BIO-TECH STARTUP MARKET SEGMENTATION

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ABSTRACT

This chapter discusses an innovative health technology and development process in the healthcare industry, challenges and trends in the healthcare system, and health technologies for the future. The chapter concludes by recommending methodologies for developing health technology to start-ups and entrepreneurs.

PROBLEM STATEMENT

You are a team working under a Bio-Tech Startup going to launch its Home Checkup Service with Online Booking offering the following initial services.

1. Full Body Checkup with a Bio-Tech Device based on Blood Samples

2. Online Health Techs offering i. Diabetes checkup device, ii. Blood Pressure checkup device, iii. Vitamins deficiency checkup device.

You have to analyse Medical Market in India with respect to the given problem statement using Segmentation analysis and come up with a feasible strategy to enter the market, targeting the segments most likely to use their product in terms of Geographic, Demographic, Psychographic, Behavioral. (Interns have the choice to add more segments)

DATA SOURCES (DATA COLLECTION)

1. **Some of the different data collecting sources:**

- Collecting new data from internet and other sources
- Using the previously collected and stored data
- Reusing someone else's data
- Purchasing data

2. **The data collection methods depend on the following:**

- The research problem under study
- The research design
- The information gathered about the variable

DATA PRE-PROCESSING (STEPS AND LIBRARIES USED)

Step 1. Loading the data set

Importing libraries:

The absolutely first thing we need to do is to import libraries for data preprocessing. There are lots of libraries available, but the most popular and important Python libraries for working on data are Numpy, Matplotlib, and Pandas. Numpy is the library used for all mathematical things. Pandas is the best tool available for importing and managing datasets. Matplotlib (Matplotlib.pyplot) is the library to make charts.

Step 2. Loading data into pandas

we downloaded your data set and named it as a .csv file, we need to load it into a pandas DataFrame to explore it and perform some basic cleaning tasks removing information you don't need that will make data processing slower.

**Step 3. Exploring the data set**
Deciding on a target column

With a filtered data set explored, we need to create a matrix of dependent variables and a vector of independent variables. At first, you should decide on the appropriate column to use as a target column for modeling based on the question we want to answer. For example, if you're going to predict the development of cancer, or the chance the credit will be approved, we need to find a column with the status of the disease or loan granting ad use it as the target column.

Step 4. Preparing the Features for Machine Learning

Finally, it's time to do the preparatory work to feed the features for

ML algorithms. To clean the data set, we need to handle missing values

and categorical features, because the mathematics underlying most   machine learning models assumes that the data is numerical and

contains no missing values. Moreover, the scikit-learn library returns an error if we try to train a model like K-Means Clustering and Hierarchical Clustering. using data that contain missing or non-numeric values.

Clustering algorithm is a technique that assists customer segmentation which is a process of classifying similar customers into the same segment. Clustering algorithm helps to better understand customers, in terms of both static demographics and dynamic behaviors.
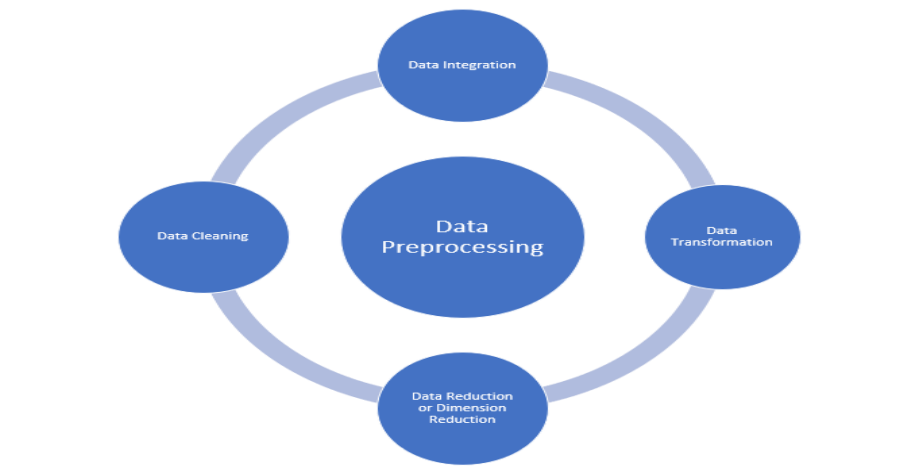
DATA VISUALIZATION

1. BLOOD PRESSURE

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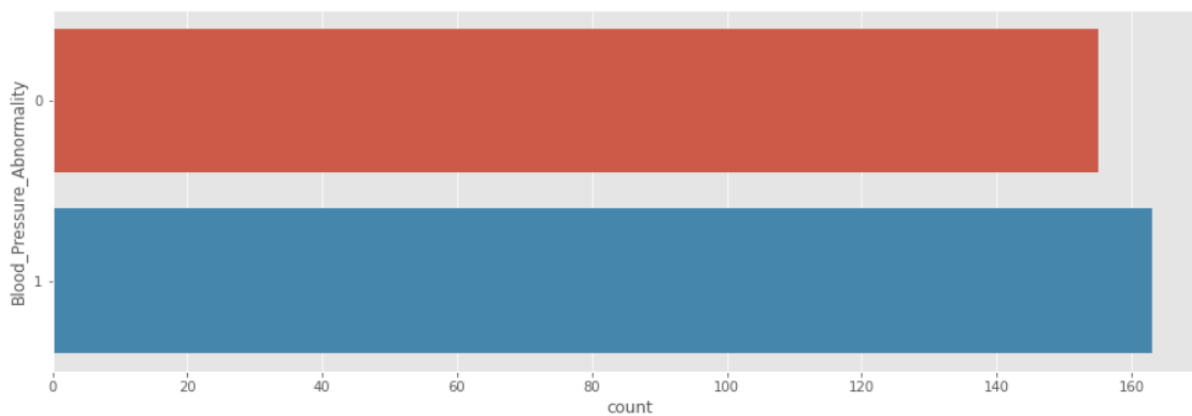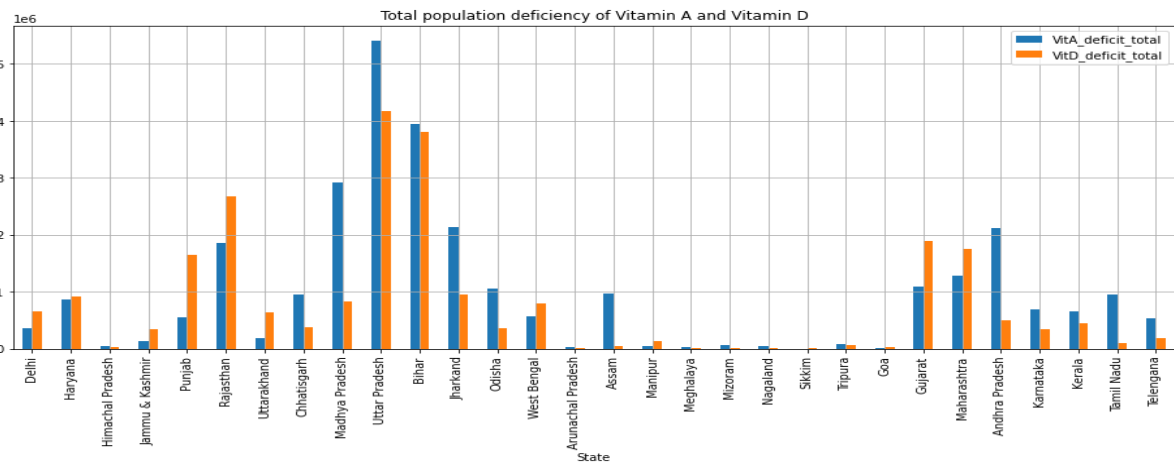
2. VITAMINS

The data used in the report has been collected from a survey during the year 2016 – 2018. It includes the data about the deficiency of Vitamin A and Vitamin D among children aged between 0 – 6 in various state of India.


Percentage of deficiency of Vitamin A and Vitamin D
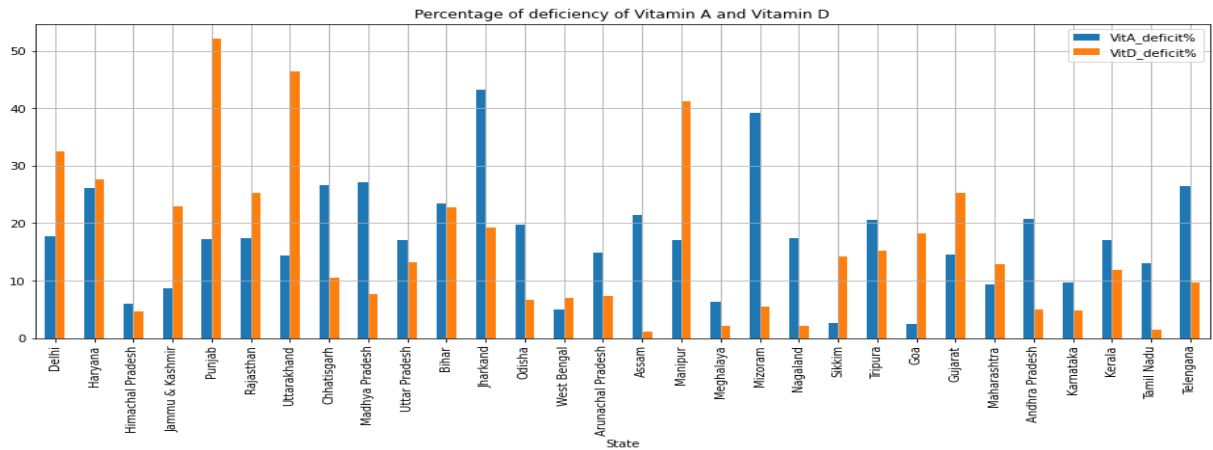
In the above plot, we observe that Jharkhand and Mizoram have higher percentage of Vitamin A deficiency whereas Punjab, Uttarakhand and Manipur have higher percentage of Vitamin D deficiency.

Total population deficiency of Vitamin A and Vitamin D

In the above plot, we observe that Uttar Pradesh has the highest population of Vitamin A deficiency and Uttar Pradesh and Bihar have higher population of Vitamin D deficiency.

3. DIABETES

Hypertension, also known as high or raised blood pressure, is a condition in which the blood vessels have persistently raised pressure. Blood is carried from the heart to all parts of the body in the vessels. Each time the heart heats it pumps blood into the vessels.
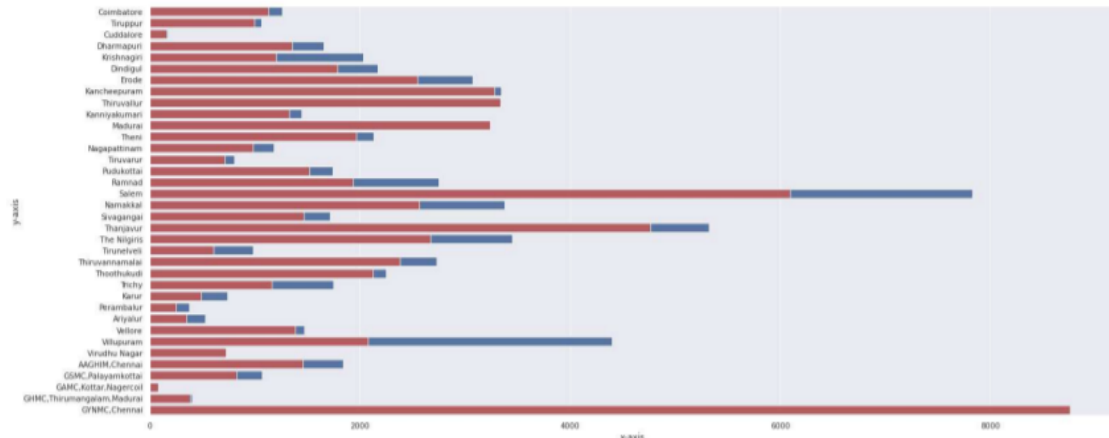
# MODEL BUILDING

Finding the optimal clusters using:

i) K-Means

ii) Hierarchical Clustering (Agglomerative)

iii) Silhouette Score

iv) Plotting Elbow Method

v) Finding the Segment Distribution for each cluster

vi) Performing Profiling

1. BLOOD PRESSURE

- **Step 1: Finding the Cophenetic Distance Correlation Coefficient for different Linkages**
  Conclusion: For the Agglomerative Clustering, the Cophenet distance correlation coefficient helps in deciding which linkage method is the most beneficial for the dataset. The higher the coefficient, the better it is. From the above, the best method is Average computed using City Block distance.

- **Step 2:The Optimal clusters using KMeans, Silhouette Coefficient Score for both K-Means and Agglomerative Clustering**
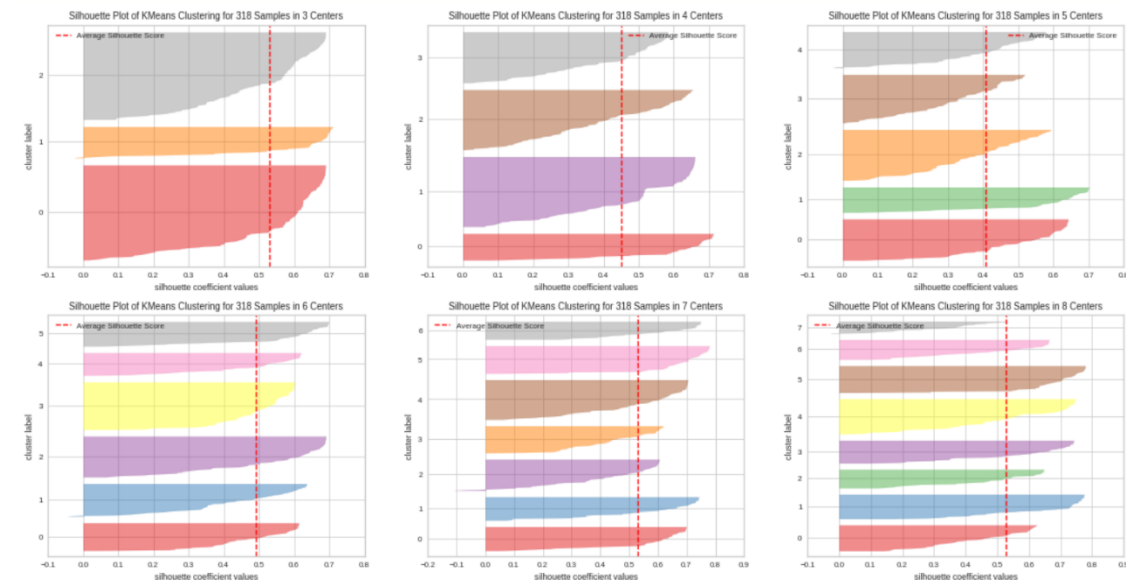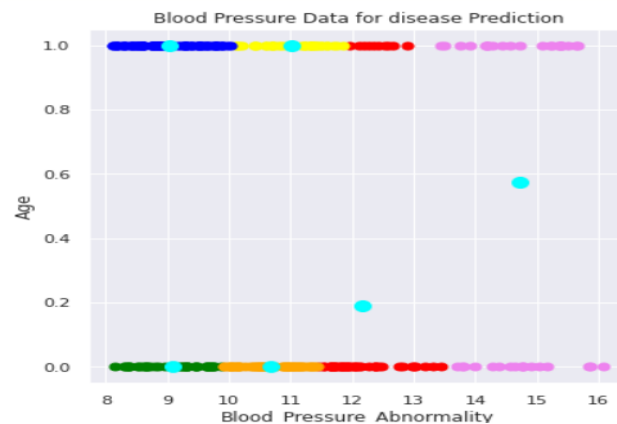

- **Step 3: Elbow graph**

  Inertia or Sum of Squared Errors within the Clusters is also known as the Cluster Errors. Cluster error will decrease after some Clusters
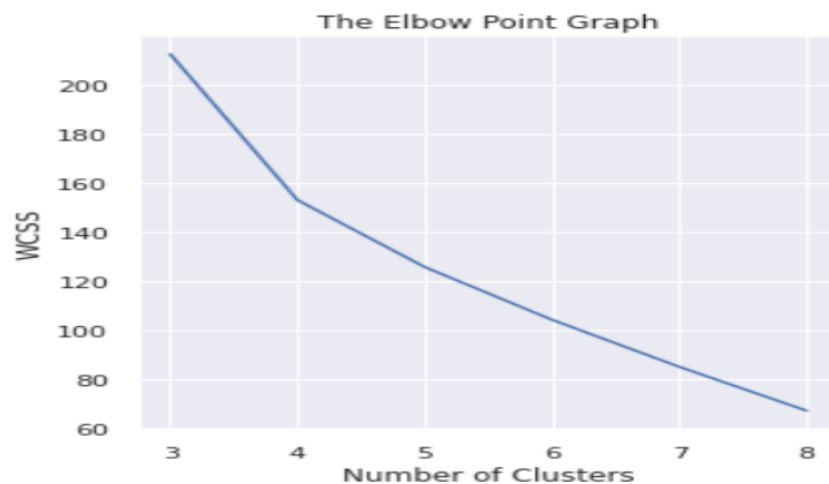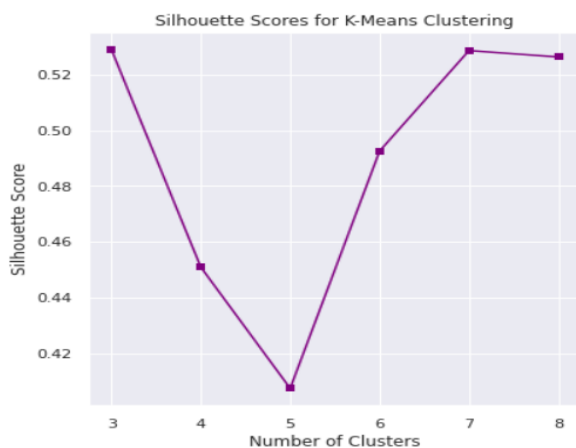
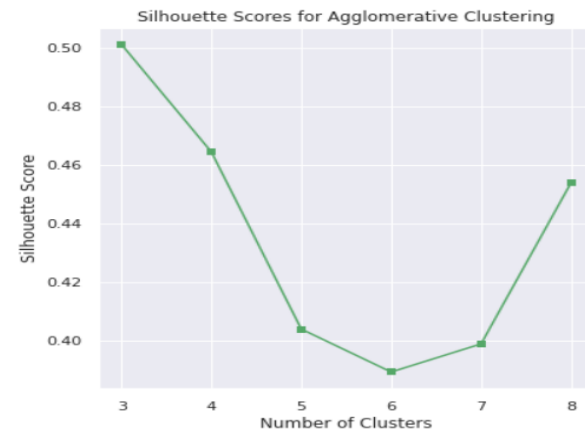- **Step 4: Plotting All The Clusters And Their Centroids**

Blood Pressure Data for disease Prediction

- **Step 5: Plotting the Silhouette Score for the clusters found from K-Means and Agglomerative Clustering**

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- **Step 6 : Segment Distribution**

  Segment distribution gives the percentage of values in each Segment

  i) Making K-Means Cluster and Labels for finding out the distribution of Segments and then performing Profiling
  1)K = 3, 2)K = 4, 3)K = 5, 4)K = 6, 5)K = 7, 6)K = 8

  ii) The Segment Distribution for cluster 1)K = 3, 2)K = 4, 3)K = 5, 4)K = 6, 5)K = 7, 6)K = 8

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- **Step 7 : Profiling And Describing Potential Segments**

    The goal of Profiling is to be able to differentiate between the groups with the proper distinction that means each group has some unique characteristics about it and then that cluster is the ideal solution to segment the values.

    Steps to do Profiling are: 1) Find the count of each segment (value_counts) ----> that gives how many observations or records are present in each segment 2) For each of the variable: find the overall average and the individual segment-wise average 3) Perform the above two steps for each K value to find the best profiling

    Step 1 of Profiling :- Finding how many observations or records are present in each segment

   **Step 2 of Profiling :-** For each of the variable : find the overall average and the individual segment wise average.
    A good indication of the distribution of data is the mean value, hence will find the average value for each variable and for each cluster.

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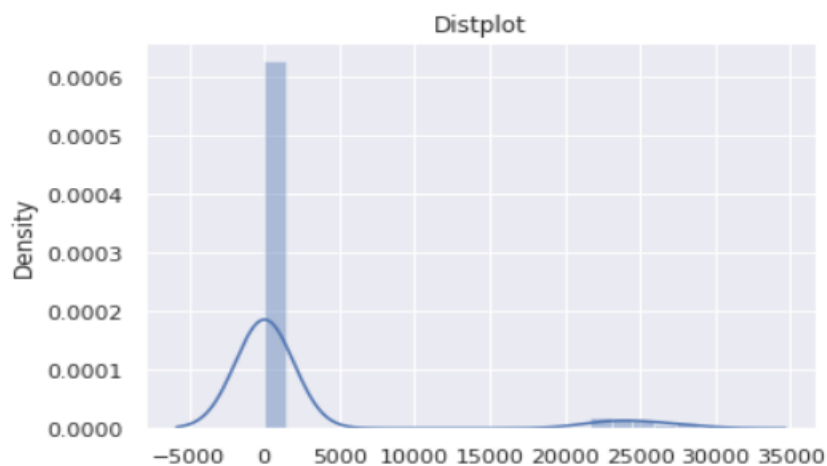
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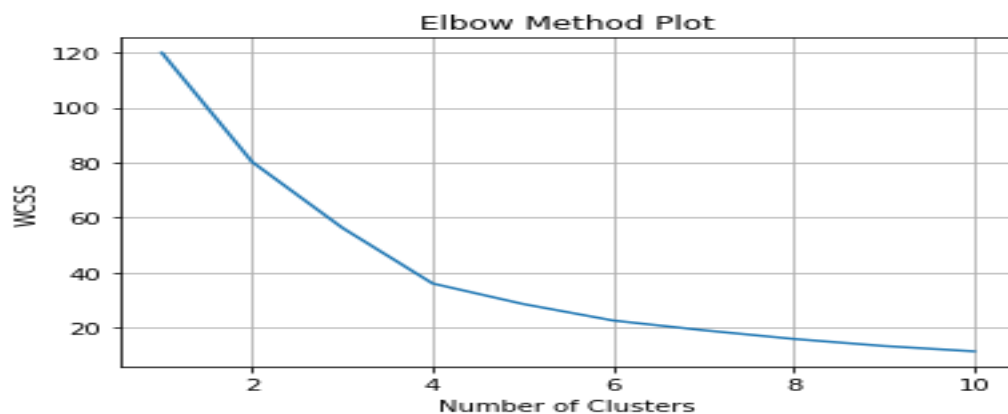
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Segment distribution gives the percentage of values in each Segment.

Making K-Means Cluster and Labels for finding out the distribution of Segments
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The Segment Distribution for cluster 1) K = 3, 2) K = 4, 3) K = 5, 4) K = 6

Plotting the Silhouette Score for the clusters found from K-Means.

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The silhouette score for no. of cluster k =  3  is :-  0.3390144574166799
The silhouette score for no. of cluster k =  4  is :-  0.3396809882591862
The silhouette score for no. of cluster k =  5  is :-  0.36173462627882186
The silhouette score for no. of cluster k =  6  is :-  0.3463507399737702
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From above, we observe that the Silhouette Score = **0.36173462627882186** is the highest for number of clusters = 5

iii) States in Cluster

- States in Cluster 1 are ['Delhi' 'Haryana' 'Punjab' 'Uttarakhand' 'Manipur']

- States in Cluster 2 are ['Himachal Pradesh' 'Jammu & Kashmir' 'West Bengal' 'Arunachal Pradesh' 'Meghalaya' 'Nagaland' 'Sikkim' 'Tripura' 'Goa' 'Karnataka' 'Kerala' 'Tamil Nadu']

- States in Cluster 3 are ['Uttar Pradesh' 'Bihar']

- States in Cluster 4 are ['Chhatisgarh' 'Madhya Pradesh' 'Jharkand' 'Odisha' 'Assam' 'Mizoram' 'Andhra Pradesh' 'Telengana']

- States in Cluster 5 are ['Rajasthan' 'Gujarat' 'Maharashtra']

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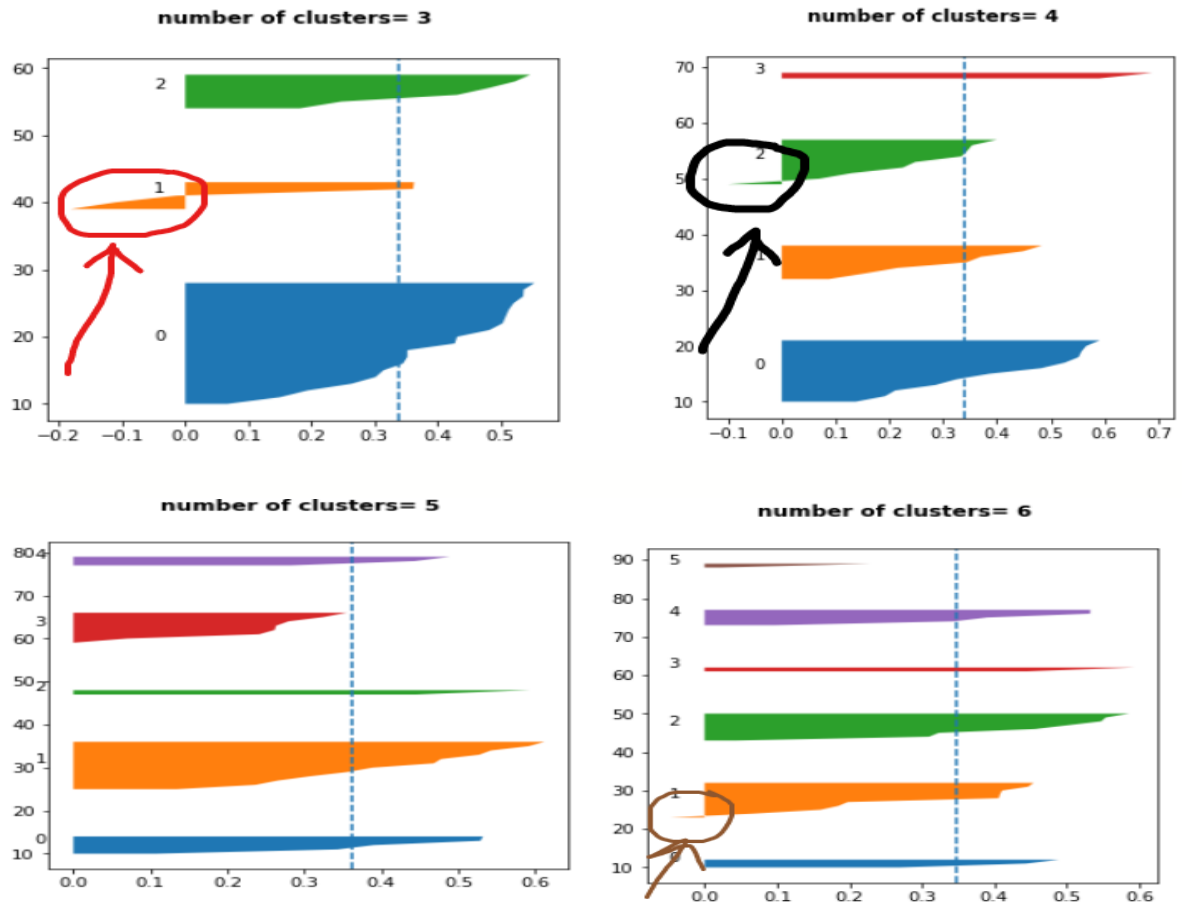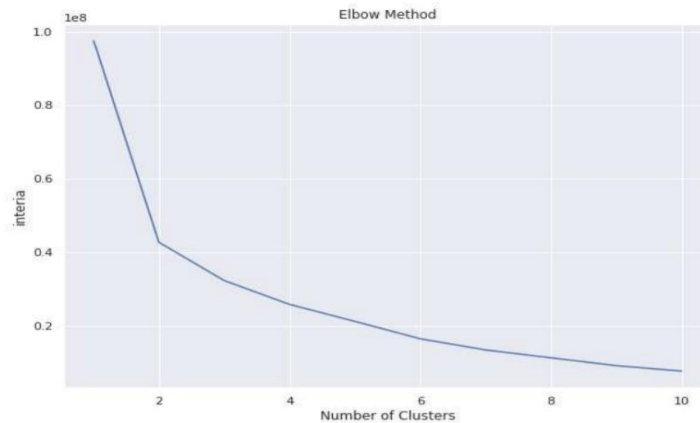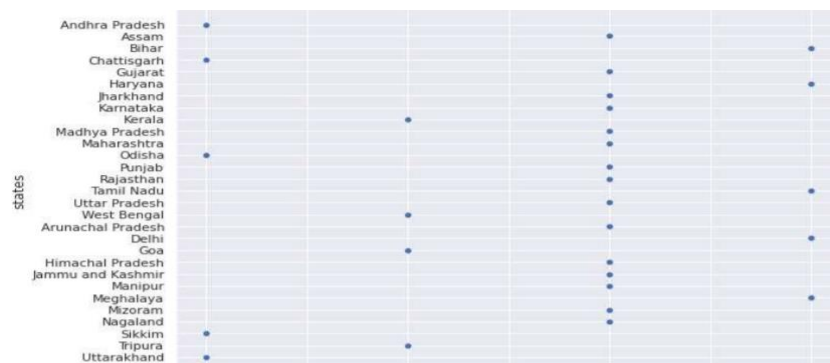### ii) States in Cluster

States wise visualization with Clusters

Making K-Means Cluster and Labels for finding out the distribution of Segments
1) K = 2, 2) K = 4, 3) K = 6, 4) K = 8, 5) K = 10

SELECTION OF TARGET SEGMENT

To analyze the respective market in India using Segmentation analysis for Bio-Tech Startup going to launch its Home Checkup Service. Target marketing in healthcare is the practice of marketing your healthcare center to your target audience by using strategies like audience research, segmentation, and more. With healthcare target marketing, you can better reach your ideal client or patient.

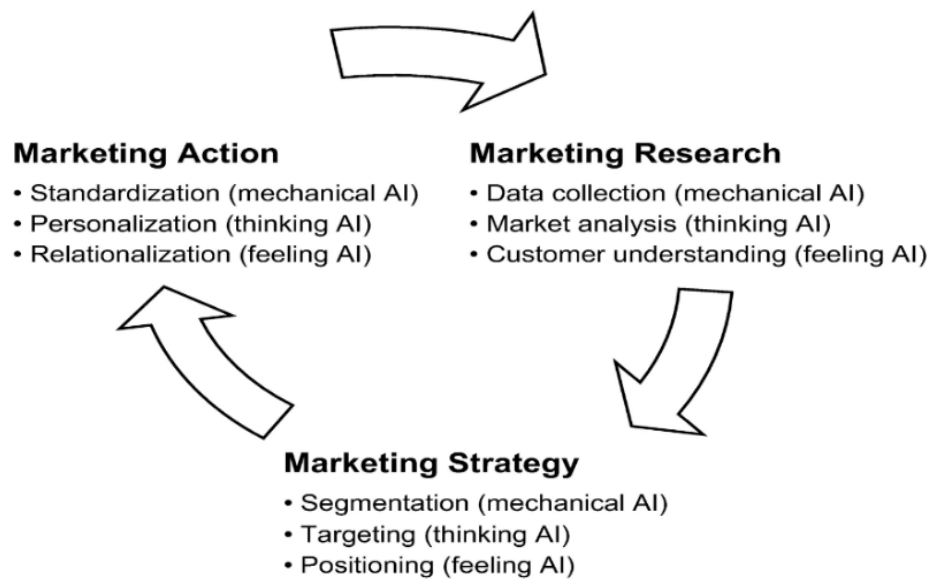❖ **Four ways to define your target audience**
There are few points that will help you find the right target audience for your marketing initiatives. However, the goal should be to specific about the target audience you select so that your **healthcare marketing** campaigns provide expected results. Let us explore the details here.

- **Geo-location**: When researching your target audience, you will have to decide about the location that you will focus on in your marketing campaigns. This decision will be based upon physical location of your establishment and the distance from which you expect patients to visit.
- **Demographics**: Marketing campaigns are to be created on the basis of chosen demographics of your audience. For instance, you will have analyze the gender, age, education, size of family, occupation, household income, and similar other details while deciding about demographics to target.
- **Psychographics**: As part of psychographical analysis, few of the points to look into would be lifestyle, behavior, and personality of your audience base. In addition, you need to examine whether the audience is responsive to new innovations.
- **Behavior**: You need to analyze needs of your audience base as well as evaluate their knowledge level. Additionally, you need to check the response they provide to specific health care services and products.

❖ Ai Healthcare Market Segmentation

The AI in healthcare market is segmented on the basis of offering, algorithm, application, end user, and region. By offering, the market is divided into hardware, software, and services. By algorithm, it is classified into deep learning, querying method, natural language processing, and context aware processing. By application, it is fragmented into robot-assisted surgery, virtual nursing assistant, administrative workflow assistance, fraud detection, dosage error reduction, clinical trial participant identifier, preliminary diagnosis, and others. By end user, it is categorized into healthcare providers, pharmaceutical & biotechnology companies, patients, and payers. Region-wise, it is analyzed across North America, Europe, Asia-Pacific, and LAMEA.

Marketing Action
- Standardization (mechanical AI)
- Personalization (thinking AI)
- Relationalization (feeling AI)

Marketing Research
- Data collection (mechanical AI)
- Market analysis (thinking AI)
- Customer understanding (feeling AI)

Marketing Strategy
- Segmentation (mechanical AI)
- Targeting (thinking AI)
- Positioning (feeling AI)

CUSTOMIZING THE MARKETING MIX

A marketing programme uniquely designed for a particular customer. In international marketing the term describes a marketing programme designed uniquely for a particular country.
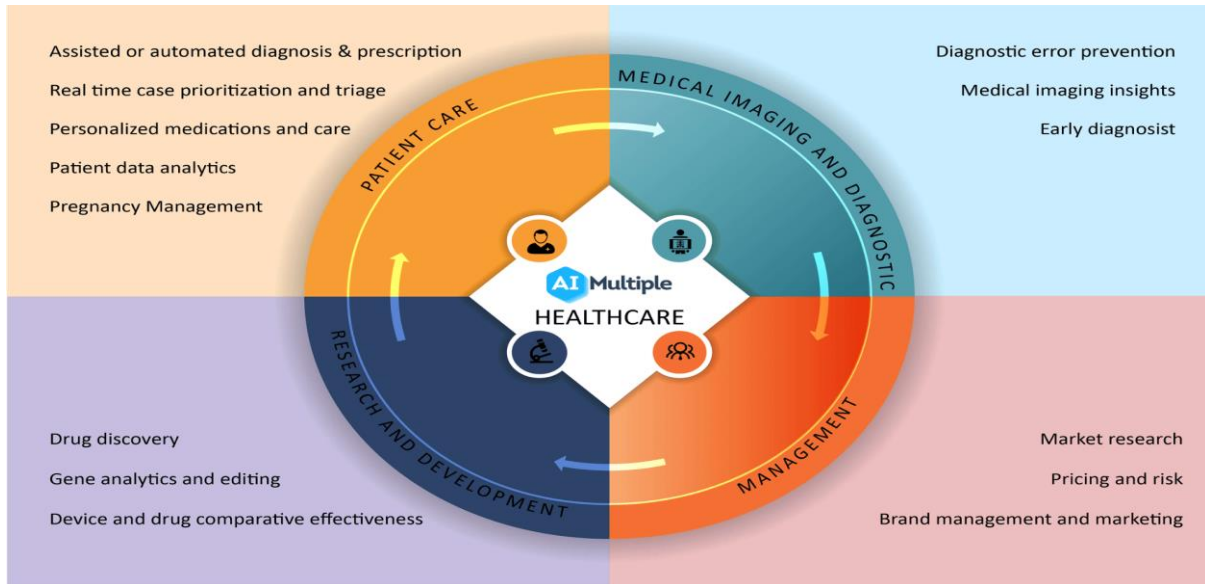
A marketing mix includes multiple areas of focus as part of a comprehensive marketing plan. The term often refers to a common classification that beganas the four Ps: **product, price, placement, and promotion**. Effective marketing touches on a broad range of areas as opposed to fixating on one message.

i) Product

This represents an item or service designed to satisfy customer needs and wants. To effectively market a product or service, it's important to identify what differentiates it from competing products or services. It's also important to determine if other products or services can be marketed in conjunction with it.

ii) Price

The sale price of the product reflects what consumers are willing to pay for it. Marketing professionals need to consider costs related to research and development, manufacturing, marketing, and distribution—otherwise known as cost-based pricing. Pricing based primarily on consumers' perceived quality or value is known as value-based pricing.

iii) Placement

The type of product sold is important to consider when determining areas of distribution. Basic consumer products, such as paper goods, often are readily available in many stores. Premium consumer products, however, typically are available only in select stores. Another consideration is whether to place a product in a physical store, online, or both.

iv) Promotion

Joint marketing campaigns also are called a promotional mix. Activities might include advertising, sales promotion, personal selling, and public relations. A key consideration should be for the budget assigned to the marketing mix. Marketing professionals carefully construct a message that often incorporates details from the other three Ps when trying to reach their target audience. Determination of the best mediums to communicate the message and decisions about the frequency of the communication also are important.

CONCLUSION

- The primary aim of AI in healthcare is to analyze relationships between or treatment techniques and patient outcomes.

- AI can achieve fast and accurate Diagnostics.

- It will be very helpful to reduce the human errors as well as the cost of treatment. Artificial Intelligence is definitely improving the healthcare industry. From predictive medical care and more accurate diagnosis to motivating the patients to take care of their health, AI will certainly continue enhancing the patient experience and healthcare expertise in general.

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