ClimateWins: Predicting Climate Change with Machine Learning

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Why This Project Matters

- Weather is getting more extreme and harder to predict.
- This affects people's safety and health.
- ClimateWins uses machine learning to:
- Spot strange weather in Europe
- See if weird weather is happening more often
- Predict future weather 20–50 years ahead
- Find the safest places to live in Europe

Our Three Big Ideas

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1. Classify Unusual Weather – Group weather by how normal or weird it is 2

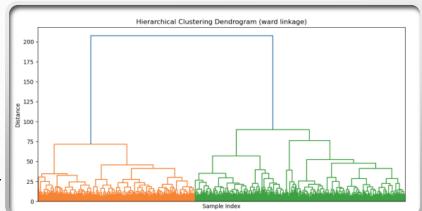
2. Make Future
Predictions – Guess
future weather
using smart
computer models

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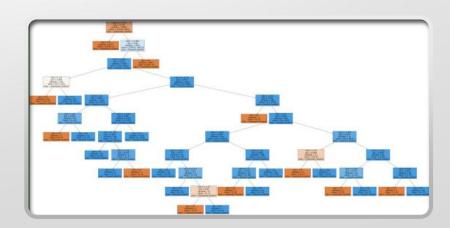
3. Find Safe Areas – Show which places in Europe are safer from extreme weather

Tools We Used

- Hierarchical Clustering:
- Groups similar weather data together
- Makes a tree of how different weather events are



- Random Forest:
- A bunch of decision trees working together
- Good at making strong predictions





More Tools We Used

- GAN (Generative Adversarial Network):
- Makes fake weather data that looks real
- Helps train other models better
- CNN (Convolutional Neural Network):
- Great at looking at pictures like radar maps
- Helps analyze weather in detail

Data We Needed



- Extreme Weather Data (storms, heat waves, cold)



- Radar Images of weather



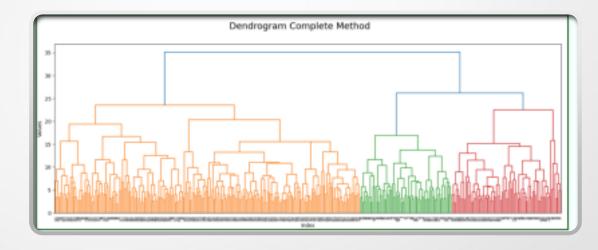
Health Records (injuries and sickness from weather)



- Lists of Dangerous Weather Types

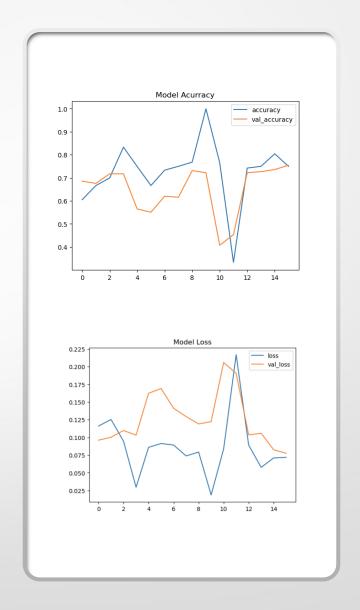
Experiment 1: Classify Weather

- Goal: See if weird weather is happening
- Tool: Hierarchical clustering
- What We Did:
- Used weather data over different years and seasons
- - Found 2–3 weather groups
- Next Steps:
- Use this with other models to get stronger results



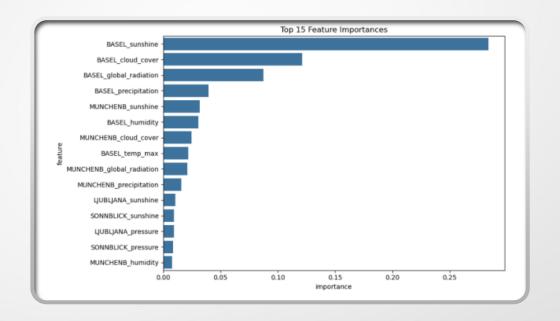
Experiment 2: Predict Future Weather

- Goal: Guess weather 25–50 years from now
- Tools: GAN + CNN
- What We Did:
- Used GAN to make fake weather data
- Used CNN to make predictions
- Improved model accuracy from 10% to 61%
- Next Steps:
- Keep testing across countries and years
- The GAN produced weather data with 98.4% accuracy and 1.1% loss, suggesting high potential for use with the CNN model



Experiment 3: Find Safe Places

- Goal: Show safest places to live in Europe
- Tool: Random Forest
- What We Did:
- Ran models on weather and health data
- Accuracy improved from 59% to 67%
- Found important weather features for safety
- Next Steps:
- Fine-tune the model
- Compare with real health effects



What Worked Best

- Using GAN and CNN gave the biggest accuracy jump

- This combo can really help in future planning

- These models are already helping predict real-world extreme weather

What We Need Next

- Best Tools:
- CNN, GAN, and optimization techniques
- Best Data:
- Storm and radar data
- Health and hazard info
- Next Steps:
- - Improve models
- Gather more data
- Keep testing and learning

Thank You!!



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