Models and Deployment

Basketball Salaries Team

Load Primary Dataset

```
df_p.all <- read.csv('../data/pooled/primary.csv')</pre>
df_p.all$year <- as.factor(df_p.all$year)</pre>
str(df p.all)
## 'data.frame':
                    733 obs. of 51 variables:
   $ name : Factor w/ 439 levels "aaron brooks",..: 1 1 2 2 3 4 5 5 6 6 ...
   $ year : Factor w/ 2 levels "2016","2017": 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 ...
   $ salary: num 2700000 2116955 4351320 5504420 2022240 ...
           : Factor w/ 5 levels "C", "PF", "PG", ...: 3 3 2 4 2 1 4 4 1 1 ...
            : int 31 32 20 21 24 24 25 26 29 30 ...
   $ Age
    $ Tm
            : Factor w/ 31 levels "ATL", "BOS", "BRK", ...: 4 12 22 22 18 7 25 25 1 2 ...
   $ G
                   69 65 78 80 52 22 82 61 82 68 ...
##
            : int
   $ GS
            : int 0 0 37 72 2 0 82 25 82 68 ...
##
   $ MP
            : int 1108 894 1863 2298 486 163 2341 1773 2631 2193 ...
   $ PER
            : num 11.8 9.5 17 14.4 5.6 8.4 12.7 11.3 19.4 17.7 ...
          : num 0.494 0.507 0.541 0.53 0.422 0.472 0.533 0.506 0.565 0.553 ...
   $ TS.
   $ X3PAr : num 0.394 0.427 0.245 0.309 0.221 0.238 0.485 0.455 0.244 0.302 ...
   $ FTr
            : num
                   0.136\ 0.133\ 0.333\ 0.251\ 0.179\ 0.476\ 0.217\ 0.292\ 0.123\ 0.169\ \dots
##
   $ ORB.
           : num
                   2 2.3 9 5.3 4.8 5.4 4.5 4.8 6.3 4.9 ...
   $ DRB. : num 7.5 6.3 21.3 14.1 21.5 20.9 18.6 23.5 18.2 18.6 ...
   $ TRB. : num 4.8 4.3 15.1 9.6 13.3 12.8 11.5 14.1 12.4 11.8 ...
   $ AST. : num
                   26 20.7 10.3 10.5 8.9 3.8 8.8 7.9 16.7 24.4 ...
   $ STL.
          : num
                   1.4 1.4 1.6 1.4 1.7 0.3 1.5 1.7 1.3 1.2 ...
   $ BLK. : num
                   0.7 0.9 2.4 1.4 1.8 7.2 1.8 2 3.6 3.3 ...
   $ TOV. : num
                   14.2 17.2 9 8.5 18.7 16.4 13.2 15.2 8.8 11.9 ...
   $ USG.
                   22.9 19.2 17.3 20.1 17.7 17.6 16.9 15.4 20.6 19.8 ...
          : num
##
   $ OWS
           : num
                   0.2 -0.2 3.2 2 -0.9 -0.2 1.7 -0.1 4.9 3.6 ...
   $ DWS
            : num
                   0.7 0.5 2.2 1.7 0.4 0.2 2.3 2 4.5 2.7 ...
                   0.9 0.3 5.4 3.7 -0.5 0 4 1.9 9.4 6.3 ...
##
   $ WS
            : num
   $ WS.48 : num
                   0.04\ 0.016\ 0.139\ 0.076\ -0.047\ -0.001\ 0.082\ 0.051\ 0.172\ 0.137\ \dots
   $ OBPM : num -0.5 -2.1 0.6 -0.2 -5.9 -7.5 -0.4 -2.3 1.5 1 ...
   $ DBPM : num
                   -2.8 -2.6 1.2 -0.4 -0.2 1.9 0.7 1.2 2.6 2.1 ...
           : num -3.3 -4.6 1.8 -0.7 -6.1 -5.6 0.2 -1.1 4.1 3.1 ...
   $ BPM
   $ VORP
           : num
                   -0.4 -0.6 1.8 0.8 -0.5 -0.1 1.3 0.4 4.1 2.8 ...
##
   $ FG
            : int
                   188 121 274 393 53 17 299 183 529 379 ...
   $ FGA
                   469 300 579 865 145 42 719 466 1048 801 ...
            : int
   $ FG.
                   0.401\ 0.403\ 0.473\ 0.454\ 0.366\ 0.405\ 0.416\ 0.393\ 0.505\ 0.473\ \dots
            : num
   $ X3P
                   66 48 42 77 9 5 126 70 88 86 ...
            : int
                   185 128 142 267 32 10 349 212 256 242 ...
   $ X3PA : int
                   0.357\ 0.375\ 0.296\ 0.288\ 0.281\ 0.5\ 0.361\ 0.33\ 0.344\ 0.355\ \dots
   $ X3P.
           : num
   $ X2P
            : int
                   122 73 232 316 44 12 173 113 441 293 ...
##
##
   $ X2PA
           : int
                   284 172 437 598 113 32 370 254 792 559 ...
   $ X2P.
                   0.43 0.424 0.531 0.528 0.389 0.375 0.468 0.445 0.557 0.524 ...
          : num
   $ eFG. : num
                   0.471 0.483 0.509 0.499 0.397 0.464 0.503 0.468 0.547 0.527 ...
   $ FT
            : int
                   49 32 129 156 17 9 115 96 103 108 ...
##
   $ FTA
           : int
                   64 40 193 217 26 20 156 136 129 135 ...
   $ FT.
           : num
                   0.766 0.8 0.668 0.719 0.654 0.45 0.737 0.706 0.798 0.8 ...
   $ ORB
                   21 18 154 116 20 8 98 77 148 95 ...
##
           : int
   $ DRB
            : int
                   80 51 353 289 91 28 401 374 448 369
   $ TRB
            : int 101 69 507 405 111 36 499 451 596 464 ...
##
  $ AST
            : int 180 125 128 150 29 4 138 99 263 337 ...
```

```
$ BLK
          : int 10 9 55 40 11 13 53 44 121 87 ...
           : int 82 66 66 89 36 10 120 94 107 116 ...
  $ TOV
           : int 132 93 153 172 77 21 171 102 163 138 ...
  $ PF
   $ PTS
           : int 491 322 719 1019 132 48 839 532 1249 952 ...
head(df p.all)
##
             name year salary Pos Age Tm G GS
                                                MP PER
                                                          TS. X3PAr
## 1 aaron brooks 2016 2700000 PG 31 CHI 69 0 1108 11.8 0.494 0.394 0.136
## 2 aaron brooks 2017 2116955 PG
                                  32 IND 65 0 894 9.5 0.507 0.427 0.133
## 3 aaron gordon 2016 4351320 PF
                                  20 ORL 78 37 1863 17.0 0.541 0.245 0.333
## 4 aaron gordon 2017 5504420 SF
                                  21 ORL 80 72 2298 14.4 0.530 0.309 0.251
## 5 adreian payne 2016 2022240 PF
                                  24 MIN 52 2 486 5.6 0.422 0.221 0.179 4.8
       aj hammons 2017 1312611
                              C 24 DAL 22 0 163 8.4 0.472 0.238 0.476
                                                                          5.4
    DRB. TRB. AST. STL. BLK. TOV. USG.
                                     OWS DWS
                                               WS WS.48 OBPM DBPM BPM VORP
##
     7.5 4.8 26.0 1.4 0.7 14.2 22.9 0.2 0.7
                                              0.9 0.040 -0.5 -2.8 -3.3 -0.4
## 2 6.3 4.3 20.7 1.4 0.9 17.2 19.2 -0.2 0.5
                                              0.3 0.016 -2.1 -2.6 -4.6 -0.6
## 3 21.3 15.1 10.3 1.6 2.4 9.0 17.3 3.2 2.2 5.4 0.139 0.6 1.2 1.8 1.8
## 4 14.1 9.6 10.5 1.4 1.4 8.5 20.1 2.0 1.7 3.7 0.076 -0.2 -0.4 -0.7 0.8
## 5 21.5 13.3 8.9 1.7 1.8 18.7 17.7 -0.9 0.4 -0.5 -0.047 -5.9 -0.2 -6.1 -0.5
## 6 20.9 12.8 3.8 0.3 7.2 16.4 17.6 -0.2 0.2 0.0 -0.001 -7.5 1.9 -5.6 -0.1
                                              eFG. FT FTA
            FG. X3P X3PA X3P. X2P X2PA X2P.
                                                            FT. ORB DRB TRB
     FG FGA
## 1 188 469 0.401 66 185 0.357 122 284 0.430 0.471 49 64 0.766 21 80 101
## 2 121 300 0.403 48 128 0.375 73 172 0.424 0.483 32 40 0.800 18 51 69
## 3 274 579 0.473 42 142 0.296 232 437 0.531 0.509 129 193 0.668 154 353 507
## 4 393 865 0.454 77 267 0.288 316 598 0.528 0.499 156 217 0.719 116 289 405
## 5 53 145 0.366
                       32 0.281 44 113 0.389 0.397 17 26 0.654
## 6 17 42 0.405
                       10 0.500 12 32 0.375 0.464
                   5
                                                    9 20 0.450
                                                                  8 28 36
    AST STL BLK TOV PF
                       PTS
        30 10 82 132
                       491
## 1 180
         25
             9 66 93
## 2 125
                        322
## 3 128
         59 55 66 153
                        719
## 4 150
         64 40 89 172 1019
## 5 29
         16 11 36 77
                        132
## 6
     4
         1 13 10 21
                         48
```

30 25 59 64 16 1 72 60 68 52 ...

Load Complete (Primary + Secondary) Dataset

df_c.all <- read.csv('../data/pooled/complete.csv')</pre>

\$ STL

: int

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df_c.all$year <- as.factor(df_c.all$year)</pre>
str(df_c.all)
## 'data.frame':
                    733 obs. of 58 variables:
## $ name : Factor w/ 439 levels "aaron brooks",..: 1 1 2 2 3 4 5 5 6 6 ...
## $ year : Factor w/ 2 levels "2016","2017": 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 1 2 ...
   $ salary: num 2700000 2116955 4351320 5504420 2022240 ...
##
  $ Pos
          : Factor w/ 5 levels "C", "PF", "PG", ...: 3 3 2 4 2 1 4 4 1 1 ...
   $ Age
          : int 31 32 20 21 24 24 25 26 29 30 ...
## $ Tm
            : Factor w/ 31 levels "ATL", "BOS", "BRK", ...: 4 12 22 22 18 7 25 25 1 2 ...
##
   $ G
           : int 69 65 78 80 52 22 82 61 82 68 ...
## $ GS
           : int 0 0 37 72 2 0 82 25 82 68 ...
   $ MP
            : int 1108 894 1863 2298 486 163 2341 1773 2631 2193 ...
##
   $ PER
            : num
                   11.8 9.5 17 14.4 5.6 8.4 12.7 11.3 19.4 17.7 ...
##
   $ TS.
            : num
                   0.494\ 0.507\ 0.541\ 0.53\ 0.422\ 0.472\ 0.533\ 0.506\ 0.565\ 0.553\ \dots
##
   $ X3PAr : num
                   0.394 0.427 0.245 0.309 0.221 0.238 0.485 0.455 0.244 0.302 ...
   $ FTr
##
                   0.136\ 0.133\ 0.333\ 0.251\ 0.179\ 0.476\ 0.217\ 0.292\ 0.123\ 0.169\ \dots
           : num
##
   $ ORB.
          : num
                   2 2.3 9 5.3 4.8 5.4 4.5 4.8 6.3 4.9 ...
##
   $ DRB.
           : num 7.5 6.3 21.3 14.1 21.5 20.9 18.6 23.5 18.2 18.6 ...
##
   $ TRB.
           : num 4.8 4.3 15.1 9.6 13.3 12.8 11.5 14.1 12.4 11.8 ...
                   26 20.7 10.3 10.5 8.9 3.8 8.8 7.9 16.7 24.4 ...
##
   $ AST.
           : num
##
   $ STL.
            : num 1.4 1.4 1.6 1.4 1.7 0.3 1.5 1.7 1.3 1.2 ...
           : num 0.7 0.9 2.4 1.4 1.8 7.2 1.8 2 3.6 3.3 ...
   $ BLK.
```

```
: num 14.2 17.2 9 8.5 18.7 16.4 13.2 15.2 8.8 11.9 ...
   $ USG.
          : num 22.9 19.2 17.3 20.1 17.7 17.6 16.9 15.4 20.6 19.8 ...
                  0.2 -0.2 3.2 2 -0.9 -0.2 1.7 -0.1 4.9 3.6 ...
   $ OWS
            : num
                  0.7 0.5 2.2 1.7 0.4 0.2 2.3 2 4.5 2.7 ...
   $ DWS
            : num
##
   $ WS
            : num 0.9 0.3 5.4 3.7 -0.5 0 4 1.9 9.4 6.3 ...
   $ WS.48: num 0.04 0.016 0.139 0.076 -0.047 -0.001 0.082 0.051 0.172 0.137 ...
   $ OBPM : num
                  -0.5 -2.1 0.6 -0.2 -5.9 -7.5 -0.4 -2.3 1.5 1 ...
##
   $ DBPM
           : num
                  -2.8 -2.6 1.2 -0.4 -0.2 1.9 0.7 1.2 2.6 2.1 ...
##
   $ BPM
            : num
                  -3.3 -4.6 1.8 -0.7 -6.1 -5.6 0.2 -1.1 4.1 3.1 ...
##
  $ VORP
                  -0.4 -0.6 1.8 0.8 -0.5 -0.1 1.3 0.4 4.1 2.8 ...
          : num
                  188 121 274 393 53 17 299 183 529 379 ...
##
   $ FG
            : int
##
   $ FGA
            : int
                  469 300 579 865 145 42 719 466 1048 801 ...
##
   $ FG.
                  0.401\ 0.403\ 0.473\ 0.454\ 0.366\ 0.405\ 0.416\ 0.393\ 0.505\ 0.473\ \dots
            : num
   $ X3P
                   66 48 42 77 9 5 126 70 88 86 ...
            : int
   $ X3PA
                  185 128 142 267 32 10 349 212 256 242 ...
##
          : int
                  0.357 0.375 0.296 0.288 0.281 0.5 0.361 0.33 0.344 0.355 ...
   $ X3P.
           : num
##
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            : int 122 73 232 316 44 12 173 113 441 293 ...
  $ X2PA
           : int
                  284 172 437 598 113 32 370 254 792 559 ...
           : num 0.43 0.424 0.531 0.528 0.389 0.375 0.468 0.445 0.557 0.524 ...
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  $ X2P.
                  0.471 0.483 0.509 0.499 0.397 0.464 0.503 0.468 0.547 0.527 ...
##
   $ eFG.
           : num
            : int 49 32 129 156 17 9 115 96 103 108 ...
##
  $ FT
   $ FTA
            : int 64 40 193 217 26 20 156 136 129 135 ...
##
  $ FT.
           : num
                  0.766 0.8 0.668 0.719 0.654 0.45 0.737 0.706 0.798 0.8 ...
##
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## $ DRB
           : int
                  80 51 353 289 91 28 401 374 448 369 ...
##
  $ TRB
                  101 69 507 405 111 36 499 451 596 464 ...
           : int
##
   $ AST
            : int
                  180 125 128 150 29 4 138 99 263 337 ...
##
   $ STL
            : int
                  30 25 59 64 16 1 72 60 68 52 ...
##
   $ BLK
                  10 9 55 40 11 13 53 44 121 87 ...
           : int
   $ TOV
##
                  82 66 66 89 36 10 120 94 107 116 ...
            : int
##
   $ PF
                  132 93 153 172 77 21 171 102 163 138 ...
            : int
##
  $ PTS
                  491 322 719 1019 132 48 839 532 1249 952 ...
            : int
  $ out
            : int
                  79 87 87 86 56 47 90 75 81 80 ...
  $ ovr
            : int 75 85 90 92 69 66 91 83 83 91 ...
##
                  52 51 91 91 65 64 77 72 76 82 ...
##
   $ ins
            : int
            : int 74\ 81\ 69\ 49\ 43\ 40\ 60\ 59\ 58\ 82\ \dots
##
  $ pla
   $ ath
            : int 77 82 86 86 66 58 81 75 75 77 ...
            : int 52 57 69 75 64 57 76 66 70 80 ...
##
   $ def
   $ reb
            : int 36 37 87 94 68 71 94 65 73 87 ...
```

head(df c.all)

```
name year salary Pos Age Tm G GS
                                               MP PER
                                                         TS. X3PAr
                                                                    FTr ORB.
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## 2 aaron brooks 2017 2116955 PG 32 IND 65 0 894 9.5 0.507 0.427 0.133
## 3 aaron gordon 2016 4351320 PF 20 ORL 78 37 1863 17.0 0.541 0.245 0.333 9.0
## 4 aaron gordon 2017 5504420 SF 21 ORL 80 72 2298 14.4 0.530 0.309 0.251 5.3
## 5 adreian payne 2016 2022240 PF 24 MIN 52 2 486 5.6 0.422 0.221 0.179
## 6
       aj hammons 2017 1312611
                              C 24 DAL 22 0 163 8.4 0.472 0.238 0.476
    DRB. TRB. AST. STL. BLK. TOV. USG. OWS DWS
                                               WS WS.48 OBPM DBPM BPM VORP
## 1 7.5 4.8 26.0 1.4 0.7 14.2 22.9 0.2 0.7 0.9 0.040 -0.5 -2.8 -3.3 -0.4
## 2 6.3 4.3 20.7 1.4 0.9 17.2 19.2 -0.2 0.5 0.3 0.016 -2.1 -2.6 -4.6 -0.6
## 3 21.3 15.1 10.3 1.6 2.4 9.0 17.3 3.2 2.2 5.4 0.139 0.6 1.2 1.8 1.8
## 4 14.1 9.6 10.5 1.4 1.4 8.5 20.1 2.0 1.7 3.7 0.076 -0.2 -0.4 -0.7 0.8
## 5 21.5 13.3 8.9 1.7 1.8 18.7 17.7 -0.9 0.4 -0.5 -0.047 -5.9 -0.2 -6.1 -0.5
## 6 20.9 12.8 3.8 0.3 7.2 16.4 17.6 -0.2 0.2 0.0 -0.001 -7.5 1.9 -5.6 -0.1
     FG FGA
            FG. X3P X3PA X3P. X2P X2PA X2P. eFG. FT FTA
                                                            FT. ORB DRB TRB
## 1 188 469 0.401 66 185 0.357 122 284 0.430 0.471 49 64 0.766 21 80 101
## 2 121 300 0.403 48 128 0.375 73 172 0.424 0.483 32 40 0.800 18 51 69
## 3 274 579 0.473 42 142 0.296 232 437 0.531 0.509 129 193 0.668 154 353 507
## 4 393 865 0.454 77 267 0.288 316 598 0.528 0.499 156 217 0.719 116 289 405
## 5 53 145 0.366
                 9
                     32 0.281 44 113 0.389 0.397 17 26 0.654 20 91 111
                                                   9 20 0.450
## 6 17 42 0.405
                   5
                      10 0.500 12 32 0.375 0.464
    AST STL BLK TOV PF PTS out ovr ins pla ath def reb
```

```
## 1 180
        30 10 82 132
                      491
                          79
                              75
                                  52
                                     74
                                         77
                                            52
                                                36
## 2 125
        25
             9
               66 93
                      322 87
                              85
                                  51
                                     81
                                         82
                                            57
                                                37
## 3 128 59 55 66 153 719 87
                              90
                                  91
                                     69
                                         86
                                            69
                                                87
                                            75
## 4 150 64 40 89 172 1019 86
                              92 91
                                     49
                                         86
                                                94
## 5 29 16 11 36 77 132 56 69 65 43
                                         66
                                            64
                                                68
## 6
    4 1 13 10 21
                       48 47
                              66 64
                                     40
                                         58 57 71
```

Split Primary & Complete Datasets into Train Test

```
library(caret)
set.seed(7)
# primary dataset
train_rows.p <- createDataPartition(y=df_p.all[,'salary'], list=FALSE, p=.8)
df_p.train <- df_p.all[train_rows.p,]</pre>
df_p.test <- df_p.all[-train_rows.p,]</pre>
nrow(df_p.all)
## [1] 733
nrow(df_p.train)
## [1] 588
nrow(df_p.test)
## [1] 145
# complete dataset
train_rows.c <- createDataPartition(y=df_c.all[,'salary'], list=FALSE, p=.8)</pre>
df_c.train <- df_c.all[train_rows.c,]</pre>
df_c.test <- df_c.all[-train_rows.c,]</pre>
nrow(df_c.all)
## [1] 733
nrow(df_c.train)
## [1] 588
nrow(df_c.test)
## [1] 145
```

Load Train/Test Datasets Resulting from Variable Selection

```
df_p_vs.train = read.csv('../data/train_test/primary/train_selected.csv')
df_p_vs.train$year <- as.factor(df_p_vs.train$year)
df_p_vs.test = read.csv('../data/train_test/primary/test_selected.csv')
df_p_vs.test$year <- as.factor(df_p_vs.test$year)
df_c_vs.train = read.csv('../data/train_test/complete/train_selected.csv')
df_c_vs.test = read.csv('../data/train_test/complete/test_selected.csv')</pre>
```

Modeling Helper Functions

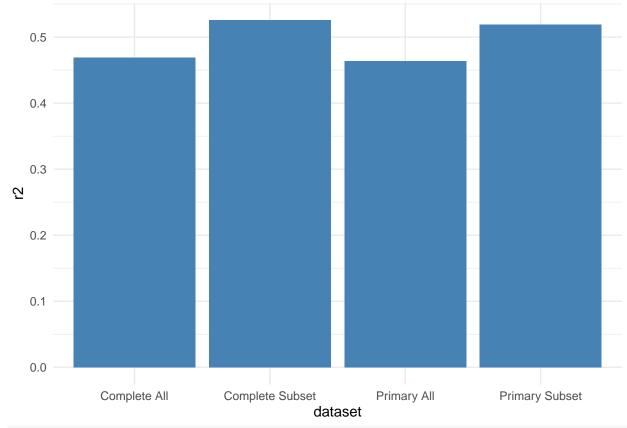
```
r_squared <- function(y,yHat){1-sum((y-yHat)^2)/sum((y-mean(y))^2)}
mse <- function(y,yHat){mean((y-yHat)^2)}
model_results <- function(model,dataset,y,yHat){
   r2_test <- r_squared(y,yHat)
   mse_test <- mse(y,yHat)
   cat(sprintf('Model: %-25s Dataset: %-15s R^2 Test: %-10.3f MSE: %-10.3e\n',model,dataset,r2_test,mse_test))}</pre>
```

Simple Linear Regression Models

ggplot(data=r2_data, aes(x=dataset, y=r2)) +
 geom_bar(stat="identity", fill="steelblue") +

theme minimal()

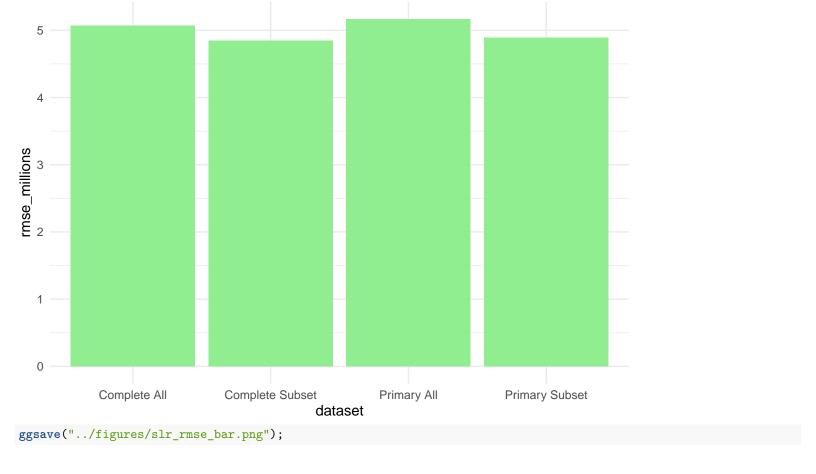
```
# modeling function
slr_modeling <- function(dataset,df_train,df_test){</pre>
  model <- 'SLR'
  x_vars <- names(df_train)[!(names(df_train)%in%c('name','salary','X2P','X2PA','TRB','PTS'))]</pre>
  f <- as.formula(sprintf('salary ~ `%s`',paste(x_vars,collapse='` + `')))
  slr_model <- lm(f,data=df_train)</pre>
  yhat <- predict(slr_model,df_test)</pre>
  model_results(model,dataset,df_test[['salary']],yhat)
 return(slr_model)}
# train/test Simple Linear Regression models
names(df_p.train)
   [1] "name"
                  "year"
                           "salary" "Pos"
                                              "Age"
                                                        "Tm"
                                                                 "G"
                                                                           "GS"
##
                           "TS."
                                                                           "TRB."
## [9] "MP"
                  "PER"
                                     "X3PAr"
                                              "FTr"
                                                        "ORB."
                                                                 "DRB."
                  "STL."
                           "BLK."
                                     "TOV."
                                              "USG."
                                                        "OWS"
                                                                 "DWS"
                                                                           "WS"
## [17] "AST."
                                                                           "FG."
## [25] "WS.48"
                  "OBPM"
                           "DBPM"
                                     "BPM"
                                              "VORP"
                                                        "FG"
                                                                 "FGA"
                                                                           "FT"
## [33] "X3P"
                  "X3PA"
                           "X3P."
                                     "X2P"
                                              "X2PA"
                                                        "X2P."
                                                                 "eFG."
## [41] "FTA"
                  "FT."
                           "ORB"
                                     "DRB"
                                              "TRB"
                                                        "AST"
                                                                 "STL"
                                                                           "BLK"
## [49] "TOV"
                  "PF"
                           "PTS"
ignore <- slr_modeling('primary',df_p.train,df_p.test)</pre>
## Model: SLR
                                      Dataset: primary
                                                                R^2 Test: 0.478
                                                                                      MSE: 2.633e+13
ignore <- slr_modeling('complete', df_c.train, df_c.test)</pre>
## Model: SLR
                                      Dataset: complete
                                                                R^2 Test: 0.544
                                                                                      MSE: 2.329e+13
names(df_p_vs.train)
                                                                 "GS"
   [1] "name"
                  "salary" "year"
                                     "Pos"
                                                        "Tm"
                                                                           "TS."
                                              "Age"
                                                        "FT"
                                                                 "PF"
   [9] "AST."
                  "WS"
                           "VORP"
                                     "FG."
                                              "X3P"
ignore <- slr_modeling('primary VS',df_p_vs.train,df_p_vs.test) # primary variable subset
## Model: SLR
                                      Dataset: primary VS
                                                                R^2 Test: 0.440
                                                                                      MSE: 2.825e+13
ignore <- slr_modeling('complete VS', df_c_vs.train, df_c_vs.test) # complete variable subset
## Model: SLR
                                      Dataset: complete VS
                                                                R^2 Test: 0.472
                                                                                      MSE: 2.664e+13
SLR Plot R^2
library(ggplot2)
r2_data <- as.data.frame(list(
  dataset = c('Primary All','Complete All','Primary Subset','Complete Subset'),
            c(.464,
                             .469,
                                                .519,
                                                               .526)))
```



ggsave("../figures/slr_r2_bar.png");

SLR Plot RMSE

```
library(ggplot2)
rmse_data <- as.data.frame(list(
   dataset = c('Primary All','Complete All','Primary Subset','Complete Subset'),
   rmse_millions = c(5.17, 5.07, 4.89, 4.85)))
ggplot(data=rmse_data, aes(x=dataset, y=rmse_millions)) +
   geom_bar(stat="identity", fill="lightgreen") +
   theme_minimal()</pre>
```



Lasso, Ridge, and Elastic Net Models with 10-fold Cross validation for alpha = seq(0,1,by=.05)

```
library(glmnet)
# modeling function
lre_modeling <- function(dataset,x_train,y_train,x_test,y_test,alphas,mkplot){</pre>
  # fit models
  for (i in alphas){
    set.seed(7) # seed for reproducibility
    model_name <- sprintf('fit_alpha_%.2f',i)</pre>
    assign(model_name, cv.glmnet(x_train, y_train, type.measure="mse",alpha=i,family="gaussian"))
    model <- get(model_name)</pre>
    yhat <- predict(model,s=model$lambda.min,newx=x_test)</pre>
    model_results(model_name,dataset,y_test,yhat)
    # plot
    if(mkplot){
      path = sprintf("../figures/elasticnet_models/alpha_%.2f.%s.png",i,dataset)
      png(file=path)
      par(mfrow=c(2,1))
      glmnet_model <- glmnet(x_train, y_train, family="gaussian",alpha=i)</pre>
      plot(glmnet_model)
      title(sprintf('Elasticnet Model, %s dataset, alpha = %.2f',dataset,i),line=3)
      plot(model,xvar='lambda')
      dev.off()}}
  return(model)} # return final model created
 extract train/test datasets of only numeric variables as required by glmnet models
     primary dataset
numeric_vars.p <- names(Filter(is.numeric,df_p.train))</pre>
numeric_x_vars.p <- numeric_vars.p[!(numeric_vars.p%in%c('salary'))]</pre>
x_train.p <- data.matrix(df_p.train[,numeric_x_vars.p])</pre>
y_train.p <- df_p.train[['salary']]</pre>
x_test.p <- data.matrix(df_p.test[,numeric_x_vars.p])</pre>
y_test.p <- df_p.test[['salary']]</pre>
     complete dataset
```

```
numeric_vars.c <- names(Filter(is.numeric,df_c.train))</pre>
numeric_x_vars.c <- numeric_vars.c[!(numeric_vars.c%in%c('salary'))]</pre>
x_train.c <- data.matrix(df_c.train[,numeric_x_vars.c])</pre>
y_train.c <- df_c.train[['salary']]</pre>
x_test.c <- data.matrix(df_c.test[,numeric_x_vars.c])</pre>
y_test.c <- df_c.test[['salary']]</pre>
# train/test Simple Linear Regression models
mkplots <- FALSE # change to TRUE if you want to generate plots
ignore <- lre_modeling('primary',x_train.p,y_train.p,x_test.p,y_test.p,seq(0,1,by=.05),mkplots)</pre>
## Model: fit_alpha_0.00
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.471
                                                                                   MSE: 2.668e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.05
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.673e+13
                                    Dataset: primary
## Model: fit_alpha_0.10
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.471
                                                                                   MSE: 2.672e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.15
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.672e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.20
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.673e+13
                                    Dataset: primary
## Model: fit_alpha_0.25
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.673e+13
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.673e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.30
                                    Dataset: primary
## Model: fit_alpha_0.35
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.672e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.40
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.470
                                                                                   MSE: 2.672e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.45
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.469
                                                                                   MSE: 2.681e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.50
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.468
                                                                                   MSE: 2.683e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.55
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.468
                                                                                   MSE: 2.685e+13
## Model: fit alpha 0.60
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.468
                                                                                   MSE: 2.687e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.65
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.467
                                                                                   MSE: 2.687e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.70
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.467
                                                                                   MSE: 2.688e+13
                                                                                   MSE: 2.686e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.75
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.468
                                    Dataset: primary
## Model: fit_alpha_0.80
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.468
                                                                                   MSE: 2.686e+13
                                    Dataset: primary
## Model: fit_alpha_0.85
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.467
                                                                                   MSE: 2.687e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.90
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.467
                                                                                   MSE: 2.688e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.95
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.467
                                                                                   MSE: 2.688e+13
                                    Dataset: primary
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.467
                                                                                   MSE: 2.688e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_1.00
                                    Dataset: primary
ignore <- lre_modeling('complete',x_train.c,y_train.c,x_test.c,y_test.c,seq(0,1,by=.05),mkplots)
## Model: fit_alpha_0.00
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.619
                                                                                   MSE: 1.947e+13
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.613
## Model: fit_alpha_0.05
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                                                   MSE: 1.977e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.10
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.614
                                                                                   MSE: 1.974e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.15
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.615
                                                                                   MSE: 1.967e+13
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.609
                                                                                   MSE: 1.997e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.20
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.606
                                                                                   MSE: 2.011e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.25
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.602
                                                                                   MSE: 2.034e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.30
                                    Dataset: complete
## Model: fit_alpha_0.35
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.603
                                                                                   MSE: 2.029e+13
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.601
                                                                                   MSE: 2.036e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.40
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.600
                                                                                   MSE: 2.041e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.45
                                    Dataset: complete
## Model: fit_alpha_0.50
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.600
                                                                                   MSE: 2.045e+13
                                    Dataset: complete
## Model: fit_alpha_0.55
                                                             R^2 Test: 0.599
                                                                                   MSE: 2.049e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.60
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.599
                                                                                   MSE: 2.051e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.65
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.598
                                                                                   MSE: 2.053e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.70
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.597
                                                                                   MSE: 2.057e+13
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.599
## Model: fit_alpha_0.75
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                                                   MSE: 2.047e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.80
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.599
                                                                                   MSE: 2.049e+13
                                    Dataset: complete
## Model: fit_alpha_0.85
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.598
                                                                                   MSE: 2.051e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.90
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.598
                                                                                   MSE: 2.053e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_0.95
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.598
                                                                                   MSE: 2.053e+13
                                                                                   MSE: 2.054e+13
## Model: fit_alpha_1.00
                                    Dataset: complete
                                                              R^2 Test: 0.598
```

Save Optimal Model to File

Optimal model with largest R^2 Test and smallest MSE is SLR on Complete Backwards Selected Variables numeric_x_vars.c

```
"PER"
   [1] "Age"
               "G"
                       "GS"
                               "MP"
                                               "TS."
                                                       "X3PAr" "FTr"
                                                                       "ORB."
## [10] "DRB."
               "TRB."
                       "AST."
                               "STL."
                                       "BLK."
                                               "TOV."
                                                       "USG." "OWS"
                                                                       "DWS"
```

```
## [19] "WS"
                "WS.48" "OBPM"
                                 "DBPM"
                                         "BPM"
                                                  "VORP"
                                                          "FG"
                                                                   "FGA"
                                                                           "FG."
                                                          "eFG."
## [28] "X3P"
                "X3PA" "X3P."
                                 "X2P"
                                         "X2PA"
                                                  "X2P."
                                                                  "FT"
                                                                           "FTA"
## [37] "FT."
                "ORB"
                         "DRB"
                                 "TRB"
                                         "AST"
                                                  "STL"
                                                          "BLK"
                                                                  "VOT"
                                                                           "PF"
## [46] "PTS"
                "out"
                         "ovr"
                                         "pla"
                                                          "def"
                                 "ins"
                                                  "ath"
                                                                  "reb"
optimal_model <- lre_modeling('complete',x_train.c,y_train.c,x_test.c,y_test.c,c(0),mkplots)
## Model: fit_alpha_0.00
                                                               R^2 Test: 0.619
                                                                                     MSE: 1.947e+13
                                     Dataset: complete
optimal_model$lambda.min
## [1] 501360.3
saveRDS(optimal model,file='.../data/optimal model/elasticnet/model.rds')
```

Deployment of Optimal Model

```
library(plumber)
paste(
  "curl -X POST 'http://localhost:8000/predict_salary?",
  "Age=31&G=76&GS=76&MP=2709&PER=27.5&TS.=.588&X3PAr=0.199&FTr=0.347&ORB.=4.7&DRB.=18.8&",
  "TRB.=11.8&AST.=36.0&STL.=2.0&BLK.=1.5&TOV.=13.2&USG.=31.4&OWS=9.6&DWS=4&WS=13.6&WS.48=0.242&",
  "OBPM=6.9&DBPM=2.3&BPM=9.1&VORP=7.6&FG=737&FGA=1416&FG.=0.520&X3P=87&X3PA=282&X3P.=0.309&X2P=650&",
  "X2PA=1134&X2P.=0.573&eFG.=0.551&FT=359&FTA=491&FT.=0.731&ORB=111&DRB=454&TRB=565&AST=514&STL=104&",
  "BLK=49&TOV=249&PF=143&PTS=1920&out=94&ovr=99&ins=89&pla=91&ath=92&def=91&reb=91\",
df_c.train[df_c.train$name=='lebron james'&df_c.train$year=='2016',]
r <- plumb("./deploy_optimal_model.R")</pre>
r$run(port=8000)
```

Prediction from Optimal Model

```
df_c.all.copy <- df_c.all
x <- data.matrix(df_c.all[,numeric_x_vars.c])</pre>
df_c.all.copy$salary_hat_elasticnet <- as.vector(predict(optimal_model,s=optimal_model$lambda.min,newx=x))
df_c.all.copy <- df_c.all.copy[,c('name','salary','salary_hat_elasticnet')]</pre>
head(df_c.all.copy)
##
              name salary_hat_elasticnet
## 1 aaron brooks 2700000
                                         3730156
## 2 aaron brooks 2116955
                                         3179791
## 3 aaron gordon 4351320
                                         8286105
## 4 aaron gordon 5504420
                                        10716914
## 5 adreian payne 2022240
                                         1125380
## 6
        aj hammons 1312611
                                         1495870
write.csv(df_c.all.copy,'../data/predictions/elasticnet.csv')
```