Goal: predict the number of rented bikes aggregated by hour.

<u>Data:</u> extracted information from bike rental service aggregated by hour here <u>hour.csv</u> with description <u>Readme.txt</u>. Also available in <u>HOMEWORK_DATASETS['bike_sharing_hour']</u> library <u>bds_courseware</u>.

<u>Target:</u> `cnt` - Number of bikes rented per hour (unless explicitly stated otherwise). It is a sum of 'casual' + 'registered' so make sure the latter does not appear in train sample.

Test sample: random subsample of the data (5-15% size) unless explicitly stated otherwise.

Metrics: MAE

To-do:

- EDA (2 points)
- Preprocessing (1 point)
- Use different advanced regression algorithms and select the best one:
 - o KNN Regressor (1 point)
 - o Decision Tree Regressor (1 point)
 - o Random Forest (1 point)
 - o SVM Regressor (1 point)
 - o Boosting Regressor any Boosting algorithm with Regression (1 point)

Warning! The task is considered to be done for each model if a hyperparameter tuning was performed and the quality is measured on a test sample.

- Considering the best model, train it on the first year and validate on the second year. The results are better or worse? Why? (1 point)
- Considering the best model, train it on the first year with multitarget (casual, registered)
 and validate on the second year. Analyze both targets independently. Then use a sum of
 both targets to predict cnt on the second year. Estimate the quality. Are the results better
 or worse in comparison with the previous step? Why? (1 point)
- During your research, please answer the following questions:
 - o What are the most influential features? (1 point)
 - o How the temperature and humidity affect rental count rates? (1 point)
 - o What is more important: current season or current hour, temperature or feeling temperature? Why? (1 point)

Total points 13 + 3 for additional research which is not included in the criteria.