

Hotel Bookings

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Getting basic information about the dataset

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In [45]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt #For visualizing Data
%matplotlib inline
import seaborn as sns #For charts and visualizat
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In [46]: df = pd.read_csv("hotel_bookings 2.csv", encoding='unicode_escape')
df.shape
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Out[46]: (119390, 32)

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In [47]: df.head()
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Out[47]:

	hotel	is_canceled	lead_time	arrival_date_year	arrival_date_month	arrival_date_week_number
0	Resort Hotel	0	342	2015	July	27
1	Resort Hotel	0	737	2015	July	27
2	Resort Hotel	0	7	2015	July	27
3	Resort Hotel	0	13	2015	July	27
4	Resort Hotel	0	14	2015	July	27

5 rows × 32 columns

In [48]: df.info()

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 119390 entries, 0 to 119389
Data columns (total 32 columns):
#   Column                                     Non-Null Count  Dtype
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0   hotel                                     119390 non-null  object
1   is_canceled                             119390 non-null  int64
2   lead_time                               119390 non-null  int64
3   arrival_date_year                       119390 non-null  int64
4   arrival_date_month                     119390 non-null  object
5   arrival_date_week_number               119390 non-null  int64
6   arrival_date_day_of_month              119390 non-null  int64
7   stays_in_weekend_nights                119390 non-null  int64
8   stays_in_week_nights                   119390 non-null  int64
9   adults                                  119390 non-null  int64
10  children                                119386 non-null  float64
11  babies                                  119390 non-null  int64
12  meal                                    119390 non-null  object
13  country                                 118902 non-null  object
14  market_segment                         119390 non-null  object
15  distribution_channel                   119390 non-null  object
16  is_repeated_guest                      119390 non-null  int64
17  previous_cancellations                 119390 non-null  int64
18  previous_bookings_not_canceled         119390 non-null  int64
19  reserved_room_type                     119390 non-null  object
20  assigned_room_type                     119390 non-null  object
21  booking_changes                        119390 non-null  int64
22  deposit_type                           119390 non-null  object
23  agent                                  103050 non-null  float64
24  company                                6797 non-null   float64
25  days_in_waiting_list                   119390 non-null  int64
26  customer_type                           119390 non-null  object
27  adr                                    119390 non-null  float64
28  required_car_parking_spaces            119390 non-null  int64
29  total_of_special_requests              119390 non-null  int64
30  reservation_status                     119390 non-null  object
31  reservation_status_date                119390 non-null  object
dtypes: float64(4), int64(16), object(12)
memory usage: 29.1+ MB
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In [49]: # Creating a copy of dataframe
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df1 = df.copy()
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I tried to understand the meaning of all columns of the dataframe. For this we will see the unique values attained by each column whose meaning we are unable to understand.

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In [50]: df1['hotel'].unique()
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Out[50]: array(['Resort Hotel', 'City Hotel'], dtype=object)
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In [51]: df1['is_canceled'].unique()
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Out[51]: array([0, 1], dtype=int64)
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In [52]: df1['arrival_date_year'].unique()
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Out[52]: array([2015, 2016, 2017], dtype=int64)
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In [53]: df1['meal'].unique()
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Out[53]: array(['BB', 'FB', 'HB', 'SC', 'Undefined'], dtype=object)

In [54]: df1['market_segment'].unique()

Out[54]: array(['Direct', 'Corporate', 'Online TA', 'Offline TA/TO',
               'Complementary', 'Groups', 'Undefined', 'Aviation'], dtype=object)

In [55]: df1['distribution_channel'].unique()

Out[55]: array(['Direct', 'Corporate', 'TA/TO', 'Undefined', 'GDS'], dtype=object)

In [56]: df1['children'].unique()    # This column has 0 as well as null values

Out[56]: array([ 0.,  1.,  2., 10.,  3., nan])

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Cleaning data

Step 1: Removing duplicate rows if any

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In [57]: df1[df1.duplicated()].shape    # Show no. of rows of duplicate rows duplicate rows

Out[57]: (31994, 32)

In [58]: # Dropping duplicate values
df1.drop_duplicates(inplace = True)

In [59]: df1.shape

Out[59]: (87396, 32)

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Step2: Handling missing values.

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In [60]: # Columns having missing values.
df1.isnull().sum().sort_values(ascending = False)[:6]

Out[60]: company          82137
agent          12193
country         452
children         4
reserved_room_type    0
assigned_room_type    0
dtype: int64

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Since, company and agent columns have company number and agent numbers as data. There may be some cases when customer didn't book hotel via any agent or via any company. So in that case values can be null under these columns. I replaced null values by 0 in these columns

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In [61]: df1[['company', 'agent']] = df1[['company', 'agent']].fillna(0)

In [62]: df1['children'].unique()

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Out[62]: array([ 0.,  1.,  2., 10.,  3., nan])
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This column 'children' has 0 as value which means 0 children were present in group of customers who made that transaction. So, 'nan' values are the missing values due to error of recording data.

I replaced the null values under this column with mean value of children.

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In [63]: df1['children'].fillna(df1['children'].mean(), inplace = True)
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Next column with missing value is 'country'. This column represents the country of origin of customer. Since, this column has datatype of string. I replaced the missing value with the mode of 'country' column.

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In [64]: df1['country'].fillna('others', inplace = True)
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In [65]: # Checking if all null values are removed
df1.isnull().sum().sort_values(ascending = False)[:6]
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Out[65]: hotel      0
is_canceled      0
reservation_status      0
total_of_special_requests      0
required_car_parking_spaces      0
adr      0
dtype: int64
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In [66]: df1[df1['adults']+df1['babies']+df1['children'] == 0].shape
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Out[66]: (166, 32)
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In [67]: df1.drop(df1[df1['adults']+df1['babies']+df1['children'] == 0].index, inplace = True)
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Step 3: Converting columns to appropriate datatypes.

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In [79]: # Converting datatype of columns 'children', 'company' and 'agent' from float to int
df1[['children', 'company', 'agent']] = df1[['children', 'company', 'agent']].astype(int)
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Step 4: Adding important columns.

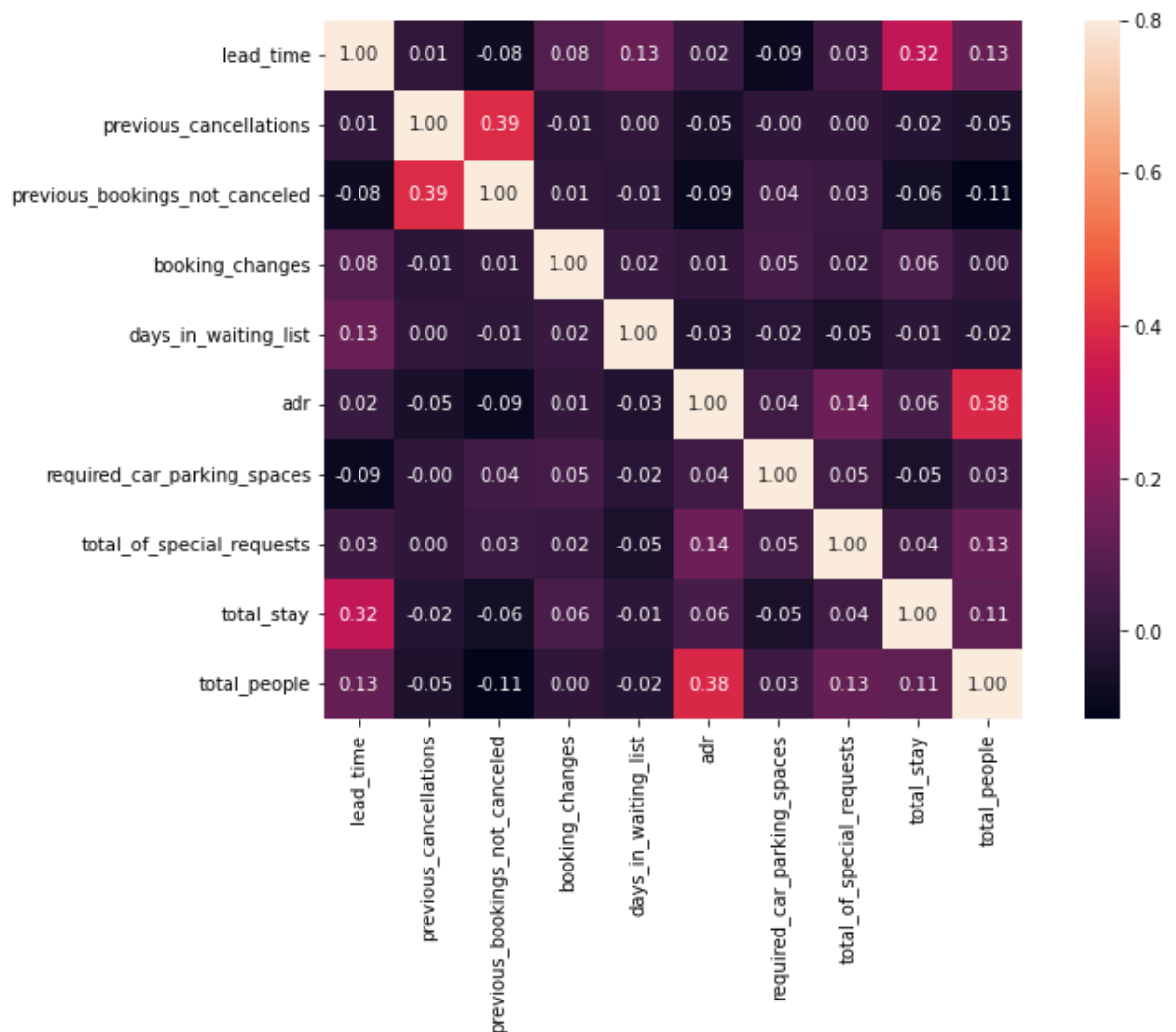
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In [80]: # Adding total staying days in hotels
df1['total_stay'] = df1['stays_in_weekend_nights']+df1['stays_in_week_nights']

# Adding total people num as column, i.e. total people num = num of adults + children + babies
df1['total_people'] = df1['adults']+df1['children']+df1['babies']
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Exploratory Data Analysis

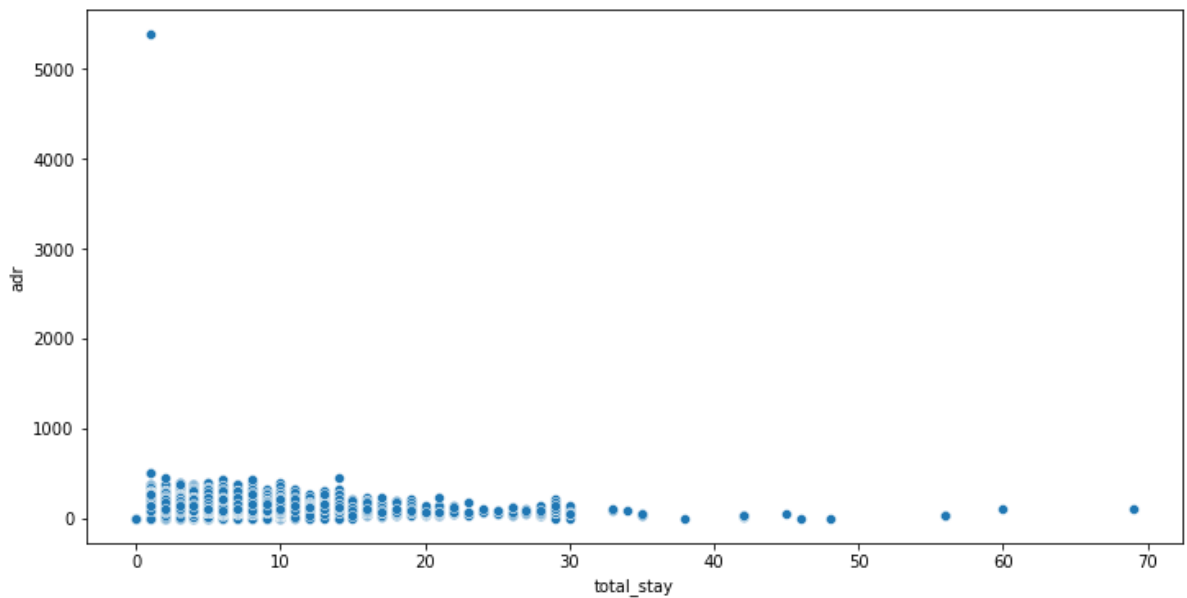
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In [81]: num_df1 = df1[['lead_time', 'previous_cancellations', 'previous_bookings_not_canceled'
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In [82]: #correlation matrix
corrmat = num_df1.corr()
f, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(12, 7))
sns.heatmap(corrmat,annot = True,fmt='.2f', annot_kws={'size': 10}, vmax=.8, squar
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1. Total stay length and lead time have slight correlation. This may mean that for longer hotel stays people generally plan little before the the actual arrival.
2. adr is slightly correlated with total_people, which makes sense as more no. of people means more revenue, therefore more adr.

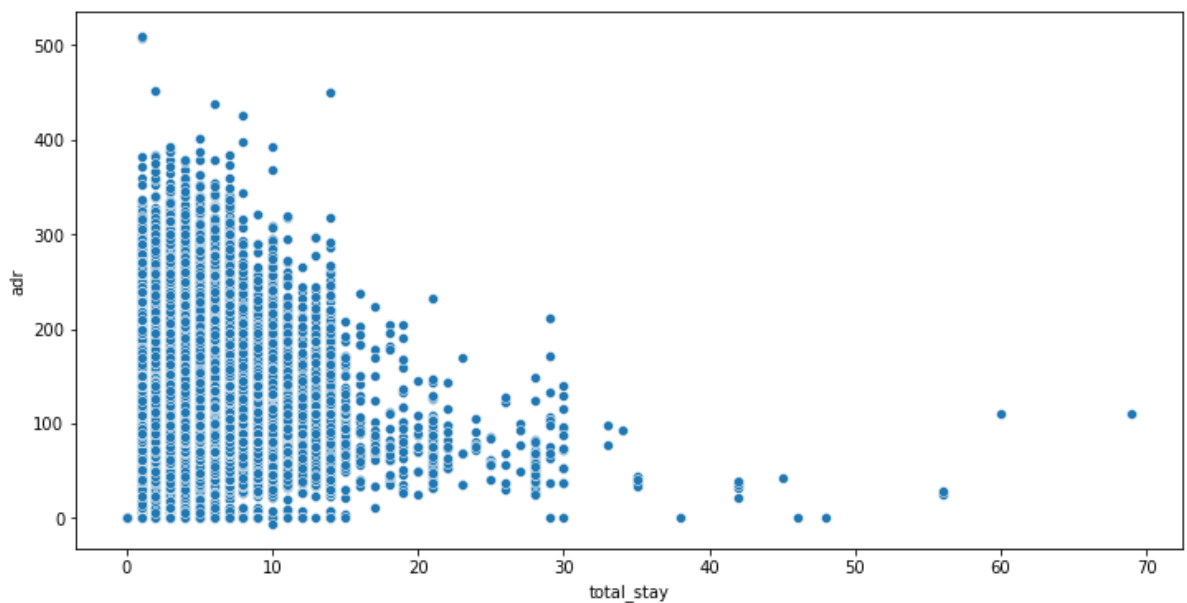
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In [83]: plt.figure(figsize = (12,6))
sns.scatterplot(y = 'adr', x = 'total_stay', data = df1)
plt.show()
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notice that there is an outlier in adr, so I removed that for better scatter plot

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In [84]: df1.drop(df1[df1['adr'] > 5000].index, inplace = True)
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In [86]: plt.figure(figsize = (12,6))
sns.scatterplot(y = 'adr', x = 'total_stay', data = df1)
plt.show()
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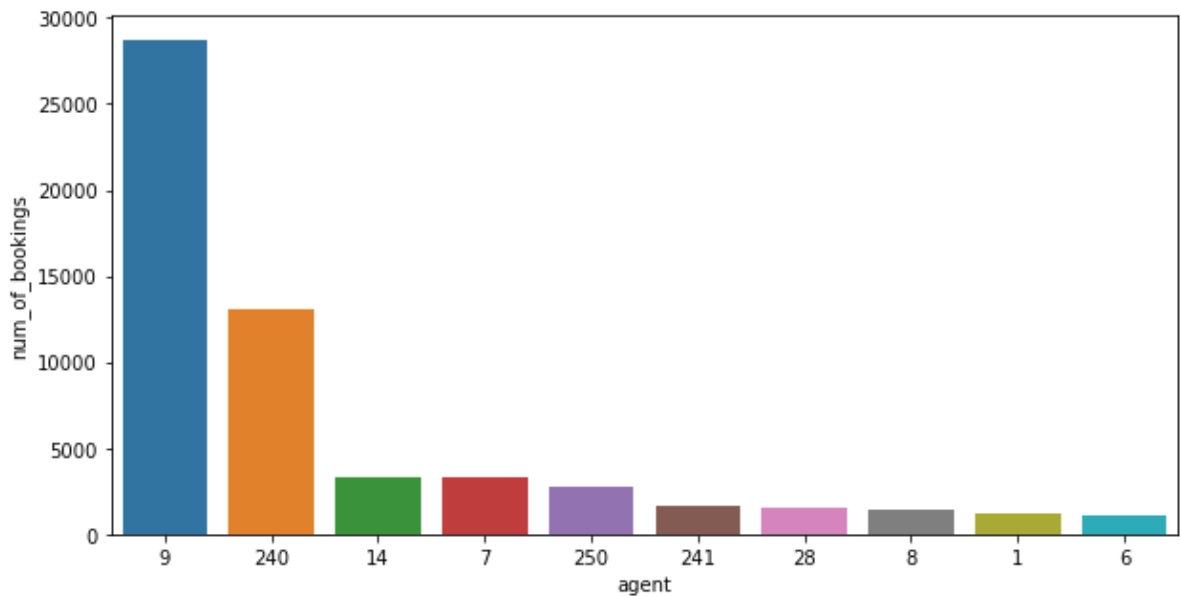
From the scatter plot we can see that as length of total_stay increases the adr decreases. This means for longer stay, the better deal for customer can be finalised.

Analysis

Q1) Which agent makes most no. of bookings?

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In [87]: d1 = pd.DataFrame(df1['agent'].value_counts()).reset_index().rename(columns = {'index': 'agent'})
d1.drop(d1[d1['agent'] == 0].index, inplace = True) # 0 represents that
d1 = d1[:10] # Selecting top 10 agents
plt.figure(figsize = (10,5))
sns.barplot(x = 'agent', y = 'num_of_bookings', data = d1, order = d1.sort_values('num_of_bookings', ascending=False))
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Out[87]: <AxesSubplot:xlabel='agent', ylabel='num_of_bookings'>
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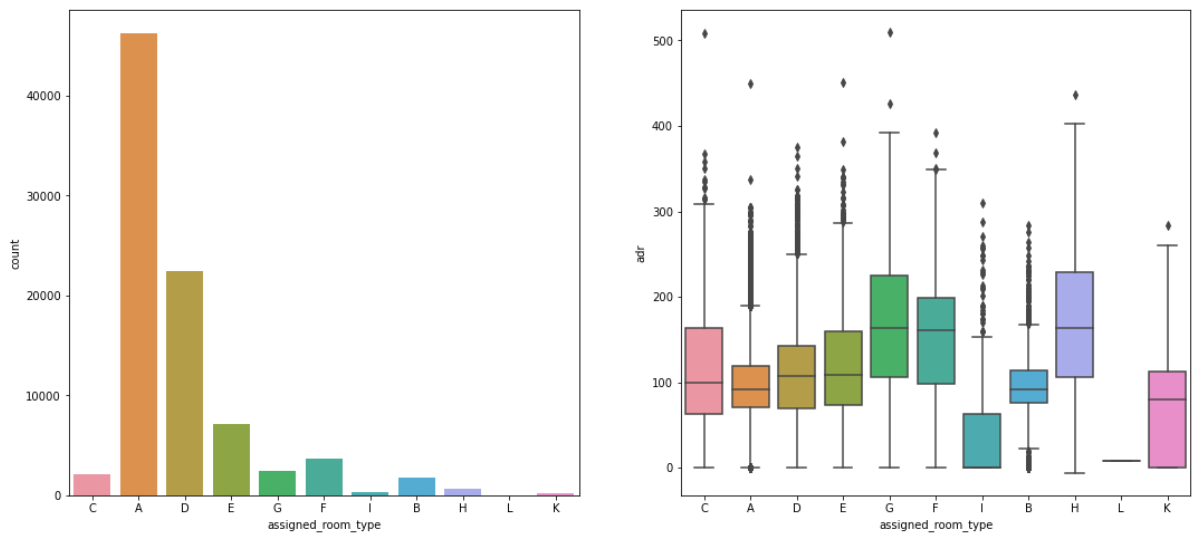
Agent no. 9 has made most no. of bookings.

Q2) Which room type is in most demand and which room type generates highest adr?

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In [88]: fig, axes = plt.subplots(1, 2, figsize=(18, 8))

grp_by_room = df1.groupby('assigned_room_type')
d1['Num_of_bookings'] = grp_by_room.size()

sns.countplot(ax = axes[0], x = df1['assigned_room_type'])
sns.boxplot(ax = axes[1], x = df1['assigned_room_type'], y = df1['adr'])
plt.show()
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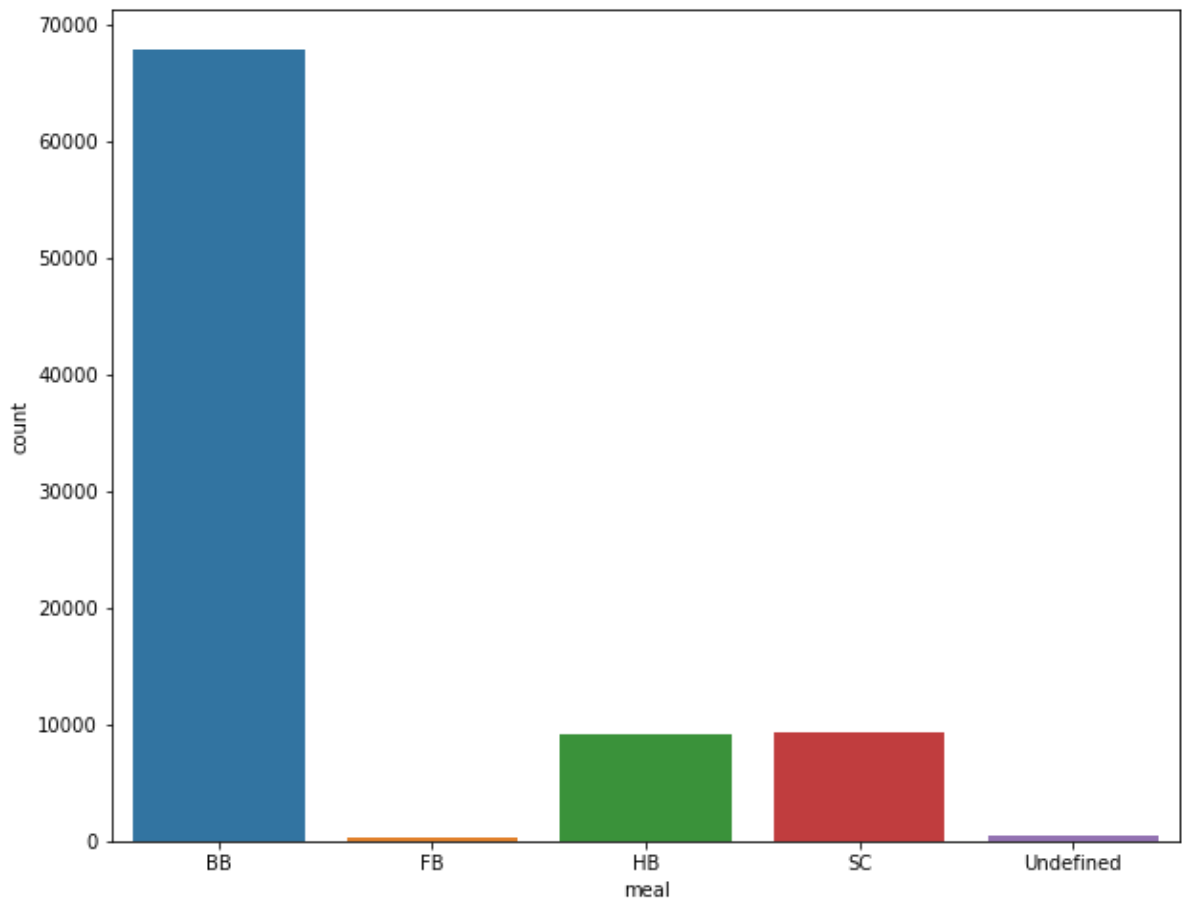


Most demanded room type is A, but better adr rooms are of type H, G and C also. Hotels should increase the no. of room types A and H to maximise revenue.

Q3) Which meal type is most preferred meal of customers?

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In [89]: plt.figure(figsize=(10, 8))

sns.countplot(x = df1['meal'])
plt.show()
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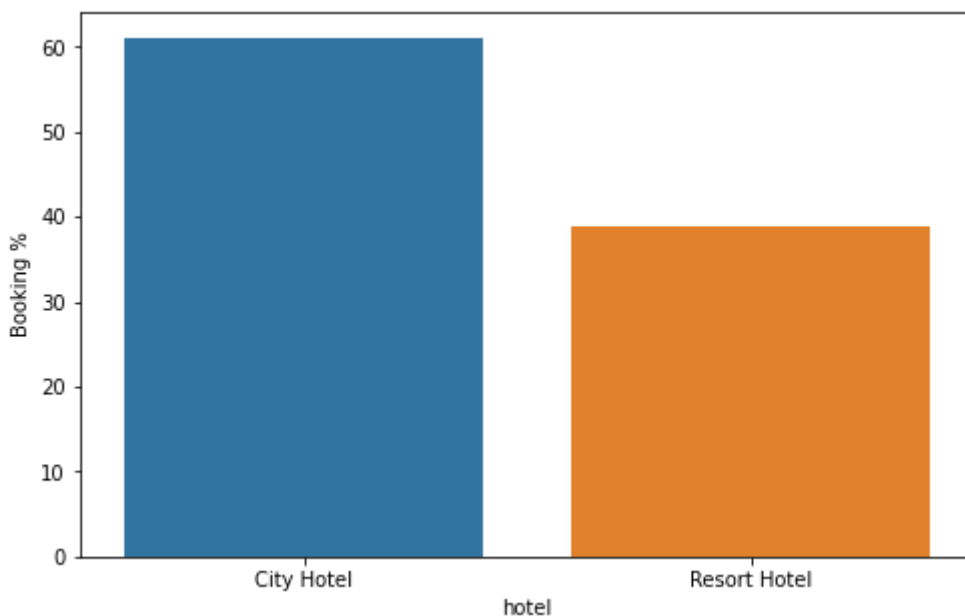


Most preferred meal type is BB (Bed and breakfast).

Hotel wise analysis

Q1) What is percentage of bookings in each hotel?

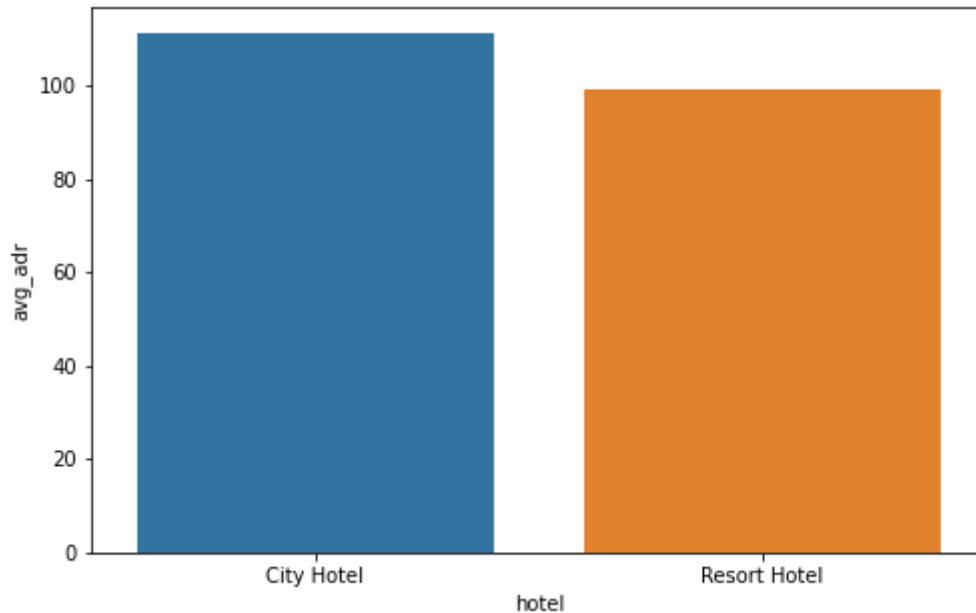
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In [90]: grouped_by_hotel = df1.groupby('hotel')
d1 = pd.DataFrame((grouped_by_hotel.size()/df1.shape[0])*100).reset_index().rename(
plt.figure(figsize = (8,5))
sns.barplot(x = d1['hotel'], y = d1['Booking %'] )
plt.show()
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Around 60% bookings are for City hotel and 40% bookings are for Resort hotel.

Q2) which hotel seems to make more revenue?

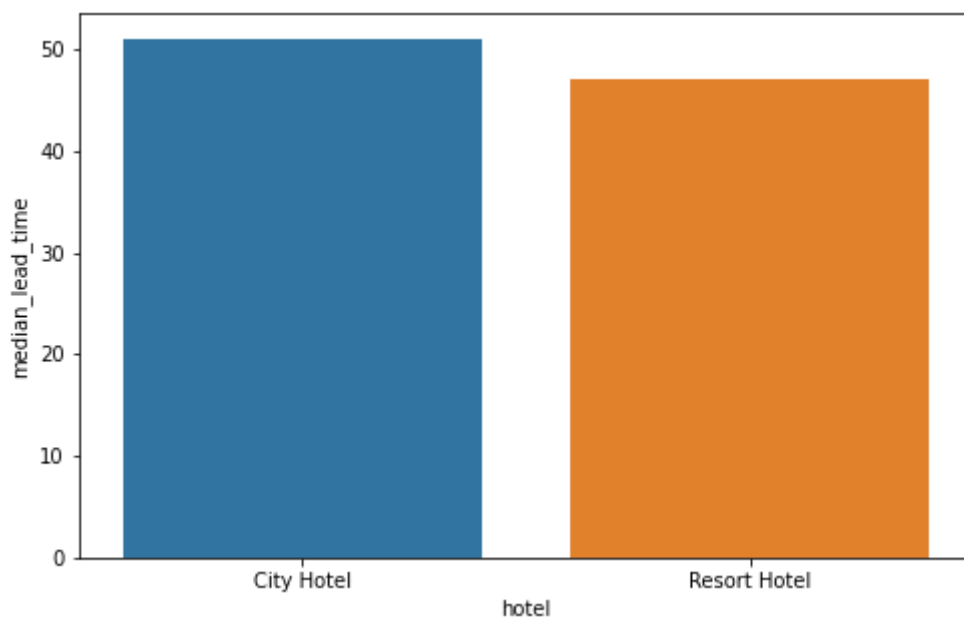
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In [91]: d3 = grouped_by_hotel['adr'].agg(np.mean).reset_index().rename(columns = {'adr': 'avg_adr'})
plt.figure(figsize = (8,5))
sns.barplot(x = d3['hotel'], y = d3['avg_adr'] )
plt.show()
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Avg adr of Resort hotel is slightly lower than that of City hotel. Hence, City hotel seems to be making slightly more revenue.

Q3) Which hotel has higher lead time?

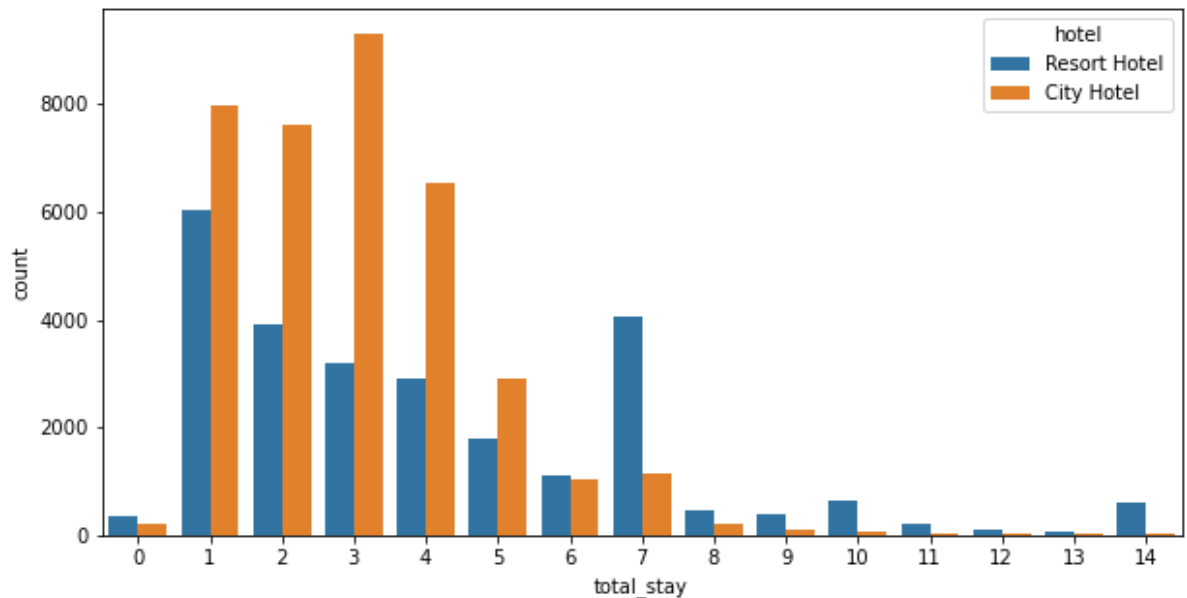
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In [93]: d2 = grouped_by_hotel['lead_time'].median().reset_index().rename(columns = {'lead_time': 'median_lead_time'})
plt.figure(figsize = (8,5))
sns.barplot(x = d2['hotel'], y = d2['median_lead_time'] )
plt.show()
```



City hotel has slightly higher median lead time. Also median lead time is significantly higher in each case, this means customers generally plan their hotel visits way to early.

Q4) What is preferred stay length in each hotel?

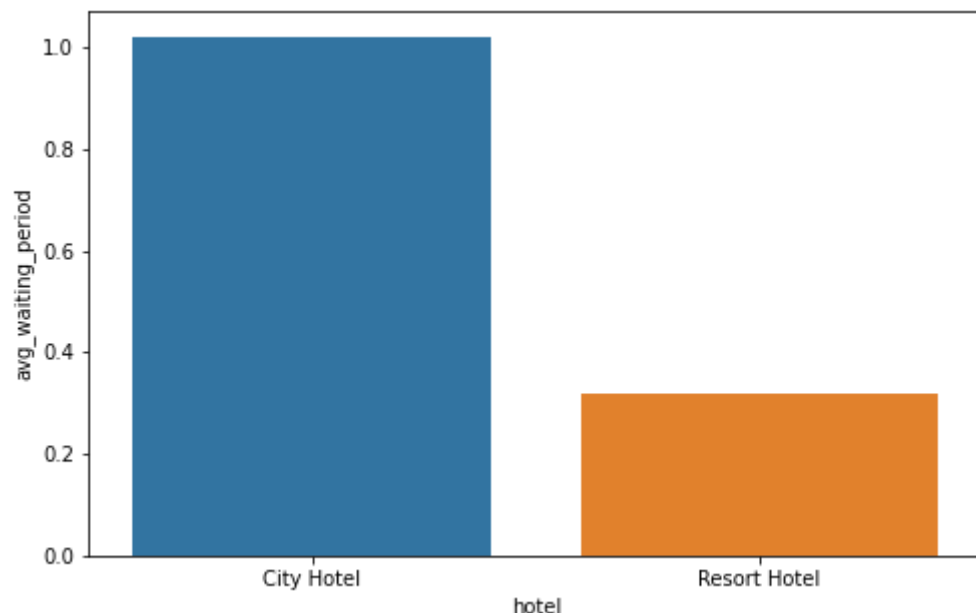
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In [94]: not_canceled = df1[df1['is_canceled'] == 0]
s1 = not_canceled[not_canceled['total_stay'] < 15]
plt.figure(figsize = (10,5))
sns.countplot(x = s1['total_stay'], hue = s1['hotel'])
plt.show()
```



Most common stay length is less than 4 days and generally people prefer City hotel for short stay, but for long stays, Resort Hotel is preferred.

Q5) Which hotel has longer waiting time?

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In [95]: d5 = pd.DataFrame(grouped_by_hotel['days_in_waiting_list'].agg(np.mean).reset_index)
plt.figure(figsize = (8,5))
sns.barplot(x = d5['hotel'], y = d5['avg_waiting_period'] )
plt.show()
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City hotel has significantly longer waiting time, hence City Hotel is much busier than Resort Hotel.

Q6) Which hotel has higher bookings cancellation rate.

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In [96]: # Selecting and counting number of cancelled bookings for each hotel.
cancelled_data = df1[df1['is_canceled'] == 1]
cancel_grp = cancelled_data.groupby('hotel')
D1 = pd.DataFrame(cancel_grp.size()).rename(columns = {0: 'total_cancelled_bookings'})

# Counting total number of bookings for each type of hotel
grouped_by_hotel = df1.groupby('hotel')
total_booking = grouped_by_hotel.size()
D2 = pd.DataFrame(total_booking).rename(columns = {0: 'total_bookings'})
D3 = pd.concat([D1,D2], axis = 1)

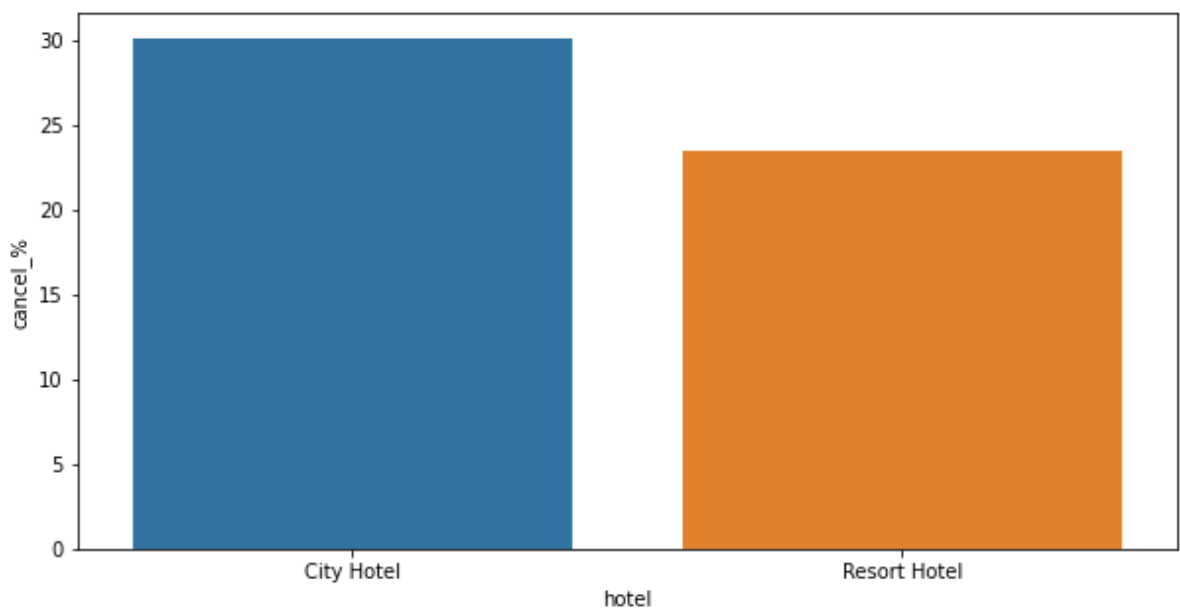
# Calculating cancel percentage
D3['cancel_%'] = round((D3['total_cancelled_bookings']/D3['total_bookings'])*100,2)
D3
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Out[96]:

	total_cancelled_bookings	total_bookings	cancel_%
City Hotel	16034	53273	30.10
Resort Hotel	7974	33956	23.48

hotel			
City Hotel	16034	53273	30.10
Resort Hotel	7974	33956	23.48

```
In [97]: plt.figure(figsize = (10,5))
sns.barplot(x = D3.index, y = D3['cancel_%'])
plt.show()
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Almost 30 % of City Hotel bookings got canceled.

Q7) Which hotel has high chance that its customer will return for another stay?

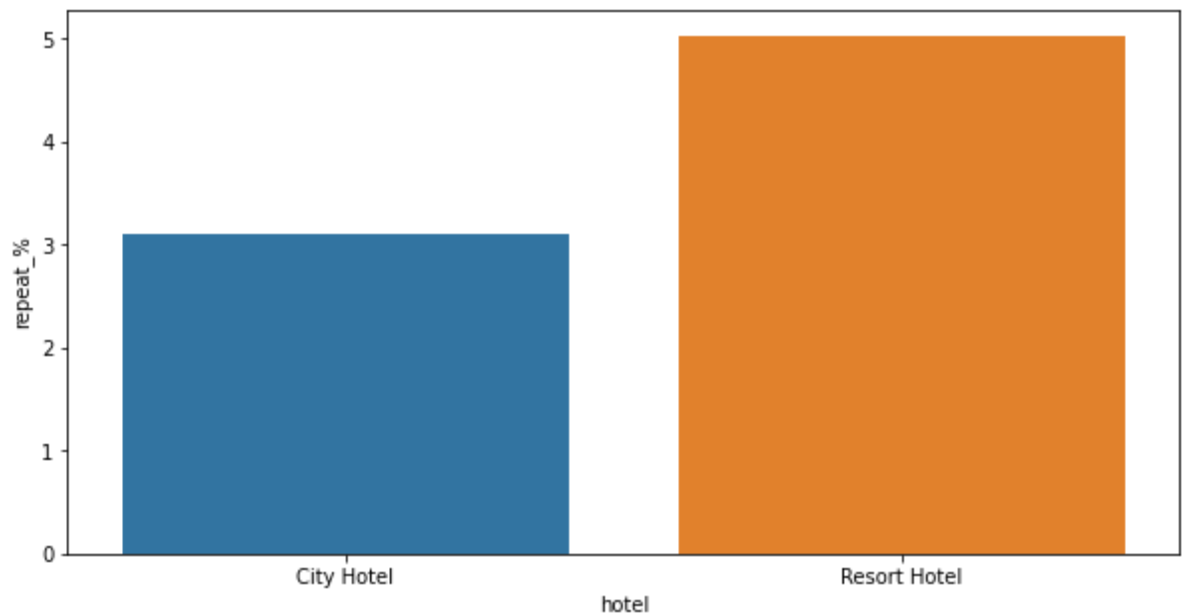
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In [98]: # Selecting and counting repeated customers bookings
repeated_data = df1[df1['is_repeated_guest'] == 1]
repeat_grp = repeated_data.groupby('hotel')
D1 = pd.DataFrame(repeat_grp.size()).rename(columns = {0: 'total_repeated_guests'})

# Counting total bookings
total_booking = grouped_by_hotel.size()
D2 = pd.DataFrame(total_booking).rename(columns = {0: 'total_bookings'})
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D3 = pd.concat([D1,D2], axis = 1)

# Calculating repeat %
D3['repeat_%'] = round((D3['total_repeated_guests']/D3['total_bookings'])*100,2)

plt.figure(figsize = (10,5))
sns.barplot(x = D3.index, y = D3['repeat_%'])
plt.show()
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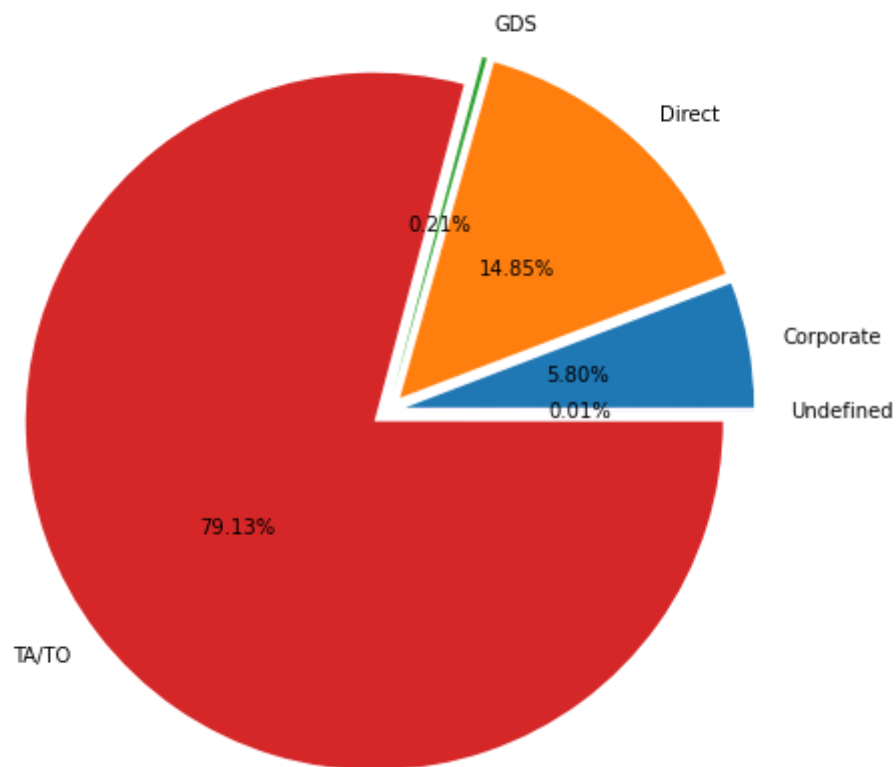
Both hotels have very small percentage that customer will repeat, but Resort hotel has slightly higher repeat % than City Hotel.

Distribution Channel wise Analysis

Q1) Which is the most common channel for booking hotels?

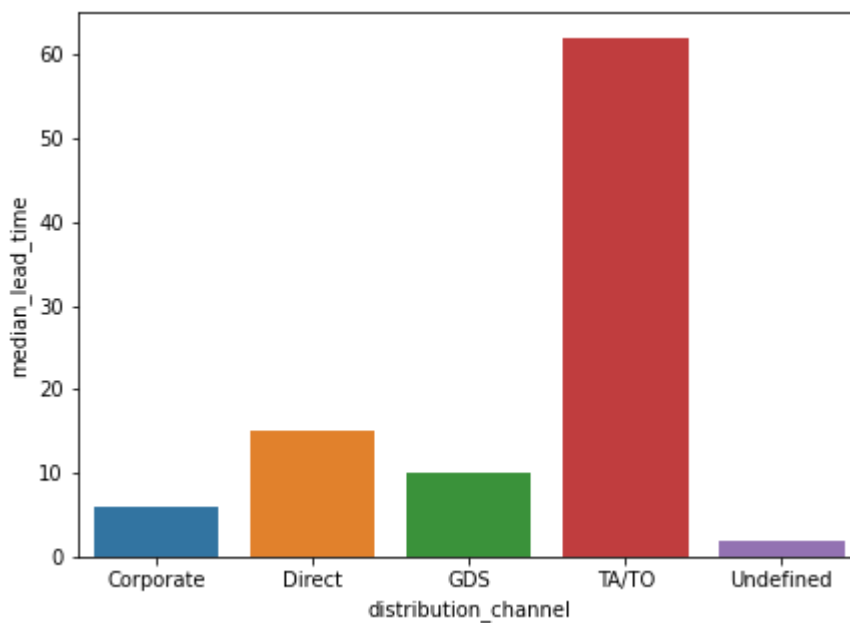
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In [99]: group_by_dc = df1.groupby('distribution_channel')
d1 = pd.DataFrame(round((group_by_dc.size()/df1.shape[0])*100,2)).reset_index().rer
plt.figure(figsize = (8,8))
data = d1['Booking_%']
labels = d1['distribution_channel']
plt.pie(x=data, autopct="%.2f%", explode=[0.05]*5, labels=labels, pctdistance=0.5)
plt.title("Booking % by distribution channels", fontsize=14);
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Booking % by distribution channels



Q2) Which channel is mostly used for early booking of hotels?

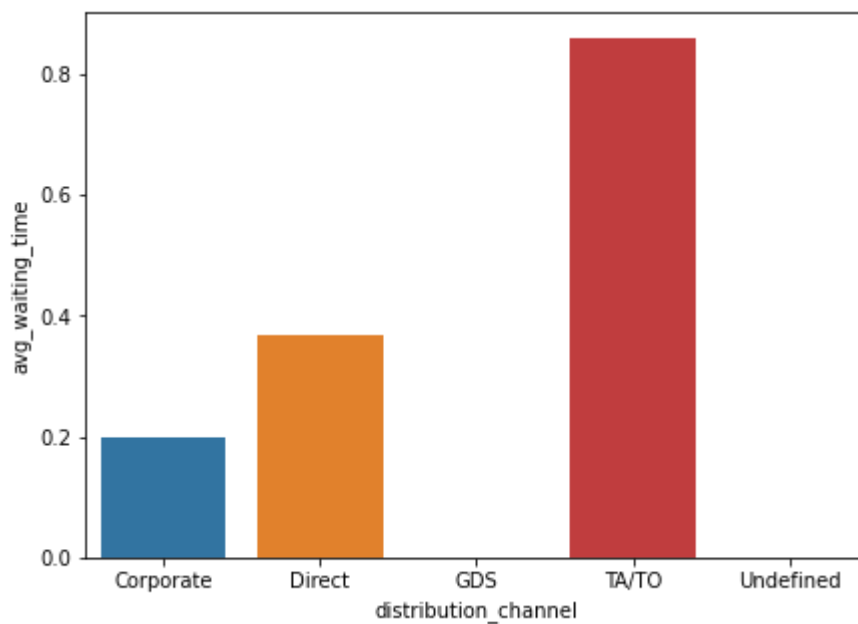
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In [100... group_by_dc = df1.groupby('distribution_channel')
d2 = pd.DataFrame(round(group_by_dc['lead_time'].median(),2)).reset_index().rename(
plt.figure(figsize = (7,5))
sns.barplot(x = d2['distribution_channel'], y = d2['median_lead_time'])
plt.show()
```



TA/TO is mostly used for planning Hotel visits ahead of time. But for sudden visits other mediums are most preferred.

Q3) Which channel has longer average waiting time?

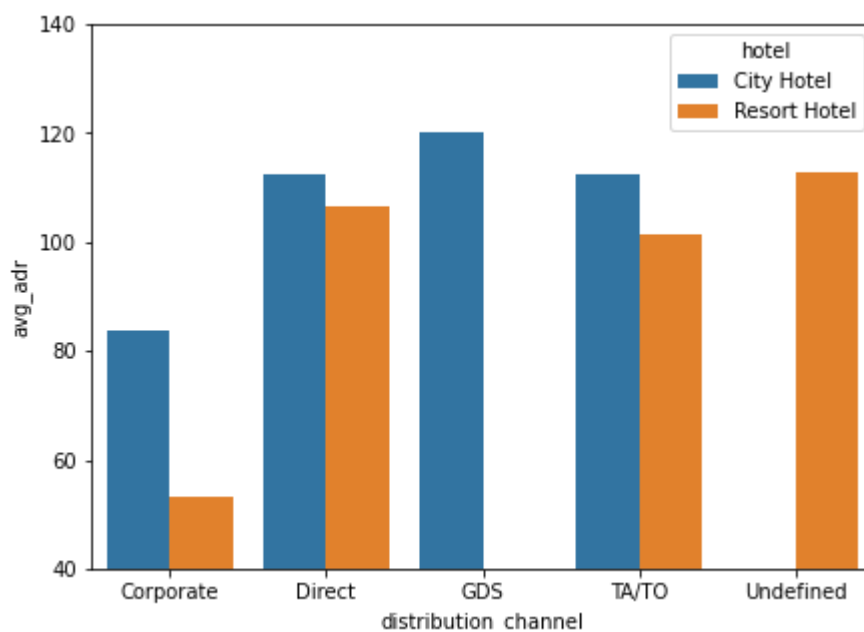
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In [101... d4 = pd.DataFrame(round((group_by_dc['days_in_waiting_list']).mean(),2)).reset_index()
plt.figure(figsize = (7,5))
sns.barplot(x = d4['distribution_channel'], y = d4['avg_waiting_time'])
plt.show()
```



While booking via TA/TO one may have to wait a little longer to confirm booking of rooms.

Q4) Which distribution channel brings better revenue generating deals for hotels?

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In [104... group_by_dc_hotel = df1.groupby(['distribution_channel', 'hotel'])
d5 = pd.DataFrame(round((group_by_dc_hotel['adr']).agg(np.mean),2)).reset_index().r
plt.figure(figsize = (7,5))
sns.barplot(x = d5['distribution_channel'], y = d5['avg_adr'], hue = d5['hotel'])
plt.ylim(40,140)
plt.show()
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GDS channel brings higher revenue generating deals for City hotel, in contrast to that most bookings come via TA/TO. City Hotel can work to increase outreach on GDS channels to get more higher revenue generating deals.

Resort hotel has more revenue generating deals by direct and TA/TO channel. Resort Hotel need to increase outreach on GDS channel to increase revenue.

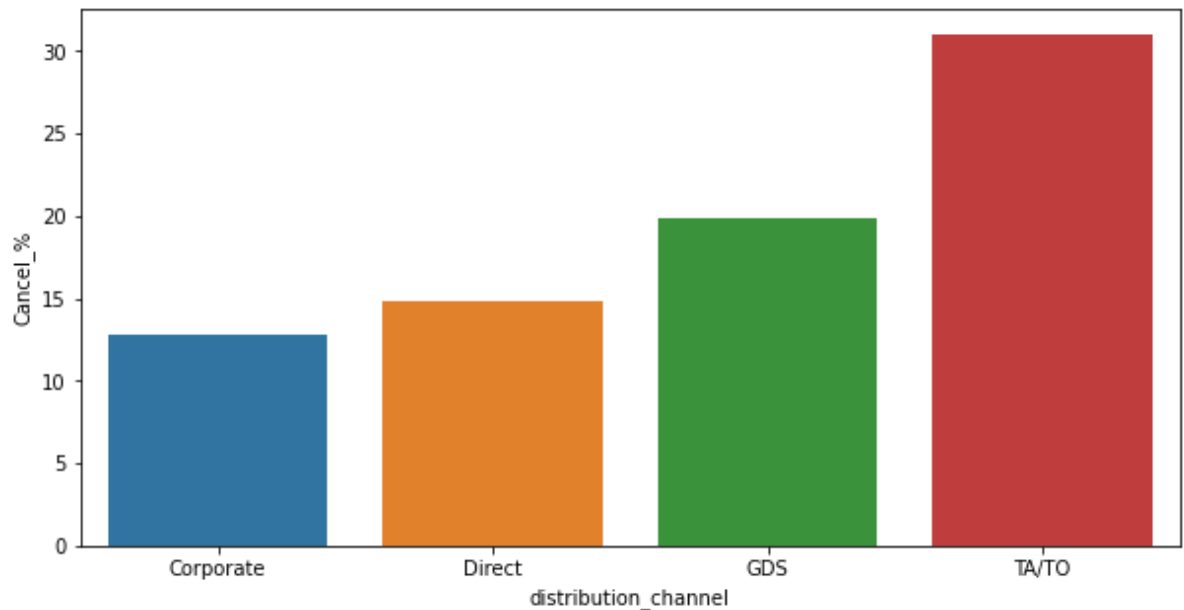
Booking cancellation Analysis

Let us try to understand what causes the people to cancel the booking.

Q1) Which significant distribution channel has highest cancellation percentage?

In [105...

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d1 = pd.DataFrame((group_by_dc['is_canceled'].sum()/group_by_dc.size()*100).drop(i
plt.figure(figsize = (10,5))
sns.barplot(x = d1.index, y = d1['Cancel_%'])
plt.show()
```



TA/TO has highest booking cancellation %. Therefore, a booking via TA/TO is 30% likely to get cancelled.

In []: