Project3-Project Proposal (Ridesharing analysis)

Question/need:

• What is the framing question of your analysis, or the purpose of the model/system you plan to build?

Lyft's current market share is 32% while Uber is 68%. Opportunity: Help Lyft increase market share.

• Who benefits from exploring this question or building this model/system?

Lyft will benefit from it - gain more revenue;

Users - to save money on each ride(lower price)/have more change to user Lyft's service(increase supply)

Data Description:

• What dataset(s) do you plan to use, and how will you obtain the data?

Boston's dataset cab_price data on Kaggle incluse 600,000+ data points.

• What is an individual sample/unit of analysis in this project? What characteristics/features do you expect to work with?

Features: "source" (pick up location), "time of the day", "distance", "sharing type"

If modeling, what will you predict as your target?

Target:"price"

Tools:

• How do you intend to meet the tools requirement of the project?

Excel for preliminary data analysis and visualization Tableau for further analysis with an interactive dashboard

• Are you planning in advance to need or use additional tools beyond those required?

Python for basic data cleaning

MVP Goal:

What would a minimum viable product (MVP) look like for this project?

To be able to find the price difference based on pick up locations, time of the day. Find out potential locations & time to improve revenue.