

# ANKIT AGRAWAL

Data Scientist | Kaggle Expert

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Business-minded data scientist with demonstrated ability to deliver valuable insights via data analytics and provide data-driven solutions to business problems.

## SKILLS

**Languages:** Python, R, C++, SQL, Matlab, HTML, CSS

**Data Science:** Data Analysis, Predictive Modeling, Big Data Queries, Data Mining, Visualization Tools, Machine Learning Algorithms, Forecasting, Natural Language Processing, Statistics, A/B testing, Linear Algebra.

**Packages & Tools:** pandas, scikit-learn, tensorflow, pytorch, opencv, matplotlib, nltk, seaborn, Facebook Prophet, Hugging Face, beautifulsoup, Tableau, Github, Docker, Google Cloud Platform, AWS SageMaker, AutoML.

## EXPERIENCE

### Aakash 88 LLC

*Data Scientist*

The Woodlands, TX

November 2019 - October 2021

Performed data analysis using Tableau, unsupervised learning methods and feature engineering to gain insights in the data. Built and maintained deep learning pipeline to forecast hourly electricity price & load for wind generated electricity trading for ERCOT market.

- 13% increase in annual profits.
- 35% reduction in analysis time through automation.

### The University of Utah

*Machine Learning Researcher*

Salt lake City, UT

January 2017 - August 2019

Run experiments on cluster (CHPC) to detect optimal subspace configuration for SMACK parameters out of 5 Billion possible configurations.

- Reduce TIMEOUT errors by 23% across 14 benchmark categories.
- Reduce Type II error by 3% across 14 categories by using AutoML and ETL data pipelines.

## PROJECTS

SV-COMP program classification: Given 10,000 C-programs (or 10 million lines of code), performed feature extraction, feature engineering, and implemented *classification trees* based models to classify them into appropriate SV-COMP benchmark categories.

- 98.3% *classification accuracy* compared to previous 67% accuracy.
- 3x *speedup* than previous implementation.

Google landmark detection: Given 6 million train images and 200,000 test images, implemented 2-layer image classification model firstly to classify whether an image contains a landmark using *VGG-19 transfer learning* by injecting non-landmark images in the training dataset and secondly, predict appropriate landmarks in the images containing landmarks using *ResNet transfer learning*.

Self-driving car: Given a train video with 25,000 frames and speed of car at each frame, implemented a *CNN - RNN regression model* to predict speed of the car for a test video with 8,000 frames.

- Achieved  $MSE < 10$ .

## PAPERS

SMACK software verifier and verification toolchain, Z. Rakamaric et.al

## EDUCATION

The University of Utah

PhD Candidate, Machine Learning

MS, Computer Science

Salt Lake City, UT

August 2019

December 2016