### **ASSIGNMENT 4**

## **Problem Statement: Abalone Age Prediction**

**Description:-** Predicting the age of abalone from physical measurements. The age of abalone is determined by cutting the shell through the cone, staining it, and counting the number of rings through a microscope -- a boring and time-consuming task. Other measurements, which are easier to obtain, are used to predict age. Further information, such as weather patterns and location (hence food availability) may be required to solve the problem.

#### **Attribute Information:**

Given is the attribute name, attribute type, measurement unit, and a brief description. The number of rings is the value to predict: either as a continuous value or as a classification problem.

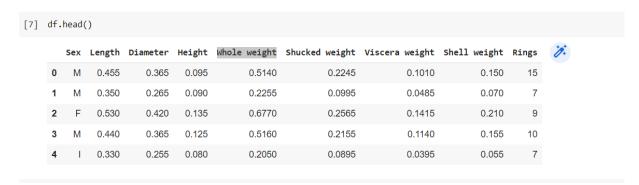
#### Name / Data Type / Measurement Unit / Description

- 1- Sex / nominal / -- / M, F, and I (infant)
- 2- Length / continuous / mm / Longest shell measurement
- 3- Diameter / continuous / mm / perpendicular to length
- 4- Height / continuous / mm / with meat in shell
- 5- Whole weight / continuous / grams / whole abalone
- 6- Shucked weight / continuous / grams / weight of meat
- 7- Viscera weight / continuous / grams / gut weight (after bleeding)
- 8- Shell weight / continuous / grams / after being dried
- 9- Rings / integer / -- / +1.5 gives the age in years

#### **Building a Regression Model**

- 1. Download the dataset: Dataset
- 2. Load the dataset into the tool.

```
[6] df=pd.read_csv('../abalone.csv')
```



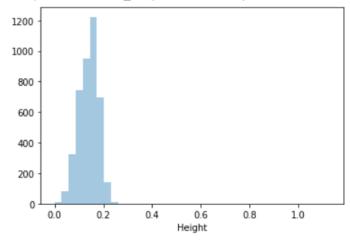
### 3. Perform Below Visualizations.

## · Univariate Analysis

```
import numpy as np
    import pandas as pd
    #For plotting
    from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
    import seaborn as sns
    %matplotlib inline
[9] sns.distplot(df.Height.dropna(), kde=False, bins = 39)
```

/usr/local/lib/python3.7/dist-packages/seaborn/distributions.py:2619: FutureWarni

warnings.warn(msg, FutureWarning) <matplotlib.axes.\_subplots.AxesSubplot at 0x7f02be9339d0>



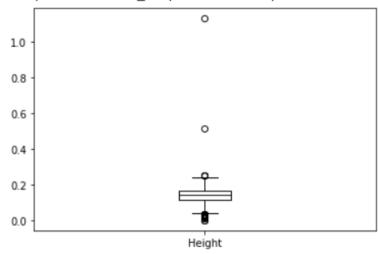
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Box plot:

```
[16] import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

df.boxplot(column=['Height'], grid=False, color='black')
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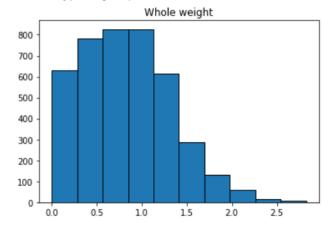
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## **Histogram:**

```
[17] import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

df.hist(column='Whole weight', grid=False, edgecolor='black')
```



## · Bi-Variate Analysis

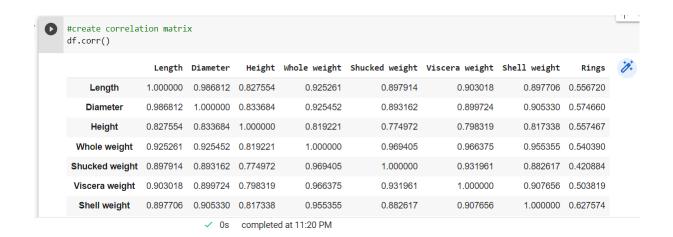
## 1. Scatterplots

```
[21] import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
      #create scatterplot of hours vs. score
     plt.scatter(df.Height, df.Length)
     plt.title('HEIGHT VS Length')
     plt.xlabel('HEIGHT')
     plt.ylabel('Length')
     Text(0, 0.5, 'Length')
                             HEIGHT VS Length
         0.8
         0.7
         0.6
         0.5
       Length
        0.4
         0.3
         0.2
         0.1
             0.0
                     0.2
                             0.4
                                     0.6
                                             0.8
                                                     10
```

#### 2. Correlation Coefficients

A Pearson Correlation Coefficient is a way to quantify the linear relationship between two variables.

We can use the corr() function in pandas to create a correlation matrix:

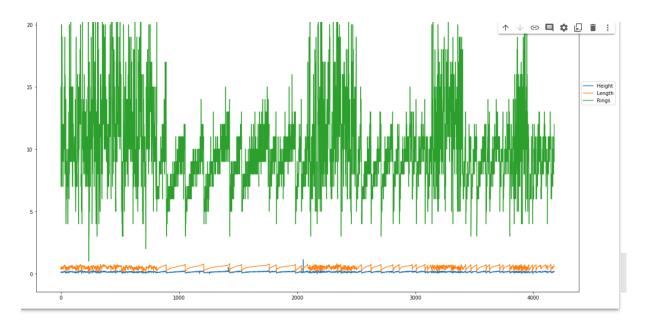


· Multi-Variate Analysis

Profile Plot

Profile plot, used to shows the variation in each of the variables, by plotting the value of each of the variables for each of the samples.

```
ax = df[["Height","Length","Rings"]].plot(figsize=(20,15))
ax.legend(loc='center left', bbox_to_anchor=(1, 0.5))
```



4. Perform descriptive statistics on the dataset.

Mean median and standard deviation.

```
#calculate mean
df['Height'].mean()

0.041827056607257274

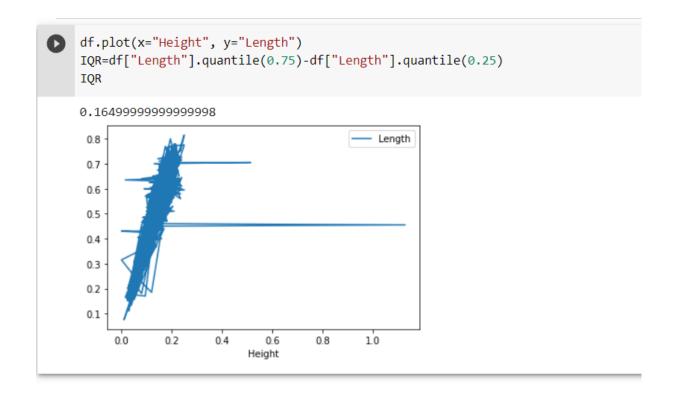
[15] #calculate median
df['Height'].median()

0.14

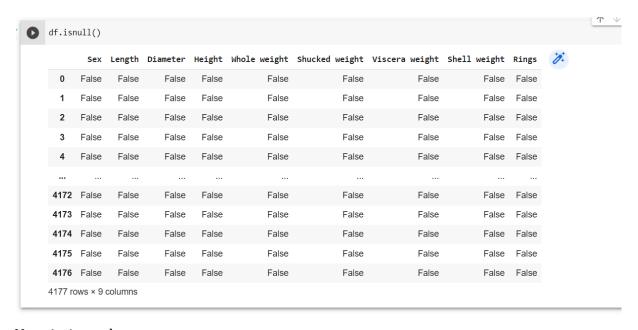
[14] #calculate standard deviation
df['Height'].std()

0.041827056607257274
```

# IQR(difference between 75% and 25% quartile)



5. Check for Missing values and deal with them.



No missing values.

6. Find the outliers and replace them outliers

### **Outliers Identification**

There are different ways and methods of identifying outliers, but we are only going to use some of the most popular techniques:

Skewness

### **Skewness**

the skewness value should be within the range of -1 to 1 for a normal distribution, any major changes from this value may indicate the presence of outliers.

```
print('skewness value of ring: ',df['Rings'].skew())
print('skewness value of height: ',df['Height'].skew())

skewness value of ring: 1.114101898355677
skewness value of height: 3.1288173790659615
```

value of 3.12 shows the variable has been rightly skewed,

indicating the presence of outliers.

## **Outliers Treatment**

• Trimming.

in this method, we removed and completely drop all the outliers, the line of code below creates an index for all data points and drop the index values.



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7. Check for Categorical columns and perform encoding.

There are no categorial data:

8. Split the data into dependent and independent variables

## **Splitting the Dataset into the Independent Feature Matrix:**

```
X = df.iloc[:, :-1].values
print(X)

[['M' 0.455 0.365 ... 0.2245 0.101 0.15]
  ['M' 0.35 0.265 ... 0.0995 0.0485 0.07]
  ['F' 0.53 0.42 ... 0.2565 0.1415 0.21]
  ...
  ['M' 0.6 0.475 ... 0.5255 0.2875 0.308]
  ['F' 0.625 0.485 ... 0.531 0.261 0.296]
  ['M' 0.71 0.555 ... 0.9455 0.3765 0.495]]
```

## **Extracting the Dataset to Get the Dependent Vector**

```
Y = df.iloc[:, -1].values
print(Y)

[15 7 9 ... 9 10 12]
```

. 9. Scale the independent variables

It is a pre-processing step. This technique used to **normalize** the range of independent variables. Variables that are used to determine the target variable are known as features.

### 1. MIN-MAX SCALING

In min-max scaling or min-man normalization, we re-scale the data to a range of [0,1] or [-1,1].

$$X_{norm} = \frac{X - X_{min}}{X_{max} - X_{min}}$$

### 2. STANDARDIZATION

In this, we scale the features in such a way that the distribution has mean=0 and variance=1.

$$z=rac{x-\mu}{\sigma}$$

```
#extracting values which we want to scale
x = df.iloc[:, 1:4].values
print ("\n ORIGIONAL VALUES: \n\n", x)
#MIN-MAX SCALER
min_max_scaler = preprocessing.MinMaxScaler(feature_range =(0, 1))
new_x= min_max_scaler.fit_transform(x)
print ("\n VALUES AFTER MIN MAX SCALING: \n\n", new_x)
Standardisation = preprocessing.StandardScaler()
new_x= Standardisation.fit_transform(x)
print ("\n\n VALUES AFTER STANDARDIZATION : \n\n", new_x)
```

#### ORIGIONAL VALUES:

```
[[0.455 0.365 0.095]
[0.35 0.265 0.09 ]
[0.53 0.42 0.135]
...
[0.6 0.475 0.205]
[0.625 0.485 0.15 ]
[0.71 0.555 0.195]]

VALUES AFTER MIN MAX SCALING:

[[0.51351351 0.5210084 0.38 ]
[0.37162162 0.35294118 0.36 ]
[0.61486486 0.61344538 0.54 ]
...
[0.70945946 0.70588235 0.82 ]
```

### 10. Split the data into training and testing

```
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

training_data, testing_data = train_test_split(df, test_size=0.2, random_state=25)

print(f"No. of training examples: {training_data.shape[0]}")

print(f"No. of testing examples: {testing_data.shape[0]}")

No. of training examples: 3340

No. of testing examples: 835
```

#### 11. Build the Model

#### **USING LINEAR REGRESSION:**

```
from sklearn import preprocessing
y = df['Rings'].values.reshape(-1, 1)
X = df['Height'].values.reshape(-1, 1)

from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,y,test_size=1/3,random_state=0)

from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
regressor = LinearRegression()

regressor.fit(X_train, y_train)
LinearRegression()
```

#### 12. Train the Model



regressor.fit(X\_train, y\_train)

LinearRegression()

```
plt.scatter(X_train, y_train, color='red') # plotting the observation line

plt.plot(X_train, regressor.predict(X_train), color='blue') # plotting the regression line

plt.title("Salary vs Experience (Training set)") # stating the title of the graph

plt.xlabel("Years of experience") # adding the name of x-axis

plt.ylabel("Salaries") # adding the name of y-axis

plt.show() # specifies end of graph
```



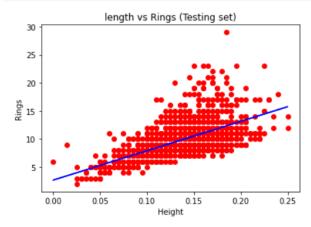
#### 13. Test the Model

```
#plot for the TEST

plt.scatter(X_test, y_test, color='red')
plt.plot(X_train, regressor.predict(X_train), color='blue') # plotting the regression line

plt.title("length vs Rings (Testing set)")

plt.xlabel("Height")
plt.ylabel("Rings")
plt.show()
```



### 14. Measure the performance using Metrics

```
[67] from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error, mean_squared_error
[68] mae = mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred)
    mse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred)
    rmse = np.sqrt(mse)

print(f'Mean absolute error: {mae:.2f}')
print(f'Mean squared error: {mse:.2f}')
print(f'Root mean squared error: {rmse:.2f}')

Mean absolute error: 1.85
Mean squared error: 6.34
Root mean squared error: 2.52
```