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Advanced Ground Water Level Prediction using KNN and Random Forest Algorithm

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Abstract: ***The main objective of this project is to predict groundwater levels in various areas under circumstances. In order to predict and forecast the ground water levels various machine learning techniques has been used in this project. India has enrolled a basic fall in groundwater levels running somewhere in the range of 75 and 85 percent, as indicated by a checking report by the Central Ground Water Board (CGWB). Groundwater levels in different pieces of the nation are declining a result of ceaseless withdrawal because of reasons, for example, expanded interest for crisp water for different utilizations, impulses of precipitation, expanded populace, industrialization, and urbanization. The southern conditions of Kerala, Telangana, and Pondicherry recorded a decay of 40 to 46 percent. Andhra Pradesh and Tamil Nadu, which is confronting an enormous water emergency, saw a 60 percent tumble. In order to implement this application KNN and Random Forest algorithm are used for prediction and forecasting. In this project we procured a dataset from the trusted resource for analysis the ground water levels in various areas. Using ANN the data training can be implemented. Using clustering method unwanted and irrelevant data will be removed from the dataset. The analysis will be done from the pre processed dataset while implementing random forest algorithm. In this project random forest algorithm play a major role for predicting the ground water level. Here random forest algorithm method analysis various factors and whole attributes from the dataset. It analysis major fields like annual rainfall, sol type, temperature, humidity, industrial areas, number of bore wells, lakes, ponds and etc. All the consideration fields analyzed together to plot and predict the present and future ground water level. All the information can be shown in chart and graph for visual representation.***

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I. INTRODUCTION

The problem definition is to analyse and to conducted concerning the prediction of groundwater levels using machine learning techniques. Machine learning methodologies are implemented using strongly correlated physical parameters as input variables. The results show that data-driven modelling approaches can perform sufficiently well in predicting groundwater level changes. Different evaluation metrics confirm and highlight the capability of these models to catch the trend of groundwater level fluctuations in various areas. Despite the overall adequate performance, further investigation is needed towards improving their accuracy in order to be comprised in decision making processes to attain best performance.

II. METHODOLOGY

Soil salinity spreads in more than 100 countries, and no continent is completely free from salinity. The level of salinity problem varies trans-country and even within the country at different locations, landforms, and irrigated agriculture regions to farmers' fields. Local climatic, environmental, and management conditions determine the salinity problem. Current global estimates reveal over one billion ha area affected to various degrees of soil salinization [1]. The main objective of this study was to assess the impacts of watershed structures and irrigation water use on streamflow and groundwater levels, which in turn affect availability of water for the Cheyenne Bottoms Wildlife Refuge Management area [2]. Considerable uncertainty occurs in the parameter estimates of traditional rainfall–water level transfer function noise (TFN) models, especially with the models built using monthly time step datasets. This is due to the equal weights assigned for rainfall occurring during both water level rise and water level drop events while estimating the TFN model parameters using the least square technique [3]. Prediction of groundwater levels with reasonable accuracy is essential for sustainable groundwater resource management. This is especially critical in arid and semi-arid regions where the groundwater resource is highly utilized for various needs, such as in agriculture, industry and municipal sectors. Time series models are often used for prediction of groundwater levels based on historical data [4,5]. The goal of a formal mathematical optimisation-based groundwater management model is to achieve a specified objective in the best possible manner within the various limiting restrictions.

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The limiting restrictions are derived from managerial considerations and physical behaviour of the system [6]. The combined use of simulation and optimisation techniques have been demonstrated to be powerful and useful methods in determining planning and management strategies for optimal development and operation of groundwater systems [7,8].

III. ABOUT ALGORITHM WORKING

A. *KNN Algorithm*

The k-nearest neighbours (KNN) algorithm is a simple, easy-to-implement supervised machine learning algorithm that can be used to solve both classification and regression problems. The KNN algorithm assumes that similar things exist in close proximity. In other words, similar things are near to each other. It is standard practice to represent the output (label) of a classification algorithm as an integer number such as 1, -1, or 0. In this instance, these numbers are purely representational. Mathematical operations should not be performed on them because doing so would be meaningless.

B. *KNN Algorithm Working Model*

1) Load the data
2) Initialize K to your chosen number of neighbours
3) For each example in the data
a) Calculate the distance between the query example and the current example from the data.
b) Add the distance and the index of the example to an ordered collection
4) Sort the ordered collection of distances and indices from smallest to largest (in ascending order) by the distances
5) Pick the first K entries from the sorted collection
6) Get the labels of the selected K entries
7) If regression, return the mean of the K labels
8) If classification, return the mode of the K labels

C. *Random Forest Algorithm*

Random forests is an ensemble learning algorithm. The basic premise of the algorithm is that building a small decision-tree with few features is a computationally cheap process. If we can build many small, weak decision trees in parallel, we can then combine the trees to form a single, strong learner by averaging or taking the majority vote. In practice, random forests are often found to be the most accurate learning algorithms to date. The pseudocode is illustrated below. The algorithm works as follows: for each tree in the forest, we select a bootstrap sample from S where S (i) denotes the ith bootstrap. Here the decision-tree using a modified decision-tree learning algorithm taken as sample. The algorithm is modified as follows: at each node of the tree, instead of examining all possible feature-splits, we randomly select some subset of the features $f \subseteq F$. where F is the set of features. The node then splits on the best feature in f rather than F. In practice f is much, much smaller than F.

D. *Random Forest Working Model*

A training set S := (x1, y1), . . . ,(xn, yn), features F, and number of trees in forest B.

1) Function RandomForest (S , F)
2) H ← ∅ Sub set creation for tree creation
3) For i ∈ 1, . . . , B do For each tree repeat same process
4) S (i) ← A bootstrap sample from S
5) hi ← RandomizedTreeLearn(S (i) , F)
6) H ← H ∪ {hi}
7) End for
8) Return H
9) end function
10) Function RandomizedTreeLearn(S , F)
11) At each node:
12) f ← very small subset of F from the available trees
13) Split on best feature in f – Tree consolidation for result generation
14) Return the learned tree for various values
15) End function

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E. Analysis and Prediction

Data training process are one of the important roles in the machine learning technique. In this module the dataset will be analyzed and a internal memory will be created for all the fields. One factor will affect another factor in data training process. All the affecting factors will be considered as the major factor. Only trained dataset will be sent to the prediction process. Here KNN and random forest algorithm has been used for data prediction. KNN and random forest algorithm is a statistical measurement used in this project for prediction and forecasting. And other disciplines that attempts to determine the strength of the relationship between one dependent variable (usually denoted by Y) and a series of other changing variables (known as independent variables). random forest algorithm takes a group of random variables, thought to be predicting Y, and tries to find a mathematical relationship between them. This relationship is typically in the form of a straight line (linear regression) that best approximates all the individual data points. In random forest algorithm the separate variables are differentiated by using numbers with subscripts. In the end of the process the prediction result will be generated. All the generated results will be shown in graph and charts. Using MS Chart tools the result will be displayed. X and Y values should the affected factors with the generated result. Changing values in the dataset may affect the predicted result.

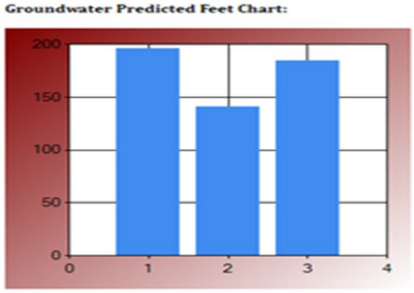
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Fig :View Data Set

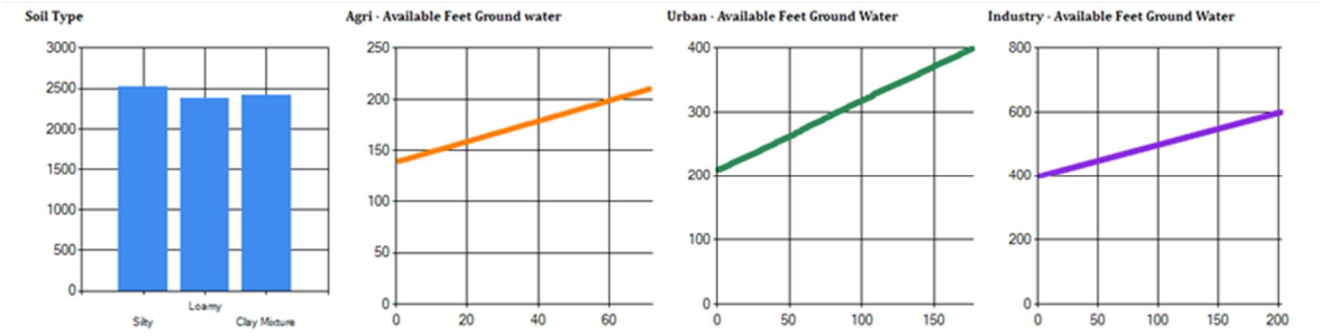
F. Result

The auto-correlation dataset based analysis results were then used to design an ANN model for the groundwater level prediction. The training results agreed well with the observed data. However, the testing results did not agree as well, which indicates that although the groundwater level is strongly time dependent, the well extraction, the precipitation and the river infiltration also strongly influence the groundwater level fluctuation and should be considered in the prediction model.

Random forest with ANN model was also used to analyze the data by taking into account not only the time dependence of the groundwater level, but also the main groundwater recharge and discharge factors. Both the training results and the testing results agree well with the observed data, which indicates that the model can describe the relationship between the groundwater level fluctuations and their main influence factors. Therefore, the model can be used to predict groundwater level in accurate.



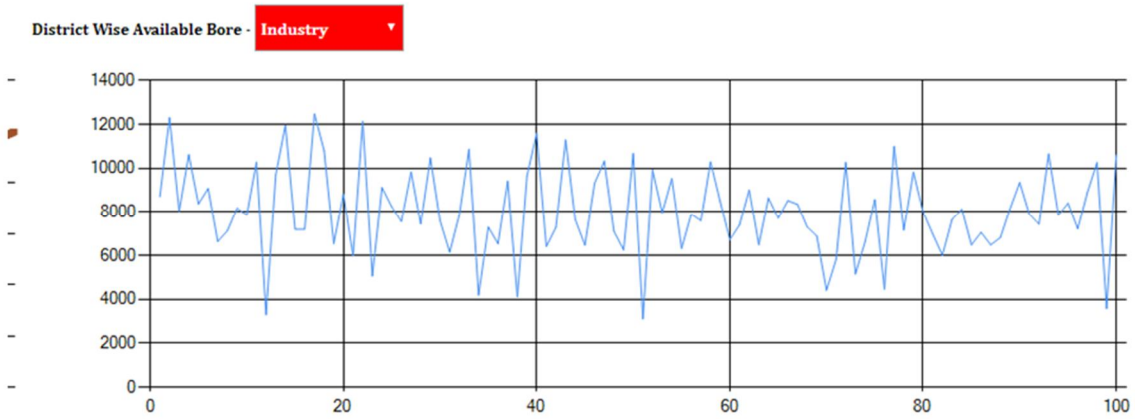
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IV. CONCLUSION

Thus this project has been executed successfully and the output has been verified. All obtained outputs are according to committed in abstract. Initially more problems occurred during the algorithm implementation. As mentioned above here KNN and Random Forest has been implemented successfully. These two algorithms are working perfectly in the Application. And these algorithms will works on independent process too. These features will make this project more successful and efficient.

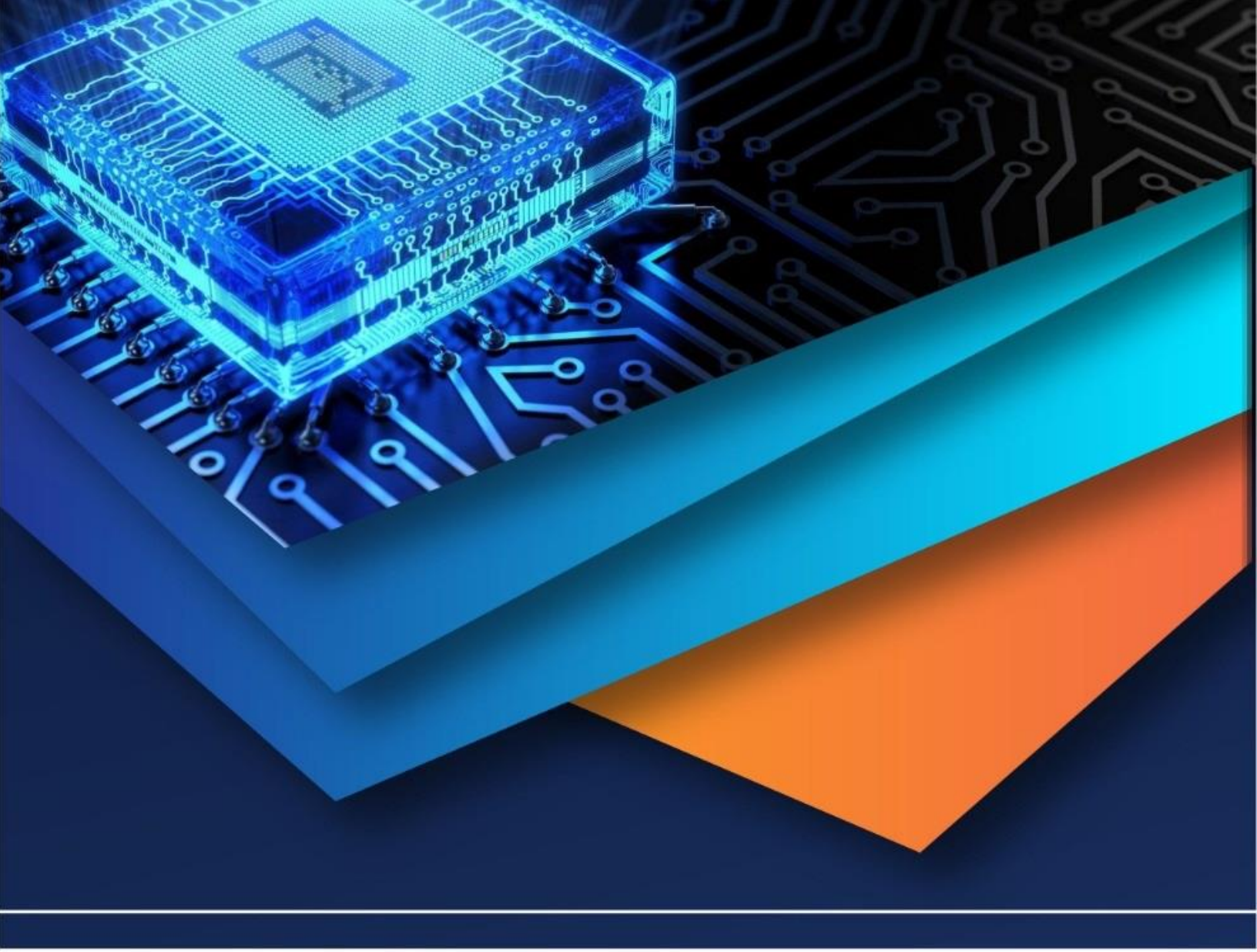
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