Exploratory Data Analysis

Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA), also known as Data Exploration, is a step in the Data Analysis Process, where a number of techniques are used to better understand the dataset being used. By conducting EDA, you can turn an **almost** useable dataset into a completely useable dataset.

Components of EDA

- 1. Understanding your variables
- 2. Cleaning your dataset
- 3. Analyzing relationships between variables

Cleaning of Dataset include-Removing Redundant variables, Variable Selection, Removing Outliers, Removing Rows with Null Values

Visualizing High Dimensional Data

The basic steps in this process are:

- 1. Scale the data (important here because our features are heterogenous)
- 2. Fit the PCA transformation (learn the transformation from the data)
- 3. Apply the transformation to the data to create the derived features
- 4. Use the derived features to look for patterns in the data and explore the coefficients