaN in gender and income matches. Let's see whether is this a coincidence or a None gender is equivalent to a NaN income.

Summing the NaN row wise, we realized that either the rows have 0 NaN or it has 2 NaN. We conclude that None gender is equivalent to a NaN income. We go ahead and drop the NaN rows as only 12.8% of the rows are affected

```
In [215]: 2175/(14825+2175) #12% of data is private
Out[215]: 0.12794117647058822
```

Under the description of the tables given, it is said that if the age is unknown, it will be replaced with a 118. We will see the amount of data affected by this erroneous age data.

Approximately 0.694%. We will go ahead and drop these rows too.

```
In [15]: customers = customers[customers.age<118].reset_index(drop=True)</pre>
```

We also noticed that some of the genders are "O". As this is not a popular gender type, and it represent a small fraction of the dataset, <1.5%. we will drop off these rows too.

1c) Pre-processing of transcript.json

We can see there's 306534 rows X 4 columns

```
In [20]: print(actions.shape)
           print(actions.columns)
           actions.tail()
           (306534, 4)
           Index(['event', 'person', 'time', 'value'], dtype='object')
Out[20]:
                        event
                                                        person time
                                                                                           value
            306529 transaction b3a1272bc9904337b331bf348c3e8c17 714 {'amount': 1.589999999999999}
            306530 transaction 68213b08d99a4ae1b0dcb72aebd9aa35 714
                                                                                   {'amount': 9.53}
            306531 transaction a00058cf10334a308c68e7631c529907 714
                                                                                   {'amount': 3.61}
            306532 transaction 76ddbd6576844afe811f1a3c0fbb5bec 714 {'amount': 3.530000000000000002}
            306533 transaction c02b10e8752c4d8e9b73f918558531f7 714
                                                                                   {'amount': 4.05}
```

We first convert the time here to the day number. As the offers table duration is quoted in days.

```
In [21]: actions['time'] = np.ceil(actions.time/24)
```

We do note that the value columns is a dictionary that is nasty to manipulate. We will unpack the dictionary into columns by using json_normalize

```
from pandas.io.json import json normalize
In [24]:
          temp = json normalize(actions['value']) ## note that "offe
          temp.head()
Out[24]:
              amount
                                               offer id offer_id reward
           0
                 NaN
                       9b98b8c7a33c4b65b9aebfe6a799e6d9
                                                          NaN
                                                                  NaN
           1
                 NaN
                       0b1e1539f2cc45b7b9fa7c272da2e1d7
                                                          NaN
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                 NaN 2906b810c7d4411798c6938adc9daaa5
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                        fafdcd668e3743c1bb461111dcafc2a4
                                                                  NaN
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                 NaN 4d5c57ea9a6940dd891ad53e9dbe8da0
                                                          NaN
                                                                  NaN
```

We realized there are two similar columns, "offer id" and "offer_id". Before we attempt to combine them, we must ensure that no data is loss. Meaning that we can cannot have both column having information at the same time. We do a row sum of NaN on those 2 columns, if the row sum of NaN is 0, it implies that we might have information loss by combining them.

Thankfully at most only one of them is occupied. We will combine the two columns and delete one of them.

We combine offer id and offer_id and delete offer id

```
In [26]: temp['offer_id']= temp['offer_id'].fillna(temp['offer id'])
In [27]: del temp['offer id']
```

We will join back this temp dataframe into the main events data frame. Note that we need to merge them from the side instead of from the bottom. We will delete the value column as the information has been extracted out.

joining temp back to main table

concat rowwise

```
events = pd.concat([actions,temp],axis=1)
           del events['value']
In [30]:
In [31]:
           events.tail()
Out[31]:
                                                                    amount offer_id reward
                       event
                                                        person time
            306529 transaction
                               b3a1272bc9904337b331bf348c3e8c17
                                                                30.0
                                                                        1.59
                                                                                 NaN
                                                                                        NaN
            306530 transaction
                              68213b08d99a4ae1b0dcb72aebd9aa35
                                                                        9.53
                                                                                NaN
                                                                                        NaN
            306531 transaction
                               a00058cf10334a308c68e7631c529907 30.0
                                                                        3.61
                                                                                NaN
                                                                                        NaN
            306532 transaction
                                76ddbd6576844afe811f1a3c0fbb5bec 30.0
                                                                        3.53
                                                                                NaN
                                                                                        NaN
            306533 transaction
                               c02b10e8752c4d8e9b73f918558531f7 30.0
                                                                        4.05
                                                                                NaN
                                                                                        NaN
```

2) Combining all three tables into 1

Just to recap the columns of the three tables are

We will first merge events and customers together. To decide on the merge type, we first must note that column "person" in events and column "id" in customers are together. The former is not unique as each person can have a lot of events, while the latter is unique. It is a many to one relationship.

So in this case, we will do a left join on those two columns and drop the "id" column as it is repeated information from "person"

```
In [46]: df = pd.merge(events,customers,left_on = 'person',right_on='id',how ='left')
    df.drop(columns='id',inplace=True)
```

We will next merge the combined dataframe(df) "offer_id" column and offers "id" column together.

Again, this is a many to one relationship, so we will do a left join with df as the main table

```
In [47]: df = pd.merge(df,offers,left_on = 'offer_id',right_on='id',how='left')
df.drop(columns='id',inplace=True)
```

We have seen from above that age column in customer table does not have any NaN. So if we do a left join of events and customers on "person" column, if there is a customer id that is found on main table but not on customer table. Age will be NaN in the merged column.

We can drop any rows with age that has NaN as we do not have the customer record for that specific customer.

```
In [48]: df.dropna(subset=['age'],inplace=True)
```

We split df into two tables, a transaction table and non_transaction table. (to facilitate easier data analysis of transactions)

```
In [55]: transaction_df = df[df.event=='transaction']
    df = df[df.event!='transaction']
```

3) Further processing after combining tables

We will manipulate the non-transaction table such that each row will represent a single customer. We need details on the number of promotion each customer received, number of promotion each customer viewed, and number of promotion each customer completed. Where promotion =['bogo','discount']

We will do a groupy, by "person" "offer_type" and "event", do a count and unstack(from series to a multi-Index dataframe) them

In [65]:	[65]: test = df.copy()											
In [66]:	6]: test = test.groupby(['person','offer_type','event'])['index'].count().unstack(level=1).unstack()											
In [67]:	[67]: test.head()											
Out[67]:	t[67]:											
	offer_type	bogo	discount			informational						
	event	offer completed	offer received	offer viewed	offer completed	offer received	offer viewed	offer completed	offer received	offer viewed		
	person											
	0009655768c64bdeb2e877511632db8f	1.0	1.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	NaN	2.0	2.0		
	0020c2b971eb4e9188eac86d93036a77	1.0	2.0	1.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	NaN	1.0	1.0		
	0020ccbbb6d84e358d3414a3ff76cffd	2.0	2.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	NaN	1.0	1.0		
	003d66b6608740288d6cc97a6903f4f0	NaN	NaN	NaN	3.0	3.0	2.0	NaN	2.0	2.0		
	00426fe3ffde4c6b9cb9ad6d077a13ea	NaN	NaN	NaN	1.0	4.0	1.0	NaN	1.0	1.0		

Next we will flatten multi-index column to a single index column, extract relevant columns

```
In [68]: test.columns
Out[68]: MultiIndex(levels=[['bogo', 'discount', 'informational'], ['offer completed', 'offer received', 'offer viewed']], labels=[[0, 0, 0, 1, 1, 1, 2, 2, 2], [0, 1, 2, 0, 1, 2, 0, 1, 2]], names=['offer_type', 'event'])
In [69]: test.columns = ['_'.join(col) for col in test.columns]
In [70]: test.drop(columns= ['informational_offer completed',"informational_offer received","informational_offer viewed"],inplace=True)
In [71]: test.head()
Out[71]:
                                                                                                                 discount_offer completed
                                                     bogo_offer
completed
                                                                           bogo_offer
received
                                                                                                                                           discount_offer 
received
                                                                                                                                                                  discount_offer 
viewed
                                            person
              0009655768c64bdeb2e877511632db8f
                                                                                                                                     2.0
                                                                                                                                                             2.0
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                                                                      1.0
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              0020c2b971eb4e9188eac86d93036a77
                                                                                                            1.0
               0020ccbbb6d84e358d3414a3ff76cffd
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                                                                                                                                                                                   1.0
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               003d66b6608740288d6cc97a6903f4f0
                                                                     NaN
                                                                                         NaN
                                                                                                           NaN
                                                                                                                                     3.0
                                                                                                                                                             3.0
```

For the main df, we only need the age, membership_join_date, gender and annual_income for each customer. Once we extracted that, we will merge df and test together on "person"

```
In [73]: df = df.groupby('person').agg({'age':"first","became_member_on":"first","gender":"first","income":"first"})
In [74]: df = pd.merge(df,test, on = 'person',how = 'left')
```

Instead of nominal value of number of offer viewed and completed, it is better to see it as a percentage of number of offers received. We will also change the membership date to just the year.

We will now create the labels for our dataset and calculate the success rate for each promotion on this dataset. Success rate definition is given in the first section of this document

Creating labels

We define an offer(bogo or discount) as successful if viewrate>70% and success rate is more than 70%

```
In [80]: df['bogo_success'] = (df.bogo_view_rate>70) & (df.bogo_com_rate>70)
    df['dis_success'] = (df.dis_view_rate>70) & (df.dis_com_rate>70)

In [81]: print(df.bogo_success.sum())
    df.bogo_success.mean()

4848

Out[81]: print(df.dis_success.sum())
    print(df.dis_success.sum())

4898
    0.335295728368
```

Benchmark

The current benchmark for bogo_success is 33.187% the current benchmark for dis success is 33.529%

Do note that only 33.18% of bogo were successful or 4848 of bogo promotion were successful and 33.52%/4898 of discount promotion were successful

4) Preprocessing for ML algorithms

We first select from rows from df and call the new dataframe "ready".

```
In [84]: ready=df.reset_index()[['age','mem_year','gender','income','bogo_offer_rec','dis_offer_rec','bogo_success','dis_success']]
In [85]: ready.head()
Out[85]:
          age mem_year gender income bogo_offer_rec dis_offer_rec bogo_success dis_success
        0 33.0
                2017
                       M 72000.0
                                 1.0 2.0 True
        1 59.0
                 2016
                        F 90000.0
                                        2.0
                                                 2.0
                                                          False
        2 24.0 2016 F 60000.0
                                       2.0
                                                 1.0
                                                                   True
                                                          True
        3 26.0
                2017
                      F 73000.0
                                                          False
                                                                    False
                                       NaN
                                                 3.0
        4 19.0 2016 F 65000.0 NaN 4.0 False
                                                                   False
```

We will do a one hot encoding for categorical data(gender) and change the ensure the rest of dataframe is of right type

One hot encoding for categorical data

```
In [86]: ready['isMale']=ready['gender'].map({"M":1,'F':0})
         # ready = pd.concat([ready,pd.get_dummies(data=ready.mem_year, drop_first=True)],axis=1)
In [87]: ready[['age','bogo_success','dis_success']] = ready[['age','bogo_success','dis_success']].astype('int')
In [88]: ready.dtypes
Out[88]: age
                             int64
         mem_year
                             int64
         gender
                            object
                           float64
         income
         bogo offer rec
                           float64
         dis offer rec
                           float64
         bogo_success
                            int64
         dis_success
                            int64
         isMale
                            int64
         dtype: object
```

We will next split the data into 80% training and 20% testing

```
In [90]: from sklearn import linear_model
    from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
    bogo X = np.squeeze(ready[ready.bogo_offer_recx0][['age','mem_year','isMale','income']].values)
    dis_X = np.squeeze(ready[ready.dis_offer_recx0][['age','mem_year','isMale','income']].values)
    bogo_Y = np.squeeze(ready[ready.bogo_offer_recx0][['bogo_success']].values)
    dis_Y = np.squeeze(ready[ready.dis_offer_recx0][['dis_success']].values)

    bogo_X_train, bogo_X_test, bogo_Y_train, bogo_Y_test = train_test_split(bogo_X, bogo_Y, test_size = .20, random_state = 9)
    dis_X_train, dis_X_test, dis_Y_train, dis_Y_test = train_test_split(dis_X, dis_Y, test_size = .20, random_state = 9)
```

4. Implement Algorithms and metrics of choice

Next, we will run through the data with following machine learning algorithm

- 1. Logit Regression
- 2. K- Nearest Neighbour
- 3. Gaussian Naives Bayes
- 4. Support vector classification
- 5. Adaptive Boosting

Evaluation Metrics is defined in section 1. We will be using F1 score.

5. Results on performance of models used

Discount test Test F1_score 0.5987558320373251

Model 1: Logistic Regression

```
bogo 1 = linear model.LogisticRegression()
  dis 1 = linear model.LogisticRegression()
  bogo 1.fit(bogo X train, bogo Y train)
  dis_1.fit(dis_X_train, dis_Y_train)
LogisticRegression(C=1.0, class weight=None, dual=False, fit intercept=True,
            intercept_scaling=1, max_iter=100, multi_class='ovr', n_jobs=1,
            penalty='l2', random state=None, solver='liblinear', tol=0.0001,
            verbose=0, warm start=False)
  print('Bogo train F1 score {}'.format( bogo 1.score(bogo X train,bogo Y train)))
  print('Bogo Test F1_score {}'.format(bogo_1.score(bogo_X_test,bogo_Y_test)))
  print('Discount train F1 score {}'.format(dis 1.score(dis X train, dis Y train)))
  print('Discount test Test F1 score {}'.format(dis 1.score(dis X test, dis Y test)))
  Bogo train F1 score 0.6175387596899224
  Bogo Test F1 score 0.6178294573643411
  Discount train F1 score 0.6088478366553233
 Discount test Test F1 score 0.5905909797822706
```

Model 2: KNN

Model 3: GaussianNB

```
from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
bogo_3 = GaussianNB()
dis_3 = GaussianNB()
bogo_3.fit(bogo_X_train, bogo_Y_train)
dis_3.fit(dis_X_train, dis_Y_train)
: GaussianNB(priors=None)
```

: print('Bogo train F1_score {}'.format(bogo_3.score(bogo_X_train,bogo_Y_train)))
print('Bogo Test F1_score {}'.format(bogo_3.score(bogo_X_test,bogo_Y_test)))
print('Discount train F1_score {}'.format(dis_3.score(dis_X_train,dis_Y_train)))
print('Discount test Test F1_score {}'.format(dis_3.score(dis_X_test,dis_Y_test)))

Bogo train F1_score 0.6400193798449613 Bogo Test F1_score 0.6372093023255814 Discount train F1_score 0.6235294117647059 Discount test Test F1_score 0.6298600311041991

Model 4: SVC

```
from sklearn.svm import SVC
bogo_4 = SVC()
dis_4 = SVC()
bogo_4.fit(bogo_X_train, bogo_Y_train)
dis_4.fit(dis_X_train, dis_Y_train)
```

SVC(C=1.0, cache_size=200, class_weight=None, coef0=0.0,
 decision_function_shape='ovr', degree=3, gamma='auto', kernel='rbf',
 max_iter=-1, probability=False, random_state=None, shrinking=True,
 tol=0.001, verbose=False)

```
: print('Bogo train F1_score {}'.format(bogo_4.score(bogo_X_train,bogo_Y_train)))
print('Bogo Test F1_score {}'.format(bogo_4.score(bogo_X_test,bogo_Y_test)))
print('Discount train F1_score {}'.format(dis_4.score(dis_X_train,dis_Y_train)))
print('Discount test Test F1_score {}'.format(dis_4.score(dis_X_test,dis_Y_test)))
```

Bogo train F1_score 0.811531007751938 Bogo Test F1_score 0.6065891472868217 Discount train F1_score 0.8073894020418084 Discount test Test F1_score 0.604199066874028

Model 5: Ada Boost

6. Conclusions

Most models give a testing F1 score of above 60%, a performance that is twice of benchmark. bogo_5,dis_5, Adaboost has the best performance of around 66%.

To predict which offers to give a specific starbucks member. We will insert the member demographic into bogo_5 and dis_5. If both returns 1, member is receptive to both discount and BOGO. If either returns 1, the member is receptive to the specific promotion. Else the member is likely not to be receptive to both promotions.