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**Title of Data Analysis: The number of dengue cases in Singapore has been brought under control from 2015 to 2018**

Url of Dataset used: <https://data.gov.sg/dataset/weekly-number-of-dengue-and-dengue-haemorrhagic-fever-cases> (<https://data.gov.sg/dataset/weekly-number-of-dengue-and-dengue-haemorrhagic-fever-cases>)

**Questions to answer to gain deeper insights into the chosen datasets**

**Question 1: Is there an increasing or decreasing trend in the number of dengue cases from 2015 to 2018?**

**Question 2: Are all the data available/present for the number of dengue cases from 2015 to 2018?**

**Question 3: How many data points should we plot to show a consistent trend for the number of dengue cases from 2015 to 2018?? / In other words, from which year to which year should we extract the data out of the dataset and plot to display the trend?**

**Write Python code that uses the Pandas package to extract useful statistical or summary information about the data**

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In [1]: import pandas as pd

df_dengue_and_dhf_cases = pd.read_csv('weekly-number-of-dengue-and-dengue-haemorrhagic-fever-cases.csv')

#to get the first five sets of the pandas dataframe
print(f"First Five Sets of dataset: \n {df_dengue_and_dhf_cases.head(n=10)} \n\n")

#to get the last five sets of the pandas dataframe
print(f"Last Five Sets of dataset: \n{df_dengue_and_dhf_cases.tail(n=10)} \n\n")

#to get details/info about the pandas dataframe
print(f"\n Dataframe Info: \n{df_dengue_and_dhf_cases.info(verbose=True)}\n")

#to get info on the number of rows and columns about the pandas dataframe
print(f"\n Number of rows and columns: \n{df_dengue_and_dhf_cases.shape}\n")

#to get summary statistics for active practice and non-active practice chinese medicine
df_dengue_and_dhf_cases_stats = df_dengue_and_dhf_cases.groupby(["type_dengue"])["number"].agg(["sum", "min", "max"])
print(f"Summary Statistics for dengue-and-dengue-haemorrhagic-fever-cases individual years: \n\n")

#to get summary statistics for active practice and non-active practice chinese medicine
df_yearly_dengue_and_dhf_cases_stats = df_dengue_and_dhf_cases.groupby(["year", "type_dengue"])["number"].agg(["sum", "min", "max"])
print(f"Summary Statistics for the number of dengue and dhf cases every year: \n\n")

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First Five Sets of dataset:

year	ewek	type_dengue	number
2014	1	Dengue	436.0
2014	1	DHF	1.0
2014	2	Dengue	479.0
2014	2	DHF	0.0
2014	3	Dengue	401.0
2014	3	DHF	0.0
2014	4	Dengue	336.0
2014	4	DHF	0.0
2014	5	Dengue	234.0
2014	5	DHF	0.0

Last Five Sets of dataset:

year	ewek	type_dengue	number
2018	49	Dengue	113.0
2018	49	DHF	1.0
2018	50	Dengue	107.0
2018	50	DHF	1.0
2018	51	Dengue	127.0
2018	51	DHF	1.0
2018	52	Dengue	160.0
2018	52	DHF	0.0
2018	53	Dengue	NaN
2018	53	DHF	NaN

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
Int64Index: 530 entries, 2014 to 2018
Data columns (total 3 columns):
#   Column          Non-Null Count  Dtype
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0   eweek            530 non-null    int64
1   type_dengue      530 non-null    object
2   number           522 non-null    float64
dtypes: float64(1), int64(1), object(1)
memory usage: 16.6+ KB
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Dataframe Info:  
None

Number of rows and columns:  
(530, 3)

Summary Statistics for dengue-and-dengue-haemorrhagic-fever-cases individually:

type_dengue		DHF	Dengue
number	count	261.000000	261.000000
	mean	0.379310	186.421456
	std	0.654712	158.706595
	min	0.000000	24.000000
	25%	0.000000	60.000000
	50%	0.000000	157.000000
	75%	1.000000	250.000000
	max	4.000000	888.000000

Summary Statistics for the number of dengue and dhf cases every year:

year		2014		2015		2016 \
type_dengue		DHF	Dengue	DHF	Dengue	DHF
number	count	53.000000	53.000000	52.000000	52.000000	52.000000
	mean	0.377358	345.396226	0.230769	216.961538	0.461538
	std	0.627155	174.097822	0.469267	75.448193	0.778675
	min	0.000000	149.000000	0.000000	90.000000	0.000000
	25%	0.000000	212.000000	0.000000	168.250000	0.000000
	50%	0.000000	291.000000	0.000000	225.500000	0.000000
	75%	1.000000	436.000000	0.000000	256.250000	1.000000
	max	3.000000	888.000000	2.000000	457.000000	4.000000

year		2017		2018	
type_dengue		Dengue	DHF	Dengue	DHF
number	count	52.000000	52.000000	52.000000	52.000000
	mean	251.173077	0.326923	52.884615	0.500000
	std	160.137897	0.550264	14.649706	0.779643
	min	59.000000	0.000000	24.000000	0.000000
	25%	132.250000	0.000000	40.000000	0.000000
	50%	217.000000	0.000000	51.000000	0.000000
	75%	302.750000	1.000000	62.250000	1.000000
	max	636.000000	2.000000	90.000000	3.000000

Write Python code that uses Matplotlib package to produce useful data visualizations that explain the data.

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In [2]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

years_ = [2018,2017,2016,2015]

df = pd.read_csv('weekly-number-of-dengue-and-dengue-haemorrhagic-fever-cases.csv')

#using the & operator to check whether it specifies both conditions
#First condition - type of case is dengue
#Second condition - dengue cases that exists from range 2015 to 2018

df = df[(df.type_dengue=="Dengue") & (df.year.isin(years_))].dropna()

colors = ["crimson","darkblue","rebeccapurple","darkgreen"]

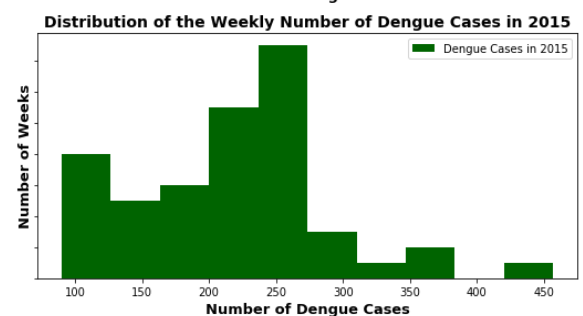
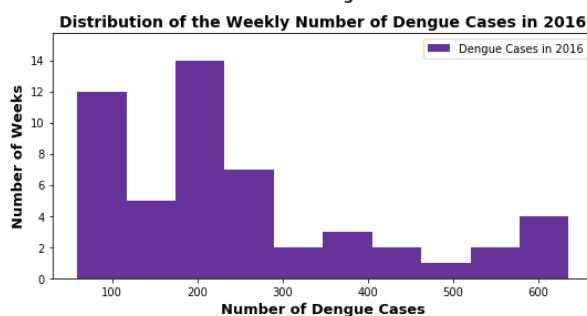
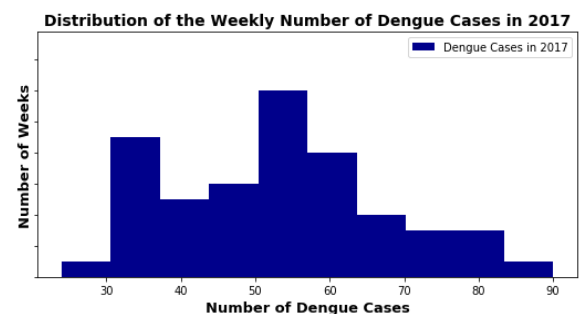
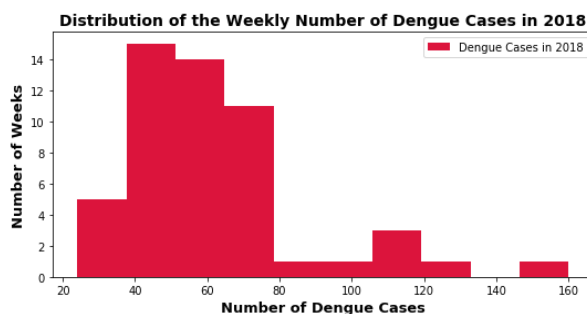
fig,ax = plt.subplots(2,2,figsize=(16,8),sharey=True)

#to collapse the array of subplots from two dimension into one dimension
ax = ax.flatten()

#using loops to iterate over the number of dengue cases every year and display the
for i in range(len(years_)):
    ax[i].hist(df[df.year==years_[i]].number,label="Dengue Cases in "+str(years_[i]))
    ax[i].set_xlabel("Number of Dengue Cases",fontsize=13,fontweight="bold")
    ax[i].set_ylabel("Number of Weeks",fontsize=13,fontweight="bold")
    ax[i].set_title("Distribution of the Weekly Number of Dengue Cases in "+str(years_[i]))
    ax[i].legend()

#adjust spacing between subplots to minimize the overlaps.
fig.tight_layout()

plt.show()
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**For each dataset, explain the nature of that dataset (i.e. what is in that dataset) or any peculiarities about it you wish to highlight and explain the process you went through to analyse that dataset, . Where possible, you should specifically mention how you used the Pandas or Matplotlib functions to achieve a certain outcome e.g. to transform the data or to produce a certain visualization:**

### **Peculiarities to highlight:**

One peculiarity to highlight is even though there are many dengue cases every week, the number of dengue and haemorrhagic fever cases has been relatively small. The highest number of dhf in a week is 4 cases compared to 888 cases of dengue cases.

### **Nature of dataset:**

The nature of the dataset consists of the number of dengue cases and dengue-haemorrhagic fever cases every week from 2014 to 2018. After using the `.describe()` method from pandas to retrieve information about the total dengue and dhf cases individually, I am able to tell that the number of dhf cases in Singapore from 2014 to 2018 is relatively low with only a maximum case of 4 dhf cases in a week and almost every week, there are no to 1 or 2 dhf cases. In contrast, there are many dengue cases in Singapore every week with a mean average case of around 180 cases. The highest number of dengue cases in Singapore that happened in a week is at 888 cases. By looking at the number of cases individually, I decided to plot the dengue cases as the number of dhf cases is too insignificant to plot on the same histogram with the number of dengue cases. Upon doing so, I have to consider what is the best way to compare the results from the histogram. After I have tried to display the dengue cases of the different years on the same x-axis, I find that there is a very huge spread of data which could lead to inaccuracies when we are using graph to analyse for information. As such, I have decided to use small multiples so that I am able to show the histogram of every year so that I am able to compare the number of dengue cases from 2015 to 2018 side by side. This will lead to better data analysis as we are able to compare the number of weeks of which the dengue cases exceeds a certain amount (for example the number of dengue cases that exceeds 80 in 2018 subplot compared with 2017).

### **Process of using Pandas or Matplotlib functions to transform the data:**

The dataset consists of the columns: `week`, `type_year` and the number of cases. In order to retrieve the data that is type dengue and from 2015 to 2018, I use the binary `"&"` operator and specify both conditions for type as dengue and year as from 2015 to 2018 and drop values that are NaN. Then, I specified the color for each subplots, and declare a figure and axes objects with two rows and two columns such that there will be 4 smaller subplots, each showing different data of the number of dengue cases every year. Then, I declare `sharey= True` so that all the y-axis will show the same range yticks. After doing so, I collapse the array of subplots from two dimension into one dimension so that when I iterate over the dengue cases from 2015 to 2018, the value `"i"` will be used to plot the histograms. Similarly, I set the title, xlabel, ylabel and the legend during the loop. After doing so, I call the method `tight_layout()` to adjust the spacing between subplots to minimize the overlaps.

**For each dataset, highlight the insights you have gained from analysing the data and any conclusions or recommendations you want to make as a result of the analysis:**

After plotting the graph, I can tell that the number of dengue cases that happen every year has been brought down to a significant amount but number of dengue cases that happen every year is still relatively inconsistent. If we only look at the most number of weeks at which the dengue cases are hovering at every year, the number of dengue cases has reduced by 50 cases from 250 in 2015 to 2016. From 2016 to 2017, it decreases even more significantly from 200 cases to around 50-60 cases but then rise again in 2018 between 40 to 80 cases. As such, I am able to conclude that there is some progress achieved in bringing down the number of dengue cases but the number of dengue cases seems to spike back in 2018. In order to answer the title of the data analysis, I suggest that the dataset also include the year 2019 for comparison so that I am able to tell whether the number of dengue cases has been brought down or is going to increase again.