

P2 – SUPERVISED LEARNING

K-NN

Characteristics of a KNN Model

- Fast to create model because it simply stores data
- Slow to predict because many distance calculations
- Can require lots of memory if data set is large

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The **fit** and **predict/transform** syntax will show up throughout the course.

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Regression can be done with **KNeighborsRegressor**.