

# encoding

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```
[1]: import pandas as pd

# load data from CSV
df = pd.read_csv('insurance.csv')
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```
[2]: df.head()
```

```
[2]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0   19  female  27.900         0     yes southwest  16884.92400
1   18   male  33.770         1     no  southeast   1725.55230
2   28   male  33.000         3     no  southeast   4449.46200
3   33   male  22.705         0     no  northwest  21984.47061
4   32   male  28.880         0     no  northwest   3866.85520
```

## 0.0.1 Measures of Central Tendency

```
[3]: # mean value of a column
df.bmi.mean()
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```
[3]: 30.663396860986538
```

```
[4]: # median value of a column
df.bmi.median()
```

```
[4]: 30.4
```

```
[5]: # mode value of a column
df.bmi.mode()
```

```
[5]: 0    32.3
dtype: float64
```

```
[6]: # data correlation
df.corr()
```

```
[6]:           age    bmi  children  charges
age    1.000000  0.109272  0.042469  0.299008
```

```
bmi      0.109272  1.000000  0.012759  0.198341
children 0.042469  0.012759  1.000000  0.067998
charges  0.299008  0.198341  0.067998  1.000000
```

```
[7]: # counts of unique values
df['sex'].value_counts()
```

```
[7]: male      676
     female   662
     Name: sex, dtype: int64
```

```
[8]: # descriptive statistics
df.describe()
```

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[8]:
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	age	bmi	children	charges
count	1338.000000	1338.000000	1338.000000	1338.000000
mean	39.207025	30.663397	1.094918	13270.422265
std	14.049960	6.098187	1.205493	12110.011237
min	18.000000	15.960000	0.000000	1121.873900
25%	27.000000	26.296250	0.000000	4740.287150
50%	39.000000	30.400000	1.000000	9382.033000
75%	51.000000	34.693750	2.000000	16639.912515
max	64.000000	53.130000	5.000000	63770.428010

## 0.0.2 Handling NaN values (If have)

```
[9]: # checking null values
df.isnull().sum()
```

```
[9]: age      0
     sex      0
     bmi      0
     children  0
     smoker    0
     region    0
     charges   0
     dtype: int64
```

```
[10]: # filling NaN data with mean value
df.bmi = df.bmi.fillna(df.bmi.mean())
```

# 1 Encoding

## 1.1 Label Encoder

```
[11]: df2 = df.copy()
df2.head()
```

```
[11]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0   19  female  27.900         0     yes  southwest  16884.92400
1   18   male  33.770         1     no   southeast   1725.55230
2   28   male  33.000         3     no   southeast   4449.46200
3   33   male  22.705         0     no  northwest  21984.47061
4   32   male  28.880         0     no  northwest   3866.85520
```

```
[12]: # unique values
df2.region.unique()
```

```
[12]: array(['southwest', 'southeast', 'northwest', 'northeast'], dtype=object)
```

```
[13]: from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder
le = LabelEncoder()

df2.sex = le.fit_transform(df2['sex'])
df2.smoker = le.fit_transform(df2['smoker'])
df2.region = le.fit_transform(df2['region'])
```

```
[14]: df2.head()
```

```
[14]:   age  sex    bmi  children  smoker  region    charges
0   19    0  27.900         0        1        3  16884.92400
1   18    1  33.770         1        0        2   1725.55230
2   28    1  33.000         3        0        2   4449.46200
3   33    1  22.705         0        0        1  21984.47061
4   32    1  28.880         0        0        1   3866.85520
```

### 1.1.1 using loop

```
[15]: df3 = df.copy()
df3.head()
```

```
[15]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0   19  female  27.900         0     yes  southwest  16884.92400
1   18   male  33.770         1     no   southeast   1725.55230
2   28   male  33.000         3     no   southeast   4449.46200
3   33   male  22.705         0     no  northwest  21984.47061
4   32   male  28.880         0     no  northwest   3866.85520
```

```
[16]: #dataframe columns
columns = df3.columns
columns
```

```
[16]: Index(['age', 'sex', 'bmi', 'children', 'smoker', 'region', 'charges'],
dtype='object')
```

```
[17]: #all column in a single shot using numpy
#cautious: all unnecessary numerical data like 'age' will be transformed also
import numpy as np

for column in columns:
    if df3[column].dtype == np.number:
        continue
    df3[column] = le.fit_transform(df3[column])
```

```
[18]: df3.head()
```

```
[18]:
```

	age	sex	bmi	children	smoker	region	charges
0	1	0	27.900	0	1	3	16884.92400
1	0	1	33.770	1	0	2	1725.55230
2	10	1	33.000	3	0	2	4449.46200
3	15	1	22.705	0	0	1	21984.47061
4	14	1	28.880	0	0	1	3866.85520

```
[19]: #Bypass warning messages

#import warnings
#warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
```

```
[20]: df4 = df.copy()
df4.head()
```

```
[20]:
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	age	sex	bmi	children	smoker	region	charges
0	19	female	27.900	0	yes	southwest	16884.92400
1	18	male	33.770	1	no	southeast	1725.55230
2	28	male	33.000	3	no	southeast	4449.46200
3	33	male	22.705	0	no	northwest	21984.47061
4	32	male	28.880	0	no	northwest	3866.85520

```
[21]: #all column in a single shot using pandas
from pandas.core.dtypes.common import is_numeric_dtype
for column in columns:
    if is_numeric_dtype(df4[column]):
        continue
    df4[column] = le.fit_transform(df4[column])
```

```
[22]: df4.head()
```

```
[22]:   age  sex    bmi  children  smoker  region    charges
0   19   0  27.900         0       1      3  16884.92400
1   18   1  33.770         1       0      2   1725.55230
2   28   1  33.000         3       0      2   4449.46200
3   33   1  22.705         0       0      1  21984.47061
4   32   1  28.880         0       0      1   3866.85520
```

### 1.1.2 One hot

```
[23]: df5 = df.copy()
df5.head()
```

```
[23]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0   19  female  27.900         0    yes  southwest  16884.92400
1   18   male  33.770         1    no   southeast   1725.55230
2   28   male  33.000         3    no   southeast   4449.46200
3   33   male  22.705         0    no  northwest  21984.47061
4   32   male  28.880         0    no  northwest   3866.85520
```

```
[24]: from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder
ohe = OneHotEncoder(drop = 'first')

sex = pd.DataFrame(ohe.fit_transform(df5[['sex']]).toarray(), columns=['male'])
smoker = pd.DataFrame(ohe.fit_transform(df5[['smoker']]).
    ↳toarray(), columns=['smoker'])
region = pd.DataFrame(ohe.fit_transform(df5[['region']]).
    ↳toarray(), columns=['northwest', 'southeast', 'southwest'])

df5.drop(['sex', 'smoker', 'region'], axis=1, inplace=True)

df5.join([sex, smoker, region]).head()
```

```
[24]:   age    bmi  children    charges  male  smoker  northwest  southeast  \
0   19  27.900         0  16884.92400  0.0    1.0         0.0         0.0
1   18  33.770         1   1725.55230  1.0    0.0         0.0         1.0
2   28  33.000         3   4449.46200  1.0    0.0         0.0         1.0
3   33  22.705         0  21984.47061  1.0    0.0         1.0         0.0
4   32  28.880         0   3866.85520  1.0    0.0         1.0         0.0

    southwest
0         1.0
1         0.0
2         0.0
3         0.0
4         0.0
```

### 1.1.3 using dummy table

```
[45]: df6 = df.copy()
      df6.head()
```

```
[45]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0    19  female  27.900         0     yes southwest  16884.92400
1    18   male  33.770         1     no  southeast   1725.55230
2    28   male  33.000         3     no  southeast   4449.46200
3    33   male  22.705         0     no  northwest  21984.47061
4    32   male  28.880         0     no  northwest   3866.85520
```

```
[48]: pd.get_dummies(df6['sex'])
```

```
[48]:   female  male
0         1     0
1         0     1
2         0     1
3         0     1
4         0     1
...     ...   ...
1333        0     1
1334        1     0
1335        1     0
1336        1     0
1337        1     0
```

[1338 rows x 2 columns]

```
[49]: #dummy tables for columns
dummy = pd.get_dummies(df6,columns=['sex','smoker','region'],drop_first=True)

#dropping columns
df6 = df6.drop(columns=['sex','smoker','region'],axis=1)

#concating the dummy tables with rest dataframe
df6 = pd.concat([df6,dummy],axis=1)
```

```
[50]: df6.head()
```

```
[50]:   age    bmi  children    charges  age    bmi  children    charges  \
0    19  27.900         0  16884.92400  19  27.900         0  16884.92400
1    18  33.770         1   1725.55230  18  33.770         1   1725.55230
2    28  33.000         3   4449.46200  28  33.000         3   4449.46200
3    33  22.705         0  21984.47061  33  22.705         0  21984.47061
4    32  28.880         0   3866.85520  32  28.880         0   3866.85520
```

	sex_male	smoker_yes	region_northwest	region_southeast	region_southwest
0	0	1	0	0	1
1	1	0	0	1	0
2	1	0	0	1	0
3	1	0	1	0	0
4	1	0	1	0	0

#### 1.1.4 using loop

```
[53]: df7 = df.copy()
      df7.head()
```

```
[53]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0   19  female  27.900         0    yes  southwest  16884.92400
1   18   male  33.770         1    no   southeast  1725.55230
2   28   male  33.000         3    no   southeast  4449.46200
3   33   male  22.705         0    no  northwest  21984.47061
4   32   male  28.880         0    no  northwest  3866.85520
```

```
[54]: df7.columns
```

```
[54]: Index(['age', 'sex', 'bmi', 'children', 'smoker', 'region', 'charges'],
      dtype='object')
```

```
[55]: from pandas.core.dtypes.common import is_string_dtype

for column in columns:
#     df7[column].dtype.kind in 'biufc'
    if is_string_dtype(df7[column]):
        dummy = pd.get_dummies(df7[column],drop_first=True)
        df7 = df7.drop(column,axis=1)
        df7 = pd.concat([df7,dummy],axis=1)
```

```
[56]: df7.head()
```

```
[56]:   age    bmi  children    charges  male  yes  northwest  southeast  \
0   19  27.900         0  16884.92400    0   1         0         0
1   18  33.770         1   1725.55230    1   0         0         1
2   28  33.000         3   4449.46200    1   0         0         1
3   33  22.705         0  21984.47061    1   0         1         0
4   32  28.880         0   3866.85520    1   0         1         0

    southwest
0         1
1         0
2         0
3         0
```

4            0

```
[57]: x = df7.drop(columns=['charges'],axis=1)
      x.head()
```

```
[57]:
```

	age	bmi	children	male	yes	northwest	southeast	southwest
0	19	27.900	0	0	1	0	0	1
1	18	33.770	1	1	0	0	1	0
2	28	33.000	3	1	0	0	1	0
3	33	22.705	0	1	0	1	0	0
4	32	28.880	0	1	0	1	0	0

```
[35]: y = df7.charges
      y.head()
```

```
[35]: 0    16884.92400
      1     1725.55230
      2     4449.46200
      3     21984.47061
      4     3866.85520
      Name: charges, dtype: float64
```

### 1.1.5 Replace

```
[36]: df8 = df.copy()
      df8.head()
```

```
[36]:
```

	age	sex	bmi	children	smoker	region	charges
0	19	female	27.900	0	yes	southwest	16884.92400
1	18	male	33.770	1	no	southeast	1725.55230
2	28	male	33.000	3	no	southeast	4449.46200
3	33	male	22.705	0	no	northwest	21984.47061
4	32	male	28.880	0	no	northwest	3866.85520

```
[37]: #replace data with corresponding identical value
      df8['sex'] = df8.sex.replace(['female','male'],[0,1])
      df8['smoker'] = df8.smoker.replace(['no','yes'],[0,1])
      df8['region'] = df8.region.
      ↪replace(['southwest','southeast','northwest','northeast'],[3,2,1,4])
```

```
[38]: df8.head()
```

```
[38]:
```

	age	sex	bmi	children	smoker	region	charges
0	19	0	27.900	0	1	3	16884.92400
1	18	1	33.770	1	0	2	1725.55230
2	28	1	33.000	3	0	2	4449.46200
3	33	1	22.705	0	0	1	21984.47061



```
4    32    1  28.880         0         0         1  3866.85520
```

### 1.1.6 using loop

```
[39]: df9 = df.copy()
      df9.head()
```

```
[39]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0    19  female  27.900         0     yes  southwest  16884.92400
1    18   male  33.770         1     no   southeast   1725.55230
2    28   male  33.000         3     no   southeast   4449.46200
3    33   male  22.705         0     no  northwest  21984.47061
4    32   male  28.880         0     no  northwest   3866.85520
```

```
[40]: for column in columns:
      if is_string_dtype(df9[column]):
          unique = df9[column].unique()
          df9[column] = df9[column].replace(unique, list(range(len(unique))))
```

```
[41]: df9.head()
```

```
[41]:   age  sex    bmi  children  smoker  region    charges
0    19    0  27.900         0        0        0  16884.92400
1    18    1  33.770         1        1        1   1725.55230
2    28    1  33.000         3        1        1   4449.46200
3    33    1  22.705         0        1        2  21984.47061
4    32    1  28.880         0        1        2   3866.85520
```

### 1.1.7 Ordinal

```
[42]: df10 = df.copy()
      df10.head()
```

```
[42]:   age    sex    bmi  children  smoker    region    charges
0    19  female  27.900         0     yes  southwest  16884.92400
1    18   male  33.770         1     no   southeast   1725.55230
2    28   male  33.000         3     no   southeast   4449.46200
3    33   male  22.705         0     no  northwest  21984.47061
4    32   male  28.880         0     no  northwest   3866.85520
```

```
[43]: from sklearn.preprocessing import OrdinalEncoder

      #custom ordered
      #OrdinalEncoder(categories=[[ 'male', 'female'], [ 'yes', 'no'], [ 'northeast', 'northwest', 'southeast', 'southwest']])
      oe = OrdinalEncoder()
```

```
df10[['sex','smoker','region']] = oe.  
    ↪fit_transform(df10[['sex','smoker','region']])  
df10.head()
```

```
[43]:
```

	age	sex	bmi	children	smoker	region	charges
0	19	0.0	27.900	0	1.0	3.0	16884.92400
1	18	1.0	33.770	1	0.0	2.0	1725.55230
2	28	1.0	33.000	3	0.0	2.0	4449.46200
3	33	1.0	22.705	0	0.0	1.0	21984.47061
4	32	1.0	28.880	0	0.0	1.0	3866.85520

```
[44]: # categorical data type  
oe.categories_
```

```
[44]: [array(['female', 'male'], dtype=object),  
       array(['no', 'yes'], dtype=object),  
       array(['northeast', 'northwest', 'southeast', 'southwest'], dtype=object)]
```