

ChurNet Deep Learning Enhanced Customer Churn Prediction

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Abstract:

The Churn Prediction System is designed to help companies identify which customers are likely to stop using their services in the near future. This project uses Machine Learning and Deep Learning techniques to analyze customer behavior and predict churn patterns. The system allows an Admin to register, log in, and upload multiple company datasets that are created for this purpose. Once the datasets are uploaded, the system processes them using predictive models to determine which customers might leave or not reorder next month. The results are displayed on an interactive dashboard with visual insights through bar charts, pie charts, and growth graphs, helping companies easily understand their churn trends. The system also provides a download option to export customer details (in Excel format) for those predicted to leave. Additionally, it generates feedback and improvement suggestions to help companies understand the reasons behind customer loss. Finally, as a customer retention strategy, the system automatically sends personalized email notifications (using a student's mail ID) to at-risk customers offering special discounts — for example, a 25 offer — encouraging them to stay with the company. This project aims to help organizations reduce customer churn, improve loyalty, and enhance overall business growth through intelligent data-driven insights.

Key Words: Customer Churn Prediction, Machine Learning, Deep Learning, Data Analytics, Customer Retention Predictive Modeling.

INTRODUCTION

In today's competitive business world, keeping existing customers is just as important as gaining new ones. Many companies face a major challenge known as customer churn, where customers stop using their products or services after a certain period. This can lead to a significant loss in revenue and can affect the company's growth. To overcome this, organizations are now using technology-driven solutions to understand why customers leave and how to prevent it. The Churn Prediction System is designed to help companies identify which customers are likely to stop using their services in the near future. The system uses advanced Machine Learning and Deep Learning algorithms to analyze customer data, including purchase history, usage behavior, and feedback. By studying these patterns, the system can accurately predict which customers are at risk of leaving.

Once the data is processed, the system displays the results through an easy-to-understand interactive dashboard. The dashboard includes bar charts, pie charts, and growth graphs that visually represent the company's churn trends. This helps managers and decision-makers quickly identify which customer segments need attention. The system also provides insights into the possible reasons behind churn, enabling companies to take timely corrective actions. Another useful feature of the system is its automated customer retention strategy. It sends personalized email offers—such as discounts or loyalty rewards—to customers who are predicted to leave soon. This approach not only helps retain customers but also strengthens their relationship with the company by making them feel valued.

Overall, the Churn Prediction System empowers organizations to make data-driven decisions that reduce customer loss, increase satisfaction, and improve long-term profitability. By combining the power of

analytics, automation, and intelligent insights, this system supports companies in maintaining a loyal customer base and achieving sustainable growth.

LITERATURE SURVEY

Somak Saha et al. (IEEE), ChurnNet: Deep Learning Enhanced Customer Churn Prediction in Telecommunication Industry This study proposed ChurnNet, a model that uses Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN) with attention modules to analyze customer behavior in the telecom industry. The approach effectively handles class imbalance, capturing the nuances of customers likely to churn. The model demonstrated high performance, achieving 95–97 accuracy across three different datasets, showing the effectiveness of deep learning in churn prediction.[1]

2. Nien-Ting Lee et al. (IEEE), Prediction of Customer Behavior Changing via a Hybrid Approach This research introduced a hybrid method combining traditional statistical models with machine learning techniques to predict changes in customer behavior. By using a dynamic churn line, the model could detect customers at risk of leaving more accurately. It achieved a recall of up to 95 and required less data than many other methods, making it efficient for practical business applications.[2]

3. Awais Manzoor et al., A Review on Machine Learning Methods for Customer Churn Prediction and Recommendations for Business Practitioners This paper reviewed various machine learning approaches for churn prediction, emphasizing the importance of feature engineering and considering profitability when predicting churn. The authors recommended combining deep learning with explainable AI techniques to not only achieve accurate predictions but also provide interpretable insights that help businesses make informed decisions.[3]

Asad Khattak et al., Customer Churn Prediction Using Composite Deep Learning Technique (Scientific Reports, 2023), This study introduces a hybrid deep learning model combining Bidirectional Long Short-Term Memory (BiLSTM) and Convolutional Neural Networks (CNN), termed BiLSTM-CNN, to predict customer churn. The model effectively captures both temporal dependencies and spatial features in customer data. The research demonstrates that this composite approach outperforms traditional models in churn prediction accuracy. The authors also highlight the importance of preprocessing steps and feature engineering in enhancing model performance [4]

METHODOLOGY

The methodology of the Churn Prediction System involves a systematic process of data collection, preprocessing, model development, evaluation, and deployment. First, multiple company datasets containing customer information such as demographics, transaction history, service usage patterns, and feedback are collected and uploaded by the admin. The uploaded data is then preprocessed to handle missing values, remove duplicates, and normalize the features for consistency. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) is performed to identify important trends and correlations between customer attributes and churn behavior. After data preparation, Machine Learning and Deep Learning models—such as Logistic Regression, Random Forest, Support Vector Machine (SVM), and Artificial Neural Networks (ANN)—are trained on the processed dataset to predict the likelihood of customer churn. The models are evaluated using performance metrics like accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score, and ROC-AUC to determine the best-performing algorithm. Once the optimal model is selected, it is integrated into the system's backend to generate predictions in real time. The predicted results are visualized through an interactive dashboard using charts and graphs, helping users easily interpret churn trends. Additionally, the system automatically sends personalized email offers to customers identified as high-risk, encouraging them to remain loyal. The entire workflow ensures that organizations can proactively manage churn by leveraging data-driven insights and automated retention strategies.

OBJECTIVE

1. To predict which customers are likely to stop using a company's services in the near future.
2. To analyze customer behavior using Machine Learning and Deep Learning techniques for accurate churn detection.

3. To provide visual insights and reports through dashboards, charts, and graphs for easy understanding of churn trends.
4. To help companies retain customers by sending personalized notifications and offers to at-risk customers.

PROBLEM DEFINATIONS

In today's highly competitive business environment, companies face a major challenge in retaining their existing customers. Customer churn—when customers stop using a company's products or services—can lead to substantial financial losses and hinder business growth. Many organizations struggle to identify the early warning signs of customer attrition and often take reactive measures instead of proactive ones. Traditional methods of analyzing customer behavior are time-consuming, inaccurate, and lack predictive capabilities. There is a need for an intelligent system that can automatically analyze customer data, identify patterns associated with churn, and predict which customers are likely to leave in the near future. Furthermore, organizations require actionable insights and automated solutions to reduce churn, improve customer satisfaction, and enhance loyalty. The Churn Prediction System aims to address this problem by utilizing Machine Learning and Deep Learning techniques to accurately predict customer churn and assist companies in taking timely, data-driven retention actions.

SYSTEM ARCHITECTURE

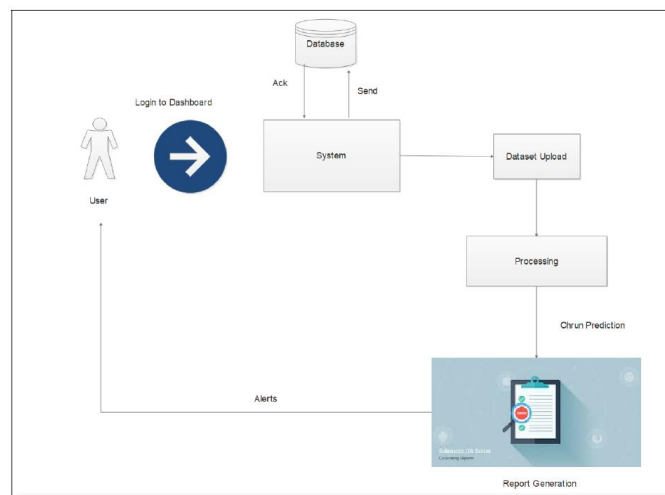


Fig: System Architecture

First, the admin can log in, register, and upload customer data files like Excel or CSV. The system then cleans and organizes the data, removing errors and selecting important information like purchase history, service usage, and spending habits.

Next, Machine Learning and Deep Learning models analyze this data to predict which customers are likely to leave. The system sorts customers into groups: those who might churn and those who will likely stay.

The results are shown on a simple dashboard with charts and graphs, making it easy for the admin to understand the trends. The admin can also download reports of customers at risk.

Finally, the system can automatically send personalized emails or discount offers to customers who might leave, helping companies keep them happy and loyal. All the data, predictions, and reports are safely stored in a database for future use.

FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS

Functional user requirements may be high-level statements of what the system should do but functional system requirements should also describe clearly about the system services in detail. The following are the key fields, which should be part of the functional requirements:

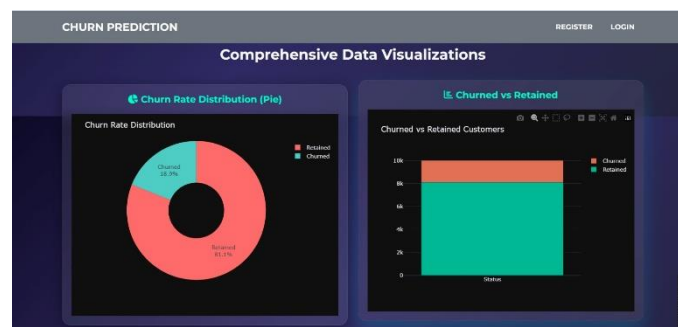
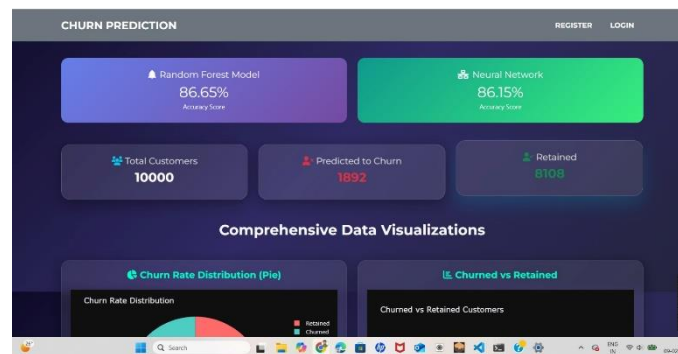
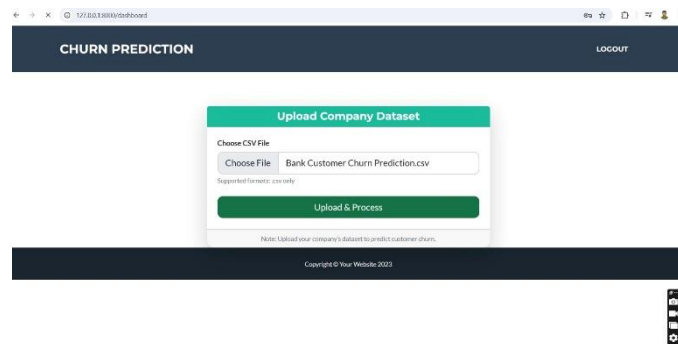
1. The system should allow the admin to register, log in, and securely access the churn prediction dashboard.
2. The admin should be able to upload multiple company datasets (in formats like CSV or Excel) for analysis.

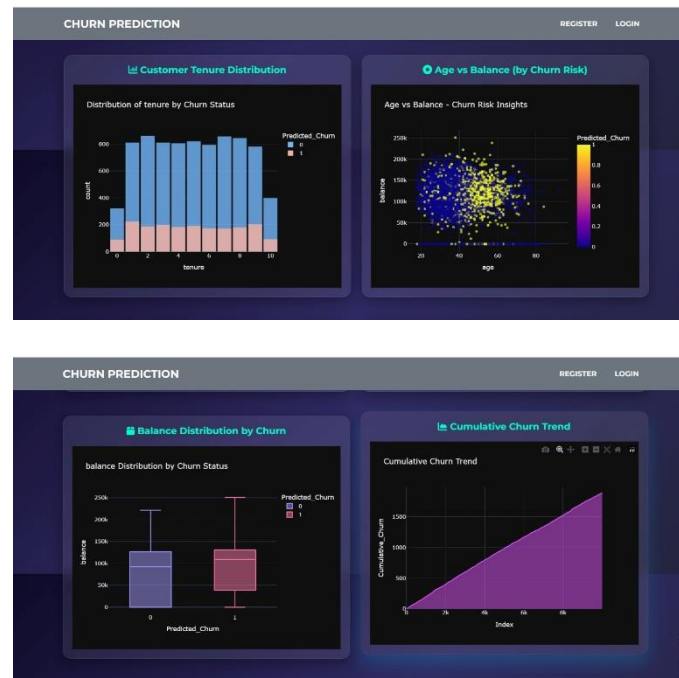
3. The system should process the uploaded data using Machine Learning and Deep Learning models to predict which customers are likely to leave.
4. The system should display the prediction results through interactive visualizations such as bar charts, pie charts, and growth graphs for easy understanding.
5. The system should automatically send personalized emails or discount offers to customers identified as “at-risk” to help improve retention.

NON FUNCTIONAL REQUIREMENTS

1. Performance: The system should process user data and give results quickly, even when analyzing multiple profiles at once. It must be optimized to handle large datasets without slowing down or crashing. Fast response time ensures a smooth user experience and efficient analysis.
2. Scalability: The system should be able to grow as the number of users and data increases. For example, if more social media platforms are added or the number of users rises, the system should continue to perform well without needing a complete redesign.
3. Security: Since the system deals with personal and social media data, it must ensure that all information is kept safe and private. Proper encryption, secure login, and restricted access should be used to prevent unauthorized users from accessing or misusing the data.
4. Usability: The interface should be simple, clear, and easy for anyone to use, even for users with little technical knowledge. All features should be well-organized, with instructions and visual indicators that make it easy to understand the results and navigate through the system.

IMPLEMENTATION





CONCLUSION

The Churn Prediction System provides an intelligent, data-driven solution to one of the most critical challenges faced by modern businesses—customer retention. By leveraging advanced Machine Learning and Deep Learning algorithms, the system effectively analyzes customer data to predict which customers are at risk of leaving. The interactive dashboard enables companies to visualize churn trends and gain meaningful insights into customer behavior, allowing for timely and informed decision-making. Additionally, the automated email notification feature helps in implementing personalized retention strategies, such as offering discounts or loyalty rewards, to encourage customers to stay. Overall, this system not only helps organizations reduce churn but also enhances customer satisfaction, strengthens brand loyalty, and supports long-term business growth. Through predictive analytics and automation, the Churn Prediction System demonstrates how technology can be harnessed to achieve sustainable success in today's competitive marketplace.

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