Case Study: data in UK

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Purpose

Determine what characteristics (variables) make someone more likely to smoke.

Dataset

UK smoking dataset retrieved from Kaggle original source with 1691 observations and 12 variables.

Dataset Reliability

This dataset has been reviewed and been deemed factually accurate by the source's learning team.

Setup

Preparing packages used.

```
library(tidyverse)
library(ggplot2)
library(dplyr)
library(ggcorrplot)
```

Importing dataset.

```
data = read.csv("smoking.csv")
head(data)
```

```
X gender age marital_status highest_qualification nationality ethnicity
## 1 1
         Male
               38
                         Divorced
                                       No Qualification
                                                             British
                                                                          White
## 2 2 Female
               42
                           Single
                                       No Qualification
                                                             British
                                                                          White
## 3 3
         Male
               40
                          Married
                                                  Degree
                                                             English
                                                                          White
## 4 4 Female
               40
                          Married
                                                  Degree
                                                             English
                                                                          White
## 5 5 Female
               39
                          Married
                                            GCSE/O Level
                                                             British
                                                                          White
## 6 6 Female
               37
                          Married
                                            GCSE/O Level
                                                             British
                                                                          White
##
         gross_income
                          region smoke amt_weekends amt_weekdays
                                                                      type
## 1
       2,600 to 5,200 The North
                                                  NA
                                                               NA
## 2
          Under 2,600 The North
                                                  12
                                                               12 Packets
                                   Yes
## 3 28,600 to 36,400 The North
                                                  NA
                                                               NA
## 4 10,400 to 15,600 The North
                                                  NA
                                                               NA
                                    No
       2,600 to 5,200 The North
                                                  NA
                                                               NA
                                    No
## 6 15,600 to 20,800 The North
                                                  NA
                                                               NA
                                    No
```

Diving into the Data

```
data %>% count(gender) %>% rename("amount"="n")
     gender amount
##
## 1 Female
                965
## 2
       Male
                726
data %>% count(marital_status) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
     marital_status amount
## 1
           Divorced
## 2
            Married
                        812
## 3
          Separated
                         68
## 4
             Single
                        427
## 5
            Widowed
                        223
data %>% count(highest_qualification) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
     highest_qualification amount
## 1
                   A Levels
                                105
## 2
                     Degree
                                262
## 3
                   GCSE/CSE
                                102
## 4
              GCSE/O Level
                                308
## 5
         Higher/Sub Degree
                                125
## 6
          No Qualification
                                586
## 7
                   ONC/BTEC
                                76
## 8
          Other/Sub Degree
                                127
Here we have Refused and Unknown values. Instead of having both of these categories we will combine the
two together. By checking again we see we have successfully combined the two.
data$nationality[data$nationality == "Refused" ] <- "Unknown"</pre>
data %>% count(nationality) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
     nationality amount
## 1
         British
                     538
## 2
         English
                     833
## 3
           Irish
                      23
## 4
           Other
                      71
## 5
        Scottish
                     142
## 6
         Unknown
                      18
## 7
           Welsh
                      66
data %>% count(ethnicity) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
     ethnicity amount
## 1
         Asian
                    41
## 2
         Black
                    34
```

```
## 3
       Chinese
                    27
## 4
         Mixed
                    14
       Refused
## 5
                    13
                     2
## 6
       Unknown
## 7
         White
                  1560
data %>% count(gross_income) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
           gross_income amount
## 1
      10,400 to 15,600
                            268
## 2
      15,600 to 20,800
                            188
## 3
        2,600 to 5,200
                            257
## 4
      20,800 to 28,600
                            155
## 5
      28,600 to 36,400
                             79
## 6
       5,200 to 10,400
                            396
## 7
                             89
           Above 36,400
## 8
                            108
                Refused
## 9
           Under 2,600
                            133
## 10
                Unknown
                             18
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two together. By checking again we see we have successfully combined the two.
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data %>% count(gross_income) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
         gross_income amount
## 1 10,400 to 15,600
                           268
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       2,600 to 5,200
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                           396
## 7
         Above 36,400
                            89
## 8
          Under 2,600
                           133
## 9
               Unknown
                           126
data %>% count(region) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
                      region amount
## 1
                      London
                                 182
## 2 Midlands & East Anglia
                                 443
## 3
                    Scotland
                                 148
                  South East
## 4
                                 252
## 5
                  South West
                                 157
## 6
                   The North
                                 426
## 7
                       Wales
                                  83
data %>% count(smoke) %>% rename("amount"="n")
##
     smoke amount
## 1
        No
              1270
## 2
               421
       Yes
```

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This means 75.1 % of the data has null values for the amt_weekdays too.

```
amt <- data %>% count(is.na(amt_weekdays)) %>% rename("NA_value" = "is.na(amt_weekdays)" ) %>% rename(".amt$amount[2]/(amt$amount[2] + amt$amount[1])
```

```
## [1] 0.7510349
```

```
amt
```

```
## NA_value amount
## 1 FALSE 421
## 2 TRUE 1270
```

Since this a high percentage I have decided to not include these two variables (amt_weekdays and amt_weekends)

Similar action is taken for type where there are a large amount of null values also.

```
data %>% count(type) %>% rename("amount"="n")
```

```
## type amount
## 1
## 2 Both/Mainly Hand-Rolled 10
## 3 Both/Mainly Packets 42
## 4 Hand-Rolled 72
## 5 Packets 297
```

Additionally the first column called X is not useful for analysis since it is just the number of the row. We will also change the gender, marital_status, highest_qualification, nationality, ethnicity, gross_income, region, and smoke columns into factors.

```
data <- data[2:10]
data$gender <- as.factor(data$gender)
data$marital_status <- as.factor(data$marital_status)
data$highest_qualification <- as.factor(data$highest_qualification)
data$nationality <- as.factor(data$nationality)</pre>
```

```
data$ethnicity <- as.factor(data$ethnicity)
data$gross_income <- as.factor(data$gross_income)
data$region <- as.factor(data$region)
data$smoke <- as.factor(data$smoke)
head(data)</pre>
```

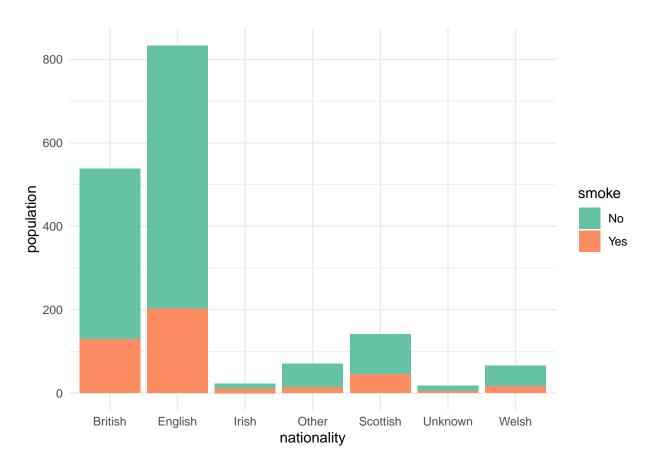
```
gender age marital_status highest_qualification nationality ethnicity
## 1
      Male 38
                     Divorced
                                    No Qualification
                                                         British
                                                                     White
## 2 Female 42
                        Single
                                    No Qualification
                                                                     White
                                                         British
## 3
      Male 40
                      Married
                                              Degree
                                                         English
                                                                     White
## 4 Female 40
                      Married
                                              Degree
                                                         English
                                                                     White
## 5 Female 39
                      Married
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                                                         British
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        gross_income
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         Under 2,600 The North
                                  Yes
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                                  No
## 4 10,400 to 15,600 The North
                                  No
## 5 2,600 to 5,200 The North
                                  No
## 6 15,600 to 20,800 The North
                                  No
```

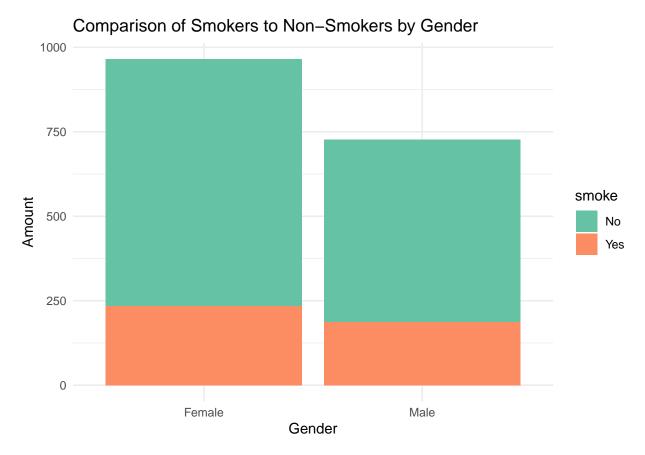
Data Visualization of Data

Some visualizations of data that could bring some insight on predicting who smokes.

```
data %>% group_by(nationality) %>%
  count(smoke) %>% rename("population" = "n") -> nat_smoke

ggplot(data = nat_smoke, aes(x=nationality, y = population, fill = smoke)) + geom_bar(stat="identity") + theme_minimal() #+ facet_wrap(~smoke)
```





To be continued