

# Lending Club Case Study :

- **Problem Statement :**

Lending Club wants to identify loan applicants who are likely to default. This helps them minimize losses and make better lending decisions.

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# The Loan Approval Process

- Applicants submit loan applications with personal and financial information.
- The company analyzes applications through automated systems and human review.
- Based on the analysis, a loan approval or rejection decision is made.
- Approved applicants receive loan funds, while rejected applicants may be provided with feedback.

# Risks Associated with Loan Decisions

- **Lost Business :**

Rejecting a loan application from a reliable borrower could lead to lost business opportunities.

- **Default Risk :**

Approving a loan to a borrower who is unable or unwilling to repay can result in financial losses for the company.

# Data-Driven Success

- Lending Club successfully leverages data to improve loan approval decisions, leading to greater efficiency and profitability.
- **Data Cleaning and Preprocessing :**
  - Loading the data.
  - Displaying basic information and summary of the dataset.
  - Finding missing values.
  - Dropping columns with more than 40% missing values.
  - Filling remaining missing values.

# EDA (Exploratory Data Analysis)

- 1. Univariate Analysis :

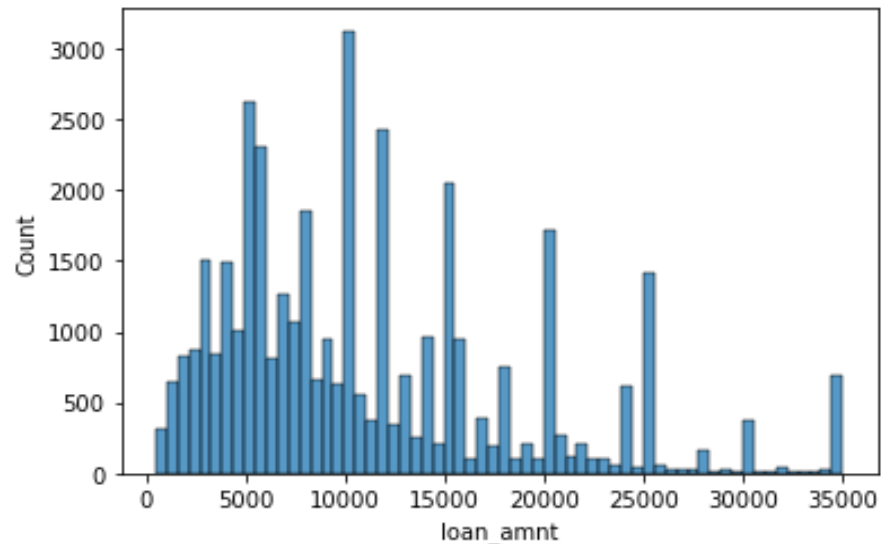


Fig : Distribution of loan amounts.

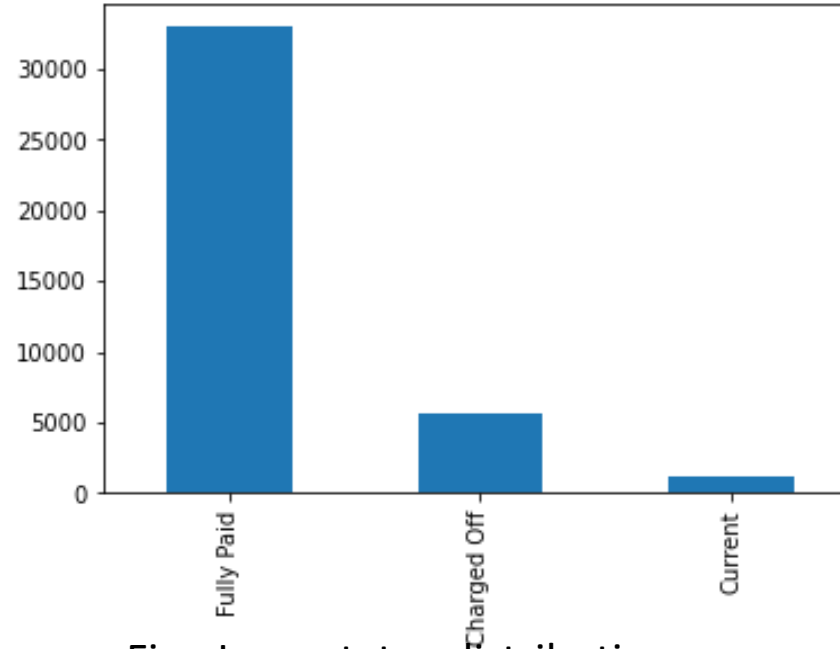


Fig : Loan status distribution:

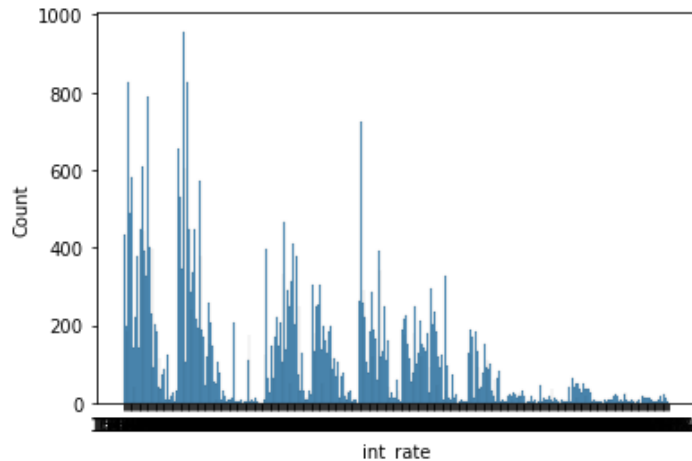
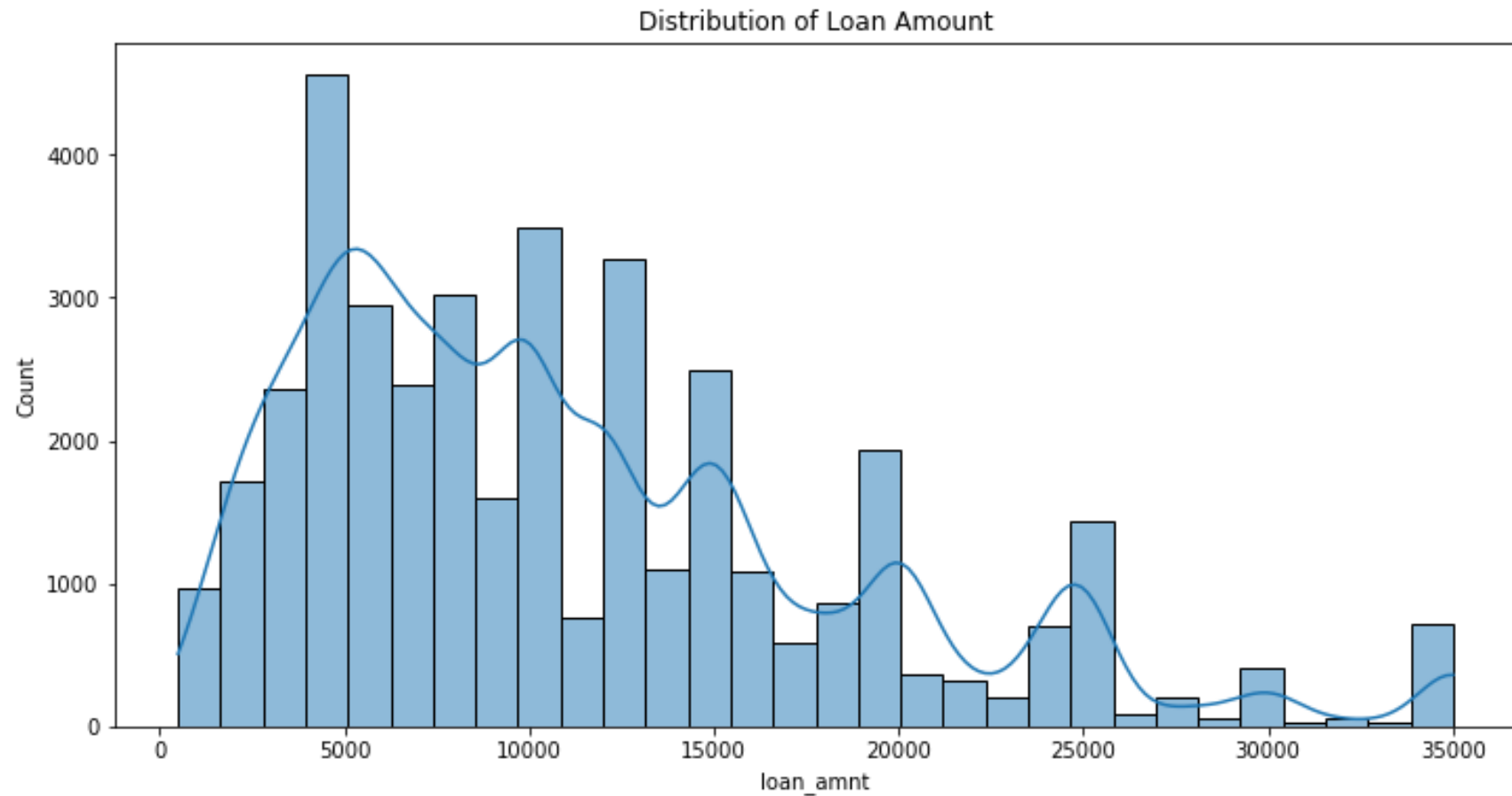


Fig: Interest rate distribution.

# # Analyzing numerical features



## 2. Bivariate Analysis

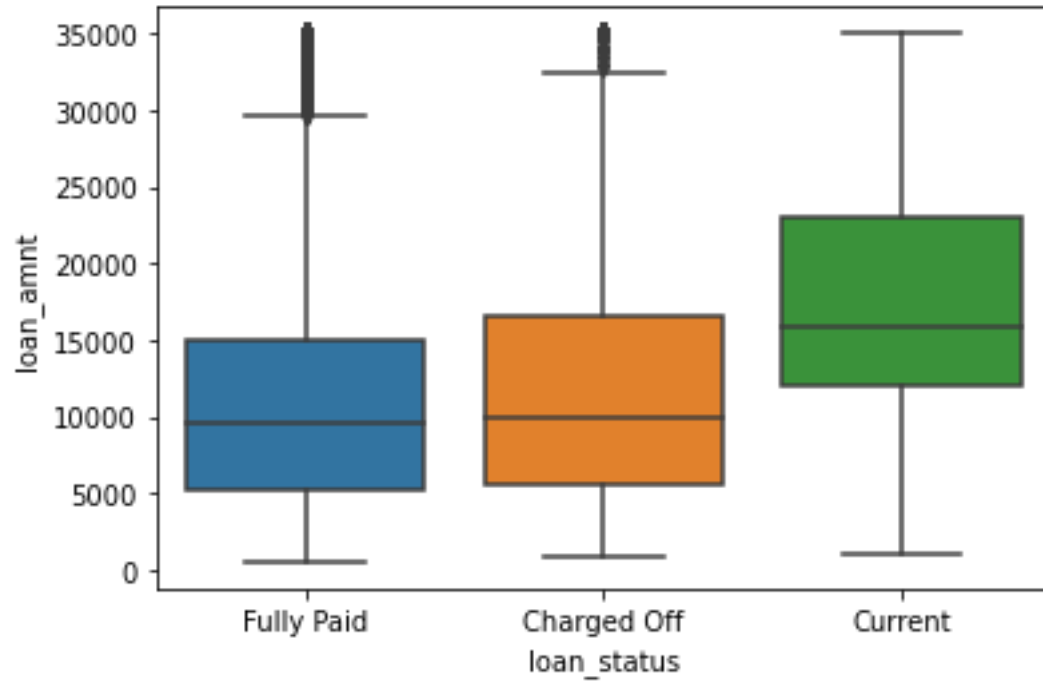


Fig : Loan amount vs loan status.

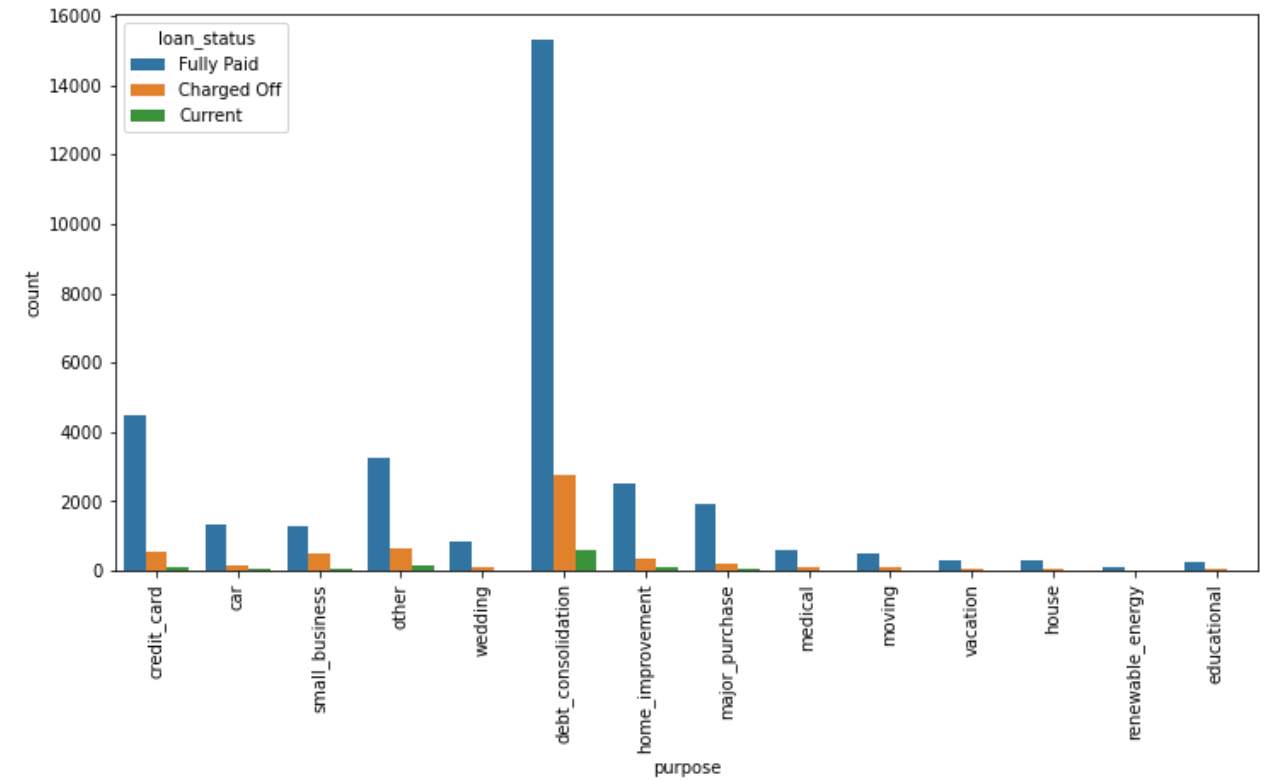
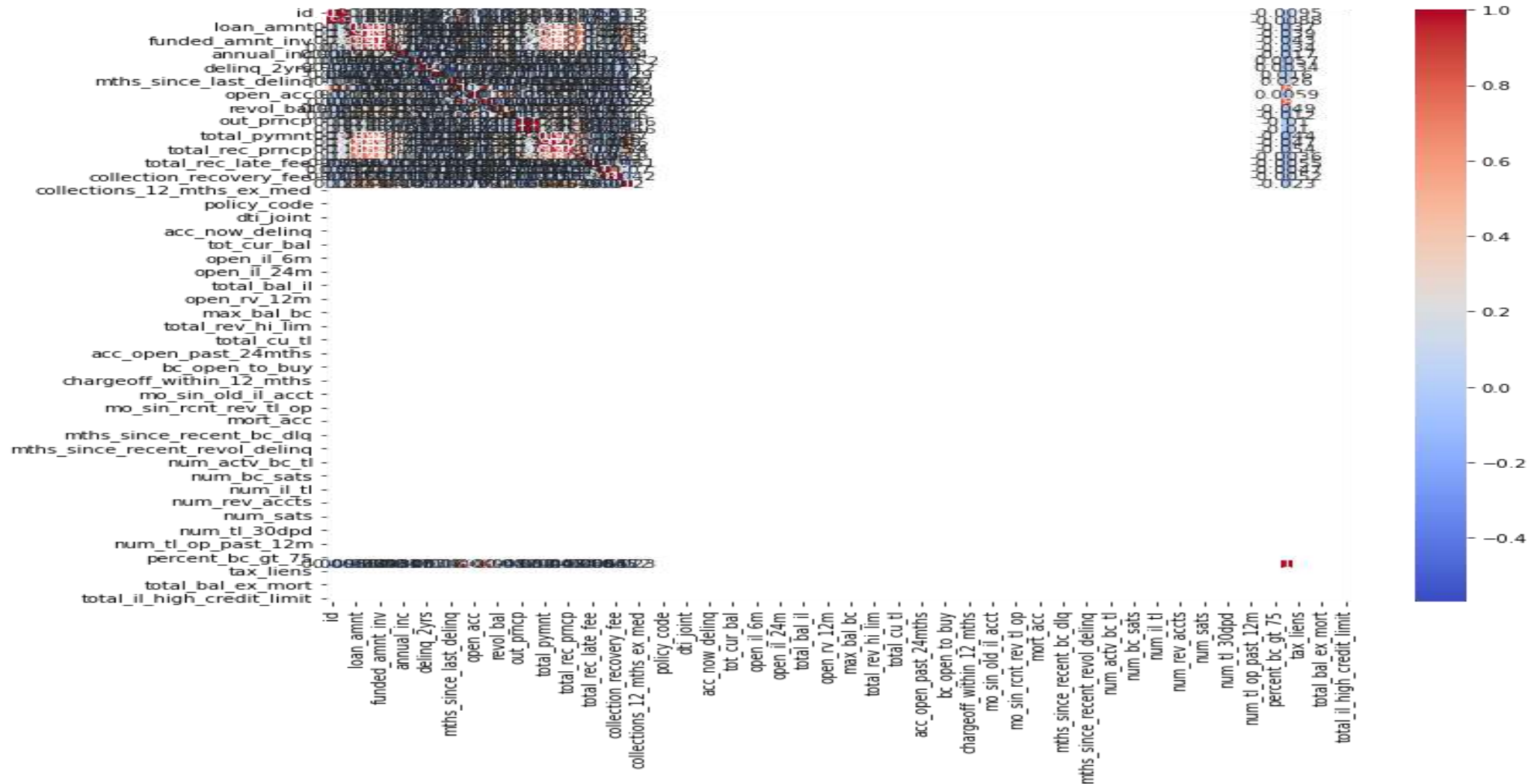


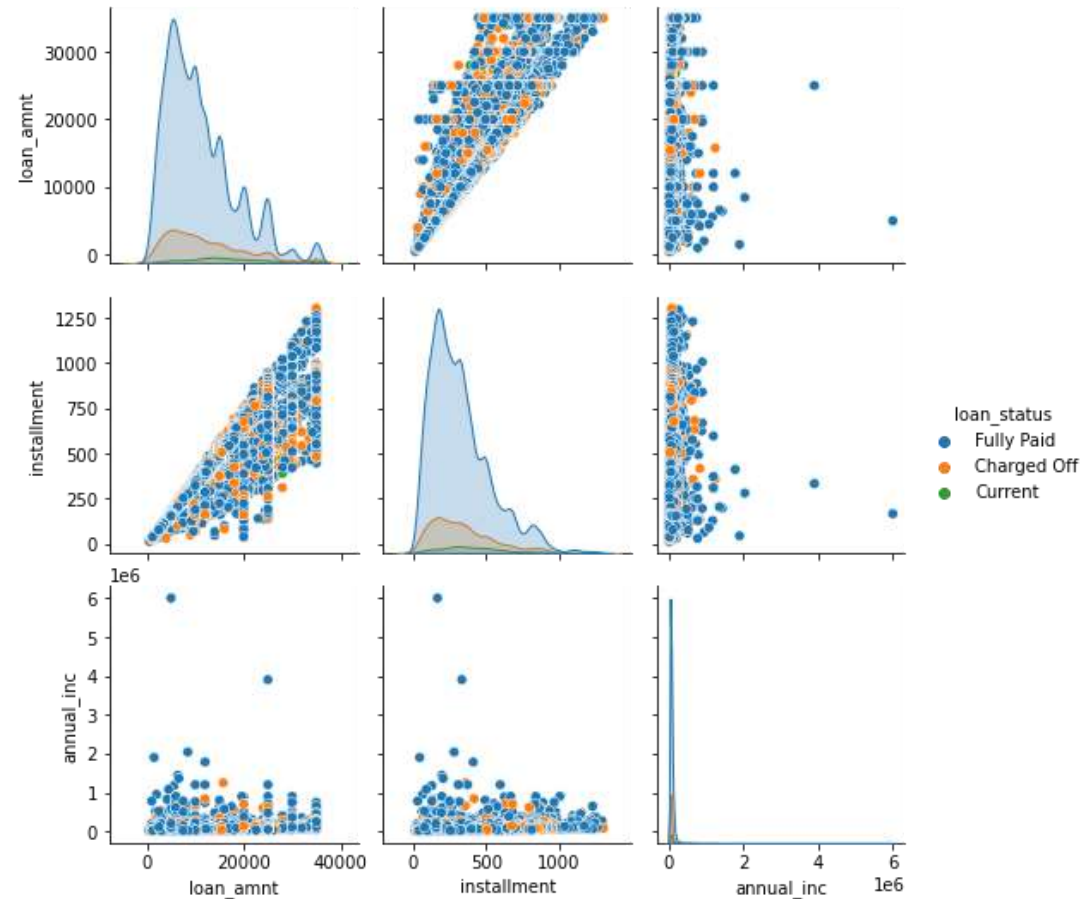
Fig : Purpose of loan vs loan status.

## Correlation Analysis :





# Other EDA findings.



# Insights and Conclusions :

- Higher interest rates correlate with higher default rates.
- Lower grade loans show higher chances of default.
- Loan amount and annual income impact default probability.
- Loans taken for small business and debt consolidation show higher default tendencies