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Milestone 4











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2015 to 2020 Strategy

Colgate's 2015 to 2020 Sustainability Strategy maintains our emphasis on People, Performance and Planet with focused, measurable goals that align with the Company's business objectives.



^{1 15%} risk reduction will be measured considering a 2013 baseline, using the Global Health Risk Assessment tool, available to countries with 100 or more employees,

² The performance results will be based on representative new products and product updates evaluated against comparable Colgate products, considering a 2015 baseline, across seven impact areas to characterize likely improvement in the sustainability profile, based on review of quantitative and qualitative data.

³ Packages meeting all three criteria are considered recyclable: 1) the package is made of a material that is widely accepted for recycling, 2) the package can be separated into material(s) that can be recycled, and 3) the package material can be reprocessed into a preferred valuable feedstock.

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Questions To Answer -

Why Colgate-Palmolive?

Luck of the alphabet. This project was the offshoot of another project that labeled Indonesia as an area ready for environmental change. So I looked into companies operating in Indonesia.

What is deforestation?

Deforestation refers to the cutting, clearing, and removal of rainforest or related ecosystems into less bio-diverse ecosystems such as pasture, cropland, or plantations.

What has been Colgate's efforts?

In 2013 a self imposed NDPE policy[^]
Throughout 2016 -2018 there were several attempts by
Several NGOs, Greenpeace and RSPO* to get the big
Consumer brands and palm oil traders on the same side.
Finally in 2018 Greenpeace challenged leading consumer brands to demonstrate their progress towards responsible sourcing by revealing the mills that produced their palm oil and the names of the producer groups that controlled those mills

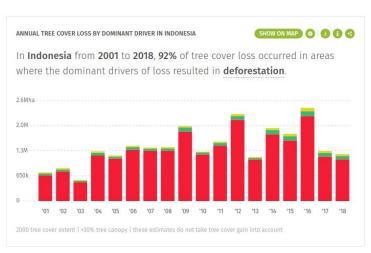




Initial Hypothesis -

Too many different sources of data all indicate the same thing. That the level of deforestation in Indonesia has not dropped despite claims by multinational firms to the contrary.

Looking at the graph on the right, you can see that even with a dramatic drop off from 2016, the level of tree cover loss still resulted in a doubling in deforestation from 2001 to 2018.



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Section 3: Data Analysis Approach

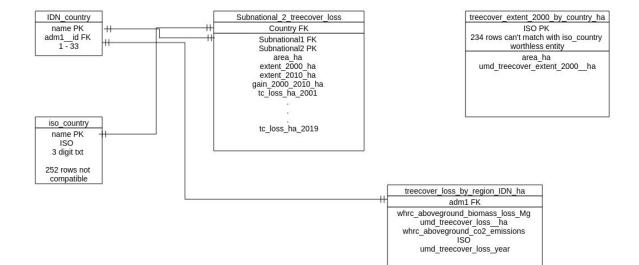
- Multiple ways were needed to explain what was seen when looking at the numbers, and I had to organize the numbers so the data was easy to get to and not the way it was presented to me.
- There are 33 provinces in the country of Indonesia. The data I have covers the years 2001 2018, the
 most current release of data. There are 3 columns of data; whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg,
 whrc_aboveground_co2_emissions, umd_treecover_loss_ha. To decipher this, whrc Woods Hole
 Research Center, Mg Millions of gallons, umd University of Maryland, ha hectares
- To look for a trend a started doing a single regression of the whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg
 against Years for each individual province
- I still needed to see something graphic so I went to app.rawgraphs.io and used a Circle Packing Graph to draw out the levels of differences in aboveground_biomass_loss over the 18 years and see if any trends caught my eye.
- Finally I ran a Multiple regression of all three columns of data against Years

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Technical Challenges -

- Surprisingly not SQL friendly. It's not that there was a lot of missing data or malformed data, it was the way it was structured/formatted and the volume of different sources.
- It took time to come up with a working ERD diagram, and then I ended up using only half.
- It was hard to remain impartial and non-judgmental especially after wasting a couple of days falling down a "rabbit hole". But it was information worth learning.
- The list of country codes does not match the ISO country listing so you can't have any Key relationship
- I had to create a reusable block of SQL code that I could run on my one table that had good data treecover_loss_by_region_IDN_ha, to come up with a viable set of 33 pandas dataframes to use throughout this project

Technical Challenges - ERD



Technical Challenges

treecover_loss_by_region_IDN_ha
adm1 FK
hrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg umd_treecover_lossha whrc_aboveground_co2_emissions ISO umd_treecover_loss_year

SELECT round(cast(("umd_tree_cover_loss_ha") AS
NUMERIC),2) AS und_tree_cover_loss_ha
FROM "treecover_loss_by_region_IDN_ha"
WHERE adm1 = 33 and umd_tree_cover_loss__year in
(2001,2002,2003,2004,2005,2006,2007,2008,2009,201
0,2011,2012,1013,2014,2015,2016,2017,2018,
2019);

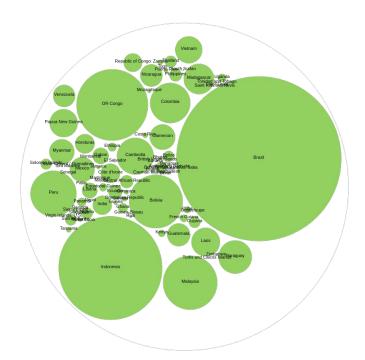
Yogyakarta	whrc_aboveground _biomass_loss_Mg	whrc_aboveground _co2_emissions	umd_treecover_loss_ ha
200	1 18133.51	33244.77	82.86
200	2 6763.83	12400.36	32.31
200	3 1822.81	3341.82	8.54
200	4 13455.82	24669.01	70.42
200	5 13075.74	23972.19	61.73
200	6 3893.92	7138.85	19.59
200	7 5414.03	9925.72	27.74

Initial Findings - app.rawgraphs.io



Gorontalo on the left Showing aboveground_biomass_ loss_Mg for each year. I have an image like this for each of the 33 provinces.

On the right is a global graph of the level of deforestation in 2018. You will notice Indonesia is not far from Brazil if you add in its neighbors



Initial Findings - Regression Analysis

Once I got my individual Datasets I could visualize The trend in the data just by looking at the numbers and see my hypothesis was right, I just had to prove it. Regression Analysis was the best tool to prove a linear trend.

I chose to analyze the whrc-aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg against Year The results were not as encouraging as I would have hoped. Out of 33 runs, 7 had a positive score between .22 and .55

Dataset Cards

2001		3884943.39		7122396.22	14198.56		
2002		2787589.77		5110581.25	10421.96		
2003		2266452.46		4155162.84	8103.87		
2004		6999386.89		12832209.3	25984.82		
2005		5947585.83		10903907.35	23588.43		
2006		4566146.09		8371267.84	17580.27		
2007		5738301.4		10520219.23	22353.24		
2008		5021281.95		9205683.57	18755.75		
2009		4074570.01		7470045.01	16012.66		
2010		6545479.28		12000045.34	24562.81		
2011		7474045.46		13702416.68	27761.15		
2012		3737937.63		6852885.65	14152.78	treecover_loss_ha	
2013		5161838.99		9463371.47	20319.73		
2014		5285359.12		9689825.05	20197.3		
2015		6231618.71		11424634.3	24377.83		
2016		6959689.16		12759430.13	27232.96		
2017	•	6199934.6		11366546.77	24624.47		
2018		4383925.45		8037196.66	18200.56		
1	2007		202015.6		370361.94	929.75	ecover_loss_ha
1	2008		616341.95		1129960.24	2754.78	13909.72
1	2009		360737.78		661352.6	1632.16	11247.04
1	2010		480297.15		880544.78	2327.97	7123.08
1	2011		737131.36		1351407.5	3286.61	21976.07
1	2012		368595.05		675757.58	1830.15	20241.32
1	2013		464203.43		851039.62	2274.87	23237.46
1	2014		515669.01		945393.18	2663.78	22677.86
	2015		390136.02		715249.37	1970.35	63895.32
	2016		680050.98		1246760.13	3495.04	23187.37
	2017		667984.4		1224638.07	3400.14	32399.71
1	2018		876177.4		1606325.23	4714.45	39450.87
		2012		320611		5877872.49	17575.17
		2013		72058	1111	13210634.25	41245.15
		2014		707156		12964536.34	41280.97
		2015		933786		17119411.54	58202.69
		2016		441697		8097785.89	25557.97
		2017		366192		6713529.33	22425.66
		2018		417258	2 12	7649735.72	25528.89

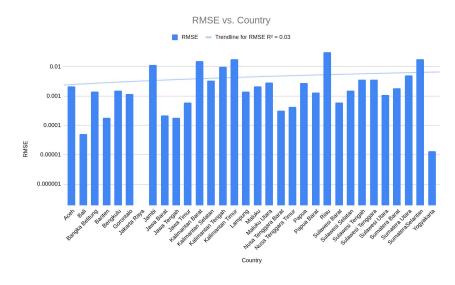
Initial Findings - Regression Analysis 2

Root Mean Square Error - Is the standard deviation of the residuals (prediction errors). Residuals are a measure of how far away from the regression line data points are; RMSE is a measure of how spread out these residuals are. In other words, it tells you how concentrated the data is around the line of best fit.

$$RMSE = \sqrt{\overline{(f - o)^2}}$$

- f = forecasts (expected values or unknown results),
- o = observed values (known results).

Range of RMSE is 13,213.67 - 31,310,374.39



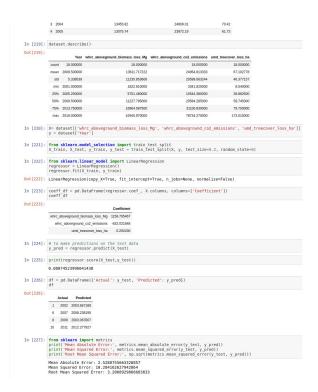
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Deeper Analysis

- The results are showing me the same things. Although the individual numbers are still scattered which represents random logging and deforestation activities, the overall trend since peaking in the middle of the decade is slowly moving down.
- I used the Circle Packing chart from app.RAWGraphs.io Nested circles allow me to represent hierarchies and compare values.
- This visualization is particularly effective to show the proportion between elements through their areas and their position inside a hierarchical structure. Based on http://bl.ocks.org/mbostock/4063530
- Since I have three variables whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg, whrc_aboveground_co2_emissions, and umd_treecover_loss_ha, to measure against one constant, the number of years 2001 2018 I will do a multiple regression on all the datasets also keeping track of the model score and RMSE.
- All these data files are available on GitHub in sets of 3. 1 .png file 2 .html files for each province. http://github.com/csparrow99/practice

Deeper Analysis - Multiple Regression

Out[219]:		Year	whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg	whrc_aboveground_co2_emissions	umd_treecover_loss_ha	
	count	18.000000	18.000000	18.000000	18.000000	
	mean	2009.500000	13611.717222	24954.813333	67.102778	
	std	5.338539	11235.853606	20599.063244	46.377157	
	min	2001.000000	1822.810000	3341.820000	8.540000	
	25%	2005.250000	5751.480000	10544.380000	28.882500	
	50%	2009.500000	11227.795000	20584.285000	59.745000	
	75%	2013.750000	16964.087500	31100.830000	79.750000	
	max	2018.000000	42945.970000	78734.270000	173.010000	
	<pre>X= dataset[['whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg', 'whrc_aboveground_co2_emissions', 'umd_treecover_loss_ha']] y = dataset['Year']</pre>					
n [220]:				_Mg', 'whrc_aboveground_co	2_emissions', 'umd	_treecover_loss_ha']]
	y = d	ataset['Ye		test split	_	= 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0
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Deeper Analysis - Multiple Regression 2

- Following the flow from the previous page, after the dataset is described, train_test_split is imported from model selection and then LinearRegression
- regressor=LinearRegression()
 regressor.fit(X_train,y_train)
 X train, y train came from train test split
- Now the model has been trained, and has given us these Coefficients Out[358]:
- Here is our Model Score 0.6546 or 65.46% accuracy in predicting the combined direction of the 3 variables at any given yr.
- In [359]: is used to predict the test data in In [361]
- Note the low RMSE relative to the high Model score and turn the page!

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Out[358]:
                                        Coefficient
           whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg
                                       636.643395
              whrc aboveground co2 emissions
                     umd treecover loss ha
In [359]: # to make predictions on the test data
           y pred = regressor.predict(X test)
In [360]: print(regressor.score(X test,y test))
           0.654617193603948
In [361]: df = pd.DataFrame({'Actual': y test, 'Predicted': y pred})
Out[361]:
                       Predicted
                     2004.291125
                     2004.115619
                    2010.192189
                    2010.317608
In [362]: from sklearn import metrics
           print('Mean Absolute Error:', metrics.mean absolute error(y test, y pred))
           print('Mean Squared Error:', metrics.mean squared error(y test, y pred))
           print('Root Mean Squared Error:', np.sqrt(metrics.mean squared error(y test, y pred)))
           Mean Absolute Error: 1.7625217428137603
           Mean Squared Error: 3.863970146555832
           Root Mean Squared Error: 1.9656983864662025
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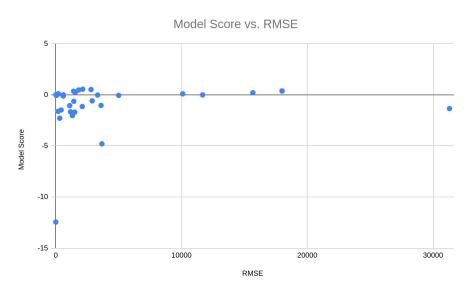
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Deeper Analysis - New Metric?

- The single linear regression analysis didn't reveal anything really useful, eyeballing the statics was just as productive.
- The multiple regression analysis told a different story. There was an obvious correlation between something not obvious.
- When I added one line of code: print(regressor.score(X_test,y_test)) and ran all 33 regressions again to get a model score I noticed a definite correlation between -
- RMSE and Model Score
- With the single linear regression the Model Score clustered around 0 (-2) no matter what the RMSE
- However with the multiple regression the Model Score dropped on a very smooth line with a rise in the RMSE
- The 2 graphs in the following slide show the difference.

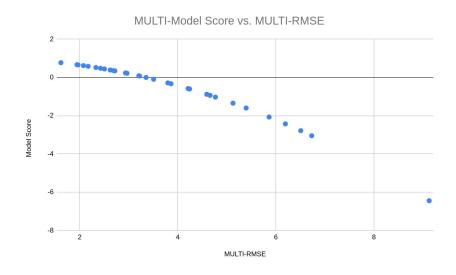
Graphs

Model Score vs. RMSE Single Regression



MULTI-Model Score vs MULTI-RMSE

Multiple Regression



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Final Findings (Results of Hypothesis)

- Initial Hypothesis: Too many different sources of data all indicate the same thing. That the level of deforestation in Indonesia has not dropped despite claims by multinational firms to the contrary.
- Where we stand today: The levels of deforestation have dropped from their peak of 2014,2015,
 2016 but not to the levels that meet some of the promises that were made in the middle of the decade.
- This is most evident in the 33 graphs on http://github.com/csparrow/practice from app.rawgraphs.io which are Circle Packing graphs to show the nested hierarchy of whrc_aboveground_biomass_loss_Mg and Years
- The new metric MULTI-RMSE vs MULTI- Model Score can be useful to determine the legitimacy of your multivariable model

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Final Findings - (Results of Hypothesis 2)

- In 2018 Greenpeace published a book "Now Or Never To Reform The Palm Oil Industry" in which they outlined demands for major consumer goods companies to meet in Greenpeace's quest to clean up the supply chain hence eliminating deforestation among other things.
- "At the same time, however, the supply chain information disclosed by brands and traders indicates that little progress has been made towards cleaning up the global palm oil trade. Every company that has opened its supply chain to public scrutiny is sourcing from producers that are known to be clearing rainforests, exploiting their workers and/or embroiled in land conflicts with local communities."
- What needs to be done:
- Brands and traders need to take responsibility for screening the producers in their supply chains to ensure they are not doing business with groups that are destroying rainforests. They need their own comprehensive monitoring system, based on their suppliers' mill location data and concession maps, to ensure that the producer groups in their supply chains comply fully with NDPE standards. Crucially, information regarding producer groups' landholdings and operations should be placed in the public domain to enable any claims to be independently verified.
- According to Colgate's website on Sustainability they have started initiatives addressing all these issues, there is a .pdf you can download with all the mills current as of 2017

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