South East Brazil - Predicting Future Temperature

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Problem/Need

- Government of Brazil wants to keep track of the weather for its territory
- Some of the data are missing, the government wants me to fix it and would gladly want me to forecast the future temperature

Impact Hypothesis

- Fixing the missing data can give Brazil Government a better outlook of how the weather was like in the past
- Fixing the missing data can also help us to create a better model to forecast the future

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Data

- Southeast Brazil weather data
- 15345216 rows with 27 features and 1 target variables
- From 2000 to 2021



Solution Path

Data Cleaning: Find the missing values and fill it with educated guess

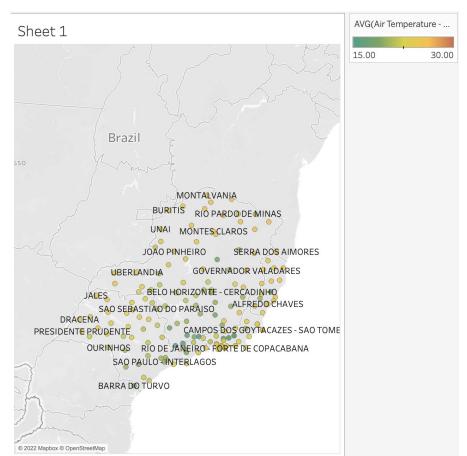
EDA: heatmap, histplot

Fit the data with different machine learning algorithms to forecast on one station

Interpret the results and pick the best model

Algorithms

- Linear Regression
- Ridge Regression
- Lasso Regression
- ARIMA Time-Series algorithms



Results

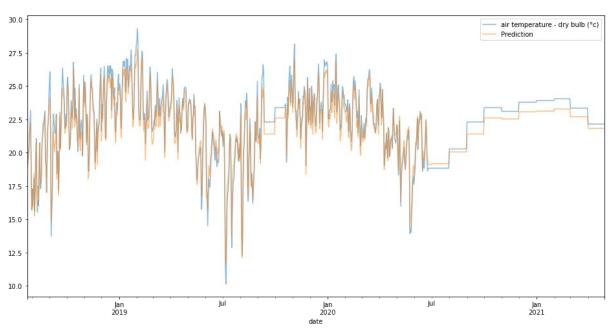
Lasso 0.9464285657716874
Ridge 0.9539270926051644
Linear Regression 0.9527911659207182
SARIMAX time series 0.9392093416079489

- Ridge is the best model, but other models are relatively accurate too

Results con.

- Linear regression, Ridge, and Lasso are regression algorithms that doesn't take time variable and predict the results based on existing features
- Time series takes time variable and forecast it with exogenous features

Results con.



Further Step

- Try to forecast more stations

- Try to take latitude and longitude as considering to forecast the whole dataset