Trader Behavior Analysis Report using Bitcoin Fear & Greed Index

Objective:

- To analyze how traders behave under different market sentiments fear vs. greed.
- To discover trends and patterns in trade size, frequency, and profitability with respect to sentiment.
- To visualize the impact of sentiment on trading decisions

Data Sources:

- Sentiment Data: Bitcoin Fear & Greed Index over time.
- Trader Data: Anonymized data containing timestamps, trade sizes, profit/loss status,

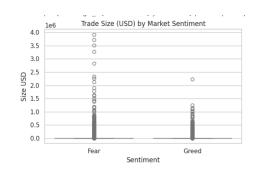
Both datasets were obtained via public Google Drive links and loaded using Pandas

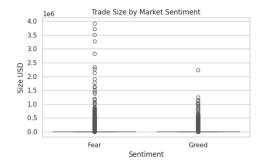
Preprocessing:

- Checked for missing values
- Merged the datasets on timestamp after rounding or aligning to the same granularity.
- Created a new column Sentiment:
 - θ = Fear (index < 50)
 - $1 = Greed (index \ge 50)$

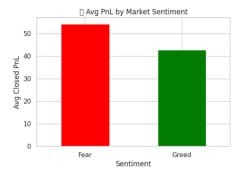
Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA):

- Boxplot: Trade Size vs Sentiment
- Countplot: Number of Trades under Fear/Greed
- Histogram: Trade size distribution by sentiment









Observations:

- Trade sizes are generally larger during *Greed*.
- Number of trades increases during Fear, suggesting panic-driven behavior.
- Profitability tends to be inconsistent during extreme fear.

Insights:

- Fear leads to more frequent, smaller trades
- Could be used to build better trading signals or detect irrational trader behavior
- Greed-driven markets encourage larger but fewer trades.