

NHANES_FPED_EDAipynb

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Objectives

Perform more exploratory analysis on the input data for the logistic regression model. The goal is to come up with data filters and transformations that can be used to address assumptions about the research question. The model can then be re-evaluated and compared to the initial prediction rate results.

Re-evaluate model with different techniques for constraining the observation space:

Use subsets of meals within calorie distribution categories. For example: is there any difference between low calories and high calorie meals?

Explore the possibility of transforming the input data from continuous to categorical. The component variables contain a high amount of 0's with a right tail heavy distribution.

Use only meals that are consumed at home, since eating out is generally more unhealthy

Constrain the non-seafood class to meals containing meat only. This will exclude vegetarian meals and compare seafood consumers to meat consumers.

Use a participant age filter, to look for adult participants only.

Attempt a classification of meals that contain both meat and seafood.

Convert input variables to standard units (some are in grams, some are in cups, etc.)

Input from research collaborators:

Obtain a more educated selection of input variables.

Attempt to weight the observations, to adjust for the survey design methods.

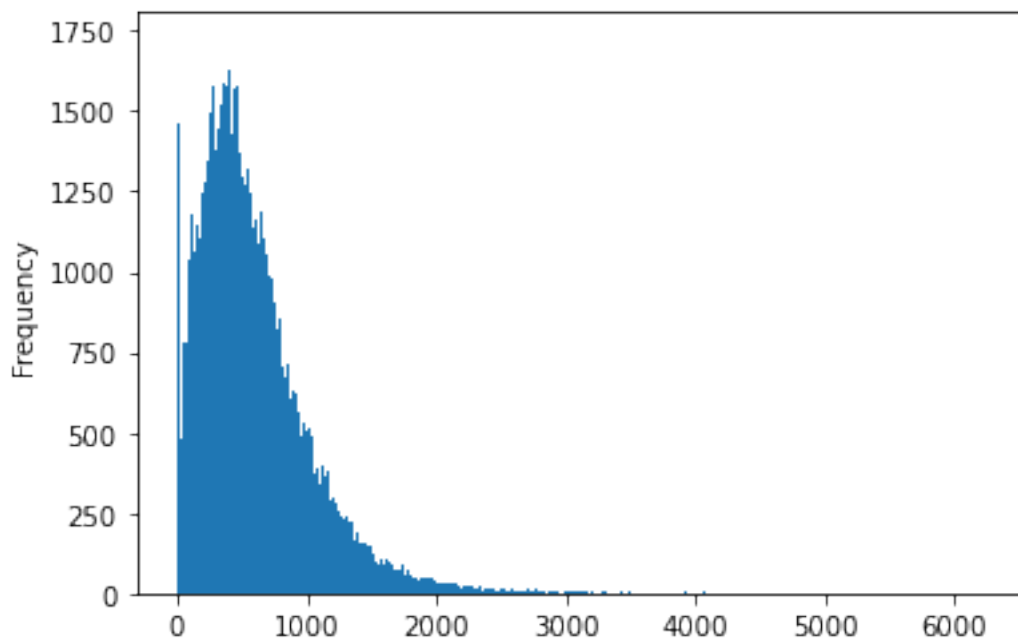
Section 1: Meal Energy Statistics

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[19]: import pandas as pd

#Read data frame and add plant pf total variable
df = pd.read_csv('../Data/nhanes_full_pre_proc.csv')
df['PF_PLANT_D_TOTAL'] =_
    ↳df['PF_EGGS']+df['PF_SOY']+df['PF_NUTSDS']+df['PF_LEGUMES']

df['DR1IKCAL'].plot.hist(bins=500)
```

[19]: 981



The plot above is displaying the distribution of the KCAL variable. One apparent potential issue is the left most bar, indicating meals where this variable is equal to 0.

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[24]: zero_kcal_meals = df[df['DR1IKCAL']==0]
      len(zero_kcal_meals)
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[24]: 981
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Indeed, there are 981 meals where $KCAL = 0$.

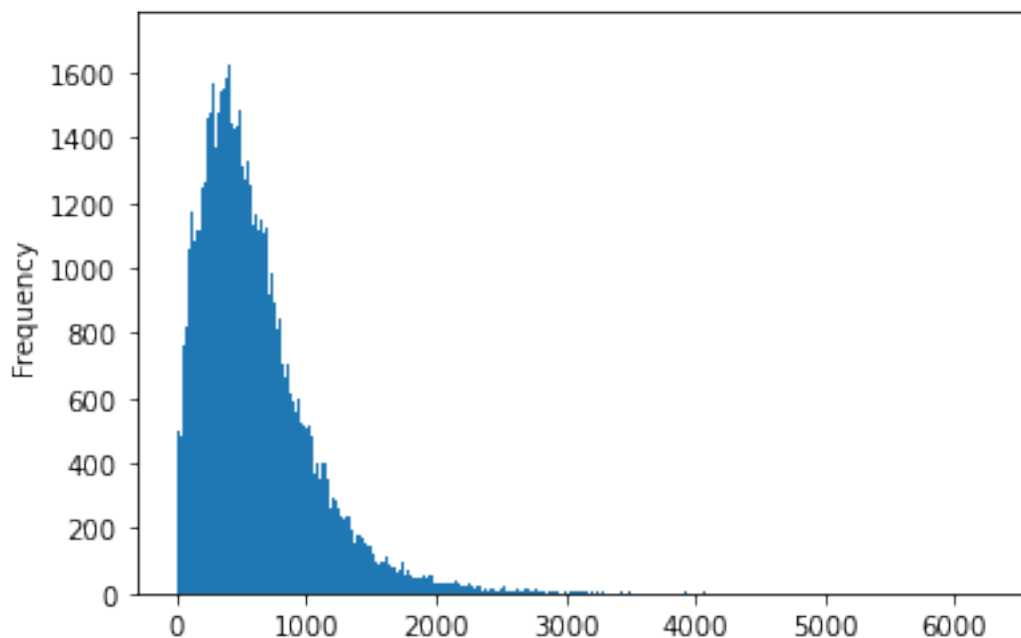
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[96]: zero_kcal_meals[['SEQN', 'DR1.030Z', 'DR1.020', 'DR1IKCAL']].head(5)
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[96]:
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	SEQN	DR1.030Z	DR1.020	DR1IKCAL
361	31330	3	90000	0.0
413	31364	14	86400	0.0
489	31411	15	54000	0.0
490	31411	15	70200	0.0
491	31411	15	75600	0.0

```
[72]: #Filter out 0 KCAL meals
      df = df[df['DR1IKCAL'] > 0]
      df['DR1IKCAL'].plot.hist(bins=500)
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[72]: <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7feaa52b32b0>
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[58]: #Obtain statistics for KCAL
df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()
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[58]: count      101731.000000
      mean         605.018942
      std         445.749113
      min           1.000000
      25%         297.000000
      50%         508.000000
      75%         798.000000
      max        6264.000000
      Name: DR1IKCAL, dtype: float64
```

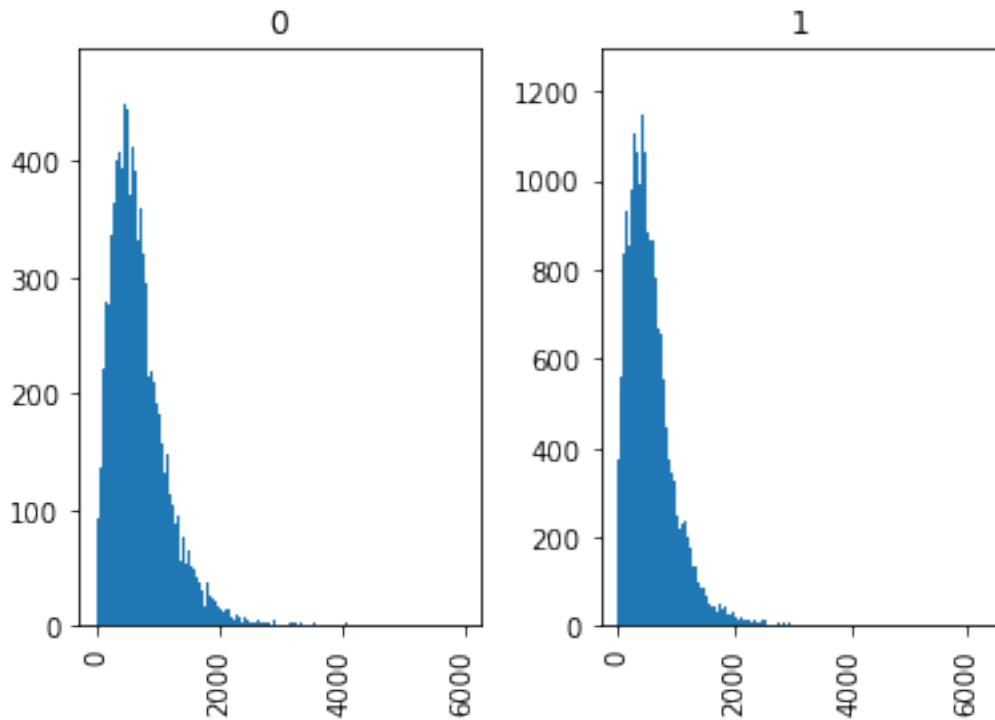
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[69]: #Home vs Out Meals
df.groupby('eathome')['DR1IKCAL'].describe()
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[69]:
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	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max
eathome								
0	32830.0	687.545111	476.684325	1.0	360.0	587.0	899.0	5957.0
1	68901.0	565.696811	424.626035	1.0	271.0	471.0	751.0	6264.0

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[77]: #Home vs Out Meals
df['DR1IKCAL'].hist(bins=500, by=df['eathome'])
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[77]: array([<matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot object at 0x7feacb564ee0>,
      <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot object at 0x7feaa686e6d0>],
      dtype=object)
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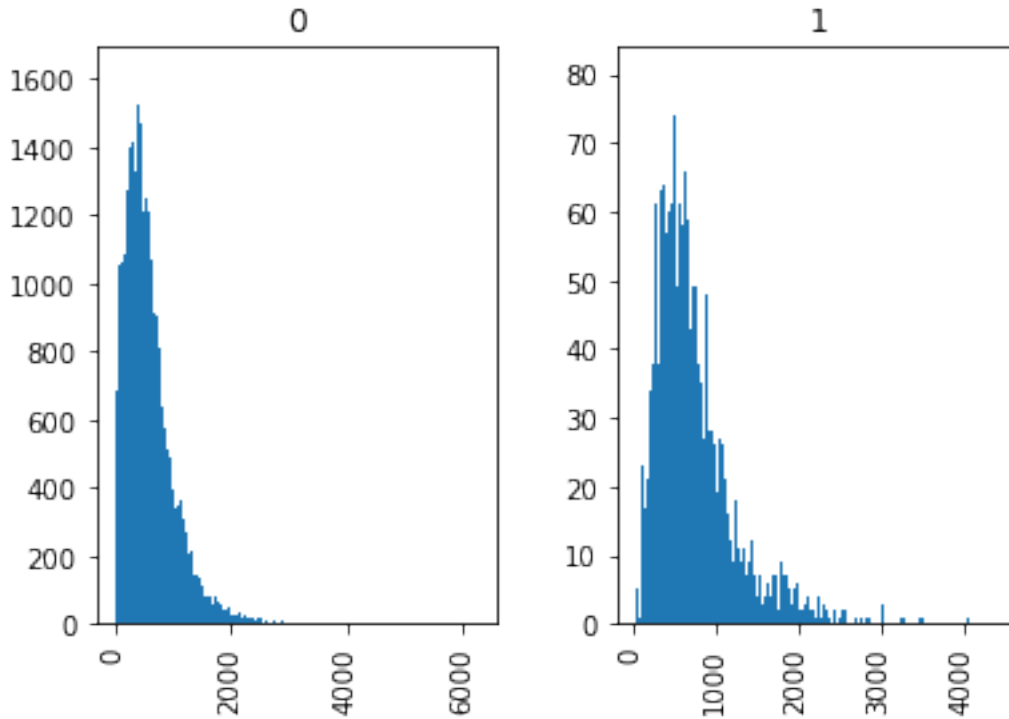
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[78]: #Seafood vs non seafood meals
df.groupby('seafood_meal')['DR1IKCAL'].describe()
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	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	\
seafood_meal								
0	95782.0	595.879560	442.124805	1.0	289.0	499.0	789.0	
1	5949.0	752.167759	477.014340	40.0	431.0	643.0	943.0	
	max							
seafood_meal								
0	6264.0							
1	4451.0							

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[79]: #Seafood vs non seafood meals
df['DR1IKCAL'].hist(bins=500, by=df['seafood_meal'])
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[79]: array([<matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot object at 0x7feacebd8eb0>,
      <matplotlib.axes._subplots.AxesSubplot object at 0x7feacdc885b0>],
      dtype=object)
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[81]: #Seafood vs non seafood home and out
df.groupby(['seafood_meal', 'eathome'])['DR1IKCAL'].describe()
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[81]:
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		count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	\
seafood_meal	eathome							
	0	30638.0	675.534695	470.570282	1.0	352.00	576.0	
	1	65144.0	558.416800	422.941684	1.0	265.00	463.5	
1	0	2192.0	855.416971	527.356298	50.0	495.75	736.0	
	1	3757.0	691.927602	433.886534	40.0	403.00	599.0	
		75%	max					
seafood_meal	eathome							
	0	885.00	5957.0					
	1	743.00	6264.0					
1	0	1073.25	4451.0					
	1	860.00	3509.0					

Section 1: Meal Energy Grouping

Create meal energy grouping based on quantiles from the 'KCAL' variable.

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[99]: #Create meal energy category based on quantiles from KCAL
df.loc[df['DR1IKCAL'] < df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()['25%'], 'meal_energy'] = "Low"
df.loc[(df['DR1IKCAL'] > df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()['25%'])
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    & (df['DR1IKCAL'] < df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()['50%']), 'meal_energy'] =
    ↪ "Medium-Low"
df.loc[(df['DR1IKCAL'] > df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()['50%'])
    & (df['DR1IKCAL'] < df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()['75%']), 'meal_energy'] =
    ↪ "Medium-High"
df.loc[df['DR1IKCAL'] > df['DR1IKCAL'].describe()['75%'], 'meal_energy'] =
    ↪ "High"

#Display top of new meal energy category
df[['SEQN', 'DR1IKCAL', 'meal_energy']].head(20)

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[99]:
   SEQN  DR1IKCAL  meal_energy
0   31127      447.0    Medium-Low
1   31127      264.0           Low
2   31128      861.0           High
3   31129      867.0           High
4   31129     1150.0           High
5   31131      253.0           Low
6   31131       88.0           Low
7   31132      130.0           Low
8   31132      836.0           High
9   31132      491.0    Medium-Low
10  31133      843.0           High
11  31133      448.0    Medium-Low
12  31134      963.0           High
13  31134     1181.0           High
14  31135      332.0    Medium-Low
15  31135      501.0    Medium-Low
16  31137      720.0    Medium-High
17  31137      813.0           High
18  31138      314.0    Medium-Low
19  31138      204.0           Low

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Section 1: Questions

1. Why are there so many meals with 0 KCAL?
2. Why are the KCAL values so large? Looking at the statistics, these seem more like calories instead of kilo-calories.
3. Is the grouping method for this variable adequate?

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