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a) Polynomial Regression takes longer to train because you have to calculate the weights with all the $n_features$ for every $degree+1$ and every $n1$ row. To train KNN, you just need to X_train which is a matrix $n1$ by $n_features$ and its corresponding target which is $n1$ by 1 and don't need any calculations.

b) KNN takes longer to predict because for each new example of $n2$, the algorithm must calculate the distances for each $n1$ to find the nearest neighbors ($n1*n2$ number of calculations) and then aggregates the neighbors ($n2$ calculations). This means KNN does at least $n1*n2+n2$ number of calculation to test. Polynomial regression only has to plug in the new example of $n2$ into the trained weighted model so it only has to $n2$ number of calculations.

c) KNN would require a bigger file because you would send the whole training set ($n1$ by $n_features$ matrix and $n1$ target array) while regression you only need to send the weights ($degree+1$ by 1 matrix).