

About data sets and possible statistical analysis

1. Understanding the Variables:

- **Region:** Categorical variable indicating geographic locations.
 - **Soil_Type:** Categorical variable classifying soil characteristics.
 - **Crop:** Categorical variable specifying crop types.
 - **Rainfall_mm:** Continuous variable measuring rainfall in millimeters.
 - **Temperature_Celsius:** Continuous variable recording average temperature.
 - **Fertilizer_Used:** Categorical variable indicating fertilizer application.
 - **Irrigation_Used:** Categorical variable showing irrigation practices.
 - **Weather_Condition:** Ordinal or categorical variable summarizing weather.
 - **Days_to_Harvest:** Continuous variable for time to harvest.
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2. Possible Analyses and Statistical Tests:

1. Comparing Means Across Groups:

- a. To compare Yield_tons_per_hectare or Days_to_Harvest across categories (e.g., Region, Soil_Type, Crop, or Fertilizer_Used):
Use ANOVA if there are more than two groups.
Use t-tests if comparing between two groups.

2. Relationship Between Continuous Variables:

- a. To assess the relationship between Rainfall_mm, Temperature_Celsius, Days_to_Harvest, and Yield_tons_per_hectare:
Use Pearson correlation (for linear relationships).
Use Spearman correlation (for non-linear relationships).

3. Examining the Effect of Multiple Factors on Yield:

- a. To study how multiple factors (e.g., Rainfall_mm, Temperature_Celsius, Fertilizer_Used, Irrigation_Used) influence Yield_tons_per_hectare:
Use Multiple Linear Regression if the dependent variable is continuous.
- b. If the dependent variable is not continuous, use Generalized Linear Models (GLM).

4. Analyzing Categorical Relationships:

- a. To check the association between Categorical Variables (e.g., Region, Crop, Fertilizer_Used, Irrigation_Used):
Use a Chi-square test.

5. Comparing Weather Conditions:

- a. If analyzing how Weather_Condition affects Yield_tons_per_hectare or other variables:
Use Kruskal-Wallis test if data is non-parametric.

6. Predicting Yield:

- a. To predict Yield_tons_per_hectare based on all other variables:
Applying Machine Learning models like Random Forest, Decision Trees, or Gradient Boosting.