

# Support-Vector-Regression

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    Support Vector Regression (SVR) -->  
  
    Support Vector Regression (SVR) is an extension of Support Vector Machines_  
    ↪ (SVM) used for regression tasks.  
    It predicts continuous outcomes by finding a hyperplane (or a curve in_  
    ↪ higher dimensions) that best fits the  
    data within a certain margin of tolerance.  
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    Key Points -->  
  
    Epsilon ( )-Insensitive Tube:  
  
    SVR introduces an epsilon-insensitive tube around the hyperplane, where_  
    ↪ predictions within this  
    margin of error are considered acceptable and not penalized.  
    Points outside this tube are penalized based on their distance from the_  
    ↪ boundary of the tube.  
  
    Objective:  
  
    Minimize the model complexity (flatness of the hyperplane) and the_  
    ↪ prediction error for points  
    outside the -tube.  
    The optimization problem tries to achieve a balance between model_  
    ↪ complexity and the tolerance to small errors.  
  
    Kernel Trick:  
  
    SVR can handle non-linear relationships by using kernels (e.g., linear,_  
    ↪ polynomial, RBF).  
    Kernels allow SVR to project data into a higher-dimensional space where a_  
    ↪ linear hyperplane can better fit the data.  
  
    Slack Variables ( , *):
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*These represent the amount by which data points fall outside the  $\epsilon$ -tube.  
The model penalizes these deviations in the optimization process.*

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*Steps to Use Support Vector Regression -->*

*Choose a Kernel:*

*Linear kernel: When the data is approximately linear.*

*Polynomial kernel: For polynomial relationships.*

*RBF kernel: For complex non-linear relationships.*

*Set Hyperparameters:*

*$C$ : Determines the margin of tolerance.*

*$\gamma$ : Controls the trade-off between margin size and slack penalties.*

*Kernel-specific parameters (e.g.,  $\sigma$  for RBF).*

*Train the Model:*

*Fit the model to the training data by solving the optimization problem.*

*Evaluate and Predict:*

*Evaluate the model's performance on a test set.*

*Use the trained model for predictions.*

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*When to Use SVR -->*

*When you have non-linear relationships in your data*

*When you need to balance the model's complexity and tolerance for small  $\epsilon$ -  
deviations ( $\epsilon$ )*

*When your dataset is not extremely large (since SVR can be computationally  $\epsilon$ -  
expensive for large datasets)*

*Advantages -->*

*Effective in high-dimensional spaces.*

*Can handle non-linear data with kernels.*

*Robust to outliers with  $\epsilon$ -insensitive loss.*

*Limitations -->*

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Computationally expensive for large datasets.  
Requires careful tuning of hyperparameters (C, , ).  
Can be sensitive to the choice of kernel.  
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[12]: # Importing Libraries -->  
  
import pandas as pd  
import numpy as np  
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt  
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler  
from sklearn.svm import SVR
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[2]: # Importing Dataset -->  
  
data = pd.read_csv('Data/Position_Salaries.csv')  
x_data = data.iloc[:, 1:-1].values  
y_data = data.iloc[:, -1].values  
data
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	Position	Level	Salary
0	Business Analyst	1	45000
1	Junior Consultant	2	50000
2	Senior Consultant	3	60000
3	Manager	4	80000
4	Country Manager	5	110000
5	Region Manager	6	150000
6	Partner	7	200000
7	Senior Partner	8	300000
8	C-level	9	500000
9	CEO	10	1000000

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[6]: x_data
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[6]: array([[ 1],  
        [ 2],  
        [ 3],  
        [ 4],  
        [ 5],  
        [ 6],  
        [ 7],  
        [ 8],  
        [ 9],  
        [10]], dtype=int64)
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[7]: y_data
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[7]: array([ 45000,  50000,  60000,  80000, 110000, 150000, 200000,
          300000, 500000, 1000000], dtype=int64)
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[ ]: # StandardScaler requires 2D array as input so we have to convert y_data
      ↪ into 2D array
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[8]: y_data = y_data.reshape(len(y_data),1)
      y_data
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[8]: array([[ 45000],
           [ 50000],
           [ 60000],
           [ 80000],
           [110000],
           [150000],
           [200000],
           [300000],
           [500000],
           [1000000]], dtype=int64)
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[9]: sc_x = StandardScaler()
      sc_y = StandardScaler()
      x_data = sc_x.fit_transform(x_data)
      y_data = sc_y.fit_transform(y_data)
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[10]: x_data
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[10]: array([[ -1.5666989 ],
           [ -1.21854359],
           [ -0.87038828],
           [ -0.52223297],
           [ -0.17407766],
           [  0.17407766],
           [  0.52223297],
           [  0.87038828],
           [  1.21854359],
           [  1.5666989 ]])
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[11]: y_data
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[11]: array([[ -0.72004253],
           [ -0.70243757],
           [ -0.66722767],
           [ -0.59680786],
           [ -0.49117815],
           [ -0.35033854],
           [ -0.17428902],
           [  0.17781001],
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[ 0.88200808],  
[ 2.64250325]])
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[13]: model = SVR(kernel = 'rbf')  
model.fit(x_data, y_data)
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2kfra8p0\LocalCache\local-packages\Python311\site-  
packages\sklearn\utils\validation.py:1300: DataConversionWarning: A column-  
vector y was passed when a 1d array was expected. Please change the shape of y  
to (n_samples, ), for example using ravel().  
y = column_or_1d(y, warn=True)
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[13]: SVR()
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[14]: sc_y.inverse_transform(model.predict(sc_x.transform([[6.5]])).reshape(-1,1))
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[14]: array([[170370.0204065]])
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[15]: plt.scatter(sc_x.inverse_transform(x_data), sc_y.inverse_transform(y_data),  
↳color = 'red')  
plt.plot(sc_x.inverse_transform(x_data), sc_y.inverse_transform(model.  
↳predict(x_data).reshape(-1,1)), color = 'blue')  
plt.show()
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