

## Project: Predicting League of Legends Diamond Ranked Games by First 10 Minutes of Gameplay

Target: blueWins

- Class 1: Blue Win
- Class 0: Red Win

Features to inspect:

- blueWardsPlaced
- blueWardsDestroyed
- blueFirstBlood
- blueKills
- blueDeaths
- blueAssists
- blueEliteMonsters
- blueDragons
- blueHeralds
- blueTowersDestroyed
- blueTotalGold
- blueAvgLevel
- blueTotalExperience
- blueTotalMinionsKilled
- blueTotalJungleMinionsKilled
- blueGoldDiff,blueExperienceDiff
- blueCSPerMin
- blueGoldPerMin
- redWardsPlaced
- redWardsDestroyed
- redFirstBlood
- redKills
- redDeaths
- redAssists
- redEliteMonsters
- redDragons
- redHeralds
- redTowersDestroyed
- redTotalGold
- redAvgLevel
- redTotalExperience
- redTotalMinionsKilled
- redTotalJungleMinionsKilled

- redGoldDiff
- redExperienceDiff
- redCSPerMin
- redGoldPerMin

Question/need:

According to the first 10 minutes of gameplay, will the blue team win?

- What is the framing question of your analysis, or the purpose of the model/system you plan to build?
  - In the year 2019, viewership for the “League of Legends” World Championship finals beat numbers for the Superbowl flat, with the esports competition drawing in 100 million viewers across the globe  
<https://www.cnbc.com/2019/04/14/league-of-legends-gets-more-viewers-than-super-bowl/whats-coming-next.html>). Esports and betting on these competitive gaming teams are a huge business, and it is safe to say that many would benefit from understanding what leads to a team win. From this model, we can hope to understand which tactics/experience lead a team to more wins, and then we can use this information to bet on teams which have historically had this experience or used such tactics in their gameplay (ie: this team has many experienced players of this level; this team has historically always went to kill the dragon first).
- Who benefits from exploring this question or building this model/system?
  - Esports bettors, journalists covering the championship

Data Description:

- What dataset(s) do you plan to use, and how will you obtain the data?
  - <https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/bobbyscience/league-of-legends-diamond-rank-d-games-10-min?resource=download>
- What is an individual sample/unit of analysis in this project? What characteristics/features do you expect to work with?
  - An individual sample is one game
  - See above for features

Tools:

- How do you intend to meet the tools requirement of the project?
  - Sklearn
  - Seaborn for visualization, maybe tableau if time allows
  - Riot API if time allows for even more features

MVP Goal:

- What would a minimum viable product (MVP) look like for this project?

- Look at just the kaggle dataset, train a kNN model, logistic regression model