---What is linear regression?---

- --Linear regression is a linear approach to modeling the relationship between a scalar response and one or more explanatory variables. The case of one explanatory variable is called simple linear regression.
- --It is the easiest alogrithm among all machine learning agorithm.
- --Its quite simple to implement.

----About Dataset----

Here is a simple dataset from kaggle which is Weights and Heights dataset tried to apply linear regression algorithm.

The data contains the variables

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---Gender
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---Height (Inches)

---Weight (Pound)

---Goal---

Predict the height or weight of a person.

Step 1--Data Preprocessing

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In [1]: |
        #Importing libraries.
         import numpy as np
         import pandas as pd
         import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
        #Read the datasets
In [2]:
         dataset=pd.read_csv("weight-height.csv")
        #Check the dataset
In [3]:
         dataset.head()
           Gender
Out[3]:
                     Height
                               Weight
             Male 73.847017 241.893563
        0
```

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        Out[3]:
        Gender
        Height
        Weight

        0
        Male
        73.847017
        241.893563

        1
        Male
        68.781904
        162.310473

        2
        Male
        74.110105
        212.740856

        3
        Male
        71.730978
        220.042470

        4
        Male
        69.881796
        206.349801
```

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In [4]: #check if null values is present in dataset or not....
dataset.isnull().sum()

Out[4]: Gender    0
Height    0
```

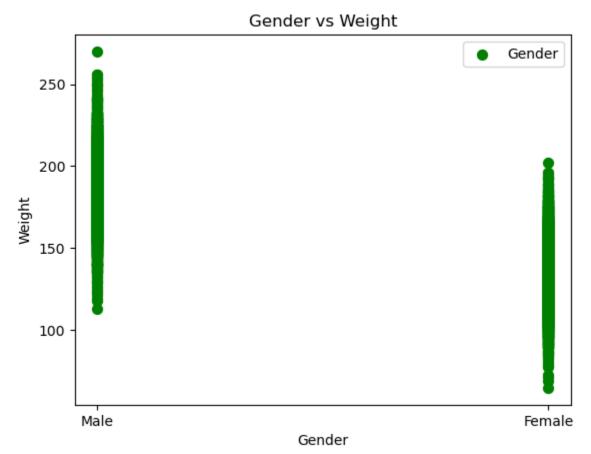
Weight 0 dtype: int64

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In [5]: #Checking the dimensions of the dataset dataset.shape

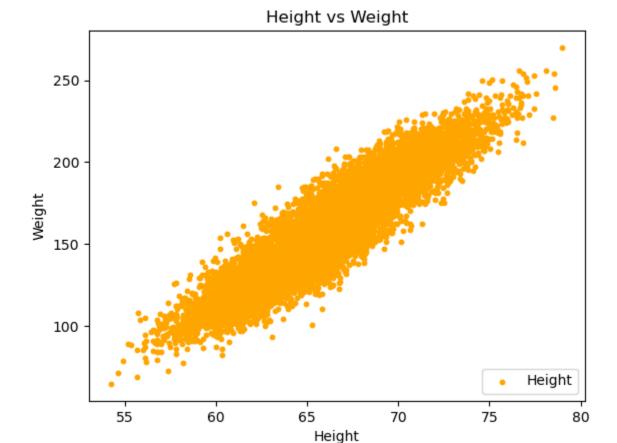
Out[5]: (10000, 3)
```

Lets check the correlation between each variables

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In [6]: #Plot Gender vs Weight......
x1 = dataset.iloc[:, 0].values
y1 = dataset.iloc[:, 2].values
plt.scatter(x1,y1,label='Gender',color='Green',s=50)
plt.xlabel('Gender')
plt.ylabel('Weight')
plt.title('Gender vs Weight')
plt.legend()
plt.show()
```



Here in the above plot, we can see **weight is not atall dependent on Gender**. So,Gender variable **is not useful** for our prediction.



From the above plot can have idea that **weight and height are highly dependent** on each other. In other words, we can say that as **height increases**, **weight also increases**.

Step 2-Splitting the dataset into training and testing set

```
In [10]: from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2, random_state=12
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Step 3-Build a linear model

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In [11]: #Creating linear regression model
    from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
    regressor = LinearRegression()
    regressor.fit(X_train, y_train)
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Out[11]:

LinearRegression Continuation LinearRegression()
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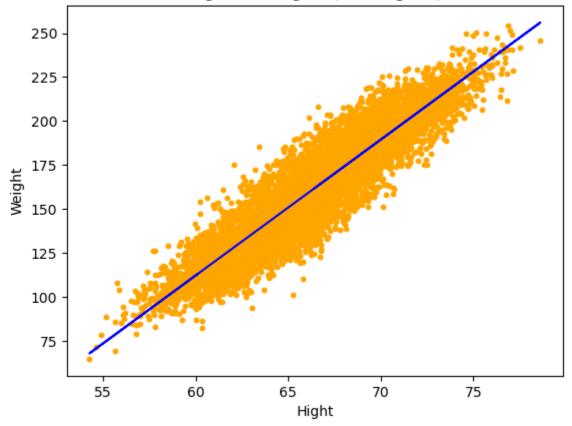
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In [12]: #predicting the test set
y_pred = regressor.predict(X_test)
```

Step 4-Now fun part

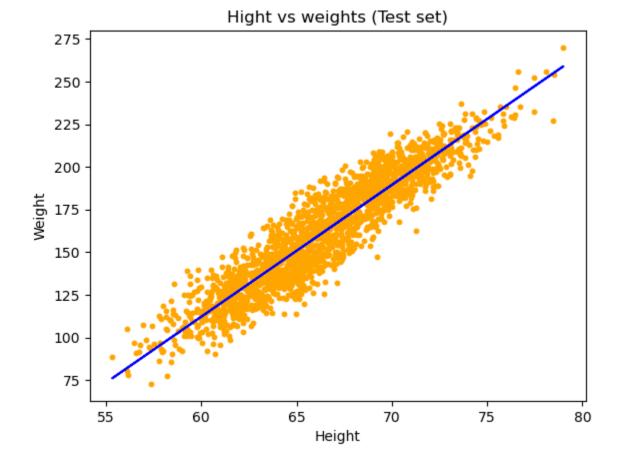
---Visualize the result.

```
In [13]: # Visualising the Training set results
plt.scatter(X_train, y_train, color = 'orange', s=10)
plt.plot(X_train, regressor.predict(X_train), color = 'blue')
plt.title('Hight vs Weights (Training set)')
plt.xlabel('Hight')
plt.ylabel('Weight')
plt.show()
```

Hight vs Weights (Training set)



```
In [14]: # Visualising the Test set results
plt.scatter(X_test, y_test, color = 'orange', s=10)
plt.plot(X_test, regressor.predict(X_test), color = 'blue')
plt.title('Hight vs weights (Test set)')
plt.xlabel('Height')
plt.ylabel('Weight')
plt.show()
```



Step 5-Checking the accuracy

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In [15]: # Mean absolute error
    from sklearn.metrics import mean_absolute_error
    print("Mean absolute error: %.2f" % mean_absolute_error(y_test, y_pred))

Mean absolute error: 9.69
In [16]: # Mean squared error
    from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
    print("Mean squared error: %.2f" % mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred))

Mean squared error: 143.23
In [ ]:
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