



## Interactive Visualization with Bokeh - Interactive Plots - 2

*One should look for what is and not what he thinks should be. (Albert Einstein)*

# Module completion checklist

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# Directory settings

- In order to maximize the efficiency of your workflow, you should encode your directory structure into variables
- We will use the `pathlib` library
- Let the `main_dir` be the variable corresponding to your course materials folder and
- `data_dir` be the variable corresponding to your data folder

```
# Set 'main_dir' to location of the project folder
from pathlib import Path
home_dir = Path(".").resolve()
main_dir = home_dir.parent.parent
print(main_dir)
```

```
data_dir = str(main_dir) + "/data"
print(data_dir)
```



# Costa Rican poverty: case study

- We will be diving into a case study from the **Inter-American Development Bank (IDB)**
- The **IDB** conducted a competition amongst data scientists on [Kaggle.com](https://www.kaggle.com)
- Many countries face this same problem of inaccurately assessing social need
- The following case study on Costa Rican poverty levels is a good example of how we can use data science within social sciences





# Costa Rican poverty: backstory

## Costa Rican poverty level prediction

- As stated by the 'IDB':
  - Social programs have a hard time making sure the right people are given enough aid
  - It's especially tricky when a program focuses on the poorest segment of the population
  - The world's poorest typically can't provide the necessary income and expense records to prove that they qualify



# Costa Rican poverty: backstory (cont'd)

- **Proxy Means Test (PMT)**

- In Latin America, one popular method uses an algorithm to verify income qualification, it's called the **Proxy Means Test (or PMT)**
- With the PMT, agencies use a model that considers a family's observable household attributes like the material of their walls and ceiling, or the assets found in the home, to classify them and predict their level of need
- While this is an improvement, accuracy remains a problem as the region's population grows and poverty declines





# Costa Rican poverty: proposed solution

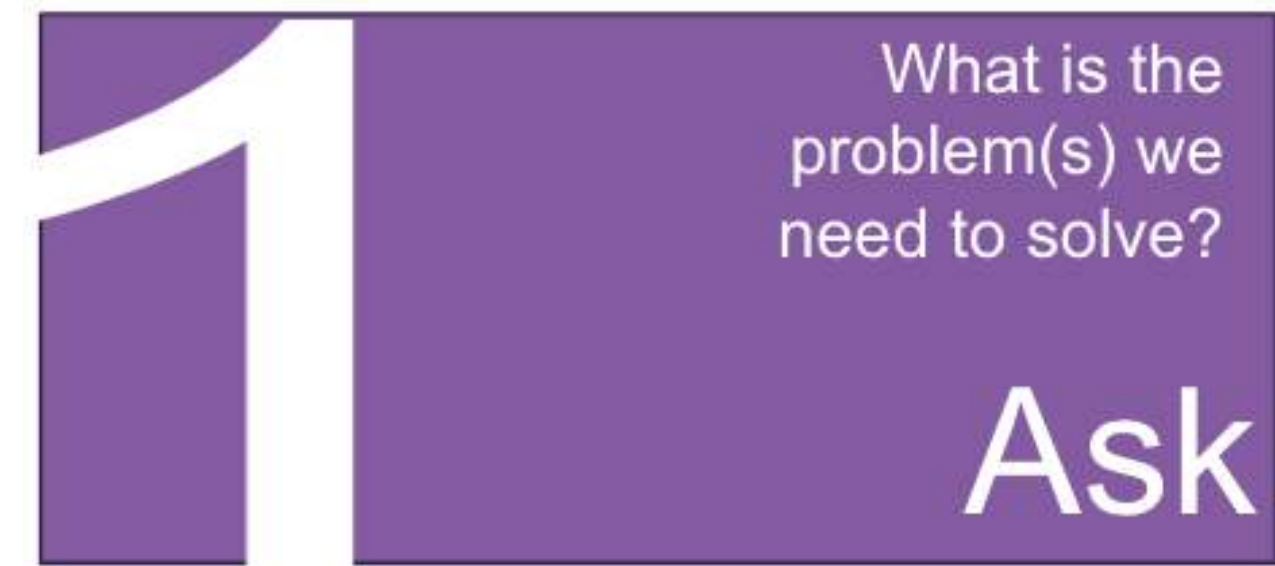
- **Proposed solution**

- To improve on PMT, the IDB built a competition for Kaggle participants to use methods beyond traditional econometrics
- The given dataset contains Costa Rican household characteristics with a target of four categories:
  - extreme poverty
  - moderate poverty
  - vulnerable households
  - non-vulnerable households



# Costa Rican poverty: proposed solution (cont'd)

- The goal is to develop an algorithm to predict these poverty levels, that can be used on other countries facing the same problem
- We will:
  - Clean the dataset
  - Wrangle the data
  - Perform visualizations to find meaningful patterns





# Load the dataset

- Let's load the entire dataset
- For reshaping and visualizations, we will be taking a specific subset
- We are now going to use the function `read_csv` to read in our `costa_rican_poverty` dataset

```
costa_rica_poverty = pd.read_csv(data_dir + '/costa_rica_poverty.csv')  
print(costa_rica_poverty.head())
```

	household_id	ind_id	rooms	...	age	Target	monthly_rent
0	21eb7fcc1	ID_279628684	3	...	43	4	190000.0
1	0e5d7a658	ID_f29eb3ddd	4	...	67	4	135000.0
2	2c7317ea8	ID_68de51c94	8	...	92	4	NaN
3	2b58d945f	ID_d671db89c	5	...	17	4	180000.0
4	2b58d945f	ID_d56d6f5f5	5	...	37	4	180000.0

[5 rows x 84 columns]

- The entire dataset consists of 9,557 observations and 84 variables

# Subsetting data

- We will explore a subset of this dataset, which includes the following variables:
  - `ppl_total`
  - `dependency_rate`
  - `num_adults`
  - `monthly_rent`
  - `rooms`
  - `age`
  - `Target`
- We are choosing these variables because they illustrate the concepts best
- However, you should be able to work with (and visualize) all of your data

# Subsetting data (cont'd)

- Let's subset our data so that we have the variables we need
- We are keeping `ppl_total`, `dependency_rate`, `num_adults`, `rooms`, `age`, `monthly_rent`, and `Target`
- Let's name this subset `costa_viz`

```
costa_viz = costa_rica_poverty[['ppl_total', 'dependency_rate',  
                                'num_adults', 'rooms', 'age', 'monthly_rent',  
                                'Target']]  
print(costa_viz.head())
```

	ppl_total	dependency_rate	num_adults	rooms	age	monthly_rent	Target
0	1	37	1	3	43	190000.0	4
1	1	36	1	4	67	135000.0	4
2	1	36	1	8	92	NaN	4
3	4	38	2	5	17	180000.0	4
4	4	38	2	5	37	180000.0	4



# Data prep: clean NAs

- Depending on subject matter, missing values might be significant
- Let's define the choices on how we can handle NAs in our data:
  - drop columns that contain any NAs
  - drop columns with a certain % of NAs
  - impute missing values
  - convert column with missing values to categorical
- Let's look at the count of NAs by column first:

```
print(costa_viz.isnull().sum())
```

```
ppl_total          0
dependency_rate    0
num_adults         0
rooms             0
age               0
monthly_rent      6860
Target            0
dtype: int64
```

# Data cleaning: NAs

- `monthly_rent` has many NA values!
- We could just drop this column, as the number is over 50%
- However, in this instance, we'll keep it, and **impute missing values** using the mean of the column
- There isn't a mathematical method for a precise percentage of NAs that we are OK with
- That's why your subject matter expertise is so important!

```
# Set the dataframe equal to the imputed dataset.
costa_viz = costa_viz.fillna(costa_viz.mean())
# Check how many values are null in monthly_rent.
print(costa_viz.isnull().sum())
```

```
ppl_total      0
dependency_rate 0
num_adults     0
rooms          0
age            0
monthly_rent   0
Target         0
dtype: int64
```

# Converting the target variable

- Let's convert poverty to a variable with two levels, which will help to balance it out
- The four original levels would also increase the complexity of the visualizations and the code
- For this reason, we will convert levels 1, 2 and 3 to `vulnerable` and 4 to `non-vulnerable`
- The levels translate to 1, 2 and 3 as being `vulnerable` households
- Level 4 is `non-vulnerable`

```
import numpy as np
costa_viz['Target'] = np.where(costa_viz['Target'] <= 3, 'vulnerable', 'non_vulnerable')
```

```
print(costa_viz['Target'].head())
```

```
0    non_vulnerable
1    non_vulnerable
2    non_vulnerable
3    non_vulnerable
4    non_vulnerable
Name: Target, dtype: object
```



# Data prep: target

- The next step of our data cleanup is to ensure the target variable is binary and has a label
- Let's look at the `dtype` of Target

```
print(costa_viz.Target.dtypes)
```

```
object
```

- We want to convert this to `bool` so that it is a binary class

```
costa_viz["Target"] = np.where(costa_viz["Target"] == "non_vulnerable", True, False)  
  
# Check class again.  
print(costa_viz.Target.dtypes)
```

```
bool
```

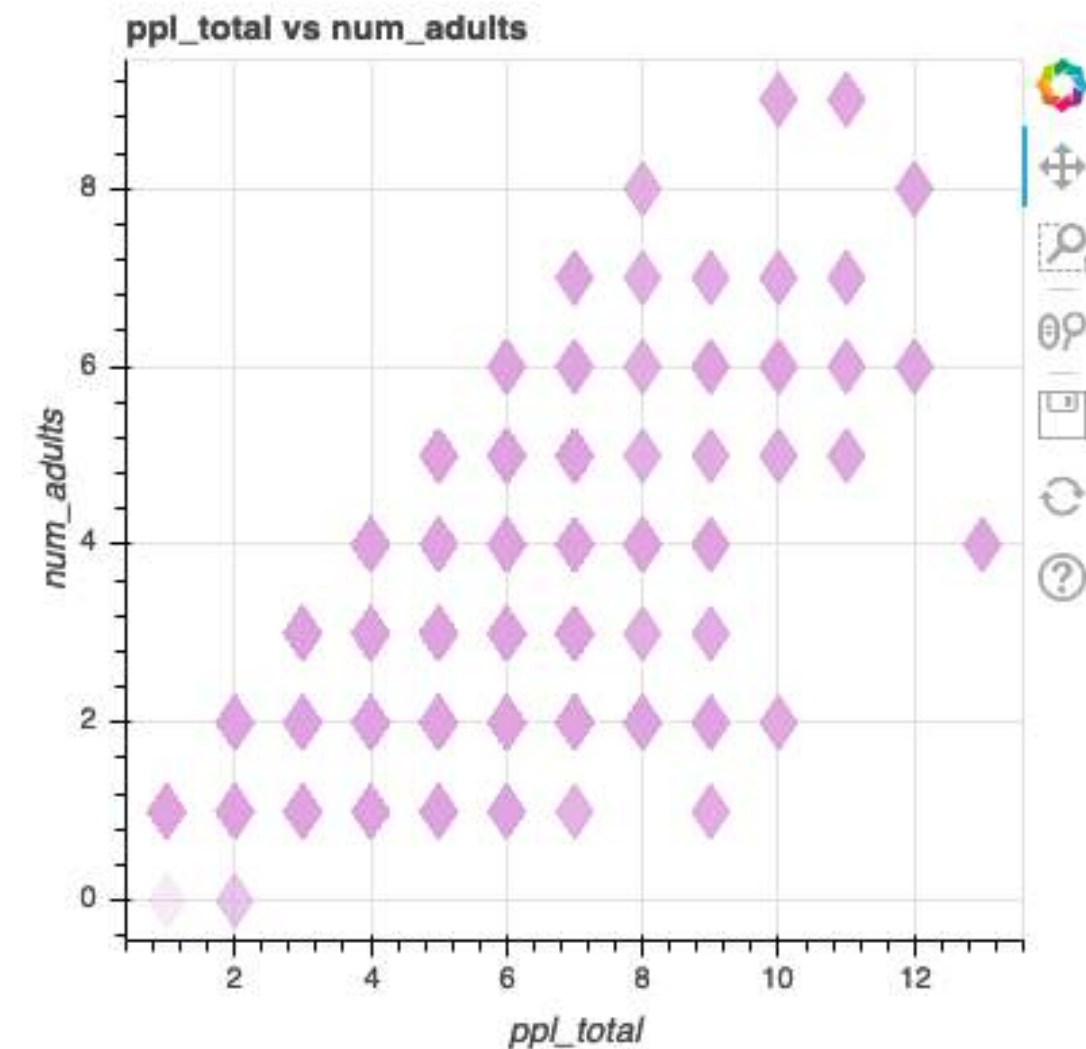
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# Use Costa Rican data for plots

- We're ready to create plots with `costa_viz`

```
p = figure(title = "ppl_total vs num_adults",  
           x_axis_label = 'ppl_total',  
           y_axis_label = 'num_adults',  
           plot_width = 400, plot_height = 400)  
  
p.diamond(costa_viz['ppl_total'],  
          costa_viz['num_adults'],  
          size = 20,  
          color = "plum",  
          alpha = 0.2)  
  
show(p)
```





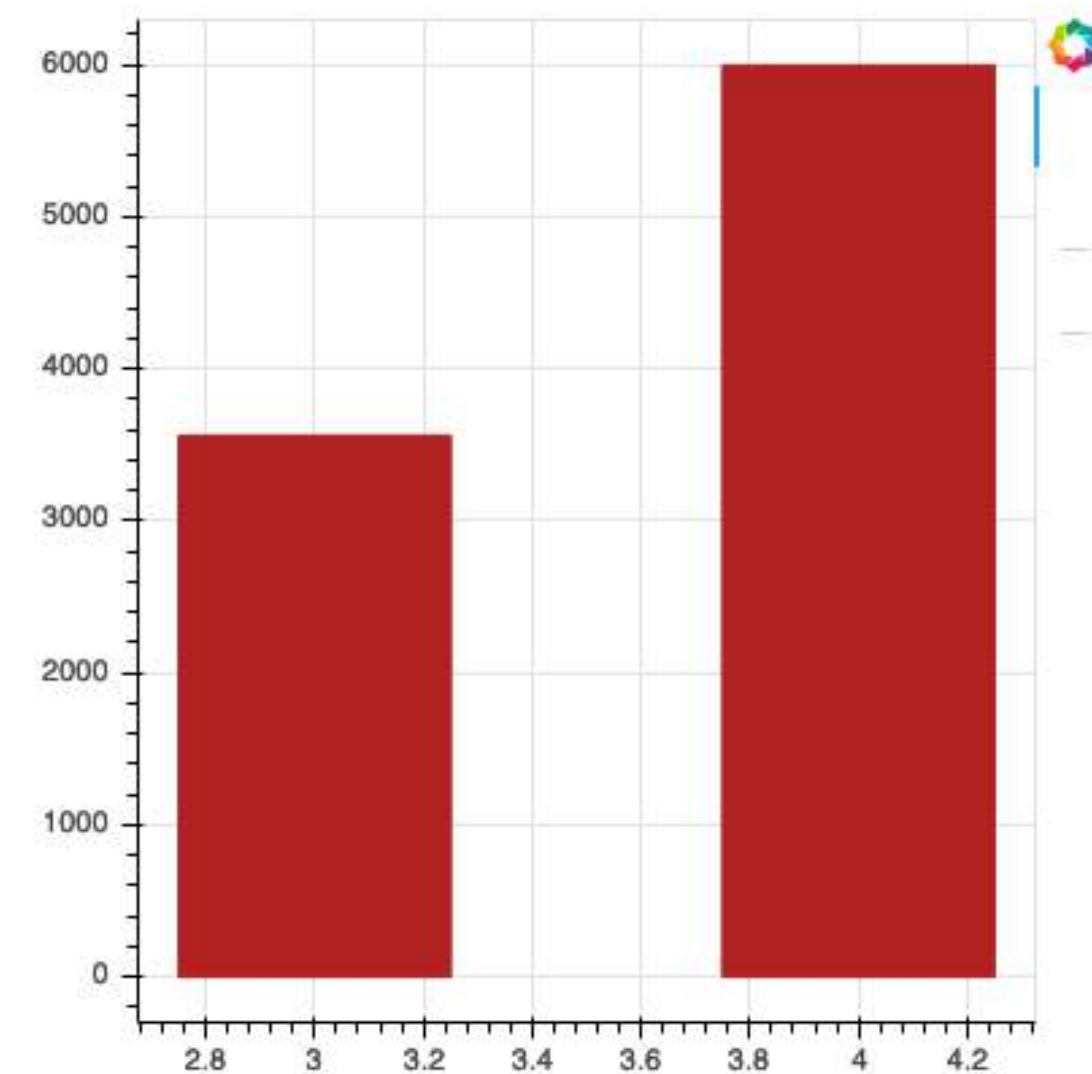
# vbar() and hbar()

- To see the count of the categorical levels, we will use the Target variable

```
costa_viz.Target.value_counts()
```

```
True      5996  
False     3561  
Name: Target, dtype: int64
```

```
p = figure(plot_width=400, plot_height=400)  
  
p.vbar(x = [4, 3, 2, 1],  
       width = 0.5,  
       bottom = 0,  
       top =  
costa_viz.Target.value_counts(),  
       color = "firebrick")  
  
show(p)
```



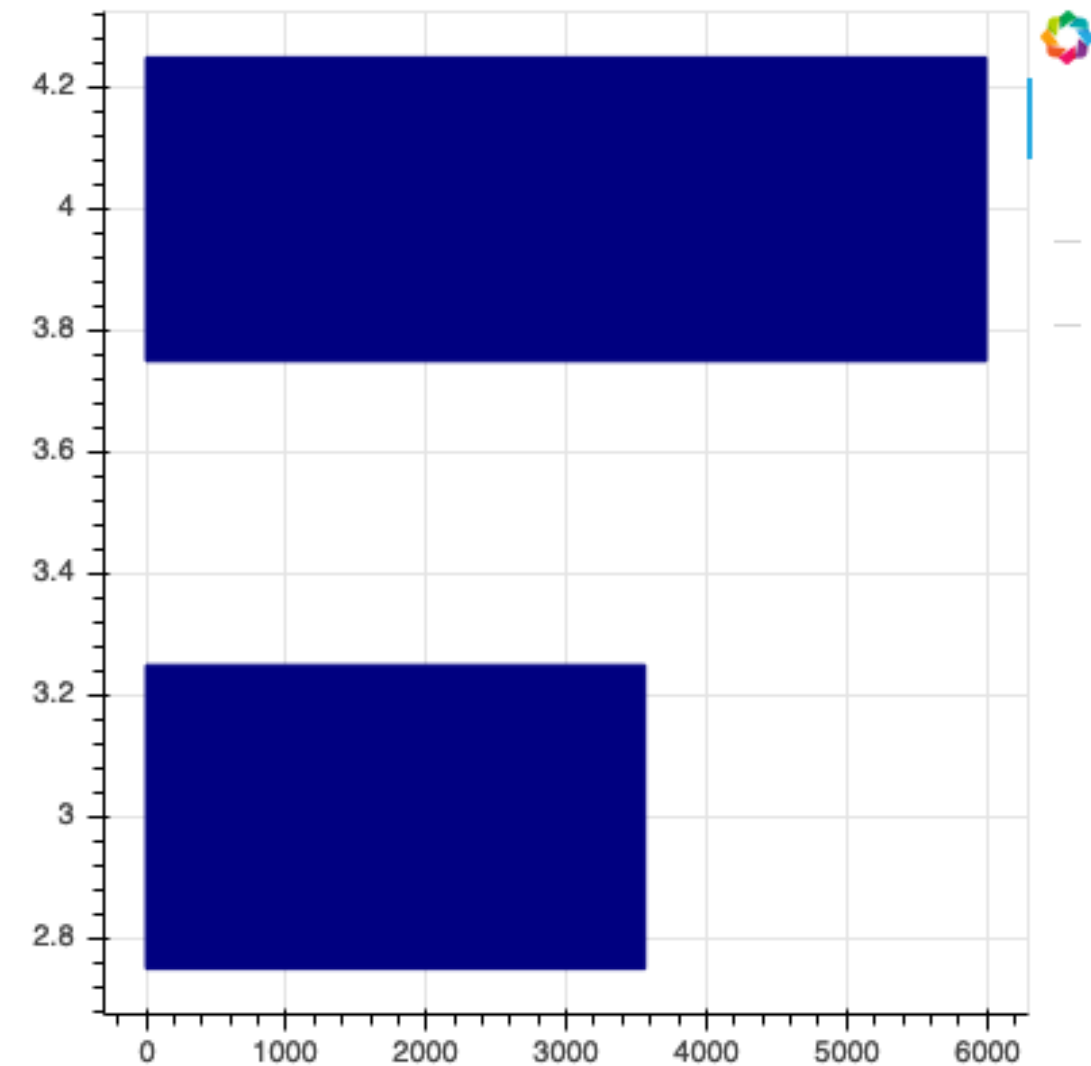
# vbar() and hbar() (cont'd)

- Similarly, horizontal bar charts can be created using `.hbar()`

```
p = figure(plot_width = 400, plot_height = 400)

p.hbar(y = [4, 3, 2, 1],
       height = 0.5,
       left = 0,
       right = costa_viz.Target.value_counts(),
       color = "navy")

show(p)
```



# Markers for categorical data

- It is also possible to map categorical data to marker types
- This example shows the use of `factor_mark()` to display different markers or different categories in the input data
- It also demonstrates the use of `factor_cmap()` to colormap those same categories

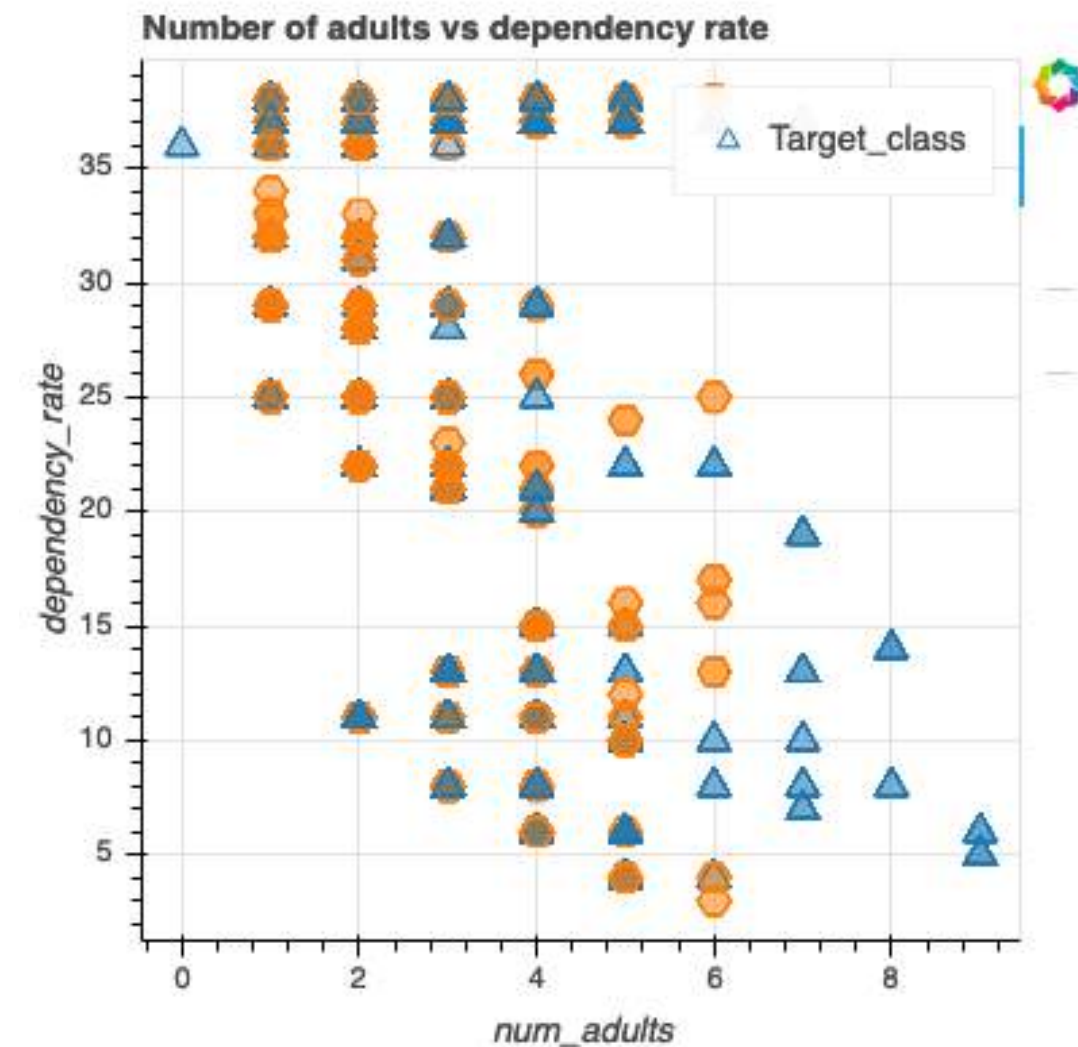
```
LEVELS = ['non_vulnerable', 'vulnerable']
MARKERS = ['triangle', 'hex']
costa_viz['Target_class'] =
np.where(costa_viz['Target']==True,
'non_vulnerable', 'vulnerable')

p = figure(title = "Number of adults vs
dependency rate",
           x_axis_label = 'num_adults',
           y_axis_label = 'dependency_rate')
```



# Markers for categorical data

```
p.scatter("num_adults", "dependency_rate",  
         source = costa_viz,  
         legend_label = "Target_class",  
         fill_alpha = 0.1,  
         size = 12,  
         marker = factor_mark('Target_class',  
                             MARKERS,  
                             LEVELS),  
         color = factor_cmap('Target_class',  
                             'Category10_7',  
                             LEVELS))  
  
show(p)
```



# Knowledge check



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# This completes our module

You are now ready to try Tasks 3-10 in the Exercise for this topic

