



Lending case study

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Problem Statement

Two **types of risks** are associated with the bank's decision:

- If the applicant is **likely to repay the loan**, then not approving the loan results in a **loss of business** to the company
- If the applicant is **not likely to repay the loan**, i.e. he/she is likely to default, then approving the loan may lead to a **financial loss** for the company
- Now this would require a preliminary understanding of the features that define whether applicant's loan should be accepted or rejected.

Analysis approach

- Understanding data

Perform Data cleaning

- Remove irrelevant columns
- Remove null columns and rows
- Check for null values
- Imputation of null values
- Finding outliers with box plot

Univariate analysis

- Univariate analysis on Continuous variables
- Univariate analysis on Categorical variables

Segmented and Business driven analysis

- Segmentation based on defaulter across different variables

Bivariate analysis

- Bivariate analysis on Continuous vs Continuous variables
- Bivariate analysis on Categorical vs Continuous variables

Derived matrix analysis

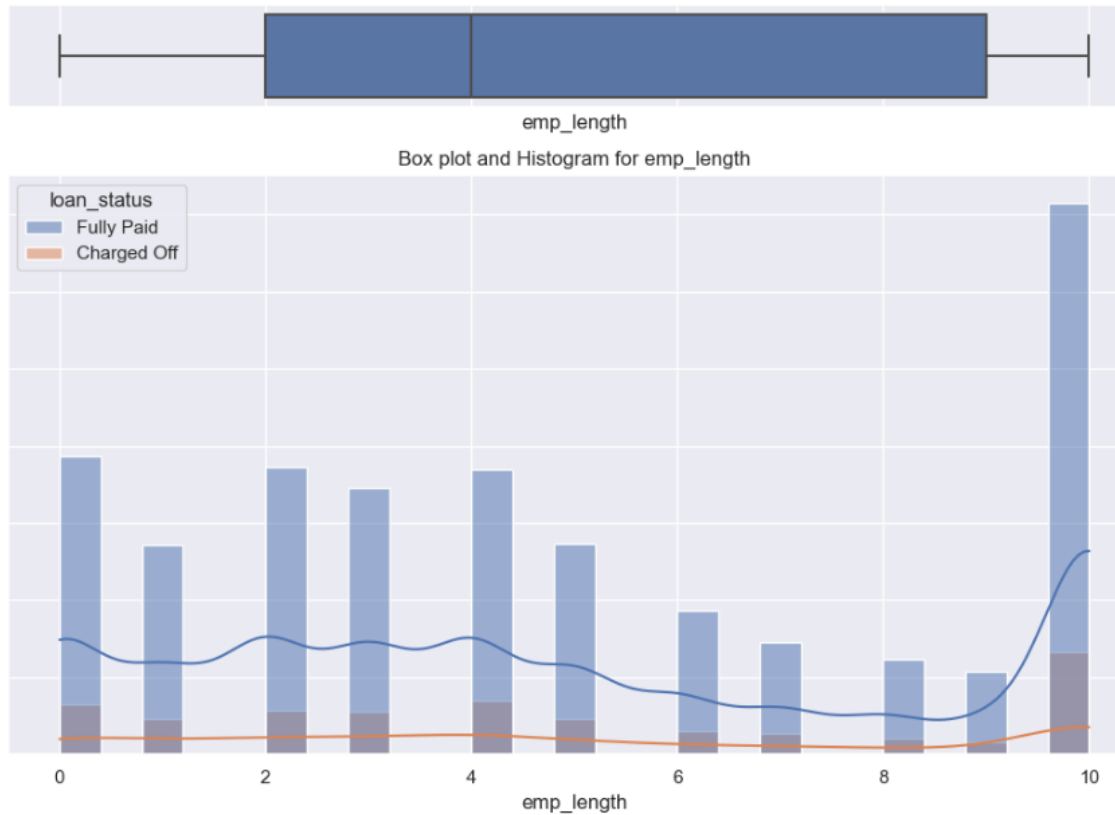
- Type driven analysis
- Data driven analysis

Conclusion

Data Understanding and Data cleaning

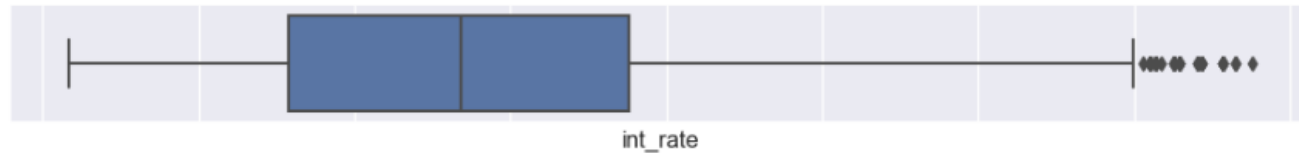
- Analysis performed on the data set with 39717 applicants with 111 attributes
- 111 attributes includes:
 - applicant relevant information
 - Loan characteristics
 - Customer behavior variables
- Through the analysis, most of the columns are dropped to identify the real driving factors(or driver variables) behind loan default
- Used appropriate imputation technique to fill out the missing values.

Univariate on Tenure or Work experience

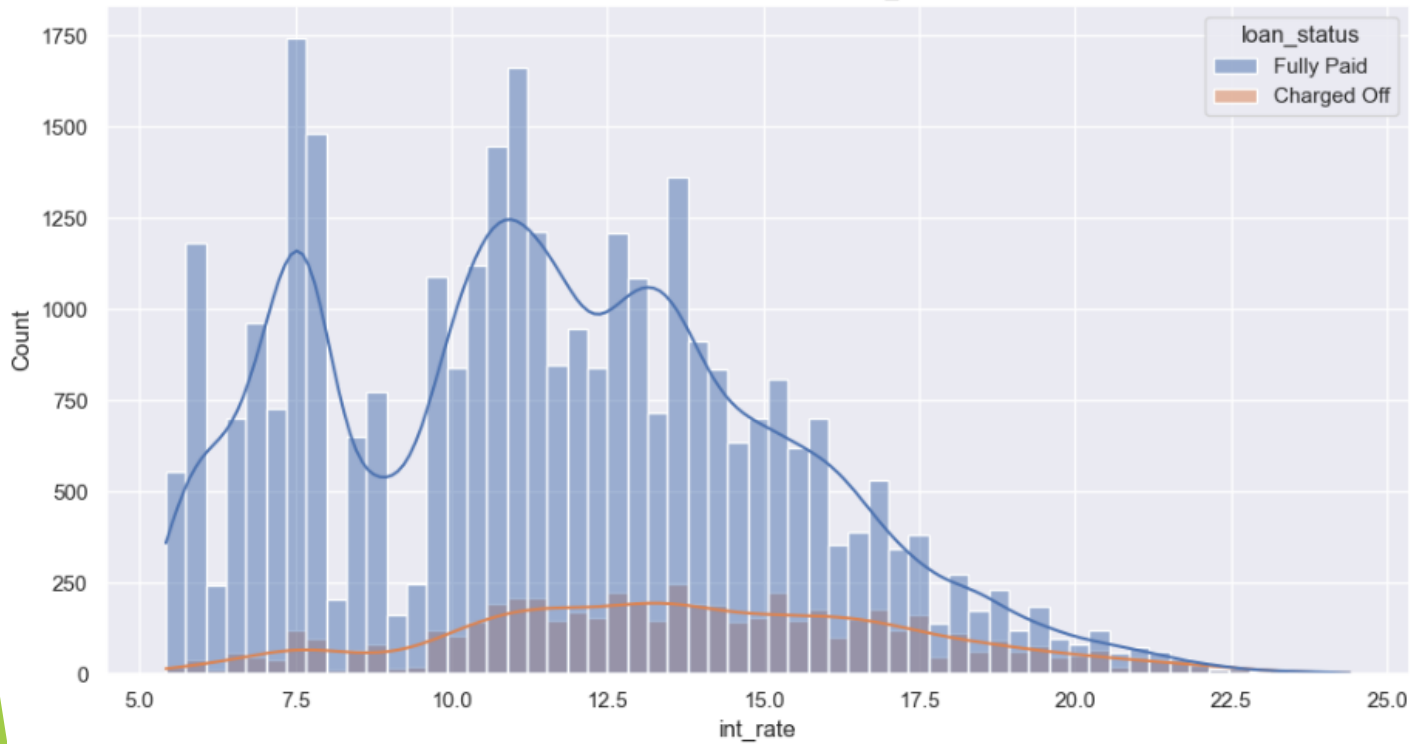


- Most of the loan applicants are having 10 or more years of work experience. So mostly they are in 30s

Univariate on "Interest rate"

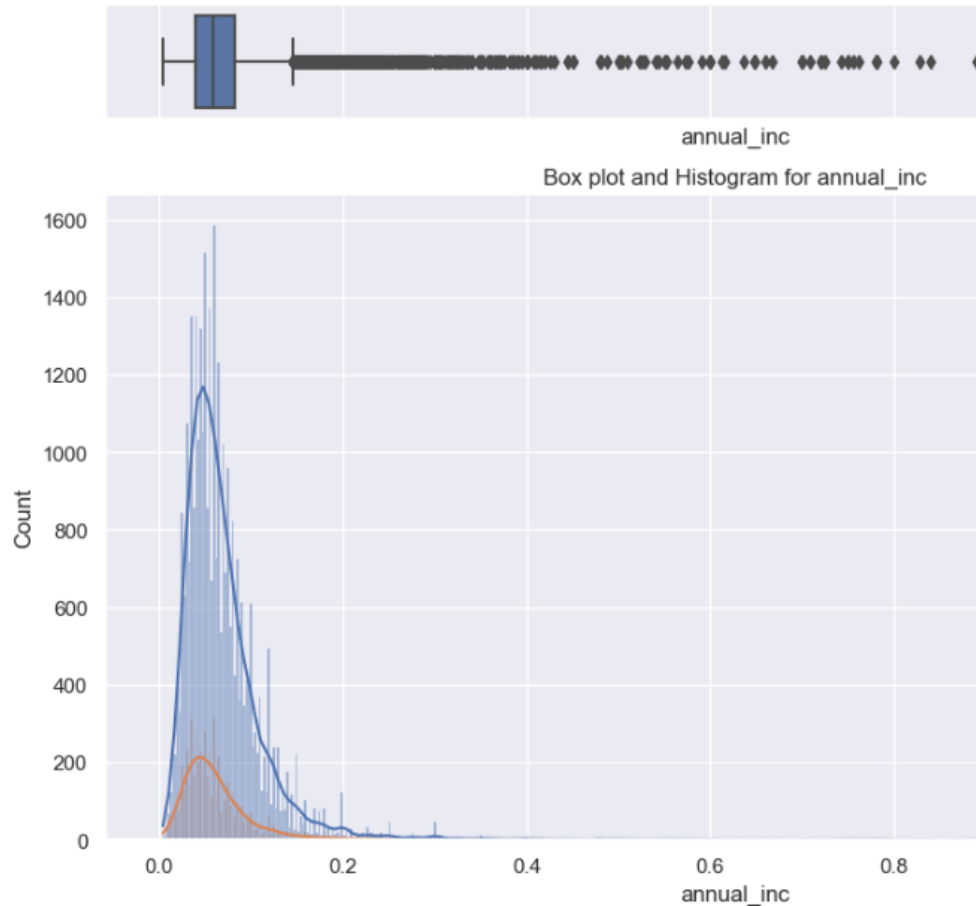


Box plot and Histogram for int_rate



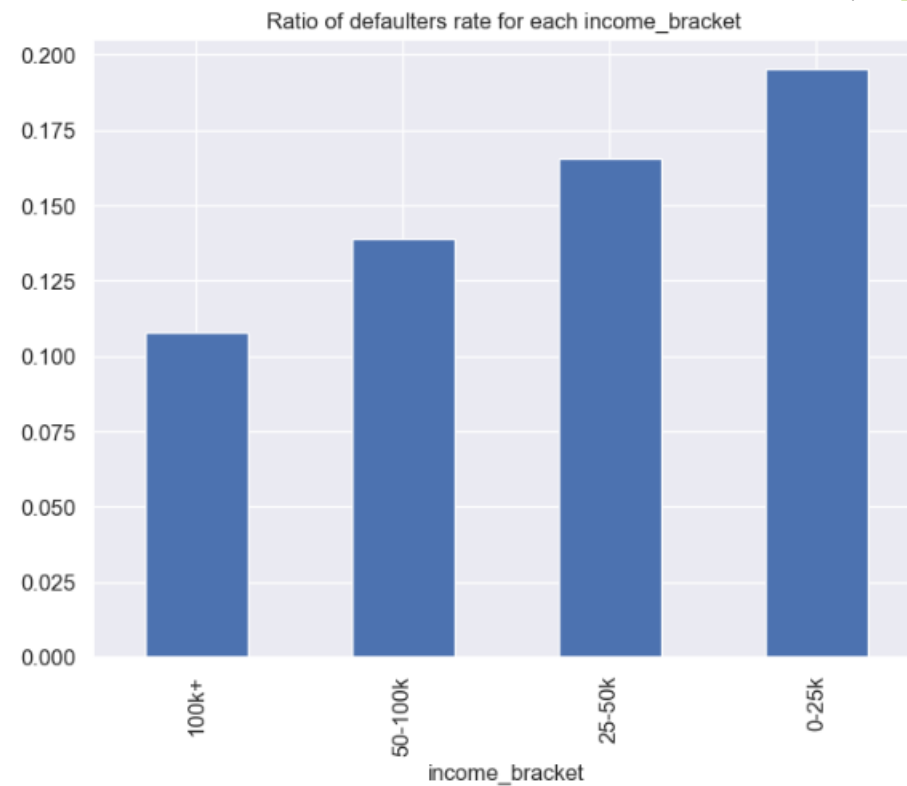
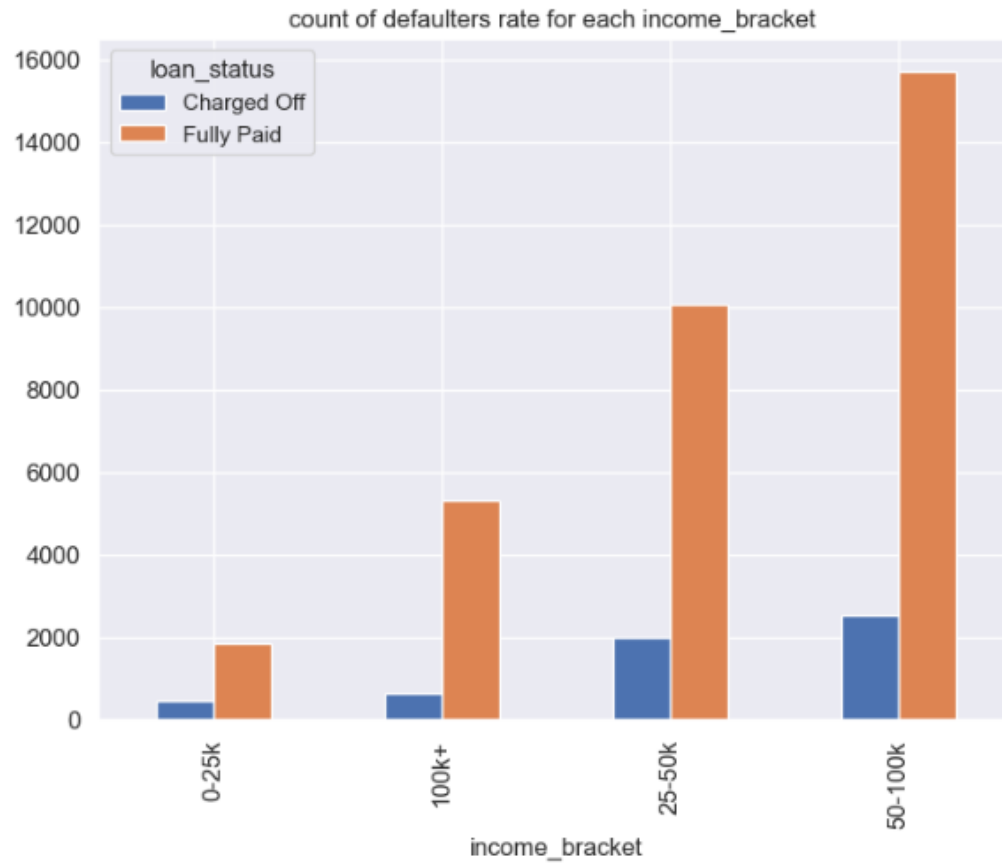
- Interest rate is mostly falls between 10-14.5%

Univariate on annual income



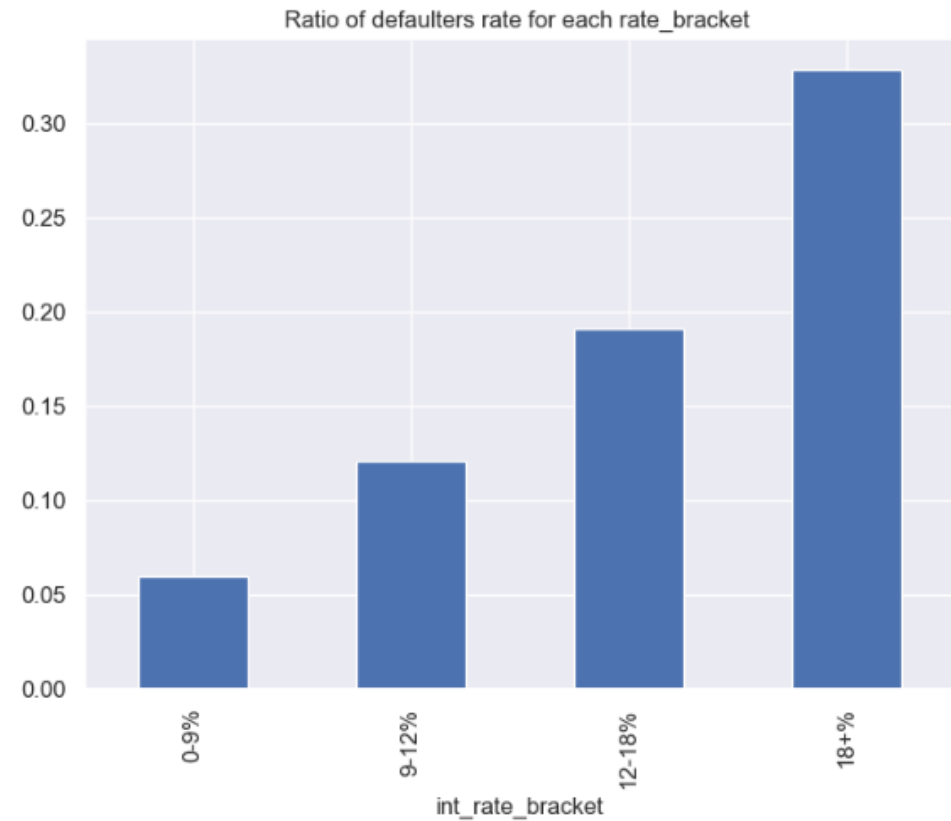
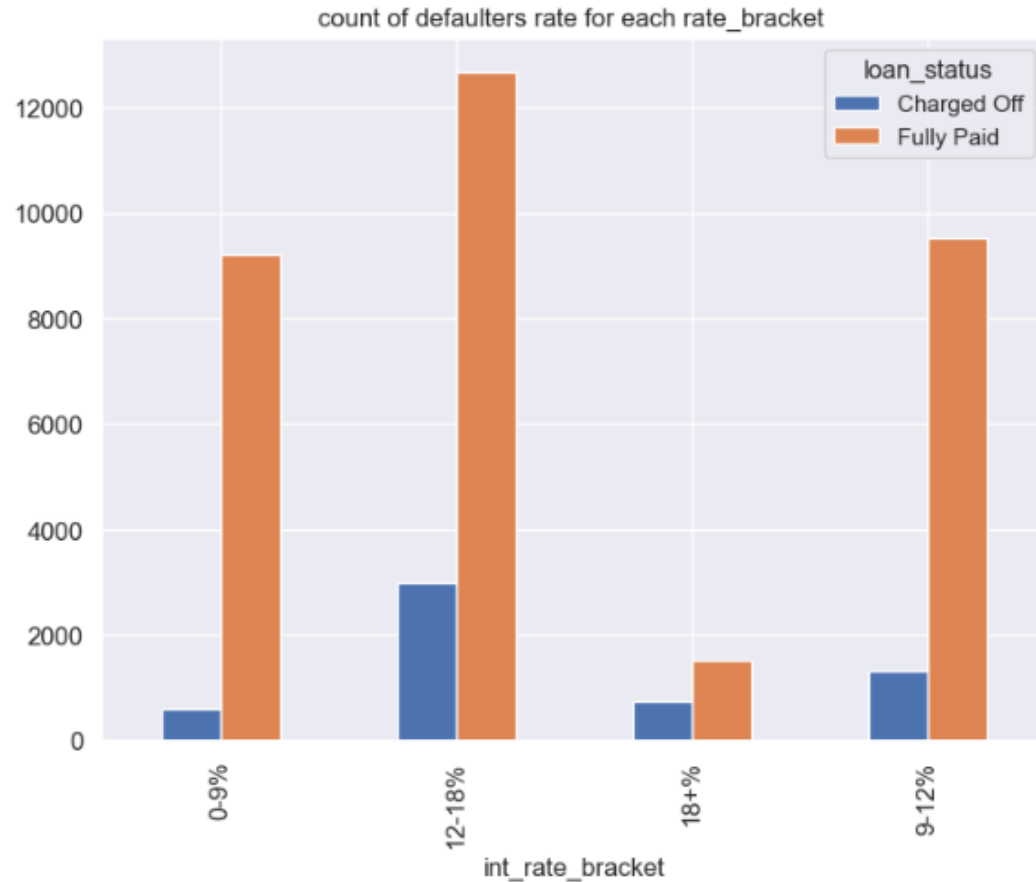
HIGH PORTION OF THE APPLICANTS ARE HAVING ANNUAL INCOME BETWEEN 50K-100K.

Applicants defaulted based on Annual income



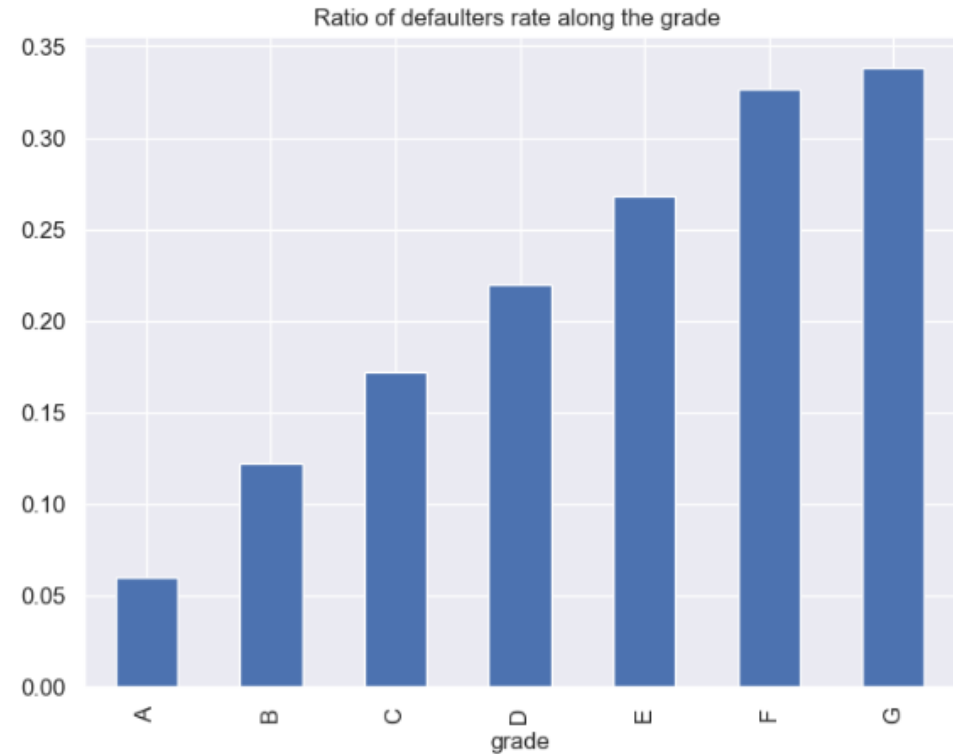
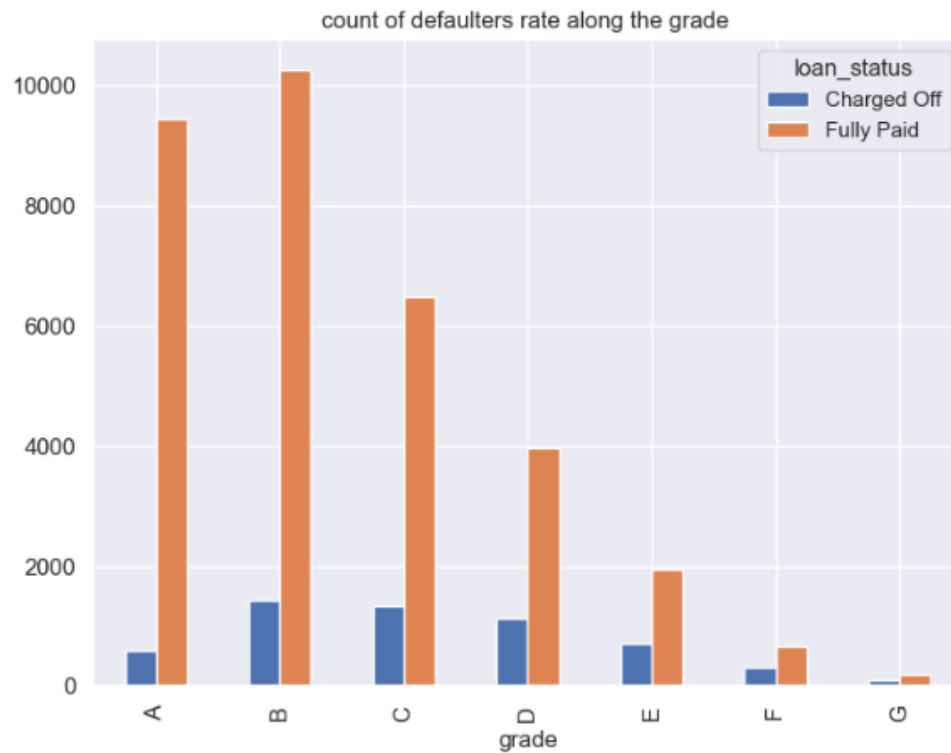
- Most of the defaulters are in 0-25k bracket

Applicants defaulted based on Interest rate



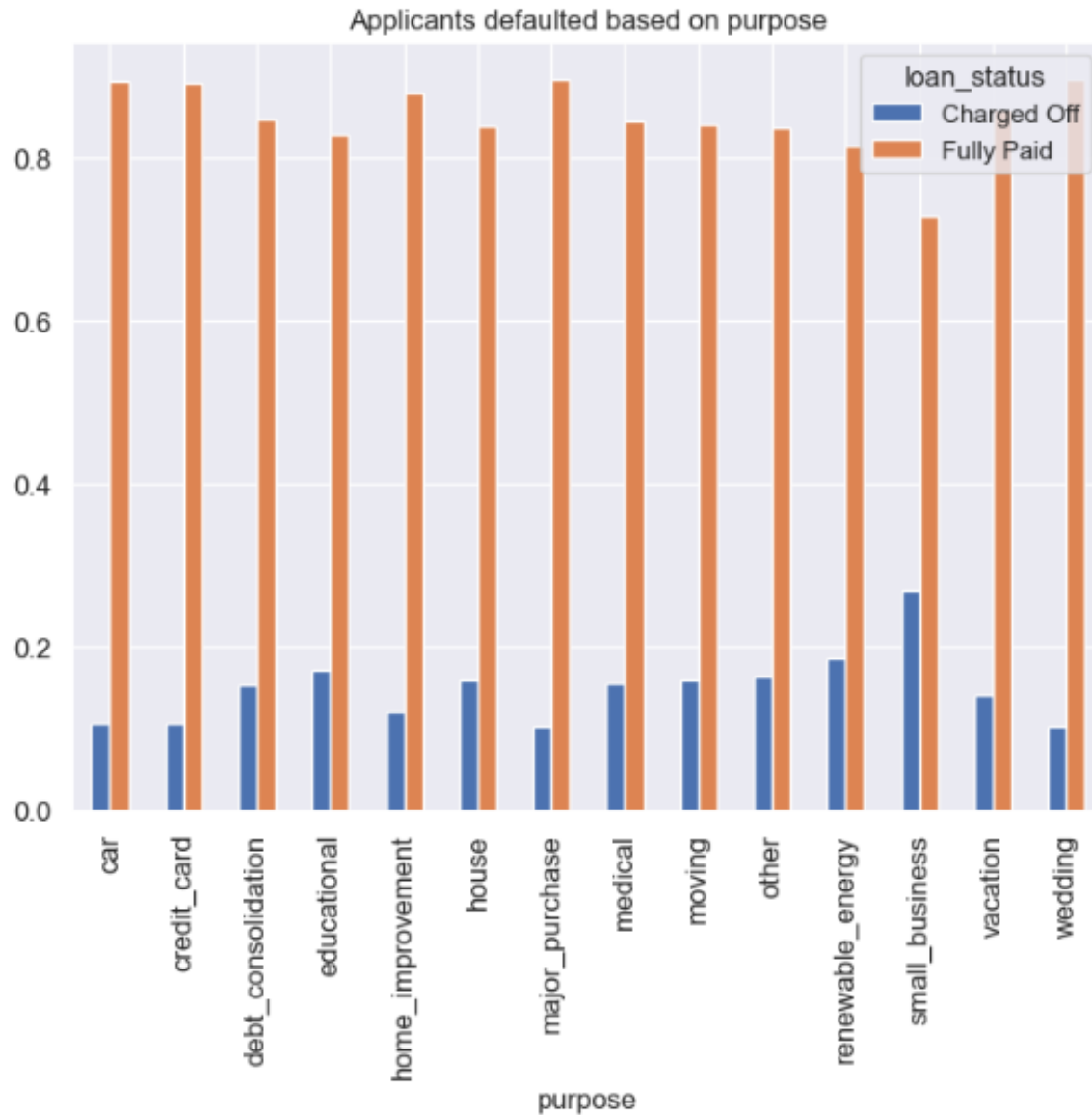
- Clearly there are many defaulters in 18+% interest rate bracket

Applicants defaulted based on Grade assigned



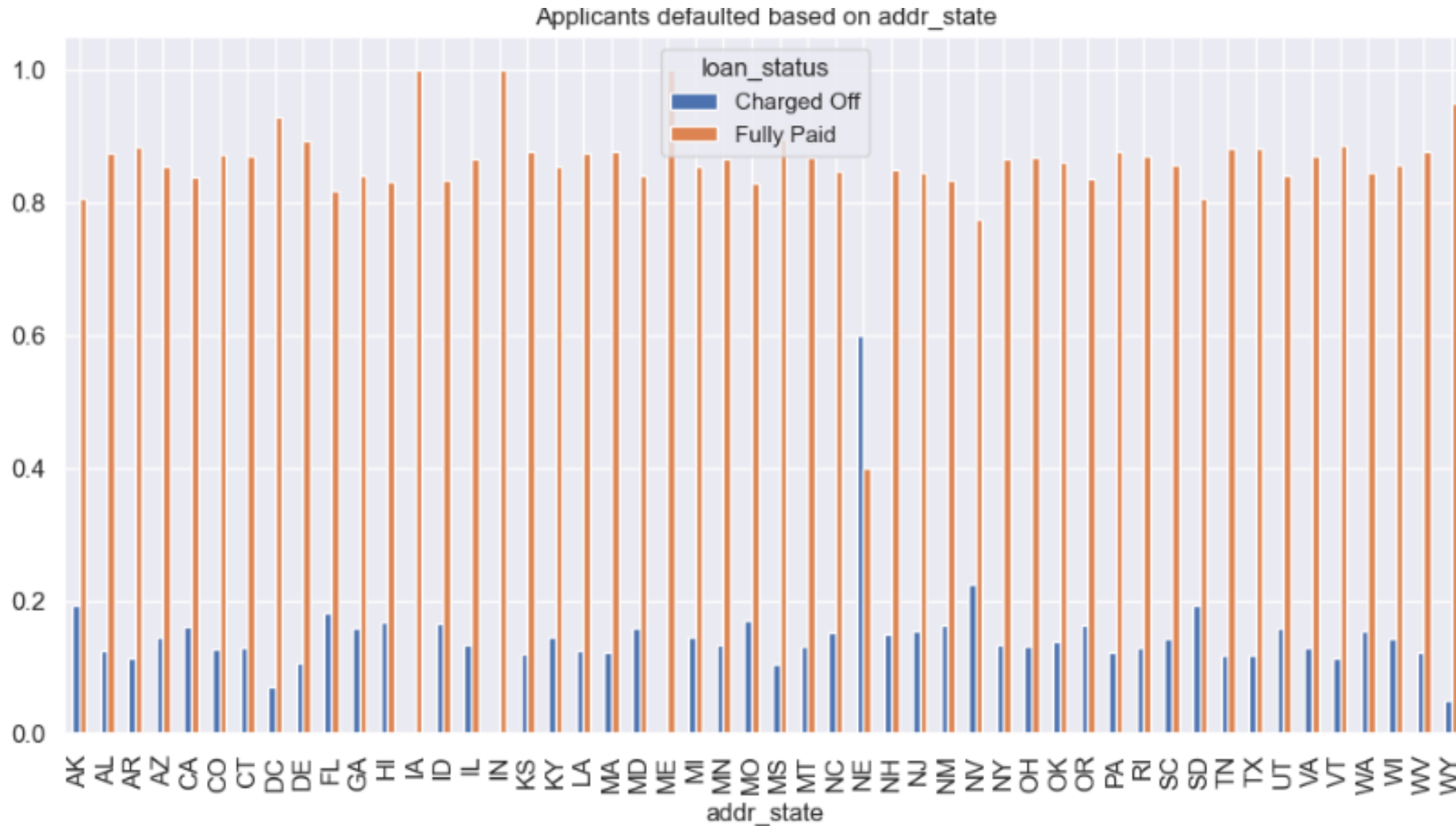
- Defaulters increase with the grade but the count of F and G grade records are very less.

Applicants defaulted based on purpose stated



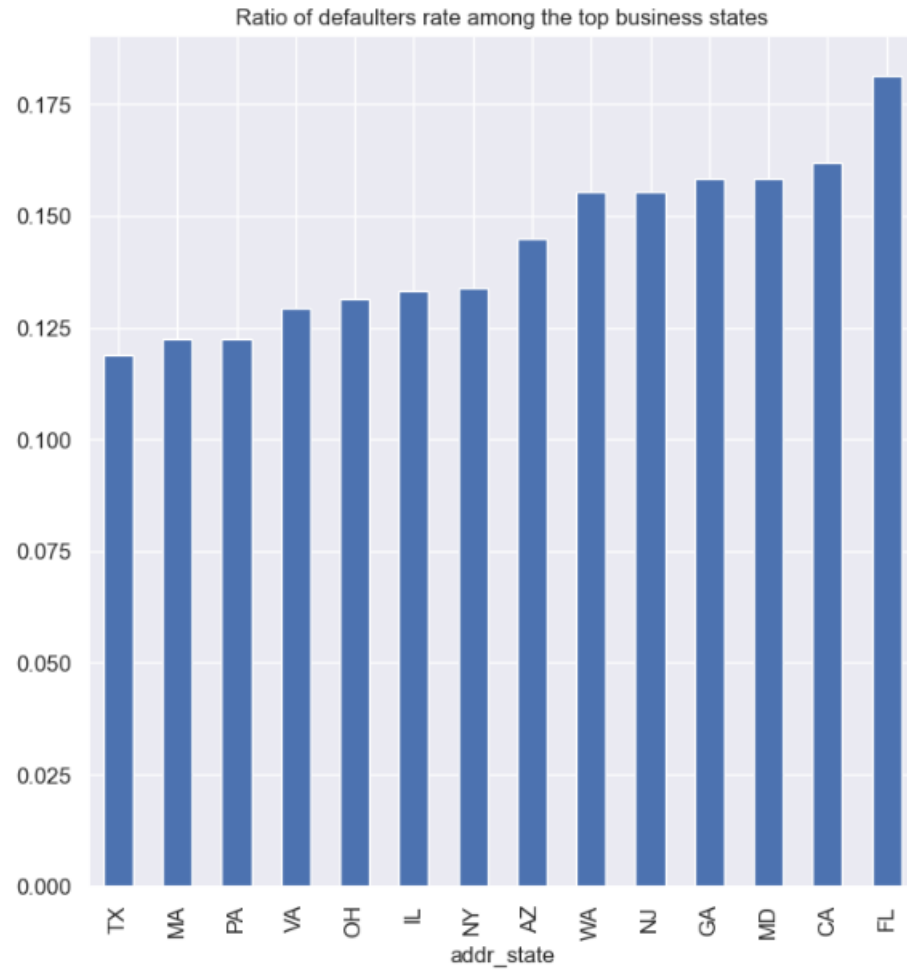
- Ratio of defaulters are more in "small business".

Applicants defaulted based on Address State



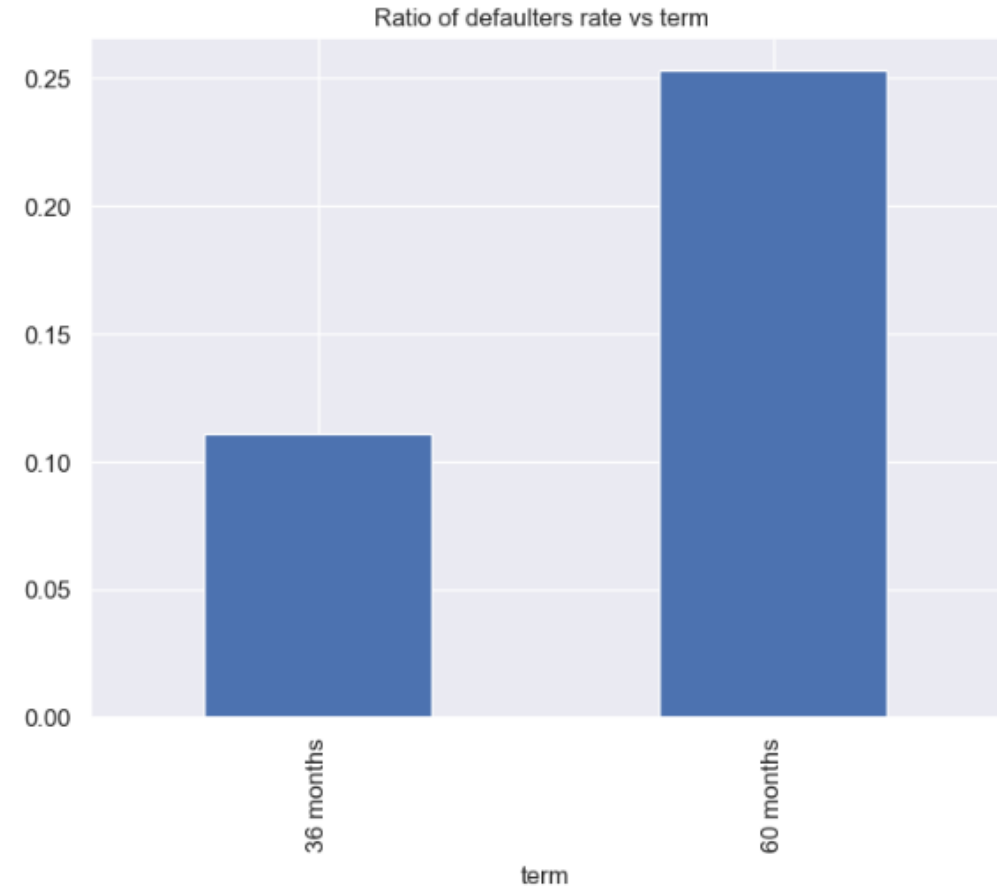
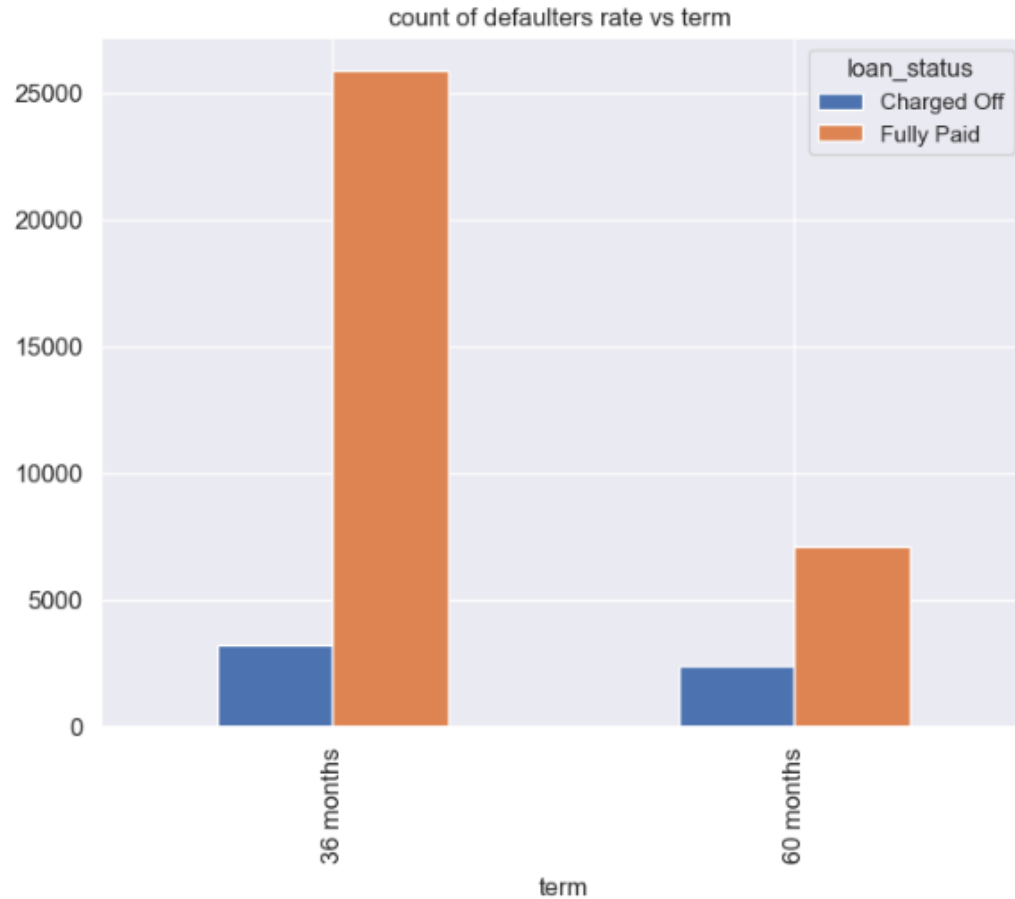
- Initial observation: High defaulters in NE and IA/ME/IN is good business area with zero defaulters. Conti...

Conti: Applicants defaulted based on Address State



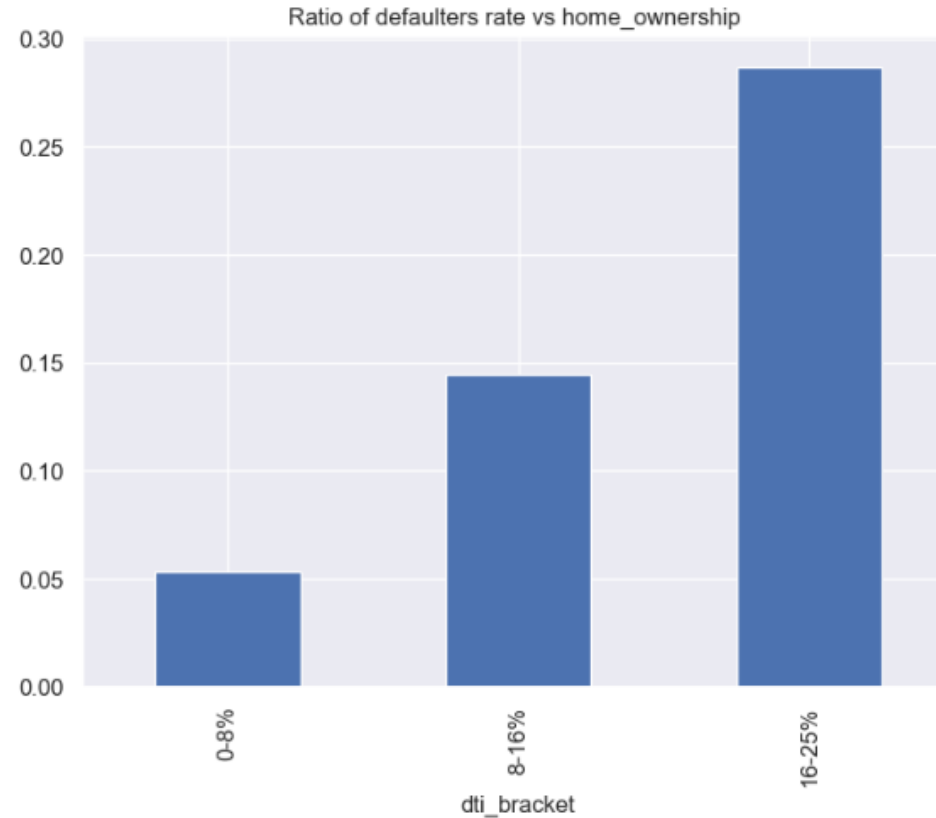
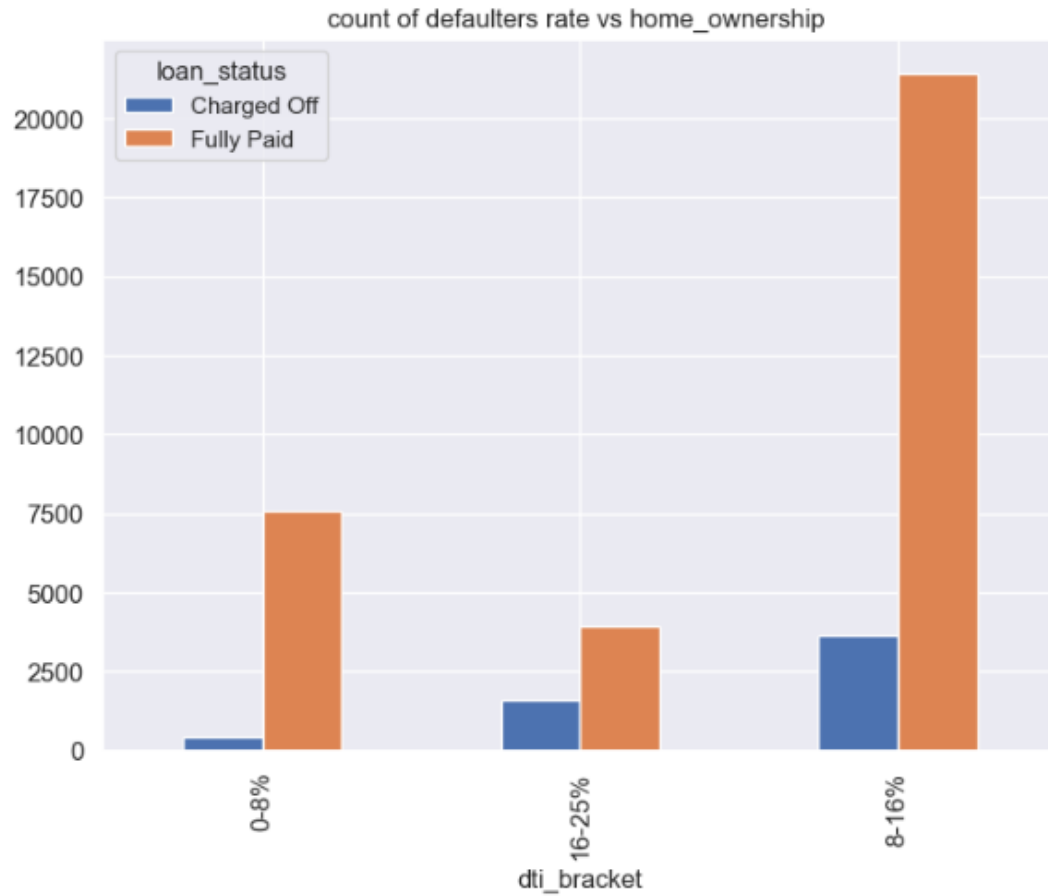
- ▶ It is observed that applicants from NE/ IA/ME/IN region are in single digital.
- ▶ On continuing further analysis on top State with maximum applicant, it is found that FL is the worst performing state.

Applicants defaulted based on Term selected



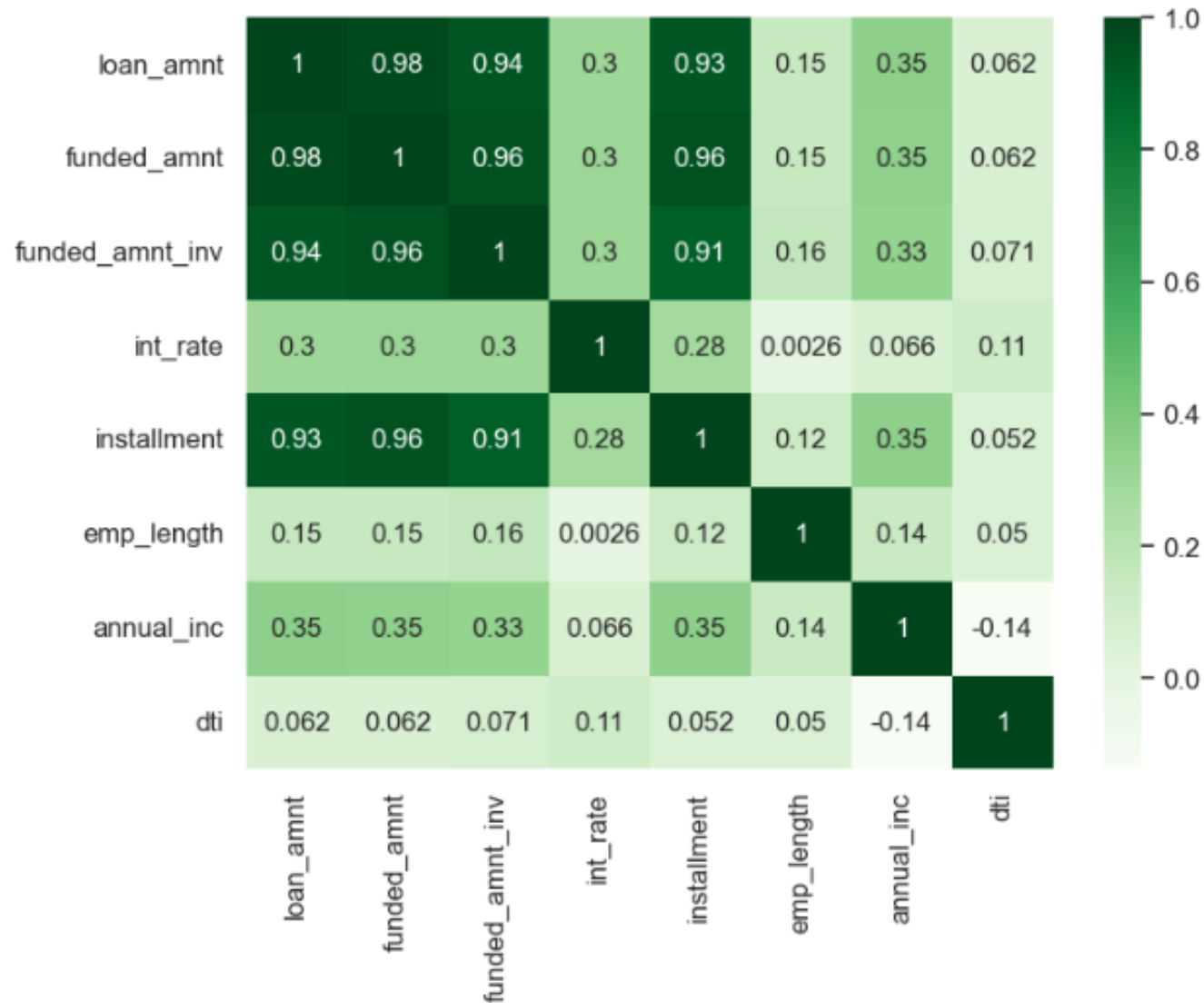
- Higher default rate among 60 months term

Applicants defaulted based on dti



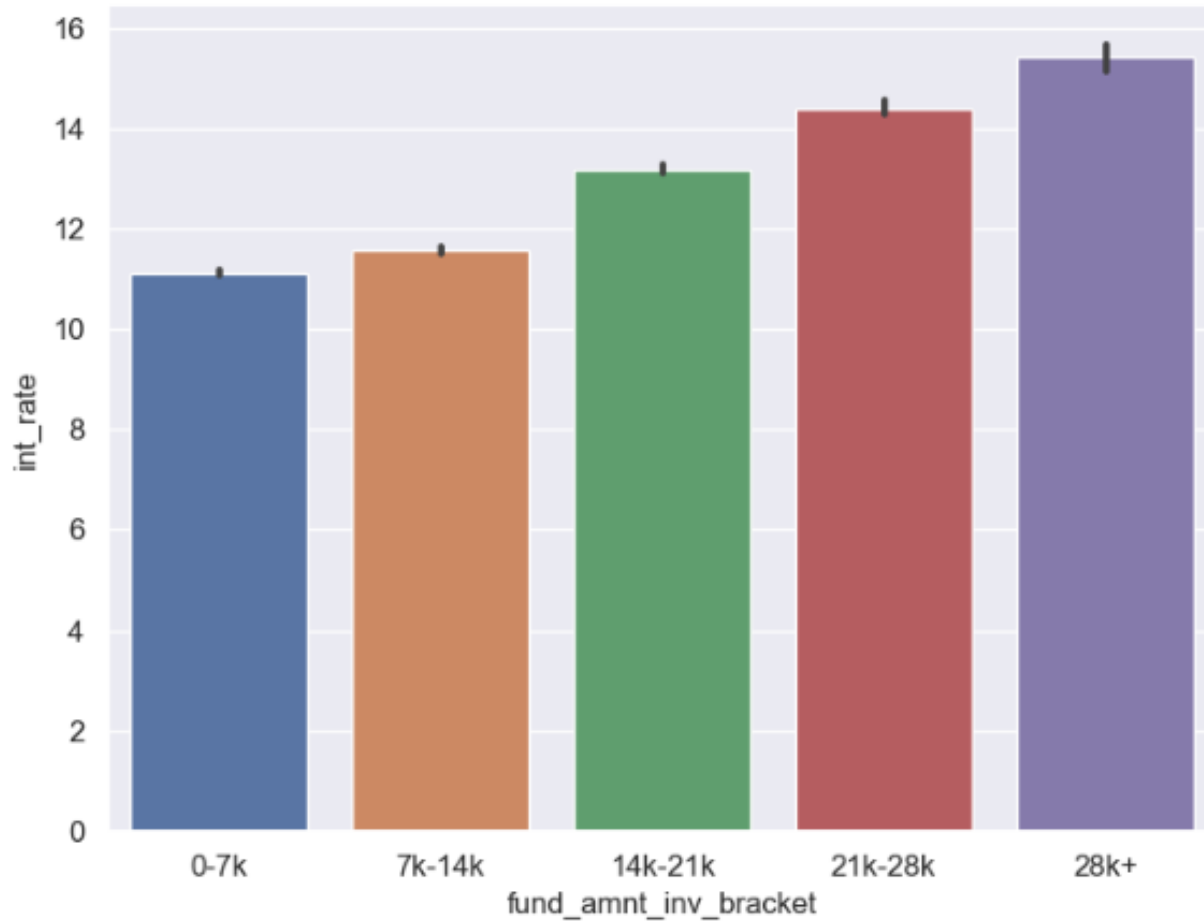
► Defaulters increases with dti score

Bivariate analysis - between continuous columns



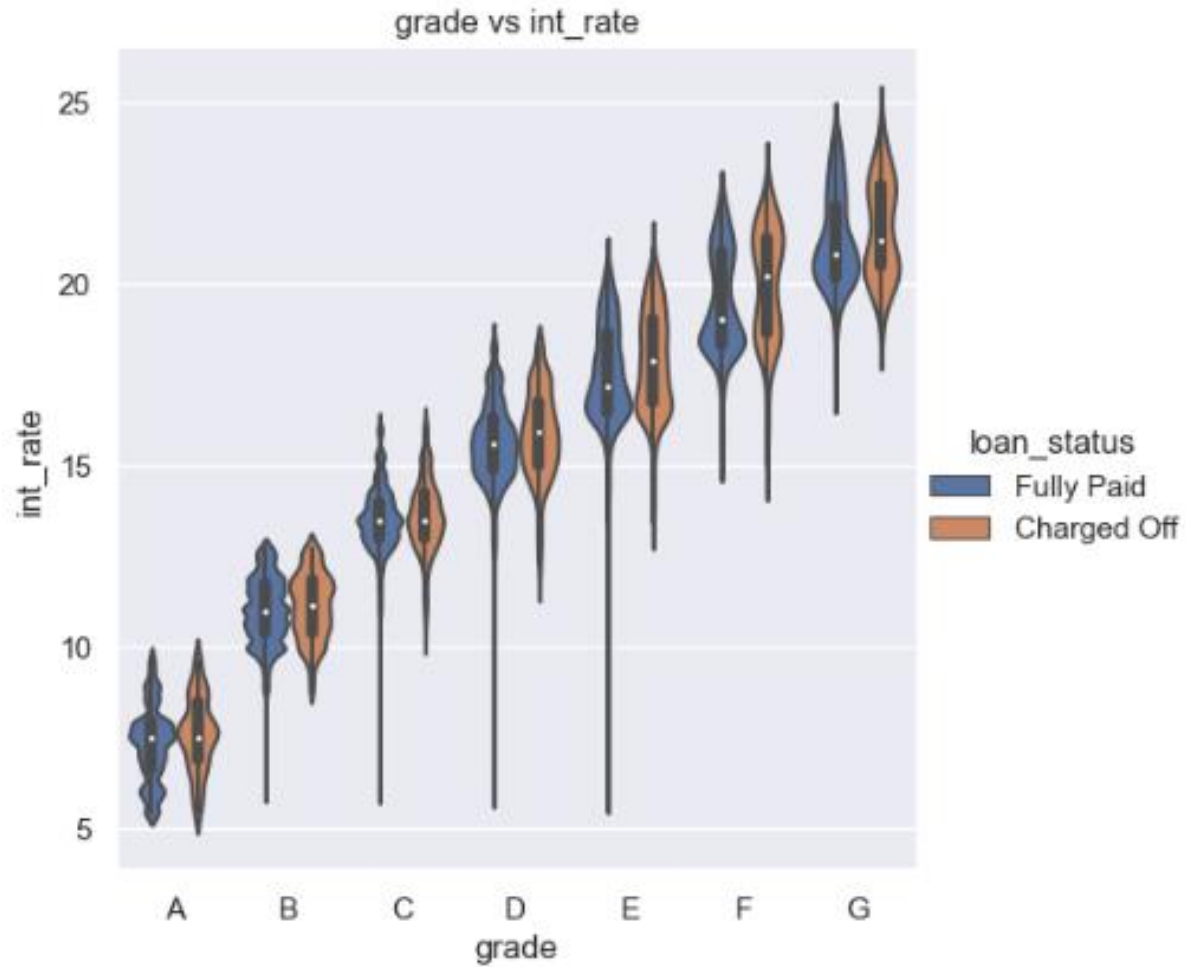
- ▶ Installment has strong correlation with the amount columns which is obvious.
- ▶ Negative co-relation between annual_inc and dti
- ▶ Relatively positive co-relation between annual_inc to loan_amnt.
- ▶ As observed before, strong correlation between loan amount/funded amount /funded amount invested
- ▶ Also 0.3 positive cor-relation of int_rate with loan amnt.

Bivariate analysis - Loan amount vs Interest rate



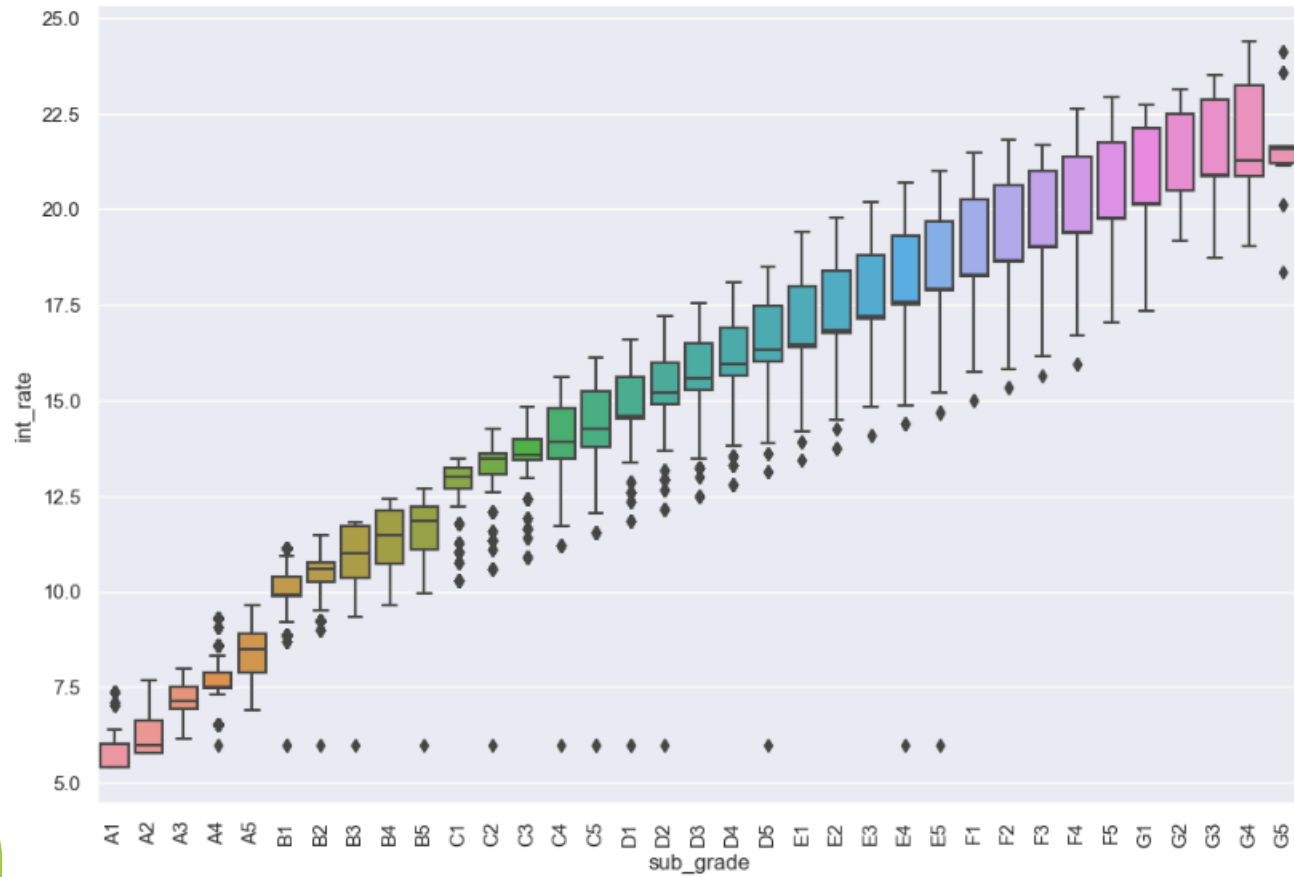
- As already observed in heatmap, the interest rate increase with the loan amount related columns

Bivariate analysis - grade vs Interest rate



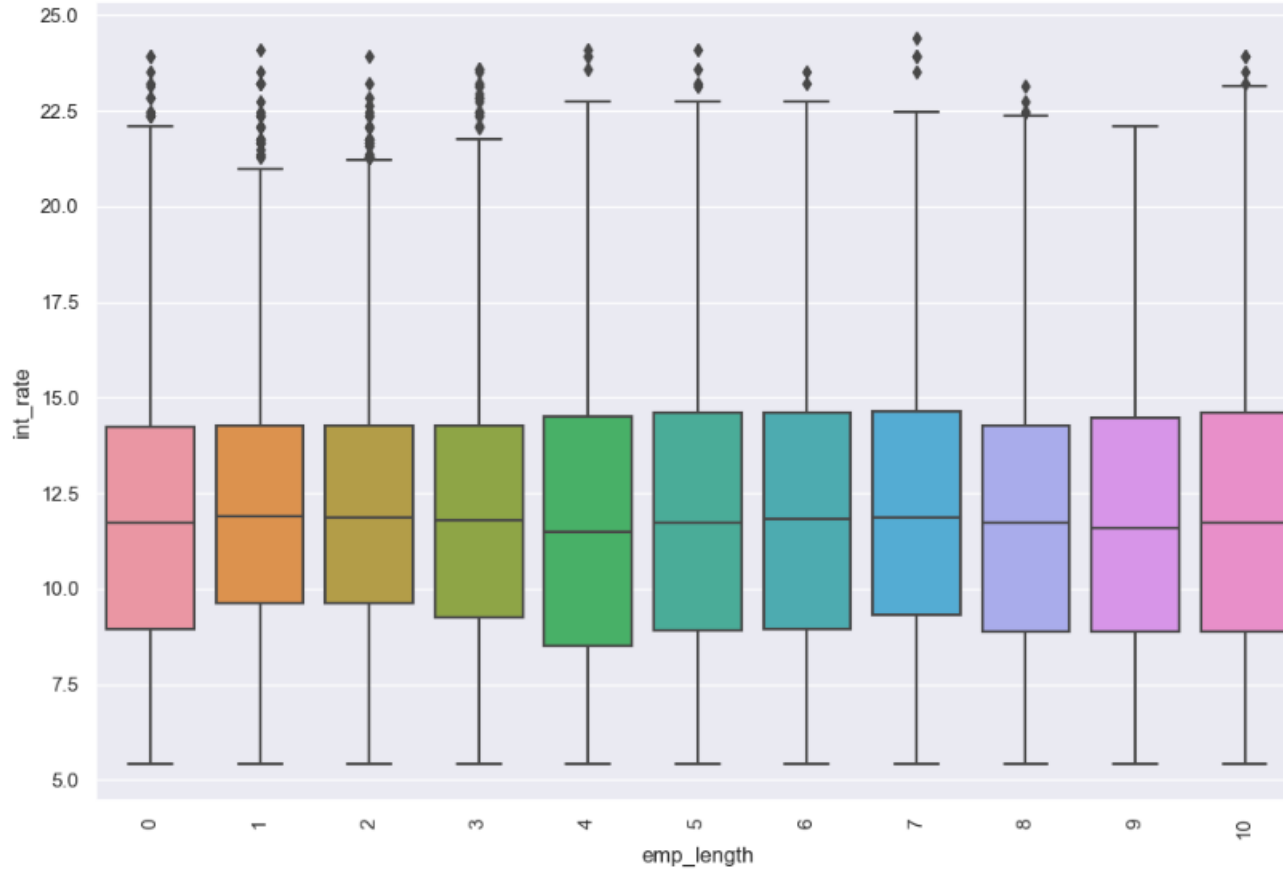
- Interest rate increase with grade A->G

Bivariate analysis - subgrade vs Interest rate



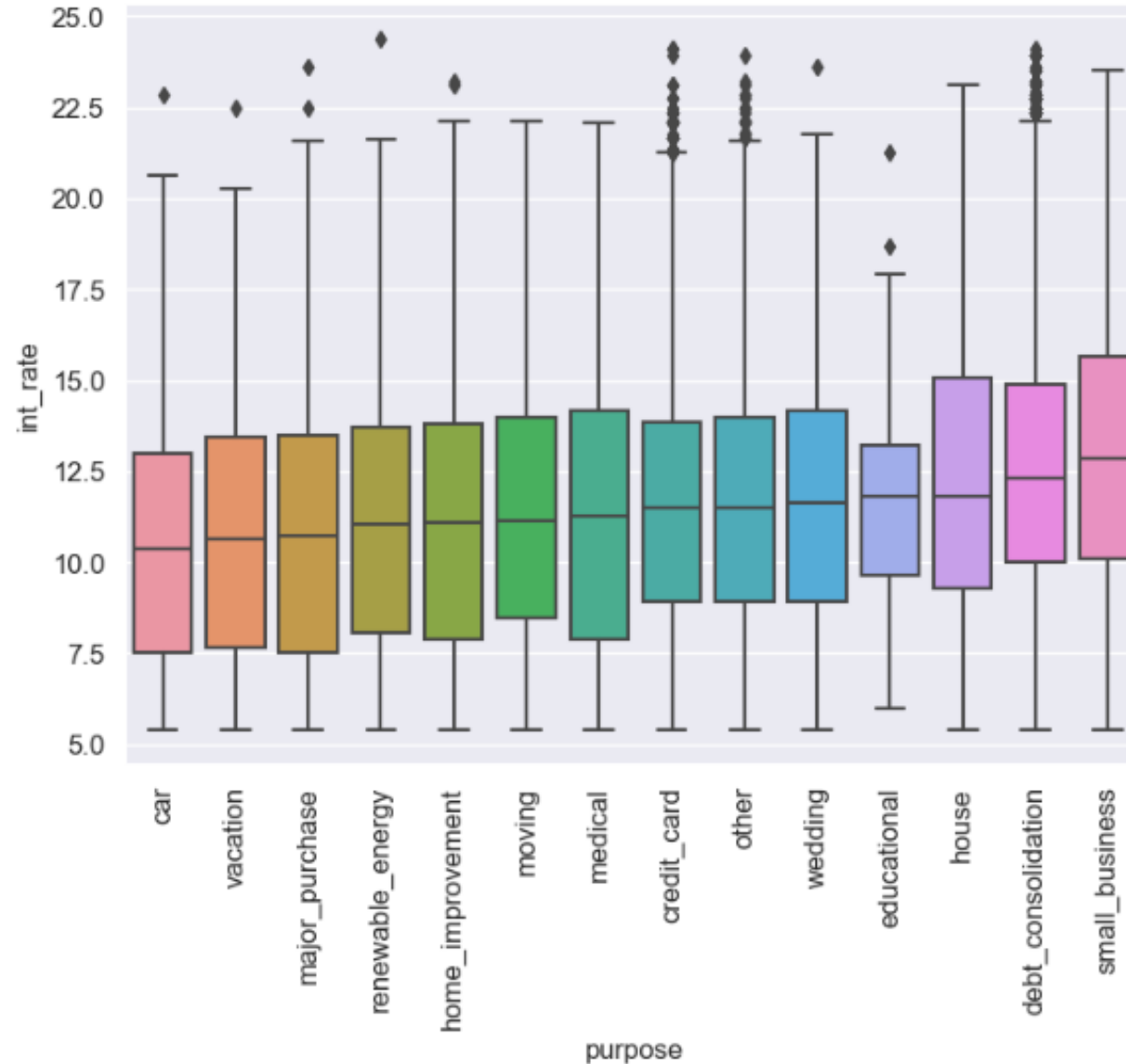
- Same as grade, Interest rate increase with sub grade Ax-->Gx

Bivariate analysis - tenure vs Interest rate



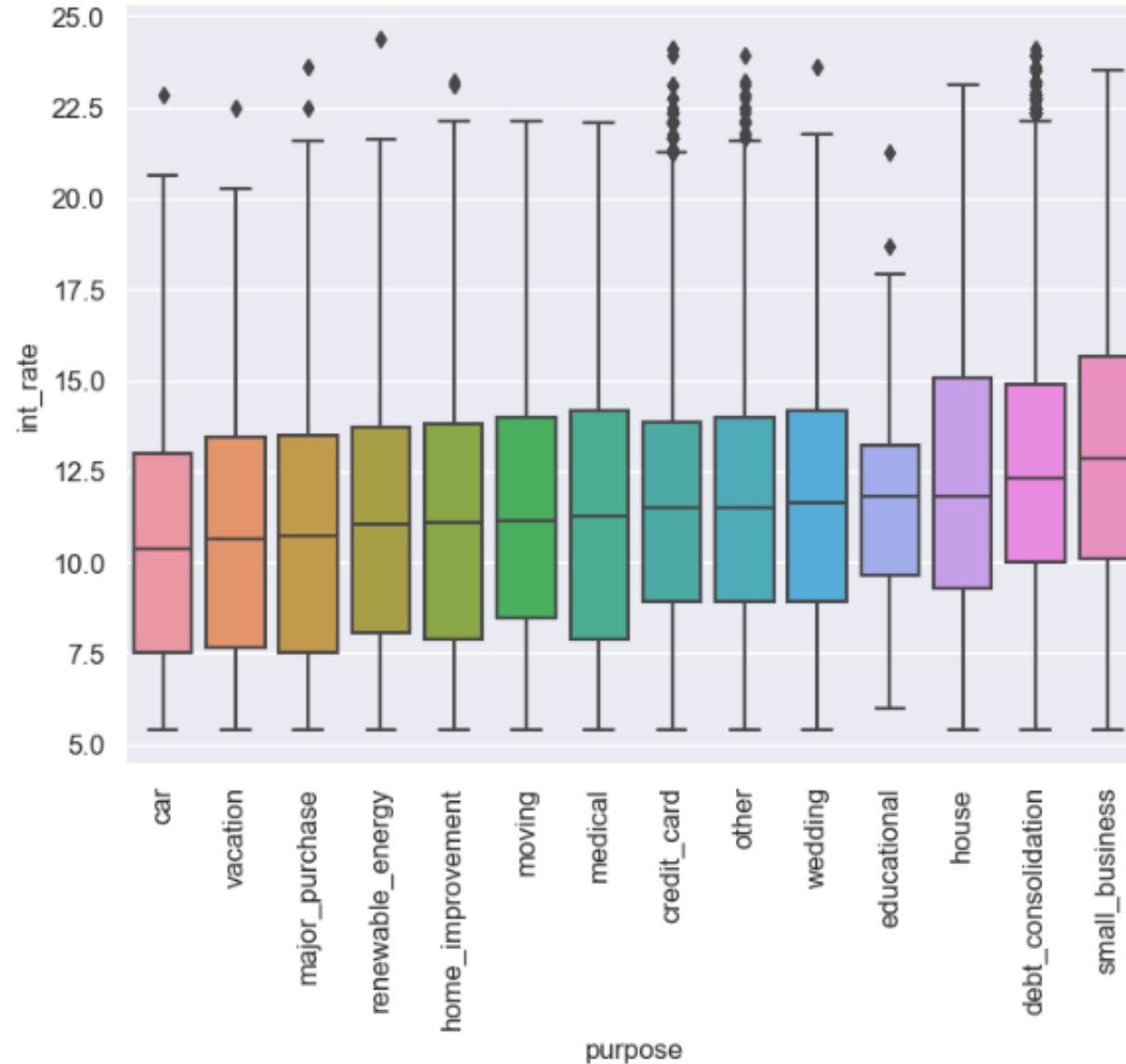
- Interest rate is mostly same across all the applicant tenure.

Bivariate analysis - purpose vs Interest rate



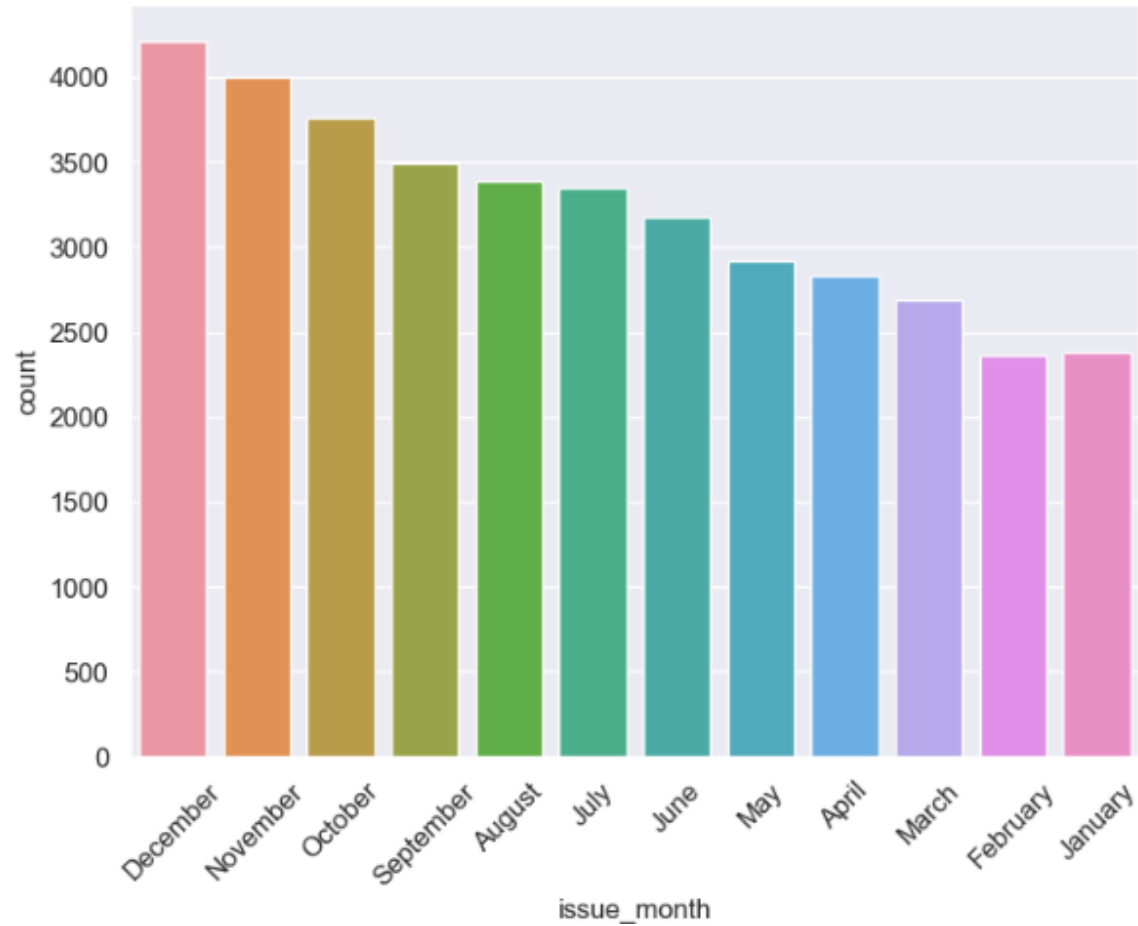
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Bivariate analysis - purpose vs Interest rate



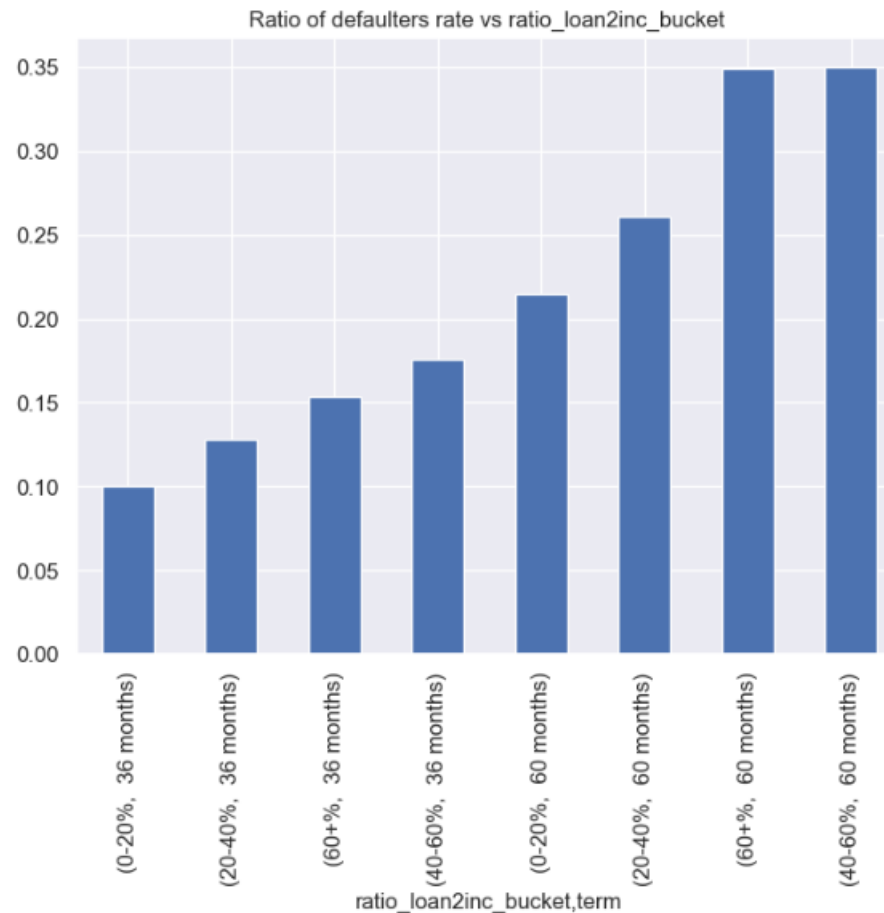
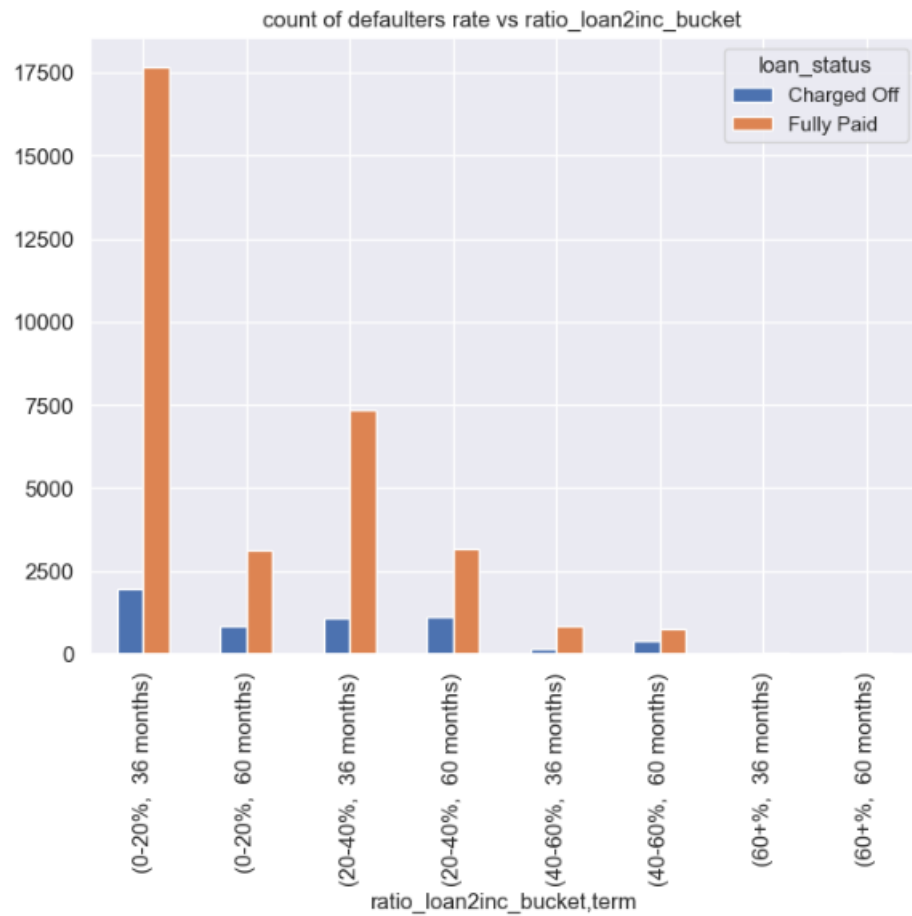
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Derived metrics - Month from issue date



- Application for loan increases towards year end. Could be because of vacation period.

Derived metrics - Defaulters rate to "Portion of loan amount to annual income"



- Interesting insight that as the ratio of loan amount to annual income increase, the defaulters count increases.

Conclusions:

- ▶ Annual income - Applicant with lesser income tend to default especially in the range of 0-25K. Income with more than 100K are good and 50-100K are moderate.
- ▶ Term - Rate of defaulters increase with the term. As the length of period is more, there could be many factors coming with time which could give more chance for defaulting.
- ▶ Interest rate - Applicant with interest rate greater than 15% are more likely to default.
- ▶ Home ownership - Home ownership is relatively not affecting the defaulters count.
- ▶ DTI: Applicant with lower DTI score are preferable. Customer falling under 16-25% highly risky applicants.
- ▶ Grade - It is clear from analysis that with the loan amount, grade increases, which in turn increase the interest rate, so LC should be careful while granting loans with higher grade(A→G)
- ▶ Sub-grade: Same as grade
- ▶ Address State: Among the top business states(based on maximum applicants), highest defaulters are from FL. Order: FL>CA>MD>GA>NJ>WA>AZ>NY>IL>OH>VA>PA>MA>TX
- ▶ Purpose: LC should be careful while granting loan to "small business" have higher defaulters.
- ▶ Portion of loan amount to annual income: As per analysis, LC also should make sure the portion of the loan amount does not exceed 20-40% of the annual salary irrespective of term.