

Research Paper Review Report

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1 Introduction

In this report, we review three important and relevant research papers related to air quality prediction analysis. Each paper contributes valuable insights to the field, and we summarize their key findings briefly.

2 Selected Papers

2.1 Paper 1: Air Quality Prediction using Machine Learning Algorithms

Authors: Pooja Bhalgat, Sejal Pitale

Summary: This review paper provides an overview of various machine learning techniques used in air quality prediction. It discusses challenges, advantages, and limitations of different methods in predicting air quality levels.

Reference: [Link](#)

2.2 Paper 2: A Machine Learning Approach for Air Quality Prediction: Model Regularization and Optimization

Authors: Dixian Zhu, Tianbao Yang

Summary: This study addresses air quality forecasting using machine learning to predict hourly air pollutant concentrations. Most previous research focused on short data spans and basic regression models. We introduce refined models that predict hourly pollution concentrations based on prior days' meteorological data. We treat this as a multi-task learning problem, proposing a unique regularization that enforces proximity between consecutive hour predictions. Our approach outperforms existing regression models and conventional regularizations, achieving better predictive performance.

Reference: [Link](#)

2.3 Paper 3: Air Quality Prediction using Machine Learning Algorithms –A Review

Authors: Tanisha Madan, Shrddha Sagar, Deepali Virmani

Summary: Predicting air quality is necessary step to be taken by government as it is becoming the major concern among the health of human beings. Air quality Index measure the quality of air. Various air pollutants causing air pollution are Carbon dioxide, Nitrogen dioxide, carbon monoxide etc that are released from burning of natural gas, coal and wood, industries, vehicles etc. Air Pollution can cause severe disease like lungs cancer, brain disease and even lead to death. Machine learning algorithms helps in determining the air quality index. Various research is being done in this field but still results are still not accurate. Dataset are available from Kaggle, air quality monitoring sites and divided into two Training and Testing. Machine Learning algorithms employed for this are Linear Regression, Decision Tree, Random Forest, Artificial Neural Network, Support Vector Machine.

Reference: [Link](#)

2.4 Paper 4: Air Quality Prediction: Big Data and Machine Learning Approaches

Authors: Gaganjot Kaur Kang, Jerry Zeyu Gao, Sen Chiao, Shengqiang Lu, and Gang Xie

Summary: Monitoring and preserving air quality has become crucial due to pollution from various sources. The deposition of harmful gases poses a threat to smart cities. Efficient air quality monitoring models are essential to assess pollution levels. Air quality evaluation and prediction are vital research areas influenced by location, time, and uncertain factors. Big data analytics and machine learning are increasingly used due to technological advancements and sensor data availability. This paper explores these techniques for air quality forecasting, reviewing AI, decision trees, and deep learning approaches, while addressing challenges and future research needs.

Reference: [Link](#)

2.5 Paper 5: Air Quality Prediction in Smart Cities Using Machine Learning Technologies Based on Sensor Data: A Review

Authors: Ditsuhi Iskandaryan, Francisco Ramos, Sergio Trilles

Summary: Machine learning's growing influence spans numerous domains, including air pollution prediction. This paper reviews machine learning-based air pollution prediction using sensor data in smart cities. Relevant papers were selected and analyzed to extract key features, allowing comparisons. Findings reveal the adoption of advanced techniques, China's prominence, focus on 2.5 micrometer particulate matter, next-day predictions in 41 percent of cases, 66 percent using hourly data, a trend towards increased use of open data since 2016, and the significance of external factors like weather, space, and time for effective prediction.

Reference: [Link](#)

2.6 Paper 6: Modeling air quality prediction using a deep learning approach: Method optimization and evaluation

Authors: Wenjing Mao, Weilin Wang, Limin Jiao, Suli Zhao, Anbao Liu

Summary: Air pollution's urgency demands improved prediction. We propose TS-LSTME, a deep learning model, for 24-hour air quality forecasting. By integrating historical PM2.5 data, meteorological information, and time, our model outperforms traditional methods in stability and accuracy ($R^2 = 0.87$). Its success in long-term predictions (48 h, 72 h) and adaptability to various pollutants makes it a valuable tool for enhanced air quality prediction and management.

Reference: [Link](#)