

# Project Overview: Olympic History Dataset Analysis

The Olympic History dataset, covering the period from Athens 1896 to Rio 2016, serves as a comprehensive repository of the modern Olympic Games' evolution. It encapsulates data on athlete participation, country performance, and event details, offering a rich resource for exploring historical trends and patterns.

## **Objectives:**

### **1. Explore Participation Trends:**

Investigate changes in athlete participation over time, including the emergence of new sporting disciplines and shifts in gender representation.

### **2. Analyze Performance Dynamics:**

Examine the performance of nations across different Olympics editions, identifying powerhouse countries and evaluating their dominance in specific sports.

### **3. Gender Representation:**

Assess the progress of gender equality in Olympic sports by analyzing participation rates and medal distributions among male and female athletes.

### **4. Sporting Diversity:**

Delve into the diversity of Olympic sports and events, uncovering trends in popularity, emergence, and decline of different disciplines over the years.

## **Data Preparation:**

The dataset underwent meticulous preprocessing using Numpy and Pandas libraries to handle missing values, ensure data integrity, and standardize formats. The cleaning process resulted in a refined dataset comprising 39,772 rows and 15 columns, ready for in-depth analysis.

## **Approach:**

### **1. Exploratory Analysis:**

Conducted comprehensive exploratory data analysis (EDA) to unveil underlying patterns, outliers, and correlations within the dataset. Utilized statistical measures and visualization techniques to gain insights.

### **2. Visualization Techniques:**

Leveraged the powerful visualization capabilities of Matplotlib and Seaborn libraries to create informative plots, including bar charts, line plots, pie [chart](#), and scatter plots, to illustrate trends and relationships effectively.

```
[81] import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib as plt
import seaborn as sns
```

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[82] df = pd.read_csv('/content/athlete_events.csv')
df
```

|        | ID     | Name                     | Sex | Age  | Height | Weight | Team           | NOC | Games       | Year | Season | City           | Sport         | Event                                    | Medal |
|--------|--------|--------------------------|-----|------|--------|--------|----------------|-----|-------------|------|--------|----------------|---------------|------------------------------------------|-------|
| 0      | 1      | A Dijiang                | M   | 24.0 | 180.0  | 80.0   | China          | CHN | 1992 Summer | 1992 | Summer | Barcelona      | Basketball    | Basketball Men's Basketball              | NaN   |
| 1      | 2      | A Lamusi                 | M   | 23.0 | 170.0  | 60.0   | China          | CHN | 2012 Summer | 2012 | Summer | London         | Judo          | Judo Men's Extra-Lightweight             | NaN   |
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| 3      | 4      | Edgar Lindenau Aabye     | M   | 34.0 | NaN    | NaN    | Denmark/Sweden | DEN | 1900 Summer | 1900 | Summer | Paris          | Tug-Of-War    | Tug-Of-War Men's Tug-Of-War              | Gold  |
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| 271111 | 135569 | Andrzej ya               | M   | 29.0 | 179.0  | 89.0   | Poland-1       | POL | 1976 Winter | 1976 | Winter | Innsbruck      | Luge          | Luge Mixed (Men)'s Doubles               | NaN   |
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| 271114 | 135571 | Tomasz Ireneusz ya       | M   | 30.0 | 185.0  | 96.0   | Poland         | POL | 1998 Winter | 1998 | Winter | Nagano         | Bobsleigh     | Bobsleigh Men's Four                     | NaN   |
| 271115 | 135571 | Tomasz Ireneusz ya       | M   | 34.0 | 185.0  | 96.0   | Poland         | POL | 2002 Winter | 2002 | Winter | Salt Lake City | Bobsleigh     | Bobsleigh Men's Four                     | NaN   |

271116 rows × 15 columns

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[83] df.head(5)
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✓ [85] df.size

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✓ [86] df.drop\_duplicates(inplace=True)

✓ [87] df.size

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✓ [88] df['Height'].fillna(150 , inplace = True)

✓ [89] df.describe()

|       | ID            | Age           | Height        | Weight        | Year          |
|-------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| count | 269731.000000 | 260416.000000 | 269731.000000 | 208204.000000 | 269731.000000 |
| mean  | 68264.949591  | 25.454776     | 169.813874    | 70.701778     | 1978.623073   |
| std   | 39026.253843  | 6.163869      | 13.999573     | 14.349027     | 29.752055     |
| min   | 1.000000      | 10.000000     | 127.000000    | 25.000000     | 1896.000000   |
| 25%   | 34655.500000  | 21.000000     | 157.000000    | 60.000000     | 1960.000000   |
| 50%   | 68233.000000  | 24.000000     | 171.000000    | 70.000000     | 1988.000000   |
| 75%   | 102111.000000 | 28.000000     | 180.000000    | 79.000000     | 2002.000000   |
| max   | 135571.000000 | 97.000000     | 226.000000    | 214.000000    | 2016.000000   |

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df['Age'].fillna(25 , inplace = True)
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[91] df
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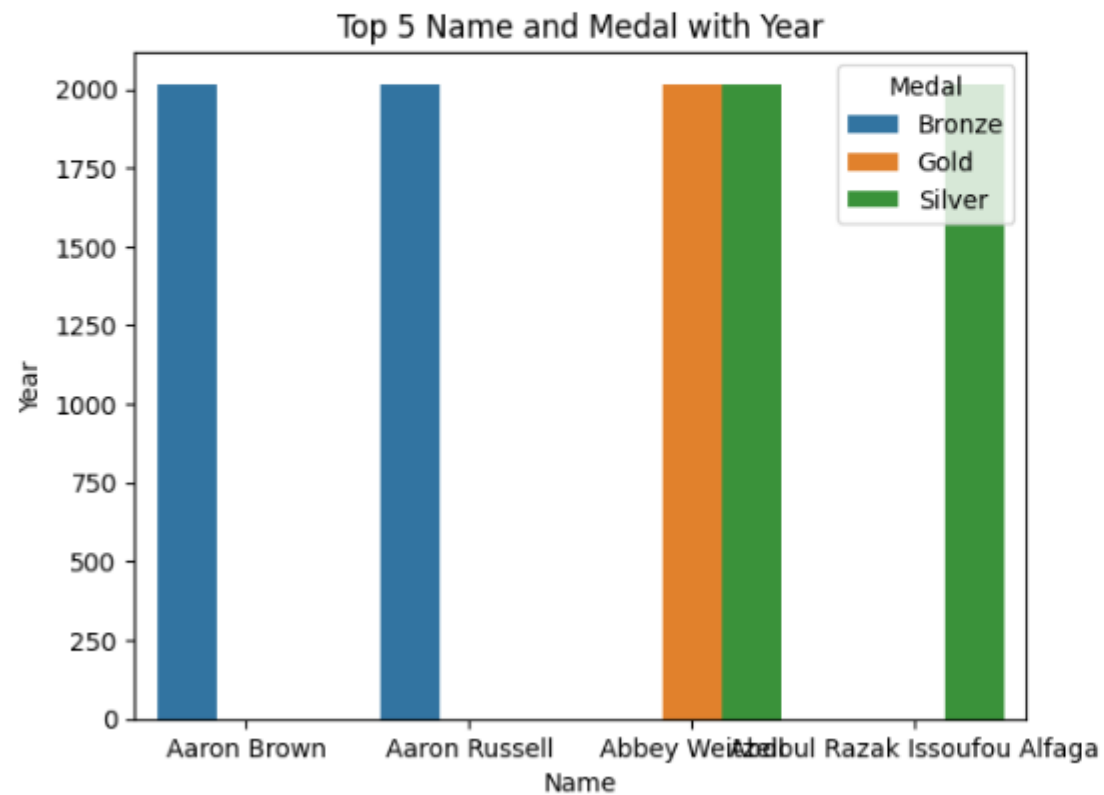
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[92] import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
top_5 = df.groupby(['Name', 'Medal'])['Year'].max().nlargest(5).reset_index()
sns.barplot(x='Name', y='Year', hue='Medal', data=top_5)
plt.xlabel('Name')
plt.ylabel('Year')
plt.title('Top 5 Name and Medal with Year')
plt.show()
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df = df.dropna(subset=['Medal'])
df
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| 37     | 15     | Arvo Ossian Aaltonen                | M   | 30.0 | 150.0  | 70.0   | Finland        | FIN | 1920 Summer | 1920 | Summer | Antwerpen | Swimming   | Swimming Men's 200 metres Breaststroke | Bronze |
| 38     | 15     | Arvo Ossian Aaltonen                | M   | 30.0 | 150.0  | 70.0   | Finland        | FIN | 1920 Summer | 1920 | Summer | Antwerpen | Swimming   | Swimming Men's 400 metres Breaststroke | Bronze |
| 40     | 16     | Juhamatti Tapio Aaltonen            | M   | 28.0 | 184.0  | 85.0   | Finland        | FIN | 2014 Winter | 2014 | Winter | Sochi     | Ice Hockey | Ice Hockey Men's Ice Hockey            | Bronze |
| 41     | 17     | Paavo Johannes Aaltonen             | M   | 28.0 | 175.0  | 64.0   | Finland        | FIN | 1948 Summer | 1948 | Summer | London    | Gymnastics | Gymnastics Men's Individual All-Around | Bronze |
| ...    | ...    | ...                                 | ... | ...  | ...    | ...    | ...            | ... | ...         | ...  | ...    | ...       | ...        | ...                                    | ...    |
| 271078 | 135553 | Galina Ivanovna Zybina (-Fyodorova) | F   | 25.0 | 168.0  | 80.0   | Soviet Union   | URS | 1956 Summer | 1956 | Summer | Melbourne | Athletics  | Athletics Women's Shot Put             | Silver |
| 271080 | 135553 | Galina Ivanovna Zybina (-Fyodorova) | F   | 33.0 | 168.0  | 80.0   | Soviet Union   | URS | 1964 Summer | 1964 | Summer | Tokyo     | Athletics  | Athletics Women's Shot Put             | Bronze |
| 271082 | 135554 | Bogusaw Zych                        | M   | 28.0 | 182.0  | 82.0   | Poland         | POL | 1980 Summer | 1980 | Summer | Moskva    | Fencing    | Fencing Men's Foil, Team               | Bronze |
| 271102 | 135563 | Olesya Nikolayevna Zykina           | F   | 19.0 | 171.0  | 64.0   | Russia         | RUS | 2000 Summer | 2000 | Summer | Sydney    | Athletics  | Athletics Women's 4 x 400 metres Relay | Bronze |
| 271103 | 135563 | Olesya Nikolayevna Zykina           | F   | 23.0 | 171.0  | 64.0   | Russia         | RUS | 2004 Summer | 2004 | Summer | Athina    | Athletics  | Athletics Women's 4 x 400 metres Relay | Silver |

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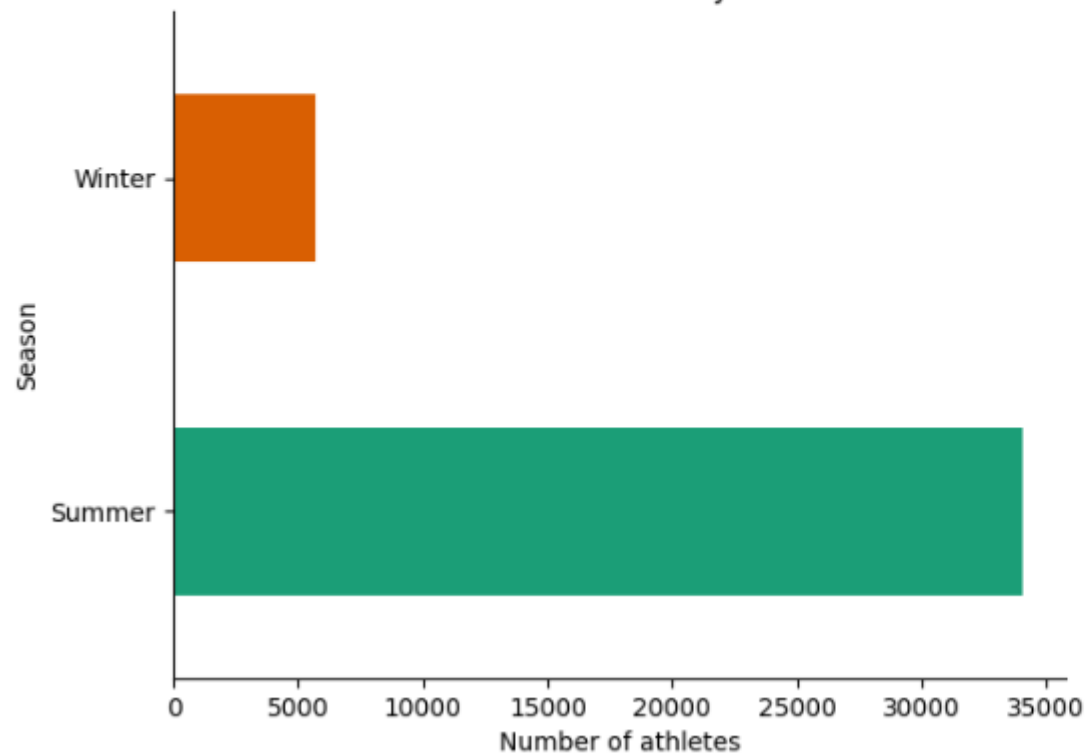




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df.groupby('Season').size().plot(kind='barh', color=sns.palettes.mpl_palette('Dark2'))  
plt.gca().spines[['top', 'right']].set_visible(False)  
plt.xlabel('Number of athletes')  
plt.ylabel('Season')  
plt.title('Number of Athletes by Season')  
plt.show()
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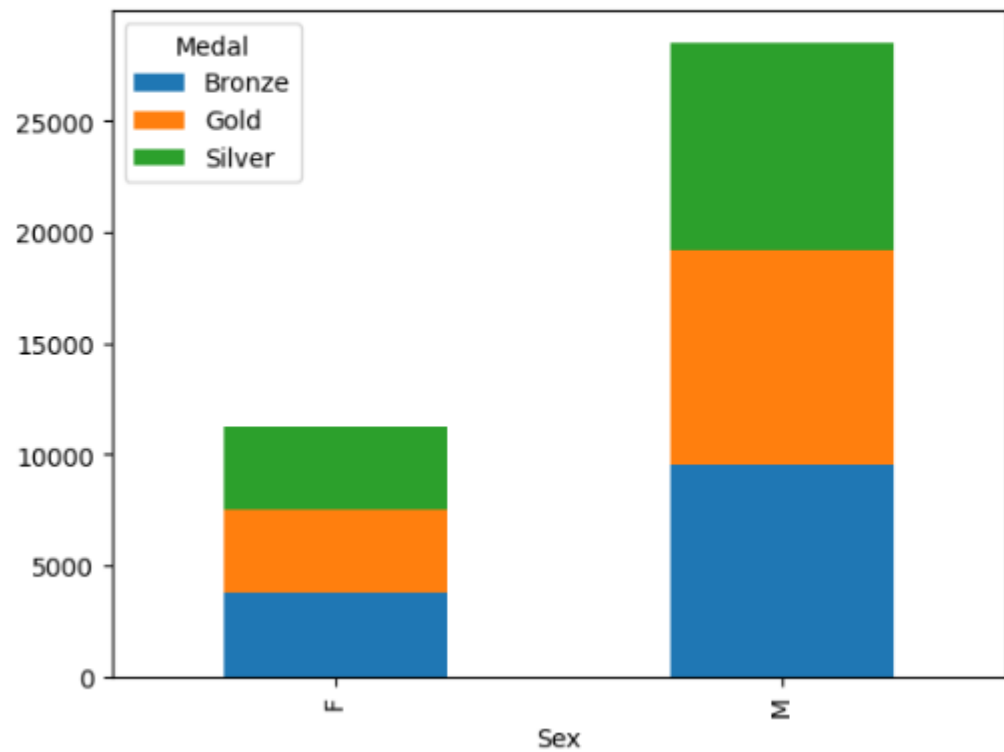


Number of Athletes by Season



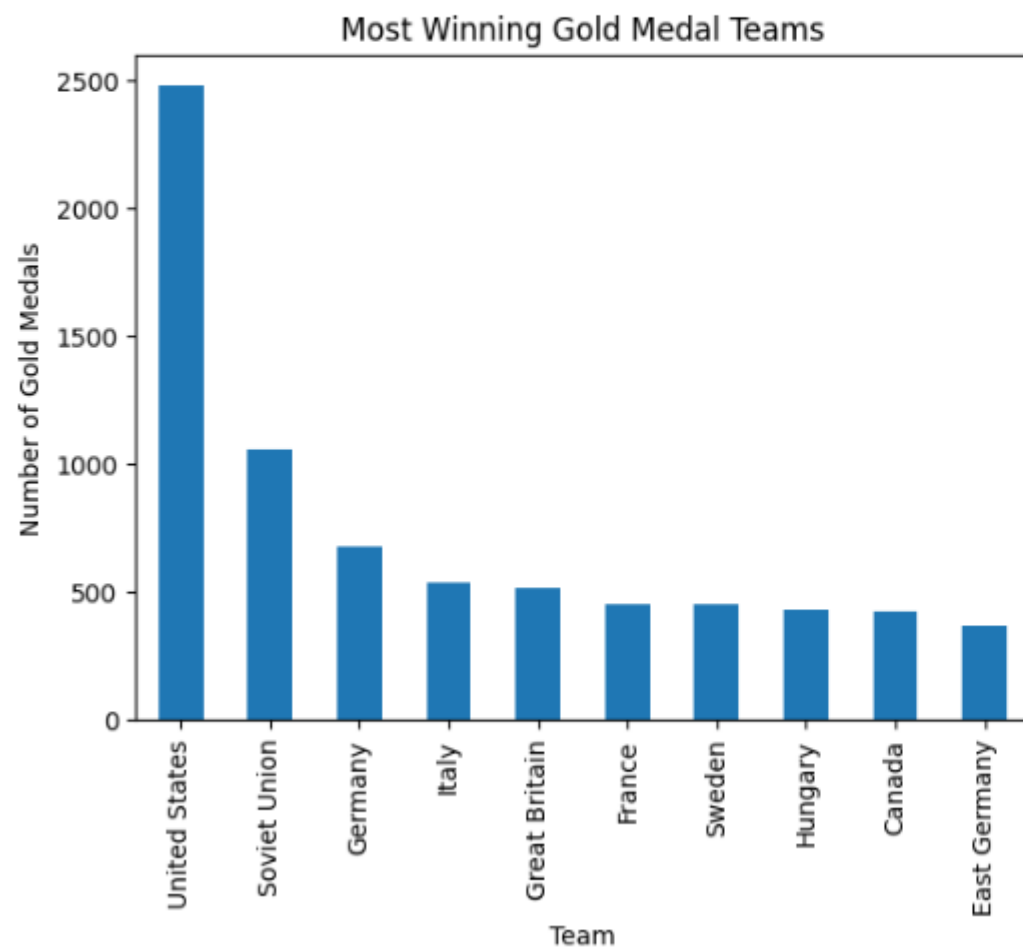
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df.groupby(['Sex', 'Medal']).size().unstack().plot(kind='bar', stacked=True)
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gold_medals_by_team = df[df['Medal'] == 'Gold'].groupby('Team').size().sort_values(ascending=False)
gold_medals_by_team.head(10).plot(kind='bar')
plt.title('Most Winning Gold Medal Teams')
plt.xlabel('Team')
plt.ylabel('Number of Gold Medals')
plt.show()
```



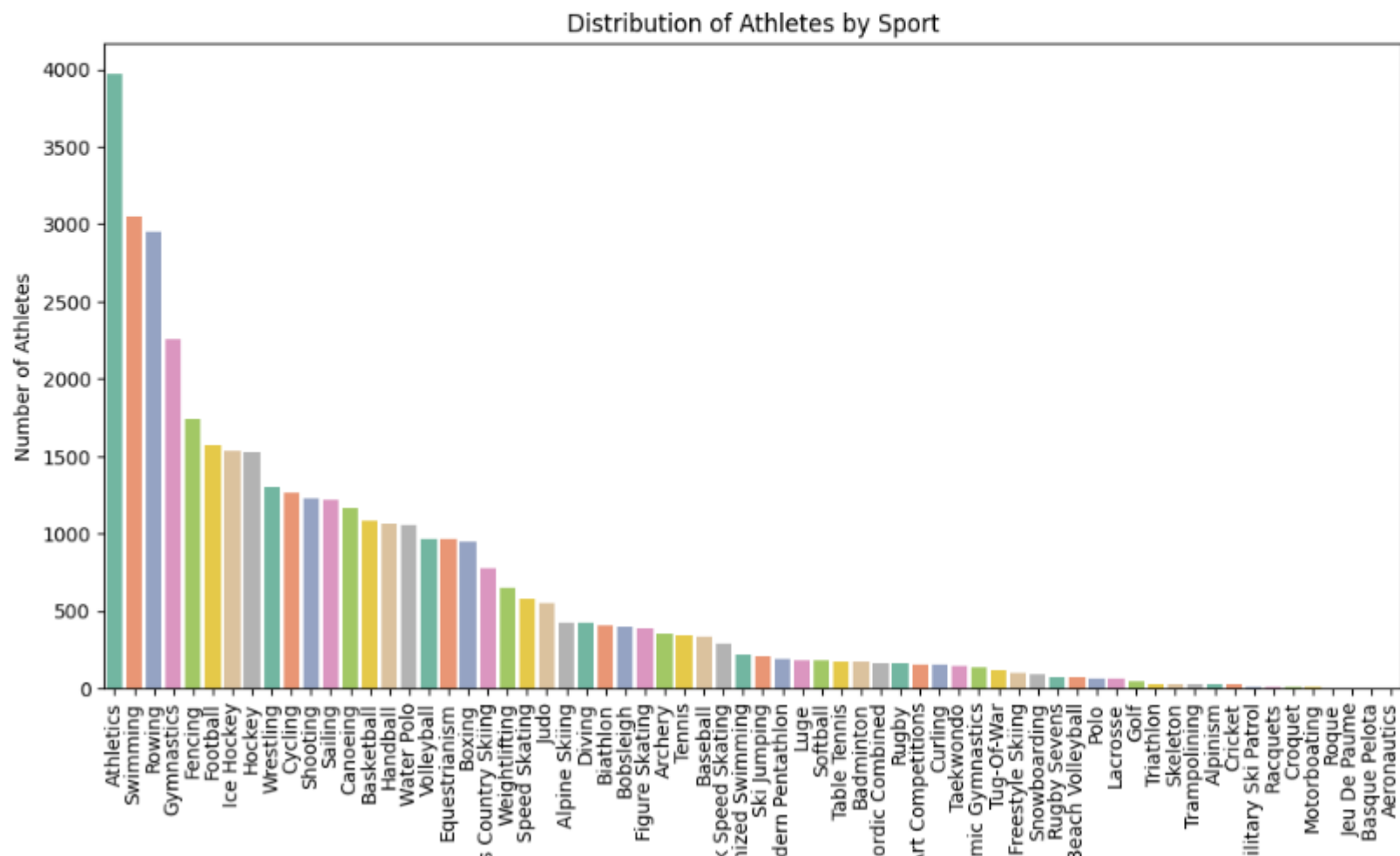
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sports_counts = df['sport'].value_counts()
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
sns.barplot(x=sports_counts.index, y=sports_counts.values, palette='Set2')
plt.title('Distribution of Athletes by Sport')
plt.xlabel('Sport')
plt.ylabel('Number of Athletes')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
```



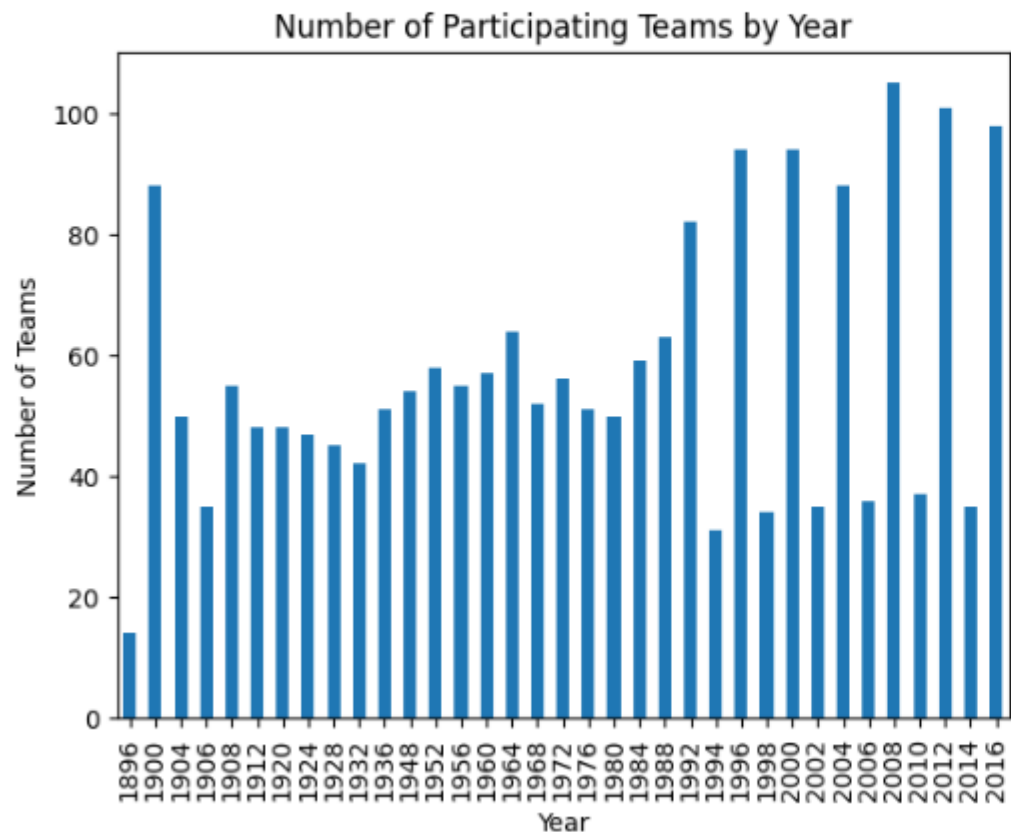
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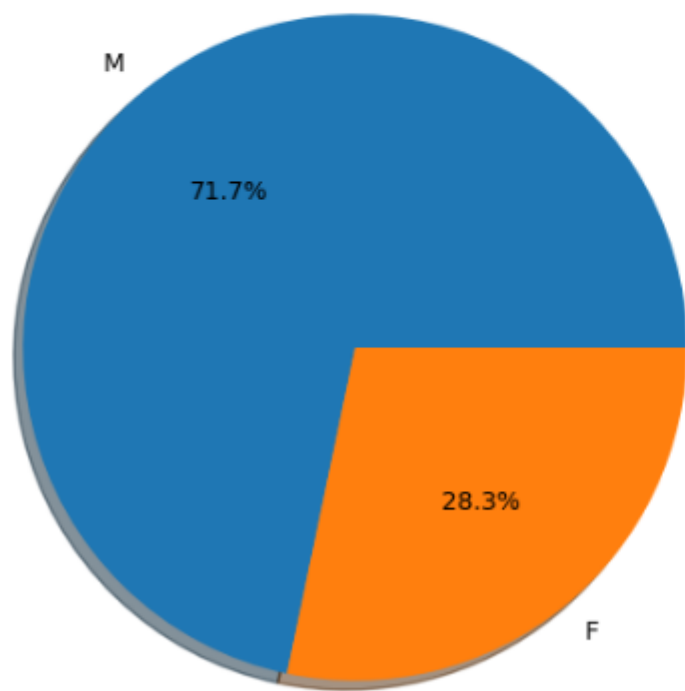
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teams_by_year = df.groupby('Year')['Team'].nunique()  
teams_by_year.plot(kind='bar')  
plt.title('Number of Participating Teams by Year')  
plt.xlabel('Year')  
plt.ylabel('Number of Teams')  
plt.xticks(rotation=90)  
plt.show()
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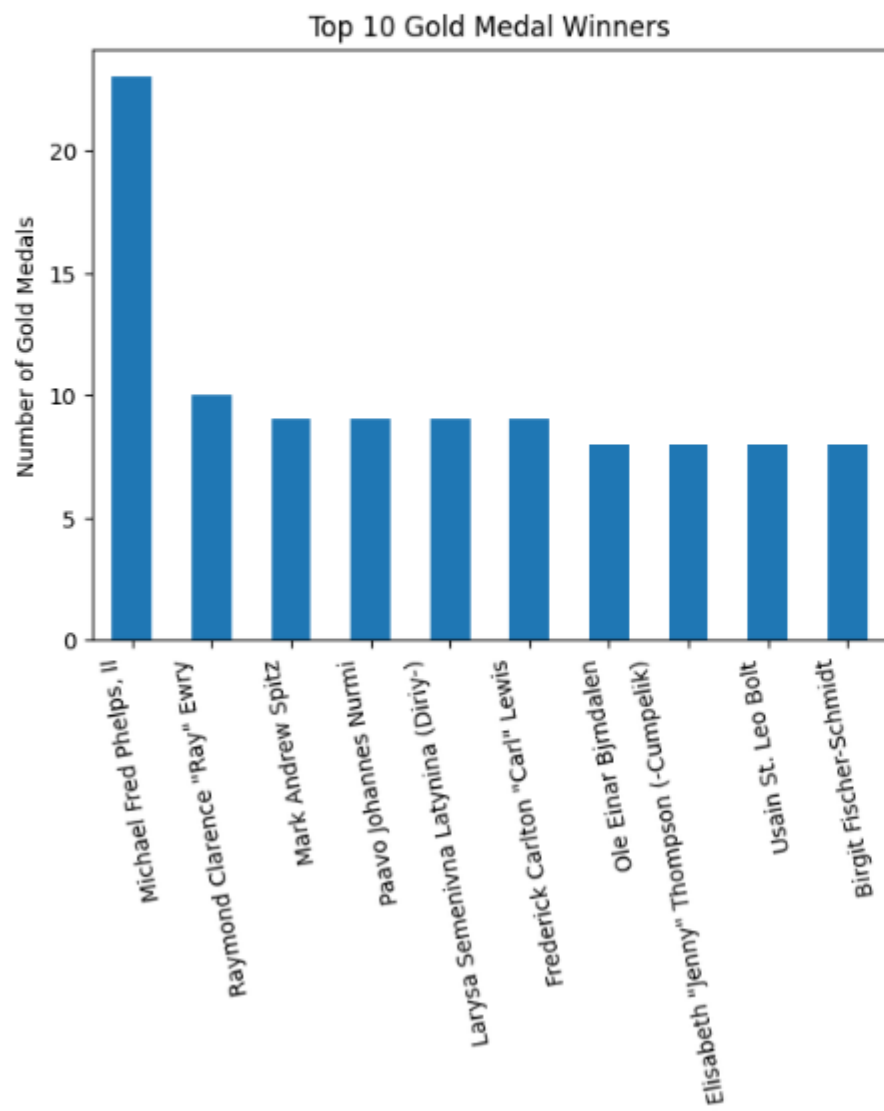
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gender_counts = df['Sex'].value_counts()  
plt.figure(figsize=(6, 6))  
plt.pie(gender_counts.values, labels=gender_counts.index, autopct='%1.1f%%', shadow=True)  
plt.title('Gender Distribution of Athletes')  
plt.show()
```



Gender Distribution of Athletes



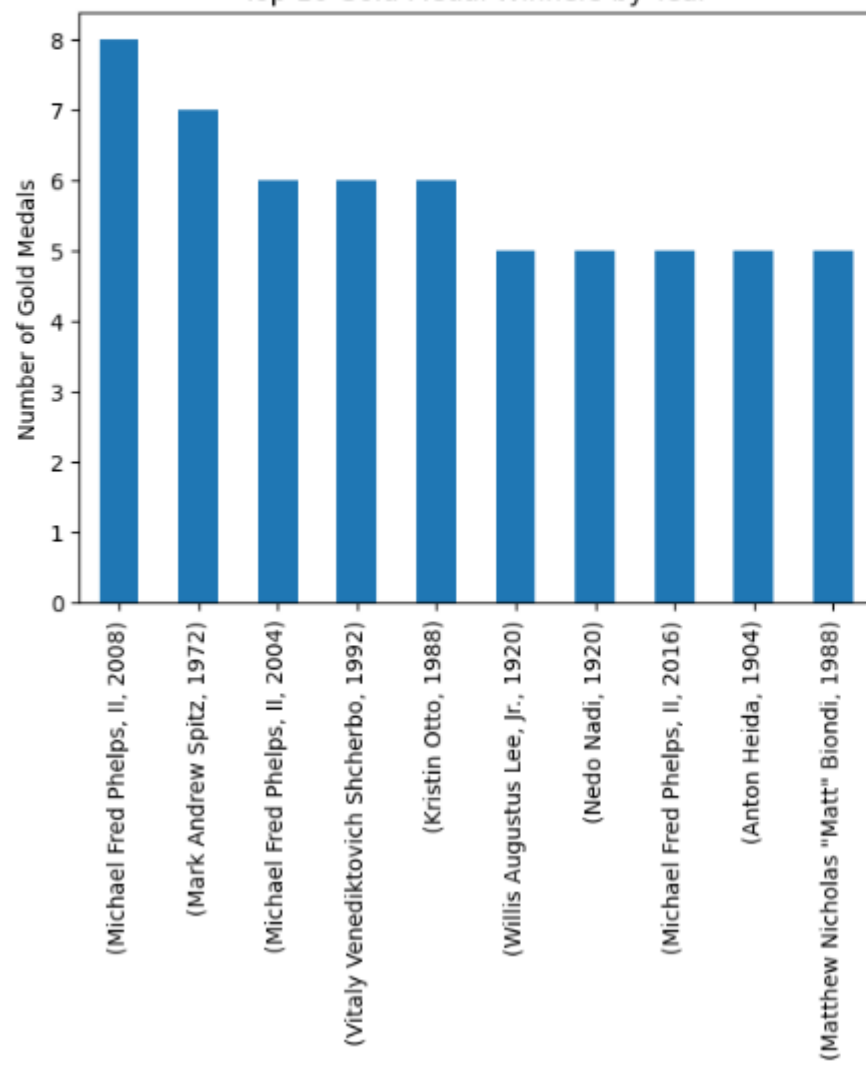
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gold_medals = df[df['Medal'] == 'Gold']
gold_medals_by_name = gold_medals.groupby('Name').size().sort_values(ascending=False)
gold_medals_by_name.head(10).plot(kind='bar')
plt.title('Top 10 Gold Medal Winners')
plt.xlabel('Name')
plt.ylabel('Number of Gold Medals')
plt.xticks(rotation=100)
plt.show()
```



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gold_medals_by_name_year = gold_medals.groupby(['Name', 'Year']).size().sort_values(ascending=False)
gold_medals_by_name_year.head(10).plot(kind='bar')
plt.title('Top 10 Gold Medal Winners by Year')
plt.xlabel('Name')
plt.ylabel('Number of Gold Medals')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
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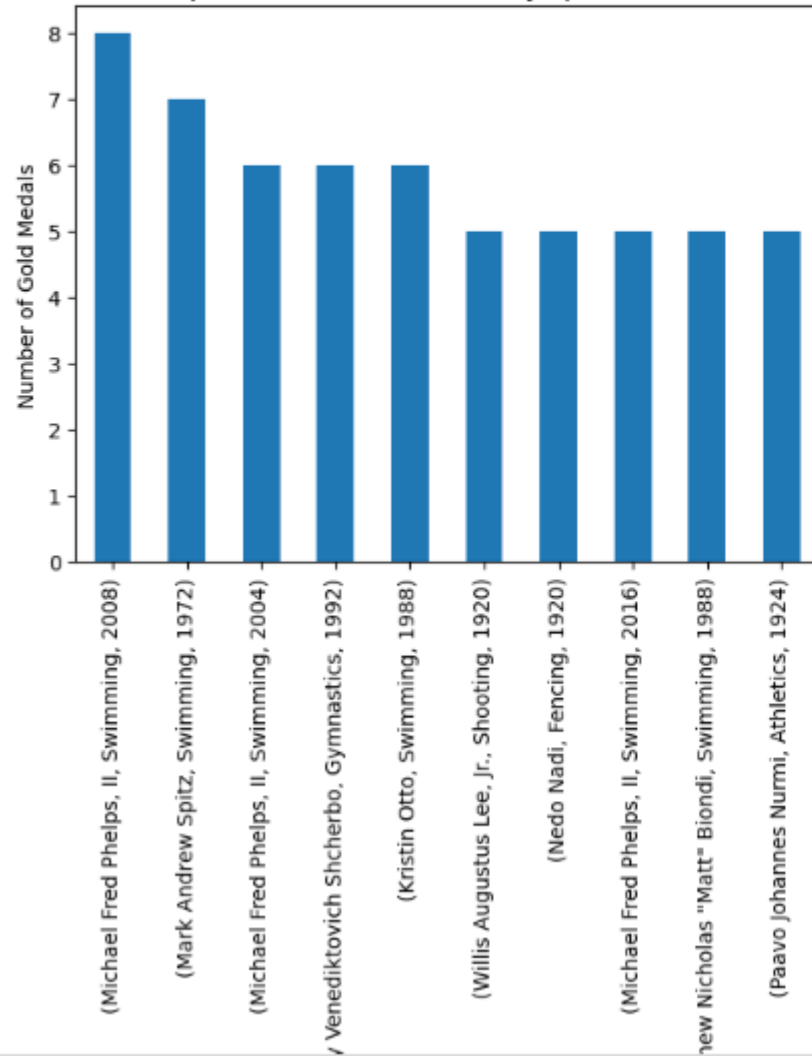
Top 10 Gold Medal Winners by Year



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gold_medals = df[df['Medal'] == 'Gold']
grouped_data = gold_medals.groupby(['Name', 'Sport', 'Year']).size()
sorted_data = grouped_data.sort_values(ascending=False)
top_10_athletes = sorted_data.head(10)
top_10_athletes.plot(kind='bar')
plt.xlabel('Name')
plt.ylabel('Number of Gold Medals')
plt.title('Top 10 Gold Medal Winners by Sport and Year')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
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Top 10 Gold Medal Winners by Sport and Year



## Conclusion:

The analysis of the Olympic History dataset offers valuable insights into the multifaceted dynamics of the modern Olympic Games. By examining participation, performance, gender representation, and sporting diversity, the project contributes to a deeper understanding of the Olympics' evolution and its broader societal impact.