

Ancient Micro Debitage

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Executive Summary

Objective (main):

Determine what ML models are best for classifying lithic vs. non-lithic data

Approach:

- K-Means was used to annotate “unlabeled” data
- Data was split into training, test sets (hold out set for validation)
- Lazy Predict was used to run all models to determine baseline performance on test data
- Hyperparameters of top-performing models were tuned using GridSearchCV
- Tuned models were re-evaluated on test and holdout sets

Key Findings:

- In general, Random Forest Classifier performs the best → achieved 100% accuracy on test set for experiment 9 data (Hyperparameter tuning improves performance of models for most models)
- LightGBM is the most time-efficient model with relatively good performance

Next steps:

- Train & Test models with more data (more lithic data)
- We can move on to identify the use of different stone tools microdebitage

Data

Soil (Label: 0)

- Archaeological Soil (n = 73313)

Lithic (Label: 1)

Lithic Experimental (n = 5299)

Soil (Label: 0)

- Experiment 9 Sand Gravel 0.125 mm (n = 170885)
- Experiment 9 Sand Gravel 0.25 mm (n = 115876)
- Experiment 9 Sand Gravel 0.5 mm (n = 103144)
- Experiment 9 Sand Gravel 1 mm (n = 10191)
- Experiment 9 Sand Gravel 2 mm (n = 4340)
- Experiment 9 Sand Gravel 4 mm (n = 605)

Data

Datasets used (Strategies):

- Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + Archaeological Soil (n = 73313)
 - Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + All Experiment 9 data (n = 405041)
 - Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + All Soil/Sand/Gravel data (n = 478354)
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- Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + Sand Gravel 0.125 mm (n = 170885)
 - Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + Sand Gravel 0.25 mm (n = 115876)
 - Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + Sand Gravel 0.5 mm (n = 103144)
 - Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + Sand Gravel 1 mm (n = 10191)
 - Lithic Experimental (n = 5299) + Sand Gravel 2 & 4 mm (n = 4945)

Data

Target variables:

- Type_micro (lithic/non-lithic): A categorical (binary) variable that indicates whether a sample is lithic or non-lithic
- Size_micro (0.125mm, 0.25mm, 0.5mm, $\geq 1\text{mm}$): A categorical (multi-class) variable that indicates the size of a particle

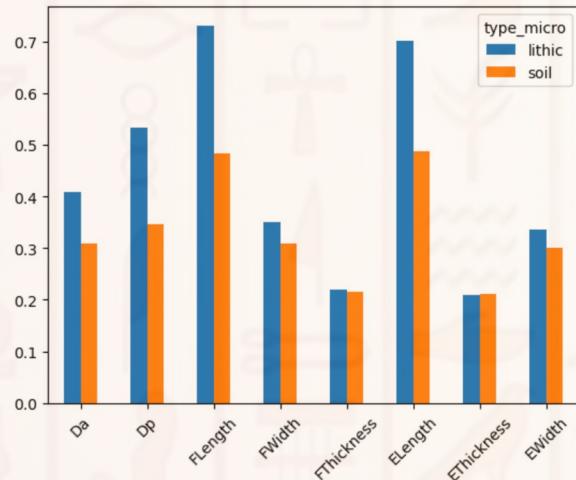
Data Summary:

- Train-Test/Holdout split: 90/10
- Train/Test split: 80/20
- Stratify

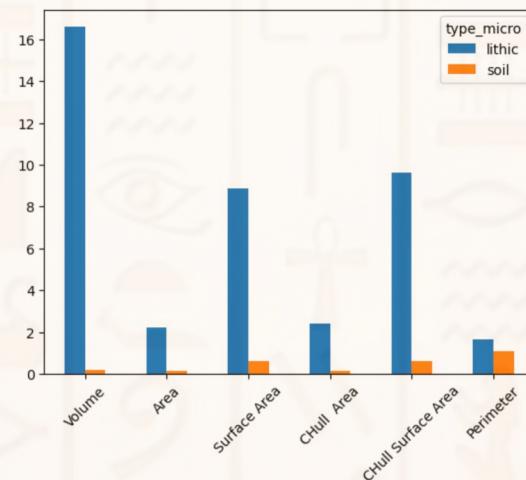
Variable Description

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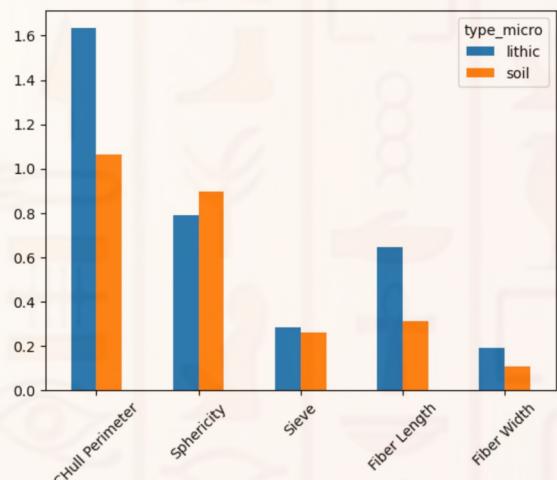
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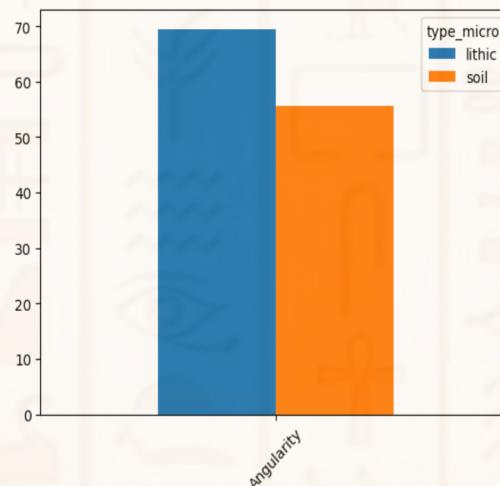
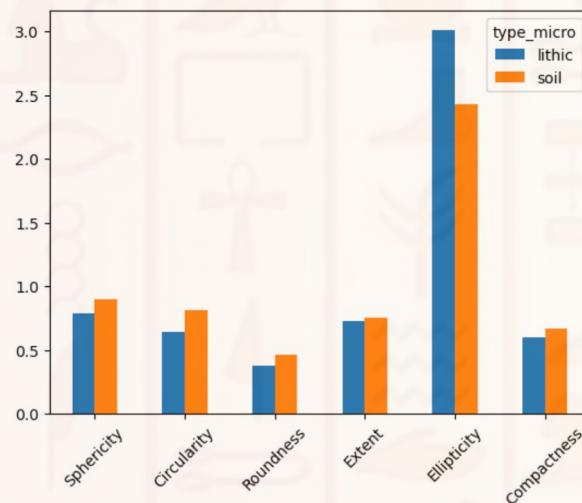


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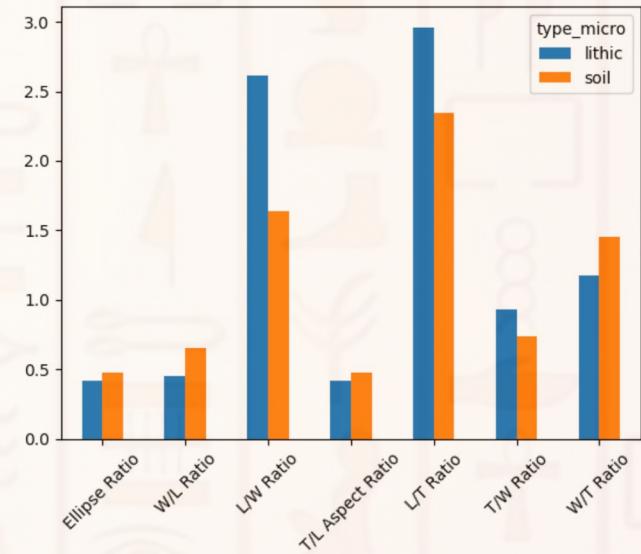


EDA - Compare means (Shape/Form)

(Shape/Form)

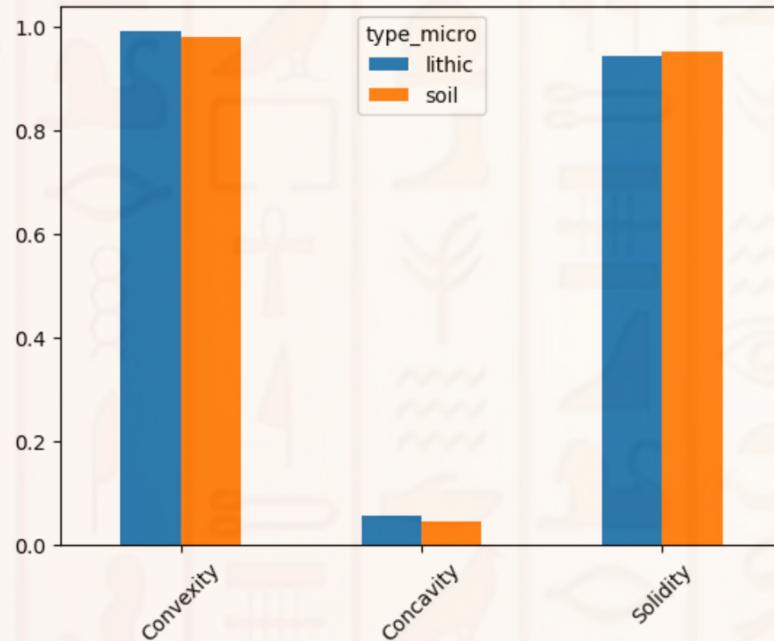


(Ratio)

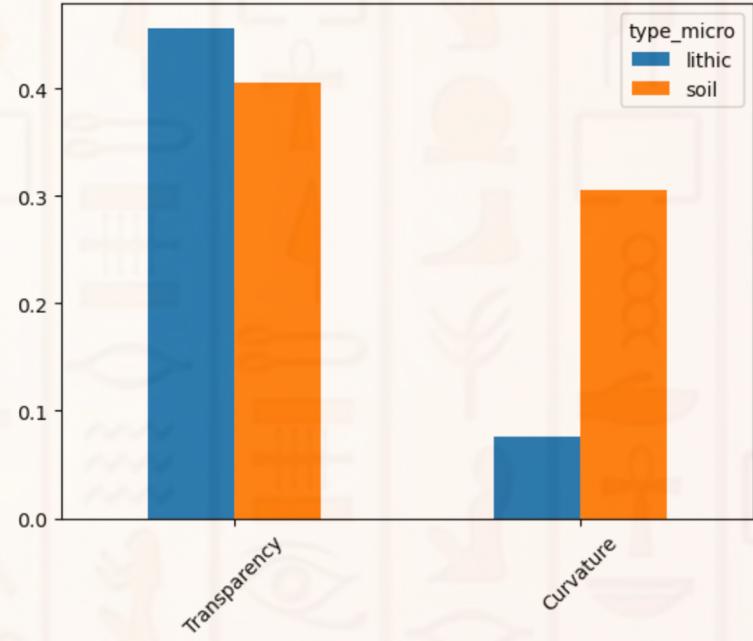


EDA - Compare means (Surface Roughnesses & Intensity)

(Surface Roughness)

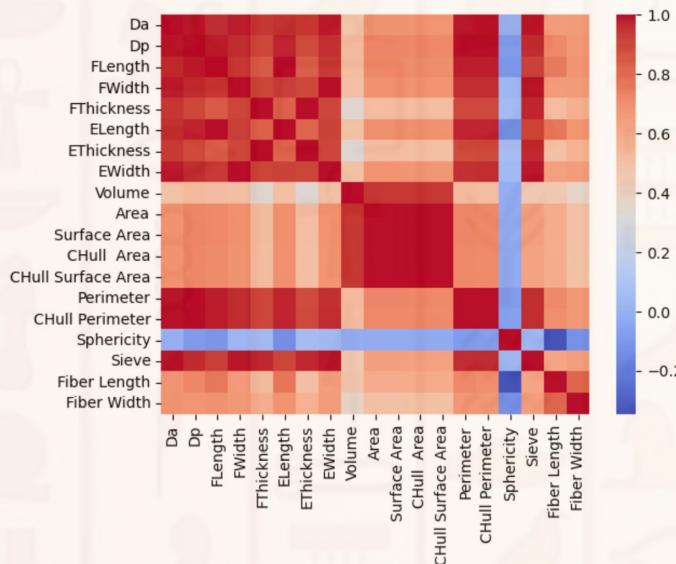


(Intensity)

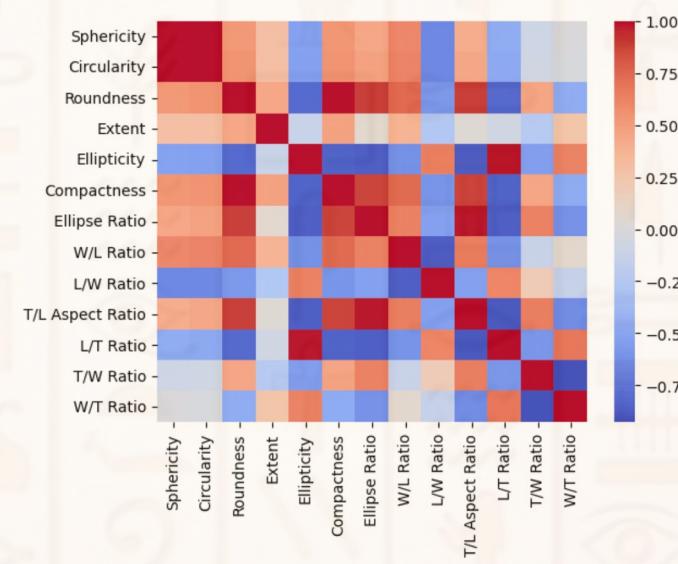


EDA - Correlation matrix (Size)

(Size)



(Shape/form)



(Surface Roughness)

	Convexity	Concavity	Solidity
Convexity	1.00	-0.84	0.84
Concavity	-0.84	1.00	-1.00
Solidity	0.84	-1.00	1.00

(Intensity)

	Transparency	Curvature
Transparency	1.00	0.48
Curvature	0.48	1.00

Data - Processing

Variables to drop

- Filter0, Filter1, Filter2, Filter3, Filter4, Filter5, Filter6 (“Rejected”)
- Hash (0), Id, Imgid
- Krumbein Roundness

Class Imbalance

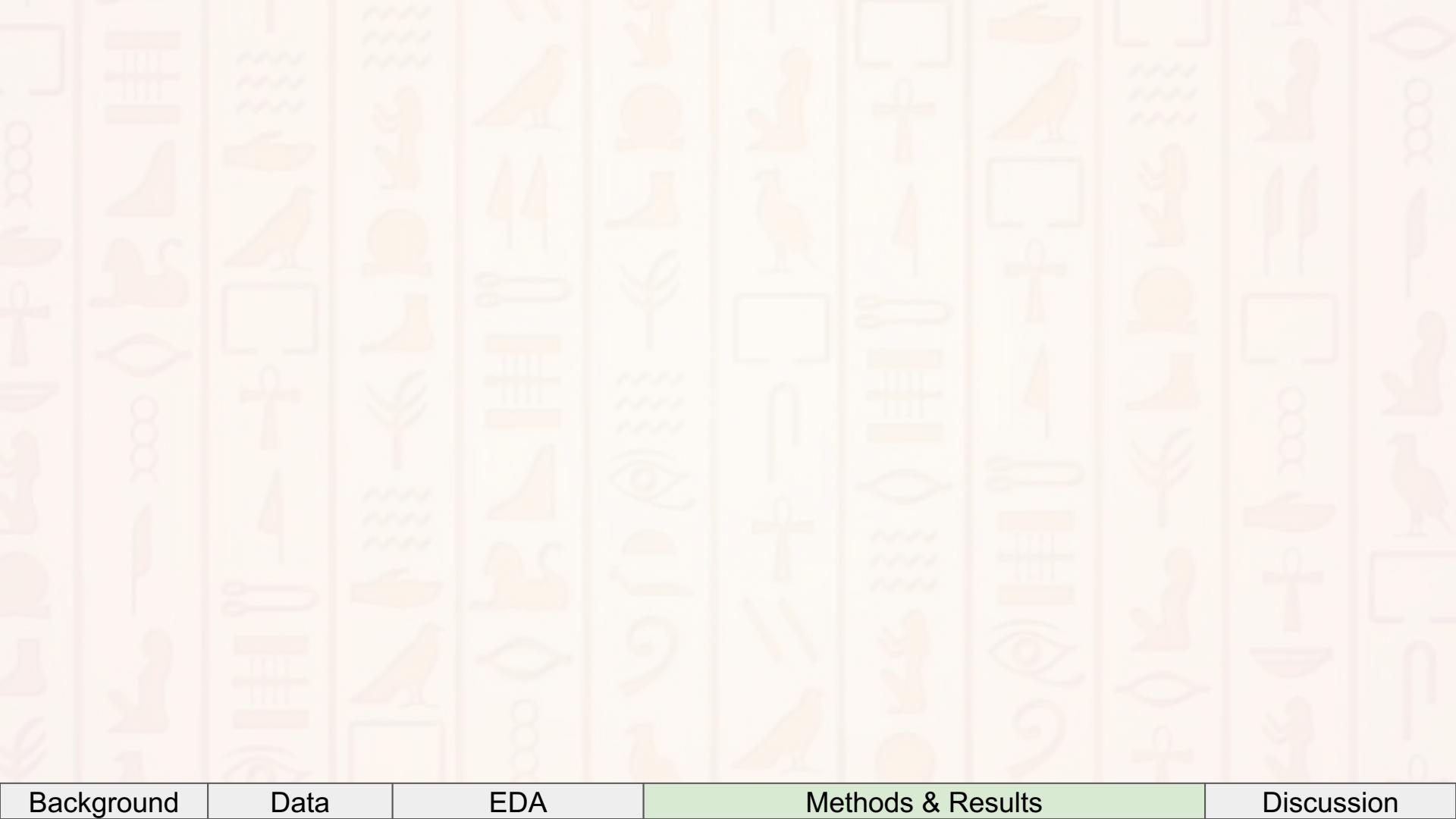
- **Random Undersampling**
- Random Oversampling
- SMOTE /& Tomek Links

Missingness

- Krumbein Roundness (not available for soil samples)

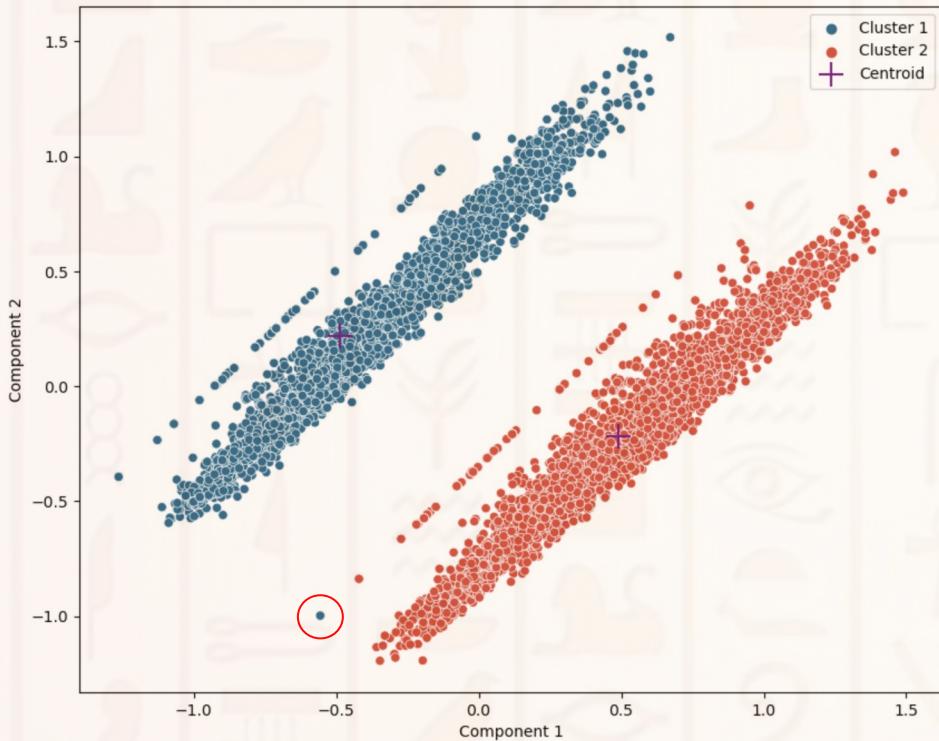
Feature engineering & selection

- Type_micro (lithic vs. non-lithic)
- Size_micro (0.125mm, 0.25mm, 0.5mm, 1mm, 2mm, 4mm)
- Standardization (Scaling)
- We used all features

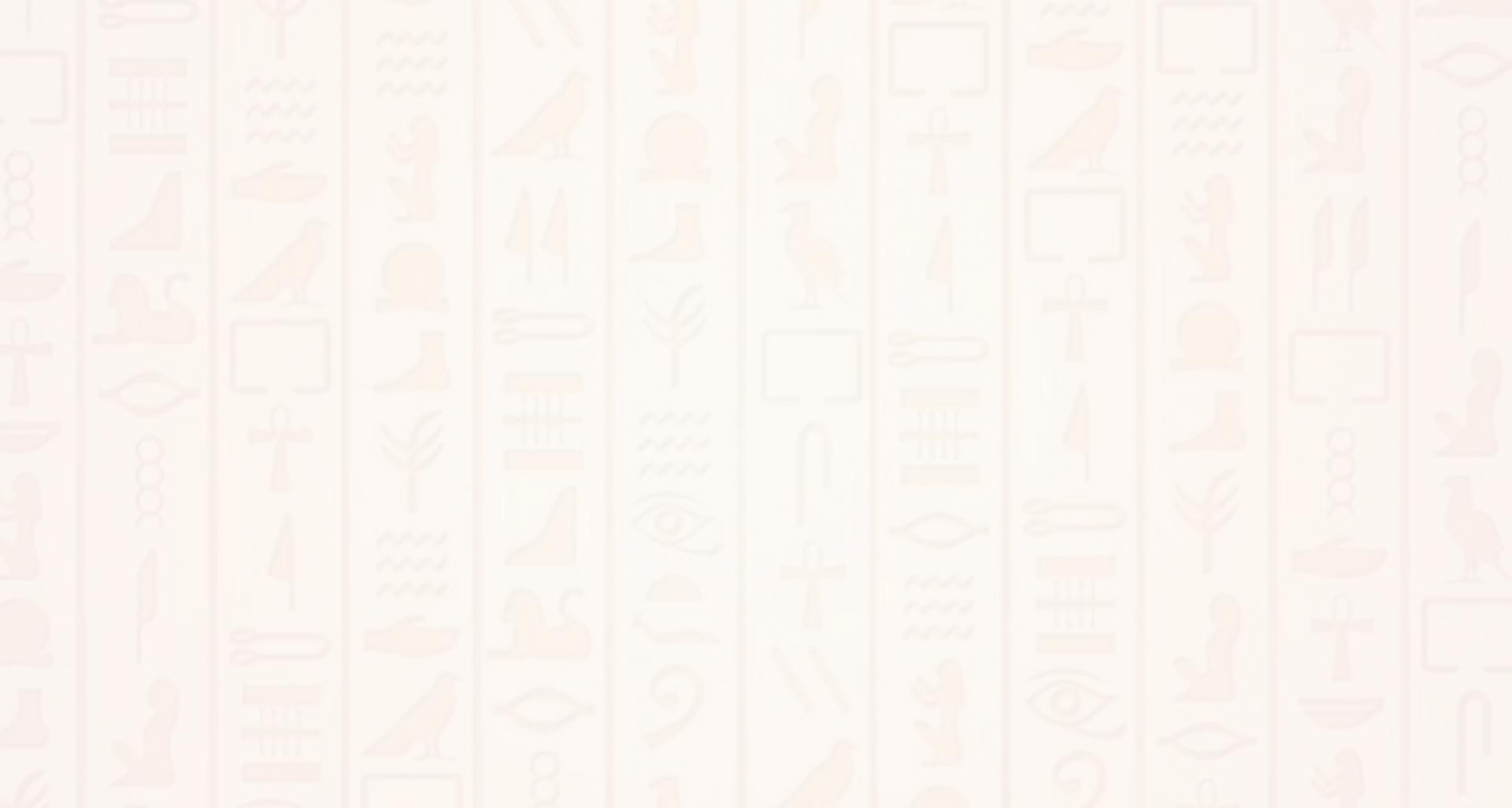


K-Means Clustering with PCA

[Discussion](#)



- Data: Random sample of 5299 rows of soil data + 5299 rows of lithic data
- Features used were the top 10 common parameters
- Three principal components
- We achieve good separation between soil and lithic data
- One misclassified point —> there is some lithic mixed in with the soil data



K-means

Binary Classification

Multiclass Classification

Methods & Results - Lazy Predict (all)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
LGBMClassifier	0.95	0.95	None	0.95	0.28
BaggingClassifier	0.94	0.94	None	0.94	1.09
RandomForestClassifier	0.93	0.93	None	0.93	1.99
SVC	0.92	0.92	None	0.92	1.60
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.92	0.92	None	0.92	0.21
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.92	0.92	None	0.92	0.72
AdaBoostClassifier	0.92	0.92	None	0.92	1.36
LabelSpreading	0.91	0.91	None	0.91	5.34
LabelPropagation	0.91	0.91	None	0.91	1.89
KNeighborsClassifier	0.91	0.91	None	0.91	0.43
CalibratedClassifierCV	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	3.17
LinearSVC	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	0.97
LogisticRegression	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	0.16
LinearDiscriminantAnalysis	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	0.15
RidgeClassifier	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	0.11
RidgeClassifierCV	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	0.10
NuSVC	0.88	0.88	None	0.88	4.63
ExtraTreeClassifier	0.88	0.88	None	0.88	0.06
SGDClassifier	0.88	0.88	None	0.88	0.09
Perceptron	0.87	0.87	None	0.87	0.06
PassiveAggressiveClassifier	0.83	0.83	None	0.83	0.07

Methods & Results - Lazy Predict

(experiment 9)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
AdaBoostClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.24
LGBMClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.39
RandomForestClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.68
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.59
SVC	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.84
BaggingClassifier	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.88
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.97	0.97	None	0.97	0.20
LabelPropagation	0.97	0.97	None	0.97	1.84
LabelSpreading	0.97	0.97	None	0.97	3.15
KNeighborsClassifier	0.97	0.97	None	0.97	0.40
LinearSVC	0.97	0.97	None	0.97	0.47
CalibratedClassifierCV	0.97	0.97	None	0.97	1.67
LogisticRegression	0.96	0.96	None	0.96	0.15
SGDClassifier	0.96	0.96	None	0.96	0.10
Perceptron	0.96	0.96	None	0.96	0.06
LinearDiscriminantAnalysis	0.96	0.96	None	0.96	0.15
RidgeClassifier	0.96	0.96	None	0.96	0.07
RidgeClassifierCV	0.96	0.96	None	0.96	0.09
ExtraTreeClassifier	0.95	0.95	None	0.95	0.05
NuSVC	0.94	0.94	None	0.94	4.21
PassiveAggressiveClassifier	0.93	0.93	None	0.93	0.06

(Archaeological Soil)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
LGBMClassifier	0.89	0.89	None	0.89	0.55
RandomForestClassifier	0.88	0.88	None	0.88	2.22
BaggingClassifier	0.88	0.88	None	0.88	1.17
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.87	0.87	None	0.87	1.01
SVC	0.87	0.87	None	0.87	3.59
NuSVC	0.86	0.86	None	0.86	5.59
KNeighborsClassifier	0.86	0.86	None	0.86	0.65
LabelSpreading	0.85	0.85	None	0.85	3.26
LabelPropagation	0.85	0.85	None	0.85	2.60
AdaBoostClassifier	0.85	0.85	None	0.85	1.39
LinearSVC	0.85	0.85	None	0.85	1.20
RidgeClassifier	0.85	0.85	None	0.85	0.09
RidgeClassifierCV	0.85	0.85	None	0.85	0.10
CalibratedClassifierCV	0.84	0.84	None	0.84	4.84
LinearDiscriminantAnalysis	0.84	0.84	None	0.84	0.13
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.84	0.84	None	0.84	0.26
LogisticRegression	0.84	0.84	None	0.84	0.16
SGDClassifier	0.83	0.83	None	0.83	0.13
Perceptron	0.83	0.83	None	0.83	0.07
ExtraTreeClassifier	0.82	0.82	None	0.82	0.06
PassiveAggressiveClassifier	0.80	0.80	None	0.80	0.07

Lazy Predict

Top Performing Models

Feature Importance

Selected Features

Methods & Results - Lazy Predict (Experiment 9)

(experiment 9 - 0.125mm)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
LGBMClassifier	1.00	1.00	None	1.00	0.22
AdaBoostClassifier	1.00	1.00	None	1.00	1.45
RandomForestClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.70
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.55
BaggingClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.90
SVC	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.90
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.19

(experiment 9 - 0.25mm)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
AdaBoostClassifier	1.00	1.00	None	1.00	1.33
LGBMClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.22
SVC	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.73
RandomForestClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.81
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.59
KNeighborsClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.51
BaggingClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.96
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.22
LabelPropagation	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	2.12
LabelSpreading	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	3.43

(experiment 9 - 0.5mm)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
AdaBoostClassifier	1.00	1.00	None	1.00	1.33
LGBMClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.25
RandomForestClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.80
BaggingClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.94
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.55
SVC	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.78

(experiment 9 - 1mm)

Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
LGBMClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.24
AdaBoostClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.38
RandomForestClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.83
BaggingClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.11
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.54
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.23
SVC	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.90
KNeighborsClassifier	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.48
LabelSpreading	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	3.74
LabelPropagation	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	2.47

(experiment 9 - 2&4mm)

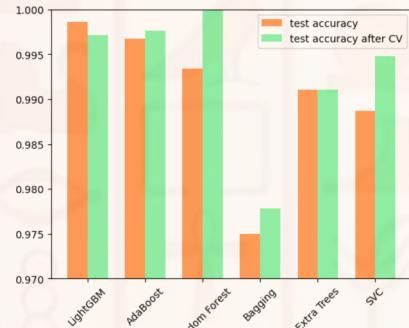
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LGBMClassifier	1.00	1.00	None	1.00	0.21
AdaBoostClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.40
RandomForestClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	1.67
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.46
BaggingClassifier	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.84
SVC	0.99	0.99	None	0.99	0.76
KNeighborsClassifier	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.48
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	0.18
LabelPropagation	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	2.29
LabelSpreading	0.98	0.98	None	0.98	3.24

Models

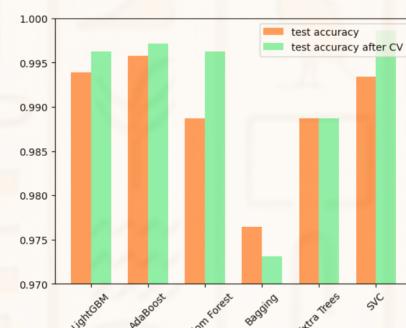
- Light Gradient Boosting Model (LGBM) classifier
- Random Forest Classifier
- Bagging Classifier
- Extra Trees Classifier
- Support Vector Classifier (SVC)
- Adaptive Boosting (AdaBoost) Classifier

Methods & Results - Accuracy (experiment 9)

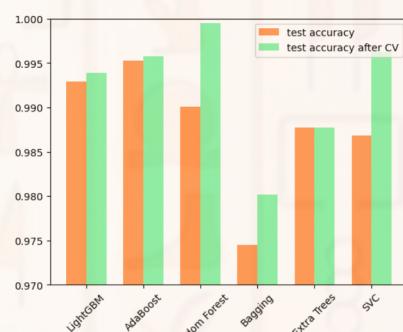
(experiment 9 - 0.125mm)



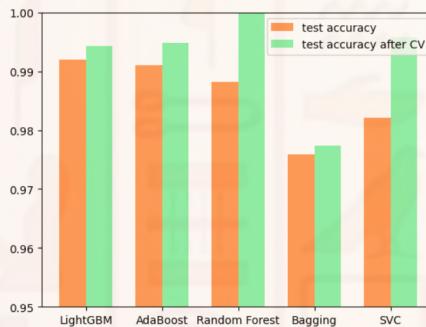
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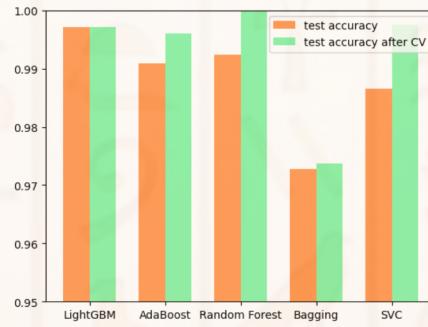
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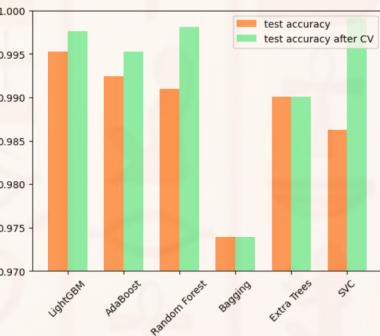
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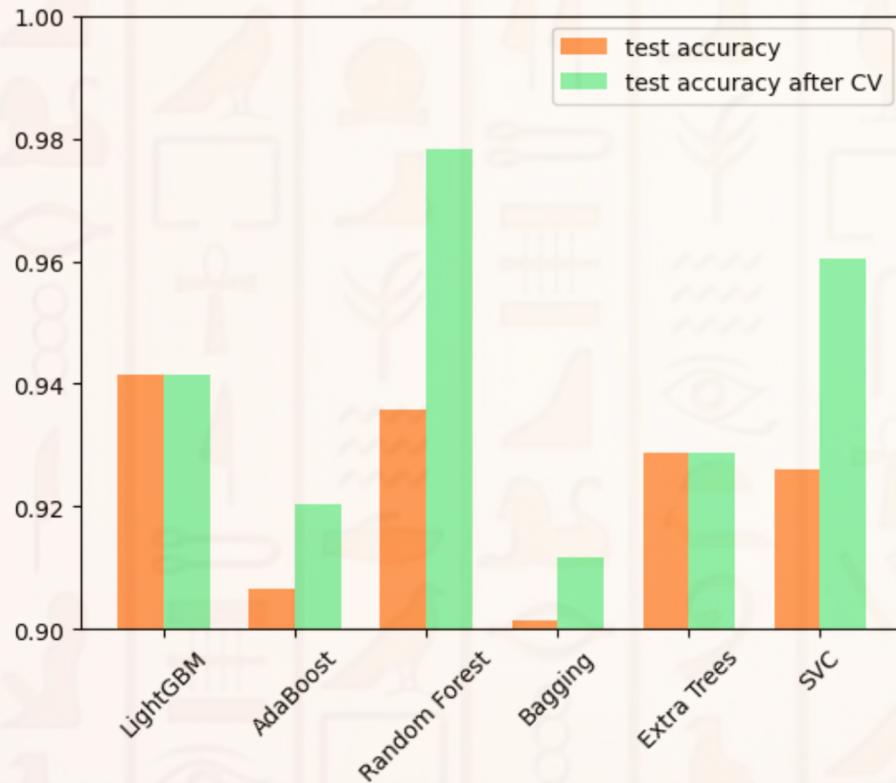
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(experiment 9 - 2&4mm)

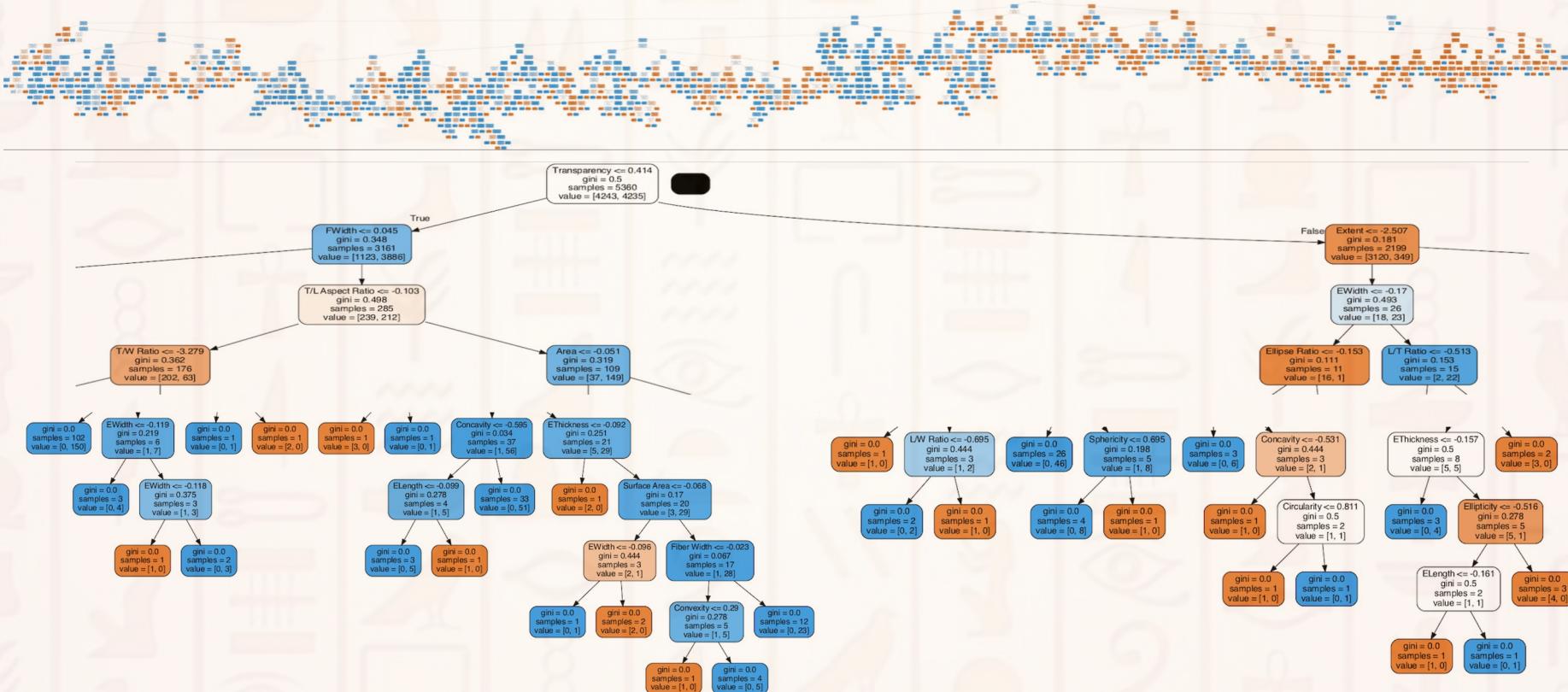


Methods & Results - Accuracy (all)



It appears that CV has a much larger effect on Random Forest compared to the other models → significant contributor to RF being the best model

Methods & Results - Plot Trees (ArchaeologicalSoil No.1)



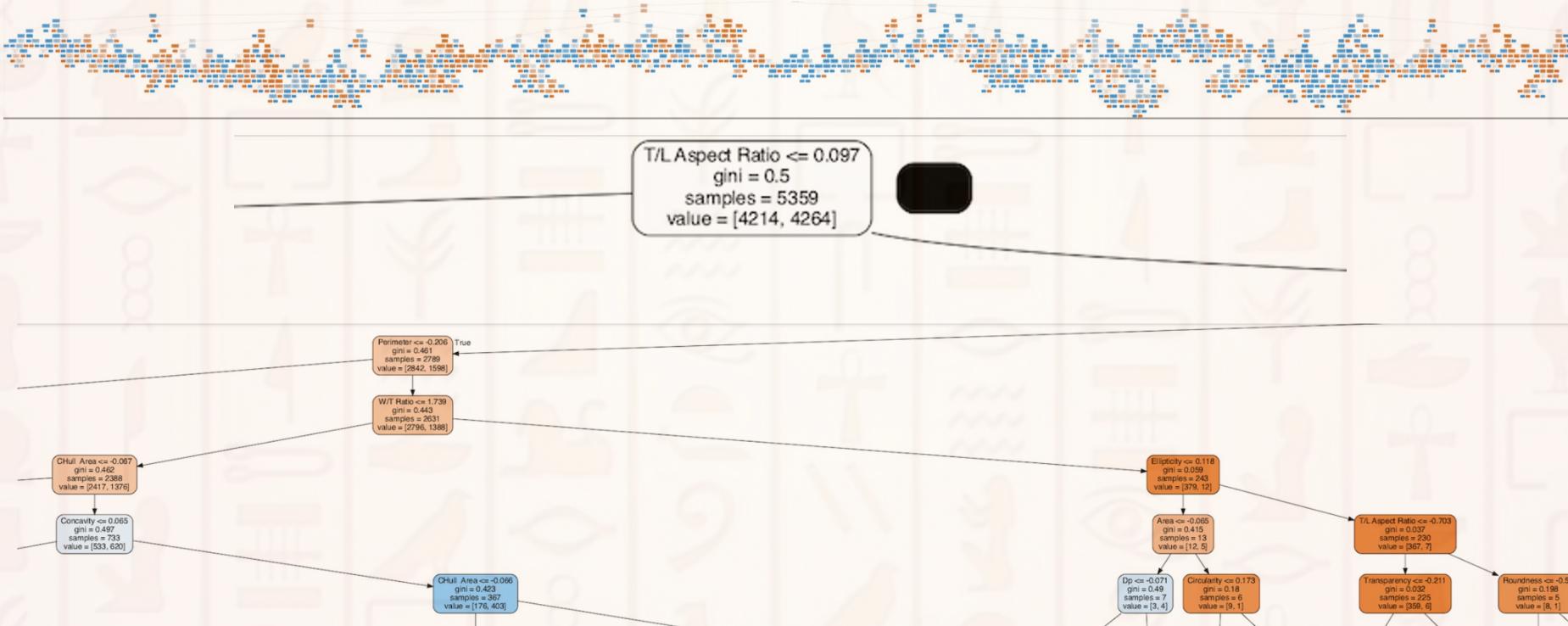
Lazy Predict

Top Performing Models

Feature Importance

Selected Features

Methods & Results - Plot Trees (ArchaeologicalSoil No.100)



Lazy Predict

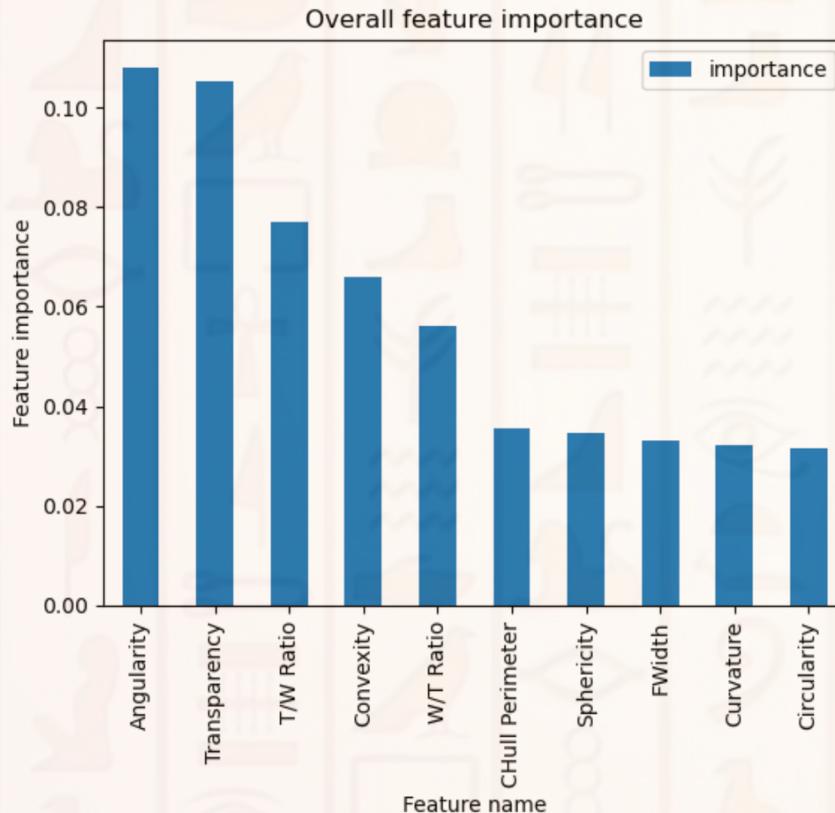
Top Performing Models

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Methods & Results - Feature Importance

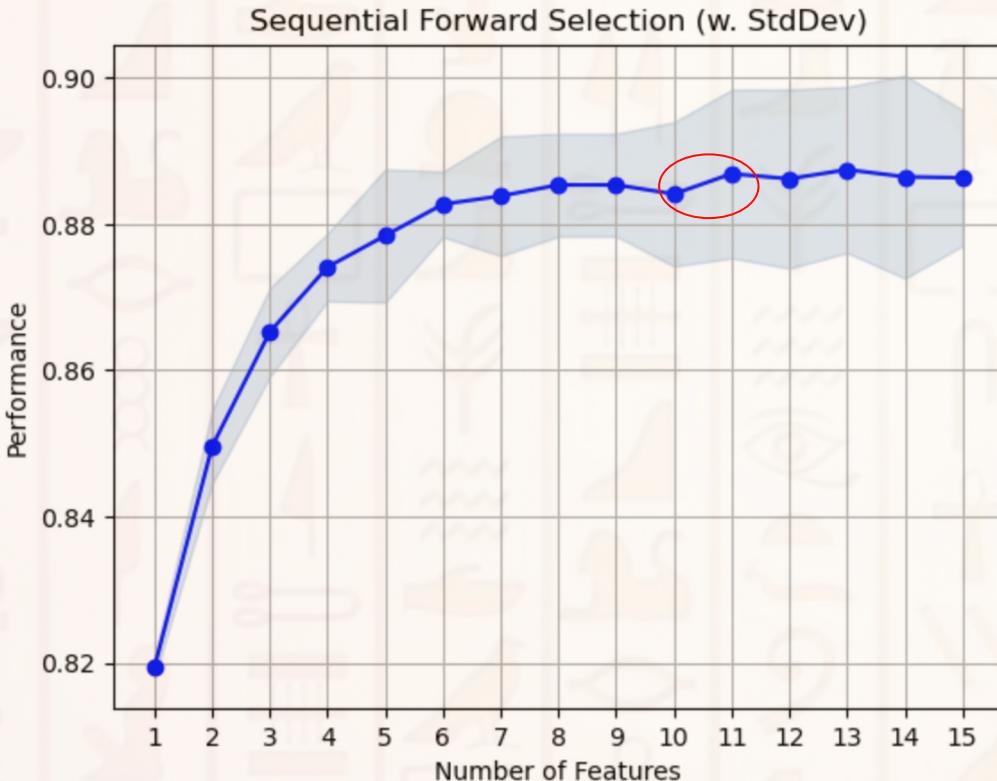
Variable Description
multi-class



The top 10 important features are, to some degree, different from the 10 commonly used parameters cited in the documentation → 4 features

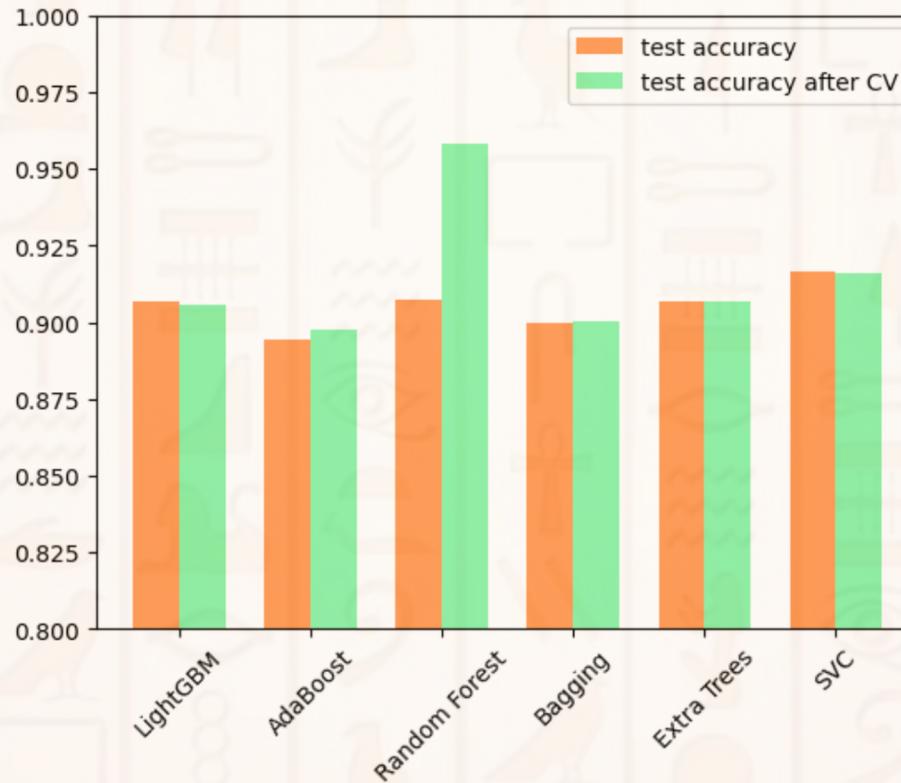
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W/L Aspect Ratio
L/W Aspect Ratio
FWidth
FThickness
Sphericity
Circularity
Convexity
Transparency

Performance for different number of Features



- Performance is still increasing at Features = 10 (line is not flat) → indicates more features are better
- This plot is for LGBM model, but this similar pattern is observed for all other tested models
- We did still achieve slightly better results using all features, rather than this subset

Methods & Results - Accuracy (Selected Features) (all)



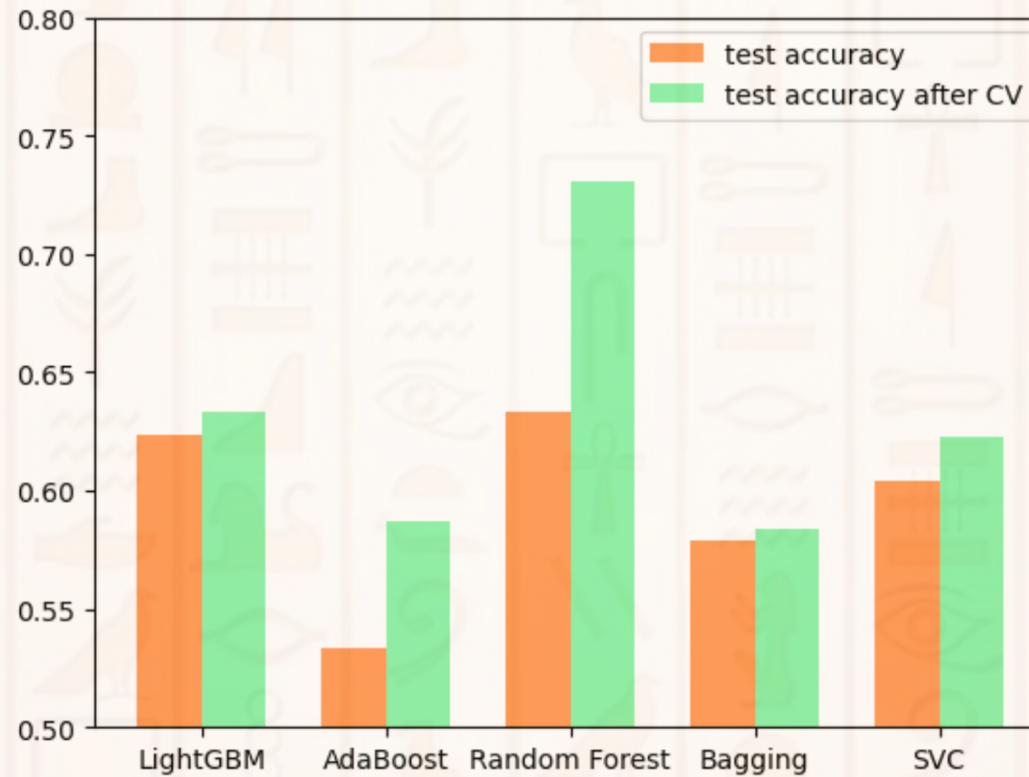
Methods & Results - Multi-class Classification (size)

Classes (4):

- 0.125mm
- 0.25mm
- 0.5mm
- >= 1mm (1mm & 2mm & 4mm)

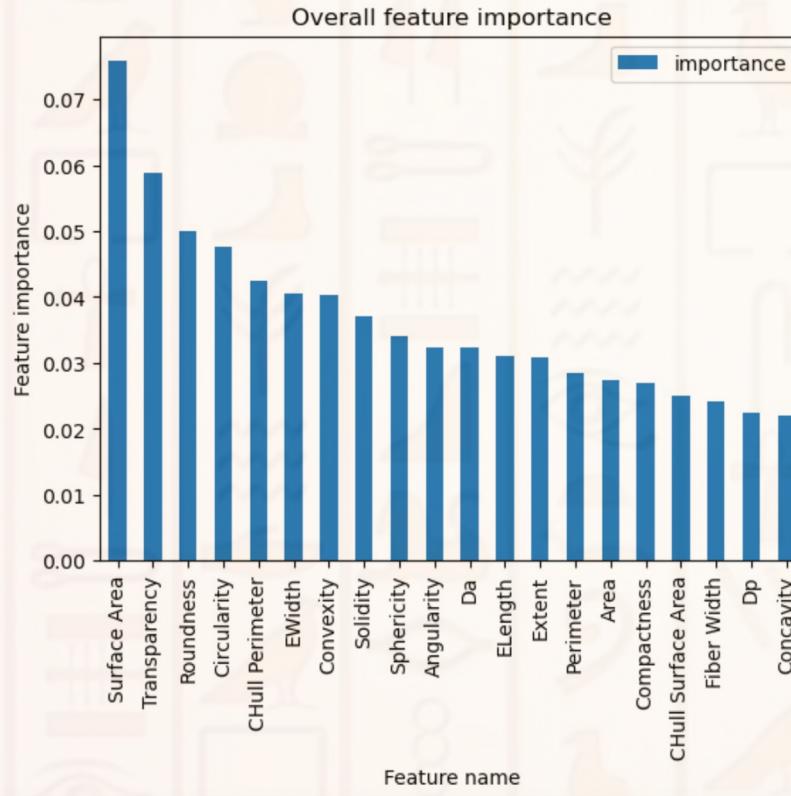
Model	Accuracy	Balanced Accuracy	ROC AUC	F1 Score	Time Taken
RandomForestClassifier	0.63	0.63	None	0.64	7.33
ExtraTreesClassifier	0.63	0.63	None	0.63	2.80
XGBClassifier	0.63	0.63	None	0.63	8.31
LGBMClassifier	0.62	0.62	None	0.63	1.22
BaggingClassifier	0.62	0.62	None	0.62	4.22
SVC	0.60	0.60	None	0.61	32.59
LinearSVC	0.58	0.58	None	0.58	12.70
NuSVC	0.58	0.58	None	0.58	56.69
LogisticRegression	0.57	0.57	None	0.58	0.70
CalibratedClassifierCV	0.57	0.57	None	0.57	47.84
DecisionTreeClassifier	0.57	0.57	None	0.57	0.71
QuadraticDiscriminantAnalysis	0.56	0.56	None	0.55	0.06
ExtraTreeClassifier	0.56	0.56	None	0.56	0.06
GaussianNB	0.55	0.55	None	0.54	0.06
LabelSpreading	0.55	0.55	None	0.55	22.19
LabelPropagation	0.55	0.55	None	0.55	14.05

Methods & Results - Multi-class Classification (size)



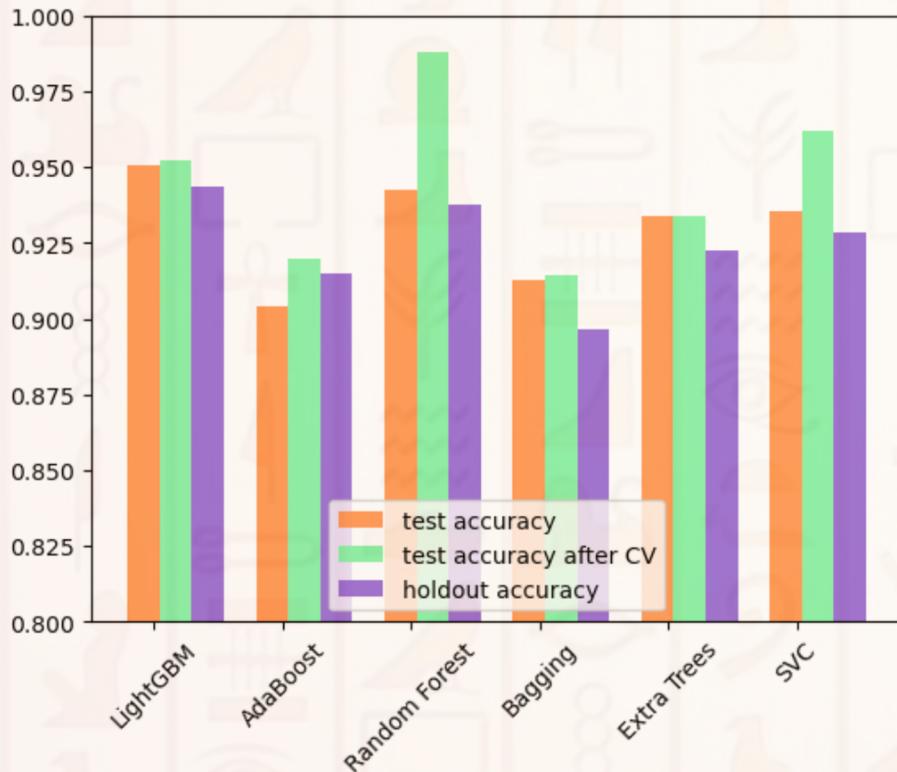
Methods & Results - Multi-class Classification (size)

[binary](#)



- Surface Area
- Transparency
- Roundness
- Circularity
- CHull Perimeter
- EWidth
- Convexity
- Solidity
- Sphericity
- Angularity

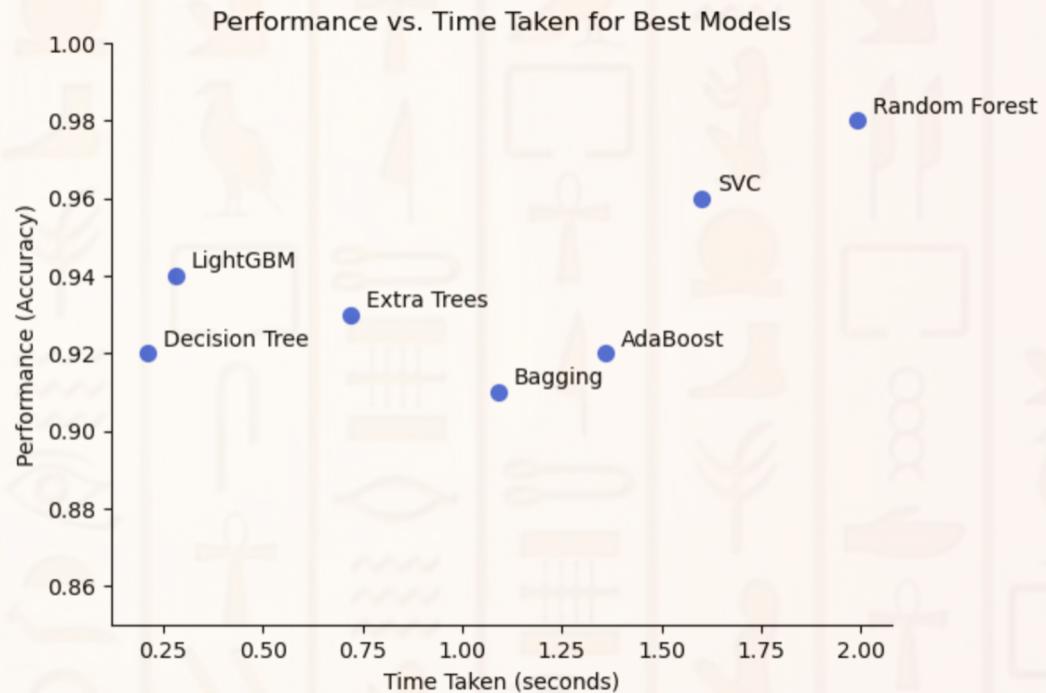
Discussion - Hold-out Set (all)



- LightGBM beats Random Forest on our holdout set for all combined data
- However, highest accuracy overall is still observed for Random Forest on the test set

Discussion - Results & Limitations

- **Random Forest** had the highest performance with all features after CV, with:
 - **100%** for experiment 9 data
 - **98.3%** for archaeological soil
 - **97.8%** for all of our data
combined
- And with selected features (top 10):
 - **100%** for experiment 9 data
 - **96.7%** for archaeological soil
 - **95.8%** for all of our data
combined
- We have a few other models that performed very similarly, most notable were **Decision Tree**, **LightGBM**, and **SVC**



Discussion - Next Steps

- Other sampling methods (extremely unbalanced data)
 - More training data of lithic
- Our variables were highly correlated which limited the models available to us (prior to dimension reduction)
- Edge cases
 - Much of the data is very distinctly stratified, so we need some more examples of edge cases
- Further exploration for our client:
 - Performance vs. Speed



Thank You

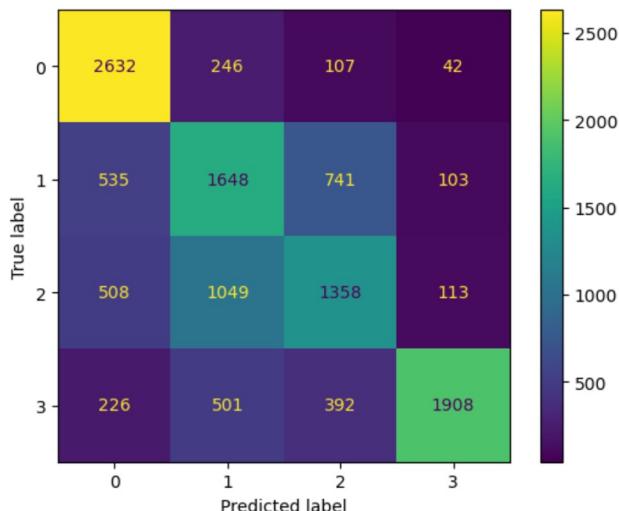
Q&A

Appendix - Multi-class Classification

Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.6232

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.67	0.87	0.76	3027
1	0.48	0.54	0.51	3027
2	0.52	0.45	0.48	3028
3	0.88	0.63	0.73	3027

	accuracy			
macro avg	0.64	0.62	0.62	12109
weighted avg	0.64	0.62	0.62	12109



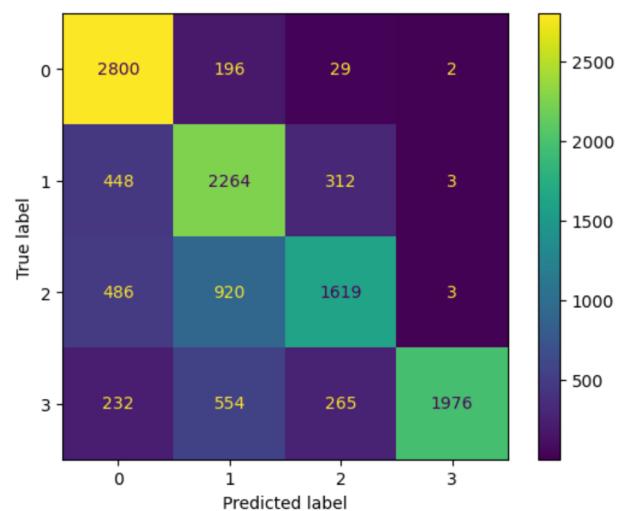
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.6041
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.7151

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.71	0.93	0.80	3027
1	0.58	0.75	0.65	3027
2	0.73	0.53	0.62	3028
3	1.00	0.65	0.79	3027

	accuracy			
macro avg	0.75	0.72	0.71	12109
weighted avg	0.75	0.72	0.71	12109

Best parameters:
'max_depth': 10,
'min_samples_split': 2
'n_estimators': 50

An arrow points from the text 'Best parameters:' towards the second confusion matrix.

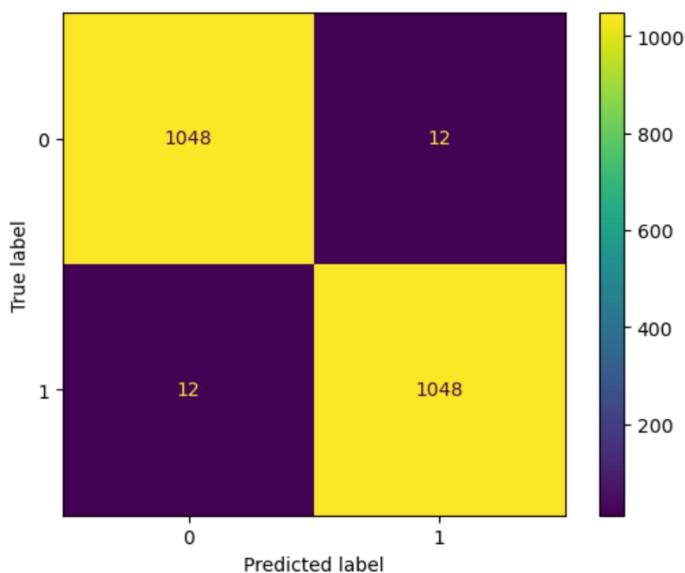


Appendix - 0.125mm undersampling

Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000

Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9887

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.99	0.99	0.99	1060
1	0.99	0.99	0.99	1060
accuracy			0.99	2120
macro avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2120
weighted avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2120

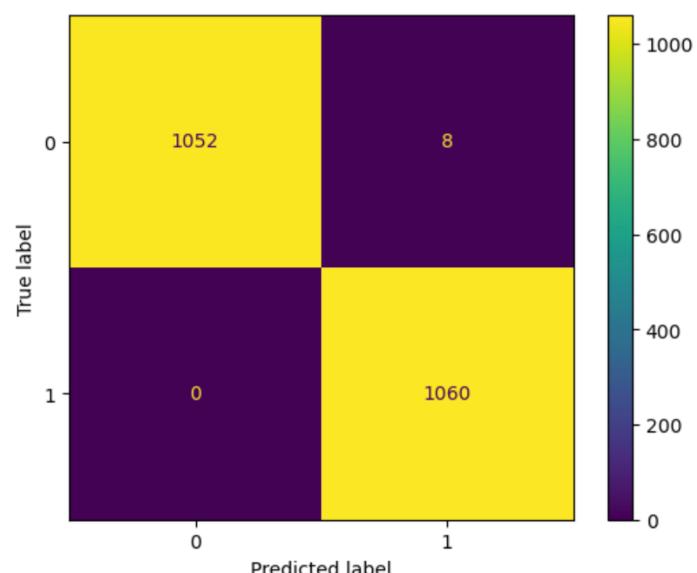


Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9812

Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9962

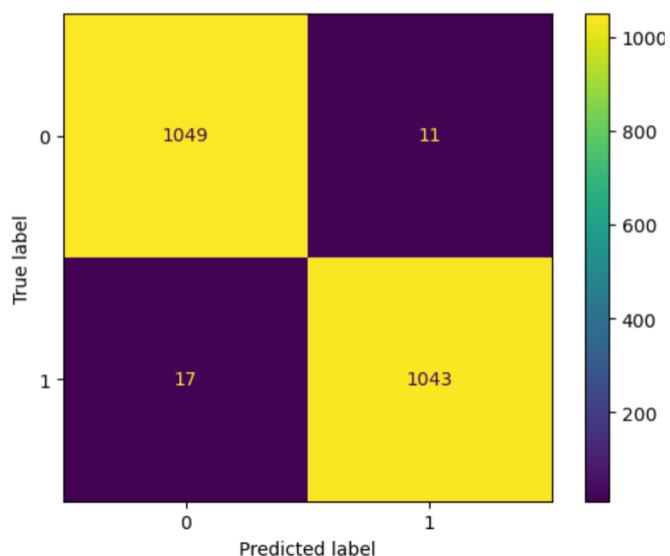
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	1.00	0.99	1.00	1060
1	0.99	1.00	1.00	1060
accuracy			1.00	2120
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2120
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2120

Best parameters:
'max_depth': 10,
'min_samples_split': 5
'n_estimators': 100



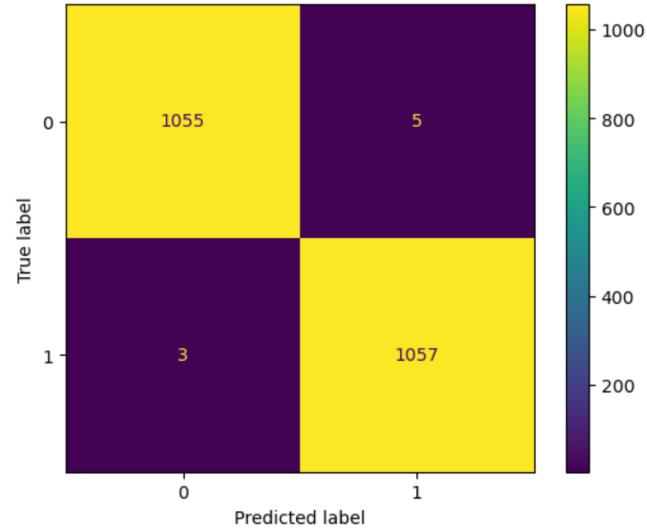
Appendix - 0.25mm undersampling

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.98	0.99	0.99	1060
1	0.99	0.98	0.99	1060
accuracy			0.99	2120
macro avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2120
weighted avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2120



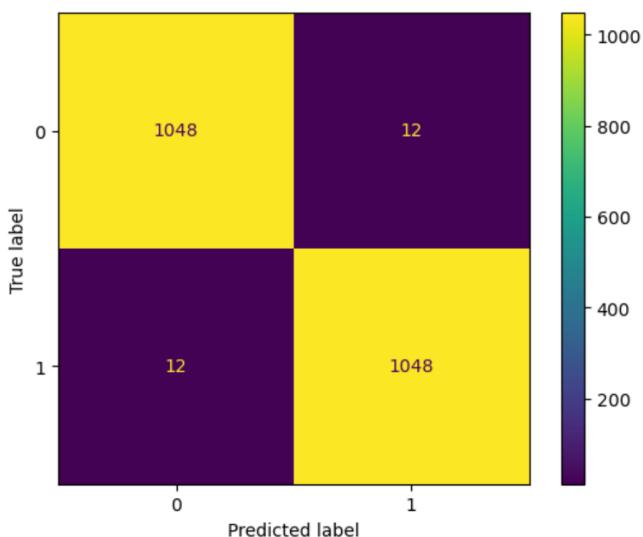
Best parameters:
'C': 10'
gamma': 0.1
'kernel': 'rbf'

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	1060
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	1060
accuracy				1.00
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2120
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2120



Appendix - 0.5mm undersampling

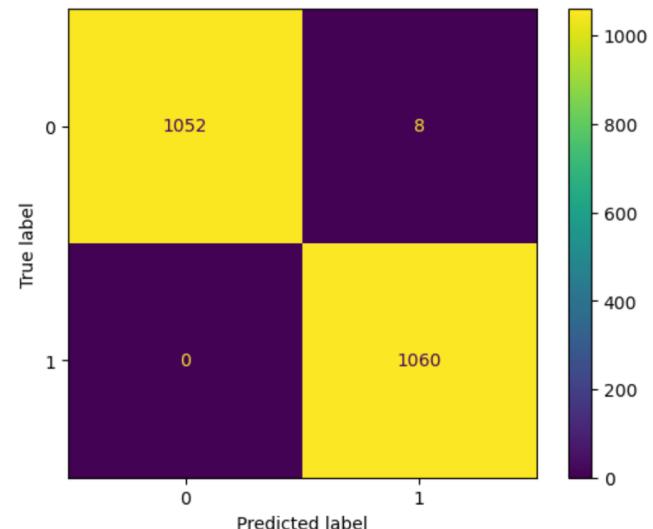
```
Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9887
precision    recall   f1-score  support
          0       0.99     0.99     0.99      1060
          1       0.99     0.99     0.99      1060
accuracy
macro avg       0.99     0.99     0.99      2120
weighted avg     0.99     0.99     0.99      2120
```



Best parameters:
'max_depth': 10,
'min_samples_split': 5
'n_estimators': 100

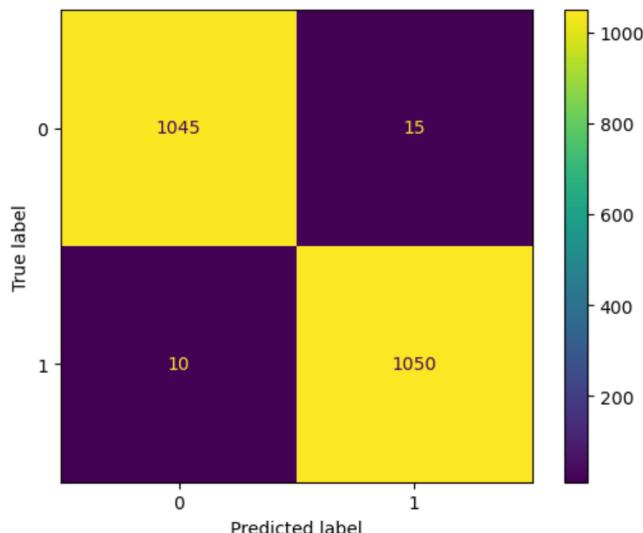


```
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9812
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9962
precision    recall   f1-score  support
          0       1.00     0.99     1.00      1060
          1       0.99     1.00     1.00      1060
accuracy
macro avg       1.00     1.00     1.00      2120
weighted avg     1.00     1.00     1.00      2120
```



Appendix - 1mm undersampling

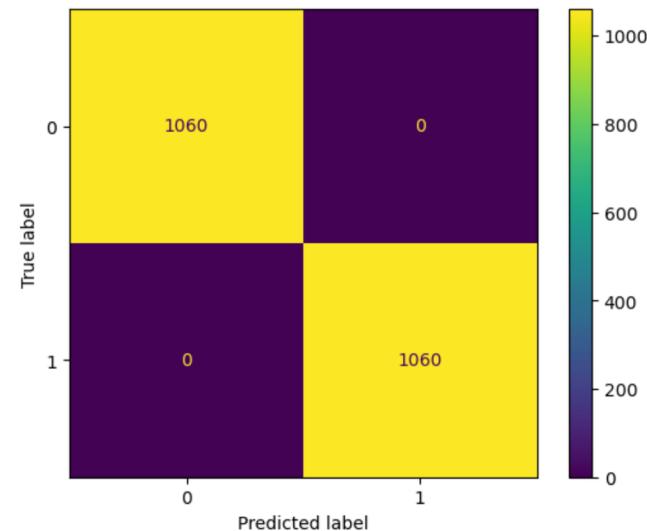
```
Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9882
      precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0         0.99     0.99     0.99     1060
          1         0.99     0.99     0.99     1060
accuracy
macro avg       0.99     0.99     0.99     2120
weighted avg    0.99     0.99     0.99     2120
```



Best parameters:
'max_depth': None,
'min_samples_split': 2
'n_estimators': 100



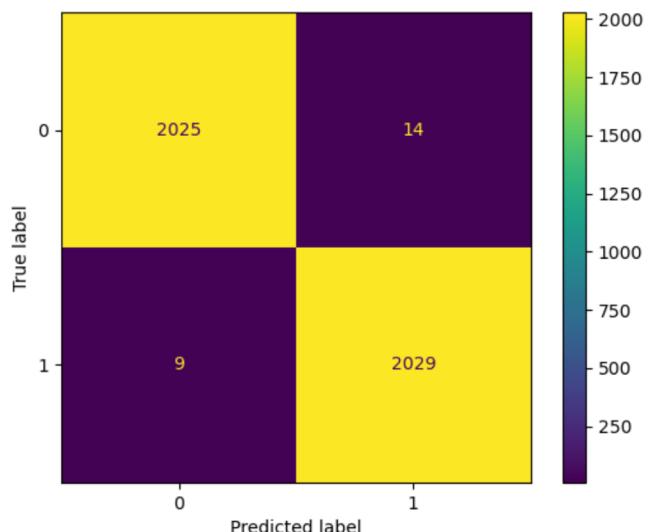
```
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9756
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 1.0000
      precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0         1.00     1.00     1.00     1060
          1         1.00     1.00     1.00     1060
accuracy
macro avg       1.00     1.00     1.00     2120
weighted avg    1.00     1.00     1.00     2120
```



Appendix - 1mm oversampling

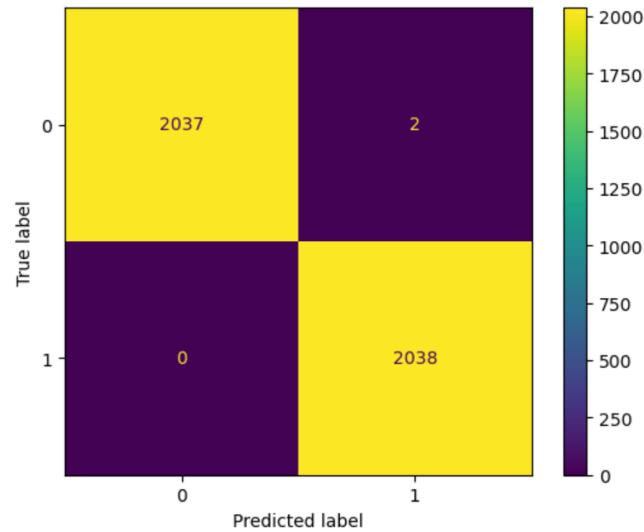
```
Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9944
precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0       1.00      0.99      0.99     2039
          1       0.99      1.00      0.99     2038

accuracy      0.99
macro avg     0.99
weighted avg  0.99
```



```
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9825
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9995
precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0       1.00      1.00      1.00     2039
          1       1.00      1.00      1.00     2038

accuracy      1.00
macro avg     1.00
weighted avg  1.00
```

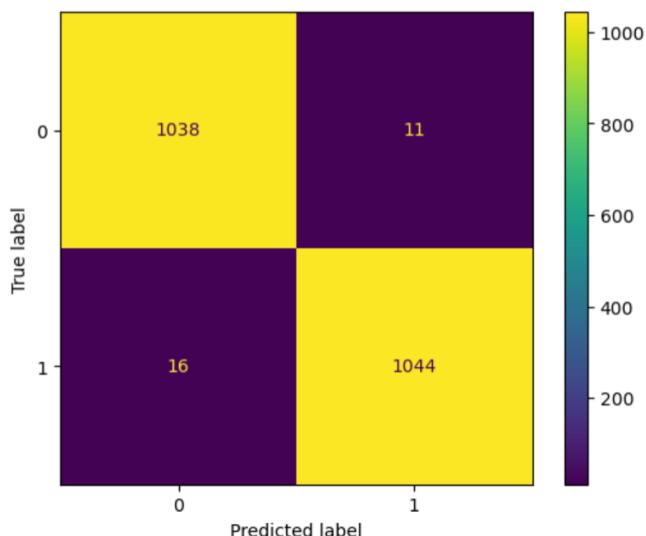


Best parameters:
'max_depth': None,
'min_samples_split': 5
'n_estimators': 100

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Appendix - 2&4mm SMOTETomek

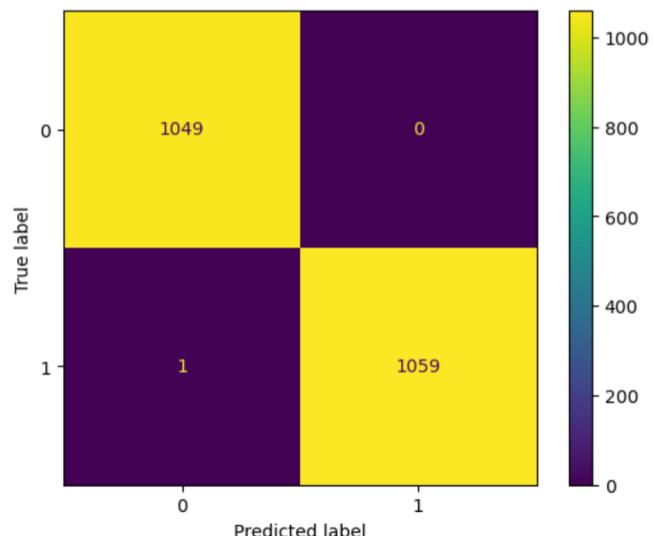
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.98	0.99	0.99	1049
1	0.99	0.98	0.99	1060
accuracy			0.99	2109
macro avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2109
weighted avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2109



Best parameters:
'C': 10'
gamma': 0.1
'kernel': 'rbf'

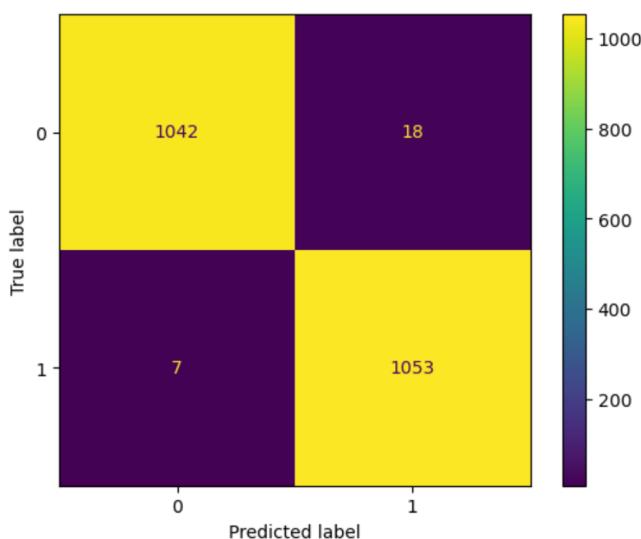


	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	1049
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	1060
accuracy				1.00
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2109
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2109



Appendix - Experiment 9

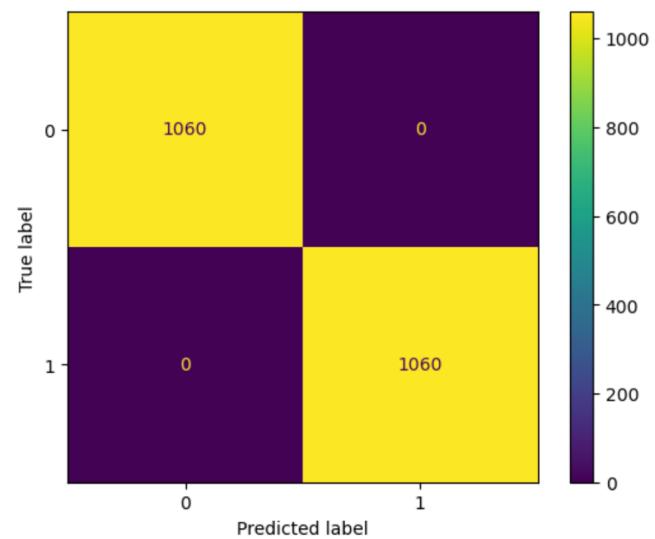
```
Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9882
      precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0       0.99     0.98     0.99     1060
          1       0.98     0.99     0.99     1060
accuracy
macro avg       0.99     0.99     0.99     2120
weighted avg     0.99     0.99     0.99     2120
```



Best parameters:
'max_depth': None,
'min_samples_split': 5
'n_estimators': 100



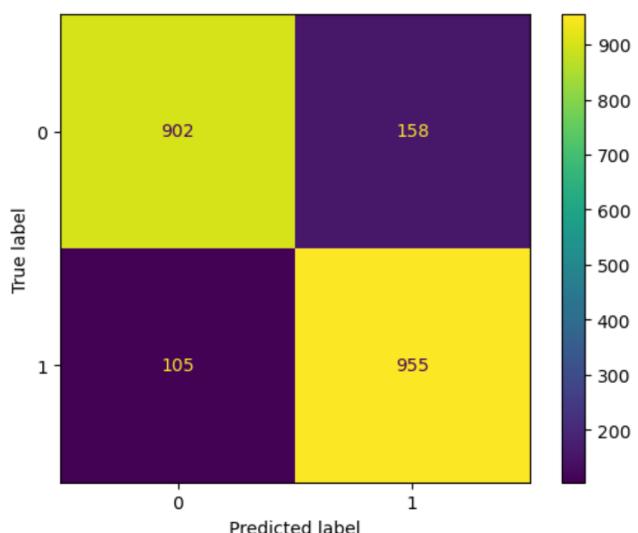
```
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9781
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 1.0000
      precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0       1.00     1.00     1.00     1060
          1       1.00     1.00     1.00     1060
accuracy
macro avg       1.00     1.00     1.00     2120
weighted avg     1.00     1.00     1.00     2120
```



Appendix - Archaeological Soil

Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 0.9881
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.8759

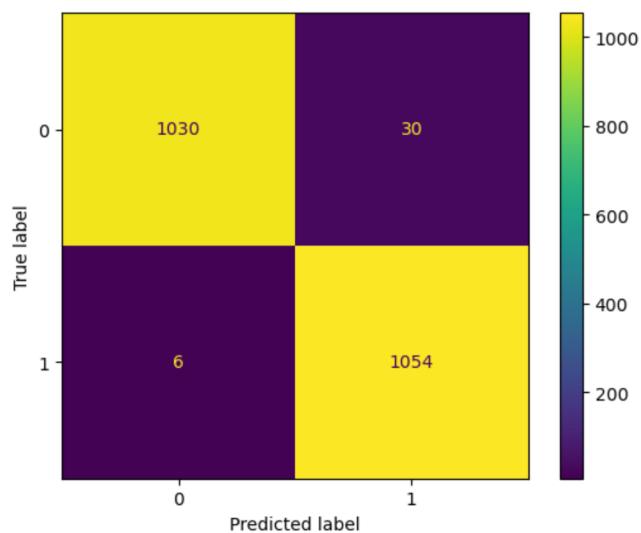
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.90	0.85	0.87	1060
1	0.86	0.90	0.88	1060
accuracy			0.88	2120
macro avg	0.88	0.88	0.88	2120
weighted avg	0.88	0.88	0.88	2120



Best parameters:
'max_depth': None,
'min_samples_split': 5
'n_estimators': 100

Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.8653
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9830

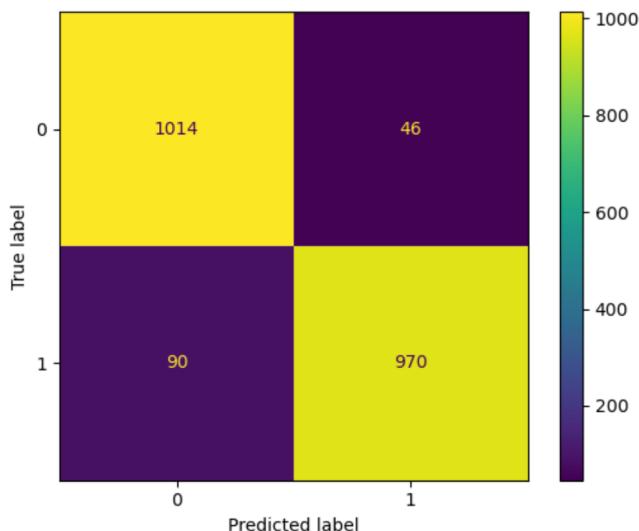
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.99	0.97	0.98	1060
1	0.97	0.99	0.98	1060
accuracy			0.98	2120
macro avg	0.98	0.98	0.98	2120
weighted avg	0.98	0.98	0.98	2120



Appendix - all

Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 0.9932
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9358

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.92	0.96	0.94	1060
1	0.95	0.92	0.93	1060
accuracy			0.94	2120
macro avg	0.94	0.94	0.94	2120
weighted avg	0.94	0.94	0.94	2120

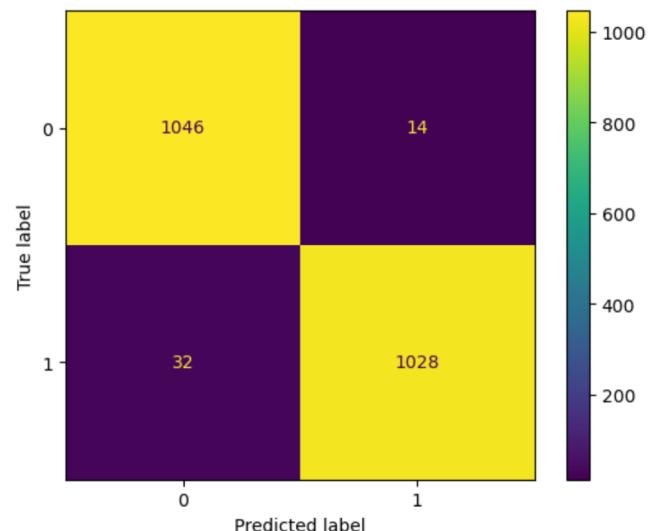


Best parameters:
'max_depth': None,
'min_samples_split': 5
'n_estimators': 100



Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9150
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9783

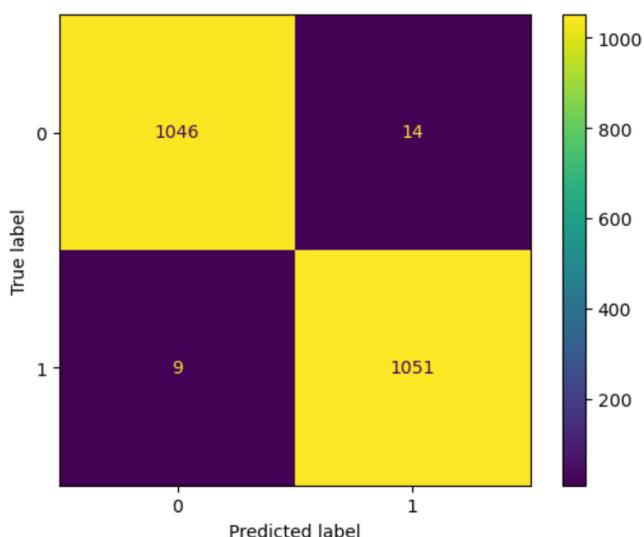
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.97	0.99	0.98	1060
1	0.99	0.97	0.98	1060
accuracy			0.98	2120
macro avg	0.98	0.98	0.98	2120
weighted avg	0.98	0.98	0.98	2120



Appendix - Selected Features (Experiment 9)

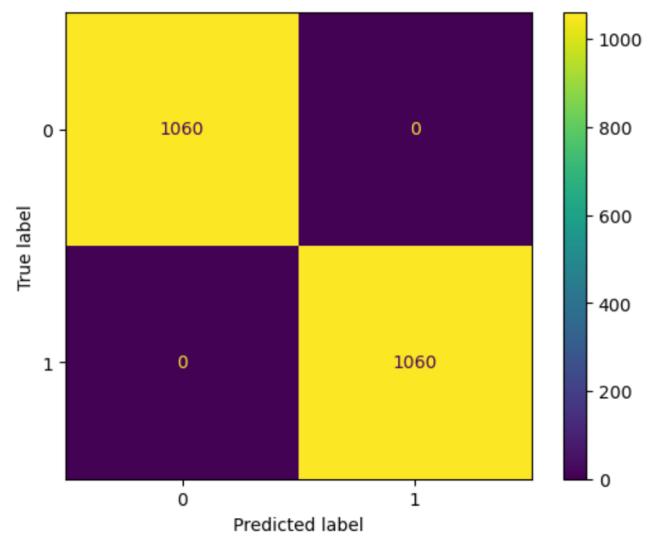
Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 1.0000
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9892

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.99	0.99	0.99	1060
1	0.99	0.99	0.99	1060
accuracy			0.99	2120
macro avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2120
weighted avg	0.99	0.99	0.99	2120



Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.9785
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 1.0000

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	1.00	1.00	1.00	1060
1	1.00	1.00	1.00	1060
accuracy				2120
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2120
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	2120



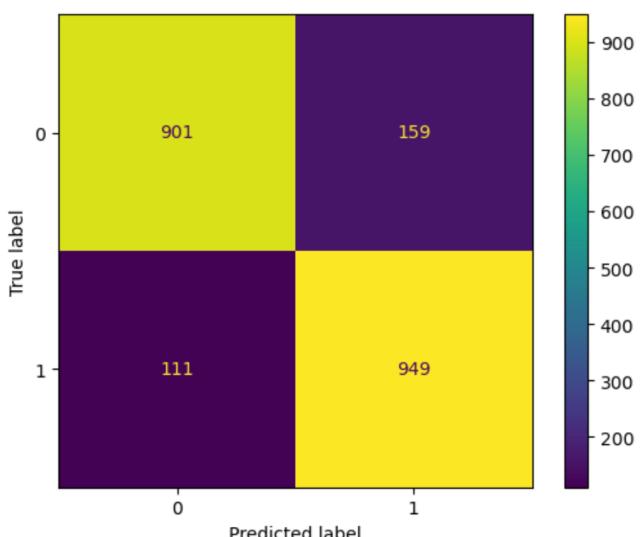
Best parameters:
'max_depth': 10,
'min_samples_split': 2
'n_estimators': 100



Appendix - Selected Features (Archaeological Soil)

Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 0.9881
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.8726

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.89	0.85	0.87	1060
1	0.86	0.90	0.88	1060
accuracy			0.87	2120
macro avg	0.87	0.87	0.87	2120
weighted avg	0.87	0.87	0.87	2120

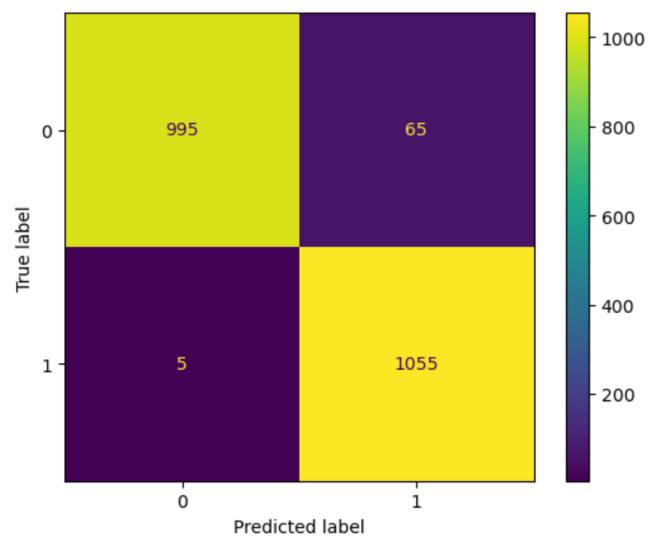


Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.8666
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9670

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.99	0.94	0.97	1060
1	0.94	1.00	0.97	1060
accuracy			0.97	2120
macro avg	0.97	0.97	0.97	2120
weighted avg	0.97	0.97	0.97	2120

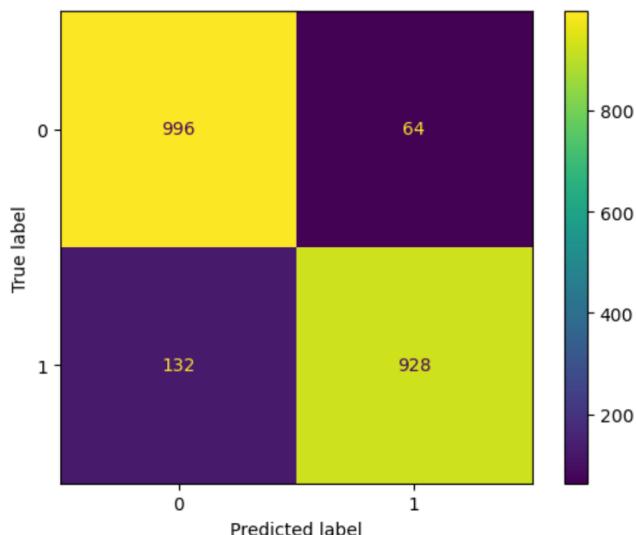
Best parameters:
'max_depth': 10,
'min_samples_split': 2
'n_estimators': 50

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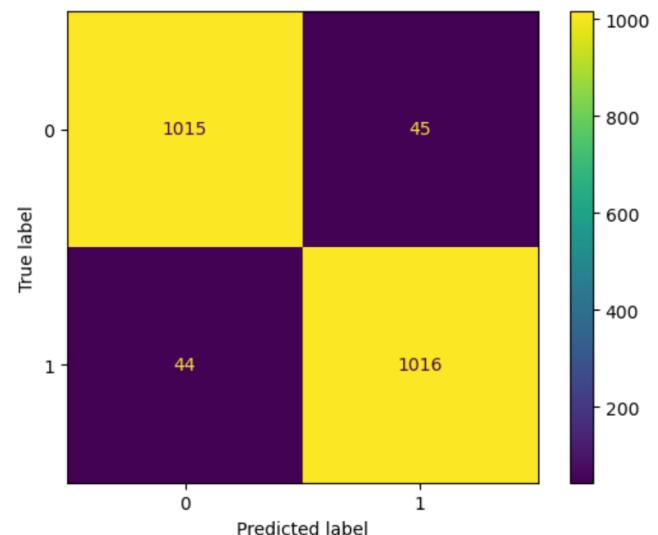
Appendix - Selected Features (all)

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Accuracy of RF classifier on training set: 0.9828
Accuracy of RF classifier on test set: 0.9075
precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0       0.88      0.94      0.91     1060
          1       0.94      0.88      0.90     1060
accuracy
macro avg       0.91      0.91      0.91    2120
weighted avg     0.91      0.91      0.91    2120
```



```
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on training set: 0.8947
Accuracy of Random Forest classifier on test set: 0.9580
precision    recall   f1-score   support
          0       0.96      0.96      0.96     1060
          1       0.96      0.96      0.96     1060
accuracy
macro avg       0.96      0.96      0.96    2120
weighted avg     0.96      0.96      0.96    2120
```

Best parameters:
'max_depth': 10,
'min_samples_split': 2
'n_estimators': 10



Appendix - Feature Descriptions

Listing of Microtrac Morphological Parameters by Primary Characterization Groups			
Size	Shape/Form	Surface Roughness	Intensity
D _a **	Sphericity**	Convexity**	Transparency**
D _p	Circularity**	Solidity	Curvature
FLength**	Roundness	Concavity	
FWidth**	Krumbein Roundness		
FThickness** (3D Only)	Extent		
ELength	Ellipse Ratio		
EWidth	W/L Aspect Ratio**		
EThickness (3D Only)	L/W Aspect Ratio**		
Actual Area	T/L Aspect Ratio (3D Only)		
Actual Perimeter	L/T Ratio (3D Only)		
Volume	T/W Ratio (3D Only)		
Surface Area	W/T Ratio (3D Only)		
CHull Area	Ellipticity		
CHull Perimeter			
CHull Surface Area	Angularity		
Sieve (3D Only)	Rectangularity (3D Only)		
Cylinder Diameter (3D Only)	Compactness		
Cylinder Length (3D Only)			
Fiber Length			
Fiber Width			

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EWidth	W/L Aspect Ratio**		
EThickness (3D Only)	L/W Aspect Ratio**		
Actual Area	T/L Aspect Ratio (3D Only)		
Actual Perimeter	L/T Ratio (3D Only)		
Volume	T/W Ratio (3D Only)		
Surface Area	W/T Ratio (3D Only)		
CHull Area	Ellipticity		
CHull Perimeter			
CHull Surface Area	Angularity		
Sieve (3D Only)	Rectangularity (3D Only)		
Cylinder Diameter (3D Only)	Compactness		
Cylinder Length (3D Only)			
Fiber Length			
Fiber Width			