

# SoHardToName Team

Challenge: 2

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# Team Members

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- Recent Experience
  - Identify Facial Expression

# Problem



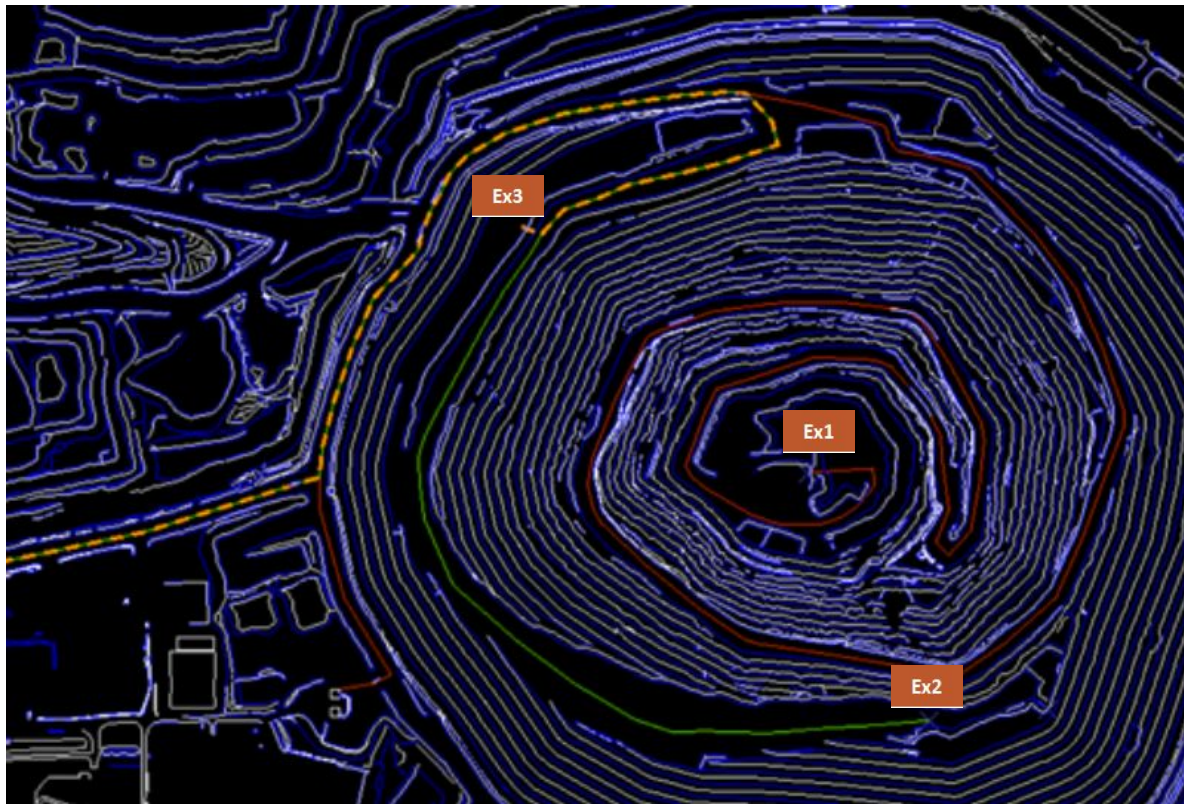
## Problem Statement

- The more ore they take, the slower they move.
- We need to **optimise** the **productivity**.

## Challenge

- There is a trade off
  - **payload** vs **cycle time**

# Excavator Locations



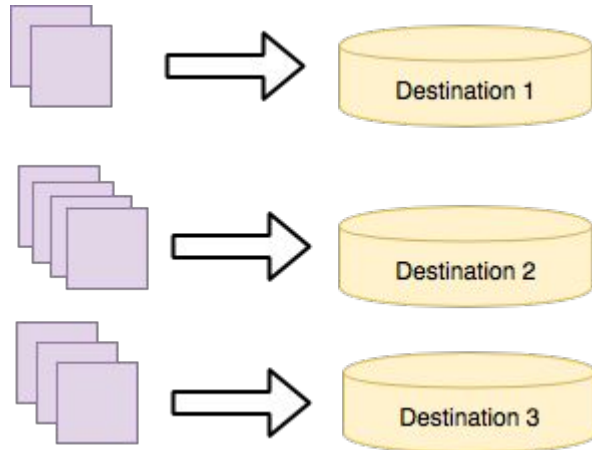
# Approach-Two Parts

- ❖ Use data provided by Evolution Mining
  - estimate cycle time vs. payload
- ❖ Offer optimal settings to maximize total productivity
  - payloads settings
  - truck arrangements settings

# Solution-Optimise Productivity

## Genetic Algorithm

**Trucks**



- Provide optimal truck schedule
- Maximize the utilization of excavators

# Example Solutions

## Excavator 1

- Payload
  - **206 tonnes**
  - Current target 186 tonnes
- Trucks
  - 4

## Excavator 2

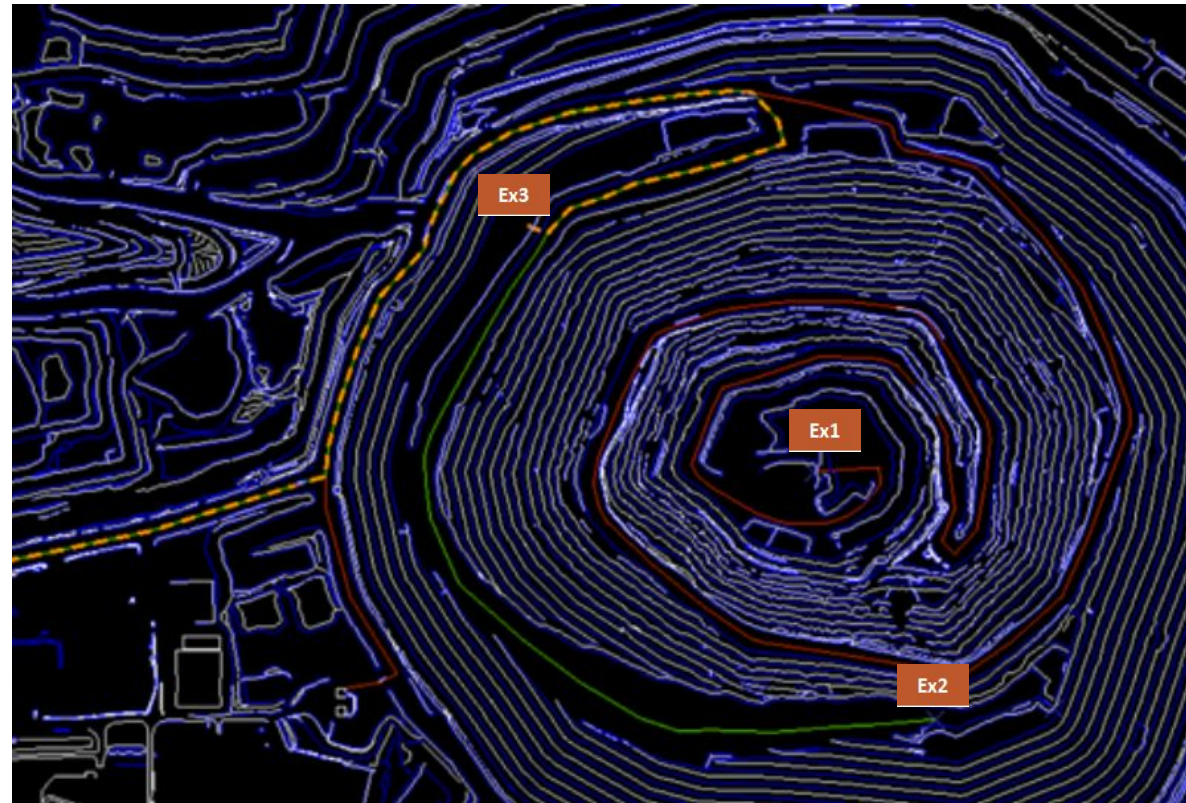
- Payload
  - **206 tonnes**
  - Current target 186 tonnes
- Trucks
  - 7

## Excavator 3

- Payload
  - **206 tonnes**
  - Current target 186 tonnes
- Trucks
  - 5

Estimated Productivity: **4817t/hours**

# Excavator Locations



Scenario	Excavator 1	Excavator 2	Excavator 3
1	840RL	1101RL	1173RL
2	831RL	1101RL	1173RL
3	831RL	1083RL	1064RL



# Example Solutions-Weighted

## Digging GOLD!!!

### Excavator 1

- Payload
  - **206 tonnes**
  - Current target 186 tonnes
- Trucks
  - 8

### Excavator 2

- Payload
  - **206 tonnes**
  - Current target 186 tonnes
- Trucks
  - 3

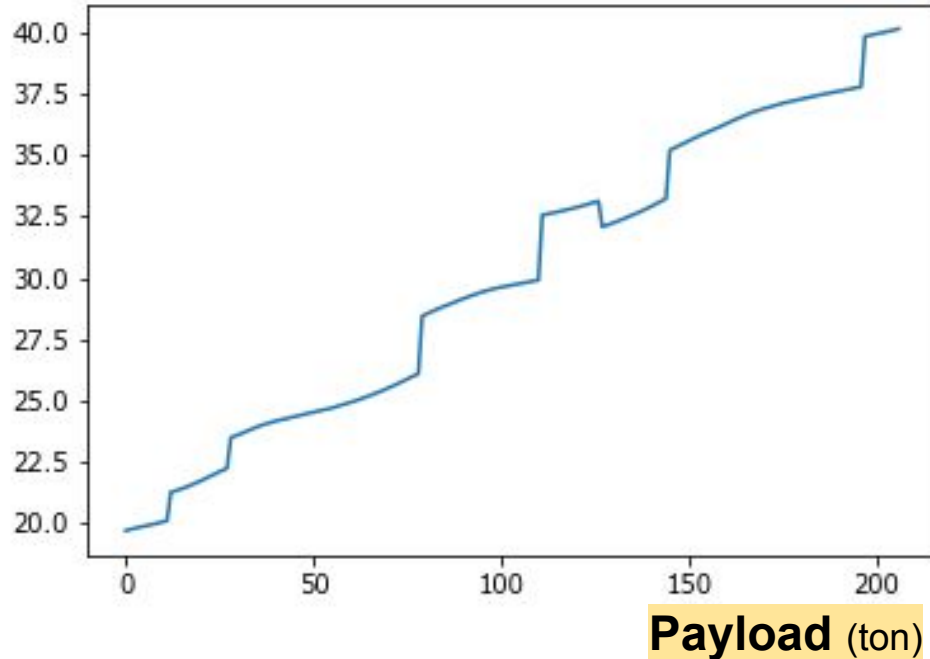
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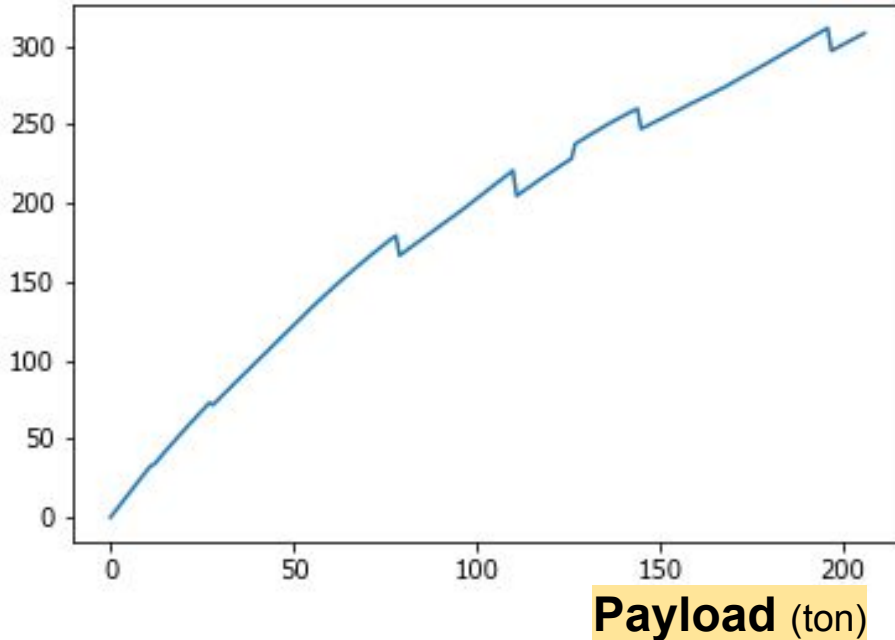
# Cycle time vs. Payload (Excavator 1)

**Cycle Time** (min)



# Payload vs. Productivity (Excavator 1)

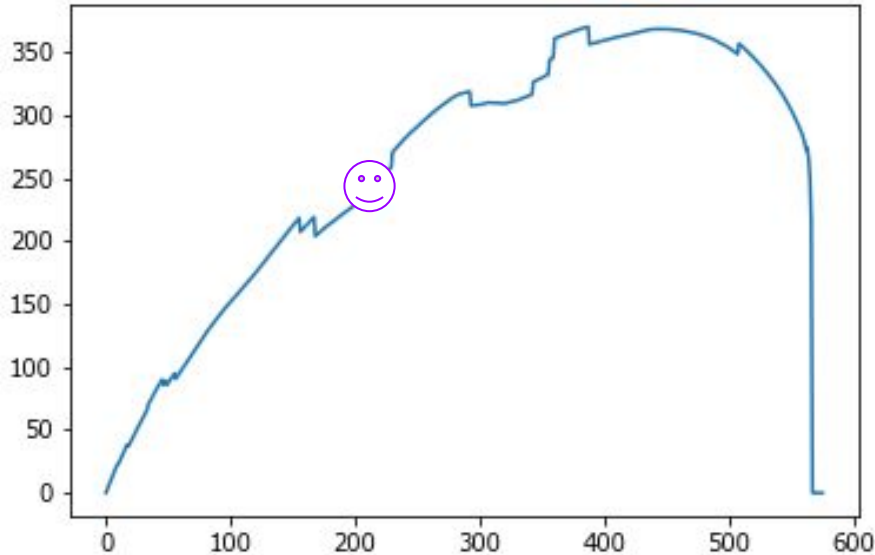
**Productivity** (ton/hr)



**Payload** ↑ **Productivity** ↑

# Tradeoff? (Excavator 1)

**Productivity** (ton/hr)

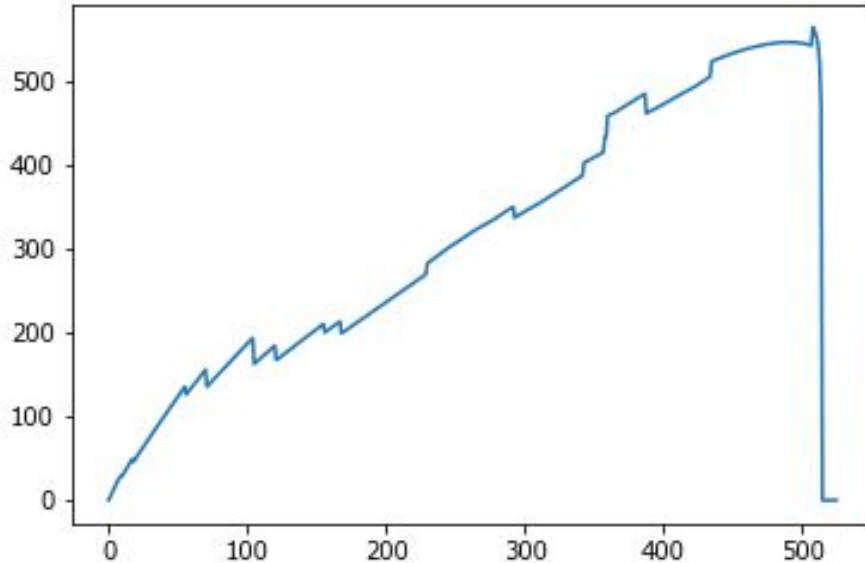


**Payload** (ton)

Turning point at 450

# Tradeoff? (Excavator 2)

**Productivity** (ton/hr)



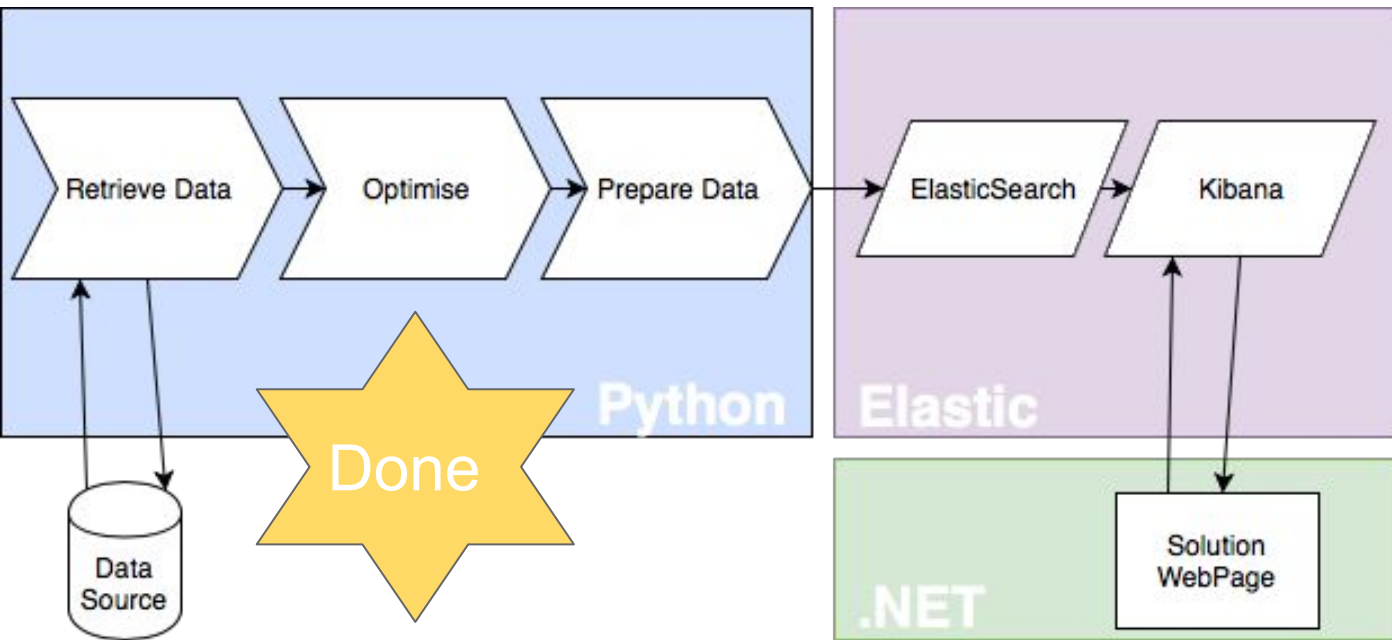
**Payload** (ton)

**Turning point at 500**

# Advantages-Data Analysis

- Provide professional optimisation solution
- Accurate analysisation
- Fully automated

# Product Blueprint



## Advantages

- Practical
- Real-time
- Visualizable
- Scalable
- Cheap
- Maintainable

# Q & A

