

Pyber Ridesharing Company Analysis by Alex Koynoff

Observations:

Observation 1: Based on the source data, as shown in the scatter plot, we can conclude that average fare is lowest in the Urban cities, while Rural cities have the highest average fares, with Suburban cities in the middle. However, Urban cities have the highest volume of rides. An explanation of that could be that in Urban cities, there are a lot more customers, thus the higher volume of rides, however, the distances in the Urban cities are a lot shorter compared to Rural and Suburban, thus the lower average fare price. Even though distance is not part of the dataset provided, an assumption could be made that distances within an Urban city are a lot shorter compared to rural areas. Another assumption that could explain the lower average fare in the Urban cities is that there are more transportation options such as public transit, regular taxis, and other ride sharing companies. That could force Pyber to lower their fair prices in Urban cities to provide an incentive for customers to use their service.

Observation 2: When comparing the Total Fares by City Type vs Total Drivers by City Type, it shows that even though Suburban drivers make up 16.5% of all drivers, they bring in 30.5% of total fares, based on the datasets provided.

Observation 3: While the analysis shows that the Urban cities bring in the most revenue for the Pyber company based on the total Fares by City Type, it might not be very lucrative for the drivers. Urban cities have the highest number of drivers at 80.9%, however, they only bring in 62.7% of total fares. That could mean that on average, Urban drivers make less salary compared to Suburban drivers for example, while also needing to do more rides, thus potentially decreasing the lifecycle of their vehicle. This could cause more repairs and maintenance needed, which can mean that drivers in Urban areas would have higher expenses than Suburban and Rural drivers.

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In [103]: %matplotlib inline
# Dependencies and Setup
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np

# File to Load (Remember to change these)
city_data_to_load = "data/city_data.csv"
ride_data_to_load = "data/ride_data.csv"

# Read the City and Ride Data
city_df = pd.read_csv(city_data_to_load)
ride_df = pd.read_csv(ride_data_to_load)
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In [104]: # Display the data table for preview  
city_df.head()
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Out[104]:

	city	driver_count	type
0	Richardfort	38	Urban
1	Williamsstad	59	Urban
2	Port Angela	67	Urban
3	Rodneyfort	34	Urban
4	West Robert	39	Urban

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In [105]: # Display the data table for preview  
ride_df.head()
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Out[105]:

	city	date	fare	ride_id
0	Lake Jonathanshire	2018-01-14 10:14:22	13.83	5739410935873
1	South Michelleport	2018-03-04 18:24:09	30.24	2343912425577
2	Port Samanthamouth	2018-02-24 04:29:00	33.44	2005065760003
3	Rodneyfort	2018-02-10 23:22:03	23.44	5149245426178
4	South Jack	2018-03-06 04:28:35	34.58	3908451377344

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In [106]: # Combine the data into a single dataset using left join
merge_data = pd.merge(ride_df,city_df, on="city",how="left")

# Display the data table for preview
merge_data.head()
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Out[106]:

	city	date	fare	ride_id	driver_count	type
0	Lake Jonathanshire	2018-01-14 10:14:22	13.83	5739410935873	5	Urban
1	South Michelleport	2018-03-04 18:24:09	30.24	2343912425577	72	Urban
2	Port Samanthamouth	2018-02-24 04:29:00	33.44	2005065760003	57	Urban
3	Rodneyfort	2018-02-10 23:22:03	23.44	5149245426178	34	Urban
4	South Jack	2018-03-06 04:28:35	34.58	3908451377344	46	Urban

Bubble Plot of Ride Sharing Data

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In [107]: #create data frames for each city type then group by city
urban = merge_data[merge_data["type"] == "Urban"].groupby([merge_data["city"]])
suburban = merge_data[merge_data["type"] == "Suburban"].groupby([merge_data["city"]])
rural = merge_data[merge_data["type"] == "Rural"].groupby([merge_data["city"]])

#calculate the values for the x & y axis. also calculate a value to use for the size of the bubbles
urban_x = urban["ride_id"].count()
urban_y = urban["fare"].mean()
urban_size = urban["driver_count"].mean()

suburban_x = suburban["ride_id"].count()
suburban_y = suburban["fare"].mean()
suburban_size = suburban["driver_count"].mean()

rural_x = rural["ride_id"].count()
rural_y = rural["fare"].mean()
rural_size = rural["driver_count"].mean()

#create scatter plot
plt.scatter(urban_x,urban_y, s=urban_size * 10, marker="o", facecolor="coral", edgecolors="black", alpha = 0.90, label = "Urban")
plt.scatter(suburban_x,suburban_y,s=suburban_size * 10, marker="o", facecolor="lightskyblue", edgecolors="black", alpha = 0.90, label = "Suburban")
plt.scatter(rural_x,rural_y,s=rural_size * 10, marker="o", facecolor="gold", edgecolors="black", alpha = 0.90, label = "Rural")
plt.grid()

#create title and lables
plt.title("Pyber Ride Sharing Data (2016)", fontsize=14, weight="bold")
plt.xlabel("Total Number of Rides (Per City)", fontsize=10)
plt.ylabel("Average Fare ($)", fontsize=10)

#create Legend
legend = plt.legend(title="City Type", fontsize = 10, loc="upper right")

#change markers size for Legend one by one using _sizes property found here: https://stackoverflow.com/questions/24706125/setting-a-fixed-size-for-points-in-legend
legend.legendHandles[0]._sizes = [50]
legend.legendHandles[1]._sizes = [50]
legend.legendHandles[2]._sizes = [50]

#text outside of plot found here: https://stackoverflow.com/questions/42435446/how-to-put-text-outside-python
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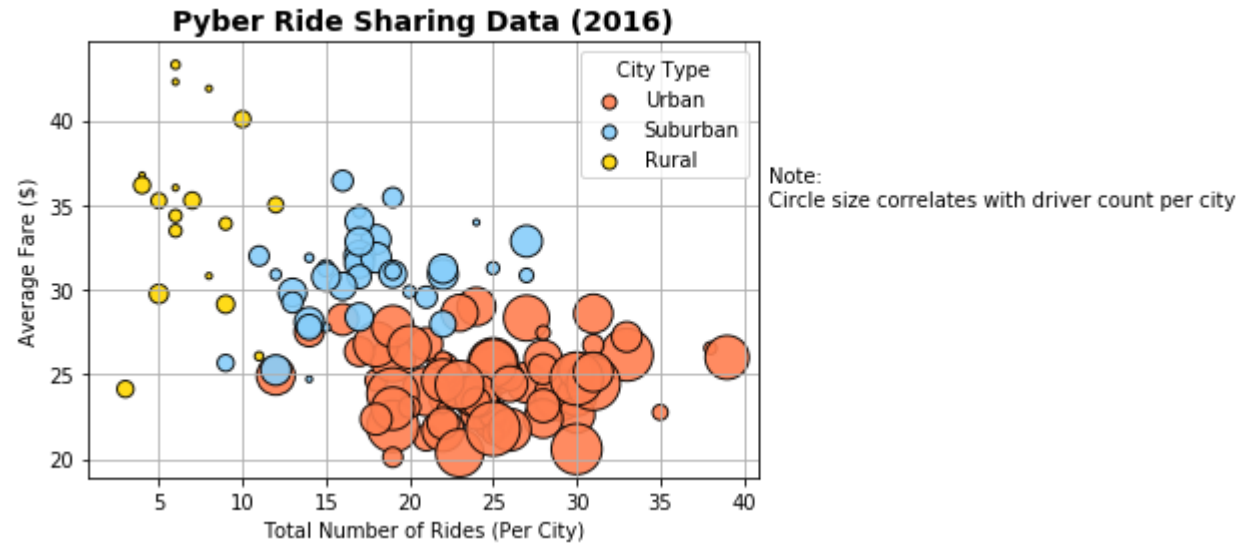
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-plots
plt.text(41.5,35, "Note: \nCircle size correlates with driver count per city", fontsize=10)

#save the figure. using bbox in order to fix the note's text so it shows
plt.savefig("data/PyberRideSharingData2016.png",bbox_inches="tight")

#shows the scatter plot
plt.show()

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Total Fares by City Type

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In [108]: #create a data frame grouped by "type", then calculate the sum of fares by "type"
type_group = merge_data.groupby(["type"])
total_fares_sum = type_group["fare"].sum()

#show the sum values by type for reference
total_fares_sum.head()

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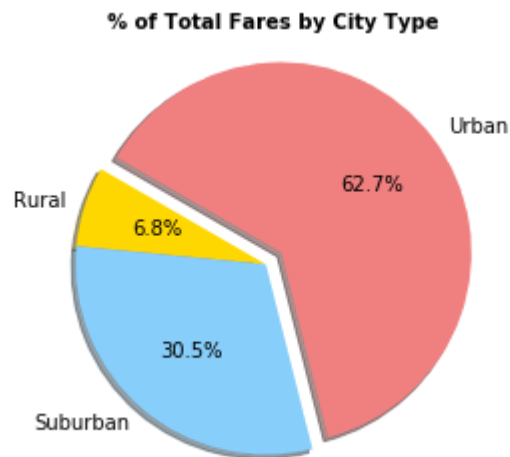
Out[108]: type
Rural      4327.93
Suburban   19356.33
Urban      39854.38
Name: fare, dtype: float64

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In [109]: #set up the characteristics for the pie graph
labels = ["Rural", "Suburban", "Urban"]
colors = ["gold", "lightskyblue", "lightcoral"]
explode = [0,0,0.1]

#set up the pie graph
plt.pie(total_fares_sum, labels=labels, colors=colors, explode=explode, shadow=True, startangle=150, autopct=
"%1.1f%")
plt.title("% of Total Fares by City Type", fontsize=10, weight="bold")

#save the plot. using bbox in order to fix the note's text
plt.savefig("data/TotalFaresbyCityType.png",bbox_inches="tight")
plt.axis("equal")
plt.show()
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Total Rides by City Type

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In [110]: #create a data frame grouped by "type", then calculate the count of ride_ids by "type"  
type_group = merge_data.groupby(["type"])  
total_rides_count = type_group["ride_id"].count()  
  
#show the count values by type for reference  
total_rides_count.head()
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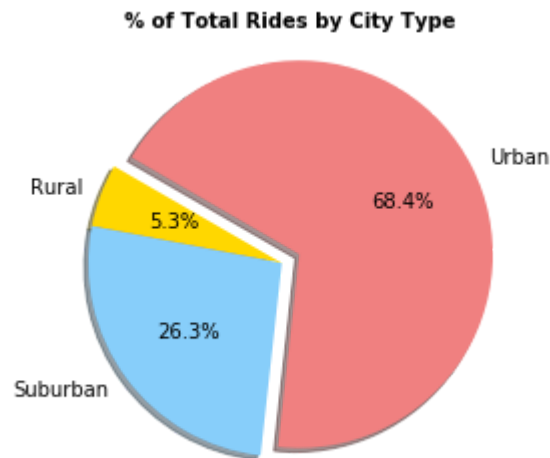
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Out[110]: type  
Rural      125  
Suburban   625  
Urban     1625  
Name: ride_id, dtype: int64
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In [111]: #set up the characteristics for the pie graph
labels = ["Rural", "Suburban", "Urban"]
colors = ["gold", "lightskyblue", "lightcoral"]
explode = [0,0,0.1]

#set up the pie graph
plt.pie(total_rides_count, labels=labels, colors=colors, explode=explode, shadow=True, startangle=150, autopct="%1.1f%%")
plt.title("% of Total Rides by City Type", fontsize=10, weight="bold")
plt.axis("equal")

#save the figure
plt.savefig("data/TotalRidesbyCityType.png",bbox_inches="tight")

#show the pie graph
plt.show()
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Total Drivers by City Type


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In [112]: #create a data frame grouped by "type" using the city_df, then calculate the sum of driver_count by "type"  
city_type = city_df.groupby(["type"])  
total_drivers_sum = city_type["driver_count"].sum()  
  
#show the sum values by type for reference  
total_drivers_sum.head()
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Out[112]: type  
Rural      78  
Suburban   490  
Urban     2405  
Name: driver_count, dtype: int64
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In [113]: #set up the characteristics for the pie graph
labels = ["Rural", "Suburban", "Urban"]
colors = ["gold", "lightskyblue", "lightcoral"]
explode = [0,0,0.1]

#set up the pie graph
plt.pie(total_drivers_sum, labels=labels, colors=colors, explode=explode, shadow=True, startangle=150, autopct="%1.1f%%")
plt.title("% of Total Drivers by City Type", fontsize=10, weight="bold")
plt.axis("equal")

#save the figure
plt.savefig("data/TotalDriversbyCityType.png",bbox_inches="tight")

#show the pie graph
plt.show()
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