

Analysis of Unicorn Companies

- The dataset contains 1074 records of private companies in different countries with a valuation of over 1 billion as of March 2022. It includes the current valuation, funding, country of origin, industry, select investor and the years they were founded and year they became unicorns.

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In [15]: #import the necessary libraries  
import numpy as np  
import pandas as pd  
import seaborn as sns  
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv  
unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv(r'C:\Users\adora\OneDrive\Desktop\Quantum Analytics'  
unicorn_analysis
```

Out[15]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Fu
0	Bytedance	\$180B	07/04/2017	Artificial intelligence	Beijing	China	Asia	2012	
1	SpaceX	\$100B	01/12/2012	Other	Hawthorne	United States	North America	2002	
2	SHEIN	\$100B	03/07/2018	E- commerce & direct- to- consumer	Shenzhen	China	Asia	2008	
3	Stripe	\$95B	23/01/2014	Fintech	San Francisco	United States	North America	2010	
4	Klarna	\$46B	12/12/2011	Fintech	Stockholm	Sweden	Europe	2005	
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1069	Zhaogang	\$1B	29/06/2017	E- commerce & direct- to- consumer	Shanghai	China	Asia	2012	
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	\$1B	18/04/2017	E- commerce & direct- to- consumer	Beijing	China	Asia	2015	
1071	Zihaiguo	\$1B	06/05/2021	Consumer & retail	Chongqing	China	Asia	2018	
1072	Zopa	\$1B	19/10/2021	Fintech	London	United Kingdom	Europe	2005	
1073	Zwift	\$1B	16/09/2020	E- commerce & direct- to- consumer	Long Beach	United States	North America	2014	

1074 rows × 10 columns



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In [2]: #import the necessary libraries
import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
```

In [12]: `unicorn_analysis.tail()`

Out[12]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Funding
1069	Zhaogang	\$1B	2017-06-29	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shanghai	China	Asia	2012	\$379M
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	\$1B	2017-04-18	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Beijing	China	Asia	2015	\$990M
1071	Zihaiguo	\$1B	2021-05-06	Consumer & retail	Chongqing	China	Asia	2018	\$80M
1072	Zopa	\$1B	2021-10-19	Fintech	London	United Kingdom	Europe	2005	\$792M
1073	Zwift	\$1B	2020-09-16	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Long Beach	United States	North America	2014	\$620M

Data cleaning and manipulation

In [13]: *#shape of the data*
`unicorn_analysis.shape`

Out[13]: (1074, 10)

In [15]: *#check the columns*
`unicorn_analysis.columns`

Out[15]: Index(['Company', 'Valuation', 'Date Joined', 'Industry', 'City', 'Country', 'Continent', 'Year Founded', 'Funding', 'Select Investors'], dtype='object')

In [17]: *#check the data types*
`unicorn_analysis.dtypes`

Out[17]: Company object
Valuation object
Date Joined object
Industry object
City object
Country object
Continent object
Year Founded int64
Funding object
Select Investors object
dtype: object

In [18]: *#info about the data*
unicorn_analysis.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 1074 entries, 0 to 1073
Data columns (total 10 columns):
Column Non-Null Count Dtype
--- ---
0 Company 1074 non-null object
1 Valuation 1074 non-null object
2 Date Joined 1074 non-null object
3 Industry 1074 non-null object
4 City 1058 non-null object
5 Country 1074 non-null object
6 Continent 1074 non-null object
7 Year Founded 1074 non-null int64
8 Funding 1074 non-null object
9 Select Investors 1073 non-null object
dtypes: int64(1), object(9)
memory usage: 84.0+ KB

In [19]: *#check if there are missing values in the data*
unicorn_analysis.isnull()

Out[19]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Funding	Select Investors
0	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
1	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
2	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
3	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
4	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
...
1069	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
1070	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
1071	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
1072	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False
1073	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False

1074 rows × 10 columns

In [20]: *# double check if there are missing values in the data*
unicorn_analysis.isna()

Out[20]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Funding	Se Inves
0	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
1	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
2	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
3	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
4	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
...	
1069	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
1070	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
1071	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
1072	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	False	
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In [21]:

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# refine check, look through all columns and sum any missing values
unicorn_analysis.isnull().sum()
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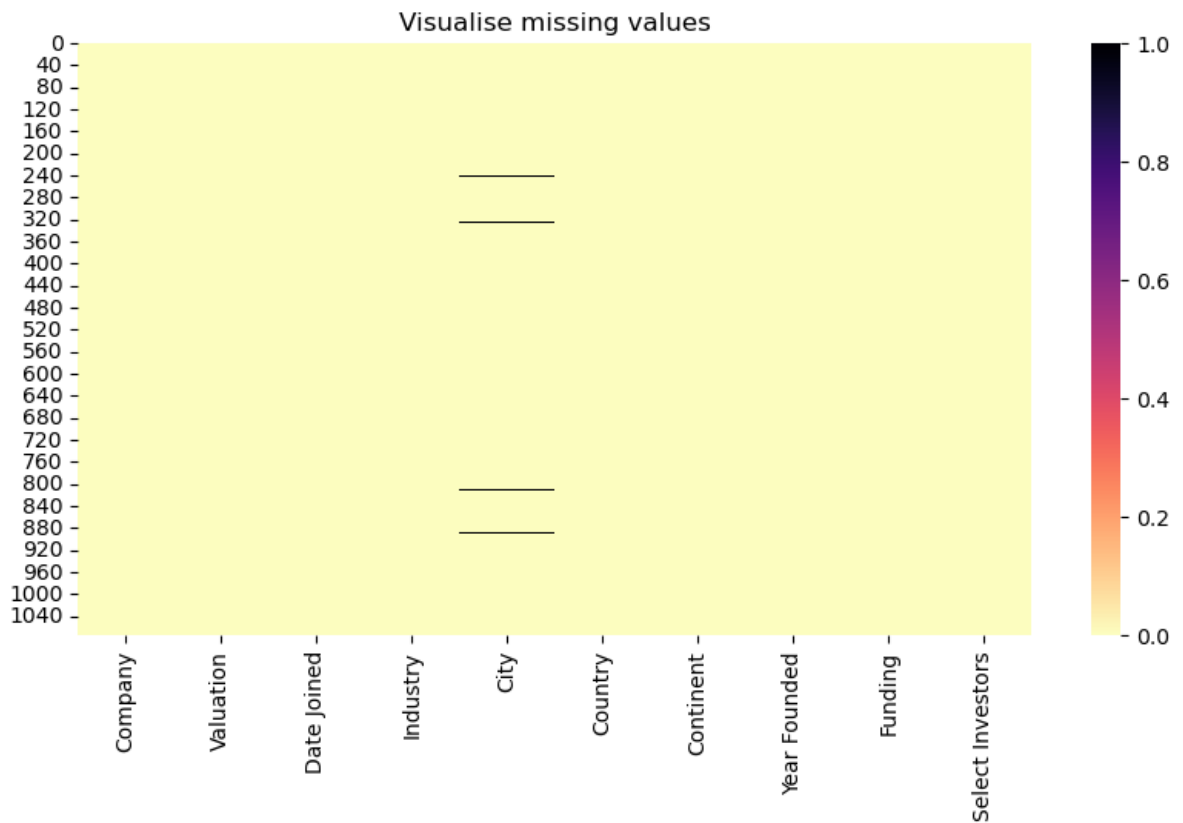
Out[21]:

Company	0
Valuation	0
Date Joined	0
Industry	0
City	16
Country	0
Continent	0
Year Founded	0
Funding	0
Select Investors	1

dtype: int64

In [27]:

```
#visualise the patterns of missing values
plt.figure(figsize = (10, 5))
plt.title ('Visualise missing values')
sns.heatmap(unicorn_analysis.isnull(),cbar= True, cmap = 'magma_r')
plt.show()
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In [29]: #Descriptive statistical analysis (numerical variables only)
unicorn_analysis.describe().astype('int')
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Out[29]:
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	Year Founded
count	1074
mean	2012
std	5
min	1919
25%	2011
50%	2014
75%	2016
max	2021

Exploratory Data Analysis of Unicorn Companies

Univariate Analysis

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In [38]: # How many cities are industry hubs?
Count_city = unicorn_analysis.value_counts()
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In [40]: #plotting a bar chart
#Ax=count_city.plot(kind = 'bar', figsize = (10, 5), title = 'Cities and industry hubs',
#ylabel = 'Count of industry hubs', Legend = False)

#annotate chart
#ax.bar_label(ax.containers[0], label_type = 'edge')
# pad spacing between the number and edge of the figure
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#ax.margins(y = 0.1)
#plt.show()
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In [41]: #count the number of unique cities and the corresponding industries
#df = unicorn_analysis
#city_industry_counts = df.groupby('City')['Industry'].nunique().reset_index()
#city_industry_counts.columns = ['City', 'Number of Industries']
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In [42]: city_industry_counts = unicorn_analysis.groupby('City')['Industry'].nunique().reset_index()
city_industry_counts.columns = ['City', 'Industry Hubs']
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In [44]: city_industry_counts = unicorn_analysis.groupby('City')['Industry'].nunique().reset_index()
city_industry_counts.columns = ['City', 'Number of Industries']
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In [45]: # Group the data by city and industry and count the unique industries for each city
city_industry_counts = unicorn_analysis.groupby('City')['Industry'].nunique().reset_index()
city_industry_counts.columns = ['City', 'Number of Industries']
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In [47]: city_industry_groups = unicorn_analysis.groupby('City')['Industry'].unique()
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In [48]: #check The first five rows
unicorn_analysis.head()
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Out[48]:
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In [55]: city_industry_groups = unicorn_analysis.groupby('City')['Industry'].unique()
industry_hubs = city_industry_groups[city_industry_groups.apply(lambda x: len(x) > 1)]
industry_hub_table = pd.DataFrame(industry_hubs).reset_index()
industry_hub_table.columns = ['City', 'Industries']
print("Cities that are industry hubs:")
print(industry_hub_table)
```

Cities that are industry hubs:

	City	Industries
0	Amsterdam	[Fintech, Mobile & telecommunications, Hardwar...
1	Atlanta	[Internet software & services, Hardware, Finte...
2	Austin	[Internet software & services, Fintech, E-comm...
3	Bangkok	[Fintech, Supply chain, logistics, & delivery]
4	Beijing	[Artificial intelligence, Edtech, Consumer & r...
..
90	Washington	[Other, Internet software & services]
91	Washington DC	[Artificial intelligence, Internet software & ...
92	Waterloo	[Cybersecurity, Internet software & services]
93	Wuhan	[Auto & transportation, E-commerce & direct-to...
94	Zurich	[Fintech, Supply chain, logistics, & delivery]

[95 rows x 2 columns]

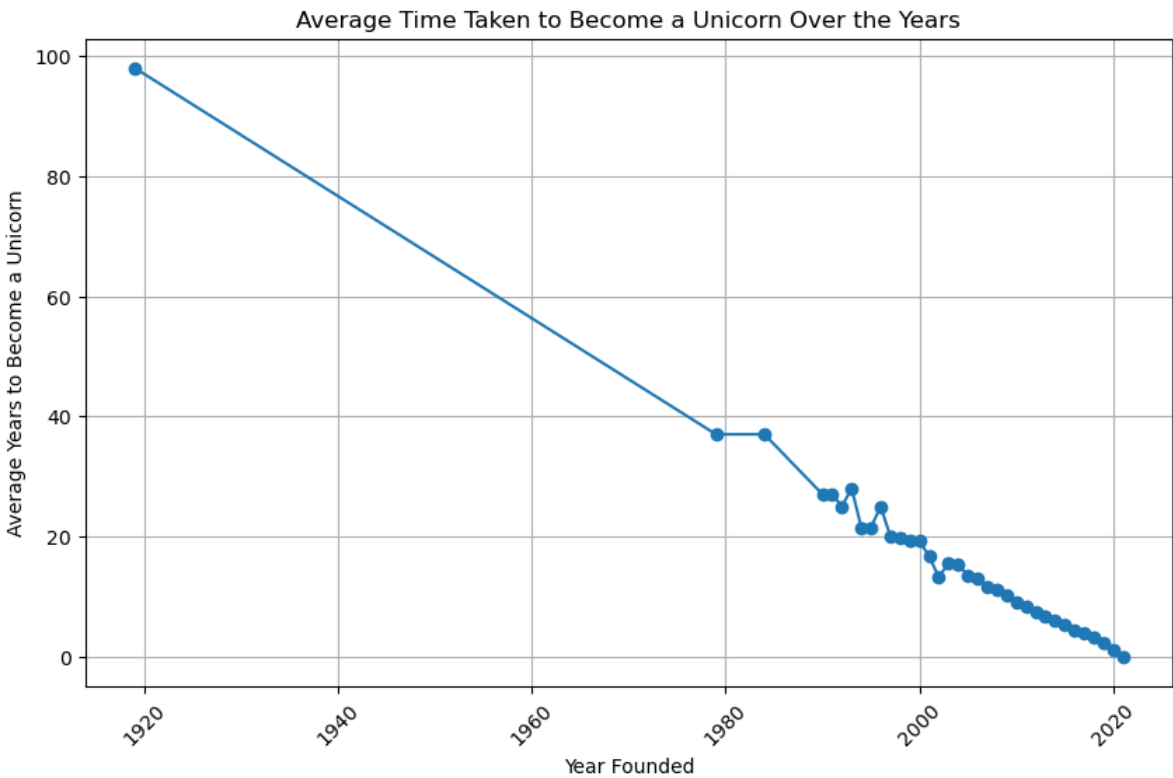
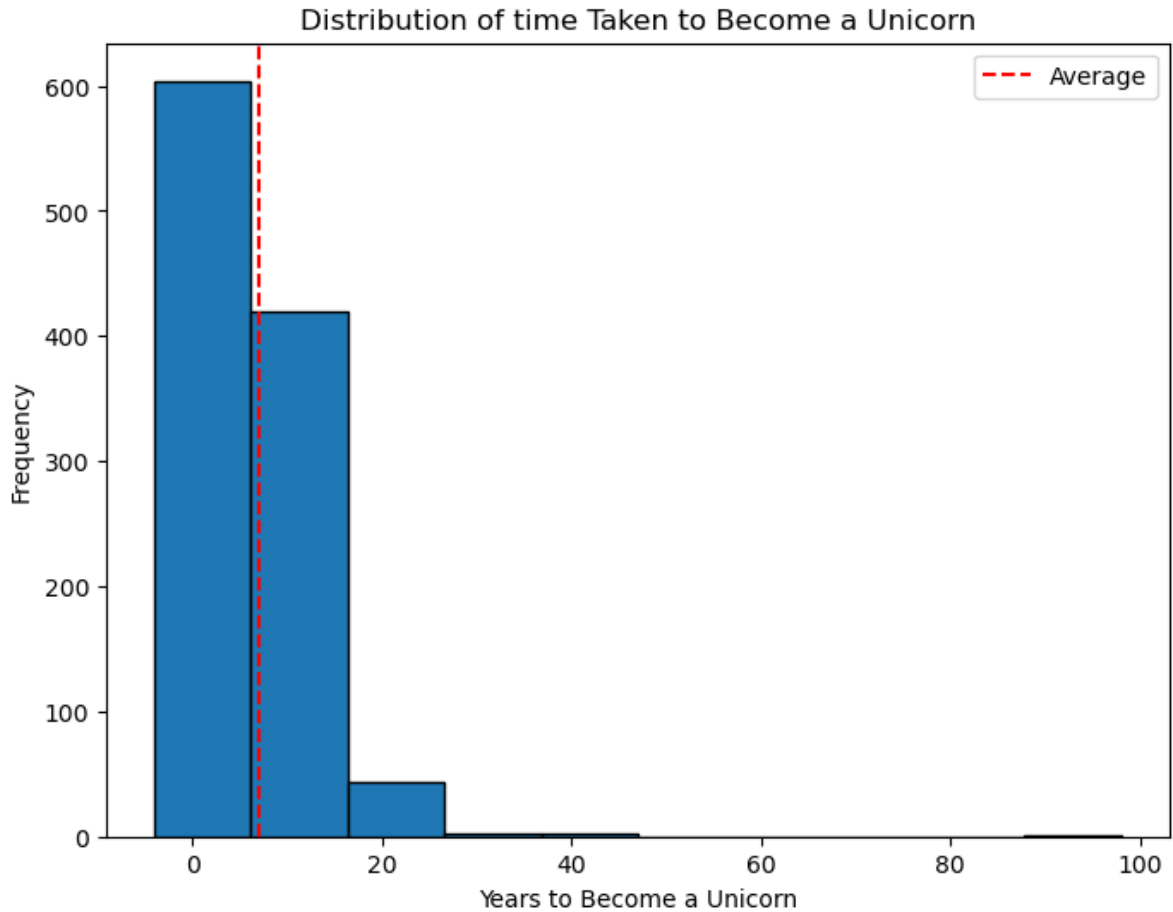
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In [1]: ## To check how long it takes a company to become a unicorn and if the pattern has
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In [13]: unicorn_analysis['Date Joined'] = pd.to_datetime(unicorn_analysis['Date Joined'], format='%Y-%m-%d')
unicorn_analysis['Years to Unicorn'] = unicorn_analysis['Date Joined'].dt.year - unicorn_analysis['Year Founded']
average_years_to_unicorn = unicorn_analysis['Years to Unicorn'].mean()
```

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In [17]: # Plot the distribution of years taken to become a unicorn
unicorn_analysis['Date Joined'] = pd.to_datetime(unicorn_analysis['Date Joined'], format='%Y-%m-%d')
unicorn_analysis['Years to Unicorn'] = unicorn_analysis['Date Joined'].dt.year - unicorn_analysis['Year Founded']
average_years_to_unicorn = unicorn_analysis['Years to Unicorn'].mean()
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
plt.hist(unicorn_analysis['Years to Unicorn'], bins=10, edgecolor='black')
plt.axvline(average_years_to_unicorn, color='red', linestyle='--', label='Average')
plt.xlabel('Years to Become a Unicorn')
plt.ylabel('Frequency')
plt.title('Distribution of time Taken to Become a Unicorn')
plt.legend()
plt.show()

# Group the data by the year founded and calculate the average time taken to become a unicorn
average_years_by_year = unicorn_analysis.groupby('Year Founded')['Years to Unicorn'].mean()

# Plot the average time taken to become a unicorn over the years
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
plt.plot(average_years_by_year['Year Founded'], average_years_by_year['Years to Unicorn'], color='blue')
plt.xlabel('Year Founded')
plt.ylabel('Average Years to Become a Unicorn')
plt.title('Average Time Taken to Become a Unicorn Over the Years')
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.grid(True)
plt.show()
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In [ ]: ##This code first converts the "Date Joined" column to a datetime format. It then c
## Next, it plots a histogram to show the distribution of the years taken to become
## Finally, the code groups the data by the year founded and calculates the average
##These visualizations and calculations will provide insights into how long it typ
## a unicorn
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In []: `## To count the number of unicorn companies in each country, i use value_counts()`

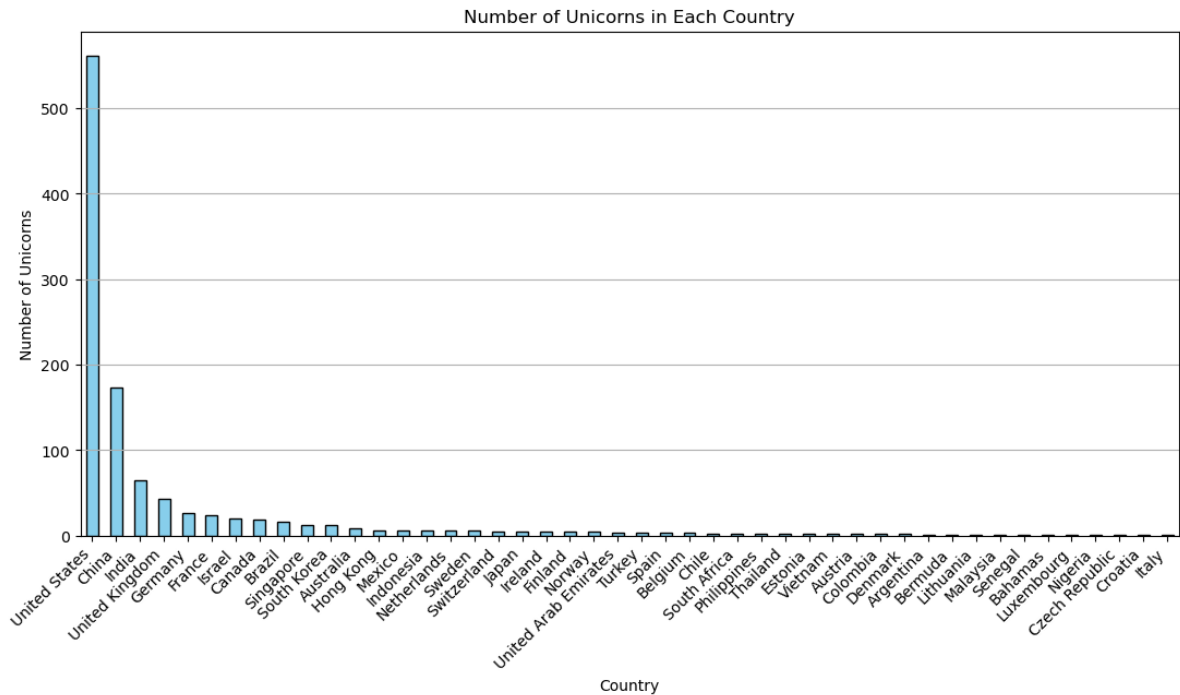
In [11]: `unicorn_analysis.head()`

Out[11]:

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In []:

In [16]: `unicorns_by_country = unicorn_analysis['Country'].value_counts()
plt.figure(figsize=(13, 6))
unicorns_by_country.plot(kind='bar', color='skyblue', edgecolor='black')
plt.xlabel('Country')
plt.ylabel('Number of Unicorns')
plt.title('Number of Unicorns in Each Country')
plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right', fontsize=10)
plt.grid(axis='y')
plt.show()`



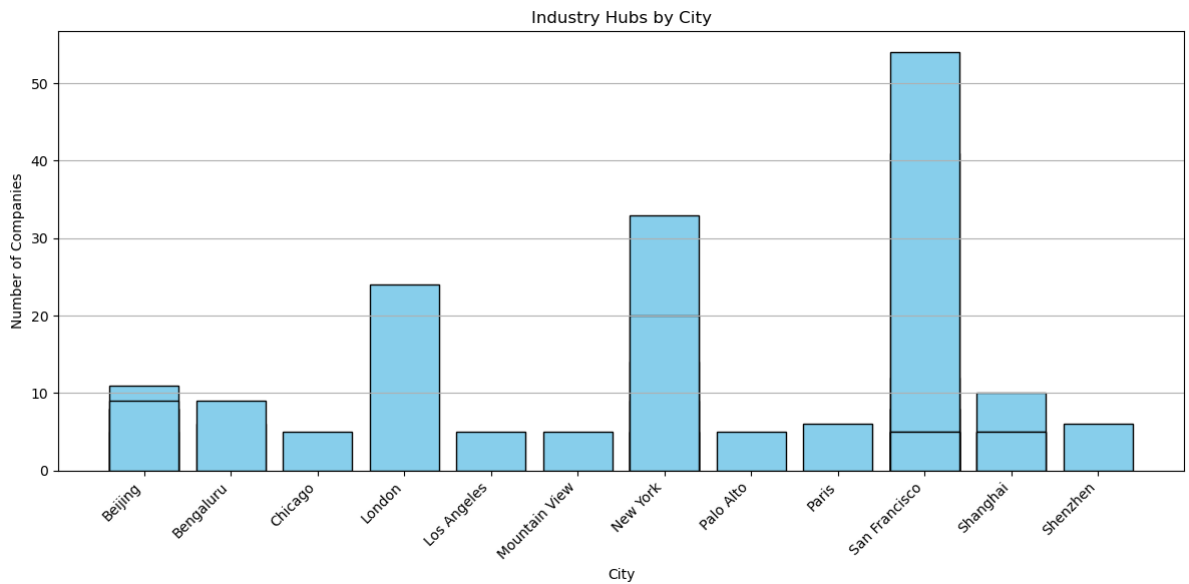
```
In [ ]: #Cities that are industry hubs
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In [17]: industry_hubs = unicorn_analysis.groupby(['City', 'Industry']).size().reset_index()
threshold = 5
industry_hubs = industry_hubs[industry_hubs['Count'] >= threshold]
print(industry_hubs[['City', 'Industry', 'Count']])
```

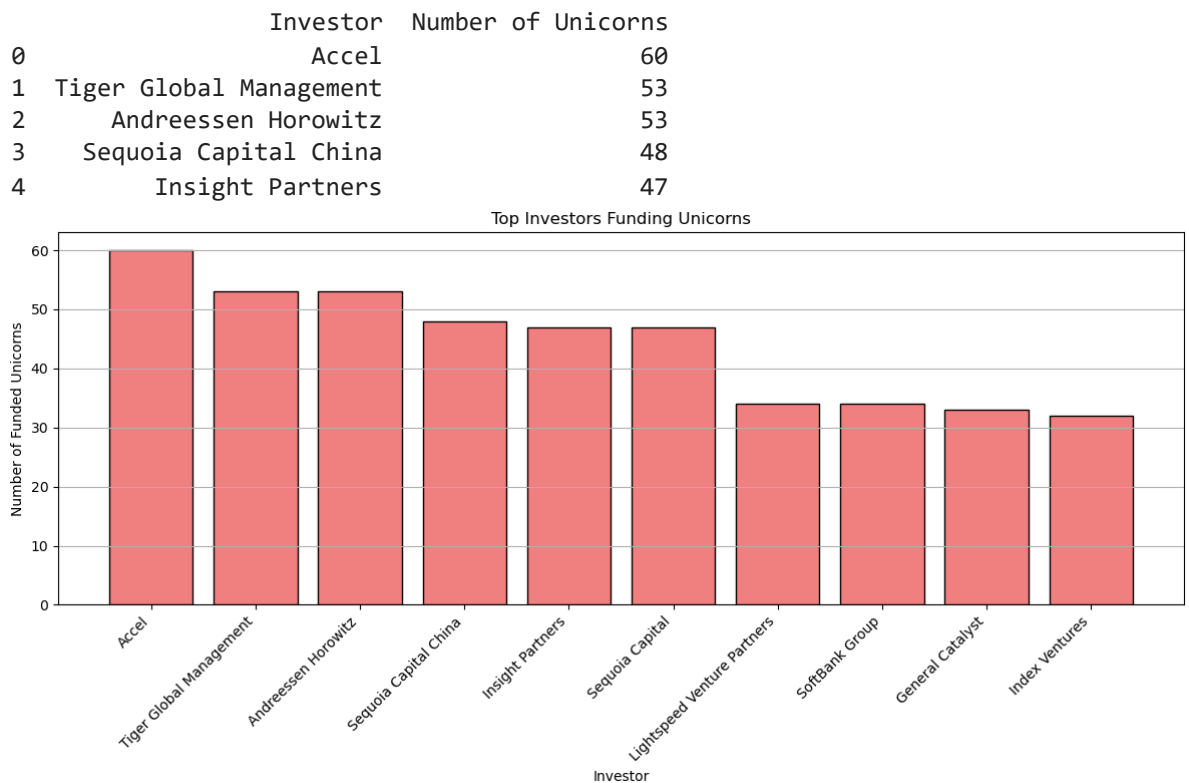
	City	Industry	Count
28	Beijing	Artificial intelligence	8
31	Beijing	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	11
32	Beijing	Edtech	8
36	Beijing	Internet software & services	5
37	Beijing	Mobile & telecommunications	9
48	Bengaluru	Fintech	6
50	Bengaluru	Internet software & services	9
122	Chicago	Internet software & services	5
252	London	Fintech	24
264	Los Angeles	Fintech	5
296	Mountain View	Artificial intelligence	5
321	New York	Artificial intelligence	5
324	New York	Cybersecurity	9
326	New York	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	5
328	New York	Fintech	33
330	New York	Health	14
331	New York	Internet software & services	20
353	Palo Alto	Internet software & services	5
358	Paris	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	6
404	San Francisco	Artificial intelligence	8
405	San Francisco	Consumer & retail	5
406	San Francisco	Cybersecurity	8
408	San Francisco	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	5
410	San Francisco	Fintech	41
412	San Francisco	Health	12
413	San Francisco	Internet software & services	54
414	San Francisco	Mobile & telecommunications	5
416	San Francisco	Supply chain, logistics, & delivery	5
463	Shanghai	Auto & transportation	10
465	Shanghai	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	5
472	Shanghai	Supply chain, logistics, & delivery	5
476	Shenzhen	Hardware	6

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In [18]: industry_hubs = unicorn_analysis.groupby(['City', 'Industry']).size().reset_index(
threshold = 5
industry_hubs = industry_hubs[industry_hubs['Count'] >= threshold]
print(industry_hubs[['City', 'Industry', 'Count']])
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6)) # Adjust the figure size for better visualization
plt.bar(industry_hubs['City'], industry_hubs['Count'], color='skyblue', edgecolor=
plt.xlabel('City')
plt.ylabel('Number of Companies')
plt.title('Industry Hubs by City')
plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right', fontsize=10)
plt.grid(axis='y')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```

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```
In [23]: unicorn_analysis.dropna(subset=['Select Investors'], inplace=True)
unicorn_analysis['Select Investors'] = unicorn_analysis['Select Investors'].apply(
investor_lists = unicorn_analysis['Select Investors'].explode().reset_index(drop=True)
investor_counts = investor_lists.value_counts().reset_index()
investor_counts.columns = ['Investor', 'Number of Unicorns']
print(investor_counts.head())
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
plt.bar(investor_counts['Investor'][:10], investor_counts['Number of Unicorns'][:10])
plt.xlabel('Investor')
plt.ylabel('Number of Funded Unicorns')
plt.title('Top Investors Funding Unicorns')
plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right', fontsize=10)
plt.grid(axis='y')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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In [ ]: # Drop rows with missing "Select Investors" data
unicorn_analysis.dropna(subset=['Select Investors'], inplace=True)
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# Explode the lists to create a flat list of all investors
investor_lists = unicorn_analysis['Select Investors'].explode().reset_index(drop=True)

# Count the occurrences of each investor
investor_counts = investor_lists.value_counts().reset_index()
investor_counts.columns = ['Investor', 'Number of Unicorns']

# Display the investors with the most funded unicorns
print(investor_counts.head())

# Plot the result as a pie chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 8))
plt.pie(investor_counts['Number of Unicorns'][:10], labels=investor_counts['Investor'][:10], autopct='%1.1f%%')
plt.axis('equal')
plt.title('Top Investors Funding Unicorns')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

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In [27]: # Descriptive statistics for numerical columns
numerical_stats = unicorn_analysis.describe()
print(numerical_stats)

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               Year Founded
count      1073.000000
mean       2012.89562
std         5.70123
min        1919.000000
25%        2011.000000
50%        2014.000000
75%        2016.000000
max        2021.000000

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Observation

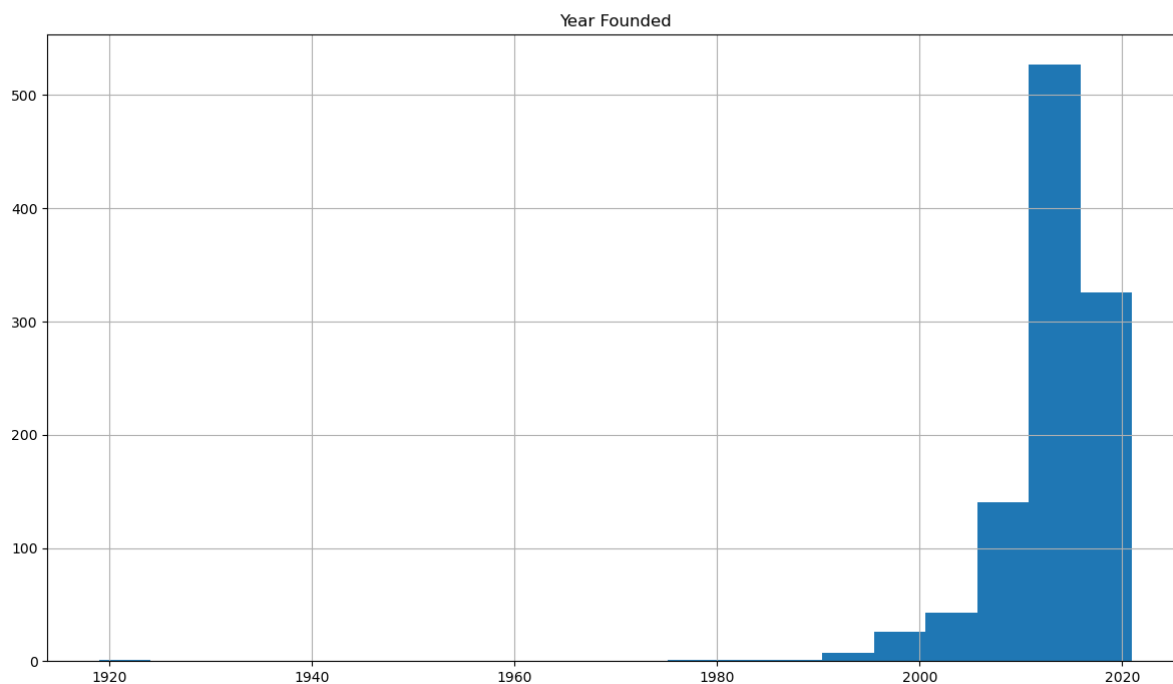
- The oldest company was founded in 1919

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In [28]: # Histograms for numerical columns
unicorn_analysis.hist(figsize=(12, 8), bins=20)
plt.suptitle("Univariate Analysis: Histograms", fontsize=16)
plt.tight_layout(rect=[0, 0.03, 1, 0.95])
plt.show()

```

Univariate Analysis: Histograms



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In [29]: # Value counts for categorical columns
categorical_columns = ['Industry', 'City', 'Country', 'Continent']
for column in categorical_columns:
    value_counts = unicorn_analysis[column].value_counts()
    print(f"\nValue counts for {column}:")
    print(value_counts)
```

Value counts for Industry:

Fintech	224
Internet software & services	205
E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	111
Health	74
Artificial intelligence	73
Other	58
Supply chain, logistics, & delivery	57
Cybersecurity	50
Data management & analytics	41
Mobile & telecommunications	37
Hardware	34
Auto & transportation	31
Edtech	28
Consumer & retail	25
Travel	14
Artificial Intelligence	11
Name: Industry, dtype: int64	

Value counts for City:

San Francisco	152
New York	103
Beijing	63
Shanghai	43
London	34
...	
Santa Barbara	1
Altrincham	1
Northbrook	1
Cincinnati	1
Milpitas	1
Name: City, Length: 256, dtype: int64	

Value counts for Country:

United States	562
China	172
India	65
United Kingdom	43
Germany	26
France	24
Israel	20
Canada	19
Brazil	16
Singapore	12
South Korea	12
Australia	8
Hong Kong	6
Mexico	6
Indonesia	6
Netherlands	6
Sweden	6
Switzerland	5
Japan	5
Ireland	5
Finland	4
Norway	4
United Arab Emirates	3
Turkey	3
Spain	3
Belgium	3
Chile	2
South Africa	2
Philippines	2
Thailand	2


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Estonia                2
Vietnam                2
Austria                2
Colombia               2
Denmark               2
Argentina              1
Bermuda                1
Lithuania              1
Malaysia               1
Senegal                1
Bahamas                1
Luxembourg             1
Nigeria               1
Czech Republic        1
Croatia                1
Italy                  1
Name: Country, dtype: int64

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Value counts for Continent:
North America    589
Asia             309
Europe           143
South America    21
Oceania           8
Africa            3
Name: Continent, dtype: int64

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Observation

- United States has the largest Unicorns while 20% of companies listed are in the Fintech industry

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In [6]: unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv(r'C:\Users\adora\OneDrive\Desktop\Quantum Analytics\
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Observation

- United States has the largest Unicorns

```
In [11]: # Insight 1: Total number of unicorn companies in the dataset
total_unicorns = len(unicorn_analysis)
print(f"Insight 1: Total number of unicorn companies: {total_unicorns}")
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Insight 1: Total number of unicorn companies: 1074

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In [13]: # Insight 2: Countries with the most unicorn companies
most_unicorns_countries = unicorn_analysis["Country"].value_counts().head(3)
print("Insight 3: Countries with the most unicorn companies:")
print(most_unicorns_countries)
```

Insight 3: Countries with the most unicorn companies:

United States	562
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China	173
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India	65
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Name: Country, dtype: int64

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In [16]: # Insight 3: Industries with the most unicorn companies
most_unicorns_industries = unicorn_analysis["Industry"].value_counts().head(3)
print("Insight 3: Industries with the most unicorn companies:")
print(most_unicorns_industries)
```

Insight 3: Industries with the most unicorn companies:

Fintech	224
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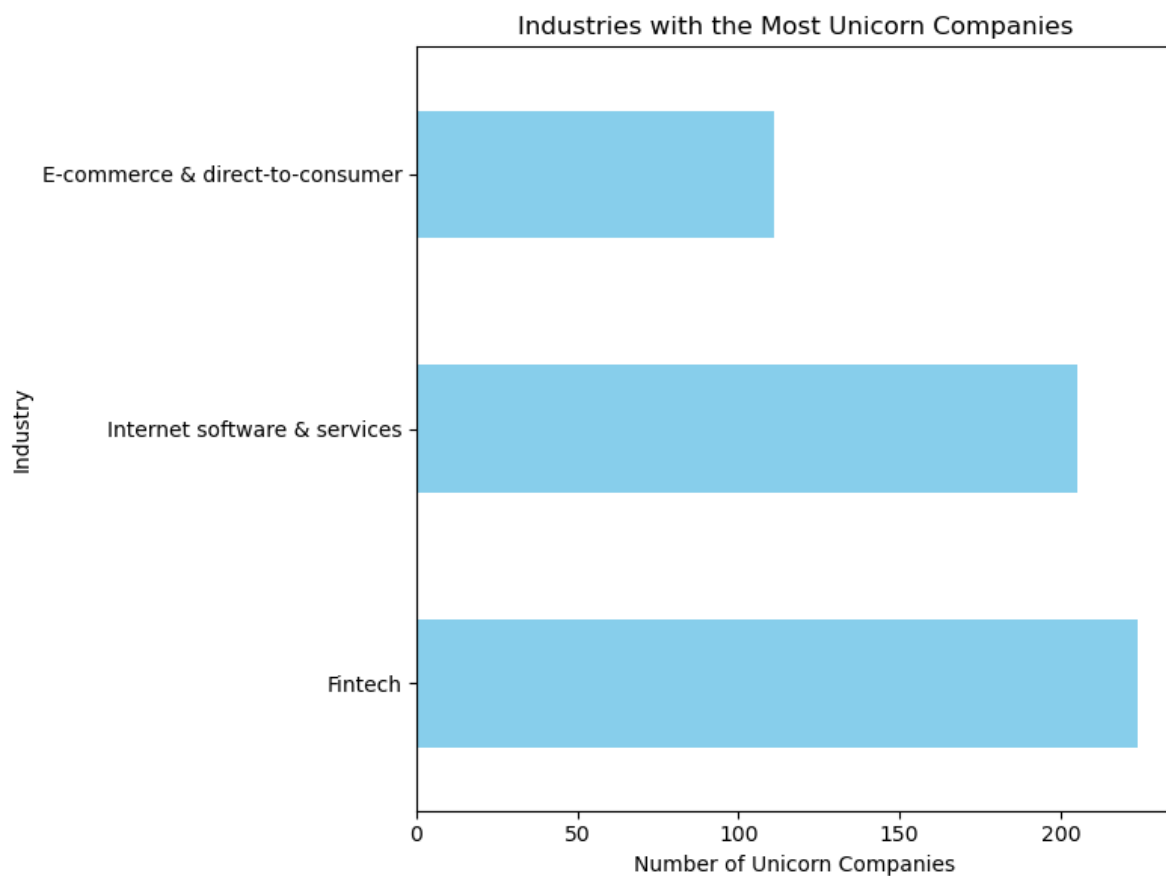
Internet software & services	205
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E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	111
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Name: Industry, dtype: int64

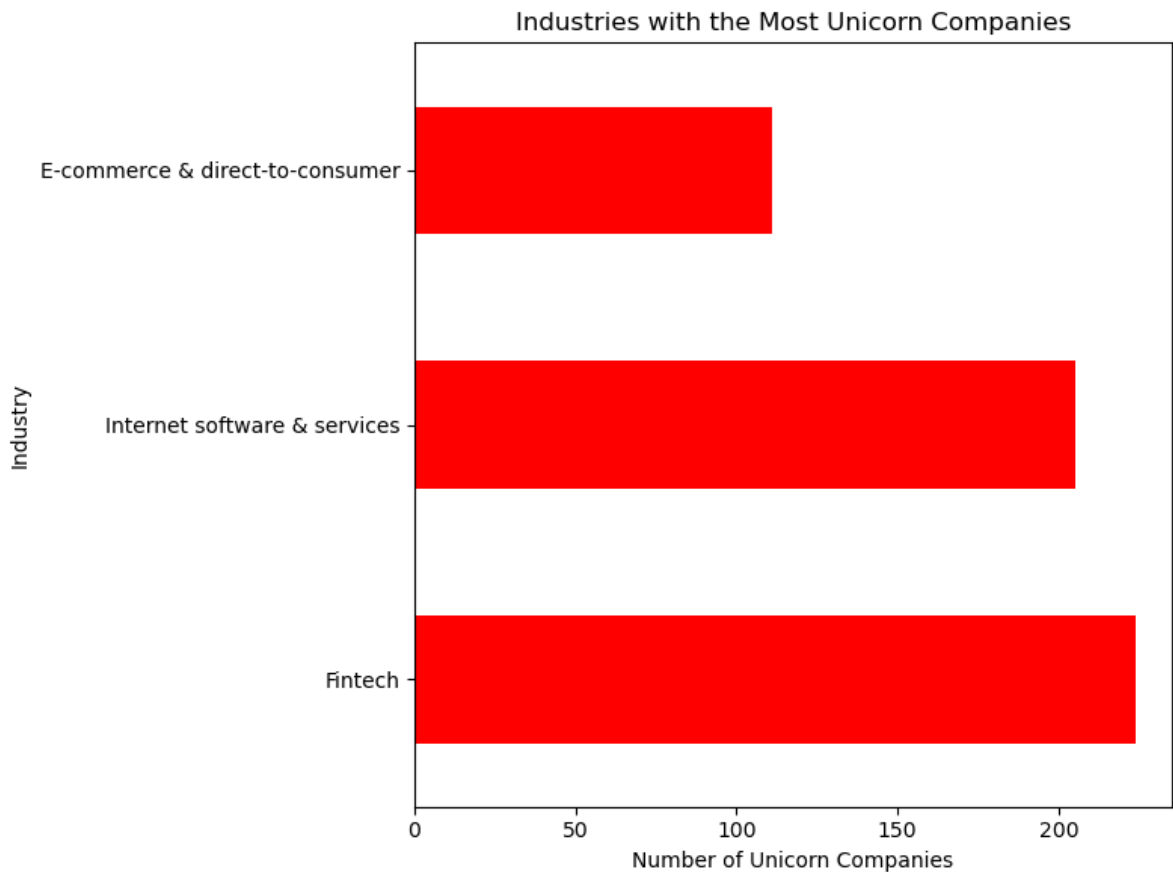
```
In [19]: # Create a horizontal bar chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
most_unicorns_industries.plot(kind='barh', color='skyblue')
plt.title("Industries with the Most Unicorn Companies")
plt.xlabel("Number of Unicorn Companies")
plt.ylabel("Industry")
plt.tight_layout()

# Show the plot
plt.show()
```



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In [21]: # Create a horizontal bar chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
most_unicorns_industries.plot(kind='barh', color='red')
plt.title("Industries with the Most Unicorn Companies")
plt.xlabel("Number of Unicorn Companies")
plt.ylabel("Industry")
plt.tight_layout()

# Show the plot
plt.show()
```



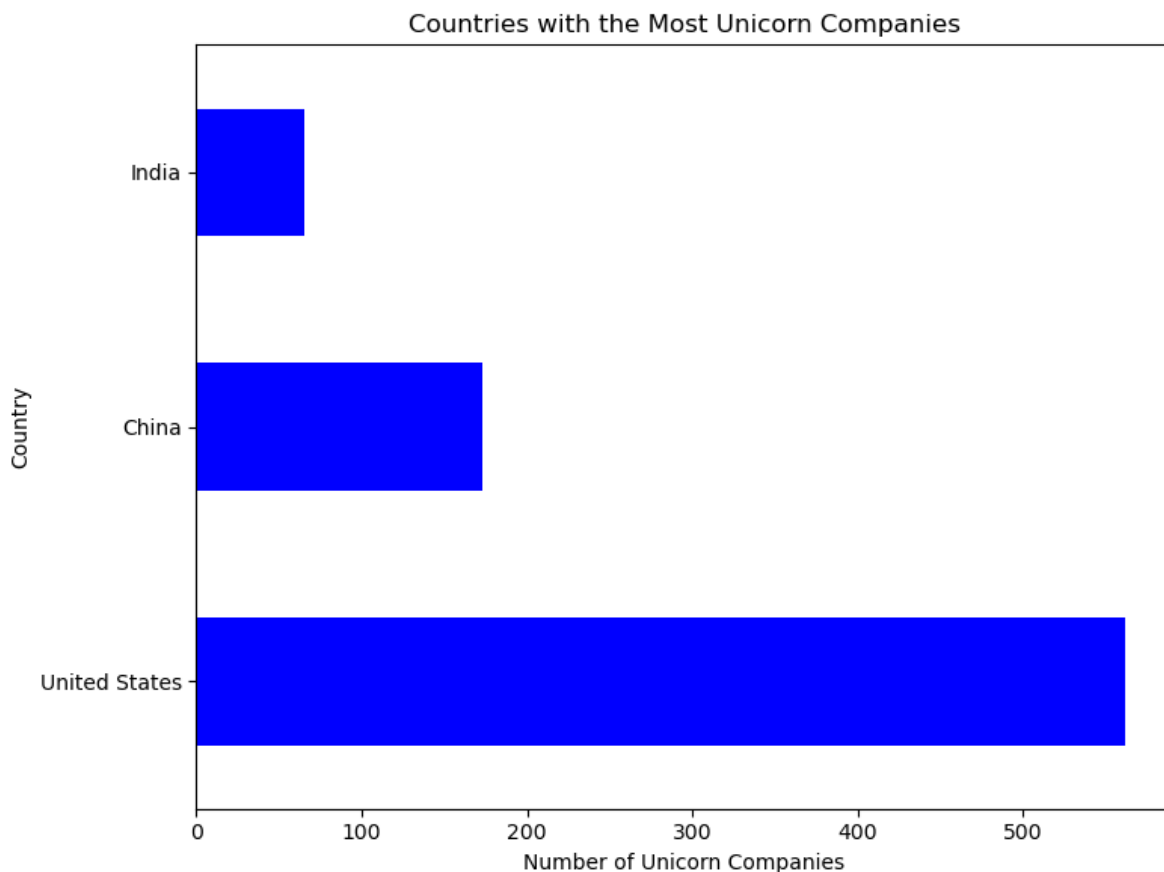
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In [22]: # Insight 5: Year with the highest number of unicorn company formations
year_with_most_unicorns = unicorn_analysis["Year Founded"].value_counts().idxmax()
print(f"Insight 5: Year with the highest number of unicorn company formations: {year_with_most_unicorns}")
```

Insight 5: Year with the highest number of unicorn company formations: 2015

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In [24]: # Define the color for the bar chart (dark blue)
bar_color = "blue"

# Create a horizontal bar chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
most_unicorns_countries.plot(kind='barh', color=bar_color)
plt.title("Countries with the Most Unicorn Companies")
plt.xlabel("Number of Unicorn Companies")
plt.ylabel("Country")
plt.tight_layout()

# Show the plot
plt.show()
```

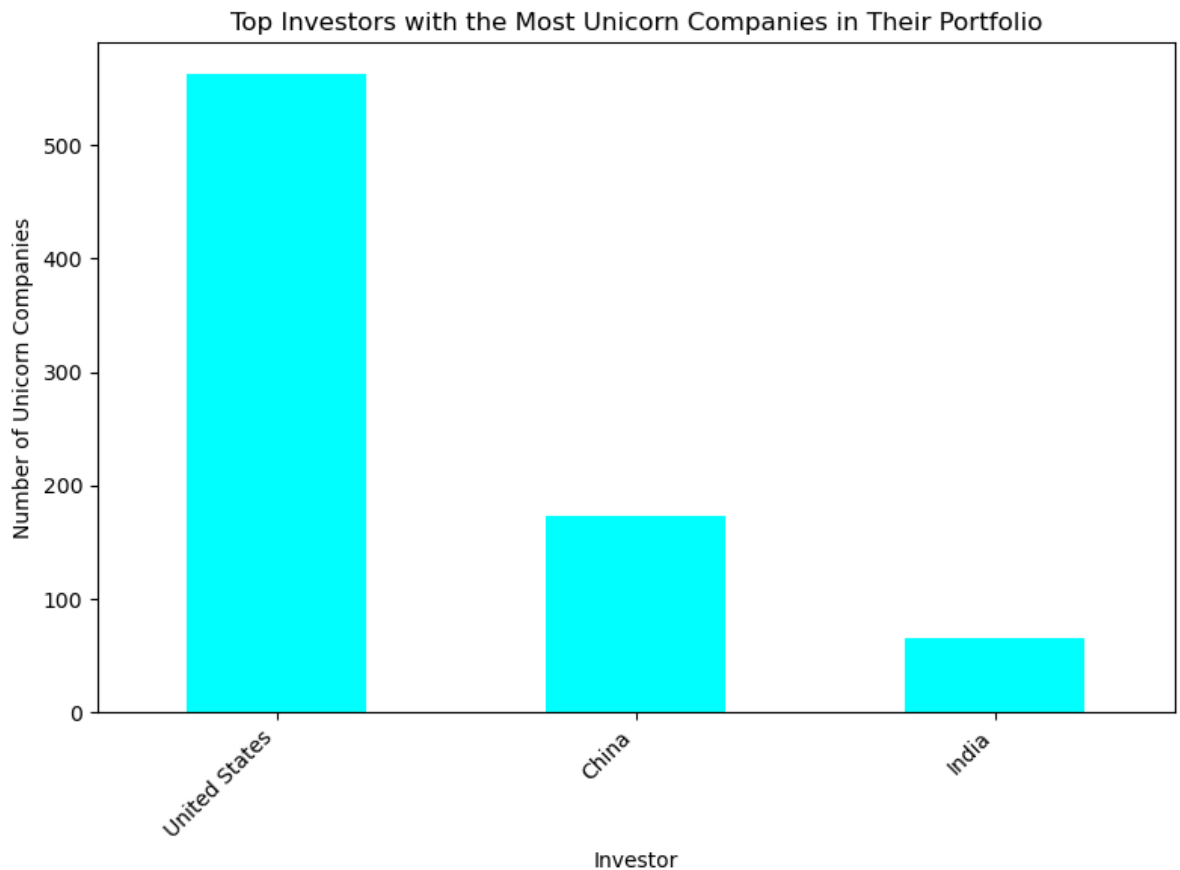


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In [25]: # Insight 6: Who are the top investors with the most unicorn companies in their portfolio
top_investors = unicorn_analysis["Select Investors"].str.split(", ").explode().value_counts()
print("Insight 6: Top investors with the most unicorn companies in their portfolio")
print(top_investors)
```

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Insight 6: Top investors with the most unicorn companies in their portfolio:
Accel                                60
Tiger Global Management              53
Andreessen Horowitz                 53
Name: Select Investors, dtype: int64
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In [27]: # Create a horizontal bar chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
most_unicorns_countries.plot(kind='bar', color='cyan')
plt.title("Top Investors with the Most Unicorn Companies in Their Portfolio")
plt.xlabel("Investor")
plt.ylabel("Number of Unicorn Companies")
plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right')
plt.tight_layout()

# Show the plot
plt.show()
```



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In [30]: # Insight 9: Distribution of unicorn companies across continents
continent_distribution = unicorn_analysis["Continent"].value_counts()
print("Insight 9: Distribution of unicorn companies across continents:")
print(continent_distribution)
```

Insight 9: Distribution of unicorn companies across continents:

North America	589
Asia	310
Europe	143
South America	21
Oceania	8
Africa	3

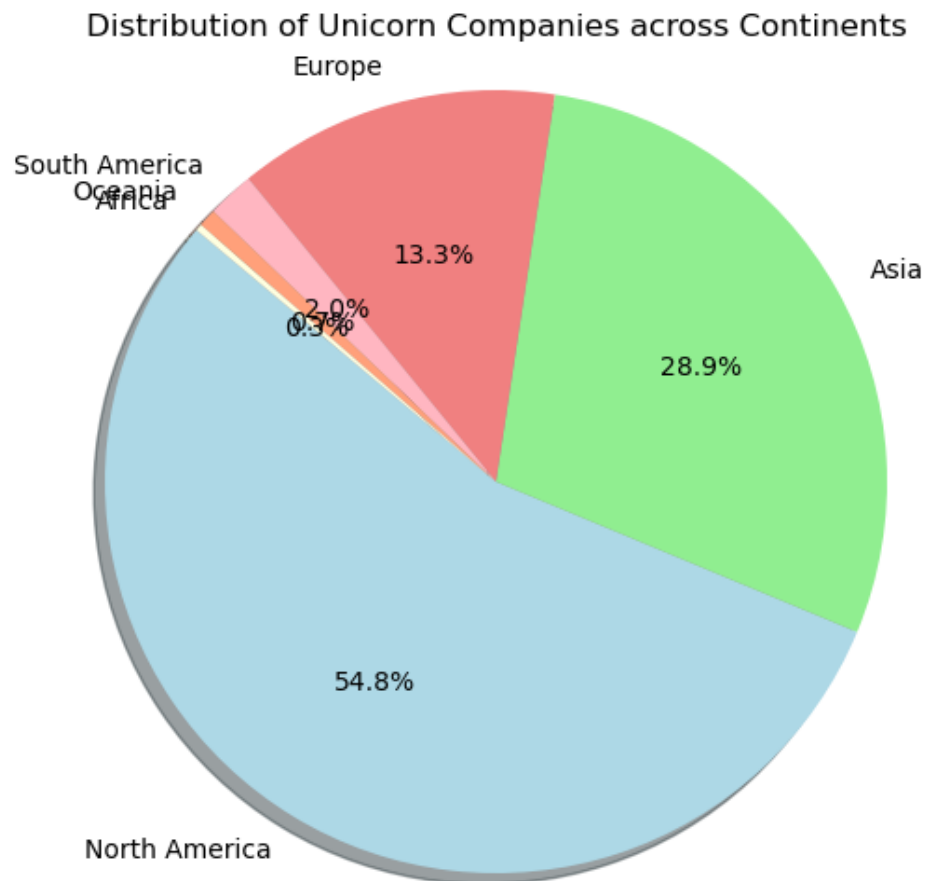
Name: Continent, dtype: int64

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In [35]: # Create a pie chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
colors = ['lightblue', 'lightgreen', 'lightcoral', 'lightpink', 'lightsalmon', 'lightyellow']
plt.pie(continent_distribution, labels=continent_distribution.index, colors=colors)
plt.axis('equal') # Equal aspect ratio ensures that pie is drawn as a circle.

plt.title("Distribution of Unicorn Companies across Continents")

# Set the aspect ratio to ensure the pie chart is drawn properly
plt.subplots_adjust(wspace=0, hspace=0)

plt.show()
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In [36]: # Create a pie chart
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
colors = ['lightblue', 'lightgreen', 'lightcoral', 'lightpink', 'lightsalmon', 'lightyellow']

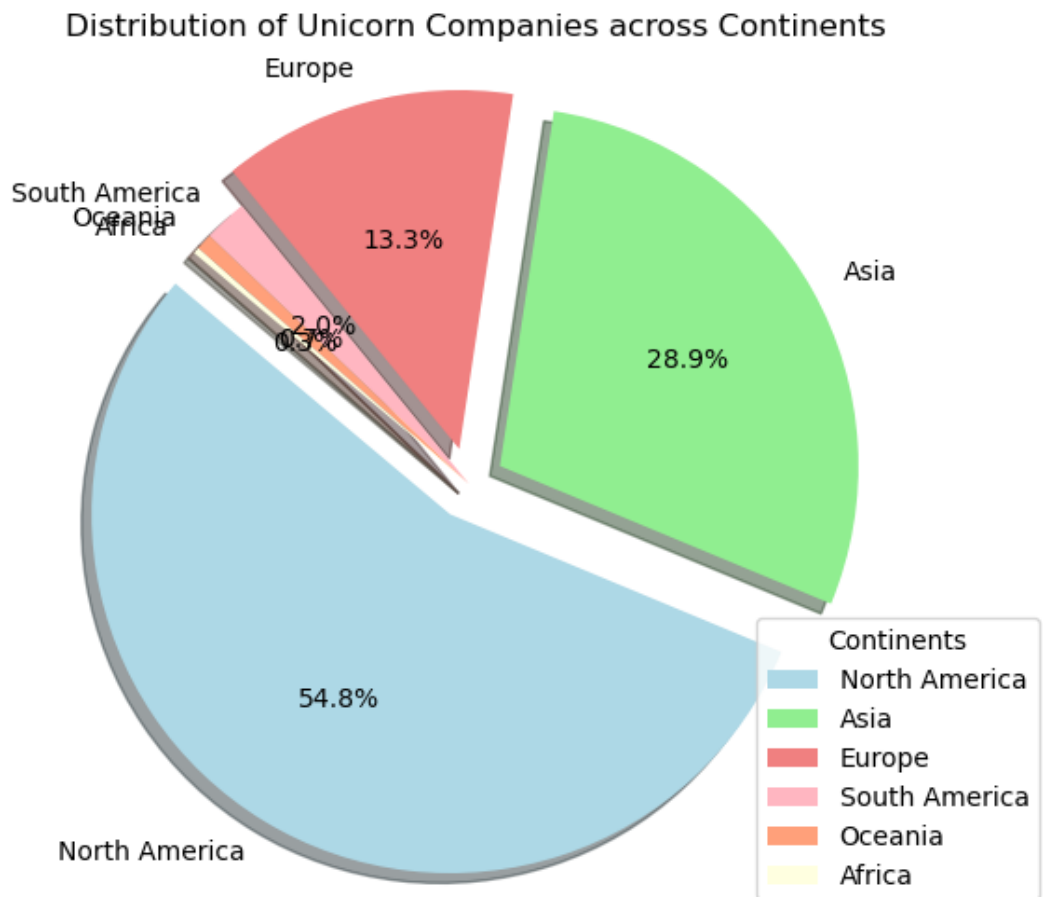
# Explode the slices to create distance from the center for South America, Oceania, Africa
explode = (0.1, 0.1, 0.1, 0, 0, 0)

plt.pie(continent_distribution, labels=continent_distribution.index, colors=colors, explode=explode)
plt.axis('equal') # Equal aspect ratio ensures that pie is drawn as a circle.

plt.title("Distribution of Unicorn Companies across Continents")

# Add a Legend
plt.legend(continent_distribution.index, title="Continents", loc="best")

plt.show()
```

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In [31]: # Insight 10: Oldest and newest unicorn companies
oldest_unicorn = unicorn_analysis.nsmallest(1, "Year Founded")["Company", "Year Founded"]
newest_unicorn = unicorn_analysis.nlargest(1, "Year Founded")["Company", "Year Founded"]
print("Insight 10: Oldest and newest unicorn companies:")
print(oldest_unicorn)
print(newest_unicorn)
```

Insight 10: Oldest and newest unicorn companies:

	Company	Year Founded
189	Otto Bock HealthCare	1919
	Company	Year Founded
238	Yuga Labs	2021

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In [9]: unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv
unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv(r'C:\Users\adora\OneDrive\Desktop\Quantum Analytics')
unicorn_analysis
```

Out[9]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Fu
0	Bytedance	\$180B	07/04/2017	Artificial intelligence	Beijing	China	Asia	2012	
1	SpaceX	\$100B	01/12/2012	Other	Hawthorne	United States	North America	2002	
2	SHEIN	\$100B	03/07/2018	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shenzhen	China	Asia	2008	
3	Stripe	\$95B	23/01/2014	Fintech	San Francisco	United States	North America	2010	
4	Klarna	\$46B	12/12/2011	Fintech	Stockholm	Sweden	Europe	2005	
...	
1069	Zhaogang	\$1B	29/06/2017	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shanghai	China	Asia	2012	
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	\$1B	18/04/2017	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Beijing	China	Asia	2015	
1071	Zihaiguo	\$1B	06/05/2021	Consumer & retail	Chongqing	China	Asia	2018	
1072	Zopa	\$1B	19/10/2021	Fintech	London	United Kingdom	Europe	2005	
1073	Zwift	\$1B	16/09/2020	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Long Beach	United States	North America	2014	

1074 rows × 10 columns



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In [2]: unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv
unicorn_analysis = pd.read_csv(r'C:\Users\adora\OneDrive\Desktop\Quantum Analytics')
unicorn_analysis
```

Out[2]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Fu
0	Bytedance	\$180B	07/04/2017	Artificial intelligence	Beijing	China	Asia	2012	
1	SpaceX	\$100B	01/12/2012	Other	Hawthorne	United States	North America	2002	
2	SHEIN	\$100B	03/07/2018	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shenzhen	China	Asia	2008	
3	Stripe	\$95B	23/01/2014	Fintech	San Francisco	United States	North America	2010	
4	Klarna	\$46B	12/12/2011	Fintech	Stockholm	Sweden	Europe	2005	
...	
1069	Zhaogang	\$1B	29/06/2017	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shanghai	China	Asia	2012	
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	\$1B	18/04/2017	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Beijing	China	Asia	2015	
1071	Zihaiguo	\$1B	06/05/2021	Consumer & retail	Chongqing	China	Asia	2018	
1072	Zopa	\$1B	19/10/2021	Fintech	London	United Kingdom	Europe	2005	
1073	Zwift	\$1B	16/09/2020	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Long Beach	United States	North America	2014	

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In [ ]: ##insights - to calculate the time it takes a company to become a unicorn
## First calculate the the time it took each company to achieve a valuation of $1 b
## Then calculate the average time across all companies and check if there are any
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In [3]: import pandas as pd
from datetime import datetime
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unicorn_analysis

Out[3]:

	Company	Valuation	Date Joined	Industry	City	Country	Continent	Year Founded	Fu
0	Bytedance	\$180B	07/04/2017	Artificial intelligence	Beijing	China	Asia	2012	
1	SpaceX	\$100B	01/12/2012	Other	Hawthorne	United States	North America	2002	
2	SHEIN	\$100B	03/07/2018	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shenzhen	China	Asia	2008	
3	Stripe	\$95B	23/01/2014	Fintech	San Francisco	United States	North America	2010	
4	Klarna	\$46B	12/12/2011	Fintech	Stockholm	Sweden	Europe	2005	
...
1069	Zhaogang	\$1B	29/06/2017	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Shanghai	China	Asia	2012	
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	\$1B	18/04/2017	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Beijing	China	Asia	2015	
1071	Zihaiguo	\$1B	06/05/2021	Consumer & retail	Chongqing	China	Asia	2018	
1072	Zopa	\$1B	19/10/2021	Fintech	London	United Kingdom	Europe	2005	
1073	Zwift	\$1B	16/09/2020	E-commerce & direct-to-consumer	Long Beach	United States	North America	2014	

1074 rows × 10 columns



```
In [14]: import pandas as pd
from datetime import datetime
# Convert valuation to numeric values (remove $ sign and 'B')
unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].replace({"\$": "", "B": ""})
```

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# Convert 'Date Joined' to datetime format
unicorn_analysis["Date Joined"] = pd.to_datetime(unicorn_analysis["Date Joined"], format='%d/%m/%Y')

# Calculate the time taken to become a unicorn in years
unicorn_analysis["Time to Unicorn"] = (unicorn_analysis["Date Joined"] - pd.to_datetime("2019-01-01")).dt.days / 365

# Calculate the average time taken to become a unicorn
average_time_to_unicorn = unicorn_analysis["Time to Unicorn"].mean()

print("Average Time to Become a Unicorn (in years):", average_time_to_unicorn)

# Group the data by 'Year Founded' and calculate the average time to become a unicorn by year
average_time_by_year = unicorn_analysis.groupby("Year Founded")["Time to Unicorn"].mean()

print("\nAverage Time to Become a Unicorn by Year:")
print(average_time_by_year)
```

Average Time to Become a Unicorn (in years): 7.490798704114691

Average Time to Become a Unicorn by Year:

Year Founded

1919	98.545205
1979	37.879452
1984	37.257534
1990	27.923288
1991	27.835616
1992	25.915068
1993	28.435616
1994	22.010959
1995	21.719178
1996	25.378082
1997	20.734247
1998	20.401096
1999	19.702055
2000	19.701619
2001	17.157686
2002	13.927397
2003	16.076370
2004	15.620890
2005	14.145597
2006	13.248584
2007	12.081507
2008	11.703095
2009	10.586865
2010	9.481438
2011	8.859305
2012	7.933324
2013	7.174429
2014	6.512379
2015	5.675669
2016	4.964309
2017	4.316735
2018	3.595284
2019	2.639269
2020	1.658521
2021	0.622914

Name: Time to Unicorn, dtype: float64

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In [17]: ## To understand the trend over time , plot an average time graph
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from datetime import datetime

# Convert valuation to numeric values (remove $ sign and 'B')
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unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].replace({"\$": "", "B": ""})

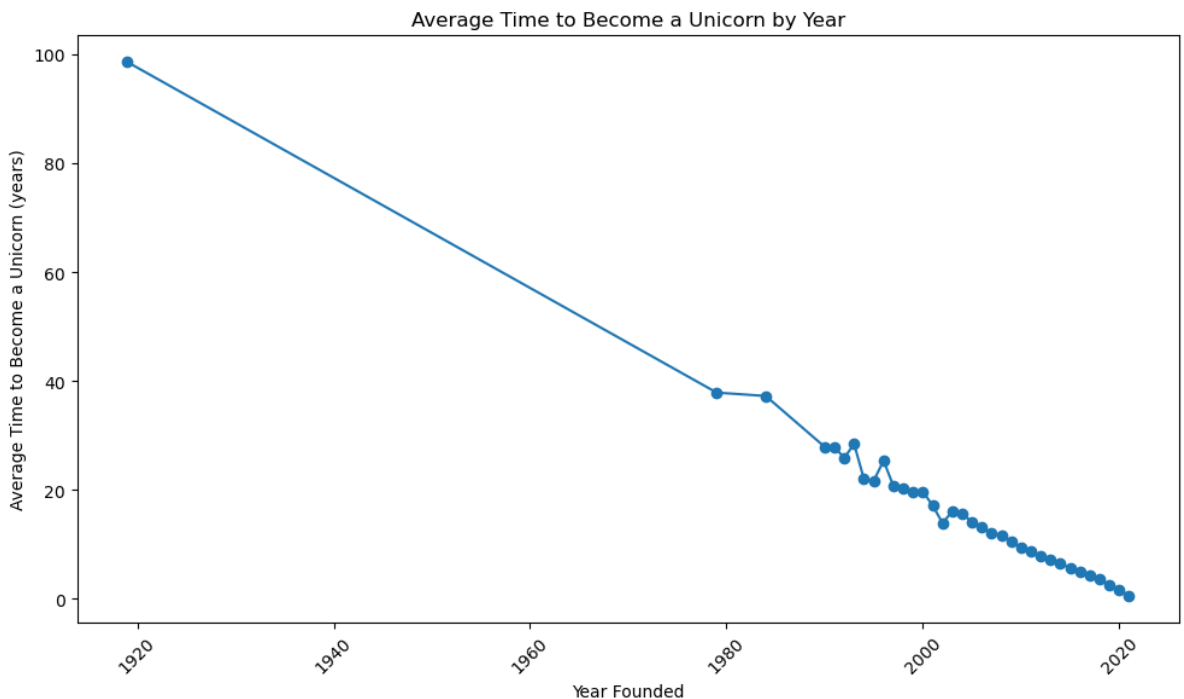
# Convert 'Date Joined' to datetime format
unicorn_analysis["Date Joined"] = pd.to_datetime(unicorn_analysis["Date Joined"], format='%Y-%m-%d')

# Calculate the time taken to become a unicorn in years
unicorn_analysis["Time to Unicorn"] = (unicorn_analysis["Date Joined"] - pd.to_datetime(unicorn_analysis["Year Founded"])).dt.days / 365

# Group the data by 'Year Founded' and calculate the average time to become a unicorn
average_time_by_year = unicorn_analysis.groupby("Year Founded")["Time to Unicorn"].mean()

# Plot the average time to become a unicorn by year
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
plt.plot(average_time_by_year.index, average_time_by_year.values, marker='o', linestyle='solid')
plt.xlabel("Year Founded")
plt.ylabel("Average Time to Become a Unicorn (years)")
plt.title("Average Time to Become a Unicorn by Year")
plt.grid(False)
plt.xticks(rotation=45)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

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In [ ]: ## It takes an average of 7.5 years to become a Unicorn company
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In [ ]: ## the chart shows that average time was on a steady decline from the 1920s until the 2020s
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In [ ]: ## Calculating the ROI for Unicorn companies
import pandas as pd
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In [21]: # Define a function to convert the funding values to numeric values
def funding_to_numeric(funding_str):
    if funding_str == 'Unknown':
        return None
    multiplier = 1
    if funding_str[-1] == 'B':
        multiplier = 1000
    funding_str = funding_str.replace('$', '').replace('B', '').replace('M', '')
    return float(funding_str) * multiplier

# Convert valuation to numeric values (remove $ sign and 'B')
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unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].replace({"\$": "", "B": ""})

# Convert funding to numeric values
unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = unicorn_analysis["Funding"].apply(funding_to_numeric)

# Calculate ROI for each company (ignoring rows with 'Unknown' funding or valuation)
unicorn_analysis["ROI"] = ((unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] - unicorn_analysis["Funding"]) / unicorn_analysis["Funding"]) * 100

print(unicorn_analysis[["Company", "Valuation", "Funding", "ROI"]])

```

	Company	Valuation	Funding	ROI
0	Bytedance	180.0	8000.0	-97.750000
1	SpaceX	100.0	7000.0	-98.571429
2	SHEIN	100.0	2000.0	-95.000000
3	Stripe	95.0	2000.0	-95.250000
4	Klarna	46.0	4000.0	-98.850000
...
1069	Zhaogang	1.0	379.0	-99.736148
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	1.0	990.0	-99.898990
1071	Zihaiguo	1.0	80.0	-98.750000
1072	Zopa	1.0	792.0	-99.873737
1073	Zwift	1.0	620.0	-99.838710

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In [5]: unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = pd.to_numeric(unicorn_analysis["Funding"], errors='coerce')
# Insight: Companies with the highest funding
highest_funded_companies = unicorn_analysis.nlargest(3, "Funding")[["Company", "Funding"]]
print("Insight: Companies with the highest funding:")
print(highest_funded_companies)

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Insight: Companies with the highest funding:

	Company	Funding
0	Bytedance	NaN
1	SpaceX	NaN
2	SHEIN	NaN

```

In [ ]: ##Bytedance, Space X and Shein have the Largest funding

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In [7]: ## To calculate the ROI
## ROI = (Current Valuation - Initial Funding) / Initial Funding * 100
# Convert valuation and funding to numeric values (remove $ sign and 'B')
unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].replace({"\$": "", "B": ""})
unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = unicorn_analysis["Funding"].replace({"\$": "", "B": ""})

# Calculate ROI for each company
unicorn_analysis["ROI"] = ((unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] - unicorn_analysis["Funding"]) / unicorn_analysis["Funding"]) * 100

print(unicorn_analysis[["Company", "Valuation", "Funding", "ROI"]])

```

	Company	Valuation	Funding	ROI
0	Bytedance	180.0	NaN	NaN
1	SpaceX	100.0	NaN	NaN
2	SHEIN	100.0	NaN	NaN
3	Stripe	95.0	NaN	NaN
4	Klarna	46.0	NaN	NaN
...
1069	Zhaogang	1.0	NaN	NaN
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	1.0	NaN	NaN
1071	Zihaiguo	1.0	NaN	NaN
1072	Zopa	1.0	NaN	NaN
1073	Zwift	1.0	NaN	NaN

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In [8]: # Convert valuation and funding to numeric values (remove $ sign and 'B' or 'M')
def convert_to_numeric(value_str):
    if isinstance(value_str, str):
        value_str = value_str.replace("$", "").replace("B", "e9").replace("M", "e6")
    return pd.to_numeric(value_str, errors="coerce")

unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].apply(convert_to_numeric)
unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = unicorn_analysis["Funding"].apply(convert_to_numeric)

# Calculate ROI for each company
unicorn_analysis["ROI"] = ((unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] - unicorn_analysis["Funding"]) / unicorn_analysis["Funding"])

print(unicorn_analysis[["Company", "Valuation", "Funding", "ROI"]])
```

	Company	Valuation	Funding	ROI
0	Bytedance	180.0	NaN	NaN
1	SpaceX	100.0	NaN	NaN
2	SHEIN	100.0	NaN	NaN
3	Stripe	95.0	NaN	NaN
4	Klarna	46.0	NaN	NaN
...
1069	Zhaogang	1.0	NaN	NaN
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	1.0	NaN	NaN
1071	Zihaiguo	1.0	NaN	NaN
1072	Zopa	1.0	NaN	NaN
1073	Zwift	1.0	NaN	NaN

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In [10]: # Convert "Valuation" and "Funding" columns to strings before data cleaning
unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].astype(str)
unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = unicorn_analysis["Funding"].astype(str)

# Data cleaning: Remove unwanted characters from "Valuation" and "Funding" columns
unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = unicorn_analysis["Valuation"].str.replace('[\$\,]', '')
unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = unicorn_analysis["Funding"].str.replace('[\$\,]', '')

# Convert "Valuation" and "Funding" to numeric values (remove $ sign and 'B' or 'M')
unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] = pd.to_numeric(unicorn_analysis["Valuation"], errors="coerce")
unicorn_analysis["Funding"] = pd.to_numeric(unicorn_analysis["Funding"], errors="coerce")

# Calculate ROI for each company (ignoring rows with NaN in "Funding" or "Valuation")
unicorn_analysis["ROI"] = ((unicorn_analysis["Valuation"] - unicorn_analysis["Funding"]) / unicorn_analysis["Funding"])

print(unicorn_analysis[["Company", "Valuation", "Funding", "ROI"]])
```

	Company	Valuation	Funding	ROI
0	Bytedance	180.0	NaN	NaN
1	SpaceX	100.0	NaN	NaN
2	SHEIN	100.0	NaN	NaN
3	Stripe	95.0	NaN	NaN
4	Klarna	46.0	NaN	NaN
...
1069	Zhaogang	1.0	NaN	NaN
1070	Zhuan Zhuan	1.0	NaN	NaN
1071	Zihaiguo	1.0	NaN	NaN
1072	Zopa	1.0	NaN	NaN
1073	Zwift	1.0	NaN	NaN

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In [11]: ## Tried to trouble shoot why I get non numeric values but cannot understand this
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In []:

In []: