

Exploratory Data Analysis

G2M insight for Cab Investment firm

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Executive Summary

XYZ, a private firm in US, planning to make an investment in Cab industry since the industry has developed highly in recent years. Considering multiple key players in the market, it is following Go-to-Market(G2M) strategy since they want to understand the market before taking final decision.

Through actionable insights from exploratory data analysis, the executive team can identify the right company to make their investment.



Problem Statement

A private firm, XYZ, is planning for an investment in Cab industry. Before taking final decision, they want to understand the market. In other words, they want to follow the Go-to-Market(G2M) strategy to make this investment.

For this, the firm needs to identify the right company to make their investment.



Approach

- 1. First, I created the master data by merging the given datasets.
- 2. Then I explored the master data to understand the features of the dataset.
- 3. Then I dropped some of the features that might not help me to find the right company for the investment.
- 4. After that, I used the columns of Price Charged and Cost of Trip to calculate the profit for the master dataset.



Approach

- 5. Then the "groupby" operation was applied to find the description of the companies. It is obtained that the Price Charged, Cost of Trip and overall Profit gained are comparatively higher for the yellow cabs than the pink ones.
- 6. I also determined the sum and mean of the features for each cab company. It is obtained that the sum and mean of the features are higher for the yellow cabs than the pink ones due to both popularity and a large number of transactions.

So, it can be decided from the findings that the yellow cabs will be the right company to invest for the XYZ firm.



After creating the master dataset, I performed a few basic Exploratory Data Analysis. First, I applied the describe() method which returns the description of the data in the DataFrame. Then I displayed the first and last five rows of the dataset. I applied the shape method to print out the shape of the DataFrame, which is (440098 X 12) indicating the rows and columns respectively. To know the layout of each array in the dataset, I applied dtype method.

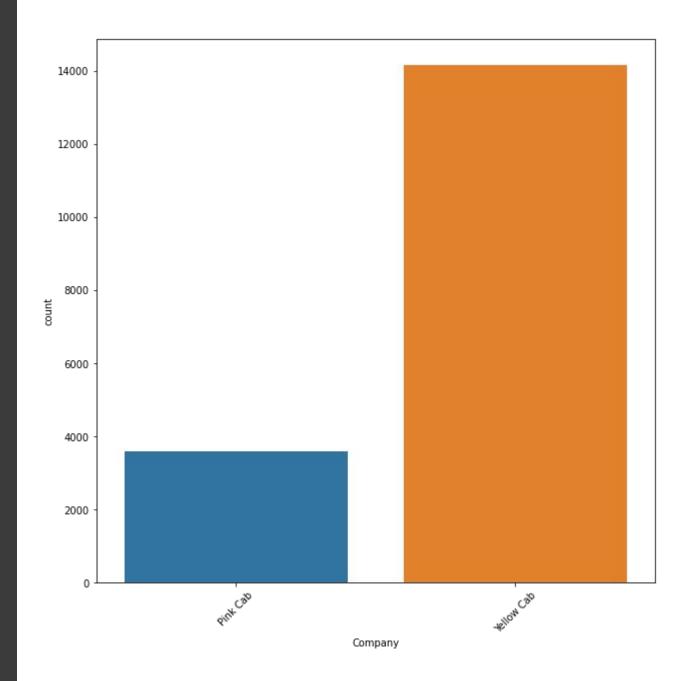


After applying some basic exploratory analysis, I found out the number of duplicates in DataFrame. It was obtained that, there is no duplicate row found in the dataset. As a result, the shape of the dataset remained the same after dropping the duplicate rows.

After identifying the duplicate rows, I found out the missing and null values for each features. It was found that there were some missing or null values for the Date of Travel, Company, City, KM Travelled etc, in the dataset. Since, the rows with missing or null values are of no or less importance to find insights, those rows were dropped. As a result, the shape of the dataset became smaller, which is (17763 X 12).

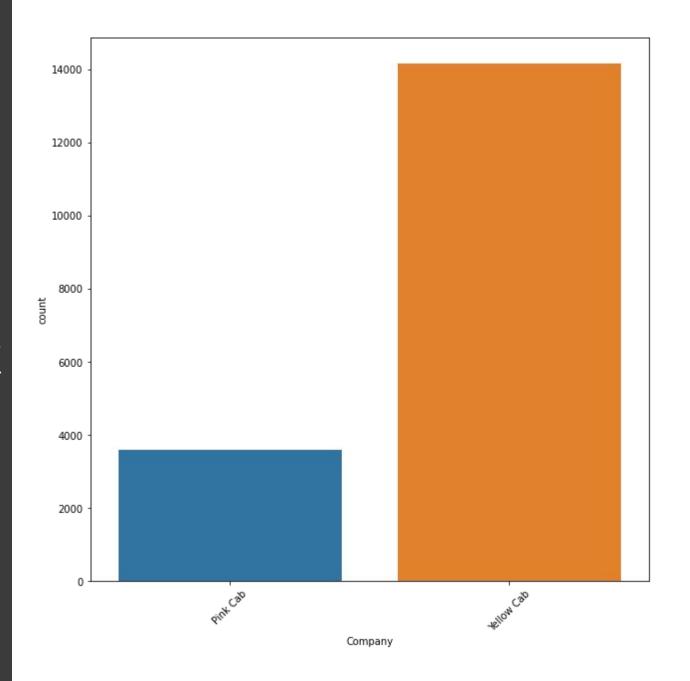


After the exploring the basic overview of the dataset, the number of customers of each cab company was counted using a bar chart.



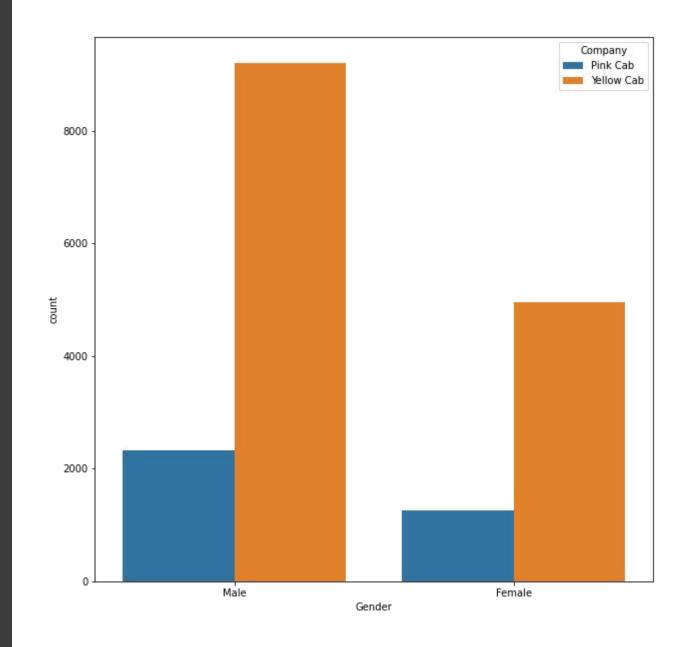


Then the number of transactions of each cab company was counted using a bar chart, which was found almost similar as the previous bar chart. The chart shows that the number of transactions occurred for the yellow cab is much higher than the pink ones.

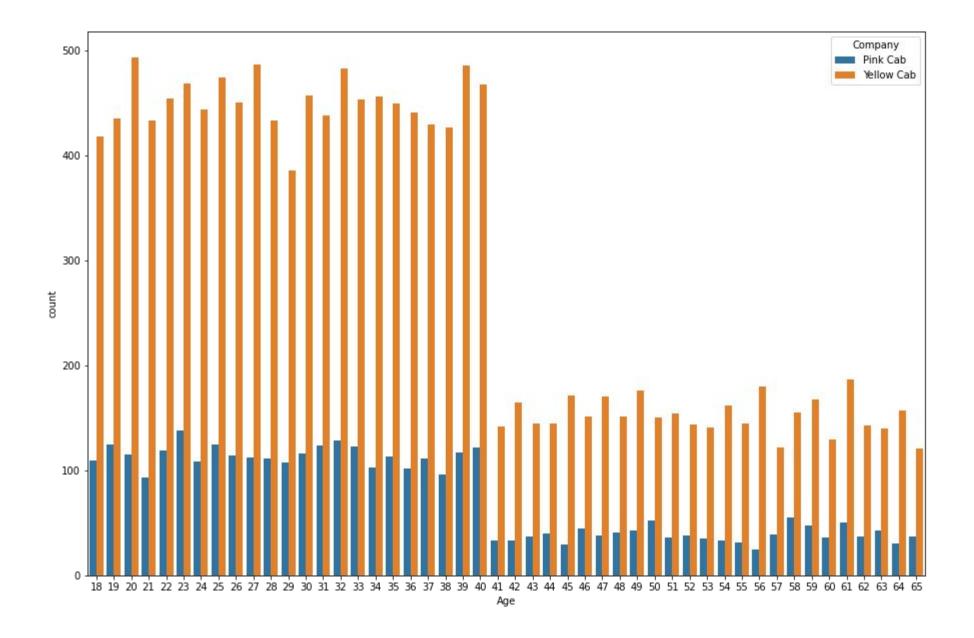




Moreover, the yellow cabs were popular for both male and female customers.

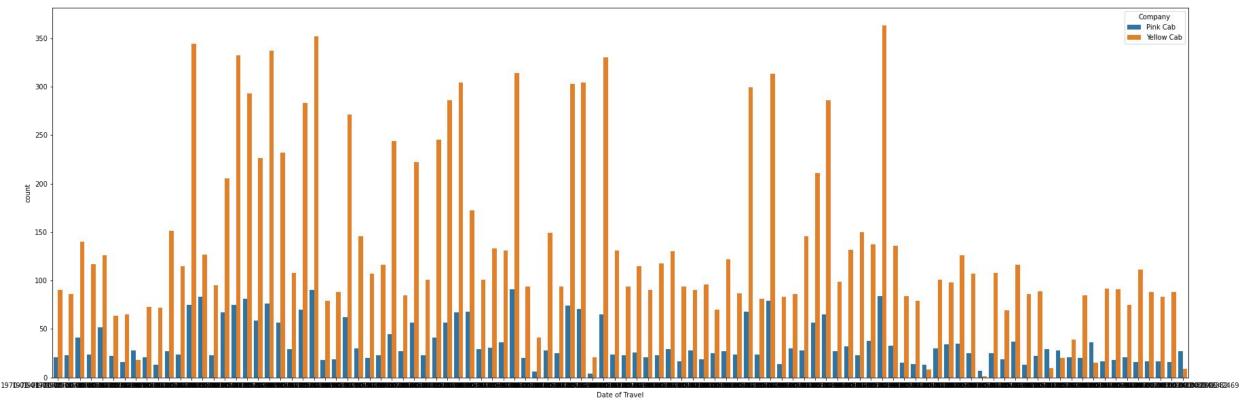






It was found that yellow cabs were more popular and commonly used by all age groups of customers.



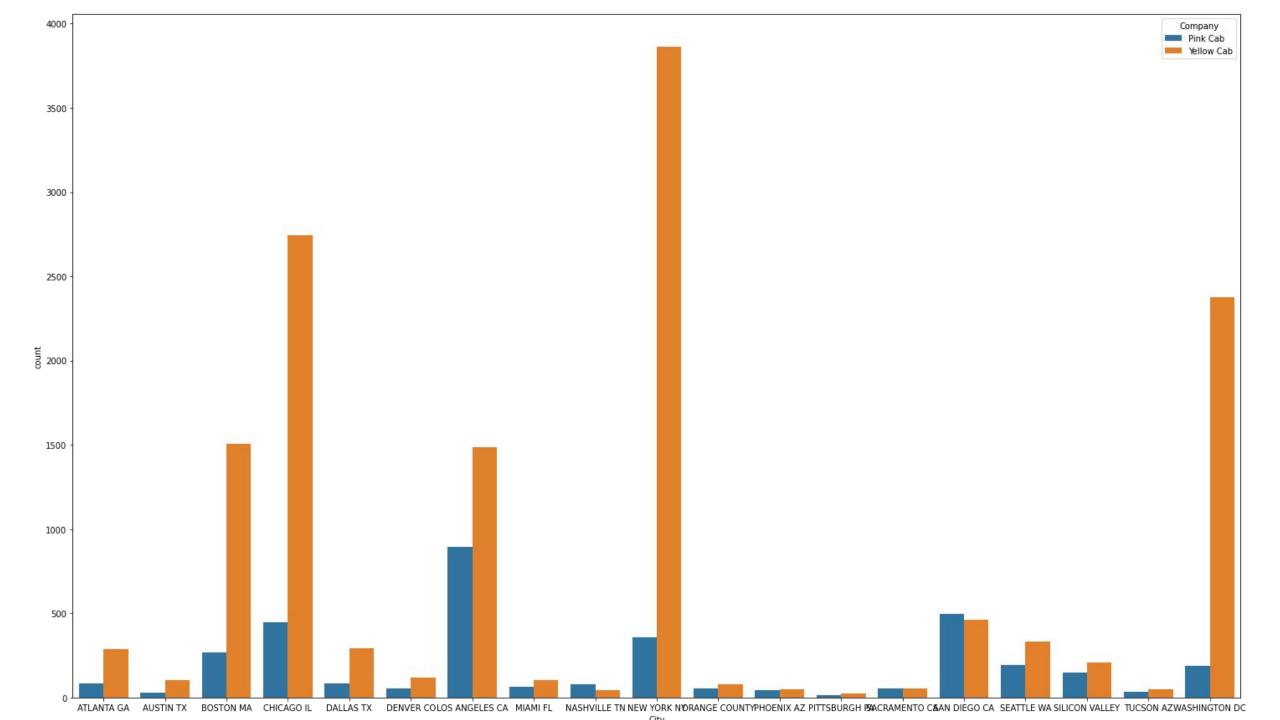


It was also found that yellow cabs were more popular than the pink ones during most of the travel dates.



The popularity between the cab companies were also obtained for every city in US.





It was found out yellow cab is more popular than pink cab in most of the cities in US, though pink cab is insignificantly popular in San Diego and Nashville.



EDA Summary

In conclusion, it was found that the firm will gain comparatively higher profit if it makes the investment in the yellow cab company.



Recommendation

It is recommended to the XYZ firm to invest in the yellow cab company since the EDA proved that yellow cabs are more popular and more used by the customers than the pink ones. It is also obtained that the yellow cab company makes more profit than the other one.



Thank You

