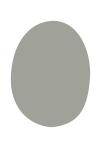


# Beans to Bytes

Leveraging Technology for Agricultural Innovation









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### Why Beans?

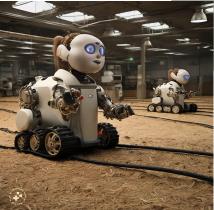




In today's times, large scale farming has adopted technology, starting from automated irrigation systems to drone harvesting techniques. Imagine a world where robots could identify a bean plant and nurture the bean's journey from correct nutrition at growing stage to automated sorting and packaging in large bean factories. This is what is at the heart of Beanalytics LLC, a silicon valley tech company founded to drive agricultural innovation beyond the unimaginable.

According to the Food and Agriculture Organizations (FAO), beans are a staple food for more than 400 million people around the world. Not only are the consumption numbers staggering but the impact that bean cultivation has on global agriculture is also significant. It is noted that in the US alone, more than 1.5m acres of land is devoted to bean cultivation which leads to a production of 2.2b pounds of beans every year. Given the scale of the bean cultivation market and consumption, there is a potential to tap into this market for technologically advanced farming equipment manufacturers.





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### **Objectives of Our Research**



#### **Bean Classification:**

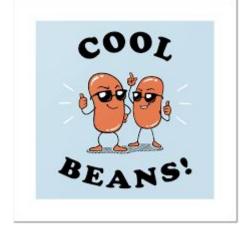
Leveraging advanced technologies, particularly through the application of unsupervised clustering. The primary objective is to categorize and comprehend inherent patterns within diverse bean varieties, employing machine learning algorithms to identify natural groupings of bean varieties.

### Technologically Advanced Farming:

Beanalytics seeks to contribute to the development of technologically advanced farming equipment. This technology aims to discern, nurture, and process beans with unprecedented accuracy, validating its practicality for a future where automation seamlessly integrates with the intricate world of bean cultivation, ensuring optimal yields and sustainable agricultural practices.



## **Data Exploration**





13,911

Grain Records

7

### Classification Categories

This represents the different Bean Varieties (Seker, Barbunya, Bombay, Cali, Horoz, Sira, Dermason) 16

### **Attributes**

Such as Area, Eccentricity, Convex area, roundness, aspect ratio, among other

Missing Values

## **Insights from Data Exploration**





#### **Data Features**

- 15 numerical features
- 1 Class feature (labels)

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype		
0	Area	13611 non-null	int64		
1	Perimeter	13611 non-null	float64		
2	MajorAxisLength	13611 non-null	float64		
3	MinorAxisLength	13611 non-null	float64		
4	AspectRation	13611 non-null	float64		
5	Eccentricity	13611 non-null	float64		
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15	ShapeFactor4	13611 non-null	float64		
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#### **Data Labels**

7 Distinct Bean Classifications

Bean Classes and Count of Occurences: DERMASON 3546 2636 SIRA 2027 SEKER 1928 HOROZ 1630 CALT BARBUNYA 1322 BOMBAY 522 Name: Class, dtype: int64

## Insights from Data Exploration





### **Summary Statistics of Numeric Features**

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	Area	Perimeter	MajorAxisLength	MinorAxisLength	AspectRation	Eccentricity	ConvexArea	EquivDiameter	Extent	Solidity	roundness	Compactness	ShapeFactor1	ShapeFactor2	ShapeFa
count	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.000000	13611.00
mean	53048.284549	855.283459	320.141867	202.270714	1.583242	0.750895	53768.200206	253.064220	0.749733	0.987143	0.873282	0.799864	0.006564	0.001716	0.64
std	29324.095717	214.289696	85.694186	44.970091	0.246678	0.092002	29774.915817	59.177120	0.049086	0.004660	0.059520	0.061713	0.001128	0.000596	0.09
min	20420.000000	524.736000	183.601165	122.512653	1.024868	0.218951	20684.000000	161.243764	0.555315	0.919246	0.489618	0.640577	0.002778	0.000564	0.4
25%	36328.000000	703.523500	253.303633	175.848170	1.432307	0.715928	36714.500000	215.068003	0.718634	0.985670	0.832096	0.762469	0.005900	0.001154	0.58
50%	44652.000000	794.941000	296.883367	192.431733	1.551124	0.764441	45178.000000	238.438026	0.759859	0.988283	0.883157	0.801277	0.006645	0.001694	0.64
75%	61332.000000	977.213000	376.495012	217.031741	1.707109	0.810466	62294.000000	279.446467	0.786851	0.990013	0.916869	0.834270	0.007271	0.002170	0.69
max	254616.000000	1985.370000	738.860154	460.198497	2.430306	0.911423	263261.000000	569.374358	0.866195	0.994677	0.990685	0.987303	0.010451	0.003665	0.97

- The **Area** feature has a range of value from **20,420 to 254,616** pixels, suggesting significant variation in the size of the different beans. Similar interpretation can be made of the perimeter feature as it is also quite varied.
- The average aspect ratio of the beans is 1.58 which suggests that the beans are not very elongated. Although the minimum and maximum values are 1.02 and 2.43 respectively, which suggests that there are beans that are almost circular and those that have lengths twice the size of their width (and thus more elongated).
- The average roundness of the beans is approximately 0.87 which means that the beans in the dataset are not perfectly circular but close to a circular shape.
- Sufficient information to identify correct type of beans



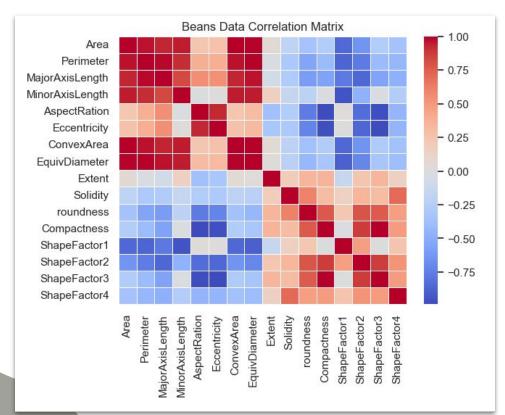


Spill the Beans!



### **Correlation Plot of Beans Data**





#### We observe:

- High correlation between bean dimensional features (eg Area, perimeter, axis lengths)
- There is a mix of both positively correlated and negatively correlated features.

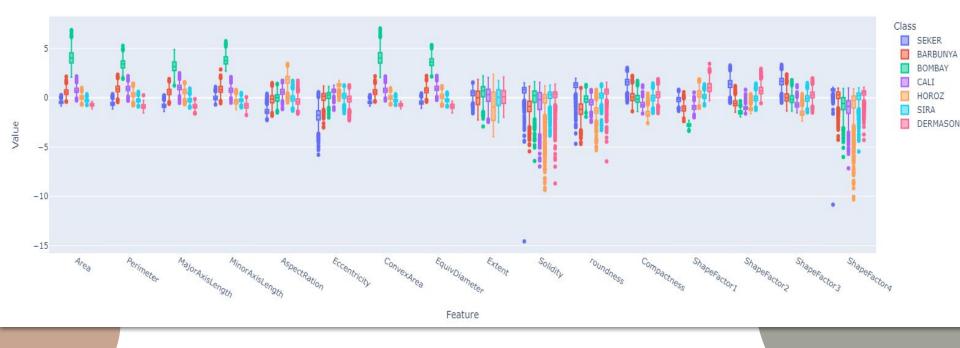
#### We note that:

 All features are relevant and carry important information that could enable classification of beans.

## Boxplots for Beans Data by Class

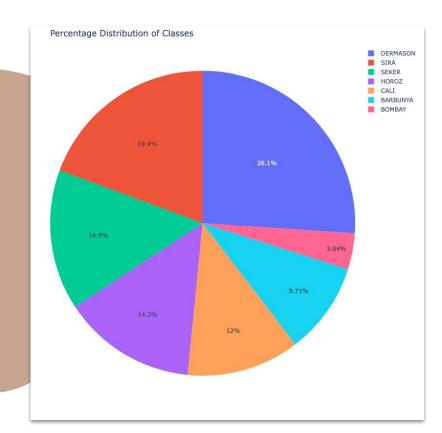
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Don't Werry about Spilled Beans

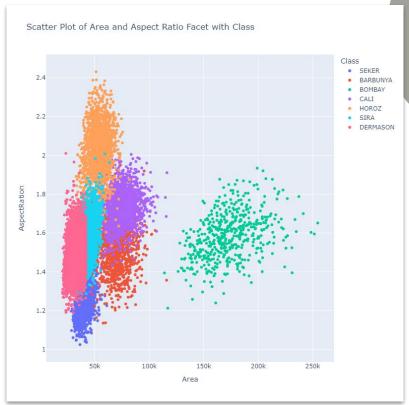
Boxplot of Numerical Features Facet with Class





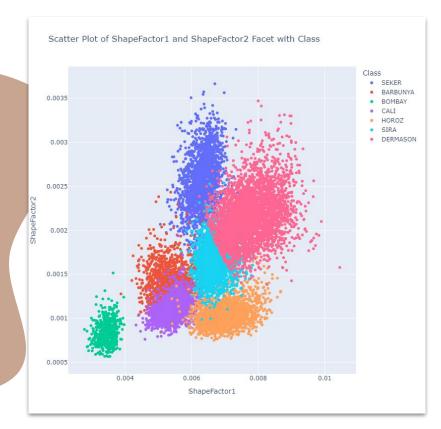


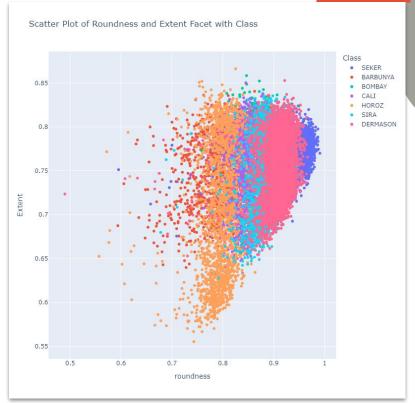














## **Feature Selection**

## Dimensionality Reduction Using PCA



- Data we have is important and needs to be retained
- Data that we have is highly correlated

#### Why PCA then?

- Retain all Features
- Features are highly correlated, PCA is effective in reducing multicollinearity
- PCA captures significant variability and reduces noise
- Model performance Vs Interpretability.. We care about the former



## Dimensionality Reduction Using PCA

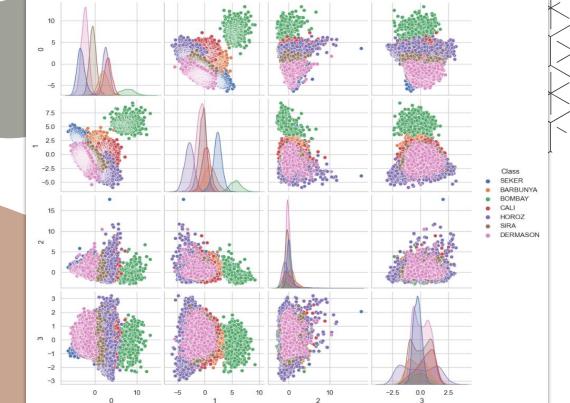
Criteria for selecting number of PCAS? - at least 95% of explained variance ratio

#### Result:

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Principal Component 1: Explained Variance = 0.5547, Cumulative Variance = 0.5547
Principal Component 2: Explained Variance = 0.2643, Cumulative Variance = 0.8190
Principal Component 3: Explained Variance = 0.0801, Cumulative Variance = 0.8990
Principal Component 4: Explained Variance = 0.0511, Cumulative Variance = 0.9502
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Pair Plot of PCAS







# **Unsupervised Clustering**

K- Means Clustering





#### **Parameters**

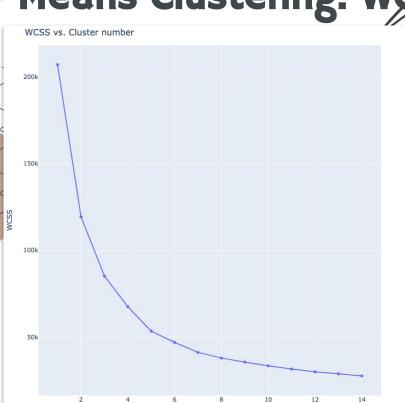
Number of Clusters = 1 to 15 (loop)

Number of iterations = 500

Number of times the k-means algorithm will be run with different centroid seeds = 10

Evaluation Criteria: WCSS to determine optimum number of clusters

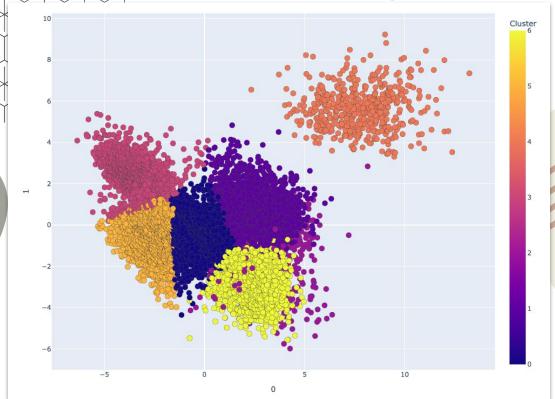
K - Means Clustering: WCSS



Clusters

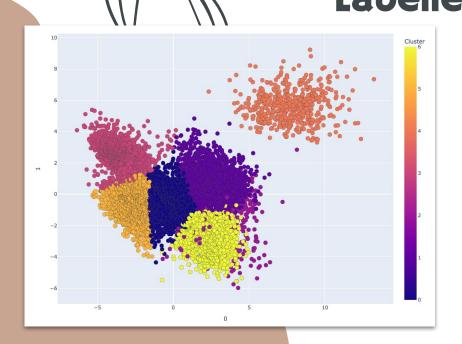


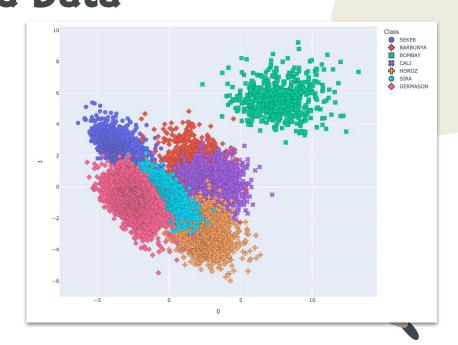












Labelled Data





#### Model Evaluation Metric (self generated):

Our aim was to replicate the clustering pattern of the labels in the distribution of the data with the help of the Principal Components.

We wanted to see if the model was accurately clustering the beans into some distinct clusters and by comparing the positions of each individual points in the cluster with the original data, we managed to get an idea about the accuracy of the model in predicting certain class of beans.

### Result of self generated accuracy scores:

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The accuracy of BARBUNYA beans in our cluster analysis is 82.07% The accuracy of BOMBAY beans in our cluster analysis is 99.62% The accuracy of CALI beans in our cluster analysis is 83.01% The accuracy of DERMASON beans in our cluster analysis is 83.08% The accuracy of HOROZ beans in our cluster analysis is 85.89% The accuracy of SEKER beans in our cluster analysis is 92.11% The accuracy of SIRA beans in our cluster analysis is 85.77%
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## Conclusion

Beans are not trivial!

### **Summary of Results:**

- Feature selection using PCA helps reduce data dimensionality and model complexity when data is highly correlated but important
- K-Means clustering and WCSS indicated that optimum number of clusters is 7 (similar to labelled data)
- Clusters with distinct attributes (eg Bombay) would result in higher accuracy in clustering than clusters/beans that have similar attributes
- There is scope for improving the classification process using train and test models using more complex classification algorithms such as random forests and XGboost.





