



Rating Prediction

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Data Cleaning – Text Data

Raw Sentence

**This is a
great
collection of
Carole King's
songs.**



RegEx, Stopword
Removal,
Stemming, Others

Cleaned Sentence

**great collect
carol king
song**

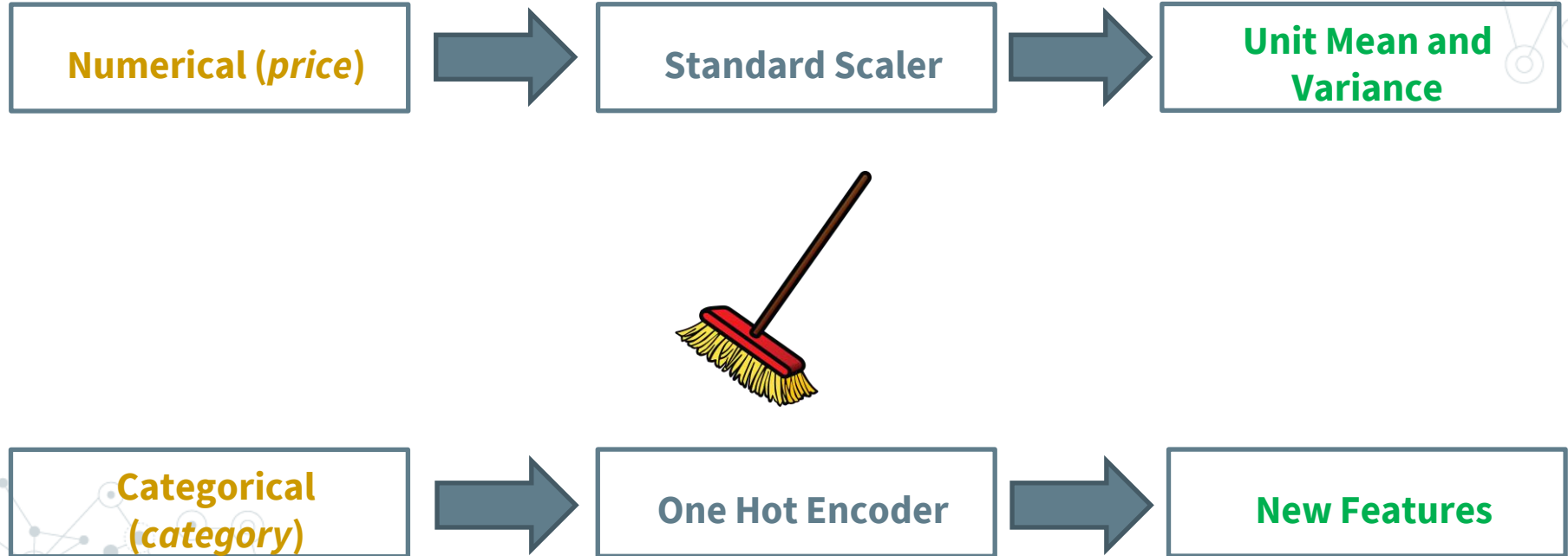


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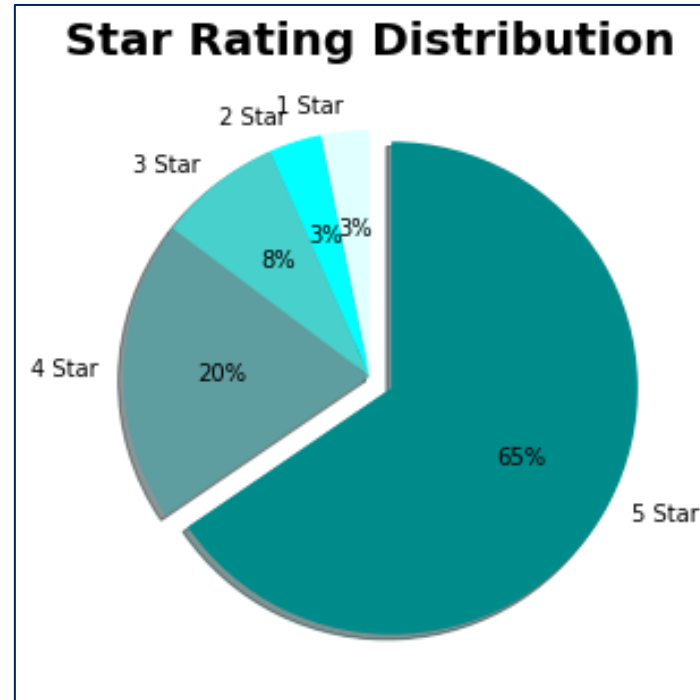
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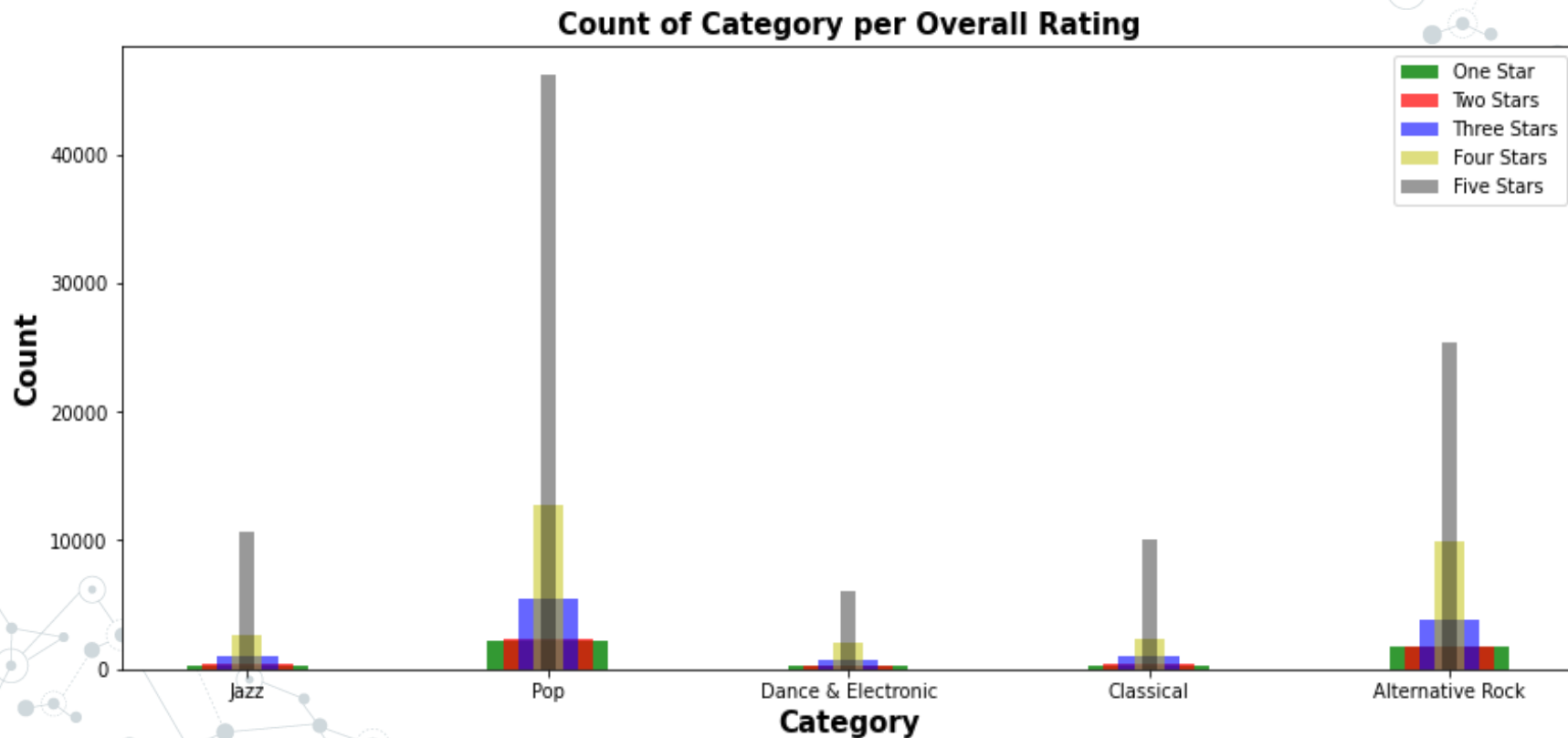
Data Cleaning – Numerical and Categorical Data



Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) – Target Distribution

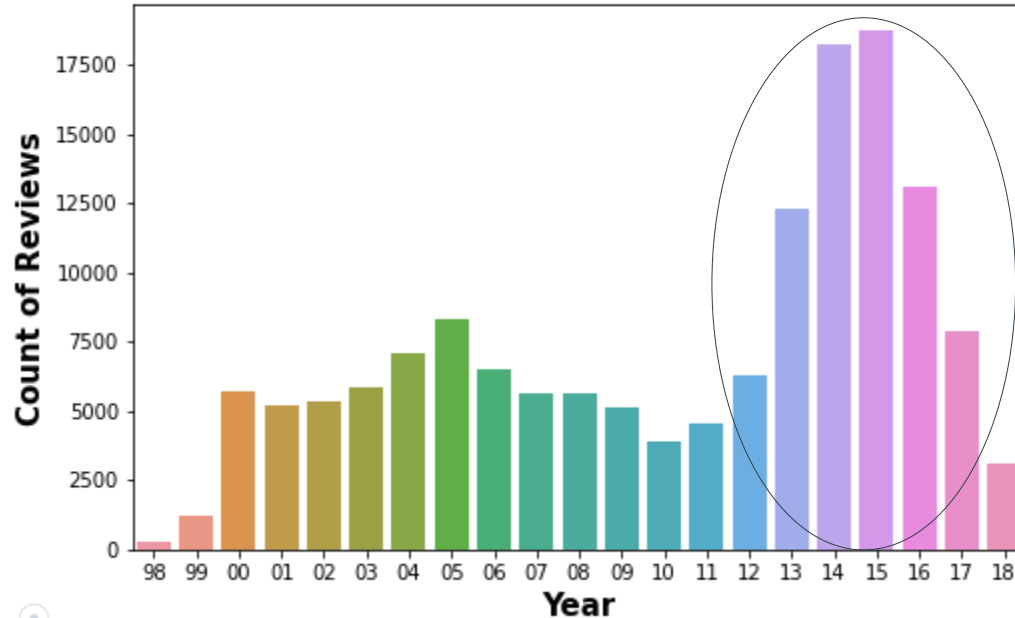


EDA – Target Distribution vs Category



EDA – Review Counts vs Year

Count of Reviews vs Year



**New Era of Smart
Phone**

Smartphone booming

Feature Importance

- Explanatory feature: Price



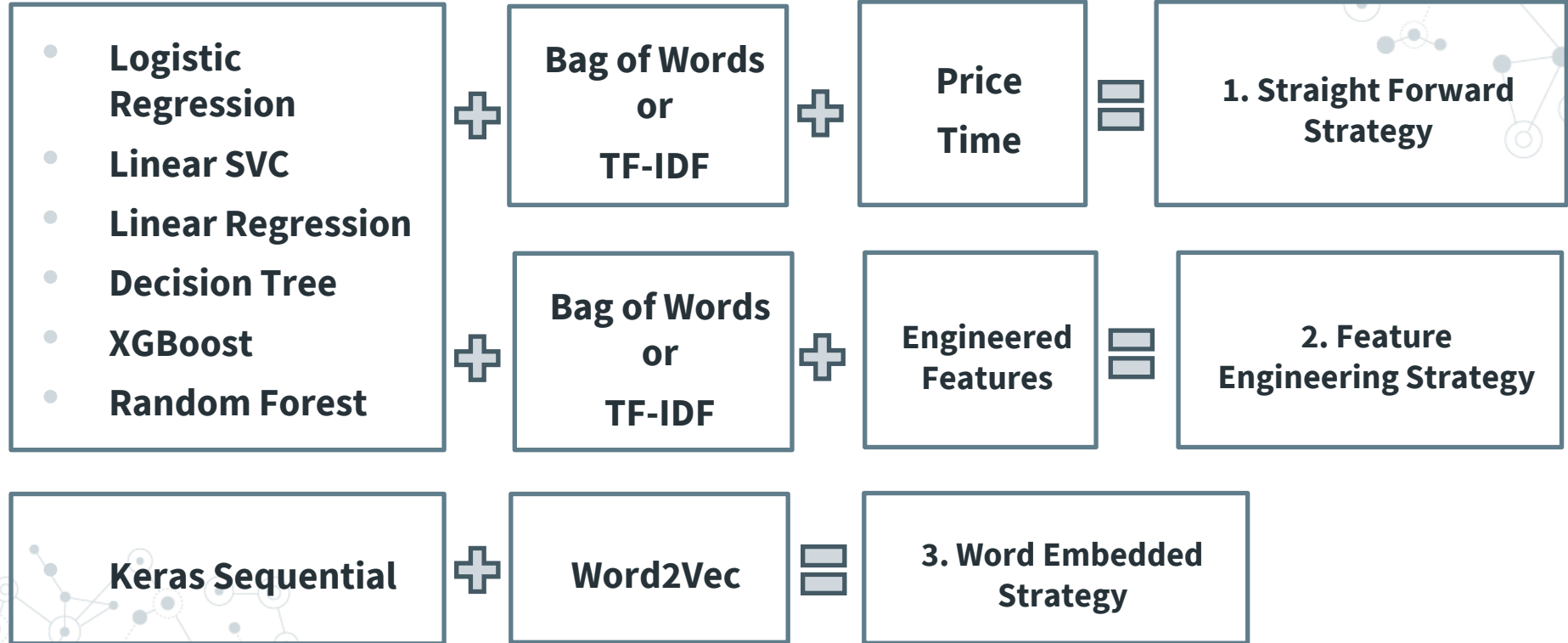
Feature Importance

- Less significant features: UnixTime, category

	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max
reviewTime								
1998	287.0	4.379791	0.967302	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
1999	1205.0	4.329461	1.069901	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
2000	5682.0	4.324182	1.029306	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
2001	5216.0	4.278374	1.052395	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
2002	5356.0	4.250187	1.068062	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
2003	5877.0	4.233112	1.117702	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
2004	7067.0	4.167115	1.181255	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

	count	mean	std	min	25%	50%	75%	max
category								
Alternative Rock	42776.0	4.291752	1.068446	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Classical	14091.0	4.520758	0.901173	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Dance & Electronic	9405.0	4.422648	0.952898	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Jazz	14850.0	4.542626	0.866444	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0
Pop	68878.0	4.427800	0.994245	1.0	4.0	5.0	5.0	5.0

Model Implementation - Strategies



Classification vs Regression



Discrete

$$MSE = \frac{1}{n} \sum \underbrace{\left(y - \hat{y} \right)^2}_{\substack{\text{The square of the difference} \\ \text{between actual and} \\ \text{predicted}}}$$

- Utilizing Linear Regression to minimize MSE
- Continuous Output

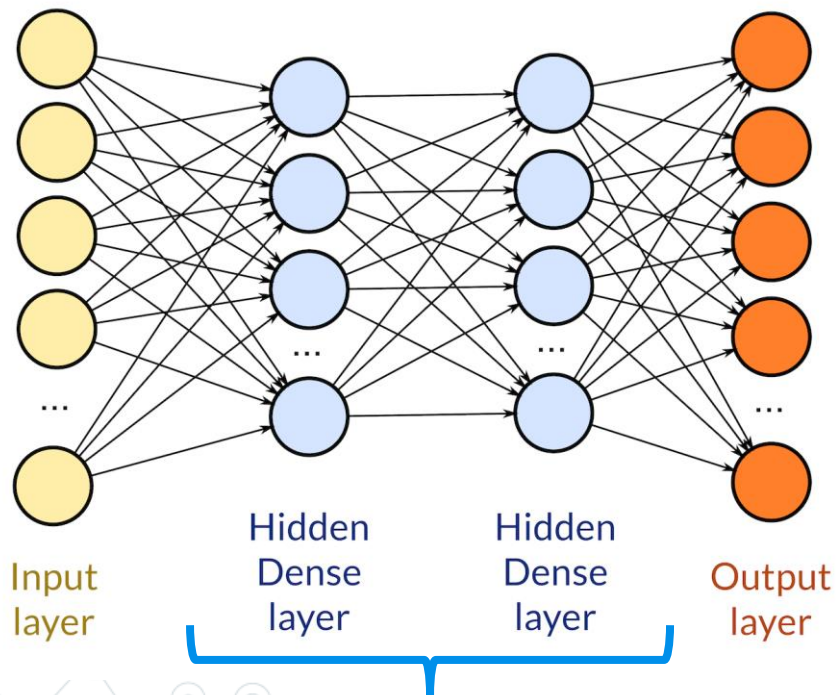
Word Embedding

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amazon_music_word2vec_model.wv.most_similar('lovely')
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[('gorgeous', 0.8384197354316711),  
 ('beautiful', 0.8370154500007629),  
 ('delightful', 0.7349829077720642),  
 ('wonderful', 0.7303638458251953),  
 ('mesmerizing', 0.7270687818527222),  
 ('marvelous', 0.7249850034713745),  
 ('heavenly', 0.7047165632247925),  
 ('delicate', 0.7020273208618164),  
 ('charming', 0.6996965408325195),  
 ('gentle', 0.6952337026596069)]
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Word2Vec

Keras Sequential



Incorrect settings +
too little epochs

Underfitting

Training = High MSE
Validation = High MSE

Incorrect settings +
too many epochs

Overfitting

Training = Low MSE
Validation = High MSE

Too many unexplored layers

Results and Discussion

	Model	Training MSE (Straight Forward)	Validation MSE (Straight Forward)	Training MSE (Feature Engineered)	Validation MSE (Feature Engineered)
1	Logistic Regression	0.6184	0.666	0.665	0.721
2	Linear SVC	0.5286	0.69	0.883	1.038
3	Linear Regression	0.4571	0.516	0.579	0.641
4	Decision Tree	0	1.174	0	1.185
5	XGBoost	0.949	0.999	0.883	0.917
6	Random Forest	0.0004	1.144	0.0003	1.178

	Model	Training MSE	Validation MSE
1	Keras Sequential	0.347475	1.1447



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