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# Analysis of Relationships between Biometric Variables and Blood Pressure

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## Abstract

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## 1. Data

The dataset used for this study focuses on a range of health-related variables. These include demographic details, lifestyle factors, and numerical medical measurements. Together, these biometric variables enable an analysis of health outcomes, with particular attention to blood pressure. The dataset specifically focuses on patient samples taken in Jamalpur, Bangladesh. 1,529 patient samples are included in the data set, all data was collected from the dates January 20, 2024, to January 1, 2025.<sup>1</sup> All data was gathered within ethical guidelines that ensured both patient confidentiality and informed consent.

### 1.1. Key Variables

The key variables used for analysis are Sex, Age, Body Mass Index (BMI), both Systolic and Diastolic Blood Pressure (measured in mmHg), Smoking Status, Diabetes Status and Physical Activity Level. These variables are essential for recognizing risks, determining overall patient health and informing preventive health strategies.

### 1.2. Data Reading and Preparation for Analysis

The data set contains more variables than we require for our analysis and answering our question. We are exploring the

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data with the hopes of gaining insight into potential factors that affect blood pressure. For the sake of clarity and focus, we are sacrificing analysis of a broad set of variables in favor of narrowing down several key variables to examine the possible relationships that exist between them and blood pressure. Wrangling and tidying the data will be necessary to accomplish this. This means that many variables must be omitted from our final data set on which we will perform EDA and visualization. Also present in most raw data sets are cosmetic blemishes that will complicate our EDA and visualization processes. These include missing observations, straggling commas, random spaces, inconsistent upper/lower case values, and other factors that may complicate how Python processes these observations. So, tidying will be necessary for EDA procedures to work.

### 1.3. Data Cleaning

Several methods can be used to wrangle and tidy data that is affected by these imperfections. Several packages, including pandas, numpy, seaborn, and matplotlib, will all be essential for our wrangling, tidying, and analysis to take place. Specifically, functions such as `df.dropna()` (to drop missing values), `.str.strip()` (to remove spaces), and `.str.lower()` (to correct lower case letters) will be needed. However, for these things to be carried out, we will first need to coerce them as strings so that they are read correctly and so we can perform the desired operations on them.

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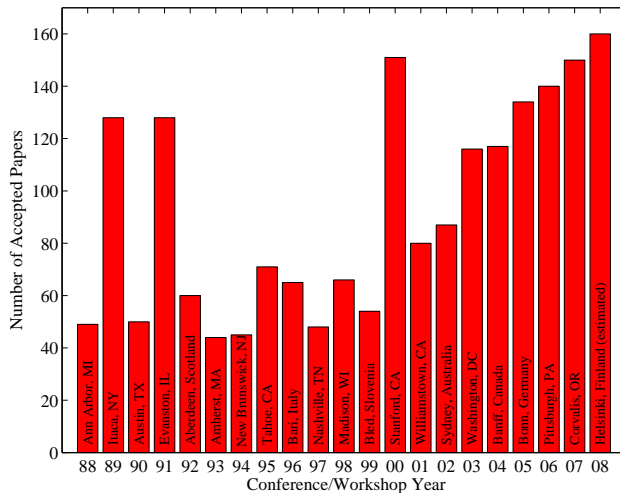


Figure 1. Historical locations and number of accepted papers for International Machine Learning Conferences (ICML 1993 – ICML 2008) and International Workshops on Machine Learning (ML 1988 – ML 1992). At the time this figure was produced, the number of accepted papers for ICML 2008 was unknown and instead estimated.

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### Algorithm 1 Bubble Sort

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**Input:** data  $x_i$ , size  $m$

**repeat**

    Initialize  $noChange = true$ .

**for**  $i = 1$  **to**  $m - 1$  **do**

**if**  $x_i > x_{i+1}$  **then**

            Swap  $x_i$  and  $x_{i+1}$

$noChange = false$

**end if**

**end for**

**until**  $noChange$  is  $true$

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Table 1. Classification accuracies for naive Bayes and flexible Bayes on various data sets.

DATA SET	NAIVE	FLEXIBLE	BETTER?
BREAST	95.9± 0.2	96.7± 0.2	✓
CLEVELAND	83.3± 0.6	80.0± 0.6	×
GLASS2	61.9± 1.4	83.8± 0.7	✓
CREDIT	74.8± 0.5	78.3± 0.6	
HORSE	73.3± 0.9	69.7± 1.0	×
META	67.1± 0.6	76.5± 0.5	✓
PIMA	75.1± 0.6	73.9± 0.5	
VEHICLE	44.9± 0.6	61.5± 0.4	✓

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**Definition 1.1.** A function  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is injective if for any  $x, y \in X$  different,  $f(x) \neq f(y)$ .

Using Definition 1.1 we immediately get the following result:

**Proposition 1.2.** *If  $f$  is injective mapping a set  $X$  to another set  $Y$ , the cardinality of  $Y$  is at least as large as that of  $X$*

*Proof.* Left as an exercise to the reader.  $\square$

Lemma 1.3 stated next will prove to be useful.

**Lemma 1.3.** *For any  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  and  $g : Y \rightarrow Z$  injective functions,  $f \circ g$  is injective.*

**Theorem 1.4.** *If  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is bijective, the cardinality of  $X$  and  $Y$  are the same.*

An easy corollary of Theorem 1.4 is the following:

**Corollary 1.5.** *If  $f : X \rightarrow Y$  is bijective, the cardinality of  $X$  is at least as large as that of  $Y$ .*

**Assumption 1.6.** The set  $X$  is finite.

**Remark 1.7.** According to some, it is only the finite case (cf. Assumption 1.6) that is interesting.

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