## Last-Mile ETA Predictor

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# Project Summary

This project creates a smart prediction system for Amazon deliveries.

The main goal is to accurately forecast how long a specific order will take to reach the customer (Estimated Time of Arrival or ETA) before the delivery agent even leaves the store.

What is the System?

The system is a machine learning (ML) model—a program that learns from thousands of past delivery records. Instead of guessing, it uses history to make a precise prediction.

How it Works

(The 3 Simple Steps)

Input: We feed the system all the details of a new order:

The route: Where the store is and where the customer lives (distance).

The conditions: Current traffic, weather (e.g., rain, sun), and the time of day (e.g., rush hour).

The agent: The delivery agent's rating and the vehicle they are using (motorcycle or van).

Prediction: A powerful algorithm called Random Forest (which acts like a committee of 100 experienced delivery managers) instantly analyzes all these inputs. It knows, for example, that a 10 km trip in heavy traffic at 5:00 PM usually takes 160 minutes.

Output: The result is delivered through a simple website interface (built with Streamlit), giving the exact estimated delivery time in minutes (e.g., "155 minutes").

Why this Matters (Business Value)

This predictor is crucial because it allows the company to:

Improve Customer Happiness: Give customers highly accurate delivery windows, avoiding frustration.

Optimize Operations: Better manage agent schedules and resources by knowing exactly which deliveries will take longer.

In short, we built a reliable digital brain to turn messy real-world variables into consistent, trustworthy delivery time forecasts.

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# AMZ Project: Model Training Pipeline (UPDATED with EDA)
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# --- Colab Setup: Install Required Libraries ---
# Uncomment and run this cell in Colab first
!pip install pandas numpy scikit-learn xgboost mlflow joblib geopy matplotlib s
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import joblib
import mlflow
import mlflow.sklearn
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from math import radians, sin, cos, sqrt, asin
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler, OneHotEncoder
from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.linear model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
from xgboost import XGBRegressor
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error, mean_absolute_error, r2_score
# --- 1. Load Data ---
try:
   # Ensure 'amazon_delivery.csv' is uploaded to your Colab environment
   df = pd.read_csv('amazon_delivery.csv')
except FileNotFoundError:
   print("ERROR: 'amazon_delivery.csv' not found. Please upload the file.")
   exit()
# --- 2. Data Cleaning and Feature Engineering (Same as Part 1) ---
# Clean up string columns by stripping whitespace
for col in ['Weather', 'Traffic', 'Vehicle', 'Area', 'Category']:
   if col in df.columns:
       df[col] = df[col].astype(str).str.strip()
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# Handle Missing Values
df['Agent_Rating'] = df['Agent_Rating'].fillna(df['Agent_Rating'].mean())
df['Weather'] = df['Weather'].fillna(df['Weather'].mode()[0])
# Haversine function
def haversine(lat1, lon1, lat2, lon2):
   R = 6371
   lat1, lon1, lat2, lon2 = map(np.radians, [lat1, lon1, lat2, lon2])
   dlon = lon2 - lon1
   dlat = lat2 - lat1
   a = np.sin(dlat/2.0)**2 + np.cos(lat1) * np.cos(lat2) * np.sin(dlon/2.0)**2
   c = 2 * np.arcsin(np.sqrt(a))
   return R * c
df['Delivery_Distance_km'] = haversine(
   df['Store_Latitude'], df['Store_Longitude'],
   df['Drop_Latitude'], df['Drop_Longitude']
)
# Time Calculations
df['Order_Datetime'] = pd.to_datetime(df['Order_Date'] + ' ' + df['Order_Time']
df['Pickup_Datetime'] = pd.to_datetime(df['Order_Date'] + ' ' + df['Pickup_Time
df.dropna(subset=['Order_Datetime', 'Pickup_Datetime'], inplace=True)
df.loc[df['Pickup_Datetime'] < df['Order_Datetime'], 'Pickup_Datetime'] += pd.1</pre>
df['Time_to_Pickup_min'] = (df['Pickup_Datetime'] - df['Order_Datetime']).dt.tc
df['Order_Hour'] = df['Order_Datetime'].dt.hour
df['Order_DayOfWeek'] = df['Order_Datetime'].dt.dayofweek
# --- 3. Final Dataset Preparation (for EDA and Modeling) ---
columns_to_drop = [
    'Order_ID', 'Store_Latitude', 'Store_Longitude', 'Drop_Latitude',
    'Drop_Longitude', 'Order_Date', 'Order_Time', 'Pickup_Time',
    'Order_Datetime', 'Pickup_Datetime'
df_cleaned = df.drop(columns=columns_to_drop, errors='ignore').copy()
print("Data Cleaning and Feature Engineering Complete.")
# --- 4. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) and Visualization ---
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("STARTING EDA AND STATISTICAL ANALYSIS")
print("="*50)
# --- A. Descriptive Statistics ---
print("\n--- A. Descriptive Statistics for Numerical Features ---")
print(df_cleaned.describe().T)
# --- B. Visualization Setup ---
sns.set_style("whitegrid")
plt.rcParams['figure.figsize'] = (10, 6)
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# --- C. Univariate Analysis: Target Variable ---
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 4))
sns.histplot(df_cleaned['Delivery_Time'], bins=30, kde=True)
plt.title('Distribution of Delivery Time (Target Variable)')
plt.xlabel('Delivery Time (minutes)')
plt.savefig('eda_delivery_time_distribution.png')
plt.show()
# --- D. Correlation Heatmap ---
numerical_cols = df_cleaned.select_dtypes(include=np.number).columns
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))
sns.heatmap(df_cleaned[numerical_cols].corr(), annot=True, fmt=".2f", cmap='vir
plt.title('Correlation Heatmap of Numerical Features')
plt.savefig('eda_correlation_heatmap.png')
plt.show()
# --- E. Bivariate Analysis: Categorical vs. Delivery Time ---
categorical_cols_for_eda = ['Traffic', 'Weather', 'Vehicle', 'Area', 'Category'
for col in categorical_cols_for_eda:
   plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
   # Calculate median delivery time for sorting
   median_time = df_cleaned.groupby(col)['Delivery_Time'].median().sort_values
   sns.boxplot(x=col, y='Delivery_Time', data=df_cleaned, order=median_time)
   plt.title(f'Delivery Time Distribution by {col}')
   plt.xlabel(col)
   plt.ylabel('Delivery Time (minutes)')
   plt.xticks(rotation=45, ha='right')
   plt.tight layout()
   plt.savefig(f'eda_delivery_time_vs_{col.lower()}.png')
   plt.show()
print("\nEDA Visualizations Generated and Saved as PNG files.")
# --- 5. Modeling and MLflow Tracking (Same as Part 2) ---
print("\n" + "="*50)
print("STARTING MODELING AND MLFLOW TRACKING")
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# Preprocessing Setup
X = df_cleaned.drop('Delivery_Time', axis=1)
y = df cleaned['Delivery Time']
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random
categorical_features = ['Weather', 'Traffic', 'Vehicle', 'Area', 'Category']
numerical features = X.select dtypes(include=np.number).columns.tolist()
numerical_transformer = StandardScaler()
categorical transformer = OneHotEncoder(handle unknown='ignore')
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preprocessor = ColumnTransformer(
    transformers=[
        ('num', numerical_transformer, numerical_features),
        ('cat', categorical_transformer, categorical_features)
    ],
    remainder='drop'
)
# MLflow Helper Functions
mlflow.set_experiment("AMZ Delivery Time Prediction")
def evaluate_model(model, X_test, y_test, model_name):
    y_pred = model.predict(X_test)
    rmse = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred))
    mae = mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred)
    r2 = r2_score(y_test, y_pred)
    print(f"--- {model name} Results ---")
    print(f"RMSE: {rmse:.2f} | MAE: {mae:.2f} | R-squared: {r2:.2f}")
    mlflow.log_metrics({"rmse": rmse, "mae": mae, "r2_score": r2})
    return r2
# Model Training and Tracking
models = {
    "Linear_Regression": LinearRegression(),
    "Random_Forest": RandomForestRegressor(n_estimators=100, random_state=42, r
    "XGBoost": XGBRegressor(n_estimators=100, learning_rate=0.1, random_state=4
}
best r2 = -np.inf
best_model_pipeline = None
best_model_name = ""
for name, model in models.items():
    with mlflow.start_run(run_name=name):
        print(f"\nStarting training for {name}...")
        full_pipeline = Pipeline(steps=[('preprocessor', preprocessor),
                                         ('regressor', model)])
        full_pipeline.fit(X_train, y_train)
        r2 = evaluate_model(full_pipeline, X_test, y_test, name)
        mlflow.sklearn.log model(full pipeline, "model")
        if r2 > best_r2:
            best r2 = r2
            best model pipeline = full pipeline
            best model name = name
# Save Best Model
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print("Best performing model pipeline saved as 'best\_model\_pipeline.pkl' fc

if best\_model\_pipeline:
 joblib.dump(best\_model\_pipeline, 'best\_model\_pipeline.pkl')
 print(f"\nTraining and MLflow Tracking Complete. Best model saved is: {best

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#### STARTING EDA AND STATISTICAL ANALYSIS

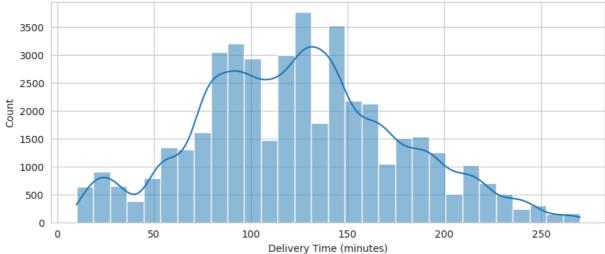
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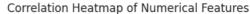
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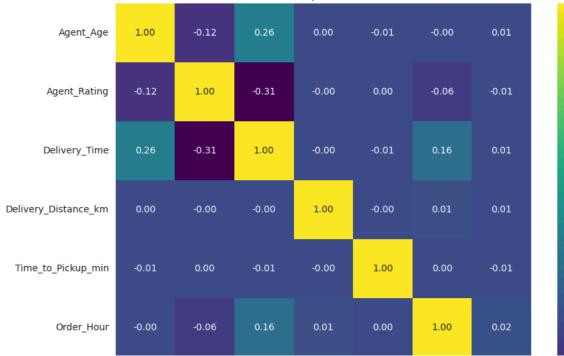
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Delivery_Time	43648.0	124.914475	51.933163	10.000000	90.000000	
Delivery_Distance_km	43648.0	27.255432	303.815765	1.465067	4.663432	
Time_to_Pickup_min	43648.0	9.991294	4.086680	5.000000	5.000000	
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### Distribution of Delivery Time (Target Variable)







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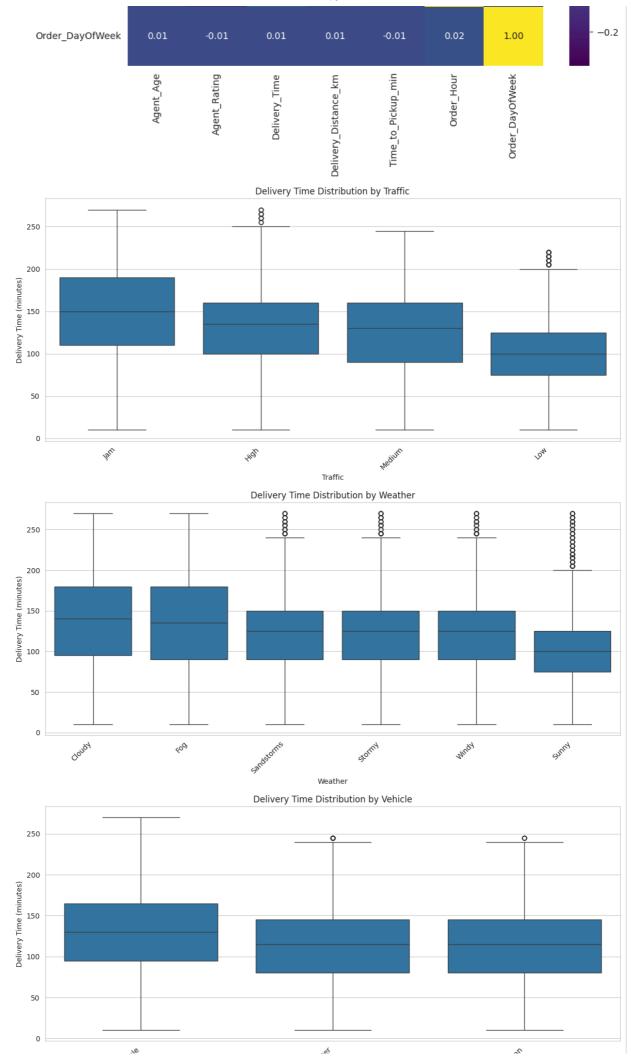
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import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

# Load the original dataset (ensure 'amazon_delivery.csv' is uploaded)
try:
    df = pd.read_csv('amazon_delivery.csv')
except FileNotFoundError:
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# --- Data Cleaning and Feature Engineering Logic ---

# 1. Cleaning
for col in ['Weather', 'Traffic', 'Vehicle', 'Area', 'Category']:
    if col in df.columns:
        df[col] = df[col].astype(str).str.strip()

df['Agent_Rating'] = df['Agent_Rating'].fillna(df['Agent_Rating'].mean())
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