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Agile Software Development

Iterative and incremental software development

Scrum 1995

Crystal Clear 1996

Extreme programming (XP) 1996

Feature-driven development 1997

Manifesto for Agile Software Development

2001

Value

Individuals and Interactions more than processes and tools

Working Software more than comprehensive documentation

Customer Collaboration more than contract negotiation

Responding to Change more than following a plan

Agile software development principles

Customer satisfaction by early and continuous delivery of valuable software

Welcome changing requirements, even in late development

Working software is delivered frequently (weeks rather than months)

Close, daily cooperation between business people and developers

Projects are built around motivated individuals, who should be trusted

Face-to-face conversation is the best form of communication (co-location)

Working software is the primary measure of progress

Sustainable development, able to maintain a constant pace

Continuous attention to technical excellence and good design

Simplicity—the art of maximizing the amount of work not done—is essential

Best architectures, requirements, and designs emerge from self-organizing teams

Regularly, the team reflects on how to become more effective, and adjusts accordingly

A manifesto for Agile data science

<https://www.oreilly.com/ideas/a-manifesto-for-agile-data-science>

<http://tinyurl.com/y8lzavxn>

The manifesto focuses on how to think

The key is that you approach data science in an active and dynamic way

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Iterate, iterate, iterate

Insight comes from the 25th query in a chain of queries, not the first one

Data tables have to be parsed, formatted, sorted, aggregated, and summarized before they can be understood



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Ship intermediate output

Under Construction

Often left at the end of a sprint with things that aren't complete

In Agile data science, we document and share the incomplete assets we create as we work

We commit all work to source control

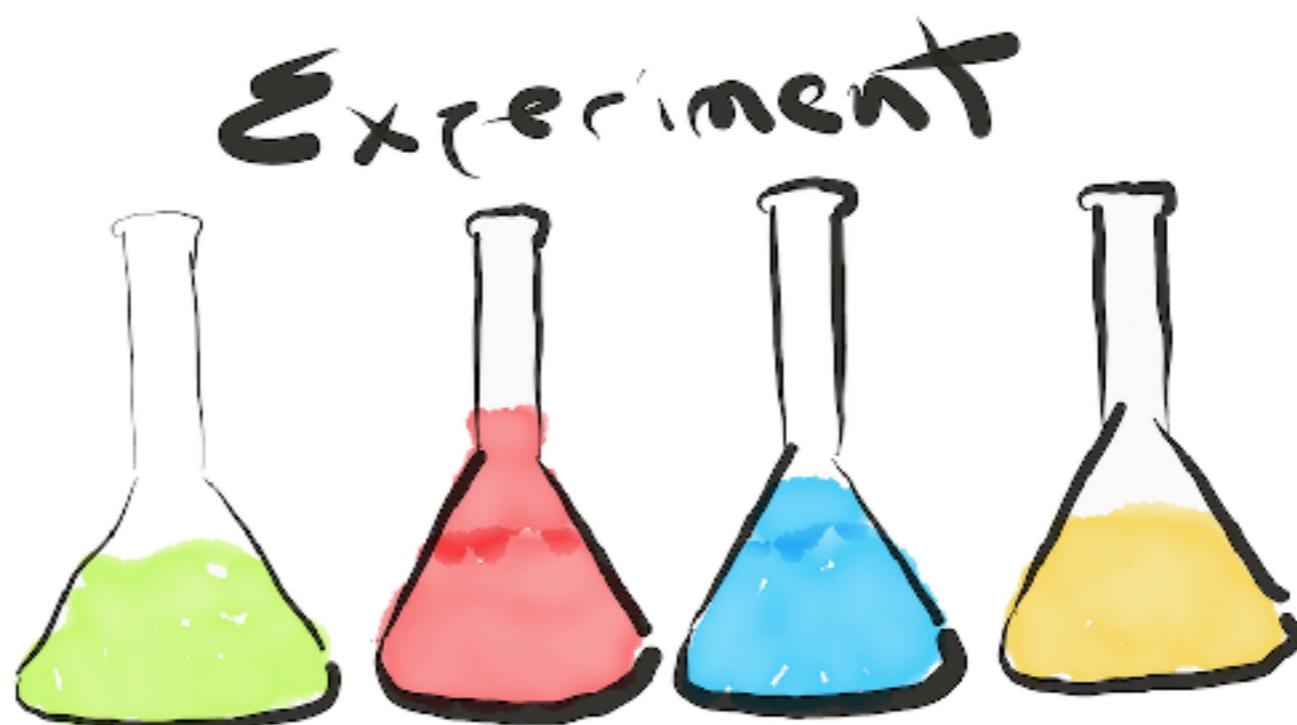
We share this work with teammates and, as soon as possible, with end users

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Perform experiments, not tasks

Data science differs from software engineering in that it is part science, part engineering

In any given task, we must iterate to achieve insight, and these iterations can best be summarized as experiments



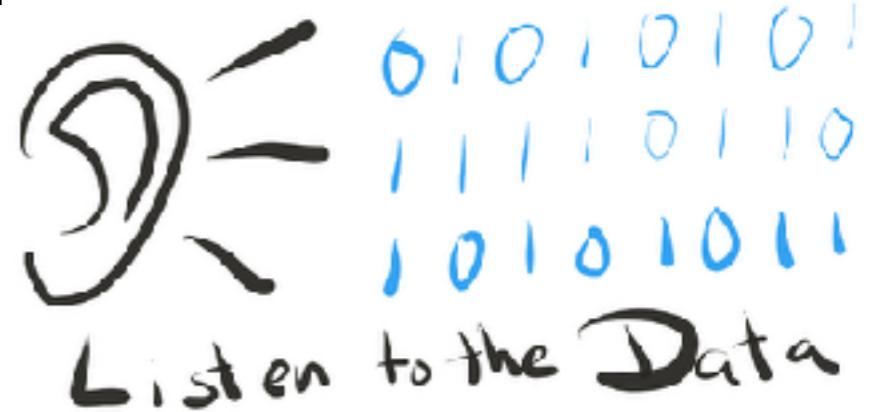
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Listen to the data

What is possible is as important as what is intended

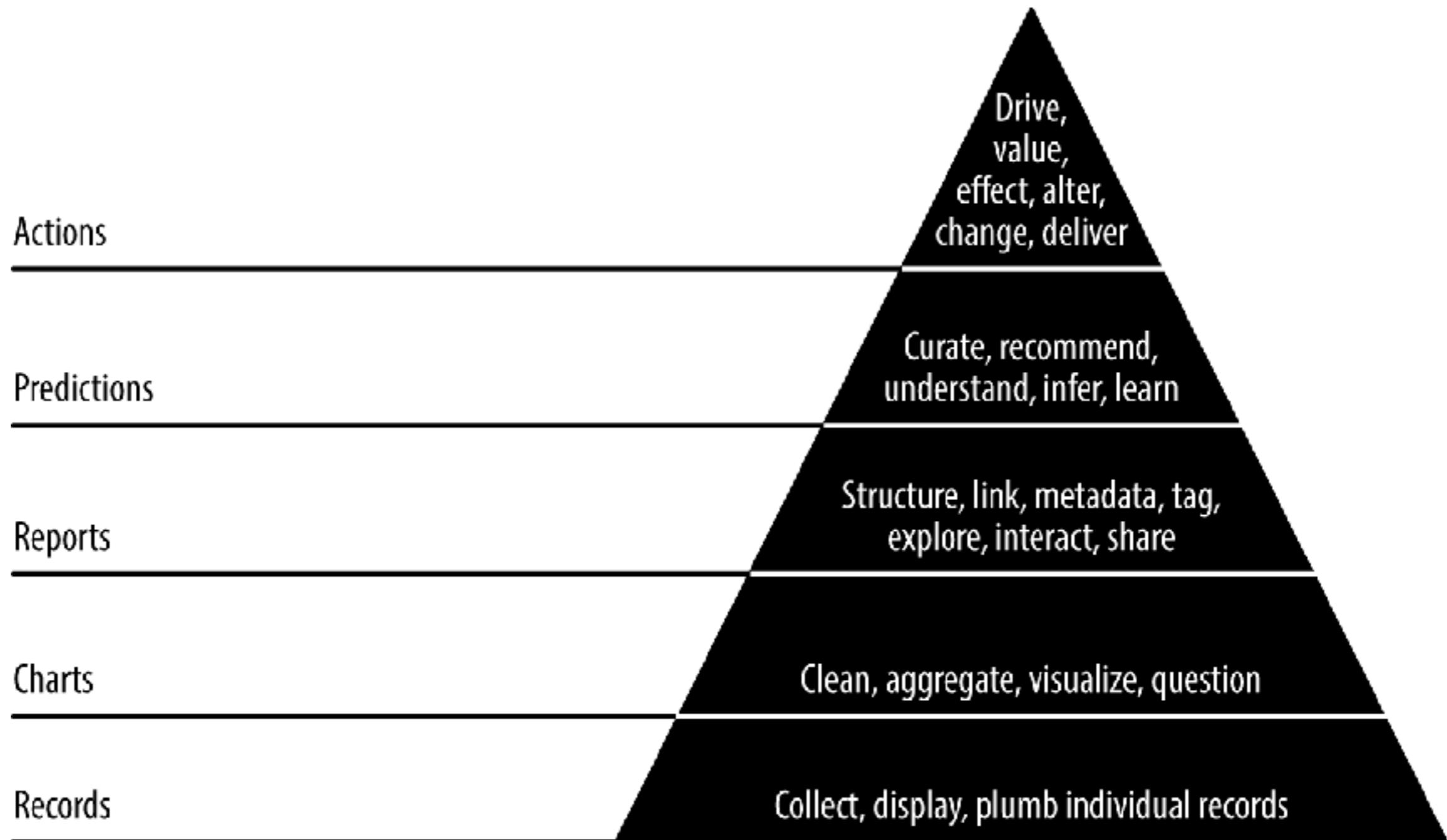
Without understanding what the data “has to say” about any feature, the product owner can’t do a good job

The data’s opinion must always be included in product discussions, which means that they must be grounded in **visualization** through exploratory data analysis in the internal application that becomes the focus of our efforts



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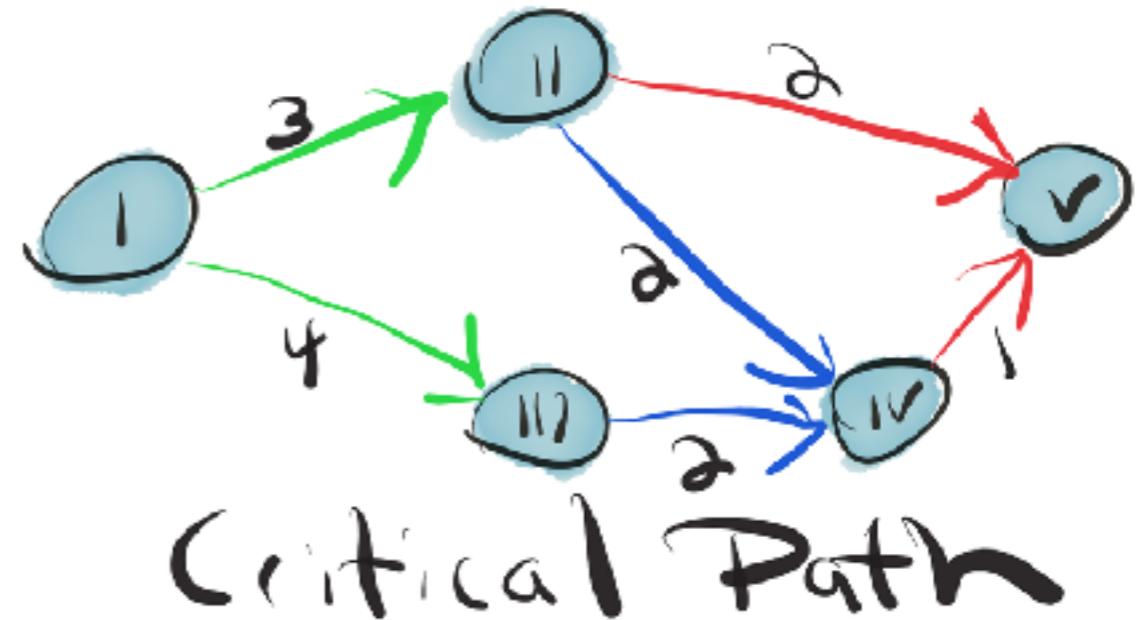
Respect the data-value pyramid



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Find the critical path

To maximize our odds of success, we should focus most of our time on that aspect of our application that is most essential to its success. But which aspect is that? This must be discovered through experimentation. Analytics product development is the search for and pursuit of a moving goal.



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Get meta

Meta

The focus is on documenting the analytics process as opposed to the end state or product we are seeking. This lets us be Agile and ship intermediate content as we iteratively climb the data-value pyramid to pursue the critical path to a killer product.

Review

`org.apache.spark.ml` vs `org.apache.spark.mllib`

Normalizing Data

Linear Regression

 Fitting data to line

 Residuals

 Pearson's Correlation

Computing Pearson's Correlation r

$$f(x) = x$$

$f(x)$	x
1	1
2	2
3	3
5	5
10	10
20	20
30	30
100	100
500	500

linearExactSimple.csv

y,x
1,1
2,2
3,3
5,5
10,10
20,20
30,30
100,100
500,500

```
linear = spark.read.format("csv").  
    option("header",true).  
    option("inferschema",true).  
    load("linearExactSimple.csv")
```

```
linear.show
```

```
linear.stat.corr("y","x")
```

```
1.0
```

+---+---+		y		x		+	---	+
		1		1				
		2		2				
		3		3				
		5		5				
		10		10				
		20		20				
		30		30				
		100		100				
		500		500				
	+---+---+							

```
from pyspark.sql.functions import lit  
withOnes = linear.withColumn("1",lit(1))  
withOnes.show()  
  
withOnes.stat.corr("y","1")
```

NaN

y	x	1
1	1	1
2	2	1
3	3	1
5	5	1
10	10	1
20	20	1
30	30	1
100	100	1
500	500	1

Regression Example

$$f(x) = x$$

Regression model requires

label (dependent variable) - Double

$f(x)$	x
1	1
2	2
3	3
5	5
10	10
20	20
30	30
100	100
500	500

features (independent variable) - Vector of doubles

Use

SVM format

Transformers

SVM, Libsvm, File format

SVM - Support Vector Machines

Supervised learning models with learning algorithms

Classification & regression

LIBSVM

Popular machine learning library

National Taiwan University

Open source

Code reused in other open source machine learning toolkits

scikit

File Format

<label> <index1>:<value1> <index2>:<value2> ...

Target
Dependent
variable

Starts at one

Linear Regression Example

$$f(x) = x$$

Training Data

linearExact.csv

1 1:1
2 1:2
3 1:3
5 1:5
10 1:10
20 1:20
30 1:30
100 1:100
500 1:500

label features
 $f(x)$ x

Test Data

numbers.txt

1 1:-50
2 1:-10
3 1:50
4 1:75
5 1:1000

↑ ↑
Not features
Used x

Basic Process

org.apache.spark.ml.regression.LinearRegression

Read Training data

Create LinearRegression object

Fit LinearRegression object to training data to get linear regression model

Read data

Evaluate data using linear regression model

Reading the Data

```
training = spark.read.format("libsvm").load("linearExact.svm")
training.show()
```

label	features	linearExact.svm
1.0	(1,[0],[1.0])	1 1:1
2.0	(1,[0],[2.0])	2 1:2
3.0	(1,[0],[3.0])	3 1:3
5.0	(1,[0],[5.0])	5 1:5
10.0	(1,[0],[10.0])	10 1:10
20.0	(1,[0],[20.0])	20 1:20
30.0	(1,[0],[30.0])	30 1:30
100.0	(1,[0],[100.0])	100 1:100
500.0	(1,[0],[500.0])	500 1:500

Fitting the Data

```
from pyspark.ml.regression import LinearRegression  
  
training = spark.read.format("libsvm").load("linearExact.svm")  
  
linearRegression = LinearRegression().setMaxIter(10)  
  
lrModel = linearRegression.fit(training)  
  
print("Coefficients: " + str(lrModel.coefficients) + " Intercept: " + str(lrModel.intercept))
```

Coefficients: [0.9999999999999998] Intercept: 2.1042353059790043E-14

Measuring the Model

```
trainingSummary = lrModel.summary  
trainingSummary.residuals.show()
```

```
print("RMSE: " + str(trainingSummary.rootMeanSquaredError))  
print("r2: " + str(trainingSummary.r2))
```

```
+-----+  
|      residuals |  
+-----+  
| -2.08721928629529... |  
| -2.04281036531028... |  
| -1.99840144432528... |  
| -2.04281036531028... |  
| -1.95399252334027... |  
| -1.77635683940025... |  
| -1.42108547152020... |  
| 1.42108547152020... |  
| 1.136868377216160... |  
+-----+
```

```
RMSE: 4.176065532788523E-14  
r2: 1.0
```

Using The Model

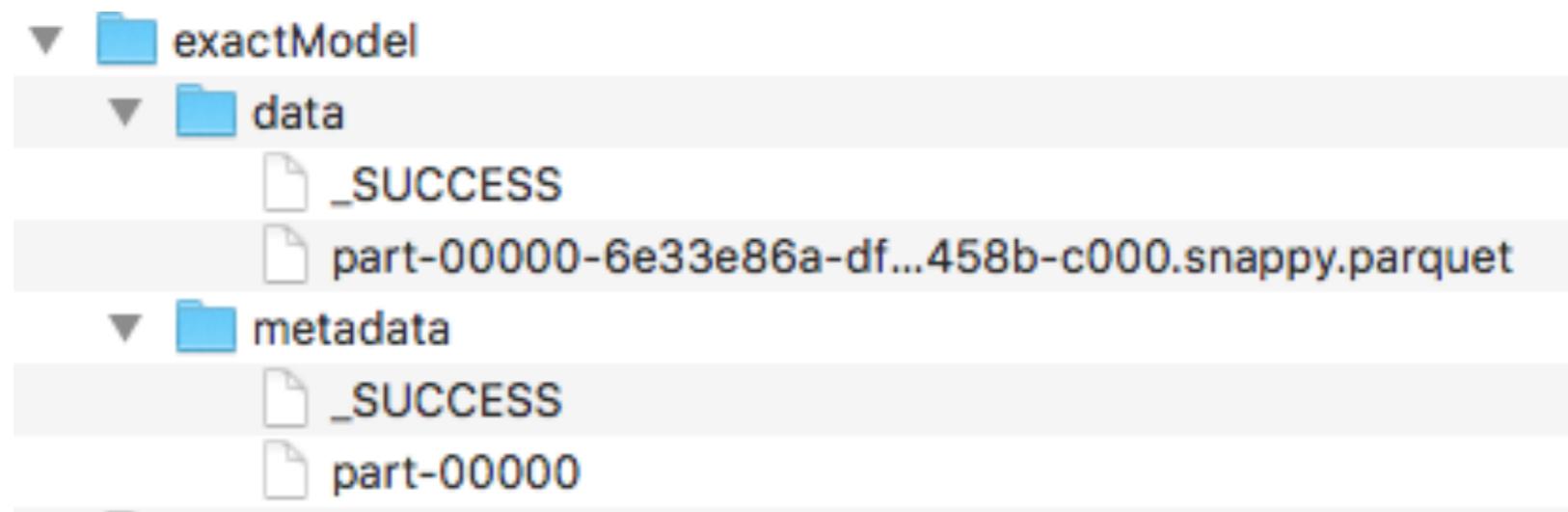
Test Data
numbers.txt

```
data = spark.read.format("libsvm").load("numbers.svm")  
  
summary = lrModel.evaluate(data)  
predictions = summary.predictions  
predictions.show()  
  
1 1:-50  
2 1:-10  
3 1:50  
4 1:75  
5 1:1000
```

```
+----+-----+-----+  
|label|    features| prediction|  
+----+-----+-----+  
| 1.0| (1,[0],[-50.0])|-49.99999999999964|  
| 2.0| (1,[0],[-10.0])| -9.99999999999977|  
| 3.0| (1,[0],[50.0])|  50.00000000000001|  
| 4.0| (1,[0],[75.0])|        75.0|  
| 5.0|(1,[0],[1000.0])| 999.999999999998|  
+----+-----+-----+
```

Saving Model

```
lrModel.save('exactModel')
```



Entire Program

```
from pyspark.ml.regression import LinearRegression

training = spark.read.format("libsvm").load("linearExact.svm")

linearRegression = LinearRegression().setMaxIter(10)
lrModel = linearRegression.fit(training)

data = spark.read.format("libsvm").load("numbers.svm")

summary = lrModel.evaluate(data)
predictions = summary.predictions
predictions.show()

lrModel.save('exactModel')
```

Reusing the Model

```
from pyspark.ml.regression import LinearRegressionModel
```

```
lrModel2 = LinearRegressionModel.load("exactModel")
```

```
data = spark.read.format("libsvm").load("numbers.svm")
summary = lrModel2.evaluate(data)
summary.predictions.show()
```

But What if data is not in SVM format?

linearExactSimple.csv

y,x	Use Transformers
1,1	RFormula
2,2	VectorAssembler
3,3	
5,5	
10,10	
20,20	
30,30	
100,100	
500,500	

VectorAssembler

A feature transformer that merges multiple columns into a vector column of double

Create VectorAssembler

set input columns

set output column

Transform DataFrame

```

data = spark.read.format("csv"). \
    option("header",True).\
    option("inverschema",True).\
    load("linearExactSimple.csv")

from pyspark.ml.feature import VectorAssembler

assembler = VectorAssembler(inputCols=["x"], outputCol="features")
result = assembler.transform(data)
result.show()

```

linearExactSimple.csv

result

y,x		
1,1		
2,2		
3,3		
5,5		
10,10		
20,20		
30,30		
100,100		
500,500		

	y	x	features
	1.0	1.0	[1.0]
	2.0	2.0	[2.0]
	3.0	3.0	[3.0]
	5.0	5.0	[5.0]
	10.0	10.0	[10.0]
	20.0	20.0	[20.0]
	30.0	30.0	[30.0]
	100.0	100.0	[100.0]
	500.0	500.0	[500.0]

More than one Independent variable

twoVariables.csv

y , x , z

$$y = 2x + z + 5\text{rand}()$$

11.26 , 1 , 1

9.67 , 1 , 2

$$-1 \leq \text{rand}() \leq 1$$

17.77 , 2 , 3

11.55 , 2 , 4

22.18 , 3 , 5

17.78 , 3 , 6

19.66 , 4 , 7

27.50 , 4 , 8

28.96 , 5 , 9

28.53 , 5 , 10

25.45 , 6 , 11

33.86 , 6 , 12

30.37 , 7 , 13

35.91 , 7 , 14

33.08 , 8 , 15

33.45 , 8 , 16

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import VectorAssembler  
import pyspark.sql.types as types
```

```
schema = types.StructType() \  
.add("y", types.DoubleType(), True ) \  
.add("x", types.DoubleType(), True ) \  
.add("z", types.DoubleType(), True ) \  
 
```

```
data = spark.read.format("csv"). \  
option("header",True). \  
schema(schema). \  
load("twoVariables.csv")
```

```
assembler = VectorAssembler(inputCols=["x","z"], outputCol="features")  
result = assembler.transform(data)  
result.show()
```

+	-----+	-----+	-----+	-----+
	y	x	z	features
+	-----+	-----+	-----+	-----+
	11.26	1.0	1.0	[1.0,1.0]
	9.67	1.0	2.0	[1.0,2.0]
	17.77	2.0	3.0	[2.0,3.0]
	11.55	2.0	4.0	[2.0,4.0]
	22.18	3.0	5.0	[3.0,5.0]
	17.78	3.0	6.0	[3.0,6.0]
	19.66	4.0	7.0	[4.0,7.0]
	27.5	4.0	8.0	[4.0,8.0]
	28.96	5.0	9.0	[5.0,9.0]
	28.53	5.0	10.0	[5.0,10.0]
	25.45	6.0	11.0	[6.0,11.0]
	33.86	6.0	12.0	[6.0,12.0]
	30.37	7.0	13.0	[7.0,13.0]
	35.91	7.0	14.0	[7.0,14.0]
	33.08	8.0	15.0	[8.0,15.0]
	33.45	8.0	16.0	[8.0,16.0]
+	-----+	-----+	-----+	-----+

Fitting the Data

```
import org.apache.spark.ml.regression.LinearRegression  
val linearRegression2 = new LinearRegression().setMaxIter(10).setLabelCol("y")  
  
val lrModel2 = linearRegression2.fit(result)
```

Model

Coefficients: [1.0270238095239161, 1.1899999999999462] Intercept: 9.449642857142837

RMSE: 3.081205435300251
r2: 0.8658852987773602

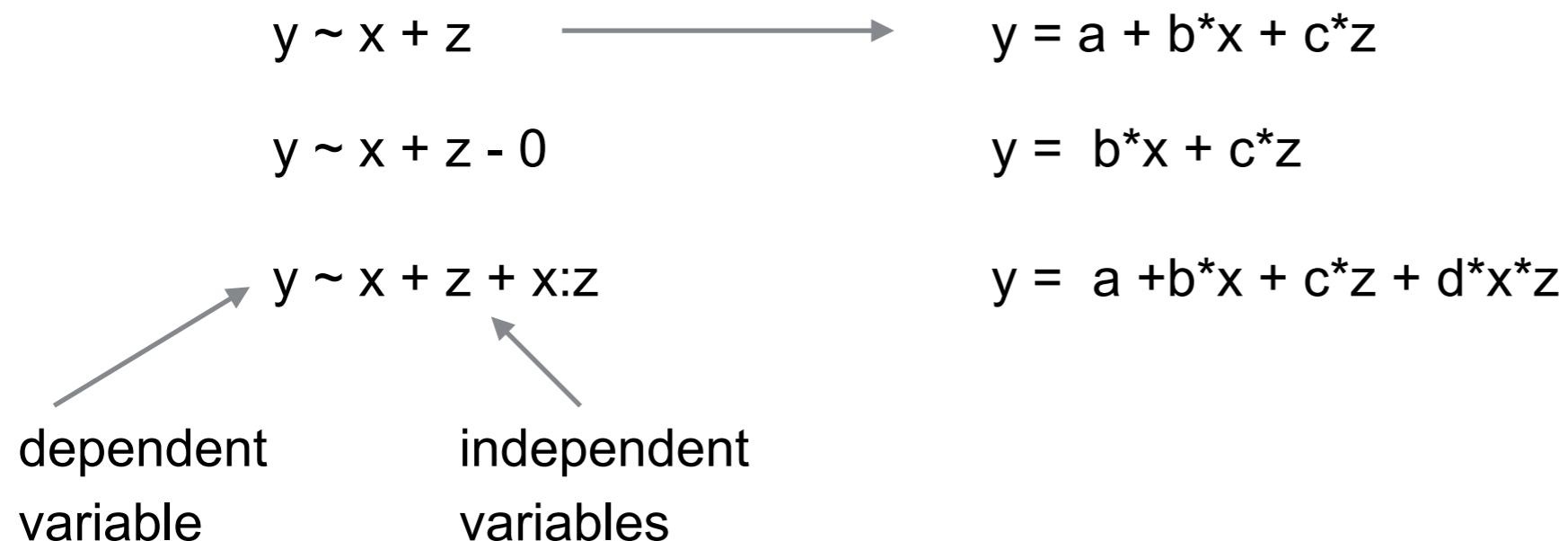
Actual

$y = 2x + z + 5 * \text{rand}()$

RFormula

Taken from R

Describe model via “formula”



RFormula Example

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import RFormula
```

```
data = spark.read.format("csv"). \  
    option("header",True).\  
    option("inferSchema",True).\  
    load("linearExactSimple.csv")  
linear.show(2)
```

```
supervised = RFormula(formula = "y ~ x")
```

```
r_formula_model = supervised.fit(data)  
prepared_df = model.transform(data)  
prepared_df.show()
```

linearExactSimple.csv

y,x

1,1

2,2

3,3

5,5

10,10

prepared_df is now ready for
regression

	y	x	features	label
	1.0	1.0	[1.0]	1.0
	2.0	2.0	[2.0]	2.0
	3.0	3.0	[3.0]	3.0
	5.0	5.0	[5.0]	5.0
	10.0	10.0	[10.0]	10.0
	20.0	20.0	[20.0]	20.0
	30.0	30.0	[30.0]	30.0
	100.0	100.0	[100.0]	100.0
	500.0	500.0	[500.0]	500.0

With Two Independent Variables

```
supervised = RFormula(formula = "y ~ x + z")
```

twoVariables.csv

```
y ,x ,z  
11.26 ,1 ,1  
9.67 ,1 ,2  
17.77 ,2 ,3  
11.55 ,2 ,4  
22.18 ,3 ,5  
17.78 ,3 ,6  
19.66 ,4 ,7  
27.50 ,4 ,8  
28.96 ,5 ,9  
28.53 ,5 ,10  
25.45 ,6 ,11  
33.86 ,6 ,12  
30.37 ,7 ,13  
35.91 ,7 ,14  
33.08 ,8 ,15  
33.45 ,8 ,16
```

	y	x	z	features	label
	11.26	1.0	1.0	[1.0,1.0]	11.26
	9.67	1.0	2.0	[1.0,2.0]	9.67
	17.77	2.0	3.0	[2.0,3.0]	17.77
	11.55	2.0	4.0	[2.0,4.0]	11.55
	22.18	3.0	5.0	[3.0,5.0]	22.18
	17.78	3.0	6.0	[3.0,6.0]	17.78
	19.66	4.0	7.0	[4.0,7.0]	19.66
	27.5	4.0	8.0	[4.0,8.0]	27.5
	28.96	5.0	9.0	[5.0,9.0]	28.96
	28.53	5.0	10.0	[5.0,10.0]	28.53
	25.45	6.0	11.0	[6.0,11.0]	25.45
	33.86	6.0	12.0	[6.0,12.0]	33.86
	30.37	7.0	13.0	[7.0,13.0]	30.37
	35.91	7.0	14.0	[7.0,14.0]	35.91
	33.08	8.0	15.0	[8.0,15.0]	33.08
	33.45	8.0	16.0	[8.0,16.0]	33.45

Hyperparameters

Parameters

Set before starting the learning process

Can not be learned from data

Linear Regression hyperparameters

Feature Column

Label Column

Maximum iterations

Convergence Tolerance

When parameters change less than this stop iterating

Column Weight

How much weight to give to each column

Elastic Net Param

```
class pyspark.ml.regression.LinearRegression(  
    featuresCol='features',  
    labelCol='label',  
    predictionCol='prediction',  
    maxIter=100,  
    regParam=0.0,  
    elasticNetParam=0.0,  
    tol=1e-06,  
    fitIntercept=True,  
    standardization=True,  
    solver='auto',  
    weightCol=None,  
    aggregationDepth=2,  
    loss='squaredError',  
    epsilon=1.35)  
  
loss =  
    squaredError  
    huber  
        squared error for small errors  
        absolute error for large errors  
  
elasticNetParam =  
    0 -> L2  
    1 -> L1
```

Elastic Net Parameter

Penalized estimation methods

Reduce or shrink coefficients towards zero

L1 (Ridge Regression)

Shrink many coefficients to zero

Few coefficients with little or no shrinkage

L2 (Lasso)

Tends to produce lots of coefficients close to zero

L2 + L1 (Elastic Net)

How to Select Hyperparameters?

Knowledge of the data

Grid Search

Experiment with data

Select a set of values for each hyperparameter

Partition data into three sets

Try all combinations

Train hyperparameters

Example Later

Train model

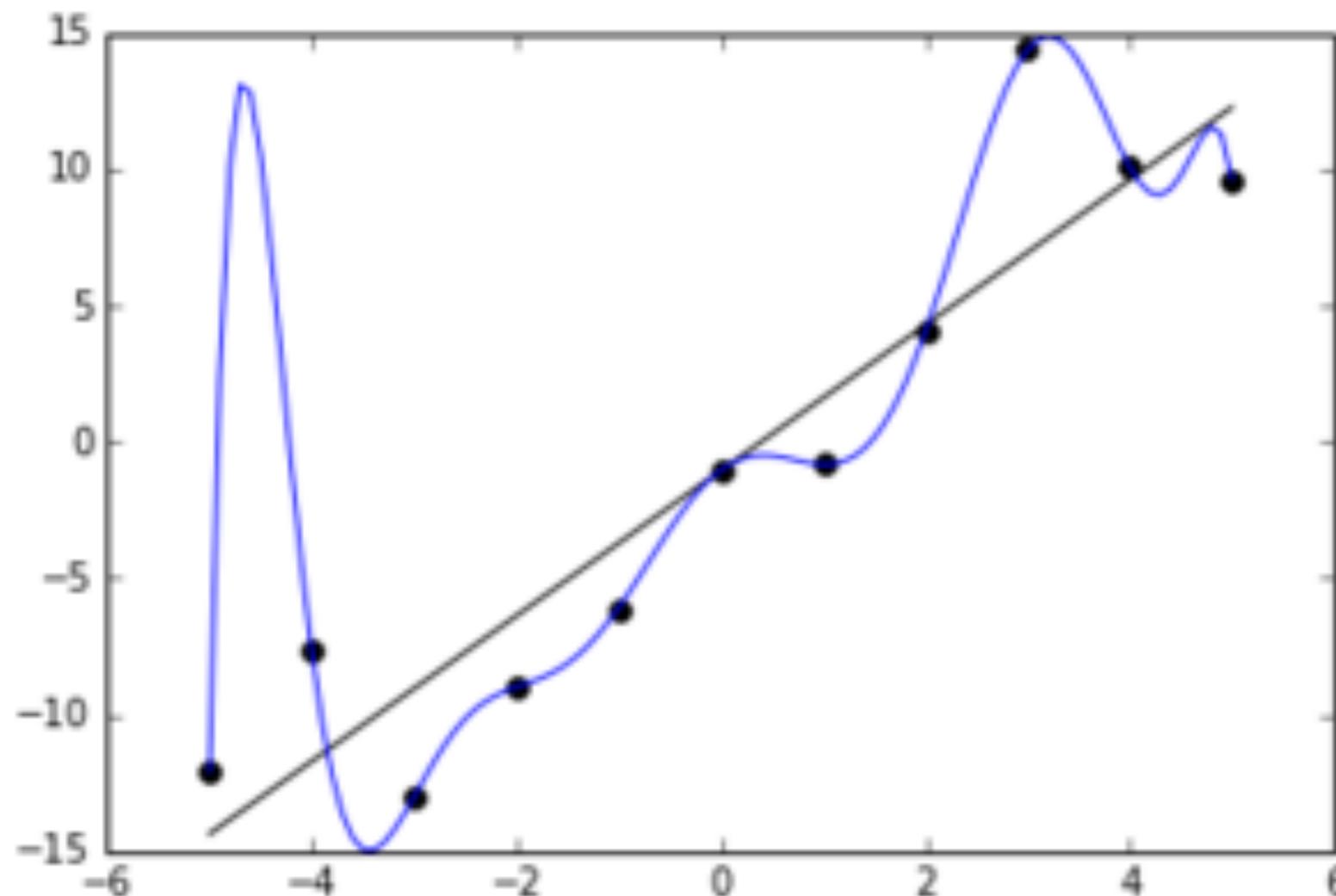
Test model

Beware of overfitting!

Overfitting

Model describes random error or noise instead of the underlying relationship

Overfitting occurs when a model is excessively complex,
Too many parameters relative to the number of observations



Generalized Linear Models

Generalized linear regression to handle other cases (distributions)

Linear regression

Logistic regression

Probit regression

Poisson regression

...

Logistic regression

Finite possible outcomes

Categorical Variable

Variable takes on one of limited, usually fixed possible values

Blood type of a person

Political party a person will vote for

State that one lives in

If only two possible values normally encoded as 1 & 0

Categorical variables need to handled differently in regression model

Logistic (Logit) Regression or Logit Model

Regression model where the dependent variable is categorical

Used to predict

If a patient has a disease based on age, sex, blood tests, etc

If a voter will vote Democratic or Republican

If a product will fail

Hours Studied & Passing Exam

When only two outcomes encoded 1 & 0

Build model to predict given study time the probability of passing

Pass	Hours
0	0.5
0	0.75
0	1
0	1.25
0	1.5
0	1.75
1	1.75
0	2
1	2.25
0	2.5
1	2.75
0	3
1	3.25
0	3.5
1	4
1	4.25
	4.5

Logistic Regression Hyperparameters

family:

“multinomial” (multiple labels) or “binary” (two labels).

elasticNetParam:

How to mix L1 and L2 regularization.

fitIntercept:

Boolean, whether or not to fit the intercept.

regParam:

How the inputs should be regularized.

standardization:

Boolean, whether or not to standardize the inputs.

Logistic Regression Training Parameters

maxIter:

Total number of iterations before stopping.

tol:

Convergence tolerance for the algorithm.

weightCol:

Name of the weight column to weigh certain rows more than others.

Logistic Regression Prediction Parameters

threshold:

Probability threshold for binary prediction.

Minimum probability for a given class to be predicted.

thresholds:

Probability threshold for multinomial prediction.

Minimum probability for a given class to be predicted.

Reading the Data, Applying Formula

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import RFormula  
import pyspark.sql.types as types
```

```
schema = types.StructType() \  
.add("Pass", types.IntegerType(), True ) \  
.add("Hours", types.DoubleType(), True )
```

```
data = spark.read.format("csv"). \  
option("header",True). \  
schema(schema). \  
load("examStudy.csv")
```

```
examFormala = RFormula(formula = "Pass ~ Hours")
```

```
fitted_rf = examFormala.fit(data)  
prepared_df = fitted_rf.transform(data)
```

```
(train, test) = prepared_df.randomSplit((0.7, 0.3))  
train.show()
```

	Pass	Hours	features	label
0	0.5	[0.5]	0.0	
0	0.75	[0.75]	0.0	
0	1.25	[1.25]	0.0	
0	1.5	[1.5]	0.0	
0	1.75	[1.75]	0.0	
0	2.0	[2.0]	0.0	
1	1.75	[1.75]	1.0	
1	2.75	[2.75]	1.0	
1	3.25	[3.25]	1.0	
1	4.0	[4.0]	1.0	
1	4.25	[4.25]	1.0	
1	4.5	[4.5]	1.0	
1	4.75	[4.75]	1.0	

Training and Testing Data Sets

Need data to train model

Want to test the model

 Need data but want it to be similar to test data

 Divide data set randomly

```
(train, test) = prepared_df.randomSplit((0.7, 0.3))
```

Fitting the Model

```
from pyspark.ml.classification import LogisticRegression
```

```
lr = LogisticRegression()  
lr_model = lr.fit(train)
```

Evaluate model using Test data

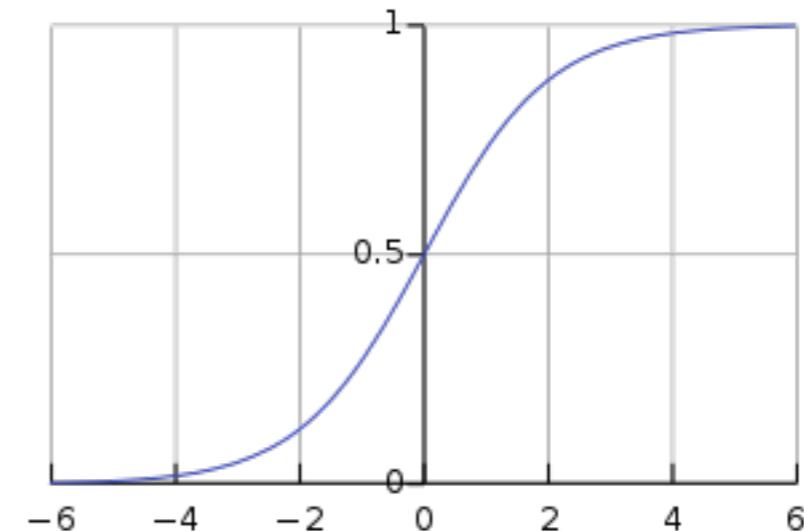
```
lr_model.evaluate(test).predictions.show()
```

Pass	Hours	features	label	rawPrediction	probability	prediction
0	1.0	[1.0]	0.0	[4.27801503632846...]	[0.98631958310440...]	0.0
0	2.5	[2.5]	0.0	[-1.8745690184952...]	[0.13301393365332...]	1.0
0	3.0	[3.0]	0.0	[-3.9254303701031...]	[0.01935176153455...]	1.0
0	3.5	[3.5]	0.0	[-5.9762917217110...]	[0.00253179503666...]	1.0
1	2.25	[2.25]	1.0	[-0.8491383426912...]	[0.29961364104257...]	1.0

Logistic Function

Not fitting data to a line

Fitting it to the logistic function



$$F(x) = \frac{1}{1 + \exp(\text{Intercept} + \text{coefficient} \cdot x)}$$

Pass	Hours	features	label	rawPrediction	probability	prediction
0	1.0	[1.0]	0.0	[4.27801503632846...]	[0.98631958310440...]	0.0
0	2.5	[2.5]	0.0	[-1.8745690184952...]	[0.13301393365332...]	1.0
0	3.0	[3.0]	0.0	[-3.9254303701031...]	[0.01935176153455...]	1.0
0	3.5	[3.5]	0.0	[-5.9762917217110...]	[0.00253179503666...]	1.0
1	2.25	[2.25]	1.0	[-0.8491383426912...]	[0.29961364104257...]	1.0

Transformers, Estimators, Pipelines

Transformer

Converts data

Clean, add features, remove feature, format

Estimators

Models or variations of same model

Evaluator

See how an estimator performs

Pipeline

Specifying transformers and estimators together

Using a Pipeline

Can create a pipeline of transformations and evaluators

Can be applied to multiple data frames

```
from pyspark.ml.classification import LogisticRegression  
from pyspark.ml import Pipeline  
  
exam_formula = RFormula(formula = "Pass ~ Hours")  
lr = LogisticRegression().setLabelCol('label').setFeaturesCol("features")  
  
pipeline = Pipeline().setStages([exam_formula, lr])
```

Reading data

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import RFormula  
import pyspark.sql.types as types  
  
schema = types.StructType() \  
.add("Pass", types.IntegerType(), True ) \  
.add("Hours", types.DoubleType(), True )  
  
data = spark.read.format("csv"). \  
    option("header",True).\  
    schema(schema). \  
    load("examStudy.csv")  
  
(train, test) = data.randomSplit((0.7, 0.3))
```

Pass	Hours
0	0.75
0	1.0
0	1.25
0	1.5
0	2.0
0	2.5
0	3.0
0	3.5
1	1.75
1	2.75
1	3.25
1	4.0
1	4.5

Using the Pipeline

```
pipeline_model = pipeline.fit(train)
```

```
pipeline_model.transform(test).show()
```

Pass	Hours	features	label	rawPrediction	probability	prediction
0	0.5	[0.5]	0.0	[3.20443890334995...]	[0.96100097970834...]	0.0
0	1.75	[1.75]	0.0	[1.57204004098768...]	[0.82807423779535...]	0.0
1	2.25	[2.25]	1.0	[0.91908049604277...]	[0.71485471339150...]	0.0
1	4.25	[4.25]	1.0	[-1.6927576837368...]	[0.15541352205043...]	1.0
1	4.75	[4.75]	1.0	[-2.3457172286817...]	[0.08740679247853...]	1.0

Extracting, transforming and selecting features

Feature Extractors

TF-IDF

Word2Vec

CountVectorizer

Feature Selectors

VectorSlicer

RFormula

ChiSqSelector

Feature Transformers

Tokenizer

StopWordsRemover

n-gram

Binarizer

PCA

PolynomialExpansion

Discrete Cosine Transform (DCT)

StringIndexer

IndexToString

OneHotEncoder

VectorIndexer

Interaction

Normalizer

StandardScaler

MinMaxScaler

MaxAbsScaler

Bucketizer

ElementwiseProduct

SQLTransformer

VectorAssembler

QuantileDiscretizer

Imputer

Scaling Data

StandardScaler

transforms a dataset of Vector rows, normalizing each feature to have unit standard deviation and/or zero mean

features	scaledFeatures
[1.0, 0.1, -1.0]	[1.0, 0.018156825980064073, -0.5]
[2.0, 1.1, 1.0]	[2.0, 0.19972508578070483, 0.5]
[3.0, 10.1, 3.0]	[3.0, 1.8338394239864713, 1.5]

Scaling Data - MinMaxScaler

transforms a dataset of Vector rows, rescaling each feature to a specific range

```
Features scaled to range: [0.0, 1.0]
+-----+-----+
|      features | scaledFeatures |
+-----+-----+
| [1.0,0.1,-1.0] | [0.0,0.0,0.0] |
| [2.0,1.1,1.0] | [0.5,0.1,0.5] |
| [3.0,10.1,3.0] | [1.0,1.0,1.0] |
+-----+-----+
```

Example

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import MinMaxScaler  
from pyspark.ml.linalg import Vectors
```

```
dataFrame = spark.createDataFrame(  
    (0, Vectors.dense(1.0, 0.1, -1.0)),  
    (1, Vectors.dense(2.0, 1.1, 1.0)),  
    (2, Vectors.dense(3.0, 10.1, 3.0)))  
    .toDF("id", "features")
```

```
scaler = MinMaxScaler().setInputCol("features").setOutputCol("scaledFeatures")
```

```
# Compute summary statistics and generate MinMaxScalerModel  
scalerModel = scaler.fit(dataFrame)
```

```
# rescale each feature to range [min, max].  
scaledData = scalerModel.transform(dataFrame)  
scaledData.show()
```

id	features	scaledFeatures
0	[1.0, 0.1, -1.0]	[0.0, 0.0, 0.0]
1	[2.0, 1.1, 1.0]	[0.5, 0.1, 0.5]
2	[3.0, 10.1, 3.0]	[1.0, 1.0, 1.0]

Scaling Data MaxAbsScaler

transforms a dataset of Vector rows, rescaling each feature to range [-1, 1]

features	scaledFeatures
[1.0, 0.1, -8.0]	[0.25, 0.01, -1.0]
[2.0, 1.0, -4.0]	[0.5, 0.1, -0.5]
[4.0, 10.0, 8.0]	[1.0, 1.0, 1.0]

Binning Data - Bucketizer

transforms a column of continuous features to a column of feature buckets

splits: Parameter for mapping continuous features into buckets

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import Bucketizer
values = [(0.1,), (0.4,), (1.2,), (1.5,), (float("nan"),), (float("nan"),)]
df = spark.createDataFrame(values, ["values"])
bucketizer = Bucketizer(splits=[-float("inf"), 0.5, 1.4, float("inf")], \
                        inputCol="values", outputCol="buckets")
bucketed = bucketizer.setHandleInvalid("keep").transform(df).collect()
bucketed
```

```
[Row(values=0.1, buckets=0.0),
 Row(values=0.4, buckets=0.0),
 Row(values=1.2, buckets=1.0),
 Row(values=1.5, buckets=2.0),
 Row(values=nan, buckets=3.0),
 Row(values=nan, buckets=3.0)]
```

Binning Data - Binarizer

Binarization is the process of thresholding numerical features to binary (0/1) features
from pyspark.ml.feature import Binarizer

```
binarizer = Binarizer(). \  
    setInputCol("feature"). \  
    setOutputCol("binarized_feature"). \  
    setThreshold(0.5)
```

```
Binarizer output with Threshold = 0.5  
+---+-----+-----+  
| id|feature|binarized_feature|  
+---+-----+-----+  
| 0 | 0.1 | 0.0 |  
| 1 | 0.8 | 1.0 |  
| 2 | 0.2 | 0.0 |  
+---+-----+-----+
```

QuantileDiscretizer

column with continuous features -> a column with binned categorical features

numBuckets = 3

id	hour
0	18.0
1	19.0
2	8.0
3	5.0
4	2.2

id	hour	result
0	18.0	2.0
1	19.0	2.0
2	8.0	1.0
3	5.0	1.0
4	2.2	0.0

StringIndexer

encodes a string column of labels to a column of label indices

id	category	id	category	categoryIndex
---	---	---	---	---
0	a	0	a	0.0
1	b	1	b	2.0
2	c	2	c	1.0
3	a	3	a	0.0
4	a	4	a	0.0
5	c	5	c	1.0

What happens when test data contains category that training data does not?

- throw an exception (which is the default)
- skip the row containing the unseen label entirely
- put unseen labels in a special additional bucket, at index numLabels

OneHotEncoder

maps a column of label indices to a column of binary vectors

allows algorithms which expect continuous features, such as Logistic Regression, to use categorical features

+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
id	category	categoryIndex	categoryVec
+-----+	+-----+	+-----+	+-----+
0	a	0.0	(2,[0],[1.0])
1	b	2.0	(2,[],[])
2	c	1.0	(2,[1],[1.0])
3	a	0.0	(2,[0],[1.0])
4	a	0.0	(2,[0],[1.0])
5	c	1.0	(2,[1],[1.0])

SQLTransformer

implements the transformations which are defined by SQL statement

```
SELECT a, a + b AS a_b FROM __THIS__
```

```
SELECT a, SQRT(b) AS b_sqrt FROM __THIS__ where a > 5
```

```
SELECT a, b, SUM(c) AS c_sum FROM __THIS__ GROUP BY a, b
```

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import SQLTransformer
```

```
df = spark.createDataFrame(((0, 1.0, 3.0), (2, 2.0, 5.0))).toDF("id", "v1", "v2")
```

```
sqlTrans = SQLTransformer().setStatement(  
    "SELECT *, (v1 + v2) AS v3, (v1 * v2) AS v4 FROM __THIS__")
```

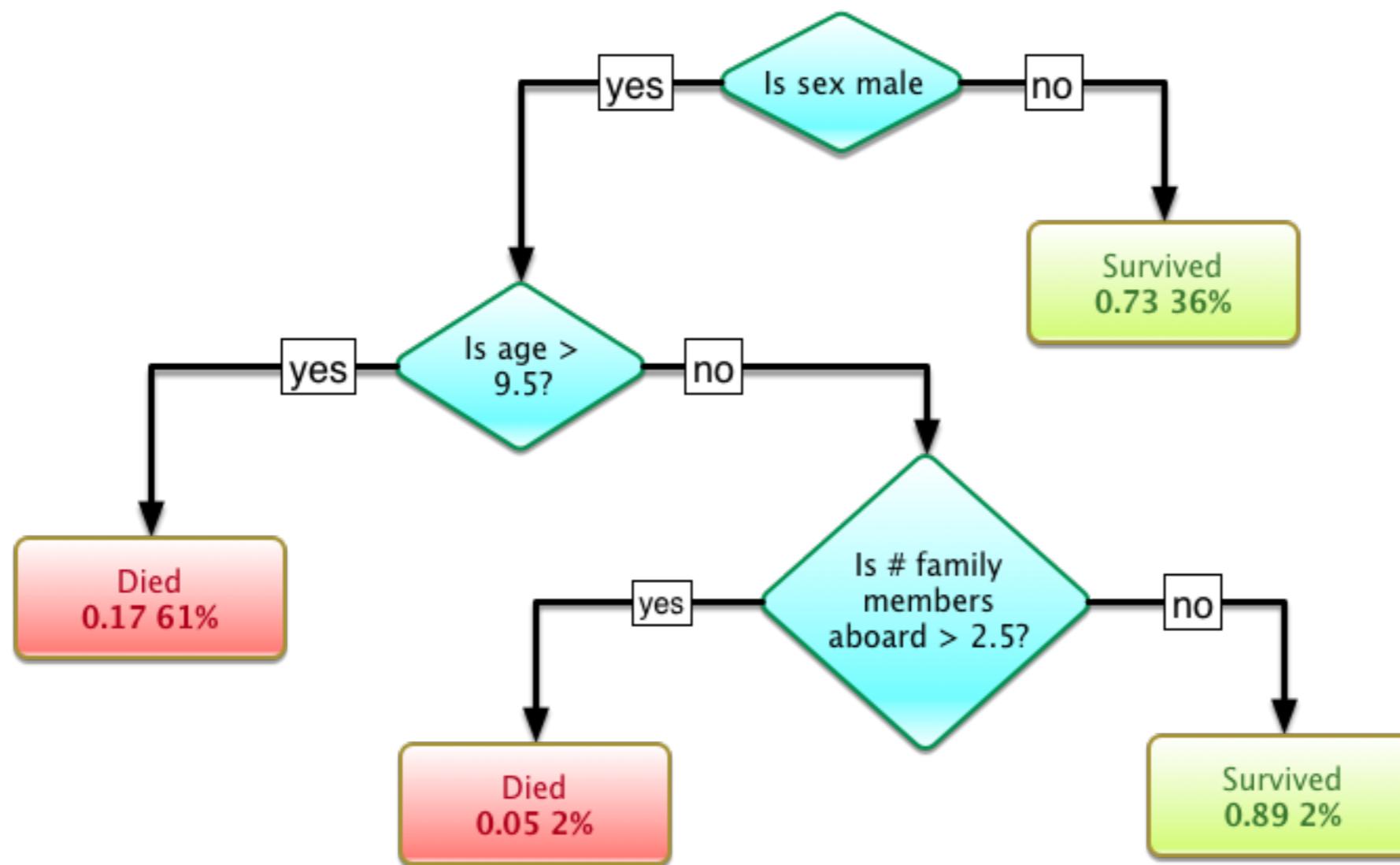
```
sqlTrans.transform(df).show()
```

id	v1	v2
---	---	---
0	1.0	3.0
2	2.0	5.0

id	v1	v2	v3	v4
---	---	---	---	---
0	1.0	3.0	4.0	3.0
2	2.0	5.0	7.0	10.0

Model	Features Count	Training Examples	Output Classes
Logistic Regression	1 to 10 million	no limit	Features x Classes < 10 million
Decision Trees	1,000s	no limit	Features x Classes < 10,000s
Random Forest	10,000s	no limit	Features x Classes < 100,000s
Gradient Boosted Trees	1,000s	no limit	Features x Classes < 10,000s

Decision Trees

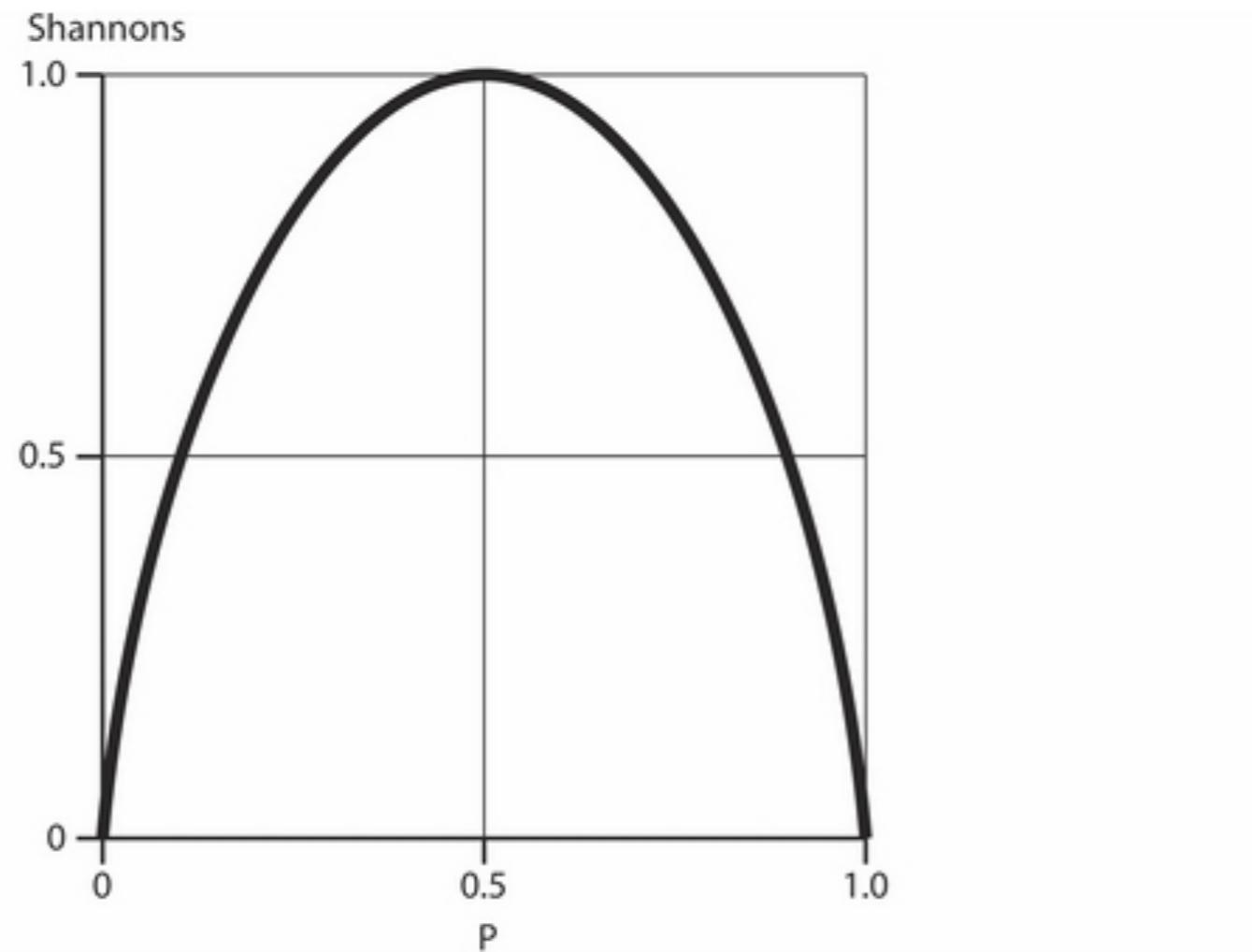


How to Decide Which Question to Ask First

Information

$$I(e) = -\log_2 P(e)$$

$P(e)$ = probability of event e



Which card was selected from Deck of Cards

Is it red? (a Heart or a Diamond)

Is it a picture card? (a Jack, Queen, or King)

$$P(\text{red}) = 26/52 = 1/2$$

$$I(\text{red}) = -\log_2(1/2) = 1$$

$$P(\text{picture}) = 12/52 = 3/13$$

$$I(\text{picture}) = -\log_2(3/13) = 2.12$$

$$P(\text{black}) = 26/52 = 1/2$$

$$I(\text{black}) = -\log_2(1/2) = 1$$

$$P(\text{not picture}) = 40/52 = 10/13$$

$$I(\text{not picture}) = -\log_2(10/13) = 0.38$$

How to Decide Which Question to Ask First

Entropy - Measure of uncertainty or disorder (or order)

$$H(X) = \sum_i P(x_i) I(P(x_i))$$

Lower values of H indicate more order, less uncertainty

$$\begin{aligned} H(\text{red or not red}) &= P(\text{red}) * I(\text{red}) + P(\text{not red}) * I(\text{not red}) \\ &= 1/2 * 1 + 1/2 * 1 \\ &= 1 \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} H(\text{picture or not picture}) &= 3/13 * 2.12 + 10/13 * 0.38 \\ &= 0.78 \end{aligned}$$

Information Gain

How much entropy decreases



Decision Tree Building

For root node which feature will produce the most information gain (biggest entropy loss)

Repeat on each subnode

How to Use

Create a DecisionTreeClassifier

Fit the classifier to your training data

Use the classifier to transform data

But data needs to be in correct format

Need svm format

If categorical the categories need to be integers

Iris Example

sepal_length	sepal_width	petal_length	petal_width	species
5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa
4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa
4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa
4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	setosa
7.0	3.2	4.7	1.4	versicolor
6.4	3.2	4.5	1.5	versicolor
6.9	3.1	4.9	1.5	versicolor
5.5	2.3	4.0	1.3	versicolor
6.5	2.8	4.6	1.5	versicolor
5.7	2.8	4.5	1.3	versicolor
6.3	3.3	6.0	2.5	virginical
5.8	2.7	5.1	1.9	virginical
7.1	3.0	5.9	2.1	virginical
6.3	2.9	5.6	1.8	virginical

Reading the File

```
iris = spark.read.format("csv"). \  
    option("header",True).\  
    option("inverschema",True).\  
    load("iris.txt")
```

```
iris.schema
```

```
StructType(List(StructField(sepal_length,DoubleType,true),  
              StructField(sepal_width,DoubleType,true),  
              StructField(petal_length,DoubleType,true),  
              StructField(petal_width,DoubleType,true),  
              StructField(species,StringType,true)))
```

StringIndexer - convert column to index

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import StringIndexer
```

```
irisIndexer = StringIndexer(inputCol="species", outputCol="label").fit(iris)
irisIndexer.transform(iris).show(150)
```

sepal_length	sepal_width	petal_length	petal_width	species	label
5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa	2.0
4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa	2.0
4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa	2.0
4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	setosa	2.0
7.0	3.2	4.7	1.4	versicolor	0.0
6.4	3.2	4.5	1.5	versicolor	0.0
6.0	3.0	4.8	1.8	virginica	1.0
6.9	3.1	5.4	2.1	virginica	1.0
6.7	3.1	5.6	2.4	virginica	1.0

Convert Format

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import VectorAssembler
```

```
iris_assembler = VectorAssembler(inputCols=["sepal_length","sepal_width", \
                                             "petal_length", "petal_width"], outputCol="features")
iris_assembler.transform(iris).show()
```

sepal_length	sepal_width	petal_length	petal_width	species	features
5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa	[5.1,3.5,1.4,0.2]
4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa	[4.9,3.0,1.4,0.2]
4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa	[4.7,3.2,1.3,0.2]
4.6	3.1	1.5	0.2	setosa	[4.6,3.1,1.5,0.2]
5.0	3.6	1.4	0.2	setosa	[5.0,3.6,1.4,0.2]

Using Pipeline

```
from pyspark.ml import Pipeline  
  
pipeline = Pipeline(stages=[iris_indexer, iris_assembler])  
pipeline.fit(iris).transform(iris).show()
```

sepal_length	sepal_width	petal_length	petal_width	species	label	features
5.1	3.5	1.4	0.2	setosa	2.0	[5.1,3.5,1.4,0.2]
4.9	3.0	1.4	0.2	setosa	2.0	[4.9,3.0,1.4,0.2]
4.7	3.2	1.3	0.2	setosa	2.0	[4.7,3.2,1.3,0.2]

```
from pyspark.ml.classification import DecisionTreeClassifier  
  
tree = DecisionTreeClassifier()  
  
pipeline = Pipeline(stages=[iris_indexer, iris_assembler, tree])  
  
(training_data, test_data) = iris.randomSplit([0.7, 0.3])  
iris_model = pipeline.fit(training_data)  
  
predictions = iris_model.transform(test_data)  
predictions.select("label", "features","probability","prediction").show()
```

label	features	probability	prediction
2.0	[4.3,3.0,1.1,0.1]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[4.5,2.3,1.3,0.3]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[4.6,3.6,1.0,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[4.8,3.1,1.6,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[4.8,3.4,1.6,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
0.0	[4.9,2.4,3.3,1.0]	[1.0,0.0,0.0]	0.0
2.0	[4.9,3.0,1.4,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[4.9,3.1,1.5,0.1]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
0.0	[5.0,2.3,3.3,1.0]	[1.0,0.0,0.0]	0.0
2.0	[5.0,3.2,1.2,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[5.0,3.4,1.5,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[5.1,3.4,1.5,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[5.1,3.5,1.4,0.3]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[5.2,3.4,1.4,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
0.0	[5.4,3.0,4.5,1.5]	[1.0,0.0,0.0]	0.0
2.0	[5.4,3.4,1.5,0.4]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[5.4,3.4,1.7,0.2]	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
0.0	[5.5,2.3,4.0,1.3]	[1.0,0.0,0.0]	0.0
0.0	[5.7,2.6,3.5,1.0]	[1.0,0.0,0.0]	0.0
0.0	[5.7,2.8,4.5,1.3]	[1.0,0.0,0.0]	0.0

Some Information about The Tree

Pipeline does not give access to tree (python)
So only use pipeline to transform data

```
pipeline = Pipeline(stages=[iris_indexer, iris_assembler])
pipeline_model = pipeline.fit(training_data)
iris_transformed = pipeline_model.transform(training_data)
```

```
iris_tree = DecisionTreeClassifier()
raw_model = iris_tree.fit(iris_transformed)
```

```
raw_model.featureImportances
```

```
SparseVector(4, {0: 0.0291, 2: 0.5744, 3: 0.3965})
```

raw_model.toDebugString

```
DecisionTreeClassificationModel (  
    uid=DecisionTreeClassifier_e1ee1b355b47) of depth 4 with 11 nodes  
    If (feature 2 <= 2.45)  
        Predict: 2.0  
    Else (feature 2 > 2.45)  
        If (feature 3 <= 1.75)  
            If (feature 2 <= 4.95)  
                If (feature 0 <= 4.95)  
                    Predict: 1.0  
                Else (feature 0 > 4.95)  
                    Predict: 0.0  
            Else (feature 2 > 4.95)  
                If (feature 3 <= 1.65)  
                    Predict: 1.0  
                Else (feature 3 > 1.65)  
                    Predict: 0.0  
            Else (feature 3 > 1.75)  
                Predict: 1.0
```

DecisionTree & Iris

Features are continuous

Decision tree bins the values

This dataset bins each feature into two bins

Feature 2

Values ≤ 2.45

Values > 2.45

Feature 3

Depends on values of Feature 2 & 1

Can set maximum number of bins

Can bin values before using tree model

Categorical Features

If have mixed categorical and continuous features

Use VectorIndexer

Specify how many values needed to be considered continuous

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import VectorIndexer
from pyspark.ml.classification import DecisionTreeClassifier
from pyspark.ml import Pipeline
from pyspark.ml.feature import StringIndexer

iris_indexer = StringIndexer(inputCol="species", outputCol="label")
iris_assembler = VectorAssembler(inputCols=["sepal_length", "sepal_width", "petal_length",
"petal_width"], outputCol="features_first")
featureIndexer =\
    VectorIndexer(inputCol="features_first", outputCol="features", maxCategories=4)

full_pipeline = Pipeline(stages=[iris_indexer, iris_assembler, featureIndexer])

(training_data, test_data) = iris.randomSplit([0.7, 0.3])
iris_model = full_pipeline.fit(training_data)
iris_transformed = iris_model.transform(training_data)
```

Tree Ensembles

Gradient-Boosted

Random Forests

Great multiple decision trees

Sample training data for each tree

Classification

Majority vote

Regression

Average

```
from pyspark.ml.feature import VectorIndexer
from pyspark.ml.classification import DecisionTreeClassifier
from pyspark.ml import Pipeline
from pyspark.ml.feature import StringIndexer

iris_indexer = StringIndexer(inputCol="species", outputCol="label")
iris_assembler = VectorAssembler(inputCols=["sepal_length", "sepal_width", "petal_length",
"petal_width"], outputCol="features_first")
featureIndexer =\
    VectorIndexer(inputCol="features_first", outputCol="features", maxCategories=4)

full_pipeline = Pipeline(stages=[iris_indexer, iris_assembler, featureIndexer])

(training_data, test_data) = iris.randomSplit([0.7, 0.3])
iris_model = full_pipeline.fit(training_data)
iris_transformed = iris_model.transform(training_data)
test_transformed = iris_model.transform(test_data)
```

```
from pyspark.ml.classification import RandomForestClassifier
```

```
forest_classifier = RandomForestClassifier(numTrees = 3)
```

```
iris_forest_model = forest_classifier.fit(iris_transformed)
```

```
iris_forest_model.trees
```

```
[DecisionTreeClassificationModel (uid=dtc_2eb2f52c851c) of depth 4 with 11 nodes,  
 DecisionTreeClassificationModel (uid=dtc_5d145ec5624f) of depth 5 with 11 nodes,  
 DecisionTreeClassificationModel (uid=dtc_f9859ed404fb) of depth 4 with 9 nodes]
```

```
prediction = iris_forest_model.transform(test_transformed)
prediction.select("label", "probability","prediction" ).show()
```

label	probability	prediction
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
0.0	[0.0,1.0,0.0]	1.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
2.0	[0.0,0.0,1.0]	2.0
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Decision Trees - Hyperparameters

impurity:

Metric to calculate information gain. “entropy” or “gini”.

maxBins:

Total number of bins used for discretizing continuous features and for choosing how to split on features at each node.

maxDepth:

Determines how deep the total tree can be.

minInfoGain:

Minimum information gain that can be used for a split. A higher value can prevent overfitting.

minInstancesPerNode:

Minimum number of instances that need to be in a node. A higher value can prevent overfitting.

Decision Tree

Easy to understand

Easy to interpret

Handles categorical features

Handles multi-class classification

Does not require feature scaling