

CMPS451 - Big Data

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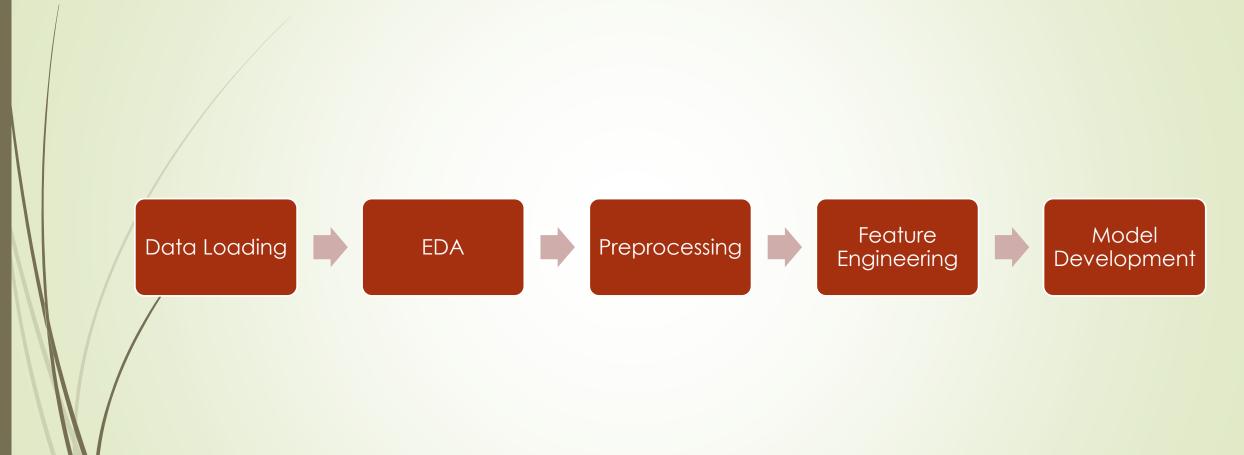
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Problem Description

Hotel Cancellation Prediction with Machine Learning

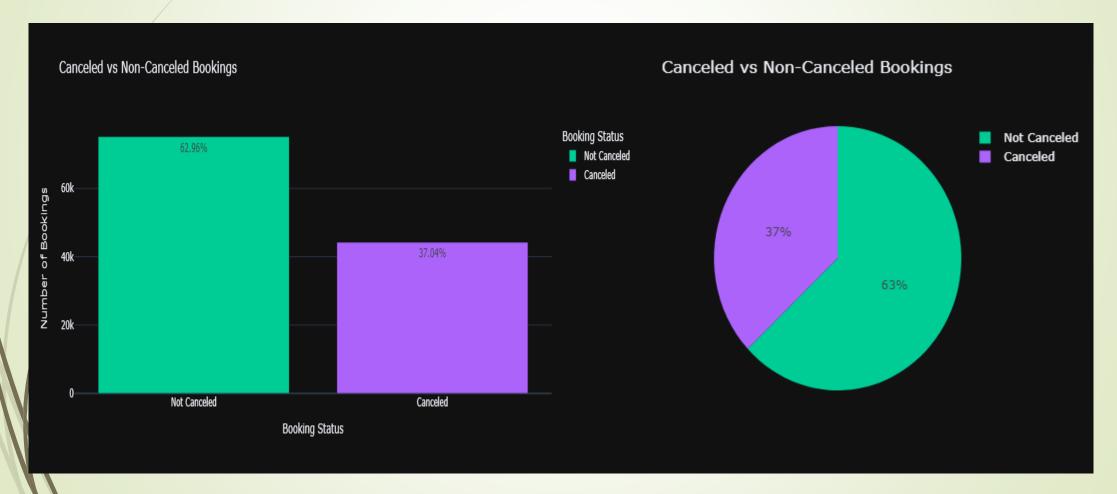
- Actionable insights for hotels
- Predict cancellations to:
 - ✓ Offer discounts and prevent revenue loss
 - ✓ Adjust staffing and optimize costs

Project Pipeline





2 Cancelled vs. Not Canceled:





First Observation:

The majority of reservations occur in the months of July and August, while the fewest bookings are made at the start and close of the year.







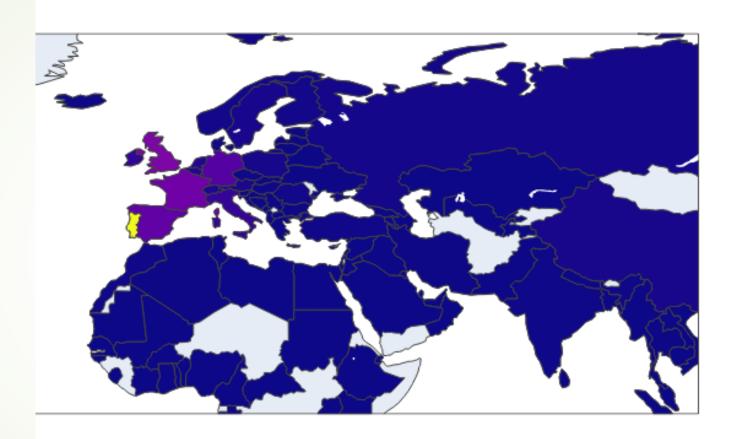
Record Observation:

- City Hotels have more monthly bookings and overall bookings than Resort Hotels.
- Both hotels have the fewest guests during the winter.



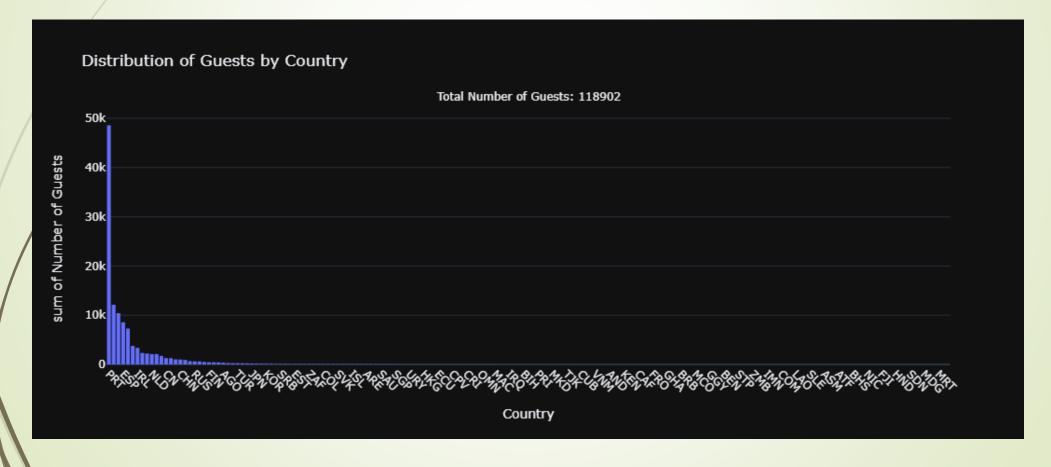
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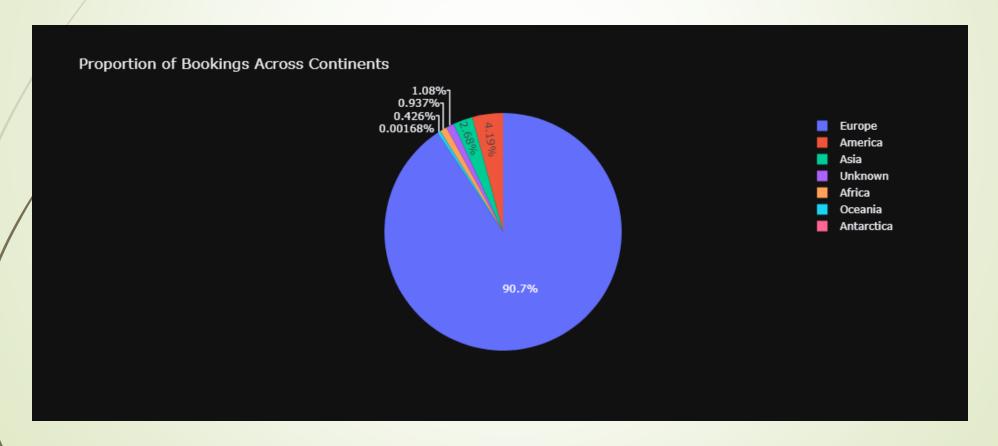
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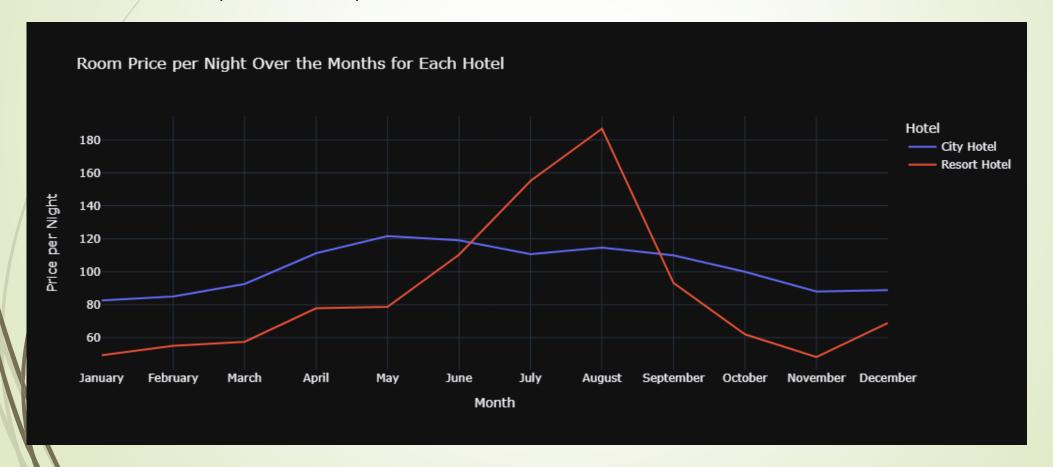
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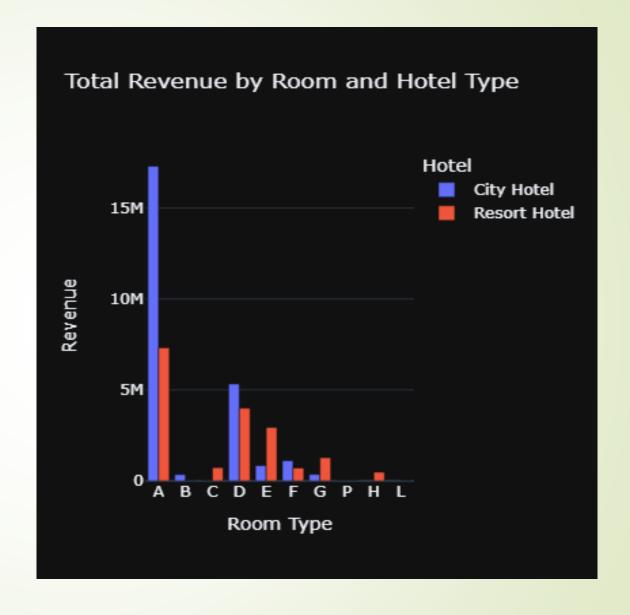
Report Annual Property of Servation:

This plot clearly shows that prices in the Resort Hotel are much higher during the summer and prices of city hotel varies less.



A Fifth Observation:

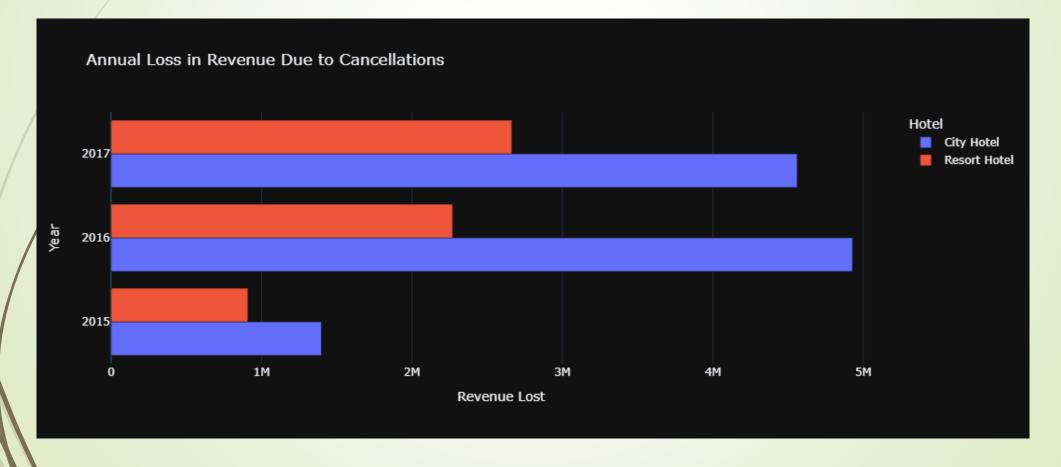
- City hotels generate higher revenues compared to resort hotels across all room types.
- Room type A are the most profitable for both city and resort hotels.





Sixth Observation:

 There is a great loss over the years in the revenue due to cancellations for both city and resort hotels, but it is more obvious in the city hotels significantly.



Preprocessing

Handling missing values

- ☐ Get percentage of missing values in each column.
- Drop the columns 'agent and company'.
- ☐ Drop/fhe rows with missing values in the column 'country'.

children 0.003350 country 0.408744 agent 13.686238 company 94.306893

Reature Engineering

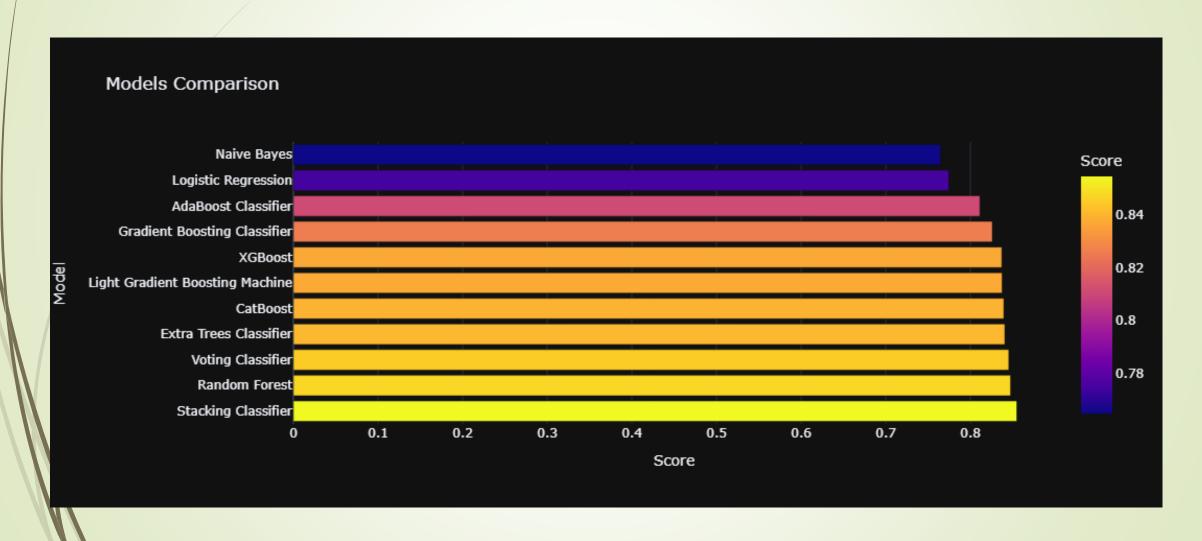
- Preventing Data Leakage
- The `reservation_status` and `reservation_status_date` columns should be dropped because they provide information about when the booking was canceled or when the customer checked out of the hotel.
- Encoding the categorical columns and discretizing the numerical columns
- ☐ Encoding Categorical Columns
- Discretizing Numerical Columns



Analyzing the correlation between the target variable and the independent features:



Model Development



Unsuccessful Trials

ANOVA:

- Assumes continuous target variables and may not provide meaningful insights when applied to binary outcomes.
- Inappropriate for capturing the relationship between categorical predictors and binary targets, leading to ineffective feature selection.

Naïve Bayes Classifier

Prior Probabilities:

1. Mapper:

Output: [(c0, 1), (c1, 1), (c0, 1), (c0, 1), (c1, 1)]

2. Reducer: (by key)

Output: [(c0, 3), (c1, 2)]

Prior probability: {0.0: 0.629, 1.0: 0.3708}

Naïve Bayes Classifier

Likelihood Probabilities:

- 1. Mapper: [(c0, (f1, v1, 5)), (c0, (f1, v2, 10)), (c1, (f1, v1, 2))]
- 2. Reducer1: [(c0, (f1, v1, 50)), (c0, (f1, v2, 45)), (c1, (f1, v1, 36))]
- 3. Reducer2: [(c0, (f1, v1, 50, 100)), (c0, (f1, v2, 45, 100)), (c1, (f1, v1, 36, 80))]
- 4. Reducer3: [(c0, (f1, v1, 50/100)), (c0, (f1, v2, 45/100)), (c1, (f1, v1, 36/80))]

Training Accuracy: 0.7757330104753382

Testing Accuracy: 0.7701604413189035

Thank you!

