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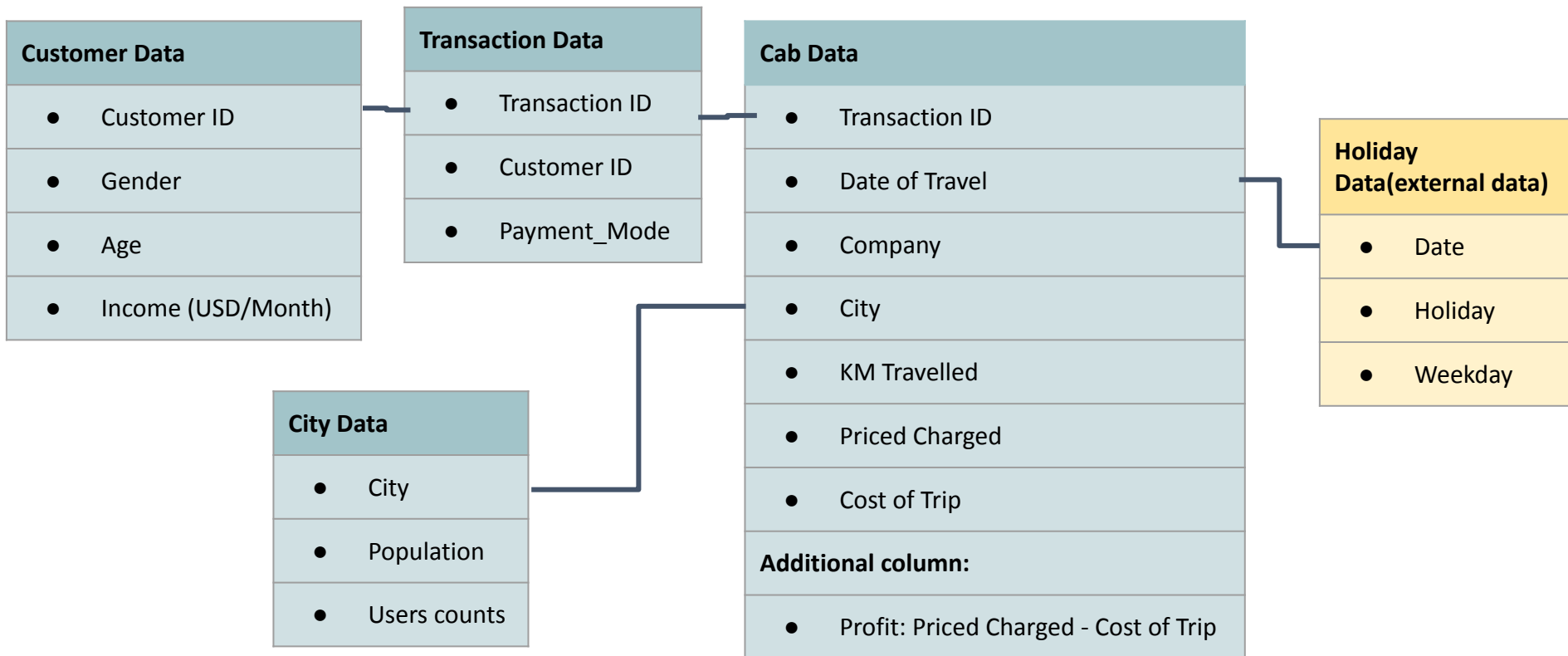
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Cab Company Analysis

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Hypothesis

- Do the demand for cab service has seasonality, and do different companies experience different pattern
- Which company is more profitable, what are factors that influence the profit
- What are the structure for customer age, income, gender, and payment method for each company
- Which company has better customer loyalty
- How do the cab companies perform in different locations/cities
- Do holidays have an impact on the demand for cab service

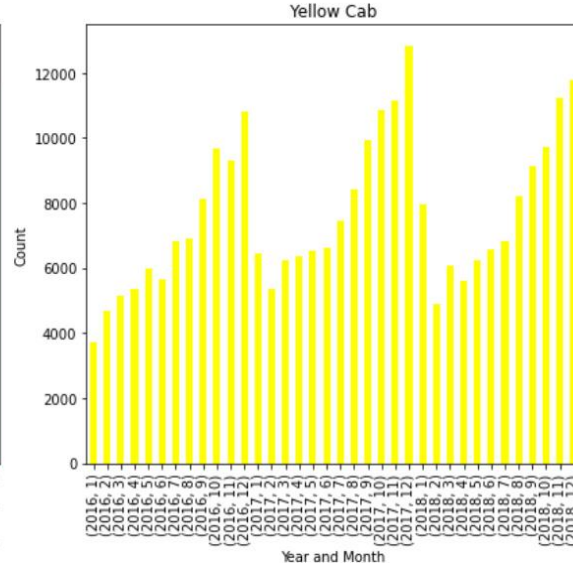
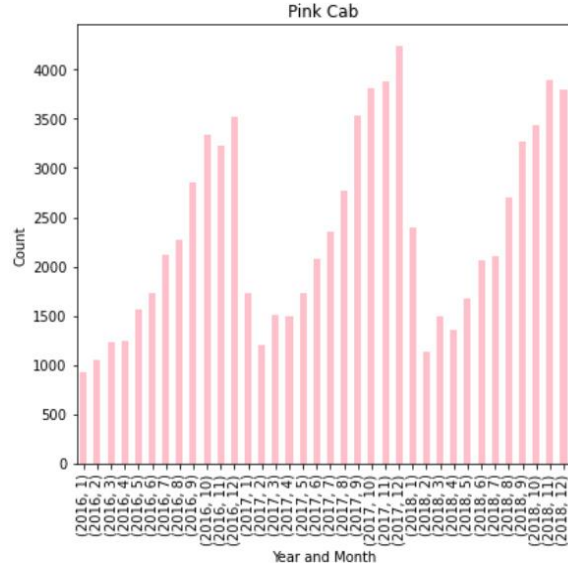


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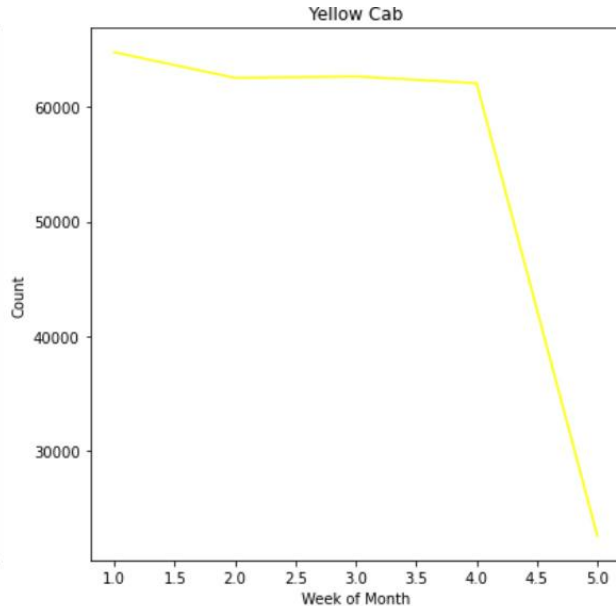
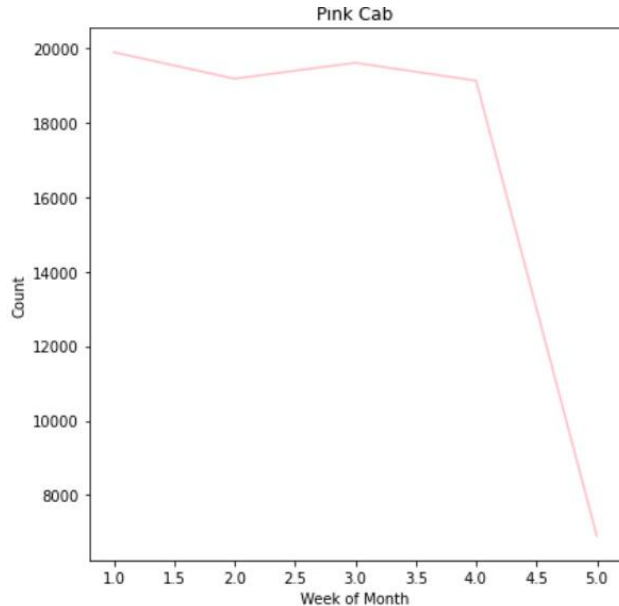
Seasonality

Seasonality (Year & month demand)



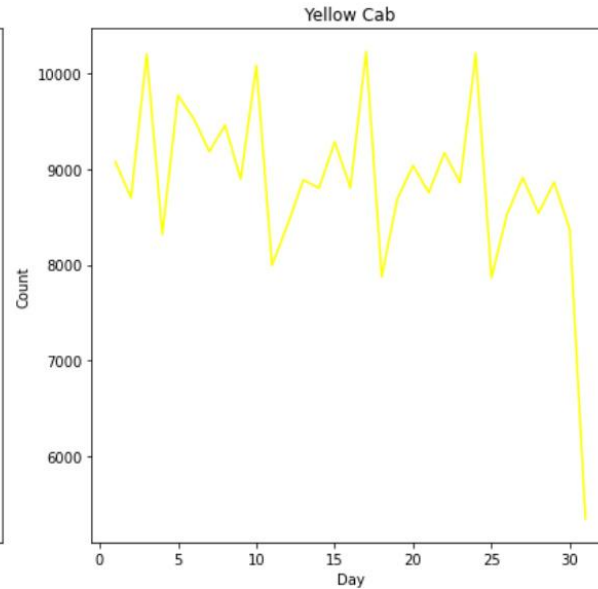
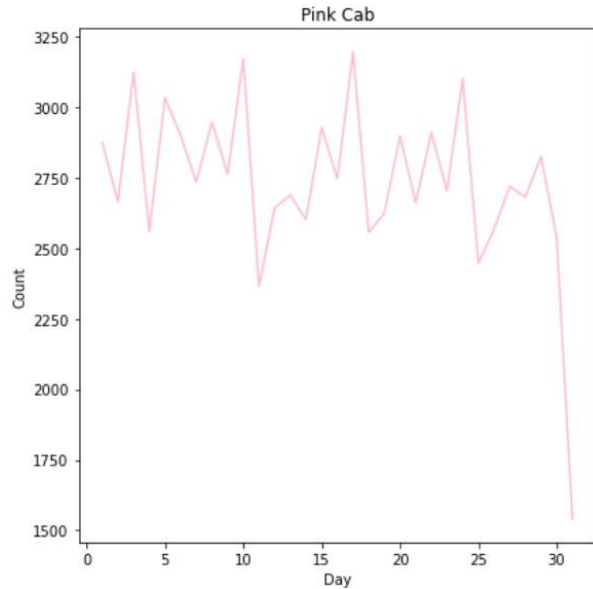
- Highly similar year-month seasonality pattern for demand.
- Low at the beginning of the year.
- Gradually increases until the end of the year.

Seasonality (by week)



- Have similar pattern for weekly demand.
- Consistently high demand until the final week of the month

Seasonality (by day of the month)



- Have similar pattern of daily demand.
- Experience highly similar peak and trough pattern

Insights

- Both company have the same pattern of seasonality for demand.
- The demand starts low at the beginning of the year and gradually increases until the end of the year.
- The demand for cab decline rapidly at the end of the month

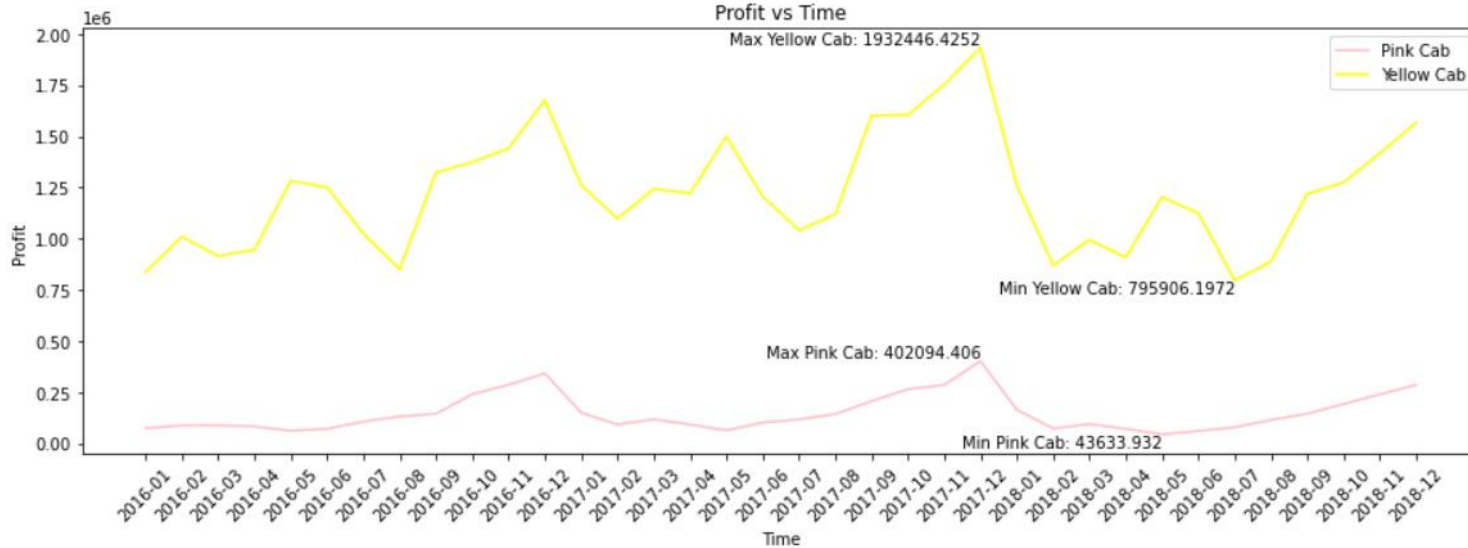


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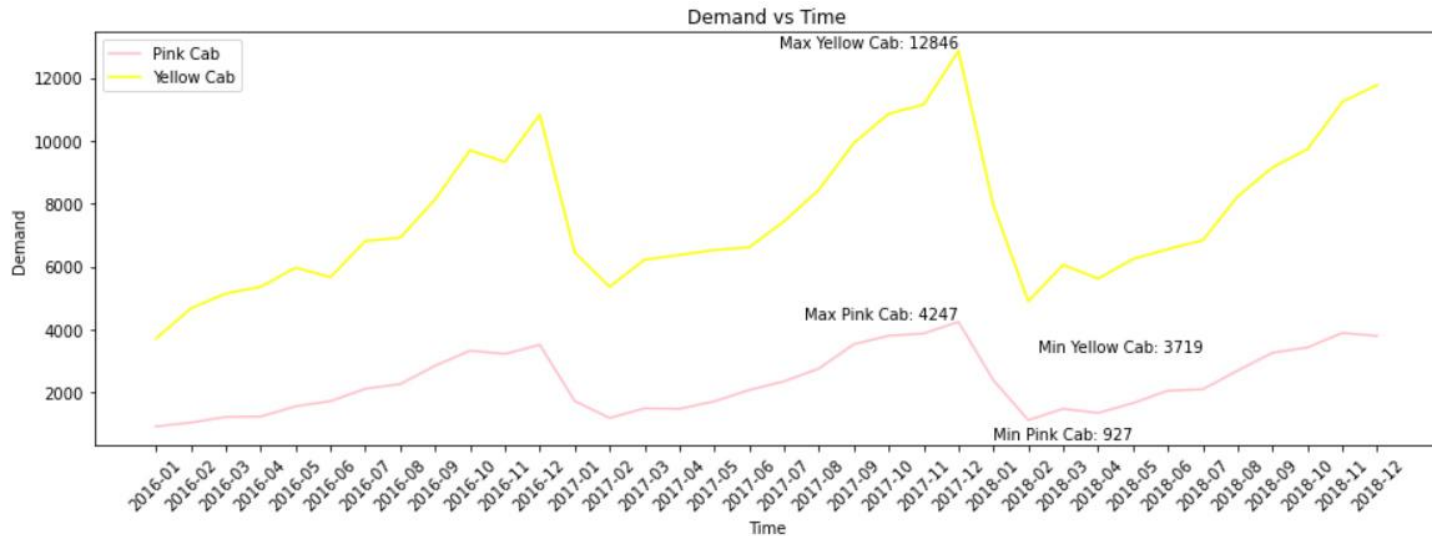
Profitability

Profit Comparison



	Yellow Cab	Pink Cab
Max monthly profit	\$ 1932446.43	\$ 402094.41
Min monthly profit	\$ 795906.20	\$ 43633.93

Demand Comparison



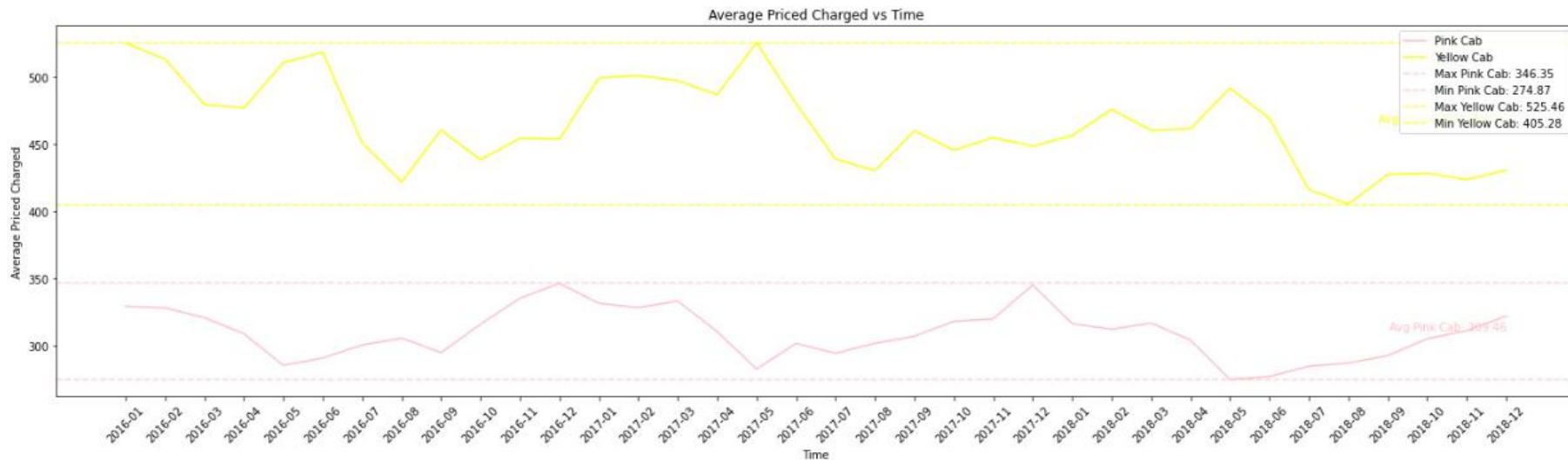
	Yellow Cab	Pink Cab
Max. user counts	12846	4247
Min. user counts	3719	927

Cost Comparison



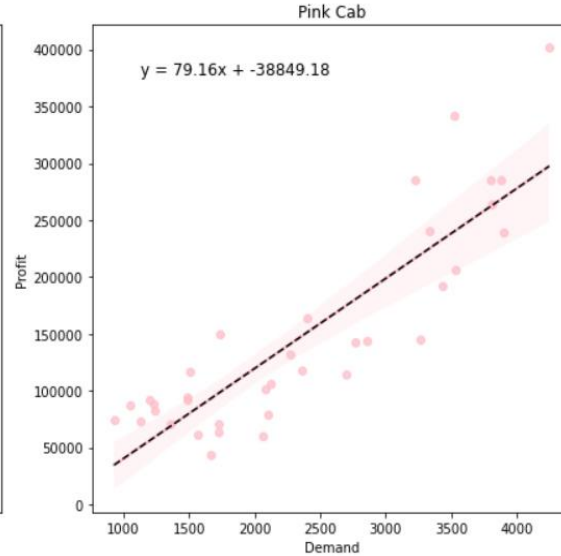
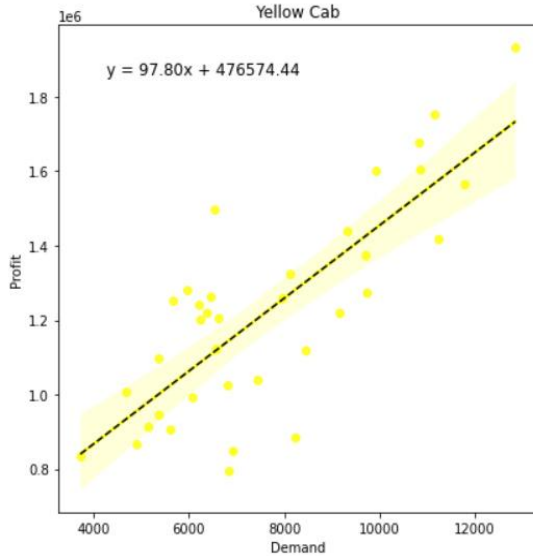
- The cost per trip for both company stays fairly consistent throughout the period.
- Yellow cab average cost: 298.03
- Pink cab average cost: 248.26

Price Comparison



	Yellow Cab	Pink Cab
Max price	\$ 525.46	\$ 346.35
Min price	\$ 405.28	\$ 274.87

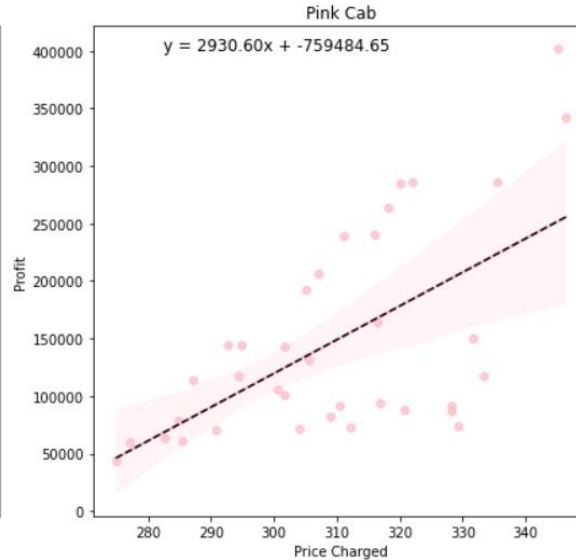
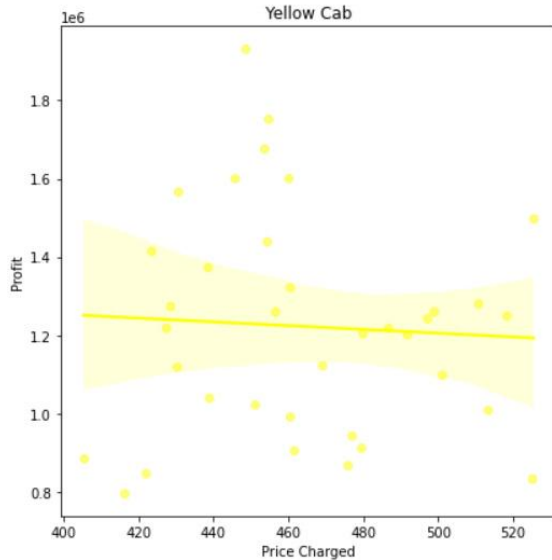
Correlation between profit and demand



- Yellow Cab:
 - Positive correlation
 - $\text{profit} = \text{demand} * 97.80 + 476574$
- Pink Cab:
 - Positive correlation
 - $\text{profit} = \text{demand} * 79.16 - 38849$

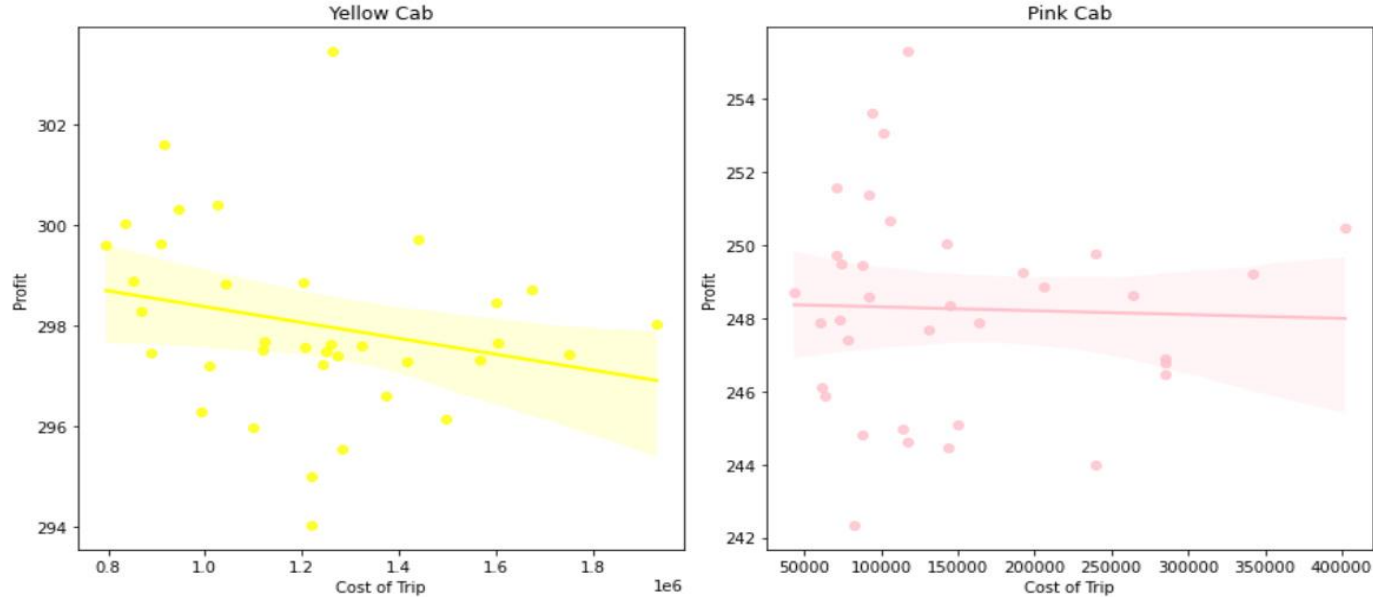
- The change in demand has slightly greater impact on the profit of yellow cab since the yellow cab has a larger slope.

Correlation between profit and price



- Yellow Cab:
 - No clear correlation
- Pink Cab:
 - Positive correlation
 - $\text{price} * 2930.6 - 759484.65$

Correlation between profit and cost



- Weak correlation between profit and cost.

Insights

- **Yellow Cab is significantly more profitable than Pink Cab.**
- Demand has a strong correlation with profit.
- Cost doesn't show correlation with profit
- Price and profit:
 - Positive correlation for Pink Cab; No clear correlation for yellow cab

	Yellow Cab	Pink Cab
Profit	High	Low
Demand	High	Low
Price	High	Low
Cost	High	Low

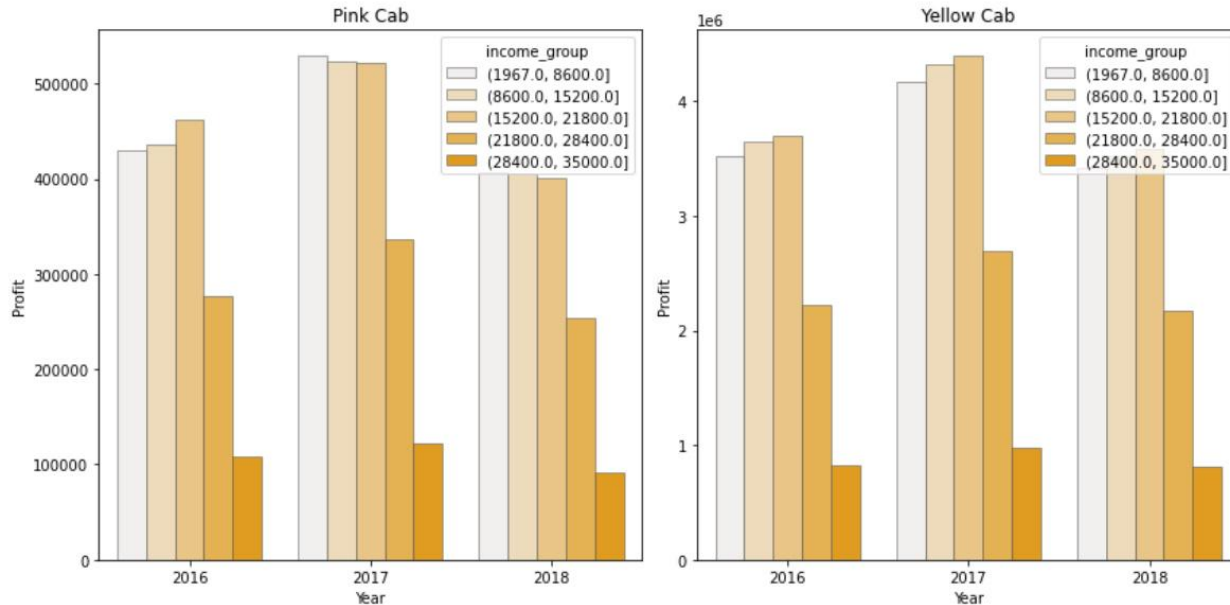


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Customer Structure and Attribute

Profit by different Income group

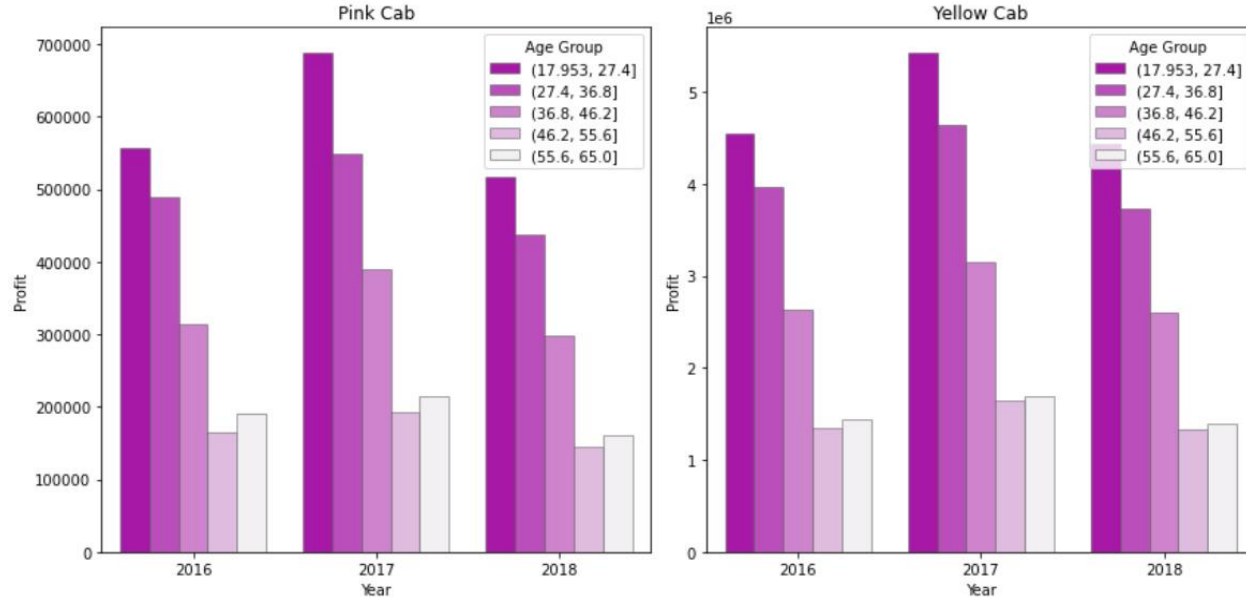


Similar income group proportion each year for both companies

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Profit by different age group

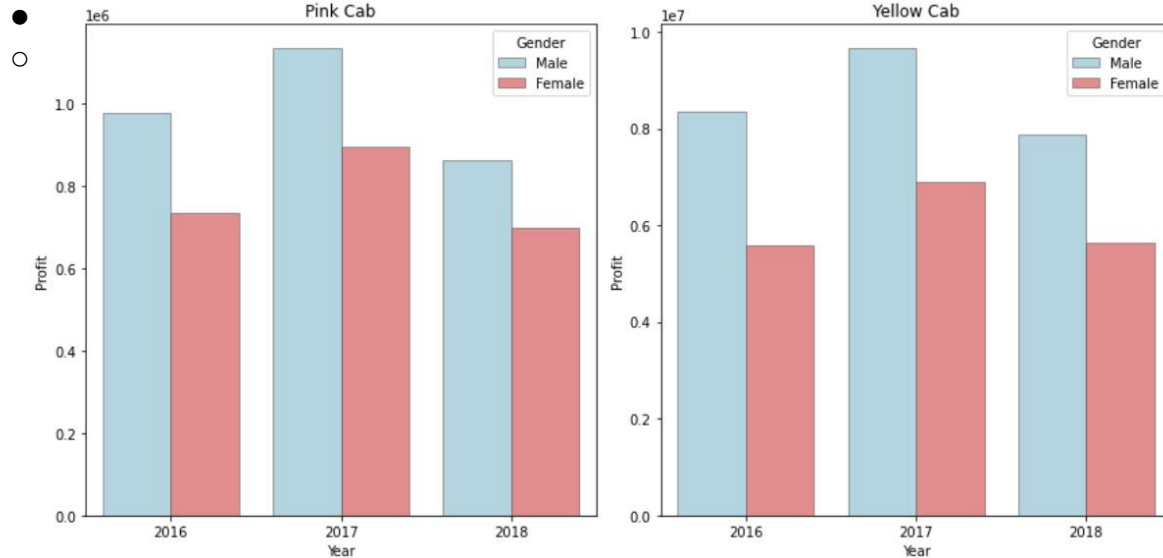


- Pink Cab:
 - 18~27 > 27~ 36 > 36~46 > 56~ 65> 46~56

- Yellow Cab:
 - 18~27 > 27~ 36 > 36~46 > 56~ 65> 46~56

Similar age group proportion each year for both companies

Profit by different gender

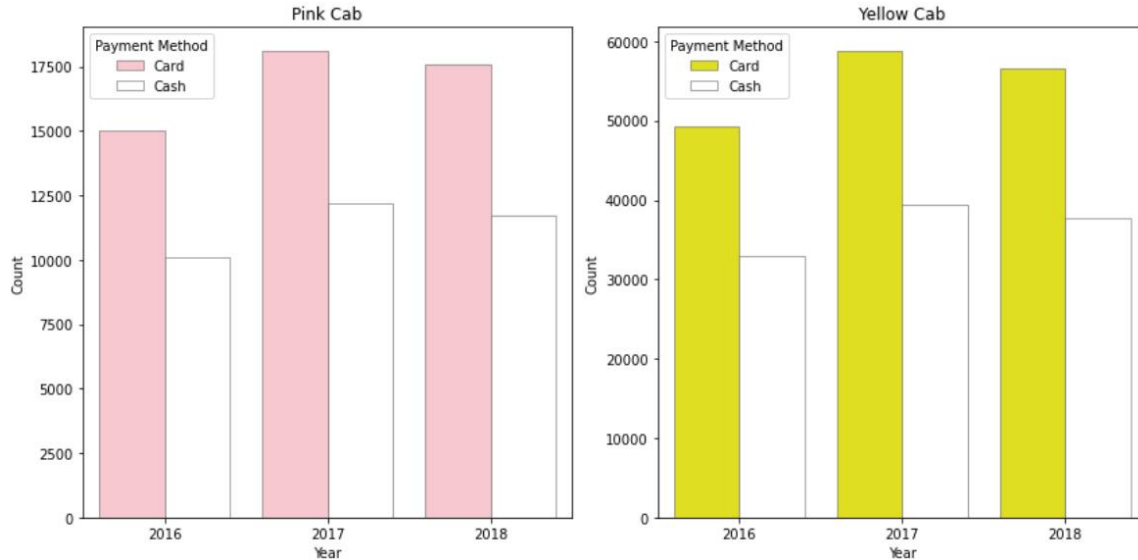


- Pink Cab:
 - Male > female

- Yellow Cab:
 - Male > female

Similar gender proportion each year for both companies

Payment method counts



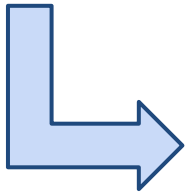
- Pink Cab:
 - Card > cash

- Yellow Cab:
 - Card > cash

Similar payment method proportion each year for both companies

Insights

- Both companies have similar profit proportion for income, age, gender
- Both companies have similar payment method proportion (card vs cash)



- No recommendation could be made in terms of which company is better to invest in for this section of analysis.

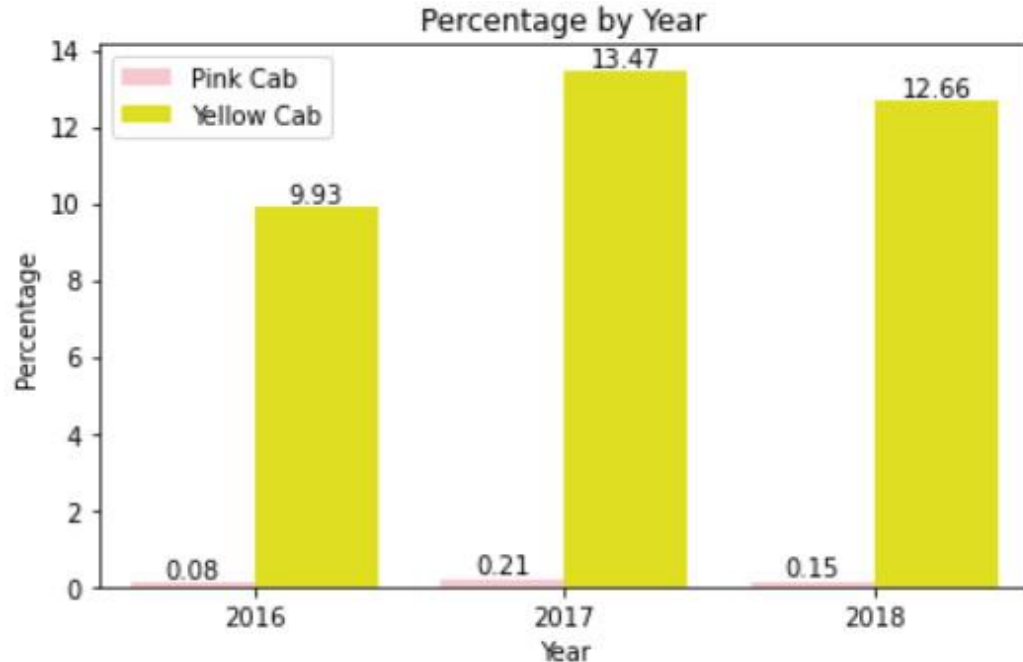


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Customer Loyalty

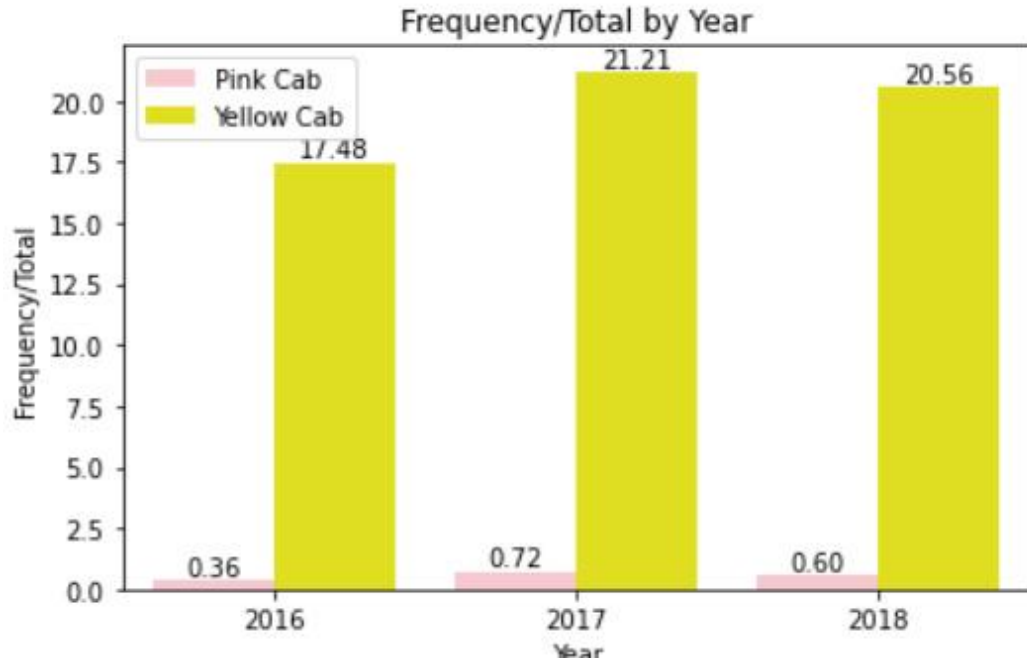
Customer who uses cab service in 6 different month



- Yellow Cab:
 - around **10%** of customers use their service in 6 different month every year.

- Pink Cab:
 - around **0.1% ~ 0.2%** of customers use their service in 6 different month every year.

Customer who uses cab service more than 5 times



- Yellow Cab:
 - **above 15%** of customers use their service more than 5 times each year.

- Pink Cab:
 - **less than 1%** of customers use their service more than 5 times each year.

Insights

- On top of having a larger user base, **yellow cab also has higher percentage of loyal users** that return to use their service.
- **Pink cab do not have significant proportion of loyal users.** They have less than 1% of users that consistently return to use their service.

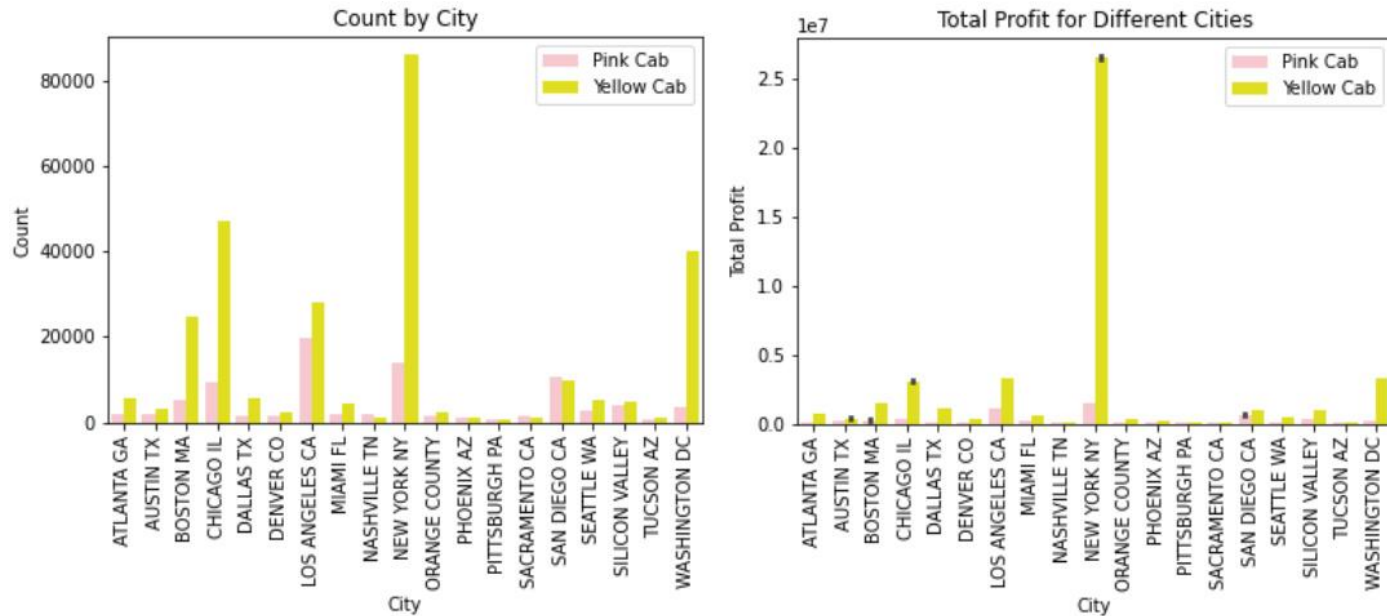


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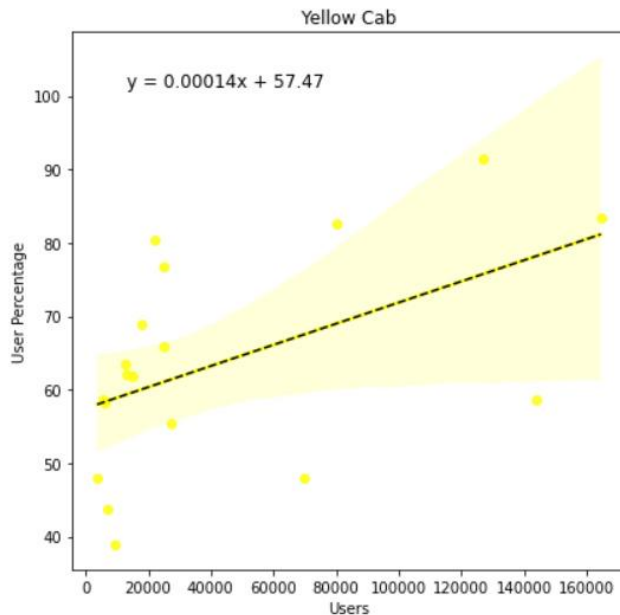
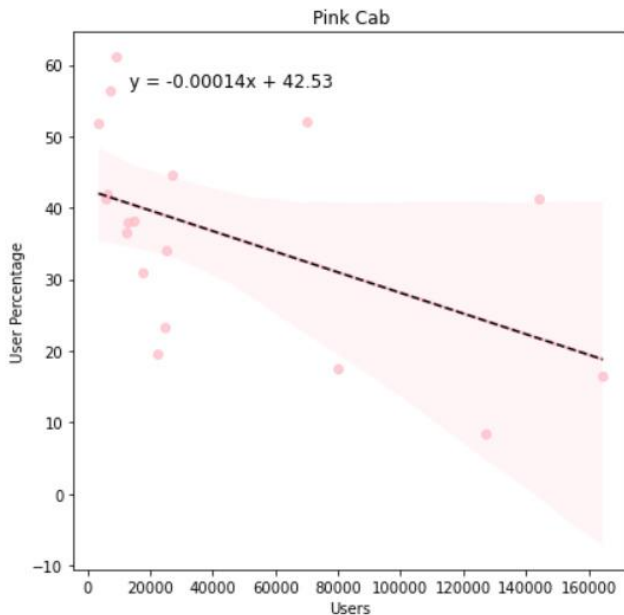
Performance in difference Location

User counts & profit in different cities



Yellow cab has more users in most cities, and is more profitable by huge margin.

User proportions vs User counts



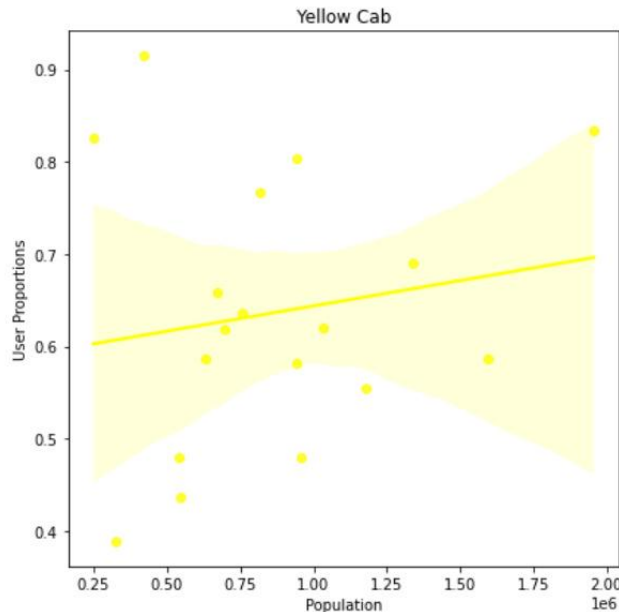
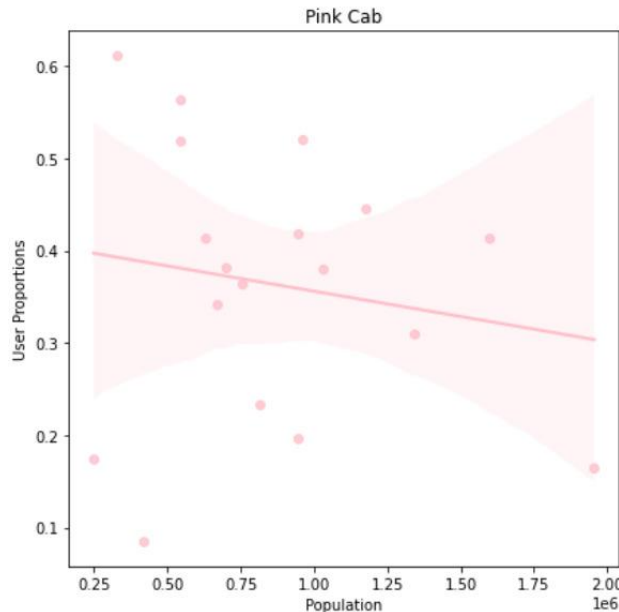
- Pink Cab:
 - User percentage = $-0.00014 * \text{total users} + 42.53$

- Yellow Cab:
 - User percentage = $0.00014 * \text{total users} + 57.47$

According to the trend line, **as the total user counts get larger:**

- Yellow Cab takes up a **larger** proportion of users
- Pink Cab takes up a **smaller** proportion of users

User Proportions vs Population Size



- Pink Cab:
 - Plots are scattered
 - No clear correlation

- Yellow Cab:
 - Plots are scattered
 - No clear correlation

- No clear relationship between user proportion & population size can be derived for both companies.

Insights

Possible correlation:

- As **user amount increases** → Yellow Cab takes up a **larger** proportion of users
- As **user amount increases** → Pink Cab takes up a **smaller** proportion of users

On the other hand:

- User proportion and total population don't express clear relationship

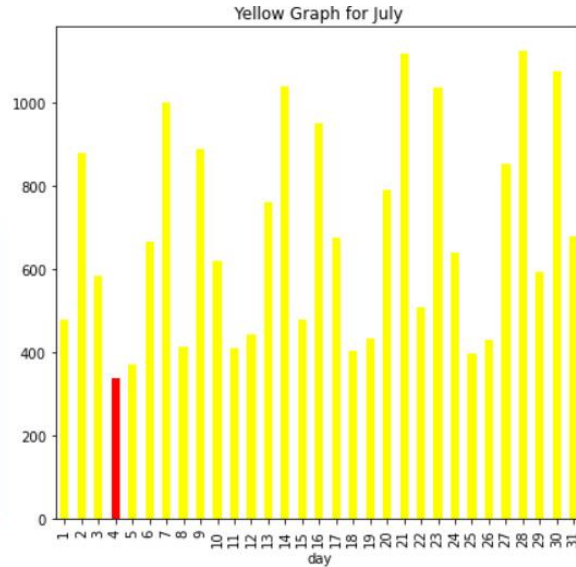
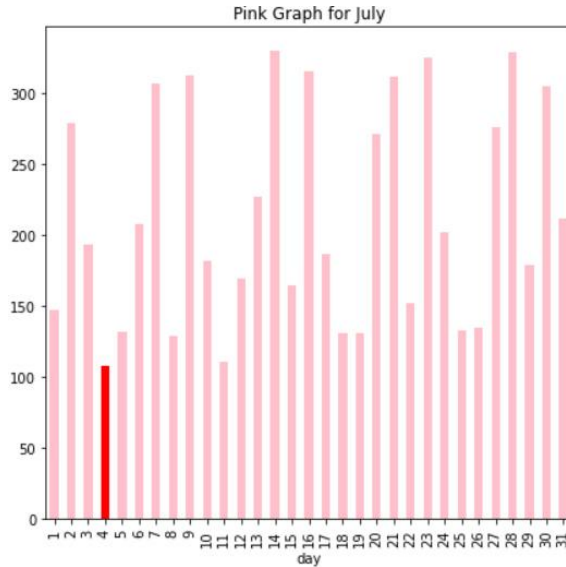


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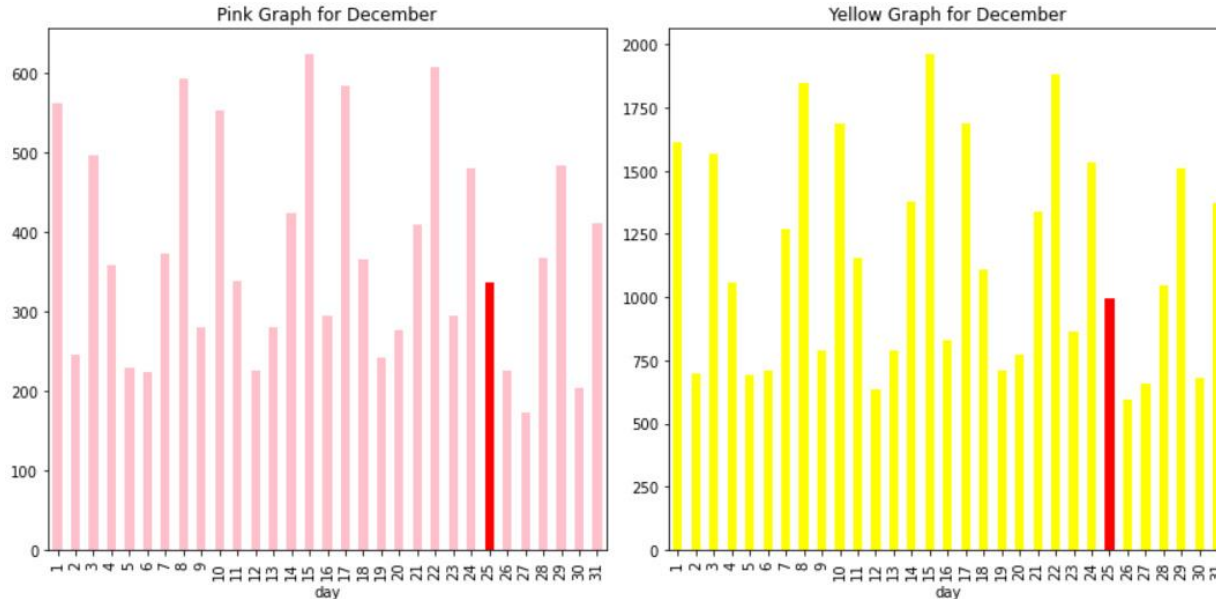
Holiday

Holiday Demand (July 4th)



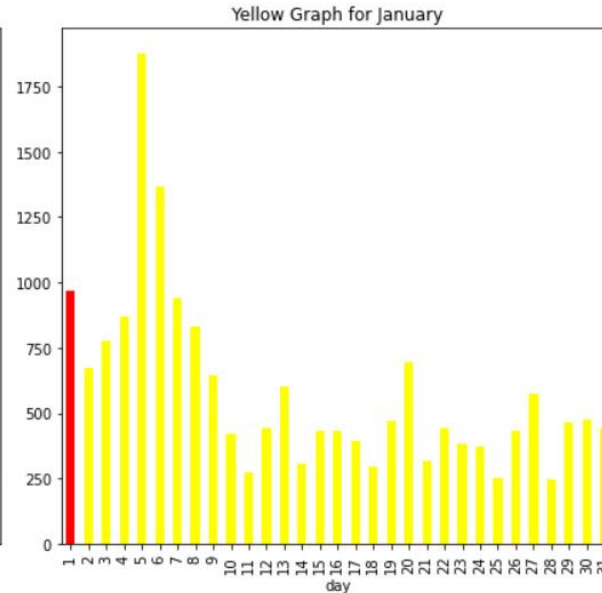
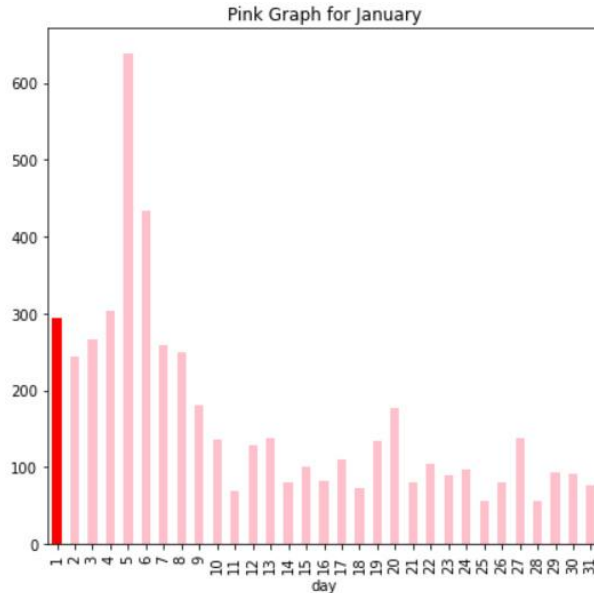
- Demand of July 4th is low
- The seasonality of demand does not express anything unique around July 4th
- The impact of this holiday on demand of cab service is **very small**

Holiday Demand (Christmas)



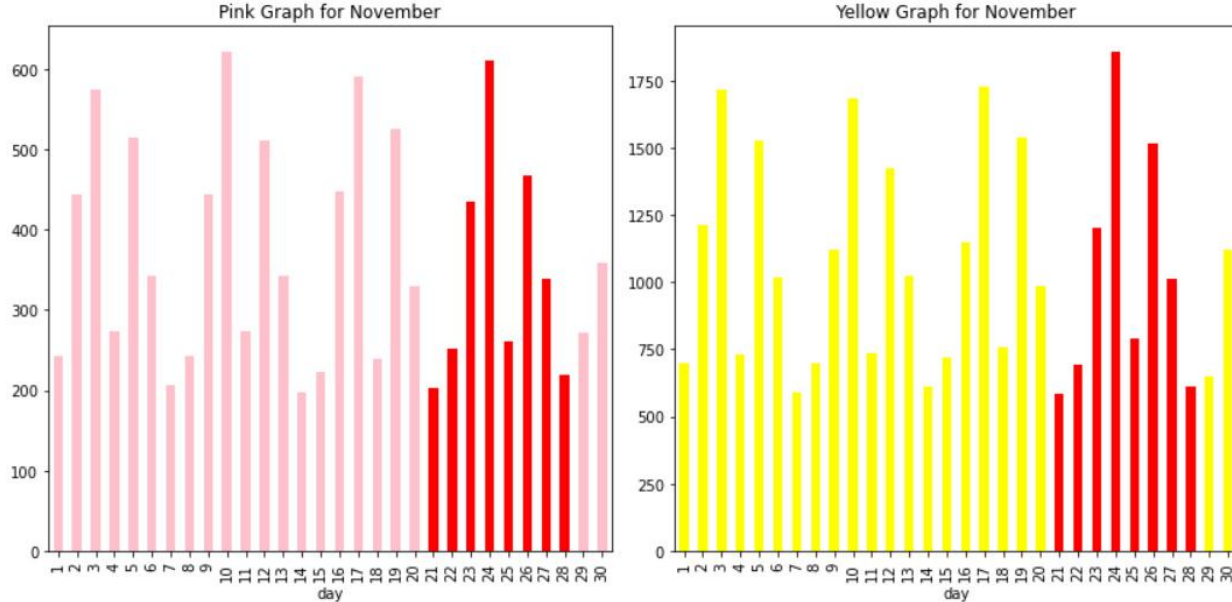
- Demand on Christmas is quite low
- The seasonality of demand does not express anything unique around Christmas
- The impact of this holiday on demand of cab service is **very small**

Holiday Demand (New Year)



- Demand New Year day (1/1) is **higher than the days that follow closely**
- Demand is very high on 1/5, but it's **hard to say whether it's due to the impact of new year day**.

Holiday Demand (Thanksgiving)



- The demand in the Thanksgiving week is **almost identical to the previous demand patterns**
- The influence of thanksgiving on demand of cab service is **very little**



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Conclusion

- Yellow & Pink Companies have **similar characteristics** in
 - Seasonality of demand
 - Customer income, gender, age, payment method structure
- XYZ company should invest in **Yellow Cab**
 - Yellow Cab is **more profitable** throughout the entire period
 - Yellow Cab has significantly **higher proportion of loyal customers**
 - Takes up the **majority of business in most cities**

Thank You