```
import pandas as pd
import warnings
warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
df = pd.read_csv('/Users/suraaj/Desktop/Datasets/Admission Predict Ver1.1.csv')
df.head()
```

	Serial No.	GRE Score	TOEFL Score	University Rating	SOP	LOR	CGPA	Research	Chance of Admit
0	1	337	118	4	4.5	4.5	9.65	1	0.92
1	2	324	107	4	4.0	4.5	8.87	1	0.76
2	3	316	104	3	3.0	3.5	8.00	1	0.72
3	4	322	110	3	3.5	2.5	8.67	1	0.80

df.shape

(500, 9)

dtype: int64

Now, let us drop the irrelevant column and check if there are any null values in the dataset

```
df = df.drop(['Serial No.'], axis=1)
df.isnull().sum()
    GRE Score
                          0
    TOEFL Score
                          0
    University Rating
    SOP
                          0
    LOR
                          0
    CGPA
    Research
                          0
    Chance of Admit
                          0
```

Lets see the distribution of the variables of graduate applicants.

```
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns

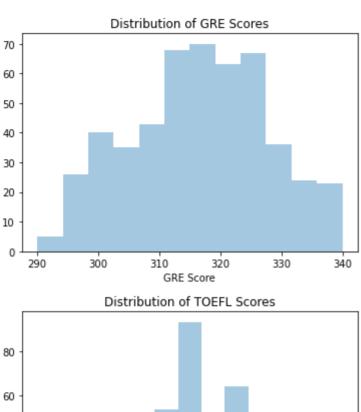
fig = sns.distplot(df['GRE Score'], kde=False)
plt.title("Distribution of GRE Scores")
plt.show()

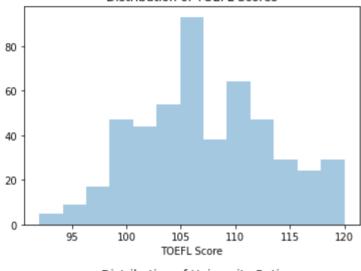
fig = sns.distplot(df['TOEFL Score'], kde=False)
plt.title("Distribution of TOEFL Scores")
plt.show()
```

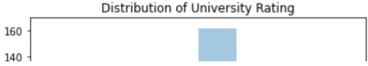
```
fig = sns.distplot(df['University Rating'], kde=False)
plt.title("Distribution of University Rating")
plt.show()

fig = sns.distplot(df['SOP'], kde=False)
plt.title("Distribution of SOP Ratings")
plt.show()

fig = sns.distplot(df['CGPA'], kde=False)
plt.title("Distribution of CGPA")
plt.show()
```







It is clear from the distributions, students with varied merit apply for the university.

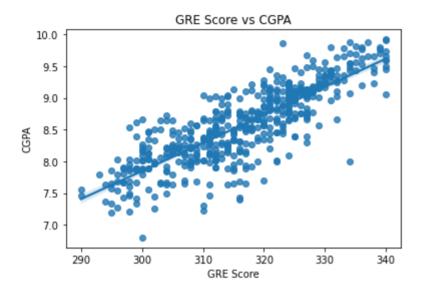
### Understanding the relation between different factors responsible for graduate admissions

```
fig = sns.regplot(x="GRE Score", y="TOEFL Score", data=df)
plt.title("GRE Score vs TOEFL Score")
plt.show()
```

```
GRE Score vs TOEFL Score
```

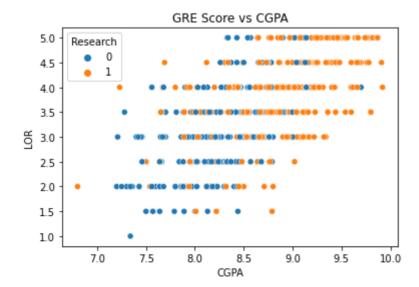
People with higher GRE Scores also have higher TOEFL Scores which is justified because both TOEFL and GRE have a verbal section which although not similar are relatable

```
fig = sns.regplot(x="GRE Score", y="CGPA", data=df)
plt.title("GRE Score vs CGPA")
plt.show()
```



Although there are exceptions, people with higher CGPA usually have higher GRE scores maybe because they are smart or hard working

```
fig = sns.scatterplot(x="CGPA", y="LOR ", data=df, hue="Research")
plt.title("GRE Score vs CGPA")
plt.show()
```



LORs are not that related with CGPA so it is clear that a persons LOR is not dependent on that persons academic excellence. Having research experience is usually related with a good LOR

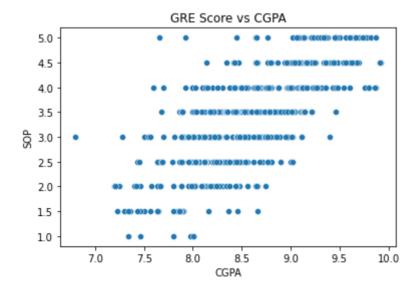
which might be justified by the fact that supervisors have personal interaction with the students performing research which usually results in good LORs

```
fig = sns.scatterplot(x="GRE Score", y="LOR ", data=df, hue="Research")
plt.title("GRE Score vs CGPA")
plt.show()
```



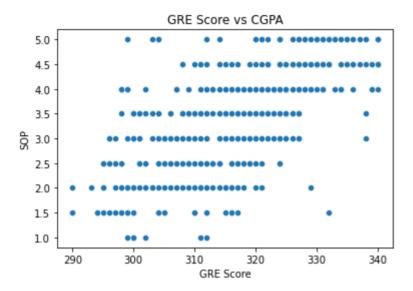
GRE scores and LORs are also not that related. People with different kinds of LORs have all kinds of GRE scores

```
fig = sns.scatterplot(x="CGPA", y="SOP", data=df)
plt.title("GRE Score vs CGPA")
plt.show()
```



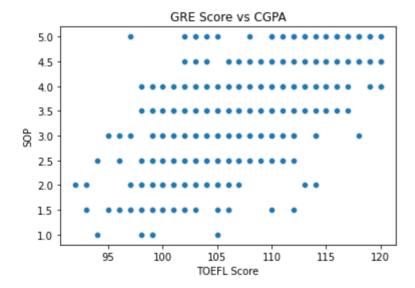
CGPA and SOP are not that related because Statement of Purpose is related to academic performance, but since people with good CGPA tend to be more hard working so they have good things to say in their SOP which might explain the slight move towards higher CGPA as along with good SOPs

```
fig = sns.scatterplot(x="GRE Score", y="SOP", data=df)
plt.title("GRE Score vs CGPA")
plt.show()
```



#### Similary, GRE Score and CGPA is only slightly related

```
fig = sns.scatterplot(x="TOEFL Score", y="SOP", data=df)
plt.title("GRE Score vs CGPA")
plt.show()
```

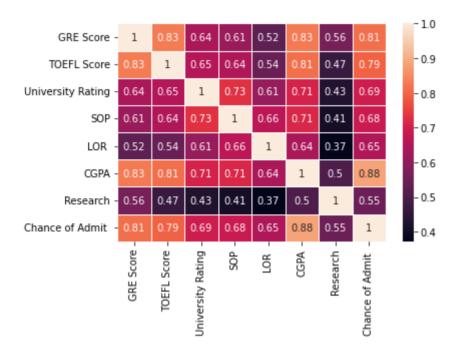


Applicants with different kinds of SOP have different kinds of TOEFL Score. So the quality of SOP is not always related to the applicants English skills.

### **Correlation among variables**

```
import numpy as np
corr = df.corr()
#fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize=(8, 8))
```

```
#colormap = sns.diverging_palette(220, 10, as_cmap=True)
#dropSelf = np.zeros_like(corr)
#dropSelf[np.triu_indices_from(dropSelf)] = True
#colormap = sns.diverging_palette(220, 10, as_cmap=True)
sns.heatmap(corr, linewidths=.5, annot=True)
plt.show()
```



Lets split the dataset with training and testing set and prepare the inputs and outputs

```
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split

X = df.drop(['Chance of Admit '], axis=1)
y = df['Chance of Admit ']

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X,y,test_size = 0.20, shuffle=T
X_train
```

	GRE	Score	TOEFL	Score	University	Rating	SOP	LOR	CGPA	Research
4	79	325		110		4	4.5	4.0	8.96	1
4	93	300		95		2	3.0	1.5	8.22	1
18	34	316		106		2	2.5	4.0	8.32	0
3	97	330		116		4	5 0	4 5	9 45	1
y_train	l									
47 49 18 39	3 0. 4 0.	.79 .62 .72								
32	3 0.	.62								
17 47 13 2 10	0 0.2 0.	.89 .87 .71 .72								

Name: Chance of Admit , Length: 400, dtype: float64

#### #Standardization

from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
X\_train\_columns=X\_train.columns
std=StandardScaler()
X\_train\_std=std.fit\_transform(X\_train)

#### X\_train\_std

```
array([[ 0.72625624,  0.42425133,  0.7191839 , ...,  0.54664996,  0.5976762 ,  0.86413245],

[-1.46126256, -2.03043332, -0.99827019, ..., -2.17300157,  -0.62064316,  0.86413245],

[-0.06125053, -0.23033124, -0.99827019, ...,  0.54664996,  -0.45600541, -1.15723001],

...,

[-0.67375579, -0.39397689,  1.57791095, ...,  0.00271965,  -0.06087481, -1.15723001],

[-0.06125053, -0.55762253, -0.13954315, ...,  0.00271965,  -0.98284622,  0.86413245],

[-0.06125053,  0.42425133, -0.13954315, ...,  1.09058026,  0.30132825,  0.86413245]])
```

X train=pd.DataFrame(X train std, columns=X train columns)

#### X\_train

	GRE Score	TOEFL Score	University Rating	SOP	LOR	CGPA	Re
0	0.726256	0.424251	0.719184	1.125357	0.546650	0.597676	0.
1	-1.461263	-2.030433	-0.998270	-0.423299	-2.173002	-0.620643	0.
2	-0.061251	-0.230331	-0.998270	-0.939518	0.546650	-0.456005	-1.
3	1.163760	1.406125	0.719184	1.641576	1.090580	1.404401	0.
4	-1.023759	-0.884914	-0.998270	-1.455737	-1.085141	-0.686498	-1.
395	0.551255	0.915188	0.719184	0.609138	1.090580	1.042198	0.
396	0.288752	0.424251	1.577911	0.609138	0.546650	1.108053	0.
397	-0.673756	-0.393977	1.577911	0.092919	0.002720	-0.060875	-1.
398	-0.061251	-0.557623	-0.139543	-0.423299	0.002720	-0.982846	0.
399	-0.061251	0.424251	-0.139543	0.609138	1.090580	0.301328	0.

400 rows × 7 columns

Lets use a bunch of different algorithms to see which model performs better

```
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy score
from sklearn.linear model import LinearRegression
from sklearn.linear model import Lasso, Ridge, Linear Regression
from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
models = [
           ['Linear Regression:', LinearRegression()],
          ['Lasso Regression:', Lasso(alpha=0.1)], #try with different alpha value
          ['Ridge Regression :', Ridge(alpha=1.0)] #try with different alpha values
print("Results without removing features with multicollinearity ...")
for name, model in models:
    model.fit(X train, y train.values)
    predictions = model.predict(std.transform(X test))
    print(name, (np.sqrt(mean_squared_error(y_test, predictions))))
    #ADD MAPE
    Results without removing features with multicollinearity ...
    Linear Regression : 0.05298305536300251
    Lasso Regression : 0.10605223378225762
    Ridge Regression: 0.052917718455970944
```

### Linear Regression using Statsmodel library

- Adjusted. R-squared reflects the fit of the model. R-squared values range from 0 to 1, where a higher value generally indicates a better fit, assuming certain conditions are met.
- const coefficient is your Y-intercept. It means that if both the Interest\_Rate and Unemployment\_Rate coefficients are zero, then the expected output (i.e., the Y) would be equal to the const coefficient.
- Interest\_Rate coefficient represents the change in the output Y due to a change of one unit in the interest rate (everything else held constant)
- Unemployment\_Rate coefficient represents the change in the output Y due to a change of one unit in the unemployment rate (everything else held constant)
- std err reflects the level of accuracy of the coefficients. The lower it is, the higher is the level of accuracy
- P > |t| is your p-value. A p-value of less than 0.05 is considered to be statistically significant
- Confidence Interval represents the range in which our coefficients are likely to fall (with a likelihood of 95%)

```
import statsmodels.api as sm
X_train = sm.add_constant(X_train)
model = sm.OLS(y_train.values, X_train).fit()
print(model.summary())
```

#### OLS Regression Results

===========	:===========		=========
Dep. Variable:	У	R-squared:	0.819
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared:	0.816
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	253.1
Date:	Sun, 03 Jul 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	3.78e-141
Time:	05:44:36	Log-Likelihood:	549.48
No. Observations:	400	AIC:	-1083.
Df Residuals:	392	BIC:	-1051.
Df Model:	7		
Covariance Type:	nonrobust		
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	coef	std err	t	P> t	[0.025
const	0.7241	0.003	234.011	0.000	0.718
GRE Score	0.0149	0.007	2.234	0.026	0.002
TOEFL Score	0.0178	0.006	2.899	0.004	0.006
University Rating	0.0098	0.005	1.944	0.053	-0.000
SOP	0.0003	0.005	0.051	0.959	-0.010
LOR	0.0150	0.004	3.350	0.001	0.006
CGPA	0.0753	0.007	10.765	0.000	0.062
Research	0.0154	0.004	4.108	0.000	0.008
		=======	========:	========	==========
Omnibus:		94.925	Durbin-Wats	on:	2.046
Prob(Omnibus):		0.000	Jarque-Bera (JB):		199.062
Skew:		-1.242	Prob(JB):		5.95e-44
Kurtosis:		5.402	Cond. No.		5.91

#### Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correct X\_train\_new=X\_train.drop(columns='SOP')

```
model1 = sm.OLS(y_train.values, X_train_new).fit()
print(model1.summary())
```

#### OLS Regression Results

=======================================	=======================================		=======================================
Dep. Variable:	У	R-squared:	0.819
Model:	OLS	Adj. R-squared:	0.816
Method:	Least Squares	F-statistic:	296.1
Date:	Sun, 03 Jul 2022	Prob (F-statistic):	2.11e-142
Time:	05:44:36	Log-Likelihood:	549.48
No. Observations:	400	AIC:	-1085.
Df Residuals:	393	BIC:	-1057.
Df Model:	6		
Covariance Type:	nonrobust		
=======================================			===========

	coef	std err	======================================	P> t	[0.025
const GRE Score TOEFL Score University Rating LOR CGPA Research	0.7241 0.0149 0.0178 0.0099 0.0151 0.0754	0.003 0.007 0.006 0.005 0.004 0.007	2.240 2.918 2.130 3.498 11.052	0.000 0.026 0.004 0.034 0.001 0.000	0.718 0.002 0.006 0.001 0.007 0.062 0.008
Omnibus: Prob(Omnibus): Skew: Kurtosis:		94.784 0.000 -1.241 5.399	Durbin-Watso Jarque-Bera Prob(JB): Cond. No.		2.046 198.587 7.54e-44 5.40

#### Notes:

[1] Standard Errors assume that the covariance matrix of the errors is correct

# ▼ VIF(Variance Inflation Factor)

- "VIF score of an independent variable represents how well the variable is explained by other independent variables.
- So, the closer the R<sup>2</sup> value to 1, the higher the value of VIF and the higher the multicollinearity with the particular independent variable.

```
from statsmodels.stats.outliers_influence import variance_inflation_factor

def calculate_vif(dataset,col):
   dataset=dataset.drop(columns=col,axis=1)
   vif=pd.DataFrame()
   vif['features']=dataset.columns
```

vif['VIF\_Value']=[variance\_inflation\_factor(dataset.values,i) for i in range(data
return vif

calculate vif(X train new,[])

	features	VIF_Value
0	const	1.000000
1	GRE Score	4.615374
2	TOEFL Score	3.902858
3	University Rating	2.245892
4	LOR	1.953575
5	CGPA	4.871981
6	Research	1.471018

## ▼ VIF looks fine and hence, we can go ahead with the predictions

```
X_test_std= std.transform(X_test)

X_test=pd.DataFrame(X_test_std, columns=X_train_columns) # col name same as train d

X_test = sm.add_constant(X_test)

X_test_del=list(set(X_test.columns).difference(set(X_train_new.columns)))

print(f'Dropping {X_test_del} from test set')

    Dropping ['SOP'] from test set

X_test_new=X_test.drop(columns=X_test_del)

#Prediction from the clean model
pred = model1.predict(X_test_new)

from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error,r2_score,mean_absolute_error

print('Mean Absolute Error ', mean_absolute_error(y_test.values,pred) ))

    Mean Absolute Error 0.03889667283539957
    Root Mean Square Error 0.05299573386462354
```

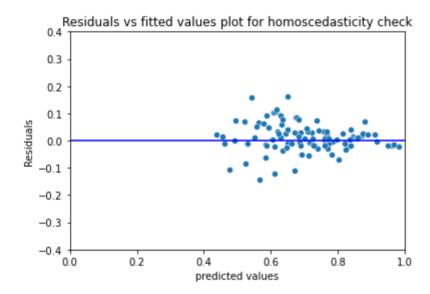
### ▼ Mean of Residuals

```
residuals = y_test.values-pred
mean_residuals = np.mean(residuals)
print("Mean of Residuals {}".format(mean_residuals))

Mean of Residuals 0.010929365649686953
```

## ▼ Test for Homoscedasticity

```
p = sns.scatterplot(x=pred,y=residuals)
plt.xlabel('predicted values')
plt.ylabel('Residuals')
plt.ylim(-0.4,0.4)
plt.xlim(0,1)
p = sns.lineplot([0,26],[0,0],color='blue')
p = plt.title('Residuals vs fitted values plot for homoscedasticity check')
```



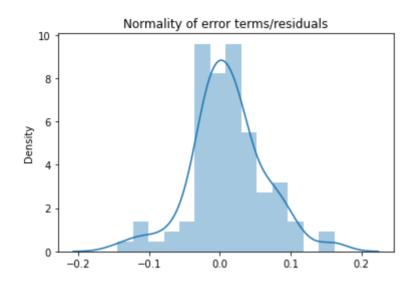
```
import statsmodels.stats.api as sms
from statsmodels.compat import lzip
name = ['F statistic', 'p-value']
test = sms.het_goldfeldquandt(residuals, X_test)
lzip(name, test)

[('F statistic', 0.800831247191971), ('p-value', 0.7626036849906835)]
```

Here null hypothesis is - error terms are homoscedastic and since p-values >0.05, we fail to reject the null hypothesis

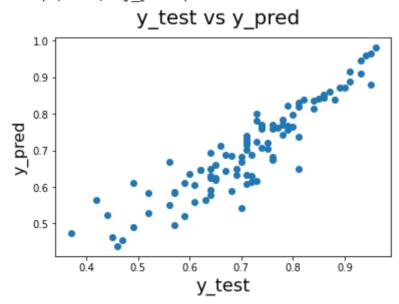
# Normality of residuals

```
p = sns.distplot(residuals,kde=True)
p = plt.title('Normality of error terms/residuals')
```



```
# Plotting y_test and y_pred to understand the spread.
fig = plt.figure()
plt.scatter(y_test.values, pred)
fig.suptitle('y_test vs y_pred', fontsize=20)  # Plot heading
plt.xlabel('y_test', fontsize=18)  # X-label
plt.ylabel('y_pred', fontsize=16)  # Y-label
```

Text(0, 0.5, 'y\_pred')



# Is this good? we are seeing a pattern?

## ▼ Bias-Variance Tradeoff

- Bias is as a result of over simplified model assumptions
- Variance occurs when the assumptions are too complex
- The more preferred model is one with low bias and low varinace.
- Dimensionality reduction and feature selection can decrease variance by simplifying models.
- Similarly, a larger training set tends to decrease variance.
- For reducing Bias: Change the model, Ensure the date is truly representative(Ensure that
  the training data is diverse and represents all possible groups or outcomes.), Parameter
  tuning.
- The bias-variance decomposition forms the conceptual basis for regression regularization methods such as Lasso and ridge regression.
- Regularization methods introduce bias into the regression solution that can reduce variance considerably relative to the ordinary least squares (OLS) solution.
- Although the OLS solution provides non-biased regression estimates, the lower variance solutions produced by regularization techniques provide superior MSE performance.
- Linear and Generalized linear models can be regularized to decrease their variance at the cost of increasing their bias.

**#INSIGHTS AND RECOMMENDATIONS**