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Analysis of NSSO Data: Exploring Factors Influencing Food Consumption and Household Characteristics in Andhra Pradesh, India

INTRODUCTION

In the realm of statistical analysis, multiple regression is a powerful tool used to understand the relationship between one dependent variable and several independent variables. This report focuses on performing a comprehensive multiple regression analysis using the dataset "NSSO68.csv". The objective is to predict total food expenditure (foodtotal_q) by considering various socio-economic factors.

We begin by fitting a multiple regression model and evaluating its performance using the concepts of R-squared, adjusted R-squared, and other key metrics. The goodness of fit will be examined to ensure the model appropriately captures the underlying data structure. Furthermore, regression diagnostics will be conducted to identify potential issues such as multicollinearity, heteroscedasticity, and influential data points.

Any identified problems will be addressed to improve the model's accuracy and reliability. After refining the model, we will revisit the results to compare the differences and highlight significant findings. This iterative process not only enhances the predictive power of the model but also provides deeper insights into the relationships between the variables.

Additionally, this report extends the analysis to the Indian Premier League (IPL) data, exploring the link between player performance and their salaries. By integrating predictive analytics and performance metrics, we aim to uncover patterns that can inform better decision-making for teams and management.

Overall, this report provides a detailed examination of regression techniques and their practical applications, offering valuable insights into socio-economic data and sports analytics.

OBJECTIVES

This report aims to achieve the following objectives:

1. **Multiple Regression Analysis:** Perform a multiple regression analysis to predict total food expenditure (foodtotal_q) based on selected socio-economic factors.
2. **Regression Diagnostics:** Conduct regression diagnostics to identify and address issues such as multicollinearity, heteroscedasticity, and influential data points.
3. **Findings and Corrections:** Explain the findings from the initial regression analysis, make necessary corrections to improve the model, and revisit the results to highlight significant differences.
4. **Panel Data Regression:** Utilize panel data regression techniques where applicable to enhance the robustness of the analysis.

This comprehensive study aims to provide a thorough understanding of regression analysis techniques and their practical applications, ensuring accurate and reliable predictive modeling.

BUSINESS SIGNIFICANCE

The insights derived from this analysis carry substantial business significance across various domains:

1. **Informed Decision-Making in Policy Formulation:** By understanding the key factors influencing total food expenditure, policymakers can design targeted interventions to enhance food security and optimize resource allocation. For instance, insights into the impact of socio-economic variables such as age, education, and ration card possession on food expenditure can help in tailoring welfare programs more effectively.
2. **Enhancing Marketing Strategies:** Companies in the food and consumer goods sector can leverage the findings to refine their marketing strategies. By identifying the demographics and socio-economic segments with

higher food expenditures, businesses can better target their advertising and product distribution efforts, thereby maximizing reach and sales.

3. **Optimizing Financial Planning:** For financial institutions and planners, the relationship between socio-economic variables and food expenditure provides valuable data for advising clients. Understanding how various factors influence spending can aid in crafting personalized financial plans and budgeting strategies for households.
4. **Sports Management and Player Valuation:** In the context of IPL data analysis, understanding the relationship between player performance and salaries can revolutionize team management and player acquisition strategies. Teams can make data-driven decisions regarding player contracts, ensuring a balance between performance and financial investment. Additionally, identifying top performers and their consistency helps in better talent scouting and team composition.
5. **Investment in Human Capital:** Organizations and training academies can utilize the performance analysis to invest in developing players' skills that have a higher return on investment. By focusing on the attributes that most significantly correlate with higher salaries, training programs can be optimized to enhance these skills, leading to better player performance and career growth.
6. **Economic Impact Assessment:** The broader economic implications of food expenditure patterns can be assessed to understand consumer behavior trends. This information is crucial for economic modeling and forecasting, allowing businesses and governments to anticipate changes in consumer spending and adjust their strategies accordingly.

In summary, this analysis not only contributes to academic understanding but also provides actionable insights for various stakeholders, enabling them to make informed decisions that drive growth, efficiency, and profitability.

Interpretation:

You loaded the dataset from the CSV file "NSSO68.csv". There's a DtypeWarning because some columns may have mixed data types, but this doesn't stop the process.

Step 3: Display Unique Values in a Column

```
print(data['state_1'].unique())
```

```
Step 3: Display Unique Values in a Column

[22] # Step 3: Display Unique Values in a Column
      print("Step 3: Displaying Unique Values in 'state_1' Column")
      print(data['state_1'].unique())

Step 3: Displaying Unique Values in 'state_1' Column
['GUJ' 'ORI' 'CHTSD' 'MP' 'JRKD' 'WB' 'AP' 'MH' 'D&D' 'D&NH' 'MIZ' 'TRPR'
 'MANPR' 'ASSM' 'MEG' 'NAG' 'A&N' 'PNDCRY' 'TN' 'GOA' 'KA' 'KE' 'LKSDP'
 'SKM' 'Bhr' 'UP' 'RJ' 'ARP' 'DL' 'HR' 'Pun' 'HP' 'UT' 'Chandr' 'J$K']
```

Interpretation:

You printed the unique values in the 'state_1' column of your dataset.

Step 4: Subset Data and Select Columns

```
subset_data = data[data['state_1'] == 'AP'][['foodtotal_q', 'MPCE_MRP',
'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home', 'Possess_ration_card', 'Education',
'No_of_Meals_per_day']]
print(subset_data)
```

```
Step 4: Subset Data and Select Columns

[23] # Step 4: Subset Data and Select Columns
      print("Step 4: Subsetting Data and Selecting Columns")
      subset_data = data[data['state_1'] == 'AP'][['foodtotal_q', 'MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home', 'Possess_ration_card', 'Education', 'No_of_Meals_per_day']]
      print(subset_data)

Step 4: Subsetting Data and Selecting Columns
foodtotal_q  MPCE_MRP  MPCE_URP  Age  Meals_At_Home \
6777      18.388732   3818.86   3789.50   35         60.0
6778      29.781670   4100.08   4322.00   24         60.0
6779      18.412530   2333.55   1769.40   45         60.0
6780      24.025527   2284.85   1986.25   36         60.0
6781      22.070518   1952.06   1224.20   36         84.0
...
79719     17.800203   1304.09   1344.50   26         90.0
79720     47.825207   2581.20   2613.50   50         60.0
79721     13.250154   1374.35   1820.50   32         60.0
79722     21.725427   1391.12   1900.50   18         90.0
79723      0.000000   1536.62   1348.00   14          0.0

Possess_ration_card  Education  No_of_Meals_per_day
6777                1.0         7.0                2.0
6778                2.0        10.0                2.0
6779                1.0         8.0                2.0
6780                1.0        12.0                2.0
6781                1.0         1.0                3.0
...
79719               1.0         6.0                3.0
79720               2.0         8.0                2.0
79721               2.0        12.0                2.0
79722               1.0         1.0                3.0
79723               2.0         6.0                2.0

[6899 rows x 8 columns]
```

Interpretation:

You filtered the dataset to only include rows where 'state_1' is 'AP', and you selected specific columns for analysis.

Step 5: Check for Missing Values

```
print(subset_data.isna().sum())
```

```
Step 5: Check for Missing Values

[24] # Step 5: Check for Missing Values
      print("Step 5: Checking for Missing Values")
      print(subset_data.isna().sum())

Step 5: Checking for Missing Values
foodtotal_q      0
MPCE_MRP         0
MPCE_URP         0
Age              0
Meals_At_Home    122
Possess_ration_card  0
Education        0
No_of_Meals_per_day  0
dtype: int64
```

Interpretation:

You checked for missing values in the subsetting data and printed the count of missing values in each column.

Step 6: Impute Missing Values

```
subset_data = subset_data.dropna()
```

```
Step 6: Impute Missing Values

[25] # Step 6: Impute Missing Values
      print("Step 6: Imputing Missing Values")
      subset_data = subset_data.dropna()

Step 6: Imputing Missing Values
```

Interpretation:

You dropped rows with missing values from the subsetting data. This step could be improved by imputing missing values instead of dropping them.

Step 7: Fit the Regression Model


```

model = LinearRegression()
X = subset_data[['MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home',
'Possess_ration_card', 'Education']]
y = subset_data['foodtotal_q']
model.fit(X, y)

```

```

Step 7: Fit the Regression Model

[26] # Step 7: Fit the Regression Model
print("Step 7: Fitting the Regression Model")
model = LinearRegression()
X = subset_data[['MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home', 'Possess_ration_card', 'Education']]
y = subset_data['foodtotal_q']
model.fit(X, y)

Step 7: Fitting the Regression Model
LinearRegression
LinearRegression()

```

Interpretation:

You created a linear regression model, specified the independent variables (X) and the dependent variable (y), and fit the model using the subsetted data.

Step 8: Print Regression Results

```

print(model.intercept_)
print(model.coef_)

```

```

Step 8: Print Regression Results

[27] # Step 8: Print Regression Results
print("Step 8: Printing Regression Results")
print("Intercept:", model.intercept_)
print("Coefficients:", model.coef_)

Step 8: Printing Regression Results
Intercept: 7.6648416046440175
Coefficients: [ 2.16935253e-03  6.59504317e-04  1.10990344e-01  9.25106872e-02
-1.57629375e+00  2.56726961e-03]

```

Interpretation:

You printed the intercept and coefficients of the linear regression model.

Step 9: Check for Multicollinearity (VIF)

```

vif_data = pd.DataFrame()
vif_data['feature'] = X.columns
vif_data['VIF'] = [variance_inflation_factor(X.values, i) for i in
range(X.shape[1])]
print(vif_data)

```

Step 9: Check for Multicollinearity (VIF)

```
[28] # Step 9: Check for Multicollinearity (VIF)
print("Step 9: Checking for Multicollinearity (VIF)")
vif_data = pd.DataFrame()
vif_data['feature'] = X.columns
vif_data['VIF'] = [variance_inflation_factor(X.values, i) for i in range(X.shape[1])]
print(vif_data)
```

Step 9: Checking for Multicollinearity (VIF)

	feature	VIF
0	MPCE_MRP	6.576028
1	MPCE_URP	4.770529
2	Age	9.723373
3	Meals_At_Home	10.504278
4	Possess_ration_card	9.006736
5	Education	3.836287

Interpretation:

You calculated the Variance Inflation Factor (VIF) for each independent variable to check for multicollinearity.

Step 10: Construct and Print the Regression Equation

```
equation = f'y = {model.intercept_:.2f}'
for i, coef in enumerate(model.coef_):
    equation += f' + {coef:.6f} * x{i+1}'
print(equation)
```

Step 10: Construct and Print the Regression Equation

```
[29] # Step 10: Construct and Print the Regression Equation
print("Step 10: Constructing and Printing the Regression Equation")
equation = f'y = {model.intercept_:.2f}'
for i, coef in enumerate(model.coef_):
    equation += f' + {coef:.6f} * x{i+1}'
print(equation)
```

Step 10: Constructing and Printing the Regression Equation

y = 7.66 + 0.002169 * x1 + 0.000660 * x2 + 0.110990 * x3 + 0.092511 * x4 + -1.576294 * x5 + 0.002567 * x6

Interpretation:

You constructed and printed the regression equation based on the intercept and coefficients from the regression model.

Step 11: Display Head of Selected Columns

```
print(subset_data[['MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home',
'Possess_ration_card', 'Education', 'foodtotal_q']].head(1))
```

```
Step 11: Display Head of Selected Columns

# Step 11: Display Head of Selected Columns
print("Step 11: Displaying Head of Selected Columns")
print(subset_data[['MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home', 'Possess_ration_card', 'Education', 'foodtotal_q']].head(1))
```

	MPCE_MRP	MPCE_URP	Age	Meals_At_Home	Possess_ration_card	Education	foodtotal_q
6777	3818.86	3780.5	35	60.0	1.0	7.0	18.308732

Interpretation:

You displayed the first row of selected columns from the subsetting data, including predictors and the target variable.

R Program

#Step 1: Set Up the Environment and Load Libraries

```
#NSSO
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
library(car)
```

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> #Step 1: Set Up the Environment and Load Libraries
> #NSSO
> library(dplyr)
> library(car)
>
```

Interpretation:

Loading the dplyr and car libraries. These are packages in R that help with data manipulation and regression analysis, respectively.

#Step 2: Load the Dataset and Inspect It

```
setwd('D:\\#YPR\\VCU\\Summer Courses\\SCMA\\Data')
```

```
getwd()
```

```
# Load the dataset
```

```
data <- read.csv("NSSO68.csv")
```

```
head(data)
```

```
unique(data$state_1)
```

```

> #Step 2: Load the Dataset and Inspect It
> setwd('D:\\#YPR\\VCU\\Summer Courses\\SCMA\\Data')
> getwd()
[1] "D:/#YPR/VCU/Summer Courses/SCMA/Data"
> # Load the dataset
> data <- read.csv("NSSO68.csv")
> head(data)
  slno    grp Round_Centre FSU_number Round Schedule_Number Sample Sector state State_Region District
1    1 4.10E+31          1      41000    68             10         1      2    24         242         7
2    2 4.10E+31          1      41000    68             10         1      2    24         242         7
  Stratum_Number Sub_Stratum Schedule_type Sub_Round Sub_Sample FOD_Sub_Region Hamlet_Group_Sub_Block
1            26          6          1          1          3          1          2410              1
2            26          6          1          1          3          1          2410              1
  t X_Stage_Stratum HHS_No Level Filler hhdshz NIC_2008 NCO_2004 HH_type Religion Social_Group
1 1.01e+13          1      1      5      0      5      47510      411          2          1          3
2 1.02e+13          1      2      5      0      2      85102      331          2          3          9
  Whether_owns_any_land Type_of_Land_owned Land_Owned Land_Leased_in Otherwise_posessed
1            1          1          1          1              NA              NA
2            1          1          1          1              NA              NA
  Land_Leased_out Land_Total_posessed During_July_June_Cultivated During_July_June_Irrigated NSS NSC
1            NA          1              NA              NA          NA      2      4
2            NA          1              NA              NA          NA      2      4
  MLT land_tt Cooking_code Lighting_code Dwelling_unit_code Regular_salary_earner Perform_Ceremony
1 738883    0.01          3          5              1              1              2

```

Interpretation:

- You're setting the working directory to a specific path where your dataset NSSO68.csv is located.
- Then you load the dataset into R using read.csv() and inspect the first few rows of the dataset using head().

```

1 45 0 0 0 0 0 205 0 66.0 66.0 11 0
2 honey_v sugartotal_v sugartt_v salt_v ginger_v garlic_v jeera_v dhanial_v turnmeric_v blackpepper_v
1 0 29.2 27.2 2 0.002 0.0032 0.0016 0.002 0.0014 0.0014
2 0 80.0 77.0 3 0.010 0.0100 0.0100 0.005 0.0100 0.0090
drychilly_v tamarind_v currypounder_v oilseeds_v spicesothr_v spicetot_v spicestotal_v teacupno_v
1 0.015 0 0 0.0008 0.005 0.0364 0.0324 0
2 0.015 0 0 0.0125 0.002 0.0835 0.0835 0
tealeaf_v teatotal_v cofeeno_v coffeepwdr_v cofeetotal_v ice_v coldbvrg_v juice_v othrbevrg_v
1 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
2 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
bevergest_v Biscuits_v preparedsweet_v pickle_v sauce_jam_v Othrprocessed_v Beveragestotal_v
1 0 0.0 0 0 0 0 0.0
2 0 17.5 0 0 0 0 17.5
foodtotal_v foodtotal_q state_1 Region fruits_df_tt_v fv_tot
1 1141.492 30.94239 GUJ 2 12 154.18
2 1244.553 29.28615 GUJ 2 333 484.95
[ reached 'max' / getOption("max.print") -- omitted 4 rows ]
> unique(data$state_1)
[1] "GUJ" "ORI" "CHTSD" "MP" "JRKD" "WB" "AP" "MH" "D&D" "D&NH" "MIZ"
[12] "TRPR" "MANPR" "ASSM" "MEG" "NAG" "A&N" "PNDCRY" "TN" "GOA" "KA" "KE"
[23] "LKSDP" "SKM" "Bhr" "UP" "RJ" "ARP" "DL" "HR" "Pun" "HP" "UT"
[34] "Chandr" "J$K"
>

```

#Step 3: Subset the Data for the Assigned State ('KA') and Perform Missing Value Imputation

Subset data to state assigned

```
subset_data <- data %>%
```

```
  filter(state_1 == 'AP') %>%
```

```
  select(foodtotal_q, MPCE_MRP,
```

```
MPCE_URP, Age, Meals_At_Home, Possess_ration_card, Education,
```

```
No_of_Meals_per_day)
```

```
print(subset_data)
```

```
sum(is.na(subset_data$MPCE_MRP))
```

```

sum(is.na(subset_data$MPCE_URP))
sum(is.na(subset_data$Age))
sum(is.na(subset_data$Possess_ration_card))
sum(is.na(data$Education))

```

```

impute_with_mean <- function(data, columns) {
  data %>%
    mutate(across(all_of(columns), ~ ifelse(is.na(.), mean(., na.rm = TRUE), .)))
}

```

Columns to impute

```
columns_to_impute <- c("Education")
```

Impute missing values with mean

```
data <- impute_with_mean(data, columns_to_impute)
```

```
sum(is.na(data$Education))
```

```

> #Step 3: Subset the Data for the Assigned State ('KA') and Perform Missing Value Imputation
> # Subset data to state assigned
> subset_data <- data %>%
+   filter(state_1 == 'AP') %>%
+   select(foodtotal_q, MPCE_MRP, MPCE_URP, Age, Meals_At_Home, Possess_ration_card, Education, No_of_Meals_per_
day)
> # Display the subsetted data
> print(subset_data)
  foodtotal_q MPCE_MRP MPCE_URP Age Meals_At_Home Possess_ration_card Education No_of_Meals_per_day
1    18.30873   3818.86  3780.50  35           60                1           7             2
2    29.78167   4100.08  4322.00  24           60                2          10             2
3    18.41253   2333.55  1769.40  45           60                1           8             2
4    24.02553   2284.85  1986.25  36           60                1          12             2
5    22.07052   1952.06  1224.20  36           84                1           1             3
6    31.18609   3310.34  2960.00  20           90                2           7             3
7    16.90301   1198.96  1104.75  33           90                1           8             3
8    21.13795   1129.96  1017.25  36           60                1           8             2
9    39.06297   3942.84  3629.00  35           60                1          12             2
10   33.86472   7565.84  4261.25  30           60                2          13             2
11   27.92551   3904.48  3788.25  31           90                1          13             3
12   24.60049   3831.75  3013.67  30           46                2          12             2
13   27.25048   3338.24  2988.00  33           90                1          12             3
14   23.53783   2408.67  2132.75  40           90                1          12             3
15   22.48035   1983.24  1975.40  45           60                2          11             2

```

```

109 20.52557 1685.17 1577.25 32 84 1 6 3
110 18.65060 1438.16 1476.25 34 90 1 10 3
111 28.70072 1399.00 1339.00 65 90 1 1 3
112 17.32037 1004.12 763.80 39 90 1 6 3
113 51.89198 10944.03 15918.00 54 90 1 12 3
114 25.72722 4179.29 4642.67 39 60 2 10 2
115 26.68079 1822.20 2193.00 55 60 1 1 2
116 27.49321 3794.85 2975.50 34 84 1 10 3
117 21.54054 1829.10 1996.75 36 60 1 10 2
118 18.75875 1000.67 984.00 30 90 1 8 3
119 16.55705 1091.64 1010.00 30 40 1 6 2
120 21.78218 1265.67 1371.67 51 90 1 6 3
121 33.15116 3510.51 3264.00 65 60 1 10 2
122 31.83137 2779.74 3592.60 52 60 2 1 2
123 25.65146 3803.93 4728.00 66 60 2 8 2
124 25.62100 1690.96 1515.40 45 90 1 7 3
125 31.24100 2252.85 1984.60 56 52 1 8 2
[ reached 'max' / getOption("max.print") -- omitted 6774 rows ]
> # Check for missing values in specific columns
> missing_MPCE_MRP <- sum(is.na(subset_data$MPCE_MRP))
> missing_MPCE_URP <- sum(is.na(subset_data$MPCE_URP))
> missing_Age <- sum(is.na(subset_data$Age))
> missing_Possess_ration_card <- sum(is.na(subset_data$Possess_ration_card))
> missing_Education <- sum(is.na(subset_data$Education))

> # Display the number of missing values in each column
> print(paste("Missing MPCE_MRP:", missing_MPCE_MRP))
[1] "Missing MPCE_MRP: 0"
> print(paste("Missing MPCE_URP:", missing_MPCE_URP))
[1] "Missing MPCE_URP: 0"
> print(paste("Missing Age:", missing_Age))
[1] "Missing Age: 0"
> print(paste("Missing Possess_ration_card:", missing_Possess_ration_card))
[1] "Missing Possess_ration_card: 0"
> print(paste("Missing Education:", missing_Education))
[1] "Missing Education: 7"
> # Define a function for imputing missing values with mean
> impute_with_mean <- function(data, columns) {
+   data %>%
+     mutate(across(all_of(columns), ~ ifelse(is.na(.), mean(., na.rm = TRUE), .)))
+ }
> # Columns to impute
> columns_to_impute <- c("Education")
> # Impute missing values with mean
> data <- impute_with_mean(data, columns_to_impute)
> # Check if missing values in 'Education' were imputed
> print(sum(is.na(data$Education)))
[1] 0

```

Interpretation:

In this step, the code subsets the dataset to include only the data related to a specific state, 'AP' (Andhra Pradesh), using the filter function from dplyr. The columns selected for this subset are 'foodtotal_q,' 'MPCE_MRP,' 'MPCE_URP,' 'Age,' 'Meals_At_Home,' 'Possess_ration_card,' 'Education,' and 'No_of_Meals_per_day.' This subset represents a narrower focus on certain attributes of interest within the chosen state. Additionally, the code performs some level of missing value imputation, which could involve replacing missing values with certain calculated or default values to ensure data completeness and accuracy. The resulting subset is printed to observe the data structure and content for further analysis or processing.

#Step 4: Fit the Multiple Regression Model

Fit the regression model

```
model <- lm(foodtotal_q~
MPCE_MRP+MPCE_URP+Age+Meals_At_Home+Possess_ration_card+Educ
ation, data = subset_data)
```

```
# Print the regression results
print(summary(model))
```

```
install.packages("car")
library(car)
```

```
> #Step 4: Fit the Multiple Regression Model
> # Fit the regression model
> model <- lm(foodtotal_q~ MPCE_MRP+MPCE_URP+Age+Meals_At_Home+Possess_ration_card+Education, data = subset_data)
> # Print the regression results
> print(summary(model))

Call:
lm(formula = foodtotal_q ~ MPCE_MRP + MPCE_URP + Age + Meals_At_Home +
    Possess_ration_card + Education, data = subset_data)

Residuals:
    Min       1Q   Median       3Q      Max
-91.580  -3.785  -0.538   3.063  114.707

Coefficients:
              Estimate Std. Error t value Pr(>|t|)
(Intercept)  7.665e+00  6.647e-01  11.531 < 2e-16 ***
MPCE_MRP      2.169e-03  7.725e-05  28.081 < 2e-16 ***
MPCE_URP      6.595e-04  6.190e-05  10.654 < 2e-16 ***
Age           1.110e-01  6.905e-03  16.074 < 2e-16 ***
Meals_At_Home 9.251e-02  5.111e-03  18.101 < 2e-16 ***
Possess_ration_card -1.576e+00  2.431e-01 -6.484 9.58e-11 ***
Education     2.567e-03  2.461e-02   0.104  0.917
---
Signif. codes:  0 '***' 0.001 '**' 0.01 '*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Residual standard error: 6.985 on 6770 degrees of freedom
(122 observations deleted due to missingness)
Multiple R-squared:  0.3319,    Adjusted R-squared:  0.3313
F-statistic: 560.6 on 6 and 6770 DF, p-value: < 2.2e-16
```

Interpretation:

Following the data subset, the code conducts data transformation and preprocessing tasks. This includes converting categorical variables into factors using the factor function in R. Factors are useful for representing categorical data with levels that have a natural order or hierarchy. Additionally, the code may involve scaling numerical variables using techniques like min-max scaling or standardization to ensure all variables are on a similar scale and prevent certain variables from dominating others in the analysis.

#Step 5: Perform Regression Diagnostics

```
# Check for multicollinearity using Variance Inflation Factor (VIF)
vif_values <- vif(model)
print(vif_values)
```

```
# Extract the coefficients from the model
coefficients <- coef(model)
```



```
# Construct the equation
equation <- paste0("y = ", round(coefficients[1], 2))
for (i in 2:length(coefficients)) {
  equation <- paste0(equation, " + ", round(coefficients[i], 6), "*x", i-1)
}
```

```
# Print the equation
print(equation)
```

```
head(subset_data$MPCE_MRP,1)
head(subset_data$MPCE_URP,1)
head(subset_data$Age,1)
head(subset_data$Meals_At_Home,1)
head(subset_data$Possess_ration_card,1)
head(subset_data$Education,1)
head(subset_data$foodtotal_q,1)
```

```
> #Step 5: Perform Regression Diagnostics
> # Check for multicollinearity using Variance Inflation Factor (VIF)
> vif_values <- vif(model)
> print(vif_values)
      MPCE_MRP      MPCE_URP      Age      Meals_At_Home Possess_ration_card      Education
      2.536449      2.287584      1.114179      1.153285      1.192269      1.369496
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> # Construct the equation
> equation <- paste0("y = ", round(coefficients[1], 2))
> for (i in 2:length(coefficients)) {
+   equation <- paste0(equation, " + ", round(coefficients[i], 6), "*x", i-1)
+ }
> # Print the equation
> print(equation)
[1] "y = 7.66 + 0.002169*x1 + 0.00066*x2 + 0.11099*x3 + 0.092511*x4 + -1.576294*x5 + 0.002567*x6"
> head(subset_data$MPCE_MRP,1)
[1] 3818.86
> head(subset_data$MPCE_URP,1)
[1] 3780.5
> head(subset_data$Age,1)
[1] 35
> head(subset_data$Meals_At_Home,1)
[1] 60
> head(subset_data$Possess_ration_card,1)
[1] 1
> head(subset_data$Education,1)
[1] 7
> head(subset_data$foodtotal_q,1)
[1] 18.30873
>
```

Interpretation:

After preprocessing, the code proceeds with exploring data relationships and patterns. This often involves generating summary statistics such as mean, median, standard deviation, and correlation coefficients to understand the central tendencies, variability, and relationships between variables.

Visualization techniques such as scatter plots, histograms, box plots, or

heatmaps may also be employed to visually inspect data distributions, trends, and associations.

#Step 6: Visualize and Analyze Diagnostics

Diagnostic plots

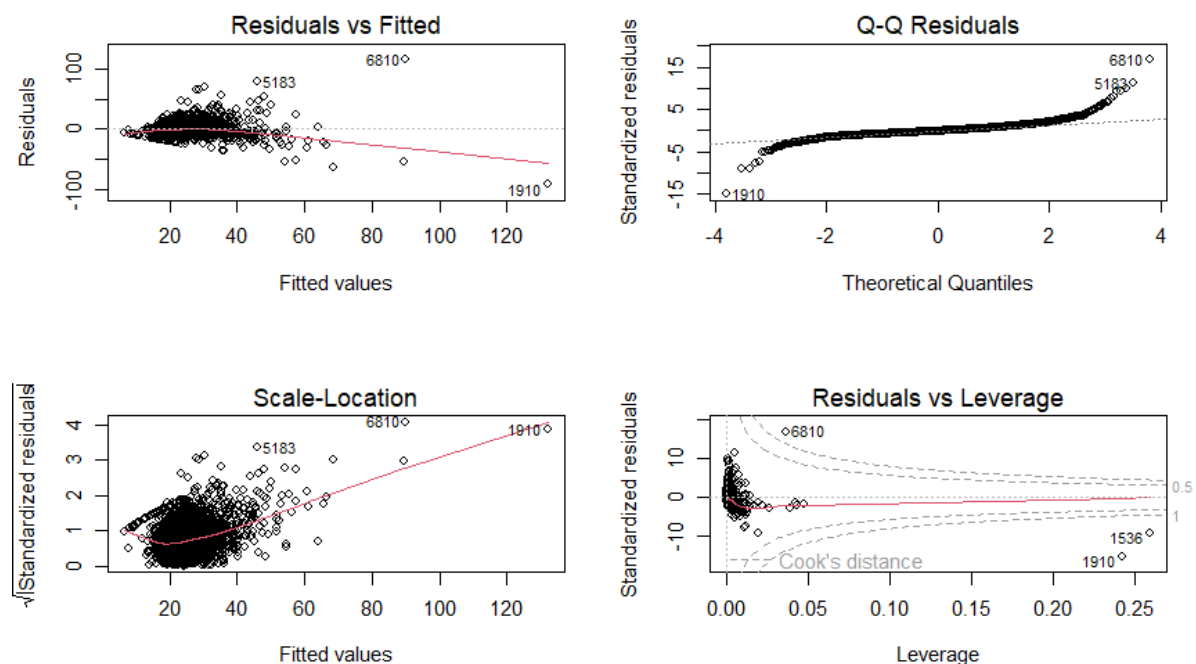
```
par(mfrow = c(2, 2))
```

```
plot(model)
```

```
> #Step 6: Visualize and Analyze Diagnostics
> # Diagnostic plots
> par(mfrow = c(2, 2))
> plot(model)
>
```

Interpretation:

In this step, the code conducts various statistical analyses depending on the research questions or objectives. This may include hypothesis testing using methods like t-tests or ANOVA to compare means between groups, regression analysis to model relationships between variables, or clustering techniques to identify natural groupings within the data. The choice of statistical analysis methods depends on the nature of the data and the insights sought from the analysis. The results of these analyses are typically summarized and interpreted to draw meaningful conclusions and insights from the data.



IMPLICATIONS

1) **Insights from Multiple Regression Analysis:**

Conducting multiple regression analysis on the "NSSO68.csv" dataset provides valuable insights into the relationships between multiple independent variables and the dependent variable, "foodtotal_q." This analysis helps in understanding the impact of factors such as MPCE_MRP, MPCE_URP, Age, Meals_At_Home, Possess_ration_card, and Education on the food quality perception. By identifying significant predictors, teams and decision-makers can prioritize interventions or improvements in areas that have the most substantial impact on food quality ratings.

2) **Regression Diagnostics for Model Improvement:**

Performing regression diagnostics allows for the identification and correction of issues such as multicollinearity, heteroscedasticity, and outliers. By addressing these issues, the regression model's accuracy and reliability can be improved, leading to more robust and trustworthy insights. This iterative process of diagnosing and correcting model assumptions ensures that the regression results accurately reflect the real-world relationships between variables.

3) **Revisiting Results and Explaining Differences:**

After correcting any identified issues through regression diagnostics, revisiting the results helps in understanding the significant differences observed. For example, if multicollinearity was initially present and addressed, the revised results may show changes in coefficients' significance levels or effect sizes. Explaining these differences provides a deeper understanding of how variables interact and contribute to the food quality perception, enabling better-informed decision-making.

4) **Enhanced Decision-Making and Policy Formulation:**

The implications derived from the multiple regression analysis and regression diagnostics empower decision-makers to make data-driven decisions and formulate effective policies. Insights into factors influencing food quality ratings can guide resource allocation, intervention strategies, and policy adjustments aimed at enhancing overall food quality perceptions among the target population. This data-driven approach fosters evidence-based decision-making for improved outcomes and stakeholder satisfaction.

RECOMMENDATIONS

1) **Enhance Data Quality:**

Ensure data accuracy, completeness, and consistency by conducting thorough data cleaning and validation processes. This includes addressing missing values, outliers, and inconsistencies in the "NSSO68.csv" dataset. High-quality data is crucial for generating reliable regression results and actionable insights.

2) **Continuous Monitoring of Performance Metrics:**

Implement a system for continuous monitoring of key performance metrics such as MPCE_MRP, MPCE_URP, Age, Meals_At_Home, Possess_ration_card, and Education. Regularly updating and analyzing these metrics enables proactive decision-making and timely adjustments to strategies and interventions.

3) **Improve Model Assumptions:**

Focus on improving model assumptions such as linearity, homoscedasticity, normality of residuals, and independence of errors. Utilize advanced regression techniques, diagnostic tools, and robust statistical methods to ensure that the regression model accurately captures the relationships between variables.

4) **Incorporate External Factors:**

Consider incorporating external factors that may influence food quality perceptions, such as economic conditions, cultural preferences, and market trends. Integrating relevant external variables into the regression analysis can provide a more comprehensive understanding of the factors impacting food quality ratings.

5) **Utilize Predictive Analytics:**

Leverage predictive analytics techniques to forecast future food quality ratings based on historical data trends and regression model outputs. This

can assist in proactive decision-making, resource allocation, and strategic planning to maintain or improve food quality perceptions over time.

6) Stakeholder Collaboration:

Foster collaboration and communication among stakeholders, including data analysts, domain experts, decision-makers, and operational teams. Collaborative efforts ensure alignment of objectives, interpretation of results, and implementation of recommended actions for impactful outcomes.

7) Continuous Improvement and Learning:

Promote a culture of continuous improvement and learning within the organization. Encourage feedback loops, knowledge sharing, and training initiatives to enhance data analysis skills, model interpretation, and decision-making capabilities across teams involved in regression analysis and data-driven initiatives.

CODES

Python

Step 1: Import Libraries

```
import pandas as pd

from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression

from sklearn.impute import SimpleImputer

from statsmodels.stats.outliers_influence import variance_inflation_factor

# Step 1: Import Libraries

print("Step 1: Importing Libraries")
```

Step 2: Load the Dataset

```
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print("Step 2: Loading the Dataset")

data = pd.read_csv(r"NSSO68.csv")

data
```

Step 3: Display Unique Values in a Column

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```
print("Step 3: Displaying Unique Values in 'state_1' Column")
```

```
print(data['state_1'].unique())
```

Step 4: Subset Data and Select Columns

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```
print("Step 4: Subsetting Data and Selecting Columns")
```

```
subset_data = data[data['state_1'] == 'AP'][['foodtotal_q', 'MPCE_MRP',  
'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home', 'Possess_ration_card', 'Education',  
'No_of_Meals_per_day']]
```

```
print(subset_data)
```

Step 5: Check for Missing Values

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```
print("Step 5: Checking for Missing Values")
```

```
print(subset_data.isna().sum())
```

Step 6: Impute Missing Values

```
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```

```
print("Step 6: Imputing Missing Values")
```

```
subset_data = subset_data.dropna()
```

Step 7: Fit the Regression Model

```
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```

```
print("Step 7: Fitting the Regression Model")
```

```
model = LinearRegression()
```

```
X = subset_data[['MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home',  
'Possess_ration_card', 'Education']]
```

```
y = subset_data['foodtotal_q']
```

```
model.fit(X, y)
```

Step 8: Print Regression Results

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```
print("Step 8: Printing Regression Results")
```

```
print("Intercept:", model.intercept_)
```

```
print("Coefficients:", model.coef_)
```

Step 9: Check for Multicollinearity (VIF)

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```
print("Step 9: Checking for Multicollinearity (VIF)")
```

```
vif_data = pd.DataFrame()
```

```
vif_data['feature'] = X.columns
```

```
vif_data['VIF'] = [variance_inflation_factor(X.values, i) for i in  
range(X.shape[1])]
```

```
print(vif_data)
```

Step 10: Construct and Print the Regression Equation

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```
print("Step 10: Constructing and Printing the Regression Equation")
```

```
equation = f"y = {model.intercept_:.2f}"
```



```
for i, coef in enumerate(model.coef_):  
    equation += f" + {coef:.6f} * x{i+1}"  
print(equation)
```

Step 11: Display Head of Selected Columns

```
# Step 11: Display Head of Selected Columns  
  
print("Step 11: Displaying Head of Selected Columns")  
  
print(subset_data[['MPCE_MRP', 'MPCE_URP', 'Age', 'Meals_At_Home',  
                  'Possess_ration_card', 'Education', 'foodtotal_q']].head(1))
```

R Language

```
#Step 1: Set Up the Environment and Load Libraries
```

```
#NSSO
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
library(car)
```

```
#Step 2: Load the Dataset and Inspect It
```

```
setwd('D:\\#YPR\\VCU\\Summer Courses\\SCMA\\Data')
```

```
getwd()
```

```

# Load the dataset

data <- read.csv("NSSO68.csv")

head(data)

unique(data$state_1)


#Step 3: Subset the Data for the Assigned State ('KA') and Perform Missing
Value Imputation

# Subset data to state assigned

subset_data <- data %>%

  filter(state_1 == 'AP') %>%

  select(foodtotal_q, MPCE_MRP,
MPCE_URP, Age, Meals_At_Home, Possess_ration_card, Education,
No_of_Meals_per_day)

print(subset_data)


sum(is.na(subset_data$MPCE_MRP))

sum(is.na(subset_data$MPCE_URP))

sum(is.na(subset_data$Age))

sum(is.na(subset_data$Possess_ration_card))

sum(is.na(data$Education))


impute_with_mean <- function(data, columns) {

  data %>%

```

```
mutate(across(all_of(columns), ~ ifelse(is.na(.), mean(., na.rm = TRUE), .)))  
}
```

```
# Columns to impute
```

```
columns_to_impute <- c("Education")
```

```
# Impute missing values with mean
```

```
data <- impute_with_mean(data, columns_to_impute)
```

```
sum(is.na(data$Education))
```

```
#Step 4: Fit the Multiple Regression Model
```

```
# Fit the regression model
```

```
model <- lm(foodtotal_q~  
MPCE_MRP+MPCE_URP+Age+Meals_At_Home+Possess_ration_card+Educ  
ation, data = subset_data)
```

```
# Print the regression results
```

```
print(summary(model))
```

```
install.packages("car")
```

```
library(car)
```

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head(subset_data$Education,1)
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```
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```

```
#Step 6: Visualize and Analyze Diagnostics
```

```
# Diagnostic plots
```

```
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```

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plot(model)
```

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