Homework 2

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1 Description

In a bike sharing system the process of obtaining membership, rental, and bike return is automated via a network of kiosk locations throughout a city. In this problem, you will try to combine historical usage patterns with weather data to forecast bike rental demand in the Capital Bikeshare program in Washington, D.C.

You are provided hourly rental data collected from the Capital Bikeshare system spanning two years. The file Bike_train.csv, as the training set, contains data for the first 19 days of each month, while Bike_test.csv, as the test set, contains data from the 20th to the end of the month.

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In [ ]: # First we import the necessary libraries
        import os
        import pandas as pd
        pd.set option("display.precision", 4)
        import numpy as np
        from datetime import datetime
        from datetime import timedelta
        from matplotlib import pyplot as plt
        from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
        import functools
        from scipy import stats
        import seaborn as sn
        from sklearn.model_selection import LeavePOut
        from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier
        from sklearn.model_selection import LeaveOneOut, cross_val_score
        from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
        from statsmodels.formula.api import ols
        import scipy as sp
        import plotnine as p9
        from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeClassifier
        import warnings
        warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
        import random
        import math
        from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
        from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsRegressor
        import statsmodels.api as sm
        pd.options.display.float_format = '{:.4f}'.format
        pd.options.mode.chained_assignment = None # default='warn'
        from IPython.display import Markdown, display
        def printmd(string):
            display(Markdown(string))
In [ ]: # Let's read the data
        train = pd.read_csv('Bike_train.csv')
        test = pd.read_csv('Bike_test.csv')
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2 Questions

1. Before you build your predictive model, let us first explore the data.

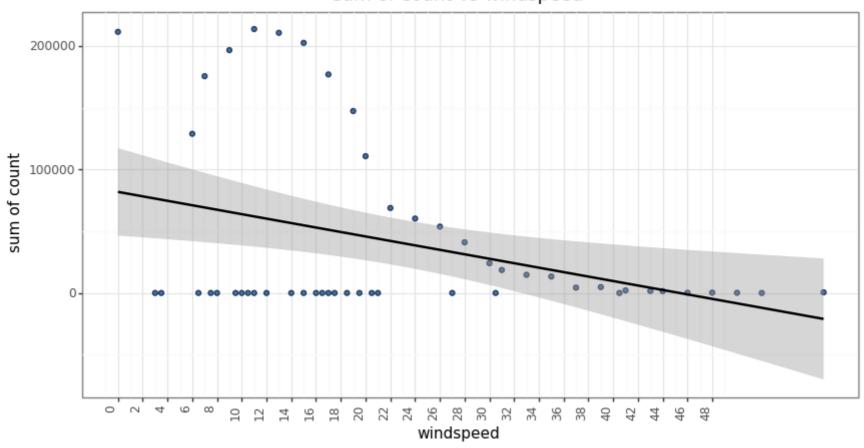
a. Visualize the relationship between count and each one of the following variables on a separate scatter plot: windspeed, humidity, temp, and atemp.

Windspeed

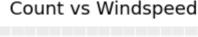
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In []: # find the sum of count for each unique wind speed and store it in a new dataframe
    wind_speed_count = train.groupby('windspeed').sum()['count']
    wind_speed_count = pd.DataFrame(wind_speed_count)
    wind_speed_count.reset_index(inplace=True)
    wind_speed_count.columns = ['windspeed', 'sum of count']

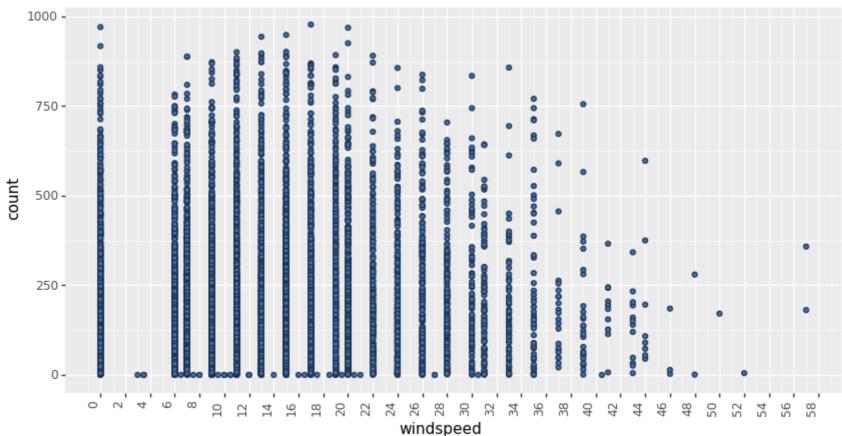
    p9.ggplot(wind_speed_count, p9.aes(x='windspeed', y='sum of count')) + p9.geom_point(colour="#1F3552", fill="#4271AE")
        + p9.geom_smooth(method='lm', se=True) + p9.theme_bw() + p9.theme(figure_size=(10, 5), axis_text_x=p9.element_text
        + p9.scale_x_continuous(breaks=range(0, 50, 2)) + p9.labs(title='sum of count vs windspeed')
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sum of count vs windspeed



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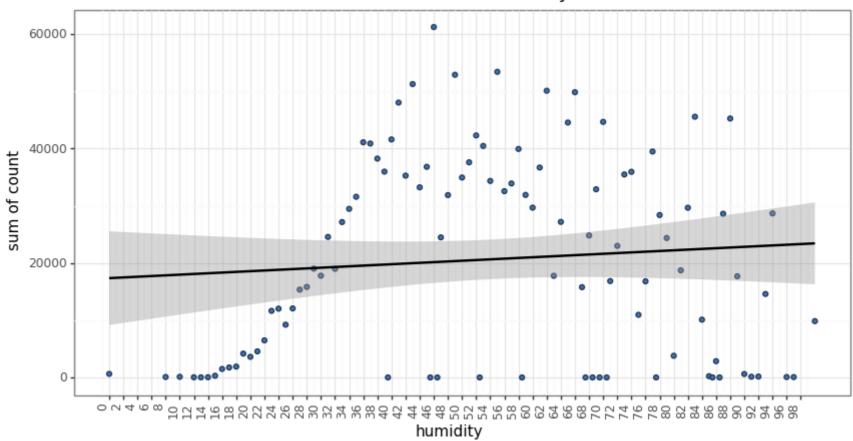


Out[]: <ggplot: (378804848)>

- It is observed that when the windspeed is higher the count is lower.
- Furthermore, we see a few outliers in the scatter plot which will be treated later in our analysis before the training of the model.

Humidity

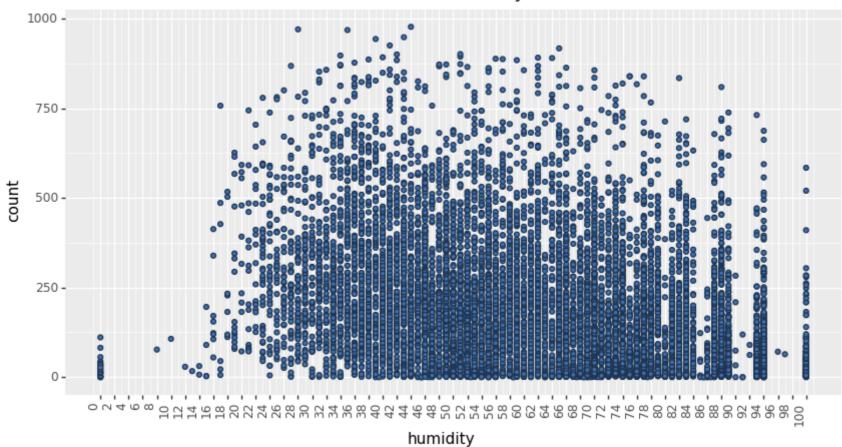
Sum of Count vs Humidity



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In []: # Scatter plot for humidity vs count, sum the count for each humidity
p9.ggplot(train, p9.aes(x='humidity', y='count')) + p9.geom_point(colour="#1F3552", fill="#4271AE") +\
p9.theme(figure_size=(10, 5), axis_text_x=p9.element_text(angle=90, hjust=1)) +\
p9.scale_x_continuous(breaks=range(0, 102, 2)) + p9.labs(title='Count vs Humidity')
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Count vs Humidity



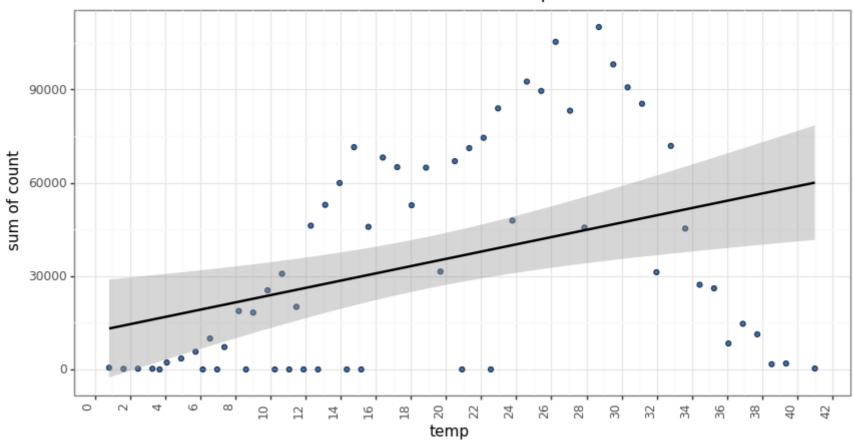
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Temperature

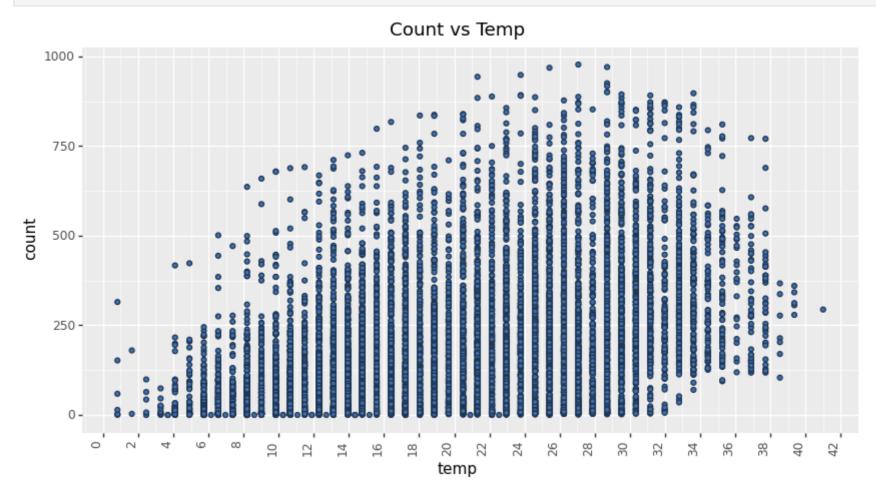
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In []: # find the sum of count for each unique temp and store it in a new dataframe
   temp_count = train.groupby('temp').sum()['count']
   temp_count = pd.DataFrame(temp_count)
   temp_count.reset_index(inplace=True)
   temp_count.columns = ['temp', 'sum of count']

p9.ggplot(temp_count, p9.aes(x='temp', y='sum of count')) + p9.geom_point(colour="#1F3552", fill="#4271AE") +\
        p9.geom_smooth(method='lm', se=True) + p9.theme_bw() + p9.theme(figure_size=(10, 5), axis_text_x=p9.element_text(a + p9.scale_x_continuous(breaks=range(-10, 100, 2)) + p9.labs(title='Sum of Count vs Temp')
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Sum of Count vs Temp



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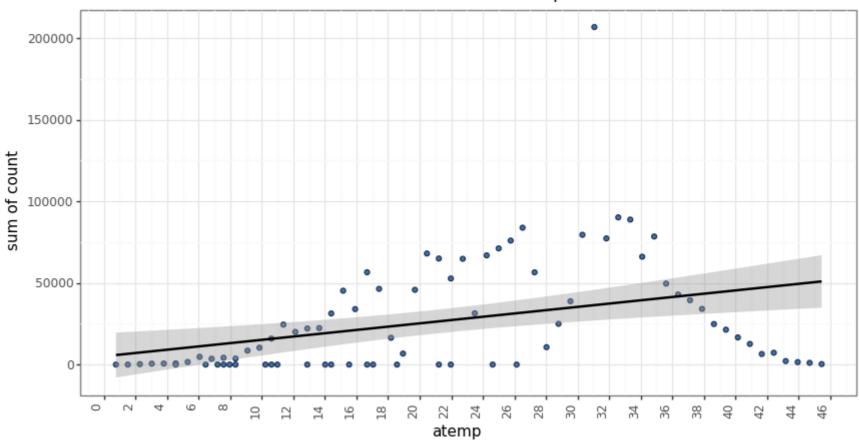
Out[]: <ggplot: (696598125)>

Feel likes temperature

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In []: # find the sum of count for each unique wind speed and store it in a new dataframe
    atemp_count = train.groupby('atemp').sum()['count']
    atemp_count = pd.DataFrame(atemp_count)
    atemp_count.reset_index(inplace=True)
    atemp_count.columns = ['atemp', 'sum of count']

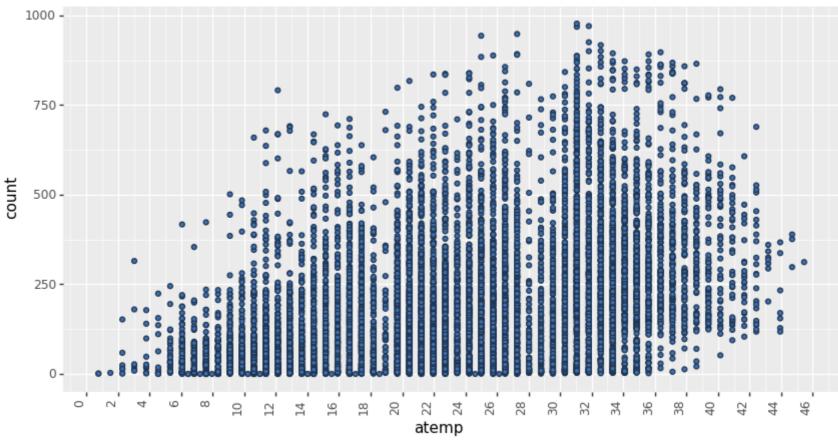
p9.ggplot(atemp_count, p9.aes(x='atemp', y='sum of count')) + p9.geom_point(colour="#1F3552", fill="#4271AE") + \
    p9.geom_smooth(method='lm', se=True) + p9.theme_bw() + p9.theme(figure_size=(10, 5), axis_text_x=p9.element_text(a + p9.scale_x_continuous(breaks=range(0, 50, 2)) + p9.labs(title='Sum of Count vs Atemp')
```

Sum of Count vs Atemp



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- Apparently, both the temperature and feels like temperature have a positive correlation with the count (we will validate this later in the analysis via the correlation matrix).
- The extreme temperatures (either too hot or too cold) have a negative impact on the count.
- But, the count is left skewed vs temperature, which means that people would rather bike in a hotter temperature than a colder one.

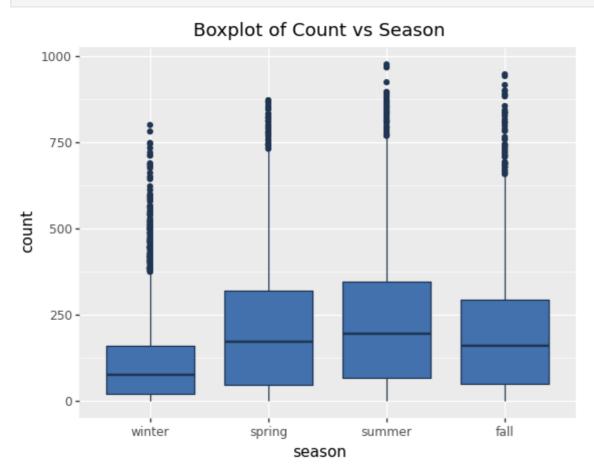
b. How does count depend on the season? Consider visualizing this relationship with a boxplot.

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In []: #find the cum of count for each unique season and store it in a new dataframe
    season_count = train.groupby('season').sum()['count']
    season_count = pd.DataFrame(season_count)
    season_count.reset_index(inplace=True)
    season_count.columns = ['season', 'sum of count']
    season_count.set_index('season', inplace=True)
    season_count.index = season_count.index.map({1: 'winter', 2: 'spring', 3: 'summer', 4: 'fall'})
    season_count
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Out[]: sum of count
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season	
winter	312498
spring	588282
summer	640662
fall	544034

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In []: train["season"] = train["season"].astype("category")
    train["season"] = train["season"].map({1: 'winter', 2: 'spring', 3: 'summer', 4: 'fall'})
    p10 = p9.ggplot(train, p9.aes("season", "count")) + p9.geom_boxplot(colour="#1F3552", fill="#4271AE") + p9.labs(title= p10
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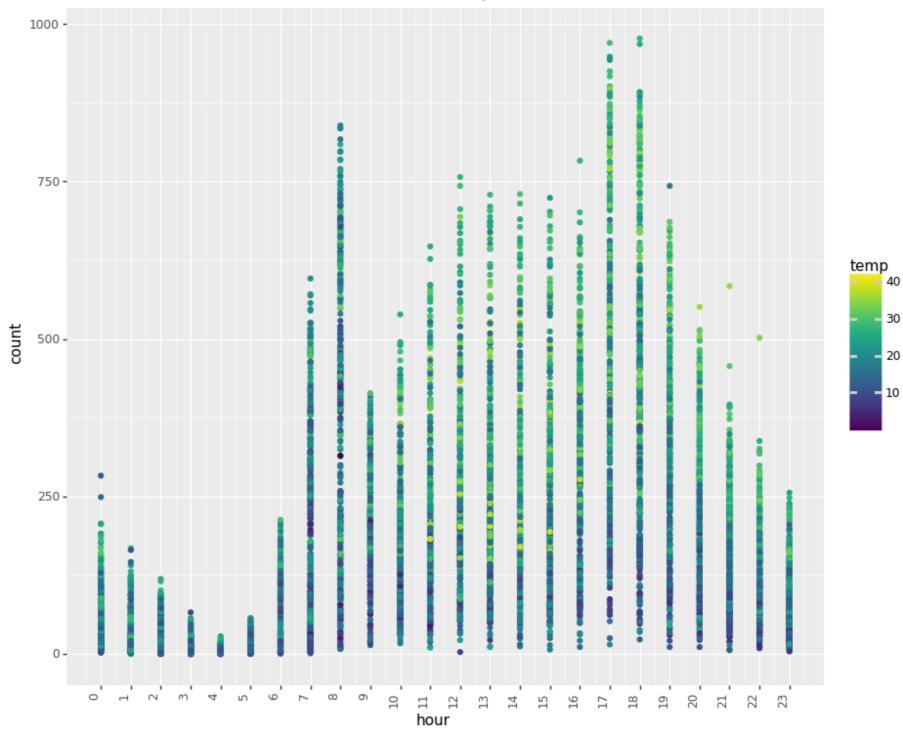


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It is observed that Winter season has the lowest mean and sum of counts. The Spring and Summer seasons have the higher mean and sum of counts.

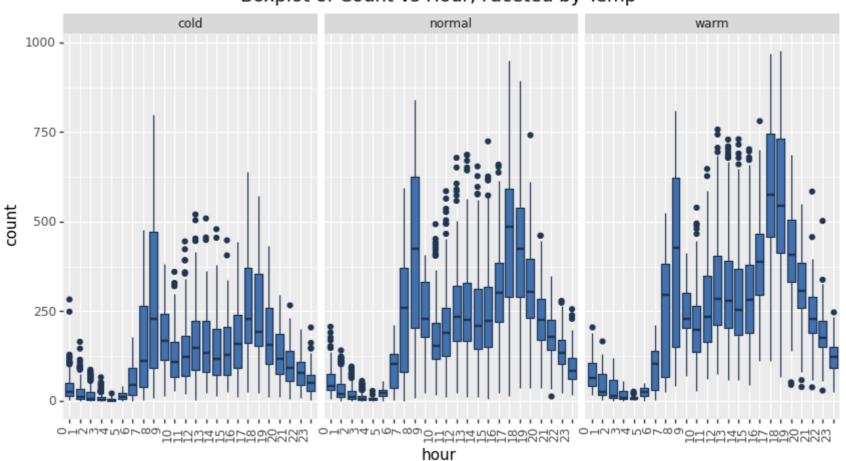
c. How does count depend on the time of the day (hour)? Does this relationship change depending on whether it is a workingday or not? A scatterplot could be used to visualize the relationship. You might consider coloring the observations on the scatterplot using the temperature (temp or atemp) do discern how the temperature affects hourly number of rentals.

Count vs Hour with Temp Color Scale



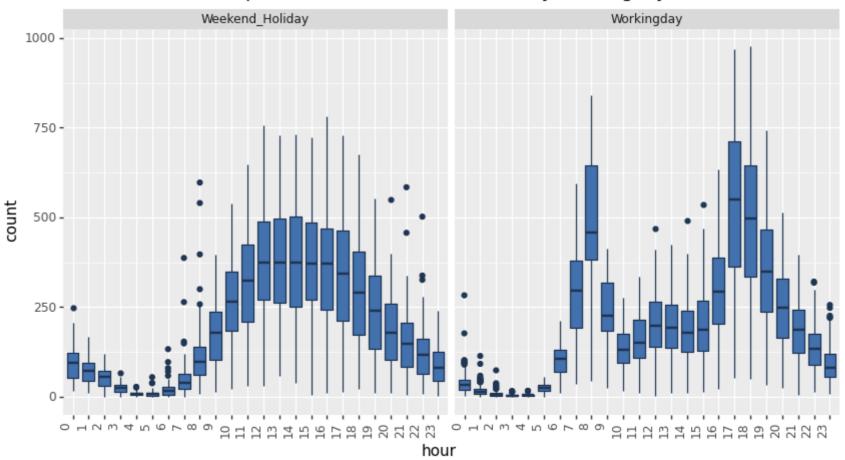
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Boxplot of Count vs Hour, Faceted by Temp



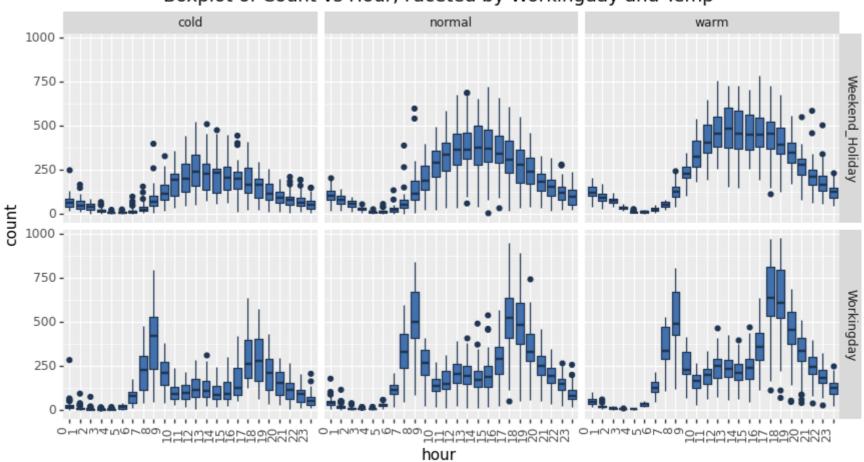
- We see a clear trend that warmer temperatures have more rentals.
- Furthermore, we see that on colder days the number of rentals in the evening is lower than the number of rentals in the morning.

Boxplot of Count vs Hour, Faceted by Workingday



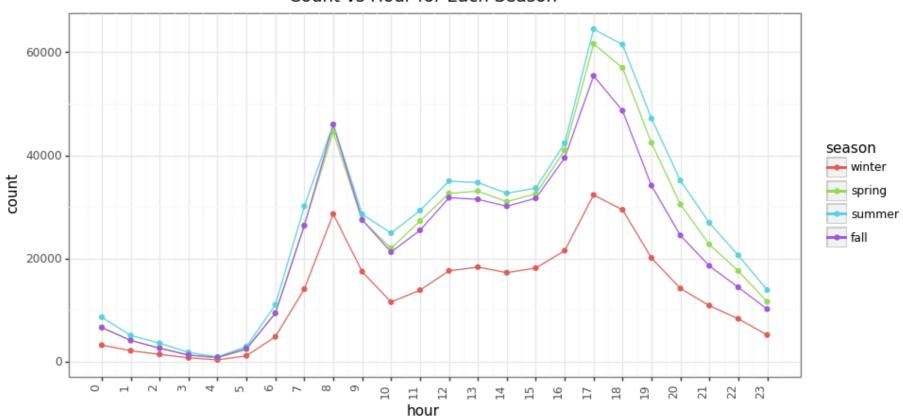
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Boxplot of Count vs Hour, Faceted by Workingday and Temp



- We obsere that the Working Day hours show a higher count (in terms of mean and sum) during the morning and evening office to-fro hours.
- The Non-Working Day hours show a higher count during the afternoon hours. The temperature does not seem to have a significant effect on the count.
- Further, we note that the non-working days strecth to later hours than the working days. This could be due to the fact that the non-working days are weekends and people tend to stay out later on weekends.
- d. Does the relationship between count and hour change by season?

Count vs Hour for Each Season



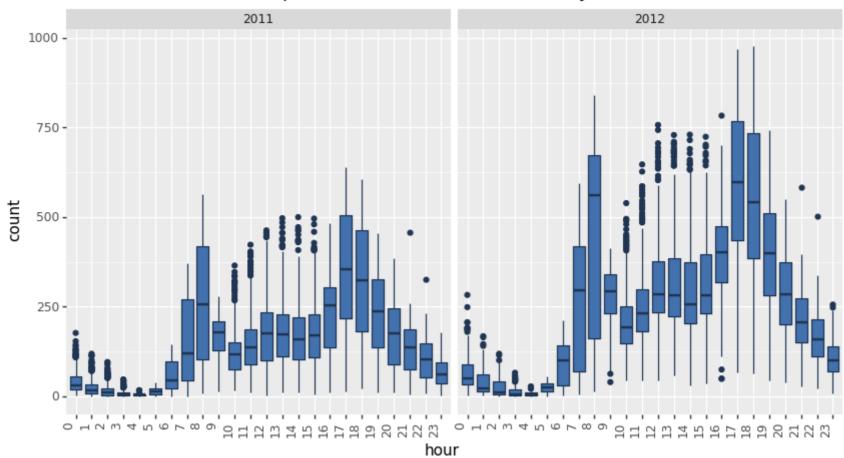
Out[]: <ggplot: (379900561)>

- Yes, there is a change in the relationship between count and hour by season.
- As expected, the Spring and Summer seasons have a higher count than the Fall and Winter seasons.
- The Summer season has the highest count across all hours. The Winter season has the lowest count across all hours.

```
In []: #revert the season back to numeric
    train["season"] = train["season"].map({'winter': 1, 'spring': 2, 'summer': 3, 'fall': 4})
    train["season"] = train["season"].astype("int")
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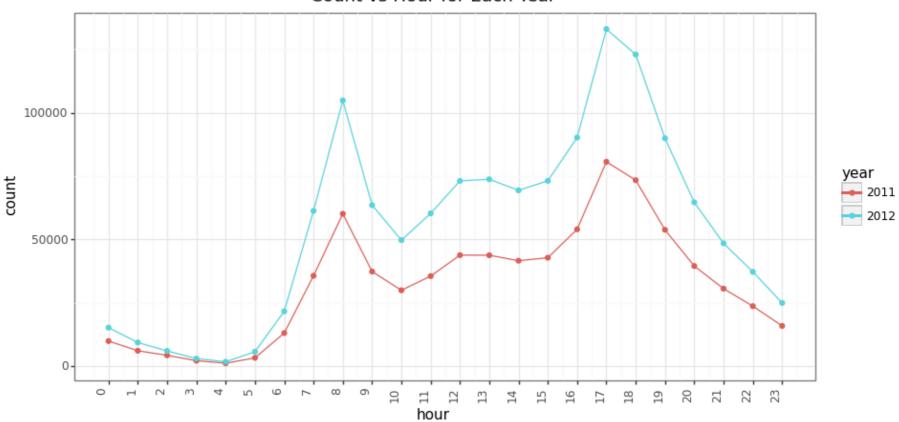
e. Does the distribution of hourly number of rentals change between 2011 and 2012? What does this tell you about the rental business?

Boxplot of Count vs Hour, Faceted by Year



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Count vs Hour for Each Year



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- It is observed that the distribution of hourly number of rentals is similar between 2011 and 2012.
- The magnitude of the distribution is higher in 2012 than in 2011.
- This tells us that the rental business has grown over the year.

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In []: train["year"] = train["year"].astype("int")
    train.drop("temp_bin", axis=1, inplace=True)
```

2. Build a model to predict the bikeshare counts for the hours recorded in the test dataset.

Save your predictions to a .csv file that you will submit to Kaggle (see Kaggle instruction below.) Provide a write-up that explains how you went about building your model. Attach the code to create the submission .csv file as an appendix to your homework submission.\ A sample script for generating a valid .csv file for submission is given below. This code builds a simple linear model for predicting log(count) using all the available variables. You will easily do better than this.

```
In [ ]: # Let's read the data
         train = pd.read_csv('Bike_train.csv')
         test = pd.read_csv('Bike_test.csv')
In [ ]: # Create a table with the columns of training data and their basic statistics
         train.describe()
Out[]:
                  daylabel
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Since the descriptive analysis of the dataframe was done in the previous question, we will skip that part and go straight to the model building.

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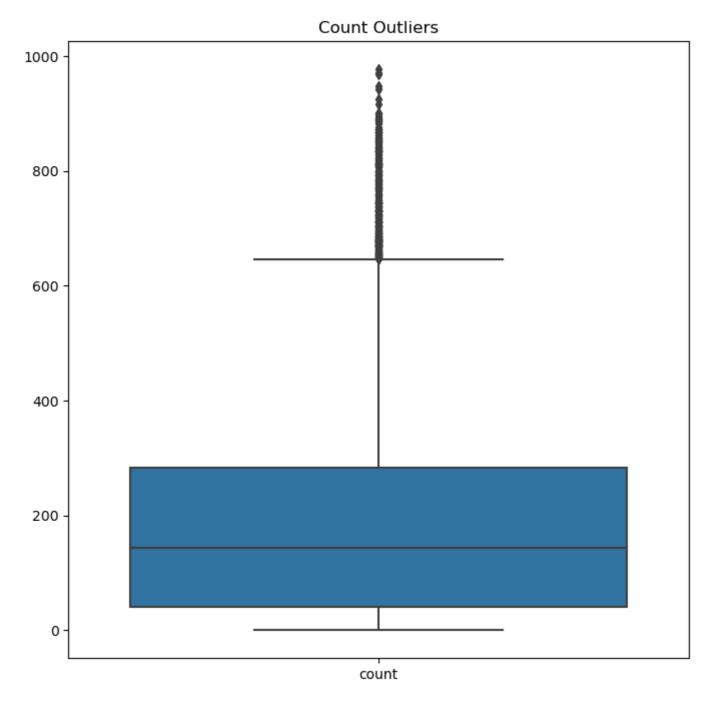
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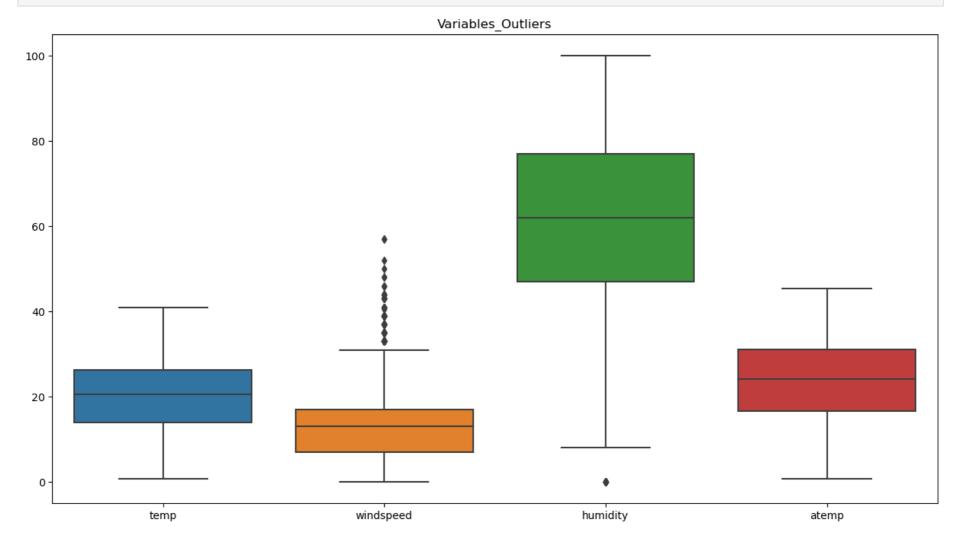
19.0000

First, we need to analyze the values of our dataframe to see if there are any missing values. We see that there are no missing values in the dataframe and outliers that have to be treated.

```
In [ ]:
        # Validate if there are any missing values in dataset
        train.isnull().sum()
        daylabel
                      0
Out[]:
        year
                      0
        month
                       0
        day
        hour
        season
                      0
        holiday
                      0
        workingday
                      0
        weather
        temp
                       0
        atemp
                      0
        humidity
                      0
        windspeed
                      0
                       0
        count
        dtype: int64
In []: fig,ax=plt.subplots(figsize=(8,8))
        #Box plot for Temp_windspeed_humidity_outliers
        sn.boxplot(data=train[['count']])
        ax.set_title('Count Outliers')
        plt.show()
```



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In []: fig,ax=plt.subplots(figsize=(15,8))
#Box plot for Temp_windspeed_humidity_outliers
sn.boxplot(data=train[['temp','windspeed','humidity','atemp']])
ax.set_title('Variables_Outliers')
plt.show()
```



• It is observed that the count variable has some outliers as windspeed and humidity. We will treat these outliers by replacing them with a KNN imputer.

```
In []: def outlier_detection(df, column):
    Q1 = df[column].quantile(0.25)
    Q3 = df[column].quantile(0.75)
    IQR = Q3 - Q1
    lower_bound = Q1 - (1.5 * IQR)
    upper_bound = Q3 + (1.5 * IQR)
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# Make nan values for outliers
             df.loc[(df[column] < lower_bound) | (df[column] > upper_bound), column] = np.nan
             return df
In [ ]: train = outlier_detection(train, 'windspeed')
         train = outlier_detection(train, 'humidity')
In [ ]: # Let's check the missing values were created
         train.isnull().sum()
Out[]: daylabel
         year
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         month
                          0
         day
                          0
         hour
         season
         holiday
         workingday
                         0
         weather
                         0
         temp
                         0
         atemp
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         humidity
                       228
         windspeed
                         0
         count
         dtype: int64
In [ ]: from sklearn.impute import KNNImputer
         def knnimpute(df):
             knn_imputer = KNNImputer(n_neighbors=5, weights='uniform')
             array_imputed = knn_imputer.fit_transform(df)
             df_imputed = pd.DataFrame(array_imputed, index = df.index, columns = df.columns)
             return df_imputed
In [ ]: train = knnimpute(train)
         # Let's check the missing values were created
         train.isnull().sum()
Out[]: daylabel
                        0
         year
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         temp
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         atemp
         humidity
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         windspeed
                        0
         count
         dtype: int64
In [ ]: # plotting the heatmap
         t2 = train.corr()
         hm = sn.heatmap(data = t2 , annot=False, cmap="YlGnBu")
         # displaying the plotted heatmap
         plt.show()
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                year
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- First we used the KNN imputer to replace the outliers in the windspeed and humidity variables.
- These were then input into our XGBoost and Random Forest models to get in-sample RMSE figures.

```
In [ ]: import xgboost as xgb
        from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
        from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
        # Define the parameter grid
        param_grid = {'max_depth': [5],
                       'n_estimators': [700],
                      'learning_rate': [0.3],
        # Split the data into training and test sets
        X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(train.drop(columns=['count']), train['count'], test_size=0.2, rand
        # Create the XGBoost model
        xgb_model = xgb.XGBRegressor(objective ='reg:squarederror', colsample_bytree = 0.3, alpha = 10)
        # Define the KFold cross-validation
        kf = KFold(n_splits=5)
        # Use GridSearchCV with KFold cross-validation to find the best parameters
        grid_search = GridSearchCV(xgb_model, param_grid, cv=kf, verbose=2)
        grid_search.fit(train.drop(columns=['count']), train['count'])
        Fitting 5 folds for each of 1 candidates, totalling 5 fits
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.2s
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.2s
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.3s
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.1s
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.1s
Out[]: |
                GridSearchCV
         ▶ estimator: XGBRegressor
               XGBRegressor
In [ ]: # Print the best parameters
        print("Best parameters: ", grid_search.best_params_)
        # Predict the 'count' using the test data
        y_pred = grid_search.predict(X_test)
        # Evaluate the model using mean squared error
        from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
        rmse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred, squared=False)
        print("Root Mean Squared Error: ", rmse)
        Best parameters: {'learning_rate': 0.3, 'max_depth': 5, 'n_estimators': 700}
        Root Mean Squared Error: 24.36303821834758
In [ ]: | y_pred = grid_search.predict(test)
        #make the negative values to 0
        y_pred[y_pred < 0] = 0
In [ ]: y_pred_df = pd.DataFrame(y_pred)
        #rename the columns to Id and count
        y_pred_df.columns = ['count']
        y pred df.index.name = 'Id'
        #Add 1 to the index
        y_pred_df.index = y_pred_df.index + 1
        y_pred_df.to_csv("Bike_test_predictions_xgboost.csv")
In [ ]: from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
        from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
        from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
        # Define the parameter grid
        param_grid = {'n_estimators': [260],
                       'max_depth': [15],
                       'min_samples_split': [2],
                       'min_samples_leaf': [2]
        # Create the RandomForestRegressor model
        rf_model = RandomForestRegressor(random_state=42)
        # Define the KFold cross-validation
        kf = KFold(n_splits=5)
        # Use GridSearchCV with KFold cross-validation to find the best parameters
        grid_search = GridSearchCV(rf_model, param_grid, cv=kf, verbose=2)
        grid_search.fit(train.drop(columns=['count']), train['count'])
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Fitting 5 folds for each of 1 candidates, totalling 5 fits
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         ▶ estimator: RandomForestRegressor
               RandomForestRegressor
In [ ]: # Print the best parameters
        print("Best parameters: ", grid_search.best_params_)
        # Predict the 'count' using the test data
        y_pred = grid_search.predict(X_test)
        # Evaluate the model using mean squared error
        from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
        rmse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred, squared=False)
        print("Root Mean Squared Error: ", rmse)
        Best parameters: {'max_depth': 15, 'min_samples_leaf': 2, 'min_samples_split': 2, 'n_estimators': 260}
        Root Mean Squared Error: 23.358920254811483
In [ ]: #use the model to predict the test data
        bike_test = pd.read_csv("Bike_test.csv")
        y pred = grid search.predict(bike test)
        #make the negative values to 0
        y_pred[y_pred < 0] = 0
In [ ]: y_pred_df = pd.DataFrame(y_pred)
        #rename the columns to Id and count
        y_pred_df.columns = ['count']
        y_pred_df.index.name = 'Id'
        #Add 1 to the index
        y_pred_df.index = y_pred_df.index + 1
        y_pred_df.to_csv("Bike_test_predictions_random_forest.csv")
```

Observations

- We see that the XGBoost model has a lower in-sample RMSE than the Random Forest model.
- The current hyper parameters were selected after rigoros grid search and cross validation. for both the models.
- Further, we will run the same models without any changes or update to the input variables to see if the model performance improves.

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In [ ]: | train = pd.read_csv("Bike_train.csv")
        test = pd.read_csv("Bike_test.csv")
In [ ]: import xgboost as xgb
        from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV
        from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
        # Define the parameter grid
        param_grid = {'max_depth': [5],
                       'n_estimators': [700],
                      'learning_rate': [0.3],
        # Split the data into training and test sets
        X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(train.drop(columns=['count']), train['count'], test_size=0.2, rand
        # Create the XGBoost model
        xgb_model = xgb.XGBRegressor(objective ='reg:squarederror', colsample_bytree = 0.3, alpha = 10)
        # Define the KFold cross-validation
        kf = KFold(n_splits=5)
        # Use GridSearchCV with KFold cross-validation to find the best parameters
        grid search = GridSearchCV(xgb model, param grid, cv=kf, verbose=2)
        grid_search.fit(train.drop(columns=['count']), train['count'])
        Fitting 5 folds for each of 1 candidates, totalling 5 fits
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time=
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time=
        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.1s
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        [CV] END ...learning_rate=0.3, max_depth=5, n_estimators=700; total time= 1.1s
                GridSearchCV
Out[]:
         ▶ estimator: XGBRegressor
               ▶ XGBRegressor
```

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In [ ]: # Print the best parameters
        print("Best parameters: ", grid_search.best_params_)
        # Predict the 'count' using the test data
        y_pred = grid_search.predict(X_test)
        # Evaluate the model using mean squared error
        from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
        rmse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred, squared=False)
        print("Root Mean Squared Error: ", rmse)
        Best parameters: {'learning_rate': 0.3, 'max_depth': 5, 'n_estimators': 700}
        Root Mean Squared Error: 23.927441578453593
In [ ]: y_pred = grid_search.predict(test)
        #make the negative values to 0
        y_pred[y_pred < 0] = 0
```

CODE TO GENERATE SUBMISSION FILE

```
In [ ]: y_pred_df = pd.DataFrame(y_pred)
        #rename the columns to Id and count
        y_pred_df.columns = ['count']
        y_pred_df.index.name = 'Id'
        #Add 1 to the index
        y_pred_df.index = y_pred_df.index + 1
        y_pred_df.to_csv("Bike_test_predictions_xgboost_no.csv")
In [ ]: from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
        from sklearn.model selection import GridSearchCV
        from sklearn.model_selection import KFold
        # Define the parameter grid
        param_grid = {'n_estimators': [260],
                       'max_depth': [15],
                       'min_samples_split': [2],
                       'min_samples_leaf': [2]
        # Create the RandomForestRegressor model
        rf_model = RandomForestRegressor(random_state=42)
        # Define the KFold cross-validation
        kf = KFold(n_splits=5)
        # Use GridSearchCV with KFold cross-validation to find the best parameters
        grid_search = GridSearchCV(rf_model, param_grid, cv=kf, verbose=2)
        grid_search.fit(train.drop(columns=['count']), train['count'])
        Fitting 5 folds for each of 1 candidates, totalling 5 fits
        [CV] END max_depth=15, min_samples_leaf=2, min_samples_split=2, n_estimators=260; total time=
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        [CV] END max_depth=15, min_samples_leaf=2, min_samples_split=2, n_estimators=260; total time=
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        [CV] END max_depth=15, min_samples_leaf=2, min_samples_split=2, n_estimators=260; total time=
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        [CV] END max_depth=15, min_samples_leaf=2, min_samples_split=2, n_estimators=260; total time=
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        [CV] END max_depth=15, min_samples_leaf=2, min_samples_split=2, n_estimators=260; total time=
                                                                                                        4.6s
Out[]:
                     GridSearchCV
         ▶ estimator: RandomForestRegressor
               RandomForestRegressor
In [ ]: # Print the best parameters
        print("Best parameters: ", grid_search.best_params_)
        # Predict the 'count' using the test data
        y_pred = grid_search.predict(X_test)
         # Evaluate the model using mean squared error
        from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
        rmse = mean_squared_error(y_test, y_pred, squared=False)
        print("Root Mean Squared Error: ", rmse)
        Best parameters: {'max_depth': 15, 'min_samples_leaf': 2, 'min_samples_split': 2, 'n_estimators': 260}
        Root Mean Squared Error: 23.37276215446016
In [ ]: #use the model to predict the test data
        bike_test = pd.read_csv("Bike_test.csv")
        y_pred = grid_search.predict(bike_test)
        #make the negative values to 0
```

CODE TO GENERATE SUBMISSION FILE

 $y_pred[y_pred < 0] = 0$

```
In [ ]: | y_pred_df = pd.DataFrame(y_pred)
        #rename the columns to Id and count
        y_pred_df.columns = ['count']
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y_pred_df.index.name = 'Id'
#Add 1 to the index
y_pred_df.index = y_pred_df.index + 1
y_pred_df.to_csv("Bike_test_predictions_random_forest_no.csv")
```

- We see the the models with no changes to the input variables have a lower in-sample RMSE than the models with the outliers replaced.
- The Kaggle submissions were done using these hyperparamters and the output was submitted to Kaggle.
- We observe that the RandomForest model has a lower in-sample RMSE than the XGBoost model.
- We also use a Cross Validation technique to see if the model performance improves, along with an iterative grid search to find the best hyperparameters for the models.
- Further, it would be interesting to see the model performance if we use different outliers.