



Training, test and validation splits

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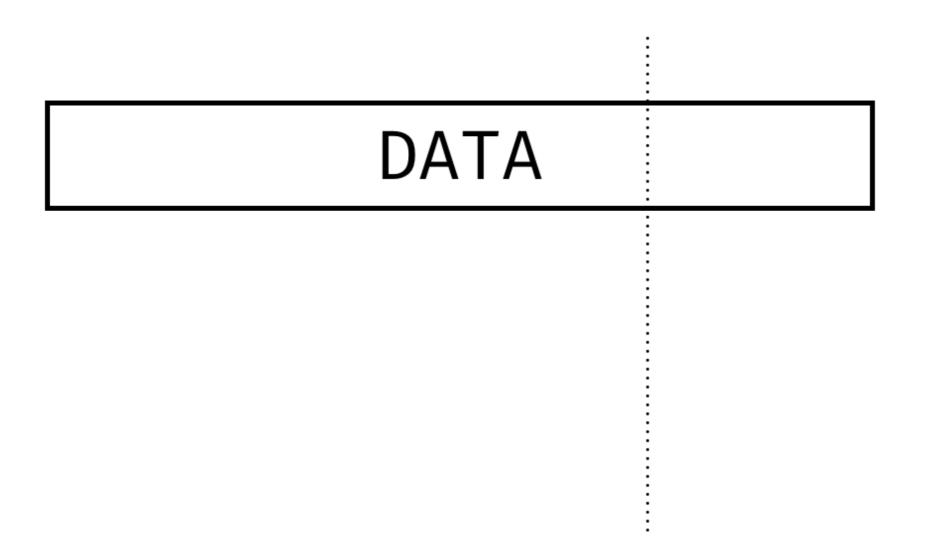


Train-Test Split

DATA



Train-Test Split





Train-Test Split

TRAIN
TEST



initial_split()

```
library(rsample)
gap_split <- initial_split(gapminder, prop = 0.75)

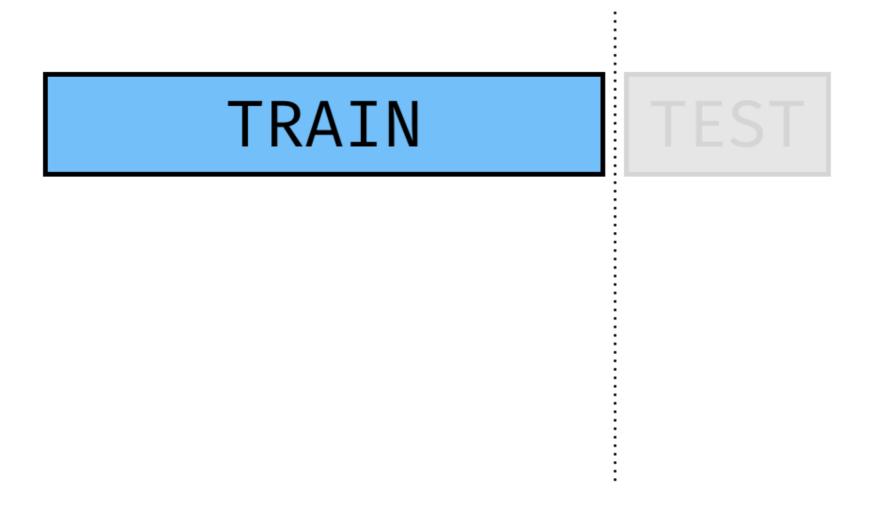
training_data <- training(gap_split)
testing_data <- testing(gap_split)

nrow(training_data)
[1] 3003

nrow(testing_data)
[1] 1001</pre>
```

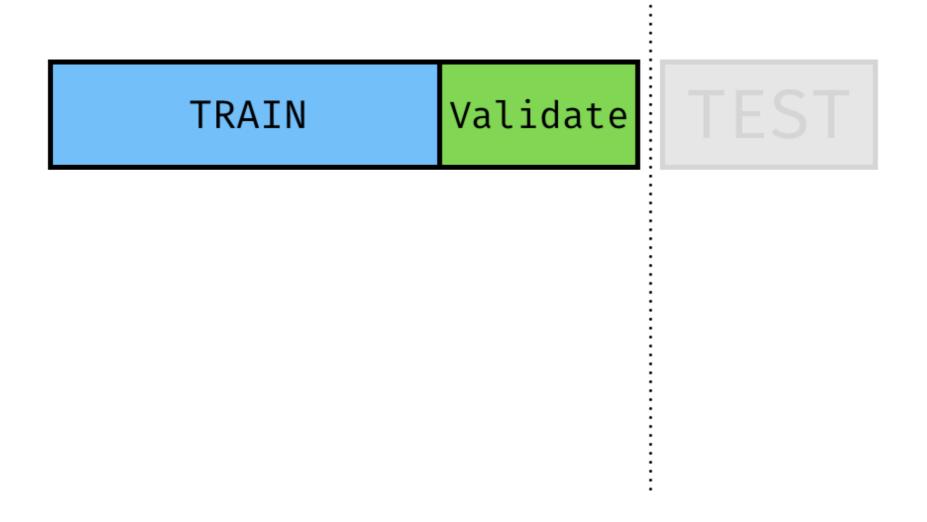


Train-Validate Split



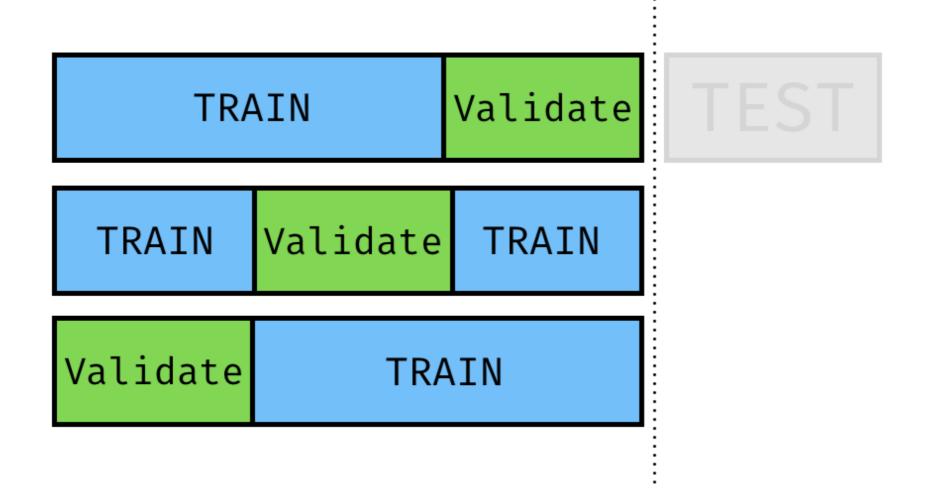


Train-Validate Split





Cross Validation



vfold_cv()



Mapping train & validate

```
cv_data <- cv_split %>%
  mutate(train = map(splits, ~training(.x)),
  validate = map(splits, ~testing(.x)))
```



Cross Validated Models

```
cv_models_lm <- cv_data %>%
  mutate(model = map(train, ~lm(formula = life_expectancy~., data = .x)))
```





Let's practice!





Measuring cross-validation performance

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Measuring Performance

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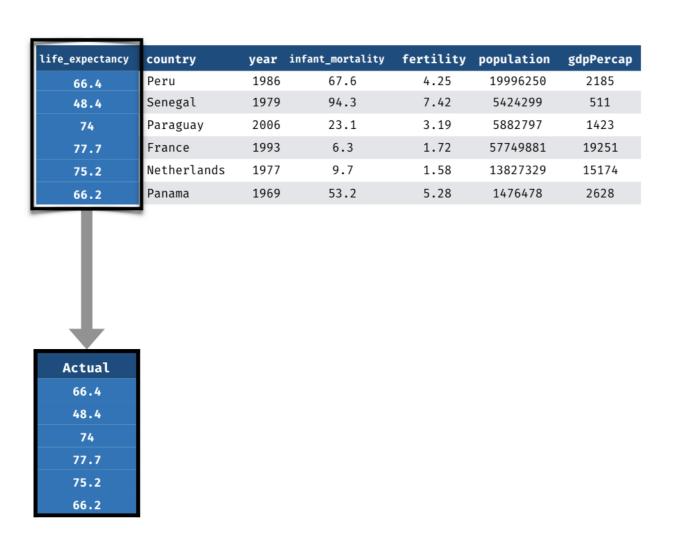


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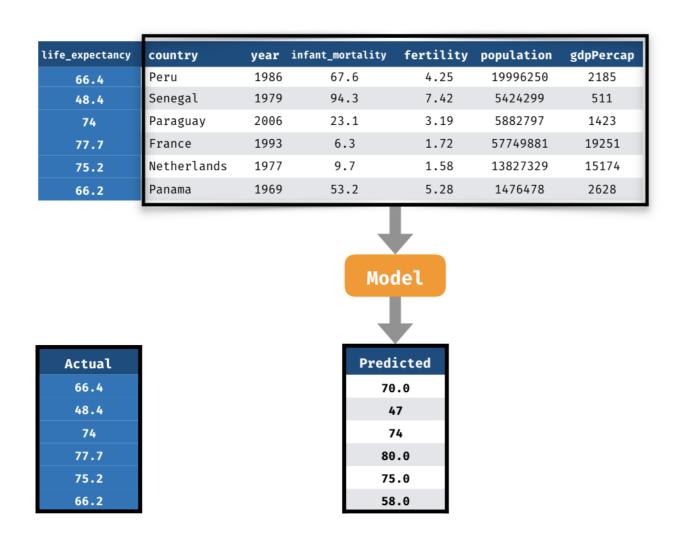
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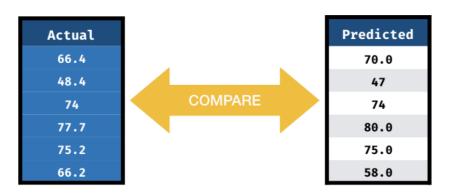


Measuring Performance - Prediction





Measuring Performance



Mean Absolute Error



$$MAE = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left| Actual_i - Predicted_i \right|}{n}$$



Ingredients for Performance Measurement

- 1) Actual life_expectancy values
- 2) Predicted life_expectancy values
- 3) A metric to compare 1) & 2)



1) Extract the actual values

```
cv_prep_lm <- cv_models_lm %>%
  mutate(validate_actual = map(validate, ~.x$life_expectancy))
```

The predict() & map2() functions

```
predict(model, data)

map2(.x = model, .y = data, .f = ~predict(.x, .y))
```



2) Prepare the predicted values

```
cv_prep_lm <- cv_eval_lm %>%
  mutate(validate_actual = map(validate, ~.x$life_expectancy),
     validate_predicted = map2(model, validate, ~predict(.x, .y)))
```



3) Calculate MAE

```
cv eval lm
# 5-fold cross-validation
# A tibble: 5 x 8
splits
       id train validate model validate a... validate p... validate mae
<S3: rsplit> Fold1 <tib... <tib... <S3...
                                        <db1...
                                                    <dbl... 1.47
                                                          1.51
<S3: rsplit> Fold2 <tib... <tib... <S3... <dbl...
                                                  <db1...
<S3: rsplit> Fold3 <tib... <tib... <S3... <dbl...</pre>
                                              <db1...
                                                          1.44
<S3: rsplit> Fold4 <tib... <tib... <S3... <dbl... <dbl... <dbl... 1.48</pre>
<S3: rsplit> Fold5 <tib... <tib... <S3... <dbl... <dbl...
                                                               1.68
```





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Building and tuning a random forest model

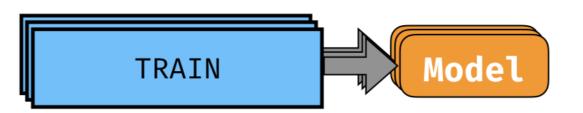
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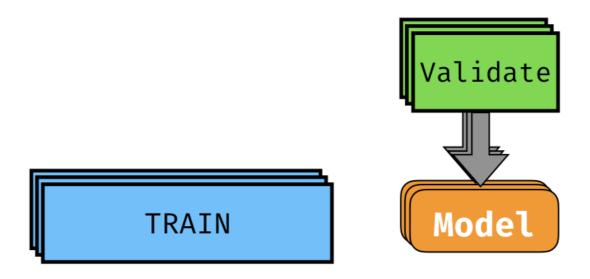




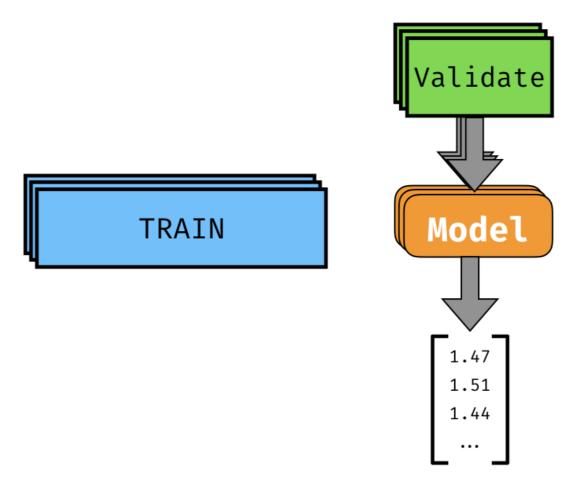














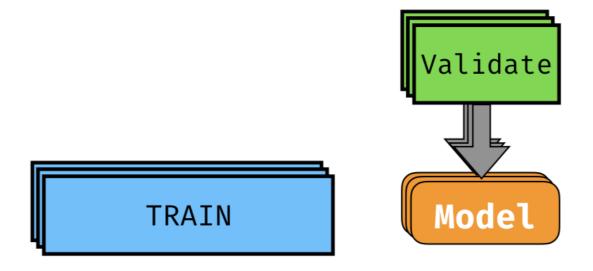
Linear Regression Model

VALIDATE MEAN ABSOLUTE ERROR:

1.5 YEARS



Another Model





Random Forest Benefits

- Can handle non-linear relationships
- Can handle interactions



Basic Random Forest Tools

MODEL

```
rf_model <- ranger(formula = ___, data = ___, seed = ___)
```

PREDICTION

```
prediction <- predict(rf_model, new_data)$predictions</pre>
```



Build Basic Random Forest Models



ranger Hyper-Parameters

MODEL

```
rf_model <- ranger(formula, data, seed, mtry, num.trees)</pre>
```

HYPER-PARAMETERS

name	range	default
mtry	$1: number\ of\ features$	$\sqrt{number\ of\ features}$
num.trees	$1:\infty$	500



Tune The Hyper-Parameters

```
cv_tune <- cv_data %>%
  crossing(mtry = 1:5)
```



Tune The Hyper-Parameters

```
cv model tunerf
# A tibble: 25 x 6
                             validate
  splits id train
                                                mtry model
* <list> <chr> <list>
                                      <list>
                                                <int> <list>
1 <S3: rsplit> Fold1 <tibble [2,402 × 7]> <tibble [60... 1
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TRAIN

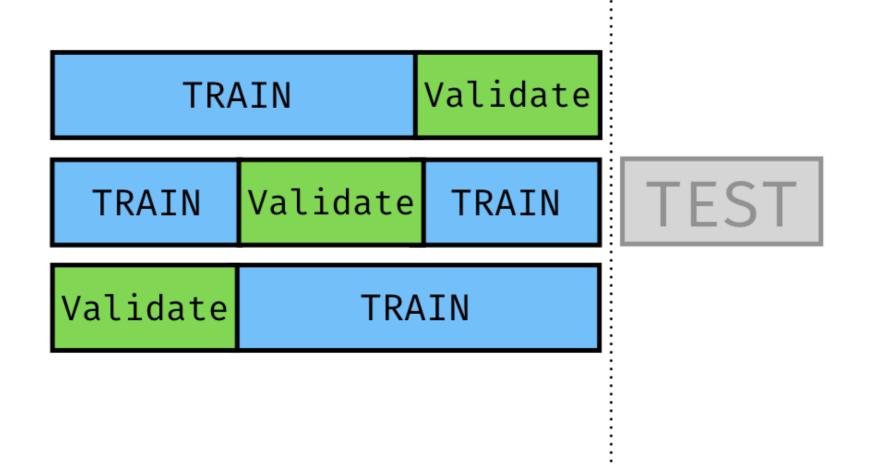
TEST



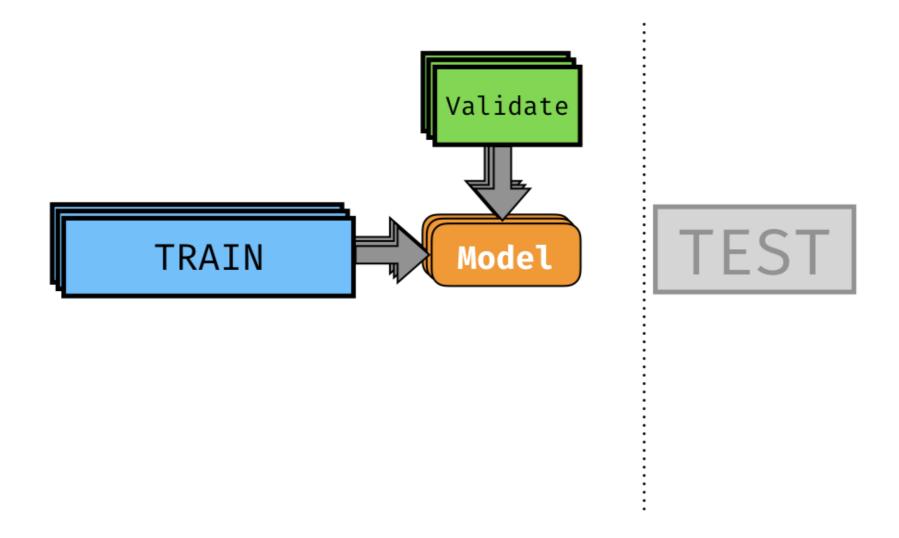
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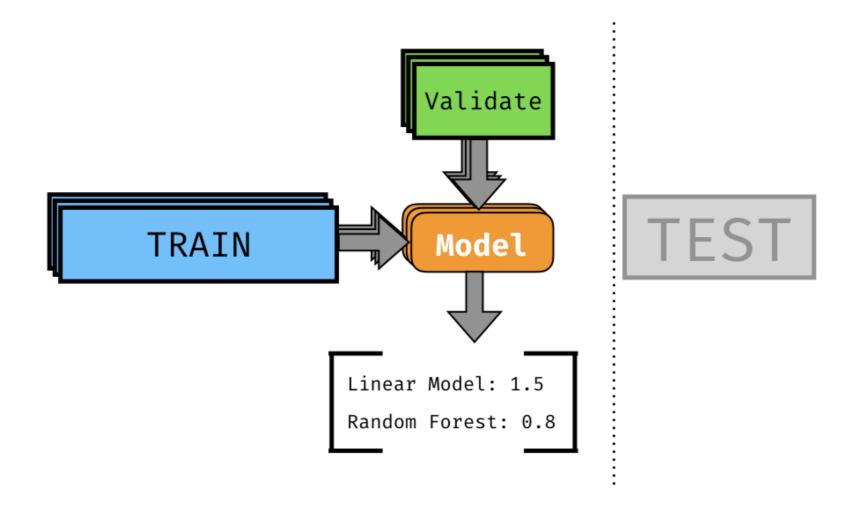




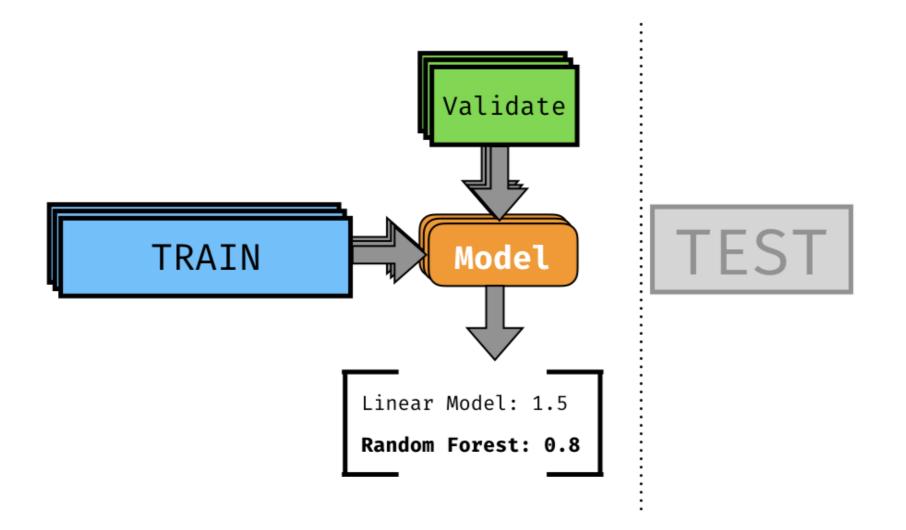








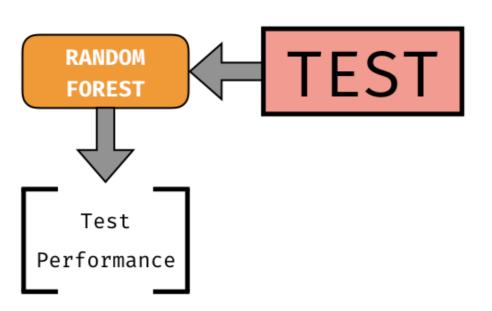














Measuring the Test Performance

```
test_actual <- testing_data$life_expectancy
test_predict <- predict(best_model, testing_data)$predictions
```

```
mae(test actual, test predict)
```





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