agricultural-commodities-in-india

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0.1 Price of Agricultural Commodities in India

• An EDA project

About:-

• The data refers to Daily prices of various commodities in India like Tomato, Potato, Brinjal, Wheat etc. It has the wholesale maximum price, minimum price and modal price on daily basis. the prices in the dataset refer to the wholesale prices of various commodities per quintal (100 kg) in Indian rupees. The wholesale price is the price at which goods are sold in large quantities to retailers or distributors.

Let's imports useful libraries

```
[1]: import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
```

Let's load the dataset

let's start with the first few steps

[3]:	price_	agr		#to get the first view of the dataset				
[3]:		State	District	Market	Commodity	Variety	\	
	0	Gujarat	Amreli	Damnagar	Bhindi(Ladies Finger)	Bhindi		
	1	Gujarat	Amreli	Damnagar	Brinjal	Other		
	2	Gujarat	Amreli	Damnagar	Cabbage	Cabbage		
	3	Gujarat	Amreli	Damnagar	Cauliflower	Cauliflower		
	4	Gujarat	Amreli	Damnagar	Coriander(Leaves)	Coriander		
	•••	•••	•••	•••	•••	••		
	23088	Uttrakhand	Haridwar	Roorkee	Mango	Other		
	23089	Uttrakhand	Haridwar	Roorkee	Mousambi(Sweet Lime)	Other		
	23090	Uttrakhand	Haridwar	Roorkee	Pear(Marasebu)	Other		
	23091	Uttrakhand	Haridwar	Roorkee	Potato	Other		

	23092	Uttrakh	nand H	aridwar	Roorkee	3	Pumpkin	Other
		Grade	Arriva	l Date	Min Price	Max Price	Modal Price	
	0	FAQ		7-2023	4100.0			
	1	FAQ		7-2023				
	2	-		7-2023				
	3	=		7-2023				
	4	FAQ		7-2023	8400.0		8850.0	
	•••			. 2020				
	23088		02-0	8-2023	800.0		1000.0	
	23089			8-2023			2000.0	
	23090			8-2023			2500.0	
	23091			8-2023				
	23092	-		8-2023			600.0	
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	[23093	rows x	10 col	umns]				
[4]:	price_	agr.shap	ре		#to get	to know abou	t the shape of	my dataset
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[19]:	price_	agr.colu	ımns		#to get to	know about	the name of m	y columns name of
	⇔my (dataset						
[19]:			al_Date	', 'Min		*	', 'Variety', 'Modal Price'	
[6]:	price_	agr.head	i()		#to ge	t to know ab	out the first	5 row
[6]:	S	tate Dis	strict	Mark	et.	Commod	dity Varie	ety Grade \
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		val_Date			Max Price	Modal Price		
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		-07-2023		200.0	3000.0	2450.0		
		-07-2023		350.0	3000.0	2700.0		
		-07-2023		0.00	7500.0	7250.0		
	4 27	-07-2023	3 8	400.0	9000.0	8850.0	1	
	:		,	100.0	3000.0	0000.0	J	
[7]:		agr.tail		400.0			ut the last 5	roll

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[7]:
                State District
                                  Market
                                                     Commodity Variety
                                                                         Grade \
           Uttrakhand Haridwar Roorkee
                                                                 Other Medium
    23088
                                                         Mango
    23089
           Uttrakhand Haridwar Roorkee Mousambi(Sweet Lime)
                                                                 Other Medium
    23090
           Uttrakhand Haridwar Roorkee
                                                Pear(Marasebu)
                                                                 Other Medium
                                                                           FAQ
    23091
           Uttrakhand Haridwar Roorkee
                                                        Potato
                                                                 Other
    23092 Uttrakhand Haridwar Roorkee
                                                       Pumpkin
                                                                 Other
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           Arrival_Date Min Price
                                   Max Price Modal Price
    23088
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    23090
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                                                    2500.0
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            02-08-2023
                            900.0
                                       1800.0
                                                    1500.0
    23092
            02-08-2023
                                       700.0
                                                    600.0
                            500.0
[8]: price_agr.info()
                                   #to get to know about my data type of my dataset
```

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 23093 entries, 0 to 23092
Data columns (total 10 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	State	23093 non-null	object
1	District	23093 non-null	object
2	Market	23093 non-null	object
3	Commodity	23093 non-null	object
4	Variety	23093 non-null	object
5	Grade	23093 non-null	object
6	Arrival_Date	23093 non-null	object
7	Min Price	23093 non-null	float64
8	Max Price	23093 non-null	float64
9	Modal Price	23093 non-null	float64
		1 (7)	

dtypes: float64(3), object(7)

memory usage: 1.8+ MB

```
[9]: price_agr.describe() #to get done with the all kinda arithmetic⊔

sfunction
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[9]:		Min Price	Max Price	Modal Price
	count	23093.000000	23093.000000	23093.000000
	mean	4187.077045	4976.034260	4602.917742
	std	5472.783385	6277.308057	5843.822711
	min	0.000000	0.000000	0.830000
	25%	1750.000000	2000.000000	1955.000000
	50%	2725.000000	3400.000000	3000.000000
	75%	5000.000000	6000.000000	5500.000000
	max	223500.000000	227500.000000	225500.000000

Let's dealing with the values of dataset

```
[20]: price_agr.columns.str.replace(' ' ,'_')
```

• Insights:- To replace empty space with ***'_'*** from columns name so it'll be ease for working and analysing

```
[15]: price_agr.isnull().sum()
```

```
[15]: State
                        0
      District
                        0
      Market
                        0
      Commodity
                        0
      Variety
      Grade
      Arrival_Date
                        0
      Min Price
                        0
      Max Price
                        0
      Modal Price
                        0
      dtype: int64
```

• Insights:- No it's neet and clean while having no any null values

```
[16]: price_agr.drop_duplicates(inplace=True)
```

• Inshights:- It'll drop all duplicates values if there will have so

Bivariate Analysis

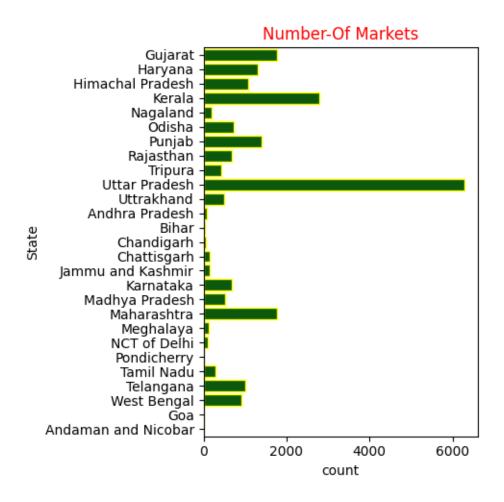
```
[22]: price_agr.groupby('State')['District'].count().reset_index() #grouping

→with the 'State'
```

```
[22]:
                         State District
      0
          Andaman and Nicobar
      1
                Andhra Pradesh
                                        79
      2
                         Bihar
                                        42
      3
                    Chandigarh
                                        59
      4
                   Chattisgarh
                                       158
                            Goa
      5
                                         9
      6
                       Gujarat
                                      1782
      7
                       Haryana
                                      1300
             Himachal Pradesh
      8
                                      1087
             Jammu and Kashmir
      9
                                       142
      10
                     Karnataka
                                       674
                        Kerala
                                      2795
      11
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```
12
         Madhya Pradesh
                              519
13
            Maharashtra
                              1770
14
              Meghalaya
                              136
15
           NCT of Delhi
                                96
16
               Nagaland
                              197
17
                 Odisha
                              726
18
            Pondicherry
                                10
19
                 Punjab
                              1406
20
              Rajasthan
                              674
21
             Tamil Nadu
                              295
22
              Telangana
                              1004
                Tripura
23
                              418
24
          Uttar Pradesh
                              6298
25
             Uttrakhand
                              490
26
            West Bengal
                              920
```

```
[6]: #This graph will stand for 'Number of Markets'
plt.figure(figsize=(5,5))
sns.countplot(data=price_agr , y='State',color='darkgreen',edgecolor='yellow')
plt.title('Number-Of Markets',c='r')
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
```



• Insights:- It shows us the Uttar Pradesh is the state with the most market 6298

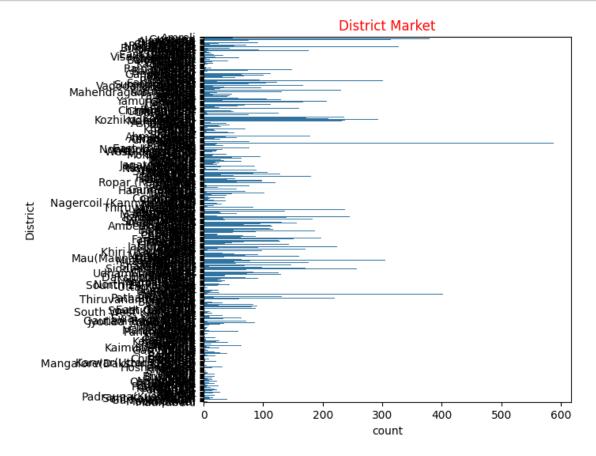
```
[4]: price_agr.groupby('District')['State'].count().reset_index()

-#grouping with the 'District'
```

```
[4]:
               District
                          State
     0
               Adilabad
                              26
                             131
     1
                    Agra
     2
              Ahmedabad
                              28
     3
             Ahmednagar
                             179
     4
                              22
                   Ajmer
     . .
     398
                  Wokha
                              14
     399
           Yamuna Nagar
                             130
     400
               Yavatmal
                              18
     401
              Zunheboto
                               3
     402
             kapurthala
                               5
```

[403 rows x 2 columns]

```
[5]: #this graph will stand for 'Number of district'
plt.figure(figsize=(6,6))
sns.countplot(data=price_agr, y='District')
plt.title('District Market',c='r')
plt.show()
```



• Insights :- It show us we've approximately 403 districts markets

[30]:		Market	Commodity
	0	A lot	2
	1	Abhanpur	2
	2	Abohar	19
	3	Achalda	59
	4	Achalpur	1

```
      1284
      Yellapur
      8

      1285
      Yeotmal
      5

      1286
      Zira
      19

      1287
      Zunheboto
      3

      1288
      kalanwali
      12
```

[1289 rows x 2 columns]

• Insights :- It shows us we've 1289 local markets in all over india

```
[31]: price_agr.groupby('Commodity')['State'].count().reset_index() #grouping

→with the 'Commodity'
```

```
[31]:
                Commodity
                            State
      0
                    Ajwan
                                 7
      1
            Alasande Gram
                                 1
      2
            Almond(Badam)
                                 1
               Alsandikai
      3
                                 6
      4
               Amaranthus
                                84
      229
               White Peas
                                51
      230
            White Pumpkin
                                 4
      231
                      Wood
                                21
      232
                                 4
                       Yam
      233
             Yam (Ratalu)
                                22
```

[234 rows x 2 columns]

• Insights:- It shows us in this dataset we've 234 commodity in entire data

```
[7]: price_agr.groupby('Variety')['State'].count().reset_index() #grouping

with the 'Variety'

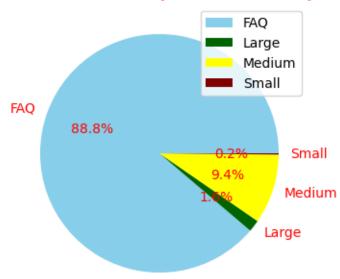
[7]: price_agr.groupby('Variety')['State'].count().reset_index()
```

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[7]:
                  Variety
                            State
     0
            (Red Nanital)
                                49
     1
                      1001
                                49
     2
                 1009 Kar
                                10
     3
                                 4
                      1121
     4
              147 Average
                                18
     447
           Zinga(Zambo-A)
                                 2
     448
          Zinga(Zambo-B)
                                 2
     449
           Zinga(Zambo-C)
                                 2
     450
                                 5
                       api
     451
                     other
                                24
```

[452 rows x 2 columns]

• Insights:- In this data set we have 452 kind of variety

The Grade or Quality of the commodity



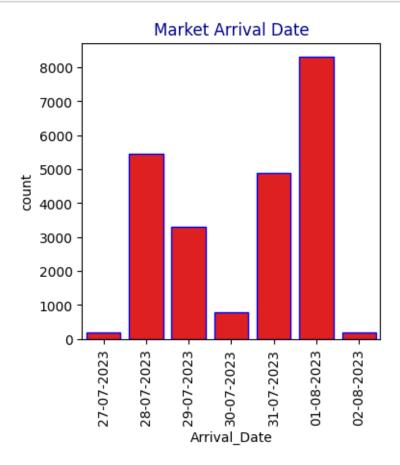
• Insights:- This graph shows us the FAQ is the brand of all commodities

```
[10]: price_agr.groupby('Arrival_Date')['State'].count().reset_index()

#grouping with the 'Arrival_Date'
```

```
4 29-07-2023 3312
5 30-07-2023 774
6 31-07-2023 4879
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```
[43]: #this graph will stand for 'Market Arrival Date' of all Goods and Products'
plt.figure(figsize=(4,4))
sns.countplot(data=price_agr, x='Arrival_Date', color='red',edgecolor='blue')
plt.title('Market Arrival Date', c='darkblue')
plt.xticks(rotation=90)
plt.show()
```



• Insights:- When it comes to the date so 1-aug-2023 was the perfect day for market

```
[24]: price_agr.groupby('Min Price')['State'].count().reset_index() #grouping with

→ the 'Max_Price'
```

[24]:	Min Price	State
0	0.00	20
1	0.41	2
2	0.62	1

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1.00
3
                       3
4
            1.50
                       2
      100000.00
1788
                       1
1789
      110000.00
                       2
      136000.00
1790
                       1
1791
      140000.00
                       1
1792
      223500.00
                       1
```

[1793 rows x 2 columns]

• Insights:- In this dataset we have 1793 unique Min_price

```
[23]: price_agr.groupby('Max Price')['State'].count().reset_index() #grouping withuther the 'Max_Price'
```

```
[23]:
             Max Price
                         State
                  0.00
                             28
                   1.00
      1
                              1
      2
                   1.25
                              1
      3
                   1.45
                              2
      4
                  2.50
                              1
             115000.00
      2068
                              1
      2069
             130000.00
                              1
      2070
             140000.00
                              1
      2071
             150000.00
                              1
      2072
             227500.00
                              1
```

[2073 rows x 2 columns]

• Insights:- In this datasetwe have 2073 unique Max_price'

```
[27]: price_agr.groupby('Modal Price')['State'].count().reset_index()
```

```
[27]:
             Modal Price
                            State
      0
                     0.83
                                 1
      1
                      1.00
                                 1
                                 2
      2
                     1.04
      3
                     2.00
                                 1
      4
                     2.20
                                 1
                112500.00
                                 1
      2066
      2067
                120000.00
                                 1
      2068
                138000.00
                                 1
      2069
                150000.00
                                 1
      2070
                225500.00
                                 1
```

[2071 rows x 2 columns]

• Insights:- In this dataset we have 2071 unique 'Modal_price'

Conclusion – Price of Agricultural Commodities in India (EDA Project) This exploratory data analysis provided valuable insights into the wholesale price trends of agricultural commodities across India. The dataset, comprising daily maximum, minimum, and modal prices, revealed several important patterns:

- Market Distribution: Uttar Pradesh emerged as the state with the highest number of markets (6,298), with over 400 districts contributing to the agricultural trade network.
- Commodity Presence: Certain commodities, such as tomato, potato, and brinjal, dominated the market in terms of frequency and distribution across multiple states.
- Price Variations: Significant fluctuations were observed in the maximum and minimum prices of key commodities, highlighting regional pricing differences and possible seasonal influences.
- Outlier Detection: Boxplot analysis revealed price outliers, suggesting instances of unusually high or low wholesale rates that may be linked to supply-demand shifts or market disruptions.

This analysis demonstrates the power of data cleaning, grouping, and visualisation in uncovering patterns within large-scale agricultural datasets. By leveraging Python libraries such as Pandas, Matplotlib, and Seaborn, it was possible to transform raw price data into actionable insights that can inform decision-making for traders, policymakers, and market analysts.

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