***“Is The King Of Basketball A Giant?”***

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With the NBA season back with a twist; It is now being played within the bubble, more recent arguments about who will be crowned “The King of Basketball”. Although this argument is based on only current form, it got me thinking back to previous seasons and what necessarily makes a mortal man the King of the court. I decided to look at it from the perspective of points scored. As much as points alone do not a king make, more thinking went into my question; “Does the height of the player play a key role in the number of points scored?”, and that in turn finalized my Hypothetical Question.

***“Is the King of Basketball A Giant?”*** Is a question that analyzes the school of thought that the taller players score more points and are in turn the best players. The outcome of my EDA proved that this hypothesis was statistically insignificant, as points scored have almost nothing to do with the height of the players.

During the analysis, I feel like I struggled with writing the code for some of the questions I tried to answer, which made my research not as in depth as it should have been. My variables were very helpful, but I needed a new variable for the points scored per minute, so I calculated for it within the code. I also assumed that player weight might have an impact on points scored, but after that was proven incorrect, I looked at the current weights of some NBA players and it made more sense. I faced a few challenges with my dataset and some with my coding, but overall, I think I was able to properly convey a coherent message.

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