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## 1 I. Data Preview

## 1.1 A. First Five Rows

```
[1]: import pandas as pd
     df = pd.read_csv("/kaggle/input/ecommerce-assessment/EDA_Ecommerce_Assessment.
      ⇔csv")
     df.head()
[1]:
        Customer_ID
                                    Browsing_Time
                                                    Purchase_Amount
                                                                      Number_of_Items
                      Gender
                              Age
     0
                        Male
                                             46.55
                                                              231.81
     1
                   2
                    Female
                                19
                                             98.80
                                                              472.78
                                                                                     8
     2
                   3
                        Male
                                            79.48
                                                              338.44
                                23
                                                                                     1
     3
                   4
                        Male
                                45
                                             95.75
                                                               37.13
                                                                                     7
     4
                   5
                        Male
                                             33.36
                                                              235.53
                                                                                     3
                                46
        Discount_Applied
                           Total_Transactions
                                                       Category Satisfaction_Score
     0
                                                       Clothing
                       17
     1
                       15
                                             43
                                                          Books
                                                                                    4
     2
                       28
                                             31
                                                    Electronics
                                                                                    1
     3
                       43
                                            27
                                                Home & Kitchen
                                                                                    5
     4
                       10
                                             33
                                                          Books
                                                                                    3
```

## 1.2 B. Number of Rows and Columns

```
[2]: df.shape
```

[2]: (3000, 10)

# 1.3 C. Columns, Non-Null Values, and Data Types Information

```
[3]: df.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 3000 entries, 0 to 2999
Data columns (total 10 columns):
```

# Column Non-Null Count Dtype

```
0
   Customer_ID
                        3000 non-null
                                        int64
                        3000 non-null
1
   Gender
                                        object
2
   Age
                        3000 non-null
                                        int64
                        3000 non-null
                                        float64
3
   Browsing Time
4
   Purchase Amount
                        3000 non-null
                                        float64
5
   Number of Items
                        3000 non-null
                                        int64
   Discount_Applied
                        3000 non-null
                                        int64
7
   Total_Transactions
                        3000 non-null
                                        int64
                        3000 non-null
   Category
                                        object
   Satisfaction_Score 3000 non-null
                                        int64
```

dtypes: float64(2), int64(6), object(2)

memory usage: 234.5+ KB

# 1.4 D. Summary per Column

```
[4]: df.describe(include='all')
```

/usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/pandas/io/formats/format.py:1458:

RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in greater

has\_large\_values = (abs\_vals > 1e6).any()

/usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/pandas/io/formats/format.py:1459:

RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in less

has\_small\_values = ((abs\_vals < 10 \*\* (-self.digits)) & (abs\_vals > 0)).any()

/usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/pandas/io/formats/format.py:1459:

RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in greater

-	has_sm	all_values =	((abs_v	vals < 10 ** (	-self.digits))	& (abs_	vals > 0)	.any(
[4]:		Customer_ID	Gender	Age	Browsing_Time	Purcha	se_Amount	\
	count	3000.000000	3000	3000.000000	3000.000000	30	00.000000	
	unique	NaN	2	NaN	NaN		NaN	
	top	NaN	Male	NaN	NaN		NaN	
	freq	NaN	1517	NaN	NaN		NaN	
	mean	1500.500000	NaN	43.606000	59.868937	2	47.962540	
	std	866.169729	NaN	14.963759	34.293489	1	40.875783	
	min	1.000000	NaN	18.000000	1.000000		5.030000	
	25%	750.750000	NaN	31.000000	29.985000	1	28.695000	
	50%	1500.500000	NaN	44.000000	59.160000	2	45.090000	
	75%	2250.250000	NaN	57.000000	89.330000	367.20000		
	max	3000.000000	NaN	69.000000	119.950000	4	99.610000	
		Number_of_It	ems Di	scount_Applied	d Total_Transa	actions	Category	\
	count	3000.000	000	3000.000000	3000.	.000000	3000	
	unique		NaN	Nal	J	NaN	5	
	top		NaN	Nal	J	NaN	Clothing	
	freq		NaN	Nal	J	NaN	629	
	mean	4.989	667	24.345000	24.	683000	NaN	

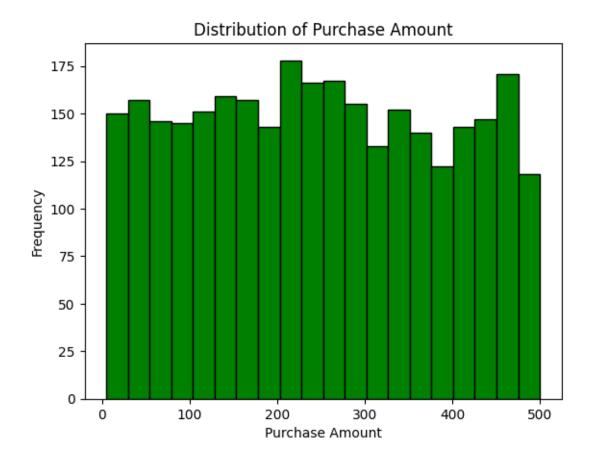
std	2.561200	14.709433	14.214518	NaN
min	1.000000	0.000000	1.000000	NaN
25%	3.000000	12.000000	12.000000	NaN
50%	5.000000	24.000000	24.000000	NaN
75%	7.000000	37.000000	37.000000	NaN
max	9.000000	49.000000	49.000000	NaN

Satisfaction\_Score 3000.000000 count unique NaN top NaN NaN freq mean 3.066000 std 1.402723 1.000000 min 25% 2.000000 50% 3.000000 75% 4.000000 5.000000 max

# 2 II. Univariate Data Analysis

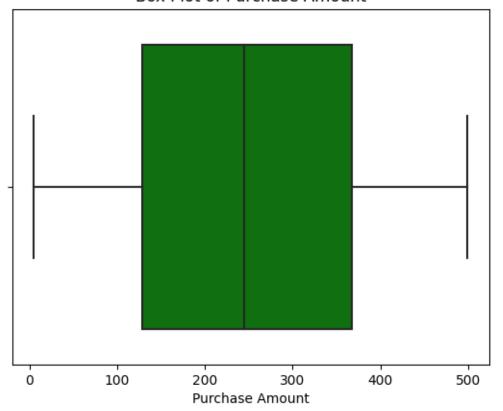
## 2.1 A. Data Visualization

## 2.1.1 1. Purchase Amount (Total Amount Spent)



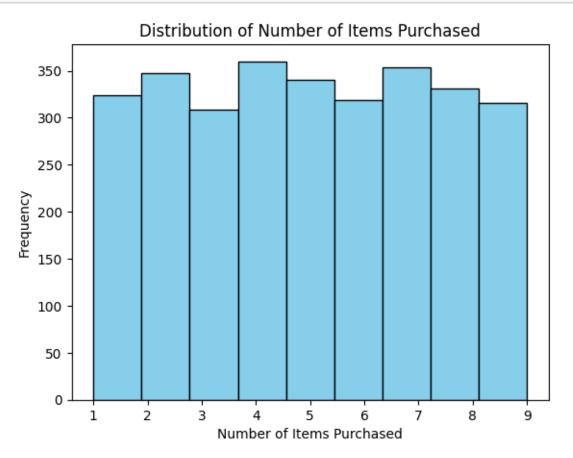
The figure above illustrates a histogram showing the distribution of purchase amounts ranging from 5 to 500. As shown, most customers have purchases between \$200 and \$225, while the fewest fall within the \$475 to 500 range.

## Box Plot of Purchase Amount



The figure above illustrates a box plot showing the distribution of purchase amounts. As shown, the distribution of purchase amounts appears to be approximately normal, as indicated by the symmetrical shape of the box plot. The 25th percentile is approximately \$120, indicating that a quarter of the customers have purchases below this value. The 50th percentile, or median, is nearly \\$250, meaning that half of the customers fall below this amount. The 75th percentile is approximately \\$380, suggesting that 75% of the customers have purchases under this value. Lastly, the graph shows that there are no outliers in the distribution.

### 2.1.2 2. Number of Items Purchased



The figure above illustrates a histogram showing the distribution of the number of items purchased

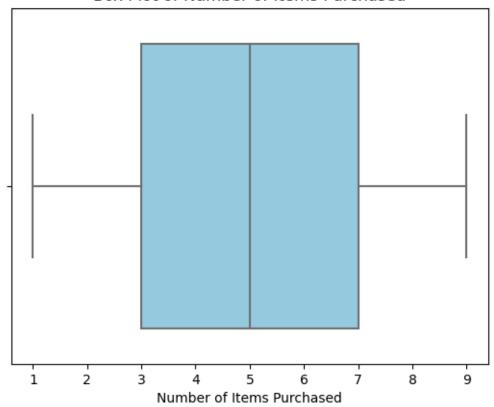
per transaction, ranging from one to nine items. As shown, most customers purchased four items in a single transaction, while the fewest purchased only three.

```
[8]: import seaborn as sns
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     # Single color box
     sns.boxplot(x=df['Number_of_Items'], color='skyblue')
     plt.title('Box Plot of Number of Items Purchased')
     plt.xlabel('Number of Items Purchased')
     plt.show()
     display(Markdown('''
     The figure above illustrates a box plot showing the distribution of the number \sqcup
      \mathrel{\mathrel{\hookrightarrow}} \mathsf{of} items purchased per transaction.
     As shown, the distribution appears to be approximately normal, as indicated by \sqcup

→the symmetrical shape of the box plot.

     The 25th percentile is 3, meaning that 25% of customers purchased three items_{\sqcup}
      ⇔or fewer in a single transaction.
     The median (50th percentile) is 5, indicating that half of the customers \Box
      ⇒purchased five items or fewer.
     The 75th percentile is 7, suggesting that 75% of customers purchased seven \Box
      ⇔items or fewer.
     Lastly, the absence of outliers in the graph indicates a relatively consistent ⊔
       →pattern of purchases.'''))
```





The figure above illustrates a box plot showing the distribution of the number of items purchased per transaction. As shown, the distribution appears to be approximately normal, as indicated by the symmetrical shape of the box plot. The 25th percentile is 3, meaning that 25% of customers purchased three items or fewer in a single transaction. The median (50th percentile) is 5, indicating that half of the customers purchased five items or fewer. The 75th percentile is 7, suggesting that 75% of customers purchased seven items or fewer. Lastly, the absence of outliers in the graph indicates a relatively consistent pattern of purchases.

## 2.1.3 3. Customers' Satisfaction Score

```
[9]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

# Histogram
plt.hist(df['Satisfaction_Score'], bins=5, color='orange', edgecolor='black')
plt.title("Distribution of Customers' Satisfaction Score")
plt.xlabel("Customers' Satisfaction Score")
plt.ylabel('Frequency')
plt.show()
```

```
display(Markdown('''

The figure above illustrates a histogram showing the distribution of customer

⇔satisfaction scores,

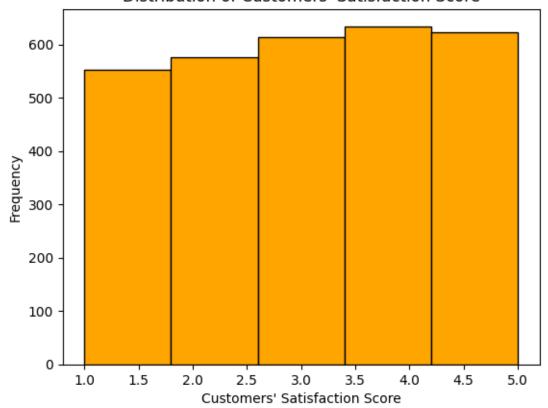
ranging from a scale of one to five. As shown, the majority of customers rated

⇔their satisfaction between three and five,

indicating a generally high level of satisfaction. In contrast, a smaller but

⇔close number of customers gave ratings of one or two.'''))
```

# Distribution of Customers' Satisfaction Score



The figure above illustrates a histogram showing the distribution of customer satisfaction scores, ranging from a scale of one to five. As shown, the majority of customers rated their satisfaction between three and five, indicating a generally high level of satisfaction. In contrast, a smaller but close number of customers gave ratings of one or two.

```
[10]: import seaborn as sns
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Single color box
sns.boxplot(x=df['Satisfaction_Score'], color='orange')
plt.title("Box Plot of Customers' Satisfaction Score")
plt.xlabel("Customers' Satisfaction Score")
```

```
plt.show()

display(Markdown('''
The figure above illustrates a box plot showing the distribution of total

purchase amounts. As shown,
the distribution of purchase amounts appears to be approximately normal, as

indicated by the symmetrical shape
of the box plot. The 25th percentile is approximately \\$120, indicating that a

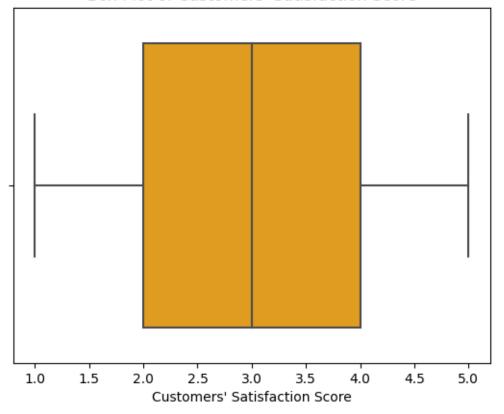
quarter of the customers
have total purchases below this value. The 50th percentile, or median, is

nearly \\\$250, meaning that half
of the customers fall below this amount. The 75th percentile is approximately

\(\cdot\)\$380, suggesting that 75% of the customers
have total purchases under this value. Lastly, the graph shows that there are

\(\cdot\) no outliers in the distribution.'''))
```

# Box Plot of Customers' Satisfaction Score



The figure above illustrates a box plot showing the distribution of total purchase amounts. As shown, the distribution of purchase amounts appears to be approximately normal, as indicated by the symmetrical shape of the box plot. The 25th percentile is approximately \$120, indicating that a quarter of the customers have total purchases below this value. The 50th percentile, or median,

is nearly \\$250, meaning that half of the customers fall below this amount. The 75th percentile is approximately \\$380, suggesting that 75% of the customers have total purchases under this value. Lastly, the graph shows that there are no outliers in the distribution.

## 2.2 B. Central Tendency and Spread of the Customers' Purchase Amount

```
[11]: purchase_amount = df['Purchase_Amount']
      # Central Tendency
      central_tendency = {
          'Mean': purchase_amount.mean(),
          'Median': purchase_amount.median(),
          'Mode': purchase_amount.mode().iloc[0] # first mode if multiple
      }
      # Spread
      spread = {
          'Variance': purchase_amount.var(),
          'Standard Deviation': purchase_amount.std(),
          'IQR': purchase_amount.quantile(0.75) - purchase_amount.quantile(0.25)
      }
      # Result
      summary_stats = {**central_tendency, **spread}
      summary_df = pd.DataFrame(list(summary_stats.items()), columns=['Statistic',__
       # Summary table with an asterisk for 'Mode'
      summary_df_mode_star = summary_df.copy()
      summary_df_mode_star.loc[summary_df_mode_star['Statistic'] == 'Mode',__
       ⇔'Statistic'] = 'Mode*'
      display(summary_df_mode_star)
      display(Markdown("**There are multiple modes in the data.*"))
      display(Markdown('''
      #### Interpretations
      The **mean** purchase amount is approximately 247.96, while the **median** is \Box
       ⇔slightly lower at 245.09,
      suggesting a fairly symmetrical distribution with a slight right skew.
      However, the **mode** is significantly lower at 29.33, and the asterisk_{\sqcup}
       →indicates the presence of multiple modes-implying
      that there are distinct clusters of common purchase amounts, likely one around \sqcup
       overy low spending and another in the mid-range.
      The **variance** (19,846) and **standard deviation** (140.88) indicate a high,
       ⇔level of spread in the data,
```

```
suggesting that customer purchase behavior is diverse, with amounts ranging_\
\( \text{widely around the mean.} \)

The **interquartile range (IQR)** of 238.51 confirms this spread, showing that_\( \text{the middle 50% of purchase amounts span a wide range.} \)

\( \text{'''} \)
```

```
Statistic
                               Value
                          247.962540
0
                  Mean
1
               Median
                          245.090000
2
                 Mode*
                           29.330000
3
             Variance 19845.986209
4
  Standard Deviation
                          140.875783
5
                   IQR
                          238.505000
```

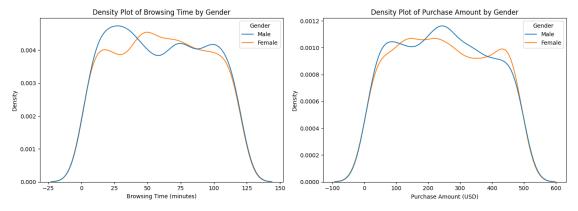
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The variance (19,846) and standard deviation (140.88) indicate a high level of spread in the data, suggesting that customer purchase behavior is diverse, with amounts ranging widely around the mean. The **interquartile range (IQR)** of 238.51 confirms this spread, showing that the middle 50% of purchase amounts span a wide range.

## 2.3 C. Comparison of Browsing Time and Total Purchase Amount Distribution

<sup>\*\*</sup>There are multiple modes in the data.\*

```
sns.kdeplot(data=df_cleaned, x='Browsing_Time', hue='Gender', ax=axes[0])
    axes[0].set_title('Density Plot of Browsing Time by Gender')
    axes[0].set_xlabel('Browsing Time (minutes)')
   axes[0].set_ylabel('Density')
    sns.kdeplot(data=df cleaned, x='Purchase Amount', hue='Gender', ax=axes[1])
    axes[1].set_title('Density Plot of Purchase Amount by Gender')
   axes[1].set xlabel('Purchase Amount (USD)')
    axes[1].set_ylabel('Density')
   plt.tight_layout()
   plt.show()
display(Markdown('''
The figures above illustrates the differences in browsing and purchasing
 ⇒behavior between male and female customers
using a density plot for each behavior. In terms of browsing time, males tend_{\sqcup}
 with a higher density around the 20-40 minute range, suggesting more direct or _{\sqcup}
 ⇔goal-driven behavior. In contrast,
females exhibit a broader distribution with a secondary peak beyond 60 minutes,
 →indicating more varied and potentially exploratory browsing patterns.
For purchase amounts, both genders show peaks within the 100-300 range, but ⊔
 →males demonstrate a more dispersed pattern-suggesting a tendency
toward both lower and higher spending extremes. Females, on the other hand, \Box
 ⇒tend to cluster around mid-range purchase amounts,
showing more consistent spending behavior. This shows that male customers may,
 Grespond better to fast, targeted purchase prompts or flexible pricing,
while female customers may benefit more from extended engagement strategies and 
 →mid-range value propositions.
'''))
```



The figures above illustrates the differences in browsing and purchasing behavior between male and female customers using a density plot for each behavior. In terms of browsing time, males tend to spend slightly less time on the platform, with a higher density around the 20–40 minute range, suggesting more direct or goal-driven behavior. In contrast, females exhibit a broader distribution with a secondary peak beyond 60 minutes, indicating more varied and potentially exploratory browsing patterns. For purchase amounts, both genders show peaks within the 100–300 range, but males demonstrate a more dispersed pattern—suggesting a tendency toward both lower and higher spending extremes. Females, on the other hand, tend to cluster around mid-range purchase amounts, showing more consistent spending behavior. This shows that male customers may respond better to fast, targeted purchase prompts or flexible pricing, while female customers may benefit more from extended engagement strategies and mid-range value propositions.

## 2.4 D. Square Root Transformation on Browsing Time

```
[13]: from scipy.stats import skew
      # Original skewness of Browsing_Time
      original_skew = skew(df['Browsing_Time'])
      # Data Frame Copy
      df transformed = df.copv()
      df_transformed.drop('Browsing_Time', axis=1, inplace=True) # Drop Browsing_Time_
       ⇔column
      # Applying square root transformation
      df_transformed['Browsing_Time'] = np.sqrt(df['Browsing_Time'])
      # Skewness after transformation
      sqrt_skew = skew(df_transformed['Browsing_Time'])
      # Combine into a DataFrame
      skew_comparison = pd.DataFrame({
          'Transformation': ['Original', 'Transformed'],
          'Skewness': [original skew, sqrt skew]
      })
      skew_comparison
```

```
[13]: Transformation Skewness
0 Original 0.038635
1 Transformed -0.477074
```

#### **Evaluation:**

- The skewness shifted by approximately -0.516, moving the distribution from slightly right-skewed to moderately left-skewed.
- This indicates that while the original variable was nearly symmetric, applying the square root transformation tilted the distribution left, reducing the influence of high browsing times.

```
/usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/pandas/io/formats/format.py:1458:
     RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in greater
       has_large_values = (abs_vals > 1e6).any()
     /usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/pandas/io/formats/format.py:1459:
     RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in less
       has_small_values = ((abs_vals < 10 ** (-self.digits)) & (abs_vals > 0)).any()
     /usr/local/lib/python3.11/dist-packages/pandas/io/formats/format.py:1459:
     RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in greater
       has_small_values = ((abs_vals < 10 ** (-self.digits)) & (abs_vals > 0)).any()
[14]:
              Customer_ID Gender
                                                  Purchase_Amount
                                                                    Number_of_Items
                                            Age
              3000.000000
                             3000
                                    3000.000000
                                                      3000.000000
                                                                        3000.000000
      count
                                 2
      unique
                       NaN
                                            NaN
                                                              NaN
                                                                                NaN
      top
                       NaN
                             Male
                                            NaN
                                                              NaN
                                                                                NaN
                             1517
                                            NaN
                                                              NaN
                                                                                NaN
      freq
                       NaN
      mean
              1500.500000
                              NaN
                                      43.606000
                                                       247.962540
                                                                           4.989667
      std
               866.169729
                              NaN
                                      14.963759
                                                       140.875783
                                                                           2.561200
                  1.000000
                              NaN
                                      18.000000
                                                         5.030000
                                                                           1.000000
      min
      25%
               750.750000
                              NaN
                                      31.000000
                                                       128.695000
                                                                           3.000000
      50%
              1500.500000
                              NaN
                                      44.000000
                                                       245.090000
                                                                           5.000000
      75%
              2250.250000
                              NaN
                                      57.000000
                                                       367.200000
                                                                           7.000000
      max
              3000.000000
                              NaN
                                      69.000000
                                                       499.610000
                                                                           9.000000
              Discount_Applied
                                 Total_Transactions
                                                       Category
                                                                 Satisfaction_Score
                    3000.000000
                                         3000.000000
                                                           3000
                                                                         3000.000000
      count
                                                              5
      unique
                            NaN
                                                  NaN
                                                                                 NaN
      top
                            NaN
                                                  NaN
                                                       Clothing
                                                                                 NaN
                                                            629
      freq
                            NaN
                                                  NaN
                                                                                 NaN
      mean
                      24.345000
                                           24.683000
                                                            NaN
                                                                            3.066000
      std
                      14.709433
                                           14.214518
                                                            NaN
                                                                            1.402723
                       0.000000
      min
                                            1.000000
                                                            NaN
                                                                            1.000000
      25%
                      12.000000
                                           12.000000
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      50%
                      24.000000
                                           24.000000
                                                            NaN
                                                                            3.000000
      75%
                      37.000000
                                           37.000000
                                                            NaN
                                                                            4.000000
      max
                      49.000000
                                           49.000000
                                                            NaN
                                                                            5.000000
              Browsing_Time
                 3000.000000
      count
      unique
                         NaN
      top
                         NaN
      freq
                         NaN
      mean
                    7.320228
                    2.507050
      std
      min
                    1.000000
      25%
                    5.475856
```

[14]: df\_transformed.describe(include='all')

```
50% 7.691554
75% 9.451455
max 10.952169
```

## 2.5 E. Linear Model for the Dataset

```
[15]: import statsmodels.api as sm

# Define predictors and target
X = df_transformed[['Browsing_Time']]
y = df_transformed['Purchase_Amount']

# Add constant for intercept
X = sm.add_constant(X)

# Fit the linear regression model
model = sm.OLS(y, X).fit()
model.summary()
```

## [15]:

Dep. Variable:	Purchase_Amount	R-squared:	0.000
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared:	-0.000
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	0.7329
Date:	Tue, 13 May 2025	Prob (F-statistic):	0.392
Time:	14:07:32	Log-Likelihood:	-19100.
No. Observations:	3000	AIC:	3.820e + 04
<b>Df Residuals:</b>	2998	BIC:	3.822e + 04
Df Model:	1		
Covariance Type:	$\operatorname{nonrobust}$		

	coef	std err	t	$\mathbf{P}> \mathbf{t} $	[0.025]	0.975]	
const	254.3933	7.940	32.041	0.000	238.825	269.961	
Browsing_Time	-0.8785	1.026	-0.856	0.392	-2.890	1.134	
Omnibus:	177	73.526 I	Ourbin-V	Vatson:	2.07	70	
$\operatorname{Prob}(\operatorname{Omnil}$	ous): 0	.000 <b>J</b>	arque-B	era (JB)	): 168.6	394	
Skew:	0	.047 <b>P</b>	Prob(JB):		2.34e	2.34e-37	
Kurtosis:	1	.842 <b>C</b>	Cond. No	o.	24.5	2	

#### Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

# 2.5.1 Interpretation

• Dependent Variable: Purchase\_Amount

• Independent Variable: Browsing\_Time

# **Key Results**

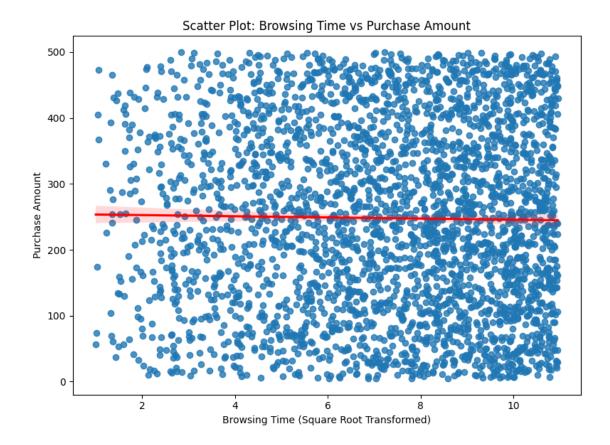
• Intercept (const): 254.39

- This is the predicted purchase amount when browsing time is 0. It serves as the baseline.
- Browsing\_Time coefficient: -0.88
  - For each unit increase in the square root of browsing time, the purchase amount is predicted to decrease by approximately \$0.88. However, this coefficient is not statistically significant.
- **R-squared**: 0.000
  - The model explains virtually none of the variance in purchase amount.
- p-value for Browsing\_Time: 0.392
  - Since this is well above 0.05, we fail to reject the null hypothesis. There is no significant linear relationship between browsing time (even after transformation) and purchase amount.

**Conclusion:** Browsing time does not significantly predict purchase amount.

## 2.6 F. Scatter Plot: Browsing Time vs Purchase Amount

```
[16]: # Create scatter plot with regression line
      plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
      sns.regplot(data=df_transformed, x='Browsing_Time', y='Purchase_Amount',_
       →line_kws={"color": "red"})
      plt.title("Scatter Plot: Browsing Time vs Purchase Amount")
      plt.xlabel("Browsing Time (Square Root Transformed)")
      plt.ylabel("Purchase Amount")
      plt.tight layout()
      plt.show()
      display(Markdown('''
      The figures above illustrates the scatter plot between browsing time and \Box
       ⇒purchase amount with
      a regression line. It shows a very weak and nearly flat negative trend between
       ⇔the square root
      of browsing time and purchase amount. It indicates that there's no strong
      or significant linear relationship between the two variables.
      '''))
```



The figures above illustrates the scatter plot between browsing time and purchase amount with a regression line. It shows a very weak and nearly flat negative trend between the square root of browsing time and purchase amount. It indicates that there's no strong or significant linear relationship between the two variables.

# 3 III. Bivariate Data Analysis

## 3.1 A. Scatter Plot: Purchase Amount vs Number of Items

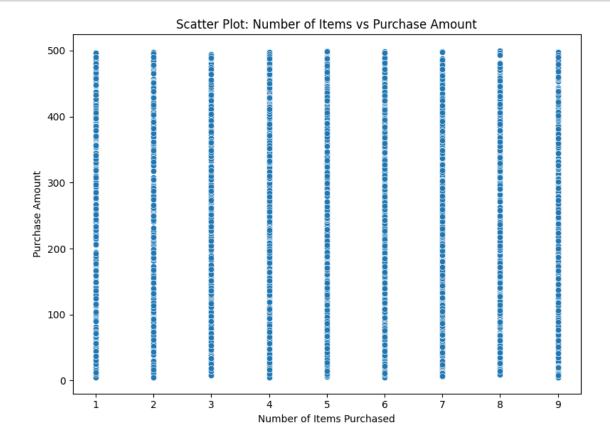
```
[17]: # Scatter plot
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
sns.scatterplot(data=df_transformed, x='Number_of_Items', y='Purchase_Amount')
plt.title("Scatter Plot: Number of Items vs Purchase Amount")
plt.xlabel("Number of Items Purchased")
plt.ylabel("Purchase Amount")
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

display(Markdown('''
#### Interpretation:
```

- Each vertical strip of points corresponds to a fixed number of items (ranging  $_{\cup}$   $_{\ominus}$ from 1 to 9), with wide variability in the purchase amount.

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### Interpretation:

- Each vertical strip of points corresponds to a fixed number of items (ranging from 1 to 9), with wide variability in the purchase amount.
- There is no strong linear or curvilinear relationship observable from this plot. For every item count, purchase amounts are scattered widely from low to high values.
- This suggests that purchase amount is not strongly determined by the number of items alone. Other factors like item category, discounts, or customer behavior might influence the total amount.

# 3.2 B. Comparison of Simple Linear and Polynomial Regression Model for Purchase Amount and Browsing Time

```
[18]: from sklearn.linear model import LinearRegression
     from sklearn.preprocessing import PolynomialFeatures
     from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error, r2_score
      # Prepare data for polynomial regression
     X poly = df transformed[['Browsing Time']].values
     y = df_transformed['Purchase_Amount'].values
     # Polynomial features (degree 2)
     poly = PolynomialFeatures(degree=2)
     X_poly_transformed = poly.fit_transform(X_poly)
     # Fit polynomial regression
     poly_model = LinearRegression().fit(X_poly_transformed, y)
     y_poly_pred = poly_model.predict(X_poly_transformed)
     # Fit simple linear regression for comparison
     lin_model = LinearRegression().fit(X_poly, y)
     y_lin_pred = lin_model.predict(X_poly)
     # Compute metrics
     poly_mse = mean_squared_error(y, y_poly_pred)
     poly_r2 = r2_score(y, y_poly_pred)
     lin_mse = mean_squared_error(y, y_lin_pred)
     lin_r2 = r2_score(y, y_lin_pred)
     # Combine into a DataFrame
     model_comparison = pd.DataFrame({
          'Metric': ['Mean Squared Error (MSE)', 'R-squared (R2)'],
          'Simple Linear Model': [lin_mse, lin_r2],
          'Polynomial Regression Model': [poly_mse, poly_r2]
     })
     model_comparison
```

```
[18]: Metric Simple Linear Model Polynomial Regression Model 0 Mean Squared Error (MSE) 19834.521801 19826.446011 1 R-squared (R^2) 0.000244 0.000651
```

### Interpretation:

- Both models perform very poorly, with R<sup>2</sup> values close to zero, indicating almost no explanatory power.
- The polynomial regression shows a slightly lower MSE and higher R<sup>2</sup>, but the improvement

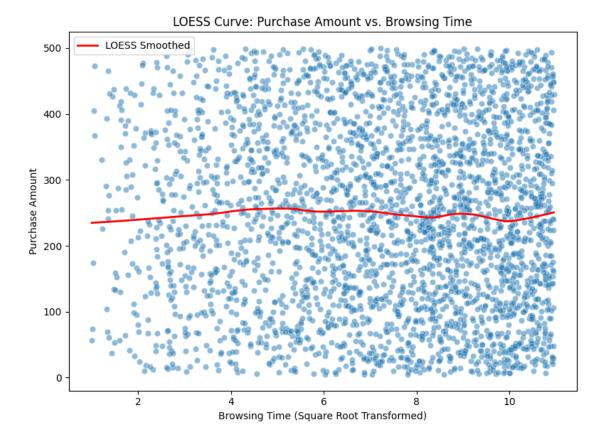
is marginal and not practically meaningful.

• This confirms that Browsing\_Time is not a strong predictor of Purchase\_Amount, even with a nonlinear (quadratic) model.

# 3.3 C. Locally Estimated Scatterplot Smoothing: Purchase Amount vs Browsing Time

```
[19]: import statsmodels.api as sm
      # LOESS smoothing
      lowess = sm.nonparametric.lowess
      loess smoothed = lowess(df transformed['Purchase Amount'],

¬df_transformed['Browsing_Time'], frac=0.3)
      # Extracting smoothed values
      loess x = loess smoothed[:, 0]
      loess_y = loess_smoothed[:, 1]
      # Plot
      plt.figure(figsize=(8, 6))
      sns.scatterplot(x='Browsing_Time', y='Purchase_Amount', data=df_transformed,_
       \Rightarrowalpha=0.5)
      plt.plot(loess_x, loess_y, color='red', linewidth=2, label='LOESS Smoothed')
      plt.title("LOESS Curve: Purchase Amount vs. Browsing Time")
      plt.xlabel("Browsing Time (Square Root Transformed)")
      plt.ylabel("Purchase Amount")
      plt.legend()
      plt.tight_layout()
      plt.show()
      display(Markdown('''
      #### Interpretation:
      - The smoothed curve is relatively flat, with only minor undulations.
      - This indicates that no strong local patterns or meaningful trends \operatorname{exist}_{\sqcup}
       ⇔between browsing time and purchase amount.
      - The flatness of the curve supports earlier findings: `Browsing_Time` does not_
       ⇒significantly influence `Purchase_Amount`, even when analyzed ⊔
       ⇔non-parametrically.
      '''))
```



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# 3.4 D. Comparison Between Robust Regression Methods and Ordinary Least Squares (OLS)

```
[20]: import statsmodels.api as sm
  from statsmodels.robust.robust_linear_model import RLM
  from statsmodels.robust.norms import HuberT, TukeyBiweight

# Data
X = sm.add_constant(df_transformed[['Browsing_Time']])
y = df_transformed['Purchase_Amount']

# OLS model
ols_model = sm.OLS(y, X).fit()
```

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```
'Intercept': [ols_model.params[0], huber_model.params[0], tukey_model.params[0]],
```

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'Browsing\_Time Coef': [ols\_model.params[1], huber\_model.params[1], tukey\_model.params[1]],

```
[20]: Model Intercept Browsing_Time Coef R-squared (OLS)
0 OLS 254.393319 -0.878494 0.000244
1 Huber 254.409966 -0.898177 -
2 Tukey 254.859147 -1.001195 -
```

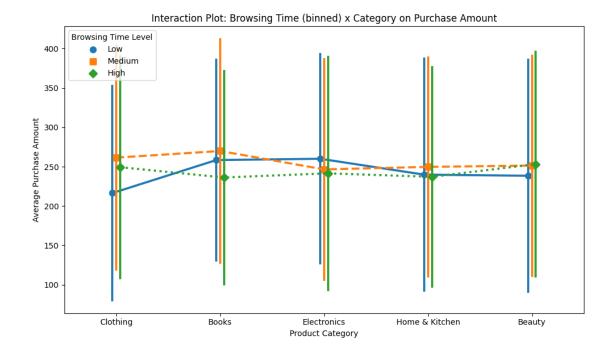
The table above compares OLS, Huber, and Tukey regression methods. Robust regressions (Huber and Tukey) yield similar coefficients to OLS but are less sensitive to outliers. Although the coefficients differ slightly, the relationship between Browsing\_Time and Purchase\_Amount remains weak in all models.

# 4 IV. Trivariate/Hypervariate Data Analysis

4.1 A. Interaction Effects Between Browsing Time and Category on Purchase Amount

```
[21]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
     sns.pointplot(
         data=df_transformed,
         x='Category',
         y='Purchase_Amount',
         hue=pd.cut(df_transformed['Browsing_Time'], bins=3, labels=['Low',_
       dodge=True,
         errorbar='sd',
         markers=['o', 's', 'D'],
         linestyles=['-', '--', ':']
     plt.title('Interaction Plot: Browsing Time (binned) x Category on Purchase⊔

→Amount')
     plt.xlabel('Product Category')
     plt.ylabel('Average Purchase Amount')
     plt.legend(title='Browsing Time Level')
     plt.tight_layout()
     plt.show()
     display(Markdown('''
     #### Interpretation:
     - For some categories like Books and Electronics, higher browsing time (Medium/
      High) corresponds to slightly lower purchase amounts.
     - In Clothing, Medium browsing time users tend to spend more than those with
      - There is no consistent trend across all categories, suggesting that the \Box
      ⇔interaction effect is non-linear and category-specific.
     - Overall, the relationship between browsing time and purchase amount is weak_
      ⇔and likely moderated by other variables.
      '''))
```



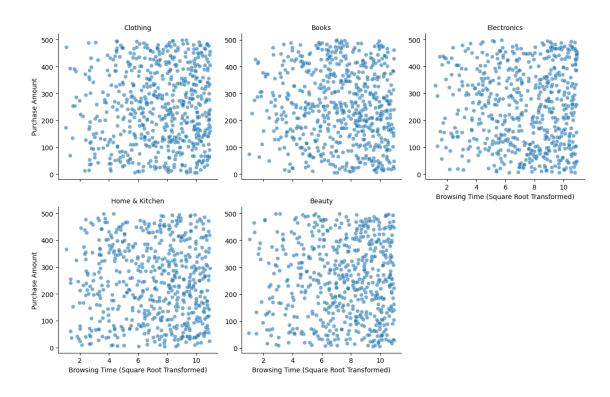
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## 4.2 B. Coplots of Purchase Amount Against Browsing Time

- In conclusion, these coplots reinforce earlier findings the relationship ⇒between browsing time and purchase amount is weak and likely moderated by ⇒other variables.

Coplots of Purchase Amount vs Browsing Time by Category



#### Interpretation:

- Across most categories, no strong trend or pattern emerges. Points remain widely scattered.
- In Books and Home & Kitchen, some slight downward trends appear with increasing browsing time, but not consistently.
- Clothing and Electronics show broad dispersion, suggesting high variability regardless of browsing behavior.
- In conclusion, these coplots reinforce earlier findings the relationship between browsing time and purchase amount is weak and likely moderated by other variables.

# 4.3 C. Relationship Visualization: Browsing Time, Number of Items, and Purchase Amount

```
[23]: # Level plot
      pivot table = df transformed.pivot table(
          values='Purchase_Amount',
          index=pd.cut(df transformed['Browsing Time'], bins=10),
          columns=pd.cut(df_transformed['Number_of_Items'], bins=9),
          aggfunc='mean',
          observed=False
      )
      # Plot
      plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
      sns.heatmap(pivot_table, annot=False, cmap='viridis', cbar_kws={'label':__

¬'Average Purchase Amount'})
      plt.title('Level Plot: Purchase Amount by Browsing Time and Number of Items')
      plt.xlabel('Number of Items (binned)')
      plt.ylabel('Browsing Time (square root, binned)')
      plt.tight_layout()
      plt.show()
      display(Markdown('''
      #### Interpretation:
      - Darker areas represent lower purchase amounts, while lighter areas indicate
       ⇔higher spending.
      - The highest purchase amounts are concentrated in the upper-right region, u
       ⇒suggesting that customers who spend more time browsing and purchase more⊔
       ⇔items tend to spend more overall.
      - However, there are some mid-range browsing bins where purchase amounts are \Box
       still moderate, indicating some variability.
      '''))
```



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## 4.4 D. Multiple Linear Regression Model

[24]:

Dep. Variable:	Purchase	Amount	R-squ	ared:		0.001	
Model:	OLS		Adj. R-squared:		ed:		
Method:	Least S	Least Squares		F-statistic:		0.6725	
Date:	Tue, 13 May 2025		Prob (F-statistic		tic): 0.569		
Time:	14:07:35		Log-Likelihood		<b>d:</b> -19099.		
No. Observations:	300	00	AIC:		3.821e + 04		
Df Residuals:	2996		BIC:		3.823e + 04		
Df Model:	3						
Covariance Type:	nonrobust						
	$\mathbf{coef}$	$\operatorname{std}$ err	t	$\mathbf{P} >  \mathbf{t} $	[0.025]	0.975]	
const	263.1461	11.077	23.757	0.000	241.428	284.865	
$Browsing\_Time$	-0.8966	1.027	-0.873	0.383	-2.910	1.117	
$Number\_of\_Items$	-0.7832	1.005	-0.779	0.436	-2.754	1.188	
Satisfaction_Score	-1.5370	1.835	-0.838	0.402	-5.134	2.060	
Omnibus: 1759		018 <b>Du</b>	Durbin-Watson:		2.071		
Prob(Omnib	<b>us):</b> 0.00	0.000 Jarque-Bera (JB):		ra (JB):	168.394		
Skew:	0.04	17 <b>Pr</b>	Prob(JB):		2.71e-37		
Kurtosis:	1.84	43 <b>Co</b>	nd. No.		42.2		

#### Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

## 4.4.1 Interpretation

- Dependent Variable: Purchase\_Amount
- Independent Variable: Browsing Time, Number\_of\_Items, and Satisfaction\_Score

## **Key Results**

- Intercept (const): 263.15
  - Baseline purchase amount when all predictors are 0
- Browsing\_Time coefficient: -0.9
  - A p-value of 0.383 indicates that this coefficient is not statistically significant.
- Browsing\_Time coefficient: -0.78
  - A p-value of 0.436 indicates that this coefficient is not statistically significant.
- Satisfaction\_Score coefficient: -1.54
  - A p-value of 0.402 indicates that this coefficient is not statistically significant.
- **R-squared**: 0.001
  - The model explains only 0.1% of the variance in Purchase\_Amount.
- F-statistic p-value: 0.569
  - Overall model is not significant.

Conclusion: None of the predictors—Browsing Time, Number of Items, or Satisfaction Score—significantly explain variation in Purchase Amount. This implies: - The outcome might be influenced by unobserved variables like product price, promotion type, or customer loyalty. - The relationship could be non-linear or vary across subgroups.

## 5 V. Model Feature Selection

```
[25]: from sklearn.feature_selection import RFE
      from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
      # Prepare the features and target
      features = df_transformed[['Browsing_Time', 'Number_of_Items',_
       ⇔'Satisfaction_Score']]
      target = df_transformed['Purchase_Amount']
      # Standardize the features
      scaler = StandardScaler()
      features_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(features)
      # Fit linear model with recursive feature elimination (RFE)
      lr = LinearRegression()
      rfe = RFE(estimator=lr, n_features_to_select=1)
      rfe.fit(features_scaled, target)
      # Create a DataFrame with feature ranking
      feature_importance = pd.DataFrame({
          'Feature': features.columns,
          'Ranking': rfe.ranking_,
          'Selected': rfe.support_
      }).sort values(by='Ranking')
      feature importance
```

[25]:		Feature	Ranking	Selected
	0	Browsing_Time	1	True
	2	Satisfaction_Score	2	False
	1	Number_of_Items	3	False

## Interpretation:

- Browsing\_Time was selected as the most important predictor among the three.
- However, as seen from prior regression models, even this top predictor explains very little variance in Purchase\_Amount  $(R^2 \ 0)$ .
- Thus, although Browsing\_Time is the best among the available variables, its predictive power is still weak, suggesting:
  - The model may benefit from additional or alternative predictors.
  - Relationships might be nonlinear or require interaction modeling.