Adult/Census Income Data Set

1 Project Topic

1.1 Task

Project task is to develop and evaluate binary classification models. The learning includes data cleaning, management, analysis, visualization, feature engineering, model development and improvement. The models of interest are Logistic Regression, Random Forest and Gaussian Naive Bayes.

1.2 Goals

Project goal is to deploy supervised machine learning models on the Adult dataset from UCI Machine Learning Repository and evaluate the performance of the predictive algorithms. Secondary goals are to clean the data, run exploratory data analysis with statistical analysis and visualization, and iterate and improve the model performance. As this is a binary classification problem, feature engineering with proper metric evaluation would be important. These activities are crucial for any machine learning task and the subsequent skills development.

2 Data

2.1 Data Source

The dataset was collected from UCI Machine Learning Repository at this link: https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/Census+Income.

```
Citation: <br>
@misc{Kohavi:1994,<br/>
author = "Kohavi, Ronny and Becker, Barry",<br/>
year = "2017",<br/>
title = "{UCI} Machine Learning Repository",<br/>
url = "http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml",<br/>
institution = "Silicon Graphics, Irvine, Data Mining and Visualization" }
```

2.2 Data Description

Data Set Characteristics: Multivariate

Number of Instances: 48842

Area: Social

Attribute Characteristics: Categorical, Integer

Number of Attributes: 14
Date Donated: 1996-05-01
Associated Tasks: Classification

Missing Values? Yes

2.3 Data Attributes

age: continuous.

workclass: Private, Self-emp-not-inc, Self-emp-inc, Federal-gov, Local-gov, State-gov, Without-pay, Never-worked.

fnlwgt: continuous.

education: Bachelors, Some-college, 11th, HS-grad, Prof-school, Assoc-acdm, Assoc-voc, 9th, 7th-8th, 12th, Masters, 1st-4th, 10th, Doctorate, 5th-6th, Preschool.

education-num: continuous.

marital-status: Married-civ-spouse, Divorced, Never-married, Separated, Widowed, Married-spouse-absent, Married-AF-spouse.

occupation: Tech-support, Craft-repair, Other-service, Sales, Exec-managerial, Prof-specialty, Handlers-cleaners, Machine-op-inspct, Adm-clerical, Farming-fishing, Transport-moving, Privhouse-serv, Protective-serv, Armed-Forces.

relationship: Wife, Own-child, Husband, Not-in-family, Other-relative, Unmarried.

race: White, Asian-Pac-Islander, Amer-Indian-Eskimo, Other, Black.

sex: Female, Male.

capital-gain: continuous. capital-loss: continuous. hours-per-week: continuous.

native-country: United-States, Cambodia, England, Puerto-Rico, Canada, Germany, Outlying-US(Guam-USVI-etc), India, Japan, Greece, South, China, Cuba, Iran, Honduras, Philippines, Italy, Poland, Jamaica, Vietnam, Mexico, Portugal, Ireland, France, Dominican-Republic, Laos, Ecuador, Taiwan, Haiti, Columbia, Hungary, Guatemala, Nicaragua, Scotland, Thailand, Yugoslavia, El-Salvador, Trinadad&Tobago, Peru, Hong, Holand-Netherlands.

annual-income: >50K, <=50K.

2.4 Data Summary

```
In [1]: # Loading packages
  import numpy as np
  import pandas as pd
  import seaborn as sns
  import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
  %matplotlib inline
  import warnings
  warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
  from scipy.stats import ttest_ind, ttest_rel
  from scipy import stats
```

2.4.1 Missing Values and Loading the Data Set

Data contains (?) - a whitespace & a question mark in case of missing values. This is why na_values='?' argument is passed while reading the data. Also, the dataset is divided into train & test part; this was done for easier prediction. However, as we aim to develop our own models, we will split the data into training & testing later. Here, we have merged the two datasets to form a single dataframe. Furthermore, the data does not have the column names; hence, the names=colnames argument is passed.

2.4.2 Removing 'fnlwgt'

The 'fnlwgt' column reflects the weights on the files for each demographic. This weight can be used to extend the dataset to the fullest. However, for our machine learning algorithm the full dataset is not useful and this column is irrelevant. Hence, this is being removed.

```
In [3]: df = df.drop('fnlwgt', axis=1)
```

2.4.3 Data Summary Statistics

```
df.shape
In [4]:
        (48842, 14)
Out[4]:
        df.dtypes
In [5]:
                            object
Out[5]:
        workclass
                            object
        education
                            object
        education-num
                           float64
        marital-status
                            object
        occupation
                            object
        relationship
                            object
                            object
        race
                            object
        sex
                           float64
        capital-gain
                           float64
        capital-loss
        hours-per-week
                           float64
        native-country
                            object
                            object
        annual-income
        dtype: object
```

-> Data Type Change

Age variable seems to be of object data type and should be of integer data type. Furthermore, there are some leading whitespaces in some columns. We need to remove them.

```
In [6]: # Change age data type
df['age'] = df['age'].astype(str).astype(int)
```

-> Whitespace Removal

```
In [7]: # Remove whitespaces
df = df.apply(lambda x: x.str.strip() if x.dtype == "object" else x)
```

In [8]: # Data summary for numerical features
 df.describe()

Out[8]:	8]: ag		education-num	capital-gain	capital-loss	hours-per-week
	count	48842.000000	48842.000000	48842.000000	48842.000000	48842.000000
	mean	38.643585	10.078089	1079.067626	87.502314	40.422382
	std	13.710510	2.570973	7452.019058	403.004552	12.391444
	min	17.000000	1.000000	0.000000	0.000000	1.000000
	25%	28.000000	9.000000	0.000000	0.000000	40.000000
	50%	37.000000	10.000000	0.000000	0.000000	40.000000
	75%	48.000000	12.000000	0.000000	0.000000	45.000000
	max	90.000000	16.000000	99999.000000	4356.000000	99.000000

In [9]: # Data summary for categorical features
 df.describe(include=["0"])

Out[9]: maritalnativeannualworkclass education occupation relationship race status country income 46043 48842 48842 46033 48842 48842 48842 47985 48842 count 6 5 2 unique 8 16 7 14 41 4 Married-Prof-Unitedtop Private HS-grad civ-Husband White Male <=50K specialty States spouse freq 33906 15784 22379 6172 19716 41762 32650 43832 24720

In [10]: df.head(5)

Out[10]:		age	workclass	educatio	education n nu		rital- tatus	cupation	relationship	race	sex	capital- gain	
	0	39	State-gov	Bachelor	s 13	()	ever- arried	Adm- clerical	Not-in- family	White	Male	2174.0	
	1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelor	s 13	.0	rried- civ- pouse	Exec- anagerial	Husband	White	Male	0.0	
	2	38	Private	HS-grad	d 9	.0 Divo	orced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	0.0	
	3	53	Private	11tl	n 7	.0	rried- civ- oouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	0.0	
	4	28	Private	Bachelor	s 13	.0	rried- civ- oouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	0.0	
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Out[11]:			age work	class edu	educ cation	cation- num	marital statu	occupa	ation relation	nship	race	sex	Ci
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	48	838	64	NaN H	S-grad	9.0	Widowe	d	I/I 2 I/I	ther- lative	Black	Male	
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	48	841	35 Self-6	emp- inc Bac	helors	13.0	Married civ spous	,_ manad	Exec- Hus gerial	band	White	Male	

3 Data Cleaning

3.1 Data Type Change

We have already chaged the datatype of Age variable to integer.

3.2 Whitespace Removal

3.3 Missing Values

As already mentioned, data contains (?) - a whitespace & a question mark in case of missing values. This is why na_values='?' argument is passed while reading the data. Now, we will look at the number of missing values by each column.

```
# Count of missing values
In [12]:
          df.isna().sum()
                                 0
Out[12]:
                             2799
          workclass
                                0
          education
          education-num
                                0
          marital-status
                                0
                             2809
          occupation
          relationship
                                0
          race
                                 0
          sex
                                0
          capital-gain
                                0
                                0
          capital-loss
          hours-per-week
                                0
          native-country
                              857
                                 0
          annual-income
          dtype: int64
In [13]: # Percentage of missing values
          df.isna().sum()/df.count()
          age
                             0.000000
Out[13]:
          workclass 0.060791 education 0.000000
          education-num 0.000000
          marital-status 0.000000
          occupation 0.061021 relationship 0.000000
          race
                             0.000000
          sex 0.000000 capital-gain 0.000000 capital-loss 0.000000
          hours-per-week 0.000000
          native-country 0.017860
          annual-income
                             0.000000
          dtype: float64
```

As it turn out, only 3 columns have missing values with lower frequency ($1.8\% \sim 6.1\%$ compared to all respective cases). The removal of missing values will not impact the number of observations. Furthermore, missing values arise in categorical features whose imputation will not be straightforward to handle.

```
In [14]: # Remove NAs
df = df.dropna()
df
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	1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	
	2	38	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Divorced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	
	3	53	Private	11th	7.0	Married- civ- spouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	
	4	28	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	
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48	8836	33	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Prof- specialty	Own-child	White	Male	
48	8837	39	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Divorced	Prof- specialty	Not-in- family	White	Female	
48	8839	38	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	
48	8840	44	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Divorced	Adm- clerical	Own-child	Asian- Pac- Islander	Male	!
4	8841	35	Self-emp- inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	

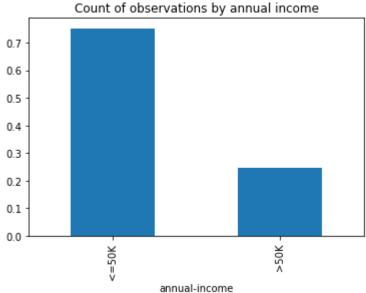
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3.4 Check of Imbalanced Data Set

3.4.1 Cleaning target variable

It appears that the target variable has 4 outcomes. However, "<=50K." and "<=50K" can be counted as same. We will be replacing the strings here.

```
# Clean the target variable
In [16]:
          df['annual-income'] = df['annual-income'].str.replace('<=50K.','<=50K')</pre>
          df['annual-income'] = df['annual-income'].str.replace('>50K.','>50K')
         df.groupby(['annual-income']).size()
In [17]:
         annual-income
Out[17]:
         <=50K
                  34014
         >50K
                   11208
         dtype: int64
         df.groupby(['annual-income']).size().transform(lambda x: x/sum(x))
In [18]:
         annual-income
Out[18]:
          <=50K
                  0.752156
         >50K
                   0.247844
         dtype: float64
In [19]: df_out = df.groupby(['annual-income']).size().transform(lambda x: x/sum(x))
         df_out.plot.bar(title='Count of observations by annual income')
         <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Count of observations by annual income'}, xlabel='annua</pre>
Out[19]:
         1-income'>
```



It is quite clear that the data is imbalanced in nature. We have 75% observations for <=50K annual income whereas there is only 25% for >50K.

3.5 Conclusion of Data Cleaning

The dataset had data type, whitespace, missing value notation and unexpected string errors. Missing values were not frequent; hence all the observations with missing values were removed (8% of total observations were removed) by getting a total of 44,993 observations out of 48,842.

It was also investigated that the data is imbalanced in nature with a ratio of 3:1 for annual income over 50K to annual income of equal or less than 50K.

4 Exploratory Data Analysis

We will run univariate, bivariate and multivariate analysis of all the features here. Then, scatterplots for continuous variables, box plots for continuous-categorical variables and crosstabs for categorical variables will be developed. These shall guide our understanding of the distribution as well as point us to the proper statistical tests. We will conduct independent t-tests and Chi-squared tests to find the relationship between target variables and the variable(s) in question.

Our objective is to:

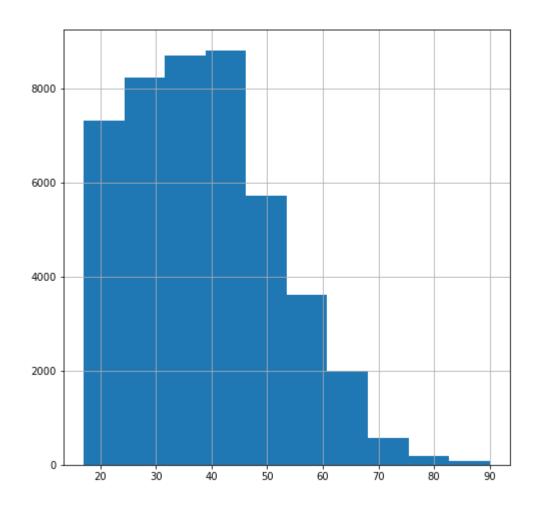
- 1) Understand the variables & their distributions
- 2) Plot various graphs for easier visualization & understanding
- 3) Run statistical tests (t-tests and Chi-squared) to understand the impact on target variables
- 4) Build correlation matrix to understand the mutual impact of x variables
- 5) Retain only the relevant and the most significant features for model development (to reduce multicollinearity and overfitting)

4.1 Univariate Analysis

4.1.1 Histogram of age

It appears to resemble normal distribution with a mean of 38.64 and the range of 17 to 90.

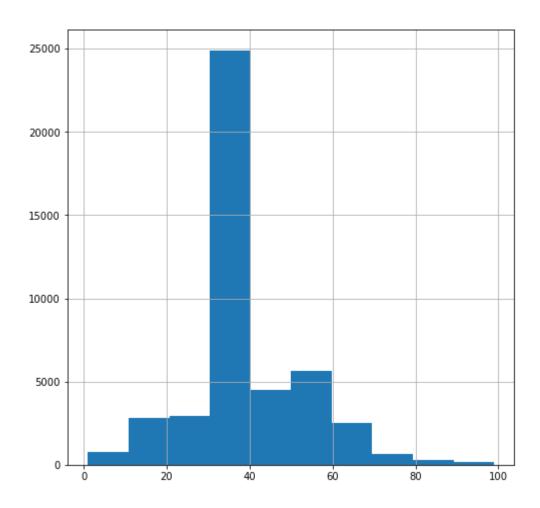
```
In [20]: df['age'].hist(figsize=(8,8))
Out[20]: <AxesSubplot:>
```



4.1.2 Histogram of hours worked per week

It also appears to resemble normal distribution with a mean of 40.42 and the range of 1 to 99.

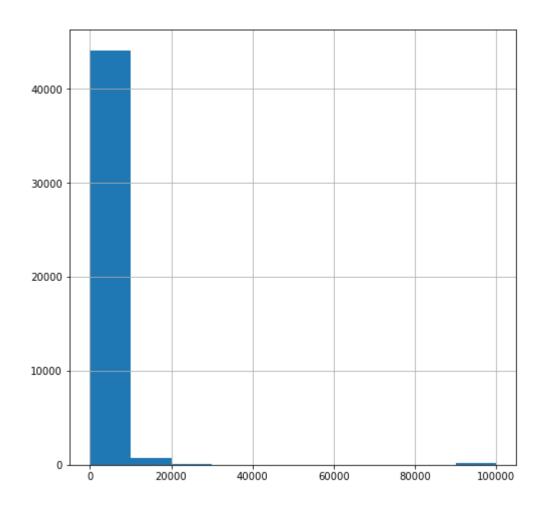
```
In [21]: df['hours-per-week'].hist(figsize=(8,8))
    plt.show()
```



4.1.3 Histogram of capital gain

Capital gain does not resemble any particular distribution.

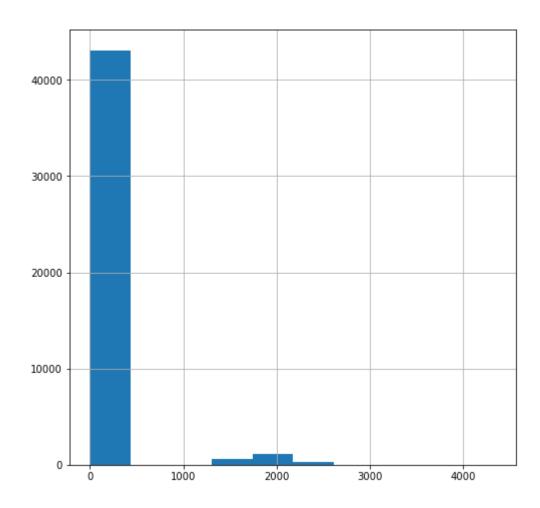
```
In [22]: df["capital-gain"].hist(figsize=(8,8))
    plt.show()
```



4.1.4 Histogram of capital loss

Capital loss does not resemble any particular distribution either.

```
In [23]: df["capital-loss"].hist(figsize=(8,8))
    plt.show()
```

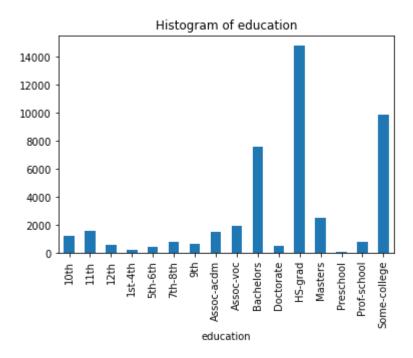


4.1.5 Histogram of education

It appears that the majority of the education is in the HS-grad bucket with the 2nd being some-college. We also find Bachelors as it stands in the 3rd ranking.

```
In [24]: df_out = df.groupby(['education']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Histogram of education')

Out[24]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Histogram of education'}, xlabel='education'>
```

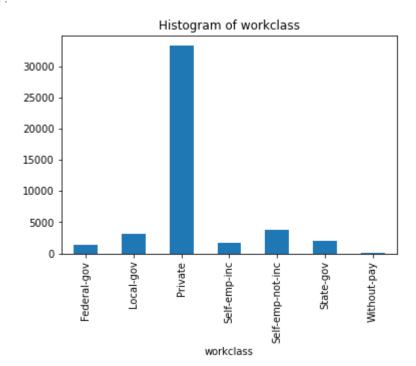


4.1.6 Histogram of workclass

Majority are in Private sector while the rest show somewhat similar frequencies.

```
In [25]: df_out = df.groupby(['workclass']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Histogram of workclass')

Out[25]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Histogram of workclass'}, xlabel='workclass'>
```

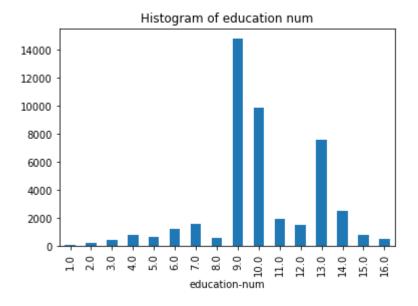


4.1.7 Histogram of education number

Majority are in categories 9.0, 10.0 and 1.03 arranged in descending order.

```
In [26]: df_out = df.groupby(['education-num']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Histogram of education num')
```

Out[26]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Histogram of education num'}, xlabel='education-num'>

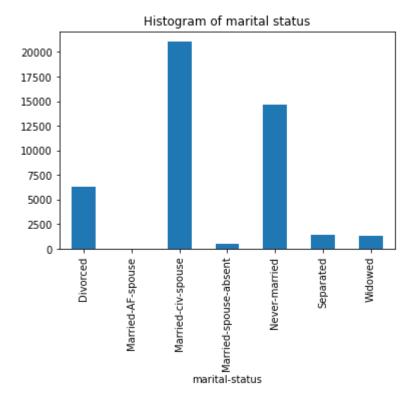


4.1.8 Histogram of marital status

Most are married with spouse and never-married comes into 2nd place. Divorced is the 3rd one.

```
In [27]: df_out = df.groupby(['marital-status']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Histogram of marital status')
```

Out[27]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Histogram of marital status'}, xlabel='marital-status'>

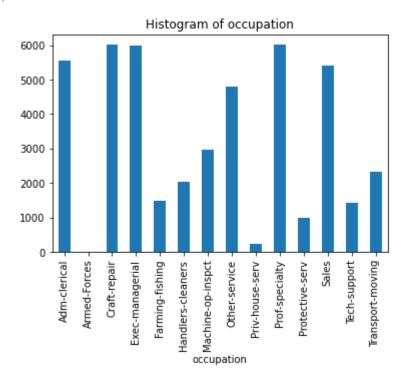


4.1.9 Histogram of occupation

This does not exhibit any particular pattern. We see high frquencies in 6 of the occupations.

```
In [28]: df_out = df.groupby(['occupation']).size()
df_out.plot.bar(title='Histogram of occupation')
```

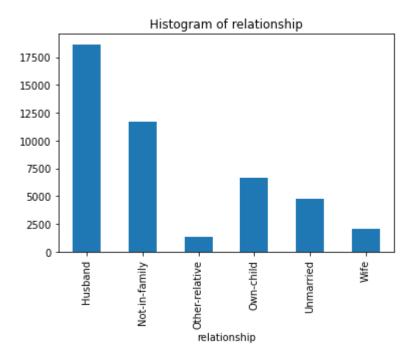
Out[28]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Histogram of occupation'}, xlabel='occupation'>



4.1.10 Histogram of relationship

Most frequent relationship reported is husband; not-in-family comes in 2nd.

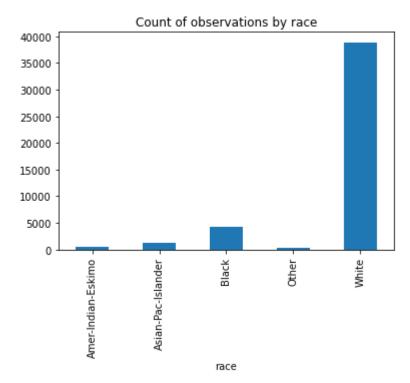
```
In [29]: df_out = df.groupby(['relationship']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Histogram of relationship')
Out[29]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Histogram of relationship'}, xlabel='relationship'>
```



4.1.11 Histogram of race

White dominates by far in terms of observational frequency in the data for race category.

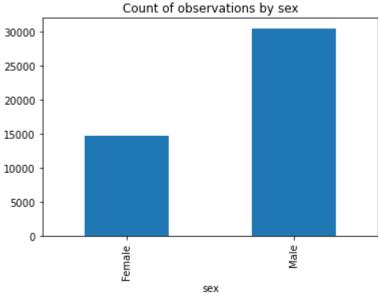
```
In [30]: df_out = df.groupby(['race']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Count of observations by race')
Out[30]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Count of observations by race'}, xlabel='race'>
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4.1.12 Histogram of sex

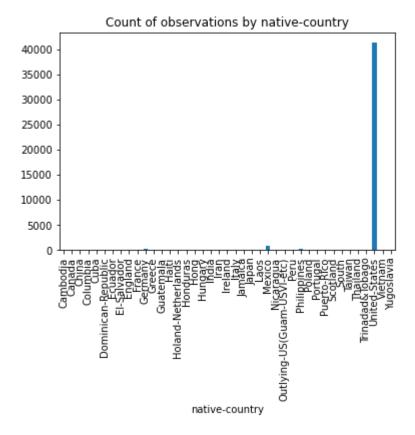
Male is overrepresented in the dataset with 2:1 ratio for male:female.

```
In [31]: df_out = df.groupby(['sex']).size()
    df_out.plot.bar(title='Count of observations by sex')
Out[31]: <AxesSubplot:title={'center':'Count of observations by sex'}, xlabel='sex'>
```



4.1.13 Histogram of native country

United States dominates the frequency for native country count.

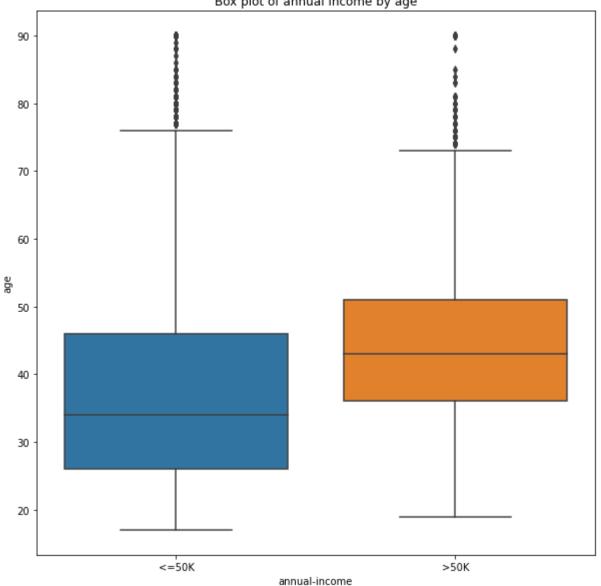


4.2 Bivariate Analysis

4.2.1 Relationship between age and annual income

```
# boxplot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,10))
sns.boxplot(x="annual-income", y="age", data=df).set_title("Box plot of annual income
plt.show()
```





```
In [34]: # Mean
          df[['annual-income', 'age']].groupby(['annual-income'], as_index=False).mean().sort_value
Out[34]:
            annual-income
                                age
```

```
1
           >50K 44.006067
          <=50K 36.749427
```

```
In [35]:
         # t-test
          import random
          data = df[(np.abs(stats.zscore(df["age"])) < 3)]</pre>
          income_1 = data[data['annual-income']==">50K"]['age']
          income_0 = data[data['annual-income']=="<=50K"]['age']</pre>
          income_0 = income_0.values.tolist()
          income_0 = random.sample(income_0, 100)
          income_1 = income_1.values.tolist()
          income_1 = random.sample(income_1, 100)
```

```
from scipy.stats import ttest_ind
ttest,pval = ttest_ind(income_1,income_0,equal_var = False)
print("ttest",ttest)
print('p value',pval)

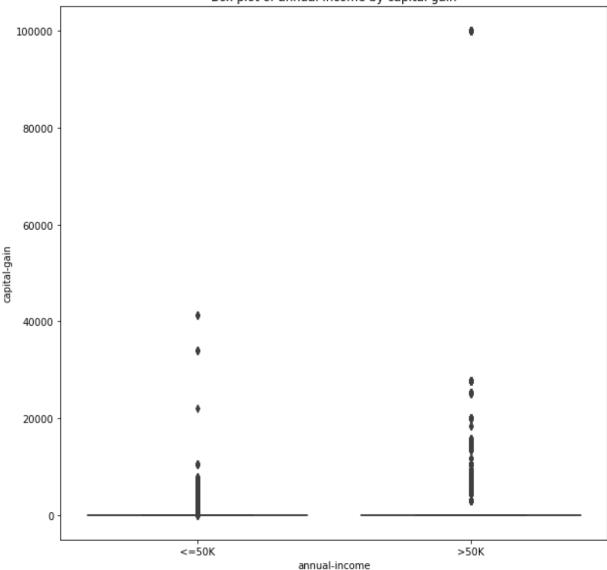
if pval <0.05:
    print("we reject null hypothesis")
else:
    print("we accept null hypothesis")</pre>
```

```
p value 2.6523488906461604e-05
we reject null hypothesis
```

We reject the null hypothesis from the two-sample independent t-test i.e. there is significant difference in annual income by age. We can count age as a discriminatory factor for our model.

4.2.2 Relationship between capital gain and annual income

```
In [36]: # boxplot
    fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,10))
    sns.boxplot(x="annual-income", y="capital-gain", data=df).set_title("Box plot of annua
    plt.show()
```



```
In [37]:
         # t-test
          import random
          data = df[(np.abs(stats.zscore(df["capital-gain"])) < 3)]</pre>
          income_1 = data[data['annual-income']==">50K"]['capital-gain']
          income_0 = data[data['annual-income']=="<=50K"]['capital-gain']</pre>
          income_0 = income_0.values.tolist()
          income_0 = random.sample(income_0, 100)
          income_1 = income_1.values.tolist()
          income_1 = random.sample(income_1, 100)
          from scipy.stats import ttest_ind
          ttest,pval = ttest_ind(income_1,income_0,equal_var = False)
          print("ttest",ttest)
          print('p value',pval)
          if pval <0.05:
              print("we reject null hypothesis")
```

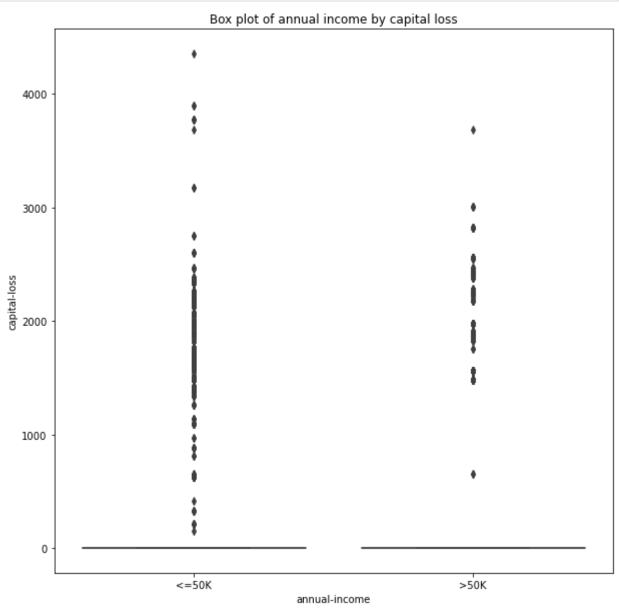
```
else:
    print("we accept null hypothesis")
```

```
ttest 3.671153279712601
p value 0.0003850957150693099
we reject null hypothesis
```

We reject the null hypothesis from the two-sample independent t-test i.e. there is significant difference in annual income by capital-gain. We can count capital-gain a discriminatory factor for our model.

4.2.3 Relationship between capital loss and annual income

```
In [38]: # boxplot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,10))
sns.boxplot(x="annual-income", y="capital-loss", data=df).set_title("Box plot of annua
plt.show()
```



```
In [39]: # t-test
import random
```

```
data = df[(np.abs(stats.zscore(df["capital-loss"])) < 3)]
income_1 = data[data['annual-income']=="\>50K"]['capital-loss']
income_0 = data[data['annual-income']=="<=50K"]['capital-loss']
income_0 = income_0.values.tolist()
income_0 = random.sample(income_0, 100)
income_1 = income_1.values.tolist()
income_1 = random.sample(income_1, 100)

from scipy.stats import ttest_ind
ttest,pval = ttest_ind(income_1,income_0,equal_var = False)
print("ttest",ttest)
print("ttest",ttest)
print('p value',pval)

if pval <0.05:
    print("we reject null hypothesis")
else:
    print("we accept null hypothesis")</pre>
```

ttest nan
p value nan
we accept null hypothesis

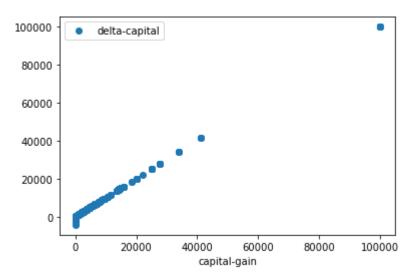
We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the two-sample independent t-test i.e. there is no significant difference in annual income by capital-loss. Hence, We cannot count capital-loss a discriminatory factor for our model.

4.2.4 Feature Engineering

As capital-gain and capital-loss indicate the difference in capital, we can build a new feature called 'delta-capita' to signify this change in capital. If we can retain this feature only, we can exclude both capital-gain and capital-loss from the dataset.

```
In [40]: # delta capital
         df['delta-capital'] = df['capital-gain']-df['capital-loss']
         df['delta-capital'].describe()
                  45222.000000
         count
Out[40]:
                  1012.834925
         mean
         std
                  7530.315380
         min
                  -4356.000000
         25%
                      0.000000
         50%
                      0.000000
         75%
                      0.000000
                  99999.000000
         Name: delta-capital, dtype: float64
In [41]: # correlation
         df['capital-gain'].corr(df['delta-capital'])
         0.9985544745065321
Out[41]:
In [42]: # scatterplot
         df.plot(x='capital-gain', y='delta-capital', style='o')
```

Out[42]: <AxesSubplot:xlabel='capital-gain'>



As the correlation between delta-capital and capital-gain is high (0.99), we can retain one of them. Also, capital-loss is found to be insignificant on annual-income (our target variable). Hence, we can remove both capital-gain & capital-loss and can only keep delta-capital in our feature set.

```
In [43]: # removal
df = df.drop(columns = ['capital-gain', 'capital-loss'], axis=1)
df
```

Out[43]:

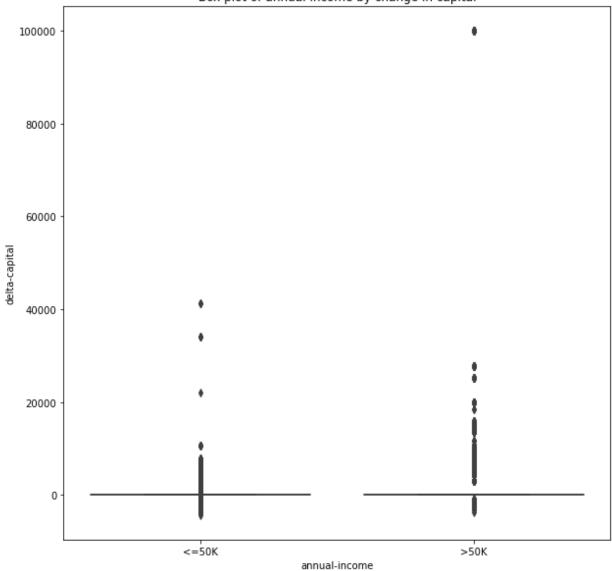
		age	workclass	education	education- num	marital- status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	he
	0	39	State-gov	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Adm- clerical	Not-in- family	White	Male	
	1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	
	2	38	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Divorced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	
	3	53	Private	11th	7.0	Married- civ- spouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	
	4	28	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	
	•••										
48	8836	33	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Prof- specialty	Own-child	White	Male	
48	8837	39	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Divorced	Prof- specialty	Not-in- family	White	Female	
48	8839	38	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	
48	8840	44	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Divorced	Adm- clerical	Own-child	Asian- Pac- Islander	Male	
48	8841	35	Self-emp- inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	

45222 rows × 13 columns

4.2.5 Relationship between delta capital and annual income

```
In [44]: # boxplot
    fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,10))
    sns.boxplot(x="annual-income", y="delta-capital", data=df).set_title("Box plot of annu
    plt.show()
```





```
In [45]: # outliers
    df.loc[(df['delta-capital'] >= 80000)]
```

		age	workclass	education	education- num	marital- status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	hou p we
	1246	54	Self-emp- inc	Prof- school	15.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	61
	1368	52	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	Asian- Pac- Islander	Male	4
	1482	53	Self-emp- inc	HS-grad	9.0	Married- civ- spouse	Sales	Husband	White	Male	41
	1528	52	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	51
	1616	46	Private	Prof- school	15.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	61
	•••										
4	7739	32	Self-emp- inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	61
4	8582	61	Self-emp- not-inc	Masters	14.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	31
4	8591	36	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Prof- specialty	Not-in- family	White	Male	4
4	8598	42	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	4
4	8629	59	Self-emp- inc	Prof- school	15.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	8.

229 rows × 13 columns

-> Outliers

There are significant outliers in delta-capital with all of them being 99999.0. This is an unusual observation.

```
In [46]: # outlier count
    (df['delta-capital'] >= 80000).sum()/df['delta-capital'].count()
Out[46]:
```

Only 0.5% of the observations are outliers with abberant observations. Let's see what happens if we remove them.

```
In [47]:
         # t-test without outliers
          data = df.loc[~(df['delta-capital'] >= 80000)]
          import random
          data = data[(np.abs(stats.zscore(df["delta-capital"])) < 3)]</pre>
          income_1 = data[data['annual-income']==">50K"]['delta-capital']
          income_0 = data[data['annual-income']=="<=50K"]['delta-capital']</pre>
          income 0 = income 0.values.tolist()
          income 0 = random.sample(income 0, 100)
          income 1 = income 1.values.tolist()
          income_1 = random.sample(income_1, 100)
          from scipy.stats import ttest ind
          ttest,pval = ttest_ind(income_1,income_0,equal_var = False)
          print("ttest",ttest)
          print('p value',pval)
          if pval <0.05:
              print("we reject null hypothesis")
          else:
              print("we accept null hypothesis")
```

ttest 3.7137244474085414 p value 0.000333175832488459 we reject null hypothesis

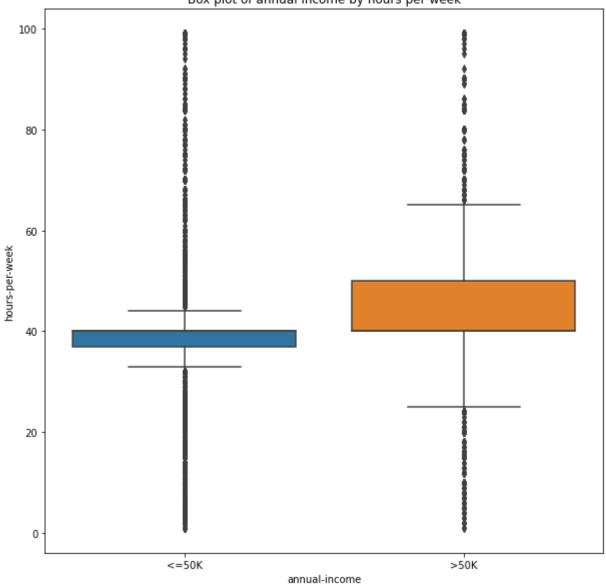
The delta-capital still remains a discriminatory factor even after the removal of all outliers with 99999.0 value. We can safely remove them as they are only 0.5% of the whole data.

```
In [48]: # removal of outliers
df = df.loc[~(df['delta-capital'] >= 80000)]
```

4.2.6 Relationship between hours per week and annual income

```
In [49]: # boxplot
fig = plt.figure(figsize=(10,10))
sns.boxplot(x="annual-income", y="hours-per-week", data=df).set_title("Box plot of anr
plt.show()
```





```
In [50]: # mean
df[['annual-income', 'hours-per-week']].groupby(['annual-income'], as_index=False).mea
```

Out[50]: annual-income hours-per-week

1

0 <=50K 39.372023

45.582293

>50K

```
In [51]: # t-test
import random

data = df[(np.abs(stats.zscore(df["hours-per-week"])) < 3)]

income_1 = data[data['annual-income']==">50K"]['hours-per-week']
income_0 = data[data['annual-income']=="<=50K"]['hours-per-week']

income_0 = income_0.values.tolist()
income_0 = random.sample(income_0, 100)
income_1 = income_1.values.tolist()
income_1 = random.sample(income_1, 100)</pre>
```

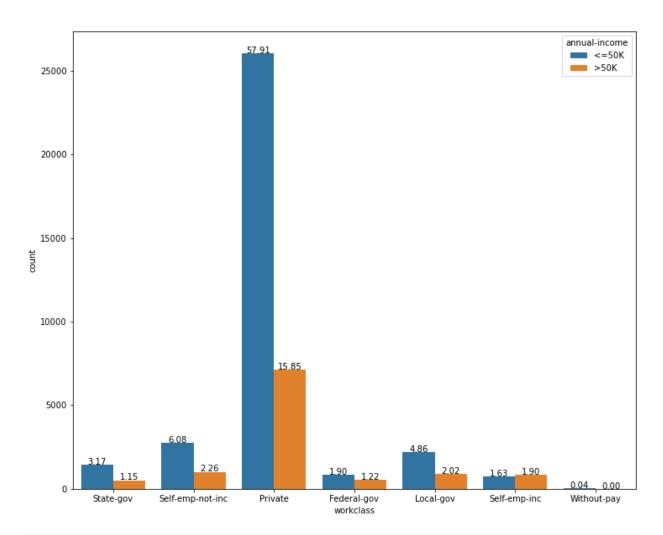
```
from scipy.stats import ttest_ind
ttest,pval = ttest_ind(income_1,income_0,equal_var = False)
print("ttest",ttest)
print('p value',pval)

if pval <0.05:
    print("we reject null hypothesis")
else:
    print("we accept null hypothesis")</pre>
```

```
ttest 4.971248892311286
p value 1.5513535324904089e-06
we reject null hypothesis
```

We reject the null hypothesis from the two-sample independent t-test i.e. there is significant difference in annual income by hours-per-week. Hence, We can count hours-per-week a discriminatory factor for our model.

4.2.7 Relationship between workclass and annual income



In [53]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['workclass'],df['annual-income'])

Out[53]: annual-income <=50K >50K

workclass Federal-gov 857 547 Local-gov 2185 909 **Private** 26056 7131 855 Self-emp-inc 734 Self-emp-not-inc 2737 1019 1426 516 State-gov Without-pay 19 2

```
In [54]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['workclass'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1),df[
    c_t
```

```
Out[54]:
            annual-income <=50K >50K
                 workclass
                                 2
                                       1
               Federal-gov
                                       2
                 Local-gov
                   Private
                                61
                                       9
              Self-emp-inc
                                 5
                                       0
           Self-emp-not-inc
                                 3
                                       2
                 State-gov
                                       1
```

```
In [55]: # chi square test
from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
from scipy.stats import chi2

stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
print('dof=%d' % dof)
print('p_value', p)
print(expected)

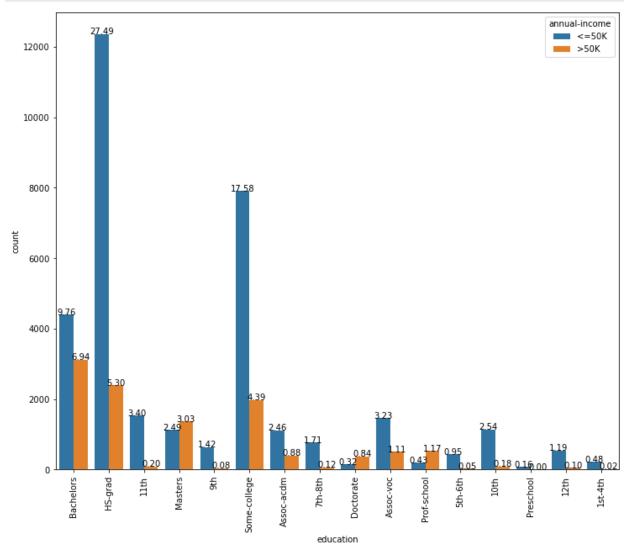
# interpret test-statistic
prob = 0.95
critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
if abs(stat) >= critical:
    print('Dependent (reject H0)')
else:
    print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
```

We reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is dependency between workclass and annual-income. We can keep workclass in our feature set.

4.2.8 Relationship between education and annual income

```
In [56]: # histogram
plt.figure(figsize=(12,10))
total = float(len(df["annual-income"]) )

ax = sns.countplot(x="education", hue="annual-income", data=df)
for p in ax.patches:
    height = p.get_height()
    ax.text(p.get_x()+p.get_width()/2.,
```



```
In [57]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['education'],df['annual-income'])
```

Out[57]: annual-income <=50K >50K

education		
10th	1141	80
11th	1530	89
12th	534	43
1st-4th	214	8
5th-6th	427	21
7th-8th	768	55
9th	638	37
Assoc-acdm	1109	398
Assoc-voc	1455	501
Bachelors	4392	3121
Doctorate	145	376
HS-grad	12367	2384
Masters	1121	1365
Preschool	71	1
Prof-school	193	525
Some-college	7909	1975

```
In [58]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['education'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1),df[
    c_t
```

Out[58]: annual-income <=50K >50K

education

10th	0	1
11th	2	0
12th	1	0
5th-6th	2	0

9th	2	0
Assoc-acdm	5	1

2

0

7th-8th

Assoc-voc	3	1

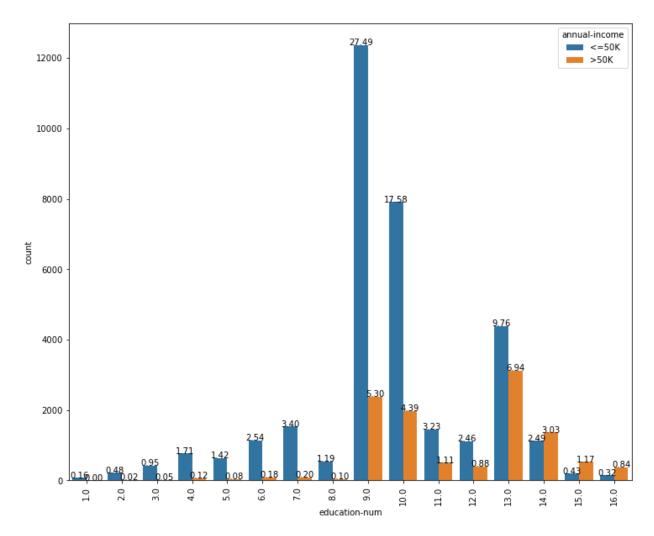
```
Some-college 14
```

```
# chi-sqaured test
In [59]:
         from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
         from scipy.stats import chi2
         stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
         print('dof=%d' % dof)
         print('p_value', p)
         print(expected)
         # interpret test-statistic
         prob = 0.95
         critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
         print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
         if abs(stat) >= critical:
             print('Dependent (reject H0)')
         else:
             print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
```

```
dof=12
p value 0.19516031384342541
[[ 0.8333333  0.16666667]
[ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 0.83333333  0.16666667]
 [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 5.
             1.
 [13.3333333 2.66666667]
 [ 0.83333333  0.16666667]
 [26.66666667 5.333333333]
 [ 4.16666667 0.83333333]
 [13.3333333 2.66666667]]
probability=0.950, critical=21.026, stat=15.915
Independent (fail to reject H0)
```

We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is no dependency between education and annual-income. We will exclude education from our feature set.

4.2.9 Relationship between education num and annual income



In [61]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['education-num'],df['annual-income'])

Out[61]: annual-income <=50K >50K education-num 1.0 2.0 3.0 4.0 5.0 6.0 7.0 8.0 9.0 10.0 11.0 12.0 13.0 14.0 15.0

16.0

```
In [62]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['education-num'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1)
    c_t
```

Out[62]: annual-income <=50K >50K education-num 3.0 2 0 4.0 2 0 5.0 2 0

0 6.0 0 1 2 7.0 0 8.0 0 9.0 29 3 10.0 14 2 11.0 3 1 12.0 13.0 11 5 14.0 1 16.0 0 1

```
In [63]: # chi-sqaured test
from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
from scipy.stats import chi2

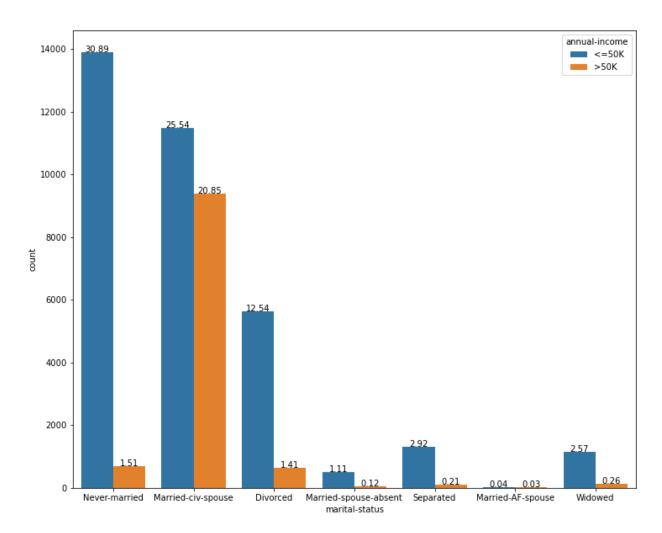
stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
print('dof=%d' % dof)
print('p_value', p)
print(expected)

# interpret test-statistic
prob = 0.95
critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
if abs(stat) >= critical:
    print('Dependent (reject H0)')
else:
    print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
```

```
dof=12
p value 0.19516031384342544
[[ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
[ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 0.83333333  0.16666667]
 [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
 [ 0.83333333  0.16666667]
 [26.66666667 5.33333333]
 [13.33333333 2.66666667]
 1.
 [ 5.
 [13.3333333 2.66666667]
 [ 4.16666667 0.83333333]
 [ 0.83333333  0.16666667]]
probability=0.950, critical=21.026, stat=15.915
Independent (fail to reject H0)
```

We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is no dependency between education-num and annual-income as expected. We will exclude education from our feature set.

4.2.10 Relationship between marital status and annual income



In [65]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['marital-status'],df['annual-income'])

Out[65]:	annual-income	<=50K	>50K

marital-status

Divorced	5642	635
Married-AF-spouse	18	13
Married-civ-spouse	11491	9383
Married-spouse-absent	498	53
Never-married	13897	681
Separated	1312	95
Widowed	1156	119

```
In [66]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['marital-status'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1
    c_t
```

```
Out[66]:
                 annual-income <=50K >50K
                   marital-status
                       Divorced
                                     16
                                            1
              Married-civ-spouse
                                     18
                                           12
          Married-spouse-absent
                                      2
                                            1
                  Never-married
                                     34
                                      3
                      Separated
                                            0
                      Widowed
```

[29.16666667 5.83333333]

[1.66666667 0.33333333]]

Dependent (reject H0)

[2.5

0.5

probability=0.950, critical=11.070, stat=19.589

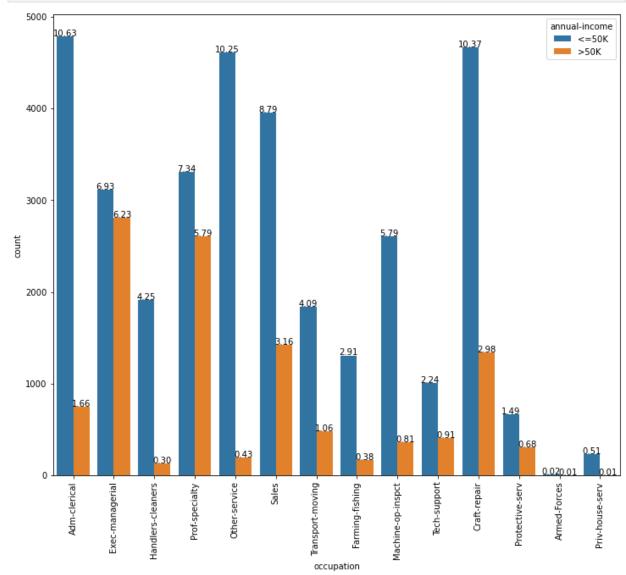
```
In [67]: # chi-squared test
         from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
         from scipy.stats import chi2
          stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
          print('dof=%d' % dof)
          print('p_value', p)
          print(expected)
         # interpret test-statistic
          prob = 0.95
          critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
          print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
          if abs(stat) >= critical:
             print('Dependent (reject H0)')
             print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
         dof=5
         p value 0.0014920475984894538
         [[14.16666667 2.833333333]
          [25. 5. ]
[2.5 0.5 ]
```

We reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is dependency between marital-status and annual-income. We will include marital-status in our feature set.

4.2.11 Relationship between occupation and annual income

```
In [68]: # histogram
  plt.figure(figsize=(12,10))
  total = float(len(df["annual-income"]) )

ax = sns.countplot(x="occupation", hue="annual-income", data=df)
for p in ax.patches:
    height = p.get_height()
    ax.text(p.get_x()+p.get_width()/2.,
```



```
In [69]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['occupation'],df['annual-income'])
```

```
annual-income <=50K >50K
       occupation
     Adm-clerical
                     4784
                             748
    Armed-Forces
                       10
                               4
      Craft-repair
                     4665
                            1340
  Exec-managerial
                     3117
                            2805
  Farming-fishing
                     1308
                             169
Handlers-cleaners
                     1911
                             133
Machine-op-inspct
                     2605
                             364
    Other-service
                     4612
                             193
  Priv-house-serv
                      229
                               3
    Prof-specialty
                     3304
                            2606
   Protective-serv
                      669
                             305
            Sales
                     3953
                            1422
    Tech-support
                     1009
                             410
                     1838
Transport-moving
                             477
```

Out[69]:

In [70]: # contingency table
 c_t = pd.crosstab(df['occupation'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1),df
 c_t

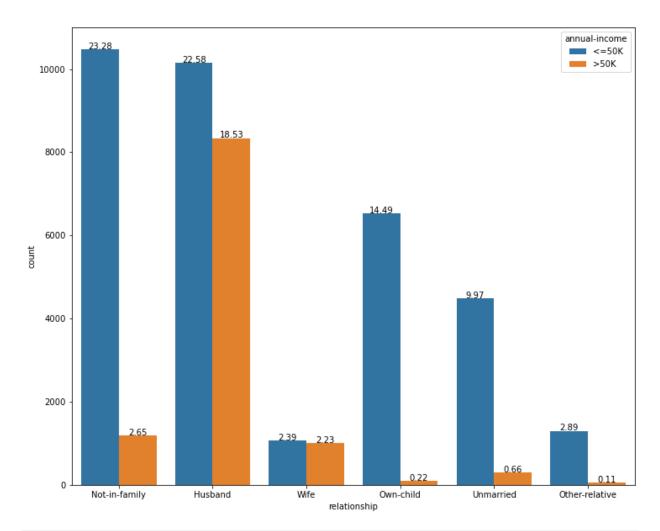
Out[70]: annual-income <=50K >50K occupation

Adm-clerical	11	2
Craft-repair	11	2
Exec-managerial	9	3
Farming-fishing	3	0
Handlers-cleaners	2	0
Machine-op-inspct	5	0
Other-service	9	1
Prof-specialty	4	4
Protective-serv	2	0
Sales	13	3
Tech-support	2	0
Transport-moving	4	0

```
In [71]: # chi-sqaured test
         from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
         from scipy.stats import chi2
         stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
         print('dof=%d' % dof)
         print('p value', p)
         print(expected)
         # interpret test-statistic
         prob = 0.95
         critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
         print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
         if abs(stat) >= critical:
             print('Dependent (reject H0)')
         else:
            print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
         dof=11
        p value 0.4431988367023754
         [[10.83333333 2.16666667]
          [10.83333333 2.16666667]
               2.
0.5
          [10.
          [ 2.5
          [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
          [ 4.16666667 0.83333333]
          [ 6.66666667 1.333333333]
          [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
          [13.3333333 2.66666667]
          [ 1.66666667 0.33333333]
          probability=0.950, critical=19.675, stat=11.001
         Independent (fail to reject H0)
```

We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is no dependency between occupation and annual-income. We will exclude occupation from our feature set.

4.2.12 Relationship between relationship and annual income



In [73]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['relationship'],df['annual-income'])

Out[73]: annual-income <=50K >50K

relationship

Husband	10159	8339
Not-in-family	10474	1192
Other-relative	1299	50
Own-child	6521	101
Unmarried	4486	295
Wife	1075	1002

```
In [74]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['relationship'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1),
    c_t
```

```
Out[74]: annual-income <=50K >50K
             relationship
                Husband
                              15
                                     9
            Not-in-family
                              24
                                     3
           Other-relative
                                     0
              Own-child
                              16
                                     0
              Unmarried
                              12
                                     0
                    Wife
                               2
                                     3
```

```
In [75]: # chi-squared test
         from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
         from scipy.stats import chi2
          stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
          print('dof=%d' % dof)
          print('p_value', p)
          print(expected)
         # interpret test-statistic
          prob = 0.95
          critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
         print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
          if abs(stat) >= critical:
             print('Dependent (reject H0)')
             print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
         dof=5
         p value 0.000607526244582496
```

```
[20. 4. ]
[22.5 4.5 ]
[5. 1. ]
[13.33333333 2.666666667]
[10. 2. ]
[4.16666667 0.83333333]]
probability=0.950, critical=11.070, stat=21.660
Dependent (reject H0)
```

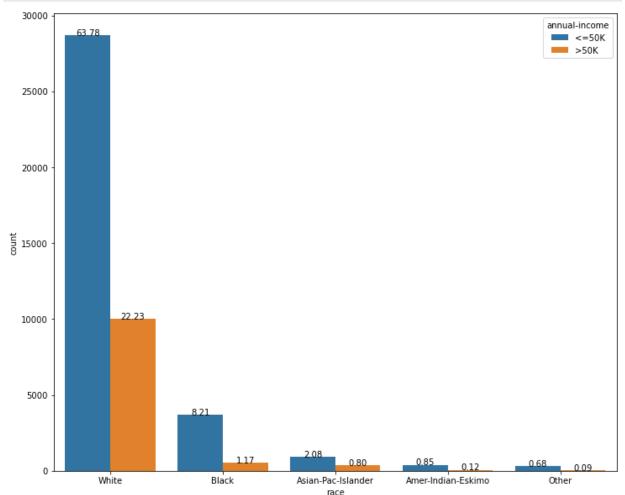
We reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is dependency between relationship and annual-income. Relationship will remain in our feature set.

4.2.13 Relationship between race and annual income

```
In [76]: # histogram
   plt.figure(figsize=(12,10))
   total = float(len(df["annual-income"]) )

ax = sns.countplot(x="race", hue="annual-income", data=df)
for p in ax.patches:
    height = p.get_height()
    ax.text(p.get_x()+p.get_width()/2.,
```

```
height + 3,
    '{:1.2f}'.format((height/total)*100),
    ha="center")
#plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
```



```
In [77]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['race'],df['annual-income'])
```

Out[77]: annual-income <=50K >50K

race		
Amer-Indian-Eskimo	382	53
Asian-Pac-Islander	934	358
Black	3694	525
Other	308	42
White	28696	10001

```
In [78]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['race'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1),df['annuc_t
```

```
Out[78]:
               annual-income <=50K >50K
                         race
          Amer-Indian-Eskimo
                                   1
                                          0
            Asian-Pac-Islander
                                          1
                        Black
                                  14
                                          2
                       Other
                                          0
                       White
                                  58
                                         12
```

[58.3333333 11.66666667]]

Independent (fail to reject H0)

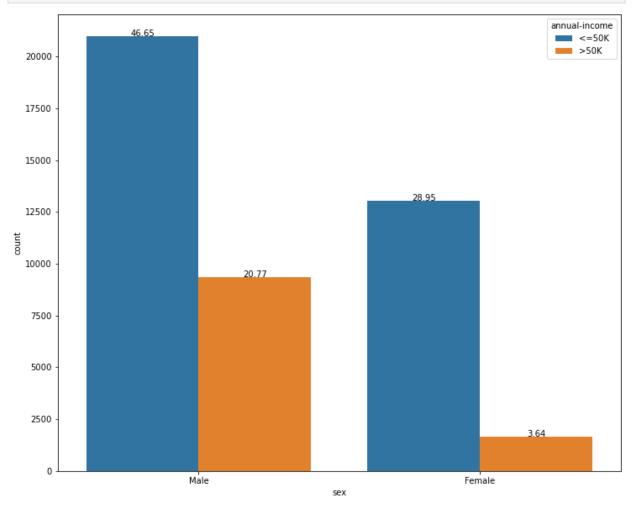
probability=0.950, critical=9.488, stat=2.211

```
In [79]: from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
         from scipy.stats import chi2
          stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
          print('dof=%d' % dof)
          print('p value', p)
         print(expected)
         # interpret test-statistic
         prob = 0.95
          critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
          print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
          if abs(stat) >= critical:
              print('Dependent (reject H0)')
         else:
             print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
         dof=4
         p value 0.6969374959913187
         [[ 0.83333333  0.16666667]
          [ 1.66666667 0.333333333]
          [13.3333333 2.66666667]
          [ 0.83333333  0.16666667]
```

We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is no dependency between race and annual-income. We will exclude race from our feature set.

4.2.14 Relationship between sex and annual income

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



```
In [81]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['sex'],df['annual-income'])
```

Out[81]: annual-income <=50K >50K

Female 13026 1636

Male 20988 9343

Out[82]: annual-income <=50K >50K

 sex

 Female
 29
 5

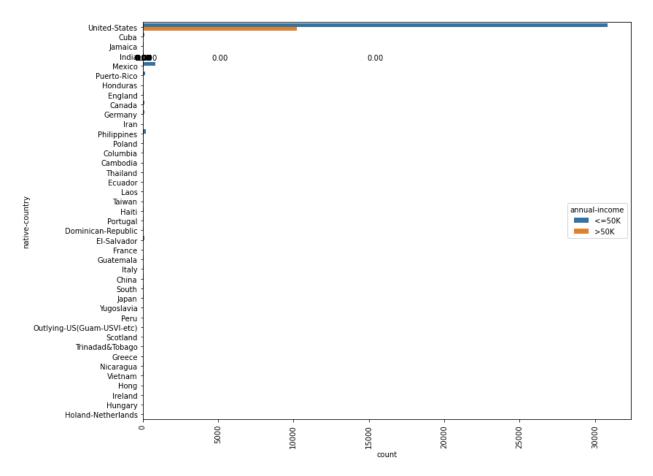
 Male
 46
 10

In [83]: # chi-squared test
from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency

```
from scipy.stats import chi2
stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
print('dof=%d' % dof)
print('p_value', p)
print(expected)
# interpret test-statistic
prob = 0.95
critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
if abs(stat) >= critical:
    print('Dependent (reject H0)')
else:
    print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
dof=1
p value 0.9225433008087743
[[28.3333333 5.66666667]
 [46.66666667 9.33333333]]
probability=0.950, critical=3.841, stat=0.009
Independent (fail to reject H0)
```

We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is no dependency between sex and annual-income. We will exclude sex from our feature set.

4.2.15 Relationship between native country and annual income



```
In [85]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['native-country'],df['annual-income'])
```

Out[85]:	annual-income	<=50K	>50K
	native-country		
	Cambodia	17	9
	Canada	103	59
	China	77	35
	Columbia	78	4
	Cuba	99	34
	Dominican-Republic	92	4
	Ecuador	37	6
	El-Salvador	136	11
	England	72	47
	France	20	16
	Germany	135	58
	Greece	31	18
	Guatemala	83	3
	Haiti	60	9
	Holand-Netherlands	1	0
	Honduras	17	2
	Hong	20	8
	Hungary	12	6
	India	85	58

Iran

Italy

Ireland

Jamaica

Japan

Laos

Peru

Poland

Portugal

Mexico

Nicaragua

Philippines

Outlying-US(Guam-USVI-etc)

```
native-country
     Puerto-Rico
                     155
                             20
        Scotland
                      18
                              2
          South
                      83
                             18
         Taiwan
                      30
                             24
        Thailand
                      24
                              5
Trinadad&Tobago
                      24
                              2
   United-States
                   30844 10233
        Vietnam
                      76
                              7
      Yugoslavia
                      15
                              8
```

annual-income <=50K >50K

```
In [86]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['native-country'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1
    c_t
```

```
Out[86]: annual-income <=50K >50K
```

native-country

Germany	2	0
Haiti	0	1
Mexico	5	0
Puerto-Rico	1	0
United-States	67	14

```
In [87]: # chi-squared test
from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
from scipy.stats import chi2

stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
print('dof=%d' % dof)
print('p_value', p)
print(expected)

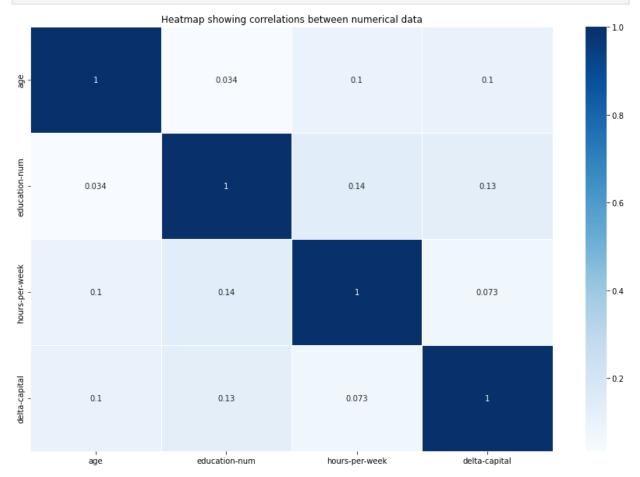
# interpret test-statistic
prob = 0.95
critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
if abs(stat) >= critical:
    print('Dependent (reject H0)')
else:
    print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
```

We cannot reject the null hypothesis from the chi-squared test i.e. there is no dependency between native country and annual-income. We will exclude native country from our feature set.

4.3 Multivariate Analysis

4.3.1 Correlation Matrix

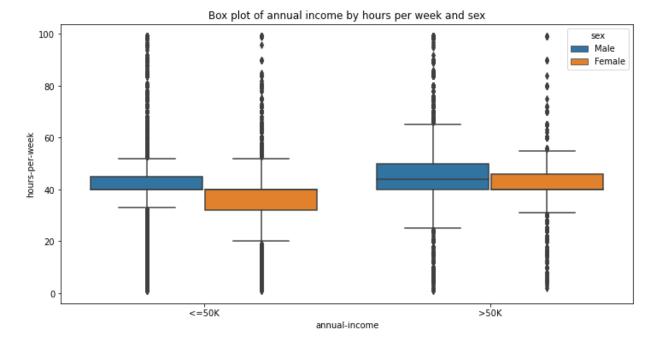
```
In [88]: plt.figure(figsize=(15,10))
    sns.heatmap(df.select_dtypes(include=[np.number]).corr(),annot=True,linewidths=.5, cma
    plt.title('Heatmap showing correlations between numerical data')
    plt.show()
```



4.3.2 Multivariate Categorical Analysis

```
In [89]: plt.figure(figsize=(12,6))
    sns.boxplot(x='annual-income',y ='hours-per-week', hue='sex',data=df).set_title("Box per-week')
```





4.4 Conclusion of Exploratory Data Analysis

We have completed our feature set from the exploratory data analysis by running thorough statistical analyses and visualizations. As per our result, these numerical features are significant for our model:

- 1) age
- 2) hours-per-week

And, these categorical features are significant:

- 1) relationship
- 2) marital-status
- 3) delta-capital
- 4) workclass

These 6 features constitute our feature set for now. By the exploratory data analysis, we have also been successful in-

- A) Feature Engineering: New feature "delta-capital" was constructed which is significant and also helped us to remove 2 features (capital-gain and capital-loss).
- B) Outlier detection & removal: In delta-capital, we identified outliers and removed them (~0.5%) which retained the overall data structure and improved data quality.

5 Models

As this is a binary classification problem, we will be deploying and evaluating 3 models here:

Logistic Regression

- Random Forest
- Gaussian Naive Bayes

Even though our feature set is rigorous from EDA, we will run a Chi-squared test of dependency between "marital-status" and "relationship" variables. These two features may contain some similarity as they are derived from the same information regarding family. Furthermore, we will need to encode the categorical variables. Instead of labeling, we may need to go for target encoding or probabilistic target encoding here. We will also need to normalize/standardize the data. Then, we shall split the dataset into the train & test part to evaluate all the models on the same test set.

We will also need to look out for the problem of multicollinearity and imbalanced dataset. Finally, a proper evaluation metric must be decided to evaluate the performance.

5.1 Marital status and Relationship: Multicollinearity?

In [90]: # crosstab
pd.crosstab(df['marital-status'],df['relationship'])
Out[90]: relationship Husband Not-in-family Other-relative Own-child Unmarried Wife

relationship	Husband	Not-in-family	Other-relative	Own-child	Unmarried	Wife
marital-status						
Divorced	0	3419	166	429	2263	0
Married-AF-spouse	11	0	1	1	0	18
Married-civ-spouse	18487	19	184	125	0	2059
Married-spouse-absent	0	281	44	57	169	0
Never-married	0	6676	820	5860	1222	0
Separated	0	584	75	130	618	0
Widowed	0	687	59	20	509	0

```
In [91]: # contingency table
    c_t = pd.crosstab(df['marital-status'].sample(frac=0.002, replace=True, random_state=1
    c_t
```

```
In [92]: # chi-squared test
          from scipy.stats import chi2_contingency
          from scipy.stats import chi2
          stat, p, dof, expected = chi2_contingency(c_t)
          print('dof=%d' % dof)
          print('p_value', p)
          print(expected)
          # interpret test-statistic
          prob = 0.95
          critical = chi2.ppf(prob, dof)
          print('probability=%.3f, critical=%.3f, stat=%.3f' % (prob, critical, stat))
          if abs(stat) >= critical:
              print('Dependent (reject H0)')
              print('Independent (fail to reject H0)')
          dof=25
          p value 2.9251496039601857e-17

      [ 8. 9.
      2. 5.33333333 4. 1.66666667]

      [ 0.8 0.9 0.2 0.53333333 0.4 0.16666667]
      0.16666667]

      [ 9.33333333 10.5 2.3333333 0.4 0.5 0.53333333 0.4 0.5 0.53333333 0.4 0.5 0.5566667]

           0.2 0.53333333 0.4 0.16666667]
                                      0.13333333  0.35555556  0.26666667  0.11111111]]
          probability=0.950, critical=37.652, stat=136.102
          Dependent (reject H0)
```

As it turned out, marital-status and relationship are dependent (as we already suspected). After encoding these two categorical variables, we will go into VIF test.

5.2 Encoding Categorical Variables

We will denote the annual income of >50K as 1 and <=50K as 0. For the X categorical variables, we will go for probabilistic target encoding.

```
In [93]: # Encoding (1/0) for target variable
  cat = pd.get_dummies(df["annual-income"], drop_first = True)
  df_cat = pd.concat((df, cat), axis=1)
```

```
df_cat = df_cat.drop(['annual-income'], axis=1)
df_cat
```

Out[93]:

•		age	workclass	education	education- num	marital- status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	he 1
	0	39	State-gov	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Adm- clerical	Not-in- family	White	Male	
	1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	
	2	38	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Divorced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	
	3	53	Private	11th	7.0	Married- civ- spouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	
	4	28	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	
	•••										
	48836	33	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Prof- specialty	Own-child	White	Male	
	48837	39	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Divorced	Prof- specialty	Not-in- family	White	Female	
	48839	38	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Husband	White	Male	
	48840	44	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Divorced	Adm- clerical	Own-child	Asian- Pac- Islander	Male	
4	48841	35	Self-emp- inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	

44993 rows × 13 columns

```
In [94]: # Target encoding for marital-status
prob=df_cat.groupby(['marital-status'])['>50K'].mean()
prob_df=pd.DataFrame(prob)
prob_df=pd.DataFrame(prob)
prob_df['<=50K']=1-prob_df['>50K']
prob_df['Probability Ratio']=prob_df['>50K']/prob_df['<=50K']
prob_encod_dictionary=prob_df['Probability Ratio'].to_dict()
df_cat['marital-status-ratio']=df_cat['marital-status'].map(prob_encod_dictionary)
df_cat.head()</pre>
```

	age	workclass	education	education- num	marital- status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	per- week
0	39	State-gov	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Adm- clerical	Not-in- family	White	Male	40.0
1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	13.0
2	38	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Divorced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	40.0
3	53	Private	11th	7.0	Married- civ- spouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	40.0
4	28	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	40.0

```
In [95]: # Target encoding for relationship
prob=df_cat.groupby(['relationship'])['>50K'].mean()
prob_df=pd.DataFrame(prob)
prob_df['<=50K']=1-prob_df['>50K']
prob_df['Probability Ratio']=prob_df['>50K']/prob_df['<=50K']
prob_encod_dictionary=prob_df['Probability Ratio'].to_dict()
df_cat['relationship-ratio']=df_cat['relationship'].map(prob_encod_dictionary)
df_cat.head()</pre>
```

Out[95]:

	age	workclass	education	education- num	marital- status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	hours- per- week
0	39	State-gov	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Adm- clerical	Not-in- family	White	Male	40.0
1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	13.0
2	38	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Divorced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	40.0
3	53	Private	11th	7.0	Married- civ- spouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	40.0
4	28	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	40.0

```
In [96]: # Target encoding for workclass
prob=df_cat.groupby(['workclass'])['>50K'].mean()
prob_df=pd.DataFrame(prob)
prob_df['<=50K']=1-prob_df['>50K']
prob_df['Probability Ratio']=prob_df['>50K']/prob_df['<=50K']</pre>
```

```
prob_encod_dictionary=prob_df['Probability Ratio'].to_dict()
df_cat['workclass-ratio']=df_cat['workclass'].map(prob_encod_dictionary)
df_cat.head()
```

Out[96]:

•		age	workclass	education	education- num	marital- status	occupation	relationship	race	sex	hours- per- week
	0	39	State-gov	Bachelors	13.0	Never- married	Adm- clerical	Not-in- family	White	Male	40.0
	1	50	Self-emp- not-inc	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Exec- managerial	Husband	White	Male	13.0
	2	38	Private	HS-grad	9.0	Divorced	Handlers- cleaners	Not-in- family	White	Male	40.0
3	3	53	Private	11th	7.0	Married- civ- spouse	Handlers- cleaners	Husband	Black	Male	40.0
	4	28	Private	Bachelors	13.0	Married- civ- spouse	Prof- specialty	Wife	Black	Female	40.0

Out[97]:

•		age	hours-per- week	delta- capital	>50K	marital-status- ratio	relationship- ratio	workclass- ratio
	0	39	40.0	2174.0	0	0.049003	0.113806	0.361851
	1	50	13.0	0.0	0	0.816552	0.820849	0.372305
	2	38	40.0	0.0	0	0.112549	0.113806	0.273680
	3	53	40.0	0.0	0	0.816552	0.820849	0.273680
	4	28	40.0	0.0	0	0.816552	0.932093	0.273680
	•••							
4	48836	33	40.0	0.0	0	0.049003	0.015488	0.273680
4	48837	39	36.0	0.0	0	0.112549	0.113806	0.273680
4	48839	38	50.0	0.0	0	0.816552	0.820849	0.273680
4	48840	44	40.0	5455.0	0	0.112549	0.015488	0.273680
	48841	35	60.0	0.0	1	0.816552	0.820849	1.164850

44993 rows × 7 columns

5.3 Standardizing Feature Set

We have age, hours-per-week and delta-capital whose units are years, hours and dollars respectively with varying ranges. This is why we need to standardize them. Logistic Regression assumes binomial probability distribution as well.

```
In [98]: from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
    df_main[['age', 'hours-per-week', 'delta-capital']] = StandardScaler().fit_transform(cdf_main
```

Out[98]:

		age	hours-per- week	delta- capital	>50K	marital-status- ratio	relationship- ratio	workclass- ratio
	0	0.037252	-0.074059	0.635266	0	0.049003	0.113806	0.361851
	1	0.869469	-2.327318	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.820849	0.372305
	2	-0.038404	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.112549	0.113806	0.273680
	3	1.096438	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.820849	0.273680
	4	-0.794965	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.932093	0.273680
	•••							
48	836	-0.416684	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.049003	0.015488	0.273680
48	837	0.037252	-0.407875	-0.194218	0	0.112549	0.113806	0.273680
48	839	-0.038404	0.760481	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.820849	0.273680
48	840	0.415533	-0.074059	1.887121	0	0.112549	0.015488	0.273680
48	841	-0.265372	1.595021	-0.194218	1	0.816552	0.820849	1.164850

44993 rows × 7 columns

5.4 Multicollinearity Test

```
In [99]: # correlation
df_main.corr()
```

Out[99]:

	age	hours- per-week	delta- capital	>50K	marital- status- ratio	relationship- ratio	workclass- ratio
age	1.000000	0.100464	0.104338	0.234130	0.328106	0.328060	0.155725
hours-per- week	0.100464	1.000000	0.073258	0.222599	0.227597	0.232395	0.125499
delta-capital	0.104338	0.073258	1.000000	0.278057	0.090984	0.093188	0.071764
>50K	0.234130	0.222599	0.278057	1.000000	0.447275	0.452557	0.156016
marital- status-ratio	0.328106	0.227597	0.090984	0.447275	1.000000	0.978280	0.126962
relationship- ratio	0.328060	0.232395	0.093188	0.452557	0.978280	1.000000	0.127243
workclass- ratio	0.155725	0.125499	0.071764	0.156016	0.126962	0.127243	1.000000

The correlation value between marital-status-ratio and relationship-ratio is extremely high (0.978280).

In [100...

df_main.drop('marital-status-ratio', axis=1).corr()

Out[100]:

	age	hours-per- week	delta- capital	>50K	relationship- ratio	workclass- ratio
age	1.000000	0.100464	0.104338	0.234130	0.328060	0.155725
hours-per-week	0.100464	1.000000	0.073258	0.222599	0.232395	0.125499
delta-capital	0.104338	0.073258	1.000000	0.278057	0.093188	0.071764
>50K	0.234130	0.222599	0.278057	1.000000	0.452557	0.156016
relationship- ratio	0.328060	0.232395	0.093188	0.452557	1.000000	0.127243
workclass-ratio	0.155725	0.125499	0.071764	0.156016	0.127243	1.000000

In [101...

df_main.drop('relationship-ratio', axis=1).corr()

Out[101]:

	age	hours-per- week	delta- capital	>50K	marital-status- ratio	workclass- ratio
age	1.000000	0.100464	0.104338	0.234130	0.328106	0.155725
hours-per-week	0.100464	1.000000	0.073258	0.222599	0.227597	0.125499
delta-capital	0.104338	0.073258	1.000000	0.278057	0.090984	0.071764
>50K	0.234130	0.222599	0.278057	1.000000	0.447275	0.156016
marital-status- ratio	0.328106	0.227597	0.090984	0.447275	1.000000	0.126962
workclass-ratio	0.155725	0.125499	0.071764	0.156016	0.126962	1.000000

The correlation value does not change much for exclusion of any of those 2 features. It means we can remove any one of them. As marital-status is easier to interpret, we are removing relationship i.e. relationship-ratio from feature set.

```
In [102... df_main = df_main.drop('relationship-ratio', axis=1)
    df_main
```

Out[102]:		age	hours-per-week	delta-capital	>50K	marital-status-ratio	workclass-ratio
	0	0.037252	-0.074059	0.635266	0	0.049003	0.361851
	1	0.869469	-2.327318	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.372305

-0.074059 -0.194218

3	1.096438	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.273680
4	-0.794965	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.273680
•••						
48836	-0.416684	-0.074059	-0.194218	0	0.049003	0.273680
48837	0.037252	-0.407875	-0.194218	0	0.112549	0.273680
48839	-0.038404	0.760481	-0.194218	0	0.816552	0.273680
48840	0.415533	-0.074059	1.887121	0	0.112549	0.273680
48841	-0.265372	1.595021	-0.194218	1	0.816552	1.164850

0.112549

0.273680

44993 rows × 6 columns

2 -0.038404

```
feature VIF
0 age 1.077494
1 hours-per-week 1.035994
2 delta-capital 1.016057
3 marital-status-ratio 2.128422
4 workclass-ratio 2.005329
```

There are no VIF scores larger than 5. It means we have successfully solved the multicollinearity problem in our feature set.

5.5 SMOTE: Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique

Our dataset is imbalanced in nature with minority class being 25%. Here we can use SMOTE to oversample the minority class and feed it into our learning model. However, this must be done after train-test split so that our models could be tested on test sets that have inherent imbalancing. Here, we have illustrated the difference in correlation matrix for our dataset after balancing.

```
In [104... # Sample figsize in inches
    fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20,10))
    # Imbalanced DataFrame Correlation
    corr = df_main.corr()
    sns.heatmap(corr, cmap='YlGnBu', annot_kws={'size':30}, ax=ax)
    ax.set_title("Imbalanced Correlation Matrix", fontsize=14)
    plt.show()
```



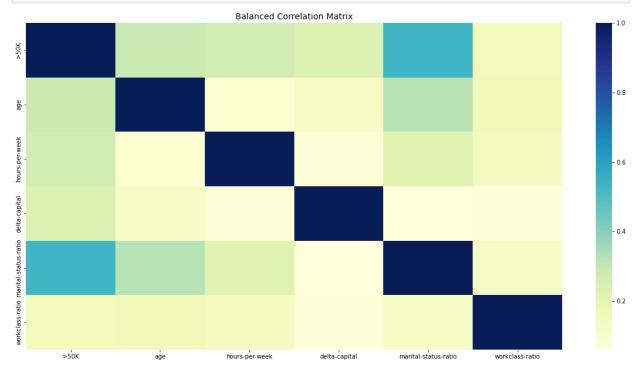
```
# over-sampling
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE
sm = SMOTE(sampling_strategy='minority', random_state=7)
oversampled_trainX, oversampled_trainY = sm.fit_resample(df_main.drop('>50K', axis=1),
oversampled_train = pd.concat([pd.DataFrame(oversampled_trainY), pd.DataFrame(oversampled_trainSproupby(['>50K']).size().transform(lambda x: x/sum(x))
```

Out[105]: >50K 0 0.5 1 0.5 dtype: float64

As we can see, SMOTE has over-sampled the minority case and now our dataset is balanced in nature with 1:1. We will again use this technique each time after fitting a model to understand the improvement.

```
In [106... # Sample figsize in inches
fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(20,10))
# Imbalanced DataFrame Correlation
```

```
corr = oversampled_train.corr()
sns.heatmap(corr, cmap='YlGnBu', annot_kws={'size':30}, ax=ax)
ax.set_title("Balanced Correlation Matrix", fontsize=14)
plt.show()
```



The correlation values have increase after SMOTE indicating increase in discrimatory power among the feature set.

5.6 Train-Test split

We will be dividing the dataset into 70:30 ratio for training & testing. As our imbalanced dataset is 75:25 in ratio for majority to minority, we wanted to match our train & test split accordingly. We also wanted to keep this simple. This exact test set will be used for every model evaluation.

```
In [107...
          from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
           training_data, testing_data = train_test_split(df_main, test_size=0.3, random_state=25
           print(f"No. of training examples: {training_data.shape[0]}")
           print(f"No. of testing examples: {testing_data.shape[0]}")
          No. of training examples: 31495
          No. of testing examples: 13498
          xtrain = training_data.drop('>50K', axis=1)
In [108...
          ytrain = training data['>50K']
           xtest = testing_data.drop('>50K', axis=1)
          ytest = testing_data['>50K']
In [109...
          # % of >50K
          ytrain.sum()/ytrain.count()
          0.24368947451976505
Out[109]:
```

```
In [110... ytest.sum()/ytest.count()

Out[110]: 0.24477700400059269
```

In our training set we have 24.37% of the minority class, and it is 24.48% in case of test set.

5.7 Evaluation Metric

Predictive accuracy can be a little misleading in the presence of class-imbalance. In such cases, more weights are placed on the majority class than on the minority class, making it more difficult for a classifier to perform well on the minority class. Whereas Area Under Curve (AUC) score represents the degree or measure of separability. A model with higher AUC is better at predicting True Positives and True Negatives. AUC score measures the total area underneath the ROC curve. AUC is scale invariant and also threshold invariant.

Hence, we are selecting AUC Score as the evaluation metric for model performance.

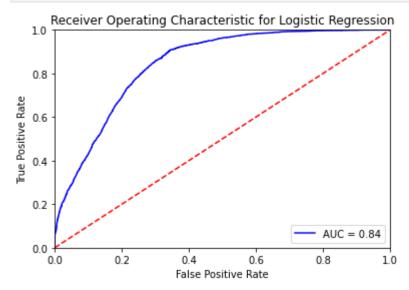
5.7.1 Logistic Regression

```
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
In [111...
          from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
          from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
          from sklearn.metrics import classification report
          logreg = LogisticRegression(class_weight="balanced")
          logreg.fit(xtrain, ytrain) #This is where the training is taking place
          y_pred_logreg = logreg.predict(xtest) #Making predictions to test the model on test do
          print('Logistic Regression Train accuracy %s' % logreg.score(xtrain, ytrain)) #Train d
          print('Logistic Regression Test accuracy %s' % accuracy_score(y_pred_logreg, ytest)) #
          print(confusion_matrix(ytest, y_pred_logreg)) #Confusion matrix
          print(classification_report(ytest, y_pred_logreg)) #Classification Report
          Logistic Regression Train accuracy 0.7225908874424511
          Logistic Regression Test accuracy 0.7282560379315454
          [[6946 3248]
           [ 420 2884]]
                        precision recall f1-score
                                                        support
                     0
                             0.94
                                       0.68
                                                 0.79
                                                          10194
                             0.47
                                       0.87
                     1
                                                 0.61
                                                           3304
              accuracy
                                                 0.73
                                                          13498
                             0.71
             macro avg
                                       0.78
                                                 0.70
                                                          13498
          weighted avg
                             0.83
                                       0.73
                                                 0.75
                                                          13498
```

The accuracy is 77% for training and 73% for testing set in case of logistic regression.

```
import sklearn.metrics as metrics
# calculate the fpr and tpr for all thresholds of the classification
probs = logreg.predict_proba(xtest)
preds = probs[:,1]
fpr, tpr, threshold = metrics.roc_curve(ytest, preds)
```

```
# method I: plt
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic for Logistic Regression')
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
plt.xlim([0, 1])
plt.ylim([0, 1])
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.show()
```



The AUC score is 0.84 for logistic Regression which is quite excellent in terms of discriminatory power.

Now we will apply SMOTE to our training set to over-sample the minority class and then test the model on the same testing set. Let's see if we can find any improvement.

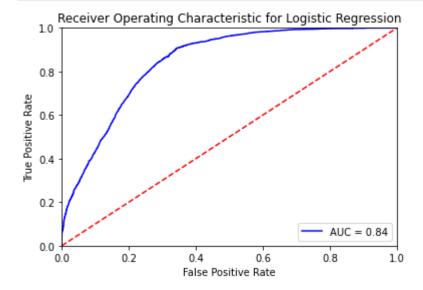
5.7.2 Logistic Regression using SMOTE

```
from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE
In [113...
           sm = SMOTE(sampling_strategy='minority', random_state=7)
           oversampled xtrain, oversampled ytrain = sm.fit resample(xtrain, ytrain)
          oversampled ytrain.sum()/oversampled ytrain.count()
          0.5
Out[113]:
          from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score
In [114...
          from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
          from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
           from sklearn.metrics import classification report
           logreg = LogisticRegression(class weight="balanced")
           logreg.fit(oversampled_xtrain, oversampled_ytrain) #This is where the training is take
          y pred logreg = logreg.predict(xtest) #Making predictions to test the model on test do
           print('Logistic Regression Train accuracy %s' % logreg.score(oversampled xtrain, overs
           print('Logistic Regression Test accuracy %s' % accuracy_score(y_pred_logreg, ytest)) #
```

```
print(confusion_matrix(ytest, y_pred_logreg)) #Confusion matrix
print(classification_report(ytest, y_pred_logreg)) #Classification Report
Logistic Regression Train accuracy 0.7706968933669186
Logistic Regression Test accuracy 0.7270706771373536
[[6931 3263]
 [ 421 2883]]
              precision
                           recall f1-score
                                              support
           0
                   0.94
                             0.68
                                       0.79
                                                10194
           1
                   0.47
                             0.87
                                       0.61
                                                 3304
                                       0.73
                                                13498
    accuracy
                             0.78
                                       0.70
                                                13498
   macro avg
                   0.71
weighted avg
                   0.83
                             0.73
                                       0.75
                                                13498
```

The accuracy score was same before applying SMOTE.

```
In [115...
          import sklearn.metrics as metrics
          # calculate the fpr and tpr for all thresholds of the classification
           probs = logreg.predict_proba(xtest)
          preds = probs[:,1]
          fpr, tpr, threshold = metrics.roc_curve(ytest, preds)
           roc_auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
           # method I: plt
           import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
           plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic for Logistic Regression')
          plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
           plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
           plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
          plt.xlim([0, 1])
           plt.ylim([0, 1])
           plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
          plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
           plt.show()
```



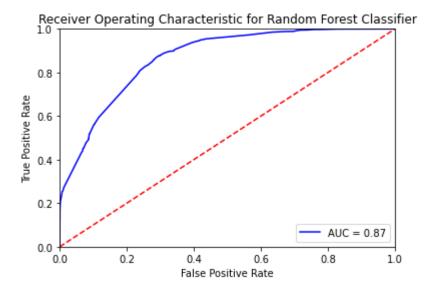
The AUC Score is also 0.84. This means over-sampling did not improve model performance. Logistic Regression was quite capable even if there was class imbalance.

5.7.3 Random Forest

```
In [116...
          from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
          from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
          from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
          from sklearn.metrics import classification report
          clf = RandomForestClassifier(max depth=2, random state=0)
          clf.fit(xtrain, ytrain) #This is where the training is taking place
          y pred clf = clf.predict(xtest) #Making predictions to test the model on test data
          print('Random Forest Train accuracy %s' % clf.score(xtrain, ytrain)) #Train accuracy
          print('Random Forest Test accuracy %s' % accuracy_score(y_pred_clf, ytest)) #Test accuracy
          print(confusion matrix(ytest, y pred clf)) #Confusion matrix
          print(classification_report(ytest, y_pred_clf)) #Classification Report
          Random Forest Train accuracy 0.796856643911732
          Random Forest Test accuracy 0.7972292191435768
          [[10188
                      6]
           [ 2731
                    573]]
                        precision recall f1-score
                                                        support
                                       1.00
                     0
                             0.79
                                                 0.88
                                                          10194
                     1
                             0.99
                                       0.17
                                                           3304
                                                 0.30
              accuracy
                                                 0.80
                                                          13498
                             0.89
                                       0.59
                                                 0.59
                                                          13498
             macro avg
          weighted avg
                             0.84
                                       0.80
                                                 0.74
                                                          13498
```

Both the training and the testing accuracy is 80%.

```
In [117...
          import sklearn.metrics as metrics
          # calculate the fpr and tpr for all thresholds of the classification
          probs = clf.predict_proba(xtest)
          preds = probs[:,1]
          fpr, tpr, threshold = metrics.roc curve(ytest, preds)
          roc auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
          # method I: plt
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic for Random Forest Classifier')
          plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
          plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
          plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
          plt.xlim([0, 1])
          plt.ylim([0, 1])
          plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
          plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
          plt.show()
```



Random Forest's AUC score of 0.87 is better compared to Logistic Regression.

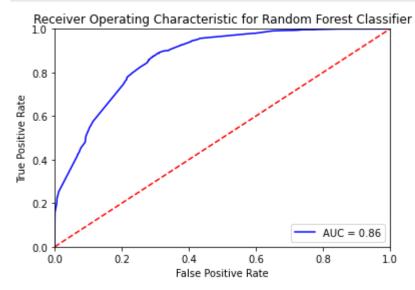
5.7.4 Random Forest using SMOTE

```
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
In [118...
          from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score
          from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
           from sklearn.metrics import classification report
          clf = RandomForestClassifier(max depth=2, random state=0)
           clf.fit(oversampled xtrain, oversampled ytrain) #This is where the training is taking
          y pred clf = clf.predict(xtest) #Making predictions to test the model on test data
           print('Random Forest Train accuracy %s' % clf.score(oversampled_xtrain, oversampled_yt
           print('Random Forest Test accuracy %s' % accuracy score(y pred clf, ytest)) #Test accuracy
           print(confusion_matrix(ytest, y_pred_clf)) #Confusion matrix
           print(classification_report(ytest, y_pred_clf)) #Classification Report
          Random Forest Train accuracy 0.7847816960537364
          Random Forest Test accuracy 0.7446288339013187
          [[7152 3042]
           [ 405 2899]]
                         precision
                                      recall f1-score
                                                         support
                     0
                              0.95
                                        0.70
                                                  0.81
                                                           10194
                     1
                              0.49
                                        0.88
                                                  0.63
                                                            3304
                                                  0.74
                                                           13498
              accuracy
             macro avg
                              0.72
                                        0.79
                                                  0.72
                                                           13498
          weighted avg
                              0.83
                                        0.74
                                                  0.76
                                                           13498
```

The accuracy score dropped for both train & test when using SMOTE.

```
import sklearn.metrics as metrics
# calculate the fpr and tpr for all thresholds of the classification
probs = clf.predict_proba(xtest)
preds = probs[:,1]
fpr, tpr, threshold = metrics.roc_curve(ytest, preds)
roc_auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
```

```
# method I: plt
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic for Random Forest Classifier')
plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
plt.xlim([0, 1])
plt.ylim([0, 1])
plt.ylim([0, 1])
plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
plt.show()
```



The AUC score dropped to 0.86 when using SMOTE. This means over-sampling did not improve model performance; rather it decreased the AUC score.

5.7.5 Gaussian Naive Bayes

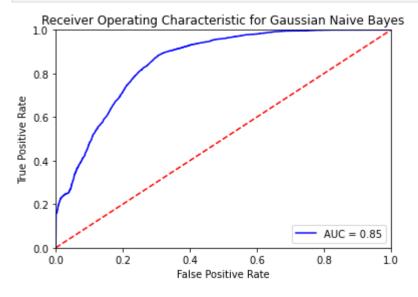
```
from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
from sklearn.metrics import classification_report

gnb = GaussianNB()
gnb.fit(xtrain, ytrain) #This is where the training is taking place
y_pred_gnb = gnb.predict(xtest) #Making predictions to test the model on test data
print('Gaussian Naive Bayes Train accuracy %s' % gnb.score(xtrain, ytrain)) #Train acc
print('Gaussian Naive Bayes Test accuracy %s' % accuracy_score(y_pred_gnb, ytest)) #Te
print(confusion_matrix(ytest, y_pred_gnb)) #Confusion matrix
print(classification_report(ytest, y_pred_gnb)) #Classification Report
```

```
Gaussian Naive Bayes Train accuracy 0.7951738371170027
Gaussian Naive Bayes Test accuracy 0.7952289228033783
[[9626 568]
 [2196 1108]]
                           recall f1-score
              precision
                                               support
           0
                   0.81
                             0.94
                                       0.87
                                                 10194
                             0.34
           1
                   0.66
                                       0.44
                                                  3304
                                       0.80
                                                 13498
    accuracy
   macro avg
                   0.74
                             0.64
                                       0.66
                                                 13498
weighted avg
                   0.78
                             0.80
                                       0.77
                                                 13498
```

Accuracy score is 80% for both training & testing set.

```
In [121...
          import sklearn.metrics as metrics
          # calculate the fpr and tpr for all thresholds of the classification
           probs = gnb.predict_proba(xtest)
          preds = probs[:,1]
           fpr, tpr, threshold = metrics.roc_curve(ytest, preds)
           roc_auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
           # method I: plt
           import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
           plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic for Gaussian Naive Bayes')
           plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
           plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
           plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
           plt.xlim([0, 1])
          plt.ylim([0, 1])
           plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
           plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
          plt.show()
```



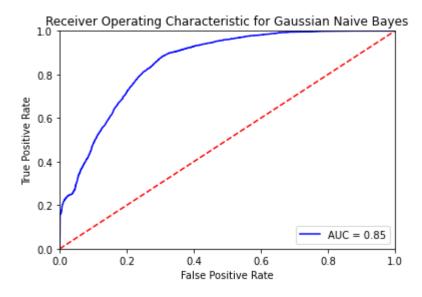
The AUC score is 0.85 for Gaussian Naive Bayes which is lowest among the 3 models without using SMOTE.

5.7.6 Gaussian Naive Bayes using SMOTE

```
from sklearn.naive_bayes import GaussianNB
In [122...
          from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score
          from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix
          from sklearn.metrics import classification report
          gnb = GaussianNB()
          gnb.fit(oversampled xtrain, oversampled ytrain) #This is where the training is taking
          y pred gnb = gnb.predict(xtest) #Making predictions to test the model on test data
          print('Gaussian Naive Bayes Train accuracy %s' % gnb.score(oversampled_xtrain, oversam
          print('Gaussian Naive Bayes Test accuracy %s' % accuracy_score(y_pred_gnb, ytest)) #Te
          print(confusion_matrix(ytest, y_pred_gnb)) #Confusion matrix
          print(classification_report(ytest, y_pred_gnb)) #Classification Report
          Gaussian Naive Bayes Train accuracy 0.6751889168765743
          Gaussian Naive Bayes Test accuracy 0.7950807527041043
          [[9250 944]
           [1822 1482]]
                        precision
                                   recall f1-score support
                                       0.91
                     0
                             0.84
                                                 0.87
                                                          10194
                     1
                             0.61
                                       0.45
                                                 0.52
                                                          3304
                                                 0.80
                                                          13498
              accuracy
                             0.72
                                       0.68
             macro avg
                                                 0.69
                                                          13498
          weighted avg
                             0.78
                                       0.80
                                                 0.78
                                                          13498
```

The training accuracy dropped to 68% but the testing accuracy remained at 80% when using SMOTE.

```
import sklearn.metrics as metrics
In [123...
          # calculate the fpr and tpr for all thresholds of the classification
          probs = gnb.predict_proba(xtest)
          preds = probs[:,1]
          fpr, tpr, threshold = metrics.roc curve(ytest, preds)
          roc_auc = metrics.auc(fpr, tpr)
          # method I: plt
          import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
          plt.title('Receiver Operating Characteristic for Gaussian Naive Bayes')
          plt.plot(fpr, tpr, 'b', label = 'AUC = %0.2f' % roc_auc)
          plt.legend(loc = 'lower right')
          plt.plot([0, 1], [0, 1], 'r--')
          plt.xlim([0, 1])
          plt.ylim([0, 1])
          plt.ylabel('True Positive Rate')
          plt.xlabel('False Positive Rate')
          plt.show()
```



SMOTE did not bring any improvement to Gaussian Naive Bayes either.

6 Results and Analysis

The adult dataset has a total of 48842 observations with 14 attributes. It has missing data, data type errors and whitespaces. After cleaning the data, rigorous statistical analyses are completed to identify the most significant features. This brings a total of 6 features in the feature (3 numerical and 3 categorical). Correlation matrix and VIF test are used to further investigate the feature set which revealed redundancy of 1 feature. This way we get the final feature set of 5 attributes.

After this, target encoding is done to encode the categorical variables. Standardizing is done for numerical variables as they are different in units with varying ranges. Target variable is also encoded in binary fashion. The full dataset is split into a 70-30 ratio for the train & test set. The same test set is used for evaluation.

As the dataset is imbalanced in nature, SMOTE is used to over-sample the minority class. SMOTE is applied each time after a model is evaluated to understand improvement. SMOTE is only applied to the training set; the test remains the same all the time. Instead of accuracy, Area Under Curve (AUC) score is evaluated here as AUC score represents the degree or measure of separability. A model with higher AUC is better at predicting True Positives and True Negatives. AUC score measures the total area underneath the ROC curve. AUC is scale invariant and also threshold invariant.

6.1 Logistic Regression

6.1.1 Without SMOTE

Logistic Regression Train accuracy 0.72 Logistic Regression Test accuracy 0.72

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.94	0.68	0.79	10194
1	0.47	0.87	0.61	3304

6.1.2 With SMOTE

Logistic Regression Train accuracy 0.77 Logistic Regression Test accuracy 0.72

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.94	0.68	0.79	10194
1	0.47	0.87	0.61	3304

6.1.3 AUC

The AUC score for Logistic Regression is 0.84 in both cases - with or without SMOTE.

6.2 Random Forest Classifier

6.2.1 Without SMOTE

Random Forest Train accuracy 0.79 Random Forest Test accuracy 0.79

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.79	1.00	0.88	10194
1	0.99	0.17	0.30	3304

6.2.2 With SMOTE

Random Forest Train accuracy 0.78 Random Forest Test accuracy 0.74

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.95	0.70	0.81	10194
1	0.49	0.88	0.63	3304

6.2.3 AUC

The AUC score for Random Forest Classifier is 0.87 for without SMOTE and is 0.86 for with SMOTE.

6.3 Gaussian Naive Bayes

6.3.1 Without SMOTE

Gaussian Naive Bayes Train accuracy 0.79 Gaussian Naive Bayes Test accuracy 0.79

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.81	0.94	0.87	10194
1	0.66	0.34	0.44	3304

6.3.2 With SMOTE

Gaussian Naive Bayes Train accuracy 0.67 Gaussian Naive Bayes Test accuracy 0.79

precision		recall	f1-score	support
0	0.84	0.91	0.87	10194
1	0.61	0.45	0.52	3304

6.3.3 AUC

The AUC score for Gaussian Naive Bayes is 0.85 in both cases - with or without SMOTE.

7 Discussion and Conclusion

7.1 Discussion

In terms of AUC score, Random Forest performed the nest among the 3 models with an AUC score of 0.87. Oversampling of the minority class to tackle the imbalance issue did not result in any improvement for any of the models. In summary, Random Forest without applying SMOTE performed the best. In terms of overall accuracy, both Random Forest and Gaussian Naive Bayes ranked top with a score of 80% (without applying SMOTE to any of them).

Moreover, a feature set of only 5 was an excellent discriminatory factor. It was mainly due to the rigorous statistical analyses in the EDA section along with correlation and multicollinearity tests. Furthermore, the target encoding and the standardization process improved data quality.

7.2 Conclusion

Major learning points are:

- Data cleaning is crucial for machine learning pipeline.
- Exploratory Data Analysis is critical to identify the most significant factors.

- Statistical tests can easily identify the patterns and develop a solid feature set.
- Handling of imbalanced dataset is challenging.
- Accuracy may not be the best metric all the time.
- AUC score provides a better understanding for model performance when the dataset is imbalanced.

Future improvement points are:

- Complex algorithms (e.g. stacking) can be used to improve performance
- More data can be collected to improve training function