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# Process to Deploy a Prediction Using Cloud and API Heroku

Here will be explained the process of deploy a prediction using flask step by step.

To reach the final step of prediction, of course the dataset has to pass through other process, those process will be explained here, however in a very succinct way, due the main objection of this article is to demonstrate just the deploy method.

## Dataset

The data used was collected on kaggle website: <https://www.kaggle.com/c/rossmann-store-sales>.

Rossmann operates over 3,000 drug stores in 7 European countries. Currently, Rossmann store managers are tasked with predicting their daily sales for up to six weeks in advance. Store sales are influenced by many factors, including promotions, competition, school and state holidays,

seasonality, and locality. With thousands of individual managers predicting sales based on their unique circumstances, the accuracy of results can be quite varied.

So, the main objective here is making a prediction of sales for 6 weeks in advance.

## Loading Dataset

The data is shared in three datasets: train.csv, store.csv and test.csv.

In order to prepare data and test the machine learning algorithm, first will be use train.csv and store.csv. After all steps to prepare data, will be used test.csv and store.csv. Here is where the explanation about deploy using flask is demonstrated.

Now first step is merge the train.csv and store.csv.

### 0.2. Loading Data

```
In [2]: df_sales_raw = pd.read_csv('data/train.csv', low_memory=False) # raw e pq acabou de ler o arquivo e nao fez nenhuma alteracao ainda
df_store_raw = pd.read_csv('data/store.csv', low_memory=False)

# merge = junta os dois dataframes em um so
df_raw = pd.merge(df_sales_raw, df_store_raw, how='left', on='Store')
```

```
In [3]: df_sales_raw
```

```
Out[3]:
```

	Store	DayOfWeek	Date	Sales	Customers	Open	Promo	StateHoliday	SchoolHoliday
0	1	5	2015-07-31	5263	555	1	1	0	1
1	2	5	2015-07-31	6064	625	1	1	0	1
2	3	5	2015-07-31	8314	821	1	1	0	1
3	4	5	2015-07-31	13995	1498	1	1	0	1
4	5	5	2015-07-31	4822	559	1	1	0	1
...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
1017204	1111	2	2013-01-01	0	0	0	0	a	1
1017205	1112	2	2013-01-01	0	0	0	0	a	1
1017206	1113	2	2013-01-01	0	0	0	0	a	1
1017207	1114	2	2013-01-01	0	0	0	0	a	1
1017208	1115	2	2013-01-01	0	0	0	0	a	1

1017209 rows × 9 columns

After this step, a sequence of process is made in order to have a property dataset to apply the ML model, such as:

- Data description: to understand the attributes;

- Check and fill out NA: to identify missing values and fulfill them based on business understanding;
- Change attributes types: to does not happens errors when make the prediction;
- Feature engineering: to create new attributes that helps the prediction and create hypotheses, to help the CEO to take decisions;
- EDA: to verify which attribute is important and which it is not for the prediction;
- Feature selection: another method to identify which attribute is important and which it is not for the prediction, here is used Boruta to do this task.
- Split data and ML modeling: here data is split in training and test data, and then different ML models are tested to identify which one is the best for this dataset. To improve these results, cross validation is used.
- Hyperparameter fine tuning: after identify the best model, this process is used to identify the best parameters for this model.

## Final Model

After all this process, it was identified that Xgboost is the best ML model.

### 8.2. Final Model

```
In [67]: param_tuned = {'n_estimators' : 1500,
                        'eta' : 0.03,
                        'max_depth' : 9,
                        'subsample' : 0.1,
                        'colsample_bytree' : 0.7,
                        'min_child_weight' : 8
                        }
                        # n_estimators changed to 1500 to be upload to heroku, because the size is smaller than 2500

In [68]: # model
model_xgb_tuned = xgb.XGBRegressor(objective = 'reg:squarederror',
                                   n_estimators = param_tuned['n_estimators'],
                                   eta = param_tuned['eta'],
                                   max_depth = param_tuned['max_depth'],
                                   subsample = param_tuned['subsample'],
                                   colsample_bytree = param_tuned['colsample_bytree'],
                                   min_child_weight = param_tuned['min_child_weight']).fit(x_train, Y_train)

# prediction
yhat_xgb_tuned = model_xgb_tuned.predict(x_test)

# performance
xgb_result_tuned = ml_error('XGBoost Regressor', np.expm1(Y_test), np.expm1(yhat_xgb_tuned))
xgb_result_tuned
```

# Deploy Model to Production

Finally here it is the process of model deployment using flask.

First the model is saved.

```
In [97]: # Save Training Model  
pickle.dump(model_xgb_tuned, open('/Users/Igor/repos/Data-Science-Em-Producao/model/model_rossmann.pkl', 'wb'))
```

# Creating Flask API

Now the API using flask is created to make the deploy

```
In [25]: import pickle
import pandas as pd
from flask import Flask, request, Response
from rossmann.Rossmann import Rossmann

# Loading model
model = pickle.load(open('/Users/Igor/repos/Data-Science-Em-Producao/model/model_rossmann.pkl', 'rb'))

# initialize API
app = Flask(__name__)

@app.route('/rossmann/predict', methods = ['POST']) # endpoint, onde os dados oringianis com a previsao serao enviados
def rossmann_predict():
    test_json = request.get_json() # aqui puxa os arquivos originais de csv tanto o train quanto o store

    if test_json: # there is data
        # conversao do json em dataframe
        if isinstance(test_json, dict): # Unique example
            test_raw = pd.DataFrame(test_json, index =[0])

        else: # Multiple examples
            test_raw = pd.DataFrame(test_json, columns = test_json[0].keys())

        # instantiate Rossmann class # pega as informacoes la do rossmann class
        pipeline = Rossmann()

        # data cleaning # preparacao 1 do modelo
        df1 = pipeline.data_cleaning(test_raw)

        # feature engineering # preparacao 2 do modelo
        df2 = pipeline.feature_engineering(df1)

        # data preparation # preparacao 3 do modelo
        df3 = pipeline.data_preparation(df2)

        # prediction
        df_response = pipeline.get_prediction(model, test_raw, df3) # test raw sao os dados originais e p df3 sao os dados prepar

        return df_response

    else:
        return Response('{}', status = 200, mimetype = 'application/json')

if __name__ == '__main__':
    app.run('127.0.0.1')
```

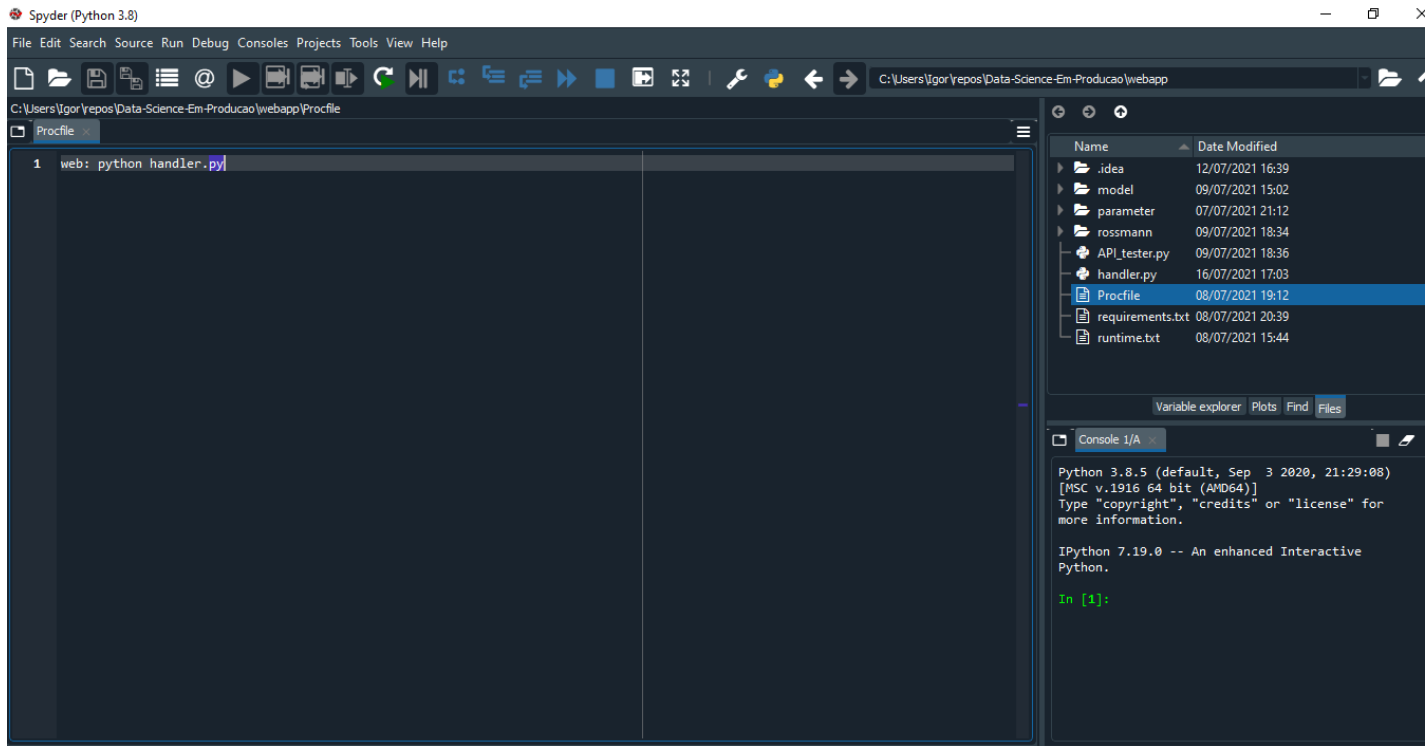
# Creating Requirements.txt

In order to upload the API to heroku, it is necessary estipulate all libraries used by this modeling. So it is copy all those libraries into a file called requirements.txt.

```
Anaconda Powershell Prompt (anaconda3)
(base) PS C:\Users\Igor> conda activate Data-Science-Em-Producao
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> pip list --format=freeze
argon2-cffi==20.1.0
async-generator==1.10
attrs==21.2.0
backcall==0.2.0
bleach==3.3.0
Boruta==0.3
brotlipy==0.7.0
certifi==2021.5.30
cffi==1.14.5
chardet==4.0.0
click==8.0.1
colorama==0.4.4
cryptography==3.4.7
cycler==0.10.0
decorator==5.0.9
defusedxml==0.7.1
entrypoints==0.3
Flask==1.1.2
gunicorn==20.1.0
idna==2.10
importlib-metadata==3.10.0
inflection==0.5.1
ipykernel==5.3.4
ipython==7.22.0
ipython-genutils==0.2.0
itsdangerous==2.0.1
jedi==0.17.0
Jinja2==3.0.0
joblib==1.0.1
jsonschema==3.2.0
jupyter-client==6.1.12
jupyter-core==4.7.1
jupyterlab-pygments==0.1.2
kiwisolver==1.3.1
MarkupSafe==2.0.1
matplotlib==3.3.4
mistune==0.8.4
mkl-fft==1.3.0
mkl-random==1.1.1
mkl-service==2.3.0
nbclient==0.5.3
nbconvert==6.0.7
requests==2.25.1
scikit-learn==0.24.2
scipy==1.6.2
seaborn==0.11.0
Send2Trash==1.5.0
setuptools==52.0.0.post20210125
sip==4.19.13
six==1.16.0
tabulate==0.8.9
terminado==0.9.4
testpath==0.4.4
threadpoolctl==2.1.0
tornado==6.1
traitlets==5.0.5
unllib3==1.26.6
wcwidth==0.2.5
webencodings==0.5.1
Werkzeug==1.0.1
wheel==0.36.2
win-inet-pton==1.1.0
wincertstore==0.2
xgboost==1.4.2
zipp==3.4.1
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> pip list --format=freeze > requirements.txt
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor>
```

# Creating Procfile

Now to let the app functional it is necessary create a file called procfile.



# Uploading model to Heroku

To upload the model at heroku it is necessary access the CMD and set a sequence of commands showed below on the picture. All the files, such as: the machine learning model, handler API, procfile and requirements.txt are uploaded to heroku website as webapp.

```
Anaconda Powershell Prompt (anaconda3)
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> cd repos
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> cd Data-Science-Em-Producao
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> cd webapp
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> cd webapp
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> heroku login
Warning: heroku update available from 7.54.0 to 7.56.1.
heroku: Press any key to open the browser to login or q to exit:
Opening browser to https://cli-auth.heroku.com/auth/cli/browser/64a019e6-7490-47d7-828a-e1507979307e?requestor=SFMyNTY.g2gDbQAAAA0zNy4yMjguMjUyLjIwbgYA0I-ZonsBYgABUYA.NCc-50z8gDqSvavP52Yx8SGIzsVZA46gNYZ6_yio
Logging in... done
Logged in as igor_queiroz17@yahoo.com.br
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git restore --staged <file>..." to unstage)
        modified:   handler.py
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> git add .
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> git status
On branch master
Changes to be committed:
  (use "git restore --staged <file>..." to unstage)
        modified:   handler.py
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> git commit -m "first commit"
[master a2efd34] first commit
1 file changed, 1 insertion(+)
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> git commit -m "remove files"
nothing to commit, working tree clean
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> heroku apps:create rosmann-prediction-model
```

```
Anaconda Powershell Prompt (anaconda3)
nothing to commit, working tree clean
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor> git push heroku master
Enumerating objects: 20, done.
Counting objects: 100% (20/20), done.
Delta compression using up to 8 threads
Compressing objects: 100% (16/16), done.
Writing objects: 100% (16/16), 6.87 KiB | 3.43 MiB/s, done.
Total 16 (delta 5), reused 0 (delta 0), pack-reused 0
remote: Compressing source files... done.
remote: Building source:
remote:
remote: ----> Building on the Heroku-20 stack
remote: ----> Using buildpack: heroku/python
remote: ----> Python app detected
remote: ----> Using Python version specified in runtime.txt
remote: ! Python has released a security update! Please consider upgrading to python-3.9.7
remote:   Learn More: https://devcenter.heroku.com/articles/python-runtimes
remote: ----> No change in requirements detected, installing from cache
remote: ----> Using cached install of python-3.9.6
remote: ----> Installing pip 20.2.4, setuptools 47.1.1 and wheel 0.36.2
remote: ----> Installing SQLite3
remote: ----> Installing requirements with pip
remote: ----> Discovering process types
remote:   Procfile declares types -> web
remote:
remote: ----> Compressing...
remote:   Done: 320.4M
remote: ----> Launching...
remote: ! Warning: Your slug size (320 MB) exceeds our soft limit (300 MB) which may affect boot time.
remote:   Released v31
remote:   https://rosmann-prediction-model.herokuapp.com/ deployed to Heroku
remote: Verifying deploy... done.
To https://git.heroku.com/rosmann-prediction-model.git
a840002..a2efd34 master -> master
(Data-Science-Em-Producao) PS C:\Users\Igor>
```



After upload it is possible see the app on heroku webpage.

The screenshot shows the Heroku dashboard for the application 'rosmann-prediction-model'. The browser's address bar displays 'https://dashboard.heroku.com/apps/rosmann-prediction-model'. The dashboard includes a navigation bar with tabs for Overview, Resources, Deploy, Metrics, Activity, Access, and Settings. The 'Overview' tab is active, showing a summary of the app's configuration and recent activity.

**Installed add-ons:** \$0.00/month. There are no add-ons for this app. You can add add-ons to this app and they will show here. [Learn more](#)

**Dyno formation:** \$0.00/month. This app is using free dynos. The formation is: web python handler.py **ON**. [Configure Dynos](#)

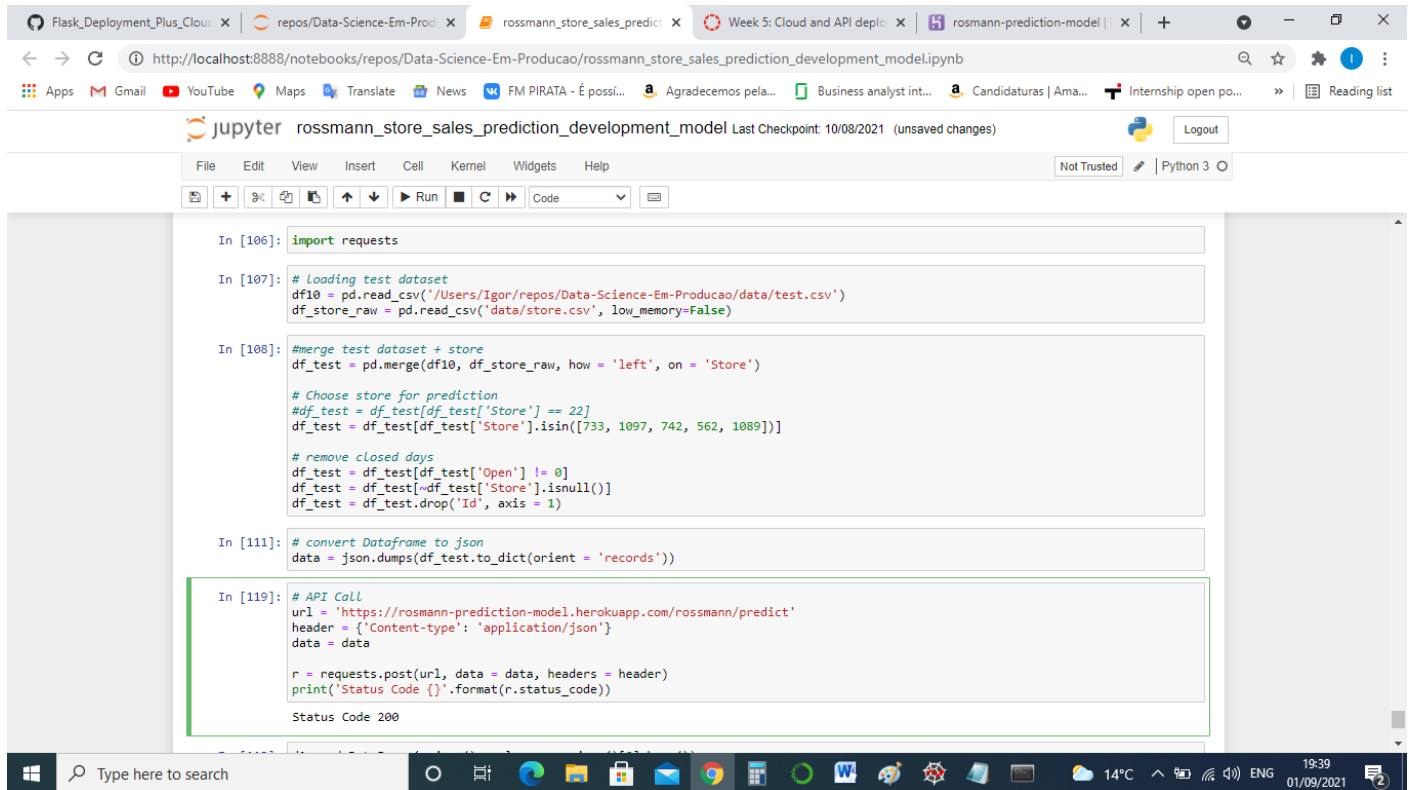
**Latest activity:**

- igor\_queiroz17@yahoo.com.br: Deployed (a2efd340) Today at 7:30 PM - v31
- igor\_queiroz17@yahoo.com.br: Build succeeded Today at 7:28 PM - [View build log](#)
- igor\_queiroz17@yahoo.com.br: Deployed (a840002f) Jul 8 at 10:04 PM - v30
- igor\_queiroz17@yahoo.com.br: Build succeeded Jul 8 at 10:02 PM - [View build log](#)
- igor\_queiroz17@yahoo.com.br: Deployed (2466a002)

**Collaborator activity:** [Manage Access](#)

# Testing the Heroku API

In order to test the Heroku API a test is made at the dataset test.csv and store csv. This test show a code which informs if the API is working or not. Case the test shows the code 200, means that the API is working fine.



```
In [106]: import requests

In [107]: # Loading test dataset
df10 = pd.read_csv('/Users/Igor/repos/Data-Science-Em-Producao/data/test.csv')
df_store_raw = pd.read_csv('data/store.csv', low_memory=False)

In [108]: #merge test dataset + store
df_test = pd.merge(df10, df_store_raw, how = 'left', on = 'Store')

# Choose store for prediction
#df_test = df_test[df_test['Store'] == 22]
df_test = df_test[df_test['Store'].isin([733, 1097, 742, 562, 1089])]

# remove closed days
df_test = df_test[df_test['Open'] != 0]
df_test = df_test[~df_test['Store'].isnull()]
df_test = df_test.drop('Id', axis = 1)

In [111]: # convert Dataframe to json
data = json.dumps(df_test.to_dict(orient = 'records'))

In [119]: # API Call
url = 'https://rosman-prediction-model.herokuapp.com/rosman/predict'
header = {'Content-type': 'application/json'}
data = data

r = requests.post(url, data = data, headers = header)
print('Status Code {}'.format(r.status_code))

Status Code 200
```

## Making Predictions using Flask API

Now that the API is working well, it is possible to use it to make predictions. In this case I am using it at my private host (my laptop), but it is possible let it available online, for example using heroku.

```
In [33]: d1 = pd.DataFrame(r.json(), columns = r.json()[0].keys())
```

```
In [34]: d1.head()
```

```
Out[34]:
```

	store	day_of_week	date	open	promo	state_holiday	school_holiday	store_type	assortment	competition_distance	...	year	month	day	week
0	562	4	2015-09-17T00:00:00.000Z	1.0	1	regular_day	0	b	extended	1210.0	...	2015	9	17	
1	733	4	2015-09-17T00:00:00.000Z	1.0	1	regular_day	0	b	extra	880.0	...	2015	9	17	
2	742	4	2015-09-17T00:00:00.000Z	1.0	1	regular_day	0	d	extended	4380.0	...	2015	9	17	
3	1089	4	2015-09-17T00:00:00.000Z	1.0	1	regular_day	0	d	basic	5220.0	...	2015	9	17	
4	562	3	2015-09-16T00:00:00.000Z	1.0	1	regular_day	0	b	extended	1210.0	...	2015	9	16	

5 rows x 28 columns

```
In [36]: d2 = d1[['store', 'prediction']].groupby('store').sum().reset_index()
```

```
In [37]: d2
```

```
Out[37]:
```

	store	prediction
0	562	337832.528078
1	733	315717.765625
2	742	355501.404297
3	1089	370394.610352
4	1097	255904.539082

```
In [38]: for i in range(len(d2)):
          print('Store Number {} will sell ${:,.2f} in the next 6 weeks'.format(
              d2.loc[i, 'store'],
              d2.loc[i, 'prediction']))
```

```
Store Number 562 will sell $337,632.53 in the next 6 weeks
Store Number 733 will sell $315,717.77 in the next 6 weeks
Store Number 742 will sell $356,501.40 in the next 6 weeks
Store Number 1089 will sell $370,394.61 in the next 6 weeks
Store Number 1097 will sell $255,904.54 in the next 6 weeks
```

