

# Mega store

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# Milestone 1

## Report

### First: Splitting data:

- we have divided the data into two parts : **X(input features)** and **Y(target)** then we divided each of them into **train(80%)** and **test(20%)**, and we have used **shuffle parameter** to shuffle the data randomly before splitting to avoid any order biases. **Finally, the random\_state parameter** is set to 42, which ensures that the split will be the same every time the code is run.
- After split the entire data to train and test we call **pre\_processing(X\_train)** which explained below.

### Second: preprocessing data:

- We have implemented a preprocessing.py which contains three functions.
  - **pre\_processing(X)**
    - This function takes the data frame of features and makes some changes to it and then returns it again.
    - the changes are represented in:
      - 1- split columns of date {'Order Date' , 'Ship Date'} each to three columns day , month , year.
      - 2- Split the column => 'Category tree' which data type is Dictionary to number of columns same as the number of unique Keys is all samples.
    - The output data frame contains 8 new columns, and we drop the old 3 columns so its net size increase by 5 columns.
  - **numerical\_Categorical(X:pd.dataframe())**
    - This function takes a data frame of features and returns the numerical and categorical columns as two data frames.
  - **date\_split(X:pd.dataframe , cols )**
    - This function takes two parameters:
      - X: data frame which contains a date column.
      - cols: List of string holds the names of columns which contain date.
    - split columns of date each to three columns day, month, and year.

## - Encoding:

- After some experiments we decide to use The Ordinal Encoder from the `categorical_encoders` library with two arguments:
  - `handle_unknown='value'` and `handle_missing='value'`
  - We used `handle_unknown` argument to handle categories in the test set that has not seen in the training set.
  - We used `handle_missing` argument to handle missing values in the data

## - Feature selection:

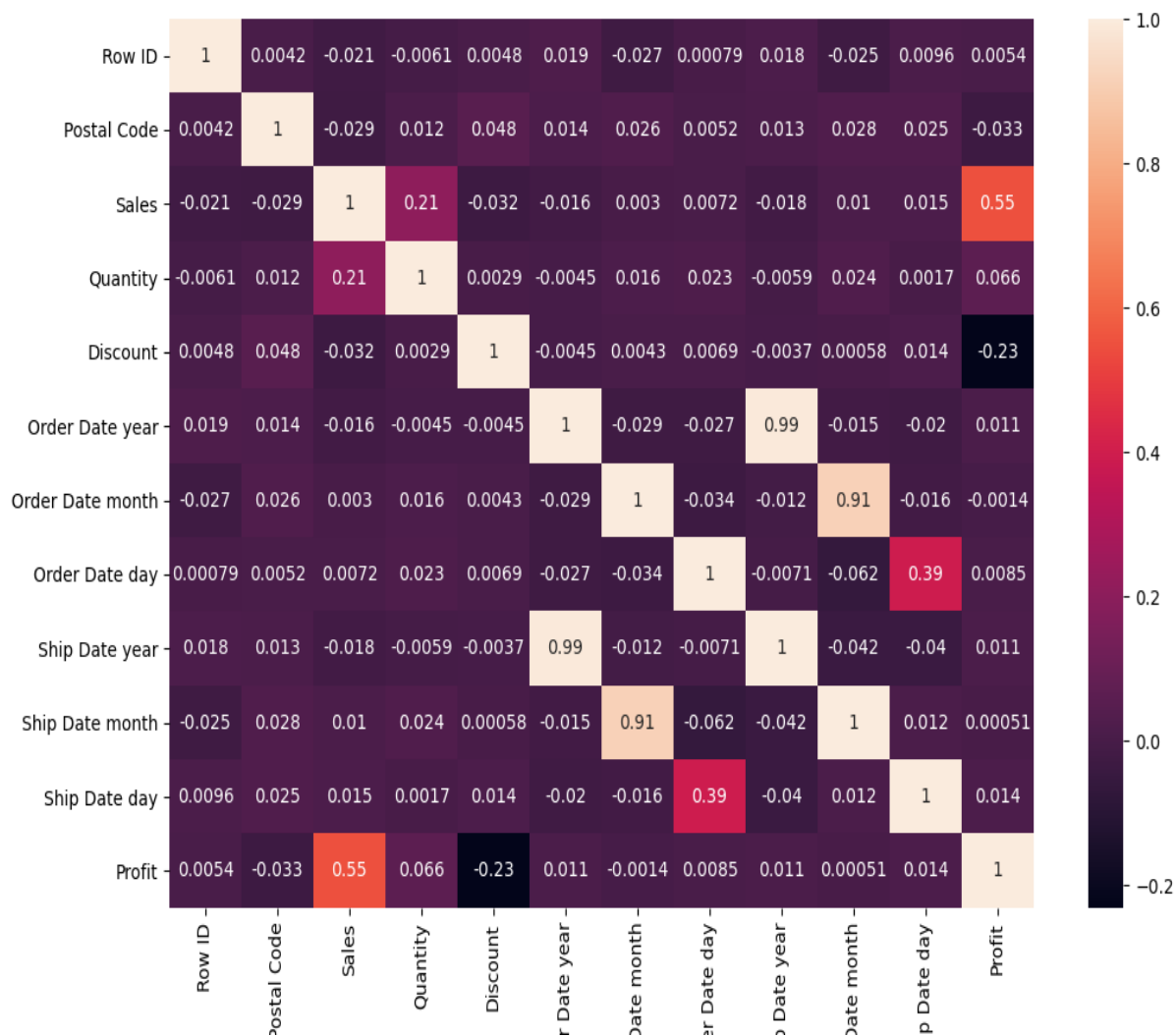
After separating data into categorical and numerical we made feature selection on each one

- 1- **SelectKBest** method from the scikit-learn library to select the top k features based on their F-scores, The F-score measures the linear dependence between the target variable and each feature in the categorical data to find out the most important of columns, then we have taken 6 of them.

~ Selected categorical features: main Category, subcategory, state, region, ship Mode, product name.

- 2- **Correlation** method for numerical data by selecting the top features that have a correlation coefficient greater than 0.2 with the 'Profit' variable We used correlation to find out the variables that are highly related to the target variable and can help in building a better predictive model.

~ Selected numerical features: sales, discount



## Third: Regression models:

Model	Train MSE	Test MSE	Model score
Polynomial model Degree(3)	2388.3440	2317.6800	0.9366
Random forest regressor Max_depth = 12	2067.4593	3185.283	0.9129
elasticNet model	33731.2383	19050.1557	0.4791
Ridge model	31664.5149	18683.0855	0.4892
Lasso model	31693.5716	18507.0796	0.4939
Linear-multivariable model	31664.4741	18690.8967	0.4889

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mean square error of elasticNet train data set: 33731.238398328256
mean square error of elasticNet test data set: 19050.155687498733
elasticNet score : 0.47912795442623324
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mean square error of ridge train data set: 31664.514973292124
mean square error of ridge test data set: 18683.085507303163
ridge model score : 0.48916443910194984
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mean square error of lasso train data set: 31693.571627158366
mean square error of lasso test data set: 18507.07959326607
lasso model score : 0.49397681764527823
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mean square error of Linear-multivariable train data set: 31664.474112899126
mean square error of Linear-multivariable test data set: 18690.896749667652
Linear-multivariable model score : 0.4889508630107301
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mean sqr error of random-forest-regressor train data set: 2067.4593162503174
mean square error of random forest regressor test data set: 3185.283172843259
random forest regressor model score : 0.9129075379127042
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mean square error of Polynomial train data set: 2388.3439852475585
mean square error of Polynomial test data set: 2317.68000367696
Polynomial model Score : 0.9366296662187993
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## Train and test size for each:

### Lasso model:

Train size: 6396 samples and 8 features

Test size: 1599 samples and 8 features

### Ridge model:

Train size: 6396 samples and 8 features

Test size: 1599 samples and 8 features

### elasticNet model:

Train size: 6396 samples and 8 features

Test size: 1599 samples and 8 features

### Linear multivariable model:

Train size: 6396 samples and 8 features

Test size: 1599 samples and 8 features

### Random forest model:

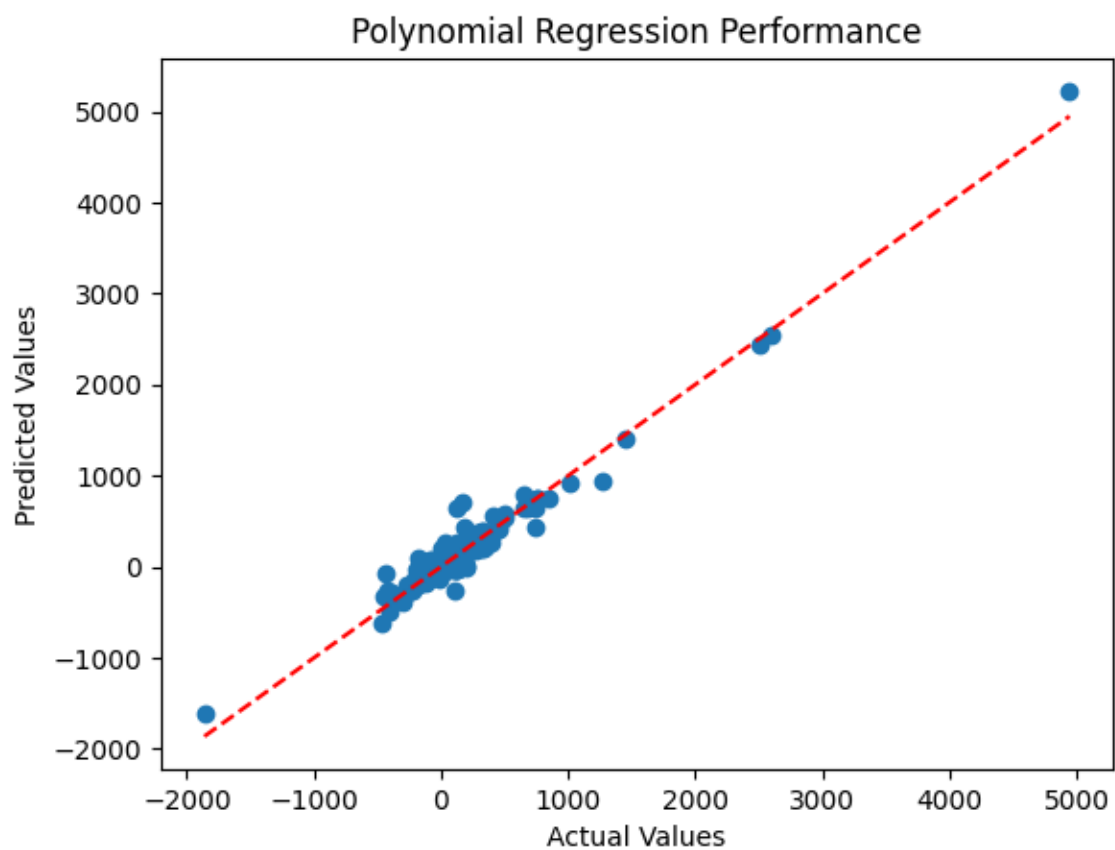
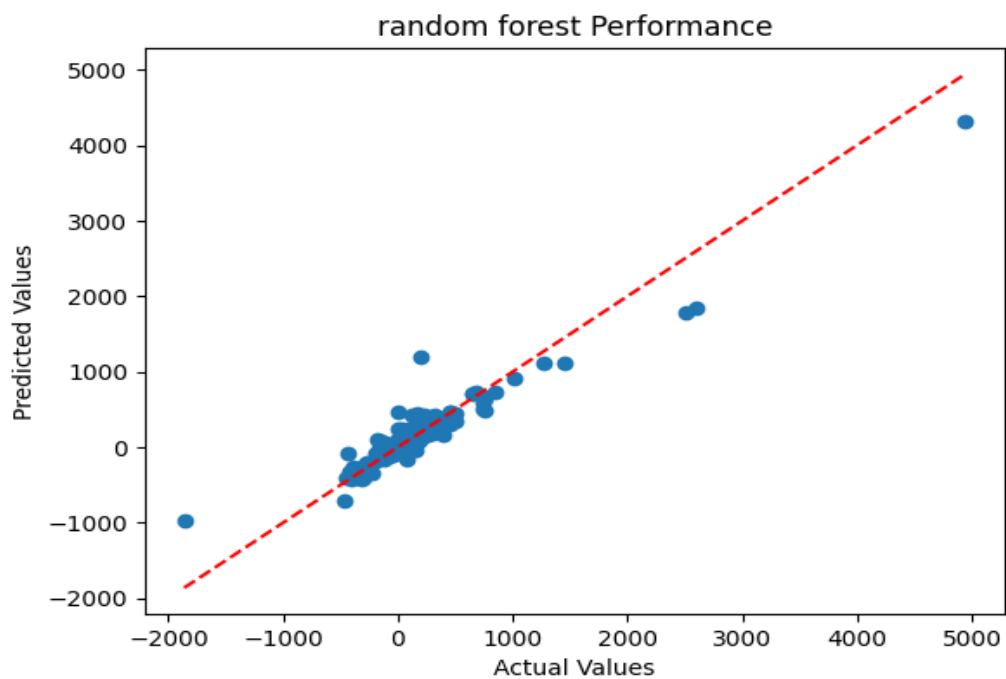
Train size: 6396 samples and 8 features

Test size: 1599 samples and 8 features

### Polynomial model:

Train size: 6396 samples and 165 features

Test size: 1599 samples and 165 features



## Conclusion

- At the end we find that the polynomial model with degree = 3 is the best model to fit in our task that it has the minimum mean square error for training and testing.
- The random forest regressor is close to the polynomial model.
- The linear, Lasso, ridge and elasticNet models are very bad and their accuracy is less than 50%