## Danger Cast

#### **Hackathon Project**

#### **Attack on Python**

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#### Introduction









By using AI, most of the services can be optimized and well planned

Reducing <u>cost</u> and improving its <u>efficiency!</u>

### **Problem Identification**



- It is a challenge for the Proteção Civil to make their work in reacting to emergencies and natural disasters as efficient as possible
- The goal is to try to make predictions about the frequency of occurrences in the future, allocate resources effectively, and identify patterns that can enhance their services.
- For this, Proteção Civil provided us with a dataset with the history of incidents, including dates, places, and the number of experts involved



### **Data Analysis**

- A big part of the information we acquired during the analysis of the data was according to what we expected and what would be normal.
- However, we still found some things that were not as we expected such as:
  - the presence of null values in columns like 'DataOcorrencia' and 'Latitude' for example
  - some longitude/latitude errors when compared to the known boundaries of Portugal. However, this was easily fixed.
- There was also clearly missing data in the first 5 months of 2016 when in contrast with the rest of the dataset



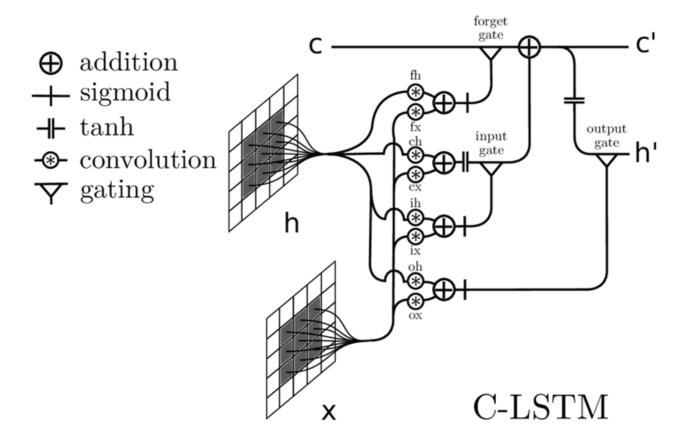
## **Data Preparation**



- Base Dataset: merge of 2016, 2017 and 2018 for extra data and accountability for seasonal occurrences.
- Data Prunning: removal of outliers, null values. Modification of date from string to DateTime and inconsistent data, such as Latitude/Longitude
- Aditional Data: addition of population density, weekdays and holidays.
  Attempt of addition of temperature and precipitation for firefighting purposes.
- Data Aggregation: creation of blocks of Time\*Height\*Width representing a region on a given day, each with the 4 features we are trying to predict: Aerial/Terrestrial Means and Aerial/Terrestrial Vechicles



### **ConvLSTM**

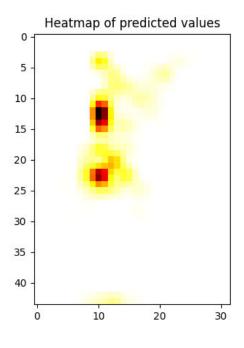


### **Evaluation I**

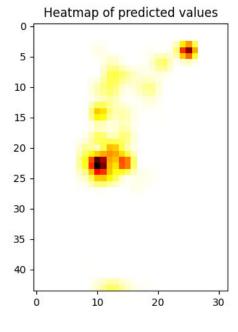
Metric	Value
RMSE	13.398
MASE	1.409

### **Evaluation II**

# Air resources progression between April and October of 2018



**Air Vehicles** 

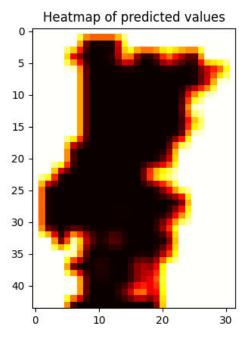


**Air Units** 

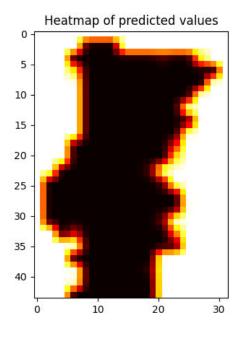


### **Evaluation III**

# Land resources progression between April and October of 2018



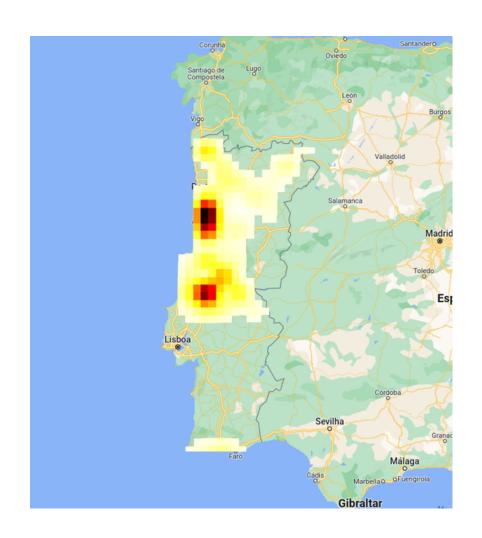
**Land Vehicles** 



**Land Units** 



## **Prototype**





### Conclusion

- A lot of info but few specific measures, due to better knowledge from authorities about their internal logistics.
- Convolutional Long Short-Term memory neural networks, given the needed resources, can be used to effectively predict spatial-temporal data, like the incidents in this context;
- A predictive model that could help authorities make informed decisions and optimize the allocation of resources to certain regions depending on which time of the year we are in.
- Visualization of predictions in a map can be in the future used to plan and improve the Proteção Civil operations, reducing the time needed to reach where they most need to be.

