

## LEVEL 1 : Iris Species Prediction

### Data Description

Source : Kaggle

There are 150 records with 5 columns each (*sepal length*, *sepal width*, *petal length*, *petal width*, *species*).

*sepal length* - The length of sepal. (in cm)

*sepal width* - The width of sepal. (in cm)

*petal length* – The length of petal. (in cm)

*petal width* - The width of petal. (in cm)

*species* - Iris setosa, Iris virginica and Iris versicolor.

Dataset contains 50 observations of each species (setosa, versicolor, virginica).

### Problem Statement

To predict the species of the flowers using the four features of sepals and petals.

Accuracy must be used to evaluate the model's predictions.

Features - ***sepal length*, *sepal width*, *petal length*, *petal width*.**

Target column – **species**

### Notes

The data provided is completely pre-processed.

Hints:

- 1) For this problem, building a basic model directly without any other ML steps (Data Pre-processing, Feature Engineering, Feature Selection, Cross validation etc.) is sufficient to get a decent accuracy.
- 2) But feel free to use additional ML techniques and algorithms to achieve better predictions.

### References

<https://towardsdatascience.com/classification-basics-walk-through-with-the-iris-data-set-d46b0331bf82>