

Forest Fire Data Description

Source

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Data Set Information

This data was used for by Cortez and Morais to predicting forest fires using meteorological data (Reference: <http://www.dsi.uminho.pt/~pcortez/fires.pdf>).

Attribute Information

Number of Instances: 517

Number of Predictor Attributes: 12

X	x-axis spatial coordinate within the Montesinho park map: 1 to 9
Y	y-axis spatial coordinate within the Montesinho park map: 2 to 9
Month	Month of the year: "jan" to "dec"
Day	Day of the week: "mon" to "sun"
FFMC	FFMC index from the FWI system: 18.7 to 96.20
DMC	DMC index from the FWI system: 1.1 to 291.3
DC	DC index from the FWI system: 7.9 to 860.6
ISI	ISI index from the FWI system: 0.0 to 56.10
Temp	Temperature in Celsius degrees: 2.2 to 33.30
RH	Relative humidity in %: 15.0 to 100
Wind	Wind speed in km/h: 0.40 to 9.40
Rain	Outside rain in mm/m2 : 0.0 to 6.4

Number of Response Attributes: 1

Area The burned area of the forest (in ha): 0.00 to 1090.84 (this output variable is very skewed towards 0.0, thus it may make sense to model with the logarithm transform).