[Data Visualization and Interpretation] {CheatSheet}

1. Basic Plotting with Matplotlib

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• Line Plot: plt.plot(x, y)
• Scatter Plot: plt.scatter(x, y)
• Bar Chart: plt.bar(x, height)
• Histogram: plt.hist(data)
• Pie Chart: plt.pie(sizes, labels=labels)
• Boxplot: plt.boxplot(data)
• Subplots: fig, ax = plt.subplots()
Error Bars: plt.errorbar(x, y, yerr=error)
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2. Plot Customization

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• Title and Labels: plt.title('Title'); plt.xlabel('X Label');
  plt.vlabel('Y Label')
Legend: plt.legend(['label1', 'label2'])
• Axis Limits: plt.xlim([xmin, xmax]); plt.ylim([ymin, ymax])
• Color and Style: plt.plot(x, y, color='blue', linestyle='--',
  marker='o')
• Custom Ticks: plt.xticks([ticks], [labels]); plt.yticks([ticks],
  [labels])
• Gridlines: plt.grid(True)
• Text Annotations: plt.text(x, y, 'annotation')
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3. Plotting with Seaborn

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• Density Plot: sns.kdeplot(data)
• Pair Plot: sns.pairplot(df)
• Heatmap: sns.heatmap(data)
• Violin Plot: sns.violinplot(x='x', y='y', data=df)
• Facet Grid: g = sns.FacetGrid(df, col='col'); g.map(plt.hist,
  'target')
• Count Plot: sns.countplot(x='x', data=df)
• Joint Plot: sns.jointplot(x='x', y='y', data=df)
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4. Time Series Visualization

- Time Series Line Plot: plt.plot(date, values)
- Seasonal Decompose Plot: from statsmodels.tsa.seasonal import seasonal_decompose; decomposition = seasonal_decompose(ts); decomposition.plot()
- Autocorrelation Plot: pd.plotting.autocorrelation_plot(series)

5. Geospatial Data Visualization

- Basic Map with Folium: import folium; m = folium.Map(location=[lat, long]); m
- Choropleth Maps: folium.Choropleth(geo_data=geo_json, data=df).add_to(m)
- Geopandas Basic Plot: gdf.plot(column='column')

6. Advanced Plotting Techniques

- 3D Plotting with Matplotlib: from mpl_toolkits.mplot3d import Axes3D; fig = plt.figure(); ax = fig.add_subplot(111, projection='3d')
- Parallel Coordinates: pd.plotting.parallel_coordinates(df, 'class_column')
- Radar/Spider Chart: from math import pi; N = len(categories); angles = [n / float(N) * 2 * pi for n in range(N)]; ax =plt.subplot(111, polar=True)

7. Plotting with Pandas

- DataFrame Line Plot: df.plot()
- DataFrame Bar Plot: df.plot.bar()
- DataFrame Histogram: df.hist()
- Area Plot: df.plot.area()
- Scatter Matrix: pd.plotting.scatter_matrix(df)

8. Interactive Visualizations

- Interactive Plot with Plotly: import plotly.express as px; fig = px.line(df, x='x', y='y'); fig.show()
- Bokeh Line Plot: from bokeh.plotting import figure, show; p = figure(); p.line(x, y); show(p)
- Streamlit for Web Apps: import streamlit as st; st.line_chart(df)

9. Visualization Customization and Aesthetics

- **Seaborn Themes**: sns.set_style('whitegrid')
- Matplotlib Colormap: plt.scatter(x, y, c=z, cmap='viridis')
- Seaborn Palette: sns.set_palette('pastel')
- Customizing with Matplotlib rcParams: plt.rcParams.update({'font.size': 12, 'figure.figsize': (10, 8)})

10. Statistical Data Visualization

- **Distribution Plot**: sns.distplot(data)
- Boxplot with Outliers: sns.boxplot(x='x', y='y', data=df)
- Swarm Plot: sns.swarmplot(x='x', y='y', data=df)
- Violin Plot with Split: sns.violinplot(x='x', y='y', data=df, split=True)

11. Advanced Seaborn Plots

- Regplot for Regression: sns.regplot(x='x', y='y', data=df)
- LM Plot for Linear Models: sns.lmplot(x='x', y='y', data=df)
- Cluster Map: sns.clustermap(data)
- PairGrid Customization: g = sns.PairGrid(df); g.map_upper(plt.scatter); g.map_lower(sns.kdeplot); g.map_diag(sns.histplot)

12. Multi-plot Grids and Layouts

- Subplots in Matplotlib: fig, axs = plt.subplots(2, 2)
- Facet Grid in Seaborn: g = sns.FacetGrid(df, col='col'); g.map(plt.hist, 'target')
- PairGrid in Seaborn: g = sns.PairGrid(df); g.map(plt.scatter)

• JointGrid in Seaborn: g = sns.JointGrid(x='x', y='y', data=df); g.plot(sns.regplot, sns.histplot)

13. Text and Annotation

- Adding Text Annotation: plt.text(x, y, 'Text')
- Annotating with Arrows: plt.annotate('Text', xy=(x, y), xytext=(x2, y2), arrowprops=dict(facecolor='black'))
- Styling Text: plt.text(x, y, 'Styled text', style='italic', fontsize=12)

14. Saving and Exporting Plots

- Save Plot as Image File: plt.savefig('filename.png')
- Save Plotly Figure: fig.write_image('filename.png')
- Export Plot to HTML with Bokeh: from bokeh.io import output_file; output_file('plot.html')

15. Specialized Plots

- **Hexbin Plot for Density**: plt.hexbin(x, y, gridsize=30, cmap='Blues')
- Treemap with Squarify: import squarify; squarify.plot(sizes, label=labels, color=colors)
- **Bubble Chart**: plt.scatter(x, y, s=size)

16. Plotting with Plotly

- Interactive Scatter Plot with Plotly: fig = px.scatter(df, x='x', y='y', color='color')
- 3D Surface Plot with Plotly: fig = px.surface(df, x='x', y='y', z='z'
- Candlestick Chart for Financial Data: fig = go.Figure(data=[go.Candlestick(x=df['date'], open=df['open'], high=df['high'], low=df['low'], close=df['close'])])

17. Plotting with Bokeh

- Bokeh Scatter Plot: p = figure(); p.scatter(x, y, size=10, fill_color='color')
- Bokeh Time Series Plot: p = figure(x_axis_type='datetime'); p.line(df['date'], df['value'])
- Adding Hover Tool in Bokeh: from bokeh.models import HoverTool; hover = HoverTool(tooltips=[('X-value', '@x'), ('Y-value', '@y')]); p.add_tools(hover)

18. Dashboard and Reporting

- Creating Dashboards with Dash: import dash; import dash_core_components as dcc; import dash_html_components as html; app = dash.Dash(); app.layout = html.Div([dcc.Graph(figure=fig)])
- Automated Reporting with Jupyter Notebook: !jupyter nbconvert --to html notebook.ipynb

19. Advanced Customization

• Creating a Custom Matplotlib Style:

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plt.style.use({'figure.facecolor': 'white', 'axes.facecolor':
'lightgray'})
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 Customizing Seaborn Context: sns.set_context('talk', font_scale=1.2)

20. Data Interpretation Techniques

- Analyzing Trends in Time Series: Identify patterns and trends using moving averages or smoothing techniques
- Interpreting Correlation Matrices: Use heatmaps or corrplot to assess relationships between variables
- Identifying Outliers and Anomalies: Use boxplots or scatter plots to spot outliers in data
- Comparing Groups or Categories: Employ bar charts or violin plots for comparison between different groups
- Understanding Distribution of Data: Utilize histograms, density plots, or Q-Q plots to explore data distribution
- Analyzing Impact of a Variable: Use bar charts, line graphs, or area plots to understand how changes in one variable affect another

21. Interactive Dashboard Tools

- Building Dashboards with Tableau or Power BI: Use business intelligence tools for creating interactive and business-focused dashboards
- Interactive Web Dashboards with Plotly Dash: Create web applications with interactive Plotly graphs using Dash framework
- Real-time Data Visualization with Bokeh Server: Deploy live data streams in visualizations using Bokeh server applications

22. Advanced Graphical Techniques

- Network Graphs with NetworkX or Gephi: Visualize complex relationships and network structures
- Creating Geographical Maps with GeoPandas: Use GeoPandas along with Matplotlib or Bokeh for plotting geographical data
- 3D Visualizations with Plotly or Mayavi: Develop 3D plots for more complex data representations

23. Data Storytelling

- Narrative Visualization with Sequential Panels: Combine multiple plots with annotations to tell a story
- Interactive Storutelling with Jupyter Widgets: Use Jupyter widgets to create an interactive narrative around the data
- Combining Visuals and Text in Reports: Integrate visualizations with descriptive text for comprehensive reports

24. Visualization for Machine Learning

- Feature Importance Plot: Visualize model's feature importances to interpret which features contribute most to the prediction
- Confusion Matrix Visualization: Graphically represent the performance of a classification model
- ROC Curve Plotting: Plot ROC curves to assess the performance of binary classifiers

25. Performance and Scalability in Visualization

- Optimizing Plot Performance in Matplotlib: Use Matplotlib's interactive mode wisely for large datasets
- Handling Large Datasets with Datashader: Render massive datasets as images with Datashader
- Efficient Plotting with HDF5 or Parquet Files: Utilize HDF5 or Parquet formats for efficient loading and plotting of large data

26. Custom Visualization Tools and Libraries

- Using D3.js for Custom Web Visualizations: Leverage D3.js for intricate and interactive web visualizations
- Highcharts or Echarts for Interactive Charts: Use JavaScript libraries like Highcharts or Echarts for rich, interactive charts
- Creating Custom Plots with ggplot2 in R: For R users, utilize ggplot2 for creating sophisticated and layered graphics

27. Scientific and Statistical Visualization

- Visualizing Statistical Models with Seaborn or Statsmodels: Plot statistical estimates using Seaborn's advanced plots or Statsmodels' graphics
- Scientific Visualization with SciPy or Matplotlib: Use SciPy and Matplotlib for detailed scientific plots, such as spectrograms or advanced histograms