

Group 3: Regression

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Introduction

A Brief Recap

- **Initial Plan:**
 - Focus: Linear Regression
 - Task: Implement five regression models
 - Validation: Compare with established implementations
- **Received Feedback:**
 - Focus on 1 or 2 models
 - Add educational value to the project

Introduction

Our New Approach

- Chose OLS and LWR as focus models
- Retained comparative study
- Developed two web applications
 - One for education
 - One for model visualization

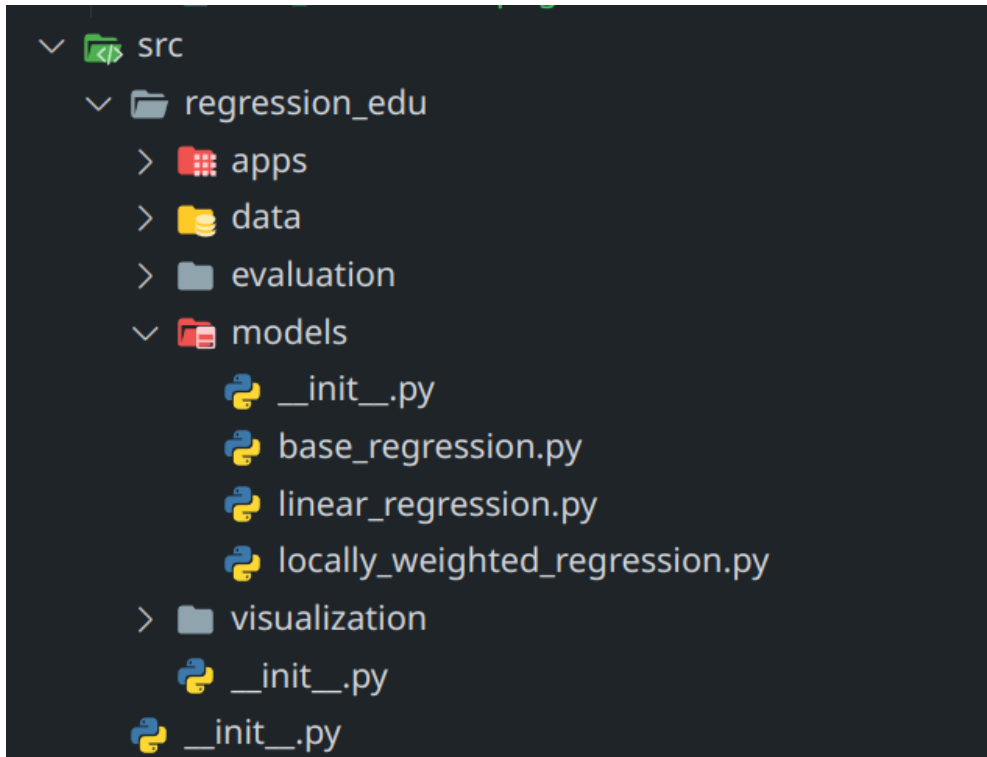
2. Coding

- Dev setup
- SWE principals

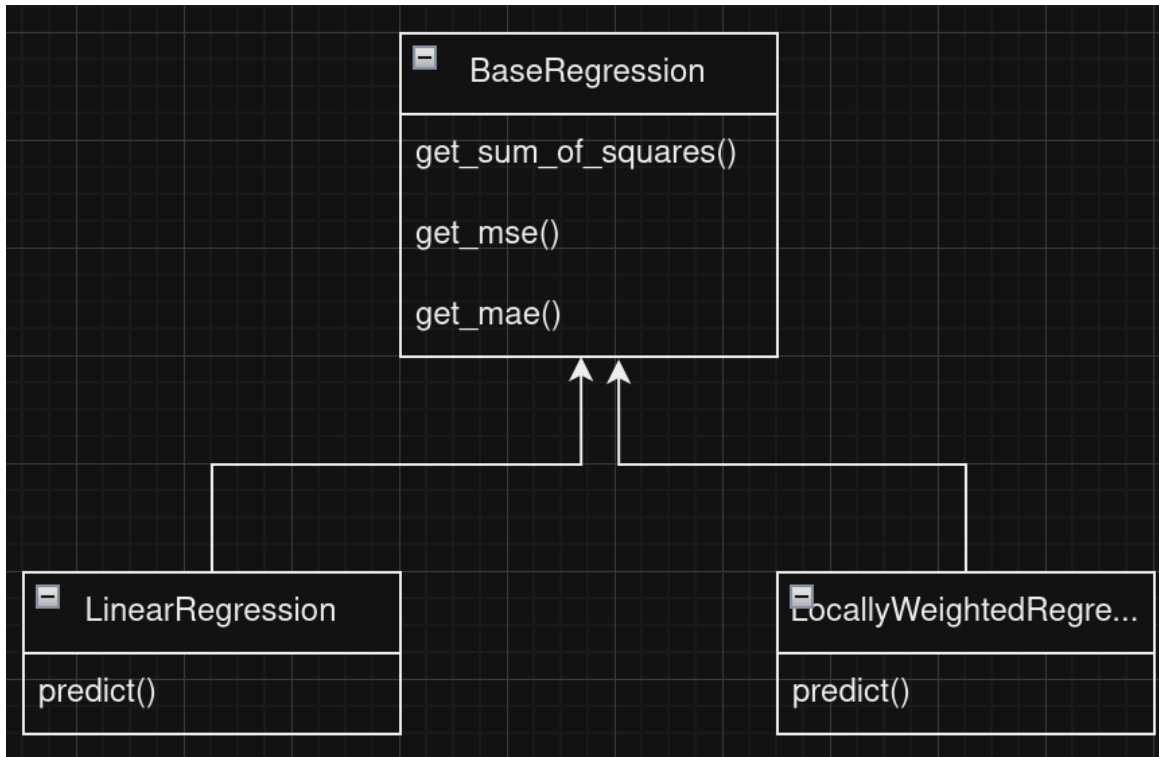
2.1 Coding - Dev setup

- Fixed python version via pyenv (python 3.11)
- Dependencies loaded via pip into a virtual env of the `venv` module of the standard lib
- Code formatting with `black`
- Linting with `pylint`
- Reviews of pushed code
- Usage of github issue tracker

2.2 SWE principals -- Separation of concerns



2.3 SWE principals -- Inheritance



3. Locally Weighted Regression (LWR) in Detail

3.1 LWR in Detail

1. Divide into sections
2. For each section, calculate the weighted regression with weight

$$w_i(x) = e^{-\frac{(\text{centre}_i - x)^2}{2\tau^2}}$$

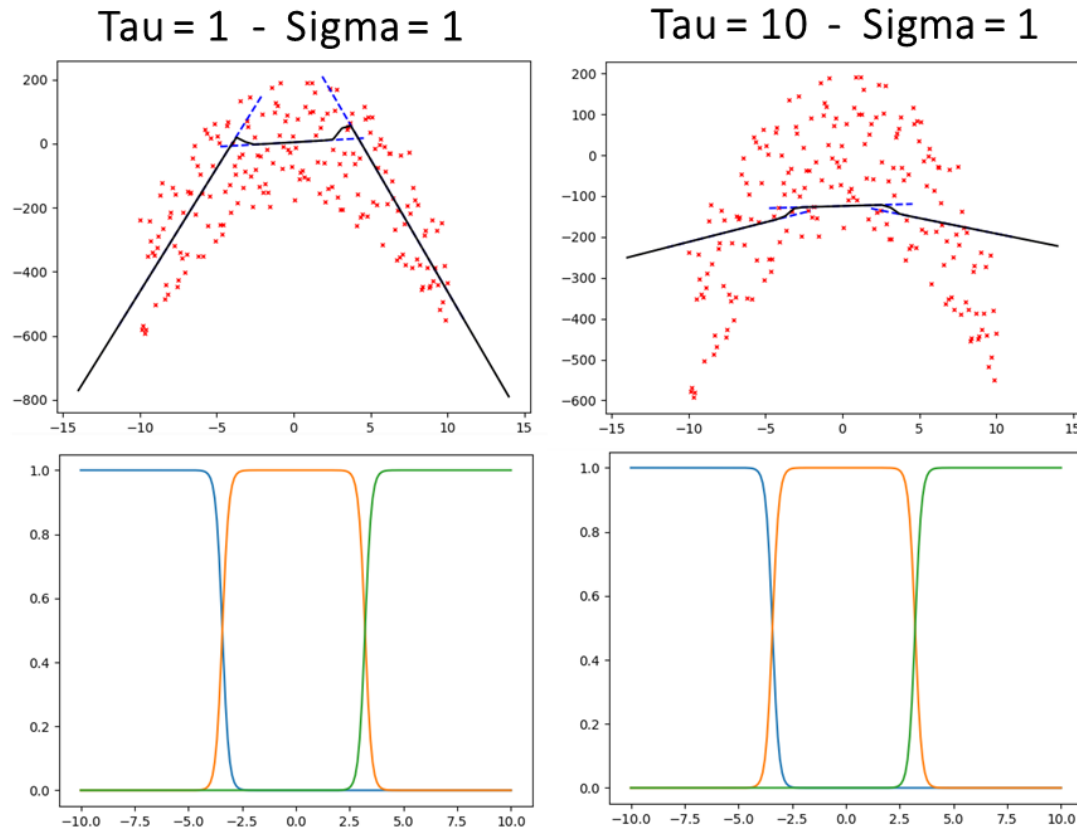
3. Smoothen the function with $\text{gauss}_{\text{centre}}(x) = e^{-\frac{(\text{centre} - x)^2}{2\sigma^2}}$ and normalising it by dividing through $\sum_{\text{centre}} \text{gauss}_{\text{centre}}(x)$

$$f(x) = \frac{1}{\sum_i \text{gauss}_i(x)} \sum_i \text{gauss}_i(x) \cdot f_i(x)$$

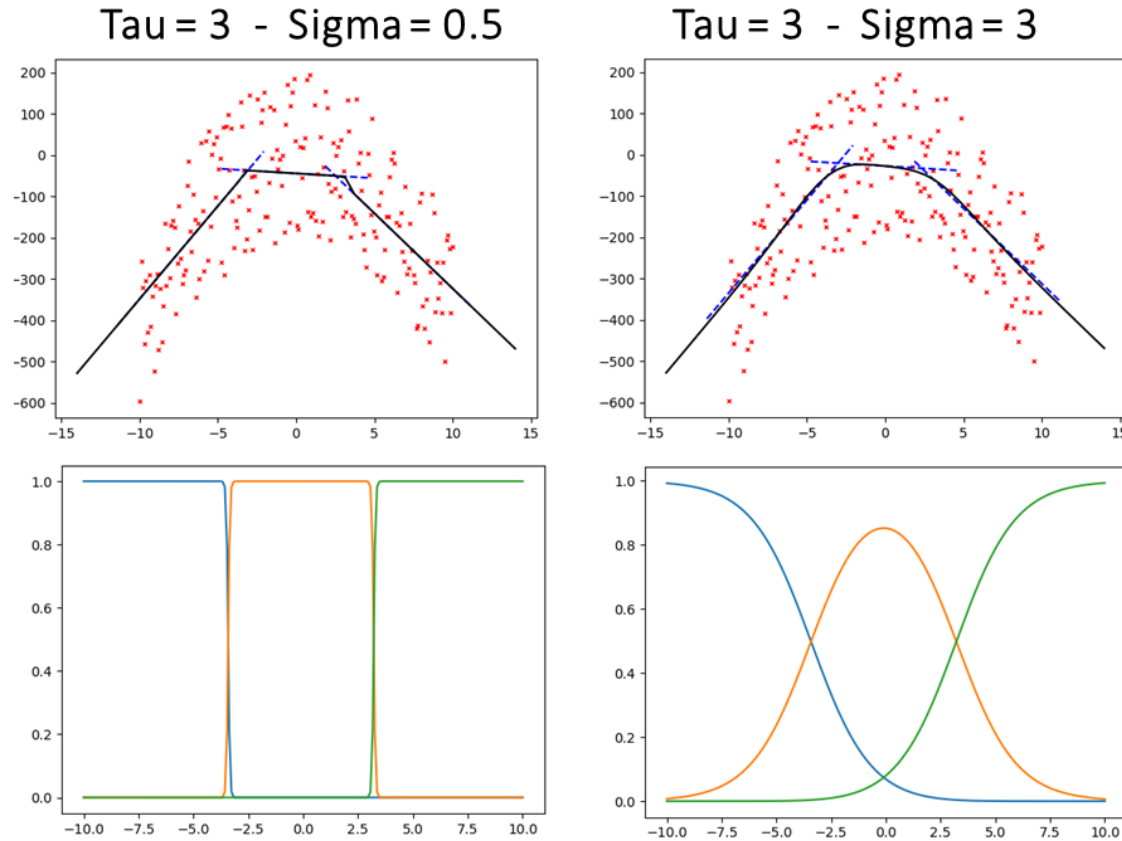
Hyperparameters:

- *amount sections*
- *tau*
- *sigma*

3. LWR in Detail - Influence of Tau



3. LWR in Detail - Influence of Sigma

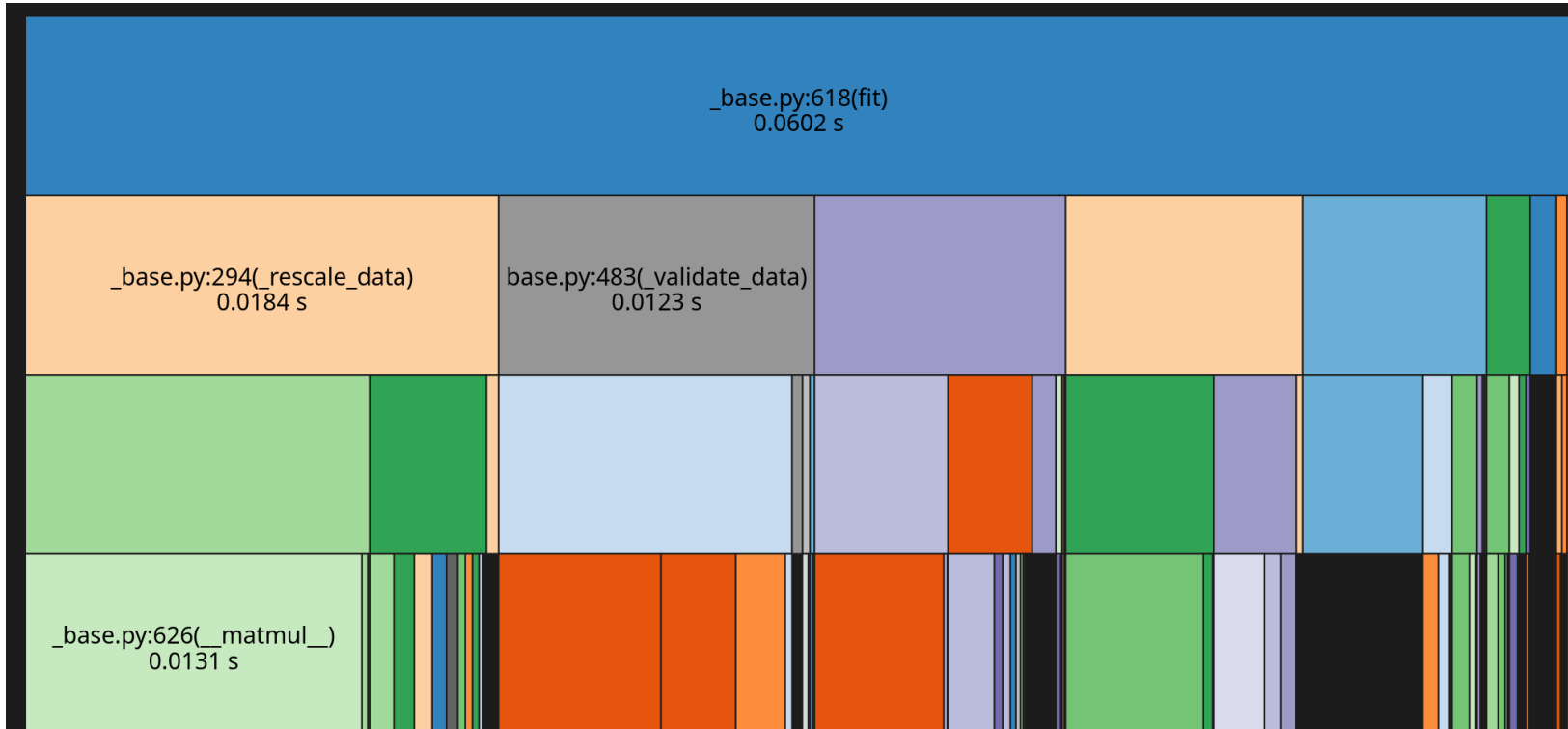


4. Runtime Performance

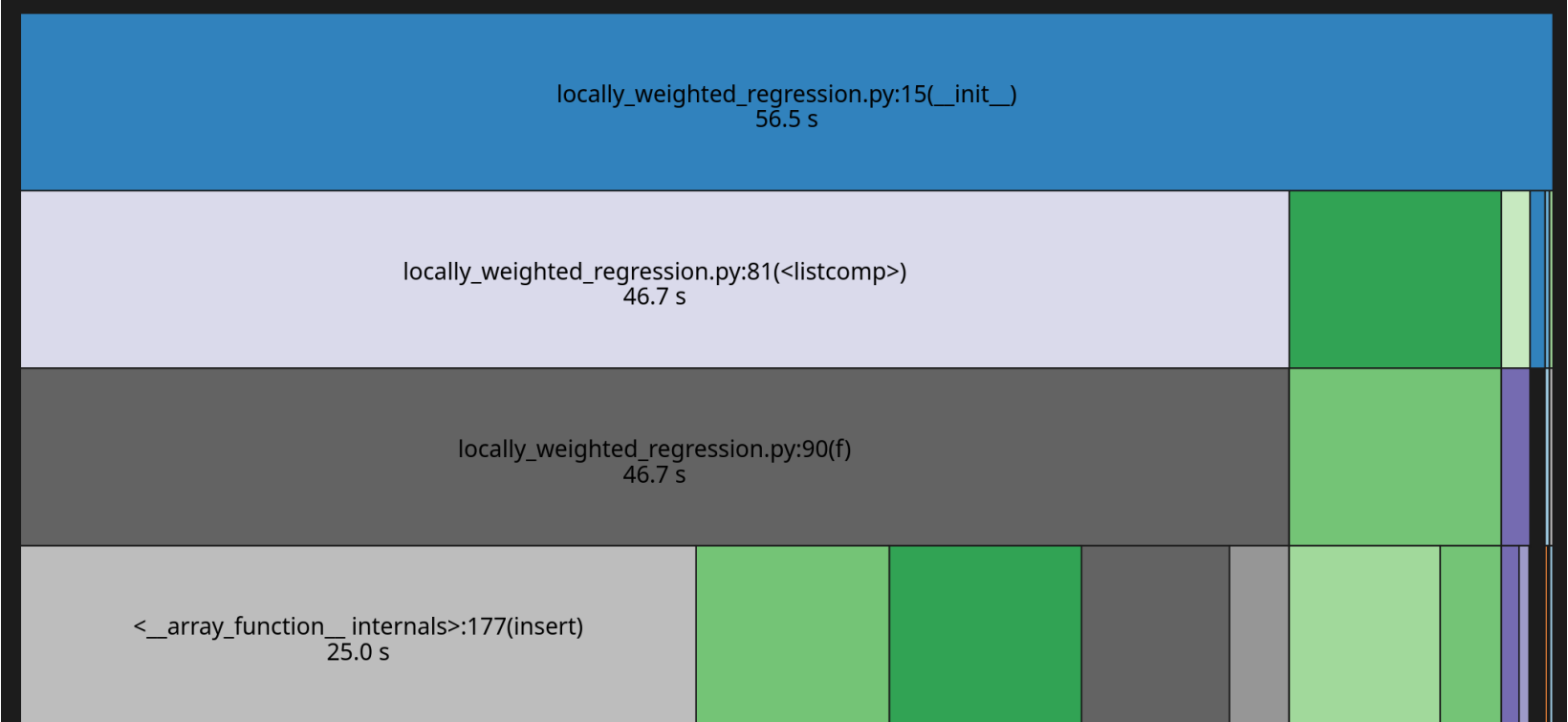
4.1 Linear Regression (ours)



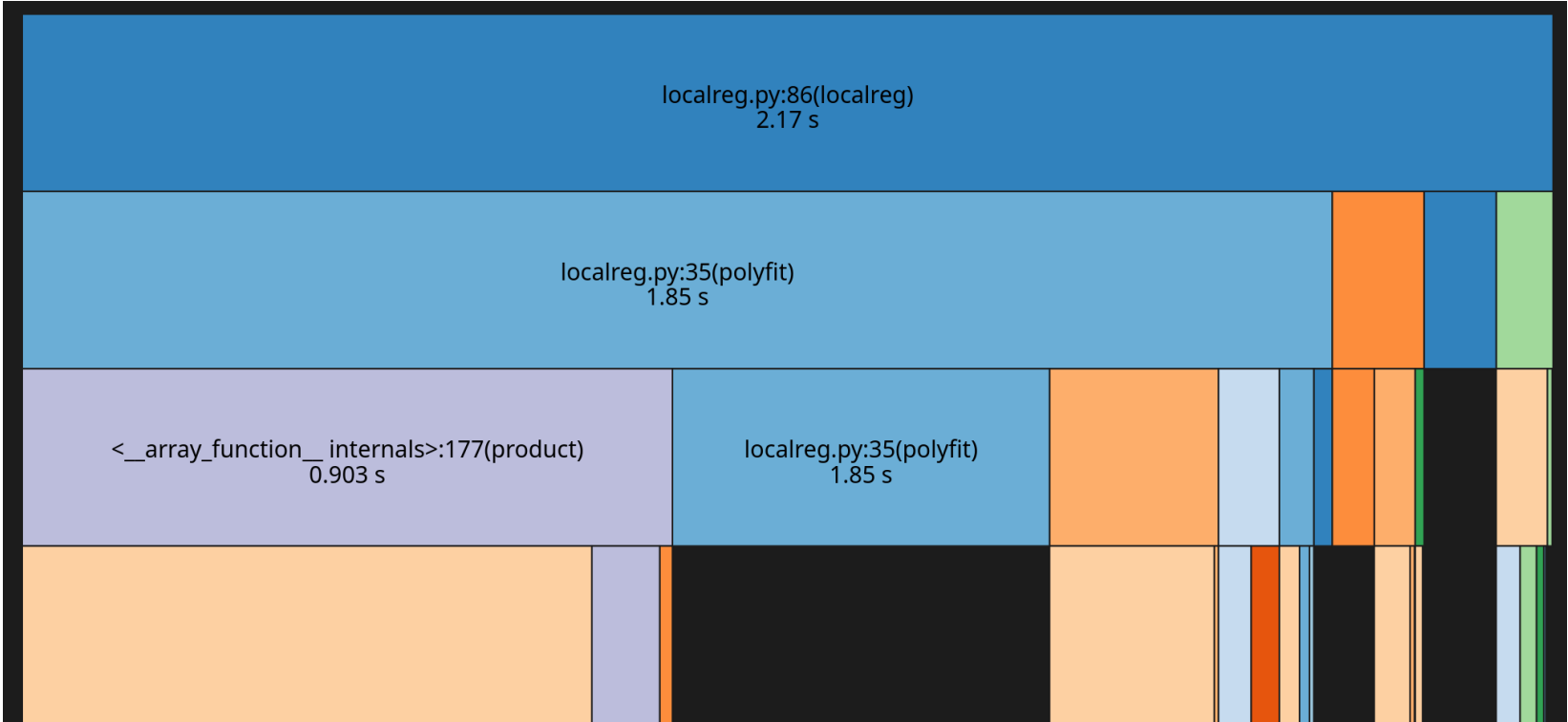
4.2 Linear Regression (from sklearn)



4.3 Linear Regression (ours)



4.4 Linear Regression (from localreg)



4. Live Demo

