

# KisanSevak: Data-Driven Agriculture for Optimal Yields and Product Procurement

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**Abstract**—In the current digital era, despite advancements in technology, traditional farming methods persist among farmers. This paper introduces an innovative application of machine learning, reshaping pivotal aspects of farming practices. It shows a comprehensive exploration of the convoluted aspects of predictive modeling within the realm of appropriate crop production according to soil and environmental conditions, employing Support Vector Machines (SVM) for precise regression, Random Forest for fine-tuned crop classification, and Long Short-Term Memory (LSTM) networks for nuanced price prediction, our research contributes to sustainable agricultural intensification. The model centers around different information and procedures utilized, like nitrogen, phosphorus, and sulfate values, to know the soil's health and anticipate future harvests, along with reasonable information calculations using the historical data of the particular location. In essence, the primary focus of this paper is on the digitization of the farming industry. Through the amalgamation of machine learning models and data-driven approaches, this research strives to bring about a fundamental shift in the traditional practices of agriculture, and thus will pave the way for the adoption of these prediction models all over India.

**Index Terms**—component, formatting, style, styling, insert

## I. INTRODUCTION

Being the second largest country worldwide for farm outputs, As per the Indian economic survey 2020 -21, agriculture employed more than 50% of the Indian workforce and contributed 20.2% to the country's GDP.[2] Still Indian farmers have always been the most suffering whether in terms of economic or the social growth. A substantial part of our coun-

try's economic development depends on proper agricultural planning. Food demand is expected to rise anywhere between 59% to 98% by 2050, according to a Harvard review. Currently, crop yields are rising too slowly to meet the anticipated food demand. Thus, it is important : • To make farmers aware of the tentative amount of production he will obtain from his field. • To comprehend the impact of climatic changes on their land. This shall help them in monitoring the growth of healthy crops.[5] Also Working via local traders however reduces the profit margins for farmers, and also makes it hard for them to negotiate better prices since the traders tend to operate as local monopolies and are often also lenders of credit to the farmers, thus able to maintain significant power over them [7]. To overcome all these problems We are trying to make a model for covering the state Maharashtra that can reliably predict the crop yield and crop prices efficiently using diverse machine learning techniques. It takes in account the current weather condition as well as other influencing parameters like soil health which includes the nitrogen, phosphorus and sulphate values. The proposed method helps to improve the prediction of net yield of crops in the state(Maharashtra)and enhance the farming techniques to mitigate crop loss. We have extensively used ML tools to address such problems. In crop production, ML tools have been applied predominantly for yield prediction[6]. The ML techniques can be used for crop yield prediction at different scales such as local, regional and country levels [6]. By analyzing historical data on soil compo-

sition, weather patterns, and crop performance, models can be made to suggest the most suitable crop for a particular farm. This not only optimizes agricultural yields but also contributes to sustainable farming practices. Comparison is done between various linear and nonlinear regressor models. Random forest regressor gave better results, followed by K Nearest Neighbor regression[5]. Complex relationships between variables such as weather conditions and soil health can be analyzed in order to predict the yield of a particular crop in a given field. Moreover time-series analysis and forecast helps to suggest, to select crops to sow based on expected price realizations predicted using machine learning [7]. By compiling data on market trends and factors affecting the prices, a simple neural network can provide valuable insights. Our key contributor are threefold: A localized, indigenous solution that applies machine learning in a lucid manner can be formulated for the farmers of Maharashtra (India) by building a farmer-friendly system with an easy to navigate interface, accurate predictions, as well as personalized, secure data analysis, and a feedback loop in order to keep the models accurate. An indigenous solution would also involve integrating data from local markets, understanding supply chain dynamics, and factoring in cultural practices that influence pricing. This localized approach ensures that the predictions are more accurate and relevant to the community. For wider adoption, the user interface should be designed with consideration for local languages and literacy levels.

## II. LITERATURE SURVEY

The [paper] investigates the use of algorithms to predict maize yields under conservation agriculture in Eastern and Southern Africa (ESA). Various ML algorithms are evaluated based on metrics like accuracy and precision, highlighting the performance of linear algorithms, particularly Linear Discriminant Analysis (LDA), compared to nonlinear models. The study emphasizes the importance of a validation set for reliable model assessment. Results reveal that LDA performs exceptionally well, while Support Vector Machine (SVM) shows lower accuracy. The findings contribute insights into the applicability of ML for crop yield prediction in ESA, with implications for agricultural decision-making and planning.[6]

The paper highlights the gap in the traditional method of decision making process for crop selection. The aim is to deploy a modern machine learning system replacing traditional farming methods to get better yield from the farmers field. The model makes use of advanced algorithm tools such as Support Vector Machine and ensemble methods for prediction. The paper was able to achieve a notable increase in accuracy compared to the conventional methods and achieving the potential to leverage farmer's decision making process.[8]

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