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1 Part 1: Visualization Technique

A. Narrative I found the interesting dataset in Kaggle concerning alcohol consumption in the world for adults 15 years and older. I was immediately curious as I pursue a healthy lifestyle. This dataset covers many different regions and countries, and contains many variables that could produce interesting findings.

The Dataset: Alcohol assumption in 2008 downloaded from Kaggle. The original data source came from Gap Minder, a non-profit research entity. The full descriptions of the curated dataset is discussed in detail here: <http://makemeanalyst.com/download-and-learn-about-gapminder-dataset/>

After having worked on this assignment for a while, I realized that my original dataset is rather limited. It doesn't have interesting layers of categorical data to enhance my visualizations. Hence, I browsed around the web to obtain two additional datasets. These came from the World Health Organization that contains country, region, and income information for the countries of interest. Please note that my demo will attempt to call out this realization and documented the steps chronologically. <https://www.who.int/news-room/fact-sheets/detail/alcohol>

B. Visualization Techniques:

I will demonstrate some basic charts that were covered in the course, but in this new toolkit (Plotly). Specifically, the charts that I will show are: - Histogram - Bar charts with color coding - Bubble map - Scatter plots (for fun)

C. Discussion:

With this mixed bag of the intended charts above, I will sequentially describe how they work and when they should not be used

1. Histogram - Measures the frequency of a continuous numerical variable in the dataset. The bins could be specified - This is not appropriate for categorical data
2. Bar charts with color coding - This is unarguably the most popular visual for anyone. Typically, one axis is a category variable and the other one shows the numerical data. The data doesn't have to be continuous. I encoded an "extra" feature that shows certain types of grouping as a color callout (see the demo later)
3. Bubble map - I used to work in finance, and bubble chart is used widely to measure sales and their impact across different categories/conditions. And since I have a global dataset, why not combine a bubble and map to create a bubble map? This visual not only effectively describes trends in your data but also offers a "sizing" component (i.e., the bigger the size (coded with a numerical var), the bigger the impact of that data point is with respect to that category. (e.g., Sales rep sales by region and size = total sales made) - It is often not possible to produce this chart if you don't have geographic data for many data points.
4. Scatter plots (extra just for fun) - I would love to understand the relationships between the variables in the dataset.

This chart is often used to understanding the linear correlation between the x and y variables. - x and y must be numerical for this chart to be used.

2 Part 2: Visualization Library

I chose Plotly, an open-source Python library developed by a Canadian firm founded in 2012. The toolkit supports 40 unique plots. It is a more aesthetically pleasing than matplotlib and offers interactive capablity. This comes in handy for my demo as you will see later that it is quite nice to be able to hover your mouse on the data points and glean some data right on the spots! Plotly also highly integrates with Dash, an open-source framework for building analytical applications, with no Javascript required. I will continue to tinker with this library as I progress throughout my journey as a data scientist.

I checked out basic Python documentation via this link:

<https://plotly.com/python/>

I installed through Conda command line %conda install plotly

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[1]: # I will import the crucial standard libraries and modules
import plotly
import plotly.express as px
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
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[2]: print(plotly.__version__)
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3 Part 3: Demonstration

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[3]: # Loading the data, basic manipulations for cleaning and removing unwanted rows
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[4]: a_data = pd.read_csv('gapminder_alcohol.csv')
print(a_data.shape)
a_data.set_index('country', inplace=True)
a_data.rename(columns={'alcoconsumption': 'alcoconsumption 2008'}, inplace=True)
a_data.head()
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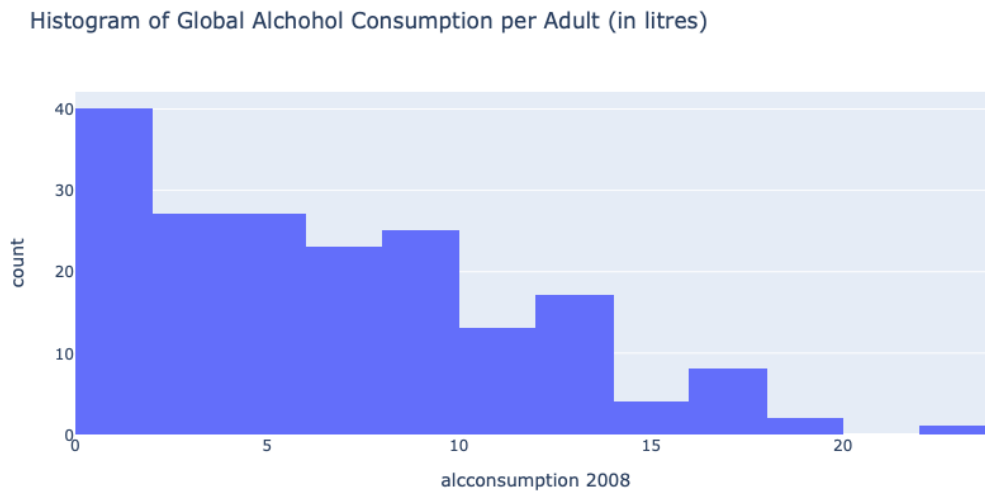
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[4]:
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	alcoconsumption 2008	incomeperperson	suicideper100th	\
country				
Afghanistan	0.03	NaN	6.684385	
Albania	7.29	1914.996551	7.699330	
Algeria	0.69	2231.993335	4.848770	
Andorra	10.17	21943.339900	5.362179	
Angola	5.57	1381.004268	14.554677	

	employrate	urbanrate
country		
Afghanistan	55.700001	24.04
Albania	51.400002	46.72
Algeria	50.500000	65.22
Andorra	NaN	88.92
Angola	75.699997	56.70

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[5]: # lets explore a basic histogram of alchohol consumption measured in litres for
      ↪ adults >= 15 years old to see the
      # frequency of the different buckets measured in litres
      fig = px.histogram(a_data, x="alconsumption 2008", title='Histogram of Global
      ↪ Alcohol Consumption per Adult (in litres)')
      fig.show()
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[6]: # The distribution looks right-skewed to me. I'm curious about the basic
      ↪ summary statistics of the level of alcohol
      # consumptions. Let's perform some basic statistical measures.
      a_data.describe()
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[6]:      alconsumption 2008  incomeperperson  suicideper100th  employrate  \
count      187.000000      190.000000      191.000000      178.000000
mean         6.689412      8740.966076         9.640839      58.635955
std         4.899617     14262.809083         6.300178     10.519454
min          0.030000      103.775857         0.201449      32.000000
25%          2.625000       748.245151         4.988449      51.225000
50%          5.920000      2553.496056         8.262893      58.699999
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75%	9.925000	9379.891166	12.328551	64.975000
max	23.010000	105147.437700	35.752872	83.199997

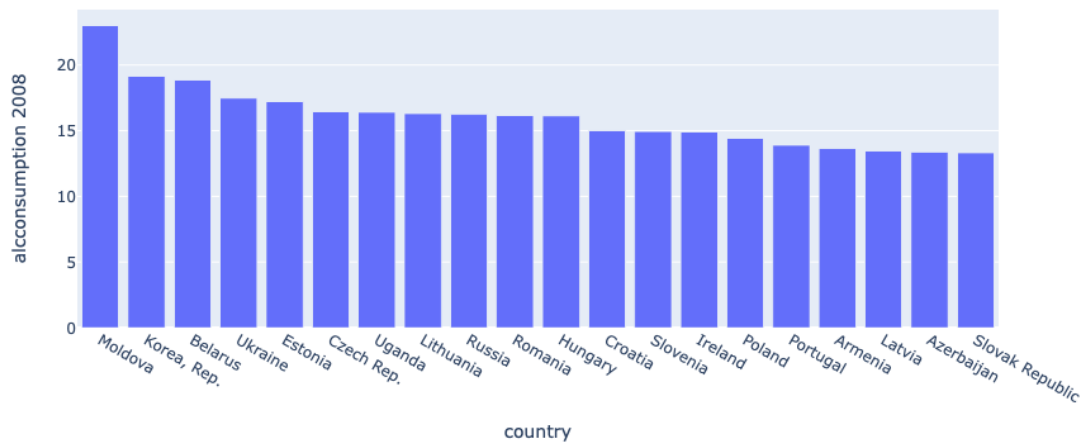
	urbanrate
count	203.000000
mean	56.769360
std	23.844933
min	10.400000
25%	36.830000
50%	57.940000
75%	74.210000
max	100.000000

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[7]: # I want to find out the top countries that consume most alcohol in the world
# I will slice a separate df for these top 15 countries
al_df= a_data[['alconsumption 2008']]
sort_df = al_df.sort_values('alconsumption 2008', ascending=False)
top20 = sort_df.iloc[:20,:]
top20
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[7]:          alconsumption 2008
country
Moldova          23.01
Korea, Rep.       19.15
Belarus           18.85
Ukraine           17.47
Estonia           17.24
Czech Rep.        16.47
Uganda            16.40
Lithuania          16.30
Russia            16.23
Romania            16.15
Hungary            16.12
Croatia            15.00
Slovenia           14.94
Ireland            14.92
Poland             14.43
Portugal           13.89
Armenia            13.66
Latvia             13.45
Azerbaijan         13.34
Slovak Republic    13.31
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[8]: fig = px.bar(top20, x = top20.index, y = 'alconsumption 2008', title = 'Top 20_
↪countries consumed most alcohol per adult in 2008')
fig.show()
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Top 20 countries consumed most alcohol per adult in 2008



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[9]: # now i'm going to bring in two other sources of data to provide an additional
      ↪ dimensions--region and incomegroup so that we could enhance
      # this bar chart by turning it into more celebrated bar charts

      # 1) country code that will bind these dataframes together (df2)
      # 2) region and income information for the countries of interest (df3)
      # Finally, i will merge the three dataframes together for a holistic view.
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[10]: df2 = pd.read_csv('country_code.csv')
      df2 = df2.drop(columns=['Indicator Name', 'Indicator Code']) # dropping
      ↪ non-essential columns
      print(df2.shape)
      df2.head()
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[10]:
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	Country Name	Country Code	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	\
0	Aruba	ABW	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	
1	Africa Eastern and Southern	AFE	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	
2	Afghanistan	AFG	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	
3	Africa Western and Central	AFW	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	
4	Angola	AGO	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	

	1965	1966	1967	...	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	\
0	NaN	NaN	NaN	...	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	
1	NaN	NaN	NaN	...	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	5.200565	NaN	NaN	
2	NaN	NaN	NaN	...	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	0.210000	NaN	NaN	
3	NaN	NaN	NaN	...	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	6.869468	NaN	NaN	

4	NaN	NaN	NaN	...	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	7.960000	NaN	NaN
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	2018	2019	2020
0	NaN	NaN	NaN
1	5.170911	NaN	NaN
2	0.210000	NaN	NaN
3	6.835266	NaN	NaN
4	6.940000	NaN	NaN

[5 rows x 63 columns]

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[11]: df3 = pd.read_csv('region_incomegroup.csv')
df3 = df3.drop(columns=['SpecialNotes','TableName', 'Unnamed: 5'])
print(df3.shape)
df3.head()
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[11]: Country Code      Region      IncomeGroup
0      ABW  Latin America & Caribbean  High income
1      AFE                        NaN      NaN
2      AFG      South Asia      Low income
3      AFW                        NaN      NaN
4      AGO  Sub-Saharan Africa  Lower middle income
```

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[12]: # I will merge df2 and df3 together
df_merged = pd.merge(df2, df3,how='outer',left_on='Country Code',
→right_on='Country Code')
print(df_merged.shape)
df_merged.head()
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[12]: Country Name Country Code 1960 1961 1962 1963 1964 \
0      Aruba      ABW  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN
1  Africa Eastern and Southern      AFE  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN
2      Afghanistan      AFG  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN
3  Africa Western and Central      AFW  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN
4      Angola      AGO  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN  NaN

1965 1966 1967 ... 2013 2014      2015 2016 2017      2018 2019 \
0  NaN  NaN  NaN ...  NaN  NaN      NaN  NaN  NaN      NaN  NaN
1  NaN  NaN  NaN ...  NaN  NaN  5.200565  NaN  NaN  5.170911  NaN
2  NaN  NaN  NaN ...  NaN  NaN  0.210000  NaN  NaN  0.210000  NaN
3  NaN  NaN  NaN ...  NaN  NaN  6.869468  NaN  NaN  6.835266  NaN
4  NaN  NaN  NaN ...  NaN  NaN  7.960000  NaN  NaN  6.940000  NaN
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	2020	Region	IncomeGroup
0	NaN	Latin America & Caribbean	High income
1	NaN	NaN	NaN
2	NaN	South Asia	Low income
3	NaN	NaN	NaN
4	NaN	Sub-Saharan Africa	Lower middle income

[5 rows x 65 columns]

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[13]: # merging all 3 tables together
combined_df = pd.merge(a_data, df_merged, how='inner', left_index=True,
    →right_on='Country Name')
combined_df.set_index('Country Name', inplace=True)
print(combined_df.shape)
combined_df.head()
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[13]:      alcconsumption 2008  incomeperperson  suicideper100th  \
Country Name
Afghanistan          0.03              NaN          6.684385
Albania              7.29          1914.996551          7.699330
Algeria              0.69          2231.993335          4.848770
Andorra             10.17          21943.339900          5.362179
Angola               5.57          1381.004268          14.554677

      employrate  urbanrate Country Code  1960  1961  1962  1963  ...  \
Country Name
Afghanistan    55.700001    24.04          AFG   NaN   NaN   NaN   NaN  ...
Albania        51.400002    46.72          ALB   NaN   NaN   NaN   NaN  ...
Algeria        50.500000    65.22          DZA   NaN   NaN   NaN   NaN  ...
Andorra         NaN      88.92          AND   NaN   NaN   NaN   NaN  ...
Angola         75.699997    56.70          AGO   NaN   NaN   NaN   NaN  ...

      2013  2014  2015  2016  2017  2018  2019  2020  \
Country Name
Afghanistan   NaN   NaN   0.21   NaN   NaN   0.21   NaN   NaN
Albania       NaN   NaN   6.74   NaN   NaN   7.17   NaN   NaN
Algeria       NaN   NaN   0.93   NaN   NaN   0.95   NaN   NaN
Andorra       NaN   NaN  11.01   NaN   NaN  11.02   NaN   NaN
Angola        NaN   NaN   7.96   NaN   NaN   6.94   NaN   NaN

      Region          IncomeGroup
Country Name
Afghanistan      South Asia      Low income
Albania          Europe & Central Asia  Upper middle income
Algeria          Middle East & North Africa  Lower middle income
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Andorra	Europe & Central Asia	High income
Angola	Sub-Saharan Africa	Lower middle income

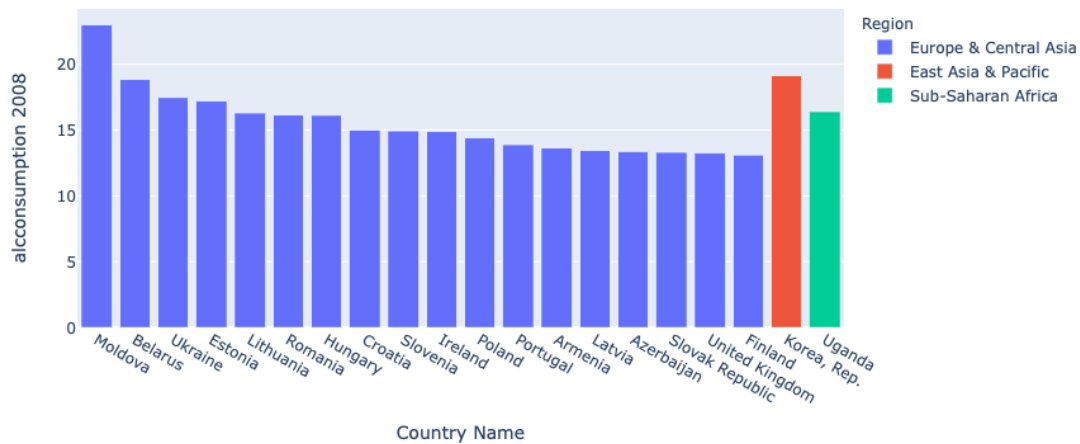
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[14]: # now i want to revisit my bar chart above and add another level of dimension
      ↪to it.
sort_df2 = combined_df.sort_values('alcoholconsumption 2008', ascending=False)
top20 = sort_df2.iloc[:20,:]

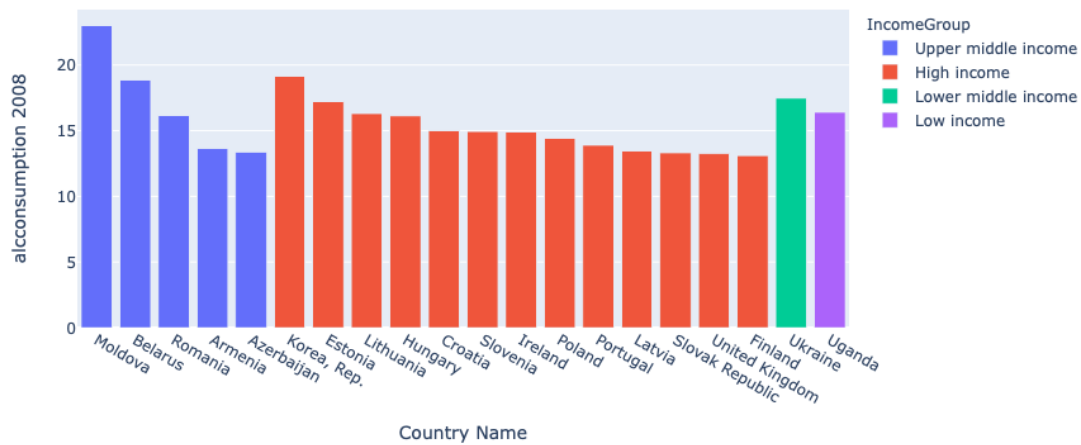
#let's get plotting on this df and add 'region code' and 'income group',
      ↪respectively, to encode the colors

fig = px.bar(top20, x = top20.index, y = 'alcoholconsumption 2008', color='Region',
      ↪title = 'Top 20 countries consumed most alcohol in 2008')
fig.show()
fig = px.bar(top20, x = top20.index, y = 'alcoholconsumption 2008',
      ↪color='IncomeGroup', title = 'Top 20 countries consumed most alcohol in
      ↪2008')
fig.show()
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Top 20 countries consumed most alcohol in 2008

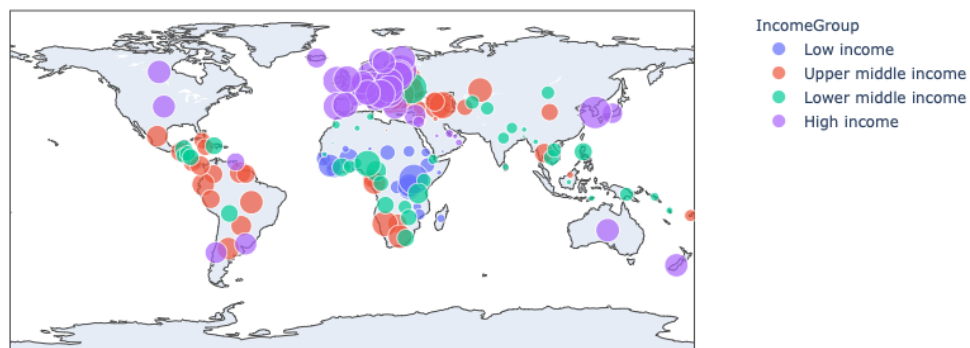


Top 20 countries consumed most alcohol in 2008



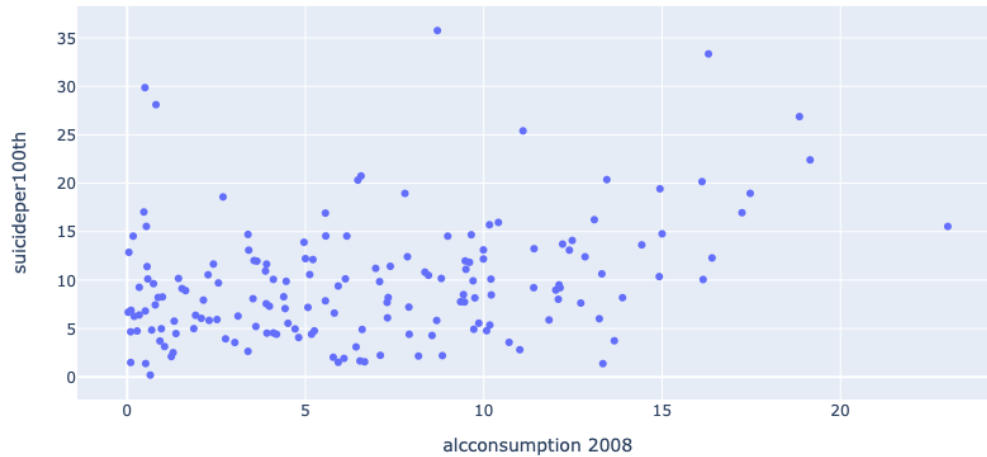
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[15]: # Wow, this is so much better!
# Finally, I will create a bubble map that show the total avg alcohol
# consumption per capita. The only thing I could
# have add is to code 'year' as the animation frame but unfortunately our yearly
# data is sporadic
combined_df['2008'] = combined_df['alcoholconsumption 2008'].fillna(0)
fig = px.scatter_geo(combined_df, locations='Country Code', color='IncomeGroup',
                    hover_name=combined_df.index, size='2008',
                    title='Bubble Graph of Global Alcohol Consumption by Income
                    Group in 2008')
fig.show()
```

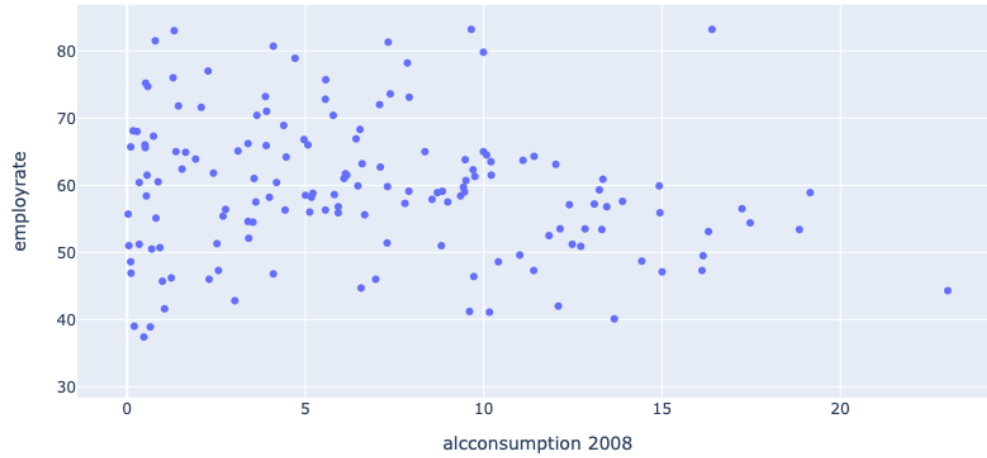
Bubble Graph of Global Alcohol Consumption by Income Group in 2008



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[16]: # Bonus just for fun
# When I have more time to work on this, perhaps I want to look at something
# → more predictive than just simply
# summarizing data
# Moving on from descriptive statistics, I want to explore potential
# → relationships between these variables in the dataset
# Let's plot a few scatter plots for different pair of x and y axes

fig = px.scatter(combined_df, x='alcoholconsumption 2008', y='suicideper100th')
fig.show()
fig = px.scatter(combined_df, x='alcoholconsumption 2008', y='employrate')
fig.show()
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[17]: # it looks like there might exist a positive correlation between alcohol
      ↪ consumption and suicidal rate per 100,000th
      # On the other hand, the relationship between alcohol consumption and
      ↪ employment rate is not quiet clear
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