Project: Fastage Fraud Detection

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In [ ]: # Import libraries
         import pandas as pd
         import numpy as np
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
         import seaborn as sns
         %matplotlib inline
In [ ]: # Read Data
         data = pd.read_csv("../Data/raw/fastag-data.csv")
         # View
         data.head()
Out[]:
            Transaction_ID Timestamp Vehicle_Type FastagID TollBoothID Lane_Type Vehicle_
                             1/6/2023
                                                    FTG-001-
         0
                        1
                                                Bus
                                                                    A-101
                                                                              Express
                                                     ABC-121
                                 11:20
                             1/7/2023
                                                    FTG-002-
         1
                        2
                                                Car
                                                                    B-102
                                                                              Regular
                                                     XYZ-451
                                 14:55
                             1/8/2023
         2
                        3
                                         Motorcycle
                                                                   D-104
                                                                              Regular
                                                        NaN
                                 18:25
                                                    FTG-044-
                             1/9/2023
         3
                        4
                                                       LMN-
                                                                    C-103
                                                                              Regular
                                              Truck
                                 2:05
                                                         322
                            1/10/2023
                                                    FTG-505-
         4
                                               Van
                                                                    B-102
                                                                              Express
                                                     DEF-652
                                 6:35
        # Shape
In [ ]:
         data.shape
Out[]: (5000, 13)
In [ ]: # Check for duplicates
         data.duplicated().sum()
Out[ ]: 0
In [ ]: # Metainformation
         data.info()
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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 5000 entries, 0 to 4999
Data columns (total 13 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	Transaction_ID	5000 non-null	int64
1	Timestamp	5000 non-null	object
2	Vehicle_Type	5000 non-null	object
3	FastagID	4451 non-null	object
4	TollBoothID	5000 non-null	object
5	Lane_Type	5000 non-null	object
6	Vehicle_Dimensions	5000 non-null	object
7	Transaction_Amount	5000 non-null	int64
8	Amount_paid	5000 non-null	int64
9	Geographical_Location	5000 non-null	object
10	Vehicle_Speed	5000 non-null	int64
11	Vehicle_Plate_Number	5000 non-null	object
12	Fraud_indicator	5000 non-null	object
1.0			

dtypes: int64(4), object(9)
memory usage: 507.9+ KB

• Dataset contains 5000 records for fastag transactions, there are no missing values in dataset except for the column 'FastageID'.

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In [ ]: # Analyze the missing FastagID
    data[data.FastagID.isnull()]
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		Transaction_ID	Timestamp	Vehicle_Type	FastagID	TollBoothID	Lane_Type	Vehi
	2	3	1/8/2023 18:25	Motorcycle	NaN	D-104	Regular	
	9	10	1/15/2023 7:30	Motorcycle	NaN	D-104	Regular	
	16	17	1/22/2023 16:45	Motorcycle	NaN	D-104	Regular	
	23	24	1/29/2023 3:05	Motorcycle	NaN	D-104	Regular	
	30	31	2/5/2023 13:20	Motorcycle	NaN	D-104	Regular	
	•••		•••				•••	
4	966	4967	8/31/2023 6:08	Motorcycle	NaN	D-106	Regular	
4	973	4974	12/27/2023 19:04	Motorcycle	NaN	D-106	Regular	
4	980	4981	4/20/2023 6:01	Motorcycle	NaN	D-106	Regular	
4	987	4988	8/19/2023 18:57	Motorcycle	NaN	D-106	Regular	
4	994	4995	12/14/2023 6:53	Motorcycle	NaN	D-106	Regular	

549 rows × 13 columns

Out[]:

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In [ ]: # Transaction amount with no FastagID
    transaction_amt = data[data.FastagID.isnull()]['Transaction_Amount'].unique()
    amt_paid = data[data.FastagID.isnull()]['Amount_paid'].unique()
    transaction_amt, amt_paid
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Out[]: (array([0], dtype=int64), array([0], dtype=int64))

- All of these transactions without FastagID has zero for amount paid.
- Meaning, there is no record for amount paid for these transactions. so, lets drop all rows with missing FastagID.

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In [ ]: # Drop missing FastagId rows.
data = data.dropna(axis=0).copy()

In [ ]: # Unique values in IDs, and categorical data.
data.nunique()
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Out[]: Transaction_ID
Timestamp
                               4451
                                4008
        Vehicle_Type
                                 7
        FastagID
                                4451
        TollBoothID
                                  4
        Lane_Type
Vehicle_Dimensions 3
Transaction_Amount 20
23
        Lane_Type
                                   2
        Amount_pard
Geographical_Location
                                 5
        Vehicle_Speed
                                  85
        Vehicle_Speed 85
Vehicle_Plate_Number 4451
        Fraud_indicator
                                  2
        dtype: int64
In [ ]: for col in data.select_dtypes(include='object').columns:
            print(col)
            print(data[col].unique())
            print('--' * 10)
       Timestamp
       ['1/6/2023 11:20' '1/7/2023 14:55' '1/9/2023 2:05' ... '2/5/2023 5:08'
        '2/20/2023 20:34' '3/10/2023 0:59']
      Vehicle_Type
       ['Bus ' 'Car' 'Truck' 'Van' 'Sedan' 'SUV' 'Motorcycle']
       FastagID
       ['FTG-001-ABC-121' 'FTG-002-XYZ-451' 'FTG-044-LMN-322' ...
       'FTG-447-PLN-109' 'FTG-458-VFR-876' 'FTG-459-WSX-543']
       TollBoothID
       ['A-101' 'B-102' 'C-103' 'D-106']
       -----
       Lane_Type
       ['Express' 'Regular']
       -----
      Vehicle_Dimensions
       ['Large' 'Small' 'Medium']
       -----
      Geographical_Location
       ['13.059816123454882, 77.77068662374292'
        '13.042660878688794, 77.47580097259879'
        '12.84197701525119, 77.67547528176169'
       '12.936687032945434, 77.53113977439017'
       '13.21331620748757, 77.55413526894684']
       _____
      Vehicle Plate Number
       ['KA11AB1234' 'KA66CD5678' 'KA11GH3456' ... 'KA33WX6789' 'KA35YZ0123'
        'KA37AB3456']
       -----
       Fraud_indicator
       ['Fraud' 'Not Fraud']
       ------
In [ ]: # Convert date into datetime type
        data['Timestamp'] = pd.to_datetime(data.Timestamp)
In [ ]: # Convert columns
        data.rename(columns={col: col.lower() for col in data.columns.tolist()}, inplace
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# rename
        data.rename(columns={
            'fastagid': 'fastag_id',
             'tollboothid': 'tollbooth_id',
             'vehicle_dimensions': 'vehicle_size'
        }, inplace=True)
In [ ]: # Check data types
        data.dtypes
Out[]: transaction_id
                                            int64
                                   datetime64[ns]
         timestamp
         vehicle_type
                                           object
         fastag_id
                                           object
         tollbooth_id
                                           object
         lane_type
                                           object
         vehicle_size
                                           object
         transaction_amount
                                           int64
         amount_paid
                                           int64
         geographical_location
                                          object
         vehicle_speed
                                            int64
         vehicle_plate_number
                                           object
         fraud_indicator
                                           object
         dtype: object
In [ ]: # Summary descriptions
        columns = ['transaction_amount', 'amount_paid', 'vehicle_speed']
        fraud_desc = data[data.fraud_indicator == 'Fraud'][columns].describe()
        notfraud_desc = data[data.fraud_indicator == 'Not Fraud'][columns].describe()
        pd.concat([fraud_desc, notfraud_desc], axis=1, keys=['Fraudulent', 'Non-Fraudule
Out[]:
                                                    Fraudulent
                transaction_amount amount_paid vehicle_speed transaction_amount amount_paid
                        983.000000
                                      983.000000
                                                    983.000000
                                                                      3468.000000
                                                                                    3468.0000
         count
                        193.555443
                                      92.838250
                                                     68.340793
                                                                       177.348616
                                                                                     177.3486
         mean
                         97.465586
                                      35.230277
                                                     16.832977
                                                                       104.256672
                                                                                     104.2566
           std
                         60.000000
                                       0.000000
                                                     20.000000
                                                                         0.000000
                                                                                       0.0000
          min
          25%
                        120.000000
                                      90.000000
                                                     55.000000
                                                                       110.000000
                                                                                     110.0000
          50%
                        145.000000
                                      100.000000
                                                     68.000000
                                                                       130.000000
                                                                                     130.0000
          75%
                        300.00000
                                      110.000000
                                                     82.000000
                                                                       300.00000
                                                                                     300.0000
                        350.000000
                                      190.000000
                                                    118.000000
                                                                       350.000000
                                                                                     350.0000
          max
In [ ]: # Datetime
        data['timestamp'].dt.year.unique() # 2023 data
Out[]: array([2023])
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In [ ]: # Total days of records
        data['timestamp'].dt.date.nunique()
Out[]: 365
In [ ]: # Create new columns
        data['month'] = data['timestamp'].dt.month
        data['weekday'] = data['timestamp'].dt.weekday
        data['hour'] = data['timestamp'].dt.hour
        data['is_month_end'] = data['timestamp'].dt.is_month_end.astype('int')
        data['is_month_start'] = data['timestamp'].dt.is_month_start.astype('int')
        data['quarter'] = data['timestamp'].dt.quarter
        data['day_month'] = data['timestamp'].dt.strftime(date_format='%d-%m')
In [ ]: # Datetime analysis - Number of fraudulent transaction in each month
        # data preparation
        monthly_n_transactions = pd.pivot_table(data, values='transaction_id', index='mo
        # for label ticks
        hours = sorted(data.hour.unique().tolist())
        months = sorted(data.month.unique().tolist())
In [ ]: # plot
        plt.figure(figsize=(10, 5))
        sns.lineplot(monthly_n_transactions)
        plt.title('Number fraudulent Vs. non-fraudulent transaction by Months', size=11)
        plt.xlabel('Months')
        plt.ylabel('Number of transactions')
        plt.grid(ls='--', c="#181818", alpha=0.6)
        plt.xticks(ticks=months);
                            Number fraudulent Vs. non-fraudulent transaction by Months
                                                                               fraud_indicator
         350
                                                                                  Fraud
                                                                                 Not Fraud
         300
       Number of transactions
         250
         200
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• The lineplot compares the count of total fraudulent and non-fraudulent transactions over months(from 1 to 12) in year 2023.

Months

• The line plot represents the decreasing trend in overall fastag transactions.

150

100

50

• The line plot shows, the highest number of fraudulent as well as non-fraudulent transaction in January, while the octobar has lowest fraudulent transaction.

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In [ ]: # What is fraction of monthly contribution in total fraudulent transactions?
    pct_fraud = (monthly_n_transactions['Fraud'] * 100 / monthly_n_transactions['Fra
    pct_fraud.columns = ['Month', 'Fraud_Percent']
    pct_fraud.sort_values(by='Fraud_Percent', ascending=False)
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Out[]:		Month	Fraud_Percent
	0	1	13.835198
	2	3	12.512716
	1	2	12.004069
	3	4	10.681587
	4	5	8.545270
	5	6	8.443540
	7	8	6.714140
	8	9	6.307223
	6	7	5.798576
	10	11	5.696846
	11	12	5.086470
	9	10	4.374364

• The first quarter (the first four months of the year-January, February, March and April) seems to have hightest fraudelent transaction over the year 2023.

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In [ ]: # What happened in January?
        jan_23 = data[data.month == 1]
        jan_23[jan_23.fraud_indicator=='Fraud'].groupby(by='day_month').count()['transac
Out[]: day_month
        15-01
        03-01 7
              7
        24-01
        23-01 7
        07-01
        Name: transaction_id, dtype: int64
In [ ]: # day-name: 0 -> Monday, 1 -> Tuesday, 2 -> Wednesday, 3 -> Thursday, 4 -> Frida
        jan_23.loc[jan_23.day_month == '15-01', 'weekday'].head(1)
Out[ ]: 126
               6
        Name: weekday, dtype: int32
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• The highest fraudulent transaction observed on Sunday, 15th January.

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In []: # What are the most common hours for fraudulent transaction in January?

# Data preparation
pivot_nt = pd.pivot_table(jan_23, values='transaction_id', columns='fraud_indica
pivot_nt['total_transactions'] = pivot_nt['Fraud'] + pivot_nt['Not Fraud']

# plot
plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
sns.lineplot(pivot_nt['total_transactions'], label='All transactions')
sns.lineplot(pivot_nt['Fraud'], label='Fraudulent transactions')

plt.title('Number of transaction by hours in January 2023', size=11)
plt.xlabel('Hour')
plt.ylabel('Number of transaction')
plt.grid(ls='--', c="#181818", alpha=0.6)
plt.xticks(ticks=hours, color='#000')
plt.show()
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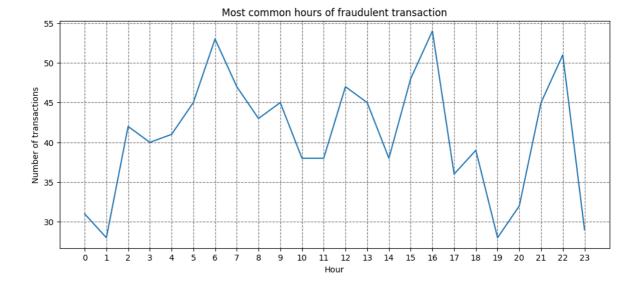
- The above lineplot shows the total number of hourly transaction in January 2023.
- The highest fraudulent transactions are observed at the peakest hours in January.

```
In [ ]: # What is the most common hour for fraudulent transaction in
    pivot_nt = pd.pivot_table(data, values='transaction_id', columns='fraud_indicato

plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
    sns.lineplot(pivot_nt['Fraud'])

plt.title('Most common hours of fraudulent transaction')
    plt.xlabel('Hour')
    plt.ylabel('Number of transactions')

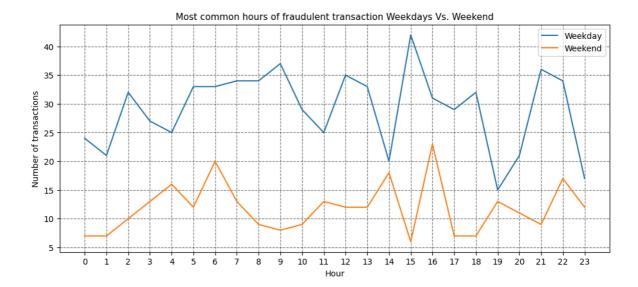
plt.grid(ls='--', c="#181818", alpha=0.6)
    plt.xticks(ticks=hours);
```



- The line plot has some noticeable peaks at around Early mornings (around 2nd and 6th hour), and late evening (around 16th and 22th hour).
- Lunchtime (around 12th hour) could be another peak.
- This might happend because these are the peak traffic hours.

There might be difference in patterns for weekdays and weekends. Let's analysis further for days of the week.

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In [ ]: # Is there any difference in fraud patterns for weekdays and weekends.
        # Data preparation
        # filter data
        fraud_data = data[data.fraud_indicator=='Fraud']
        weekdays = fraud_data[fraud_data.weekday <= 4]</pre>
        weekends = fraud_data[fraud_data.weekday > 4]
        # Get the count of transaction by hour
        weekdays_grp = weekdays.groupby(by='hour')['transaction_id'].count()
        weekends_grp = weekends.groupby(by='hour')['transaction_id'].count()
        plt.figure(figsize=(12, 5))
        sns.lineplot(weekdays_grp, label='Weekday')
        sns.lineplot(weekends_grp, label='Weekend')
        plt.title('Most common hours of fraudulent transaction Weekdays Vs. Weekend', si
        plt.xlabel('Hour')
        plt.ylabel('Number of transactions')
        plt.grid(ls='--', c="#181818", alpha=0.6)
        plt.xticks(ticks=hours);
```



- The above line graph shows the fraud transactions patterns for weekdays and weekends.
- The number of transactions on weekends are less compare to weekdays.
- The main difference can observed at the 15th hour, which has highest peak for weekdays however, lowest for the weekends, this might happend because it is not busy traffic hour on weekends.
- Similary, the hours that has lowest peak on weekdays has highest peak for weekends (around 14th, and 19th hour)
- Overall pattern of early mornings and late evening highest fraudulent transaction can observed in both

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In [ ]: # Earlier we saw that the first four months have higher rate of fraudulent trans
        data.groupby(by=['fraud_indicator', 'quarter'])['transaction_id'].count()
Out[]: fraud_indicator quarter
        Fraud
                         1
                                      377
                          2
                                      272
                          3
                                      185
                         4
                                      149
        Not Fraud
                         1
                                     1015
                          2
                                      913
                          3
                                      821
                          4
                                      719
        Name: transaction_id, dtype: int64
In [ ]: # Total transaction amount and acutal amount paid by quarter.
        grp_data = data.groupby(by=['fraud_indicator', 'quarter'])[['transaction_amount'
In [ ]: grp_data['amt_paid_percent'] = grp_data['amount_paid'] * 100 / grp_data['transac
        grp_data = grp_data.reset_index()
In [ ]: grp_data
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:		fraud_indicator	quarter	transaction_amount	amount_paid	amt_paid_percent
	0	Fraud	1	75305	35755	47.480247
1	1	Fraud	2	51880	24900	47.995374
	2	Fraud	3	35275	16985	48.150248
	3	Fraud	4	27805	13620	48.983996
	4	Not Fraud	1	183010	183010	100.000000
	5	Not Fraud	2	160625	160625	100.000000
	6	Not Fraud	3	142865	142865	100.000000
	7	Not Fraud	4	128545	128545	100.000000

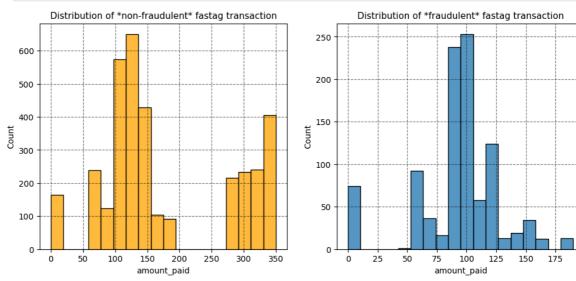
The rate of actual amount paid in fraudulent transaction is always less than 50% for all the quarters, whereas in guinue transactions is 100%.

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In []: # Distribution of amount paid
    non_fraudulent_amount = data[data['fraud_indicator'] == 'Not Fraud']['amount_paid
    fraudulent_amount = data[data['fraud_indicator'] == 'Fraud']['amount_paid']

fig, (ax1, ax2) = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(12, 5))
    sns.histplot(non_fraudulent_amount, bins=18, color='orange', ax=ax1)
    sns.histplot(fraudulent_amount, bins=18, ax=ax2)

ax1.grid(ls='--', c="#181818", alpha=0.6)
    ax2.grid(ls='--', c="#181818", alpha=0.6)

ax1.set_title('Distribution of *non-fraudulent* fastag transaction', size=11)
    ax2.set_title('Distribution of *fraudulent* fastag transaction', size=11);
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- Histogram plot shows the distribution of amount paid in non-fraudulent transaction(left) and fraudulent transaction(right).
- The graph shows multiple groups for both transaction, which represent the multimodel distribution.

To be Continue...

Out[]: