

# **Predictive Modeling**

**PART-5**

# Districts Aggregate

## Coaching Logs

Rows = 192 & Columns = 14

Rows = 5924 & Columns = 58

- Each line of the coaching logs is an interaction between a school and a Coach.
- Doesn't have building level or school level data unlike NCES, CWIS. (Need for aggregates)
- Identifier for merging tables - **State.District.ID**
- **MO-001090(adair co. r-i) -> (multiple schools, building in CWIS,NCES) -> we need an aggregate**

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N
1	<a href="#">State.District.ID</a>	Districts	Collabor	Commr	Data.b	Effect	Instructio	School.ba	Collect	Practice.	Self.asses	Learning	DESE.virtu	CWIS
2	MO-001090	adair co. r-i	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0
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6	MO-001090	adair co. r-i	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	1	1	0
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8	MO-001090	adair co. r-i	1	0	1	1	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0
9	<b>MO-001090</b>	<b>adair co. r-i</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>

# CWIS

**Rows = 80267 & Columns = 106**

- Survey responses
- Also, if a district met with a coaching team, but didn't fill out the CWIS survey, you'll find the district in the Coaching Logs but not in the CWIS survey data.
- Building/School level data.
- 867 unique school IDs

## CWIS + NCES

- Merging CWIS,NCES based on State.School.ID
- **1709 missing rows are because :**
- There are only 839 common school IDs between CWIS and NCES.
- NCES data doesn't have all the school IDs

# NCES

**Rows = 2456 & Columns = 26**

- National Common Core data that includes descriptions of the buildings (**e.g., Free/Reduced lunch rate, student:teacher ratio, rural/urban, etc.**)
- Building/School level data.
- 2456 nces unique school IDs

**Rows = 78558 & Columns = 123**

# CWIS + NCES

**Rows = 78558 & Columns = 123**

- Building/School level data.
- To integrate with Districts we use District IDs here
- 229 unique District IDs

# Districts Aggregate

**Rows = 192 & Columns = 14**

- District level Aggregate data for schools.
- To integrate with CWIS&NCES we use District IDs here
- 192 unique District IDs

# CWIS + NCES + Districts Aggregate

**Rows = 77375 & Columns = 136**

- **Merging CWIS,NCES based on State.District.ID**
- **1183 missing rows are because :**
- There are only 183 common Districts IDs between CWIS+NCES and District Aggregates.
- Indicating few of the districts weren't involved in Coaching.

# Problems

- Need building/School level data in Coaching Logs to get Improving Instruction school wise.
- Consistency metric per month?
- How to combine CWIS + Coaching for ETL average in this case?

# Baseline Models

- Simple Models that provide reasonable results and requires less expertise or time to build.
- Baselines predictions are independent of the inputs.
- Why Baseline?

**Hypothesis:** If there is any relation between inputs and outputs

- If the baselines do better than our models(regression or classification) it's mean we can assume the inputs has no relation with the outputs.

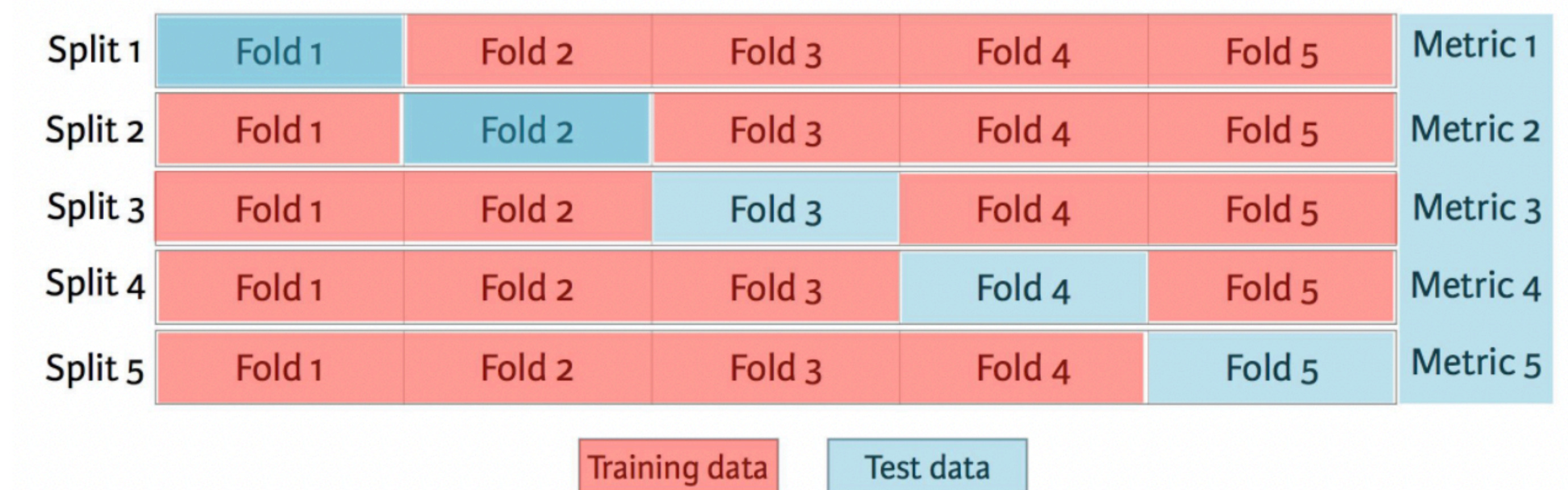
## **Baselines Used:**

- **L0 - Classification Baseline -> frequency**
- **L1 - Regression Baseline -> median**
- **L2 - Regression Baseline -> mean**

# Linear Regression

## cvglmnet - cross validation + (Lasso-L1)

- Regularization works by penalizing the magnitude of coefficients of the features.
- L1 tends to shrink coefficients to zero.
- L1 is therefore useful for feature selection, as we can drop any variables associated with coefficients that go to zero



5-fold cross validation ([image credit](#))

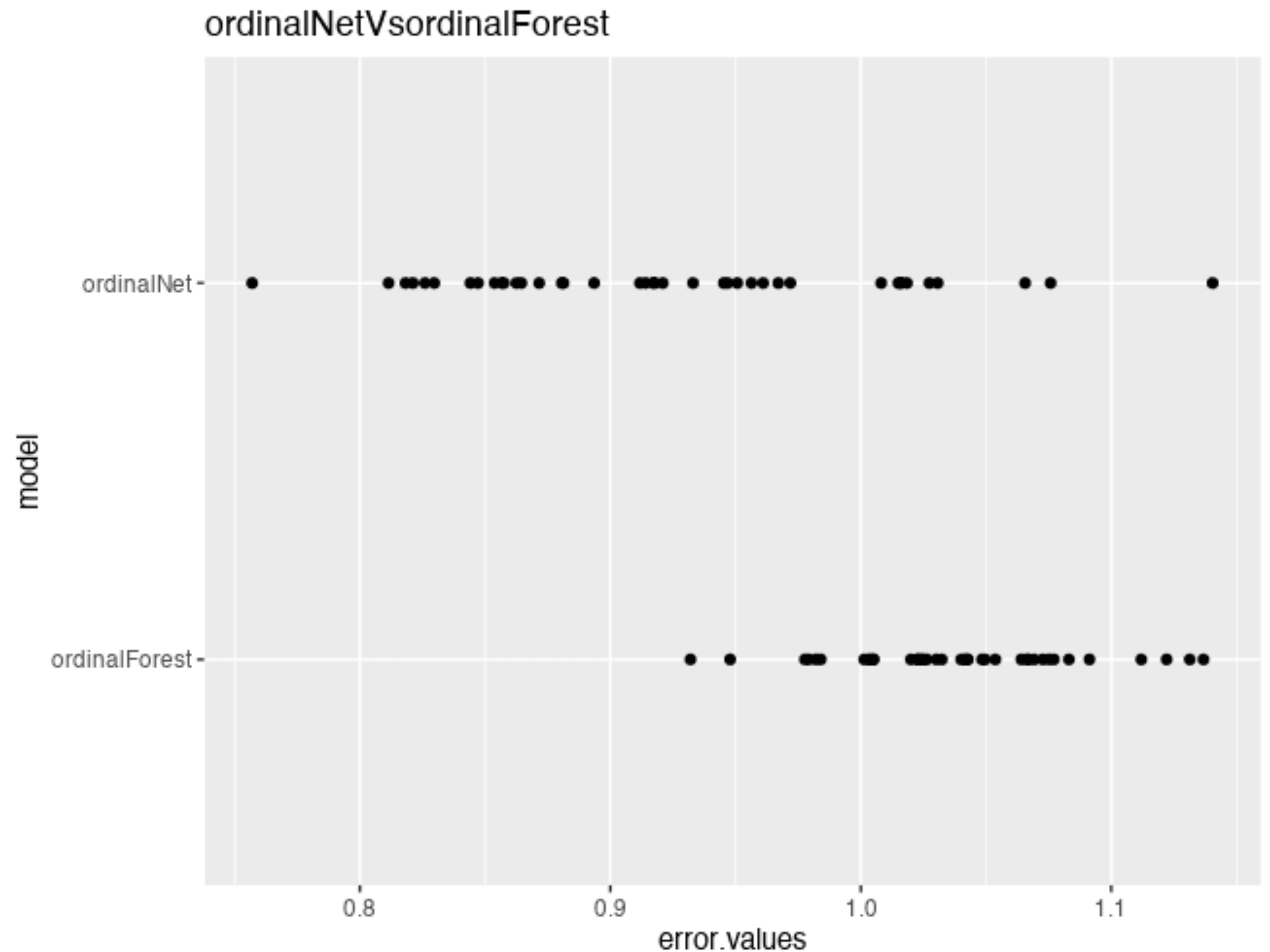


# OrdinalNet

- In statistics, ordinal regression (also called "ordinal classification") is a type of regression analysis used for predicting an ordinal variable, with 'ordered' multiple categories and independent variables.
- Ordinal Net fits ordinal regression models with elastic net penalty.

# Ordinal Forest

- The ordinal forest (OF) method allows ordinal regression with high-dimensional and low-dimensional data.
- Moreover, by means of the (permutation-based) variable importance measure of OF, it is also possible to rank the covariates with respect to their importance in the prediction of the values of the ordinal target variable.





# OrdinalNet Vs glmnet Vs Baselines

