



HONEYBEE PESTS & PATHOGENS IN ONTARIO APIARIES

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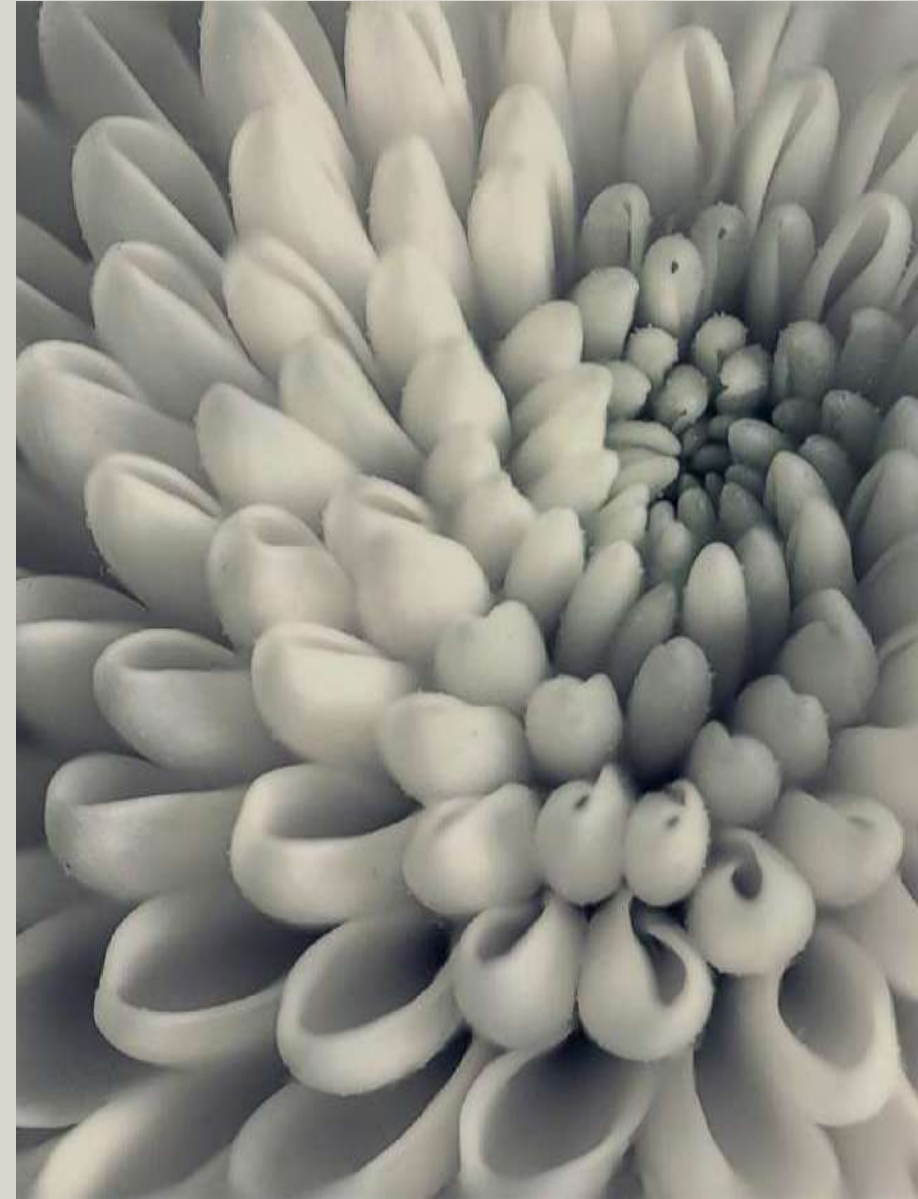
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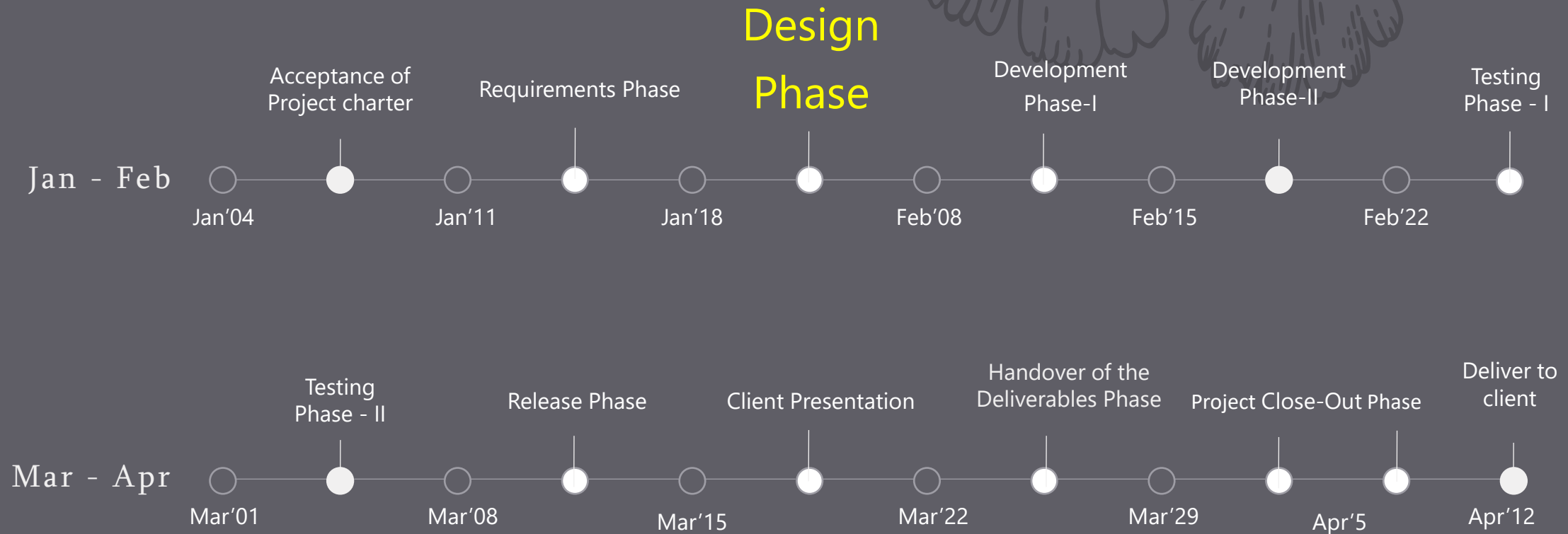


About project

To create a report and do a predictive analysis on pests and pathogens level in apiaries of honeybee in a particular province, Ontario. The prevalence and load (levels or intensity) of pathogens at various times during the beekeeping season was assessed.



Milestones



Weekly Status Reports Criteria

Date of Report: 01'February'2023

Date of Last Report: 25'January'2023

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Project Status: On Track





Activity Since Last Report:

- Issues or Challenges encountered this week and what was done to overcome them
- Communications
- Team Meetings
- Activities Completed This week
- Activities to be Completed Before Next Report

Issues or Challenges encountered this week and what was done to overcome them

Preliminary data analysis

We are using Microsoft Excel for cleaning and grouping of data.

Update(25'jan): We are using Python for data cleaning instead of doing manually in Excel.

Understanding outliers and cleaning the data is quite challenging.

Data of years 2017, 2018 and 2019 are considered.

Update(01'feb): no challenges





Communications

Weekly status meeting with Professor Rick Lambroff

Week – 1 (18'Jan'2023)

- Professor suggested to use Python for cleaning of dataset instead of doing it manually by Microsoft Excel
- Professor provided tutorial sites for ETL of data processing using Python

Week – 2 (25'Jan'2023)

- Professor provided tutorial sites for building a predictive model
- Professor suggested to learn these models and understand clustering algorithms

Team meetings

Date	Agenda	Budgeted hours	Attendees	Approval of previous minutes
25/01/2023	Weekly status update – week 2	0.15	1. Moganaviniith Rathinavel 2. Paras Kishorbhai Gangani 3. Ragavi Mudaliyar	Awaiting approval
18/01/2023	Weekly status update – week 1	0.15	1. Moganaviniith Rathinavel 2. Paras Kishorbhai Gangani 3. Ragavi Mudaliyar	Awaiting approval
07/12/2022	Final group project – submission of SharePoint link, project charter and project proposal	0.15	1. Moganaviniith Rathinavel 2. Paras Kishorbhai Gangani 3. Ragavi Mudaliyar	Awaiting approval
23/11/2022	Review of MRP SharePoint Site Follow-up	0.15	1. Moganaviniith Rathinavel 2. Paras Kishorbhai Gangani 3. Ragavi Mudaliyar	Awaiting approval
16/11/2022	Review of MRP SharePoint Site Follow-up	0.15	1. Moganaviniith Rathinavel 2. Paras Kishorbhai Gangani 3. Ragavi Mudaliyar	Awaiting approval
09/11/2022	Introductory Client meeting - Finalized project topic and dataset	0.15	1. Moganaviniith Rathinavel 2. Paras Kishorbhai Gangani 3. Ragavi Mudaliyar	Awaiting approval

Activities Completed This week

Preliminary data analysis

- Collected and securely stored the original data
- Using copies of the original data, clean and prepare the data for analysis
- The original data is available for the years 2017, 2018 and 2019
- Identifying outliers and data cleaning is completed for the year 2017 using Microsoft Excel
- **Update(25'Jan):** Going through tutorials for ETL of data cleaning instead of manual cleaning is in progress
- **Update(01'Feb):** Completed ETL tutorials and data cleaning for the years 2017, 2018, 2019

Datatypes of variables and missing values distribution for year 2019

```
# check datatype in each column
print("Column datatypes: ")
print(honeybee_2019.dtypes)
```

```
Column datatypes:
Monitoring Site          int64
Inspection Period        int64
Inspection Start Date    object
Collection Date          object
Region                  object
County                  object
Num. Colonies Inspected  float64
Num. Colonies - No AFB Found  float64
Num. Colonies with AFB (< 10 Cells) float64
Num. Colonies with AFB (10 or More Cells) float64
Num. Colonies - No EFB Found  float64
Num. Colonies with EFB (< 10 Cells) float64
Num. Colonies with EFB (10 or More Cells) float64
Num. Colonies - No Chalkbrood Found float64
Num. Colonies with Chalkbrood (< 10 Cells) float64
Num. Colonies with Chalkbrood (10 or More Cells) float64
Num. Colonies - No Sacbrood Found float64
Num. Colonies with Sacbrood (< 10 Cells) float64
Num. Colonies with Sacbrood (10 or More Cells) float64
Num. Colonies with SHB Adults (1-20) float64
Num. Colonies with SHB Adults (>20) float64
Num. Colonies with SHB Larvae (1-20) float64
Num. of Colonies with SHB Larvae (21-1/4cup) float64
Num. Colonies with SHB Larvae (>1/4 cup) float64
Average Varroa Infestation (%) float64
Max Varroa Infestation (%) float64
Num. Colonies - Queenless float64
Num. Colonies - Queenright float64
Num. Colonies - Queen Newly Installed float64
Num. Colonies - Virgin Queen float64
Num. Colonies - Queen Not Observed float64
% Colonies Queenless in Yard at Inspection object
Acute Bee Paralysis Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) - Average float64
Deformed Wing Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) - Average float64
Israeli Acute Paralysis Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) - Average float64
Nosema ceranae (log10 DNA copies/bee) - Average float64
Kashmir Bee Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) float64
Sacbrood Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) float64
Tracheal Mite Infestation (# bees infested per 25 bees tested) int64
dtype: object
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```
# examining missing values
print("Missing values distribution: ")
print(honeybee_2019.isnull().mean())
print("")
```

```
Missing values distribution:
Monitoring Site          0.000000
Inspection Period        0.000000
Inspection Start Date    0.010989
Collection Date          0.000000
Region                  0.000000
County                  0.000000
Num. Colonies Inspected  0.010989
Num. Colonies - No AFB Found  0.010989
Num. Colonies with AFB (< 10 Cells) 1.000000
Num. Colonies with AFB (10 or More Cells) 1.000000
Num. Colonies - No EFB Found  0.010989
Num. Colonies with EFB (< 10 Cells) 0.989011
Num. Colonies with EFB (10 or More Cells) 1.000000
Num. Colonies - No Chalkbrood Found 0.010989
Num. Colonies with Chalkbrood (< 10 Cells) 0.901099
Num. Colonies with Chalkbrood (10 or More Cells) 0.802198
Num. Colonies - No Sacbrood Found 0.010989
Num. Colonies with Sacbrood (< 10 Cells) 0.989011
Num. Colonies with Sacbrood (10 or More Cells) 0.989011
Num. Colonies with SHB Adults (1-20) 1.000000
Num. Colonies with SHB Adults (>20) 1.000000
Num. Colonies with SHB Larvae (1-20) 1.000000
Num. of Colonies with SHB Larvae (21-1/4cup) 1.000000
Num. Colonies with SHB Larvae (>1/4 cup) 1.000000
Average Varroa Infestation (%) 0.010989
Max Varroa Infestation (%) 0.010989
Num. Colonies - Queenless 0.813187
Num. Colonies - Queenright 0.010989
Num. Colonies - Queen Newly Installed 0.934066
Num. Colonies - Virgin Queen 0.945055
Num. Colonies - Queen Not Observed 1.000000
% Colonies Queenless in Yard at Inspection 0.010989
Acute Bee Paralysis Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) - Average 0.000000
Deformed Wing Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) - Average 0.000000
Israeli Acute Paralysis Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) - Average 0.000000
Nosema ceranae (log10 DNA copies/bee) - Average 0.000000
Kashmir Bee Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) 0.000000
Sacbrood Virus (log10 RNA copies/bee) 0.000000
Tracheal Mite Infestation (# bees infested per 25 bees tested) 0.000000
dtype: float64
```

Cleaning Dataset - 2019

```
# cleaning the column outliers
columns = ['Num. Colonies with Chalkbrood (< 10 Cells)', 'Num. Colonies with Chalkbrood (10 or More Cells)',
          'Num. Colonies - Queenless', 'Num. Colonies - Queen Newly Installed', 'Num. Colonies - Virgin Queen']

# Looping through the columns to fill the entries with NaN values with 0
for column in columns:
    df[column] = df[column].fillna(0)
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```
# Convert the dictionary into DataFrame
df = pd.DataFrame(honeybee_2019)
# Remove columns with no values
df = df.drop(['Num. Colonies with AFB (< 10 Cells)', 'Num. Colonies with AFB (10 or More Cells)',
             'Num. Colonies with EFB (< 10 Cells)', 'Num. Colonies with EFB (10 or More Cells)',
             'Num. Colonies with Sacbrood (< 10 Cells)', 'Num. Colonies with Sacbrood (10 or More Cells)',
             'Num. Colonies with SHB Adults (1-20)', 'Num. Colonies with SHB Adults (>20)', 'Num. Colonies with SHB Larvae (1-20)',
             'Num. of Colonies with SHB Larvae (21-1/4cup)', 'Num. Colonies with SHB Larvae (>1/4 cup)',
             'Num. Colonies - Queen Not Observed'], axis=1)
```

df.head()

	Monitoring Site	Inspection Period	Inspection Start Date	Collection Date	Region	County	Num. Colonies Inspected	Num. Colonies - No AFB Found	Num. Colonies - No EFB Found	Num. Colonies - No Chalkbrood Found	...	Num. Colonies - Queen Newly Installed	Num. Colonies - Virgin Queen	% Colonies Queenless in Yard at Inspection	Acute Paralysis (log10 F copies/t - Average)
0	1	1	06-27-19	2019-06-27	East	LENNOX & ADDINGTON COUNTY	6.0	6.0	6.0	3.0	...	0.0	0.0	0%	0.
1	1	2	08-29-19	2019-08-29	East	LENNOX & ADDINGTON COUNTY	6.0	6.0	6.0	1.0	...	0.0	0.0	16.7%	0.
2	1	3	09-24-19	2019-09-24	East	LENNOX & ADDINGTON COUNTY	6.0	6.0	6.0	3.0	...	0.0	0.0	0%	0.
3	2	1	06-11-19	2019-06-11	South	HALTON REGION	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	...	0.0	0.0	0%	0.
4	2	2	08-12-19	2019-08-12	South	HALTON REGION	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	...	0.0	0.0	0%	6.

5 rows × 27 columns



Activities to be Completed Before Next Report

- Preliminary data analysis is to be completed for all the years 2017, 2018 and 2019
- Securely store the cleaned data using naming conventions and version controls
- Identify the databases, languages to be used and develop a functional flow of the project
- **Update(25'Jan):** Data cleaning using ETL python will be completed for all the datasets of years 2017, 2018 and 2019
- **Update(01'Feb):** Understanding predictive models and find a suitable predictive model for our project



Thank you