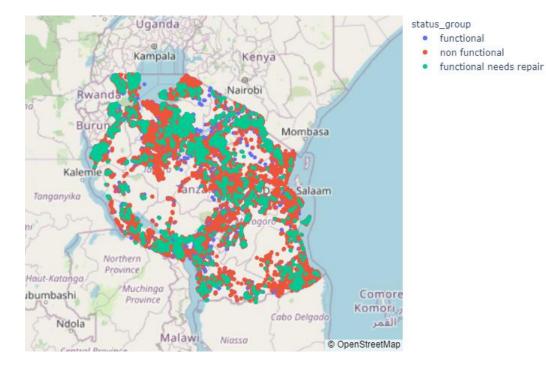
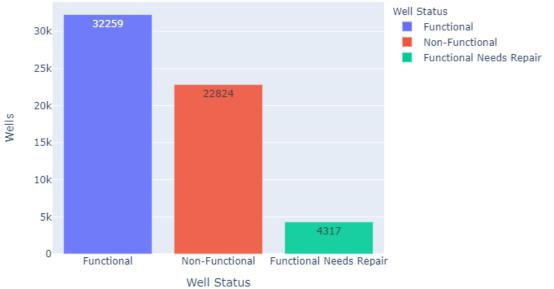
# Classifying Functional and non-Functional wells

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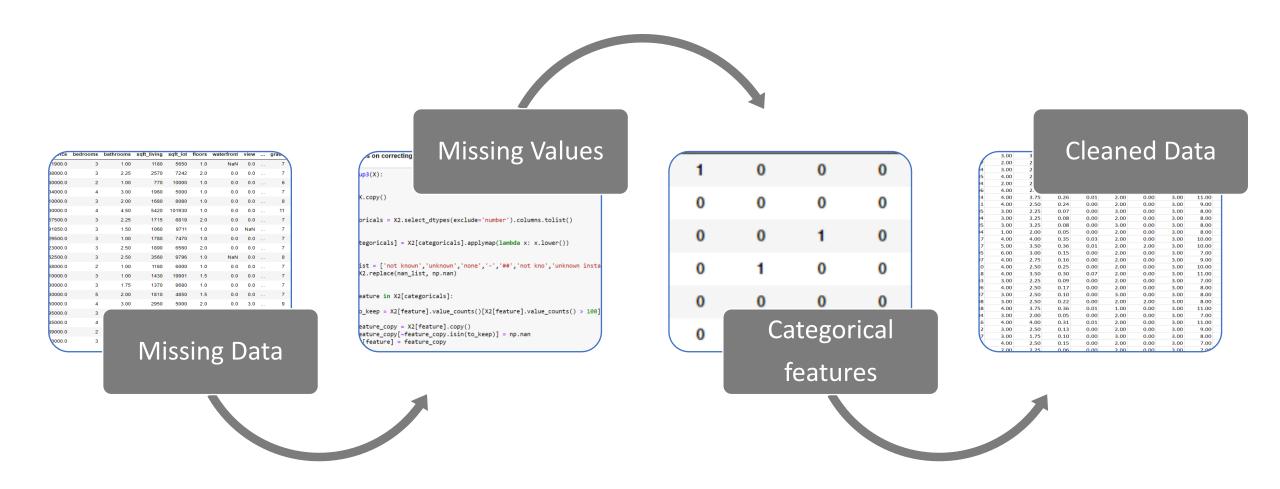
#### Problem Statement

- Tanzanian's access to water is tied to accessibility to a working pump
- The Tanzanian Ministry of Water conducted a survey on several aspects of water pumps resulting in one outstanding question: are they still functional?

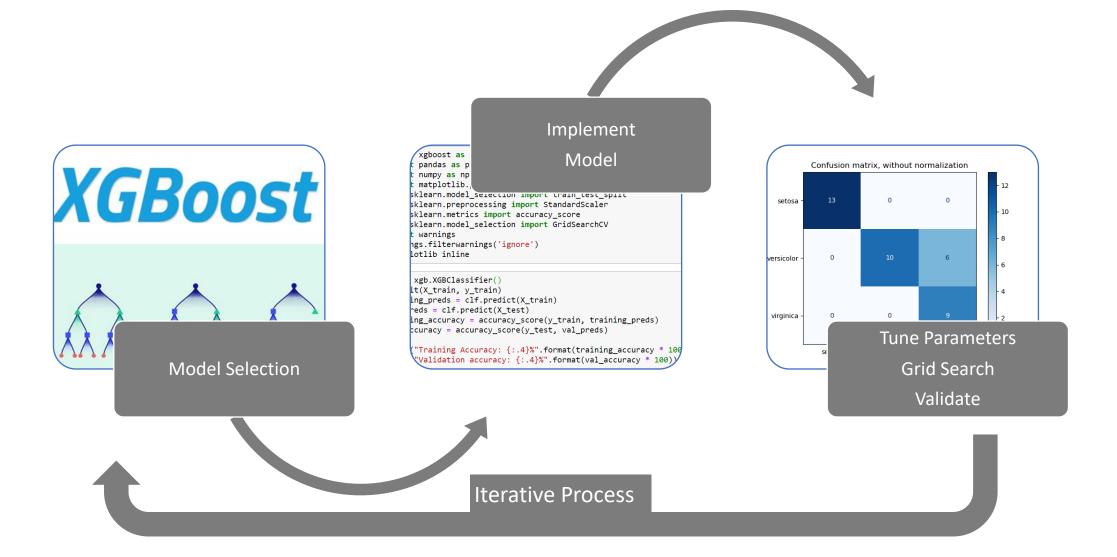




## Data Cleaning



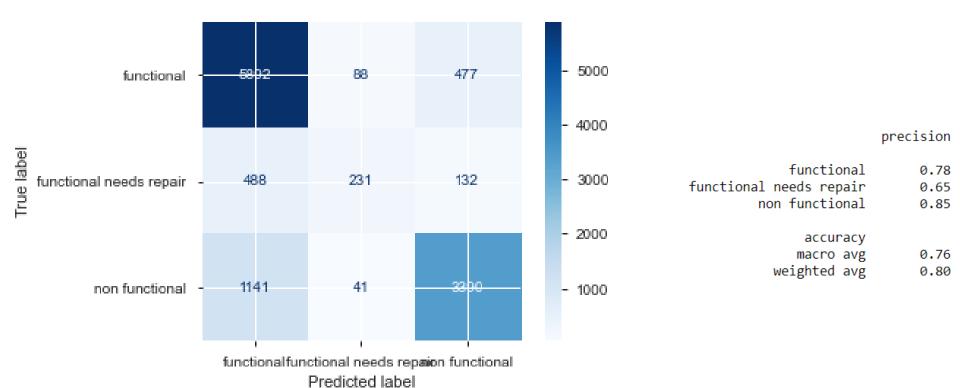
## Modeling



### Findings Ensemble Classifier's Excel

Method	Train Accuracy Baseline	Tuned Model Train Accuracy	Tuned Model Test Accuracy
Decision Tree	72%	74.20%	76.86%
Random Forest	78.92%	79.91%	80%
XGBoost Classifier	84.69%	80%	80%

#### Model Selection XGBoost: With Reservations



	precision	recall	f1-score	support
functional	0.78	0.92	0.84	6457
functional needs repair	0.65	0.26	0.37	851
non functional	0.85	0.73	0.79	4572
accuracy			0.80	11880
macro avg	0.76	0.64	0.67	11880
weighted avg	0.80	0.80	0.79	11880

#### Recommendations

- Complex models may not always be superior
- Predicting water pump functionality is possible!



#### Future Work

- Focus on preprocessing data
  - In depth research on how the model operates on types of data, missing data etc.

### Thank You!

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