

# **Customer Connectivity**

## **A Data-Driven Approach to Understanding Customer Churn**


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# Marketing Purpose

Develop a **proactive churn management program** to be recommended to the Customer Base Management (CBM) Group.

We will do this by **analyzing customer data** to identify at-risk customers and devising targeted incentives to reduce churn.



# What makes customers leave?



## **Low Customer Loyalty**

**Customers with longer tenures at Cell2Cell tend to churn.**



## **Poor Value Perception**

**Customers paying less tend to churn.**



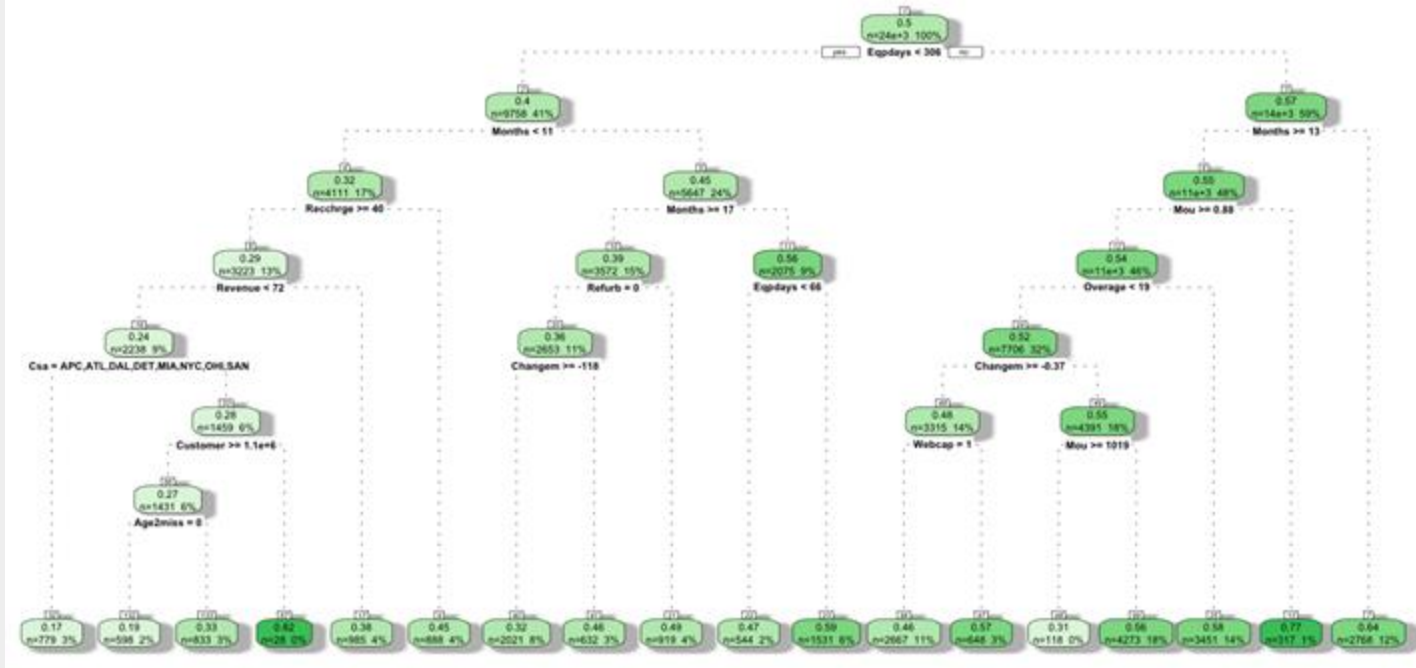
## **Customer Service Dissatisfaction**

**Higher number of Customer Care calls and the number of retention calls suggests potential churn.**

# 02.

# Churn Prediction

Decision Tree



Decision Tree Helps Us Predict Churn Based on Customer Data

# Most Important Factors



**Equipment Use**

**<306 days**



**Months in Service**

**> or < 1 year**

# **03.**

# **Churn Prediction**

Logistic Regression

# LOGISTIC REGRESSION

| VARIABLE | PARAMETER ESTIMATE | IMPORTANCE ( $\Pr > ( z )$ ) | MEANING   |
|----------|--------------------|------------------------------|---|
| Eqpdays  | 0.0026             | 4.32 E-51 ***                | For every extra day that a customer uses current equipment, odds of churning versus not churning go up by 0.26%.                                |
| Retcall  | 0.75               | 9.89 E-26 ***                | Customers who have made a call to the retention team have approximately 2.11 times higher odds of the outcome compared to those who haven't.    |
| Months   | -0.0016            | 0.63                         | For every extra month in service, odds of churning versus not churning decrease by 0.16%.   |
| Refurb   | 0.29               | 1.63 E-13 ***                | For every extra handset refurbished, odds of churning versus not churning increase by 34.18%.   |
| Uniqsubs | 0.20               | 4.37 E-15 ***                | For every extra unique subscriber, odds of churning versus not churning go up by 21.87%.  |
| Mailres  | -0.21              | 3.20 E-14 ***                | Customers who respond to mail offers have approximately 80.97% of the odds of churning versus not churning compared to those who don't respond. |
| Overage  | 0.0018             | 2.04 E-22 ***                | For each additional mean overage minute of use, the odds of churning versus not churning increase by approximately 0.18%.                       |
| Mou      | -2.17 E-5          | 0.72                         | For each additional mean monthly minute of use, the odds of churning versus not churning decrease by approximately 0.002%.                      |



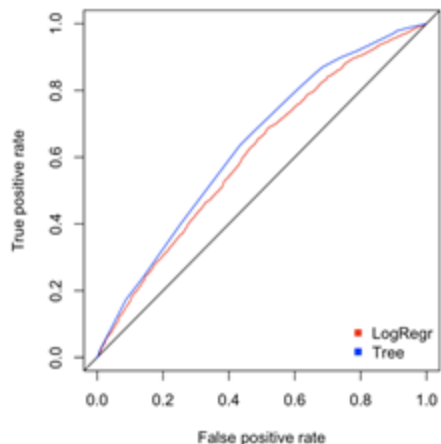
# LOGISTIC REGRESSION

| VARIABLE           | PARAMETER ESTIMATE | IMPORTANCE ( $\Pr > ( z )$ ) | MEANING   |
|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------------|---|
| Setprcm            | -0.25              | 1.77 E-09 ***                | Instances with missing data on handset price have approximately 77.89% of the odds of churning versus not churning compared to instances with available data.   |
| Creditde           | -0.24              | 9.08 E-09 ***                | Instances with a low credit rating have approximately 78.47% of the odds of churning versus not churning compared to instances without a low credit rating.   |
| Actvsubs           | -0.18              | 1.35 E-07 ***                | For each additional active subscriber, the odds of churning versus not churning decrease by approximately 16.80%.   |
| Roam               | 0.011              | 1.77 E-05 ***                | For each additional mean number of roaming calls, the odds of churning versus not churning increase by approximately 1.06%.   |
| Changem            | -0.00024           | 2.57 E-06 ***                | For each percentage change in minutes of use, the odds of churning versus not churning decrease by approximately 0.024%.  |
| Eqpdays:<br>Months | -3.97 E-05         | 5.12 E-16 ***                | For each unit increase in the product of "Eqpdays" and "Months," the odds of decrease by approximately 0.004%. The joint effect of the number of days of the current equipment and the months in service on the outcome is very close to 1 , indicating minimal impact on the odds of churning versus not churning. |
| Months:<br>Mou     | -1.42 E-05         | 6.19 E-07 ***                | For each unit increase in the product of "Months" and "Mou," the odds of decrease by approximately 0.001%. The joint effect of the number of months in service and the mean monthly minutes of use on the outcome is very close to 1 , indicating minimal impact on the odds of churning versus not churning.       |

# **04. The Better Model**

# COMPARING MODELS

## AUC



Comparing the AUC scores of the decision tree and logistic regression, **Decision Tree** seems to perform better

## Lift in the 10th Decile

Decision Tree: 1.3245  
Logistic Regression: 1.3360

The lift signifies the true churn rate for the group. Basically, how many people in the 10th decile churned divided by the total number of customers in the 10th decile (customers having  $0.9 < \text{churn probability} < 1$ ). The higher the lift, the better the model is, so **logistic regression** model seems to be slightly better than the DT.

## False Negatives

Decision Tree: 1480  
Logistic Regression: 1723

False Negatives signify how many customers were predicted to not churn but ended up being churned. We want to minimize the FNs, since we do not want to miss the opportunity of offering promotions to them. FNs are significantly low in **Decision Tree** when compared with logistic regression, it performs better wrt this parameter.

**Winner Model: Decision Tree**



## Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

Identified historical trends and reasons for churning

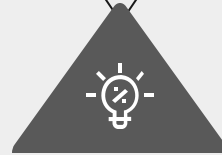


## Predictive Model

Identifies key factors and patterns for predicting churn

**Objective**  
Proactive Churn  
Management Model

Customer Behavior  
Correlations



Service Quality  
Indicators

## Key Insights

Accurate churn prediction and pinpointing the drivers empower **proactive customer targeted strategies**

# **05. Recommendations**

## Predicted Results of the four customers

|             | X15747   | X29301   | X8695    | X34573   |
|-------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| Customer    | 1039199  | 1073314  | 1021961  | 1086325  |
| Revenue     | 60.325   | 53.715   | 5        | 34.99    |
| Churn       | 1        | 1        | 0        | 0        |
| pchurn.lr   | 0.79514  | 0.276412 | 0.732123 | 0.262196 |
| pchurn.tree | 0.772871 | 0.170732 | 0.772871 | 0.170732 |

## Predicted to Churn

#15747  
Actual  
Churners

#8695  
Customers  
we convinced  
to Stay



## Predicted to Stay

#29301  
Unpredicted  
Churners

#34573  
Loyal  
Customers

# Predicted to Churn

1. **Enhancing Loyalty**
  - a. Personalized Promotion Offers - flexible payment options
  - b. Priority Customer Service
  - c. Free Equipment Upgrade
  - d. Bonus data or minutes
2. **Proactive Communication**
3. **Incentives for re-joining**





# Predicted to Stay

1. **Loyalty Awards**
  - a. Bonus data or minutes
  - b. Early or bonus access to premium features
  - c. Annual discount for staying with us for another year
2. **Feedback Solicitation**



# **Thank you!**

**Any Questions?**