# Let's Increase Workplace Productivity!

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## Introduction

- Recently various studies<sup>1</sup> have come out and shown that stress, anxiety, and depression tie very closely to workplace productivity.
  - High turnover
  - Tardiness
  - Work relationships
  - Low quality of work



#### What Can We Do?

- Understanding the reasons that cause higher than normal levels of stress in the workplace allows:
  - Creation of programs that can help lower stress/anxiety in the workplace.
  - Increase overall productivity for the company!



## How?

Build a linear regression model from public data<sup>2</sup>.

Determine what the general stressors are.

Create a curated questionnaire for our employees.



Build another linear regression model base on the first model.

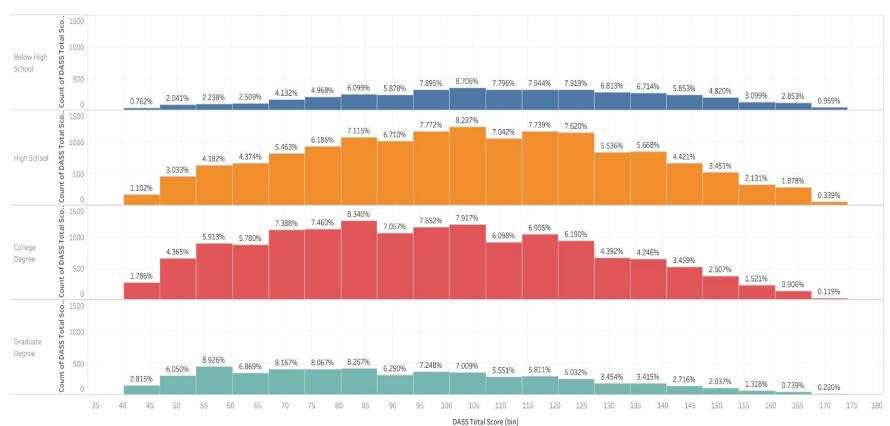


Determine specific workplace stressors.

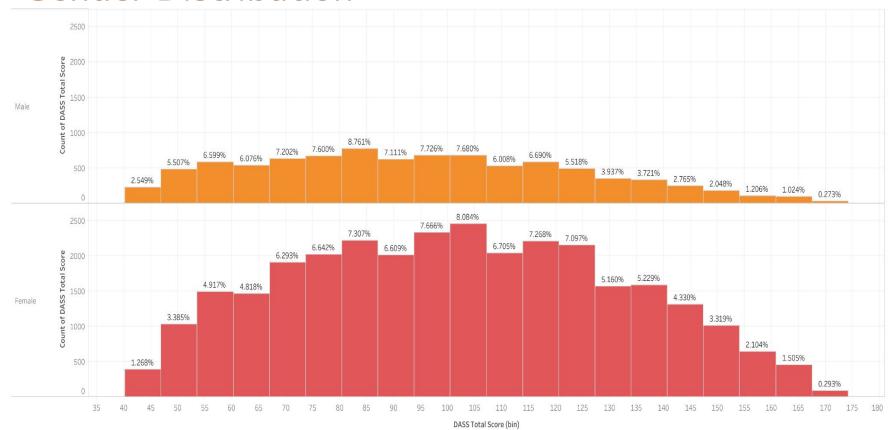


Create programs to relieve issues!

#### **Education Level**



## **Gender Distribution**



#### **Sneak Peak**

#### **OLS Linear Regression Model**

#### Coefficients:

• Gender: 4.089

Education: -6.503

Marriage Status: 4.089

o Race: -0.003

Sexual Orientation: 1.504

o First Language, English: 0.226

#### • P-values (p < 0.05):

o Gender: 0

Education: 0

Marriage Status: 0

o Race: 0.726

Sexual Orientation: 0

First Language, English: 0.607

## Conclusion

- Workplace stress is on the rise due to various socio-economic factors.
- Creation of the suggested programs should decrease workplace stress and increase productivity!



# **Appendix**

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