

Car Feature Analysis Report

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Project Description!

Car companies want to make the most money while giving people the cars they want. But it's not easy with lots of competition and different kinds of cars like electric and regular ones. A Data Analyst can help by looking at data about cars and prices. They can figure out what things people like in cars and what kinds of cars make the most money. By doing this, the car company can decide how much to charge for their cars and what features to put in new cars. This helps the company do well in the market and make more money in the long run.

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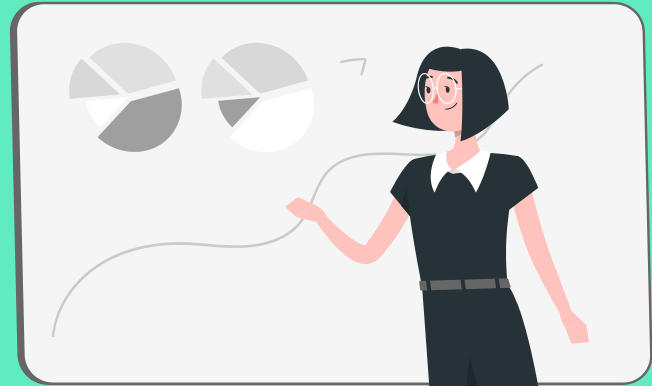
Described what I have
achieved through the
project

"Unlocking the power of data can drive car manufacturers to thrive in a changing world, satisfying consumers while boosting profits."

Tech Stack Used :-

- > Jupyter Notebook
- > Tableau Public
- > PowerPoint
- > Github
- > Google Drive

Importing and Exploring Dataset



Importing and Exploring Dataset

- First, I created a new notebook and imported libraries and dataset.
- `application_data = pd.read_csv("car_data.csv")`
- Then I explored the dataset using the following programs.
- To see the five rows from top and bottom I used `head()` and `tail()` respectively.
- `application_data.head()`
- `application_data.tail()`
- Then by Using the column function see the names of all the columns/variables.
- `application_data.columns`
- By using the describe function obtained all descriptive stats for the numeric variables in the DataSet.
- `application_data.describe()`
- By using `isnull()` method of pandas data frame calculated total null values in each variable.
- `car_data.isnull().sum()`
- Then filled those null values with mean, median or mode. (According to variables)
- `car_data['Engine HP'] = car_data['Engine HP'].fillna(car_data['Engine HP'].mean())`
- `car_data['Engine Cylinders'] = car_data['Engine Cylinders'].fillna(car_data['Engine Cylinders'].median())`
- `car_data['Engine Fuel Type'] = car_data['Engine Fuel Type'].fillna(car_data['Engine Fuel Type'].mode())`

```
1 car_data.isnull().sum()
```

```
Make      0
Model     0
Year      0
Engine Fuel Type    3
Engine HP    69
Engine Cylinders    30
Transmission Type  0
Driven_Wheels    0
Number of Doors    6
Market Category  3742
Vehicle Size      0
Vehicle Style     0
highway MPG      0
city mpg         0
Popularity       0
MSRP            0
dtype: int64
```

```
car_data.duplicated()
```

```
0      False
1      False
2      False
3      False
4      False
...
11909   False
11910   False
11911   False
11912   False
11913   False
Length: 11914, dtype: bool
```

```
1 car_data.columns
```

```
Index(['Make', 'Model', 'Year', 'Engine Fuel Type', 'Engine HP',
       'Engine Cylinders', 'Transmission Type', 'Driven_Wheels',
       'Number of Doors', 'Market Category', 'Vehicle Size', 'Vehicle Style',
       'highway MPG', 'city mpg', 'Popularity', 'MSRP'],
      dtype='object')
```

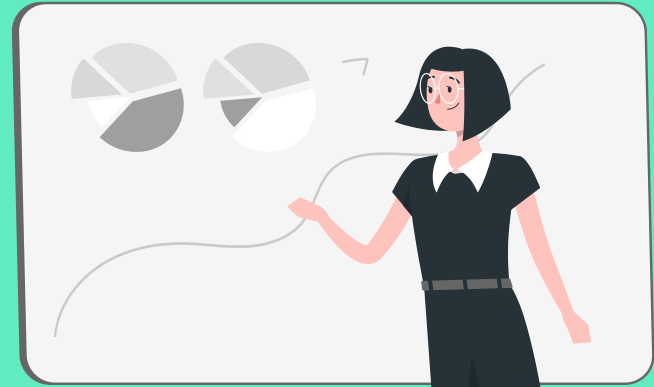
```
1 car_data.describe()
```

| | Year | Engine HP | Engine Cylinders | Number of Doors | highway MPG | city mpg | Popularity |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|
| count | 11914.000000 | 11914.000000 | 11914.000000 | 11908.000000 | 11914.000000 | 11914.000000 | 11914.000000 |
| mean | 2010.384338 | 249.386070 | 5.629763 | 3.436093 | 26.637485 | 19.733255 | 15.000000 |
| std | 7.579740 | 108.875192 | 1.778413 | 0.881315 | 8.863001 | 8.987798 | 14.000000 |
| min | 1990.000000 | 55.000000 | 0.000000 | 2.000000 | 12.000000 | 7.000000 | 0.000000 |
| 25% | 2007.000000 | 170.000000 | 4.000000 | 2.000000 | 22.000000 | 16.000000 | 5.000000 |
| 50% | 2015.000000 | 227.000000 | 6.000000 | 4.000000 | 26.000000 | 18.000000 | 13.000000 |
| 75% | 2016.000000 | 300.000000 | 6.000000 | 4.000000 | 30.000000 | 22.000000 | 20.000000 |
| max | 2017.000000 | 1001.000000 | 16.000000 | 4.000000 | 354.000000 | 137.000000 | 56.000000 |

A

Understanding the Dataset

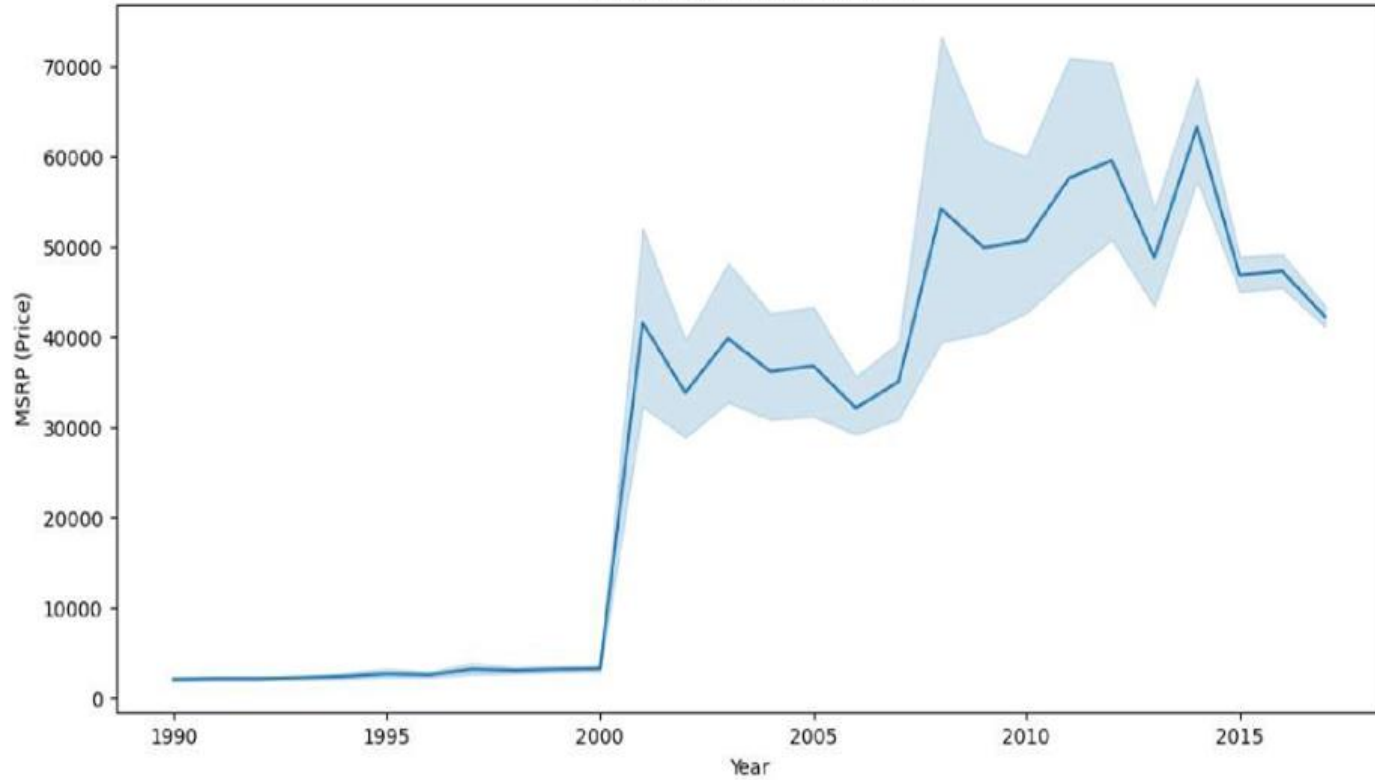
Gain insights into various aspects of the automotive industry.



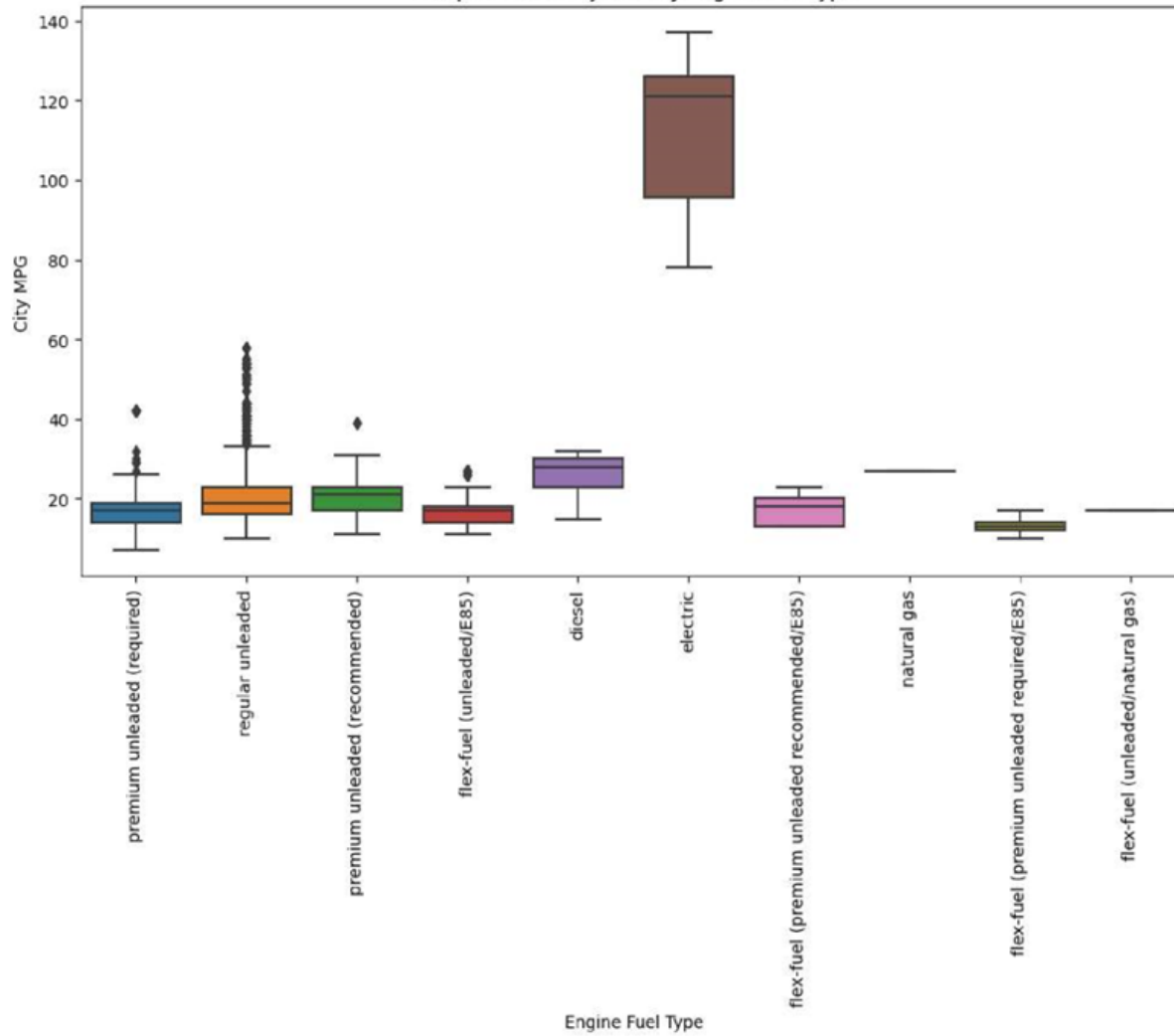
Understanding the Dataset

- Analyzing trends in the car features and pricing over time.
 - `plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))`
 - `sns.lineplot(x='Year', y='MSRP', data=car_data)`
 - `plt.title('Trends in Car Prices Over Time')`
 - `plt.xlabel('Year')`
 - `plt.ylabel('MSRP (Price)')`
 - `plt.show()`
- Compare fuel efficiency of different types of cars
 - `plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))`
 - `sns.boxplot(x='Engine Fuel Type', y='city mpg', data=car_data)`
 - `plt.title('Comparison of City MPG by Engine Fuel Type')`
 - `plt.xlabel('Engine Fuel Type')`
 - `plt.ylabel('City MPG')`
 - `plt.xticks(rotation=90)`
 - `plt.show()`

Trends in Car Prices Over Time

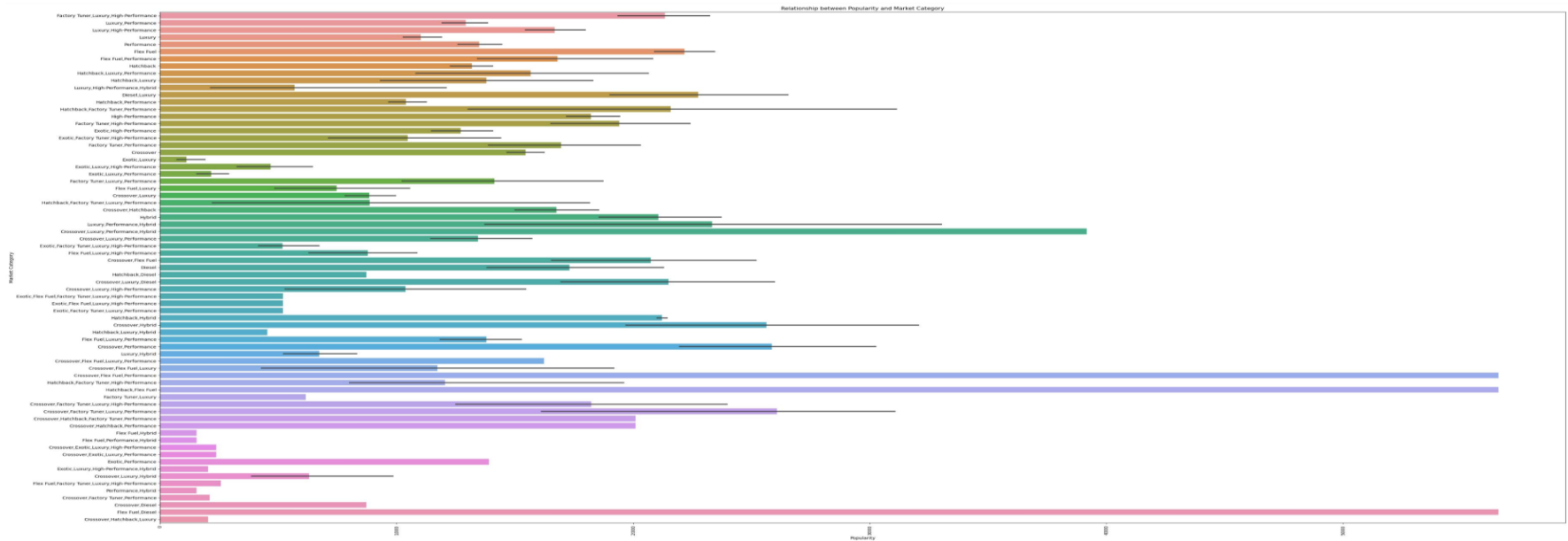


Comparison of City MPG by Engine Fuel Type



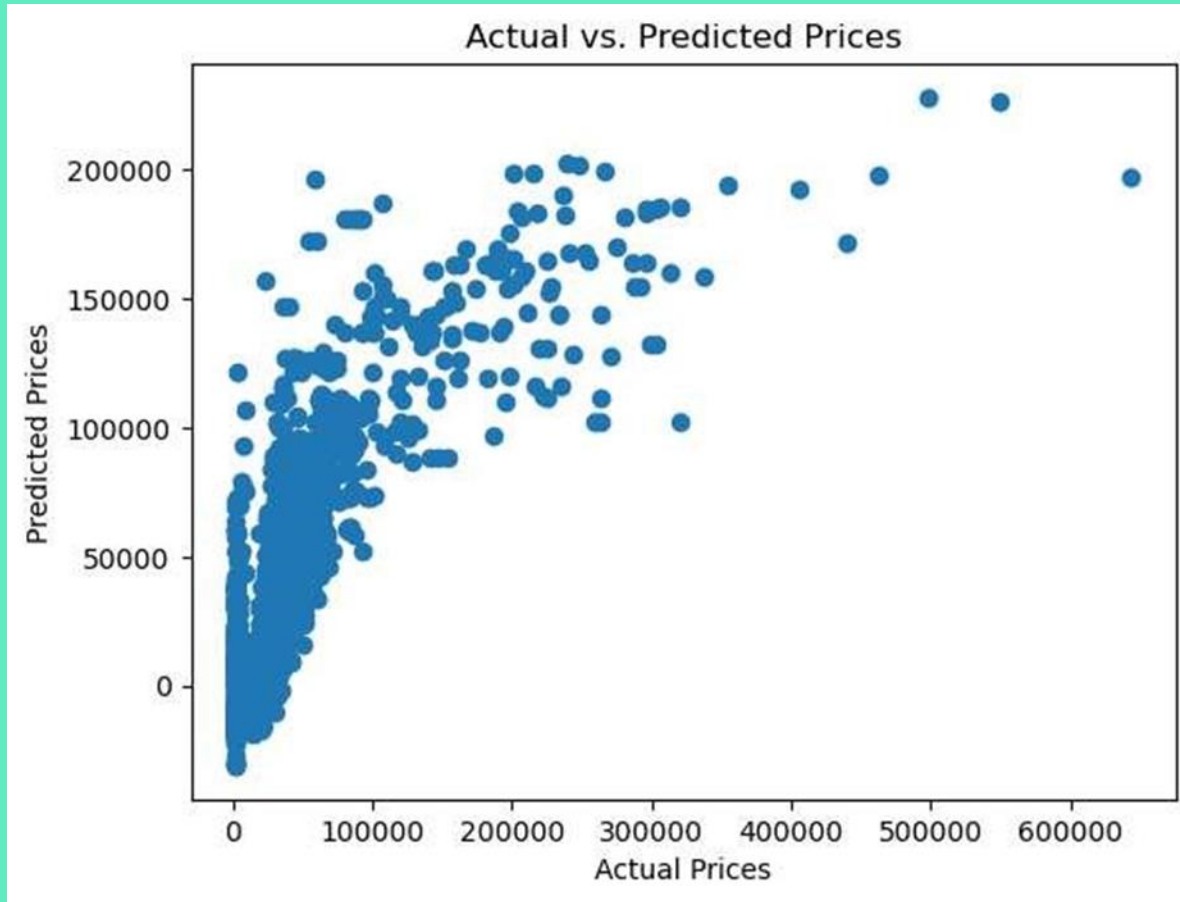
Investigating the relationship between a car's features and its popularity

```
1 plt.figure(figsize=(50, 25))
2 sns.barplot(x='Popularity', y='Market Category', data=car_data)
3 plt.title('Relationship between Popularity and Market Category')
4 plt.xlabel('Popularity')
5 plt.ylabel('Market Category')
6 plt.xticks(rotation=90)
7 plt.show()
```



Understanding the Dataset

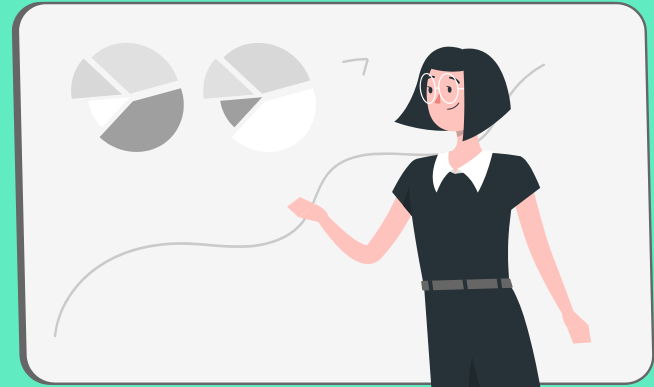
- Predicting the price of a car based on its features and market category: By using the various features and market category variables in the dataset, I have developed a model to predict the price of a car. This could help manufacturers and consumers understand how different features affect the price of a car and make informed decisions about pricing and purchasing.



B

Analysis of Dataset

Finding valuable insights using data analysis techniques such as regression analysis, pivot tables, sensitivity analysis, optimization, and time series analysis.



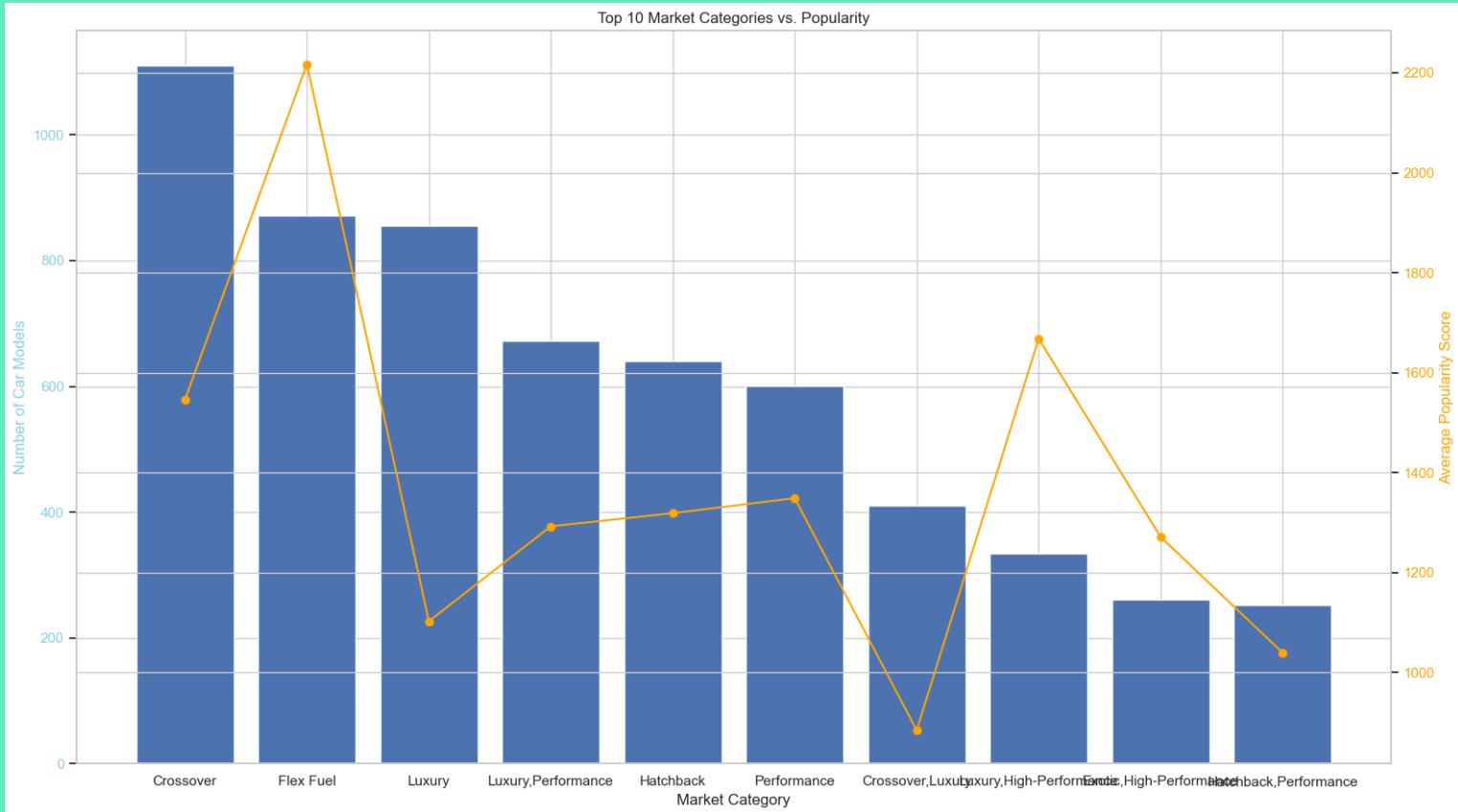
How does the popularity of a car model vary across different market categories?

- Task 1.A: : Creating a pivot table that shows the number of car models in each market category and their corresponding popularity scores.

| Market Category | Number of Car Models | Average Popularity Score |
|---|----------------------|--------------------------|
| Crossover | 1110 | 1545.263063 |
| Flex Fuel | 872 | 2217.302752 |
| Luxury | 855 | 1102.657310 |
| Luxury,Performance | 673 | 1292.615156 |
| Hatchback | 641 | 1318.865835 |
| ... | ... | ... |
| Exotic,Luxury,High-Performance,Hybrid | 1 | 204.000000 |
| Flex Fuel,Factory Tuner,Luxury,High-Performance | 1 | 258.000000 |
| Crossover,Exotic,Luxury,Performance | 1 | 238.000000 |
| Crossover,Exotic,Luxury,High-Performance | 1 | 238.000000 |
| Performance,Hybrid | 1 | 155.000000 |

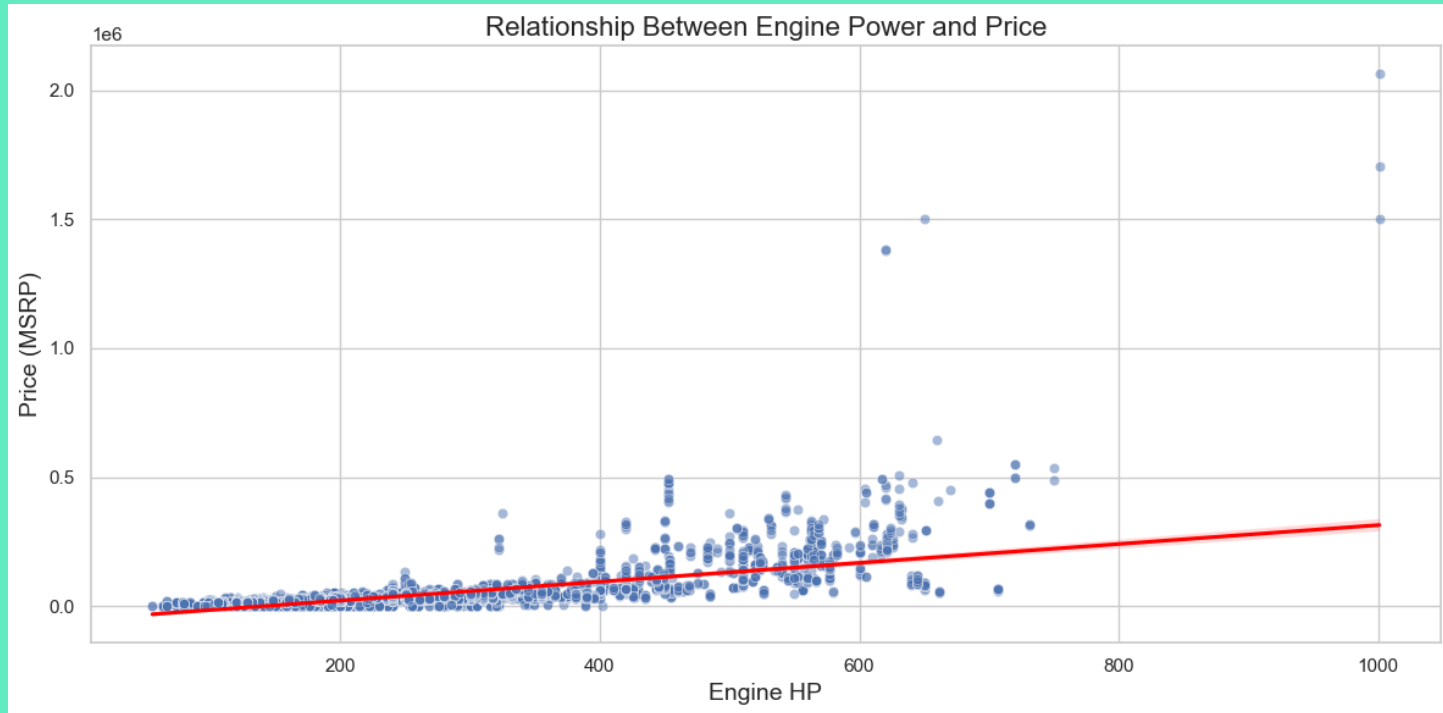
71 rows × 2 columns

➤ Task 1.B: Creating a combo chart that visualizes the relationship between market category and popularity.



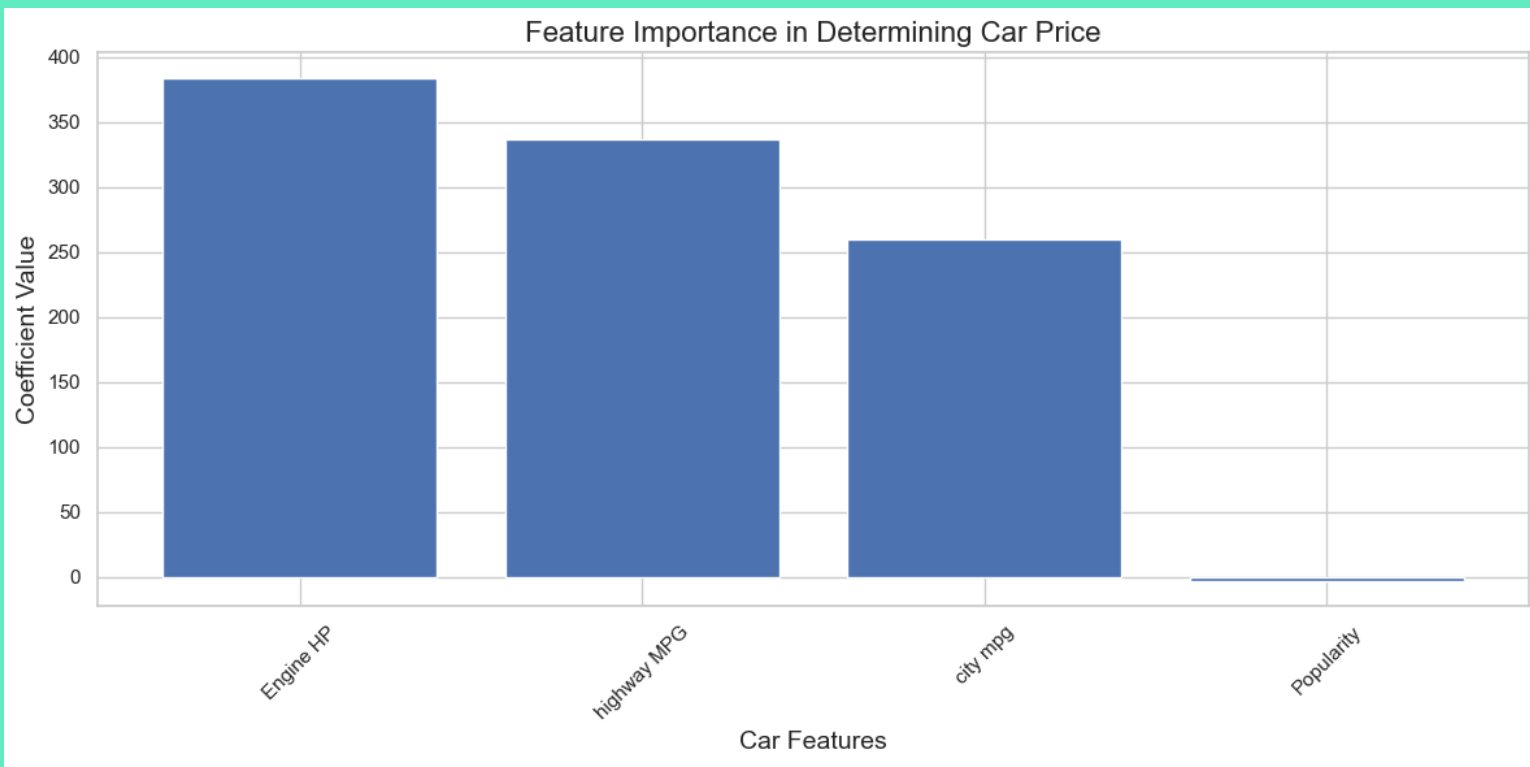
What is the relationship between a car's engine power and its price?

- Task 2: Creating a scatter chart that plots engine power on the x-axis and price on the y-axis. Add a trendline to the chart to visualize the relationship between these variables.



Which car features are most important in determining a car's price?

- Task 3: Using regression analysis to identify the variables that have the strongest relationship with a car's price.

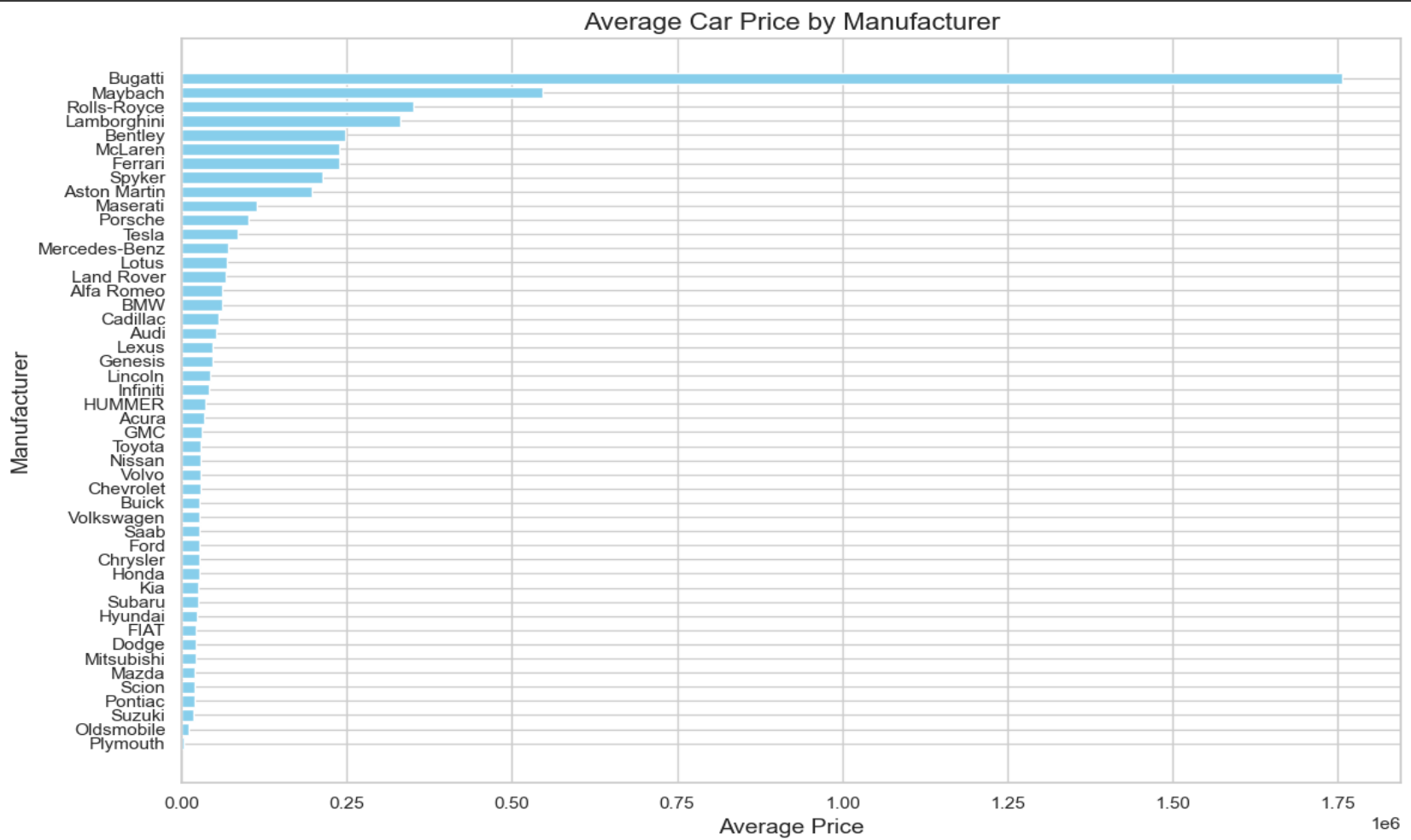


How does the average price of a car vary across different manufacturers?

- Task 4.A: Creating a pivot table that shows the average price of cars for each manufacturer

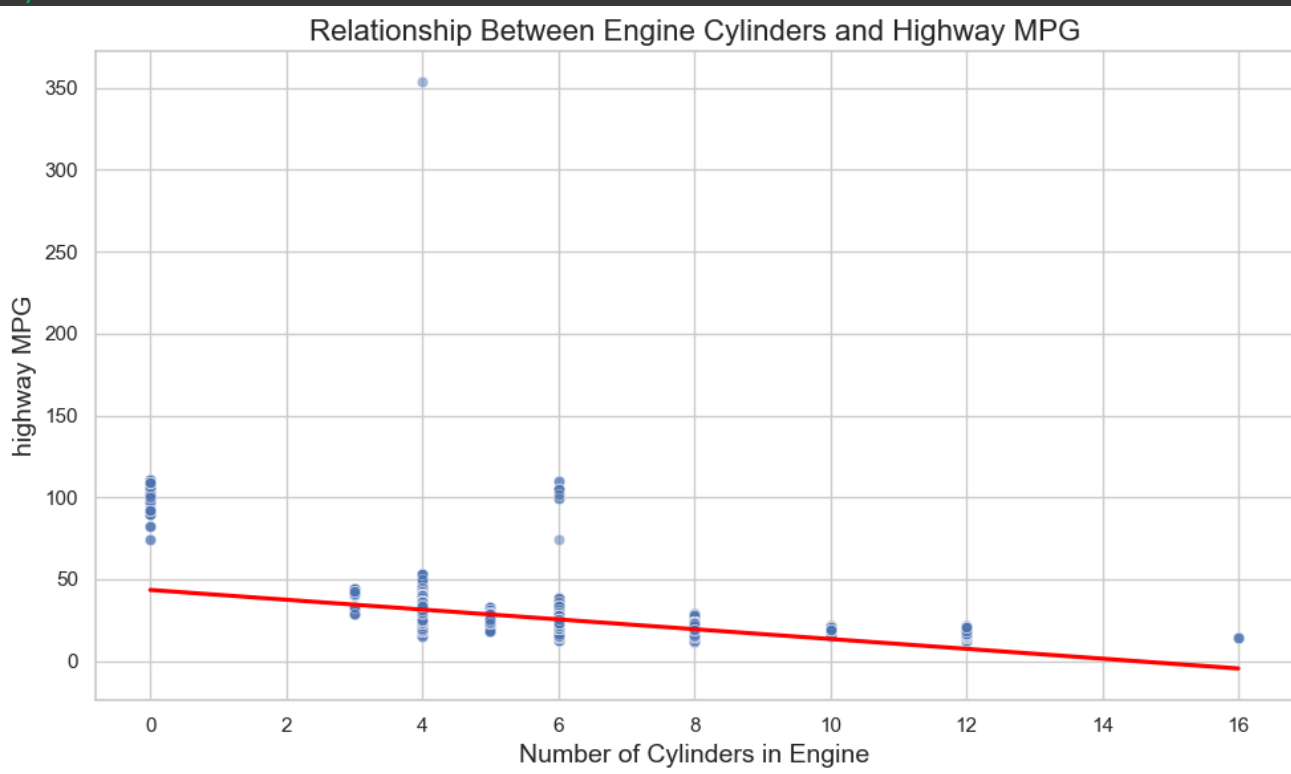
| | MSRP |
|---------------|--------------|
| Make | |
| Plymouth | 3.122902e+03 |
| Oldsmobile | 1.154254e+04 |
| Suzuki | 1.790721e+04 |
| Pontiac | 1.932155e+04 |
| Scion | 1.993250e+04 |
| Mazda | 2.003938e+04 |
| Mitsubishi | 2.124054e+04 |
| Dodge | 2.239006e+04 |
| FIAT | 2.267024e+04 |
| Hyundai | 2.459704e+04 |
| Subaru | 2.482750e+04 |
| Kia | 2.531017e+04 |
| Honda | 2.667434e+04 |
| Chrysler | 2.672296e+04 |
| Ford | 2.739927e+04 |
| Saab | 2.741350e+04 |
| Volkswagen | 2.810238e+04 |
| Buick | 2.820661e+04 |
| Chevrolet | 2.835039e+04 |
| Volvo | 2.854116e+04 |
| Nissan | 2.858343e+04 |
| Toyota | 2.903002e+04 |
| GMC | 3.049330e+04 |
| Acura | 3.488759e+04 |
| HUMMER | 3.646441e+04 |
| Infiniti | 4.239421e+04 |
| Lincoln | 4.283983e+04 |
| Genesis | 4.661667e+04 |
| Lexus | 4.754907e+04 |
| Audi | 5.345211e+04 |
| Cadillac | 5.623132e+04 |
| BMW | 6.154676e+04 |
| Alfa Romeo | 6.160000e+04 |
| Land Rover | 6.782322e+04 |
| Lotus | 6.918828e+04 |
| Mercedes-Benz | 7.147623e+04 |
| Tesla | 8.525556e+04 |
| Porsche | 1.016224e+05 |
| Maserati | 1.142077e+05 |
| Aston Martin | 1.979104e+05 |
| Spyker | 2.133233e+05 |
| Ferrari | 2.382188e+05 |
| McLaren | 2.398050e+05 |
| Bentley | 2.471693e+05 |
| Lamborghini | 3.315673e+05 |
| Rolls-Royce | 3.511306e+05 |
| Maybach | 5.462219e+05 |
| Bugatti | 1.757224e+06 |

➤ Task 4.B: Creating a bar chart to visualize the relationship between manufacturer & average price.



What is the relationship between fuel efficiency and the number of cylinders in a car's engine?

- Task 5. A: Creating a scatter plot and trend line with the number of cylinders on the x-axis and highway MPG on the y-axis.



What is the relationship between fuel efficiency and the number of cylinders in a car's engine?

- Task 5.B: Calculate the correlation coefficient between the number of cylinders and highway MPG

```
1 # Calculate the correlation coefficient
2 correlation = car_data['Engine Cylinders'].corr(car_data['highway MPG'])
3
4 # Print the correlation coefficient
5 print(f"Correlation coefficient between Engine Cylinders and Highway MPG:
```

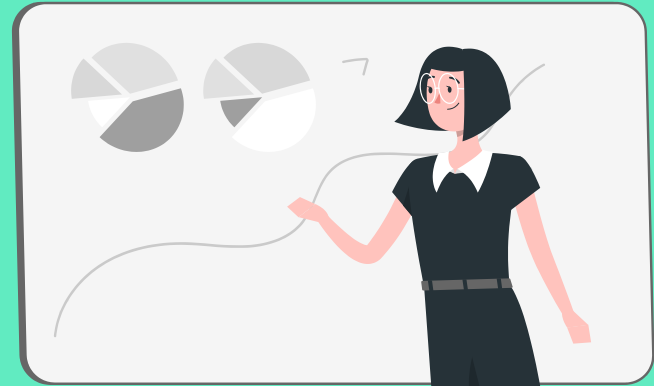
Correlation coefficient between Engine Cylinders and Highway MPG: -0.60

- Inference :- A negative value indicates a negative correlation. i.e., as number of cylinders increases, highway MPG decreases

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Building the Dashboard

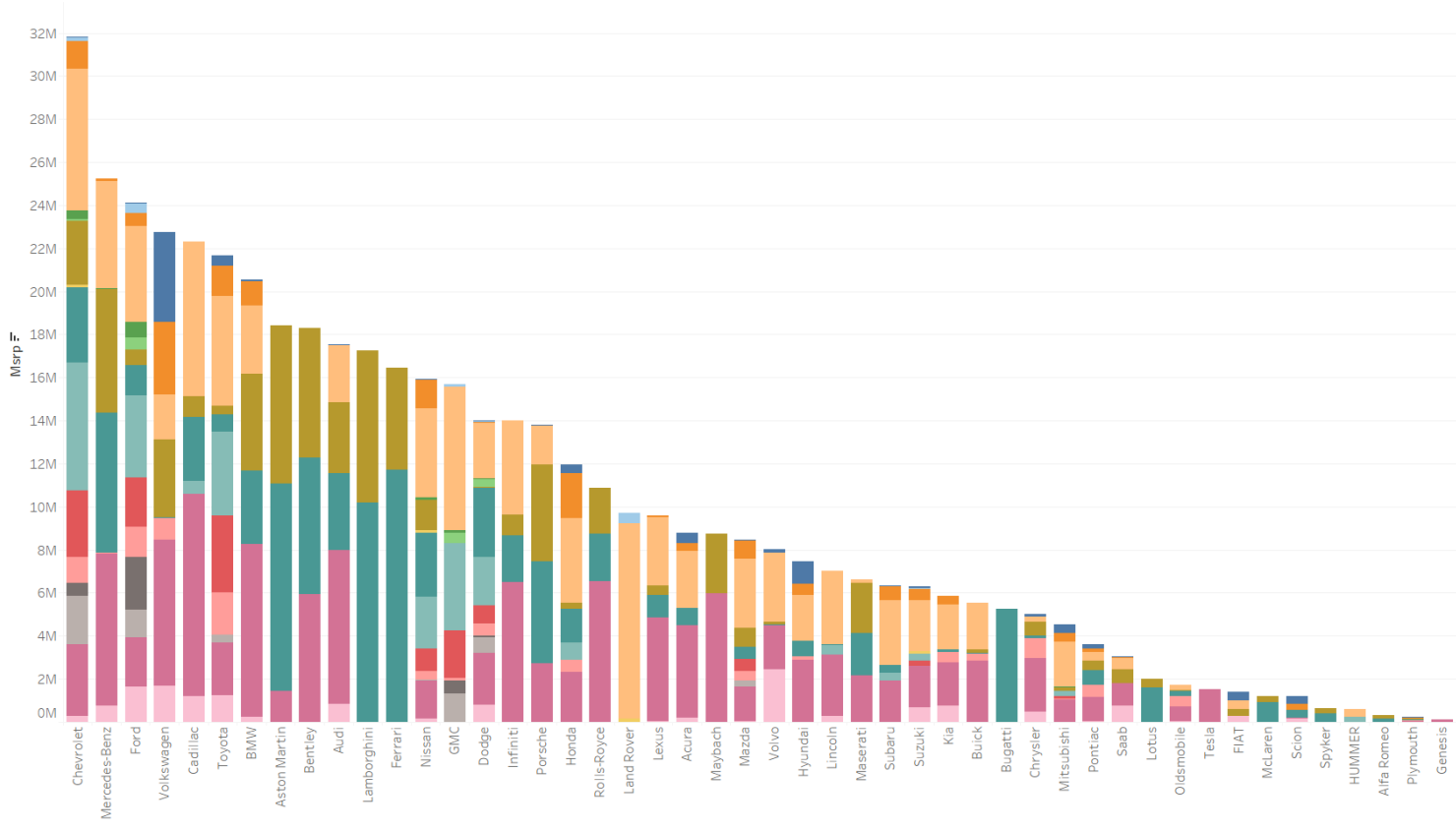
Creating the Interactive Dashboard using filters and slicers.



➤ Task 1: How does the distribution of car prices vary by brand and body style?

Distribution of Car Prices by Brand and Body Style

Make



Filter (Distribution of Car)

- ☒ (All)
- ☒ Acura
- ☒ Alfa Romeo
- ☒ Aston Martin
- ☒ Audi
- ☒ Bentley
- ☒ BMW
- ☒ Bugatti
- ☒ Buick
- ☒ Cadillac
- ☒ Chevrolet
- ☒ Chrysler
- ☒ Dodge
- ☒ Ferrari
- ☒ FIAT
- ☒ Ford
- ☒ Genesis
- ☒ GMC
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- ☒ Hyundai
- ☒ Infiniti
- ☒ Kia
- ☒ Lamborghini

Vehicle Style

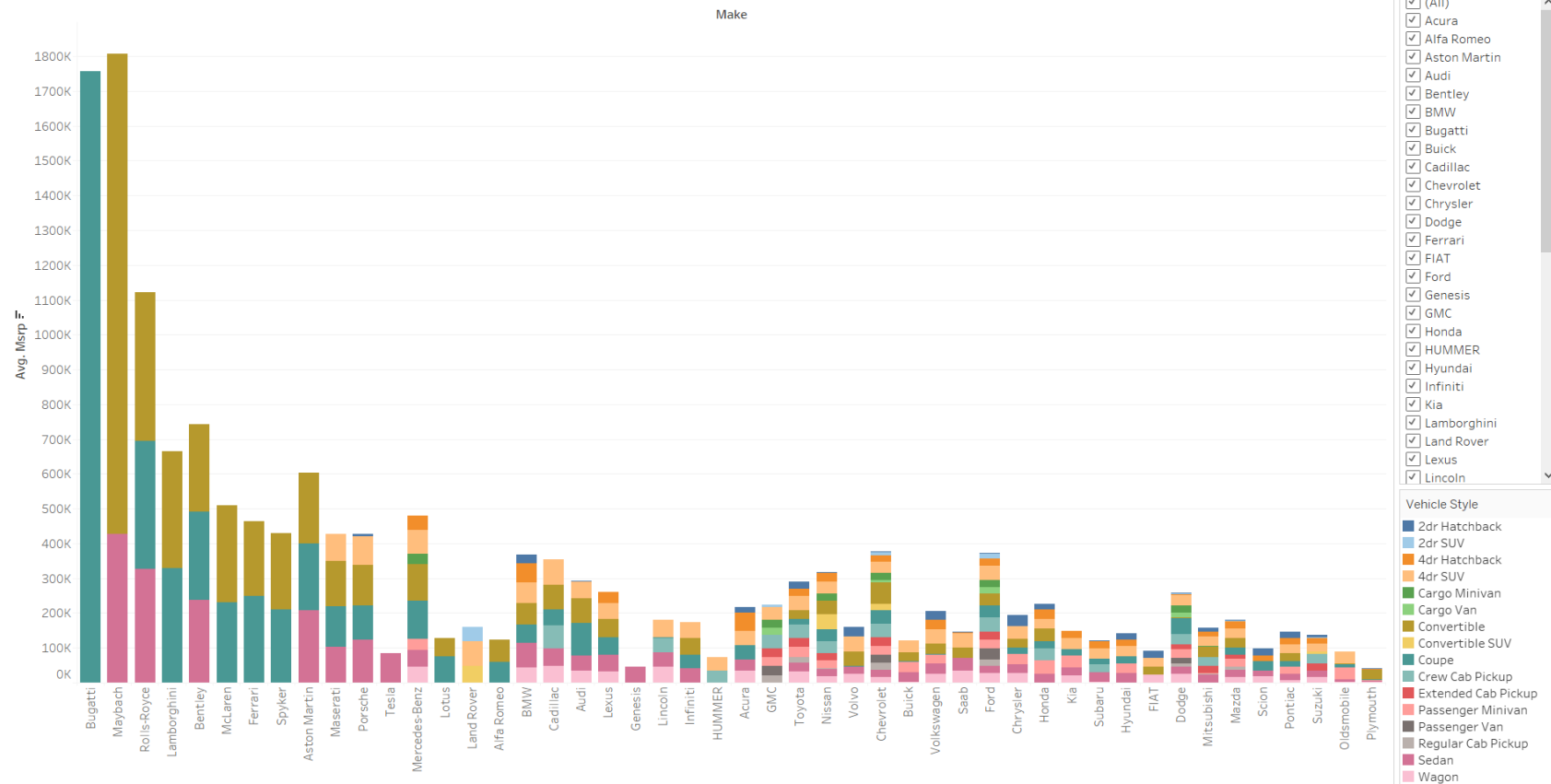
- ☒ 2dr Hatchback
- ☒ 2dr SUV
- ☒ 4dr Hatchback
- ☒ 4dr SUV
- ☒ Cargo Minivan
- ☒ Cargo Van
- ☒ Convertible
- ☒ Convertible SUV
- ☒ Coupe
- ☒ Crew Cab Pickup
- ☒ Extended Cab Pickup
- ☒ Passenger Minivan
- ☒ Passenger Van
- ☒ Regular Cab Pickup
- ☒ Sedan
- ☒ Wagon

Highlight Make

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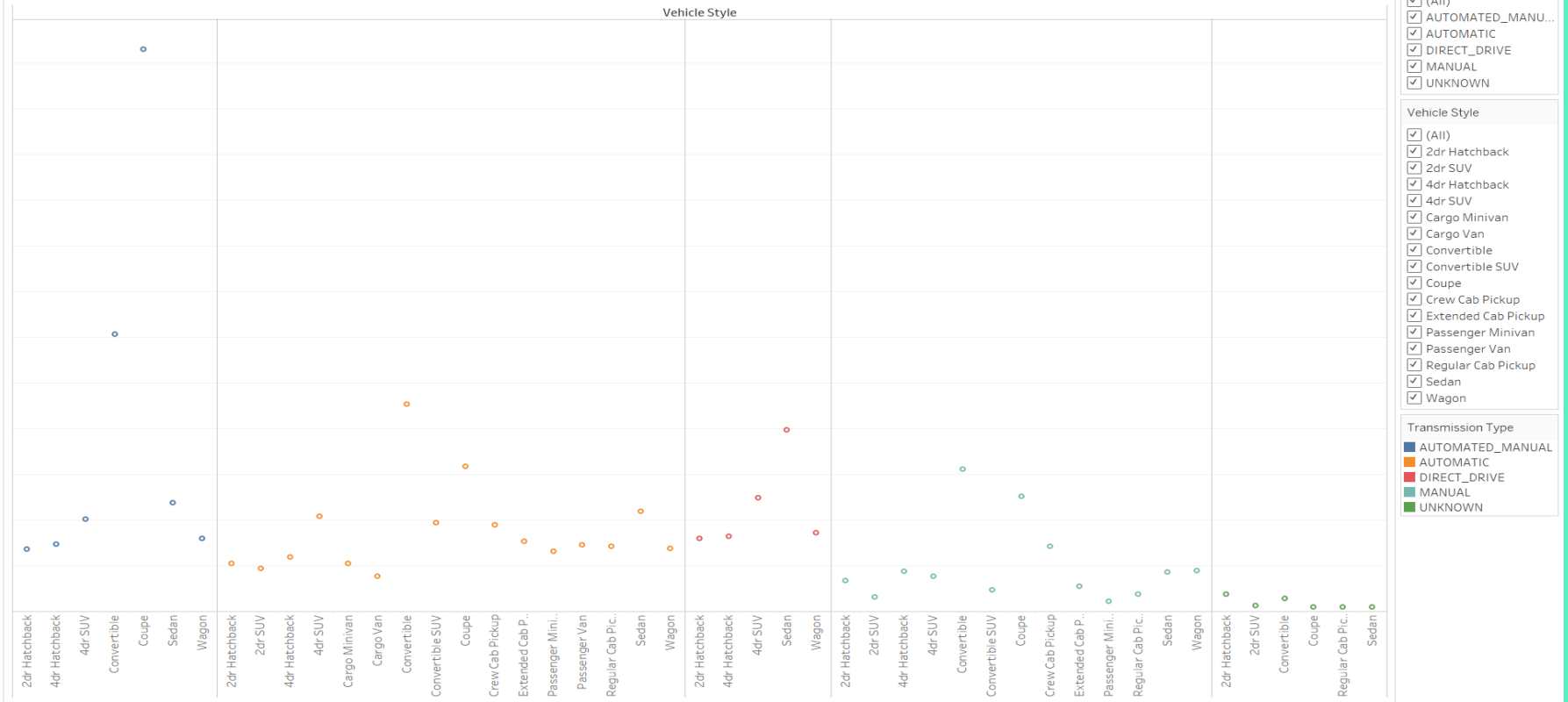
➤ Task 2: Highest and Lowest Average MSRPs by Car Brand and Body Style

Highest and Lowest Average MSRPs by Car Brand and Body Style



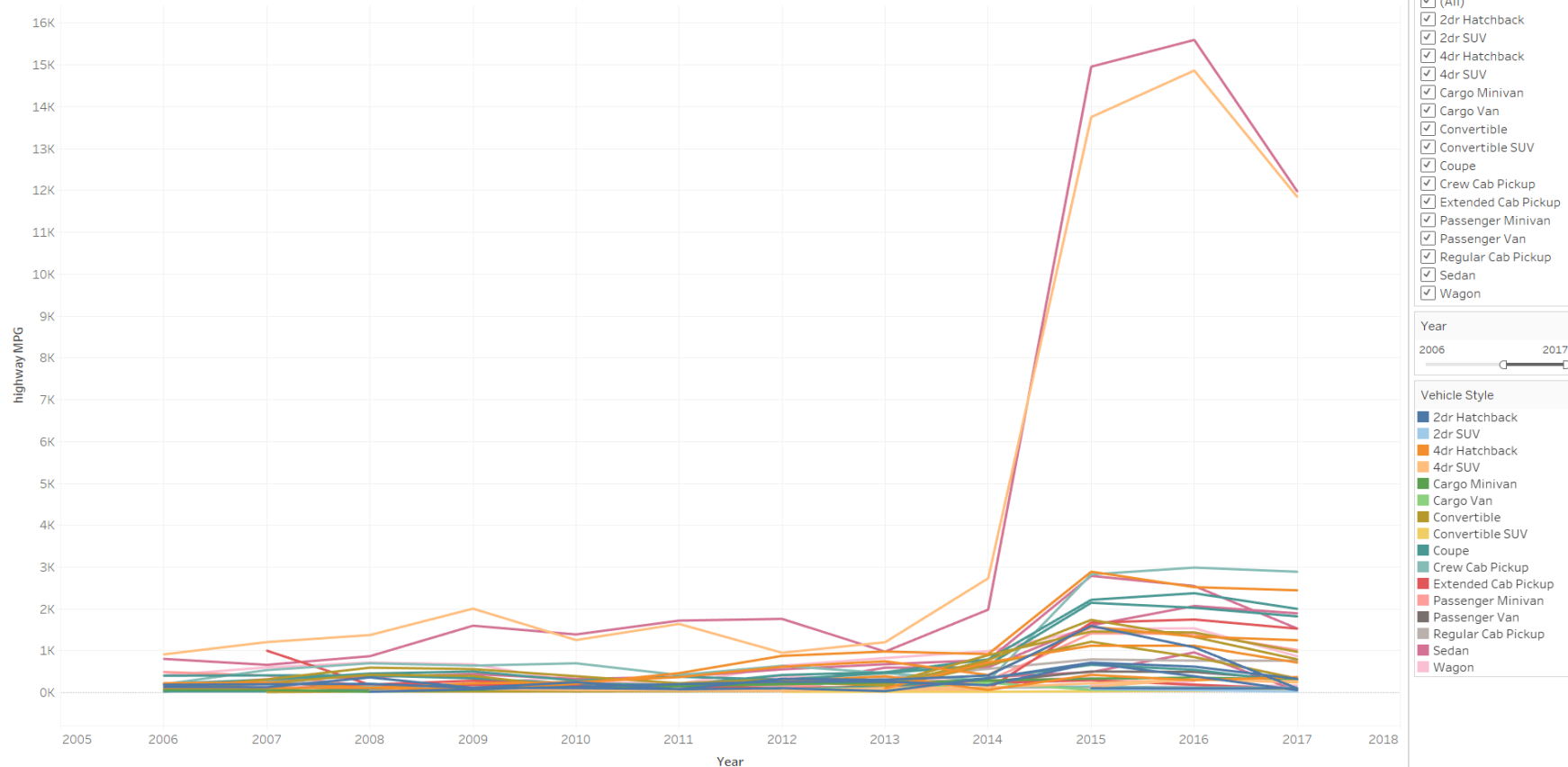
➤ Task 3: How do the different features such as transmission type affect the MSRP, and how does this vary by body style?

MSRP vs Transmission Type



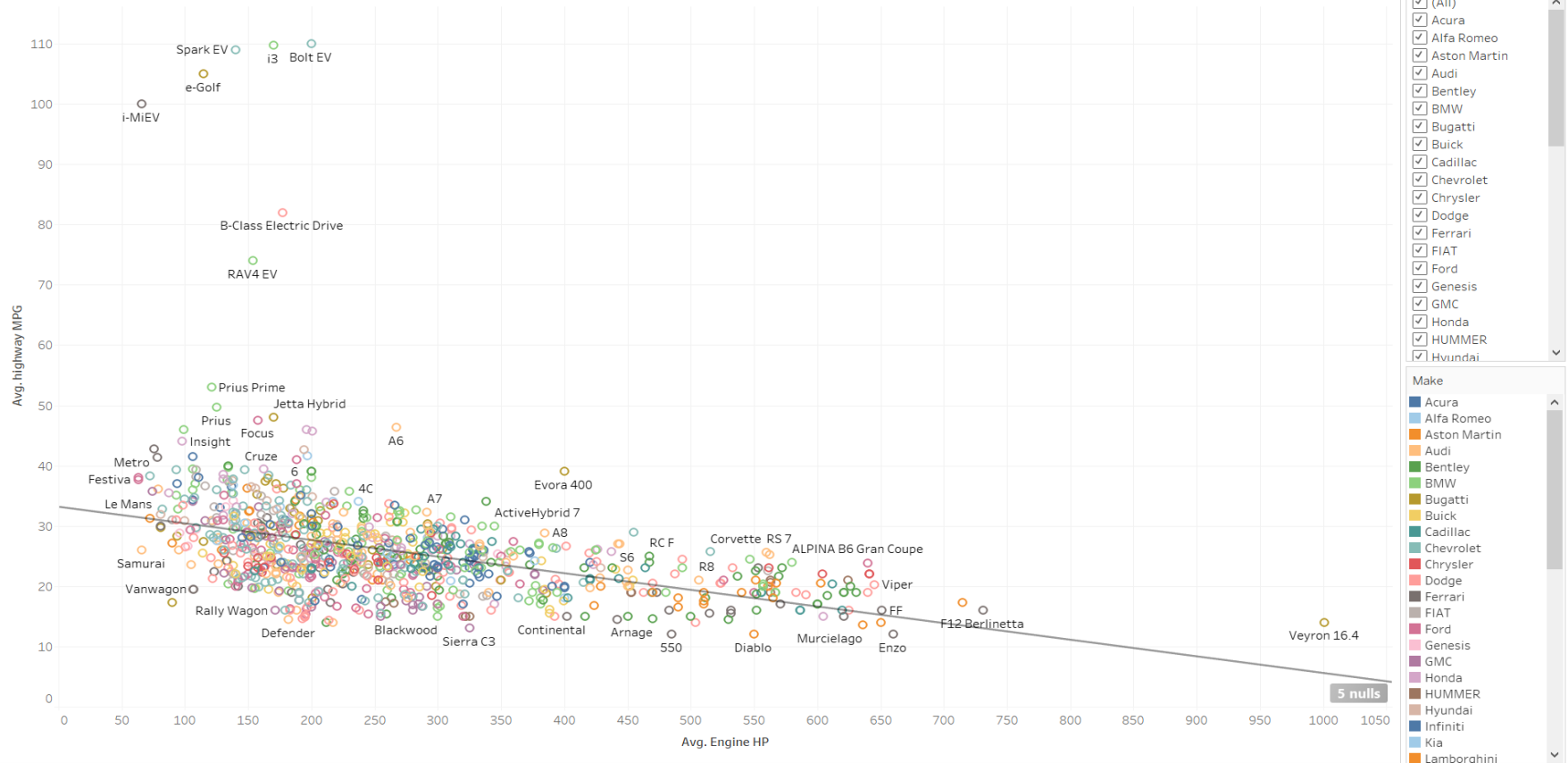
➤ Task 4: How does the fuel efficiency of cars vary across different body styles and model years?

Fuel Efficiency Variation Across Body Styles and Model Years



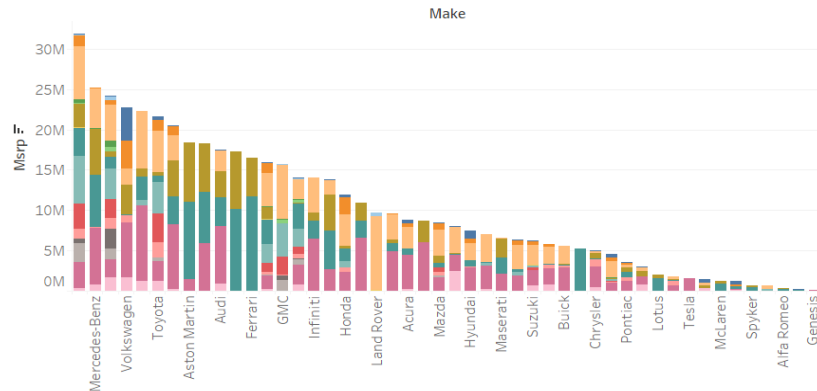
➤ Task 5: How does the car's horsepower, MPG, and price vary across different Brands?

Relationship Between Horsepower, MPG, and Price by Car Brand

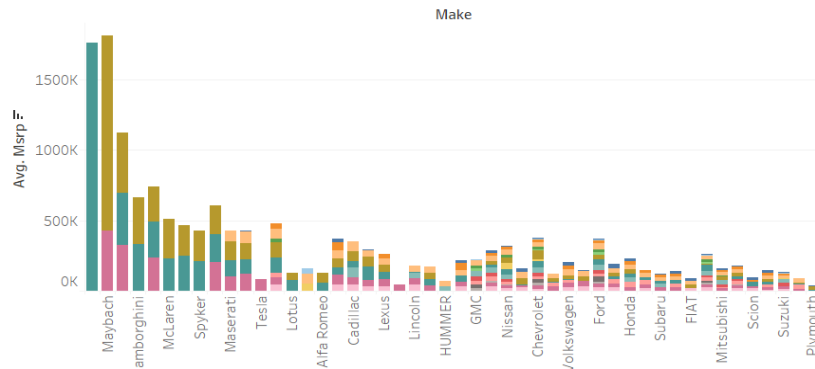


Car_Feature_Analysis_Dashboard

Distribution of Car Prices by Brand and Body Style



Highest and Lowest Average MSRP by Car Brand and Body Style



Filter (Distribution ..

- ☒ (All)
- ☒ Acura
- ☒ Alfa Romeo
- ☒ Aston Martin
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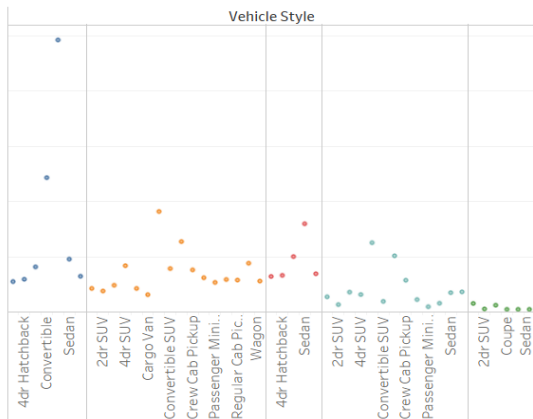
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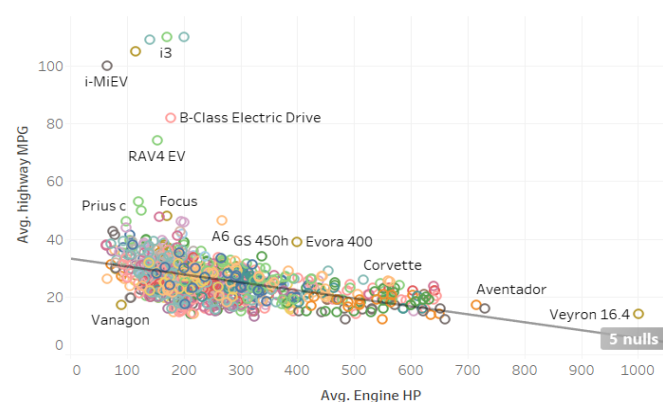
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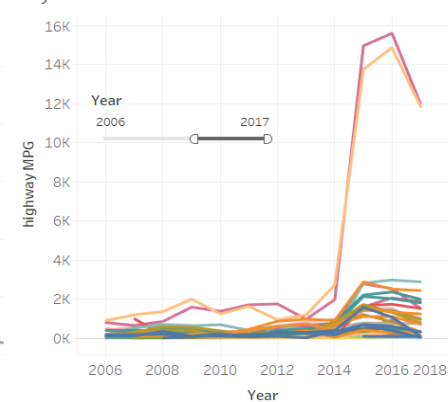
MSRP vs Transmission Type



Relationship Between Horsepower, MPG, and Price by Car Brand



Fuel Efficiency Variation Across Body Styles and Model Years



Conclusion

- ❖ Thus, I have completed a Car Feature Analysis.
- ❖ Given key findings and all meaningful trends or patterns I have discovered.
- ❖ I have learned to use Python Libraries (pandas, matplotlib, numpy and seaborn) to analyze the dataset.
- ❖ I have learned how to create a dashboard using Tableau Public.
- ❖ I have learned to use Jupyter Notebook for Data Analysis.
- ❖ GitHub Repository and drive links are given as follows.

GitHub Repository:- https://github.com/ShindeYash/Impact_of_Car_Features_Analysis

Jupyter Notebook:- <https://drive.google.com/file/d/1oebLWE6TFEC1Yix7CrDRP-FvPtNPxEVj/view?usp=sharing>

Drive Link:- https://drive.google.com/drive/folders/1UE-rOaYAqR_Qnp4i-erhj4NEAJKw8vyw?usp=sharing

Video Presentation:-

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Thanks!

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