About Yulu

Yulu is India's leading micro-mobility service provider, which offers unique vehicles for the daily commute. Starting off as a mission to eliminate traffic congestion in India, Yulu provides the safest commute solution through a user-friendly mobile app to enable shared, solo and sustainable commuting.

Yulu zones are located at all the appropriate locations (including metro stations, bus stands, office spaces, residential areas, corporate offices, etc) to make those first and last miles smooth, affordable, and convenient!

Yulu has recently suffered considerable dips in its revenues. They have contracted a consulting company to understand the factors on which the demand for these shared electric cycles depends. Specifically, they want to understand the factors affecting the demand for these shared electric cycles in the Indian market.

Business Problem:

We need to identify the factors influencing the demand of electric bike rentals in India to increase the revenue. We need to identify these factors and recommend strategies to increase their revenue.

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In [414]: # Let us importy required libraries
          import math
          import seaborn as sns
          import numpy as np
          import pandas as pd
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          from scipy.stats import binom, geom, poisson, expon, norm
          from statsmodels.stats import weightstats as stests
          from scipy import stats
          import statsmodels.api as sm
          from scipy.stats import ttest 1samp
          from scipy.stats import ttest ind
          from scipy.stats import ttest_rel
          from scipy.stats import chisquare # Statistical test (chistat, pvalue)
          from scipy.stats import chi2
          from scipy.stats import chi2 contingency
          from scipy.stats import f_oneway
          import statsmodels.api as sm
          from statsmodels.formula.api import ols
          from scipy.stats import shapiro
          from scipy.stats import levene
          from scipy.stats import kruskal
          from scipy.stats import spearmanr
          from scipy.stats import pearsonr
```

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In [415]: # let's import the data and store it in a variable.

df = pd.read_csv('Yulu.txt')
    df.head(3)
```

Out[415]:

	datetime	season	holiday	workingday	weather	temp	atemp	humidity	windspeed	casual	registered	count
0	2011-01-01 00:00:00	1	0	0	1	9.84	14.395	81	0.0	3	13	16
1	2011-01-01 01:00:00	1	0	0	1	9.02	13.635	80	0.0	8	32	40
2	2011-01-01 02:00:00	1	0	0	1	9.02	13.635	80	0.0	5	27	32

In [365]: df.ndim

Out[365]: 2

In [366]: df.shape

Out[366]: (10886, 12)

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In [367]: df.info()
          <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
          RangeIndex: 10886 entries, 0 to 10885
          Data columns (total 12 columns):
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               atemp
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                          10886 non-null float64
               casual
                           10886 non-null int64
           10 registered 10886 non-null int64
           11 count
                           10886 non-null int64
          dtypes: float64(3), int64(8), object(1)
          memory usage: 1020.7+ KB
In [416]: # Changing data type of cstegorical variable
          df.datetime = pd.to_datetime(df.datetime)
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cat_cols= ['season', 'holiday', 'workingday', 'weather']

df[col] = df[col].astype('object')

for col in cat cols:

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In [369]: df.info()
          <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
          RangeIndex: 10886 entries, 0 to 10885
          Data columns (total 12 columns):
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               windspeed
               casual
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           11 count
                           10886 non-null int64
          dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), float64(3), int64(4), object(4)
          memory usage: 1020.7+ KB
In [370]: df.duplicated().sum()
Out[370]: 0
In [374]: df.isnull().sum().sum()
Out[374]: 0
```

- 1. Yulu case study has a 2 dimensional data with 10886 rows and 12 columns.
- 2. We have converted the season, holiday, workingday, weather columns into object data type.
- 3. There are no null or duplicate values in the dataset.

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In [417]: # Descriptive analysis

df.iloc[:, 1:].describe(include = 'all')
```

Out [417]:

	season	holiday	workingday	weather	temp	atemp	humidity	windspeed	casual	registered	count
count	10886.0	10886.0	10886.0	10886.0	10886.00000	10886.000000	10886.000000	10886.000000	10886.000000	10886.000000	10886.000000
unique	4.0	2.0	2.0	4.0	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
top	4.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
freq	2734.0	10575.0	7412.0	7192.0	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN
mean	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	20.23086	23.655084	61.886460	12.799395	36.021955	155.552177	191.574132
std	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	7.79159	8.474601	19.245033	8.164537	49.960477	151.039033	181.144454
min	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	0.82000	0.760000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	0.000000	1.000000
25%	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	13.94000	16.665000	47.000000	7.001500	4.000000	36.000000	42.000000
50%	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	20.50000	24.240000	62.000000	12.998000	17.000000	118.000000	145.000000
75%	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	26.24000	31.060000	77.000000	16.997900	49.000000	222.000000	284.000000
max	NaN	NaN	NaN	NaN	41.00000	45.455000	100.000000	56.996900	367.000000	886.000000	977.000000

- 1. There are 4 different seasons. Season 4 has highest frequency of 2734.
- 2. Out of 10886 days, 7412 were working days, 10575 were non-holidays.
- 3. Out of 4 weathers, weather 1 is mos frequent.
- 4. We can notice outliers in windspeed, casual users, registered users and count.
- 5. Majority of bike rides are done above 75% of the tempaerature range i.e, above 26 degrees.
- 6. Above 75% rides contribute to majority of bike rentals.

Univariate Analysis

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In [377]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns

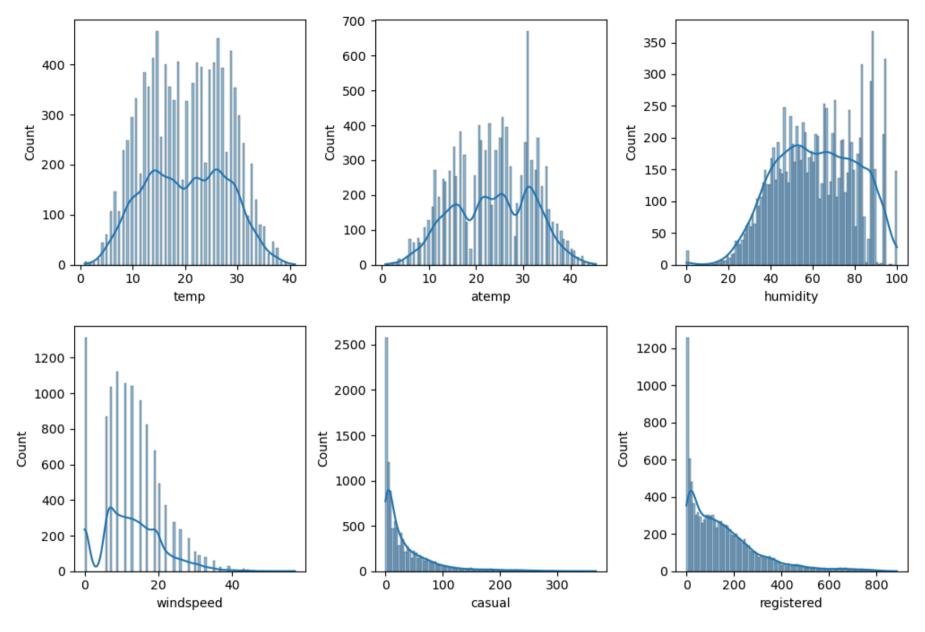
num_cols = ['temp', 'atemp', 'humidity', 'windspeed', 'casual', 'registered', 'count']

fig, axis = plt.subplots(nrows=2, ncols=3, figsize=(12, 8))

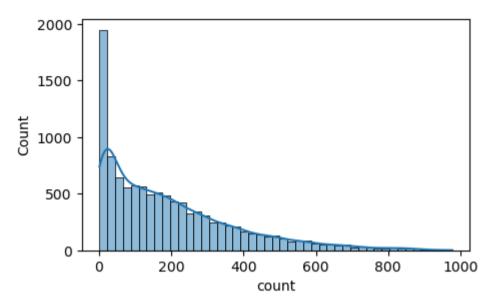
index = 0
for row in range(2):
    for col in range(3):
        sns.histplot(df[num_cols[index]], bins = 100, ax=axis[row, col], kde=True)
        index += 1

plt.subplots_adjust(hspace=0.25, wspace = 0.3) # Adjust the vertical space between subplots
plt.show()

plt.figure(figsize=(5,3))
sns.histplot(df['count'], kde = 'True')
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Out[377]: <Axes: xlabel='count', ylabel='Count'>



```
In [184]: # boxplot for numerical variables to detect outliers

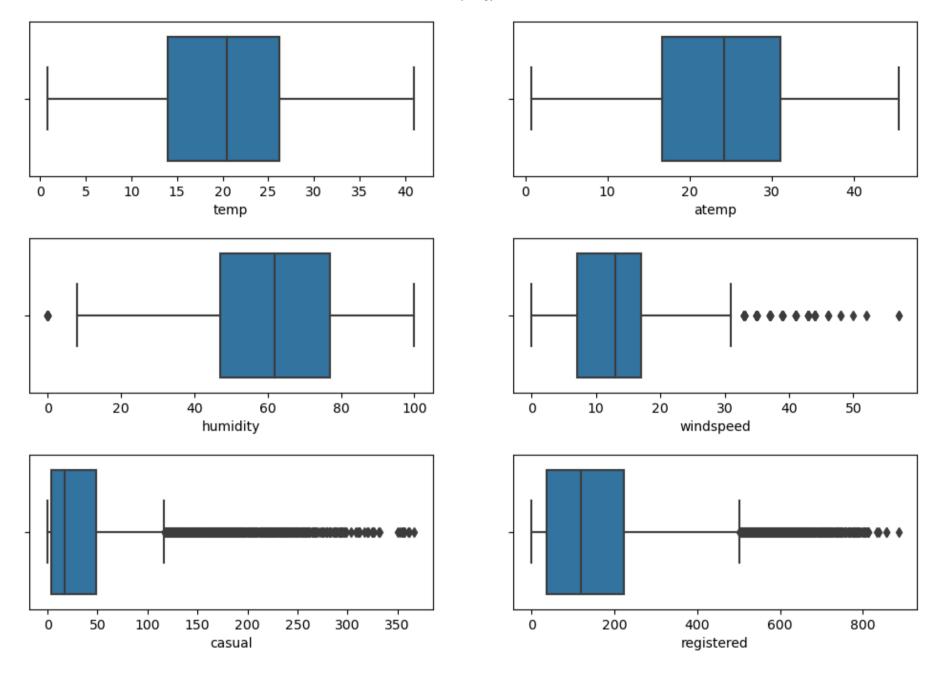
fig, axis = plt.subplots(3,2, figsize = (12,8))

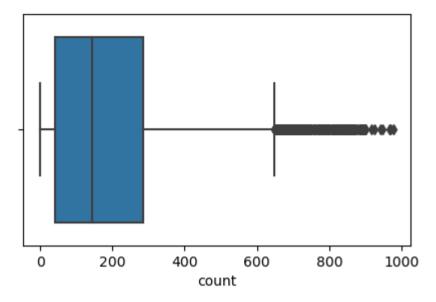
index = 0
for row in range(3):
    for col in range(2):
        ax = sns.boxplot(x = df[num_cols[index]], ax = axis[row,col])
        index += 1

plt.subplots_adjust(hspace = 0.4, wspace = 0.2)

plt.figure(figsize = (5,3))
sns.boxplot(x = df['count'])
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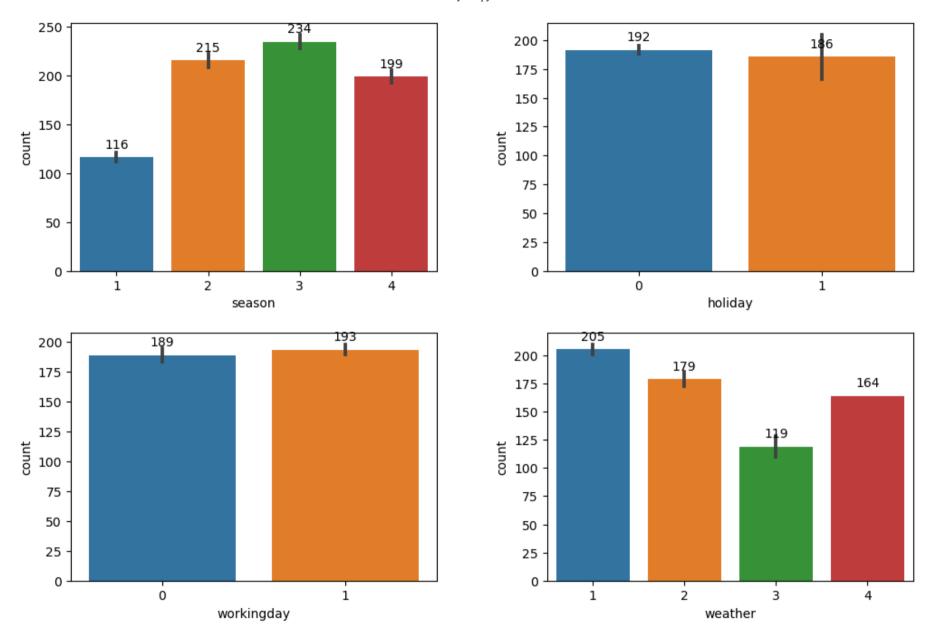
Out[184]: <Axes: xlabel='count'>





1. We can notice that windspeed, casual, registered and count column data is right skewed and also have highest outliers.

Bivariate Analysis

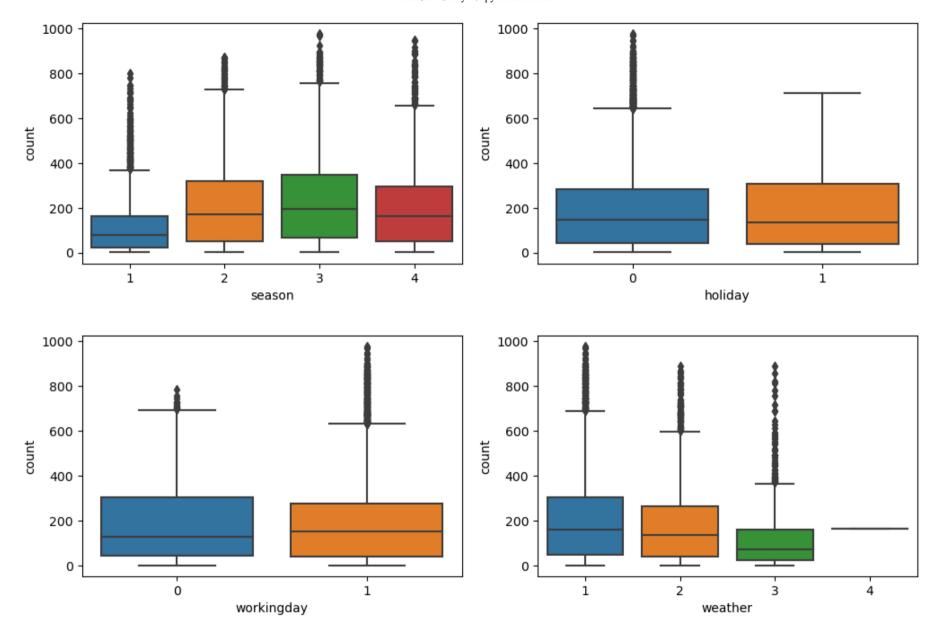


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In [419]: # Plotting categorical variable against count in boxplot to identify outliers

fig, axis = plt.subplots(2,2, figsize = (12,8))

index = 0
for row in range(2):
    for col in range(2):
        ax = sns.boxplot(x = df[cat_col[index]], y = df['count'], ax = axis[row,col])
        index += 1

plt.subplots_adjust(hspace = 0.3, wspace = 0.2)
```



- 1. Fall season has highest number of bike rentals followed by summer.
- 2. Spring season has the lowest number of bike rentals.
- 3. Number bike rentals is the same irrespective of workingday or holiday.

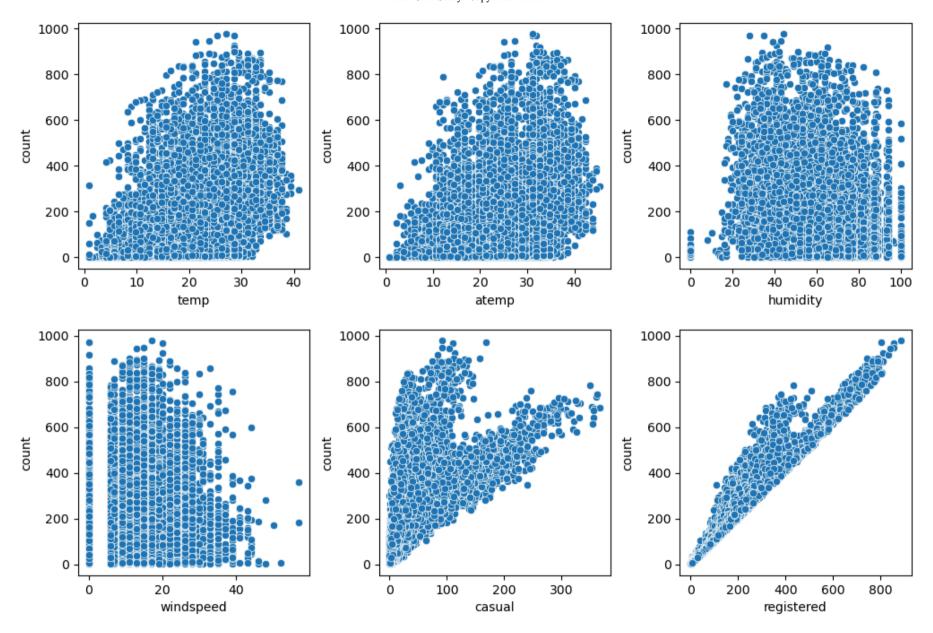
- 4. During weather 1 (W1 = Clear, Few clouds, partly cloudy, partly cloudy. W2 = Mist + Cloudy, Mist + Broken clouds, Mist + Few clouds, Mist) number of bike rentals is the highest followed by weather 2.
- 5. Nummber of bike rentals is the least during light rain or rlight snow condition.
- 6. Median of holiday and non-holiday is similar.
- 7. Median of bike rentals are slightly higher on workingday, but there's no much difference.

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In [208]: # Plotting scatter plot for numerical columns against count

fig,axis = plt.subplots(2,3, figsize = (12,8))\

index = 0
for row in range(2):
    for col in range(3):
        sns.scatterplot(x = df[num_cols[index]], y = df['count'], ax = axis[row,col])
        index += 1

plt.subplots_adjust(hspace = 0.25, wspace = 0.3)
```

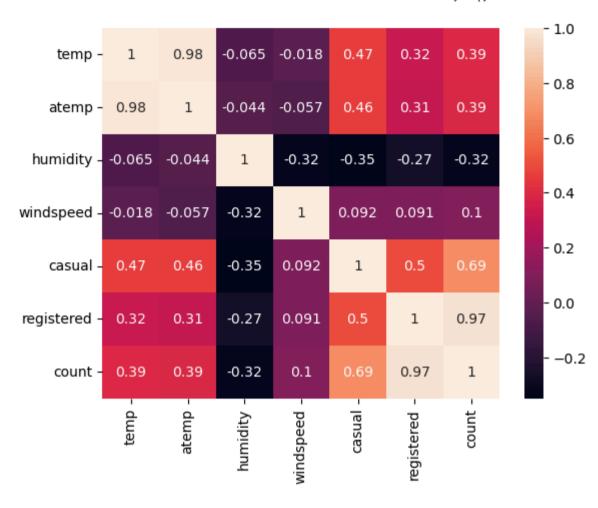


ect only valid columns or specify the value of numeric_only to silence this warning.

sns.heatmap(df.corr(), annot = True)

/var/folders/z8/lg2r69ms1m9_5tfgw5lszf940000gn/T/ipykernel_16689/1002229831.py:1: FutureWarning: The defaul t value of numeric_only in DataFrame.corr is deprecated. In a future version, it will default to False. Sel ect only valid columns or specify the value of numeric_only to silence this warning.

df.corr()['count']
/var/folders/z8/lg2r69ms1m9_5tfgw5lszf940000gn/T/ipykernel_16689/1002229831.py:2: FutureWarning: The defaul t value of numeric only in DataFrame.corr is deprecated. In a future version, it will default to False. Sel



Check if there any significant difference between the no. of bike rides on Weekdays and Weekends?

H0 = There is no significant difference in the mean number of bike rides on weekdays and weekends.

H1 = There is a significant difference in the mean number of bike rides on weekdays and weekends.

Since we are comparing 2 independant group of samples, we will use 2 sample independent T-Test.

We will run the hypothesis with 95% confidencelevel.

```
In [397]: lpha = 0.05
          ekdays = df[df.workingday == 1]['count']
          n weekdays = df[df.workingday == 0]['count']
          stats, p_value = ttest_ind(weekdays, non_weekdays, alternative = 'two-sided')
          int(f'Avg count on working days: {weekdays.mean()}')
          int(f'Avg count on non-working days: {non weekdays.mean()}')
          int(f'T stats: {T stats}')
          int('\n')
          int(f'P Value: {p value}')
           p value < alpha:</pre>
            print('We reject Null Hypothesis.'+'\n'+'There is a SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE in the mean number of bike rides
          se:
            print('We fail to reject Null Hypothesis.'+'\n'+'There is NO SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE in the mean number of b
          Avg count on working days: 193.01187263896384
          Avg count on non-working days: 188.50662061024755
          T stats: 1.2096277376026694
          P Value: 0.22644804226361348
          We fail to reject Null Hypothesis.
          There is NO SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE in the mean number of bike rides on weekdays and non-weekdays.
```

localhost:8888/notebooks/Yulu Case Study.ipynb#

Check if there any significant difference between the no. of bike rides on holidays?

H0 = There is no significant difference in the mean number of bike rides on holidays.

H1 = There is a significant difference in the mean number of bike rides on holidays.

Since we are comparing 2 independant group of samples, we will use 2 sample independent T-Test.

We will run the hypothesis with 95% confidencelevel.

```
In [398]: bha = 0.05

liday = df[df.holiday == 1]['count']
    holiday = df[df.holiday == 0]['count']

stats, p_value = ttest_ind(holiday, no_holiday, alternative = 'two-sided')
    int(f'Avg count on working days: {holiday.mean()}')
    int(f'Avg count on non-working days: {no_holiday.mean()}')
    int(f'T_stats: {T_stats}')
    int(f'Y_alue: {p_value}')
    p_value < alpha:
        print('We reject Null Hypothesis.'+'\n'+'There is a SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE in the mean number of bike rides se:
        print('There is NO SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE in the mean number of bike rides on holidays')

Avg count on working days: 185.87781350482314
    Avg count on non-working days: 191.7416548463357
    T stats: -0.5626388963477119</pre>
```

P_Value: 0.5736923883271103

There is NO SIGNIFICANT DIFFERENCE in the mean number of bike rides on holidays

Is the demand of bicycles on rent is the same for different Weather conditions?

H0 = Demand of bicycles on rent is the same for different weather conditions.

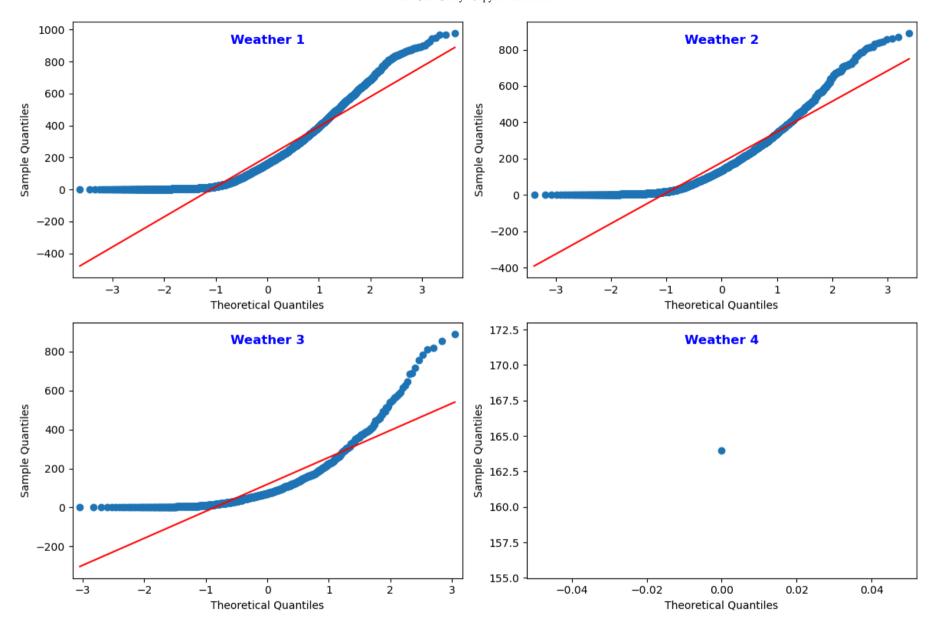
Ha = Demand of bicycles on rent varies for different weather conditions.

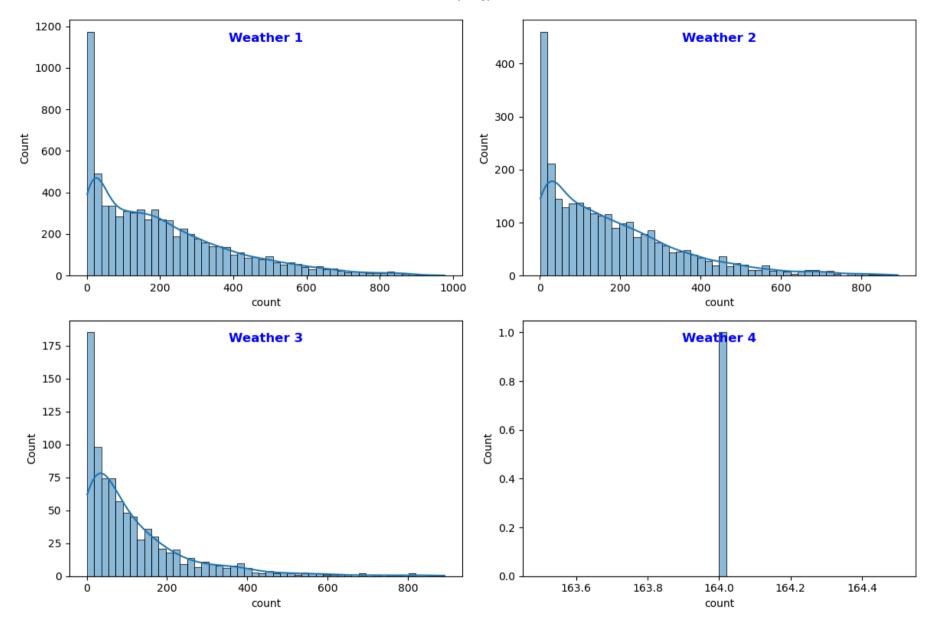
We know that there are 4 different weather groups. Since we are comparing the m,ean of each group we can use "One Way ANOVA" if it's assumptions are true. i.e,

- 1. Data is normally distributed. (Shafiro test or QQ plot to verify this)
- 2. Each group has equal variance. (Levene test to verify this)

If these assumptions/conditions are not met, we can use "Kurskal Test"

```
In [399]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          import scipy.stats as stats
          w1 = df[df['weather'] == 1]['count']
          w2 = df[df['weather'] == 2]['count']
          w3 = df[df['weather'] == 3]['count']
          w4 = df[df['weather'] == 4]['count']
          data = [w1, w2, w3, w4]
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(2, 2, figsize=(12, 8))
          weather_labels = ['Weather 1', 'Weather 2', 'Weather 3', 'Weather 4']
          index = 0
          for row in range(2):
              for col in range(2):
                  sm.qqplot(data[index], line = 's', ax=ax[row, col])
                  ax[row, col].text(0.5, 0.95, weather_labels[index], horizontalalignment='center', verticalalignment='
                                    transform=ax[row, col].transAxes, fontsize=12, weight='bold', color='blue')
                  index += 1
          plt.tight_layout()
          plt.show()
```





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In [401]: # Lavene test to verify equal variance

##0 = Population variances are equal
##a = Population variances are different

stats, p_value = levene(w1,w2,w3,w4)
print(f'P_Value = {p_value}')

if p_value < 0.05:
    print('We reject H0.'+'\n'+'Population variances are DIFFERENT')
else:
    print('We fail to reject H0.'+'\n'+'Population variances are same')</pre>
```

P_Value = 3.504937946833238e-35 We reject H0. Population variances are DIFFERENT

- 1. We can see from the above plots that the data does not follow Gaussian Distribution. It is right skewed.
- 2. The variance is also different for the data.
- 3. We can use Kruskal test here
- 4. As per instructions of this case study, we will ignore the assumptions and use One-Way ANOVA test here.

```
P_value = 3.501611300708679e-44
We reject H0.
Demand of bicycles on rent is DIFFERENT for different weather conditions.
```

```
In [405]: # One-Way ANOVA
f_stats, p_value = f_oneway(w1,w2,w3,w4)
print('P_value =', p_value)

if p_value < alpha:
    print('We reject H0.'+'\n'+'Demand of bicycles on rent is DIFFERENT for different weather conditions.')
else:
    print('We fail to reject H0.'+'\n'+'Demand of bicycles on rent is SAME for different weather conditions.</pre>
```

```
P_value = 5.482069475935669e-42
We reject H0.
Demand of bicycles on rent is DIFFERENT for different weather conditions.
```

- 1. Based on the p_value we got from both the test we can reject Null hypothesis as the p_value is lesser than alpha value of 0.05.
- 2. We can say that there is a significant difference in the number of bike rental during different weather conditions.
- 3. Bike rentals depends on the weather conditions.

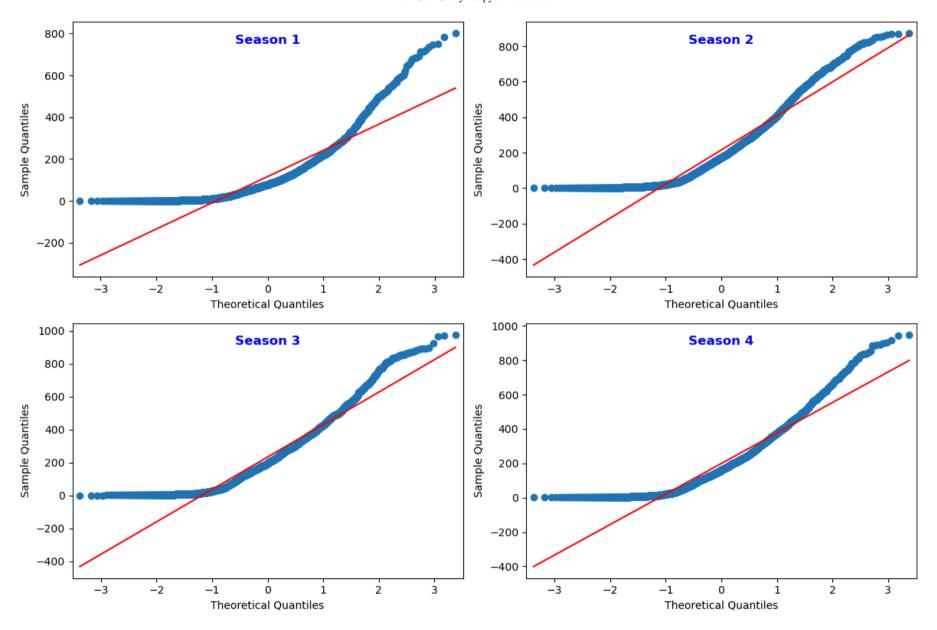
Is the demand of bicycles on rent same for different Seasons?

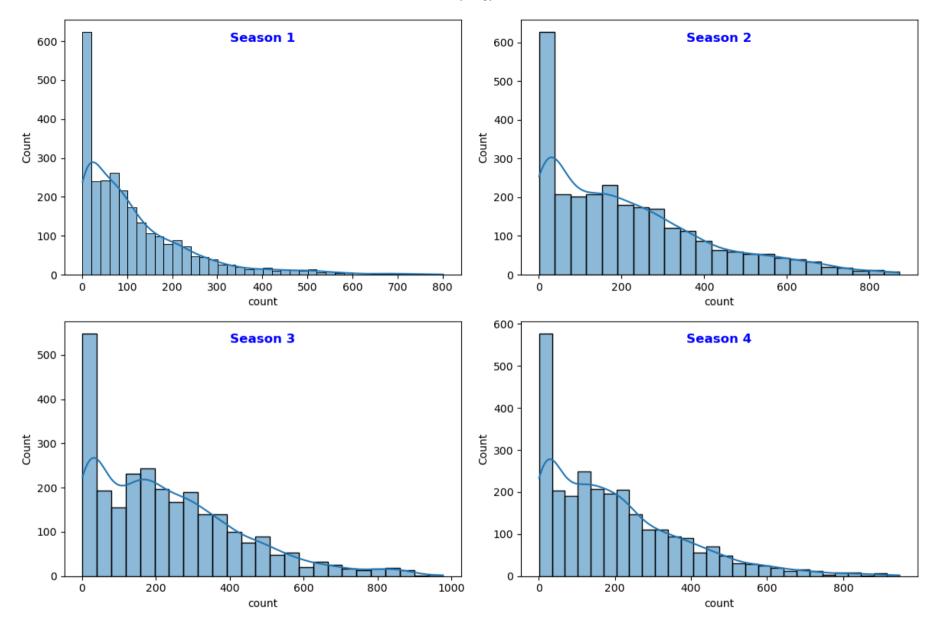
H0 = Demand of bicycles on rent is same for different seasons.

Ha = Demand of bicycles on rent differs with seasons.

Like previous case, we can do ANOVA test here, if assumptions met. Else, Kruskal test.

```
In [340]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          import scipy.stats as stats
          s1 = df[df['season'] == 1]['count']
          s2 = df[df['season'] == 2]['count']
          s3 = df[df['season'] == 3]['count']
          s4 = df[df['season'] == 4]['count']
          data1 = [s1, s2, s3, s4]
          fig, ax = plt.subplots(2, 2, figsize=(12, 8))
          weather_labels = ['Season 1', 'Season 2', 'Season 3', 'Season 4']
          index = 0
          for row in range(2):
              for col in range(2):
                  sm.qqplot(data1[index], line = 's', ax=ax[row, col])
                  ax[row, col].text(0.5, 0.95, weather_labels[index], horizontalalignment='center', verticalalignment='
                                    transform=ax[row, col].transAxes, fontsize=12, weight='bold', color='blue')
                  index += 1
          plt.tight_layout()
          plt.show()
```





```
In [342]: # Lavene test to verify equal variance

##0 = Population variances are equal
##a = Population variances are different

stats, p_value = levene(s1,s2,s3,s4)
print(f'P_Value = {p_value}')

if p_value < 0.05:
    print('We reject H0.'+'\n'+'Population variances are different')
else:
    print('We fail to reject H0.'+'\n'+'Population variances are same')</pre>
```

P_Value = 1.0147116860043298e-118 We reject H0. Population variances are different

- 1. We can see from the above plots that the data does not follow Gaussian Distribution. It is right skewed.
- 2. The variance is also different for the data.
- 3. We can use Kruskal test here
- 4. As per instructions of this case study, we will ignore the assumptions and use One-Way ANOVA test here.

P_value = 2.479008372608633e-151 We reject H0. Demand of bicycles on rent DIFFERS with seasons.

```
In [408]: # We will use One-Way ANOVA Test with 95% confidence level
    alpha = 0.05

f_stats, p_value = f_oneway(s1,s2,s3,s4)
    print('P_value =', p_value)

if p_value < alpha:
    print('We reject H0.'+'\n'+'Demand of bicycles on rent DIFFERS with seasons.')
else:
    print('We fail to reject H0.'+'\n'+'Demand of bicycles on rent is the SAME for different seasons.')</pre>
```

P_value = 6.164843386499654e-149 We reject H0. Demand of bicycles on rent DIFFERS with seasons.

- 1. Based on the p_value we got from both the test we can reject Null hypothesis as the p_value is lesser than alpha value of 0.05.
- 2. We can say that there is a significant difference in the number of bike rental during different seasons.
- 3. Bike rentals depends on the season.

Is the Weather conditions are significantly different during different Seasons?

H0 = Weather and season are independent.

H1 = Weather and season are dependent.

Since we are comparing 2 categorical data, we will use Chisquared test for independance.

```
In [410]: # Creating contingency table
          observed = pd.crosstab(df['weather'], df['season'])
          observed
Out [410]:
                         2
                              3
                     1
            season
           weather
                1 1759 1801 1930 1702
                2 715
                       708
                            604
                                 807
                   211
                        224
                            199
                                 225
                         0
                                  0
In [413]: # Chisquared test for independence
          stats, p_value, DOF, expected = chi2_contingency(observed)
          print(f'DOF: {DOF}')
          print(f'Expected Values:\n{expected}')
          print('\n')
          print(f'P Value: {p value}')
          if p value < 0.05:
              print('We reject H0.'+'\n'+'Weather and season are DEPENDENT.')
          else:
              print('We fail to reject H0.'+'\n'+'Weather and season are INDEPENDENT.')
          DOF: 9
          Expected Values:
          [[1.77454639e+03 1.80559765e+03 1.80559765e+03 1.80625831e+03]
           [6.99258130e+02 7.11493845e+02 7.11493845e+02 7.11754180e+02]
           [2.11948742e+02 2.15657450e+02 2.15657450e+02 2.15736359e+02]
            [2.46738931e-01 2.51056403e-01 2.51056403e-01 2.51148264e-01]]
          P_Value: 1.5499250736864862e-07
          We reject H0.
          Weather and season are DEPENDENT.
```

- 1. Based on the p value we got from both the test we can reject Null hypothesis as the p value is lesser than alpha value of 0.05.
- 2. We can say that weather and season are significantly dependent.

Observations:

- 1. Weekdays and holidays have no significant difference or impact on the number of bike ride bookings.
- 2. The demand for shared electric rides depends upon the seasons and weathers.
- 3. Weather and season are significantly dependent.
- 4. Bike demand is highest during Weather 1 followed by weather 2.
- 5. Bike demand is highest during fall followed by summer.

Reccomendations:

- 1. Focus on Seasonal and Weather-based Strategies:
- Since the demand for shared electric rides depends significantly on seasons and weather, Yulu should tailor its strategies accordingly.
- During peak seasons such as fall and summer, Yulu can offer special discounts or promotions to attract more riders. These promotions can be advertised through the Yulu mobile app or through localized marketing campaigns in areas with high rider density.
- Additionally, Yulu can adjust its fleet management and maintenance schedules based on seasonal demand patterns to optimize resources and ensure availability during peak periods.
- 2. Invest in Weather Forecasting Technology:
- Given the significant impact of weather on ride demand, Yulu could invest in weather forecasting technology to better predict and plan for
 fluctuations in demand. By leveraging advanced weather data analytics, Yulu can optimize fleet allocation, pricing strategies, and operational
 decisions to meet changing customer demand patterns in real-time.
- 3. Weather-based Pricing Adjustments:
- Given the significant impact of weather on ride demand, Yulu can implement dynamic pricing strategies that adjust ride fares based on weather conditions.
- For instance, during Weather condition 3 & 4 or extreme weather conditions, Yulu can lower ride fares to encourage more ridership.
- During pleasant weather, Yulu can implement surge pricing to capitalize on increased demand.

- 4. Weather-aware Fleet Management:
- Yulu should optimize its fleet management practices based on weather forecasts to ensure adequate supply during peak demand periods.
- During periods of inclement weather, Yulu can deploy more electric cycles in areas with high rider demand or popular commuting routes.
- Additionally, Yulu should prioritize maintenance and servicing of its electric cycles to ensure reliability and safety during adverse weather conditions.
- 5. Weather-specific Ride Recommendations:
- Yulu can enhance the user experience by providing weather-specific ride recommendations through its mobile app.
- For example, on hot summer days, the app can suggest shorter, shaded routes or rides that pass through parks or green areas to provide a more comfortable riding experience.
- Similarly, during rainy seasons, the app can recommend routes with less exposure to rain or provide tips on staying dry while riding.