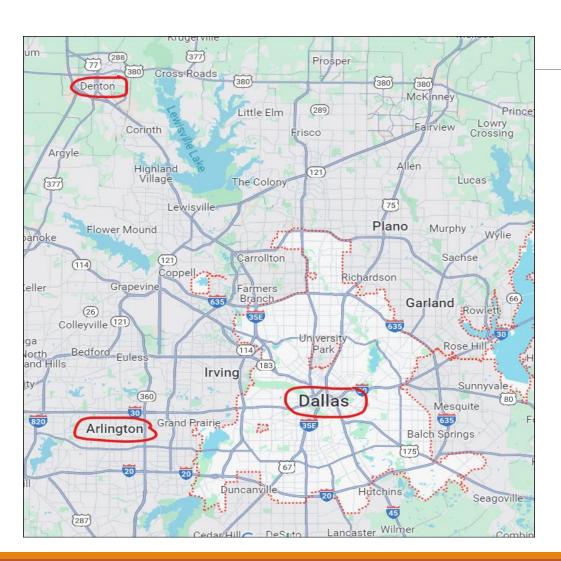


URBAN HEAT ISLANDS

A UHI ("Urban Heat Island") occurs when a city experiences much warmer temperatures than nearby rural areas.

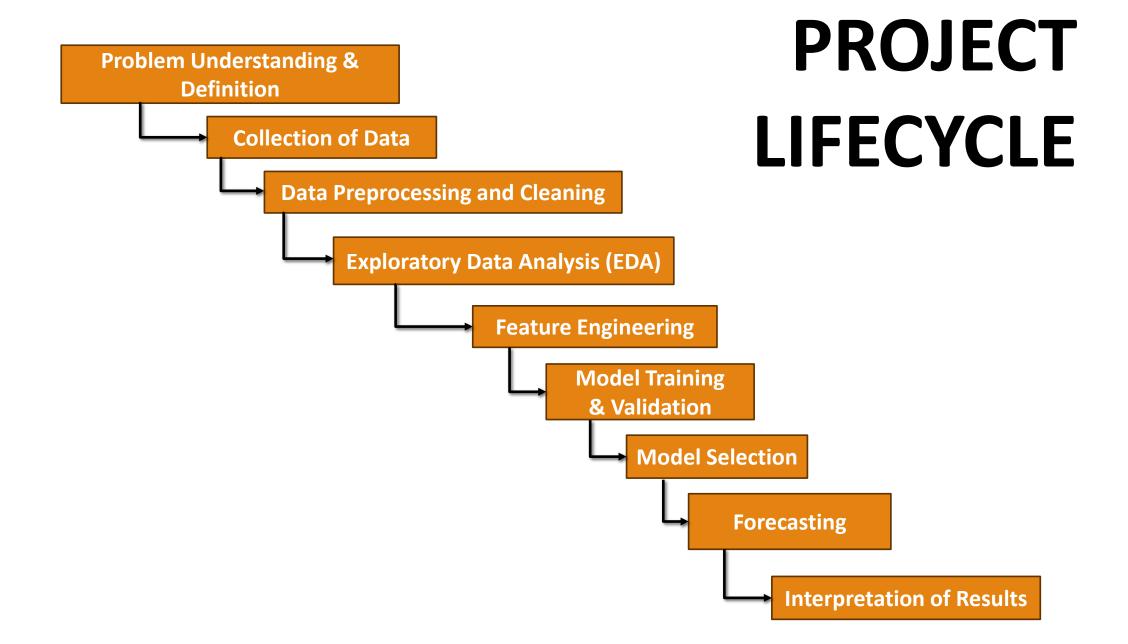


3 Cities for UHI Comparison



Dallas vs. Arlington vs. Denton

Three datasets for the year 2022 were obtained from the National Centers for Environmental Information, then combined into one major dataset



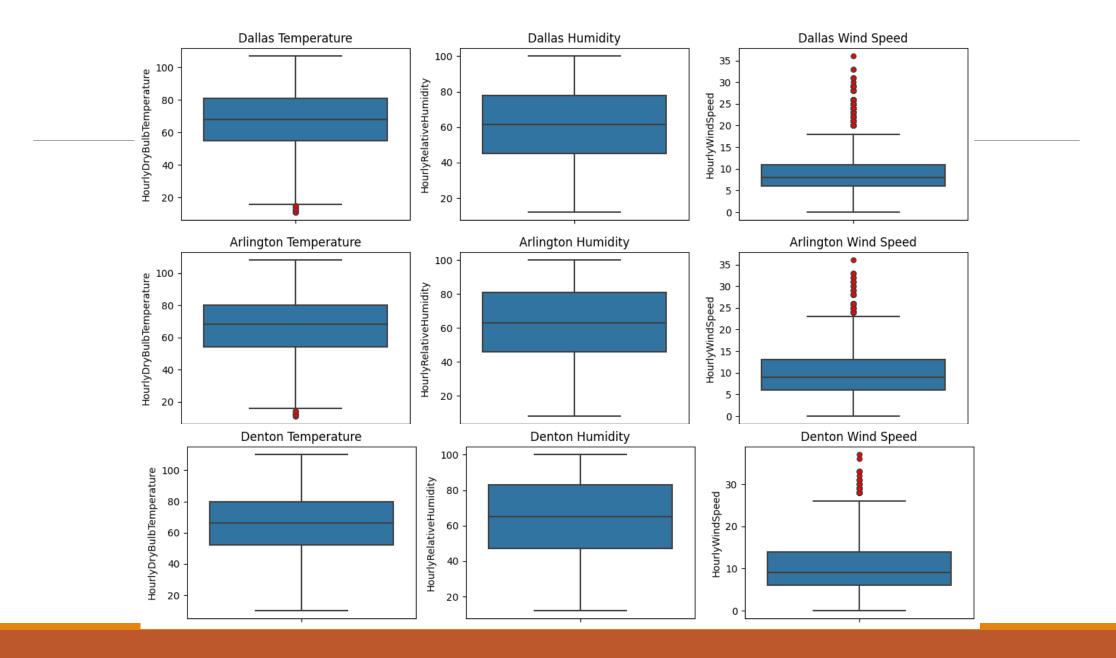
Data Preprocessing and Cleaning

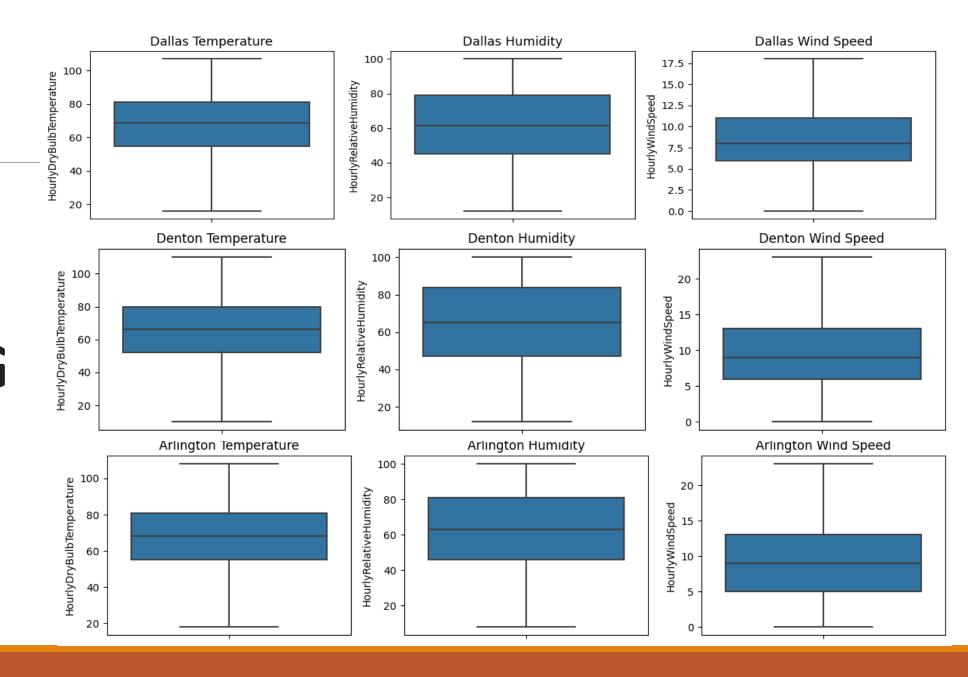
- Data Collection
- Data Cleaning
- Data Aggregation
- Missing Values Imputation
- Feature Extraction
- Data Standardization

Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

- **1.**Summary Statistics
- 2.Box Plots
- **3.**Temperature plots
- **4.**Histograms and Distributions
- **5.**Correlation Analysis
- **6.**Temporal Comparison

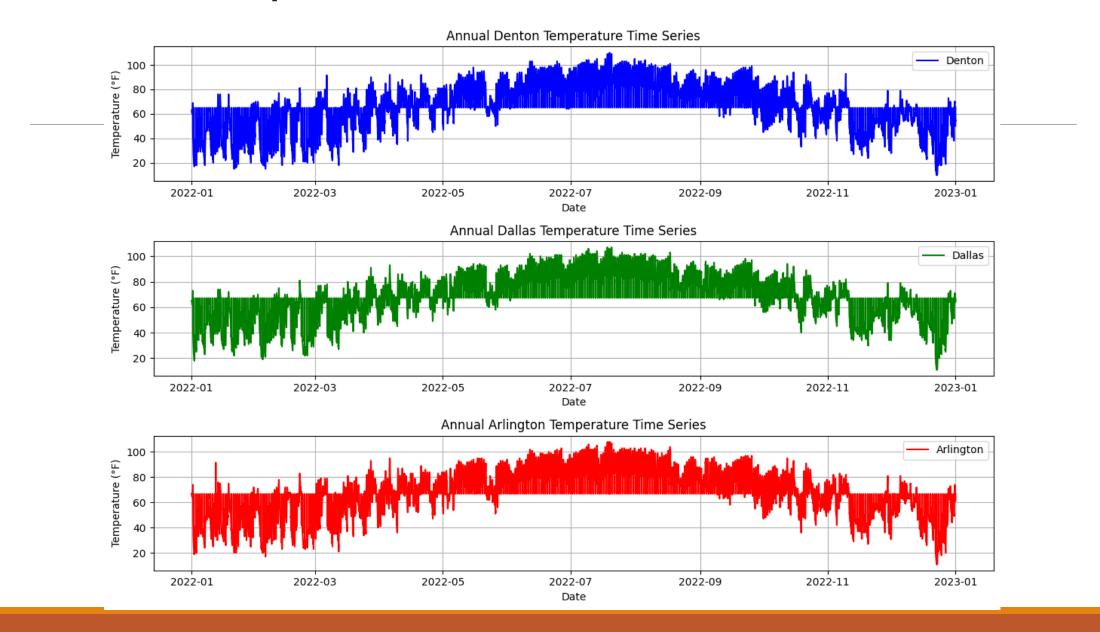
2. Box Plots: Outlier detection



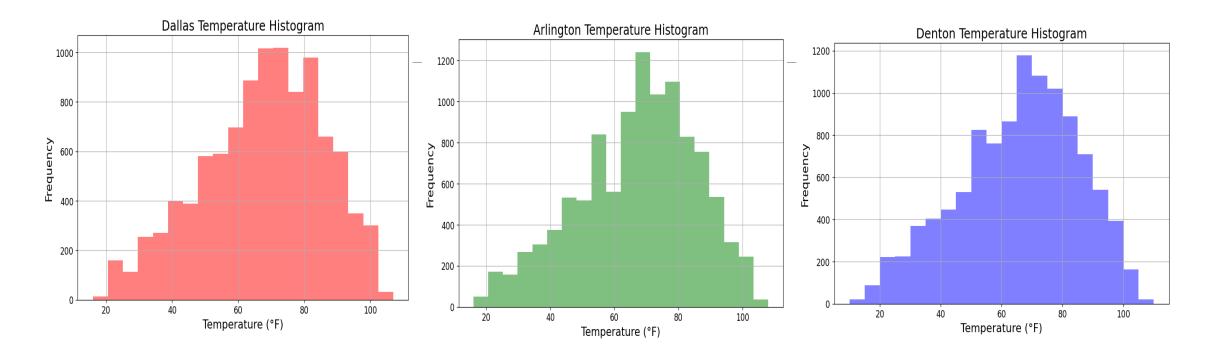


AFTER CLEANING

3. Variation of the temperature

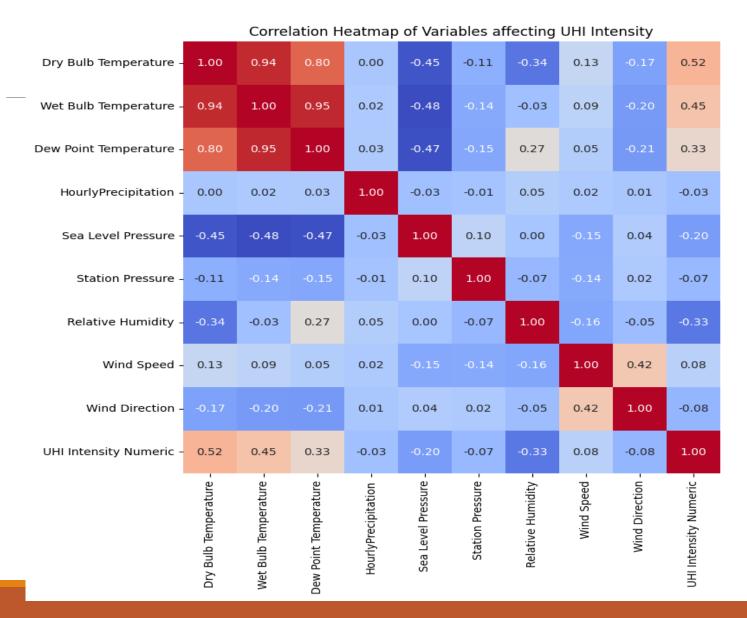


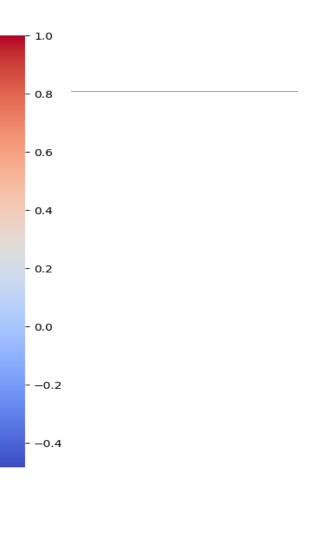
4. Histograms and Distributions:



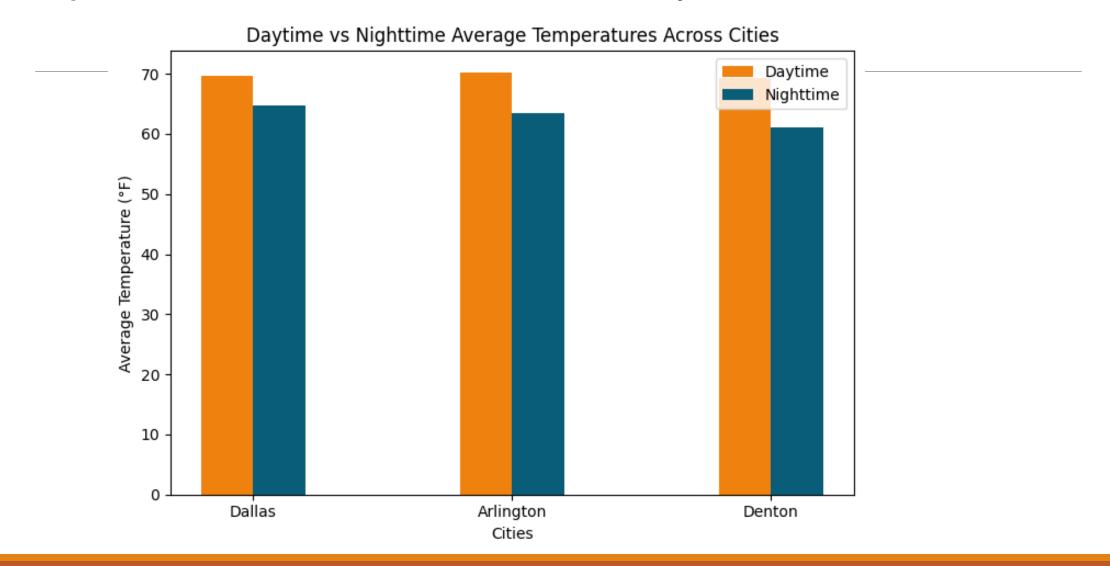
In all three cities, the **negative skew** suggests that there are **occasional periods of cooler** temperatures that pull the distribution's tail to the left. This indicates the overall temperature range can be quite **high**, there are **fewer instances of extremely low** temperatures compared to the higher temperatures.

5. Correlation Analysis

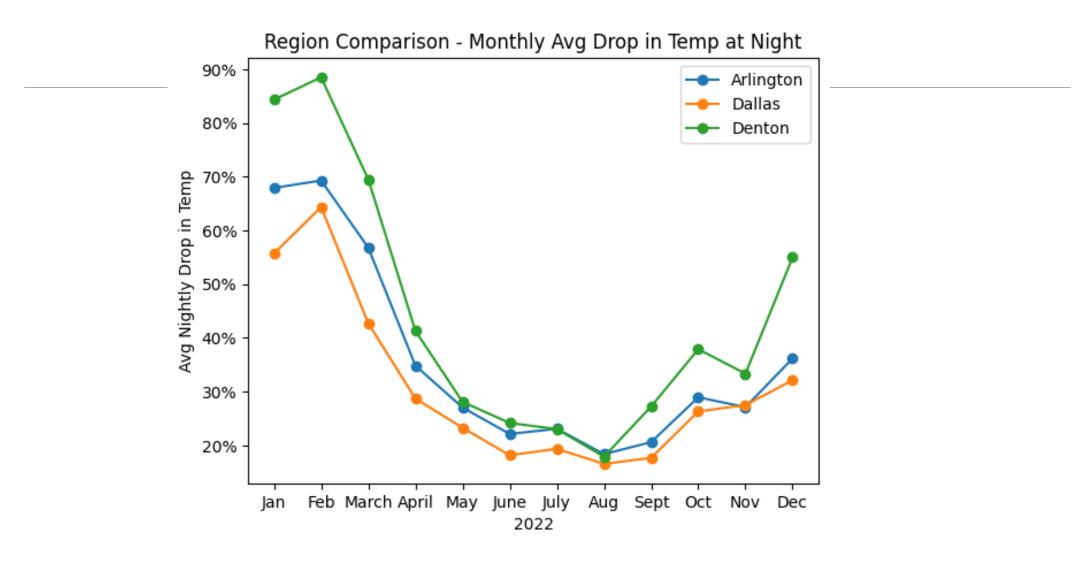




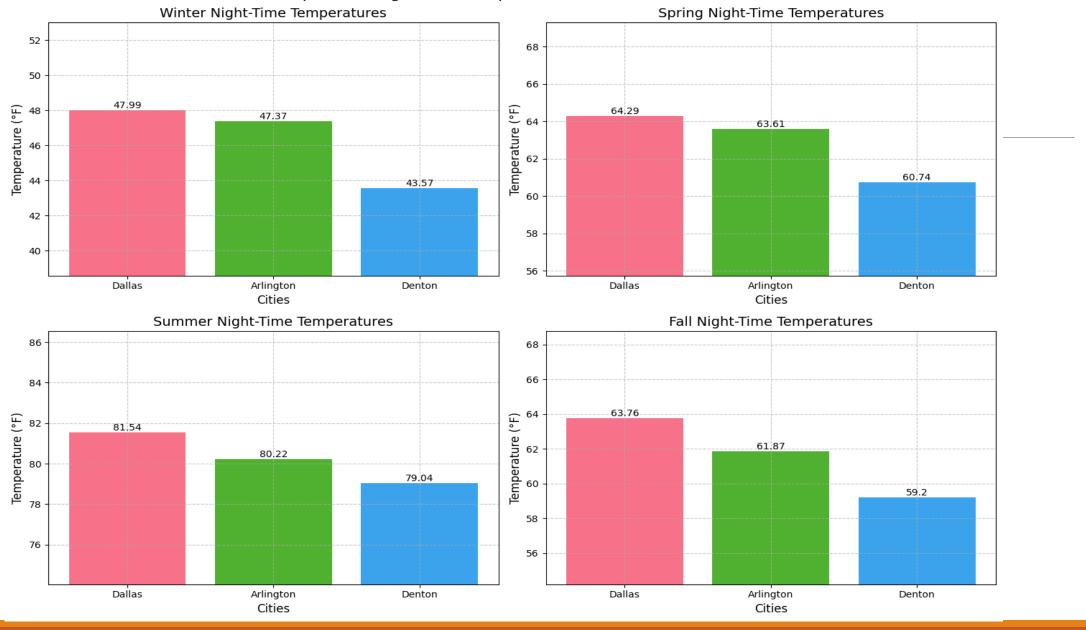
6. Temperature difference based on different times of the day



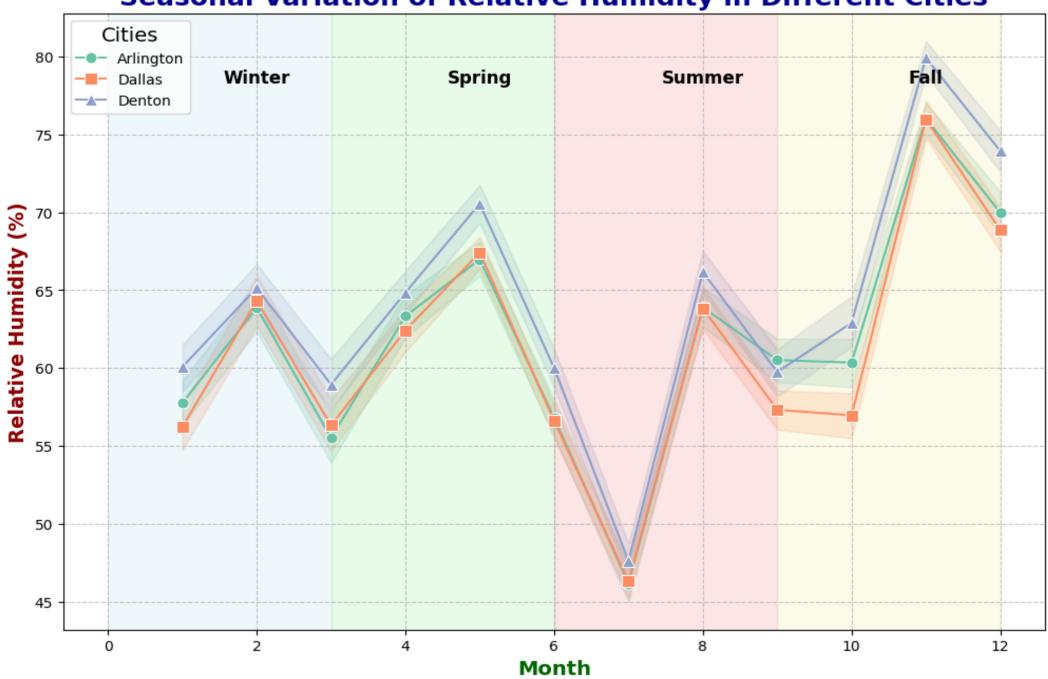
7. Region Comparison - Monthly Avg Drop in Temp at Night



Comparative Night-Time Temperatures in Different Seasons



Seasonal Variation of Relative Humidity in Different Cities



Feature Engineering

RECAP: This project aims to study and analyze climatological data for **Dallas, Arlington, and Denton**, categorizing them based on an "Urban Heat Island" (UHI) Intensity scale. The goal is to understand the microclimatic effects of urbanization in different settings and **classify UHI intensity levels**. The project will focus on three key aspects:

1.Dallas (Significant City):

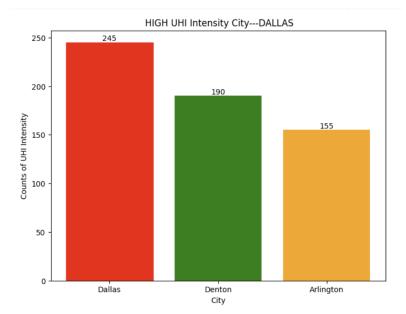
- Analyzing UHI in a major metropolitan area with large population density.
- Considering factors such as pollution, land use, and climate to determine UHI intensity.

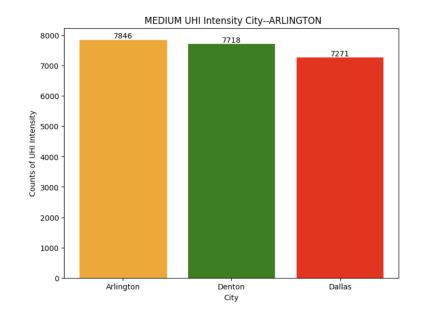
2. Arlington (Suburban Town):

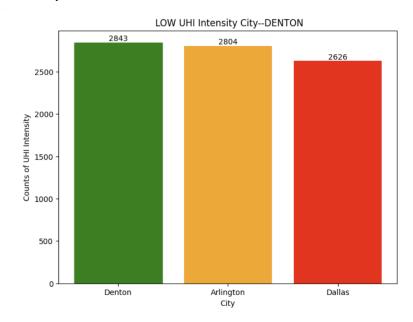
 Evaluating UHI in a suburban setting with moderate population density.

3. Denton (Rural City):

- Examining UHI in a rural city with lower population density.
- Considering factors like reduced pollution and different land use patterns.







MODEL SELECTION

Model 1: Decision Tree Classifier

Model 2: XGBoost Classifier

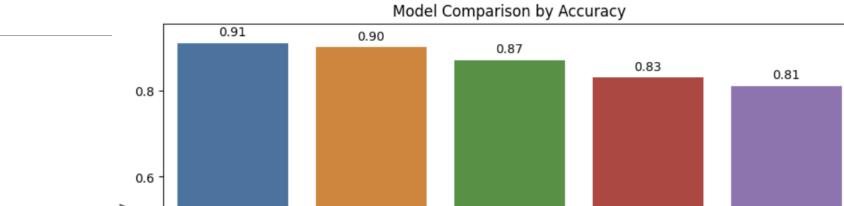
Model 3: Gradient Boost Classifier

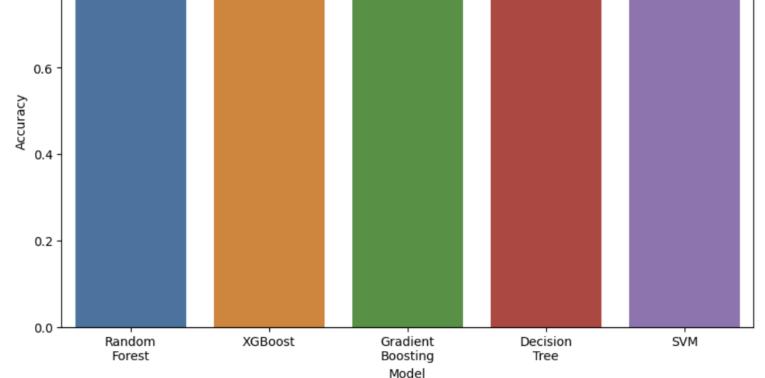
Model 4: SVM Classifier

Model 5: Random Forest Classifier

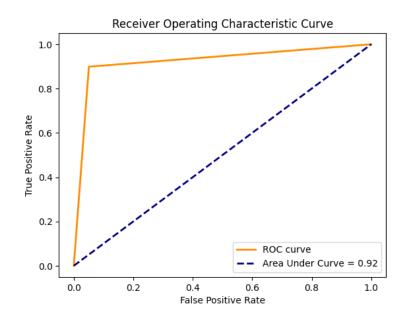
Model Training & Validation

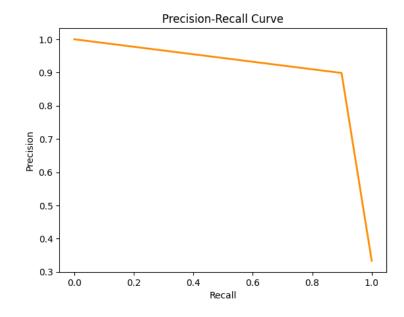
Final Model - Random Forest





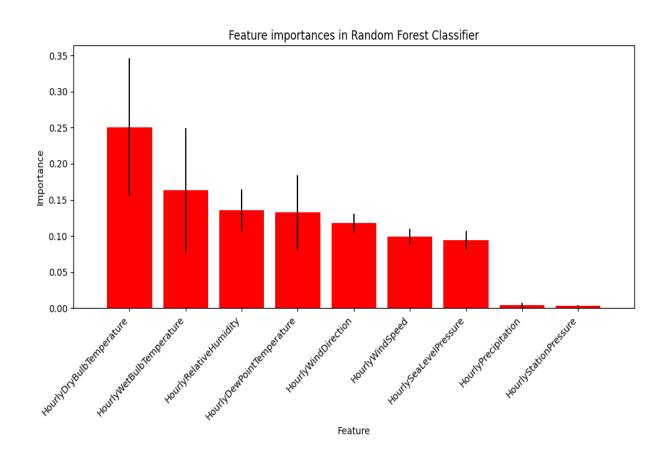
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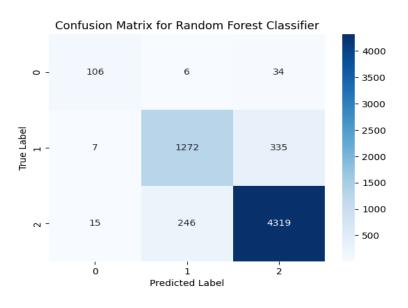




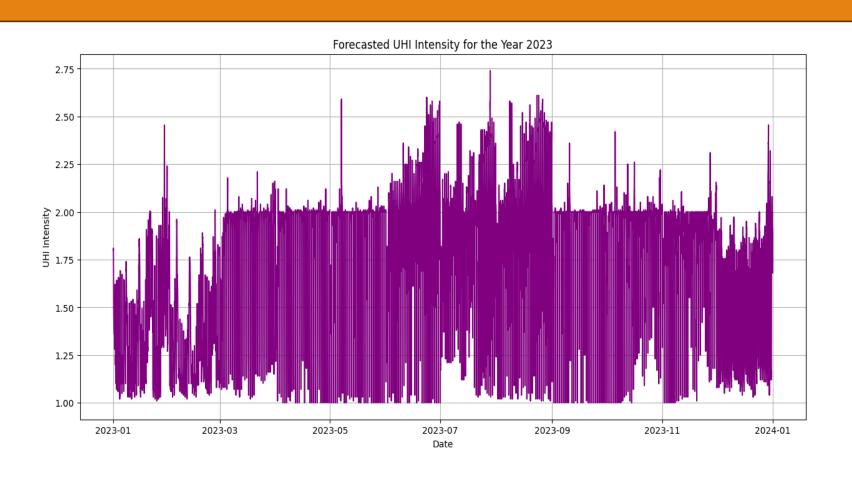
Feature Importance from Random Forest

Confusion Matrix for Random Forest Classifier

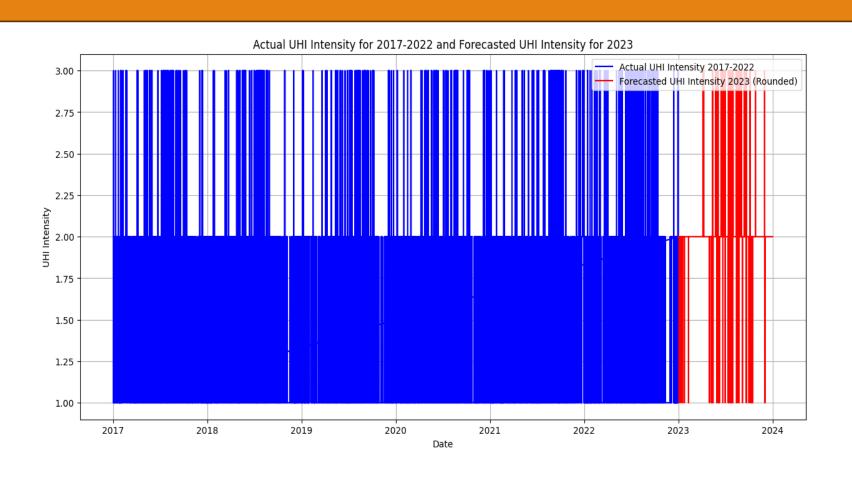




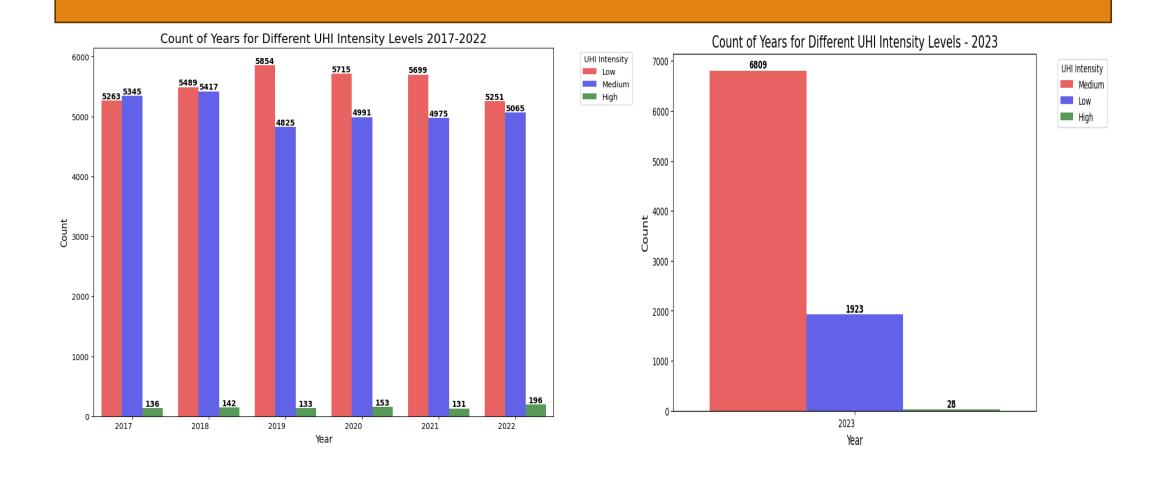
TIME SERIES ANALYSIS



FORECASTING



COMPARISION



CONCLUSION