

ASSESSMENT OF THE RELIABILITY OF A COMPOSITE LEARNING SYSTEM FOR PREDICTION USING PRECISION, RECALL, ACCURACY, AND F1-SCORE

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ABSTRACT

The whole economy of several nations depends on rainfall. Early rainfall forecasting reveals the effects on several fields. Accurate and timely rainfall predictions are particularly beneficial to the building industry, transportation activities, agricultural duties, aviation operations, and flood scenario. Every year, there is a lot of damage caused by heavy rains to both the infrastructure and human lives. Many studies are being conducted to forecast rainfall based on geographic location and meteorological factors. Each year, disasters brought on by rain cause considerable harm and loss to both infrastructure and human lives. This study suggests utilizing the Indian dataset and the Composite Learning Algorithm (CLA) to estimate rainfall using global characteristics. The technique is used to estimate rainfall using a dataset that is collected from UCI repository. The dataset consists of multiple meteorological parameters to predict the rain fall more precisely. Performance is calculated based on precision, recall, accuracy, F1-score are shown.

Keywords: Composite Learning, UCI repository, rainfall prediction.

1. INTRODUCTION

Rainfall is important in many nations across the world. The countries' average rainfall demonstrates the enormous influence on the economy of the nation. Rainfall and dams in some areas are the only sources of agriculture. Apart from agriculture, other locations, such as coastal regions worldwide, need to know the precise rainfall in order to avoid areas from flooding due to severe rainfall.

Prediction of rainfall has a bigger significance in sustaining water conservation systems around the nation. One of the biggest difficulties in predicting rainfall is complexity. The system's non-linear patterns and hidden layers are both extremely difficult to anticipate. The suggested approach is effective in locating hidden layers and also with non-linear patterns [1]. To predict the rainfall in any specific region there is a need to develop the application which can be used globally. The application can be developed as two types such as first and second. The first present with physical law which effects with rainfall and second one is used to develop the hidden patterns which can show the impact on physical factors and also the process involved in achieving it. Among these two second one works very efficiently with the integration of mathematical calculations [2]. The main objective of the proposed system is to find and resolve the issues such as identifying the hidden layers that are present in the system. This will provide the accurate and actual prediction that impacts the countries agriculture and economy [3].

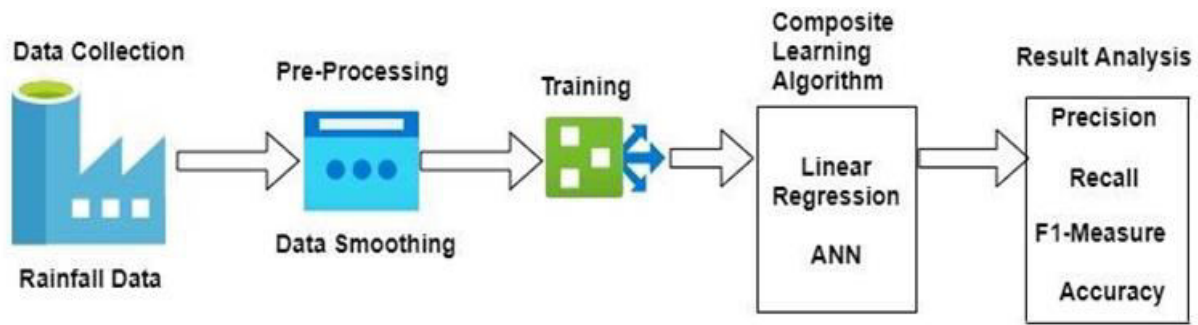


Figure1: System Architecture

2. LITERATURE REVIEW

The author [4] proposed the new rainfall prediction model which utilized the neural networks. This model is applied on Udupi region from the state of Karnataka in India. This model is integrated with the BPNN and FFNN which gives the more accuracy at 90.12%. The training is applied on 70% and testing is done for 30%.

The authors in [5] have presented precipitation expectation utilizing momentary strategy due to its difficulties in the forecast. To address this CNN model was utilized to foresee the momentary precipitation by gathering set of climate highlights from numerous encompassing perceptions. It was contrasted and public climate gauge model and demonstrated essentially better.

The author in [6] proposed the integrated model with the merging of Deep Learning Algorithms such as LSTM and ConvNet. These two models are applied on rainfall prediction which consists of 10368 Geographic Locations from all the world for 468 months. The performance is existing model RMSE for LSTM is 2.55 and for ConvNet with 2.44. By increasing the secret layers, the errors are reduced.

The author [7] focused on predicting the rainfall with adoption of neural network algorithms. This model is applied on data set which is collected from 1971 to 2000 which consists of meteorological borders. In the existing system, the network objective error is set to 0.01 and the learning rate is 0.01. The implementation is carried out with the MATLAB which uses the accuracy of 100%.

The author [8] introduced the unique model that predicts the rainfall prediction using genetic algorithm (GA). GA and MCRP merged and applied on 21 different datasets that are collected from urban areas of Europe. Every day precipitation information for a very long time were taken as preparing information and one-year precipitation information were taken as testing information. GP defeats the shortcoming of MCRP by anticipating the different environments better than MCRP.

Kala et al., [9] proposed the new method which is developed to predict the accurate rainfall. Artificial neural networks (ANN) are most widely used and soft computing prediction method that learns the past data and make the predictions on present data. This prediction is totally based on the water resources. The accuracy is calculated by using confusion matrix and RMSE.

Santhosh et al., [10] introduced the new model that predicts the temperature. This is the Neural Network libraries that support the various types training. This paper used the Back Propagation Neural Network (BPN) approach. The main advantage of this approach is to work efficiently on huge classes. It is more effective than mathematical models.

Wu et al., [11] proposed the new model with preprocessing technique that includes the moving average (MA) and singular spectrum analysis (SSA). This shows the huge accuracy of 89.98%. Haviluddin et al., [12] proposed the new combined model which is combination of ANN and BPNN. This algorithm shows the huge performance by showing MSE.

Aakash et al., [13] discussed the various approaches that are used to analyze the rainfall prediction which is shown in the table format. The author wants to show the performance of several algorithms to predict rainfall.

Tomoaki et al., [14] introduced the new improved rainfall prediction model that is based on ANN. This is an automated algorithm

hmt hat retrieve the meteorological information that predicts the rainfall by using internet. This paper mainly focused on using the big data on internet to analyze the accurate rainfall.

Grace et al., [15] proposed a new model that predicts rainfall that uses the Multiple Linear Regression (MLR). This is applied to the Indian dataset. This input dataset consists of various parameters to predict accurate rainfall. The parameters are such as Mean Square Error (MSE), accuracy, correlation to analyze the performance of the proposed model.

3. DATA SET DESCRIPTION

The dataset is UCI repository dataset consists small data which consists of 10000 records and large data 25551 records with 5 attributes such as DATE, PRCP, TMAX, TMIN and RAIN the data about the climatic conditions of various places are collected.

| DATE | PRCP | TMAX | TMIN | RAIN |
|------------|------|------|------|------|
| 1948-01-01 | 0.47 | 51 | 42 | TRUE |
| 1948-01-02 | 0.59 | 45 | 36 | TRUE |
| 1948-01-03 | 0.42 | 45 | 35 | TRUE |
| 1948-01-04 | 0.31 | 45 | 34 | TRUE |
| 1948-01-05 | 0.17 | 45 | 32 | TRUE |
| 1948-01-06 | 0.44 | 48 | 39 | TRUE |

Figure 2: Data set Columns

4. DATA PRE PROCESSING

In rainfall dataset the noise should be removed by using binning data pre-processing technique. Binning will sort the data and divide the data into equal frequency bins. This process is one of the data cleaning process that cleans the noisy data from the dataset. This technique is also reduces the impact of small errors that are observed. The actual values are divided into small intervals which are called as bins. The smoothing effect is also reducing the chances of overfitting in case of small datasets. The dividing of bins can be done by using

$$[\min + w], [\min + 2w] \dots [\min + nw], \text{ where } w = \frac{\max - \min}{\text{no of bins}} \quad \text{--- (1)}$$

Especially in rainfall prediction dataset the TMAX and TMIN are two attributes considered for binning. After this step the total data for processing is 6890 tuples.

TRAINING

Training data is one of the important step to analyze the attributes in the rainfall dataset. A proposed pre-trained model applied on rainfall dataset. In this model, the features are identified based on the given dataset. The attributes such as PRCP, TMAX, TMIN are the three independent variables and RAIN is one attribute which is dependent variable. From small dataset 7000 tuples are considered as training and 3000 are considered as testing.

COMPOSITE LEARNING ALGORITHM

The algorithm is combination of linear regression with ANN

Linear regression

- The real values are estimated such as (climate conditions, season, locations, and averagerainfall) based on continuous variable(s). By fitting the best line, the relation between dependent and independent variables are used.
- The regression line is represented by a linear equation $Y=a*X +b$.
- X, Y are considered as two variables. Where Y is the dependent variable (that's the variable that goes on the Y axis), X is the independent variable (i.e., it is plotted on the X axis), b is the slope of the line and „a“ is the y-intercept. Here X is considered as the chances of high rainfall predictions and Y is considered as the less chances of rainfall i.e., the data classified as X and Y variable and these are taken as inputs for ANN.

Table1: Total values after applying the liner regression

| | Total number of days for huge rain fall | Total number of days for less rain fall | Total number of days for medium rain fall |
|------|---|---|---|
| 6890 | 6812 | 31 | 40 |

Artificial Neural Network

Artificial Neural Networks (ANN) using Linear Regression are most frequently employed in deep learning to handle a wide range of issues with complicated datasets. Particularly, a dataset like the prediction of rainfall calls for more efficiency to address the accuracy problems. A copied structure and learning process are mimicked by ANN.

Artificial neural networks, or ANNs for short, are adaptive systems that change their structure in response to input data. The network follows the flow throughout the learning phase. The neural network's neurons are interconnected, so each neuron's output feeds into the input of the next one until the final output is achieved. The weighting factors are modified or by a programmed method, and these connection weights hold the information required to get the final output closer to the known result. The network is trained by presenting it with a collection of input data with known results/output.

Initialize the input data X values to

Step 1: The data provided by the X values is transmitted in the first phase along with certain weights associated to the hidden layer as input values. The letter "h" stands for how many levels are buried. Examples of data inputs are $x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n$. Each input is given a weight before being transferred to the hidden levels. The properties indicate that there are five input layers, including DATE, PRCP, TMAX, TMIN, and RAIN.

Step2: Each hidden layer neuron receives data from the input layer via the linear sum operation, and the hidden layer neuron's output is the result of feeding the linear sum to the activation function. From the concealed layer to the output layer, the same process is used. A linear combination of the transferred input values may be used to mathematically represent a three-layer neural network as follows:

$$\hat{y}_k = f_o \left| \sum_{j=1}^n w_{kj} f_h \left(\sum_{i=1}^m w_{ji} x_i + w_{jb} \right) + w_{kb} \right| \dots (2)$$

where y is the anticipated k th output value, f_o represents the activation function for the output neuron, n represents the number of output neurons, w_{kj} represents the weight connecting the j th neuron in the hidden layer and the k th neuron in the output layer, f_h represents the activation function for the hidden neuron, m represents the number of hidden neurons, w_{ji} represents the weight connecting the i th neuron in the input layer and the j th neuron in the hidden

While w_{jb} stands for the bias for the j th hidden neuron, w_{kb} stands for the bias for the k th output neuron:

Step 3: A phase in the training process for mastering the ANN model is determining the optimal weight

vector to use in Equation (1). The back-propagation approach was utilised in this study to identify the weights that reduce the total network faults in Equation 2.

$$E = \sum_{p=1}^p E_p = \sum_{p=1}^p \sum_{k=1}^n (y_{pk} - \hat{y}_{pk})^2 \dots (3)$$

Where E_p is the error based on the squared difference between the genuine outputs y_{pk} and the projected outputs \hat{y}_{pk} for pattern p , and E is the error for all input patterns.

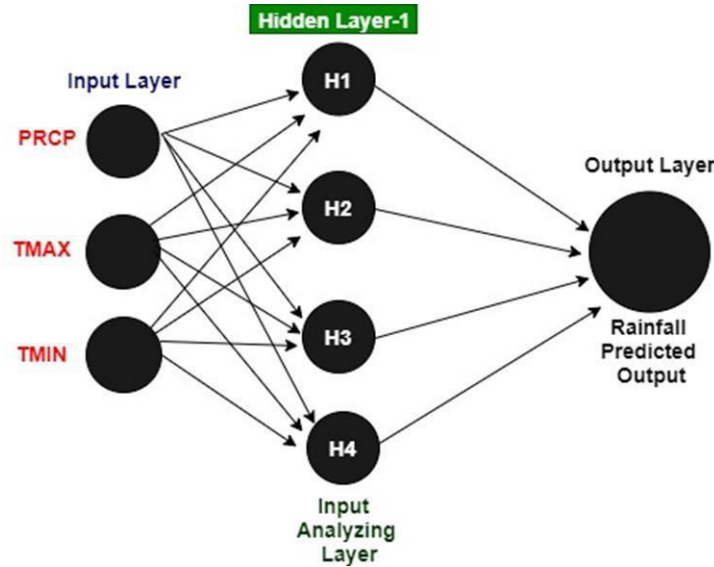


Figure 2: Architecture of Artificial Neural Network

EVALUATION METRICS

Performance Metrics:

Utilizing the following metrics—False Positive Rate (FPR), False Negative Rate (FNR), accuracy, recall, and F1 score—the performance of the rainfall prediction system is measured. These metrics make use of the fundamental count values True Positive (TP), True Negative (TN), False Positive (FP), and False Negative (FN).

Precision

The accuracy is measured by the percentage of real positives that are accurately detected. It has to do with the test's capacity to recognise favourable outcomes.

$$\text{Precision} = \frac{\text{No. of TP}}{\text{No. of TP} + \text{No. of FN}} \dots (4)$$

1 Score: This evaluates the precision of a model on a dataset. It is employed to assess binary classification schemes that categorise examples as "positive" or "negative."

$$\text{F1 Score} = 2 \frac{\text{Precision} * \text{Recall}}{\text{Precision} + \text{Recall}} \dots (5)$$

Accuracy: The overall accuracy of the output is calculated by using the below equation:

$$\text{Accuracy} = \frac{\text{TP} + \text{TN}}{\text{TP} + \text{TN} + \text{FP} + \text{FN}} \dots (6)$$

Recall: Appropriate when minimizing false negatives is the focus.

$$\text{Recall} = \frac{TP}{TP + FN} \text{ --- (7)}$$

Experimental Results

The experiments were performed using win python and the programming language python. The accuracy, F1-Score, and precision are the parameters that are used in this stage to analyse the results of the proposed algorithm. The section's approximate results are displayed.

Table2: Comparison of Proposed Approach with Existing Approach

| Algorithms | ANN | LR | CLA |
|--------------|-------|-------|-------|
| Precision(%) | 88.76 | 89.1 | 98.9 |
| Recall(%) | 87.88 | 89.7 | 99.2 |
| F1-Score(%) | 87.87 | 91.21 | 97.12 |
| Accuracy(%) | 89.12 | 92.34 | 98.89 |

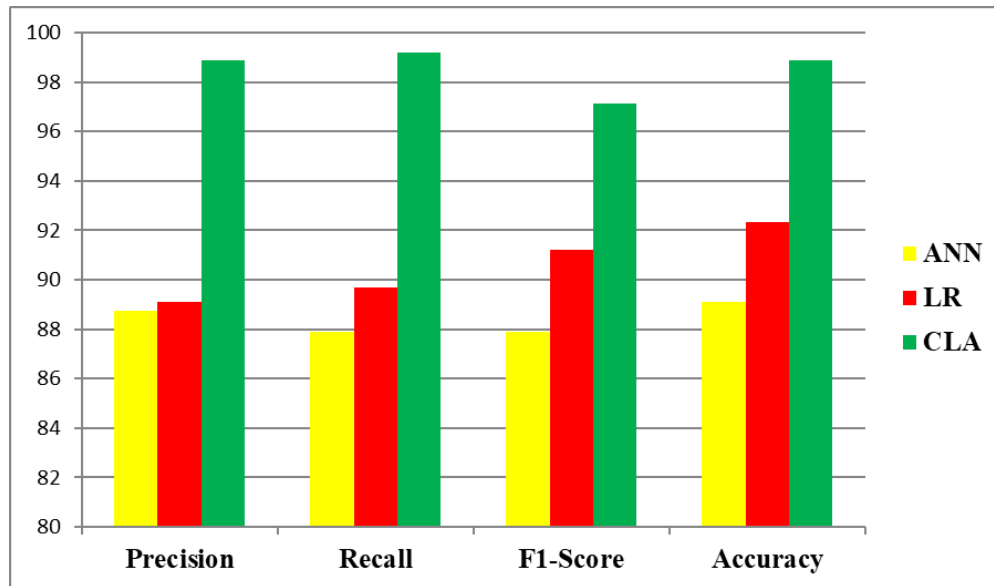


Figure 3: performance analysis

CONCLUSION

The difficult task is predicting rainfall. The ability of machine learning algorithms to extract the features and predict the rainfall more effectively is increasing. ML algorithms will own the secret information about the previous weather circumstances. Numerous scholars are experimenting with the idea of predicting rainfall using an improved ML system. The proposed system was primarily concerned with obtaining a more precise and improved rainfall prediction. The approach is a combination of linear regression and ANN for learning. The suggested system employs a multi-layered architecture to provide reliable predictions. Precision (98.9%), Recall (99.2%), F1-Score (97.12%), and Accuracy (98.89%) are used to calculate performance for the CLA, which has significantly improved performance when compared to existing methods.

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