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Weather Forecasting Challenge – Part I

Team : Outlier Rejects

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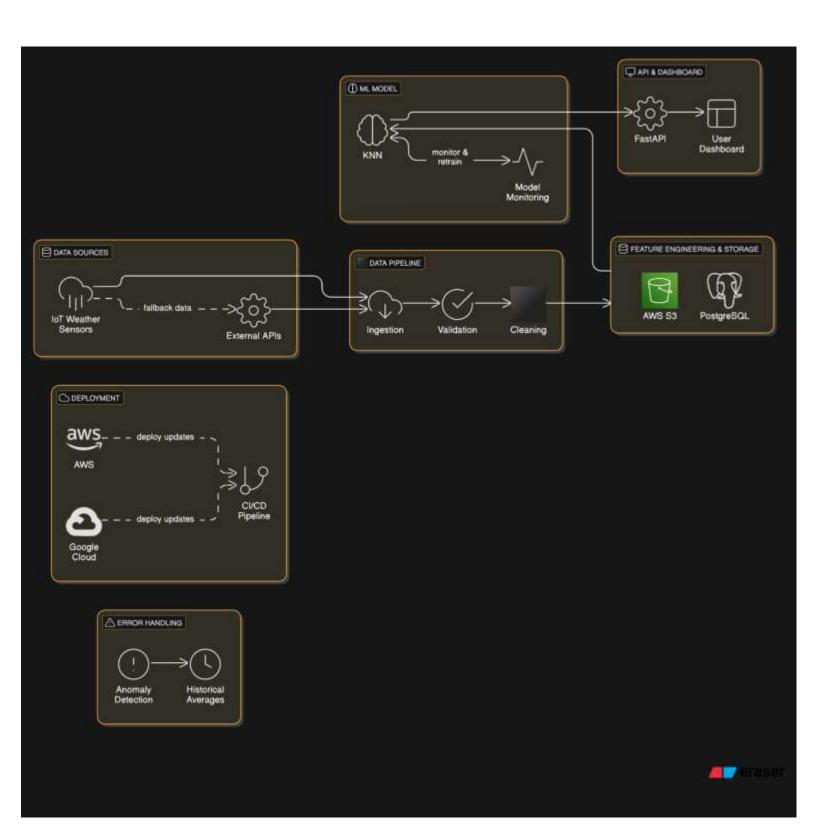
Introduction

This report presents a **real-time machine learning system** for predicting rainfall using IoT sensors. The system ensures **data reliability**, handles **sensor malfunctions**, and delivers **daily rain probabilities for the next 21 days**.

System Architecture and Data flow

♦ System Components:

- 1. **Data Sources:** IoT weather sensors & external APIs.
- 2. **Data Pipeline:** Real-time data ingestion, validation, and cleaning.
- 3. Feature Engineering & Storage: Stores data in AWS S3 / PostgreSQL.
- 4. ML Model: Uses Random Forest for predictions.
- 5. **Model Monitoring:** Tracks performance & retrains if drift detected.
- 6. **API & Dashboard:** Displays rain probability predictions.



Error Handling & Fault Tolerance

• Handling Sensor Malfunctions:

- o If IoT sensors fail, data is retrieved from external APIs.
- o Anomaly detection flags outliers & replaces them with historical averages.

• Ensuring Reliable Predictions:

- o **Automated retraining** every 30 days.
- o Backup data storage for continuous availability.

Conclusion & Deployment Strategy

• Deployment:

- o Model hosted on AWS / Google Cloud with FastAPI for inference.
- o Continuous Integration (CI/CD) pipeline for model updates.

• Future Improvements:

o **Edge AI** for IoT sensors to process data locally.