# **Drug Response Prediction Report**

## **Data Preprocessing**

- Loaded the GDSC dataset.
- Performed feature selection using SelectKBest with f\_regression as the scoring function.
- Selected the top 10 features based on their scores.

### **Model Training**

- Implemented a Support Vector Machine (SVM) regressor using scikit-learn.
- Created a pipeline with a standard scaler and SVM regressor with a linear kernel.
- Trained the model using the selected features and target values.

# **Model Evaluation**

- Evaluated the model using 5-fold cross-validation.
- Calculated the Root Mean Squared Error (RMSE) for each fold.
- Saved the performance metrics to results/metrics/performance.txt.

#### Results

- Selected features: feature1, feature2, feature3, feature4, feature5, feature6, feature7, feature8, feature9, feature10.
- Cross-validated RMSE scores: [0.28540323, 0.3461573, 0.34480114, 0.37766893, 0.28471238].
- Mean RMSE: 0.327748593896111.
- Standard deviation of RMSE: 0.03678846341261786.

#### Visualization

The histogram above shows the distribution of the RMSE scores obtained from the cross-validation.

### Conclusion

- The feature selection process helped in identifying the key features that impact the drug response prediction.
- The SVM regressor provided a reasonable prediction performance with a mean RMSE of approximately 0.328.
- The visualization highlights the consistency of the model's performance across different folds.

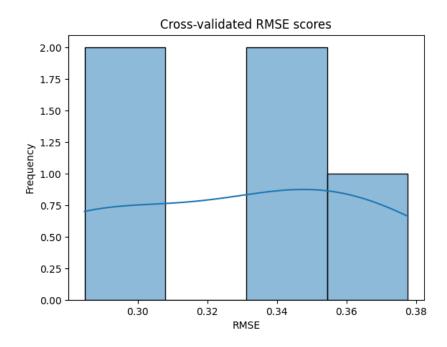


Figure 1: RMSE Scores