Exercise1_DataScience_Kaosik_402662

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- 1 Introduction to Data Science
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- 2.1 Exercise 1: understand/analyze the data

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In [1]: #Data Importing and cleaning
        import pandas as pd
        stationPrices = pd.read_csv('example_sprit_cut_prices.csv', delimiter=';')
        stationInfos =pd.read_csv('example_sprit_cut_station.csv', delimiter=';')
        #avoid repetitions-----
        stationPrices.drop_duplicates(inplace=True)
        stationInfos.drop_duplicates(inplace=True)
        #remove outlieres eg: negative values-----
        zerosE5 = stationPrices[stationPrices["E5"]<=900]</pre>
        stationPrices.drop(zerosE5.index,axis=0,inplace=True)
        zerosE10 = stationPrices[stationPrices["E10"]<=900]</pre>
        stationPrices.drop(zerosE10.index,axis=0,inplace=True)
        zerosDiesel = stationPrices[stationPrices["DIESEL"]<=900]</pre>
        stationPrices.drop(zerosDiesel.index,axis=0,inplace=True)
        #remove above 1999
        stationPrices = stationPrices[stationPrices['E5']<1999]</pre>
        stationPrices = stationPrices[stationPrices['E10']<1999]
        stationPrices = stationPrices[stationPrices['DIESEL']<1999]</pre>
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3 1 - How many different stations exist in the data set and what is the existing history in days (bar chart)?

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print('No. of stations (according to prices file) =',len(stationNames1))
       print('No. of stations (according to station file) =',len(stationNames2))
No. of stations (according to prices file) = 400
No. of stations (according to station file) = 412
In [18]: stationPrices.describe()
Out[18]:
                                     E10
                                                DIESEL
                                                            CHANGED
        count 1.075410e+06 1.075410e+06 1.075410e+06 1.075410e+06
        mean
               1.456998e+03 1.429060e+03 1.247649e+03 1.900288e+01
        std
               1.010980e+02 9.694743e+01 9.944484e+01 7.726273e+00
               1.000000e+03 1.000000e+03 9.990000e+02 1.000000e+00
        min
        25%
              1.379000e+03 1.359000e+03 1.169000e+03 2.100000e+01
             1.459000e+03 1.429000e+03 1.239000e+03 2.100000e+01
        50%
        75%
              1.529000e+03 1.499000e+03 1.319000e+03 2.100000e+01
               1.829000e+03 1.879000e+03 1.690000e+03 6.300000e+01
        max
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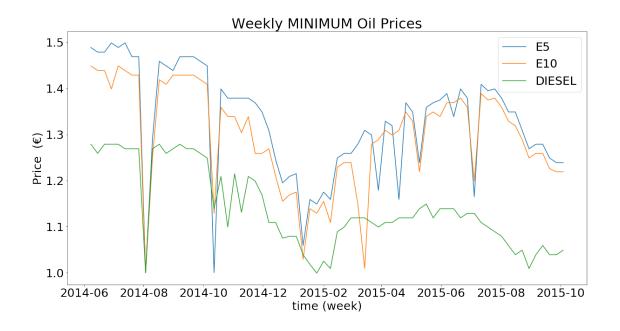
4 2 - What is the min, mean, max price for each gasoline type and station weekly

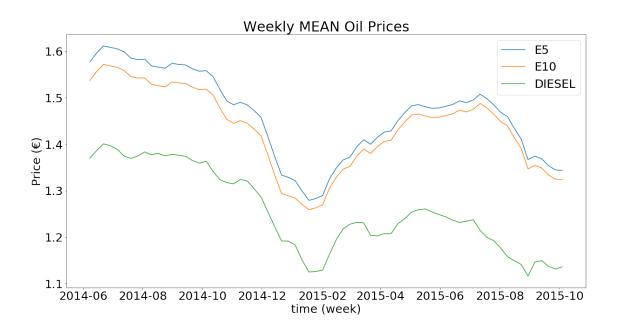
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In [4]: # What is the min, mean, max price for each gasoline type and station weekly
        #string to date format
        stationPrices['new_DATE_CHANGED'] = pd.to_datetime(stationPrices['DATE_CHANGED']) #string
        stationPrices['new_DATE']=[d.date()for d in stationPrices['new_DATE_CHANGED']]#only da
        sp = stationPrices.copy()
In [10]: groupByWeek = sp.groupby(pd.Grouper(key='new_DATE_CHANGED',freq='W'))#group by week
         #['E5', 'E10', 'DIESEL'].max()
         maxGroupByWeek = groupByWeek['E5','E10','DIESEL'].max()
         maxList = maxGroupByWeek.index.tolist() #xaxis
         minGroupByWeek = groupByWeek['E5','E10','DIESEL'].min()
         minList = minGroupByWeek.index.tolist() #xaxis
         meanGroupByWeek = groupByWeek['E5','E10','DIESEL'].mean()
         meanList = meanGroupByWeek.index.tolist() #xaxis
In [17]: #plot figures
         from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
         plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
         plt.xlabel('time (week)')
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plt.plot(maxList,maxGroupByWeek.E5.values/1000)
    plt.plot(maxList,maxGroupByWeek.E10.values/1000)
    plt.plot(maxList,maxGroupByWeek.DIESEL.values/1000)
    plt.rcParams.update({'font.size':25})
    plt.legend(labels=['E5', 'E10', 'DIESEL']);
    plt.title('Weekly MAXIMUM Oil Prices');
    plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
    plt.xlabel('time (week)')
    plt.ylabel('Price ()')
    plt.plot(minList,minGroupByWeek.E5.values/1000)
    plt.plot(minList,minGroupByWeek.E10.values/1000)
    plt.plot(minList,minGroupByWeek.DIESEL.values/1000)
    plt.rcParams.update({'font.size':25})
    plt.legend(labels=['E5', 'E10', 'DIESEL']);
    plt.title('Weekly MINIMUM Oil Prices');
    plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
    plt.xlabel('time (week)')
    plt.ylabel('Price ()')
    plt.plot(meanList,meanGroupByWeek.E5.values/1000)
    plt.plot(meanList,meanGroupByWeek.E10.values/1000)
    plt.plot(meanList, meanGroupByWeek.DIESEL.values/1000)
    plt.rcParams.update({'font.size':25})
    plt.legend(labels=['E5', 'E10', 'DIESEL']);
    plt.title('Weekly MEAN Oil Prices');
                          Weekly MAXIMUM Oil Prices
  1.9
  1.8
  1.7
⊕ 1.6
  1.4
          E5
          E10
  1.3
          DIESEL
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plt.ylabel('Price ()')

2014-06 2014-08 2014-10 2014-12 2015-02 2015-04 2015-06 2015-08 2015-10 time (week)



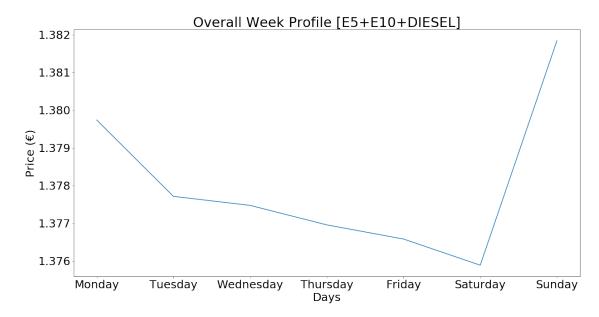


5 3 - What is cheapest station (in average) and why?

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print('Cheapest price:',listgroupSTID.MeanPrice.min()/1000,' (Average of E5,E10 & Dies
print('Cheapest Station ID :',listgroupSTID.STID[listgroupSTID.MeanPrice.idxmin()])
cheapStationInfos = stationInfos.loc[stationInfos.ID == 'eef314cf-a84a-4648-9284-c2df1cprint('Cheapest Station Name: ',cheapStationInfos.NAME)
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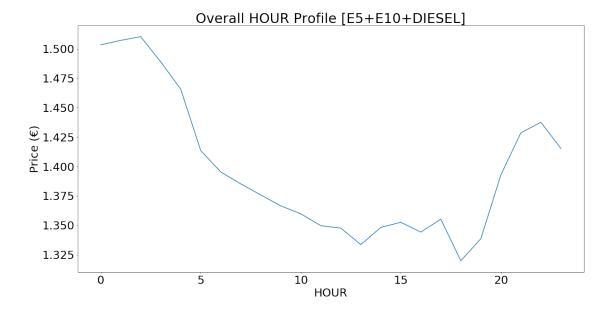
6 4 - At which day of a weak is the price most likely the cheapest (week profile)

Out[142]: [<matplotlib.lines.Line2D at 0x21a13d930b8>]



7 5 - At which hour during a day is the price the cheapest in average (hour profile)

Out[155]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x21a13d64da0>



8 6 - How many different station locations are present in the data (visualize via a map)

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C:\Program Files\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\ipykernel_launcher.py:2: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame
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See the caveats in the documentation: http://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/indexing.htm

9 7. What is the gas station which has most price data points, choose one and draw the time series for all 3 gasonline types

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In [187]: numDataPoints = sp.groupby(['STID']).size() #stores size of each STID
    mostPoints = numDataPoints[numDataPoints == max(numDataPoints)] #take max

    mostPointsSTID = mostPoints.index[0] #STID
    mostPointsValues = sp[sp.STID == mostPointsSTID]

    mostPointsStationInfos = stationInfos.loc[stationInfos.ID == mostPointsSTID]

In [211]: #plot

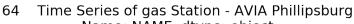
    plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))

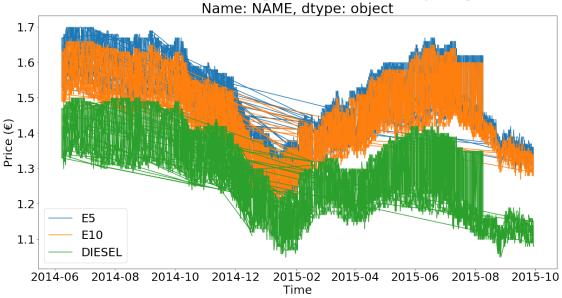
    plt.plot(mostPointsValues.new_DATE,mostPointsValues['E5'].values/1000)
    plt.plot(mostPointsValues.new_DATE,mostPointsValues['E10'].values/1000)

    plt.plot(mostPointsValues.new_DATE,mostPointsValues['DIESEL'].values/1000)

    plt.legend(labels=['E5','E10','DIESEL'])
    plt.title('Time Series of gas Station - '+mostPointsStationInfos.NAME);
    plt.xlabel('Time');
    plt.ylabel('Price ()');

Out[211]: Text(0,0.5,'Price ()')
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10 8. At which hour during a day do we have the most price changes

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In [238]: mostChangesE5 = sp.groupby(['HOUR'])['E5'].size()
    mostChangesE10 = sp.groupby(['HOUR'])['E10'].size()
    mostChangesDiesel = sp.groupby(['HOUR'])['DIESEL'].size()

mostChangesHour = max(mostChangesE5);
    print('The most price changes are at 12' );

#plot
    plt.figure(figsize=(20,10))
    plt.plot(mostChangesE5)
    plt.plot(mostChangesE10)
    plt.plot(mostChangesDiesel)
    plt.legend(labels=['E5','E10','DIESEL'])
    plt.title('Price Changes during a day');
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The most price changes are at 12



11 10. Describe a possible business potential in € for the customer (textual description in the ipyhton file). Define the constraints of the business case 5 lines, the answer max 15 lines (high level summary)

11.1 Business Potential for the Customer

- 11.1.1 1. From the hour profile it can be noticed that the prices are comparitively higher in the mid nights Hence, visiting gas stations in the midnights should be avoided
- 11.1.2 2. Best time to fill up tanks is in the noons from 12.00 till 16.00
- 11.1.3 3. Oil prices are comparitively higher in summer than in Winter.
- 11.1.4 4. Suprisingly price fluctuations during a day are identicial for E5, E10 and Diesel. This has to be taken in account while approaching cheap fuel stations.

11.2 Constrains

- 11.2.1 1. Eventhough visiting fuel stations in the noons are recommended, the price fluctuations are very high at 12. This should be taken into consideration.
- 11.2.2 2. From the week profile it can be seen that the prices are higher on the weekends esp. on Sundays But, the difference is negligible around 5 cents
- 11.2.3 3. Visiting Cheap Petrol stations for long distance is not the best solution