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In [1]: import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import scipy as sp
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Import Data

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In [2]: train_df = pd.read_csv('train.csv')
test_df = pd.read_csv('test.csv')
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In [ ]: train_df
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In [ ]: test_df
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In [ ]: train_df.describe
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In [ ]: train_df.info(10)
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Label Encoding

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In [7]: from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
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In [8]: le = LabelEncoder()

test_ids = test_df['ID']

train_df = train_df.drop(columns=['ID'])
test_df = test_df.drop(columns=['ID'])

for col in train_df.columns:
    if train_df[col].dtype == 'object':
        train_df[col] = le.fit_transform(train_df[col])

for col in test_df.columns:
    if test_df[col].dtype == 'object':
        test_df[col] = le.fit_transform(test_df[col])
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In [ ]: train_df.describe
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In [ ]: test_df.describe
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Remove Zero Variance Features

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In [11]: from sklearn.feature_selection import VarianceThreshold
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In [12]: selector = VarianceThreshold(threshold=0) # Remove features with zero variance

X_train = train_df.drop(columns=['y'])
y_train = train_df['y']
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X_train_reduced = selector.fit_transform(X_train)
test_df_reduced = selector.transform(test_df)
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Dimensionality Reduction

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In [13]: from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
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In [14]: pca = PCA(n_components=0.95)

X_train_pca = pca.fit_transform(X_train_reduced)
test_df_pca = pca.fit_transform(test_df_reduced)
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In [ ]: X_train_pca.shape, test_df_pca.shape
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Train Model

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In [16]: from xgboost import XGBRegressor
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In [17]: xg = XGBRegressor()
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In [ ]: xg.fit(X_train_pca, y_train)
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Predictions

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In [19]: test_pred = xg.predict(test_df_pca)
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In [20]: submission = pd.DataFrame({'Id': test_ids, 'Predicted_Test_Bench_Time': test_pred})
submission.to_csv('submission.csv', index=False)
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