Exploratory Data Analysis & Feature Definition

Hourly info on how much electricity homes use (UCI file).

The goal is to get ideas that directly drive useful impact for prediction.

✓ 1. Project Setup

```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import matplotlib.dates as mdates
from IPython.display import Markdown, display
import seaborn as sns
import sys
sys.path.append('../')
from src.data_preparation import download_and_extract_data
from statsmodels.tsa.seasonal import seasonal_decompose

plt.style.use('seaborn-v0_8-whitegrid')
pd.set_option('display.max_columns', 50)
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2. Raw Data Inspection and handling nulls
raw_path = r'C:\Users\AliRashaideh\OneDrive - Seagulls\Desktop\energy_forecasting_project\data\raw\household_power_consumption.csv'
DATA_URL = "https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/machine-learning-databases/00235/household_power_consumption.zip"
RAW_DIR = './data/raw'
raw file path = download and extract data(DATA URL, RAW DIR)
     Downloading dataset from <a href="https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/machine-learning-databases/00235/household_power_consumption.zip...">https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/machine-learning-databases/00235/household_power_consumption.zip...</a>
     Downloading: 19.7MB [00:04, 4.65MB/s]
     Extracting dataset...
print("Loading data...")
df_without_na = pd.read_csv(raw_file_path, sep=';')
print("Loading data...")
df = pd.read_csv(raw_file_path, sep=';', na_values=['?', 'nan'], parse_dates={'datetime': ['Date', 'Time']})
df.set_index('datetime', inplace=True)
    Loading data...
     C:\Users\AliRashaideh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_18184\2964537705.py:2: DtypeWarning: Columns (2,3,4,5,6,7) have mixed types. Specify
       df_without_na = pd.read_csv(raw_file_path, sep=';')
     C:\Users\AliRashaideh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_18184\2964537705.py:4: FutureWarning: Support for nested sequences for 'parse_dates'
       df = pd.read_csv(raw_file_path, sep=';', na_values=['?', 'nan'], parse_dates={'datetime': ['Date', 'Time']})
     Loading data...
     C:\Users\AliRashaideh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_18184\2964537705.py:4: UserWarning: Parsing dates in %d/%m/%Y %H:%M:%S format when da
       df = pd.read_csv(raw_file_path, sep=';', na_values=['?', 'nan'], parse_dates={'datetime': ['Date', 'Time']})
print("Data without NA:")
print(df_without_na.info())
print(df_without_na.describe().T)
print(df_without_na.isnull().sum())
 → Data without NA:
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     RangeIndex: 2075259 entries, 0 to 2075258
     Data columns (total 9 columns):
      # Column
                                   Dtype
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      0 Date
                                   object
          Time
                                   object
          Global_active_power
                                   object
          Global_reactive_power
                                   object
          Voltage
                                   object
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object

object

object

float64

Global_intensity

Sub_metering_1

Sub_metering_2

Sub_metering_3

dtypes: float64(1), object(8)
memory usage: 142.5+ MB

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None
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     Sub_metering_3 2049280.0
                                          8.437154 0.0 0.0 1.0 17.0
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     Time
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     Global_active_power
     Global_reactive_power
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     Voltage
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     Global_intensity
                                  0
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     Sub_metering_1
     Sub_metering_2
                                  0
     Sub_metering_3
                              25979
     dtype: int64
print("Data with NA detection:")
print(df.info())
print(df.describe().T)
print(df.isnull().sum())
→ Data with NA detection:
     <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
     DatetimeIndex: 2075259 entries, 2006-12-16 17:24:00 to 2010-11-26 21:02:00
     Data columns (total 7 columns):
     # Column
                                 Dtype
     0
                                 float64
         Global_active_power
     1
          Global_reactive_power
                                 float64
         Voltage
                                 float64
                                 float64
      3
          Global_intensity
      4
         Sub_metering_1
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          Sub_metering_2
                                 float64
         Sub_metering_3
                                 float64
     dtypes: float64(7)
     memory usage: 126.7 MB
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                            2049280.0
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     Global_reactive_power
                                         0.123714
                                                   0.112722
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                            2049280.0 240.839858 3.239987
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     Voltage
     Global_intensity
                            2049280.0
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     Sub_metering_1
                            2049280.0
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     Sub_metering_2
                            2049280.0
                                         1.298520 5.822026
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                                         6.458447 8.437154
                                                               0.000
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     Sub_metering_3
                            2049280.0
                                50%
                                         75%
                                                  max
     Global_active_power
                              0.602
                                       1.528
                                               11,122
     Global_reactive_power
                              0.100
                                       0.194
                                                1.390
                            241.010
                                     242.890
                                              254.150
     Voltage
     Global intensity
                              2.600
                                       6.400
                                               48.400
     Sub_metering_1
                              0.000
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     Sub_metering_2
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     Global_reactive_power
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     Voltage
     Global_intensity
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     Sub_metering_1
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     Sub_metering_2
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     Sub_metering_3
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     dtype: int64
df.fillna(method='ffill', inplace=True)
df.drop_duplicates(inplace=True)
print("\nMissing values after imputation:")
print(df.isnull().sum())
돺 C:\Users\AliRashaideh\AppData\Local\Temp\ipykernel_18184\1624033518.py:1: FutureWarning: DataFrame.fillna with 'method' is deprecated an
       df.fillna(method='ffill', inplace=True)
     Missing values after imputation:
     Global_active_power
                              0
     Global_reactive_power
     Voltage
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     Global_intensity
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     dtype: int64
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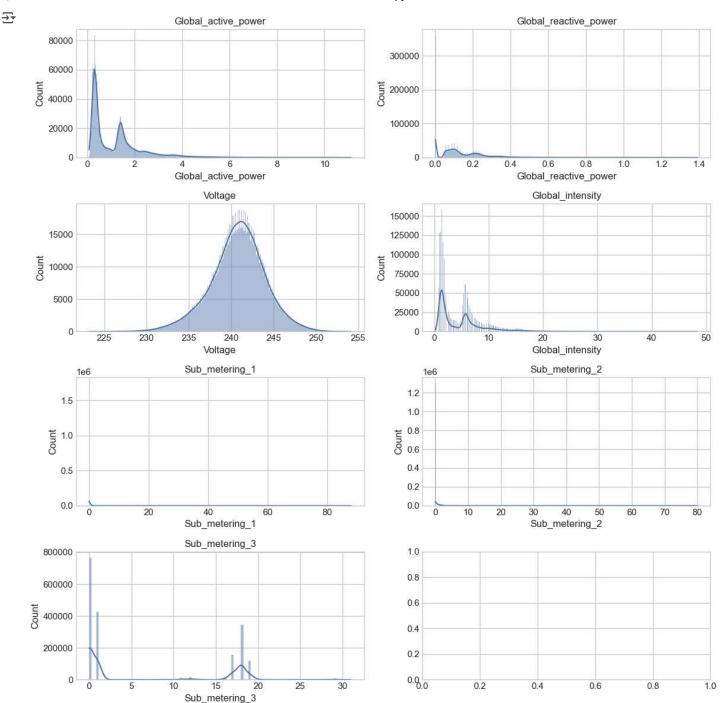
```
df. shape

(1906698, 7)

there is differnce when we dropped dublicate as we can see:
data shape before: (2075259, 7)
data shape after: (1906698, 7)
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```
numeric_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=np.number).columns
rows = (len(numeric_cols) + 1) // 2
fig, axes = plt.subplots(rows, 2, figsize=(12, 3 * rows))
axes = axes.flatten()
for i, col in enumerate(numeric_cols):
    sns.histplot(df[col].dropna(), kde=True, ax=axes[i])
    axes[i].set_title(col)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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1. histograms Active, reactive power & intensity

Most measurements are low, but a few hours can go up to very high numbers. The "outliers" are the spikes on the far right.

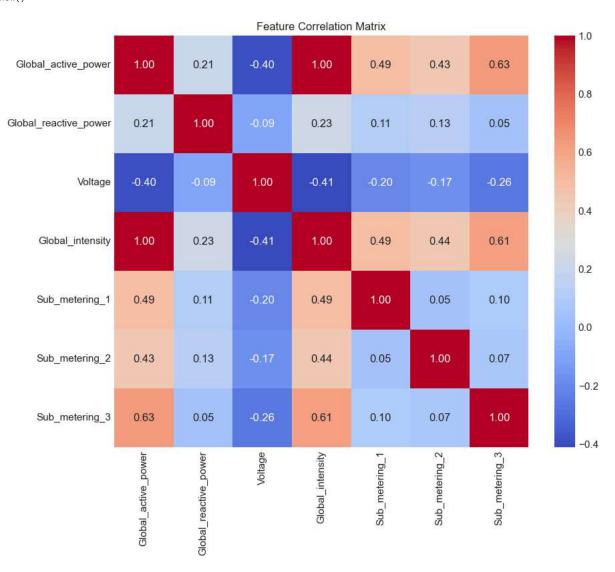
Voltage It looks like a nice bell shape with a center about 241 V. No clear outliers and can be normally disterbutred.

Sub-metering 1 & 2 Almost always zero; they only spike when the specific appliance is on.

Sub-metering 3 Has three clear levels: off, medium (15 Wh) and high (30 Wh). The rare points above 30 Wh are the only extreme values worth flagging.

```
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
sns.heatmap(df.corr(), annot=True, fmt='.2f', cmap='coolwarm')
plt.title('Feature Correlation Matrix')
plt.show()
```





2. Correlation heat-map

Active power \leftrightarrow Intensity: basically the same thing (correlation \approx 1).

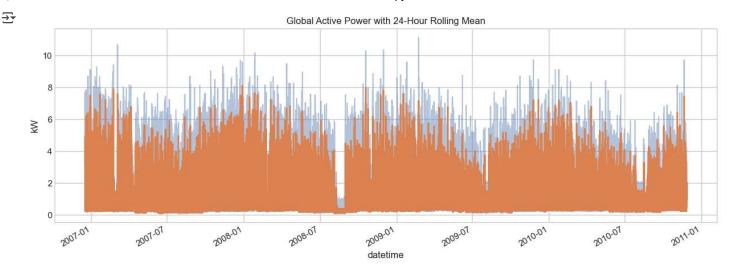
Active power \leftrightarrow Sub-metering 3: strong link channel 3 lead huge loads.

 $Voltage \leftrightarrow Load: light negative link voltage dips slightly when load rises. \\$

Sub-metering 1 & 2: almost independent of total load.

Sub-metering 3 and voltage are useful extra predictors; sub-metering 1/2 add little.

```
plt.figure(figsize=(15, 5))
df['Global_active_power'].plot(alpha=0.4)
df['Global_active_power'].rolling(24).mean().plot(linewidth=2)
plt.title('Global Active Power with 24-Hour Rolling Mean')
plt.ylabel('kW')
plt.show()
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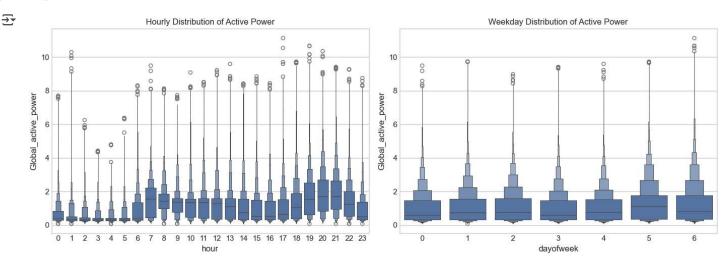
3. Active power with 24 h rolling mean

Clear winter peaks and summer dips \rightarrow yearly seasonality.

A long flat strip around mid-2008 is missing data.

Separated rises above the orange 24-h average corroborate the outliers noticed before.

```
df['hour'] = df.index.hour
df['dayofweek'] = df.index.dayofweek
fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(14, 5))
sns.boxenplot(x='hour', y='Global_active_power', data=df, ax=axes[0])
axes[0].set_title('Hourly Distribution of Active Power')
sns.boxenplot(x='dayofweek', y='Global_active_power', data=df, ax=axes[1])
axes[1].set_title('Weekday Distribution of Active Power')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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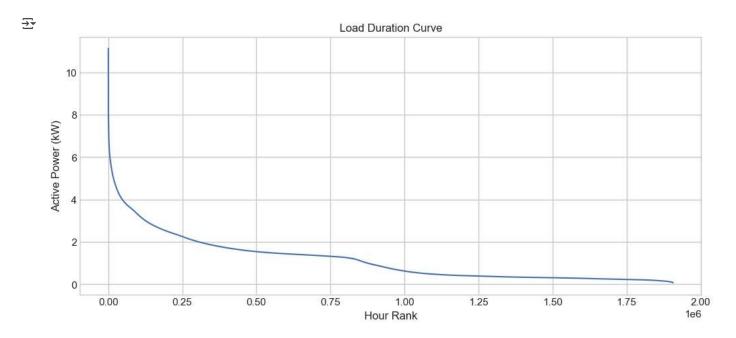
4. Hour-of-day & Day-of-week box-plots

load grows from sunrise, peaks at 17-22 h, lowers overnight.

Weekdays vs. weekends: weekends are a little higher and more spaced out.

Dots above represent the same high-load outliers.

```
sorted_load = df['Global_active_power'].sort_values(ascending=False).reset_index(drop=True)
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
plt.plot(sorted_load.values)
plt.title('Load Duration Curve')
plt.xlabel('Hour Rank')
plt.ylabel('Active Power (kW)')
plt.show()
```



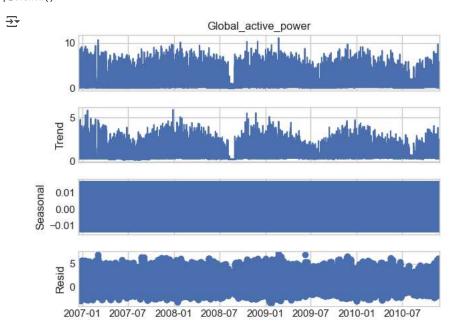
5. Load-duration curve

95% of the time the house uses < 2 kW.

The top 1 % of hours jump to > 10 kW—rare but real heavy-use periods.

No sudden downs, so extreme points appear good.

```
res = seasonal_decompose(df['Global_active_power'], model='additive', period=168)
res.plot()
plt.show()
```



6. Weekly seasonal decomposition (168 h period)

Trend: repeats the annual up-and-down cycle.

Seasonal (weekly) part: virtually flat weekly cycle is weak.

Residuals: waves line up with the high-load spikes..

Conclusions

Outliers exist only in power/intensity variables—real peaks rather than device mistakes.

Mid-2008 gap must be fixed or removed.

Useful time features: hour, weekday/weekend, month, plus 24-h & 168-h rolling stats.

Key drivers: sub-metering 3 and slight voltage dips during high load.

Feature shortlist:

Hour, day-of-week, month, weekend flag

Lag-24, lag-48, lag-168 for active power & sub-metering 3

Rolling mean & std (24 h, 168 h)

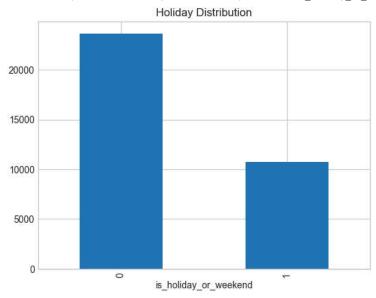
Holiday

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import holidays
engineered_data= pd.read_csv(r'../data/processed/hourly_featured.csv', parse_dates=['datetime'])
engineered_data.set_index('datetime', inplace=True)

print("Engineered Data:")
engineered_data['is_holiday_or_weekend'].value_counts().plot(kind='bar', title='Holiday Distribution')
#display data where is holiday
```

→ Engineered Data:

<Axes: title={'center': 'Holiday Distribution'}, xlabel='is_holiday_or_weekend'>



```
holiday_data = engineered_data[engineered_data['is_holiday_or_weekend'] == 1]
non_holiday_data = engineered_data[engineered_data['is_holiday_or_weekend'] == 0]
plt.figure(figsize=(15, 5))
holiday_data['Global_active_power'].plot(label='Holiday Consumption', alpha=0.5)
non_holiday_data['Global_active_power'].plot(label='Non-Holiday Consumption', alpha=0.5)
plt.title('Holiday vs Non-Holiday Consumption')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



