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This project aims to explain data trends from a popular bikeshare stand in London through the years 2015-2018. Three main questions we are interested in are:

- 1. How is the amount of bike rentals affected by the current wind speed?
- 2. Are there more bike rentals on a weekend compared to a weekday?
- 3. Do holidays affect the number of bikes rented? If so, how?

The dataset we are working with consists of hourly data from a bikeshare stand in London. The grain of the set is an hour.

For each hour, the dataset provides various other data points: true temperature (t1), apparent temperature (t2), humidity (hum), wind speed, season, and a general description of the weather (weather code). Additionally, we are given the binary indicators "is\_weekend" (is it a weekend? 1 = yes), and "is\_holiday". This dataset has 17,000 rows: hourly data across 3 years.

In order to explain these trends, we will use a finely tuned decision tree, and various poisson regressions. The decision tree model will show which parameters of the data set affect bike rentals. Similarly, the poisson regression will explain the percentile increase/decrease in bike rentals from an isolated variable of our interest.

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In [113]: from future import print function
          import pandas as pd
          import numpy as np
          from sklearn.pipeline import Pipeline
          from sklearn.impute import SimpleImputer
          from sklearn.tree import DecisionTreeRegressor
          from sklearn.model selection import train test split
          from sklearn import metrics
          from itertools import chain
          from sklearn.compose import ColumnTransformer
          from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler, OneHotEncoder
          import statsmodels.api as sm
          from scipy import stats
          from statsmodels.tools import add constant
          from sklearn import datasets
          from IPython.display import Image
          from sklearn import tree
          import pydotplus
          from sklearn.datasets import load iris
          import collections
          path = 'london merged-1.csv'
                                          #loads data
          data = pd.read csv(path)
          print(data.dtypes) #show the columns
          data.head(10)
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| timestamp     | object  |
|---------------|---------|
| cnt           | int64   |
| t1            | float64 |
| t2            | float64 |
| hum           | float64 |
| wind_speed    | float64 |
| weather_code  | int64   |
| is_holiday    | int64   |
| is_weekend    | int64   |
| season        | int64   |
| dtype: object |         |

## Out[113]:

| timestamp     | cnt | t1  | t2  | hum  | wind_speed | weather_code | is_holiday | is_weekend | season |
|---------------|-----|-----|-----|------|------------|--------------|------------|------------|--------|
| 0 1/4/15 0:00 | 182 | 3.0 | 2.0 | 93.0 | 6.0        | 3            | 0          | 1          | 3      |

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In [101]: #feature_cols = ['is_weekend', 'is_holiday', 'wind_speed', "hum", "season"]
import datetime
data['time'] = pd.to_datetime(data["timestamp"])
#print(time) Debug code
data['weekday'] = data['time'].dt.dayofweek
data['hour'] = data['time'].dt.hour
data['dayofyear'] = data['time'].dt.dayofyear
data['year'] = data['time'].dt.year

feature_cols = ["t2","t1","wind_speed","dayofyear","hour"]

X = data[feature_cols] # Features
y = data.cnt # Target variable
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In [102]: # Split dataset into training set and test set
X train, X test, y train, y test = train test split(X, y, test size=0.3, random state=1) # 70% training
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In [103]: # Create Decision Tree Regressor object
          clf = DecisionTreeRegressor(max leaf nodes=100, random state=0)
          # Train Decision Tree Regressor
          clf = clf.fit(X train,y train)
          #Predict the response for test dataset
          y pred = clf.predict(X test)
In [104]: from sklearn.externals.six import StringIO
          from IPython.display import Image
          from sklearn.tree import export graphviz
          import pydotplus
          dot_data = StringIO()
          export_graphviz(clf, out_file=dot_data,
                          filled=True, rounded=True,
                          feature_names = feature_cols,
                          special characters=True)
          graph = pydotplus.graph from dot data(dot data.getvalue())
          graph
          Image(graph.create_png())
          graph.write png("Dtree.png") #Writes the Decision Tree to an image
Out[104]: True
In [105]: print("Completeness:", metrics.completeness_score(y_test, y_pred)) #Shows the accuracy of our Decision T.
          Completeness: 0.8066349711349481
In [106]: y pred.shape
Out[106]: (5225,)
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In [108]:
    from statsmodels.discrete.discrete_model import Poisson
    model =Poisson(endog=data.cnt, exog=add_constant(data.wind_speed)) #poisson on wind_speed
    results = model.fit()
    print(results.summary())
    model =Poisson(endog=data.cnt, exog=add_constant(data.is_weekend)) #poisson on is weekend
    results = model.fit()
    print(results.summary())
    model =Poisson(endog=data.cnt, exog=add_constant(data.is_holiday)) #poisson on holiday
    results = model.fit()
    print(results.summary())
    model =Poisson(endog=data.cnt, exog=add_constant(data.t2)) #poisson on t2
    results = model.fit()
    print(results.summary())
```

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return ptp(axis=axis, out=out, \*\*kwargs)

Optimization terminated successfully.

Current function value: 479.294087

Iterations 4

## Poisson Regression Results

Dep. Variable: No. Observations: 17414 cnt Df Residuals: Model: Poisson 17412 Method: MLEDf Model: 1 Date: Sun, 01 Dec 2019 Pseudo R-squ.: 0.01399 Time: 12:06:47 Log-Likelihood: -8.3464e+06 converged: True LL-Null: -8.4648e+06 Covariance Type: nonrobust LLR p-value: 0.000 \_\_\_\_\_\_ coef std err P> | z | [0.025 0.9751 const 6.8210 0.001 1.33e+04 0.000 6.820 6.822 wind speed 0.0135 2.74e-05 492.421 0.000 0.013 0.014 \_\_\_\_\_\_ Optimization terminated successfully. Current function value: 481,145074 Iterations 4

Poisson Regression Results

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cnt

No. Observations:

17414

localhost:8888/notebooks/DataScience\_101/BikeShare.ipynb#

Dep. Variable:

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Model:
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                           Log-Likelihood:
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converged:
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                           LL-Null:
                                             -8.4648e+06
Covariance Type:
                 nonrobust LLR p-value:
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Optimization terminated successfully.
      Current function value: 484.540832
      Iterations 5
                 Poisson Regression Results
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converged:
                      True LL-Null:
                                             -8.4648e+06
Covariance Type: nonrobust
                           LLR p-value:
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is holiday -0.4031
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Optimization terminated successfully.
      Current function value: 415.027700
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                 Poisson Regression Results
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                    Poisson Df Residuals:
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                           Log-Likelihood:
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                      True LL-Null:
converged:
                                             -8.4648e+06
Covariance Type: nonrobust
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P> | z |
                                        [0.025
           coef
                std err
                                                0.975]
                                                 6.355
const
          6.3541
                  0.001
                        1.2e+04
                                 0.000
                                         6.353
t2
                      1554.732
                                 0.000
                                         0.054
                                                 0.054
          0.0542
                3.48e-05
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wind speed coefficent exponetiated: 1.0135915364502062

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In [109]:
    is_holidaycoef = 1 - np.exp(-0.4031)
    is_wkndcoef = 1 - np.exp(-0.2129)
    t2coef = np.exp(.054) - 1
    windcoef = np.exp(.0135) - 1
    print('is_holiday coefficent exponetiated: {} '.format(np.exp(-.4031)))
    print('is_weekend coefficent exponetiated: {} '.format(np.exp(-.2129)))
    print('t2 coefficent exponetiated: {} '.format(np.exp(.054)))
    print('wind_speed coefficent exponetiated: {} '.format(np.exp(.0135)))

is_holiday coefficent exponetiated: 0.6682452714550771
    is_weekend coefficent exponetiated: 0.8082369568711254
    t2 coefficent exponetiated: 1.05548460215508
```

We ran four poisson regressions on four different isolated variables: is\_holiday (is it a holiday? 1 = yes), is\_weekend (is it a weekend? 1 = yes), t2 (apparent temperature) and wind\_speed (wind speed in km/h).

The results were quite interesting. 33% less bikes were rented on holidays, 19% less bikes were rented on weekends. Correspondingly, the wind speed was only slightly influential on the number of bikes rented; a 1 km/h increase in wind speed caused 1.3% more bikes to be rented, although this regression had an extremely low R^2 value, indicating it was not a good indicator.

A poisson regression ran on apparent temperature yielded clear effects. For every degree increase in apparent temperature, 5.5% more bikes were rented (Although this may seem negligible, think of it as a 20 degree warmer day would rent double the bikes). This makes sense, since our bike stand is a cool climate, so warmer days would make it nicer to spend time doing outdoor activities.

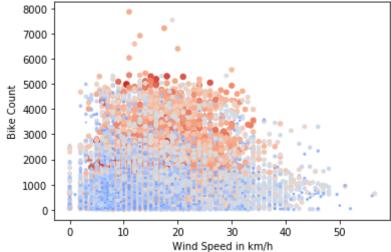
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In [110]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
%matplotlib inline

x = data.wind_speed
x_lab = 'Wind Speed in km/h'
y_lab = 'Bike Count'
y = data.cnt
s = data.t2 ## scale
c = data.t2 ## color

## Plotting script
plt.scatter(x, y, s, c, cmap ='coolwarm')
plt.xlabel(x_lab)
plt.ylabel(y_lab)
plt.title('Bike Rentals as affected by Wind Speed: Colored Apparent Temperature')
plt.show()
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/Library/Frameworks/Python.framework/Versions/3.7/lib/python3.7/site-packages/matplotlib/collections.p y:857: RuntimeWarning: invalid value encountered in sqrt scale = np.sqrt(self.\_sizes) \* dpi / 72.0 \* self.\_factor





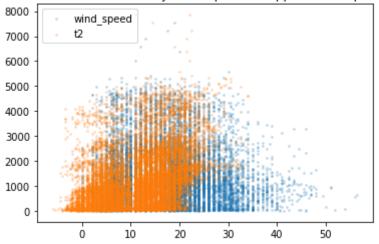
This plot (above) shows how wind speed and temperature affected the number of bikes sold. The larger and "warmer" dots correspond to warmer days, while the small blue dots are colder, windier days. Notice how most days where many bikes were rented were warm, and often not extremely windy.

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In [111]: import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import numpy as np

plt.scatter(data.wind_speed, data.cnt,s=3,alpha=.2)
plt.scatter(data.t2, data.cnt,s=3,alpha=.2)
plt.title('Bike Rentals as affected by Wind Spee and Apparent Temperature')
plt.legend(['wind_speed', 't2'], loc='upper left')

plt.show()
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In this plot (above), the orange dots correspond to temperature readings, and the blue dots wind speed. We note how the temperature has a clear net positive correlation on number of bikes rented.

As noted above, results from our decision tree and poisson regression indicate that "t2" (apparent temperature: a combination of temperature and humidity) is the single largest factor that affects the number of bikes rented. Also, much less bikes were rented on holidays, and a good bit less on weekends. We also learned that wind speed was not a good indicator of bikes rentals.

If I were the business owner of a bikeshare rental in London, I would perhaps allocate less resources toward bike rentals on holidays, since they, have on average, less bike rentals taking pless. Similarly, if i was expecting a week of warm, pleasant temperatures, I would make sure I had enough bikes to rent out, and that they were in good condition, since this weather seems to make people more inclided to cycle. Conversley, if I knew a windy day was expected, I would not let this affect my plans, since it does not seem to have a real effect on bike rentals.

