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In [ ]: # import
        import time
        start time = time.time()
        import os
        import numpy as np
        import pandas as pd
        import pyarrow.parquet as pa
        from sklearn.feature extraction import DictVectorizer
        from sklearn.linear model import LinearRegression
        from sklearn.metrics import mean_squared_error
        from sklearn.metrics import root mean squared error
        import warnings
        warnings.filterwarnings('ignore')
In [ ]: vectorise = DictVectorizer()
        linear regression = LinearRegression()
In [ ]: # setting path to the data directory
        CURRENT_DIRECTORY = os.getcwd()
        PARENT DIRECTORY = os.path.dirname(CURRENT DIRECTORY)
        DATA_PATH = os.path.join(PARENT_DIRECTORY, '_data')
In []: # read the data
        def read data(data):
            if data.endswith('.parquet'):
                data = pa.read table(data)
                df = data.to_pandas() # converting to pandas df
                df.columns = df.columns.str.lower()
                return df
            elif data.endswith('.csv'):
                df = pd.read_csv(data)
                df.columns = df.columns.str.lower()
                return df
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                return 'Not valid format'
In [ ]: # To calculate the standard deviation of the pick and drop time in minutes
        def standard deviation(data):
            data['duration'] = pd.to_datetime(data['tpep_dropoff_datetime']) - pd.to_datetime(data['tpep_pickup_datetime'])
            # Convert duration to total seconds
            data['duration'] = data['duration'].dt.total_seconds()
            # Convert seconds to hours and minutes
            data['duration'] = data['duration'] / 60
            # Standard deviation
            return data, data['duration'].std()
In [ ]: def outliers(data):
            data outliers = data[(data['duration']>=1)&(data['duration']<=60)]</pre>
            return data outliers, (data outliers.shape[0] / data.shape[0]) * 100
In [ ]: # One-hot encoding
        def one hot encoding(df, choice):
            # Converting pick up and drop off location id into strings
            df['pulocationid'] = df['pulocationid'].astype(str)
df['dolocationid'] = df['dolocationid'].astype(str)
            # Converting DataFrame into a list of dictionaries
            df_dict = df[['pulocationid', 'dolocationid']].to_dict(orient='records')
            if choice == 0:
                X_train = vectorise.fit_transform(df_dict)
                return X train
            elif choice == 1:
                X val = vectorise.transform(df_dict)
                return X_val
            else:
                return 'Enter Choice 0 or 1'
In [ ]: # Define RMSE function
        def rmse(y_, y_pred):
            return root mean squared error(y , y pred)
In []: def training(data, X train):
            y_train = data['duration'].values
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linear_regression.fit(X_train, y_train)
y_prediction = linear_regression.predict(X_train)

# Calculate the Root Mean Square Error
RMSE = rmse(y_train, y_prediction)
return y_train, y_prediction, RMSE

In []: def evaluation(df_val, X_val):
    y_val = df_val['duration'].values
    y_prediction = linear_regression.predict(X_val)
    RMSE = rmse(y_val, y_prediction)
    return RMSE
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#### Q1. Downloading the data

We'll use the same NYC taxi dataset, but instead of "Green Taxi Trip Records", we'll use "Yellow Taxi Trip Records".

Download the data for January and February 2023.

Read the data for January. How many columns are there?

a) 16

b) 17

c) 18

d) 19

#### Answer: d) 19

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In []: # File Name
    january_file_name = 'yellow_tripdata_2023-01.parquet'
    february_file_name = 'yellow_tripdata_2023-02.parquet'

# Join January data path
    january_data_path = os.path.join(DATA_PATH, january_file_name)

# Join February_data_path
february_data_path = os.path.join(DATA_PATH, february_file_name)

# READ_JANUARY_DATA
df_train = read_data(january_data_path)
# READ_FEBRUARY_DATA
df_val = read_data(february_data_path)

print(f'January_Data_Shape = {df_train.shape}')
print(f'February_Data_Shape = {df_val.shape}')

January_Data_Shape = (3066766, 19)
February_Data_Shape = (2913955, 19)
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### Q2. Computing duration

Now let's compute the duration variable. It should contain the duration of a ride in minutes.

What's the standard deviation of the trips duration in January?

In [ ]: df\_val, february\_duriation\_std\_dev = standard\_deviation(df\_val)

a) 32.59

b) 42.59

c) 52.59

d) 62.59

#### Answer: b) 42.59

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In [ ]: df_train, january_duriation_std_dev = standard_deviation(df_train)
    print('Standard Deviation of Pick and Drop time for the month of January (time in minutes)', january_duriation_s
    print(f'January Data Shape after adding column minutes= {df_train.shape}')

Standard Deviation of Pick and Drop time for the month of January (time in minutes) 42.59435124195458
    January Data Shape after adding column minutes= (3066766, 20)
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print('Standard Deviation of Pick and Drop time for the month of FEbruary (time in minutes)', february_duriation
print(f'February Data Shape after adding column minutes = {df_val.shape}')
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Standard Deviation of Pick and Drop time for the month of FEbruary (time in minutes) 42.84210176105113 February Data Shape after adding column minutes = (2913955, 20)

### Q3. Dropping outliers

Next, we need to check the distribution of the duration variable. There are some outliers. Let's remove them and keep only the records where the duration was between 1 and 60 minutes (inclusive).

What fraction of the records left after you dropped the outliers?

- a) 90%
- b) 92%
- c) 95%
- d) 98%

#### Answer: d) 98%

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In [ ]: df_train, jan_records_left = outliers(df_train)
    print('Fraction of the records left after dropping the outliers = ', jan_records_left)
    print(f'January Data Shape after removing outliers= {df_train.shape}')

Fraction of the records left after dropping the outliers = 98.1220282212598
    January Data Shape after removing outliers= (3009173, 20)

In [ ]: df_val, feb_records_left = outliers(df_val)
    print('Fraction of the records left after dropping the outliers = ', feb_records_left)
    print(f'February Data Shape after removing outliers = {df_val.shape}')

Fraction of the records left after dropping the outliers = 98.00944077722545
    February Data Shape after removing outliers = (2855951, 20)
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## Q4. One-hot encoding

Let's apply one-hot encoding to the pickup and dropoff location IDs. We'll use only these two features for our model.

- 1. Turn the dataframe into a list of dictionaries (remember to re-cast the ids to strings otherwise it will label encode them)
- 2. Fit a dictionary vectorizer
- 3. Get a feature matrix from it

What's the dimensionality of this matrix (number of columns)?

- a) 2
- b) 155
- c) 345
- d) 515
- e) 715

### Answer: d) 515

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RMSE = sqrt [(\Sigma(Pi - Oi)^2) / n]
Where
Pi==> Predicted Value
Oi==> Observed Value
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### Q5. Training a model

Now let's use the feature matrix from the previous step to train a model.

- 1. Train a plain linear regression model with default parameters, where duration is the response variable
- 2. Calculate the RMSE of the model on the training data

What's the RMSE on train?

- a) 3.64
- b) 7.64
- c) 11.64
- d) 16.64

## Answer: b) 7.64

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In []: y_train, y_prediction, RMSE = training(df_train, X_train)
print(f'Training Root Mean Square Error = {RMSE}')
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Training Root Mean Square Error = 7.649262092523899

## Q6. Evaluating the model

Now let's apply this model to the validation dataset (February 2023).

What's the RMSE on validation?

- a) 3.81
- b) 7.81
- c) 11.81
- d) 16.81

# Answer: b) 7.81

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In [ ]: # Transform February data using the fitted DictVectorizer
X_val = one_hot_encoding(df_val, choice=1)
In [ ]: RMSE = evaluation(df_val, X_val)
    print(f'Validation RMSE: {RMSE}')
    Validation RMSE: 7.811817680839882

In [ ]: end_time = time.time()
    print(f'Total time taken = {end_time-start_time}')
    Total time taken = 76.92450189590454
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