Data Exploration {codenation}®

Learning Objectives

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We explored our data using methods like .describe()

This helped us work out the data types we were working with, if there were any missing values, any outliers, and gave us our descriptive statistics.

We can use these to get a good overall picture.

As a result of your exploring, you might need to change your workflow.

You might need to request more data, more time, or more resources.

You might need to explain why!



A report is a more readable and accessible way of presenting your findings.

Most people aren't used to reading figures in a dark terminal!



Exploring your data and then writing the report can be time consuming.

There are libraries we can use to streamline the process!

As long as we have the data in a dataframe, the sweetviz library can report on it for us!

sweetviz is a tool that creates a thorough, visually accessible summary of a data set with a few lines of code.

Using a library means your data reports will be consistent, and high quality.

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sweetviz is a big library!

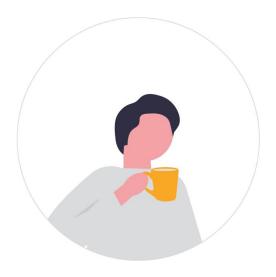
It could take a while to install.





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setuptools will help pip manage the packages sweetviz needs.

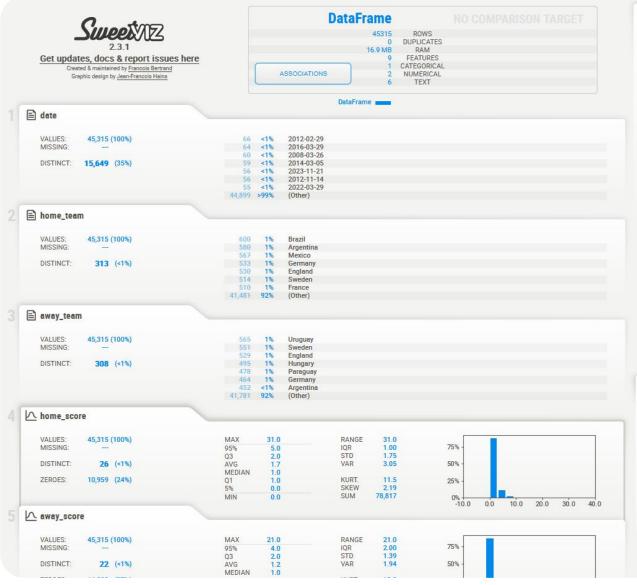


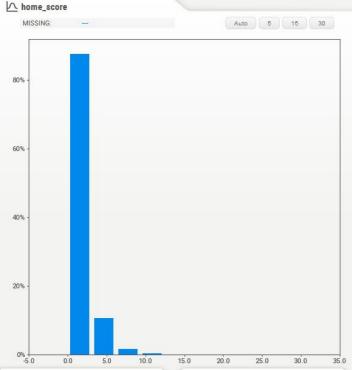


We need to take three steps with sweetviz:

- 1. Import the data as a frame
- 2. Turn the frame to profile
- 3. Turn the profile into a web page

To turn our terminal stats into this...





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NUMERICAL ASSOCIATIONS

CATEGORICAL ASSOCIATIONS

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(PEARSON, -1 to 1)

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neutral

(CORRELATION RATIO, 0 to 1)

Create a new file called reporting.py

Import the necessary libraries and classes.



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Use Sweetviz's analyze() function to analyse the dataframe, and save those results to my_report

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The show_html() method will export the my_report object to an HTML file called:
"SWEETVIZ_REPORT.html"

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The overview section gives us information similar to df.info()

It tells us the shape of the frame, how many duplicates there are, and the data types of the columns.

Each column (variable) becomes a tab.

Each tab overviews the contents – how many values are there? How many are missing? What are the distinct percentages?

The tabs show a snapshot of the data, typically sorted from most frequent – least frequent.

Clicking the tabs gives a much larger list!

For numerical data types, sweetviz will construct visualisations to help us do quick comparisons.

It will also show lots of the data from df.describe() like the five-figure summary.

The associations section shows the strength of the relationship between the variables.

It measures how much the difference between the values can be explained by each other.

There's no relationship between results – a team scoring a goal doesn't suggest the opponent will score a goal.

It also doesn't suggest if a team scores a goal, the other team will score -1 goal.

Review

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Which method did you prefer?

Why?

Which method do you think would be more useful to a non-analyst?

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Activity 1

Produce exploratory reports for the other two data sets given.

What information can you see from them?

We will explore visualisations and what they mean more next week!