CSE 676-B: Deep Learning, Spring 2024

Assignment 0 From Data to ML and NN Models

1. Provide brief details about the nature of your dataset. What is it about? What type of data are we encountering? Provide the main statistics about the entries of the dataset (mean, std, number of missing values, etc.)

This dataset contains information about the Battery Electric Vehicles (BEVs), Plug-in Hybrid Electric Vehicles (PHEVs), Make, Model, Year, Range, and Clean Alternative Fuel Vehicle (CAFV) Eligibility that are currently registered through the Washington State Department of Licensing (DOL).

The dataset comprises a mix of categorical and numerical data types.

Info of dataset:

```
print("Dataset Info:")
   print(df.info())
Dataset Info:
<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 166800 entries, 0 to 166799
Data columns (total 17 columns):
    Column
                                                       Non-Null Count
                                                                        Dtype
    VIN (1-10)
                                                        166800 non-null object
0
    County
                                                        166795 non-null object
                                                        166795 non-null object
 2
    City
     State
                                                        166800 non-null object
    Postal Code
                                                        166795 non-null float64
    Model Year
                                                        166800 non-null int64
    Make
                                                        166800 non-null object
    Model
                                                        166800 non-null object
 8
    Electric Vehicle Type
                                                        166800 non-null object
    Clean Alternative Fuel Vehicle (CAFV) Eligibility 166800 non-null object
 10 Electric Range
                                                        166800 non-null int64
                                                        166800 non-null int64
 11 Base MSRP
                                                        166440 non-null float64
166800 non-null int64
 12 Legislative District
 13 DOL Vehicle ID
                                                        166790 non-null object
 14 Vehicle Location
 15 Electric Utility
                                                        166795 non-null object
16 2020 Census Tract
                                                        166795 non-null float64
dtypes: float64(3), int64(4), object(10)
memory usage: 21.6+ MB
None
```

Summary statistics of the dataset:

```
# Display summary statistics of the dataset
   print("\nSummary Statistics:")
   print(df.describe())
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Summary Statistics:
       Postal Code Model Year Electric Range
                                                  Base MSRP
count 166795.000000 166800.000000 166800.000000 166800.000000
                                 61.508993 1152.723171
      98173.713750 2020.341793
mean
      2442.584415
                       3.001465
                                   93.271747 8661.081091
std
min
      1730.000000 1997.000000
                                   0.000000
                                                 0.000000
      98052.000000 2018.000000
                                    0.000000
                                                  0.000000
50%
      98122.000000 2021.000000
                                    0.000000
                                                   0.000000
75%
      98371.000000
                     2023.000000
                                    84.000000
                                                   0.000000
      99577.000000
                    2024.000000
                                   337.000000 845000.000000
max
      Legislative District DOL Vehicle ID 2020 Census Tract
            166440.000000 1.668000e+05 1.667950e+05
count
             29.178941 2.172420e+08
                                          5.297709e+10
mean
               14.853534 7.727458e+07
                                          1.569754e+09
std
               1.000000 4.385000e+03
                                          1.001020e+09
min
25%
               18.000000 1.790741e+08
                                          5.303301e+10
50%
               33.000000 2.244045e+08
                                          5.303303e+10
                           2.513421e+08
75%
               42.000000
                                          5.305307e+10
               49.000000
                           4.792548e+08
                                            5.603300e+10
```

Number of missing values:

Total rows - rows after deleting NA values = 166800 - 166435 = 365

2. What kind of preprocessing techniques have you applied to this dataset?

Dropped missing values rows and duplicates.

```
# Drop rows with missing values
df.dropna(inplace=True)

# Remove duplicates
df.drop_duplicates(inplace=True)

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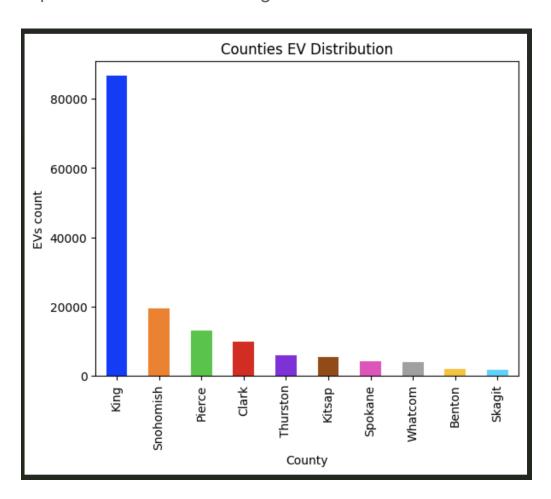
Dropped the features which are not required or not relevant to the dataset. Also renamed large feature names to small readable ones.

There were only two numerical features named Range and Make Year, which contained real-world values with no outliers.

Performed One-Hot encoding using Pandas Dummies.

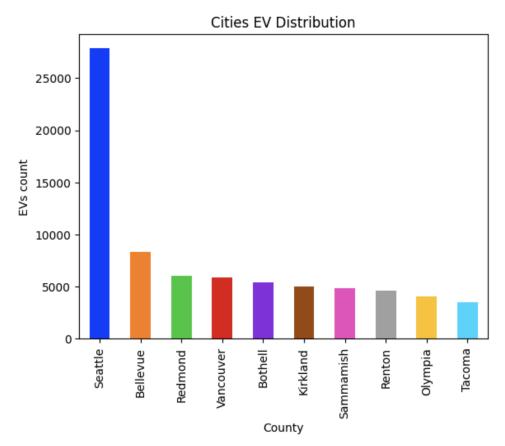
3. Provide at least 5 visualization graphs with a brief description for each graph, e.g. discuss if there are any interesting patterns or correlations.

Top ten counties with the highest number of EVs.



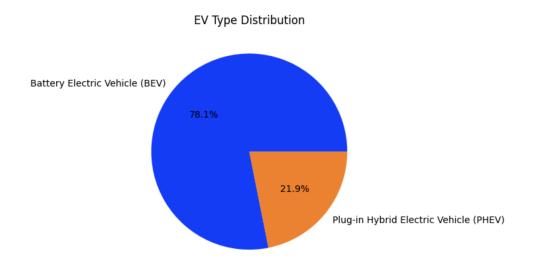
→ King County has the highest number of Electric vehicles in Washington State.

Top ten Cities with the highest number of EVs.



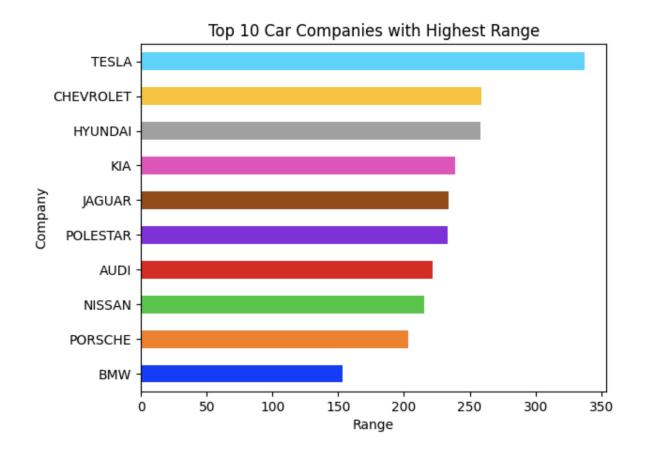
→ Seatle City has the highest number of Electric vehicles in Washington State.

EV Type Distribution.



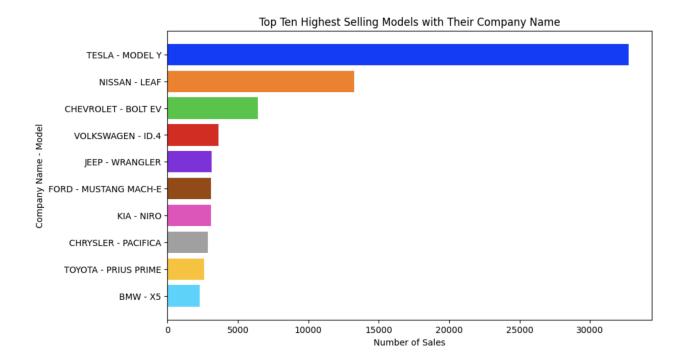
→ Battery-operated EVs are much higher in number compared to Plug-In EVs.

Top ten car companies with the highest range.



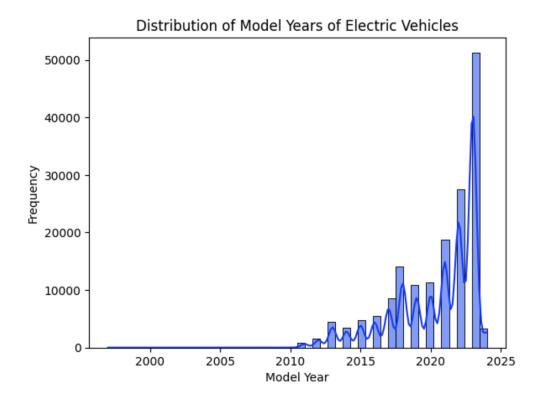
 \rightarrow Tesla has the highest range of all-electric vehicles.

Top ten highest-selling models with their company name.



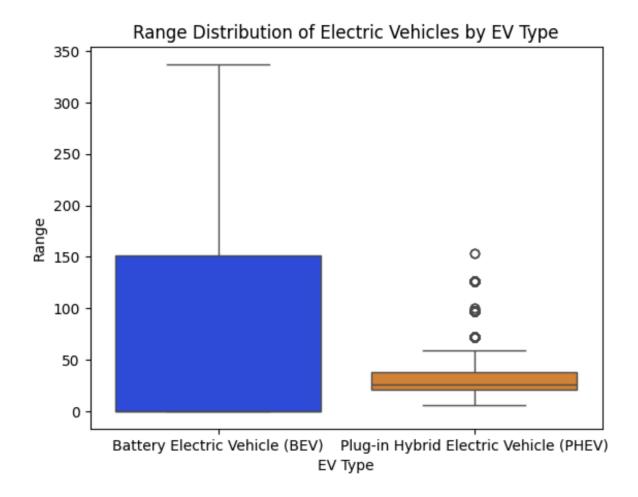
ightarrow Tesla's Model-Y is the most selling EV of all time.

Distribution of Model Years of EVs.



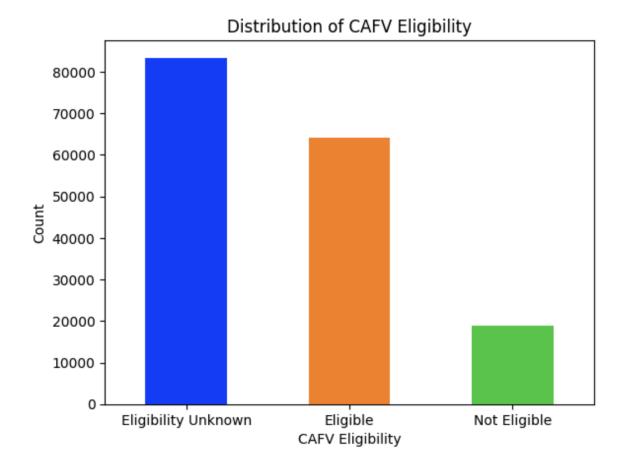
 \rightarrow EV sales saw a steep growth from the year 2020-2025.

Range distribution of Electric Vehicles by EV types.



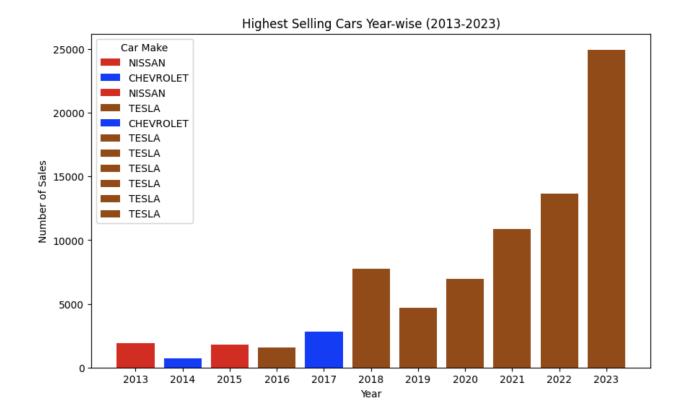
→ From above we can infer that BEV has a much higher range than PHEV.

Distribution of CAFV Eligibility.



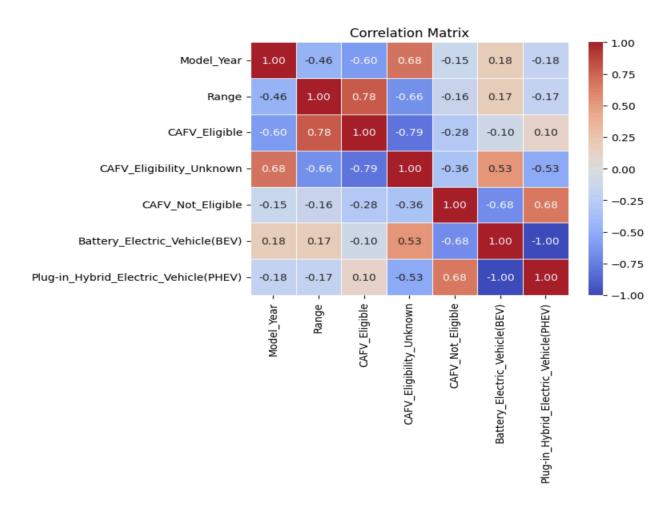
ightarrow Most of the EVs in Washington state have their CAFV eligibility unknown.

Highest selling car year-wise in last decade.



→ From the year 2018-2023, Tesla has been the highest-selling car in Washington state.

Correlation Matrix.



→ Range and CAFV Eligible have the highest correlation among all the features.

4. Provide brief details and mathematical representation of the ML methods you have used. What are the key features? What are the advantages/disadvantages?

Logistic Regression:

Logistic Regression is a binary classification algorithm used to predict the probability of a binary result based on one or more features. In short classification. It uses the logistic function to find the probability of the dependent variable as a function of the independent variables.

Key Features:

It's a simple, efficient classification model and also works well with linearly separable data.

Its advantage is it's easy to implement and interpret however is sensitive to outliers.

Random Forest:

Random Forest is an ensemble learning method that constructs multiple decision trees during training. It builds multiple decision trees and merges them to get accurate and stable predictions.

Key Features:

It handles non-linear relationships better and since it's an ensemble learning, it combines multiple weak learners to create a strong learner.

Its advantage is it handles high dimensional data well however, it's computationally expensive.

Support Vector Machines(SVM):

It's an algorithm used for both classification and regression tasks. It works by finding the hyperplane that best separates the classes in the feature space. SVM aims to find the optimal hyperplane that maximizes the margin between the classes in the feature space.

Key Features:

It handles both linear and non-linear relationships better and is effective in high-dimensional data.

Its advantage is it handles high-dimensional data well however, it's sensitive to noise.

5. Provide your loss value and accuracy for all 3 methods.

Validation Set

```
--- Validation Set Loss ---
Logistic Regression Loss on Validation Set: 2.2204460492503136e-16
Support Vector Machine(SVM) Loss on Validation Set: 0.6242489786109109
--- Random Forest Classification Report on Validation Set---
              precision
                          recall f1-score
                                             support
          0
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                               10231
          1
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                                6413
                                               16644
   accuracy
                                      1.00
  macro avg
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                               16644
weighted avg
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                               16644
--- Validation Set ---
Logistic Regression Accuracy on Validation Set: 1.0
Random Forest Accuracy on Validation Set: 1.0
Support Vector Machine(SVM) Accuracy on Validation Set: 0.9904470079307859
```

Testing Set

```
--- Testing Set Loss ---
Logistic Regression Loss on Testing Set: 2.2204460492503136e-16
Support Vector Machine(SVM) Loss on Testing Set: 0.6269903262632939
--- Random Forest Classification Report on Testing Set---
             precision
                          recall f1-score
                                             support
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                               10307
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                                6336
                                               16643
                                      1.00
   accuracy
                  1.00
                            1.00
                                      1.00
                                               16643
  macro avg
weighted avg
                                      1.00
                                               16643
                  1.00
                            1.00
--- Testing Set ---
Logistic Regression Accuracy on Testing Set: 1.0
Random Forest Accuracy on Testing Set: 1.0
Support Vector Machine(SVM) Accuracy on Testing Set: 0.9923090788920267
```

6. Show the plot comparing the predictions vs the actual test data for all methods used. Analyze the results. You can consider accuracy/time/loss as some of the metrics to compare the methods.



→ All three models Logistic Regression, Random Forest, and SVM gave similar accuracies.

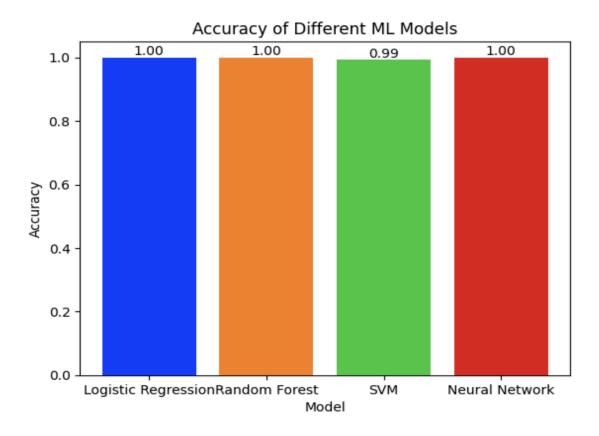
7. Provide the neural network structure you have built to solve the problem defined in Part I. Show the plot. Analyze the results.

Neural Network Structure.

```
# Define the neural network architecture
class NN(nn.Module):
    def __init__(self, input_size, hidden_size, output_size):
        super(NN, self).__init__()
        self.fc1 = nn.Linear(input_size, hidden_size)
        self.relu = nn.ReLU()
        self.fc2 = nn.Linear(hidden_size, output_size)

def forward(self, x):
    x = self.fc1(x)
    x = self.relu(x)
    x = self.fc2(x)
    return x
```

Accuracies of different models.



^{ightarrow} All models Logistic Regression, Random Forest, SVM, and Neural Network gave similar accuracies.

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