

- Title:** Predictive Healthcare Insights: Patient Readmission Analysis
- Subtitle:** End-to-End Data Analytics Workflow (Python → Azure → MySQL → Power BI)
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Problem Statement

•Content:

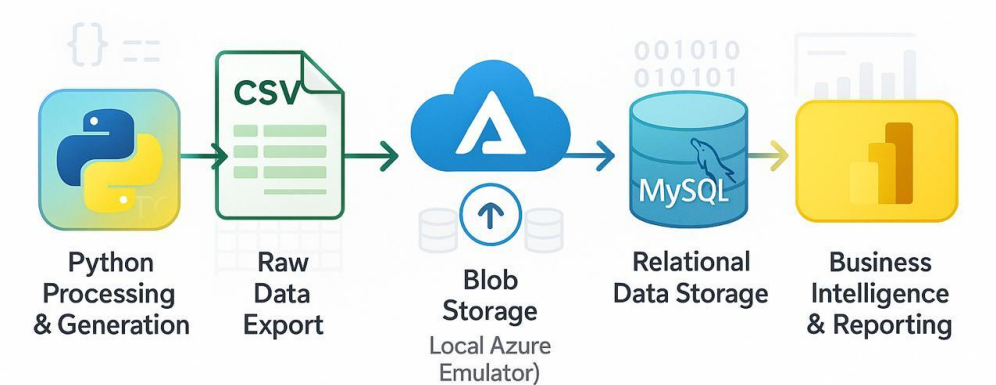
- Hospitals face **high readmission rates**, increasing cost and reducing patient care quality.
- Goal: Predict **which patients are likely to be readmitted** and analyze patterns.

Objectives

- Predict patient readmissions using historical data
- Analyze **cost, length of stay**
- Build **interactive dashboards** for hospital management
- Store and retrieve data efficiently using **Azure + MySQL**

Data Sources

- **Hospital Admissions CSV:** Generated via Python (age, stay length, tests, cost, previous admissions, readmission)
- **Database:** MySQL (centralized storage)
- **Cloud Storage:** Azure Blob Storage (secure storage & integration)
- **Power BI Dashboard:** For visualization & decision-making



Python Data Processing

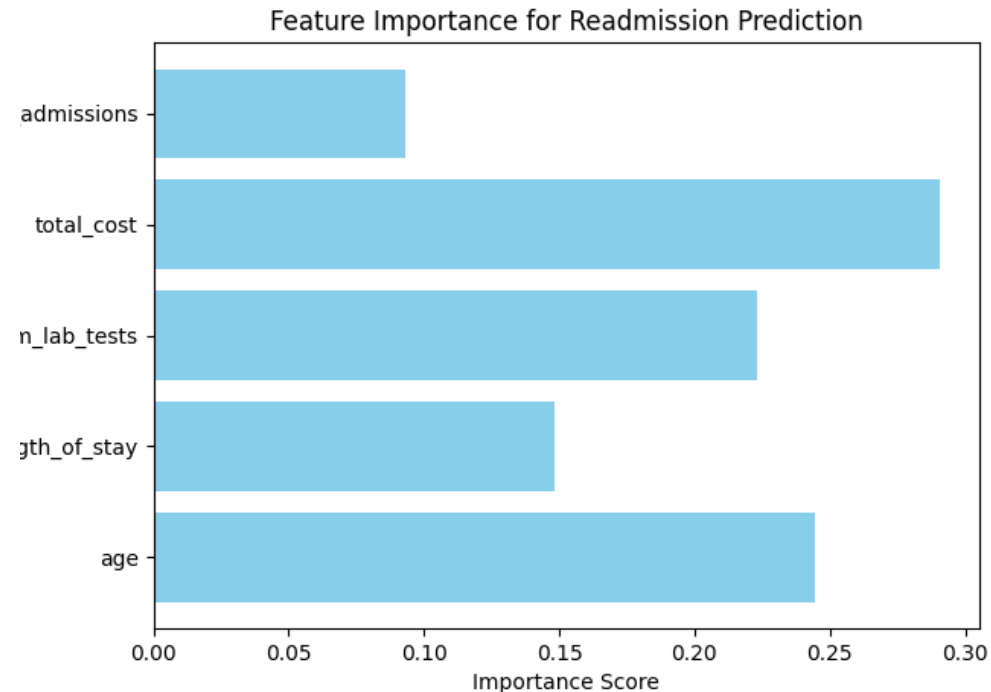
•Steps:

1. Generate / Clean Dataset (hospital_admissions.csv)
2. Feature Selection → age, length_of_stay, num_lab_tests, total_cost, prev_admissions
3. Train-Test Split → test_size=0.2, random_state=42, stratify=y
4. Pipeline → Imputer + Scaler + RandomForestClassifier
5. Predictions → Actual vs Predicted + Readmission Probability

•Insight:

- Feature importance shows **Length of Stay** and **Previous Admissions** most predictive

•Visual: Feature importance bar chart





```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

# generate dummy healthcare admissions data
np.random.seed(42)
n = 1000

df = pd.DataFrame({
    "patient_id": np.arange(1, n+1),
    "age": np.random.randint(20, 90, size=n),
    "length_of_stay": np.random.randint(1, 15, size=n),
    "num_lab_tests": np.random.randint(5, 50, size=n),
    "total_cost": np.random.randint(2000, 50000, size=n),
    "prev_admissions": np.random.randint(0, 5, size=n),
    "target": np.random.choice([0,1], size=n, p=[0.7,0.3]) # 30% readmissions
})

df.to_csv("hospital_admissions.csv", index=False)
print("Dummy dataset saved as hospital_admissions.csv")
print(df.head())

from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.impute import SimpleImputer
from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
from sklearn.metrics import roc_auc_score, confusion_matrix, classification_report

# Load dataset
df = pd.read_csv("hospital_admissions.csv")

# Features & target
X = df[['age', 'length_of_stay', 'num_lab_tests', 'total_cost', 'prev_admissions']]
y = df['target']
```

ML Evaluation

•Metrics:

- ROC-AUC → Model discrimination power
- Confusion Matrix → True Positive / False Positive insights
- Classification Report → Precision, Recall, F1-Score

•**Insight:** 30% patients predicted likely readmission →

helps hospital focus resources

•**Visual:** Confusion Matrix heatmap

```
# Pipeline (impute + scale + model)
pipeline = Pipeline([
    ('imputer', SimpleImputer(strategy='median')),
    ('scaler', StandardScaler()),
    ('model', RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=200, random_state=42, class_weight="balanced"))
])

pipeline.fit(X_train, y_train)

# Predictions
y_pred = pipeline.predict(X_test)
y_proba = pipeline.predict_proba(X_test)[:,1]

# Evaluation
print("\n📊 Model Performance:")
print("ROC AUC:", roc_auc_score(y_test, y_proba))
print("Confusion Matrix:\n", confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred))
print("Classification Report:\n", classification_report(y_test, y_pred))

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

model = pipeline.named_steps['model']
importances = model.feature_importances_
features = X.columns

plt.figure(figsize=(7,5))
plt.barh(features, importances, color="skyblue")
plt.xlabel("Importance Score")
plt.title("Feature Importance for Readmission Prediction")
plt.show()
```

SQL & MySQL Analysis

•Queries:

- Average Length of Stay per Patient
- Readmission Rate
- Cost Analysis (Length of Stay vs Total Cost)
- Gender-wise Readmission Rate
- Monthly Admissions Trend

•Insight:

- Readmission higher in patients with longer stay or frequent previous admissions



```
-- Monthly Admissions Trend
SELECT YEAR(admit_date) AS year,
       MONTH(admit_date) AS month,
       COUNT(*) AS total_admissions,
       ROUND(SUM(total_cost), 2) AS total_cost
FROM admissions
GROUP BY YEAR(admit_date), MONTH(admit_date)
ORDER BY year, month;
```

```
-- Gender-wise Readmission Rate
SELECT p.gender,
       COUNT(*) AS total_patients,
       SUM(a.readmitted) AS total_readmissions,
       ROUND(SUM(a.readmitted) * 100.0 / COUNT(*), 2) AS readmission_rate
FROM patients p
JOIN admissions a ON a.patient_id = p.patient_id
GROUP BY p.gender
ORDER BY total_readmissions DESC;
```

```
-- Patients with High Readmission Risk (Window Function)
WITH readmission_stats AS (
    SELECT a.patient_id,
           COUNT(*) AS total_admissions,
           SUM(a.readmitted) AS total_readmissions,
           ROUND(SUM(a.readmitted) * 100.0 / COUNT(*), 2) AS readmission_rate
    FROM admissions a
    GROUP BY a.patient_id
)
SELECT r.patient_id,
       p.name,
       r.total_admissions,
       r.total_readmissions,
       r.readmission_rate,
       RANK() OVER (ORDER BY r.readmission_rate DESC) AS risk_rank
FROM readmission_stats r
JOIN patients p ON r.patient_id = p.patient_id
ORDER BY r.risk_rank
LIMIT 10;
```


Azure Blob Storage

•Content:

- Python CSV uploaded to Azure Blob Storage
- Enables secure cloud access for dashboards
- Integrated with Power BI for live updates

•**Insight:** Cloud storage ensures **scalable, central, and secure dataset**

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Active blobs (default) healthcare

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hospital_admissions.csv	Hot (inferred)	27-08-2025 17:49	27-08-2025 17:49	Block Blob	application/csv
readmission_predictions.csv	Hot (inferred)	27-08-2025 17:49	27-08-2025 17:49	Block Blob	application/csv

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Actions Properties

Node Display Name healthcare

URL http://127.0.0.1:10000/devstoreaccount1/healthcare/

Custom Domain

Type Blob Container

HNS Enabled false

Lease State available

Lease Status unlocked

Public Read Access off

Activities

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Successfully created blob container 'healthcare'

Successfully added new connection.

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Power BI Dashboard

•Visuals Included:

- KPI Cards → Total Patients, Total Readmissions, Avg Length of Stay, Readmission Rate
- Pie/Donut → Readmission vs No Readmission
- Bar Chart → Readmission by Gender / Top 5 Costly Diagnoses
- Line Chart → Monthly Admission Trends
- Table → Patient-level Predictions (Actual vs Predicted + Probability)

•Insight:

- Management can **identify high-risk patients and allocate resources proactively**

Total Patients

15

Total Readmissions

55.26

Avg_Length_of_Stay

5.20

Readmission Rate

1.10K



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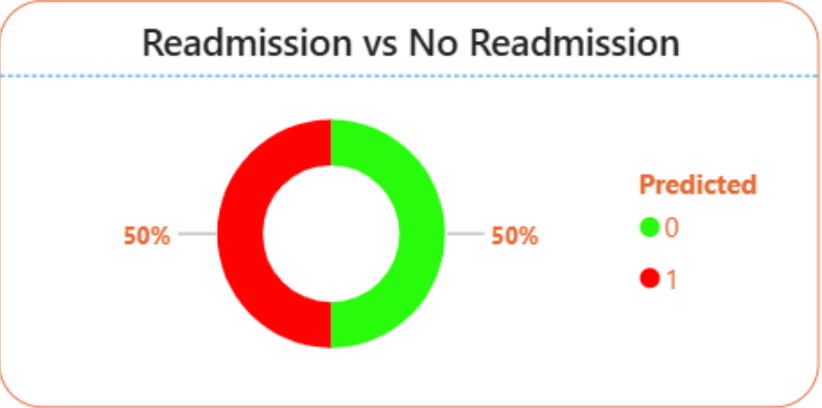
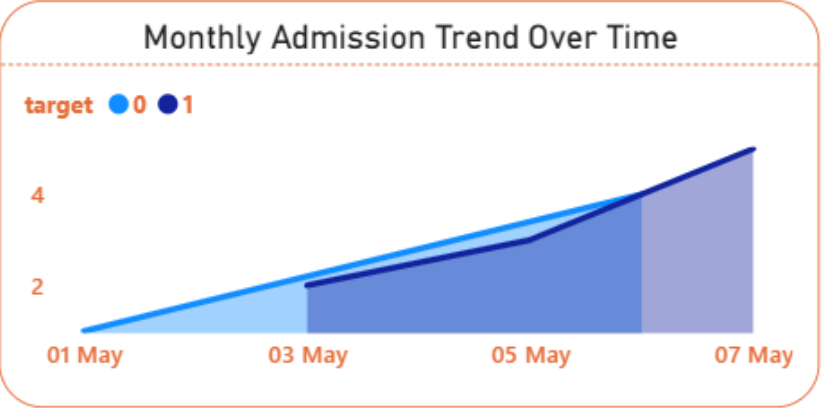
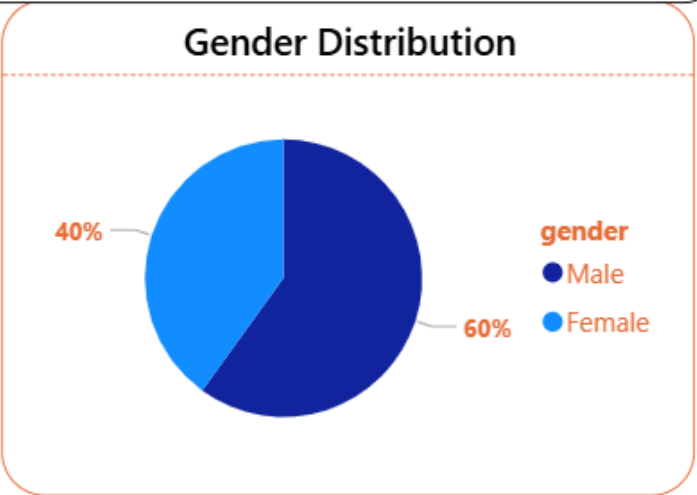
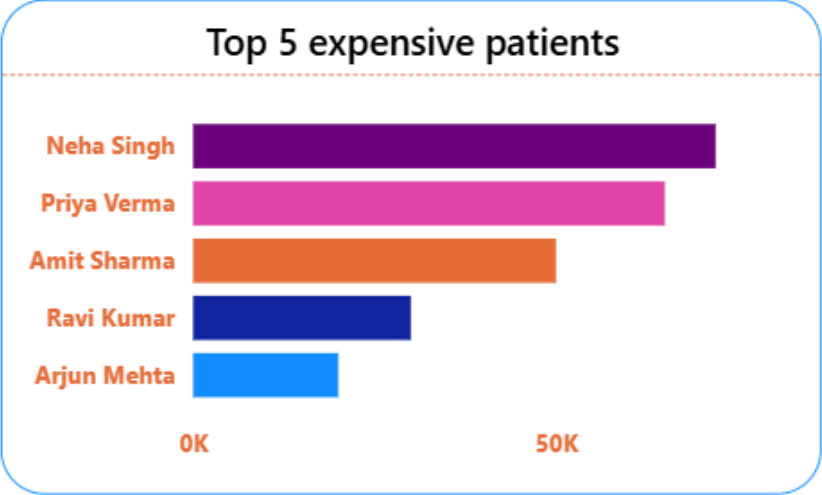
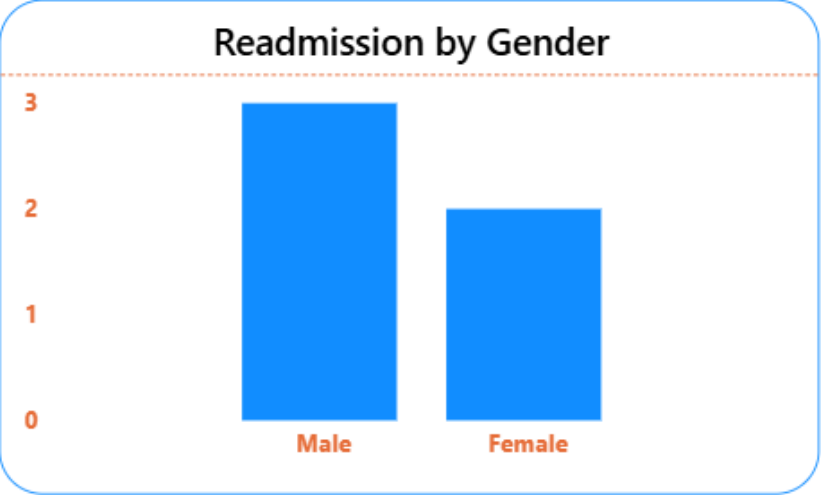
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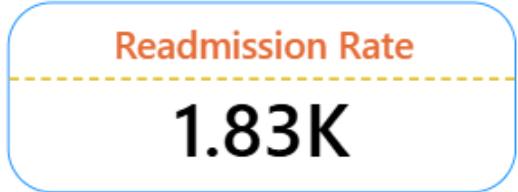
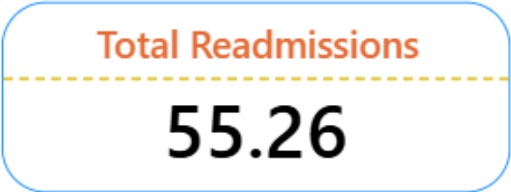
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patient_id	Sum of Predicted	Readmission Rate (%)
1	7	5,500.00
2	7	5,500.00
3	7	5,500.00
4	7	5,500.00
5	7	5,500.00
Total	7	1,100.00



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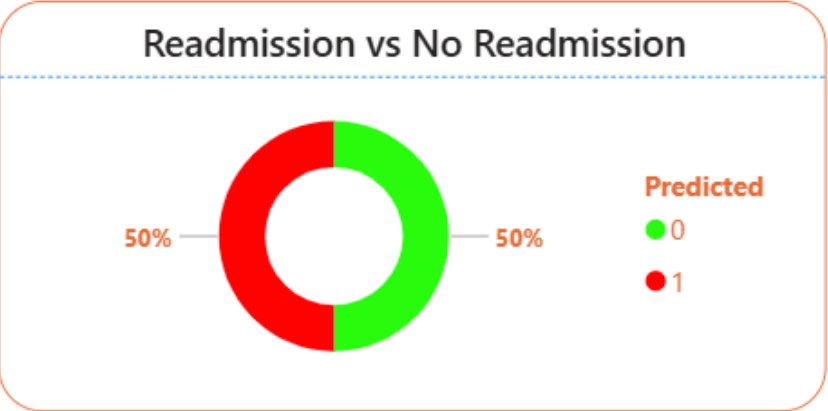
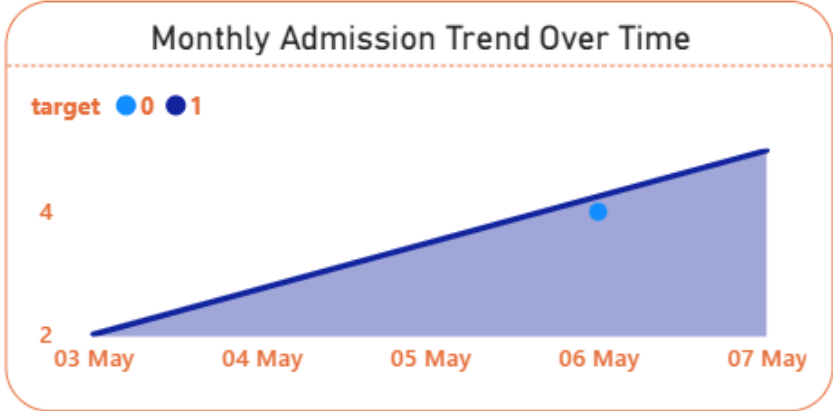
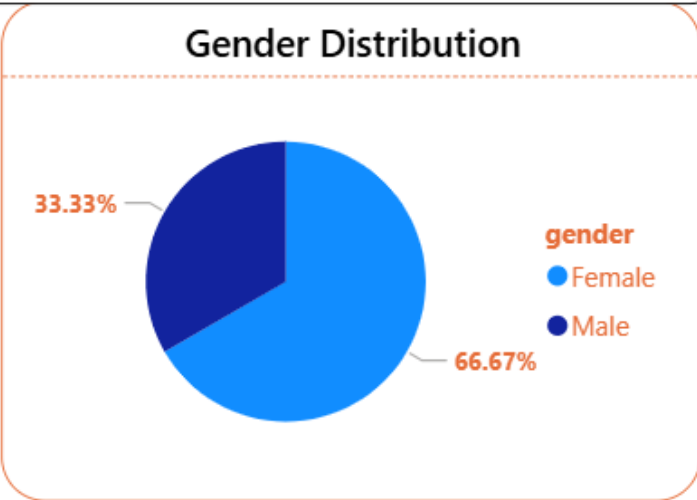
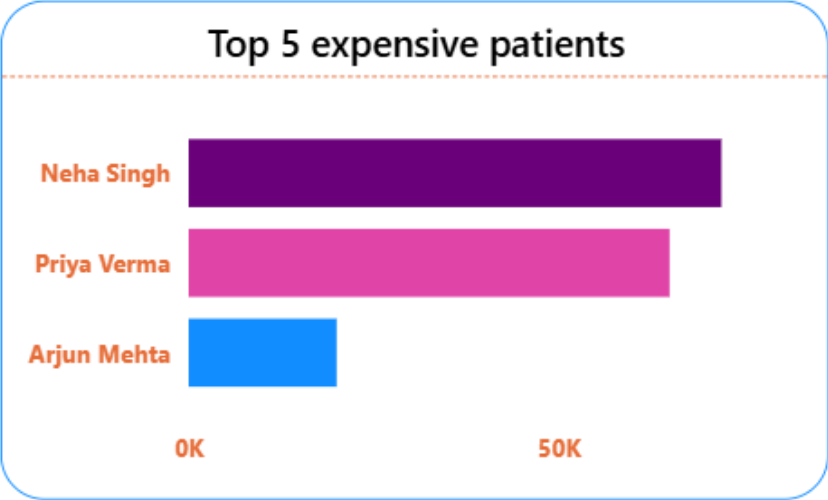
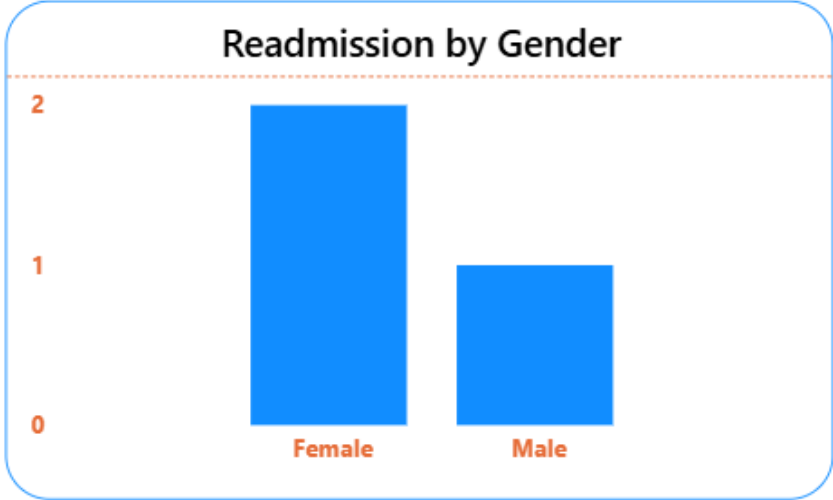
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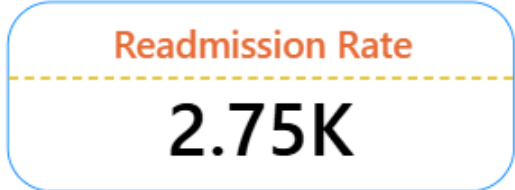
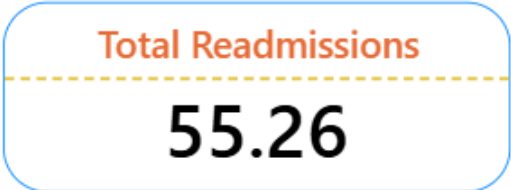
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3	7	0.00
4	7	5,500.00
5	7	5,500.00
Total	7	1,833.33



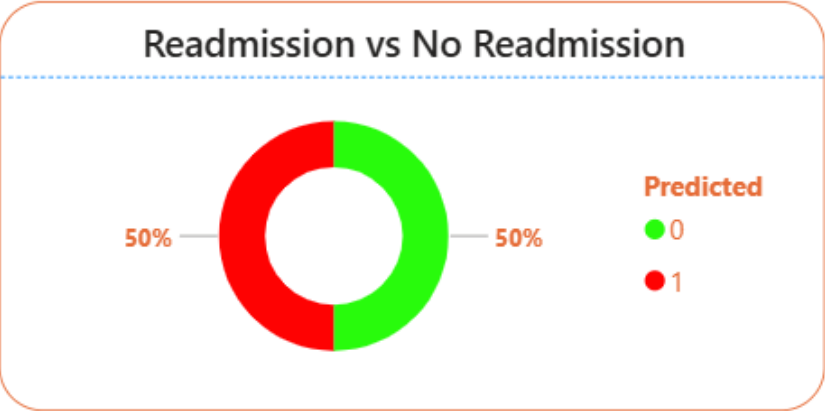
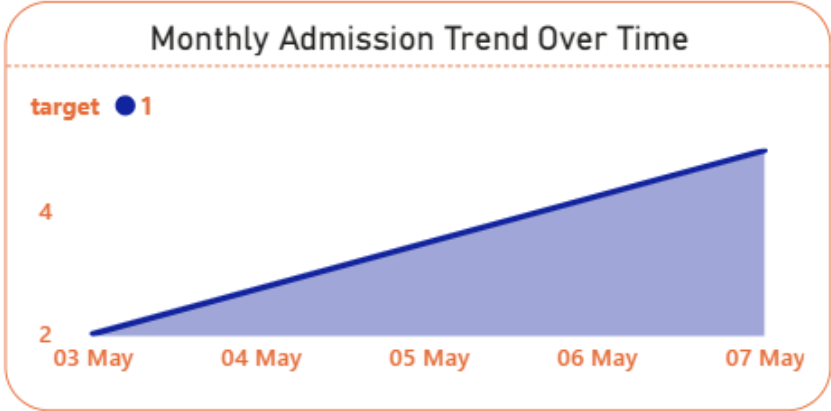
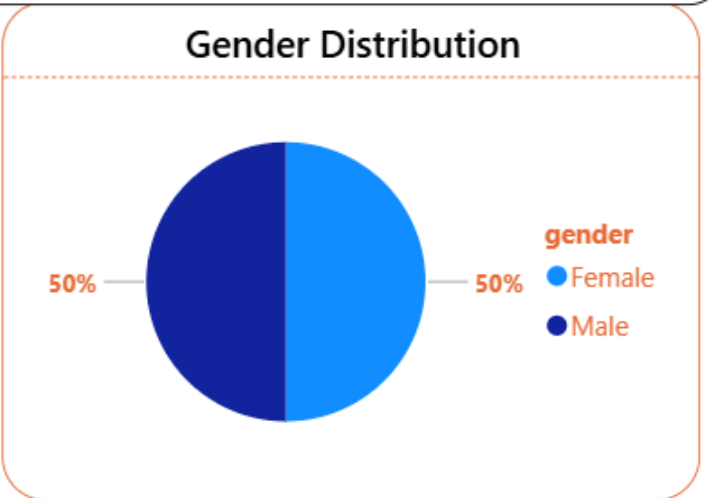
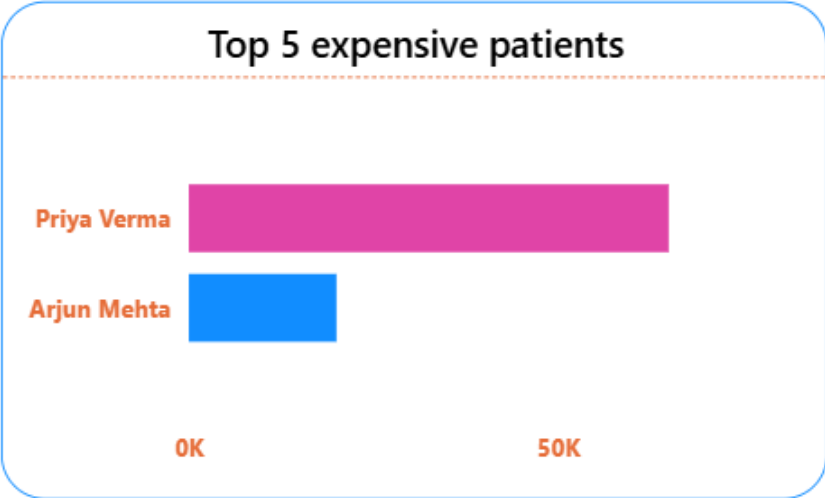
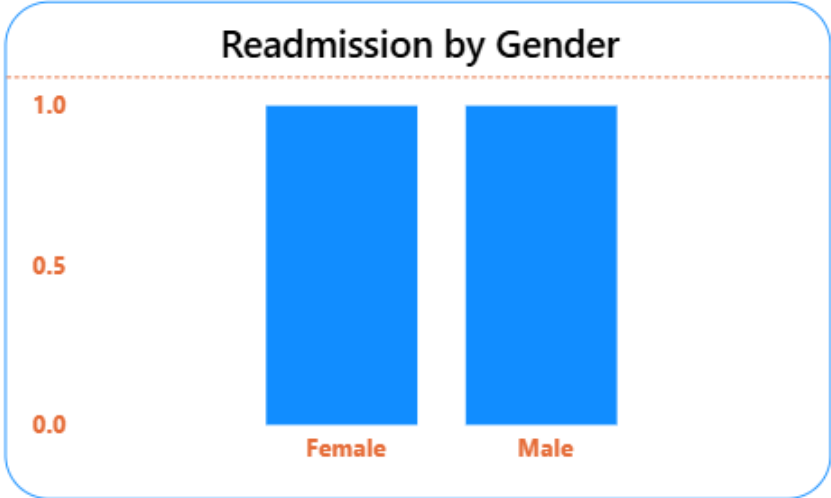
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1	7	0.00
2	7	5,500.00
3	7	0.00
4	7	0.00
5	7	5,500.00
Total	7	2,750.00

Key Insights

- Readmission risk higher for patients with **longer stays** and **previous admissions**
- **Gender distribution** shows small differences in readmission patterns
- Cost correlates with length of stay → enables cost optimization
- Interactive dashboards help **real-time decision making**

Challenges & Learnings

•Challenges:

- Imbalanced dataset → handled via stratify=y
- Missing / inconsistent data → handled with SimpleImputer
- Integrating Python → Azure → MySQL → Power BI pipeline

•Learnings:

- End-to-end workflow mastery
- Cloud integration (Azure Blob) for scalable analytics
- MAANG-level data storytelling with dashboards

References / Tools

- Python: Pandas, Numpy, Scikit-learn, Matplotlib
- SQL: MySQL Workbench
- Cloud: Azure Blob Storage
- BI: Power BI
- Dataset: Synthetic Healthcare Data

Conclusion

- Built **predictive model** + **dashboard** for hospital management
- Enables **better patient care and resource optimization**
- Ready to extend for real-world healthcare deployment

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