Project Employee Absenteeism

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1. Introduction

1.1 Problem Statement

XYZ is a courier company. As we appreciate that human capital plays an important role in collection, transportation and delivery. The company is passing through genuine issue of Absenteeism. The company has shared it dataset and requested to have an answer on the following areas:

- 1. What changes company should bring to reduce the number of absenteeism?
- 2. How much losses every month can we project in 2011 if same trend of absenteeism continues?

1.2 Data

- 1. Individual identification (ID)
- 2. Reason for absence (ICD).

Absences attested by the International Code of Diseases (ICD) stratified into 21 categories (I to XXI) as follows:

I Certain infectious and parasitic diseases

II Neoplasms

III Diseases of the blood and blood-forming organs and certain disorders involving the immune mechanism

IV Endocrine, nutritional and metabolic diseases

V Mental and behavioural disorders

VI Diseases of the nervous system

VII Diseases of the eye and adnexa+ Fog

VIII Diseases of the ear and mastoid process

IX Diseases of the circulatory system

X Diseases of the respiratory system

XI Diseases of the digestive system

XII Diseases of the skin and subcutaneous tissue

XIII Diseases of the musculoskeletal system and connective tissue

XIV Diseases of the genitourinary system

XV Pregnancy, childbirth and the puerperium

XVI Certain conditions originating in the perinatal period

XVII Congenital malformations, deformations and chromosomal abnormalities

XVIII Symptoms, signs and abnormal clinical and laboratory findings, not elsewhere classified

XIX Injury, poisoning and certain other consequences of external causes

XX External causes of morbidity and mortality

XXI Factors influencing health status and contact with health services.

And 7 categories without (CID) patient follow-up (22), medical consultation (23), blood

donation (24), laboratory examination (25), unjustified absence (26), physiotherapy (27), dental consultation (28).

- 3. Month of absence
- 4. Day of the week (Monday (2), Tuesday (3), Wednesday (4), Thursday (5), Friday (6))
- 5. Seasons (summer (1), autumn (2), winter (3), spring (4))
- 6. Transportation expense
- 7. Distance from Residence to Work (kilometers)
- 8. Service time
- 9. Age
- 10. Work load Average/day
- 11. Hit target
- 12. Disciplinary failure (yes=1; no=0)
- 13. Education (high school (1), graduate (2), postgraduate (3), master and doctor (4))
- 14. Son (number of children)
- 15. Social drinker (yes=1; no=0)
- 16. Social smoker (yes=1; no=0)
- 17. Pet (number of pet)
- 18. Weight
- 19. Height
- 20. Body mass index
- 21. Absenteeism time in hours (target)

Table: Employee Absenteeism Sample Data (Columns: 1-8)

ID		Reason for absence	Month of absence	Day of the week	Seasons	Transportation expense	Distance from Residence to Wor	Service time
	11	26	7	3	1	289	36	13
	36	0	7	3	1	118	13	18

Table: Employee Absenteeism Sample Data (Columns: 9-17)

Age		Work load Average/day	Hit target	Disciplina	Education	Son	Social drinker	Social smoker	Pet
	33	239554	97	0	1	2	1	0	1
	50	239554	97	1	1	1	1	0	0

Table: Employee Absenteeism Sample Data (Columns: 17-21)

Weight	Height	Body mass index	Absenteeism time in hours
90	172	30	4
98	178	31	0

Below are the variables present in Employee Absenteeism dataset

Table: Employee Absenteeism

r	
s.no	Variables
1	ID
	Reason for
2	absence
	Month of
3	absence
	Day of the
4	week
5	Seasons
	Transportation
6	expense
	Distance from
	Residence to
7	Work
8	Service time
9	Age
	Work load
10	Average/day
11	Hit target
	Disciplinary
12	failure
13	Education
14	Son
15	Social drinker
16	Social smoker
17	Pet
18	Weight
19	Height
	Body mass
20	index
	Absenteeism
21	time in hours

2. Methodology

2.1 **Pre-Processing**

Any predictive modeling requires that we look at the data before we start modeling. We decided to simply remove few variables after loading data set but here we have dropped few variables after correlation test for continuous variables and anova test for categorical variables. Since our target variable is continuous and few variables are categorical hence we have applied anova test.

However, in data mining terms looking at data refers to so much more than just looking. Looking at data refers to exploring the data, cleaning the data as well as visualizing the data through graphs and plots. This is often called as **Exploratory Data Analysis**. To start this process, we will first check the presence of missing values in data set.

2.1.1 Missing Value Analysis

Missing values Analysis is required to be done so that we can check if there is any missing data. In case data is missing at few places we will impute those missing values by different methods in order to generate appropriate results. In our case we have missing values we will proceed to impute missing values. Below table illustrate missing values present in variables of the dataset.

Sr. No.	Variables	Number of Missing Values
1	ID	0
2	Reason for absence	3
3	Month of absence	1
4	Day of the week	0
5	Seasons	0
6	Transportation expense	7
7	Distance from Residence to Work	3
8	Service time	3
9	Age	3
10	Work load Average/day	10
11	Hit target	6
12	Disciplinary failure	6
13	Education	10
14	Son	6
15	Social drinker	3
16	Social smoker	4
17	Pet	2
18	Weight	1
19	Height	14
20	Body mass index	31
21	Absenteeism time in hours	22

In above table we can clearly see the number of missing values present in each variable. So, we have imputed these values. We applied mean, median and Knn method to impute, where we found that knn shows best values to impute, hence we made knn method in use to replace missing values with NA and later with knn.

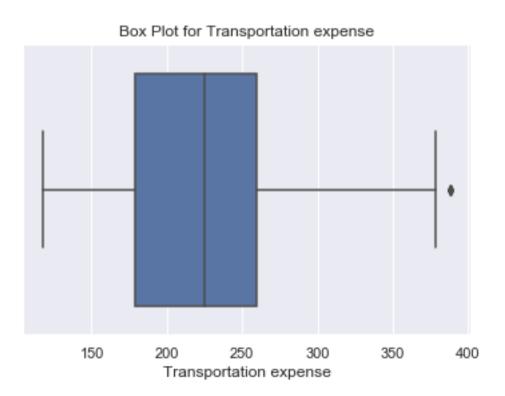
2.1.2 Outlier Analysis

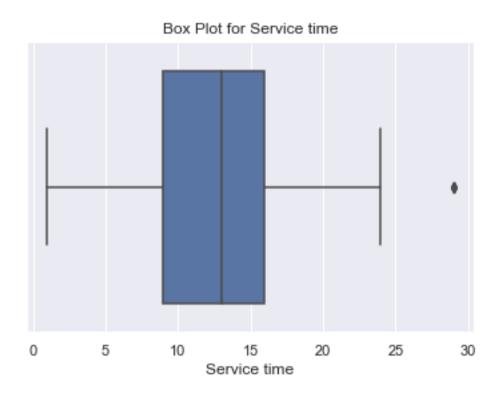
The Other steps of Preprocessing Technique is Outliers analysis, an outlier is an observation point that is distant from other observations. Outliers in data can be good and it can be bad as well. Here in our case we don't want outliers the reason for removing these outliers instead of substituting them with other balancing values (such as mean, median or knn method) because we expect them to be relatively random values and replacing them with set values may cause inaccuracy in analysis later.

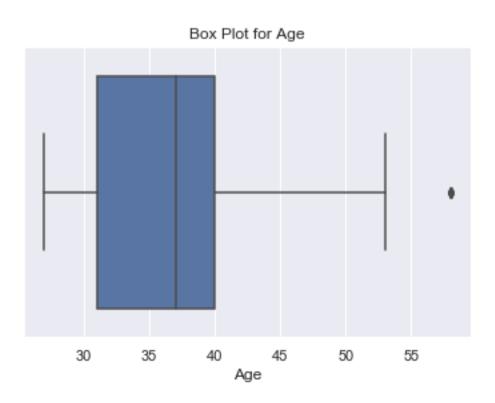
The outlier analysis is done by plotting the box plot. Boxplot is a method for graphically depicting groups of numerical data through their quartiles. Box plots may also have lines extending vertically from the boxes (whiskers) indicating variability outside the upper and lower quartiles.

Fig. 1.0

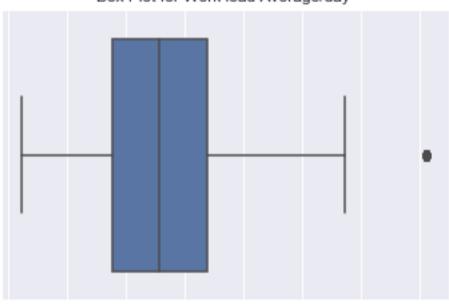
```
#Draw box plot
for i in variable_num:
    sns.boxplot(emp[i])
    plt.title("Box Plot for "+str(i))
    plt.show()
```



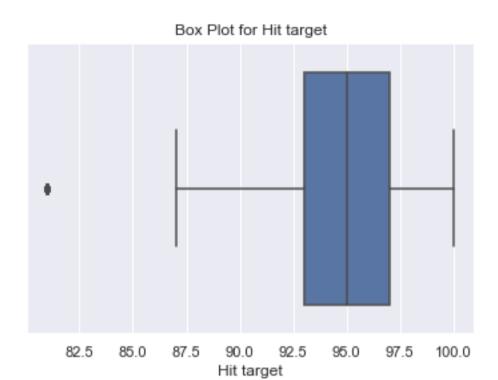


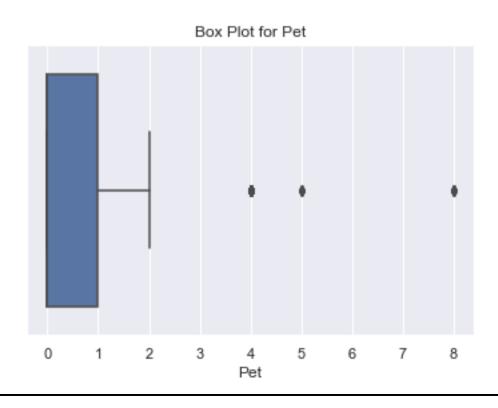


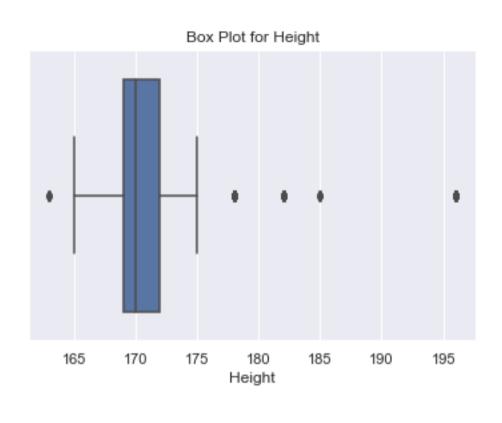
Box Plot for Work load Average/day



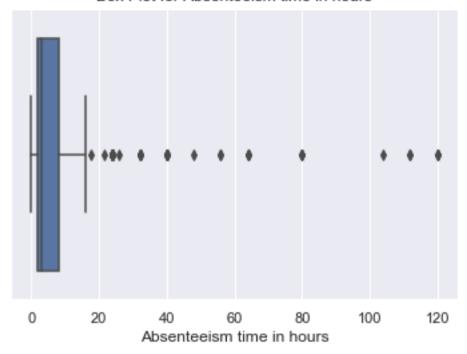
200000 225000 250000 275000 300000 325000 350000 375000 Work load Average/day







Box Plot for Absenteeism time in hours



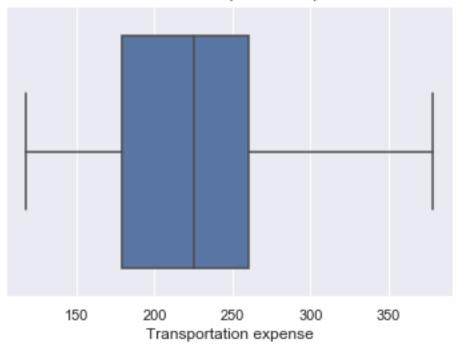
The above boxplots clearly shows the outliers present in the variables. So to treat the outlier we calculated upper and lower quartile then the interquartile range and then we created nan value in place of outliers which are later replaced by knn imputation method.

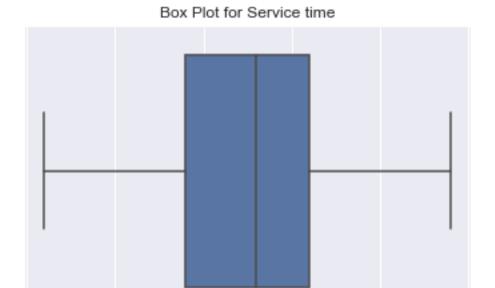
Boxplots after outlier treatment

```
#detect and replace outliers with NA
 #Extracting quartiles
for i in variable_num:
    q75,q25=np.percentile(emp[i],[75,25])
    ##calculating iqr
    iqr=q75-q25
    #calculating inner and outer fence
    minimum= q25-(iqr*1.5)
maximum= q75+(iqr*1.5)
    #replace with NA
     emp.loc[emp[i]<minimum,i] = np.nan</pre>
     emp.loc[emp[i]>maximum,i] = np.nan
emp.isnull().sum()
                                       0
Reason for absence
Month of absence
Day of the week
Seasons
                                       0
Transportation expense
Distance from Residence to Work
Service time
Age
Work load Average/day
                                      8
                                      31
Hit target
                                      19
Disciplinary failure
Education
                                      0
Son
Social drinker
Social smoker
Pet
                                      46
Weight
                                      0
Height
                                     119
Body mass index
Absenteeism time in hours
                                      46
dtype: int64
```

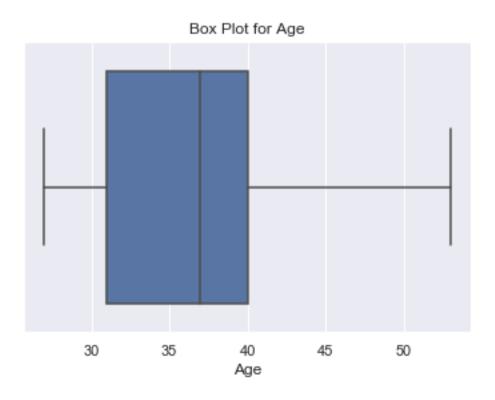
```
: #Impute with KNN
   emp=pd.DataFrame(KNN(k=3).fit_transform(emp), columns = emp.columns)
    Imputing row 1/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.111
    Imputing row 101/740 with 1 missing, elapsed time: 0.111
    Imputing row 201/740 with 1 missing, elapsed time: 0.113
    Imputing row 301/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.113
    Imputing row 401/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.113
    Imputing row 501/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.117
    Imputing row 601/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.117
    Imputing row 701/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.117
]: emp.isnull().sum()
  emp.isnull().sum()
 Reason for absence
Month of absence
Day of the week
                                   0
  Seasons
  Transportation expense
  Distance from Residence to Work
                                   0
  Service time
  Work load Average/day
  Hit target
  Disciplinary failure
  Education
 Son
Social drinker
  Social smoker
  Pet
  Weight
  Height
  Body mass index
  Absenteeism time in hours
  dtype: int64
  #Draw box plot
  for i in variable_num:
      sns.boxplot(emp[i])
      plt.title("Box Plot for "+str(i))
      plt.show()
```

Box Plot for Transportation expense





Service time

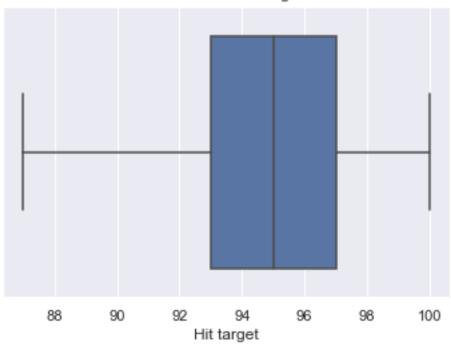


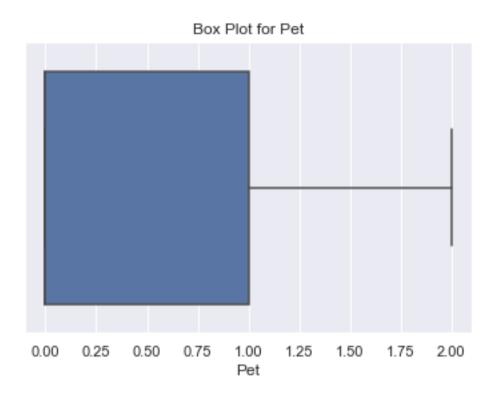
Box Plot for Work load Average/day

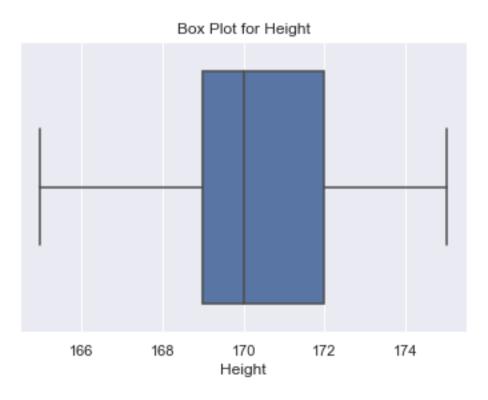


200000 220000 240000 260000 280000 300000 320000 340000 Work load Average/day

Box Plot for Hit target

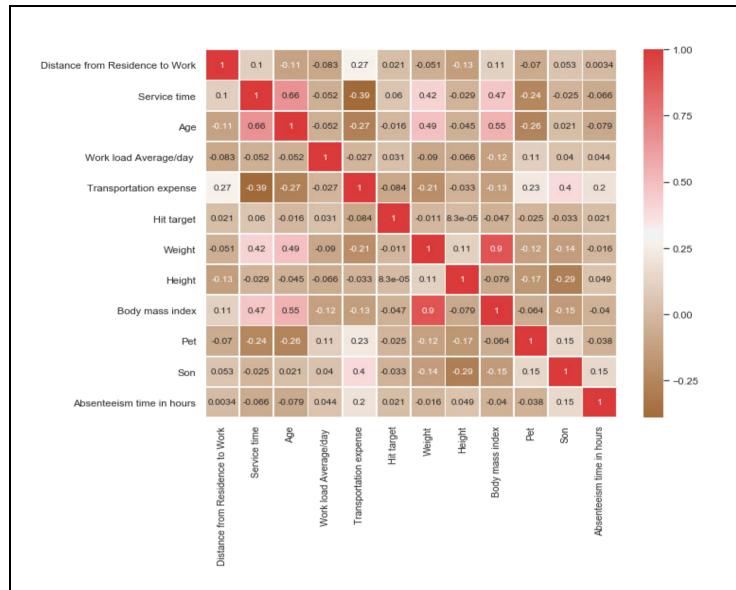






2.1.3 Feature Selection

Machine learning works on a simple rule of GIGO i.e. Garbage In Garbage Out. Here garbage refers to the noise or redundant values. This becomes even more important when the number of features are very large. We need not use every feature at our disposal for creating an algorithm. We can assist our algorithm by feeding in only those features that are important. Feature subsets gives better results than complete set of features for the same algorithm or "Sometimes, less is better!". We should consider the selection of feature for model keeping in mind that there should be low correlation between two independent variables otherwise there will be problem of multicollinearity. Fig. 3.0



From above correlation plot we can clearly see that variable Weight and Body mass index have high correlation variable Age and Service Time also have high correlation. It means that we must drop one variable out of two having high correlation. So in our study here we will drop variables Weight and Age.

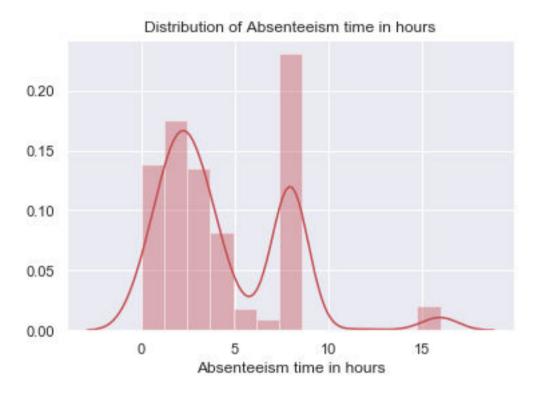
Color dark Red indicates there is strong positive correlation and if dark brown indicates negative correlation.

3. Data Distribution

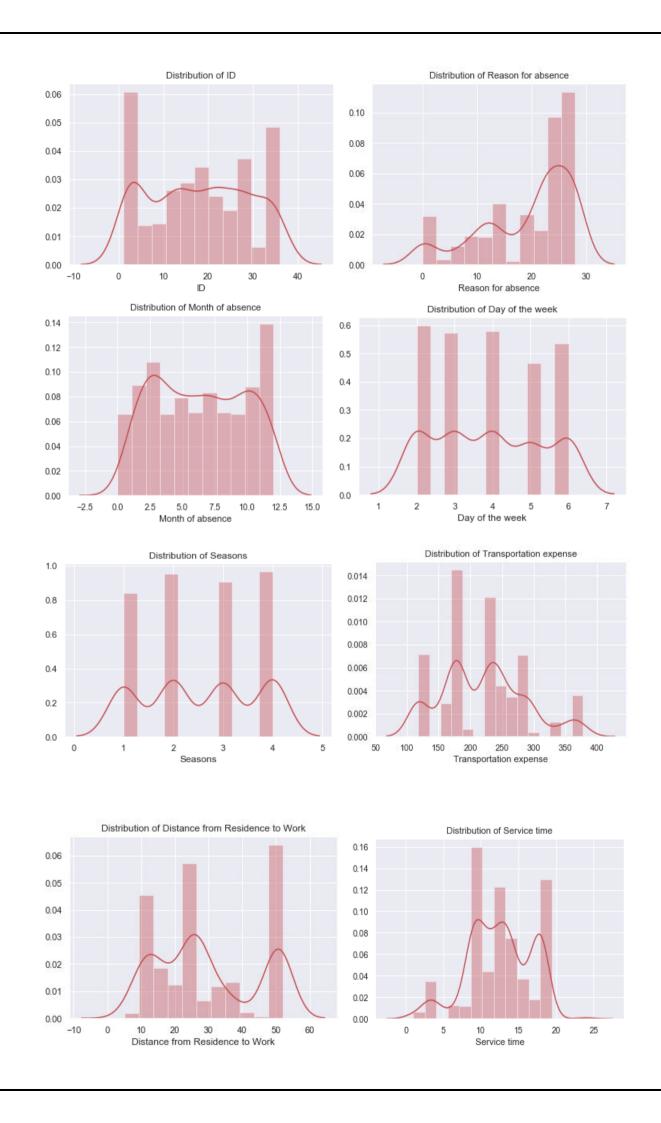
Checking distribution of variables with help of distribution plot

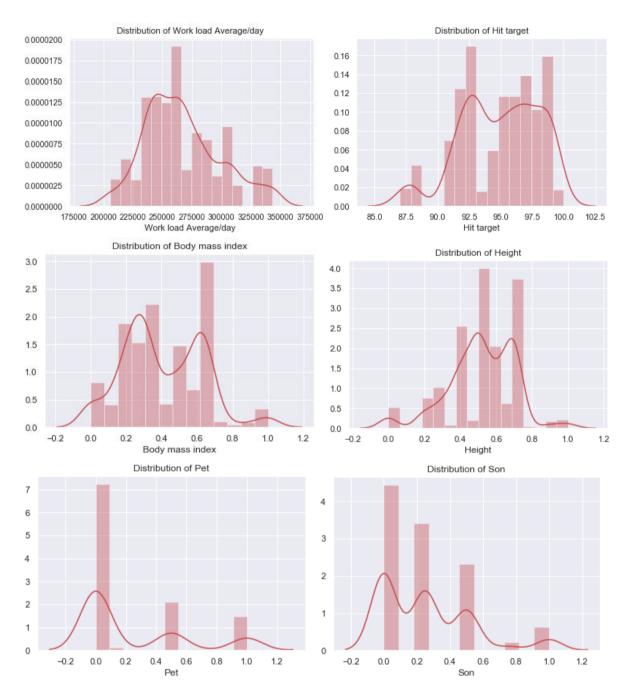
Distribution of target variable (Absenteeism time in hours)

Fig. 4.0



From above grapph we can see that our target variable Absenteeism time in hours is not normally distributed.





From above distribution plots we can clearly see that data is not normaly distributed. So, we will normalize data i.e. we will bring in range of 0 to 1 So that data gets normally distributed.

```
#Since we have dropped few variables and stored in emp_reduced. So here we have to updated the variable
#and store them in new object.
'Body mass index', 'Absenteeism time in hours']
#Since data is not normally distributed hence we will normalize our data for further analysis
for i in variable_num_update:
   print(i)
   emp_reduced[i] = (emp_reduced[i] - emp_reduced[i].min())/(emp_reduced[i].max()-emp_reduced[i].min())
 Distance from Residence to Work
 Pet
 Son
 Work load Average/day
 Transportation expense
 Hit target
 Height
 Service time
 Body mass index
 Absenteeism time in hours
```

4. Dummies Creation

Since we have categorical variable also in our data set and we can't make calculation on data having categorical variable. So, we have made use of dummy variable for categories which helps us to make calculations and build suitable model.

Creating Dummies

```
: ##Create dummies for categorical variables. Above we have already stored categorical variable in variable_cat
  for i in variable_cat_update1:
      temp = pd.get_dummies(emp_reduced[i], prefix = i)
      emp_dummy = emp_dummy.join(temp)
 emp_dummy.head(5)
                    Distance
      Absenteeism
                                                                                              Body
                            Pet Son Average/day
                       from
                                        Work load Transportation
                                                                     Hit
                                                                                   Service
                                                                                                          Month of
                                                                                                                      Month of
                                                                                                                                   Month of
           time in
                                                                           Height
                                                                                              mass
                  Residence
                                                                                                       absence_8.0 absence_9.0 absence_10.0 abse
                                                       expense
                                                                  target
                                                                                     time
           hours
                                                                                             index
                    to Work
   0
            0.250
                    0.659574 0.5 0.50
                                         0.244925
                                                       0.657692 0.769231 0.700000 0.521739 0.578947
                                                                                                                            0
   1
            0.000
                   0.170213 0.0 0.25
                                         0.244925
                                                       0.000000 0.769231 0.500001 0.739130 0.631579
                                                                                                                0
                                                                                                                                         0
   2
            0.125
                   0.978723 0.0 0.00
                                         0.244925
                                                       0.234615 0.769231 0.500000 0.739130 0.631579
                                                                                                                0
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            0.250
                   0.000000 0.0 0.50
                                                                                                                0
                                                                                                                                         0
   3
                                         0.244925
                                                       0.619231 0.769231 0.300000 0.565217 0.263158
                   0.659574 0.5 0.50
                                                                                                                            0
            0.125
                                         0.244925
                                                       0.657692 0.769231 0.700000 0.521739 0.578947
                                                                                                                                         0
  5 rows x 118 columns
: emp_dummy.shape
: (740, 118)
```

5. Modelling

5.1 Model Selection

Model Selection is a process of selecting the model which have better accuracy and can work on train and test data. We must select a model where algorithm works well and shows low error rate. We made Decision Tree, Random Forest and Linear regression model. Previously when we ran all three models the results were not so good. So we made use Principal component analysis which helped us to select the variables that explained variance of data. It happens that at a certain point the variables don't show much of variance in data and can lead to complexity so in such case the PCA helps to select variables that actually show the variance.

5.1.1 Principal Component Analysis (PCA)

Dimensionality reduction using PCA

```
|: # Dimensionality reduction by using pca
   emp1 = emp_dummy['Absenteeism time in hours']
]: #emp_dummy.drop(['Absenteeism time in hours'], inplace = True, axis=1)
   emp_dummy.shape
|: (740, 118)
]: from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
   # Converting data to numpy array
   X = emp_dummy.values
|: # Data has 118 variables so no of components of PCA = 118
   pca = PCA(n_components=118)
   pca.fit(X)
|: PCA(copy=True, iterated_power='auto', n_components=118, random_state=None,
     svd_solver='auto', tol=0.0, whiten=False)
]: # The amount of variance that each PC explains
   var= pca.explained_variance_ratio_
 # Cumulative Variance explains
 var1=np.cumsum(np.round(pca.explained_variance_ratio_, decimals=4)*100)
 plt.plot(var1)
 plt.show()
   100
    80
    40
               20
 # From the above plot selecting 50 components since it explains almost 95+ % data variance
 pca = PCA(n_components=50)
 # Fitting the selected components to the data
 pca.fit(X)
```

5.1.2 Decision Tree

A tree has many analogies in real life and turns out that it has influenced a wide area of **machine learning**. In decision analysis, a decision tree can be used to visually and explicitly represent decisions and decision making. As the name goes, it uses a tree-like model of decisions.

Decision Tree Algorithm

Dividing data into train ¶

```
]: # Using train_test_split sampling function for test and train data split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,emp1, test_size=0.2)
```

Decision Tree

```
]: # Building model on top of training dataset
fit_DT = DecisionTreeRegressor(max_depth = 5).fit(X_train,y_train)

]: # Calculating RMSE for training data to check for over fitting
pred_train = fit_DT.predict(X_train)
prmse_for_train = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_train,pred_train))

]: # Calculating RMSE for test data to check accuracy
pred_test = fit_DT.predict(X_test)
prmse_for_test =np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test,pred_test))

]: print("Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = "+str(rmse_for_train))
print("Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = "+str(rmse_for_test))

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 0.0014547258030807727
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.009282941496556348
R^2 Score(coefficient of determination) = 0.9984520572905576
```

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```

5.1.3 Random Forest

Random forests is an ensemble learning method for classification and regression that operates by constructing a multitude of decision trees at training time and outputting the class that is the mode of the classes (classification) or mean prediction (regression) of the individual trees. Random decision forests correct for decision trees' habit of overfitting to their training set.

Random forest functions in following way

- Draws a bootstrap sample from training data.
- For each sample grow a decision tree and at each node of the tree
- a. Ramdomly draws a subset of mtry variable and p total of features that are available
- b. Picks the best variable and best split from the subset of mtry variable
- c. Continues until the tree is fully grown.

Random Forest Implementation

Random Forest

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 0.08463919371751547 Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.07135560349067667 R^2 Score(coefficient of determination) = 0.8598614268421698

5.1.4 Linear Regression

Multiple linear regression is the most common form of linear regression analysis. As a predictive analysis, the multiple linear regression is used to explain the relationship between one continuous dependent variable and two or more independent variables. The independent variables can be continuous or categorical.

Linear Regression

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 4.529890363154557e-16
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.00030505994938045586
R^2 Score(coefficient of determination) = 0.9999979137208953

R-squared is a statistical measure of how close the data are to the fitted regression line. It is also known as the coefficient of determination, or the coefficient of multiple determination for multiple regression. 0% indicates that the model explains none of the variability of the response data around its mean.

As R-Square value is 0.9999 and root mean squared error is also low both for training and test data hence linear regression model is well suited.

6. Conclusion: - For the Employee Absenteeism Linear regression Model is best model to predict the count.

Appendix - A

Answer to first question monthly absenteeism in hours

Finding Average monthly hours of Absenteeism

```
: hr_loss = pd.DataFrame(emp[['Month of absence', 'Absenteeism time in hours']])
: hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(1, "January")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(2, "Ferbruary")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(3, "March")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(4, "April")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(5, "May")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(6, "june")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(7, "July")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(9, "September")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(10, "October")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(11, "November")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(11, "December")
hr_loss['Month of absence'] = hr_loss['Month of absence'].replace(11, "December")
```

```
hr_loss.head(5)
```

Month of absence Absenteeism time in hours 0 July 4.0 1 July 0.0 2 July 2.0 3 July 4.0 4 July 2.0

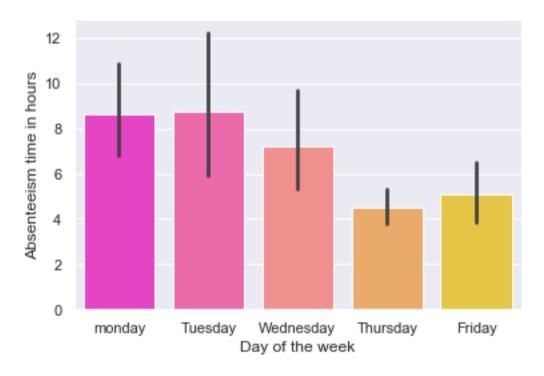
```
hr_loss.groupby('Month of absence')['Absenteeism time in hours'].mean()
Month of absence
                     0.000000
10.00000040690432
                      3.000000
April
                      4 484123
                      4.649133
August
December
                      3.999068
Ferbruary
                      3.849183
January
                      3.491295
July
                      5.613350
March
                      5.259064
May
November
                      4.162869
                      4.134807
October
                      4.242845
September
                      3.836394
                      4.551624
iune
Name: Absenteeism time in hours, dtype: float64
```

```
hr_loss.isnull().sum()

Month of absence 0
Absenteeism time in hours 0
dtype: int64
```

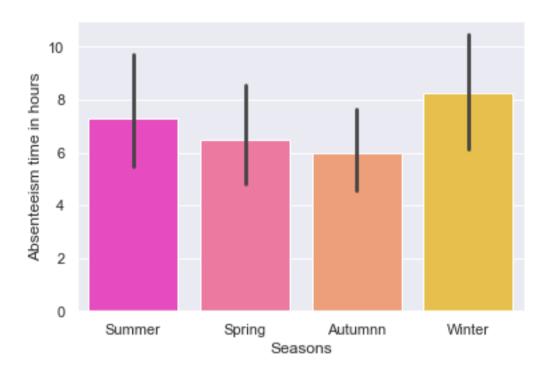
Answer to second question where company must take action

Bar plot between Day of week and Absenteeism in hours



From above bar plot we can see that on Tuesdays the absenteeism hours are highest. The company should see that why on Tuesday's absenteeism time is so high.

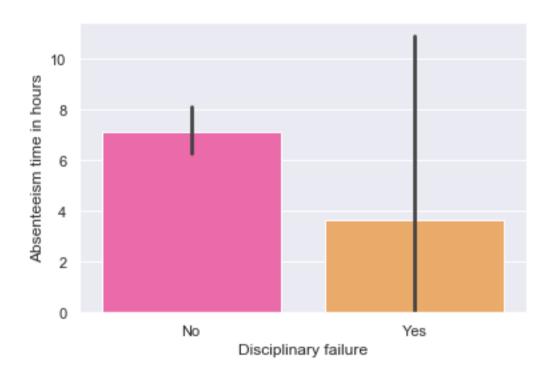
Bar plot between Seasons and Absenteeism time in hours



sns.barplot(x='Seasons', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

As we can see from above bar plot Absenteeism time in hours is more in winter season.

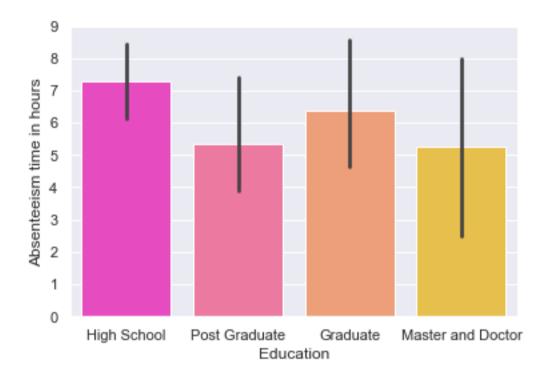
Bar plot between Disciplinary failure and Absenteeism time in hours



sns.barplot(x='Disciplinary failure', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

From above bar plot we can see that Disciplinary failure is not the reason for Absenteeism in hours.

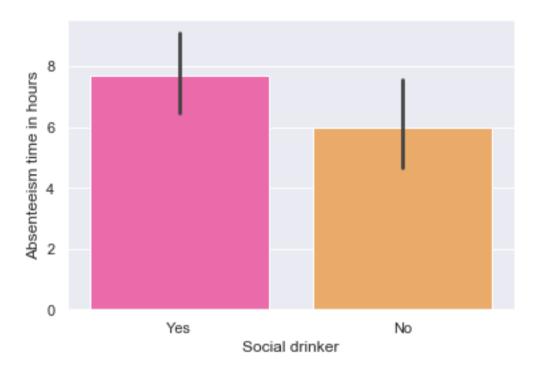
Bar plot between Education and Absenteeism time in hours



```
sns.barplot(x='Education', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)
```

We can see from above bar plot that those who have education of high school have highest absenteeism time in hours which means company should watch them and should take action against them.

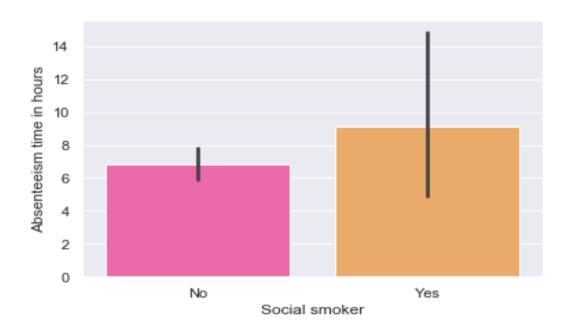
Bar plot between Social drinker and Absenteeism time in hours



sns.barplot(x='Social drinker', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

From above plot we can clearly see that those who are social drinker are having a greater number of absenteeism hours which means the company should warn them for drinking habit that should not affect the company's work and performance.

Bar plot between Social smoker and Absenteeism time in hours



sns.barplot(x='Social smoker', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

From above plot we can clearly see that those who are social smoker are having a greater number of absenteeism hours which means the company should warn them for smoking habit that should not affect the company's work and performance.

Appendix-B-Python Code

Fig 3.0 Python Code

Feature Selection

Complete Python File

2]: 'E:\\Project\\Employee absentism\\Python'

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```

#Loading dataset file emp = pd.read_csv('E:/Project/Employee absentism/Python/employee_absenteeism.csv') df=emp.copy() emp.head(5) Distance from Residence to Work Month of Seasons Transportation expense Service time Age Work load Average/day Disciplinary failure Education Son Social Social drinker smoker Pet Wei absence absence 0 11 36.0 26.0 7.0 3 289.0 13.0 33.0 239554.0 0.0 1.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 1.0 1 36 0.0 7.0 118.0 13.0 18.0 50.0 239554.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 1.0 0.0 0.0 3 2 23.0 7.0 179.0 51.0 0.0 0.0 0.0 3 18.0 38.0 239554.0 1.0 0.0 1.0 3 7 7.0 7.0 5 279.0 5.0 14.0 39.0 239554.0 0.0 1.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 1.0 239554.0 0.0 4 11 23.0 7.0 5 289.0 36.0 13.0 33.0 1.0 2.0 1.0 0.0 1.0 5 rows × 21 columns #checking the data types emp.dtypes

#checking the data types emp.dtypes

int64 Reason for absence float64 Month of absence Day of the week float64 int64 Seasons int64 Transportation expense float64 Distance from Residence to Work float64 Service time float64 float64 Age Work load Average/day float64 Hit target float64 Disciplinary failure float64 float64 Education float64 Son Social drinker float64 Social smoker float64 Pet float64 Weight float64 Height float64 Body mass index Absenteeism time in hours float64 float64 dtype: object

Missing Value analysis

ID	0		
Reason for absence	3		
Month of absence	1		
Day of the week	0		
Seasons	0		
Transportation expense	7		
Distance from Residence to Work	3		
Service time	3		
Age	3		
Work load Average/day	10		
Hit target	6		
Disciplinary failure	6		
Education	10		
Son	6		
Social drinker	3		
Social smoker	4		
Pet	2		
Weight	1		
Height	14		
Body mass index	31		
Absenteeism time in hours	22		
dtype: int64			

```
: #From above value we can clearly see that there are missing values. since there are missing values present we need to impute
  #these missing values.
emp.shape
(740, 21)
  #create data frame with missing values
emp_missing_value = pd.DataFrame(emp.isnull().sum())
  emp_missing_value
                                0
                           ID 0
             Reason for absence
                                3
               Month of absence
                Day of the week 0
                    Seasons 0
           Transportation expense 7
   Distance from Residence to Work 3
                   Service time 3
           Work load Average/day 10
                      Hit target 6
              Disciplinary failure
                     Education 10
                          Son 6
                  Social drinker 3
                  Social smoker 4
                          Pet 2
                        Weight
                        Height 14
               Body mass index 31
       Absenteeism time in hours 22
 emp_missing_value = emp_missing_value.reset_index()
 emp_missing_value
                           index 0
  0
                             ID 0
   1
                Reason for absence
  2
                 Month of absence
   3
                   Day of the week 0
 5
            Transportation expense 7
 6 Distance from Residence to Work 3
 7
                    Service time 3
 8
                      Age 3
 9
            Work load Average/day 10
10
                    Hit target 6
11
                Disciplinary failure 6
12
                    Education 10
13
                           Son 6
                   Social drinker 3
14
15
                   Social smoker 4
                         Pet 2
16
17
                         Weight 1
18
                         Height 14
19
                 Body mass index 31
20
         Absenteeism time in hours 22
#Renaming the columns
emp_missing_value = emp_missing_value.rename(columns = {'index':'variables',0:'missing_percentage'})
emp_missing_value
```

```
: #calculating percentage
  emp_missing_value['missing_percentage'] = (emp_missing_value['missing_percentage']/len(emp))*100
: emp_missing_value
                       variables missing_percentage
   0
                           ID
                                        0.000000
    1
                Reason for absence
                                        0.405405
   2
                 Month of absence
                                        0.135135
   3
                                        0.000000
                  Day of the week
   4
                                        0.000000
                        Seasons
   5
             Transportation expense
                                        0.945946
   6 Distance from Residence to Work
                                        0.405405
   7
                     Service time
                                        0.405405
   8
                                        0.405405
    9
             Work load Average/day
                                        1.351351
   10
                                        0.810811
                       Hit target
   11
                 Disciplinary failure
                                         0.810811
   12
                       Education
                                        1.351351
   13
                                        0.810811
                                        0.405405
   14
                    Social drinker
]: emp_missing_value.to_csv('E:/Project/Employee absentism/Python/missing_value_perc.csv')
]: #Creating missing value in Transportation expense and later imputing it.
]: #Creating copy
   df = emp.copy()
]: df1=emp.copy()
]: #Creating missing value
emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
]: 260.0
1: #Imputation method
   #actual value = 260
   #Mean = 220.98
   #Median = 225
]: emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10] = np.nan
 emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
 nan
  emp['Transportation expense'] = emp['Transportation expense'].fillna(emp['Transportation expense'].mean())
  emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
  220.98224043715848
  #Loading data set again
  emp = df.copy()
  emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
  emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10] = np.nan
  See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy self._setitem_with_indexer(indexer, value)
  emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
  nan
```

```
#Impute with median
emp['Transportation expense'] = emp['Transportation expense'].fillna(emp['Transportation expense'].median())
emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
##impute with KNN
#Loadina dataaset aaain
emp= df1.copy()
emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10] = np.nan
  \verb|C:\Users\Aditya\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\pandas\core\lindexing.py:189: Setting\WithCopy\Warning: For the packages in the packages of th
  A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame
  See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.html#indexing-view-versus-copy
 self._setitem_with_indexer(indexer, value)
emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
 #Applying KNN imputation method
 emp = pd.DataFrame(KNN(k = 3).fit_transform(emp), columns = emp.columns)
   Imputing row 1/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
  Imputing row 101/740 with 1 missing, elapsed time: 0.112 Imputing row 201/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
   Imputing row 301/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
   Imputing row 401/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
   Imputing row 501/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
Imputing row 601/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
   Imputing row 701/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.112
emp['Transportation expense'].iloc[10]
259.99999650507766
 #As we have seen that actual value is 260 and knn has given the value of 259.99 which is nearest to the actual value where
#we created the missing value. Hence we will go with KNNN method of imputation for missing values.
#Checking if any missing values
emp.isnull().sum()
ID
                                                                                      0
Reason for absence
                                                                                      0
Month of absence
                                                                                      0
```

Day of the week 0 Seasons Transportation expense Distance from Residence to Work 0 Service time Age Work load Average/day Hit target 0 Disciplinary failure Education Son ø Social drinker Social smoker Pet 0 Weight 0 Height $\stackrel{-}{\text{Body}}\text{ mass index}$ Absenteeism time in hours 0 dtype: int64

#We can see that now there are no missing values present hence we can move to our next stage of pre processing.

Outlier Analysis

```
: emp.head(10)
```

	ID	Reason for absence	Month of absence	Day of the week	Seasons	Transportation expense	Distance from Residence to Work	Service time	Age	Work load Average/day	 Disciplinary failure	Education	Son	Social drinker	Social smoker	Pet	W
0	11.0	26.0	7.0	3.0	1.0	289.000000	36.0	13.0	33.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	
1	36.0	0.0	7.0	3.0	1.0	118.000000	13.0	18.0	50.0	239554.0	 1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
2	3.0	23.0	7.0	4.0	1.0	179.000000	51.0	18.0	38.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
3	7.0	7.0	7.0	5.0	1.0	279.000000	5.0	14.0	39.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	
4	11.0	23.0	7.0	5.0	1.0	289.000000	36.0	13.0	33.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	
5	3.0	23.0	7.0	6.0	1.0	179.000000	51.0	18.0	38.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
6	10.0	22.0	7.0	6.0	1.0	354.419906	52.0	3.0	28.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	4.0	
7	20.0	23.0	7.0	6.0	1.0	260.000000	50.0	11.0	36.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	4.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
8	14.0	19.0	7.0	2.0	1.0	155.000000	12.0	14.0	34.0	239554.0	 0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	
9	1.0	22.0	7.0	2.0	1.0	235.000000	11.0	14.0	37.0	239554.0	 0.0	3.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	

10 rows × 21 columns

```
: emp.shape
```

: (740, 21)

```
: #detect and replace outliers with NA
#Extracting quartiles
for i in variable_num:
    q75,q25=np.percentile(emp[i],[75,25])

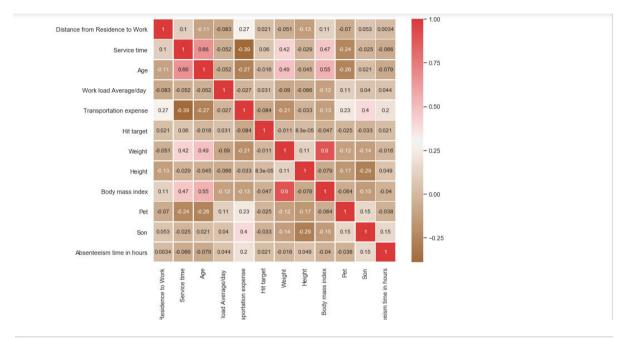
##calculating iqr
    iqr=q75-q25

#calculating inner and outer fence
    minimum= q25-(iqr*1.5)
    maximum= q75+(iqr*1.5)

#replace with NA
emp.loc[emp[i]*minimum,i] = np.nan
emp.loc[emp[i]*maximum,i] = np.nan
```

```
emp.isnull().sum()
                                                         0
 TD
 Reason for absence
 Month of absence
                                                         0
 Day of the week
                                                         A
 Seasons
                                                         0
 Transportation expense
 Distance from Residence to Work
                                                         0
 Service time
 Age
 Work load Average/day
                                                        31
Hit target
Disciplinary failure
                                                        19
                                                         0
 Education
 Son
                                                         0
 Social drinker
                                                         0
 Social smoker
 Pet
                                                        46
 Weight
                                                         A
 Height
                                                      119
 Body mass index
Absenteeism time in hours dtype: int64
                                                       46
 #calculating missing values
 missing_val = pd.DataFrame(emp.isnull().sum())
emp=pd.DataFrame(KNN(k=3).fit_transform(emp), columns = emp.columns)
 Imputing row 1/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.111
Imputing row 101/740 with 1 missing, elapsed time: 0.111
Imputing row 201/740 with 1 missing, elapsed time: 0.113
Imputing row 301/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.113
Imputing row 401/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.113
Imputing row 501/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.117
Imputing row 601/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.117
Imputing row 701/740 with 0 missing, elapsed time: 0.117
emp.isnull().sum()
                                                    0
Reason for absence
Month of absence
Day of the week
                                                    0
Seasons
Transportation expense
Distance from Residence to Work
Service time
Age
Work load Average/day
Hit target
Disciplinary failure
Education
Son
Social drinker
Social smoker
Pet
                                                    0
Pet
                                                     0
Weight
                                                     0
Height
Body mass index
Absenteeism time in hours
dtype: int64
for i in variable_num:
sns.boxplot(emp[i])
       plt.title("Box Plot for "+str(i))
       plt.show()
              Box Plot for Distance from Residence to Work
                    20 30 40
Distance from Residence to Work
                        Box Plot for Service time
```

Feature Selection



```
#Loop for Anova as we have categorical and continous varibate
for i in variable_cat:
    f, p = stats.f_oneway(emp[i], emp["Absenteeism time in hours"])
    print("P value for variable "+str(i)+" is "+str(p))

P value for variable ID is 1.7785014075344148e-172
P value for variable Reason for absence is 3.6736405592138233e-274
P value for variable Month of absence is 8.947828064387552e-27
P value for variable Day of the week is 0.0004917677652965601
P value for variable Seasons is 3.2732455306427215e-42
P value for variable Disciplinary failure is 9.750833449882069e-194
```

#here we are dropping redundant variable.## Here we are dropping continous variable who have high correlation.
emp_reduced = emp_drop(['Weight', 'Age'], axis=1)

emp_reduced.shape

P value for variable Education is 1.3331381651935513e-110 P value for variable Social drinker is 1.13501319297773e-157 P value for variable Social smoker is 3.550465245382907e-192

(740, 19)

emp_reduced.head(5)

	ID	Reason for absence	Month of absence	Day of the week	Seasons	Transportation expense	Distance from Residence to Work	Service time	Work load Average/day	Hit target	Disciplinary failure	Education	Son	Social drinker	Social smoker	Pet	
0	11.0	26.0	7.0	3.0	1.0	289.0	36.0	13.0	239554.0	97.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	172.
1	36.0	0.0	7.0	3.0	1.0	118.0	13.0	18.0	239554.0	97.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	170.
2	3.0	23.0	7.0	4.0	1.0	179.0	51.0	18.0	239554.0	97.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	170.
3	7.0	7.0	7.0	5.0	1.0	279.0	5.0	14.0	239554.0	97.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	1.0	0.0	168.
4	11.0	23.0	7.0	5.0	1.0	289.0	36.0	13.0	239554.0	97.0	0.0	1.0	2.0	1.0	0.0	1.0	172.
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```
: #Checking distribution of data
   sns.set()
   for i in emp_reduced:
         sns.distplot(emp_reduced[i],bins = 'auto', color = 'r')
plt.title("Distribution of "+str(i))
         plt.show()
   array index, `arr[np.array(seq)]`, which will result either in an error or a different result.
return np.add.reduce(sorted[indexer] * weights, axis=axis) / sumval
      4.0
      3.5
      3.0
      2.5
      2.0
      1.5
      1.0
      0.5
      0.0
          -0.2
                   0.0
                            0.2
                                     0.4
                                              0.6
                                                       0.8
                                                                1.0
                                                                         1.2
                                        Height
```

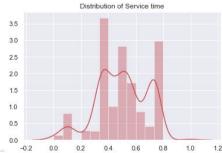
```
#Since data is not normally distributed hence we will normalize our data for further analysis
for i in variable_num_update:
    print(i)
    emp_reduced[i] = (emp_reduced[i] - emp_reduced[i].min())/(emp_reduced[i].max()-emp_reduced[i].min())
Distance from Residence to Work
```

Pet
Son
Work load Average/day
Transportation expense
Hit target
Height
Service time
Body mass index
Absenteeism time in hours

```
#Checking distribution of data
sns.set()
for i in variable_num_update:
    sns.distplot(emp_reduced[i],bins = 'auto', color = 'r')
    plt.title("Distribution of "+str(i))
    plt.show()

C:\Users\Aditya\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\scipy\stats\stats.py:1713: FutureWarning: Using a non-tuple sequence for multidi
    mensional indexing is deprecated; use `arr[tuple(seq)]` instead of `arr[seq]`. In the future this will be interpreted as an
    array index, `arr[np.array(seq)]`, which will result either in an error or a different result.
    return np.add.reduce(sorted[indexer] * weights, axis=axis) / sumval

Distribution of Service time
```



Creating Dummies

```
#Add continous variables
emp_dummy = emp_dummy.join(emp_reduced[variable_num_update1])

emp_dummy.shape

(740, 10)

##Create dummies for categorical variables. Above we have already stored categorical variable in variable_cat

for i in variable_cat_update1:
    temp = pd.get_dummies(emp_reduced[i], prefix = i)
    emp_dummy = emp_dummy.join(temp)

emp_dummy.head(5)
```

	Absenteeism time in hours	Distance from Residence to Work	Pet	Son	Work load Average/day	Transportation expense	Hit target	Height	Service time	Body mass index		Month of absence_8.0	Month of absence_9.0	Month of absence_10.0	abse
0	0.250	0.659574	0.5	0.50	0.244925	0.657692	0.769231	0.700000	0.521739	0.578947		0	0	0	
1	0.000	0.170213	0.0	0.25	0.244925	0.000000	0.769231	0.500001	0.739130	0.631579		0	0	0	
2	0.125	0.978723	0.0	0.00	0.244925	0.234615	0.769231	0.500000	0.739130	0.631579		0	0	0	
3	0.250	0.000000	0.0	0.50	0.244925	0.619231	0.769231	0.300000	0.565217	0.263158		0	0	0	
4	0.125	0.659574	0.5	0.50	0.244925	0.657692	0.769231	0.700000	0.521739	0.578947		0	0	0	
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Dividing data into train and test

```
]: # Using train_test_split sampling function for test and train data split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,emp_dummy, test_size=0.2)
```

Decision Tree

```
]: # Building model on top of training dataset
fit_DT = DecisionTreeRegressor(max_depth = 5).fit(X_train,y_train)

]: # Calculating RMSE for training data to check for over fitting
pred_train = fit_DT.predict(X_train)
rmse_for_train = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_train,pred_train))

]: # Calculating RMSE for test data to check accuracy
pred_test = fit_DT.predict(X_test)
rmse_for_test = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test,pred_test))

]: print("Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = "+str(rmse_for_train))
print("Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = "+str(rmse_for_test))

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 0.16453802703408338
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.1754563740288236
RP2 Score(coefficient of determination) = 0.2101739150543113
```

Random Forest ¶

Linear Regression

```
# Building model on top of training dataset
fit_LR = LinearRegression().fit(X_train , y_train)

# Calculating RMSE for training data to check for over fitting
pred_train = fit_LR.predict(X_train)
rmse_for_train = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_train,pred_train))

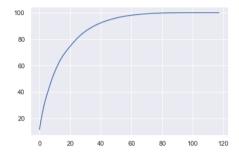
# Calculating RMSE for test data to check accuracy
pred_test = fit_LR.predict(X_test)
rmse_for_test = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test,pred_test))

print("Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = "+str(rmse_for_train))
print("Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = "+str(rmse_for_test))

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 0.013022927000721968
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 28891.076441671376
R^2 Score(coefficient of determination) = -17444084547.83734
```

Dimensionality reduction using PCA

```
# Cumulative Variance explains
sns.set()
var1=np.cumsum(np.round(pca.explained_variance_ratio_, decimals=4)*100)
plt.plot(var1)
plt.show()
```



```
# From the above plot selecting 50 components since it explains almost 95+ % data variance
pca = PCA(n_components=50)

# Fitting the selected components to the data
pca.fit(X)
```

Dividing data into train

```
# Using train_test_split sampling function for test and train data split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,emp1, test_size=0.2)
```

Decision Tree

```
# Building model on top of training dataset
fit_DT = DecisionTreeRegressor(max_depth = 5).fit(X_train,y_train)

# Calculating RMSE for training data to check for over fitting
pred_train = fit_DT.predict(X_train)
rmse_for_train = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_train,pred_train))

# Calculating RMSE for test data to check accuracy
pred_test = fit_DT.predict(X_test)
rmse_for_test = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test,pred_test))

print("Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = "+str(rmse_for_train))
print("Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = "+str(rmse_for_test))

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 0.0014547258030807727
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.0014547258030807727
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Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.0014547258030807727
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.00282941496556348
R*2 Score(coefficient of determination) = 0.99845205729065576
```

Random Forest

Linear Regression

```
: # Building model on top of training dataset
fit_LR = LinearRegression().fit(X_train , y_train)

: # Calculating RMSE for training data to check for over fitting
pred_train = fit_LR.predict(X_train)
rmse_for_train = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_train,pred_train))

: # Calculating RMSE for test data to check accuracy
pred_test = fit_LR.predict(X_test)
rmse_for_test = np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test,pred_test))

: print("Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = "+str(rmse_for_train))
print("Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = "+str(rmse_for_test))

print("R^2 Score(coefficient of determination) = "+str(r2_score(y_test,pred_test)))

Root Mean Squared Error For Training data = 4.529890363154557e-16
Root Mean Squared Error For Test data = 0.00030505994938045586
R^2 Score(coefficient of determination) = 0.9999979137208953

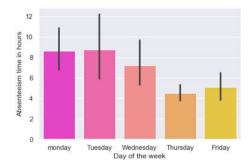
#After applying PCA and doing dimesion reduction we can clearly see that Linear regression performs better as compared to
#Random forest and decision tree. So we will go for linear regression model.
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```
emp=df.copy()

emp['Day of the week'] = emp['Day of the week'].replace(2, "monday")
emp['Day of the week'] = emp['Day of the week'].replace(3, "Tuesday")
emp['Day of the week'] = emp['Day of the week'].replace(4, "Wednesday")
emp['Day of the week'] = emp['Day of the week'].replace(5, "Thursday")
emp['Day of the week'] = emp['Day of the week'].replace(6, "Friday")

sns.barplot(x='Day of the week', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp, order = ['monday', 'Tuesday', 'Wednesday', 'Thursday', 'Thursday', 'Wednesday', 'Thursday', 'Thursday',
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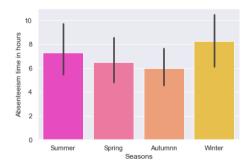
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emp['Seasons'] = emp['Seasons'].replace(1, "Summer")
emp['Seasons'] = emp['Seasons'].replace(2, "Autumnn")
emp['Seasons'] = emp['Seasons'].replace(3, "Winter")
emp['Seasons'] = emp['Seasons'].replace(4, "Spring")
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sns.barplot(x='Seasons', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

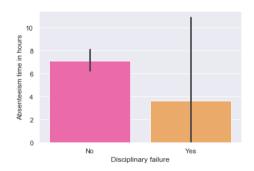
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emp['Disciplinary failure'] = emp['Disciplinary failure'].replace(0, "No")
emp['Disciplinary failure'] = emp['Disciplinary failure'].replace(1, "Yes")
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sns.barplot(x='Disciplinary failure', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

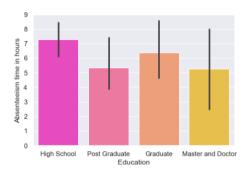
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emp['Education'] = emp['Education'].replace(1, "High School")
emp['Education'] = emp['Education'].replace(2, "Graduate")
emp['Education'] = emp['Education'].replace(3, "Post Graduate")
emp['Education'] = emp['Education'].replace(4, "Master and Doctor")
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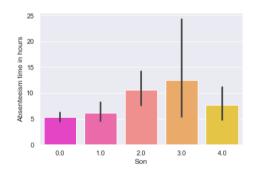
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sns.barplot(x='Education', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)
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sns.barplot(x='Son', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)
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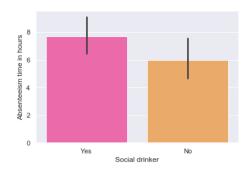
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```
emp['Social drinker'] = emp['Social drinker'].replace(0, "No")
emp['Social drinker'] = emp['Social drinker'].replace(1, "Yes")
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```
sns.barplot(x='Social\ drinker',\ y='Absenteeism\ time\ in\ hours',\ palette='spring',\ data=emp)
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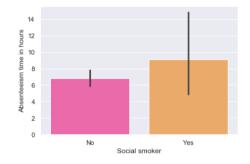
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emp['Social smoker'] = emp['Social smoker'].replace(0, "No")
emp['Social smoker'] = emp['Social smoker'].replace(1, "Yes")
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sns.barplot(x='Social smoker', y='Absenteeism time in hours', palette = 'spring', data = emp)

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