

Data Science Assignment 1

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Task A: Data Exploration and Auditing

In this task, you are required to explore the dataset and do some data auditing on the crime statistics dataset. Have a look at the CSV file (Crime_Statistics_SA_2014_2019.csv) and then answer a series of questions about the data using Python.

A1. Dataset size

How many rows and columns exist in this dataset?

In [82]: `crime_statistics`

| | | GARDENS | | PROPERTY | | | |
|--------|------------|-------------------|------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|---|
| 385289 | 31/03/2019 | WINDSOR GARDENS | 5087 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES | Theft from motor vehicle | 1 |
| 385290 | 31/03/2019 | WOODCROFT | 5162 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL | Other property damage and environmental | 1 |
| 385291 | 31/03/2019 | WOODS POINT | 5253 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Non Residence | 1 |
| 385292 | 31/03/2019 | WOODVILLE GARDENS | 5012 | OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON | ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY | Serious Assault resulting in injury | 1 |
| 385293 | 31/03/2019 | WOODVILLE NORTH | 5012 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES | Theft from motor vehicle | 1 |
| 385294 | 31/03/2019 | WYNN VALE | 5127 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 1 |
| 385295 | 31/03/2019 | WYNN VALE | 5127 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES | Other theft | 1 |

385296 rows x 7 columns

`crime_statistics.shape`

Out[83]: (385296, 7)

According to the code above, `crime_statistics` is the name of the data frame. By using `crime_statistics.shape`, we get the data for the rows and column of the data set.

There are 385296 rows and 7 columns in this data set

A2. Null values in the dataset

Are there any null values in this dataset?

```
crime_statistics.isnull().sum()
```

```
Out[84]: Reported Date          0
         Suburb - Incident      159
         Postcode - Incident    403
         Offence Level 1 Description  0
         Offence Level 2 Description  0
         Offence Level 3 Description  0
         Offence Count          0
         dtype: int64
```

```
crime_statistics.isnull().sum().sum()
```

```
Out[85]: 562
```

Through the `.isnull()` function, null values are detected. It is then summed up by the `.sum()` function twice to acquire the value. Without the `.sum()` function, a table of the dataset would be displayed instead, just displaying whether the value of the table is a null value or not. If it is not a null value, it will display 'False'.

There are 562 false values in this dataset

A3. Data Types

What are the min and max for column 'Reported Date'? Does this column have the correct data type? If no, convert it to an appropriate data type.

```
crime_statistics['Reported Date'] = pd.to_datetime(crime_statistics['Reported Date'])
```

The data type of 'Reported Date' is converted from object to datetime data type through the line of code above.

```
crime_statistics.dtypes
```

```
Out[87]: Reported Date          datetime64[ns]
         Suburb - Incident      object
         Postcode - Incident    object
         Offence Level 1 Description  object
         Offence Level 2 Description  object
         Offence Level 3 Description  object
         Offence Count          int64
         dtype: object
```

After the data is converted, the min and max is obtained using the `.max()` and `.min()` function.

```
crime_statistics["Reported Date"].max()
```

```
Out[88]: Timestamp('2019-03-31 00:00:00')
```

```
crime_statistics["Reported Date"].min()
```

```
Out[89]: Timestamp('2014-01-01 00:00:00')
```

The earliest 'Reported Date' is 1st of January 2014 and the latest 'Reported Date' is 31st March 2019.

A4. Descriptive statistics

Calculate the statistics for the "Offence Count" column (Find the count, mean, standard deviation, minimum and maximum).

```
crime_statistics['Offence Count'].describe()
```

```
Out[90]: count      385296.000000
mean          1.164871
std           0.560723
min           1.000000
25%           1.000000
50%           1.000000
75%           1.000000
max           28.000000
Name: Offence Count, dtype: float64
```

As shown by the data above which was obtained using the function `.describe()`, the statistics are :

Count : 385269 max : 28.0

Mean : 1.163871 min : 1.0

standard deviation : 0.560723

A5. Exploring Offence Level 1 Description

Now look at the Offence Level 1 Description column and answer the following questions

1. How many unique values does "Offence Level 1 Description" column take?

```
crime_statistics['Offence Level 1 Description'].nunique()
```

Out[91]: 2

The unique values are obtained using the `.nunique()` function.

“Offence Level 1 Description” column take 2 unique values.

- 2. Display the unique values of level 1 offences.**

```
crime_statistics['Offence Level 1 Description'].unique()
```

```
Out[92]: array(['OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY', 'OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON'],
              dtype=object)
```

The unique values of level 1 offences are “OFFENCES AGAINST THE PROPERTY” and “OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON”. It is obtained using the `.unique()` function.

3. How many records do contain "offences against the person"?

```
OATP = (crime_statistics['Offence Level 1 Description'].values == 'OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON').sum()
```

```
Out[94]: 86791
```

OATP stands for Offence Against the Person. The code means that if the value within the 'Offence Level 1 Description' is "OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON", sum the numbers of 'True' values.

There are 86791 records that contains "OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON".

4. What percentage of the records are "offences against the property"?

```
((crime_statistics['Offence Level 1 Description'].values == 'OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY').sum()/crime_statistics['Offence Level 1 Description'].count())*100
```

```
Out[95]: 77.47420165275528
```

The number of records that contains "OFFENCES AGAINST THE PROPERTY" is divided by total number of values in the "Offence Level 1 Description" and is then multiplied by 100 to obtain the percentage of records of offence against the property.

The percentage of records that is offences against the property is 77.47%

A6. Exploring Offence Level 2 Description

Now look at the Offence Level 2 Description column and answer the following questions

1. How many unique values does "Offence Level 2 Description" column take? Display the unique values of level 2 offences together with their counts (i.e., how many times they have been repeated).

```
crime_statistics['Offence Level 2 Description'].nunique()
```

```
Out[96]: 9
```

```
crime_statistics['Offence Level 2 Description'].value_counts()
```

```
Out[97]: THEFT AND RELATED OFFENCES          152926
PROPERTY DAMAGE AND ENVIRONMENTAL          80047
ACTS INTENDED TO CAUSE INJURY              63747
SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS                 53888
OTHER OFFENCES AGAINST THE PERSON          12327
FRAUD DECEPTION AND RELATED OFFENCES      11644
SEXUAL ASSAULT AND RELATED OFFENCES        7884
ROBBERY AND RELATED OFFENCES               2607
HOMICIDE AND RELATED OFFENCES              226
Name: Offence Level 2 Description, dtype: int64
```

“Offence Level 2 Description” column takes 9 unique values which is displayed by the .nunique() function.

The counts of the unique value is obtained by using the .value_counts() function.

There are 152926 theft and related offences, 80047 property damage and environmental, 63747 acts intended to cause injury, 53888 serious criminal trespass, 12327 other offences against the person, 11644 fraud and deception and related offences, 7884 sexual assault and related offences, 2607 robbery and related offense and 266 homicide and related offences,

2. How many serious criminal trespasses have occurred with more than 1 offence count?

```
sct = crime_statistics[crime_statistics['Offence Level 2 Description'] == 'SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS']
```

sct stands for serious criminal trespass and it displays a dataset where the column “Offence Level 2 Descriptions” only has the value of ‘SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS’.

```
condition = sct[(sct['Offence Count'] > 1)]
```

```
In [100]: condition
```

```
Out[100]:
```

| | Reported Date | Suburb - Incident | Postcode - Incident | Offence Level 1 Description | Offence Level 2 Description | Offence Level 3 Description | Offence Count |
|-----|---------------|-------------------|---------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------|
| 45 | 2014-01-01 | CLOVELLY PARK | 5042 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 2 |
| 82 | 2014-01-01 | GILLES PLAINS | 5086 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 2 |
| 141 | 2014-01-01 | MANSFIELD PARK | 5012 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 2 |
| 252 | 2014-01-01 | SEATON | 5023 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 2 |
| 427 | 2014-01-02 | MELROSE PARK | 5039 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 2 |
| 435 | 2014-01-02 | MORPHETT VALE | 5162 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 3 |
| 636 | 2014-01-03 | ELIZABETH | 5112 | OFFENCES AGAINST PROPERTY | SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS | SCT - Residence | 2 |

A new dataset is created with the condition where the values in the ‘Offence Count’ column is more than 1.

```
condition['Offence Level 2 Description'].value_counts()
```

```
Out[101]: SERIOUS CRIMINAL TRESPASS    4198
          Name: Offence Level 2 Description, dtype: int64
```

The number of occurrence of serious criminal trespass is obtained by using the function .value_counts()

There are 4198 occurrence of serious criminal trespass.

Task B: Investigating Offence Count in different suburbs and different years

In the task, you are required to visualise the relationship between the number of crimes in different suburbs and different years and exploring the relationship. Note: higher marks will be given to reports containing graphs with appropriately labelled axes, title and legend.

B1. Investigating the number of crimes per year

Find the number of crimes per year. Plot the graph and explain your understanding of the graph. Hint: you can extract 'year' from column "reported date" using method .dt and create a new column for the year in your dataframe as follows:

```
>>> your_dataframe['year']=your_dataframe['Reported Date'].dt.year
```

```
crime_statistics['year']=crime_statistics['Reported Date'].dt.year
```

A new column called year is added into the crime_statistics dataset.

```
groupbyYear = crime_statistics.groupby('year')['Offence Count'].sum()
```

```
groupbyYear = groupbyYear.reset_index()
```

```
In [105]: groupbyYear
```

```
Out[105]:
```

| | year | Offence Count |
|---|------|---------------|
| 0 | 2014 | 101750 |
| 1 | 2015 | 105656 |
| 2 | 2016 | 107593 |
| 3 | 2017 | 50159 |
| 4 | 2018 | 55758 |
| 5 | 2019 | 27904 |

A new data set containing the year and the number of offence count that occurred within the year is created through groupby and it is named groupbyYear. The dataset displays the number of offence counts that occurs every year.

```
groupbyYear.year = groupbyYear.year.astype(str)
```

The data type of year is converted into a string or not jupyter will include the year values as a value in the bar chart

Code for bar chart:

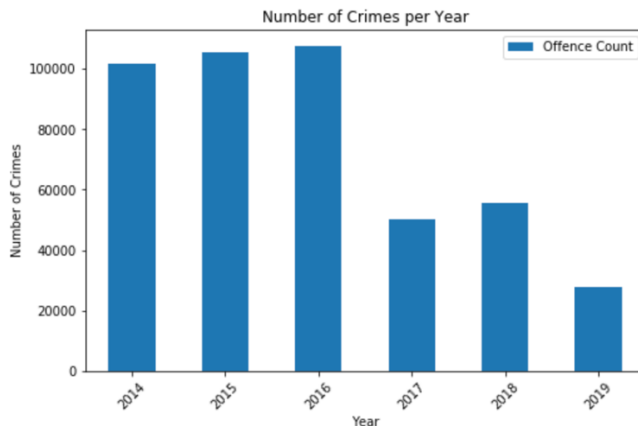
```
ax=groupbyYear.plot.bar(figsize=(8,5))
```

```
ax.set_xticklabels(groupbyYear['year'],rotation=45)
```

```
plt.xlabel('Year')
```

```
plt.ylabel('Number of Crimes')
```

```
plt.title('Number of Crimes per Year')
```



According to the bar chart, the most number of crimes was committed in 2016 while the least number of crimes was committed in 2019. Initially, from 2014 to 2016, the number of crimes increased significantly. However, there is a drastic drop of the number of crimes in 2017 compared to 2016. It increase significantly in 2018 and dropped in 2019, where crimes occurred the least.

B2. Investigating the total number of crimes in different suburbs

1. **Compute the total number of crimes in each suburb and plot a histogram of the total number of crimes in different suburbs**

```
groupbySuburb = crime_statistics.groupby('Suburb - Incident')['Offence Count'].sum()
```

```
groupbySuburb = groupbySuburb.reset_index()
```

```
In [110]: groupbySuburb
```

```
Out[110]:
```

| | Suburb - Incident | Offence Count |
|----|-------------------|---------------|
| 0 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 1280 |
| 1 | ADDRESS UNKNOWN | 84 |
| 2 | ADELAIDE | 24598 |
| 3 | ADELAIDE AIRPORT | 665 |
| 4 | AGERY | 5 |
| 5 | ALAWOONA | 7 |
| 6 | ALBANY | 1 |
| 7 | ALBERT PARK | 444 |
| 8 | ALBERTON | 761 |
| 9 | ALDGATE | 255 |
| 10 | ALDINGA | 379 |

A new data set containing the suburb and the number of offence count that occurred in the suburb is created through groupby and it is named groupbySuburb. This data sets displays all values of offence counts that occurs in each suburb.

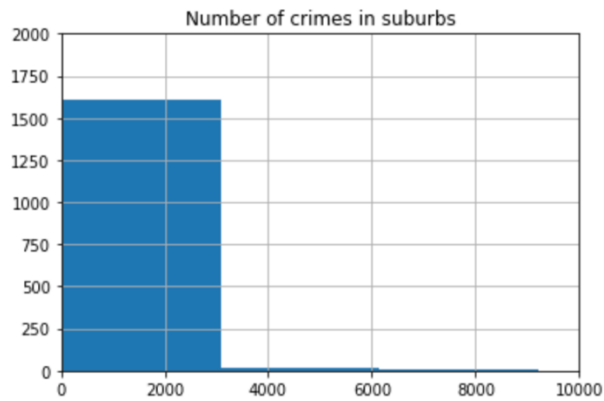
Code for histogram:

```
groupbySuburb['Offence Count'].hist(bins = 8)
```

```
plt.xlim(0,10000) # setting limit on x-axis
```

```
plt.ylim(0,2000) # setting limit on y-axis
```

```
plt.title('Number of crimes in suburbs')
```



Histogram of total number of crimes in suburb

2. Consider the shape of the histogram, what can you tell? Compare the mean and median values of the plotted histogram.

The histogram is skewed to the right therefore the mean is greater than the median

3. In which suburbs the total number of crimes are greater than 5000? Plot the total number of crimes in the suburbs with the highest number of crimes (greater than 5000) using a bar chart.

```
condition2 = groupbySuburb[(groupbySuburb['Offence Count'] > 5000)]
```

```
In [113]: condition2
```

```
Out[113]:
```

| | Suburb - Incident | Offence Count |
|------|-------------------|---------------|
| 2 | ADELAIDE | 24598 |
| 382 | ELIZABETH | 5270 |
| 879 | MORPHETT VALE | 6679 |
| 895 | MOUNT GAMBIER | 6592 |
| 930 | MURRAY BRIDGE | 6928 |
| 994 | NOT DISCLOSED | 6772 |
| 1126 | PORT AUGUSTA | 7298 |
| 1139 | PORT LINCOLN | 5241 |
| 1235 | SALISBURY | 6046 |

A new dataset is created from the dataset groupbySuburb with the condition where the values in the 'Offence Count' column is more than 5000. This data sets displays the values of offence counts that is more than 5000 that occurs in each suburb.

Code used to create bar chart:

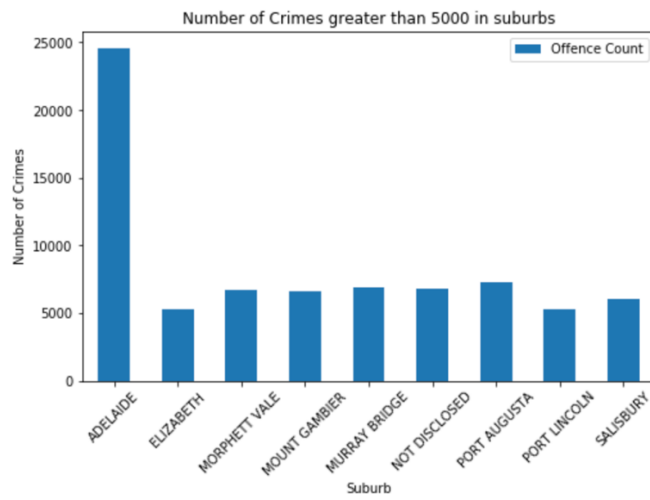
```
ax=condition2.plot.bar(figsize=(8,5))    #figsize sets size of plot
```

```
ax.set_xticklabels(condition2['Suburb - Incident'],rotation=45)
```

```
plt.xlabel('Suburb')    # setting a label for x axis
```

```
plt.ylabel('Number of Crimes')    # Setting a label for y axis
```

```
plt.title('Number of Crimes greater than 5000 in suburbs')    # Setting the title of chart
```

According to the bar chart, Adelaide is the suburb where the crimes are the greatest and Port Lincoln is the suburb where the crimes are the least.

B3. Daily number of crimes

1. For each suburb, calculate the number of days that at least 15 crimes have occurred per day. (Note: your answer should contain all suburbs in the dataset together with a value showing the number of days that at least 15 crimes have happened)

```
Daily = crime_statistics.groupby(['Suburb - Incident', 'Reported Date'])['Offence Count'].sum()
Daily = Daily.reset_index()
```

| Daily | | | |
|-----------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Out[115]: | | | |
| | Suburb - Incident | Reported Date | Offence Count |
| 0 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-02 | 2 |
| 1 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-03 | 3 |
| 2 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-04 | 2 |
| 3 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-07 | 4 |
| 4 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-11 | 1 |
| 5 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-12 | 2 |
| 6 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-13 | 1 |
| 7 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-15 | 2 |
| 8 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-17 | 2 |
| 9 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-18 | 1 |
| 10 | ABERFOYLE PARK | 2014-01-19 | 1 |

A new data set containing the suburb, Reported date and the number of offence count in the suburb is created through groupby and it is named Daily. This dataset displays the number of offence counts that happens daily in suburbs.

```
condition3 = Daily[Daily['Offence Count'] >= 15]
```

| In [117]: condition3 | | | |
|----------------------|-------------------|---------------|---------------|
| Out[117]: | | | |
| | Suburb - Incident | Reported Date | Offence Count |
| 874 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-01 | 22 |
| 881 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-08 | 17 |
| 883 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-10 | 20 |
| 886 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-13 | 23 |
| 893 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-20 | 20 |
| 896 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-23 | 16 |
| 898 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-25 | 23 |
| 899 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-26 | 27 |
| 900 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-27 | 20 |
| 902 | ADELAIDE | 2014-01-29 | 17 |
| 905 | ADELAIDE | 2014-02-01 | 15 |

A new dataset is created from the dataset Daily with the condition where the values in the 'Offence Count' column is more than 15.

```
Dailycrime = condition3.groupby(['Suburb - Incident'])['Reported Date'].count()
```

```
Dailycrime = Dailycrime.reset_index()
```

```
In [129]: Dailycrime
```

```
Out[129]:
```

| | Suburb - Incident | No. of Reported Date |
|----|-------------------|----------------------|
| 0 | ADELAIDE | 877 |
| 1 | ASCOT PARK | 1 |
| 2 | DAVOREN PARK | 1 |
| 3 | FINDON | 1 |
| 4 | GLENELG | 1 |
| 5 | LOXTON | 1 |
| 6 | MARLESTON | 1 |
| 7 | MODBURY | 1 |
| 8 | MORPHETT VALE | 3 |
| 9 | MOUNT BARKER | 1 |
| 10 | MOUNT GAMBIER | 3 |

A new data set containing suburb and number of reported date is created through groupby and it is named Dailycrimes. This dataset displays the number of reported dates that has more than 15 offence counts in each suburbs.

2. Now which suburbs do have at least one day where the daily number of crimes are more than 15. Plot the number of days that at least 15 crimes have occurred for the suburbs you found in this step (step 2) using a bar graph.

Code for bar chart:

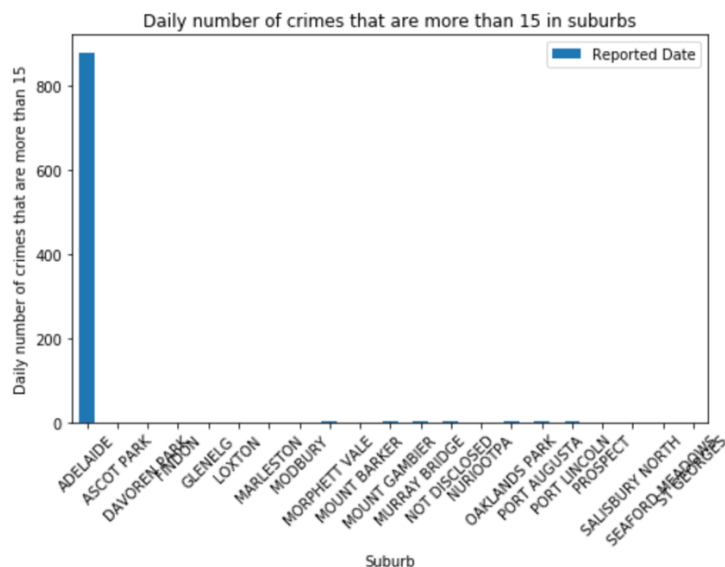
```
ax=Dailycrime.plot.bar(figsize=(8,5))# figsize sets size of plot
```

```
ax.set_xticklabels(Dailycrime['Suburb - Incident'],rotation=45)
```

```
plt.xlabel('Suburb')# setting a label for x axis
```

```
plt.ylabel('Daily number of crimes that are more than 15')# Setting a label for y axis
```

```
plt.title('Daily number of crimes that are more than 15 in suburbs')# Setting the title of chart
```



There are 21 suburbs that have at least one day where the daily number of crimes are more than 15. Adelaide has the most with 877 hence it making it hard to read the data in other suburbs.

3. Use an appropriate graph to visualize and detect outliers (extreme values) on the data from step 2 and remove them. Then, plot the data again using a bar graph.

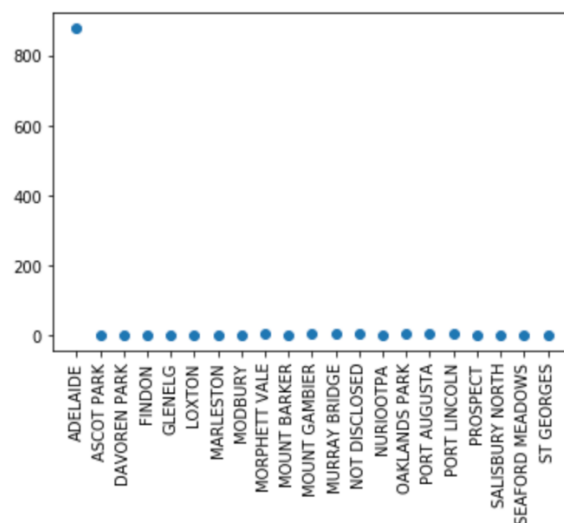
A scatter plot is used to visualize and detect outliers

Code for scatter plot:

```
plt.scatter(Dailycrime['Suburb - Incident'], Dailycrime['No. of Reported Date'])
```

```
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
```

```
plt.show()
```



Through the scatter plot, it is shown that Adelaide is the outlier because of the outlier, is hard to determine the values of the other suburbs. In order to remove the outlier, the IQR(Q3 – Q1) must be determined.

To determine IQR:

```
Q1 = Dailycrime.quantile(0.25)
```

```
Q3 = Dailycrime.quantile(0.75)
```

```
IQR = Q3 - Q1
```

```
IQR
```

```
Out[150]: No. of Reported Date    2.0
          dtype: float64
```

The value if IQR = 2.0

```
Dailycrime = Dailycrime[~((Dailycrime < (Q1 - 1.5 * IQR)) |(Dailycrime > (Q3 + 1.5 * IQR))).any(axis=1)]
```

With the condition that if the value is not within the Reported Date, that value will be removed hence, the outlier is removed.

| Dailycrime | | |
|------------|-------------------|----------------------|
| Out[137]: | | |
| | Suburb - Incident | No. of Reported Date |
| 1 | ASCOT PARK | 1 |
| 2 | DAVOREN PARK | 1 |
| 3 | FINDON | 1 |
| 4 | GLENELG | 1 |
| 5 | LOXTON | 1 |
| 6 | MARLESTON | 1 |
| 7 | MODBURY | 1 |
| 8 | MORPHETT VALE | 3 |
| 9 | MOUNT BARKER | 1 |
| 10 | MOUNT GAMBIER | 3 |
| 11 | MURRAY BRIDGE | 5 |
| 12 | NOT DISCLOSED | 5 |
| 13 | NURIOOTPA | 1 |
| 14 | OAKLANDS PARK | 3 |
| 15 | PORT AUGUSTA | 4 |
| 16 | PORT LINCOLN | 5 |
| 17 | PROSPECT | 2 |
| 18 | SALISBURY NORTH | 1 |
| 19 | SEAFORD MEADOWS | 1 |
| 20 | ST GEORGES | 1 |

As shown above, the outlier, Adelaide is removed.

A new bar chart is formed, showing clearer data.

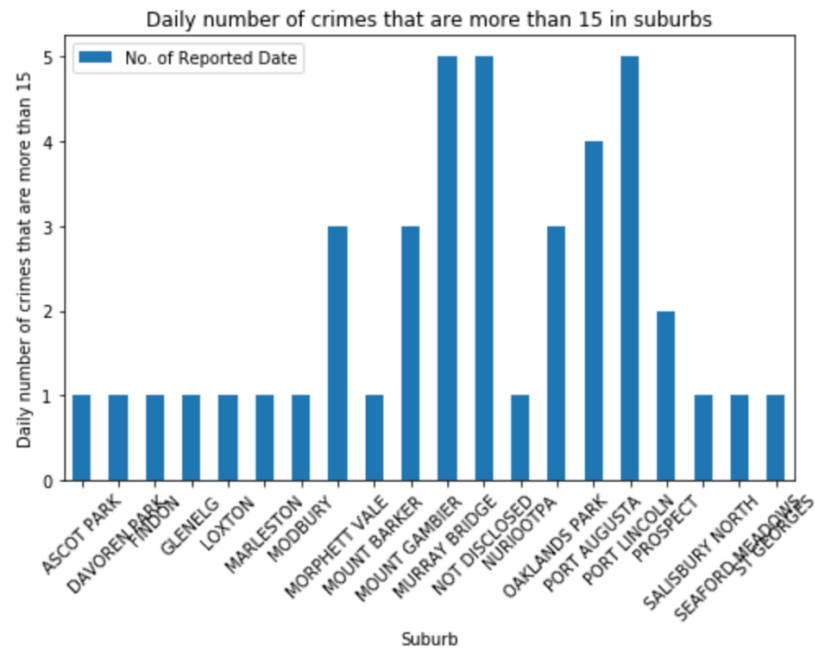
Bar chart code:

```
ax=Dailycrime.plot.bar(figsize=(8,5))# figsize sets size of plot
```

```
ax.set_xticklabels(Dailycrime['Suburb - Incident'],rotation=45plt.xlabel('Suburb')# setting a label for x axis
```

```
plt.ylabel('Daily number of crimes that are more than 15')# Setting a label for y axis
```

```
plt.title('Daily number of crimes that are more than 15 in suburbs')# Setting the title of chart
```



The data displayed is now much clearer with the removal of outliers. Excluding Adelaide, the most occurrence of offence count that occurred more than 15 times a day in 5 with 1 bring the least.

4. Compare the bar graphs in step 2 and 3. Which bar graph is easier to interpret? Why?

Bar graph in step 3 is easier to interpret because the outliers have been removed hence making it easier to read the rest of the other data