KEY_Practice27_BarCharts_Histograms

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1 Bar Charts and Histograms

As always, let's begin by importing our necessary packages and reading in/previewing our data. In this practice we will continue to explore the titanic dataset.

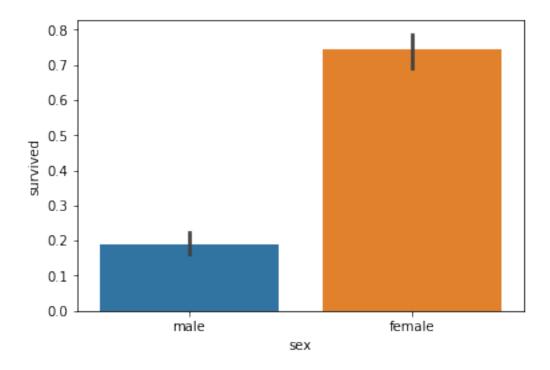
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[1]: # import seaborn
     import seaborn as sns
     # set up for inline plotting
     %matplotlib inline
[2]: # read in titanic data
     titanic = sns.load_dataset("titanic")
     # preview data
     titanic.head()
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1.1 Bar Charts

Generate a barplot of survived (y-axis) across sex (x-axis).

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[3]: # barplot of sex vs survived sns.barplot(x="sex", y = 'survived', data=titanic)
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[3]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x118fea588>

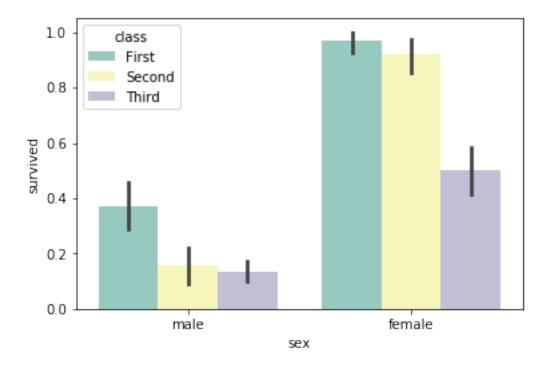


Now, generate a barplot of survived (y-axis) across sex (x-axis), stratified by class. Choose your favorite color palette.

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[4]: # barplot of sex vs survived stratified by class
sns.barplot(x="sex", y = 'survived', hue = "class", palette =

→"Set3",data=titanic)
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[4]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11c5e1be0>

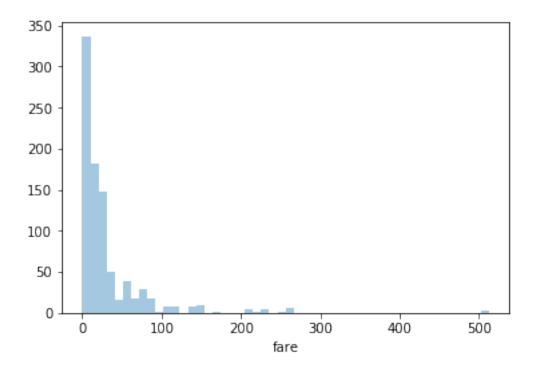


1.2 Histograms

Generate a histogram of fare

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[5]: #histogram of fare sns.distplot(titanic['fare'], kde=False)
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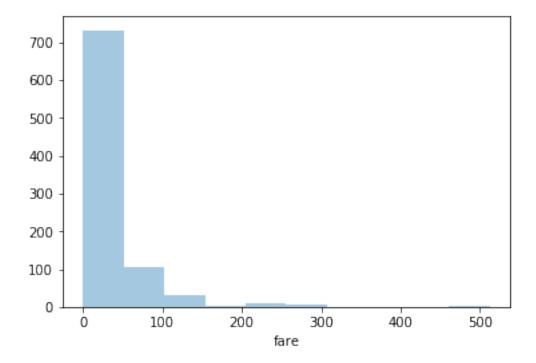
[5]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11c606fd0>



Now let's play with the bins parameter. First let's try a small number of bins, like 10:

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[6]: #histogram of fare with 10 bins sns.distplot(titanic['fare'], kde=False, bins=10)
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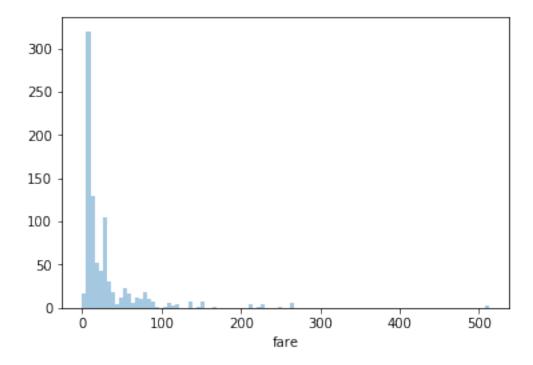
[6]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11c723d30>



Now, let's try a larger number of bins, say 100.

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[7]: #histogram of fare with 100 bins sns.distplot(titanic['fare'], kde=False, bins=100)
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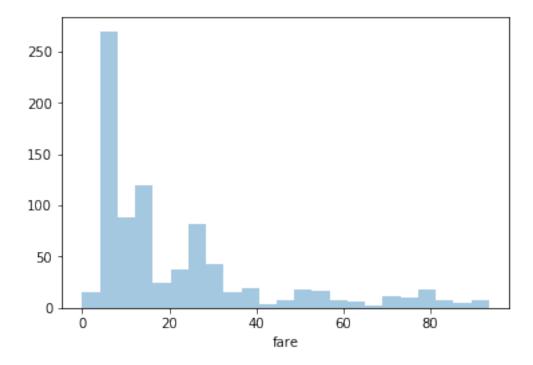
[7]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11c843ac8>



As you can see, most of the values are pretty small (< 100 dollars), and there are only a few really large values. This is called a long-tailed distribution. Can you plot a histogram of just the fares that are less than 100 dollars?

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[8]: #histogram of fare
sns.distplot(titanic.query('fare < 100')['fare'], kde=False)</pre>
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[8]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11cb77630>

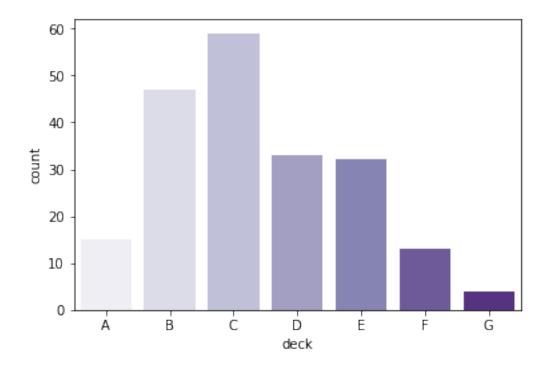


1.3 Count Plots

Generate a count plot to visualize the distribution the deck variable across all passengers in our data set. Choose a sequential color palette.

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[9]: # count plot of deck
sns.countplot(x="deck", palette = "Purples", data=titanic)
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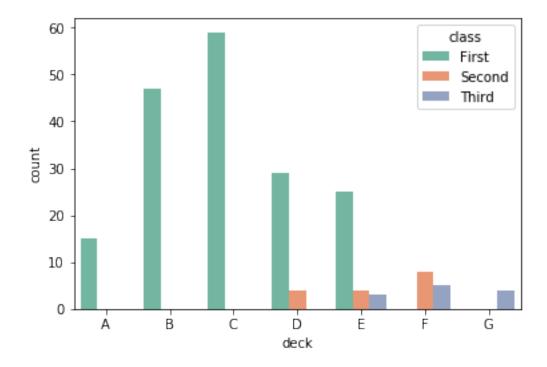
[9]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11c87b668>



Now stratify your plot using the class variable. What kind of color palette is appropriate now?

```
[10]: # count plot of deck stratified by class
sns.countplot(x="deck", hue = "class", palette = "Set2", data=titanic)
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[10]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x11ccf8198>



1.4 Congratulations!

You just completed all of the core lessons in the GWC Club! Now it's time to keep putting your data science skills to the test in your projects.