In sklearn, different machine learning models are represented as classes. Below, we see a LogisticRegression classifier imported to use at our disposal.

The <u>iris dataset (https://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/iris)</u> is built into sklearn and can be loaded with the function sklearn.datasets.load_iris(). However, load_iris() returns a dictionary, which contains both our input, X, and our target output, y, with the keys 'data' and 'target', respectively.

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In [4]: iris_data = sklearn.datasets.load_iris() # loads in the Iris datas
    et through sklearn.datasets
X = iris_data['data'] # gets the input values, our input X, from i
    ris_data
y = iris_data['target'] # gets the target values, our output y, fro
    m iris_data
```

Note in the output of the cell below that X has 150 rows and 4 columns, while y is a 1D array with 150 values.

This dataset is commonly used in classification tasks as there are three different classes: Iris Setosa, Iris Versicolour, and Iris Virginica.

We have 4 different 'features' or dimensions in our dataset: sepal length in cm, sepal width in cm, petal length in cm, and petal width in cm.

We'd like to visualize these 4 features to get an intuition for the differences between the classes. However, we cannot see past 3 dimensions, so we will have to reduce the dimensionality of our dataset. To do this we use Principal Component Analysis or PCA to reduce our dimensions from 4 to 2.

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In [14]: pca = PCA(n components=2) # initialize a PCA class to reduce our d
         ata to 2 dimensions, which is n_components
In [15]: | X.shape
Out[15]: (150, 4)
In [16]: X_pca = pca.fit_transform(X)
                                        # we fit PCA to our dataset X and tra
         nsform X from 4 dimensions to 2
         print(X.shape) # the shape of our original dataset (150 rows, 4 col
In [17]:
         print(X pca.shape) # the shape of our PCA-transformed dataset (150
         rows, 2 columns)
         (150, 4)
         (150, 2)
         iris_df = pd.DataFrame(np.insert(X_pca, 2, y, axis=1), columns=['fe
In [18]:
         at_1', 'feat_2', 'class'])
In [19]: | iris_df['class'].value_counts()
Out[19]: 2.0
                50
         1.0
                50
         0.0
                50
         Name: class, dtype: int64
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In [21]: iris_df

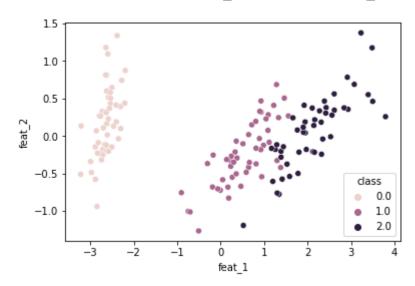
Out[21]:

	feat_1	feat_2	class
0	-2.684126	0.319397	0.0
1	-2.714142	-0.177001	0.0
2	-2.888991	-0.144949	0.0
3	-2.745343	-0.318299	0.0
4	-2.728717	0.326755	0.0
145	1.944110	0.187532	2.0
146	1.527167	-0.375317	2.0
147	1.764346	0.078859	2.0
148	1.900942	0.116628	2.0
149	1.390189	-0.282661	2.0

150 rows × 3 columns

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In [20]: sns.scatterplot(data=iris_df, x='feat_1', y='feat_2', hue='class')
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Out[20]: <AxesSubplot:xlabel='feat_1', ylabel='feat_2'>



Before training our model, we will split our model into a training set and testing set, so that we can check the accuracy of our model on unseen data.

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In [22]: train_test_split?
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clf.fit(X, y) will train our LogisticRegression classifier to our training dataset. In other words, the fit function updates our LogisticRegression object with the set of parameters W and bias vector B needed to make predictions.

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In [27]: clf.fit(X_train, y_train) # fits or trains our LogisticRegression m
    odel on our training data
Out[27]: LogisticRegression()
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Once we fit our model, we have a set of weights and biases that we then apply to our test data to measure the accuracy of our model.

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In [30]: y_pred = clf.predict(X_test) # predicts the y_test values based on
    our trained model and given inputs X_test
    y_pred[:5] # outputs our first 5 predictions (our output is either
    class 0, 1, or 2)
Out[30]: array([2, 2, 1, 0, 1])
```

To evaluate our model's accuracy, we will see how many values from y_pred are equal to y_test , divided by the length of either array.