# Production Machine Learning Systems

# Structured data prediction using Vertex AI Platform

1 hour 30 minutes Free

## Overview

In this lab you train, evaluate, and deploy a machine learning model to predict a baby's weight.

### What you learn

In this lab, you:

- Launch Vertex AI notebook instance
- Create a BigQuery Dataset and GCS Bucket
- Export from BigQuery to CSVs in GCS
- Training on Cloud AI Platform
- Deploy trained model

## Setup your lab

### Start your lab

For each lab, you get a new Google Cloud project and set of resources for a fixed time at no cost.

1. Sign in to Qwiklabs using an **incognito window**.
2. Note the lab's access time (for example, `1:15:00`), and make sure you can finish within that time.
   There is no pause feature. You can restart if needed, but you have to start at the beginning.
3. When ready, click **Start lab**.
4. Note your lab credentials (**Username** and **Password**). You will use them to sign in to the Google Cloud Console.
5. Click **Open Google Console**.
6. Click **Use another account** and copy/paste credentials for **this** lab into the prompts.
   If you use other credentials, you'll receive errors or **incur charges**.
7. Accept the terms and skip the recovery resource page.

**Note:** Do not click **End Lab** unless you have finished the lab or want to restart it. This clears your work and removes the project.

### Enable the Vertex AI API

- Click to open the [Vertex AI section of your Cloud Console](#) and click **Enable Vertex AI API**.

### Confirm the Vertex AI API is Enabled

1. Click the **Navigation menu** > **APIs & services** > **Library**.
2. Start typing "Vertex AI API" in the searchbox and then click the **Vertex AI API** card.
3. You should see the **Manage** button, which indicates the API is active.

   **Note:** If the Vertex AI API is not active, click **Enable** to activate the API.

4. Click the **Back to API library** arrow in the upper left to return to the **API Library** to enable the next API.

### Enable the AI Platform Training & Prediction API

1. In the API library, Search for "AI Platform Training & Prediction API" and click the **AI Platform Training & Prediction API** card.
2. Click **Enable** to activate the API. If you see **Manage**, the API is already activated.

# Enable Notebooks API also

# Task 1. Create storage bucket

1. In the Google Cloud Console, on the **Navigation menu** (≡), click **Cloud Storage**.
2. Click + **Create**.
3. Type a unique name for your bucket, such as your project ID.
4. Click **Create**.
5. Confirm **Enforce public access prevention on this bucket** on "Public access will be prevented" pop-up.

# Task 2. Launch Vertex AI Notebooks

1. In the Google Cloud Console, on the **Navigation Menu**, click **Vertex AI > Workbench**. Select **User-Managed Notebooks**.
2. On the Notebook instances page, click **New Notebook > TensorFlow Enterprise > TensorFlow Enterprise 2.6 (with LTS) > Without GPUs**.
3. In the **New notebook** instance dialog, confirm the name of the deep learning VM, if you don't want to change the region and zone, leave all settings as they are and then click **Create**. The new VM will take 2-3 minutes to start.
4. Click **Open JupyterLab**.
   A JupyterLab window will open in a new tab.
5. You will see "Build recommended" pop up, click **Build**. If you see the build failed, ignore it.

# Task 3. Clone course repo within your Vertex AI notebooks instance

To clone the training-data-analyst notebook in your JupyterLab instance:

1. In JupyterLab, to open a new terminal, click the **Terminal** icon.
2. At the command-line prompt, run the following command:

   git clone https://github.com/GoogleCloudPlatform/training-data-analyst

3. To confirm that you have cloned the repository, double-click on the training-data-analyst directory and ensure that you can see its contents.
The files for all the Jupyter notebook-based labs throughout this course are available in this directory.

# Task 4. Structured data prediction using Vertex AI Platform

1. In the notebook interface, navigate to **training-data-analyst > courses > machine_learning > deepdive2 > production_ml > babyweight**, and open **train_deploy.ipynb**.
2. From the menu, click **Edit > Clear All Outputs**.
3. Read the narrative and click **Shift + Enter** (or Run) on each cell in the notebook.

# ===Observed Notes==

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Job [babyweight_230929_063549] submitted successfully.
Your job is still active. You may view the status of your job with the command

  $ gcloud ai-platform jobs describe babyweight_230929_063549
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# Task 5. Test your knowledge

Test your knowledge about Google cloud Platform by taking our quiz.

# Congratulations!

You learned how to train, evaluate, and deploy a machine learning model in Vertex AI notebooks.

# End your lab

When you have completed your lab, click **End Lab**. Qwiklabs removes the resources you've used and cleans the account for you.

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