

## EXPERIMENT NO. 10

**AIM:** Study and Implement Feature Engineering- Outline Detection

### **Theory:**

Feature engineering is the process of selecting, modifying, or creating features (input variables) that can enhance the performance of machine learning algorithms. For outline detection, it involves the identification of boundaries or edges in data, typically in images, to highlight structures or patterns. This process is particularly important in computer vision and image processing, where algorithms detect and analyse the edges within an image to identify objects, shapes, or specific regions.

Outline detection relies on:

1. **Gradient-based Methods** (like the Sobel or Canny edge detector): Uses gradient changes in pixel intensity to locate edges.
2. **Thresholding Techniques**: Segments images based on pixel intensity to isolate and highlight edges.
3. **Morphological Operations**: Enhances or highlights outlines in binary or grayscale images.

By extracting these key features, the data becomes more informative for training models, helping them detect and classify objects or make other inferences based on the detected outlines.

### **Code:**

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# In[1]:
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
get_ipython().run_line_magic('matplotlib', 'inline')
matplotlib.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10,6)

# In[2]:
df = pd.read_csv("heights.csv")
df.sample(5)

# In[3]:
plt.hist(df.height, bins=20, rwidth=0.8)
plt.xlabel('Height (inches)')
plt.ylabel('Count')
plt.show()
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#In[4]:
from scipy.stats import norm
import numpy as np
plt.hist(df.height, bins=20, rwidth=0.8, density=True)
plt.xlabel('Height (inches)')
plt.ylabel('Count')

rng = np.arange(df.height.min(), df.height.max(), 0.1)
plt.plot(rng, norm.pdf(rng, df.height.mean(), df.height.std()))

#In[5]:
df.height.mean()

#In[6]:
df.height.std()

#In[7]:
upper_limit = df.height.mean() + 3*df.height.std()
upper_limit

#In[8]:
inputs_n = inputs.drop(['company', 'job', 'degree'], axis='columns') lower_limit =
df.height.mean() - 3*df.height.std()
lower_limit

#In[9]:
df[(df.height > upper_limit) | (df.height < lower_limit)]

#In[10]:
df_no_outlier_std_dev = df[(df.height < upper_limit) & (df.height > lower_limit)]
df_no_outlier_std_dev.head()

#In[11]:
df_no_outlier_std_dev.shape

#In[12]:
df.shape

#In[13]:
df['zscore'] = ( df.height - df.height.mean() ) / df.height.std()
df.head(5)

#In[14]:
df[df['zscore'] > 3]

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#ln[15]:
df[df['zscore']<-3]

#ln[16]:
df[(df.zscore<-3) | (df.zscore>3)]

#ln[17]:
df_no_outliers = df[(df.zscore>-3) & (df.zscore<3)]
df_no_outliers.head()

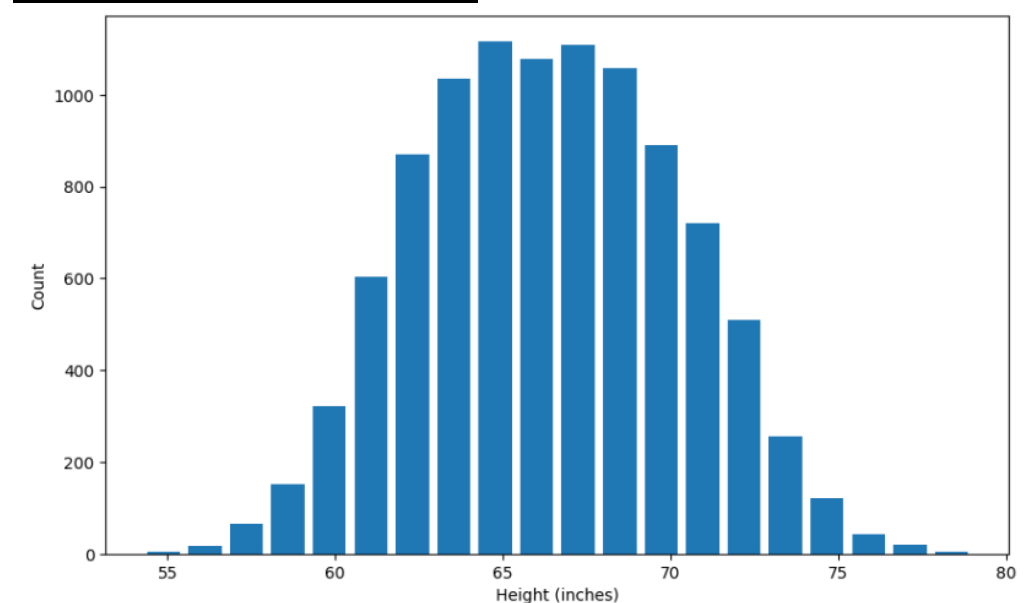
#ln[18]:
df_no_outliers.shape

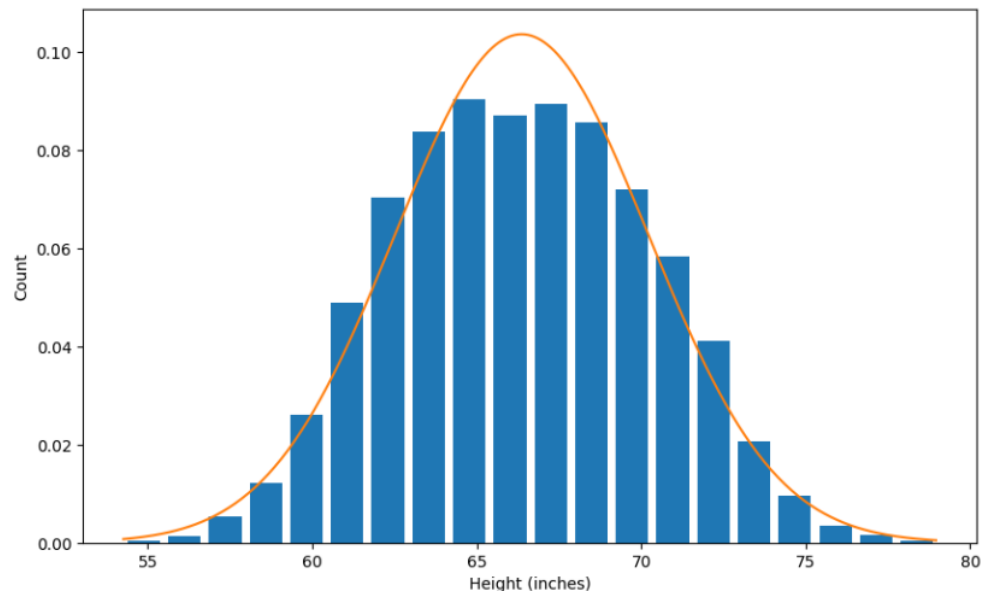
#ln[19]:
df.shape

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### **Output Snapshots:**

	gender	height
<b>49</b>	Male	72.870360
<b>5601</b>	Female	59.762156
<b>769</b>	Male	65.747298
<b>7417</b>	Female	61.017988
<b>8586</b>	Female	68.222664





66.367559754866    3.847528120795573    77.91014411725271  
54.824975392479274

gender		height			
994	Male	78.095867			
1317	Male	78.462053	gender	height	
2014	Male	78.998742	0	Male	73.847017
3285	Male	78.528210	1	Male	68.781904
3757	Male	78.621374	2	Male	74.110105
6624	Female	54.616858	3	Male	71.730978
9285	Female	54.263133	4	Male	69.881796

(10000, 2)

gender	height	zscore
0	Male	73.847017
1	Male	68.781904
2	Male	74.110105
3	Male	71.730978
4	Male	69.881796

1.9453124999999998

	gender	height	zscore
994	Male	78.095867	3.048271
1317	Male	78.462053	3.143445
2014	Male	78.998742	3.282934
3285	Male	78.528210	3.160640
3757	Male	78.621374	3.184854

	gender	height	zscore
6624	Female	54.616858	-3.054091
9285	Female	54.263133	-3.146027

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	gender	height	zscore		
0	Male	73.847017	1.943964		
1	Male	68.781904	0.627505		
2	Male	74.110105	2.012343		
3	Male	71.730978	1.393991		
4	Male	69.881796	0.913375	(9993, 3)	(10000, 3)

### Learning Outcome: