EDA_data_process_Candice

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```
library(caret)
library(tidyverse)
library(gridExtra)
```

Load Data

EDA

Overview of the Data

```
# brief summary of the data
skimr::skim(dat)
```

Table 1: Data summary

| Name | dat |
|------------------------|------|
| Number of rows | 3000 |
| Number of columns | 15 |
| Column type frequency: | |
| character | 1 |
| factor | 7 |
| numeric | 7 |
| Group variables | None |

Variable type: character

| skim_variable | n_missing | $complete_rate$ | min | max | empty | n_unique | whitespace |
|---------------|-----------|------------------|-----|-----|-------|----------|------------|
| study | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 |

Variable type: factor

| skim_variable | n_missing | complete_rate | ordered | n_unique | top_counts |
|--------------------------|-----------|---------------|---------|----------|---------------------------------|
| gender | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 2 | 0: 1544, 1: 1456 |
| race | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 4 | 1: 1967, 3: 604, 4: 271, 2: 158 |
| $\operatorname{smoking}$ | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 3 | 0: 1822, 1: 859, 2: 319 |
| hypertension | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 2 | 0: 1508, 1: 1492 |
| diabetes | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 2 | 0: 2537, 1: 463 |

| skim_variable | n_missing | $complete_rate$ | ordered | n _unique | top_counts |
|---------------|-----------|------------------|---------|-------------|------------------|
| vaccine | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 2 | 1: 1788, 0: 1212 |
| severity | 0 | 1 | FALSE | 2 | 0: 2679, 1: 321 |

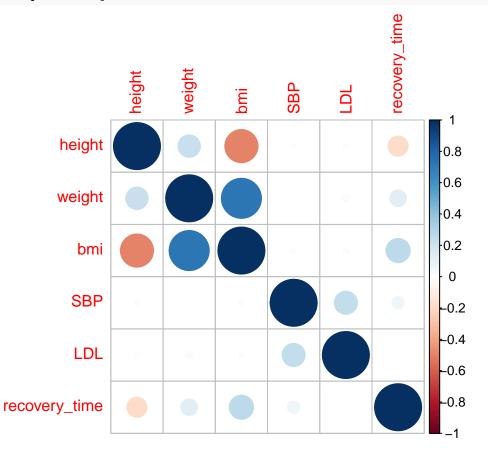
Variable type: numeric

| skim_variable | n_missing | complete_rate | mean | sd | p0 | p25 | p50 | p75 | p100 | hist |
|------------------------|-----------|---------------|--------|---------------------|-------|-------|--------|-------|-------|------|
| age | 0 | 1 | 60.20 | 4.48 | 42.0 | 57.0 | 60.00 | 63.0 | 79.0 | |
| height | 0 | 1 | 169.90 | 5.97 | 147.8 | 166.0 | 169.90 | 173.9 | 188.6 | |
| weight | 0 | 1 | 79.96 | 7.14 | 55.9 | 75.2 | 79.80 | 84.8 | 103.7 | |
| bmi | 0 | 1 | 27.76 | 2.79 | 18.8 | 25.8 | 27.65 | 29.5 | 38.9 | |
| SBP | 0 | 1 | 130.47 | 7.97 | 105.0 | 125.0 | 130.00 | 136.0 | 156.0 | |
| LDL | 0 | 1 | 110.45 | 19.76 | 28.0 | 97.0 | 110.00 | 124.0 | 178.0 | |
| ${\tt recovery_time}$ | 0 | 1 | 42.17 | 23.15 | 2.0 | 31.0 | 39.00 | 49.0 | 365.0 | |

EDA for Continuous Variables

Correlation plot for continuous variables

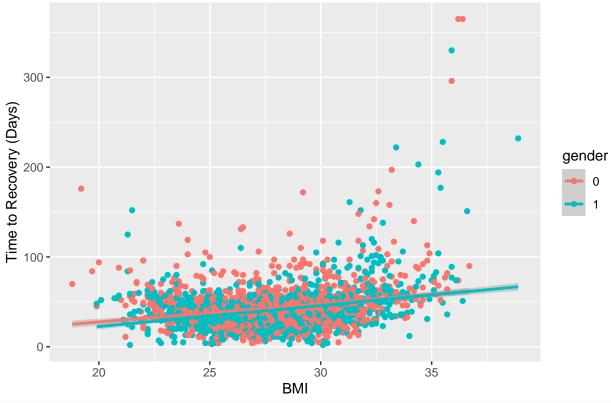
```
# correlation plot for continuous variables
continuous_vars <- dat %>%
   select(height, weight, bmi, SBP, LDL, recovery_time)
correlations <- cor(continuous_vars)
corrplot::corrplot(correlations, method = "circle")</pre>
```



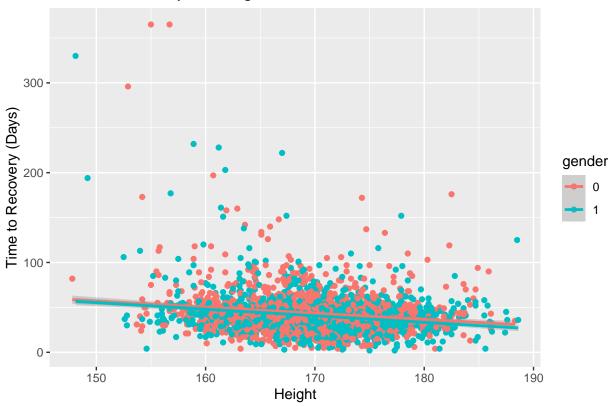
The correlation plot shows some relationships between variables, but none of them appear to be strongly correlated with recovery_time. This may suggest that linear relationships are not strong, and hence a non-linear model could be more appropriate.

Scatter plots to explore potential relationships

Time to Recovery vs. BMI

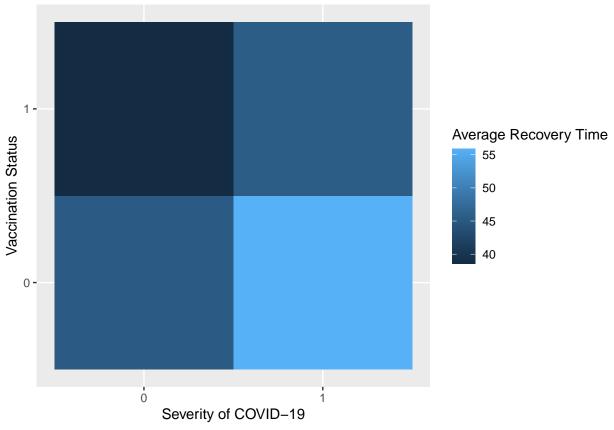


Time to Recovery vs. Height



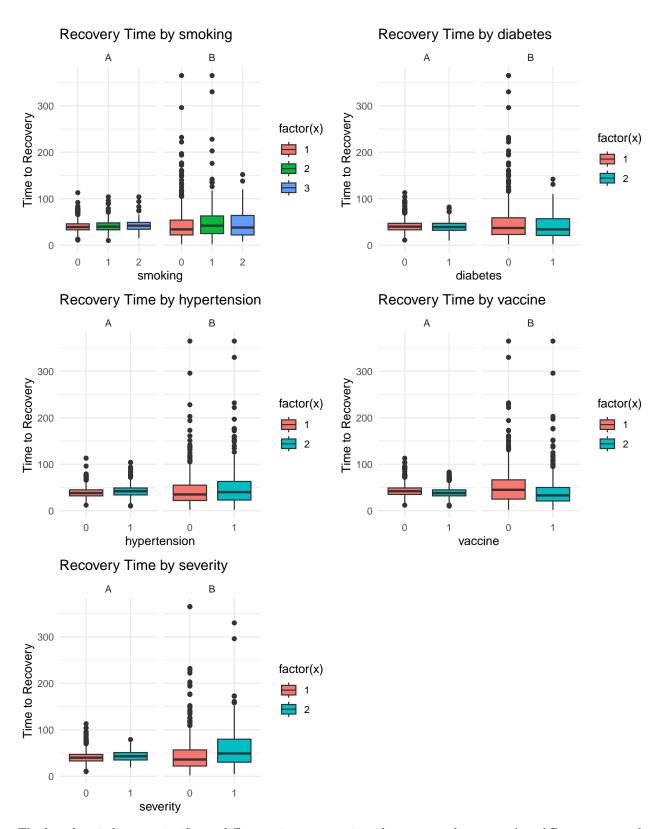
EDA for Discrete Variables ### Heatmap for severity and vaccination status

```
# Heatmap for systolic blood pressure across severity and vaccination status
dat %>%
  group_by(severity, vaccine) %>%
  summarise(avg_recovery_time = mean(recovery_time)) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x = factor(severity), y = factor(vaccine), fill = avg_recovery_time)) +
  geom_tile() +
  labs(x = "Severity of COVID-19",
        y = "Vaccination Status",
        fill = "Average Recovery Time")
```



Faceted grid plot for categorical variables

```
# faceted grid plot for categorical variables
categorical_vars <- c("smoking", "diabetes", "hypertension", "vaccine", "severity")
faceted_plots <- lapply(categorical_vars, function(var) {
    ggplot(dat, aes_string(x = var, y = "recovery_time")) +
        geom_boxplot(aes(fill = factor(..x..))) +
        facet_wrap(~study) +
        labs(title = paste("Recovery Time by", var), y = "Time to Recovery") +
        theme_minimal()
})
# combine the plots into one grid
grid.arrange(scatter_bmi, scatter_sbp, scatter_ldl, grobs = faceted_plots, ncol = 2)</pre>
```



The boxplots indicate a significant difference in recovery times between study groups A and B across several categorical factors, which suggests that study is an important variable to include in the model.

Preprocess of the Data

```
data <- dat

# normalize/standardize numerical variables
num_vars <- names(data)[sapply(data, is.numeric)][-7]
preprocess_params <- preProcess(data[, num_vars], method = c("center", "scale"))
data[num_vars] <- predict(preprocess_params, data[, num_vars])

# log transform 'recovery_time' since it's highly skewed
data$recovery_time <- log(data$recovery_time)</pre>
```

Split data & Define the control method

```
# split data into training and test sets
set.seed(123)
indexes <- createDataPartition(data$recovery_time, p = 0.8, list = FALSE)
train_data <- data[indexes, ]
test_data <- data[-indexes, ]

# matrix of predictors
x <- train_data %>% select(-recovery_time)
y <- train_data$recovery_time

# define the control method for training
ctrl1 <- trainControl(method = "cv", number = 10) # 10-fold cross-validation</pre>
```

Export the training/test set & control method

```
# save the training and test sets to CSV files
write.csv(train_data, "./Data/train_data.csv", row.names = FALSE)
write.csv(test_data, "./Data/test_data.csv", row.names = FALSE)

# save the control method using saveRDS
saveRDS(ctrl1, "./Data/train_control.rds")
```

Load the training/test set & control method