

SHapley Additive exPlanations (SHAP)

ML Models



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Topics Covered

- Background & overview of Shapley values
- Introduction to SHAP in machine learning
- Strengths & weaknesses of SHAP as a method of model interpretation
- How to interpret SHAP in One AI

Learning Outcomes

You will:

- Have a clear understanding of Shapley values & how they're adapted to provide interpretability in machine learning models through SHAP
- Understand how SHAP values are used to explain individual model predictions that can be aggregated to larger groupings
- Identify how One AI leverages the strengths & mitigates the weaknesses of SHAP
- Gain practical insights into interpreting SHAP visualizations available in the One AI Results Summary & model storyboards in One Model



Shapley Values Background & Overview



Shapley Values

- SHAP builds upon the concept of Shapley Values
- **Shapley values** are a concept from cooperative game theory that has been adapted to machine learning for **model interpretability**
 - Provide a clear, **numerical** way to assign a value or importance to each feature within a predictive model
 - Represents each feature's average contribution to model predictions across all possible feature combinations
 - Positive Shapley values indicate features that tend to increase predictions; negative values indicate features that tend to decrease predictions
 - Provide insights into **feature importance**



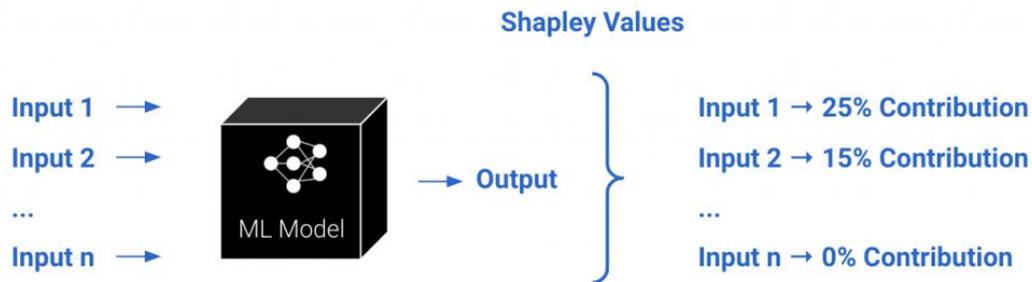
Intro to SHAP in Machine Learning



SHAP

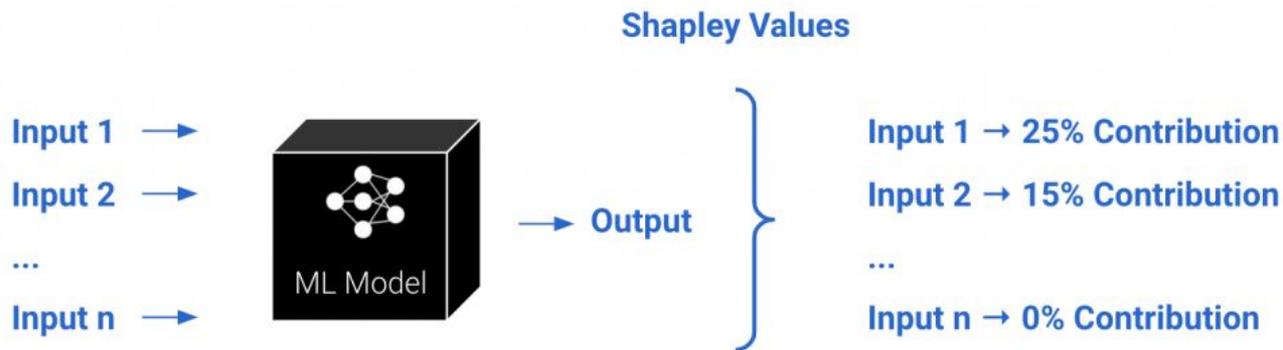
SHAP (**SH**apley **A**dditive **eX**planations) is a method used in machine learning to explain individual predictions made by models

- Machine learning models make predictions based on input features
- Explains why a specific prediction was made for a particular instance
- Can be aggregated to provide group insights



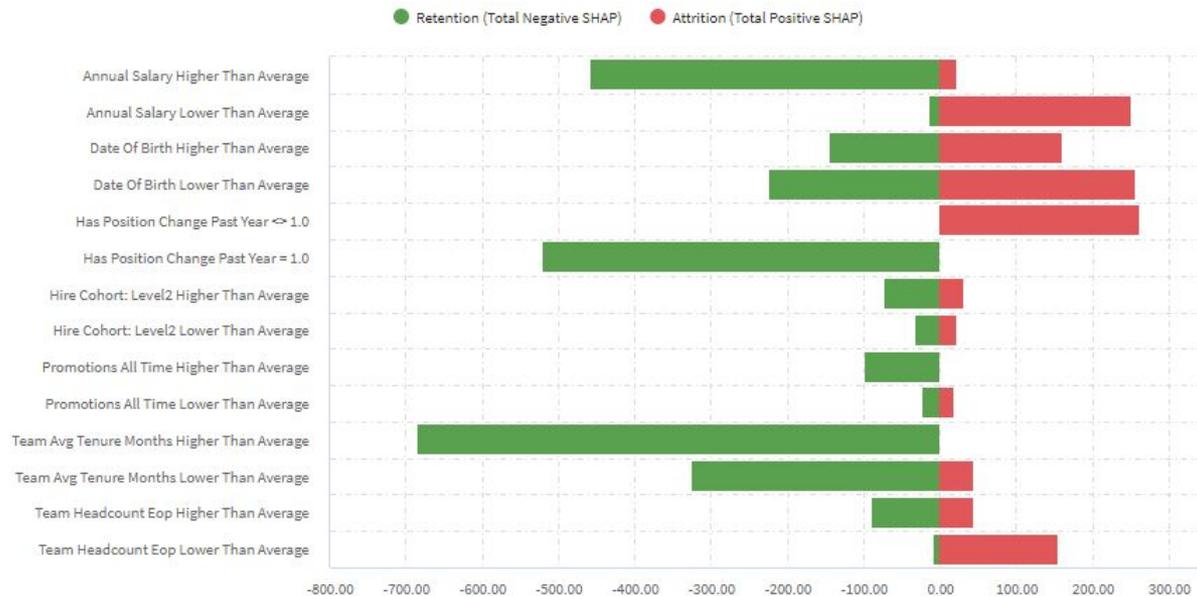
SHAP

- Systematically excludes different features & observes how this impacts predictions
- Considers all combinations of features & their contributions to predictions
- After evaluating the impact of each feature across combinations, SHAP aggregates the results to assign a Shapley value to each feature to fairly distribute importance values



SHAP

- SHAP values can be visualized to help interpret which features drive predictions up or down





Strengths & Weaknesses



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Strengths

- Promotes ethical AI
- Interpretability
- Feature Importance

Weaknesses

- Complexity of interpretation
- Time & resources
- Challenge visualizing very high-dimensional data

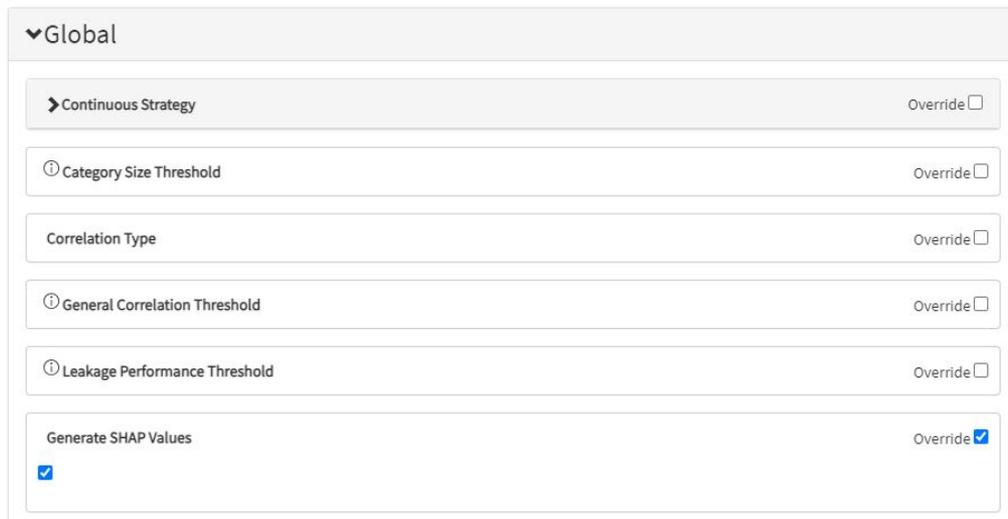


SHAP in One AI



SHAP in One AI

- Shap values are **not** generated by default
- Can be enabled by model in the global settings



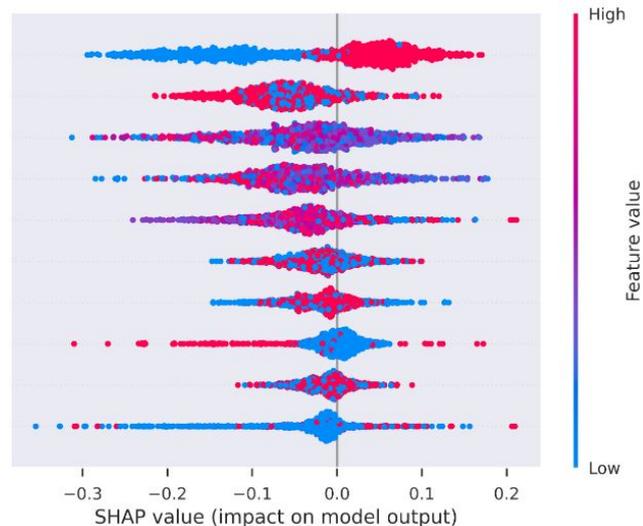
The screenshot displays the 'Global' settings panel in One AI. It features a list of configuration items, each with an 'Override' checkbox. The 'Generate SHAP Values' option is checked, indicating that SHAP values are enabled. Other settings include 'Continuous Strategy', 'Category Size Threshold', 'Correlation Type', 'General Correlation Threshold', and 'Leakage Performance Threshold', all of which are currently unchecked.

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Category Size Threshold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Correlation Type	<input type="checkbox"/>
General Correlation Threshold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Leakage Performance Threshold	<input type="checkbox"/>
Generate SHAP Values	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

SHAP Beeswarm Chart

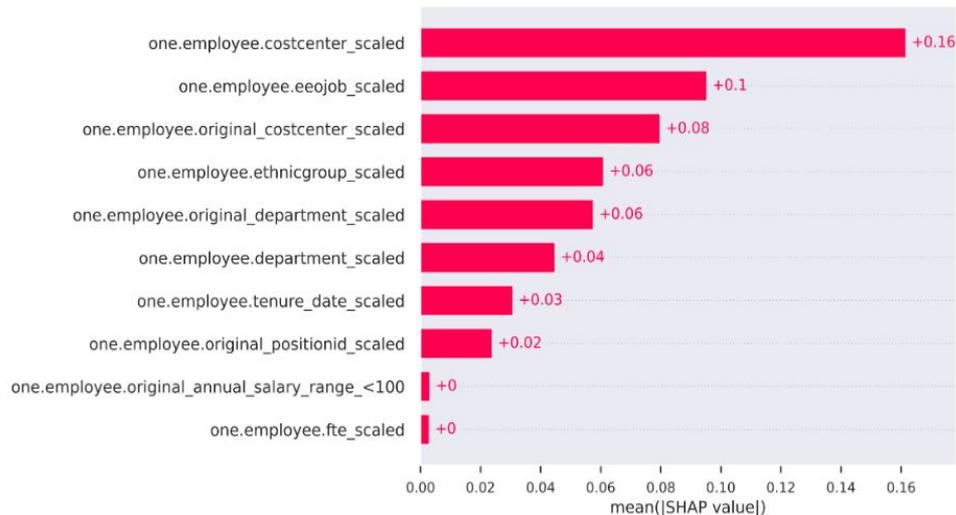
- A feature impact visualization where each SHAP numerical importance for every prediction is plotted as a dot
- The horizontal axis indicates how predictive that feature is for that instance & in what direction

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one.employee.hourly_rate_scaled
one.employee.date_of_birth_scaled
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one.employee.gender_Male
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Sum of 5 other features

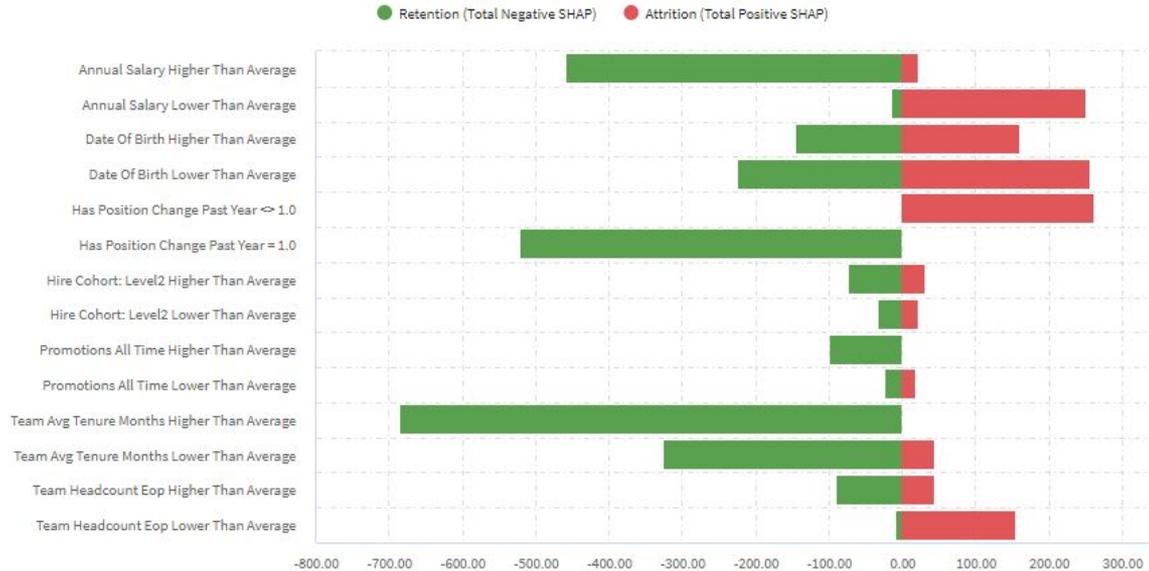


SHAP Average Bar Chart

- Shows the average absolute value of the SHAP values for each feature
- Great indicator of how important the feature was to this set of predictions but not whether the feature made a positive classification more likely



SHAP Values on Storyboard Tiles



- Tables must be configured by Data Engineer & model should be in a deployed status



Thanks for watching!

