

Data Analysis Process

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1. Asking questions

- What features will Contribute to my analysis?
- What Features are not important for my analysis?
- Which of the features have a strong Correaltion?
- Do i need Data Preprocessing?
- What Kind of Feature engineering / Maupulation is required?

how to Ask Better Questions?

- subject Matter Expertise
- Experience

2. Data Wrangling / Munging

Data Wrangling , sometimes referred to as data munging , it is the process of **Transforming and Mapping data** from on "raw" data form into another format with intnet of making it more appropriate and valuable for a variety of downstream purposes such as analytics

- Gathering data
- Assesing data
- Cleaning data

2a : Gathering Data



CSV FILES



API



WEB SCRAPING



DATABASES

2b : Assessing Data

1. Finding the number of rows/columns(shape)
2. Data types of various columns (info())
3. Checking for missing values (info())
4. Check for duplicate data (is_unique)
5. Memory occupied by the dataset (info)
6. High level mathematical overview of the data (describe)

2c : Cleaning Data

1. Missing Data (e.g mean)
2. Remove duplicate data (drop_duplicates)
3. Incorrect data type (astype)

3. Exploratory Data Analysis

To analyze and investigate data sets and summarize their main characteristics, often employing data visualization methods.

- Exploring Data
- Augmenting Data

Step 3 : Exploratory Data Analysis



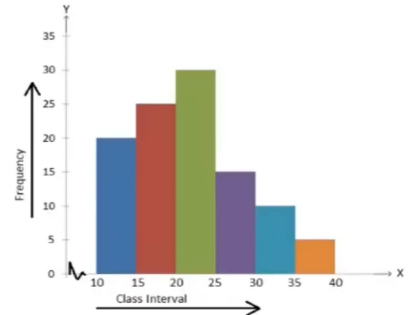
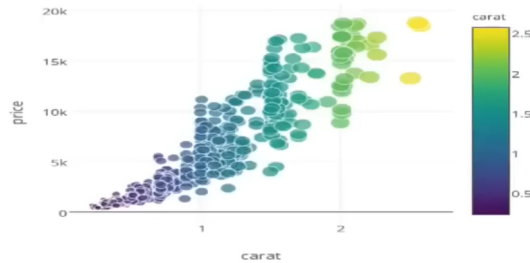
Explore



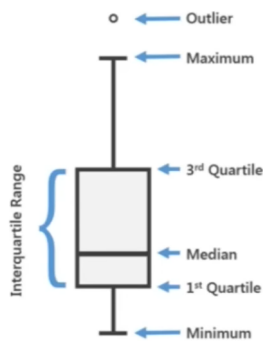
Augment

3a : Exploring Data

1. Finding Correlation and Covariance
2. Doing univariate and multivariate analysis
3. Plotting graphs(data visualization)



3b : Augmenting Data



Removing Outliers

df1					Result					
	A	B	C	D		A	B	C	D	
0	A0	B0	C0	D0	0	A0	B0	C0	D0	NaN
1	A1	B1	C1	D1	1	A1	B1	C1	D1	NaN
2	A2	B2	C2	D2	2	A2	B2	C2	D2	NaN
3	A3	B3	C3	D3	3	A3	B3	C3	D3	NaN
df4					4	NaN	B2	NaN	D2	F4
	B	D	F		5	NaN	B3	NaN	D3	F5
2	B2	D2	F2		6	NaN	B6	NaN	D6	F6
3	B3	D3	F3		7	NaN	B7	NaN	D7	F7
6	B6	D6	F6							
7	B7	D7	F7							

Merging Dataframes

	Name	Score1	Score2	Score3
0	Allisa	62	89	56
1	Bobby	47	87	86
2	Cathrine	55	67	77
3	Madonna	74	55	45
4	Rocky	31	47	73
5	Sebastian	77	72	62
6	Jaquiline	85	76	74
7	Rahul	63	79	89
8	David	42	44	71

Adding new Column

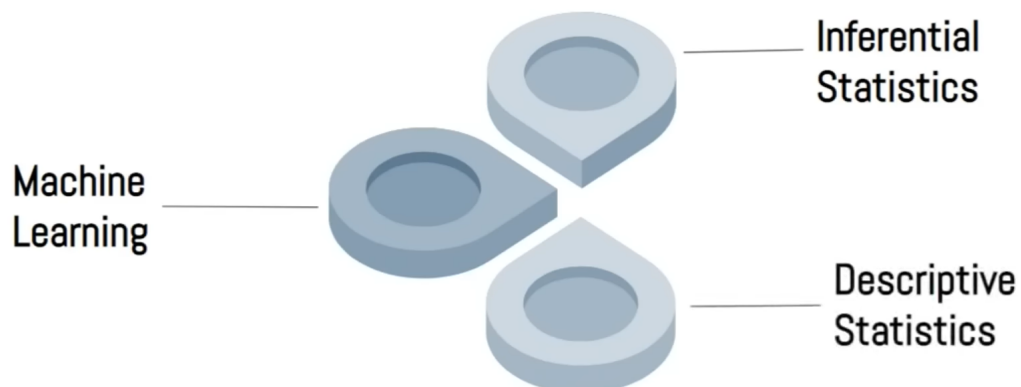
These operations are collectively called as **Feature Engineering**



4. Drawing Conclusions

- FROM Machine learning Algorithms
- Descriptive statistics
- Inferential Statistics

Step 4 : Drawing Conclusions



5. Communicating Result / story Telling

- Using PowerBI
- Tableau

Step 5 : Communicating Results/ Data Storytelling

