```
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import scipy.stats as st
import numpy as np
from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
import statsmodels.api as sm
from sklearn.metrics import
mean_squared_error,mean_absolute_error,mean_absolute_percentage_error
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import plotly.graph_objects as go
from warnings import filterwarnings
import seaborn as sb
filterwarnings('ignore')
```

Midterm project

Congratulations! You've been hired as a data scientist at the hottest new social media startup.

Your company produces an app via which users can post short videos for anyone to view. They can also like, repost, and comment on the videos they view. The key data product is a recommendation engine that determines the order in which videos are shown to a user.

The recommendation engine has a parameter, *theta*, that affects the ordering of the videos. Recently the team of engineers that works on the recommendation engine ran it with different settings of *theta* and, for each setting, measured the amount of time users spent on the app. They have collected these measurements into a data set of 20 samples of (*theta*, *time_spent*) pairs.

Additionally, they have identified two auxiliary features (*aux1* and *aux2*) that they hypoithesize should correlate with *time_spent*. These two features are measures of time spent by users in the recent past. The engineers have not verified that the features explain *time_spent*.

(The engineers call these two features "auxiliary" because, while they might help explain time_spent, the engineers' ultimate interest lies in the dependence of time_spent on theta.)

Your first project at your new company is to tell the engineers which setting you think they should use for *theta*, based on the data.

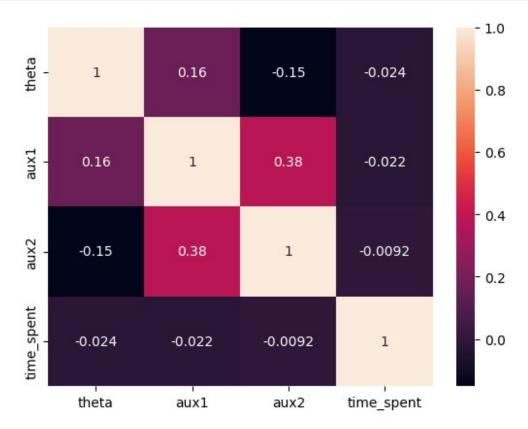
1. Prepare the data

- Inspect the data. Identify and remove any suspicious or unusable samples.
- Put the samples in a data structure that you can work with.

```
theta = [0.03906292, 0.05119367, 0.06004468, 0.06790036, 0.19152079, 0.28298816, 0.294665 , 0.3578136 , 0.48352862, 0.53058676, 0.55175137, 0.57560289, 0.59751325, 0.6375209 , 0.65241862, 0.65633352, 0.78698546, 0.8640421 , 0.87729053, 0.94568319]
```

```
aux1 = [0.53983961, -1.77528229, 1.31487654, -0.47344805, -1.0922299]
       -0.25002744, -0.9822943 , 1.03126909, 0.49133378, -
0.4466466 ,
       -0.80636008, 0.13126776, -1.21256024, 0.15999085, -
0.75522304,
       0.34989599, 0.97754176, -0.13858525, 0.10385631,
0.300591041
aux2 = [0.9682053, 0.86962384, 0.56778309, 0.46528234, -
1.16537308.
       -2.03599479, -1.15541329, 3.34515739, 0.12672721, -
0.6941789
       0.55767443, 0.0991466, 0.63792617, 0.70311068, -
0.91609315.
       -0.78601423, 1.1191818, -0.98339611, 0.24452002, -
0.58140974
time spent = [10.79768391, 10.87648065, 10.29274937, 10.78756647,
9.51844772,
       9.18078781, 9.90063639, 12.84823357, 10.92743478,
9.88927608,
       11.3373709 , 11.43996915 , 11.88392171 , -11.88135476 ,
11.73452467,
       11.18844425, 12.19144316, 11.35294826, 12.2385441,
11.98428985]
pd.DataFrame({'theta':theta,'aux1':aux1,'aux2':aux2,'time spent':time
spent})
df.head()
                                time spent
     theta
                aux1
                          aux2
                                 10.797684
0 0.039063 0.539840 0.968205
                                 10.876481
1 0.051194 -1.775282 0.869624
2 0.060045 1.314877 0.567783
                                 10.292749
3
  0.067900 -0.473448 0.465282
                                 10.787566
4 0.191521 -1.092230 -1.165373 9.518448
df.describe()
                                       time spent
          theta
                      aux1
                                 aux2
count
      20.000000
                 20.000000
                            20.000000
                                        20.000000
       0.475222
                 -0.126610
                             0.069323
                                         9.924470
mean
       0.292726
                  0.818612
                             1.168883
                                         5.221924
std
min
       0.039063
                 -1.775282
                            -2.035995
                                       -11.881355
25%
       0.260121
                -0.768007
                            -0.818534
                                        10.194721
50%
       0.541169 -0.017364
                             0.185624
                                        11.057940
       0.653397
                  0.385255
                             0.654222
                                        11.771874
75%
max
       0.945683 1.314877
                             3.345157
                                        12.848234
```

```
sb.heatmap(df.corr(),annot = True)
plt.show()
# Multi-collinearity present making aux1 variable insignificant
```



```
df1 = df[df.time_spent >= 0]
df1.head()
                                  time spent
      theta
                 aux1
                           aux2
   0.039063
                       0.968205
                                   10.797684
             0.539840
1
  0.051194 -1.775282
                       0.869624
                                   10.876481
  0.060045
             1.314877
                       0.567783
                                   10.292749
  0.067900 -0.473448
                                   10.787566
                       0.465282
4 0.191521 -1.092230 -1.165373
                                    9.518448
```

2. Build a model

Write functions to run a regression, calculate the regression statistics listed below, and print a report.

- B (regressor coefficients plus one for an intercept, if appropriate)
- R2
- RSS
- RegSS

- TSS
- t statistic for each regressor coefficient

I found it useful to decompose the problem into three functions: regress_calc(), regress_tstat(), and regress_report(). You may write it however you see fit.

You may include either, both, or neither of *aux1* and *aux2* in your final model. Experiment. What works best? Justify your decision.

```
X = df1.iloc[:,:3]
X1 = df1.iloc[:,:2]
X2 = df1[['theta', 'aux2']]
X3 = df1[['theta']]
X4 = sm.add constant(X3)
X5 = sm.add constant(X)
X6 = sm.add constant(X1)
X7 = sm.add constant(X2)
y = dfl.time spent
def regress tstat(model):
    return pd.DataFrame({'t-
statistic':model.tvalues,'pvalues':model.pvalues})
def get coefficients(model):
    return pd.DataFrame(model.params,columns=['Coefficients'])
def regress calc(M,x,v,m=''):
    y pred = M.predict(x)
    SST = np.sum((y-np.mean(y))**2) #Total Sum of Squares SST =
sum((y-y mean)**2)
    SSR = M.rsguared*SST # R2 = SSR/SST hence SSR = R2 * SST
    SSE = SST - SSR
    return pd.DataFrame({'Model':[m],
            'R2':[M.rsquared],
            'Adj R2':[M.rsquared adj],
            'SSE':[SSE],
            'SSR':[SSR],
            'SST':[SST],
            'MSE': [mean squared error(y,y pred)],
            'RMSE':[np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y,y_pred))],
            'MAE':[mean absolute error(y,y pred)],
            'MAPE':[mean absolute percentage_error(y,y_pred)]})
```

Full Model without Constant

```
model = sm.OLS(y,X).fit()
model.summary()
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
"""
```

		0LS	Re	gressio	n Results	
			===	======		
Dep. Variable	==== :	time_spen	t	R-squa	red (uncente	ered):
0.803		_				
Model:		0L	S	Adj. R	-squared (ur	ncentered):
0.766		Loost Causes	_	Г c+c+	ictic.	
Method: 21.68		Least Square	S	F-stat	istic:	
Date:	Wen	l, 06 Mar 202	4	Prob (F-statistic)	
7.00e-06	Wee	1, 00 Hai 202	- T	1105 (i statistic,	•
Time:		13:17:0	0	Log-Li	kelihood:	
-57.304				9		
No. Observation 120.6	ons:	1	9	AIC:		
Df Residuals:		1	6	BIC:		
123.4		_		510.		
Df Model:			3			
Covariance Typ	oe:	nonrobus	t			
	coef	std err		t	P> t	[0.025
0.975]				_	. -	
theta	17.6885	2.253	7	.850	0.000	12.912
22.465	17.0003	2.233	,	.030	0.000	12.912
aux1	-2.1228	1.598	_ 1	.328	0.203	-5.511
1.266	-2.1220	1.590	- 1	. 520	0.205	-3.311
aux2	1.9014	1.141	1	.666	0.115	-0.518
4.320	113011	11111	_	.000	01113	01310
			===	======		
====== Omnibus:		1.68	1	Durhin	-Watson:	
0.323		1.00	7	Duibin	- Watson:	
Prob(Omnibus)	:	0.43	1	Jarque	-Bera (JB):	
1.188		0.15	_	oa. que	20.4 (32).	
Skew:		0.36	7	Prob(J	B):	
0.552				•	•	
Kurtosis:		2.02	0	Cond.	No.	
2.23						
========	=======		===	======	========	
Notes: [1] R ² is compose contain a		out centering	(u	ncenter	ed) since th	ne model does
not contain a	COIIS CAIIC.					

```
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is
correctly specified.
get_coefficients(model)
       Coefficients
          17.688544
theta
aux1
          -2.122787
aux2
           1.901389
regress tstat(model)
       t-statistic
                         pvalues
theta
         7.849837 7.084696e-07
         -1.328086 2.027848e-01
aux1
aux2
         1.666329 1.151011e-01
Full = regress calc(model, X, y, m='Full Model without constant')
Full
                        Model
                                                         SSE
                                      R2
                                            Adj R2
SSR \
0 Full Model without constant 0.802549 0.765527 3.471452
14.109922
                             RMSE
         SST
                    MSE
                                        MAE
                                                 MAPE
                                             0.372579
0 17.581373 24.388642 4.938486 3.956237
```

Model with theta and aux1

```
model1 = sm.OLS(y,X1).fit()
model1.summary()
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
                                 OLS Regression Results
Dep. Variable:
                           time spent
                                        R-squared (uncentered):
0.768
Model:
                                  OLS Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
0.741
Method:
                        Least Squares F-statistic:
28.18
                     Wed, 06 Mar 2024 Prob (F-statistic):
Date:
4.00e-06
                             13:17:00 Log-Likelihood:
Time:
-58.824
No. Observations:
                                        AIC:
                                   19
```

121.6 Df Residuals: 123.5 Df Model:			7 BIC:				
Covariance Ty	/pe:	nonrobus	t				
0.975]	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025		
theta	17.5237	2.366	7.407	0.000	12.532		
22.515 aux1 2.136	-1.1765	1.570	-0.749	0.464	-4.489		
Omnibus: 0.195 Prob(Omnibus) 1.116 Skew: 0.572 Kurtosis: 1.51	:	1.59 0.45 0.33 2.01	0 Jarque				
not contain a	constant. Errors ass				he model does		
get_coefficie)					
Coefficients theta 17.523653 aux1 -1.176491							
regress_tstat	(model1)						
	106751 0.0	alues 00001 63950					

```
Model with theta aux1 = regress calc(model1,X1,y,m = 'Model with theta
and aux1')
Model with theta aux1
                       Model
                                    R2
                                          Adj R2
                                                      SSE
0 Model with theta and aux1 0.768284 0.741023 4.07389 13.507483
         SST
                    MSE
                             RMSE
                                                MAPE
                                       MAE
  17.581373
             28.621065 5.349866
                                   4.01667
                                            0.370482
```

Model with theta and aux2

```
model2 = sm.OLS(y,X2).fit()
model2.summary()
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
                                  OLS Regression Results
Dep. Variable:
                            time spent
                                         R-squared (uncentered):
0.781
Model:
                                         Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
                                   0LS
0.755
Method:
                        Least Squares F-statistic:
30.27
Date:
                     Wed, 06 Mar 2024
                                       Prob (F-statistic):
2.50e-06
                                         Log-Likelihood:
Time:
                              13:17:00
-58,297
No. Observations:
                                    19
                                         AIC:
120.6
Df Residuals:
                                    17
                                         BIC:
122.5
Df Model:
                                     2
Covariance Type:
                             nonrobust
======
                 coef std err
                                                  P>|t|
                                                              [0.025]
                                           t
0.9751
theta
              17.8212
                            2.301
                                       7.744
                                                  0.000
                                                              12,966
22,676
                            1.090
                                       1.250
                                                  0.228
                                                              -0.937
aux2
               1.3630
```

```
3.663
=======
Omnibus:
                                3.936
                                        Durbin-Watson:
0.081
                                0.140
Prob(Omnibus):
                                       Jarque-Bera (JB):
1.375
Skew:
                                0.073 Prob(JB):
0.503
Kurtosis:
                                1.690 Cond. No.
2.12
Notes:
[1] R<sup>2</sup> is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does
not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is
correctly specified.
get coefficients(model2)
       Coefficients
          17.821177
theta
aux2 1.362967
regress tstat(model2)
       t-statistic
                         pvalues
          7.744409 5.663004e-07
theta
          1.250068 2.282099e-01
aux2
Model with theta aux2 = regress calc(model2,X2,y,m = 'Model with theta
and aux2')
Model with theta aux2
                       Model
                                    R2
                                          Adj R2
                                                       SSE
                                                                  SSR
0 Model with theta and aux2 0.780783 0.754993 3.854139 13.727235
                    MSE
                             RMSE
         SST
                                        MAE
                                                MAPE
0 17.581373 27.077205 5.203576 4.166276 0.39246
```

Model with theta

```
model3 = sm.OLS(y,X3).fit()
model3.summary()
```

```
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
                                OLS Regression Results
                          time_spent R-squared (uncentered):
Dep. Variable:
0.761
                                       Adj. R-squared (uncentered):
Model:
                                 0LS
0.747
Method:
                       Least Squares F-statistic:
57.20
Date:
                    Wed, 06 Mar 2024 Prob (F-statistic):
5.40e-07
                            13:17:00
                                       Log-Likelihood:
Time:
-59.133
                                       AIC:
No. Observations:
                                  19
120.3
Df Residuals:
                                  18
                                       BIC:
121.2
Df Model:
                                   1
Covariance Type:
                           nonrobust
                coef std err
                                      t P>|t| [0.025
0.975]
                          2.332 7.563
             17.6374
                                                0.000
                                                           12.738
theta
22.537
                                       Durbin-Watson:
Omnibus:
                               1.865
0.094
                               0.393
Prob(Omnibus):
                                       Jarque-Bera (JB):
1.027
Skew:
                               0.152 Prob(JB):
0.598
Kurtosis:
                               1.902 Cond. No.
_____
Notes:
[1] R<sup>2</sup> is computed without centering (uncentered) since the model does
not contain a constant.
[2] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is
```

```
correctly specified.
get coefficients(model3)
      Coefficients
         17.637397
theta
regress tstat(model3)
                        pvalues
      t-statistic
         7.562938 5.403488e-07
Model with theta = regress calc(model3,X3,y,m = 'Model with theta')
Model with theta
                          R2
                                            SSE
                                                       SSR
             Model
                                Adj_R2
SST \
0 Model with theta 0.760632 0.747334 4.208418 13.372955
17.581373
                RMSE
                                    MAPE
        MSE
                           MAE
0 29.566189 5.43748 4.303507 0.397699
```

Model with constant and theta

```
model4 = sm.OLS(y,X4).fit()
model4.summary()
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
                             OLS Regression Results
_____
Dep. Variable:
                           time spent
                                         R-squared:
0.327
Model:
                                   0LS
                                         Adj. R-squared:
0.288
                        Least Squares F-statistic:
Method:
8.266
Date:
                     Wed, 06 Mar 2024 Prob (F-statistic):
0.0105
                             13:17:01 Log-Likelihood:
Time:
-22.458
No. Observations:
                                    19
                                         AIC:
48.92
Df Residuals:
                                    17
                                         BIC:
50.81
Df Model:
                                     1
```

Covariance	Гуре: =======	no =======	nrobust ======	=======	=======	
====== 0.975]	coe [.]	f std e	rr 	t	P> t	[0.025
const 10.952	10.187	4 0.3	62 28	. 112	0.000	9.423
theta 3.287	1.895	8 0.6	59 2	.875	0.011	0.505
====== Omnibus:			1.463	Durbin-W	atson:	
1.900 Prob(Omnibus 0.274	s):		0.481	Jarque-B	era (JB):	
Skew: 0.872			0.101	Prob(JB)	:	
Kurtosis: 4.25			3.553	Cond. No		
correctly s		el4)				
Coef	ficients 9.187390 1.895847	- ,				
regress_tst)				
const 28		pvalu 1.080093e- 1.050165e-	15			
Model_with_const and the Model_with_	neta'	ta = regre	ss_calc(m	odel4,X4,	y,m = 'Mo	odel with
SST \ 0 Model wi 17.581373	Model th theta	R2 0.760632	Adj_R2			SSR 2955

```
MSE RMSE MAE MAPE
0 29.566189 5.43748 4.303507 0.397699
```

Model with constant theta aux1 and aux2

```
model5 = sm.OLS(y,X5).fit()
model5.summary()
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
                             OLS Regression Results
Dep. Variable:
                            time spent
                                          R-squared:
0.888
Model:
                                   0LS
                                          Adj. R-squared:
0.866
Method:
                         Least Squares
                                          F-statistic:
39.71
                      Wed, 06 Mar 2024
Date:
                                         Prob (F-statistic):
2.25e-07
Time:
                                          Log-Likelihood:
                              13:17:01
-5.4095
No. Observations:
                                     19
                                          AIC:
18.82
Df Residuals:
                                          BIC:
                                     15
22.60
Df Model:
                                     3
Covariance Type:
                             nonrobust
======
                 coef std err
                                            t
                                                   P>|t|
                                                               [0.025]
0.975]
const
               9.9201
                            0.167
                                      59.334
                                                   0.000
                                                                9.564
10.276
theta
               2.3877
                            0.299
                                        7.982
                                                   0.000
                                                                1.750
3.025
aux1
               -0.1000
                            0.113
                                       -0.887
                                                   0.389
                                                               -0.340
0.140
                            0.080
aux2
               0.6561
                                        8.245
                                                   0.000
                                                                0.487
0.826
Omnibus:
                                 5.471
                                          Durbin-Watson:
1.388
```

```
Prob(Omnibus):
                                0.065
                                        Jarque-Bera (JB):
3.845
Skew:
                               -0.333
                                        Prob(JB):
0.146
Kurtosis:
                                5.101
                                        Cond. No.
4.96
=======
Notes:
[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is
correctly specified.
get coefficients(model5)
       Coefficients
const
           9.920095
theta
           2.387676
          -0.100006
aux1
aux2
           0.656137
regress tstat(model5)
       t-statistic
                         pvalues
         59.334340 3.271299e-19
const
          7.982085 8.851896e-07
theta
         -0.886578
aux1
                   3.892997e-01
          8.245170 5.925766e-07
aux2
Model with const theta aux1 aux2 = regress calc(model5,X5,y,m = 'Model
with const theta aux1 and aux2')
Model_with_const_theta_aux1_aux2
                                  Model
                                              R2
                                                    Adj R2
SSE \
0 Model with const theta aux1 and aux2 0.88818 0.865816 1.965956
         SSR
                    SST
                              MSE
                                      RMSE
                                                 MAE
                                                         MAPE
                                            0.217073
  15.615417
              17.581373
                         0.103471
                                   0.32167
                                                      0.01999
```

Model with constant theta and aux1

```
model6 = sm.OLS(y,X6).fit()
model6.summary()

<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
"""

OLS Regression Results
```

		time_spe	nt	R-squa	red:				
0.381									
Model:	0LS				Adj. R-squared:				
0.304 Method:	d. Land Courses				istic:				
4.932		Least Squar	C 3	1-5101	.15(1).				
Date:	Wed	d, 06 Mar 20	24	Prob (F-statistic)	:			
0.0214		,			· /				
Time:		13:17:	01	Log-Li	.kelihood:				
-21.660									
No. Observatio	ns:		19	AIC:					
49.32			16	DTC.					
Df Residuals: 52.15			16	BIC:					
Df Model:			2						
DI HOGELI			_						
Covariance Typ	e:	nonrobu	st						
==========			====		.========				
						_			
0 0751	coef	std err		t	P> t	[0.025			
0.975]									
const	10.2836	0.367	28	.000	0.000	9.505			
11.062		0.00.			0.000	0.000			
theta	1.7740	0.660	2	. 689	0.016	0.375			
3.173									
aux1	0.2780	0.235	1	. 184	0.254	-0.220			
0.776 =======	.=======		====:	======		=======			
======									
Omnibus:		0.1	37	Durbir	-Watson:				
2.021		0.0	24	7	Dans (1D)				
Prob(Omnibus):		0.9	34	Jarque	e-Bera (JB):				
0 022		0.0	06	Prob(J	IR)·				
		0.0	00	1100(5	, .				
0.032 Skew: 0.984									
		2.8	00	Cond.	No.				

```
get coefficients(model6)
      Coefficients
const
          10.283646
          1.773987
theta
          0.277963
aux1
regress tstat(model6)
      t-statistic
                        pvalues
        27.999956 5.072769e-15
const
         2.688659 1.614248e-02
theta
         1.184239 2.536133e-01
aux1
Model_with_const_theta_aux1 = regress_calc(model6,X6,y,m = 'Model with
const theta and aux1')
Model with const theta aux1
                            Model
                                         R2
                                               Adj R2
                                                             SSE
SSR \
0 Model with const theta and aux1 0.381389 0.304062 10.876038
6.705335
                  MSE
                           RMSE
                                               MAPE
         SST
                                      MAE
0 17.581373 0.572423
                       0.756586 0.614386 0.057124
Model with constant theta and aux2
model7 = sm.OLS(y,X7).fit()
model7.summary()
```

```
<class 'statsmodels.iolib.summary.Summary'>
                             OLS Regression Results
Dep. Variable:
                           time spent R-squared:
0.882
Model:
                                   0LS
                                         Adj. R-squared:
0.868
Method:
                        Least Squares F-statistic:
59.98
Date:
                     Wed, 06 Mar 2024 Prob (F-statistic):
3.68e-08
Time:
                                         Log-Likelihood:
                             13:17:01
-5.8947
No. Observations:
                                    19
                                         AIC:
17.79
Df Residuals:
                                    16
                                         BIC:
20.62
```

Df Model:	Of Model: 2								
Covariance	Type:	nonrobu	st						
0.975]	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025				
const 10.300 theta	9.9649	0.158 0.289	62.949 8.056	0.000	9.629 1.713				
2.936 aux2	0.6275	0.072	8.688	0.000	0.474				
0.781 ====================================									
Omnibus: 1.430		4.4	90 Durbi	.n-Watson:					
Prob(Omnibus 2.812	s):	0.1	•	ue-Bera (JB):					
Skew: 0.245		-0.1	·						
Kurtosis: 4.52		4.8	68 Cond.	No.					
Notes: [1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correctly specified.									
get_coeffic	ients(model7)								
Coefficients const 9.964893 theta 2.324257 aux2 0.627465									
regress_tst	regress_tstat(model7)								
const 62 theta 8	.056302 5.06	pvalues 6041e-20 2555e-07 1613e-07							
const theta			ss_calc(mo	odel7,X7,y,m =	· 'Model with				

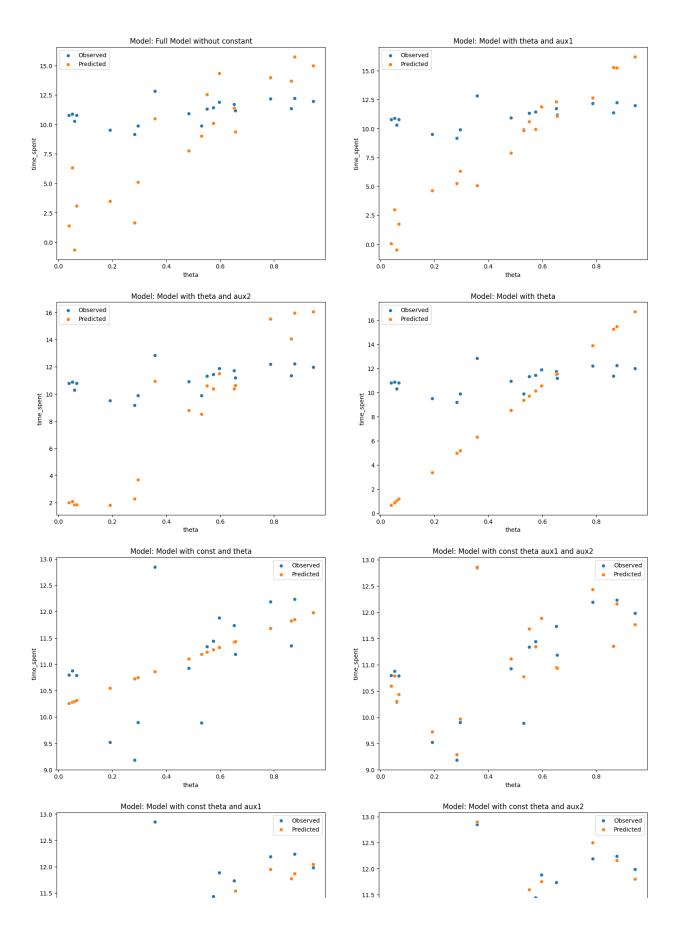
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Model
                                        R2
                                             Adj R2
                                                          SSE
SSR \
0 Model with const theta and aux2 0.88232
                                            0.86761 2.068975
15.512399
         SST
                  MSE
                           RMSE
                                     MAE
                                              MAPE
  17.581373
              0.108893
                       0.32999
                                0.236424
                                          0.021725
```

Final Results

Results = pd.concat([Full,Model with theta aux1,Model with theta aux2,Model with theta, Model with const theta, Model with const theta aux1 aux2, Model with const theta aux1, Model with const theta aux2], ignore index= True) Results Model R2 Adj_R2 SSE Full Model without constant 0.802549 0.765527 0 3.471452 Model with theta and aux1 0.768284 0.741023 4.073890 2 Model with theta and aux2 0.780783 0.754993 3.854139 0.747334 3 Model with theta 0.760632 4.208418 Model with const and theta 0.327166 0.287588 11.829337 Model with const theta aux1 and aux2 0.888180 0.865816 1.965956 Model with const theta and aux1 6 0.381389 0.304062 10.876038 Model with const theta and aux2 0.882320 0.867610 2.068975 SSR SST MSE RMSE MAE **MAPE** 4.938486 14.109922 17.581373 24.388642 3.956237 0.372579 1 13.507483 17.581373 28.621065 5.349866 4.016670 0.370482 2 13.727235 17.581373 27.077205 5.203576 4.166276 0.392460 3 13.372955 17.581373 29.566189 4.303507 5.437480 0.397699 4 5.752036 17.581373 0.622597 0.789048 0.592156 0.055126 5 15.615417 17.581373 0.103471 0.321670 0.217073 0.019990 6 6.705335 17.581373 0.572423 0.756586 0.614386 0.057124 0.021725 7 15.512399 17.581373 0.108893 0.329990 0.236424

 $\label{eq:model} \begin{array}{ll} models = [model, model1, model2, model3, model4, model5, model6, model7] \\ x = [X, X1, X2, X3, X4, X5, X6, X7] \\ m = Results. Model \end{array}$

```
fig,ax = plt.subplots(nrows = 4,ncols = 2,figsize = [18,30])
for i,j,k,l in zip(models,x,ax.flatten(),m):
    y_pred = i.predict(j)
    sb.scatterplot(x=j.theta,y=y,ax = k,label='Observed')
    sb.scatterplot(x=j.theta,y=y_pred,ax=k,label='Predicted')
    k.set_title(f'Model: {l}')
plt.show()
```



Re	sults.sort_	values(by =	'RMSE',as	cendin	g=True	e)			
			ı	Model		R2	Ad	j_R2	SSE
5	Model with	const thet	a aux1 and	aux2	0.888	3180	0.86	5816	1.965956
7	Model	with const	theta and	aux2	0.882	2320	0.86	7610	2.068975
6	Model	with const	theta and	aux1	0.381	1389	0.304	1062	10.876038
4		Model with	const and	theta	0.327	7166	0.28	7588	11.829337
0	F	ull Model w	ithout con	stant	0.802	2549	0.76	5527	3.471452
2		Model with	theta and	aux2	0.786	9783	0.75	1993	3.854139
1		Model with	theta and	aux1	0.768	3284	0.74	1023	4.073890
3		М	odel with	theta	0.760	9632	0.74	7334	4.208418
5 7 6 4 0 2 1 3	SSR 15.615417 15.512399 6.705335 5.752036 14.109922 13.727235 13.507483 13.372955	SST 17.581373 17.581373 17.581373 17.581373 17.581373 17.581373 17.581373	MSE 0.103471 0.108893 0.572423 0.622597 24.388642 27.077205 28.621065 29.566189	0.32 0.32 0.75 0.78 4.93 5.20 5.34 5.43	9990 6586 9048 8486 3576 9866	0.21 0.23 0.61 0.59 3.95 4.16 4.01 4.30	6424 4386 2156 6237 6276 6670	0.01 0.02 0.05 0.05 0.37 0.39	1725 7124 5126 2579 2460 0482

From the results we can see that model with intercept fit with all the independent variables has the least error of all the models but has aux1 variable with pvalue of t statistic >0.05 making it a insignificant variable hence we can select the model with intercept, theta and aux2 which has all the significant variables and prob(f-statistic) close to zero.

Drawbacks of the Model:

- The dataset is too small
- Overfitting is present hence the error too small for the dataset

3. Propose a setting for theta

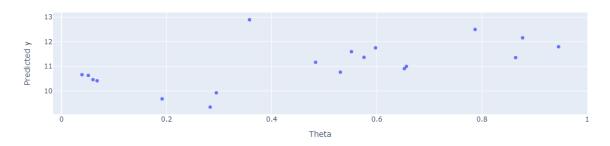
Now that you have a model built, you should be able to plot estimated *time_spent* vs. *theta* over a reasonable range of *theta*. By inspecting that plot -- and knowning that the company wants to

maximize the time users spend on the app -- which value of *theta* would you propose the engineers use? Explain how the data and your model support your decision.

The engineer's have capacity to take another set of measurements. Which settings of *theta* do you suggest they measure? Why?

```
y_pred = model7.predict(X7)
fig = go.Figure()
fig.add_trace(go.Scatter(x=X7.theta, y=y_pred, mode='markers',
name='time_spent'))
fig.update_layout(
    title='estimated time_spent vs theta',
    xaxis_title='Theta',
    yaxis_title='Predicted y'
)
fig.show()
```

estimated time_spent vs theta



From the plot We can see that the time spent is high i.e 12.89551 for theta of value 0.3578136 hence I choose the value of 0.3578136 to increase the time spent by the users

4. Experiment or observation?

Is this data set experimental or observational? Explain clearly. Consider how the effect of *theta* on *time_spent* differs from the effect of *aux1* or *aux2*.

The Dataset is Experimental data as the engineers ran the recommendation engine with different settings of theta and they measured the amount of time users spent on the app for each setting of theta. This suggests that the engineers manipulated the parameter theta (the independent variable) to observe its effect on the amount of time users spent on the app (the dependent variable). The data collection process involves controlled experiments where the engineers deliberately varied theta and observed the corresponding changes in time_spent