Electronics Sales Data Analysis Of a Retail Corporation Using Python Pandas

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Business Problem

- Analyze and Explore 12 months (2019) worth of sales data of an Electronic Retail Corporation using Python Pandas to gain knowledge on customers' purchasing behavior.
- Recommend strategic options on how to enhance the revenue growth of the corporation, such as:
 - What specific time of the day to run advertisements to maximize the likelihood of customer's placing order
 - Identify which products are most often sold together so that the corporation could run a promotion thru a recommender system to increase the sales revenue

Data Description

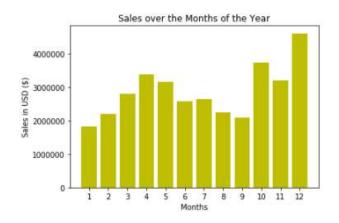
- The data contains hundreds of thousands of electronics store purchases broken down by month, product type, cost, purchase address, etc. all across USA.
- Sources of DataInternet

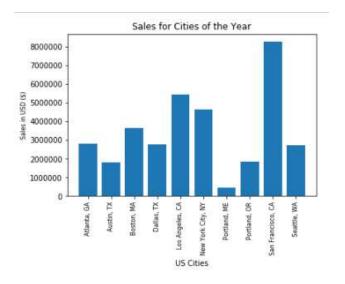
Data Analysis / Data Cleaning

- Downloaded (12 csv files) the data from internet.
- Imported relevant libraries that would be used throughout the program.
- Analyzed the data.
- There are 186,850 rows and 6 data points on each item
- All 6 columns and 545 rows contain NaN / empty values that will be dropped.
- Realized there are some duplications when converting some of the data from strings to numerical values that were deleted

Data Analysis / Exploration

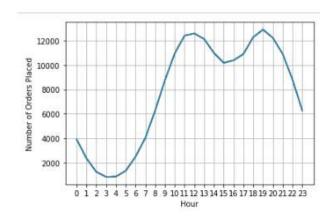
- As expected December is the best month of the year for sales as primarily because of the Holiday Seasons.
- San Francisco, CA has the highest electronics sales. This could be due to presence of IT firms, need more electronics. There also could be better advertisements of the products.
- Portland, ME has the lowest sales due to a smaller population, less advertisements.





Data Analysis / Exploration (Contd.)

• The customers placed most orders around 11:00 AM and 7:00 PM.



 Top 10 common 2 products sold together as follows:

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('iPhone', 'Lightning Charging Cable') 1005

('Google Phone', 'USB-C Charging Cable') 987

('iPhone', 'Wired Headphones') 447

('Google Phone', 'Wired Headphones') 414

('Vareebadd Phone', 'USB-C Charging Cable') 361

('iPhone', 'Apple Airpods Headphones') 360

('Google Phone', 'Bose SoundSport Headphones') 220

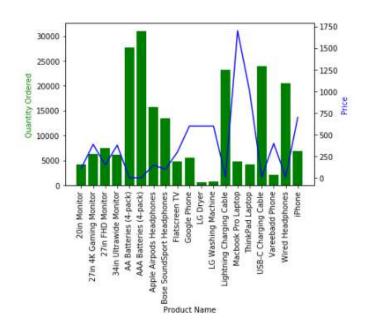
('USB-C Charging Cable', 'Wired Headphones') 160

('Vareebadd Phone', 'Wired Headphones') 92
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Data Analysis / Exploration (Contd.)

- Top 10 common 3 products sold together as follows:
- From the chart it shows that the cheaper product sold the most - AAA Batteries (4-pack)
- The product sold the least is LG Dryer, which not necessarily the most expensive
- MacbookPro Labtop sold more than the washing machine even though the labtops are more expensive because of the more users (students, corporations, etc.)

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('Google Phone', 'USB-C Charging Cable', 'Wired Headphones') 87
('iPhone', 'Lightning Charging Cable', 'Wired Headphones') 62
('iPhone', 'Lightning Charging Cable', 'Apple Airpods Headphones') 47
('Google Phone', 'USB-C Charging Cable', 'Bose SoundSport Headphones') 35
('Vareebadd Phone', 'USB-C Charging Cable', 'Wired Headphones') 33
('iPhone', 'Apple Airpods Headphones', 'Wired Headphones') 27
('Google Phone', 'Bose SoundSport Headphones', 'Wired Headphones') 24
('Vareebadd Phone', 'USB-C Charging Cable', 'Bose SoundSport Headphones') 16
('USB-C Charging Cable', 'Bose SoundSport Headphones', 'Wired Headphones') 5
('Vareebadd Phone', 'Bose SoundSport Headphones', 'Wired Headphones') 5
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Conclusions and Recommendations

- As a promotion as a smart deal, the business could group the Lightning Charging Cable with the iPhones to maximize the revenue, and the same with the other pairs. The corporation could develop a recommender system for the online customers.
- The corporation could make sure the advertisement to appear before and around 11 am and 7 pm to increase sales.