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# Step 1: Import Libraries
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder, StandardScaler
# Step 2: Load Dataset
df = pd.read_csv("HousingData.csv")
# Step 3: Inspect Dataset
print(df.head())
print(df.info())
print(df.isnull().sum())
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# Step 4: Handle Missing Values
# Separate numerical and categorical columns
num_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).columns
cat_cols = df.select_dtypes(include=['object']).columns
# Fill missing values for numerical columns with median
for col in num_cols:
    df[col].fillna(df[col].median(), inplace=True)
# Fill missing values for categorical columns with mode
for col in cat_cols:
    df[col].fillna(df[col].mode()[0], inplace=True)
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/tmp/ipython-input-3101236779.py:3: FutureWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a DataFrame or Series throug The behavior will change in pandas 3.0. This inplace method will never work because the intermediate object on which we

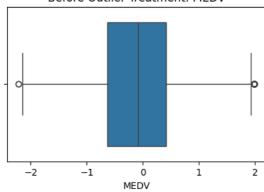
For example, when doing 'df[col].method(value, inplace=True)', try using 'df.method({col: value}, inplace=True)' or df[c

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df[col].fillna(df[col].median(), inplace=True)
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# Boxplot BEFORE
plt.figure(figsize=(5,3))
sns.boxplot(x=df[col])
plt.title(f'Before Outlier Treatment: {col}')
plt.show()
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Before Outlier Treatment: MEDV

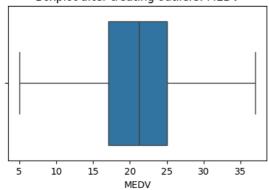


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# Step 5: Outlier Detection & Treatment (IQR method)
for col in num_cols:
    Q1 = df[col].quantile(0.25)
    Q3 = df[col].quantile(0.75)
    IQR = Q3 - Q1
    lower_bound = Q1 - 1.5 * IQR
    upper_bound = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR
    df[col] = np.where(df[col] < lower_bound, lower_bound,np.where(df[col] > upper_bound, upper_bound, df[col]))

#Visualize boxplot
plt.figure(figsize=(5,3))
sns.boxplot(x=df[col])
plt.title(f'Boxplot after treating outliers: {col}')
plt.show()
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Boxplot after treating outliers: MEDV



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# Step 6: Encode Categorical Variables (Label Encoding)
label_encoder = LabelEncoder()
for col in cat_cols:
    df[col] = label_encoder.fit_transform(df[col])

# Step 7: Feature Scaling (Standardization)
scaler = StandardScaler()
df[num_cols] = scaler.fit_transform(df[num_cols])
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# Step 8: Save Cleaned Dataset
df.to_csv("HousingData_Cleaned.csv", index=False)
print("Data_cleaning and preprocessing completed. Saved as HousingData_Cleaned.csv")
SUMMARY TABLE FOR BEFORE AND AFTER
To Data cleaning and preprocessing completed. Saved as HousingData_Cleaned.csv
# Outlier count summary BEFORE treatment
outlier_summary_before = {}
for col in num_cols:
    Q1 = df[col].quantile(0.25)
    Q3 = df[col].quantile(0.75)
    IQR = Q3 - Q1
    lower\_bound = Q1 - 1.5 * IQR
    upper_bound = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR
    outliers = ((df[col] << lower_bound) | (df[col] >> upper_bound)).sum()
    outlier_summary_before[col] = outliers
# Treat outliers using IQR method
for col in num_cols:
    Q1 = df[col].quantile(0.25)
    Q3 = df[col].quantile(0.75)
    IQR = Q3 - Q1
    lower\_bound = Q1 - 1.5 * IQR
    upper_bound = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR
    df[col] = np.where(df[col] < lower_bound, lower_bound,</pre>
                       np.where(df[col] > upper_bound, upper_bound, df[col]))
# Outlier count summary AFTER treatment
outlier_summary_after = {}
for col in num_cols:
    Q1 = df[col].quantile(0.25)
    Q3 = df[col].quantile(0.75)
    IQR = Q3 - Q1
    lower\_bound = Q1 - 1.5 * IQR
    upper_bound = Q3 + 1.5 * IQR
    outliers = ((df[col] < lower_bound) | (df[col] > upper_bound)).sum()
    outlier_summary_after[col] = outliers
# Combine into one DataFrame
outlier_comparison = pd.DataFrame({
    'Before_Treatment': outlier_summary_before,
    'After_Treatment': outlier_summary_after
}).T
print("\nOutlier Count Comparison:\n")
print(outlier_comparison)
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