Technical Programming II

Practical 10: Simple Linear Regression

Tasks

The data file for Questions 1 through 9 is available from the Seaborn website. To load this data into a DataFrame, run this code:

data = sns.load_dataset('diamonds')

- 1. Use a condensed heatmap to identify correlations for the price column. Sort the results, include annotations that format the values with three decimal places, and remove the color bar.
- 2. Use the column with the strongest correlation to split the data into test and training datasets, where the test dataset consists of 30% of the total dataset. Be sure to specify a value for the random_state parameter.
- 3. Create a LinearRegression object, and then fit the training dataset to the model.
- 4. Score the model using the test dataset.
- 5. Predict the y values based on the x values in the test dataset, and store the results in a variable.
- 6. Put the predicted values in a DataFrame.
- 7. Join the y_test and predicted data with the x_test data, save the joined data in a new DataFrame, and then display the first five rows of data.
- 8. Melt the actual and predicted price columns together, assigning appropriate values to the variable and value names.
- 9. Use a Seaborn line plot without a confidence interval to plot the predicted data.

The data file for the next questions is available from the Seaborn website. To load this data into a DataFrame, run this code:

mpg = sns.load_dataset('mpg')

- 10. Get the correlation data for the mpg column. Sort the results to make it easier to see the columns with the stronger correlations.
- 11. Use the column with the strongest positive or negative correlation to the mpg column to split the data into test and training datasets, where the test dataset consists of 20% of the total dataset. Be sure to specify a value for the random state parameter.

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- 12. Create a linear regression model from the training dataset.
- 13. Score the model using the test dataset.
- 14. Score the model using the training dataset.
- 15. Predict the y values based on the x values in the test dataset, and store the results in a variable. Then, put the predicted values in a DataFrame.
- 16. Join the y_test and predicted data with the x_test data, save the combined data in a new DataFrame, and then display the first five rows of data.
- 17. Add the residuals to the new DataFrame.
- 18. Plot the residuals in a Seaborn KDE plot.
- 19. Melt the actual and predicted MPG columns together, assigning appropriate values to the variable and value names.
- 20. Use a Seaborn scatter plot to plot the predicted data.

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