# **Project Title: Applying Data Pre-processing on a Dataset**

#### **Project Overview:**

The given dataset contains statistics in dataset1 per 100,000 residents for assault and murder, in each of the 50 US states, in 1973. Also given is the percentage of the population living in urban areas. We have to apply the pre-processing techniques to prepare the dataset for data analysis. To prepare a cleaned dataset, we have to perform the following tasks of data pre-processing using R language-

- 1. Data cleaning
- 2. Data Integration
- 3. Data Transformation
- 4. Data Reduction
- 5. Data Discretization

After performing this step, we will have a process dataset ready to use.

# **Project Solution Design:**

At first, we have to Create the dataset as CSV file. Then we have to import the dataset into RStudio so that we can perform the data processing operations using R language. We have to start with the Data cleaning process. Here we will clean the data such as we have to deal with missing values or smooth noisy data. Then comes data Integration, here we integrated a column named "Population\_level" into the dataset. Then we have to do transformation. Such as converting values into numerical or other types. After that data reduction here, we reduced the data which is unnecessary. And in data discretization we have to make the data set discrete.

#### **Data pre-processing:**

# 1.Data cleaning:

At first, we have handled missing data in the given dataset. In the City Column we can see for the City Georgia there is no assault data. So, this is shown as NA in dataset. Here we handled the missing data by replacing NA in column "Assault"

With the mean of remaining values in the column.

# RCODE: Replacing NA in column Assault with mean of the remaining values:

#Replacing NA in column Assault with mean of the remaining values
dataset1\$Assault[is.na(dataset1\$Assault)]<-mean(dataset1\$Assault,na.rm=TRUE)
dataset1

After loading the CSV file missing values are replaced by NA:

```
> #importing .csv file
> dataset1 <- read.csv("projectdata.csv", header = TRUE, sep = ",")</pre>
> dataset1
              City Murder Assault Urban. Population..
           Alabama
                     13.2
                                236
            Alaska
           Arizona
                       8.1
                                294
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          Arkansas
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                                190
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          colorado
                       7.9
                                204
      Connecticut
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         Delaware
          Florida
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          Georgia
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         Minnesota
                                259
      Mississippi
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          Montana
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          Nebraska
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```

# After Replacing NA in column Assault with mean of the remaining values:

```
> #Replacing NA in column Assault with mean of the remaining values
  dataset1$Assault[is.na(dataset1$Assault)]<-mean(dataset1$Assault,na.rm=TRUE)
                                Assault Urban.Population...
> dataset1
                City Murder Assault
abama 13.2 236.0000
            Alabama
              Alaska
                         10.0 263.0000
            Arizona
                                                                  80
                          8.1 294.0000
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            Arkansas
                          9.0 276.0000
7.9 204.0000
        california
           Colorado
       Connecticut
                          3.3 110.0000
           Delaware
                           5.9 238.0000
                         15.4 335.0000
17.4 182.1837
            Florida
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            Georgia
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2.2 56.0000
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            Indiana
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              Kansas
                          6.0 115.0000
           Kentucky
                         15.4 249.0000
2.1 83.0000
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          Louisiana
                           2.1
              Maine
    Maryland
Massachusetts
                         11.3 300.0000
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                          4.4 149.0000
21
           Michigan
                         12.1 255.0000
2.7 72.0000
          Minnesota
                         16.1 259.0000
9.0 178.0000
       Mississippi
25
           Missouri
                          4.3 102.0000
           Nebraska
```

We can see that data 10 was replaced by average value.

#### 2. <u>Data Transformation:</u>

In This step we transformed the column Murder and Assault in as Numeric value.

After replacing the NA value, we can see the column has now 4-digit decimal values. So, we have to format that as numeric.

For Murder column murder cannot be of fraction so we formatted it to numeric.

# RCODE: #Data Formatting... To round up the Murder and Assault variable

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dataset1\$Murder = as.numeric(format(round(dataset1\$Murder, 0)))
dataset1

dataset1\$Assault = as.numeric(format(round(dataset1\$Assault, 0)))

#### dataset1arrest

```
> #Data Formatting... To round up the murder and assualt variable
> dataset1$Murder = as.numeric(format(round(dataset1$Murder, 0)))
> dataset1
                City Murder
                               Assault Urban. Population..
                          13 236.0000
10 263.0000
            Alabama
             Alaska
                                                              48
                            8 294.0000
           Arkansas
                            9 190,0000
                                                              50
        California
                            9 276.0000
                                                              91
           colorado
                            8 204.0000
       Connecticut
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          Delaware
                            6 238.0000
                          15 335.0000
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           Florida
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           Georgia
            Hawaii
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> dataset1$Assault = as.numeric(format(round(dataset1$Assault, 0)))
> dataset1
               City Murder Assault Urban.Population.
Alabama 13 236
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                 Alaska
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              Arizona
Arkansas
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          California
         Connecticut
              Delaware
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            Michigan
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         Mississippi
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               Montana
```

After data transformation the dataset looks like this.

#### **3.Data Integration:**

At first, we created a duplicate dataset dataset 2 based on given dataset arrest because I want to keep the original dataset as it is. Then I created a new column named "Population\_level" and integrated it in the data set.

As the requirement was to Convert the urban population percentage into population\_level, Such as-

small (<50%), medium (<60%), large (<70%), extra-large (<70% and above)

For that we have used conditional statement (IF-ELSE) and then used "sapply" to to store the converted data to new column "Population\_level".

# RCODE: Merging Population\_level variable in dataset:

```
dataset2 <- dataset1
```

dataset2 <- transform(dataset2, Type = Urban.Population...)</pre>

dataset2

#### Population\_level column Created using Urban Population Column:

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> dataset2 <- dataset1</p>
 dataset2 <- transform(dataset2, Population_level = Urban.Population...)
              City Murder Assault Urban.Population... Population_level
           Alabama
                               236
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    Massachusetts
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# RCODE: Data integration prepare the dataset to integrate a new column (named Population\_level) based on the urban population variable:

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```
Population_level <- function(Urban.Population...){
  if (Urban.Population... < 50) {
    return("Small")
  } else if (Urban.Population... >= 50 & Urban.Population... < 60) {
    return("Medium")
  } else if (Urban.Population... >= 60 & Urban.Population... < 70) {
    return("Large")
  } else {
    return("Extra-large")
}</pre>
```

```
dataset2$Population level < samply(dataset2$11
```

dataset2\$Population\_level <- sapply(dataset2\$Urban.Population..., Population\_level)

dataset2

After Mutating the Population\_level column based on the Conditions Given:

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  dataset2$Population_level <- sapply(dataset2$Urban.Population..., Population_level)
             City Murder Assault Urban.Population... Population_level
          Alabama
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           Alaska
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```

#### 4. Data Reduction:

In this step we have removed 2 rows from the dataset.

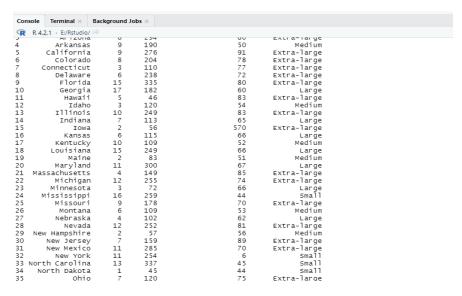
As nation 15 is too high to be a percentage value and nation 32 is too low to be a percentage, we decided to remove the value for better data processing.

RCODE: Data reduction (as nation 15 is too high and nation 32 is too low to be a percentage):

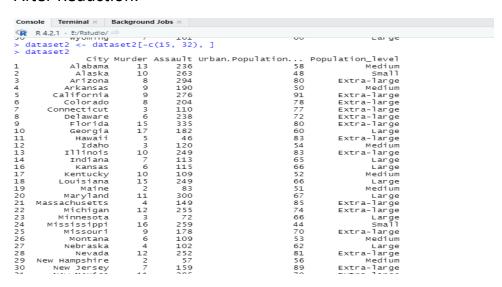
dataset2 <- dataset2[-c(15, 32), ]

#### dataset2

#### **Before Reduction:**



#### After Reduction:



As we can see number 15 and 32 is removed.

Integrate new column "OrderedFactorPopulation" like (Small=1,Medium=2,Large=3,Extra-large=4):

levels <- c("Small", "Medium", "Large", "Extra-large")</pre>

```
dataset2$OrderedFactorPopulation <- factor(
  dataset2$Population_level,
  levels = levels,
  ordered = TRUE,
  labels = 1:length(levels)
)</pre>
```

#### dataset2

After Integrating new column "OrderedFactorPopulation":

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> dataset2
                 City Murder Assault Urban.Population... Population_level OrderedFactorPopulation
abama 13 236 58 Medium 2
                                                                        Medium
1
             Alabama
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             Alaska
Arizona
                                                                              Small
Extra-large
        Arkansas
California
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           Missouri
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            Nebraska
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    New Hampshire
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```

# **5.Data Discretization:**

Data discretization refers to a method of converting a huge number of data values into smaller ones so that the evaluation and management of data become easy.

We did that in Step 3. Data Integration part.

Before discretization there was no type or limit to determine the urban population what portion do they belong from.

After discretization we can easily say that below 50% population belongs to small portion.

Similarly, below 60% population belongs to medium portion.

below 70% population belongs to large portion.

And from 70% and above population belongs to Extra Large portion.

#### After Discretization the dataset:

### **Discussion and Conclusion:**

After doing date pre-processing operations in a given dataset, we can perform these steps in any datasets when we need. And data pre-processing helps AI or machine learning to easily analyze the data. We can also get an easy-to-understand dataset after doing these operations. It makes machines to understand a huge data easily and properly without facing any problem and errors.