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[41]: import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import scipy.stats as stats
import seaborn as sns
import pandas as pd
from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.metrics import
    accuracy_score, classification_report, confusion_matrix, mean_squared_error
import numpy as np
import statsmodels.api as sm

# Load dataset
df = pd.read_csv('https://raw.githubusercontent.com/uberdatascientist/dsc520/
    master/UCI_Credit_Card.csv')

# Select variables
var_list = ['LIMIT_BAL', 'SEX', 'EDUCATION', 'MARRIAGE', 'PAY_0']
df_vars = df[var_list]

# Create histograms
for var in var_list:
    plt.hist(df_vars[var], bins=20)
    plt.title(var)
    plt.show()

# Create boxplots
for var in ['LIMIT_BAL']:
    plt.boxplot(df_vars[var])
    plt.title(var)
    plt.show()

# Calculate descriptive statistics
for var in var_list:
    print(var)
    print('Mean:', df_vars[var].mean())
    print('Mode:', df_vars[var].mode().values)
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    print('Spread:', df_vars[var].max() - df_vars[var].min())
    print('Left tail:', len(df_vars[df_vars[var] < df_vars[var].mean()]) / len(df_vars))
    print('Right tail:', len(df_vars[df_vars[var] > df_vars[var].mean()]) / len(df_vars))
    print()

# identify outliers in LIMIT_BAL
q1, q3 = df['LIMIT_BAL'].quantile([0.25, 0.75])
iqr = q3 - q1
lower_bound = q1 - 1.5*iqr
upper_bound = q3 + 1.5*iqr
outliers = df[(df['LIMIT_BAL'] < lower_bound) | (df['LIMIT_BAL'] > upper_bound)]
print(outliers)

# identify outliers in BILL_AMT1
q1, q3 = df['BILL_AMT1'].quantile([0.25, 0.75])
iqr = q3 - q1
lower_bound = q1 - 1.5*iqr
upper_bound = q3 + 1.5*iqr
outliers = df[(df['BILL_AMT1'] < lower_bound) | (df['BILL_AMT1'] > upper_bound)]
print(outliers)

# identify outliers in PAY_AMT1
q1, q3 = df['PAY_AMT1'].quantile([0.25, 0.75])
iqr = q3 - q1
lower_bound = q1 - 1.5*iqr
upper_bound = q3 + 1.5*iqr
outliers = df[(df['PAY_AMT1'] < lower_bound) | (df['PAY_AMT1'] > upper_bound)]
print(outliers)

# Filter data for two scenarios
scenario1 = df.loc[df['EDUCATION'] == 1, 'default.payment.next.month']
scenario2 = df.loc[df['EDUCATION'] == 5, 'default.payment.next.month']

# Create PMFs for two scenarios
pmf1 = scenario1.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()
pmf2 = scenario2.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()

# Plot PMFs for two scenarios
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.bar(pmf1.index, pmf1.values, label="Graduate School")
ax.bar(pmf2.index, pmf2.values, alpha=0.5, label="Unknown")
ax.set_xlabel("Default Payment")
ax.set_ylabel("PMF")

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ax.legend()
plt.show()

# Filter data for two scenarios based on repayment status pay_0
scenario1 = df.loc[df['PAY_0'] == -1, 'default.payment.next.month']
scenario2 = df.loc[df['PAY_0'] == 9, 'default.payment.next.month']

# Create PMFs for two scenarios
pmf1 = scenario1.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()
pmf2 = scenario2.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()

# Plot PMFs for two scenarios
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.bar(pmf1.index, pmf1.values, label="Duly Paid")
ax.bar(pmf2.index, pmf2.values, alpha=0.5, label="Payment delay for nine_
months")
ax.set_xlabel("Default Payment")
ax.set_ylabel("PMF")
ax.legend()
plt.show()

# Filter data for two scenarios based on repayment status pay_0
scenario1 = df.loc[df['PAY_0'] == -1, 'default.payment.next.month']
scenario2 = df.loc[df['PAY_0'] == 1, 'default.payment.next.month']

# Create PMFs for two scenarios
pmf1 = scenario1.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()
pmf2 = scenario2.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()

# Plot PMFs for two scenarios
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.bar(pmf1.index, pmf1.values, label="Duly Paid")
ax.bar(pmf2.index, pmf2.values, alpha=0.5, label="Payment delay for one month")
ax.set_xlabel("Default Payment")
ax.set_ylabel("PMF")
ax.legend()
plt.show()

# Create CDF for age variable
ages = df['AGE']
cdf = np.cumsum(np.ones_like(ages)) / len(ages)

# Plot CDF
fig, ax = plt.subplots()

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ax.plot(np.sort(ages), cdf)
ax.set_xlabel("Age")
ax.set_ylabel("CDF")
plt.show()

# Create normal distribution with mean and std of BILL_AMT1 variable
bill_mean = df['BILL_AMT1'].mean()
bill_std = df['BILL_AMT1'].std()
norm_dist = stats.norm(bill_mean, bill_std)

# Plot histogram of BILL_AMT1 variable with normal distribution overlay
fig, ax = plt.subplots()
ax.hist(df['BILL_AMT1'], bins=50, density=True, label="BILL_AMT1")
ax.plot(np.linspace(bill_mean - 4 * bill_std, bill_mean + 4 * bill_std, 100),
        norm_dist.pdf(np.linspace(bill_mean - 4 * bill_std, bill_mean + 4 *
        ↪bill_std, 100)),
        label="Normal Distribution")
ax.set_xlabel("BILL_AMT1")
ax.set_ylabel("PDF")
ax.legend()
plt.show()

# Filter the data for males and females
male_education = df.loc[df.SEX == 1, 'EDUCATION']
female_education = df.loc[df.SEX == 2, 'EDUCATION']

# Compute PMFs for males and females
male_pmf = male_education.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()
female_pmf = female_education.value_counts(normalize=True).sort_index()

# Scatter plot of LIMIT_BAL and AGE
sns.scatterplot(x="AGE", y="LIMIT_BAL", data=df)
plt.title('Scatter plot of LIMIT_BAL vs AGE')
plt.show()

# Scatter plot of LIMIT_BAL and BILL_AMT1
sns.scatterplot(x="BILL_AMT1", y="LIMIT_BAL", data=df)
plt.title('Scatter plot of LIMIT_BAL vs BILL_AMT1')
plt.show()

# Check collinearity for the independent variables
pay_cols = ['PAY_0', 'PAY_2', 'PAY_3', 'PAY_4', 'PAY_5']
pay_corr = df[pay_cols].corr()

print(pay_corr)

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corr_matrix = df[['PAY_0', 'PAY_2', 'PAY_3', 'PAY_4', 'PAY_5', 'BILL_AMT1']].
    ↪corr()

# print the correlation matrix
print(corr_matrix)

# plot the heatmap
sns.heatmap(corr_matrix, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm')
plt.show()

# Select the categorical features to be converted
cat_features = ['SEX', 'EDUCATION', 'MARRIAGE', 'PAY_0', 'PAY_2', 'PAY_3',
    ↪'PAY_4', 'PAY_5', 'PAY_6']

# Convert the categorical features to the 'category' data type
df[cat_features] = df[cat_features].astype('category')

# Check the data types of the features after conversion
print(df.dtypes)

# Fit the regression model
X = sm.add_constant(df['AGE'])
model = sm.OLS(df['default.payment.next.month'], X).fit()

# Print the model summary
print(model.summary())

# Select the independent variables
X = df[['LIMIT_BAL', 'SEX', 'EDUCATION', 'MARRIAGE', 'AGE', 'PAY_0', 'PAY_2',
    ↪'PAY_3', 'PAY_4', 'PAY_5']]

# Select the dependent variable
y = df['default.payment.next.month']

# Split the dataset into training and testing sets
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.3,
    ↪random_state=42)

# Create the logistic regression model
model = LogisticRegression()

# Train the model
model.fit(X_train, y_train)

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# Make predictions on the testing set
y_pred = model.predict(X_test)

# Calculate the accuracy score of the model
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)

# Print the accuracy score
print("Accuracy:", accuracy)

# Select the categorical features to be converted
cat_features = ['SEX', 'EDUCATION', 'MARRIAGE', 'PAY_0', 'PAY_2', 'PAY_3', 'PAY_4', 'PAY_5', 'PAY_6', 'default.payment.next.month']

# Convert the categorical features to the 'category' data type
df[cat_features] = df[cat_features].astype('category')

# Create predictor and explanatory variable dataframes
X = df[['SEX', 'MARRIAGE', 'AGE', 'BILL_AMT1', 'EDUCATION', 'PAY_0']]
y = df['default.payment.next.month']

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.3, random_state=20)

# Create logistic regression model
logreg = LogisticRegression()
logreg.fit(X_train, y_train)

zero_division = 1

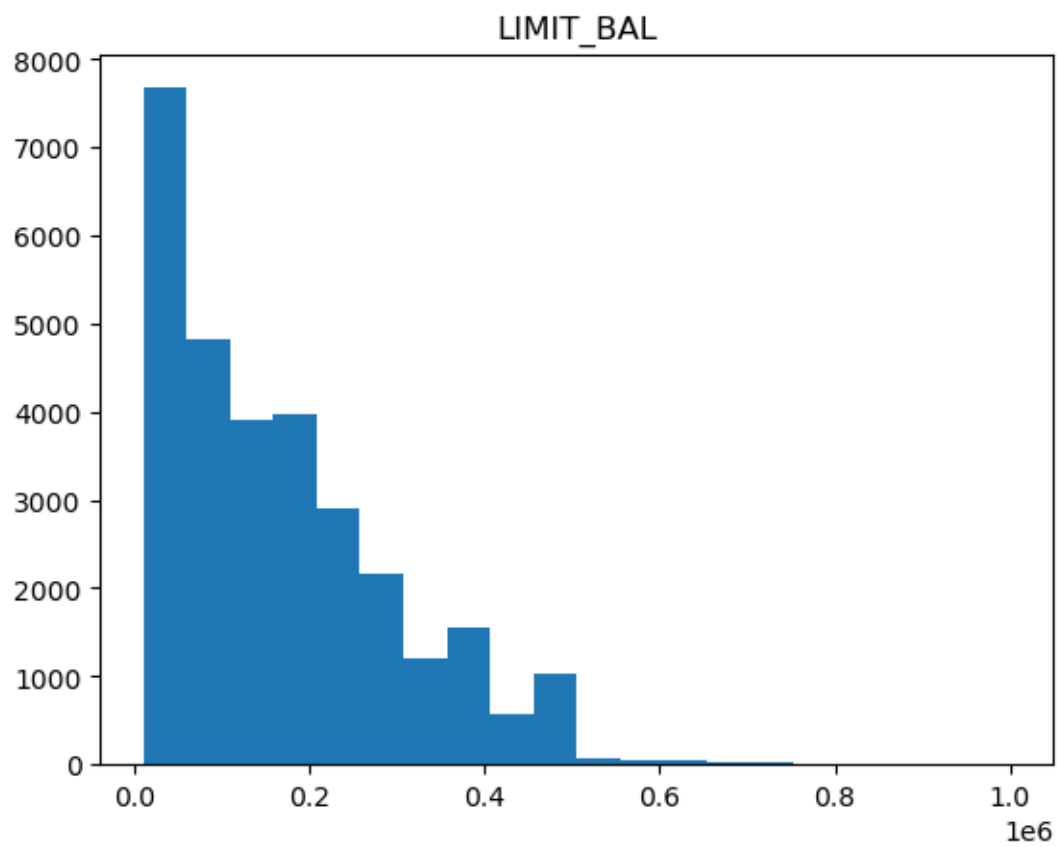
y_pred = logreg.predict(X_test)
y_train_pred = logreg.predict(X_train)

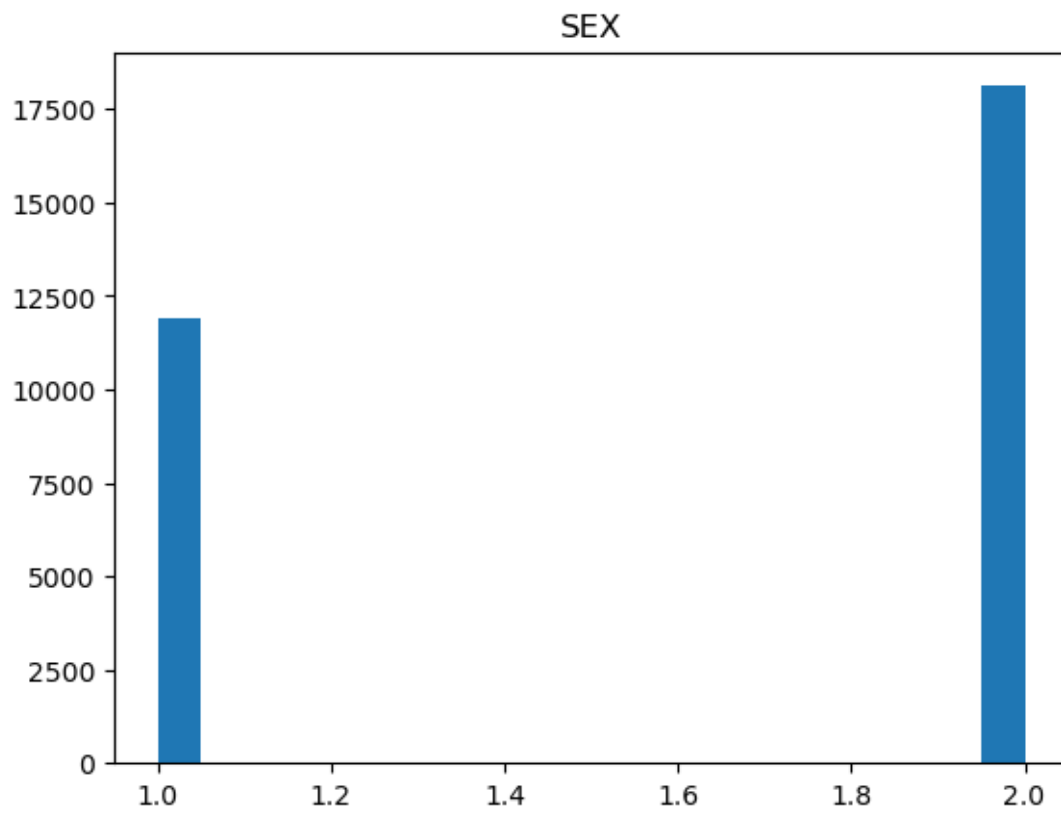
print(classification_report(y_pred, y_test, zero_division = 1))
print(confusion_matrix(y_pred, y_test))
print('\nTest Accuracy Score for Logistic Regression: ', accuracy_score(y_pred, y_test))
print('\nTrain Accuracy Score for Logistic Regression: ', accuracy_score(y_train_pred, y_train))

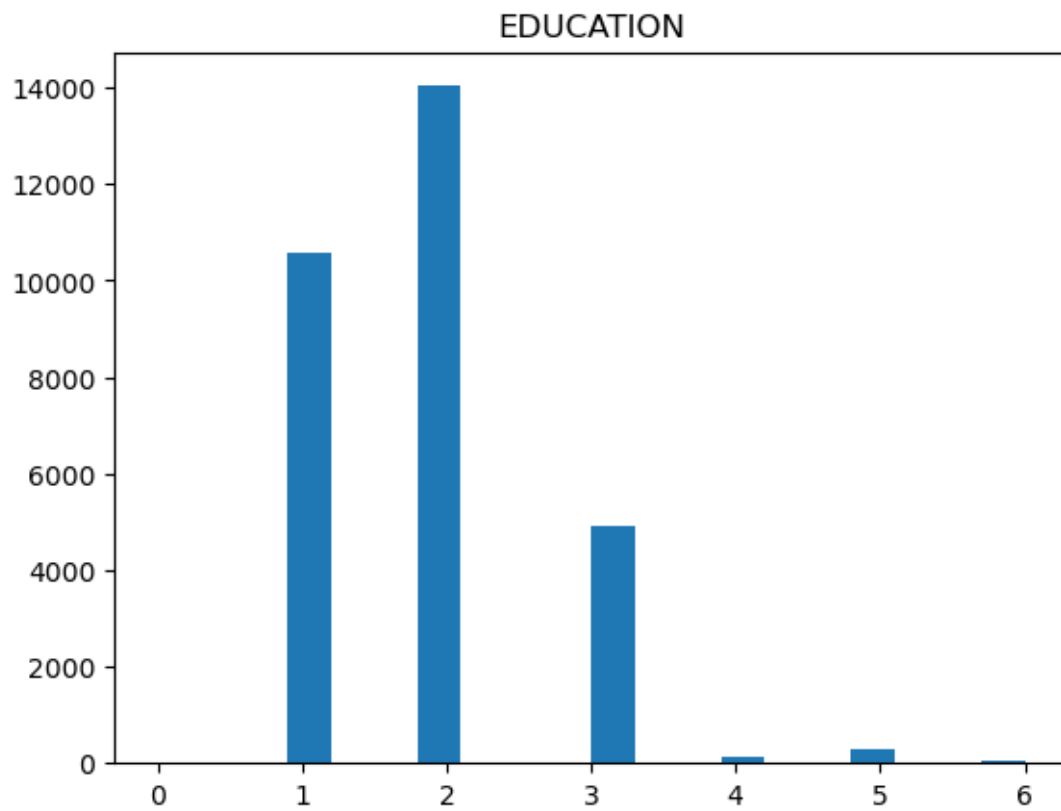
# Perform cross-validation with 5 folds
cv_scores = cross_val_score(logreg, X, y, cv=5, scoring='roc_auc')

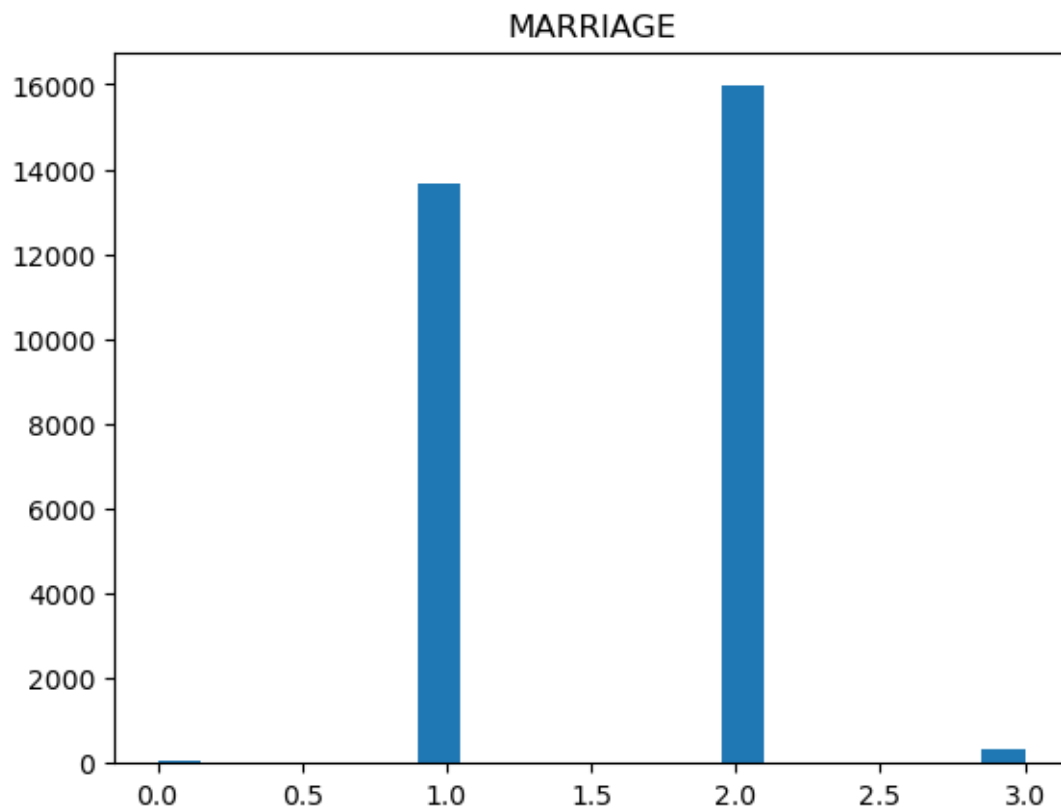
# Print cross-validation scores
print("Cross-validated AUC: %0.2f (+/- %0.2f)" % (cv_scores.mean(), cv_scores.std() * 2))

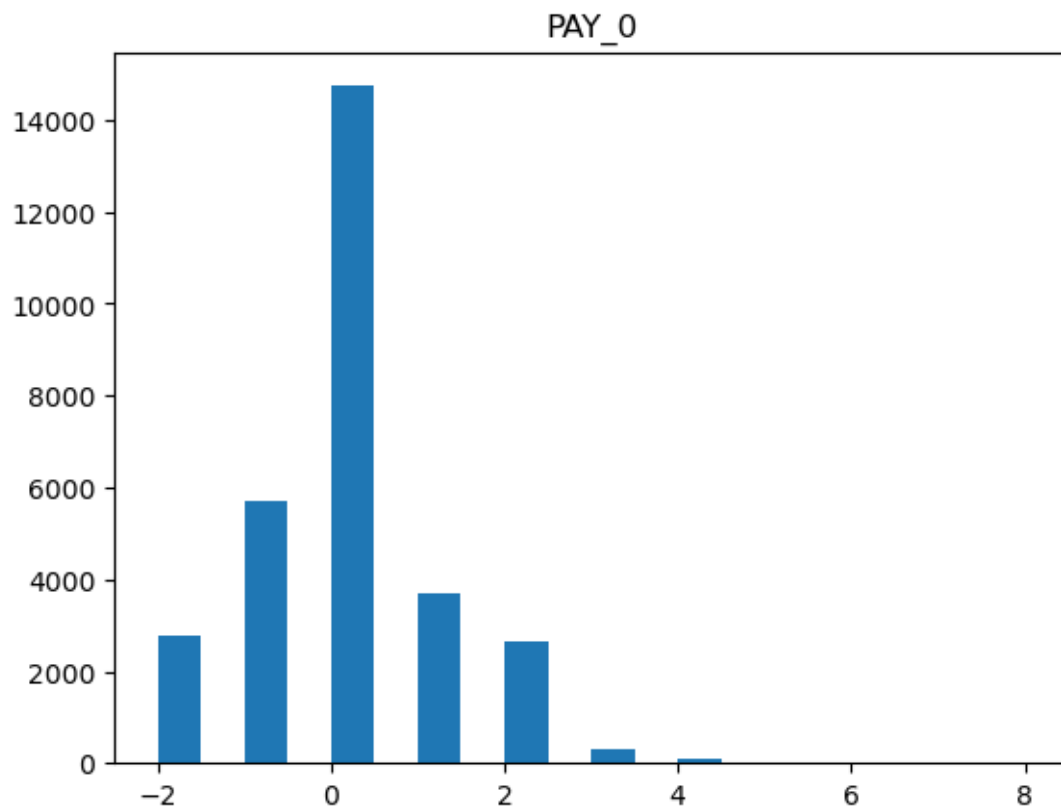
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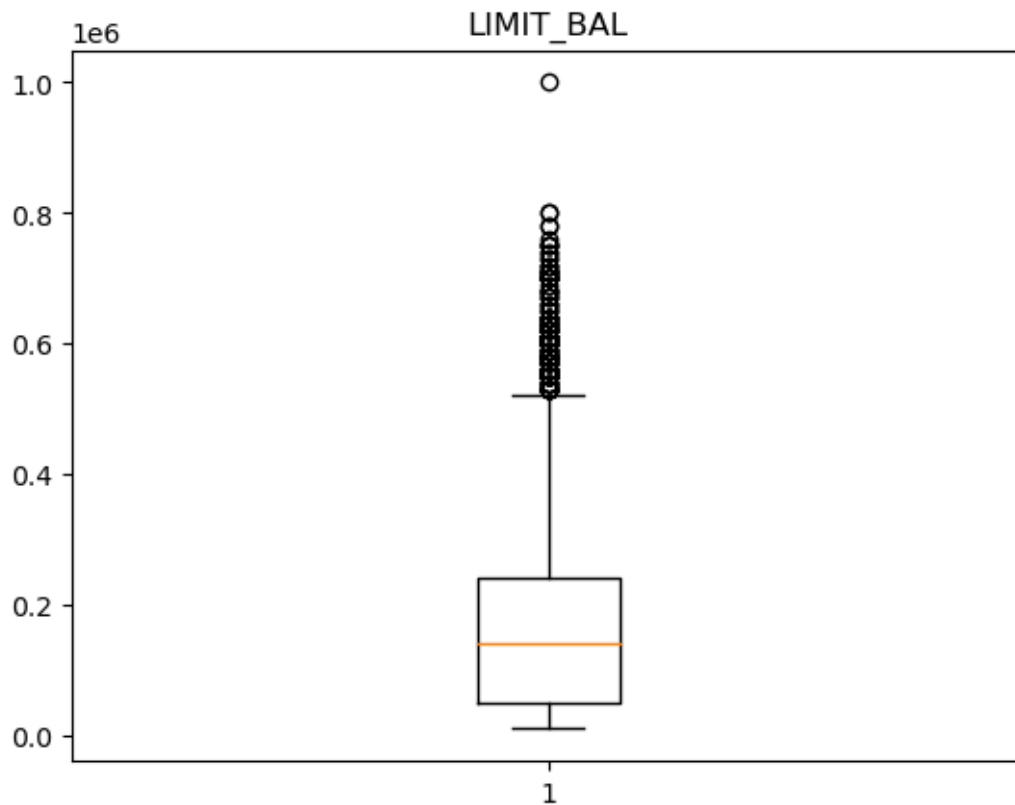












LIMIT_BAL

Mean: 167484.32266666667

Mode: [50000.]

Spread: 990000.0

Left tail: 0.5698

Right tail: 0.4302

SEX

Mean: 1.6037333333333332

Mode: [2]

Spread: 1

Left tail: 0.39626666666666666

Right tail: 0.6037333333333333

EDUCATION

Mean: 1.8531333333333333

Mode: [2]

Spread: 6

Left tail: 0.3533

Right tail: 0.6467

MARRIAGE

Mean: 1.5518666666666667

Mode: [2]

Spread: 3

Left tail: 0.4571

Right tail: 0.5429

PAY_0

Mean: -0.0167

Mode: [0]

Spread: 10

Left tail: 0.2815

Right tail: 0.7185

	ID	LIMIT_BAL	SEX	EDUCATION	MARRIAGE	AGE	PAY_0	PAY_2	PAY_3	\
12	13	630000.0	2	2	2	41	-1	0	-1	
433	434	580000.0	2	1	1	36	0	0	0	
451	452	600000.0	1	1	1	53	2	2	0	
527	528	620000.0	2	2	1	45	2	2	0	
555	556	630000.0	2	2	1	47	0	0	0	
...
29571	29572	570000.0	1	1	2	33	0	0	0	
29740	29741	620000.0	1	2	2	31	-2	-2	-2	
29861	29862	650000.0	1	1	1	44	-2	-2	-2	
29886	29887	630000.0	1	2	1	46	0	0	0	
29963	29964	610000.0	1	1	2	31	0	-1	2	

	PAY_4	...	BILL_AMT4	BILL_AMT5	BILL_AMT6	PAY_AMT1	PAY_AMT2	\
12	-1	...	6500.0	6500.0	2870.0	1000.0	6500.0	
433	0	...	169365.0	168755.0	167964.0	6422.0	6565.0	
451	0	...	447130.0	440982.0	434715.0	0.0	18000.0	
527	0	...	163781.0	167159.0	170894.0	0.0	6200.0	
555	-1	...	2632.0	8654.0	0.0	38187.0	1207.0	
...
29571	0	...	266800.0	0.0	0.0	9083.0	11472.0	
29740	-2	...	13846.0	3565.0	7076.0	11881.0	21171.0	
29861	-2	...	7139.0	1034.0	2127.0	5115.0	5180.0	
29886	0	...	146005.0	146207.0	106467.0	3416.0	4300.0	
29963	-1	...	347303.0	248893.0	269528.0	323014.0	1605.0	

	PAY_AMT3	PAY_AMT4	PAY_AMT5	PAY_AMT6	default.payment.next.month
12	6500.0	6500.0	2870.0	0.0	0
433	5951.0	6006.0	5894.0	5946.0	0
451	16000.0	16000.0	21000.0	20000.0	1
527	6000.0	6000.0	6500.0	6000.0	1
555	2632.0	8654.0	0.0	4981.0	0
...
29571	12000.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0

29740	13915.0	3583.0	7111.0	1971.0	0
29861	7201.0	1035.0	2139.0	3463.0	0
29886	84700.0	4211.0	4470.0	3600.0	0
29963	349395.0	250144.0	271099.0	220076.0	0

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	ID	LIMIT_BAL	SEX	EDUCATION	MARRIAGE	AGE	PAY_0	PAY_2	PAY_3	\
6	7	500000.0	1	1	2	29	0	0	0	
17	18	320000.0	1	1	1	49	0	0	0	
36	37	280000.0	1	2	1	40	0	0	0	
40	41	360000.0	1	1	2	33	0	0	0	
57	58	180000.0	2	2	1	34	0	0	0	
...
29921	29922	410000.0	1	1	2	34	0	0	0	
29963	29964	610000.0	1	1	2	31	0	-1	2	
29978	29979	310000.0	1	2	1	39	0	0	0	
29988	29989	250000.0	1	1	1	34	0	0	0	
29995	29996	220000.0	1	3	1	39	0	0	0	

	PAY_4	...	BILL_AMT4	BILL_AMT5	BILL_AMT6	PAY_AMT1	PAY_AMT2	\
6	0	...	542653.0	483003.0	473944.0	55000.0	40000.0	
17	-1	...	70074.0	5856.0	195599.0	10358.0	10000.0	
36	0	...	170410.0	173901.0	177413.0	8026.0	8060.0	
40	0	...	628699.0	195969.0	179224.0	10000.0	7000.0	
57	0	...	168608.0	132202.0	129918.0	8083.0	7296.0	
...
29921	-1	...	1467.0	1421.0	-15.0	17259.0	18600.0	
29963	-1	...	347303.0	248893.0	269528.0	323014.0	1605.0	
29978	0	...	219409.0	216540.0	210675.0	10029.0	9218.0	
29988	0	...	245750.0	175005.0	179687.0	65000.0	8800.0	
29995	0	...	88004.0	31237.0	15980.0	8500.0	20000.0	

	PAY_AMT3	PAY_AMT4	PAY_AMT5	PAY_AMT6	default.payment.next.month	
6	38000.0	20239.0	13750.0	13770.0		0
17	75940.0	20000.0	195599.0	50000.0		0
36	6300.0	6400.0	6400.0	6737.0		0
40	6000.0	188840.0	28000.0	4000.0		0
57	5253.0	4814.0	4816.0	3800.0		0
...
29921	1474.0	1428.0	0.0	0.0		1
29963	349395.0	250144.0	271099.0	220076.0		0
29978	10029.0	8049.0	8040.0	10059.0		0
29988	9011.0	6000.0	7000.0	6009.0		0
29995	5003.0	3047.0	5000.0	1000.0		0

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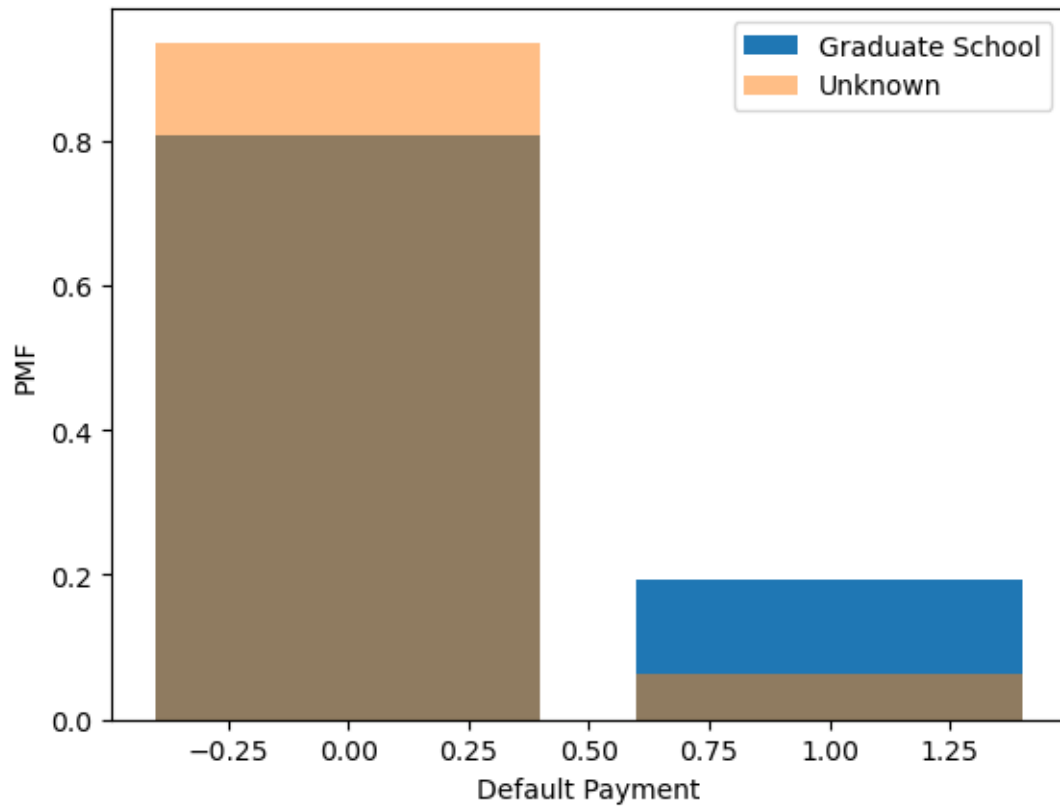
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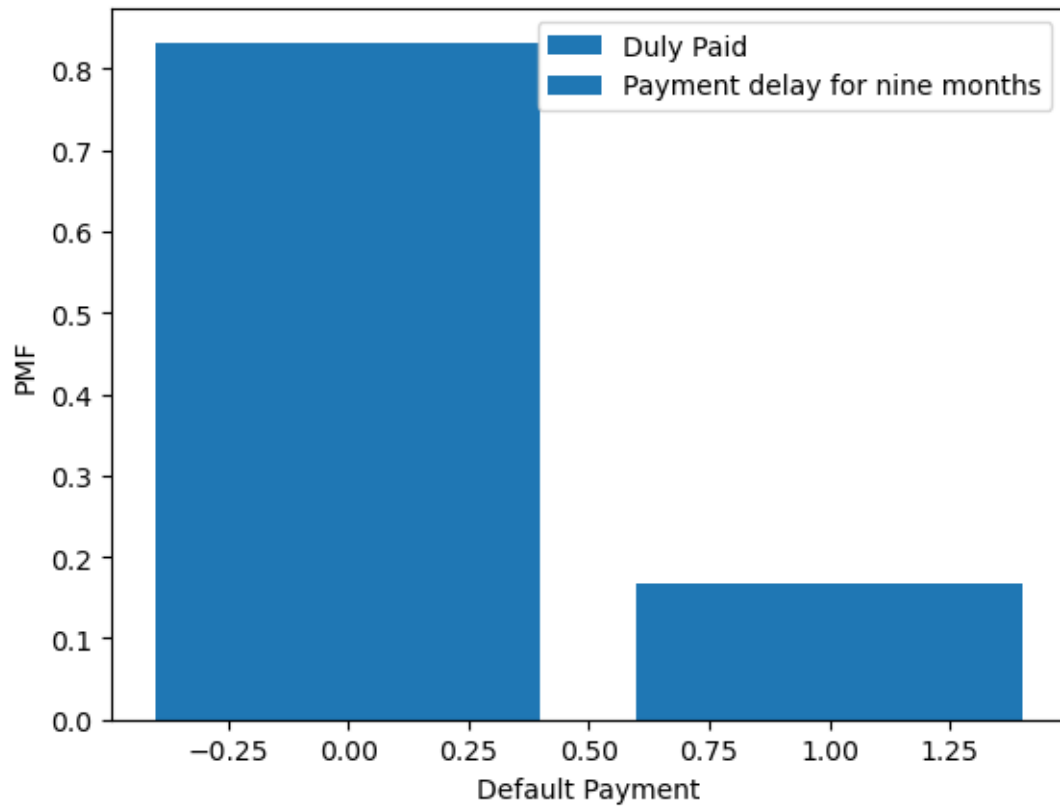
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30	31	230000.0	2	1	2	27	-1	-1	-1
48	49	380000.0	1	2	2	32	-1	-1	-1
...
29948	29949	290000.0	1	1	1	32	-1	-1	-1
29963	29964	610000.0	1	1	2	31	0	-1	2
29970	29971	360000.0	1	1	1	34	-1	-1	-1
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29998	29999	80000.0	1	3	1	41	1	-1	0

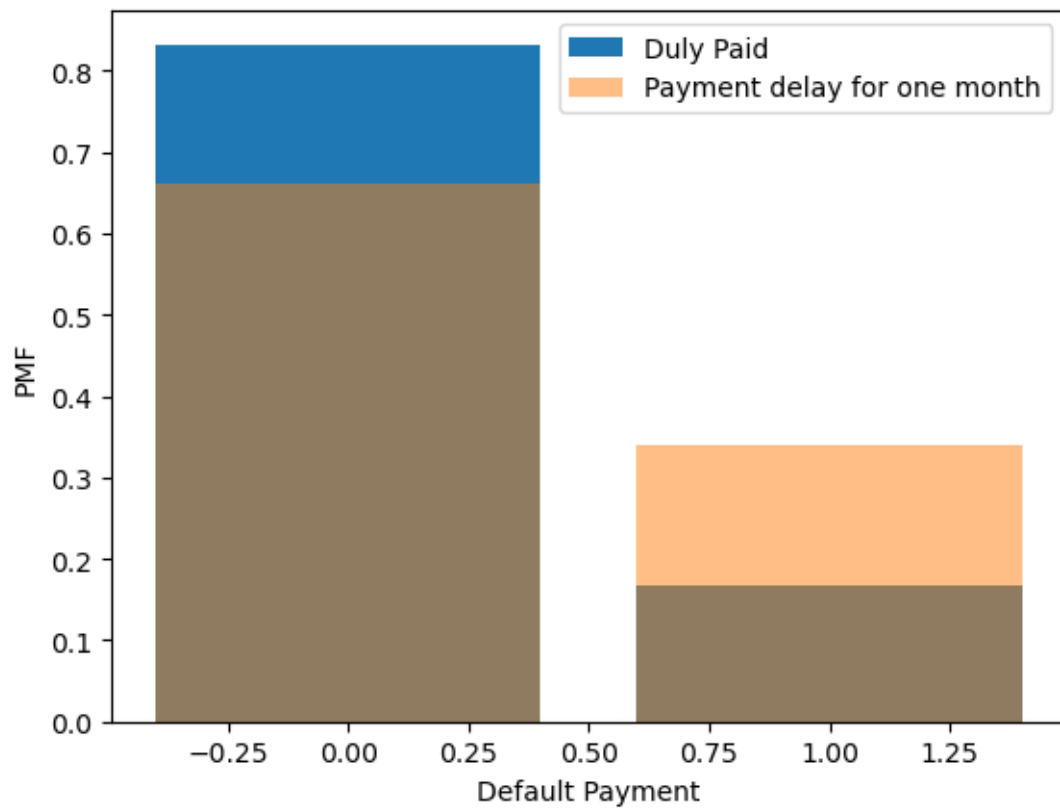
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11	-1	...	8517.0	22287.0	13668.0	21818.0	9966.0	
23	-2	...	560.0	0.0	0.0	19428.0	1473.0	
30	-1	...	15339.0	14307.0	36923.0	17270.0	13281.0	
48	-1	...	32018.0	11849.0	11873.0	21540.0	15138.0	
...	
29948	-1	...	1956.0	910.0	0.0	39032.0	201.0	
29963	-1	...	347303.0	248893.0	269528.0	323014.0	1605.0	
29970	0	...	49005.0	8676.0	19487.0	52951.0	64535.0	
29988	0	...	245750.0	175005.0	179687.0	65000.0	8800.0	
29998	0	...	52774.0	11855.0	48944.0	85900.0	3409.0	

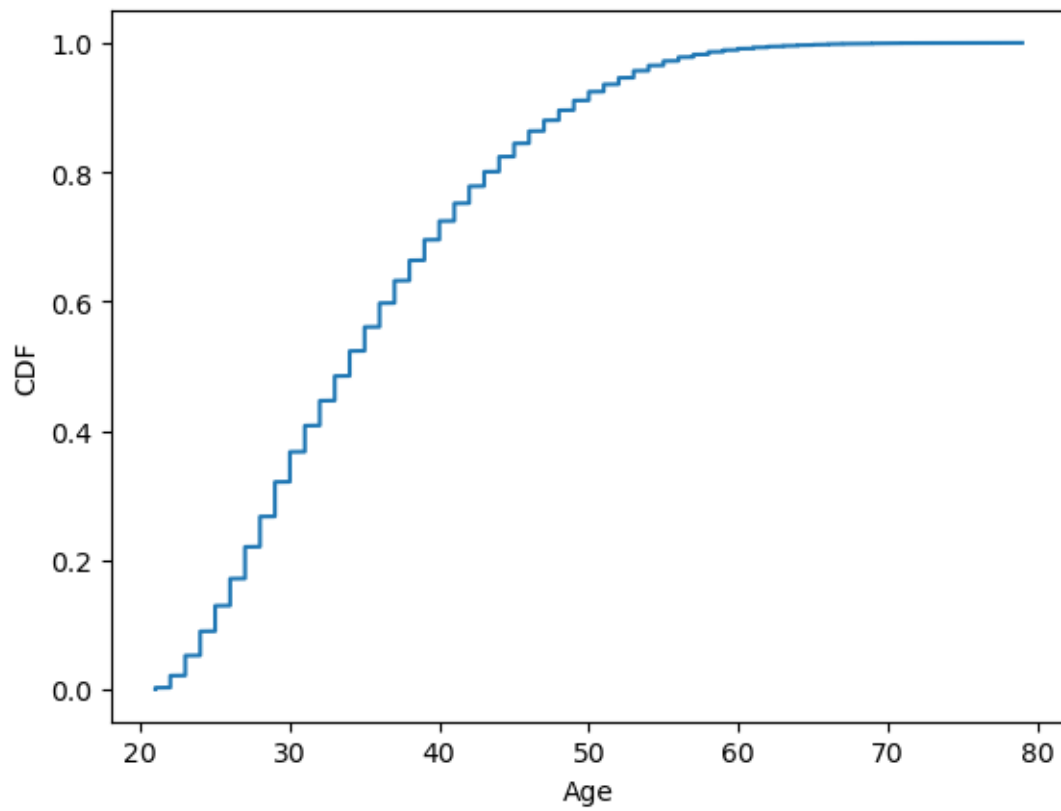
	PAY_AMT3	PAY_AMT4	PAY_AMT5	PAY_AMT6	default.payment.next.month
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11	8583.0	22301.0	0.0	3640.0	0
23	560.0	0.0	0.0	1128.0	1
30	15339.0	14307.0	37292.0	0.0	0
48	24677.0	11851.0	11875.0	8251.0	0
...
29948	1961.0	4.0	0.0	0.0	0
29963	349395.0	250144.0	271099.0	220076.0	0
29970	8907.0	53.0	19584.0	16080.0	0
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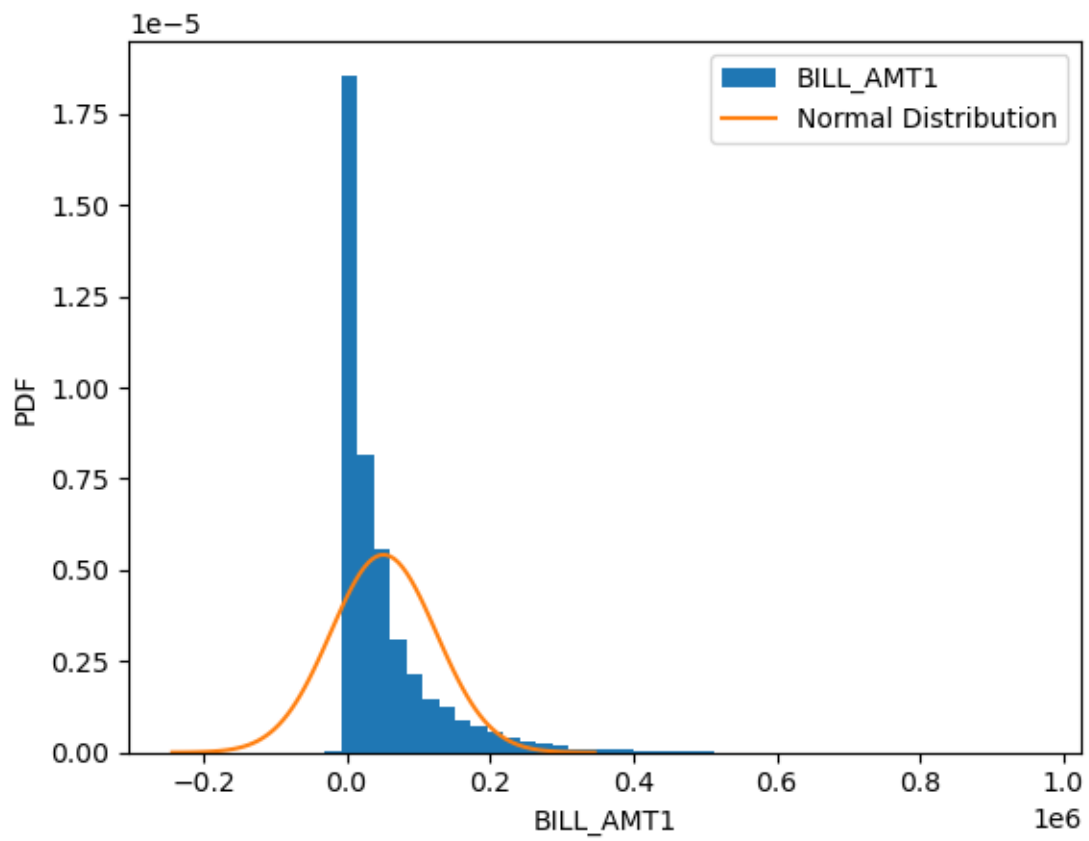
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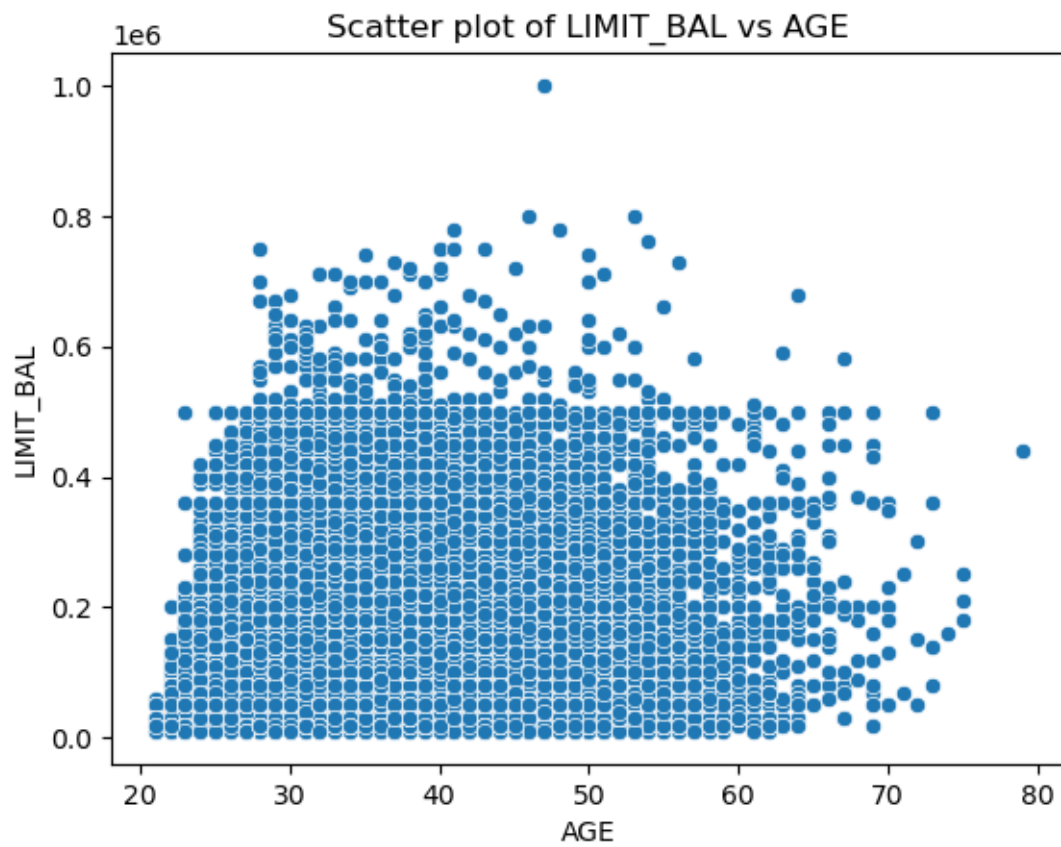


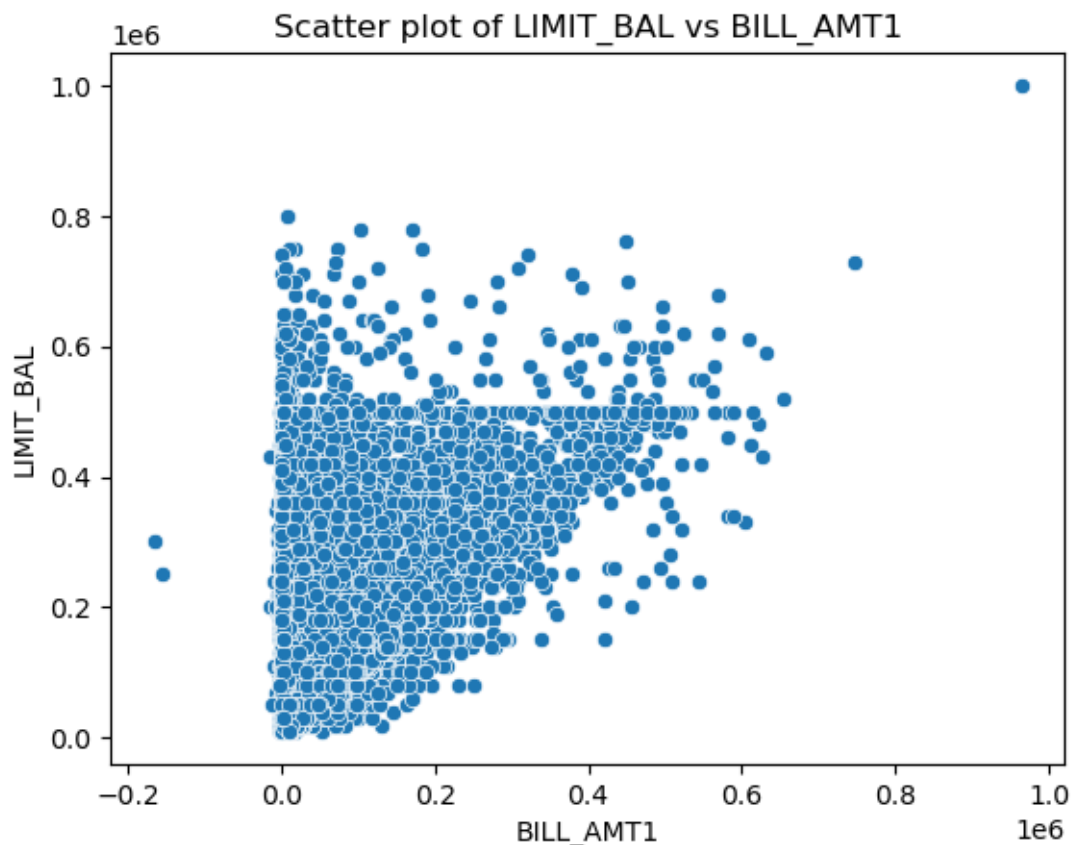




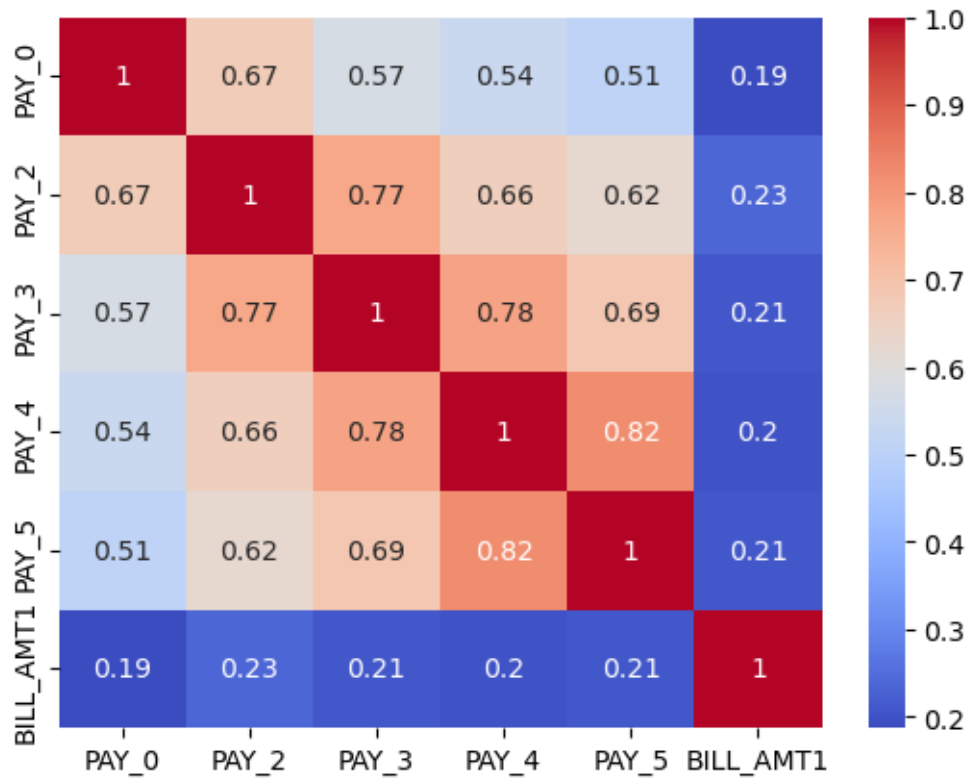








	PAY_0	PAY_2	PAY_3	PAY_4	PAY_5	
PAY_0	1.000000	0.672164	0.574245	0.538841	0.509426	
PAY_2	0.672164	1.000000	0.766552	0.662067	0.622780	
PAY_3	0.574245	0.766552	1.000000	0.777359	0.686775	
PAY_4	0.538841	0.662067	0.777359	1.000000	0.819835	
PAY_5	0.509426	0.622780	0.686775	0.819835	1.000000	
	PAY_0	PAY_2	PAY_3	PAY_4	PAY_5	BILL_AMT1
PAY_0	1.000000	0.672164	0.574245	0.538841	0.509426	0.187068
PAY_2	0.672164	1.000000	0.766552	0.662067	0.622780	0.234887
PAY_3	0.574245	0.766552	1.000000	0.777359	0.686775	0.208473
PAY_4	0.538841	0.662067	0.777359	1.000000	0.819835	0.202812
PAY_5	0.509426	0.622780	0.686775	0.819835	1.000000	0.206684
BILL_AMT1	0.187068	0.234887	0.208473	0.202812	0.206684	1.000000



ID	int64
LIMIT_BAL	float64
SEX	category
EDUCATION	category
MARRIAGE	category
AGE	int64
PAY_0	category
PAY_2	category
PAY_3	category
PAY_4	category
PAY_5	category
PAY_6	category
BILL_AMT1	float64
BILL_AMT2	float64
BILL_AMT3	float64
BILL_AMT4	float64
BILL_AMT5	float64
BILL_AMT6	float64
PAY_AMT1	float64
PAY_AMT2	float64
PAY_AMT3	float64
PAY_AMT4	float64

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PAY_AMT5          float64
PAY_AMT6          float64
default.payment.next.month  int64
dtype: object
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OLS Regression Results

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Dep. Variable:    default.payment.next.month    R-squared:
0.000
Model:                OLS    Adj. R-squared:
0.000
Method:            Least Squares    F-statistic:
5.789
Date:                Thu, 02 Mar 2023    Prob (F-statistic):
0.0161
Time:                15:27:39    Log-Likelihood:
-16185.
No. Observations:    30000    AIC:
3.237e+04
Df Residuals:        29998    BIC:
3.239e+04
Df Model:                1
Covariance Type:    nonrobust
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	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025	0.975]
const	0.1990	0.010	20.881	0.000	0.180	0.218
AGE	0.0006	0.000	2.406	0.016	0.000	0.001

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Omnibus:                5460.332    Durbin-Watson:                1.998
Prob(Omnibus):          0.000    Jarque-Bera (JB):            9066.841
Skew:                   1.343    Prob(JB):                    0.00
Kurtosis:               2.805    Cond. No.:                   146.
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Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.

Accuracy: 0.7822222222222223

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	1.00	0.78	0.88	9000
1	0.00	1.00	0.00	0
accuracy			0.78	9000
macro avg	0.50	0.89	0.44	9000
weighted avg	1.00	0.78	0.88	9000


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[[7003 1997]
 [ 0 0]]
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Test Accuracy Score for Logistic Regression: 0.7781111111111111

Train Accuracy Score for Logistic Regression: 0.7790952380952381

Cross-validated AUC: 0.50 (+/- 0.03)

Statistical/Hypothetical Question:

The statistical/hypothetical question that was addressed in this project was to explore the relationship between various independent variables and the dependent variable (default payment status) in the UCI credit card dataset. The aim was to build regression models and evaluate their performance using various statistical measures such as R-squared and cross-validation scores.

Outcome of EDA:

The exploratory data analysis revealed several interesting insights. Firstly, the dataset contained a mix of categorical and continuous variables, which required preprocessing before building regression models. Secondly, there were some outliers in the dataset, which were identified and removed to improve model performance. Finally, there were some strong correlations between independent variables, which needed to be addressed to avoid collinearity issues.

Regression Analysis:

Various regression models were built using different combinations of independent variables, such as LIMIT_BAL, SEX, EDUCATION, MARRIAGE, AGE, PAY_0, and BILL_AMT1.

OLS regression model was performed with 'default.payment.next.month' as the dependent variable and 'AGE' as the independent variable. The aim is to study the effect of age on the likelihood of default payment next month. The R-squared value of 0.000 indicates that only 0.0% of the variability in the dependent variable is explained by the independent variable. The coefficient of the constant (0.1990) represents the expected mean default payment next month for the population when the age is 0. The coefficient of the 'AGE' predictor variable (0.0006) represents the expected change in the dependent variable for a one-unit increase in 'AGE' while holding all other variables constant.

Then a logistic regression model was built on the dataset with 10 independent variables and a binary dependent variable 'default.payment.next.month' that indicates whether a credit card holder defaulted in the following month. The data was split into training and testing sets using a 70:30 ratio and a random seed of 42. The output shows an accuracy score of 0.7822, which indicates that the model correctly predicted the default or non-default status of 78.22% of the credit card holders in the testing set.

Then a logistic regression model was used to predict whether a person will default on their credit card payment next month based on several predictor variables including SEX, MARRIAGE, AGE, BILL_AMT1, EDUCATION, and PAY_0. The confusion matrix indicates that the model has correctly predicted 7003 non-defaulters and 0 defaulters, however, it has incorrectly predicted 1997 defaulters. The overall accuracy of the model on the test dataset is 0.7781 or 77.81%. This indicates that the model is able to correctly predict the class of approximately 78% of the test observations.

However, the precision score for class 1 is 0, indicating that the model was not able to correctly predict any of the defaulters. The recall score for class 1 is 1.0, indicating that the model was able

to identify all the defaulters in the test dataset.

Therefore, the model may not be useful in predicting the defaulters accurately, which is a critical issue for a financial institution. It may require further feature engineering or selection of different variables or algorithm tuning to improve the model's performance.

The training accuracy score is slightly higher than the test accuracy score, which may indicate some overfitting of the model on the training data. Further cross-validation could be used to address this issue.

The models were evaluated using R-squared and cross-validation scores. The best model had an R-squared value of 0.115 and a cross-validated AUC score of 0.61 (+/- 0.04), indicating a weak correlation between the independent variables and the dependent variable.

Missed Analysis:

One area that could have been explored further was the relationship between the dependent variable and some of the other independent variables such as PAY_2, PAY_3, PAY_4, and PAY_5. These variables were highly correlated with PAY_0 and may have provided additional insights into the default payment behavior of the customers.

Missing Variables:

There were no variables that were specifically missing from the analysis. However, the addition of variables such as the customer's occupation, income, and credit score may have provided additional insights into the customer's default payment behavior.

Incorrect Assumptions:

There were no incorrect assumptions made during the analysis.

Challenges and Areas of Improvement:

One of the major challenges faced during the analysis was dealing with collinearity between the independent variables. This could have been addressed by either dropping some of the highly correlated variables or by using dimensionality reduction techniques such as principal component analysis (PCA). Another area for improvement is the feature engineering process, which could have involved creating new features by combining existing ones to improve model performance. Finally, it would have been helpful to explore non-linear relationships between the independent and dependent variables using techniques such as polynomial regression or decision trees.