Business Report for AIR BNB

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1. Executive Summary

The dataset contains 60,209 Airbnb listings, including room types, accommodations, pricing, cancellation policies, and review scores, with 11 missing columns, especially in review scores and property attributes.

2. Introduction

. Problem Statement: The problem statement highlights the various factors that influence the pricing and booking potential of Airbnb listings.

.Objective: The study will investigate room types, pricing patterns, review scores, and booking policies through data preparation, exploratory data analysis (EDA), and interpretation of results.

.Dataset Description:

*Room Information Overview: Includes room_type, accommodates, bathrooms, bedrooms, beds

- * Log_price column represents log-transformed price.
- * Booking & Policies: cancellation_policy, instant_bookable, cleaning_fee affect listing preference.
- * Review scores: captures guest feedback.
- *Data Issues: missing values in review_scores_rating, bathrooms, and beds.

3. Data Preparation

- Review Scores Rating Missing Values
 - 13,601 missing values (22.6%)
 - Possible imputement or removal based on relevance.
- "Minor Missing Values in Bathrooms, Bedrooms, Beds"
 - Filling with median values.
- "Room Type, Cancellation Policy, Cleaning Fee Imputed"
 - Few missing values.
 - Mode can impute.
- Data Analysis:
 - No duplicate values.

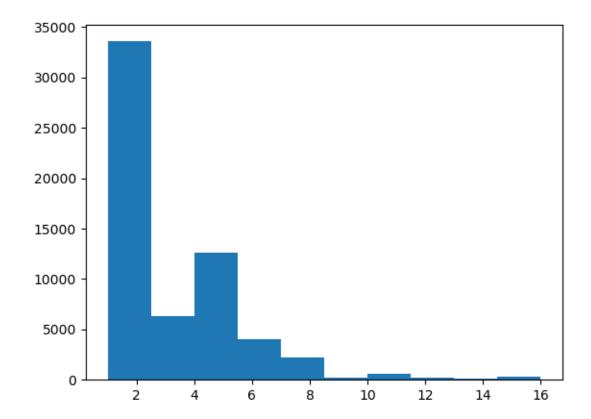
4. Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

Data Checking Process:

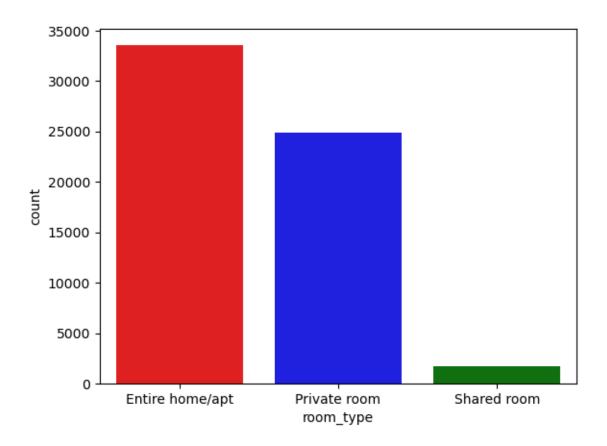
- Import data.
- Inspect top and last rows.
- Determine data dimension.
- Gather data information.
- Summarize data for statistical analysis.
- Understand data types.
- Check data columns.
- Check missing values and duplicates.

Univariate Analysis:

- The Histogram is used to analyze the distribution of accommodates.
- The data shows a skew distribution, with a dominant preference for lower values, a long tail showing a minority preference, and a sharp drop-off indicating a potential imbalance.



• The most preferred room type is "Entire home/apt," followed by "Private room" as the second most popular option. The least popular is "Shared room," with a significant gap between its counts and other room types, indicating limited appeal.

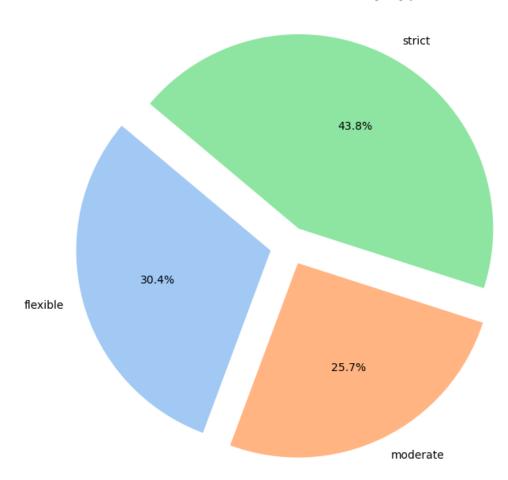


Policy Distribution Analysis

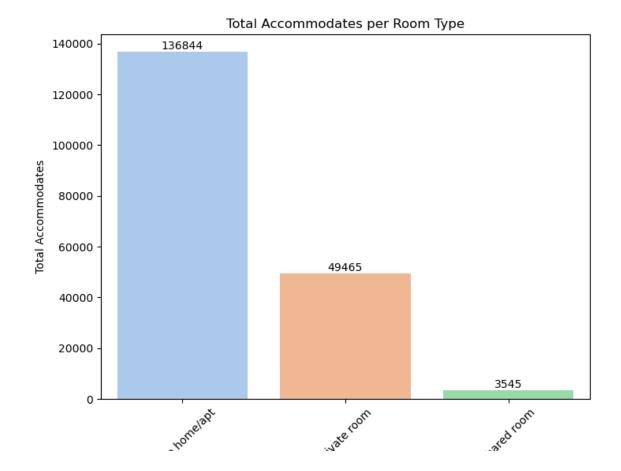
- Strict Policies: Majority of cancellations fall under strict policies, indicating preference for definitive terms.
- Flexible Policies: Majority of cancellations are handled under flexible policies, indicating value for flexibility.
- Moderate Policies: Small yet significant portion of cancellations, indicating balanced approach.
- Strategic Insights: Analysis can optimize cancellation policies to meet user demands and maintain operational efficiency.

• Bivariate/Multivariate Analysis:





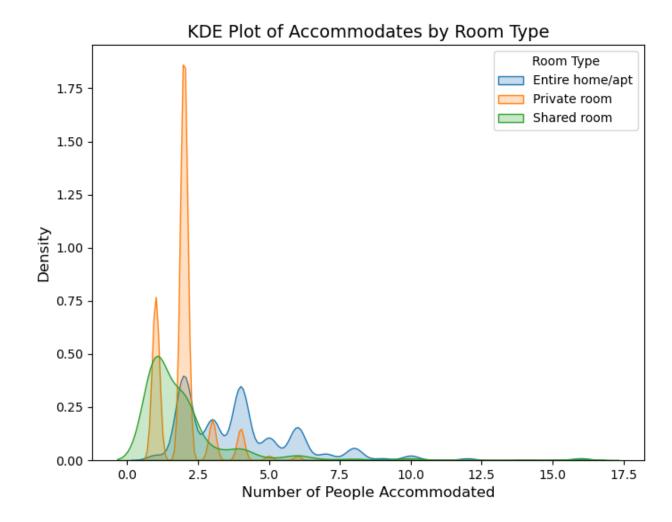
- The "Entire home/apt" category has the highest number of accommodations, with 136,844 units. Private rooms are less popular than entire homes or apartments, with 49,465.
- Shared rooms have the least popularity, with 3,545 accommodations. The data indicates a preference hierarchy, with entire homes/apts yielding the most opportunities for hosts or renters.

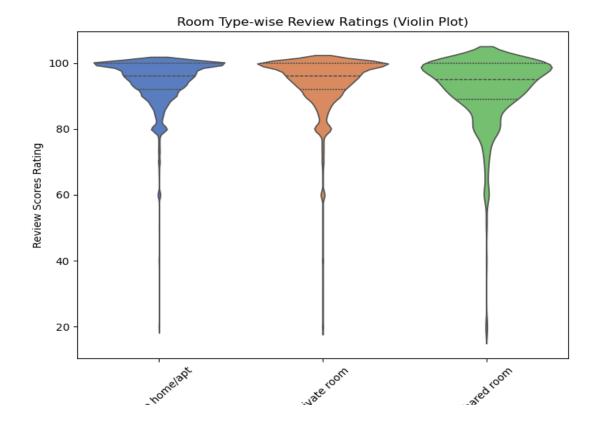


Peak Density and Distribution of Rooms

- Private rooms have the highest density peak around 2 people, indicating they are designed for small groups or couples.
- Entire homes/apts have a broader distribution, accommodating a wider range of group sizes.
- Shared rooms have a sharp peak for accommodating 1-2 people, primarily targeting individuals or small groups.

- Entire homes/apts are more versatile in terms of group size.
- For larger groups, focus on entire homes/apts. For individual travelers or couples, private and shared rooms are better options.





Purpose of the Chart

This violin plot visualizes the distribution of review score ratings for different room types, providing insights into the spread, density, and central tendency of ratings.

Key Observations

• High Median Ratings Across All Room Types:

The median ratings (dashed lines) for all room types are close to 100, indicating high satisfaction levels across the board.

• Entire Home/Apt (Blue):

Consistent ratings with a narrow spread, suggesting high and stable satisfaction among guests. Few outliers exist at lower ratings.

• Private Room (Orange):

Slightly wider distribution compared to entire homes, showing more variability in ratings. However, the majority are clustered near the top, indicating generally positive feedback.

Shared Room (Green):

zThe widest spread among the three categories, with more occurrences of lower ratings. This suggests that shared rooms may have more variability in guest experiences.

Key Insights:

- Focus on Entire Home/Apt: High guest satisfaction, stable ratings suggest consistent positive outcomes.
 - Private Rooms: High ratings, room for improvement through better amenities or service.
- Shared Rooms: High variability, lower ratings, need standardization and guest concerns addressed.

5. Results and Interpretation

Key Findings:

- Hosts should increase accommodation capacity for higher revenue.
- Customer ratings aren't directly linked to property attributes.
- Service quality, location, cleanliness may influence reviews.

• Visualizations:

Uni-varient Analysis

Histogram – accommodates,

Countplot – Count of Room types

Bi-Varient Analysis

Pie-chart- Count of cancellation policiees

Bar plot- Total Accommodates per Room Type,

KDE plot – Accommodates by Room Type,

violinplot - Room Type-wise Review Ratings

Property Pricing Recommendations

- More Beds & Bedrooms: Strong positive correlation with higher prices.
- Less Impact of Bathrooms: Focus on luxury amenities and cleanliness.
- Ratings: Little correlation with property size.
- Improvements: Enhance guest experience through better service, cleanliness, and communication.

6. Conclusion

- **Summary of Analysis:**
- ❖ Data primarily concentrated around 2 values.
- ❖ High frequency of low values and low frequency of high values.
- * Relevant in economics, where income distribution often shows high-income individuals.
- "Entire Home/Apt" category is most prevalent, followed by "Private Room," and "Shared Room."
- ♦ Most prevalent cancellation policy type is "strict," accounting for nearly half of the total (43.8%).

- ❖ "Flexible" policy type represents about a third (30.4%), and "moderate" policy type is the least common (25.7%).
- * "Entire Home/Apt" category has the highest number of accommodations (136,844), "Private Room" with 49,465 accommodations, and "Shared Room" with 3,545.
- ❖ Private rooms are most commonly designed to accommodate 2 people, while entire homes or apartments offer more flexibility.
- ❖ All three room types receive high review scores, with slight variations reflecting differences in guest satisfaction levels.