# **DATA COLLECTION**

# **Splitting The Data Into Train And Test**

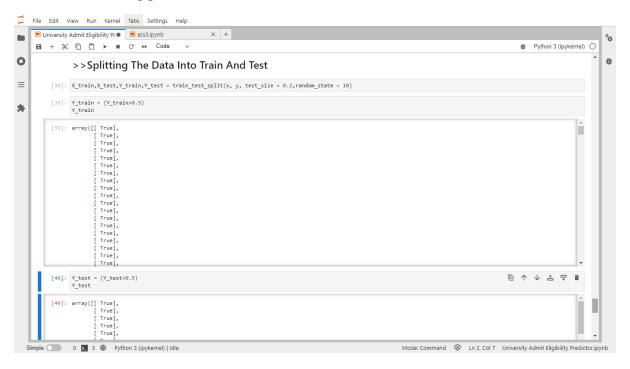
- Scikit library provides a tool, called the Model Selection library.
- There is a class in the library which is, 'train test split.'
- Using this we can easily split the dataset into the training and the testing datasets in various proportions.
- **The train-test split** is a technique for evaluating the performance of a machine learning algorithm.
  - **Train Dataset:** Used to fit the machine learning model.
  - **Test Dataset:** Used to evaluate the fit machine learning model.
- In general, we can allocate 80% of the dataset to the **training set** and the remaining 20% to the **test set** and create 4 sets are
  - X train
  - X\_test
  - Y train
  - Y\_test
- There are a few other parameters that need to understand before using this class:
  - Test\_size:
    - > This parameter decides the size of the data that has to be split as the test dataset. This is given as a fraction. For example, if you pass **0.5** as the value, the dataset will be split **50%** as the test dataset and remaining a train dataset.

#### Random\_state:

➤ Here you pass an integer, which will act as the seed for the random number generator during the split. Or, you can also pass an instance of the Random\_state class, which will become the number generator. If you don't pass anything, the Random\_state instance used by <u>np. random</u> will be used instead.

### Step-1:

- o Firstly, we need to split the data into test and train set.
- o In Scikit library, **train\_test\_split** () **function** is used to split data by train set 80% and test set 20% present in the dataset.
- Then, we are assigning variables such as X\_train, X\_test, Y\_train, Y\_test by using parameter like test\_size and random\_state.



#### Step-2:

• Using **Y\_train** variable will produce **80%** of train set and **Y\_test** variable will produce **20%** of test set for admitting the college students.

