

PPG Analysis Report

1. Introduction

The goal of this project is to perform analysis on PPG (Photoplethysmogram) signals to extract relevant features, detect arrhythmia, calculate heart rate, respiratory rate, and systolic amplitude, and generate visualizations. The PPG signals are processed, and key features are extracted for further diagnostic purposes.

This report covers the implementation details, methods used for feature extraction, arrhythmia detection, and the results generated from analyzing the datasets.

2. Project Overview

The PPG signal analysis pipeline includes the following main steps:

1. **Data Loading:** Reading PPG signal data from CSV files.
2. **Preprocessing:** Filtering and correcting the PPG signals for noise reduction and normalization.
3. **Feature Extraction:** Extracting features such as heart rate, respiratory rate, and systolic amplitude.
4. **Arrhythmia Detection:** Identifying irregularities in the heart rate and abnormal waveforms indicative of arrhythmia.
5. **Results:** Generating output files that include extracted features and arrhythmia detection results.
6. **Visualization:** Creating plots for signal visualization and feature distributions.

3. Requirements

3.1 Hardware Requirements

- A computer with at least 4GB of RAM.
- Processor: 2.0 GHz or faster recommended.

3.2 Software Requirements

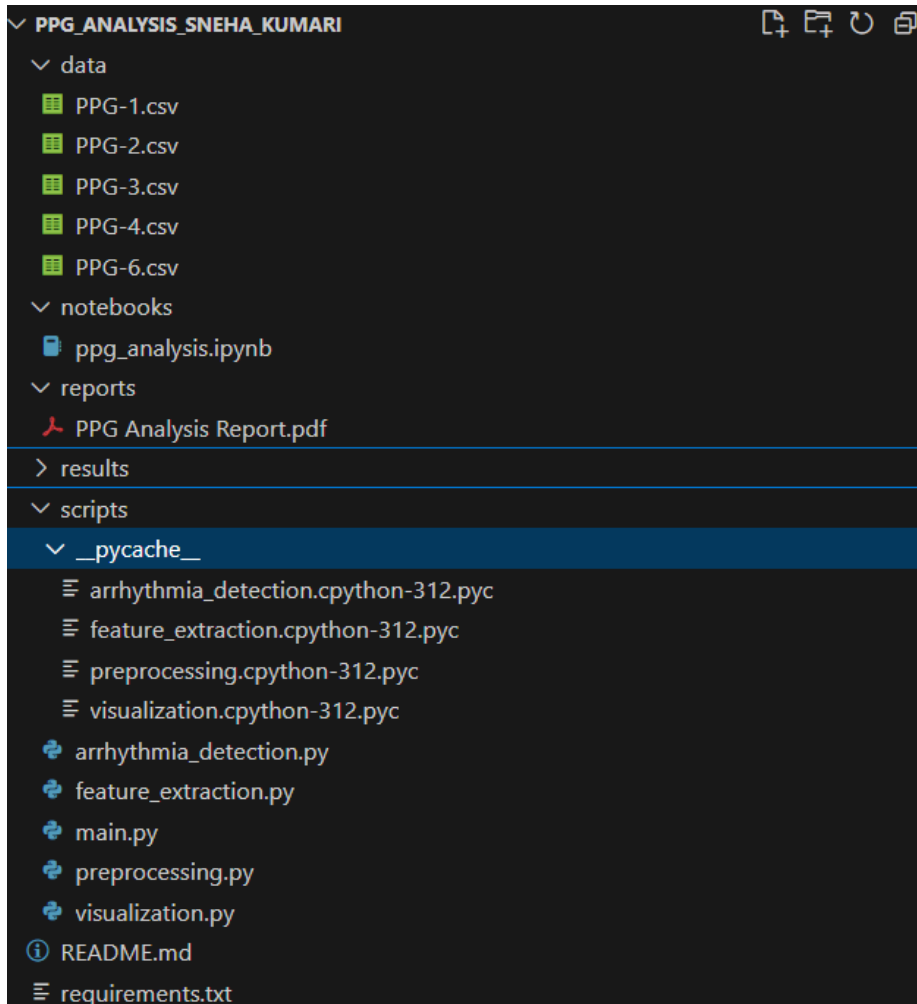
- Python 3.7 or higher
- Required libraries:
 - numpy
 - pandas
 - matplotlib

- scipy
- Custom modules: preprocessing, feature_extraction, arrhythmia_detection, visualization

These libraries can be installed using pip:

```
pip install numpy pandas matplotlib scipy
```

3.3 Folder Structure



4. How to Run the Analysis

4.1 Preparing the Environment

1. Clone or download the project files.
2. Install the necessary Python dependencies using pip.

4.2 Running the Code

1. Ensure you have the required data files in the data/ directory. The files should be CSV files starting with "PPG-" (e.g., PPG-1.csv, PPG-2.csv).
2. Open a terminal and navigate to the scripts/ directory.
3. Run the following command to execute the analysis:

```
python main.py
```

4.3 Output

After running the code, the results will be saved in the results/ directory. Each dataset will have:

- A CSV file with the extracted features and arrhythmia detection results.
- Plots for the PPG signal and feature distributions.

The output CSV will contain columns like:

- Feature: Name of the extracted feature.
- Value: Value of the feature.
- Irregular Heart Rate: Boolean indicating if arrhythmia was detected.
- Abnormal Waveform: Boolean indicating abnormal waveform detection.
- Mean Heart Rate: Average heart rate calculated from the PPG signal.
- Mean Respiratory Rate: Average respiratory rate.
- Mean Systolic Amplitude: Average systolic amplitude.
- Segment Time Start: Start time of the arrhythmia segment (if detected).
- Segment Time End: End time of the arrhythmia segment (if detected).

Additionally, signal and feature distribution plots will be saved as PNG files.

5. Methodology

5.1 Data Loading

The data is loaded using the `load_data()` function, which reads CSV files containing PPG signal data. The sampling rate and duration of the signal are also extracted.

5.2 Preprocessing

The `preprocess_signal()` function applies filters to remove noise and smooth the signal, ensuring that it is ready for analysis. The `correct_ppg_signal()` function normalizes the signal to adjust for any inconsistencies.

5.3 Feature Extraction

Key features like heart rate, respiratory rate, and systolic amplitude are calculated:

- **Heart Rate:** The number of heartbeats per minute.
- **Respiratory Rate:** The number of breaths per minute.
- **Systolic Amplitude:** The amplitude of the PPG signal during systole.

These features are extracted using the `extract_features()` function, and the `calculate_heart_rate()`, `calculate_respiratory_rate()`, and `calculate_systolic_amplitude()` functions.

5.4 Arrhythmia Detection

The `detect_arrhythmia()` function analyzes the PPG signal to detect arrhythmia by identifying irregular heart rates and abnormal waveforms. The time segment where arrhythmia is detected is saved for further analysis.

5.5 Visualization

The `plot_signal()` function generates plots of the PPG signal, and the `plot_feature_distribution()` function plots the distribution of extracted features. These visualizations help to interpret the data and validate the analysis.

6. Results and Observations

6.1 Mean Heart Rate

The average heart rate for each dataset was computed and reported in beats per minute (BPM). This is a crucial measure for assessing overall cardiovascular health.

6.2 Mean Respiratory Rate

The respiratory rate was calculated and reported as the number of breaths per minute. Abnormal respiratory rates could indicate issues with the patient's breathing or circulation.

6.3 Mean Systolic Amplitude

The systolic amplitude was calculated as an indicator of the strength of the heart's contraction. Lower amplitudes may indicate cardiovascular issues.

6.4 Arrhythmia Detection

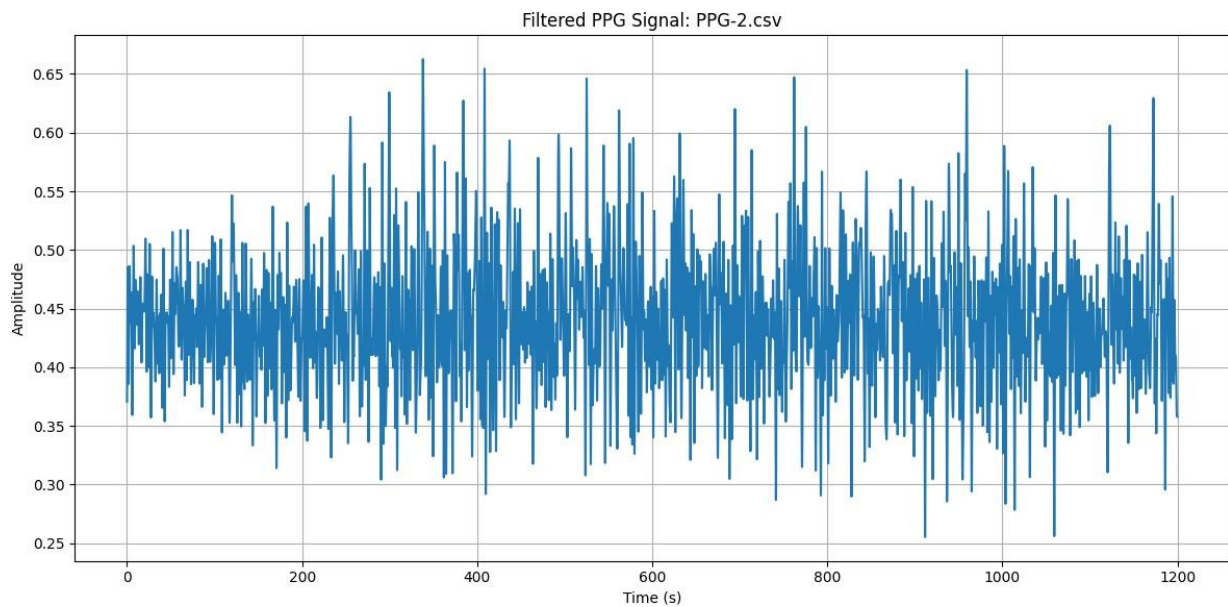
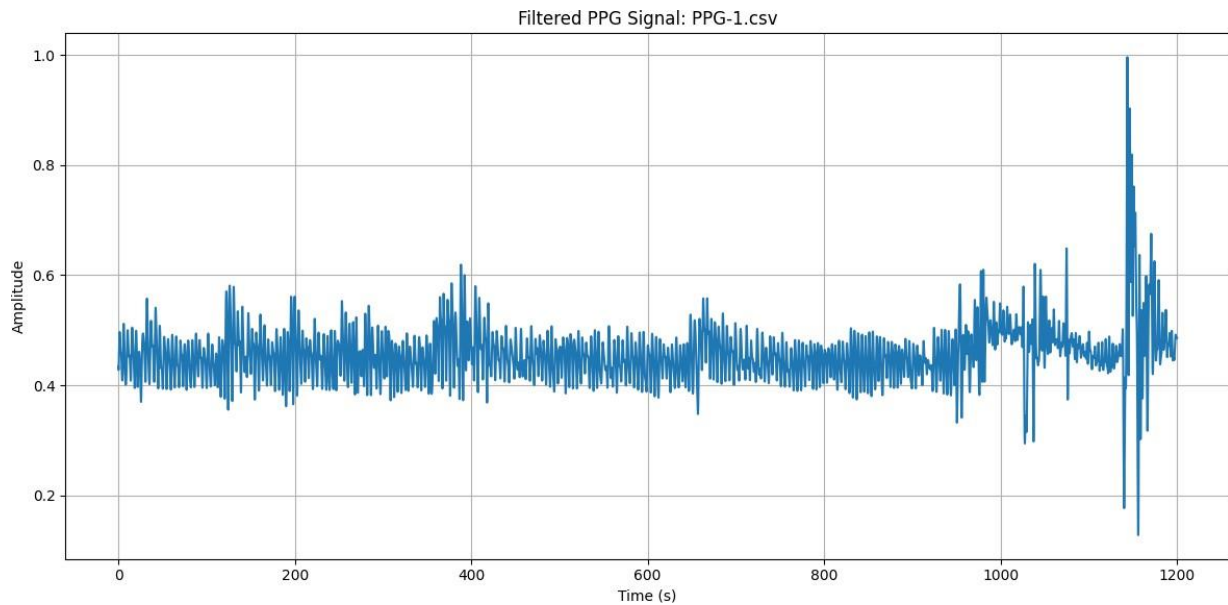
Arrhythmia was detected in some datasets, with the segment time during which arrhythmia was detected recorded. The presence of arrhythmia was flagged in the results.

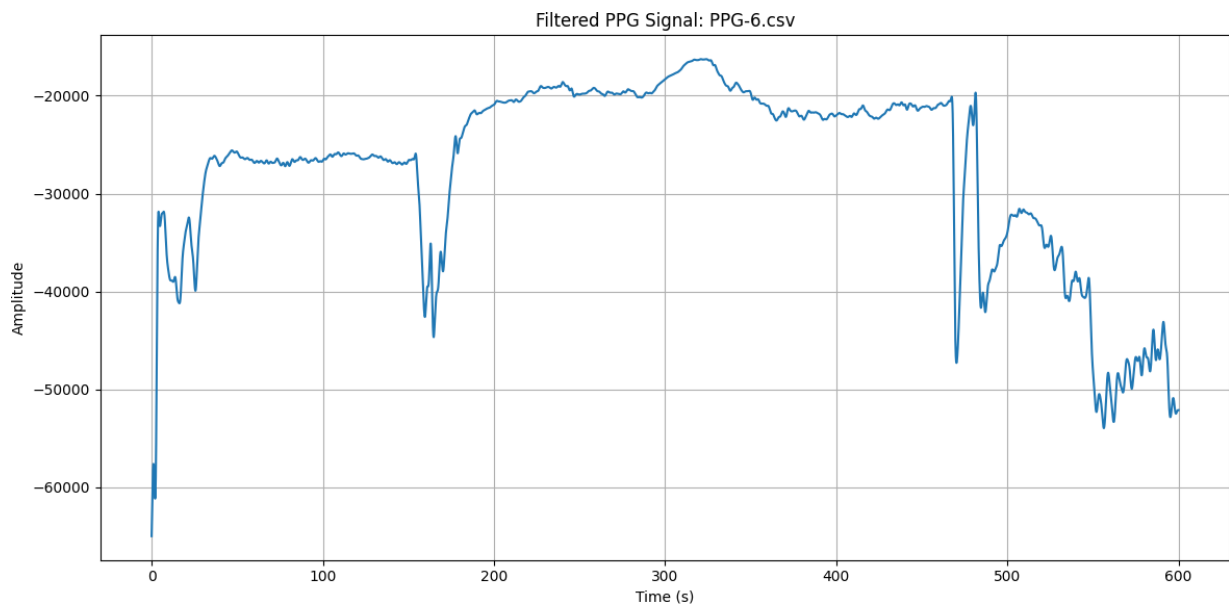
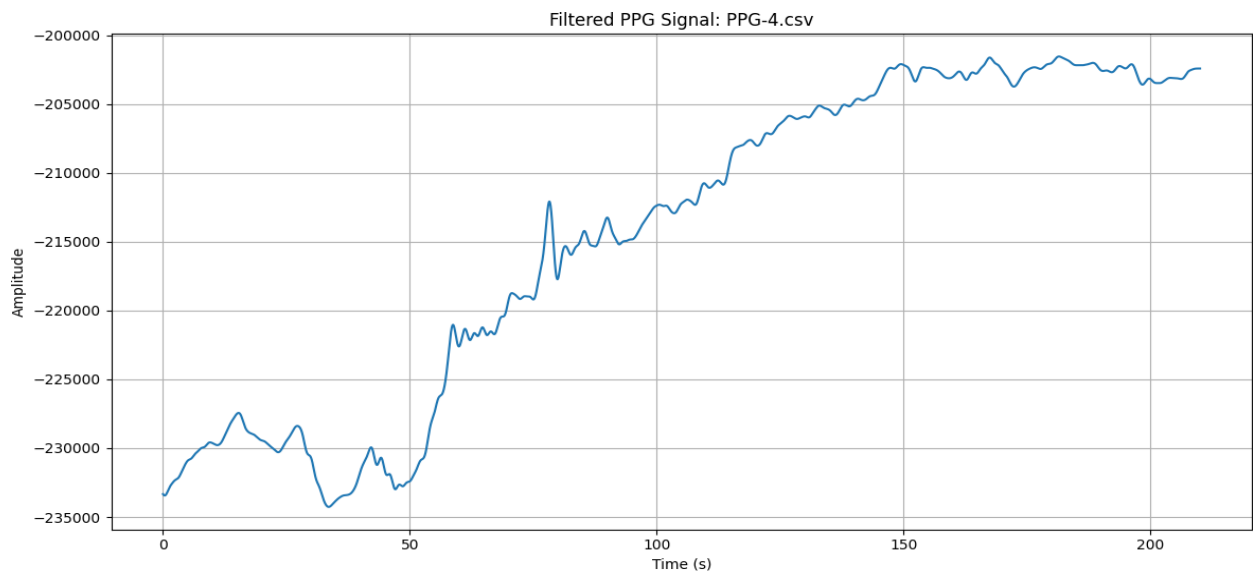
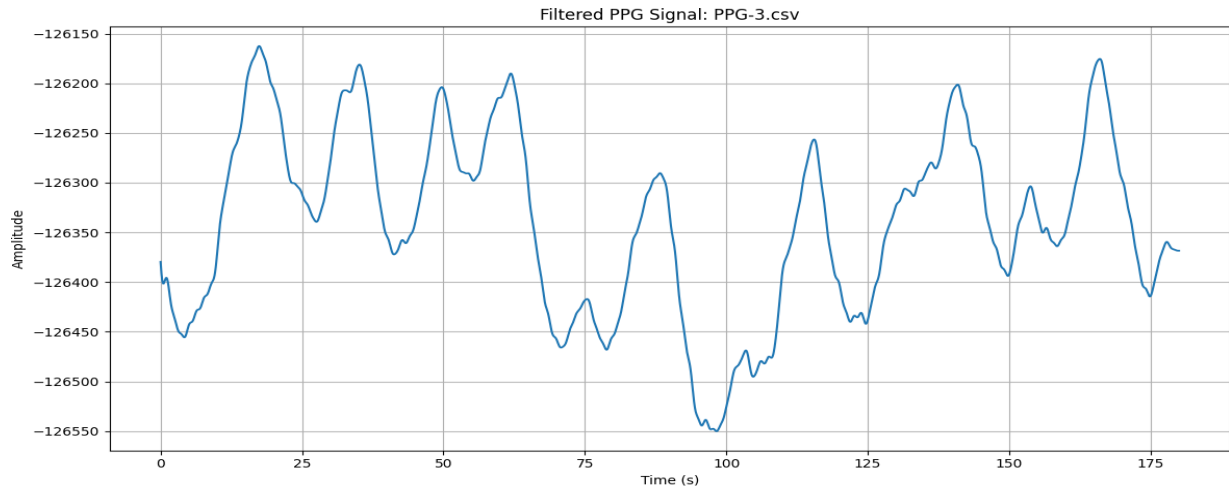
7. Conclusion

This analysis demonstrates the capability of processing PPG signals to extract valuable features for cardiovascular health monitoring. The implemented methods for arrhythmia detection and feature extraction provide useful insights that can be used for further medical diagnostics.

8. Results and Observations

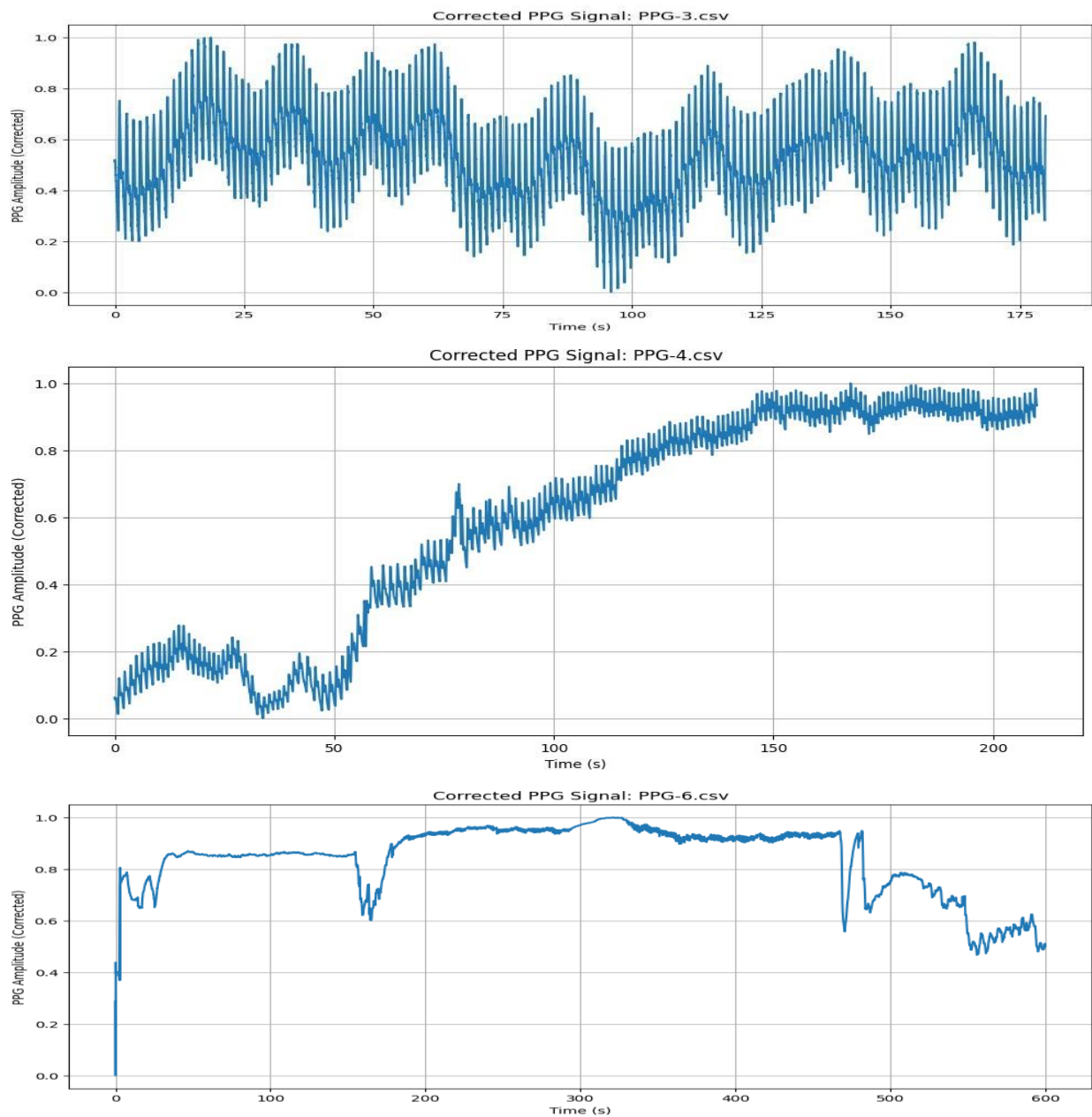
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Dataset: PPG-2.csv, Sampling Rate: 125 Hz, Duration: 20 Minutes  
Dataset: PPG-3.csv, Sampling Rate: 100 Hz, Duration: 3 Minutes  
Dataset: PPG-4.csv, Sampling Rate: 100 Hz, Duration: 210 Minutes  
Dataset: PPG-6.csv, Sampling Rate: 128 Hz, Duration: 10 Minutes
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Dataset: PPG-1.csv, PPG Min: 0.0, PPG Max: 1.0
Dataset: PPG-2.csv, PPG Min: 0.110459433, PPG Max: 0.99315738
Dataset: PPG-3.csv, PPG Min: -126795.0, PPG Max: -125954.0
Dataset: PPG-4.csv, PPG Min: -235356.0, PPG Max: -199805.0
Dataset: PPG-6.csv, PPG Min: -87320.41406, PPG Max: -16220.49414
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Dataset: PPG-6.csv, Sampling Rate: 128 Hz, Duration: 10 Minutes
Index(['Time', 'PPG'], dtype='object')
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PPG-6.csv Corrected PPG Min: 0.0, Max: 1.0
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Dataset: PPG-6.csv, PPG Min: -87320.41406, PPG Max: -16220.49414
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Dataset: PPG-2.csv, Normalized PPG Min: 0.110459433, Normalized PPG Max:
0.99315738
Dataset: PPG-3.csv, Normalized PPG Min: 0.0, Normalized PPG Max: 1.0
Dataset: PPG-4.csv, Normalized PPG Min: 0.0, Normalized PPG Max: 1.0
Dataset: PPG-6.csv, Normalized PPG Min: 0.0, Normalized PPG Max: 1.0
```

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Dataset: PPG-1.csv
Mean Heart Rate: 61.13232181504336 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 18.990132479974346 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 1.0 units
Signal-to-Noise Ratio: 9.411501669981297
Kurtosis: -0.8851487497780175
Skewness: 0.3879060906037161
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Dataset: PPG-2.csv

Mean Heart Rate: 68.88778905736461 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 20.01427685082025 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 0.882697947 units
Signal-to-Noise Ratio: 8.808327585863015
Kurtosis: -0.6783152094271059
Skewness: 0.5740812697184955

Dataset: PPG-3.csv

Mean Heart Rate: 85.09526354690458 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 21.384928716904277 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 1.0 units
Signal-to-Noise Ratio: 10.554724595643224
Kurtosis: -0.37873239950696114
Skewness: 0.08428115857350643

Dataset: PPG-4.csv

Mean Heart Rate: 54.82754192542368 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 20.54200019288263 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 1.0 units
Signal-to-Noise Ratio: 4.32968243676336
Kurtosis: -1.3656773703292737
Skewness: -0.4308959085936372

Dataset: PPG-6.csv

Mean Heart Rate: 70.46577781605222 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 18.82549285490769 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 1.0 units
Signal-to-Noise Ratio: 40.69655034803403
Kurtosis: 0.6927502147428188
Skewness: -1.219801173492364

Dataset: PPG-1.csv

Irregular Heart Rate: Yes
Abnormal Waveform: Yes

Dataset: PPG-2.csv

Irregular Heart Rate: Yes
Abnormal Waveform: Yes

Dataset: PPG-3.csv

Irregular Heart Rate: No
Abnormal Waveform: Yes

Dataset: PPG-4.csv

Irregular Heart Rate: No
Abnormal Waveform: Yes

Dataset: PPG-6.csv

Irregular Heart Rate: No
Abnormal Waveform: Yes

Dataset: PPG-1.csv, SNR: 6.34

Dataset: PPG-2.csv, SNR: 6.30

Dataset: PPG-3.csv, SNR: -856.14

Dataset: PPG-4.csv, SNR: -17.39

Dataset: PPG-6.csv, SNR: -1.71

Dataset: PPG-1.csv, Heart Rate Variability (HRV): 0.09 seconds

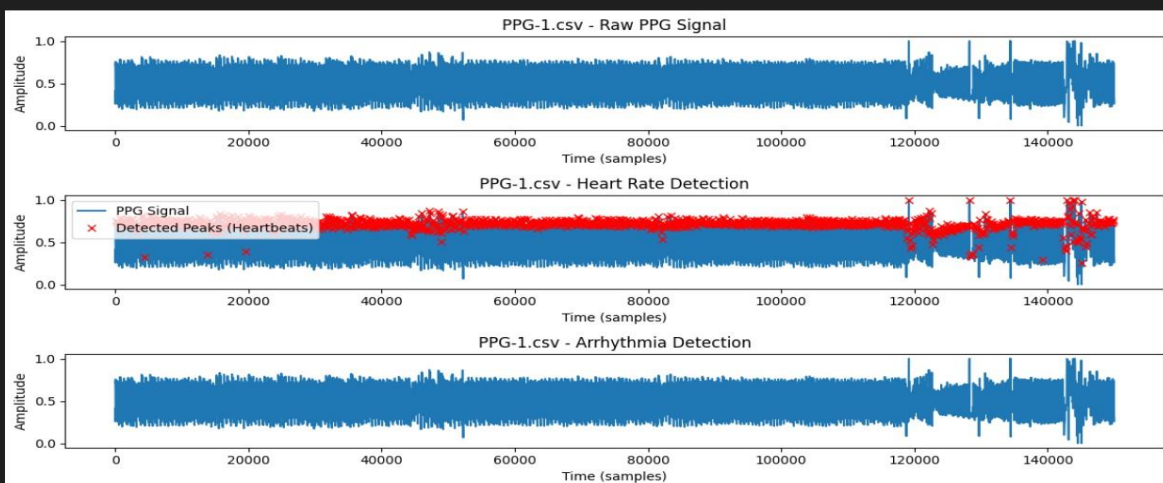
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Dataset: PPG-3.csv, Heart Rate Variability (HRV): 0.11 seconds

Dataset: PPG-4.csv, Heart Rate Variability (HRV): 0.27 seconds

Dataset: PPG-6.csv, Heart Rate Variability (HRV): 0.25 seconds

Dataset: PPG-1.csv
Mean Heart Rate: 61.13 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 18.99 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 1.00 units
Heart Rate Variability (HRV): 0.09 seconds
Arrhythmia Detected: No



Dataset: PPG-2.csv
Mean Heart Rate: 68.89 BPM
Mean Respiratory Rate: 20.01 breaths/min
Mean Systolic Amplitude: 0.88 units
Heart Rate Variability (HRV): 0.21 seconds
Arrhythmia Detected: No

