

Tyre Data Analysis

Goal: analyze all races, lap times (via results/fastest laps), pit stops, and all tyre manufacturers.

Import data and Modules

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conda install psycpg2

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Channels:
- defaults
Platform: linux-64
Collecting package metadata (repodata.json): done
Solving environment: done

==> WARNING: A newer version of conda exists. <==
current version: 25.5.1
latest version: 25.11.0

Please update conda by running

$ conda update -n base -c defaults conda

# All requested packages already installed.

Note: you may need to restart the kernel to use updated packages.

from numpy.ma.extras import unique
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

import pandas as pd
import seaborn as sns

path = 'resources/pickled_tables/'
extension = '.plk'

tire_data_table = "tyre_manufacturer"
tire_data_file = path + tire_data_table + extension
tire_data = pd.read_pickle(tire_data_file)

print(f"Loaded data shape: {tire_data.shape}")
tire_data.head()
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Loaded data shape: (9, 13)

	id	name	country_id
best_starting_grid_position \			
0	avon	Avon	united-kingdom
2			
1	bridgestone	Bridgestone	japan
1			
2	continental	Continental	germany
1			
3	dunlop	Dunlop	united-kingdom
1			
4	englebert	Englebert	belgium
1			

	best_race_result	total_race_entries	total_race_starts
total_race_wins \			
0	5	32	28
0			
1	1	244	244
175			
2	1	13	13
10			
3	1	177	175
84			
4	1	60	60
8			

	total_race_laps	total_podiums	total_podium_races
total_pole_positions \			
0	2961	0	0
0			
1	173435	482	209
168			
2	2232	18	11
8			
3	84697	241	104
77			
4	11015	40	26
11			

	total_fastest_laps
0	0
1	170
2	9
3	83
4	12

tire_data.head(100)

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2	continental	Continental	germany	
3	dunlop	Dunlop	united-kingdom	
4	englebert	Englebert	belgium	
5	firestone	Firestone	united-states-of-america	
6	goodyear	Goodyear	united-states-of-america	
7	micelin	Michelin	france	
8	pirelli	Pirelli	italy	

	best_starting_grid_position	best_race_result	
total_race_entries	\		
0	2	5	32
1	1	1	244
2	1	1	13
3	1	1	177
4	1	1	60
5	1	1	122
6	1	1	493
7	1	1	217
8	1	1	509

	total_race_starts	total_race_wins	total_race_laps	total_podiums
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0	28	0	2961	0
1	244	175	173435	482
2	13	10	2232	18
3	175	84	84697	241
4	60	8	11015	40
5	122	48	96610	138
6	493	368	376316	1139
7	215	102	99137	317
8	504	348	398748	1053

	total_podium_races	total_pole_positions	total_fastest_laps
0	0	0	0
1	209	168	170
2	11	8	9
3	104	77	83
4	26	11	12
5	77	59	52
6	459	358	364
7	179	111	108
8	374	351	361

Show basic stats

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print(f"Number of tyre manufacturers: {len(tire_data)}")
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Number of tyre manufacturers: 9

Sort by total wins to see the best manufacturers

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sorted_by_wins = tire_data.sort_values('total_race_wins',
ascending=False)
print("\nTyre Manufacturers sorted by total wins:")
print(sorted_by_wins[['name', 'total_race_wins',
'total_race_entries']].head(10))
```

Tyre Manufacturers sorted by total wins:

	name	total_race_wins	total_race_entries
6	Goodyear	368	493
8	Pirelli	348	509
1	Bridgestone	175	244
7	Michelin	102	217
3	Dunlop	84	177
5	Firestone	48	122
2	Continental	10	13
4	Englebert	8	60
0	Avon	0	32

Calculate win percentage

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tire_data['win_percentage'] = (tire_data['total_race_wins'] /
tire_data['total_race_entries'] * 100)
sorted_by_win_percentage = tire_data.sort_values('win_percentage',
ascending=False)
print("\nTyre Manufacturers sorted by win percentage:")
print(sorted_by_win_percentage[['name', 'win_percentage',
'total_race_wins', 'total_race_entries']].head(10))
```

Tyre Manufacturers sorted by win percentage:

	name	win_percentage	total_race_wins	total_race_entries
2	Continental	76.923077	10	13
6	Goodyear	74.645030	368	493
1	Bridgestone	71.721311	175	244
8	Pirelli	68.369352	348	509
3	Dunlop	47.457627	84	177
7	Michelin	47.004608	102	217
5	Firestone	39.344262	48	122
4	Englebert	13.333333	8	60
0	Avon	0.000000	0	32

Sort by total races

```
sorted_by_races = tire_data.sort_values('total_race_entries',
ascending=False)
print("\nTyre Manufacturers sorted by total race entries:")
print(sorted_by_races[['name', 'total_race_entries',
'total_race_wins']].head(10))
```

Tyre Manufacturers sorted by total race entries:

	name	total_race_entries	total_race_wins
8	Pirelli	509	348
6	Goodyear	493	368
1	Bridgestone	244	175
7	Michelin	217	102
3	Dunlop	177	84
5	Firestone	122	48
4	Englebert	60	8
0	Avon	32	0
2	Continental	13	10

Simple Visualization 1: Total Wins Comparison

```
# Set figure size (similar to Ch9 plotting examples)
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))

# Get top 10 using nlargest() method from Chapter 8 slides
top_10_wins = sorted_by_wins.nlargest(10, 'total_race_wins')

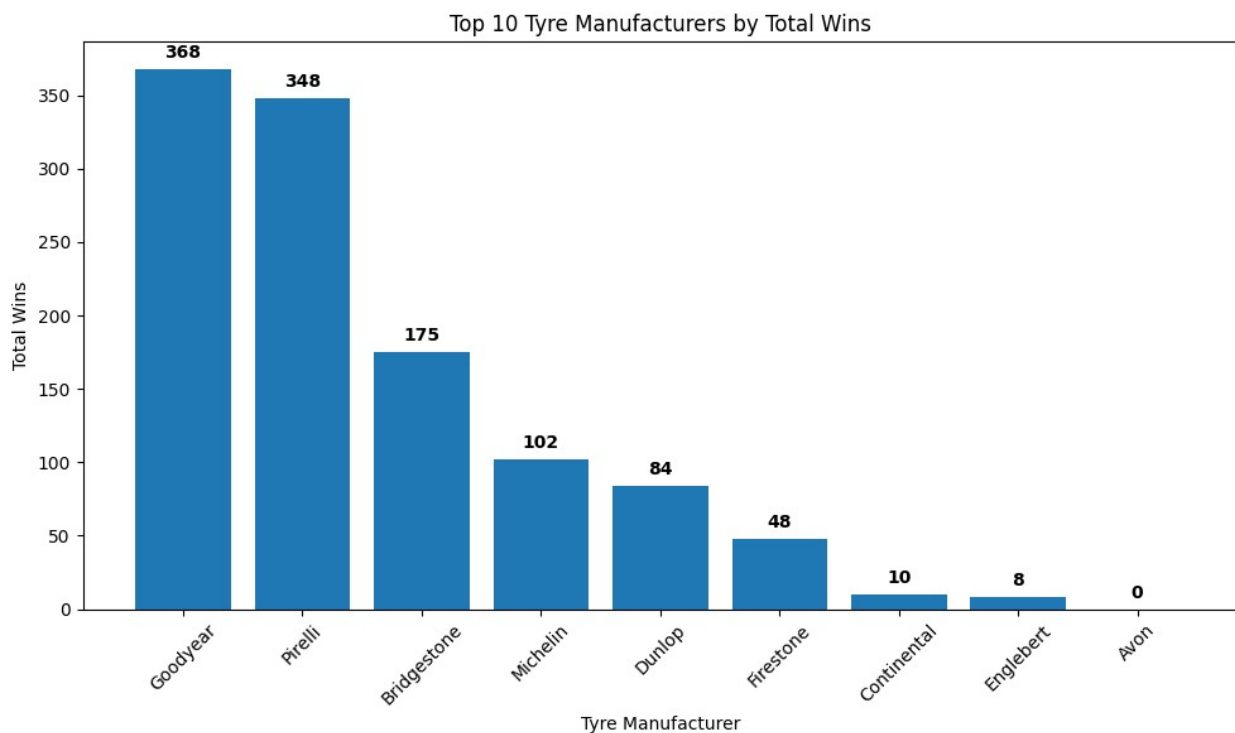
# Create bar plot (similar to Ch8 plotting examples)
bars = plt.bar(top_10_wins['name'], top_10_wins['total_race_wins'])

# Set titles and labels (similar to Ch9 plot customization)
plt.title('Top 10 Tyre Manufacturers by Total Wins')
plt.xlabel('Tyre Manufacturer')
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plt.ylabel('Total Wins')
plt.xticks(rotation=45) # Rotate x-axis labels like in Ch9 examples

# Add value labels on bars (enhanced version with formatting)
for bar in bars:
    height = bar.get_height()
    plt.text(bar.get_x() + bar.get_width()/2., height + 5,
             f'{int(height):,}', # Format with commas for thousands
             ha='center', va='bottom', fontweight='bold')

# Adjust layout and show (standard pattern from slides)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()
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Simple Visualization 2: Win Percentage

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# Set figure size (similar to Ch9 plotting examples)
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))

# Get top 10 using nlargest() method from Chapter 8 slides
top_10_percentage = sorted_by_win_percentage.nlargest(10,
'win_percentage')

# Create bar plot (similar to Ch8 plotting examples)
bars = plt.bar(top_10_percentage['name'],
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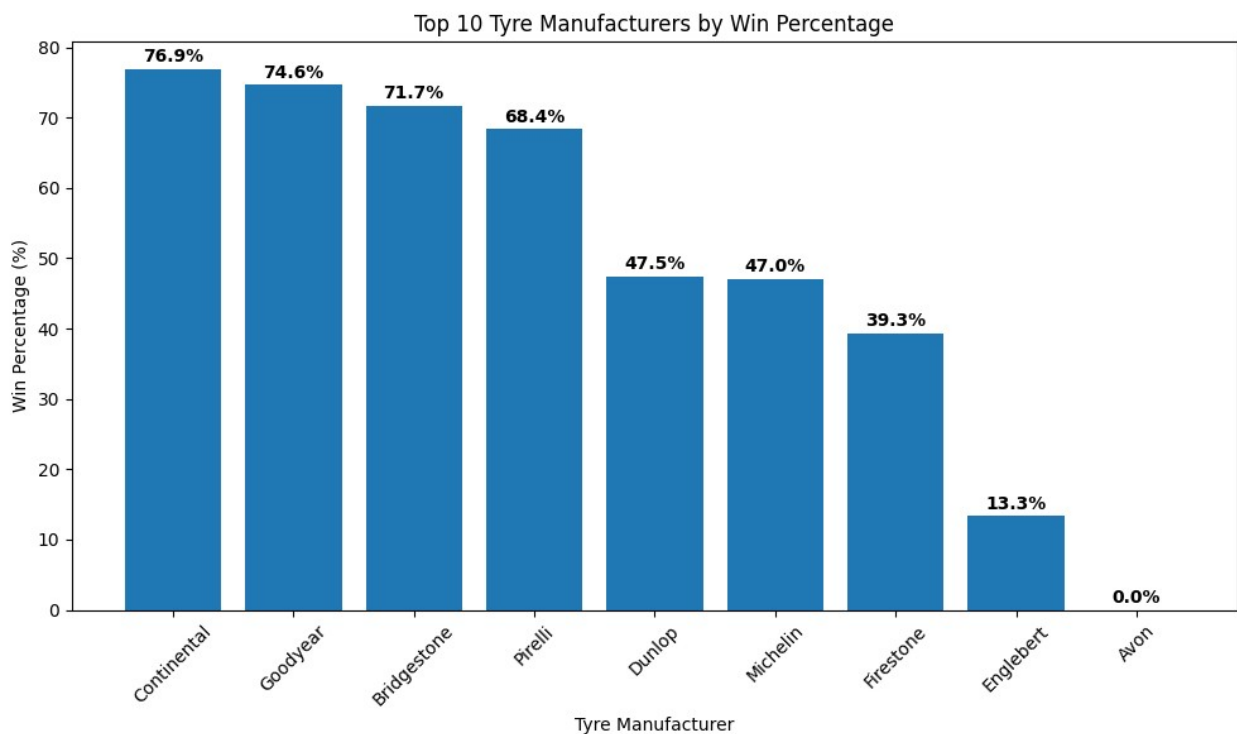
top_10_percentage['win_percentage'])

# Set titles and labels (similar to Ch9 plot customization)
plt.title('Top 10 Tyre Manufacturers by Win Percentage')
plt.xlabel('Tyre Manufacturer')
plt.ylabel('Win Percentage (%)')
plt.xticks(rotation=45) # Rotate x-axis labels like in Ch9 examples

# Add value labels on bars with formatting
for bar in bars:
    height = bar.get_height()
    plt.text(bar.get_x() + bar.get_width()/2., height + 0.5,
             f'{height:.1f}%', # Format as percentage with 1 decimal
             ha='center', va='bottom', fontweight='bold')

# Adjust layout and show (standard pattern from slides)
plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

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Simple Visualization 3: Podiums vs Wins

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# Get top 8
top_8 = sorted_by_wins.nlargest(8, 'total_race_wins')

# Calculate win-to-podium ratio for coloring

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top_8['win_podium_ratio'] = top_8['total_race_wins'] /
top_8['total_podiums']

# Create scatter plot with color gradient
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
scatter = plt.scatter(top_8['total_podiums'],
top_8['total_race_wins'],
                      s=200, alpha=0.7,
                      c=top_8['win_podium_ratio'], # Color by ratio
                      cmap='viridis',
                      edgecolors='black', linewidth=1)

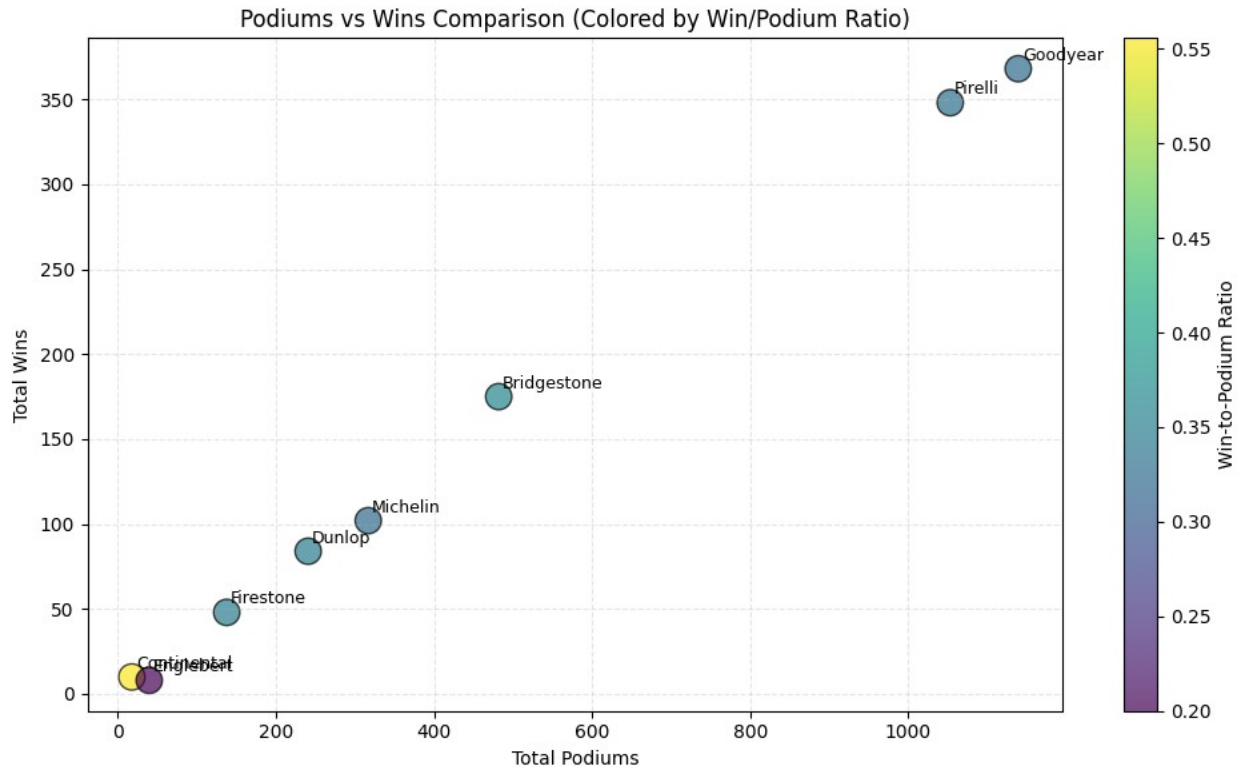
# Add colorbar
plt.colorbar(scatter, label='Win-to-Podium Ratio')

# Add labels for each point
for idx, row in top_8.iterrows():
    plt.text(row['total_podiums'] + 5, row['total_race_wins'] + 5,
             row['name'], fontsize=9, fontweight='medium')

# Set titles and labels
plt.title('Podiums vs Wins Comparison (Colored by Win/Podium Ratio)')
plt.xlabel('Total Podiums')
plt.ylabel('Total Wins')
plt.grid(True, alpha=0.3, linestyle='--')

plt.tight_layout()
plt.show()

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# Calculate some summary statistics
print("=== Summary Statistics ===")
print(f"Average wins per manufacturer:
{tire_data['total_race_wins'].mean():.1f}")
print(f"Average race entries per manufacturer:
{tire_data['total_race_entries'].mean():.1f}")
print(f"Total wins across all manufacturers:
{tire_data['total_race_wins'].sum()}")
print(f"Total race entries across all manufacturers:
{tire_data['total_race_entries'].sum()}")

# Show manufacturers with perfect or near-perfect records
print("\n=== Manufacturers with High Win Rates ===")
high_win_rate = tire_data[tire_data['win_percentage'] > 50]
print(high_win_rate[['name', 'win_percentage', 'total_race_wins',
'total_race_entries']].sort_values('win_percentage', ascending=False))

=== Summary Statistics ===
Average wins per manufacturer: 127.0
Average race entries per manufacturer: 207.4
Total wins across all manufacturers: 1143
Total race entries across all manufacturers: 1867

=== Manufacturers with High Win Rates ===
   name  win_percentage  total_race_wins  total_race_entries
2  Continental      76.923077           10                13
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6	Goodyear	74.645030	368	493
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