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PROJECT REPORT ON

STUDENT RESULT PREDICTION USING LINEAR REGRESSION

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Abstract:

In every educational institution analyzing the performance of students and predicting the result is important to understand the capability and performance of every student. Predicting student performance can help the teachers to take steps in developing strategy for improving performances at early stages. With the help of data mining supervised and unsupervised techniques developing these kinds of applications are helping teachers to analyse students in a better way compared to existing performance. In these student result predictions using linear regression algorithms taking input as previously how many hours a student studied for the exam and their results. Based on that calculating pass and fail percentage of students.

Introduction:

Prediction of student results helps the instructors or teachers develop a good understanding of how well or how poorly the students in their class are performing whether they are able to pass or not or they are failed. So based on that result the instructors can take proactive steps to improve student learning and getting them pass and getting good marks. Based on a dataset collected from students of their hours studied and their marks using a linear regression model to predict student performance.

Prediction of student academic performance has long been regarded as an important research topic in many academic disciplines because it benefits both teaching and learning. Instructors can use the predicted results to identify the number of students who will perform well, averagely, or poorly in a class, so instructors can be proactive. For instance, if the predicted results show that some students in the class would be "academically at risk," instructors may consider taking certain proactive measures to help those students achieve better in the study. Representative examples of proactive measures include adding recitation sessions, adding more working hours, using computer simulations and animations to improve student problem solving, adopting a variety of active and cooperative learning strategies, to name a few. A variety of mathematical techniques, such as linear regression have been employed to develop various models to predict student academic performance/result.

Problem Survey:

Currently, the process of declaring and managing the students' results at the S R M University, is performed manually with extensive human intervention. The students' results are generated through a spreadsheet application and then printed on a paper, attached to a wall for declaration and then stored. Despite having an application that generates the result, it is not very effective as the system consumes a lot of time and human resources in performing various tasks, it is costly, it lacks data security and efficiency. And at present, the institution needs an

advanced and computerized environment. And once implemented, it will minimize all the problems mentioned.

DataSet Description:

We used our own dataset consisting of hours a student studied for exams and how many marks a student got. Based on that we will implement whether students passed or failed according to cutoff marks. It helps the instructors to develop the education of students and to motivate how to get good marks in upcoming exams.

Data Preprocessing:

It is a data mining technique that transforms raw data into an understandable format. Raw data(real world data) is always incomplete and that data cannot be sent through a model. That would cause certain errors. That is why we need to preprocess data before sending through a model.

For the data preprocessing techniques and algorithms, we used **Scikit-learn** libraries.

Steps in Data Preprocessing

Here are the steps I have followed;

- 1. Import libraries We used pandas and numpy to import libraries
- 2. Read data
- 3. Checking for missing values
- 4. Checking for categorical data
- 5. Standardize the data
- 6. PCA transformation
- 7. Data splitting

Pre-Processed Data:

	Hours	Scores
0	2.5	21
1	5.1	47
2	3.2	27
3	8.5	75
4	3.5	30
5	1.5	20
6	9.2	88
7	5.5	60
8	8.3	81
9	2.7	25
10	7.7	85
11	5.9	62
12	4.5	41
13	3.3	42
14	1.1	17
15	8.9	95
16	2.5	30
17	1.9	24
18	6.1	67
19	7.4	69
20	2.7	30
21	4.8	54

Implementation of Code and the respective outputs and graphs:

STUDENT RESULT PREDICTION USING LINEAR REGRESSION In [1]: import numpy as np import pandas as pd import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import seaborn as sns import scipy.stats as stats import statsmodels.formula.api as smf from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split from sklearn.neighbors import KNeighborsClassifier In [3]: df = pd.read_csv('C:/Users/HP/OneDrive/Desktop/DWM_Project/Sturesult.csv') In [5]: print("Loading Data") Loading Data Out[5]: Hours Scores 0 2.5 21 1 5.1 2 3.2 3 8.5 75 4 3.5 30 5 6 9.2 88 5.5 60 8 8.3 81 85 10 7.7 62 11 5.9 12 4.5 13 3.3 14 1.1 17 15 8.9 95 17 1.9 24 18 6.1 67 19 21 4.8 54 35 22 3.8 23 6.9 24 7.8

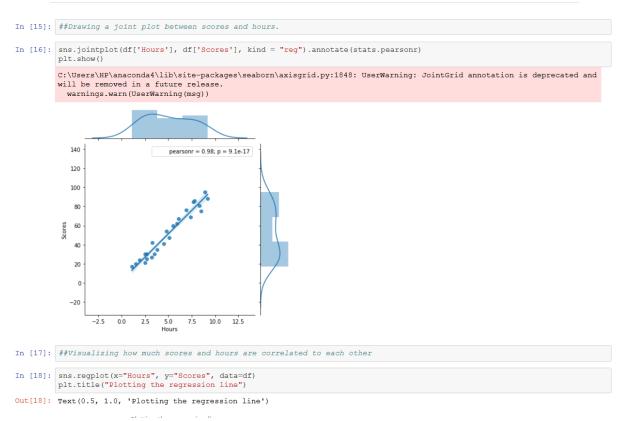
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In [6]: ##Analysing the data
 In [7]: df.shape
 Out[7]: (25, 2)
 In [8]: df.columns
 Out[8]: Index(['Hours', 'Scores'], dtype='object')
In [9]: df.info()
         <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
         RangeIndex: 25 entries, 0 to 24
         Data columns (total 2 columns):
          # Column Non-Null Count Dtype
         --- -----
                     -----
          0 Hours 25 non-null
                                     float64
          1 Scores 25 non-null
                                      int64
         dtypes: float64(1), int64(1)
         memory usage: 528.0 bytes
In [10]: df.describe()
Out[10]:
                  Hours
                          Scores
         count 25.000000 25.000000
          mean
               5.012000 51.480000
           std 2.525094 25.286887
               1.100000 17.000000
           min
           25%
               2.700000 30.000000
                4.800000 47.000000
           50%
               7.400000 75.000000
           max 9.200000 95.000000
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In [11]: df.corr()
Out[11]:
                    Hours Scores
           Hours 1.000000 0.976191
           Scores 0.976191 1.000000
In [12]: df.isnull()
Out[12]:
              Hours Scores
            o False
                       False
            1 False
                       False
            2 False
                       False
            3 False
                       False
            4 False
                       False
            5 False
                       False
            6 False
                       False
            7 False
                       False
            8 False
                       False
            9 False
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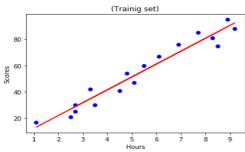
False

20 False

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In [13]: ##From above analysis we came to know that there is no null value so no need to remove any outliers
          ##Lets do some analysis by visualization
In [14]: sns.distplot(df["Scores"])
          plt.show()
          sns.distplot(df["Scores"], kde=False, rug=True)
          plt.show()
           0.0175
           0.0150
           0.0125
           0.0100
           0.0075
           0.0050
           0.0025
           0.0000
                  -20
                                                    120
                                           80
                                                100
           12
           10
                20
                          40
                               50
                                    60
                                          70
                                               80
                     30
                                 Scores
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Plotting the regression line
             100
              20
In [19]: ##From the above analysis we came to the conclusion that scores and hours are strongly correlated .
           ##Using Simple linear regression to predict the data as we only have two columns.
In [20]: X = df.iloc[:, :-1].values
          from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size = 0.30, random_state = 0)
          from sklearn.linear_model import LinearRegression
regressor = LinearRegression()
          regressor.fit(X_train, y_train)
Out[20]: LinearRegression(copy_X=True, fit_intercept=True, n_jobs=None, normalize=False)
In [21]: y_pred = regressor.predict(X_test)
          y pred
Out[21]: array([17.05366541, 33.69422878, 74.80620886, 26.8422321 , 60.12335883, 39.56736879, 20.96909209, 78.72163554])
In [22]: ##Comparing Actual vs Predicted Value
In [23]: df1 = pd.DataFrame({'Actual': y_test, 'Predicted_Score': y_pred})
                 Actual Predicted_Score
              0
                     20
                                 17.053665
              1
                     27
                                 33 694229
              2
                     69
                                 74.806209
              3
                      30
                                 26.842232
              4
                     62
                                 60.123359
              5
                      35
                                 39.567369
              6
                     24
                                 20.969092
                                 78.721636
In [24]: ##Visualizing Actual scores and predected scores
In [25]: # PLotting the training set
             plt.scatter(X_train,y_train, color='blue')
             plt.plot(X_train,regressor.predict(X_train),color='red')
plt.title("(Trainig set)')
plt.xlabel('Hours')
plt.ylabel('Scores')
plt.ylabel('Scores')
                                          (Trainig set)
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In [26]: ##Calculating the coeffeciants of the simple linear regression equation: y = C0 + C1.x (C1: Is the Slope, C0:Is the Int
         ercept)
In [27]: mean x = np.mean(df['Hours'])
        mean y = np.mean(df['Scores'])
        num = 0
        den = 0
        x = list(df['Hours'])
        y = list(df['Scores'])
        for i in range(len(df)):
           num += (x[i]-mean_x)*(y[i]-mean_y)
           den += (x[i]-mean_x)**2
        B1 = num/den
In [28]: B0 = mean y - B1*mean x
In [29]: df['predicted_Scores'] = B0 + B1*df['Hours']
In [30]: df.head()
Out[30]:
            Hours Scores predicted Scores
         0 2.5
                     21
                              26.923182
         1 5.1
                     47
                              52.340271
                     27
                              33.766244
         2 3.2
         3 8.5
                     75
                              85.578002
         4 3.5
                     30
                              36.698985
In [31]: plt.scatter(df['Hours'], df['Scores'], c='red', label='Aactual Marks')
        plt.scatter(df['Hours'], df['predicted Scores'], c='blue', label='Predected Marks')
        plt.title('Actual scores bw predicted scores')
        plt.xlabel('Hours')
        plt.ylabel('Scores')
        plt.plot()
Out[31]: []
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Actual scores bw predicted scores

80

20

20

4 Hours

In [32]: y = B0 + B1*9.25
print("Marks scored by the student who study 9.25 hours a day is ",y)
Marks scored by the student who study 9.25 hours a day is 92.90985477015732

In [33]: ##Categorising the students who passed or failed .

In [34]: # Lets the cut of be 40 marks
cut_off = 40

df['Result'] = df['Scores']>=40

df
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Out[34]:		Hours	Scores	predicted_Scores	Result
	0	2.5	21	26.923182	False
	1	5.1	47	52.340271	True
	2	3.2	27	33.766244	False
	3	8.5	75	85.578002	True
	4	3.5	30	36.698985	False
	5	1.5	20	17.147378	False
	6	9.2	88	92.421065	True
	7	5.5	60	56.250592	True
	8	8.3	81	83.622842	True
	9	2.7	25	28.878343	False
	10	7.7	85	77.757360	True
	11	5.9	62	60.160913	True
	12	4.5	41	46.474789	True
	13	3.3	42	34.743825	True
	14	1.1	17	13.237057	False
	15	8.9	95	89.488324	True
	16	2.5	30	26.923182	False
	17	1.9	24	21.057700	False
	18	6.1	67	62.116074	True
	19	7.4	69	74.824618	True
	20	2.7	30	28.878343	False
	21	4.8	54	49.407530	True
	22	3.8	35	39.631726	False
	23	6.9	76	69.936717	True
	24	7.8	86	78.734940	True

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In [35]: df["Result"] = df["Result"].astype(str)
In [36]: df.Result = df.Result.replace({"True": "Passed", "False": "Failed"})
In [37]: df
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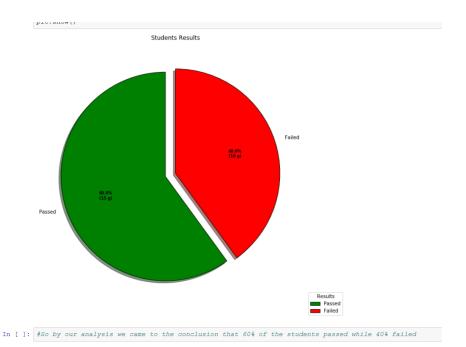
Out[37]:

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	Hours	Scores	predicted_Scores	Result
0	2.5	21	26.923182	Failed
1	5.1	47	52.340271	Passed
2	3.2	27	33.766244	Failed
3	8.5	75	85.578002	Passed
4	3.5	30	36.698985	Failed
5	1.5	20	17.147378	Failed
6	9.2	88	92.421065	Passed
7	5.5	60	56.250592	Passed
8	8.3	81	83.622842	Passed
9	2.7	25	28.878343	Failed
10	7.7	85	77.757360	Passed
11	5.9	62	60.160913	Passed
12	4.5	41	46.474789	Passed
13	3.3	42	34.743825	Passed
14	1.1	17	13.237057	Failed
15	8.9	95	89.488324	Passed
16	2.5	30	26.923182	Failed
17	1.9	24	21.057700	Failed
18	6.1	67	62.116074	Passed
19	7.4	69	74.824618	Passed
20	2.7	30	28.878343	Failed
21	4.8	54	49.407530	Passed
22	3.8	35	39.631726	Failed
23	6.9	76	69.936717	Passed
24	7.8	86	78.734940	Passed

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In [38]: df["Result"].value_counts()
Out[38]: Passed 15
          Failed
                    10
          Name: Result, dtype: int64
In [41]: Results = ['Passed', 'Failed']
           data = [15, 10]
           explode = (0.1, 0.0)
colors = ( "Green", "Red")
           wp = { 'linewidth' : 1, 'edgecolor' : "black" }
           # Creating autocpt arguments
          def func(pct, allvalues):
    absolute = int(pct / 100.*np.sum(allvalues))
    return "{:.1f}%\n({:d} g)".format(pct, absolute)
           # Creating plot
           fig, ax = plt.subplots(figsize = (15, 10))
           wedges, texts, autotexts = ax.pie(data,
                                                   autopct = lambda pct: func(pct, data),
                                                   explode = explode,
                                                   labels = Results,
                                                   shadow = True,
                                                   colors = colors,
                                                   startangle = 90,
                                                   wedgeprops = wp,
textprops = dict(color ="black"))
           # Adding legend
           ax.legend(wedges, Results,
                      title ="Results",
loc ="center left",
                      bbox_to_anchor = (1, 0))
           plt.setp(autotexts, size = 8, weight ="bold")
           ax.set_title("Students Results")
           # show plot
           plt.show()
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Students Results



Conclusion:

Predicting a student's performance would boost the results of a student's grades and gives the teachers a better approach for teaching the students who are at risk of failure. Regression models, tree based models are created to make the best predictions with high accuracy. The basic idea is to increase the efficiency of the prediction results using various algorithms. Thus by finding the student grade whether he/she has passed or failed using a linear regression model gives optimal results.