

DSO110 - Final Group Project - Lottery

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Background

Albi and Barbra have chosen the “Mega Millions Winning Numbers” dataset because the lottery is something that is familiar and accessible to a wide range of people worldwide; it would be difficult to find someone who hasn’t dreamed of hitting the jackpot and changing their life forever. However, it is also widely accepted that the lottery is not set up to favor the player. In the case of Mega Millions, although there is a 1 in 24 chance of winning something, the odds of choosing all 6 numbers correctly to win the jackpot is 1 in 302,575,350 - a fact that is posted openly on both the New York Lottery and Mega Millions websites. By analyzing the winning numbers data as well as complementary datasets on lottery retailers, lottery aid to local school districts, and monies recouped from the lottery winnings of public aid recipients, Albi and Barbra hope to glean insight to make actionable suggestions on how lottery players can get the best return on their investment as well as to demonstrate for the average person whether the lottery serves any societal good or whether it may be best to abstain from playing altogether.

Data Wrangling

Import data.

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In [1]: ▶ import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.mlab as mlab
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import math
import numpy as np
from numpy import nan
import datetime as dt
from datetime import date
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In [2]: Winning_Numbers = pd.read_csv("C:/Users/albi/Downloads/lottery/Lottery_Mega_M
pd.set_option("display.max_columns", None)
Winning_Numbers.head()
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Out[2]:

	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier
0	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0
1	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0
2	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0
3	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0
4	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0

Extract month, day, year, weekday, and quarter from 'Draw Date'.

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In [3]: Winning_Numbers['month'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(Winning_Numbers['Draw Date']).mon
Winning_Numbers.head()
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Out[3]:

	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier	month
0	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0	9
1	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0	9
2	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0	10
3	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0	10
4	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0	10

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In [4]: Winning_Numbers['day'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(Winning_Numbers['Draw Date']).day
Winning_Numbers.head()
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Out[4]:

	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier	month	day
0	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0	9	25
1	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0	9	29
2	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0	10	2
3	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0	10	6
4	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0	10	9

```
In [5]: Winning_Numbers['year'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(Winning_Numbers['Draw Date']).year
Winning_Numbers.head()
```

Out[5]:

	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier	month	day	year
0	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0	9	25	2020
1	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0	9	29	2020
2	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0	10	2	2020
3	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0	10	6	2020
4	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0	10	9	2020

```
In [6]: Winning_Numbers['weekday'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(Winning_Numbers['Draw Date']).weekday
Winning_Numbers.head()
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Out[6]:

	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier	month	day	year	weekday
0	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0	9	25	2020	4
1	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0	9	29	2020	1
2	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0	10	2	2020	4
3	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0	10	6	2020	1
4	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0	10	9	2020	4

```
In [7]: Winning_Numbers['quarter'] = pd.DatetimeIndex(Winning_Numbers['Draw Date']).quarter
Winning_Numbers.head()
```

Out[7]:

	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier	month	day	year	weekday	quarter
0	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0	9	25	2020	4	3
1	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0	9	29	2020	1	3
2	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0	10	2	2020	4	4
3	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0	10	6	2020	1	4
4	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0	10	9	2020	4	4

In [8]: `Winning_Numbers.info()`

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 2036 entries, 0 to 2035
Data columns (total 9 columns):
#   Column                Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   Draw Date              2036 non-null  object
1   Winning Numbers        2036 non-null  object
2   Mega Ball              2036 non-null  int64
3   Multiplier             1133 non-null  float64
4   month                  2036 non-null  int64
5   day                    2036 non-null  int64
6   year                   2036 non-null  int64
7   weekday                2036 non-null  int64
8   quarter                2036 non-null  int64
dtypes: float64(1), int64(6), object(2)
memory usage: 143.3+ KB
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Convert 'Winning Numbers' to string and then separate terms into individual columns (5).

In [9]: `Winning_Numbers["Winning Numbers"] = Winning_Numbers["Winning Numbers"].astype`

In [10]: `Winning_Numbers1 = Winning_Numbers['Winning Numbers'].str.split(' ', expand=T`

In [11]: `Winning_Numbers1.head()`

Out[11]:

	0	1	2	3	4
0	20	36	37	48	67
1	14	39	43	44	67
2	09	38	47	49	68
3	15	16	18	39	59
4	05	11	25	27	64

In [12]: `Winning_Numbers1.info()`

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 2036 entries, 0 to 2035
Data columns (total 5 columns):
#   Column  Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0   0        2036 non-null  object
1   1        2036 non-null  object
2   2        2036 non-null  object
3   3        2036 non-null  object
4   4        2036 non-null  object
dtypes: object(5)
memory usage: 79.7+ KB
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In [22]: Winning_Numbers1[0]= Winning_Numbers1[0].astype(int)
Winning_Numbers1[1]= Winning_Numbers1[1].astype(int)
Winning_Numbers1[2]= Winning_Numbers1[2].astype(int)
Winning_Numbers1[3]= Winning_Numbers1[3].astype(int)
Winning_Numbers1[4]= Winning_Numbers1[4].astype(int)
Winning_Numbers1.info()
```

```
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 2036 entries, 0 to 2035
Data columns (total 5 columns):
#   Column  Non-Null Count  Dtype
---  -
0    0      2036 non-null    int32
1    1      2036 non-null    int32
2    2      2036 non-null    int32
3    3      2036 non-null    int32
4    4      2036 non-null    int32
dtypes: int32(5)
memory usage: 39.9 KB
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In [33]: #frames = [Winning_Numbers, Winning_Numbers1]

result = pd.concat([Winning_Numbers1, Winning_Numbers], axis=1)
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In [34]: result.head()
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Out[34]:

	0	1	2	3	4	Draw Date	Winning Numbers	Mega Ball	Multiplier	month	day	year	weekday	c
0	20	36	37	48	67	09/25/2020	20 36 37 48 67	16	2.0	9	25	2020	4	
1	14	39	43	44	67	09/29/2020	14 39 43 44 67	19	3.0	9	29	2020	1	
2	9	38	47	49	68	10/02/2020	09 38 47 49 68	25	2.0	10	2	2020	4	
3	15	16	18	39	59	10/06/2020	15 16 18 39 59	17	3.0	10	6	2020	1	
4	5	11	25	27	64	10/09/2020	05 11 25 27 64	13	2.0	10	9	2020	4	

Export data to excel file.

```
In [35]: result.to_excel("Winning_Numbers_Wrangled.xlsx")
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In [38]: import os
os.getcwd()
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Out[38]: 'C:\\Users\\albi'

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In [ ]: 
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