Motivation

The aim is to predict the burned area of forest fires, in the northeast region of Portugal, by using meteorological and other data.

Number of Instances: 517, Number of Attributes: 13

Attribute Information:

- 1. X x-axis spatial coordinate within the Montesinho park map: 1 to 9
- 2. Y y-axis spatial coordinate within the Montesinho park map: 2 to 9
- 3. month month of the year: 'jan' to 'dec'
- 4. day day of the week: 'mon' to 'sun'
- 5. FFMC FFMC index from the FWI system: 18.7 to 96.20
- 6. DMC DMC index from the FWI system: 1.1 to 291.3
- 7. DC DC index from the FWI system: 7.9 to 860.6
- 8. ISI ISI index from the FWI system: 0.0 to 56.10
- 9. temp temperature in Celsius degrees: 2.2 to 33.30
- 10. RH relative humidity in %: 15.0 to 100
- 11. wind wind speed in km/h: 0.40 to 9.40
- 12. rain outside rain in mm/m2: 0.0 to 6.4
- 13. area the burned area of the forest (in ha): 0.00 to 1090.84

Code Snippet

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In [37]: lr = LinearRegression()
    lrModel = lr.fit(trainingDF)

In [38]: type(lrModel)

Out[38]: pyspark.ml.regression.LinearRegressionModel

In [39]: predictionsAndLabelsDF = lrModel.transform(testDF)

In [40]: eval = RegressionEvaluator()

In [41]: eval.setMetricName("rmse").evaluate(predictionsAndLabelsDF)

Out[41]: 22.808595864541225
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Performed Linear Regression to predict the area of the fire. The rmse obtained = 22.8

Visualization

