



GBM Parameters: Setting Up a Model

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- h2o.estimators.estimator_base.H2OEstimator  
-- h2o.model.model_base.ModelBase
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GBM Parameters: Defining Data

(same as RF)

- **training_frame:** H2OFrame used to train model
- **validation_frame:** H2OFrame used to validate model (optional)
- **y:** column name or index of target variable
- **x:** column names (of indices) of predictor variables
(default: all but y and ignored_columns)

- **ignored_columns:** columns to ignore (e.g. ID column)
- **ignore_const_cols:** ignore constant columns (default: True)
- **weights_column:** column by which to weight the data points

- **categorical_encoding:** encoding scheme for categorical variables:
{"enum", "one_hot_explicit", "binary", "eigen",
"label_encoder", "sort_by_response"} (default: "enum")

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