1. Condition Monitoring of Hydraulic Systems

Analysis using public datasets from:

https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/jjacostupa/condition-monitoring-of-hydraulic-systems

Dataset preview:



Each .txt file contains measurement data from different sensors. For example:

CE.txt: Cooler efficiency CP.txt: Cooler power

EPS1.txt: Efficiency factor of pump 1

FS1.txt, FS2.txt: Flow sensors

PS1.txt to PS6.txt: Pressure sensors

SE.txt: System efficiency

TS1.txt to TS4.txt: Temperature sensors

VS1.txt: Valve sensor

description.txt: A brief description of the data and its use.

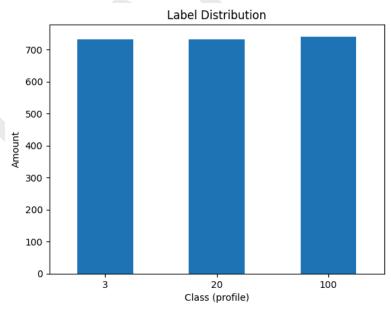
documentation.txt: A detailed description (metadata), including units, sensor position, and

data meaning.

profile.txt: Labels/targets related to system conditions, often used to classify system

conditions.

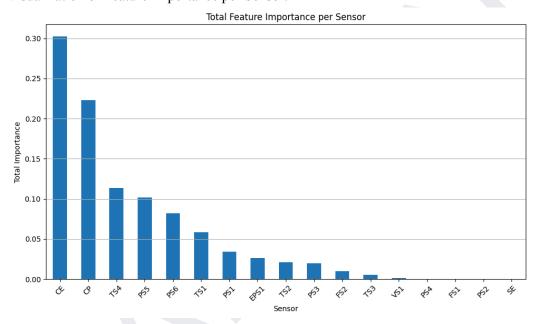
Classification Report (Random Forest):



=== Classifi	cation Repor	t ===		
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
3	1.00	1.00	1.00	147
20	1.00	1.00	1.00	146
100	1.00	1.00	1.00	148
accuracy			1.00	441
macro avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	441
weighted avg	1.00	1.00	1.00	441

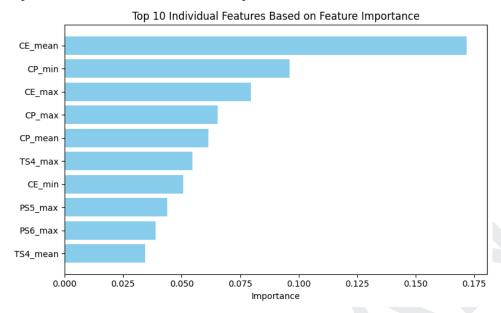
The dataset is very balanced and well-prepared. The Random Forest model can distinguish between the 3, 20, and 100 conditions very well. But the model is too perfect—additional validation is needed to ensure it doesn't overfit.

Visualization of Feature Importance per Sensor:



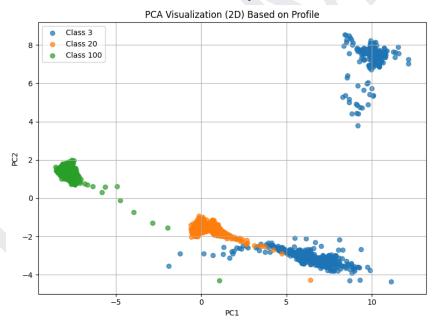
A bar chart showing which sensors have the greatest influence on the condition classification (profile). For example, if PS6 or EPS1 is dominant, it means that pump pressure or efficiency significantly impacts system conditions.

Top 10 Individual Features Based on Importance:



A list of 10 features, such as PS6_max, EPS1_mean, etc. We can see which specific statistical features and sensors are most dominant in label prediction. Helps identify the most informative sensors and statistics types.

2D PCA Visualization of Sensor Summary Data:



If the classes (3, 20, 100) appear separate or form clusters, this means the feature effectively differentiates system conditions. If they overlap, this could mean: The feature is not representative enough and A non-linear method is needed.

Compare the accuracy of the model with and without the pressure feature to determine: Is the pressure sensor critical? How much does accuracy decrease if pressure is removed?

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Model accuracy with all features : 1.0000

Accuracy of the model without pressure features (PS*) : 1.0000
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If accuracy drops significantly without the pressure feature, it means the pressure sensor is critical for classification. If accuracy remains high, the system has other features (e.g., EPS1, SE, TS*) that are strong enough to distinguish classes.

How sensitive the model is to each pressure sensor (PS1–PS6). Comparison of accuracy stability through cross-validation. Relative performance of tree models (Random Forest) vs. linear models (SVM, Logistic Regression):

		1821 18 12 19		
	Sensor_Dropped	Model	Accuracy_Mean	Accuracy_Std
2	None	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
0	None	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
1	None	SVM	0.998639	0.001111
5	PS1	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
3	PS1	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
4	PS1	SVM	0.998639	0.001111
8	PS2	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
6	PS2	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
7	PS2	SVM	0.998639	0.001111
11	PS3	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
9	PS3	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
16	PS3	SVM	0.998639	0.001111
14	PS4	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
12	PS4	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
13	PS4	SVM	0.998639	0.001111
17	PS5	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
15	PS5	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
16	PS5	SVM	0.998639	0.001111
26	PS6	Logistic Regression	0.998186	0.001697
18	PS6	Random Forest	0.998639	0.001111
19	PS6	SVM	0.998639	0.001111

See if accuracy drops drastically when a particular sensor is removed → that sensor is crucial. Check model stability using Accuracy_Std. Compare: are non-tree models (SVM, LR) more sensitive to the loss of pressure features than Random Forest?

See the Most Important Features per Model:

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Top 10 Most Important Features - Random Forest
   feature importance
0
   CE_mean
             0.136198
3
    CE max
             0.096303
2
    CE_min
            0.076144
4
   CP mean
             0.072152
6
    CP_min
             0.070862
63 TS4 max
            0.068526
    CP max
             0.055263
43 PS6_max
             0.051773
   TS4 min
             0.043609
39 PS5_max
             0.040253
Top 10 Most Important Features - Logistic Regression
   feature coef
  TS1_std 0.512582
49
    CP_max 0.486424
6
    CP_min 0.461457
   CP_mean 0.458941
53 TS2_std 0.382774
27 PS2_max 0.308741
2
    CE_min 0.295878
0
   CE_mean 0.294715
3
    CE max 0.294128
17 FS2_std 0.293218
Top 10 Most Important Features - SVM (Linear)
   feature coef
    CP_max 0.157290
   CP_mean 0.148010
    CP_min 0.146463
6
49
   TS1_std 0.092772
2
   CE_min 0.092640
3
    CE_max 0.091198
0
   CE_mean 0.090631
27 PS2_max 0.069767
23 PS1_max 0.065565
61 TS4_std 0.065230
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System Failure Prediction (Fault Prediction): Predict future system conditions (whether they will deteriorate or remain normal) based on current sensor data to support preventive maintenance before failure occurs.

This dataset doesn't have an explicit time index, but we can assume the data is sequential (since it's time-series). The profile label represents the current state of the system:

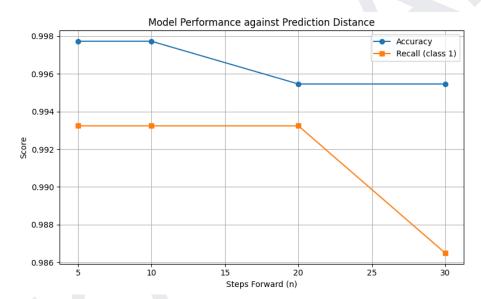
3 = good

20 = declining

100 = bad / broken

We'll create a new label: "will break in the next n steps."

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=== Multi-step Evaluation Summary ===
                    precision_1
                                                  f1 1
         accuracy
                                  recall 1
0
      5
         0.997732
                        1.000000
                                   0.993243
                                              0.996610
1
     10
         0.997732
                        1.000000
                                   0.993243
                                              0.996610
2
     20
         0.995465
                                              0.993243
                        0.993243
                                   0.993243
3
     30
         0.995465
                        1.000000
                                   0.986486
                                              0.993197
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High and stable accuracy up to 30 steps ahead, Current sensor data is highly informative for future predictions. Recall decreases at n=30, The model begins to fail to detect some cases that would otherwise fail if predictions were too far ahead.

Predictive Window Maintenance Simulation: real-time system monitoring to predict whether the system will fail in the near future, this approach is closest to the real application of predictive maintenance.

=== Real-Time	Monitoring	Simulatio	n Evaluati	on ===
	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.00	0.00	0.00	10
1	0.98	1.00	0.99	431
accuracy			0.98	441
macro avg	0.49	0.50	0.49	441
weighted avg	0.96	0.98	0.97	441

The model only predicts one class (label 1). All inputs are predicted as "will fail." As a result, recall is high for class 1, but class 0 (normal) is not detected at all.

Accuracy is deceptive (\approx 98%). This appears high, but this is because the test data is dominated by class 1 (431 vs. 10). There are no correct class 0 predictions. This is called class imbalance bias.

The model is too oversensitive/false alarms. All conditions are considered potential failures, which can lead to: Over-maintenance (high costs). Continuous false alarms. Suboptimal systems or unnecessary downtime.

Improvement Recommendations: Address class imbalance, Use more precise metrics and Analyze time-to-failure for more flexible decision making.