

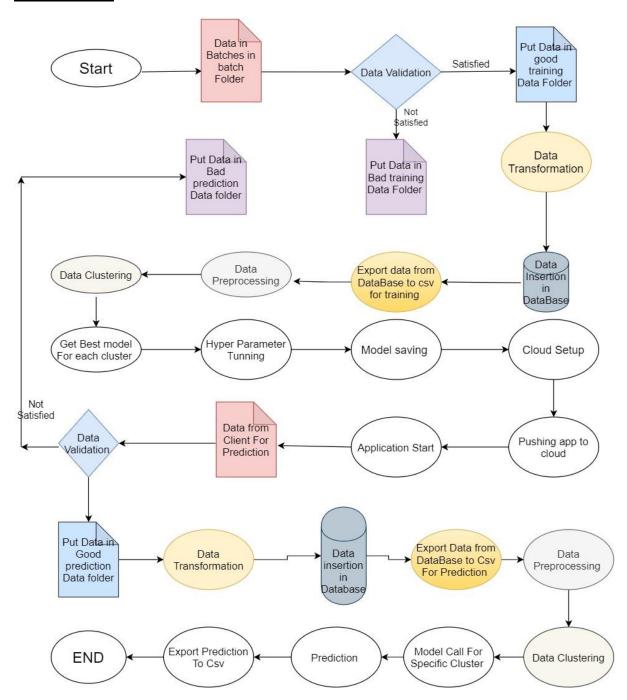
ABALONE'S AGE PREDICTION BY PREDICTING RINGS COUNTS

<u>Title of Dataset:</u> Abalone data

<u>Problem Statement:</u> Predicting the age of abalone from physical measurements. The age of abalone is determined by cutting the shell through the cone, staining it, and counting the number of rings through a microscope -- a boring and time-consuming task.

The number of rings is the value to predict: either as a continuous value or as a classification problem. No. of Rings +1.5 gives the age in years

Architecture:



Data Description:

Data Sources:

(a) Original owners of database:

Marine Resources Division

Marine Research Laboratories - Taroona

Department of Primary Industry and Fisheries, Tasmania

GPO Box 619F, Hobart, Tasmania 7001, Australia

(b) Donor of database:

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Data contains following attributes:

1. Number of Instances: 4177

2. Number of Attributes: 8

3. Attribute information Given is the attribute name, attribute type, the measurement unit and a brief description. The number of rings is the value to predict: it is a classification problem.

Name	Data Types	Meas.	Description
Sex	Nominal		M, F, and I (infant)
Length	Continuous	mm.	Longest shell measurement
Diameter	Continuous	mm.	perpendicular to length
Height	Continuous	mm.	with meat in shell
Whole weight	Continuous	grams	whole abalone
Shucked weight	Continuous	grams	weight of meat
Viscera weight	Continuous	grams	gut weight (after bleeding)
Shell weight	Continuous	grams	after being dried
Rings	Integer	Nos.	+1.5 gives the age in years

4. Statistics for numeric domains:

df=pd.read_csv('/content/abalone.csv')
df.describe()

₽		Length	Diameter	Height	Whole_Weight	Sucked_Weight	Viscera_Weight	Shell_Weight	Rings
	count	4177.000000	4177.000000	4177.000000	4177.000000	4177.000000	4177.000000	4177.000000	4177.000000
	mean	0.523992	0.407881	0.139516	0.828742	0.359367	0.180594	0.238831	9.933684
	std	0.120093	0.099240	0.041827	0.490389	0.221963	0.109614	0.139203	3.224169
	min	0.075000	0.055000	0.000000	0.002000	0.001000	0.000500	0.001500	1.000000
	25%	0.450000	0.350000	0.115000	0.441500	0.186000	0.093500	0.130000	8.000000
	50%	0.545000	0.425000	0.140000	0.799500	0.336000	0.171000	0.234000	9.000000
	75%	0.615000	0.480000	0.165000	1.153000	0.502000	0.253000	0.329000	11.000000
	max	0.815000	0.650000	1.130000	2.825500	1.488000	0.760000	1.005000	29.000000

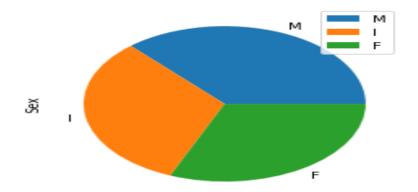
Conclusion from above result:-

- Mean of Length , diameter ,Height , Whole_Weight, Sucked_weight (weight without shell), shell Weight are 0.52 mm, 0.40mm,0.139mm,0.82 gm , 0.35gm,0.18gm,0.23gm
- Maximum length, diameter, height, whole weight, sucked weight, viscera weight, shell weight of abalone are 0.81mm, 0.65mm, 1.13mm, 2.825gm, 1.48gm, 0.76gm, 1.005gm respectively.

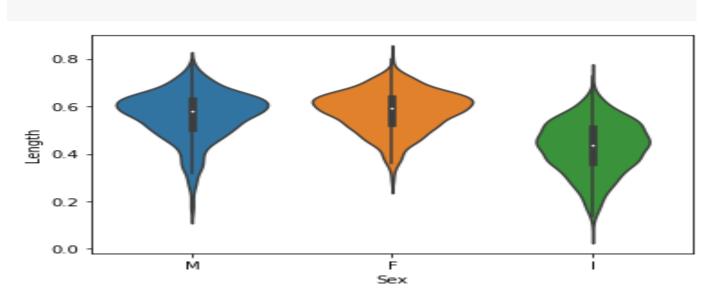
EDA:-

Distribution of sex (M,I,F) in data

data.Sex.value_counts().plot(kind='pie',legend=True);

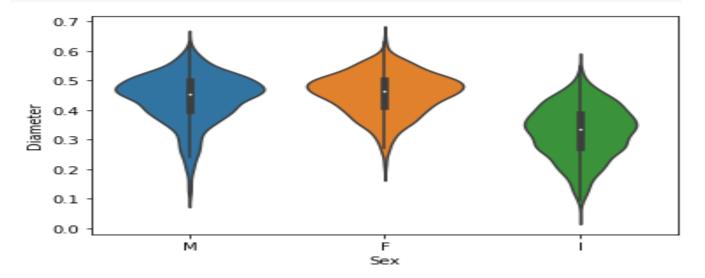


Below plot shows length with respect to Male, Female, Infant Abalone



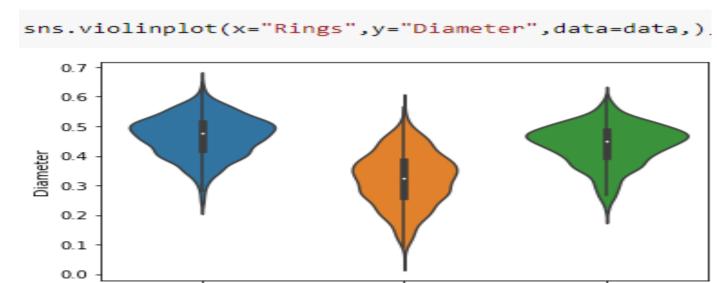
If we see then male and female have similar length and most of male and female having length between 0.5 to 0.7 mm where as infant length range is 0.28 to 0.5 mm

sns.violinplot(x="Sex",y="Diameter",data=data);



If we see distribution of diameter is similar to length distribution

11+



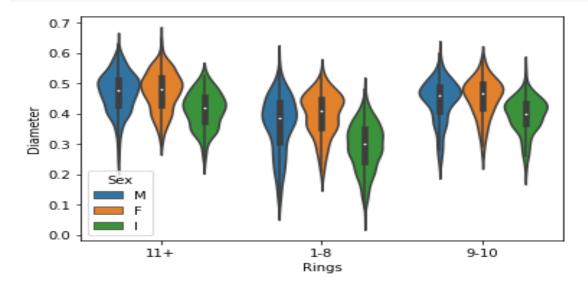
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Rings

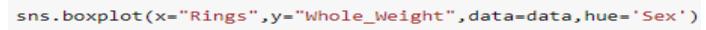
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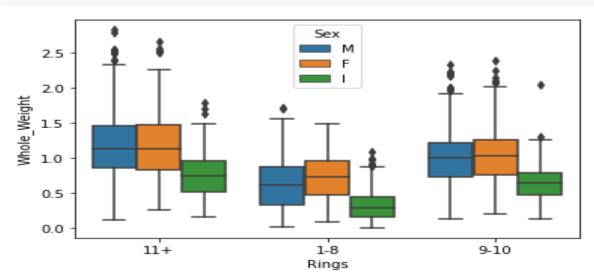
Here , in above plots those abalone whose no of rings are 1-8 having diameter range 0.3-0.6mm , where as for no of rings 9 to 29 having similar diameter with range 0.4 to 0.6mm

sns.violinplot(x="Rings",y="Diameter",data=data,hue='Sex');

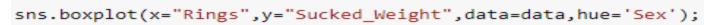


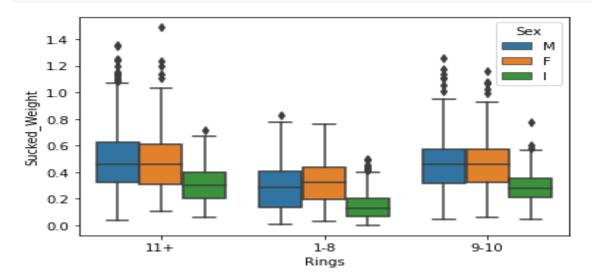
If we see diameter of male under 1-8 no of rings are not normal, and in every group infant have less diameter in comparision to male and female.



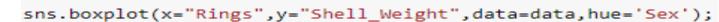


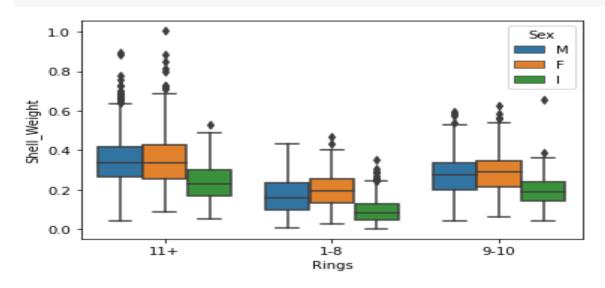
If we see in each category male and female Whole weight is same is same but in group 1-8 female abalone have higher weight than male. So we can conclude that generally female abalone are heavier than male abalone and infant abalone with respect to whole weight.





In case of Sucked_Weight (Weight without shell) female have almost same in comparision to male , so we can conclude that weight of meat is higher in female abalone.





Shell weight of female abalone is higher than male in each category of age .

5.Data Ditribution of Target Columns:

```
df=data.Rings.value_counts()
df.sort_index()
        1
        1
       15
       57
      115
      259
      391
10
      634
11
      487
12
      267
13
      203
14
      126
15
      103
16
17
       58
18
       42
19
20
23
24
25
        1
26
```

But after grouping 1-8 in 1^{st} group , 9-10 in 2^{nd} group, rest in 11+ 3^{rd} group

```
data['Rings'].value_counts()

11+ 1447
1-8 1407
9-10 1323
```

Target Label:

Rings is the target columns which contains the no of rings counts. With right prediction of Rings on adding 1.5 years will give age of abalone

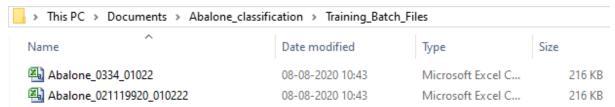
Data Validation:

In this step, we perform different sets of validation on the given set of training files.

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```
regex = "['Abalone']+['\_'']+[\d_]+[\d]+\.csv"
return regex
```

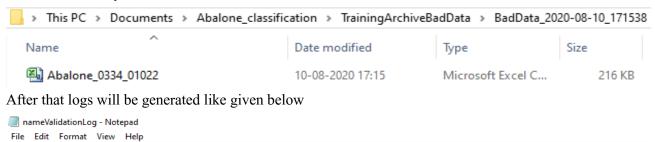
I created a regular expression whose structure will be Abalone (digits) (digits).csv.



According to regular expression both file name given client is fine But according to specification I created in Jason file below

```
"SampleFileName":"Abalone_021119920_010222",
 LengthOfDateStampInFile": 9,
 LengthOfTimeStampInFile": 6,
NumberofColumns":
 ColName'
     "Sex":"varchar",
    "Length":"Integer
"Diameter":"Integ
                  Integer
             :"Integer
    "Whole_weight
                     ":"Integer
    "Shucked_weight
    "Viscera_weight":"Integer
    "Shell_weight":"Integer
    "Rings":"Integer"
}
```

1st digit part(length_of_ DateStamp) and and 2nd digit part(length_of_timestamp) of is not correct for First file is correct so it is put to BadArchivefolder



Valid File name!! File moved to GoodRaw Folder :: Abalone_021119920_010222.csv

Invalid File Name!! File moved to Bad Raw Folder :: Abalone_0334_01022.csv

2. Number of Columns - We validate the number of columns, Name of Columns present in the files, and if it doesn't match with the value given in the schema file, then the file is moved to "Bad Data Folder."

From the given Jason schema structure file given below

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```
"SampleFileName":"Abalone_021119920_010222",
"LengthOfDateStampInFile": 9,
"LengthOfTimeStampInFile": 6,
"NumberofColumns": 9,
"ColName":{
    "Sex":"varchar",
    "Length":"Integer",
    "Diameter":"Integer",
    "Height":"Integer",
    "Whole_weight":"Integer",
    "Shucked_weight":"Integer",
    "Viscera_weight":"Integer",
    "Shell_weight":"Integer",
    "Rings":"Integer",
    "Rings":"Integer",
}
```

We extract Number of columns, Name of Columns using function in training validation insertion.py file given below:

```
# extracting values from prediction schema
LengthOfDateStampInFile, LengthOfTimeStampInFile, column_names, noofcolumns = self.raw_data.valuesFromSchema()
```

Now we pass these values to below function to validate as and also log file is generated as given below

```
| valuesfromSchemaValidationLog - Notepad | File | Edit | Format | View | Help | | 2020-08-10/17:15:21 | LengthOfDateStampInFile:: 9 | LengthOfTimeStampInFile:: 6 | NumberofColumns:: 9
```

Passing no of columns to the below function

```
# validating no of column in the file
self.raw_data.validateColumnLength(noofcolumns)
```

it will check the no of columns in data using below function

after log file is maintained as given below

```
ColumnValidationLog - Notepad

File Edit Format View Help

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Column Length Validation Started!!

Column Length Validation Completed!!
```

Similarly we validate the given below specification also

3. Name of Columns - The name of the columns is validated and should be the same as given in the schema file. If not, then the file is moved to "Bad_Data_Folder".

- 4. The datatype of columns The datatype of columns is given in the schema file. It is validated when we insert the files into Database. If the datatype is wrong, then the file is moved to "Bad Data Folder".
- Null values in columns If any of the columns in a file have all the values as NULL or
 missing, we discard such a file and move it to "Bad_Data_Folder".
 Here , we are checking is there any columns present in our dataset which have entire values

null using below calling function in training validation insertion.py file

```
# validating if any column has all values missing
self.raw_data.validateMissingValuesInWholeColumn()
self.log_writer.log(self.file_object, "Raw Data Validation Complete!!")
```

It will navigate to the method given below

<u>Data Transformation:</u> In this phase we will replacing missing value with Null method which we are calling in training_validation_insertion.py is given below:

```
self.log_writer.log(self.file_object, "Starting Data Transforamtion!!")
# replacing blanks in the csv file with "Null" values to insert in table
self.dataTransform.replaceMissingWithNull()
```

Data Insertion in Database

 Database Creation and connection - Create a database with the given name passed. If the database has already been created, open a connection to the database. Here, I m using sqlite3 database.

create database with given name, if present open the connection! Create table with columns given in schema self.dBOperation.createTableDb('Training', column_names) Below is the code given to buildup the connection to database

```
conn = self.dataBaseConnection(DatabaseName)
c = conn.cursor()
c.execute("SELECT count(name) FROM sqlite_master WHERE type = 'table'AND name = 'Good_Raw_Data'")
if c.fetchone()[0] ==1:
    conn.close()
    file = open("Training_Logs/DbTableCreateLog.txt", 'a+')
    self.logger.log(file, "Tables created successfully!!")
    file.close()

file = open("Training_Logs/DataBaseConnectionLog.txt", 'a+')
    self.logger.log(file, "Closed %s database successfully" % DatabaseName)
    file.close()
```

2) Table creation in the database - Table with name - "Good_Data", is created in the database for inserting the files in the "Good_Data_Folder" based on given column names and datatype in the schema file. If the table is already present, then the new table is not created, and new files are inserted in the already present table as we want training to be done on new as well as old training files.

3) Insertion of files in the table - All the files in the "Good_Data_Folder" are inserted in the above-created table. If any file has invalid data type in any of the columns, the file is not loaded in the table and is moved to "Bad_Data_Folder".

Calling function below method for database insertion from training validation insertion.py

```
self.dBOperation.insertIntoTableGoodData('Training')
self.log_writer.log(self.file_object, "Insertion in Table completed!!!")
self.log_writer.log(self.file_object, "Deleting Good Data Folder!!!")
# Delete the good data folder after loading files in table
```

Working of insertion of database given below

once data is inserted in the database, we will retrieve all the data to folder TrainingFilefromDB folder with name as input .csv and log file will be generated

```
# export data in table to csvfile
self.dBOperation.selectingDatafromtableintocsv('Training')
self.file_object.close()
```

Model Training:

1) **Data Export from Db** - The data in a stored database is exported as a CSV file to be used for model training.

```
# export data in table to csvfile
self.dBOperation.selectingDatafromtableintocsv('Training')
self.file_object.close()
```

2) Data Preprocessing

a) Drop the columns not required for prediction.
 Function or method calling from trainingModel.py

data=preprocessor.remove_columns(data_[_])_# remove the column as it doesn't contribute to prediction

b) Check for null values in the columns. If present, impute the

```
# check if missing values are present in the dataset
is_null_present, cols_with_missing_values = preprocessor.is_null_present(data)

# if missing values are there, replace them appropriately.
if (is_null_present):
    data = preprocessor.impute_missing_values(data, cols_with_missing_values) # missing value imputation
```

Here, in below imputing method I m imputing numerical missing values by median imputation and categorical variable by frequent labels

- c) Grouping the data based on target variable's label to make target variable balance and lower its high cardinality to low cardinality but after labeling our problem will be still multiclassification.
- d) Replace and encode the categorical values with numeric values, In this project I m doing this step after clustering because I m not including "sex" column in clustering . so, first I will remove "Sex", "Rings" columns then will perform clustering then I will attach the data for "Sex", "Rings" in clustered data.

3) **Clustering -** KMeans algorithm is used to create clusters in the preprocessed data. The optimum number of clusters is selected by plotting the elbow plot, and for the dynamic selection of the number of clusters using kneed method, The idea behind clustering is to implement different algorithms for different clusters.

The Kmeans model is trained over preprocessed data, and the model is saved for further use in prediction.

```
kmeans=clustering.KMeansClustering(self.file_object_self.log_writer) # object initialization.
number_of_clusters=kmeans.elbow_plot(X) # using the elbow plot to find the number of optimum clusters
# Divide the data into clusters
X=kmeans.create_clusters(X_number_of_clusters)
# create a new column in the dataset consisting of the corresponding cluster assignments.
X = pd.concat([X, Y], axis=1, sort=False)
```

```
Method Name: create_clusters

Description: Create a new dataframe consisting of the cluster information.

Output: A dataframe with cluster column

On Failure: Raise Exception

"""

self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Entered the create_clusters method of the KMeansClustering class')

self.data_data

try:

self.kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=number_of_clusters, init='k-means++', random_state=42)

#self.data = self.data[~self.data.isin(inp.nam, np.inf, -np.inf]).any(i)]

self.y_kmeans=self.kmeans.fit_predict(data) #__divide_data_into_clusters

self.file_op = file_methods.File_Operation(self.file_object_self.logger_object)

self.save_model = self.file_op.save_model(self.kmeans, 'KMeans') # saving the KMeans model to directory

# passing 'Model' as the functions need three parameters

self.data['Cluster']_self.y_kmeans # create a new column in dataset for storing the cluster information

self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'guccesfully created '+str(self.kn.knee) ± 'clusters, Exited the create_clusters method of return self.data

except Exception as e:

self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Exception occured in create_clusters method of the KMeansClustering class, Exception mess

self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Exception occured in create_clusters method of the KMeansClusters method
```

4)Attaching columns and Encoding categorical Values: here we r attaching the columns which we removed since they were not required for Cluster and after attaching encode the categorical values to numerical values

```
#create a new column in the dataset consisting of the corresponding cluster assignments.
X = pd.concat([X, Y], axis=1, sort=False)

# encode categorical data
X = preprocessor.encode_categorical_columns(X)

# getting the unique clusters from our dataset
list_of_clusters = X['Cluster'].unique()
```

5) **Model Selection** – After the clusters have been created, we find the best model for each cluster. We are using two algorithms, "Random Forest" and "XGBoost". For each cluster, both the algorithms are passed with the best parameters derived from GridSearch. We calculate the Accuracy scores & Roc_Auc score. we compare the model based on accuracy score for both models when entire columns have 1 lables and we compare and select the model with the best score. Similarly, the model is selected for each cluster. All the models for every cluster are saved for use in prediction.

```
for i in list_of_clusters:
    cluster_data = X[X['Cluster'] == i]  # filter the data for one cluster

# Prepare the feature and Label columns
    cluster_features=cluster_data.drop(['Rings','Cluster']_axis=1)
    cluster_label=_cluster_data['Rings']

# splitting the data into training and test set for each cluster one by one
    x_train, x_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(cluster_features, cluster_label, test_size=1 / 3, fandom_state=100)

model_finder=tuner.Model_Finder(self.file_object,self.log_writer) # object_initialization

#getting_the_best_model_for_each_of_the_clusters
    best_model_name_best_model_for_each_of_the_clusters
    best_model_name_best_model_to the directory.
    file_op = file_methods.File_Operation(self.file_object_self.log_writer)
    save_model_file_op.save_model(best_model_best_model_name+str(i))
    df = df.append({'Cluster_No',: i, 'Best_Model_Name',: best_model_name+str(i), 'Roc_Auc_score';Roc_Auc_score}, ignore_index_=_True)

# logging the successful Training
self.log_writer.log(self.file_object, 'Successful End of Training')
self.file_object.close()
return_df
```

Now below function is to find the best model for the particular cluster

Result of training is shown on user interface as given below:

Prediction Results Or Trained Model Information

Results

 $Model for each cluster has been trained successfully, summary is given below:- \verb| !!! |$

result of training

	Cluster_No	Best_Model_Name	Roc_Auc_score
0	2	XGBoost2	0.695872
1	0	RF0	0.664862
2	1	XGBoost1	0.548081

Prediction Data Description:

The Client will send the data in multiple sets of files in batches at a given location. Data will contain the some physical measurement of various Abalone.

Apart from prediction files, we also require a "schema" file from the client, which contains all the relevant information about the training files such as:

Name of the files, Length of Date value in FileName, Length of Time value in FileName, Number of Columns, Name of the Columns and their datatype.

Data Validation

In this step, we perform different sets of validation on the given set of Prediction files. These steps are similar to train Validation.

```
prediction_validation(self):
    #extracting values from prediction schema
    LengthOfDateStampInFile_LengthOfTimeStampInFile_column_names_noofcolumns = self.raw_data.valuesFromSchema()
    #getting the regex defined to validate filename
    #validating filename of prediction files
     self.raw_data.validationFileNameRaw(regex,LengthOfDateStampInFile,LengthOfTimeStampInFile)
    #validating column length in the file
    self.raw_data.validateColumnLength(noofcolumns)
    #validating if any column has all values missing
    self.raw_data.validateMissingValuesInWholeColumn()
    self.log_writer.log(self.file_object,"Raw Data Validation Complete!!")
    self.log_writer.log(self.file_object,("Starting Data Transforamtion!!"))
    #replacing blanks in the csv file with "Null" values to insert in table
    self.log_writer.log(self.file_object_"DataTransformation Completed!!!")
    self.log_writer.log(self.file_object_"Creating Prediction_Database and tables on the basis of given schema!!!")
    #create database with given name, if present open the connection! Create table with columns given in schema self.dBOperation.createTableDb('Prediction',column_names)
```

all the below given steps are done thorough above snippet of code written under prediction validation insertion.py

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Prediction:

1) Data Export from Db - The data in the stored database is exported as a CSV file to be used for prediction.



- 2) Data Preprocessing:
 - a) Drop the columns not required for prediction.

```
def remove_columns(self,data.columns):

"""

Method Name: remove_columns

Description: This method removes the given columns from a pandas dataframe.

Output: A pandas DataFrame after removing the specified columns.

On Failure: Raise Exception

"""

self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Entered the remove_columns method of the Preprocessor class')

self.data=data
self.columns=columns

try:

self.useful_data=self.data.drop(labels=self.columns, axis=1)_# drop the labels specified in the columns
self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Column removal Successful.Exited the remove_columns method of the
return self.useful_data
except Exception as e:

self.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Exception occured in remove_columns method of the Preprocessor clasself.logger_object.log(self.file_object, 'Column removal Unsuccessful. Exited the remove_columns method of raise Exception()
```

b) For this dataset, the null values were replaced with '?' in the client data. Those '?' have been replaced with NaN values.

```
data.replace('?', np.NaN, inplace=True) # replacing '?' with NaN values for imputation
```

c) Check for null values in the columns. If present, impute the numerical null values using the median imputer. Where as categorical imputer using frequent imputer.

3) Clustering:- KMeans model created during training is loaded, and clusters for the preprocessed prediction data is predicted.

```
kmeans = file_loader.load_model('KMeans')
```

4) After Predicting the cluster no for test data we will encode the categorical variables.

5) Prediction - Based on the cluster number, the respective model is loaded and is used to predict the data for that cluster.

6) Once the prediction is made for all the clusters, the predictions along with the Rings Counts are saved in a CSV file at a given location, and the location is returned to the client on user interface.

```
final= pd.DataFrame(list(zip(predictions))_columns=['Predictions'])
   path="Prediction_Output_File/Predictions.csv"
   final.to_csv("Prediction_Output_File/Predictions.csv"_header=True_mode='a+')_#appends_result_to_prediction_file
   self.log_writer.log(self.file_object_'End of Prediction')

except Exception as ex:
   self.log_writer.log(self.file_object, 'Error occurred while running the prediction!! Error:: %s' % ex)
   raise ex
return path_, final
```

```
# predicting for dataset present in database
path_result = pred.predictionFromModel()
X = pd.concat([pred_input_data_pd.DataFrame(result)]_axis=1_sort=False)
print(X)
return Response("Prediction File created at %s!!!" %path +" "+ "prediction results are given below %s" %X.to_htm[
```

Result will be shown on user interface like this:

On clicking on defult file prediction as given below

Let's Select Options As Your Requirement					
Enter absolute file path.	Enter absolute file path.				
Custom File Predict	Custom File Train				
Or	Or				
Default File Predict	Default File Train				

Prediction Results Or Trained Model Information

Results

"Prediction File created !!!

Prediction File created at Prediction_Output_File/Predictions.csv!!! prediction results are given below Sex_Length|Diameter|Height|Whole weight|Shucked weight|Viscera weight|Shell weight|Predictions

	Sex	Length	Diameter	Height	Whole_weight	Shucked_weight	Viscera_weight	Shell_weight	Predictions
0	I	0.255	0.185	0.070	0.0750	0.0280	0.0180	0.0250	1-8 Rings
1	F	0.675	0.545	0.195	1.7345	0.6845	0.3695	0.6050	9-10 Rings
2	F	0.345	0.255	0.100	0.1970	0.0710	0.0510	0.0600	1-8 Rings
3	F	0.570	0.450	0.170	1.0980	0.4140	0.1870	0.4050	9-10 Rings
4	I	0.335	0.250	0.080	0.1830	0.0735	0.0400	0.0575	1-8 Rings
5	F	0.515	0.395	0.140	0.6860	0.2810	0.1255	0.2200	11+ Rings
6	F	0.635	0.495	0.195	1.2970	0.5560	0.2985	0.3700	11+ Rings
7	М	0.660	0.500	0.165	1.3195	0.6670	0.2690	0.3410	9-10 Rings
8	I	0.280	0.205	0.080	0.1270	0.0520	0.0390	0.0420	11+ Rings
9	I	0.305	0.230	0.075	0.1455	0.0595	0.0305	0.0500	11+ Rings