

# Rainfall Prediction in India

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# Problem Statement:

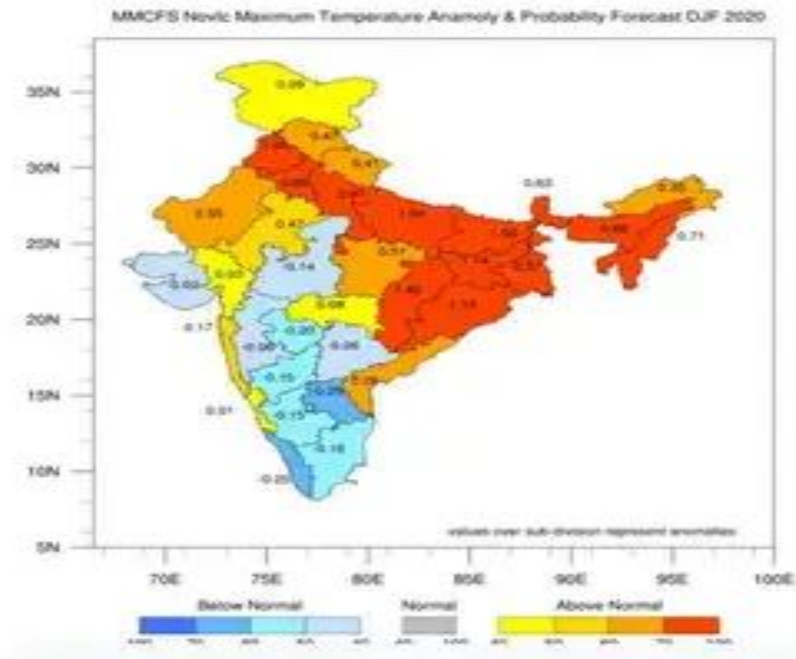
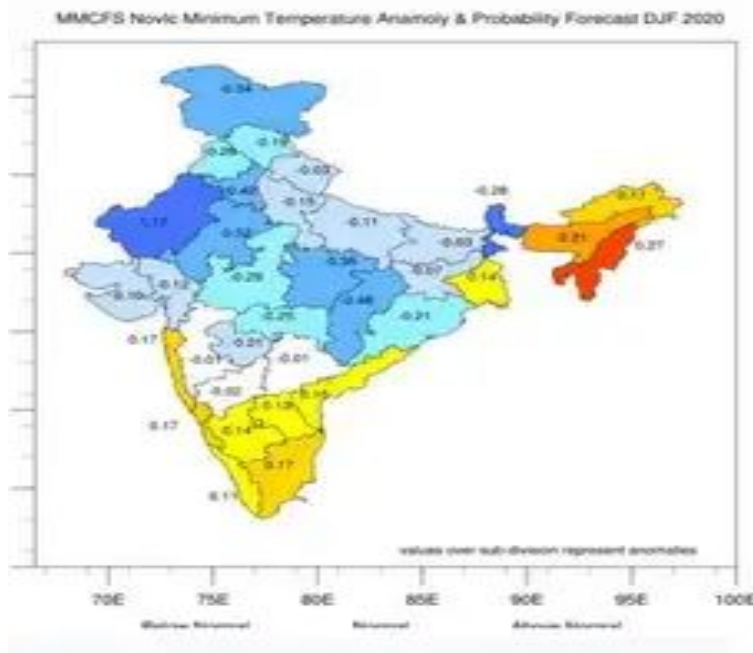
- To Study the seasonal variations of rainfall and Annual Average Rainfall Variation of years range from 1901 to 2015 with month wise distribution of rainfall in mm for all major Indian states and Union Territories.
- Predict the Rainfall for upcoming years in India based on dataset we have .
- Display the predictions through website.

# Challenges/Motivation:

- Rainfall is a key part of hydrological cycle and alteration of its pattern directly affect the water resources. The changing pattern of rainfall in consequence of climate change is now concerning issues to water resource managers and hydrologists.
- The drought and flood like hazardous events can be occurred frequently because of the extreme changes of rainfall trend. the amount of soil moisture for crop production is totally determined by the amount of rainfall.

# Challenges/Motivation:

- The monsoon rainfall plays a vital role for agriculture in India. Hence, the research on the climate change or most specifically on the changes of rainfall occurrences and its allocation are the most significant way for sustainable water resource management.



# Literature Survey:

Authors	Published on, year	Technique	Dataset	Advantage
Bushra Praveen et al., IIT INDORE [1]	<u>Scientific Reports</u> JUNE 2020	Artificial Neural Network-Multilayer Perceptron (ANN-MLP)	Indian Rainfall from 1901-2015	analyzes and forecasts the long-term Spatio-temporal changes
Nikhil Oswal., University of Ottawa,canada [2]	<u>arXiv:1910.13827</u> October 2019	Linear classier, Tree based, Distance based, Rule based and Ensemble for original, undersampled, oversampled dataset	<a href="https://www.kaggle.com/jsphyg/weather-data-set-rattle-package">https://www.kaggle.com/jsphyg/weather-data-set-rattle-package</a>	comparative study , concentrating on three aspects: modeling inputs, modeling methods, and pre-processing techniques.
Emilcy Hernandez et al., Coventry University UK [3]	International Conference on Hybrid Artificial Intelligence Systems. (2016)	Autoencoder and MLP, MSE RMSE errors	meteorological station located in a central area of Manizales, Colombia. (almost 30yrs)	Autoencoder-feature treatment in time series. MLP-prediction task

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Pritpal Singh et al., Tezpur University [4]	<u><i>Stochastic Environmental Research and Risk Assessment</i></u>  13 Feb 2013  @Springer	ANN using BPNN with MLFF	time series data for 140 years (1871– 2010)	a model for prediction of ISMR on monthly and seasonal time scales, its applicability for advance prediction of the seasonal rainfall amounts.
Kumar Abhishek et al., NIT Patna [5]	Control and System Graduate Research Colloquium (ICSGRC), 2012 IEEE	BPA, LRN, CBP with different adaptive learning function, training functions	Data from 1960 to 2010.	The multilayered artificial neural network with learning by back-propagation algorithm configuration is the most common in use, due to of its ease in training



# Dataset Description:

The data set consists of the measurement of rainfall from year 1901-2015 for each state.

- Data consists of 19 attributes (individual months, annual, and seasonal months) for 36 sub divisions.  
[subdivision, year, jan, feb, mar, apr, may, june, july, aug, sep, oct, nov, dec, annual, jan-feb, mar-may , jun-sep, oct-dec]
- The attributes are amount of rainfall measured in mm

**Simple glimpse of data:**

# Dataset Description:

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# Missing Values methods:

## Ignore the missing values :

- ❖ Missing data under 10% for an individual case or observation can generally be ignored
- ❖ **Drop the missing values:**

## Dropping a variable

- ❖ The number of missing values in a feature is very high in a data, then that feature should be left out of the analysis. [6]

## Imputation by Mean/Mode/Median

- ❖ Imputation is the process of substituting the missing data by some statistical methods. [2]
- ❖ If the missing values in a column or feature are numerical, the values can be imputed by the mean of the complete cases of the variable. [2]

# Missing Values methods:

## Regression Methods

- ❖ The variables with missing values are treated as dependent variables and variables with complete cases are taken as predictors or independent variables. [7]
- ❖ The independent variables are used to fit a linear equation for the observed values of the dependent variable. This equation is then used to predict values for the missing data points. [7]

## K-Nearest Neighbour Imputation (KNN)

- ❖ This method uses k-nearest neighbour algorithms to estimate and replace missing data.
- ❖ The k-neighbours are chosen using some distance measure and their average is used as an imputation estimate. [8]
- ❖ This could be used for estimating both qualitative attributes (The most frequent value among the k nearest neighbours) and quantitative attributes (the mean of the k nearest neighbours). [8]

# Applying Missing Values method:

None and NaN are used for indicating missing or null values.

To facilitate this convention, there are several useful methods. They are:

- ❖ **isnull():** Generate a boolean mask indicating missing values
- ❖ **notnull():** Opposite of isnull()
- ❖ **dropna():** Return a filtered version of the data
- ❖ **fillna():** Return a copy of the data with missing values filled or imputed

So first we will find total missing values using sum:

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dataset.isnull().sum()
```

Then we apply missing values method using fillna method

Again we check the missing value sum to confirm that no missing values in our dataset

# Missing values for the dataset :

- ❖ **Mean:** Mean (commonly known as average) is equal to the sum of all values in the column divided by the number of values present in the column. In Excel, you can use the AVERAGE() function to compute the mean.

**dataset = dataset.fillna(dataset.mean())**

- ❖ **pad():** This method is similar to the dataframe.fillna(). method and it fills NA/NaN values using the ffill() method. It returns the object with missing values filled or none if replace=True.

**dataset = dataset.fillna(method='pad')**

- ❖ **bfill():** is used to backward fill the missing values in the dataset. It will backward fill the NaN values that are present in the pandas dataframe.

**dataset = dataset.fillna(method='bfill')**

# Missing values for the dataset:

Before applying mean method		After applying mean method	
SUBDIVISION	0	SUBDIVISION	0
YEAR	0	YEAR	0
JAN	4	JAN	0
FEB	3	FEB	0
MAR	6	MAR	0
APR	4	APR	0
MAY	3	MAY	0
JUN	5	JUN	0
JUL	7	JUL	0
AUG	4	AUG	0
SEP	6	SEP	0
OCT	7	OCT	0
NOV	11	NOV	0
DEC	10	DEC	0
ANNUAL	26	ANNUAL	0
Jan-Feb	6	Jan-Feb	0
Mar-May	9	Mar-May	0
Jun-Sep	10	Jun-Sep	0
Oct-Dec	13	Oct-Dec	0
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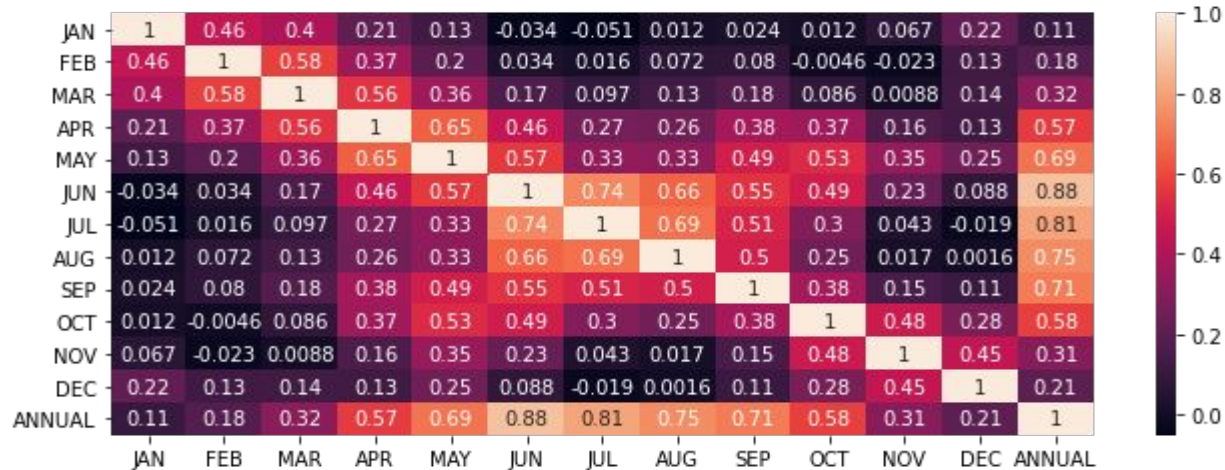
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[27] data = data.fillna(data.mean())
      data.head()
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	SUBDIVISION	YEAR	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	ANNUAL	Jan-Feb	Mar-May	Jun-Sep	Oct-Dec
0	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	1901	49.2	87.1	29.2	2.3	528.8	517.5	365.1	481.1	332.6	388.5	558.2	33.6	3373.2	136.3	560.3	1696.3	980.3
1	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	1902	0.0	159.8	12.2	0.0	446.1	537.1	228.9	753.7	666.2	197.2	359.0	160.5	3520.7	159.8	458.3	2185.9	716.7
2	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	1903	12.7	144.0	0.0	1.0	235.1	479.9	728.4	326.7	339.0	181.2	284.4	225.0	2957.4	156.7	236.1	1874.0	690.6
3	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	1904	9.4	14.7	0.0	202.4	304.5	495.1	502.0	160.1	820.4	222.2	308.7	40.1	3079.6	24.1	506.9	1977.6	571.0
4	ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS	1905	1.3	0.0	3.3	26.9	279.5	628.7	368.7	330.5	297.0	260.7	25.4	344.7	2566.7	1.3	309.7	1624.9	630.8



# Visualization :

## 1. HeatMap:

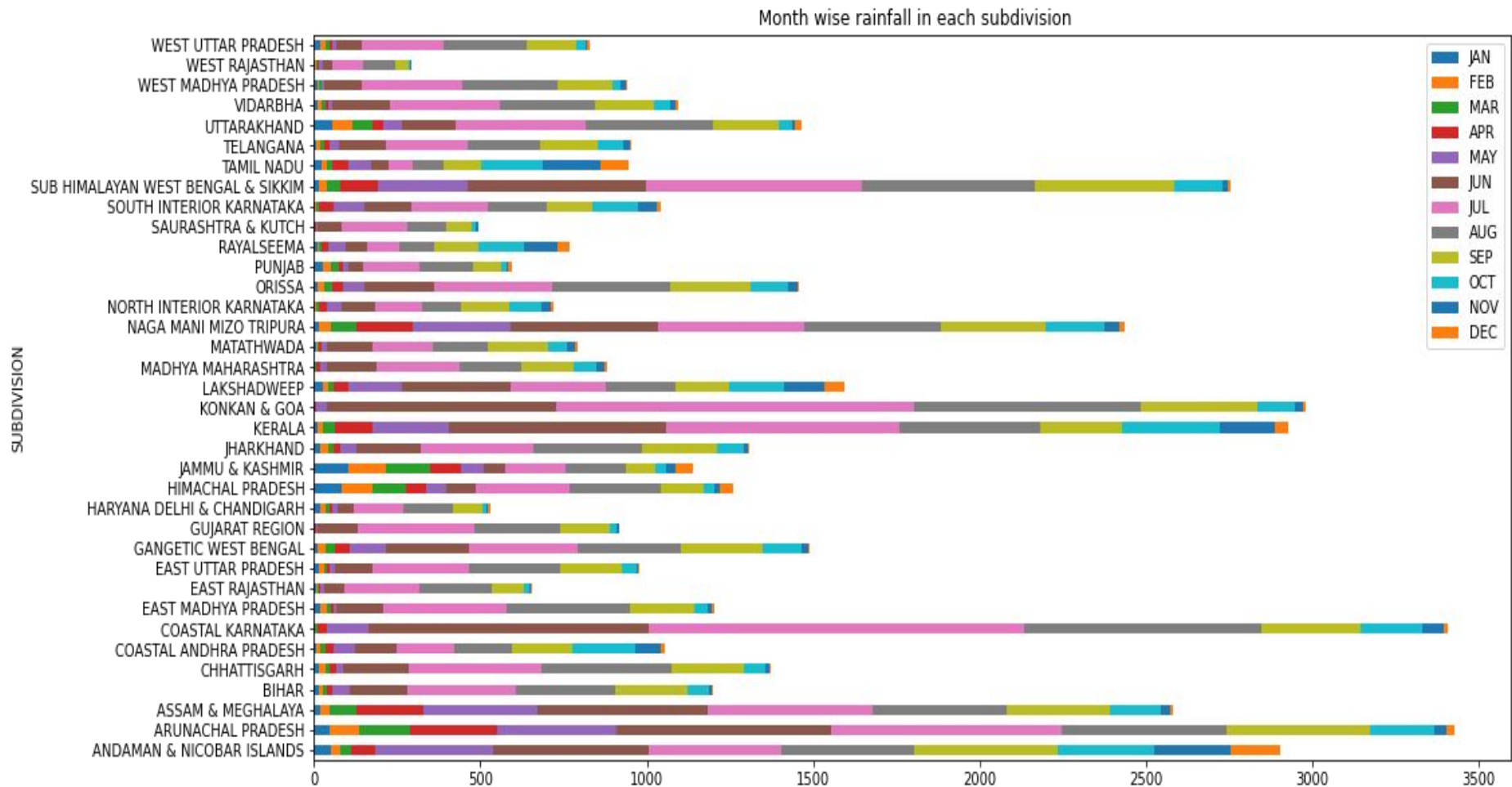


Correlation matrix



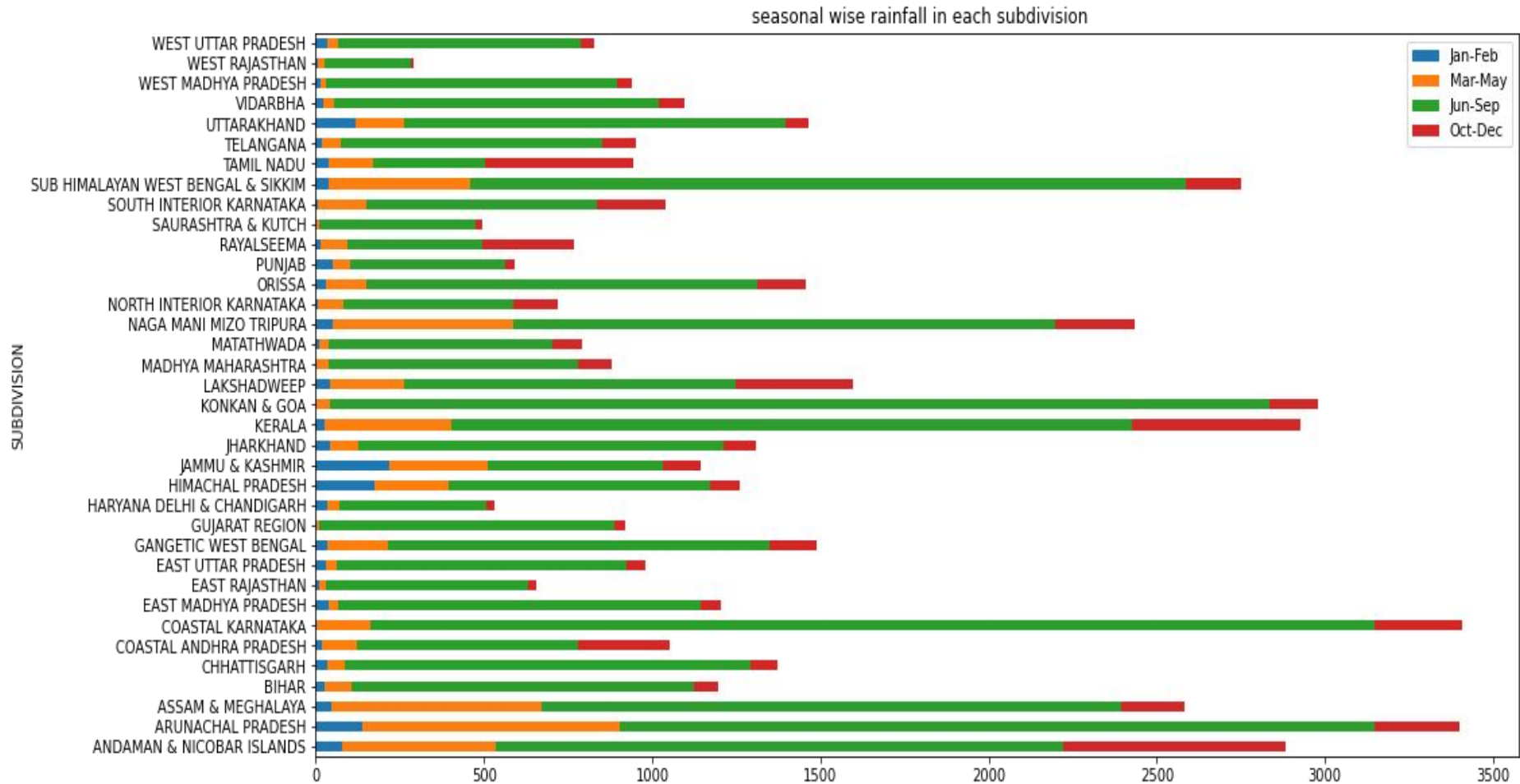
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## 2. BarPlot:



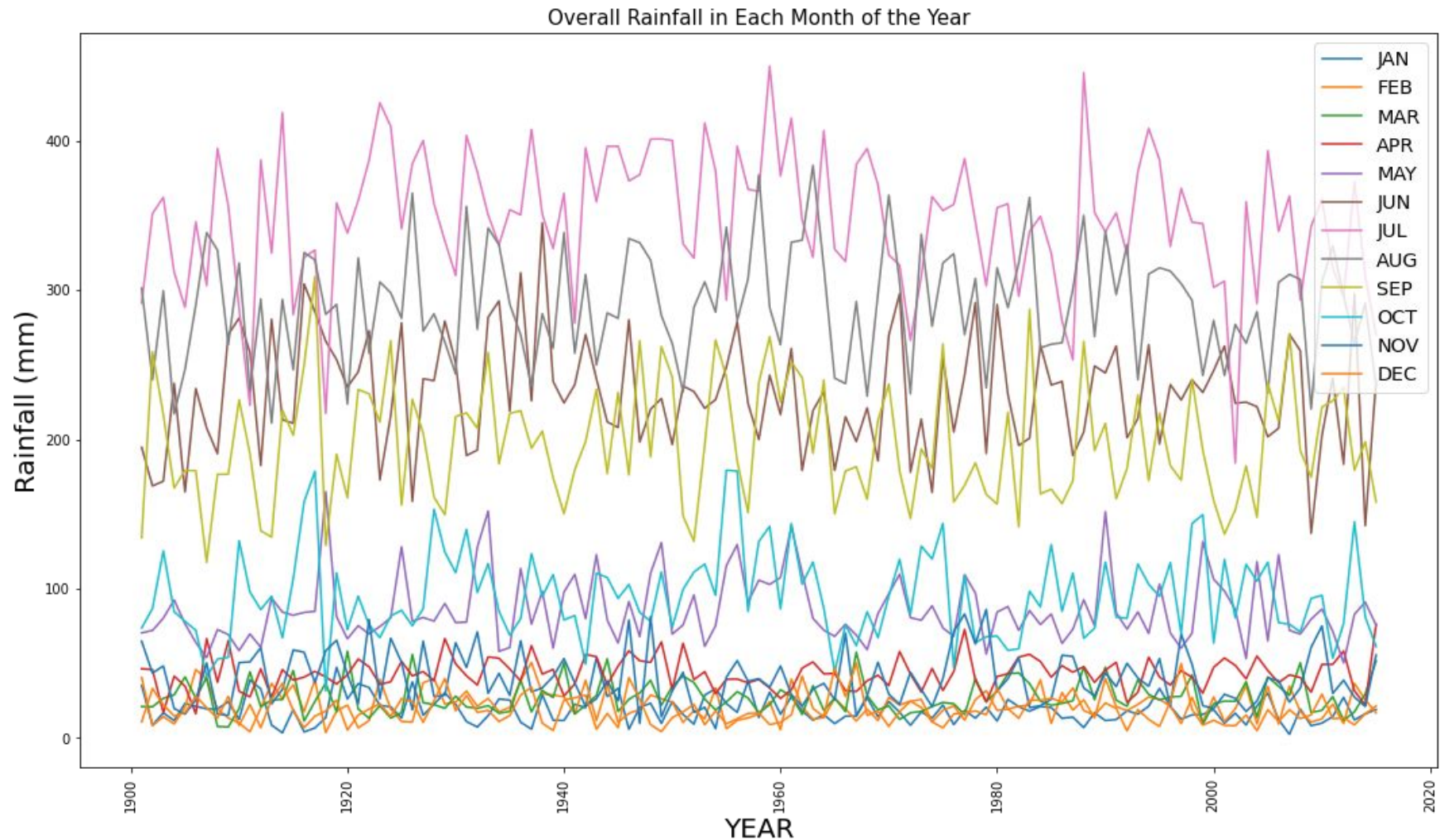
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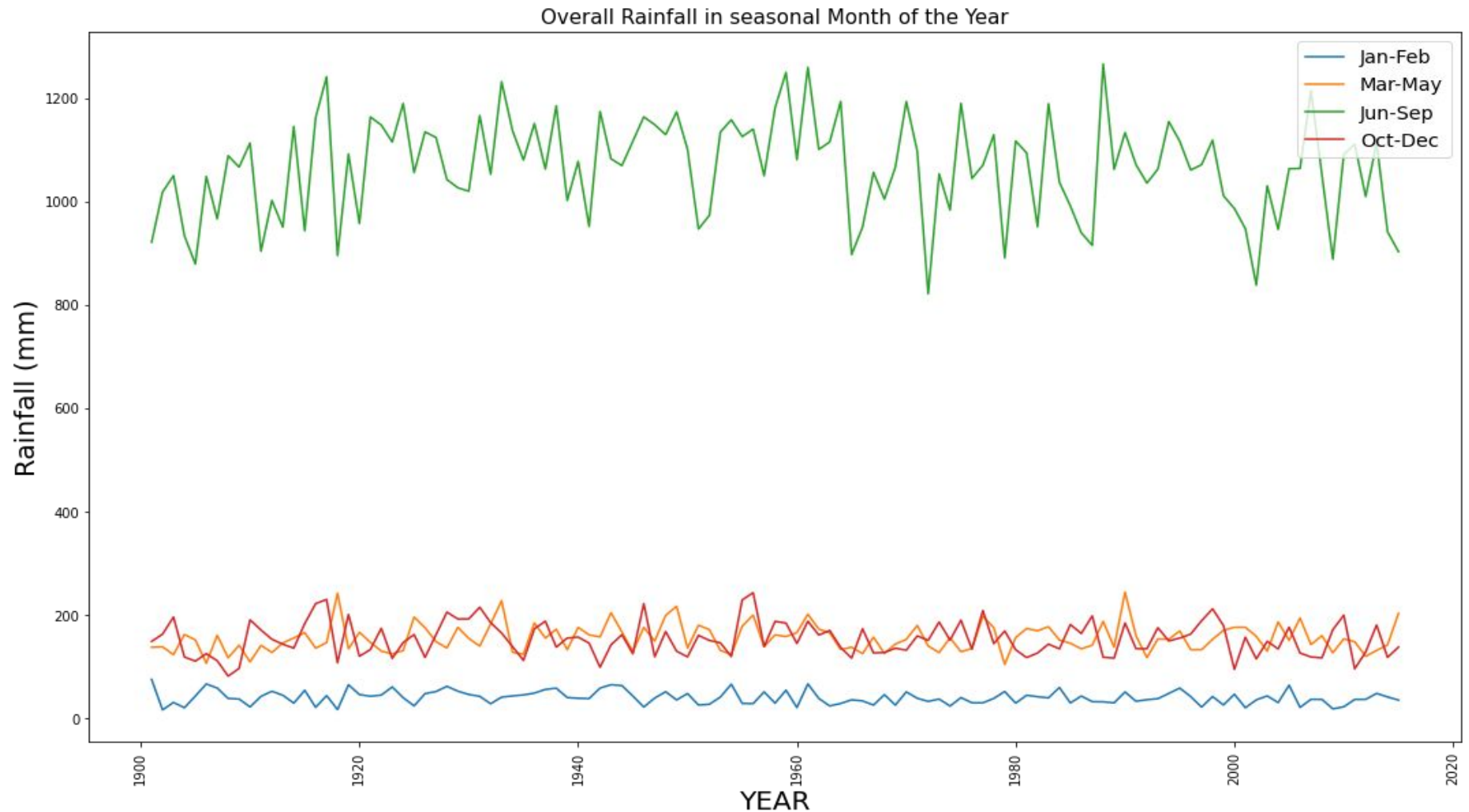
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## 3. Line Plot:



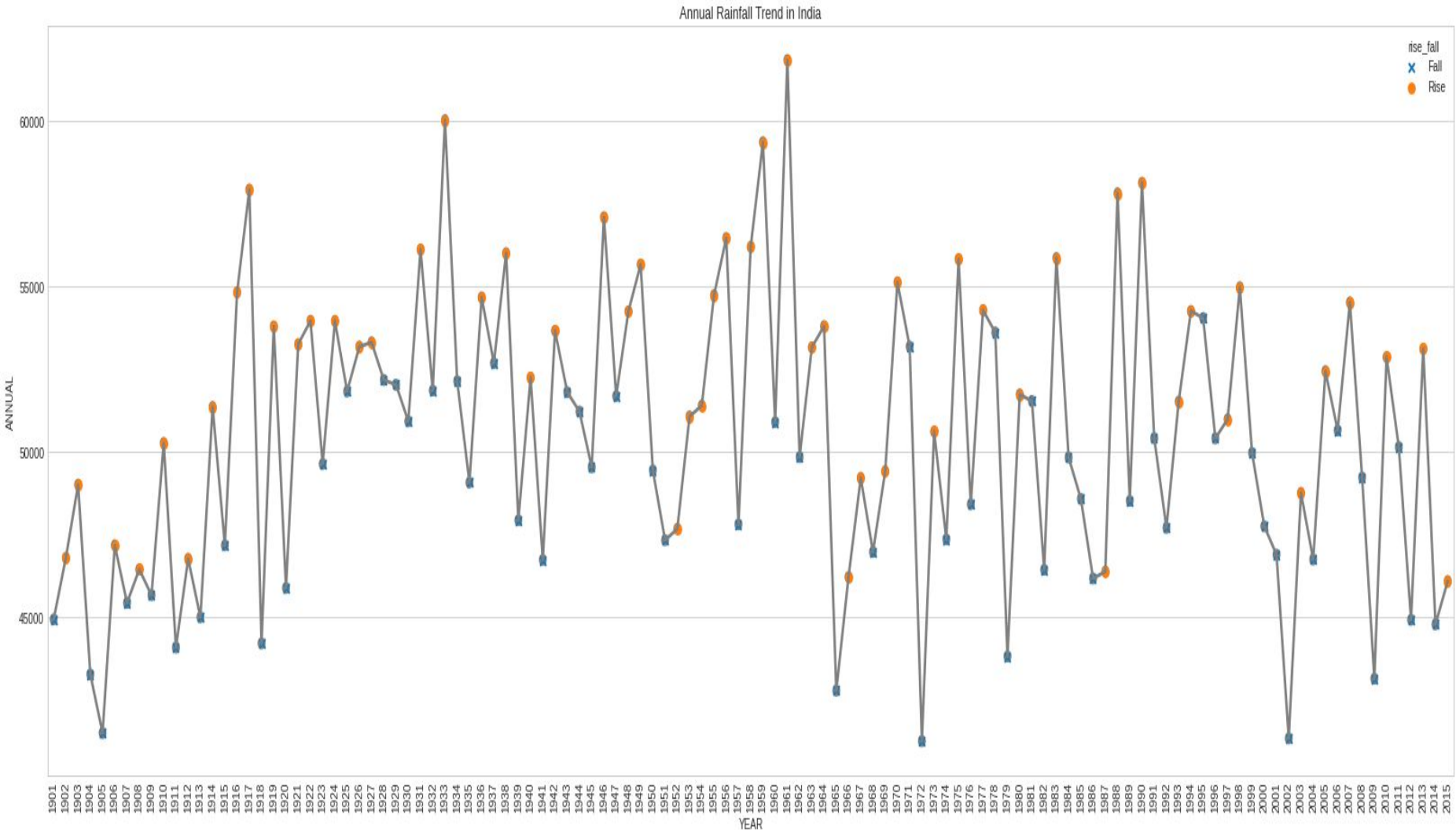
# Visualization :

## 3. Line Plot:



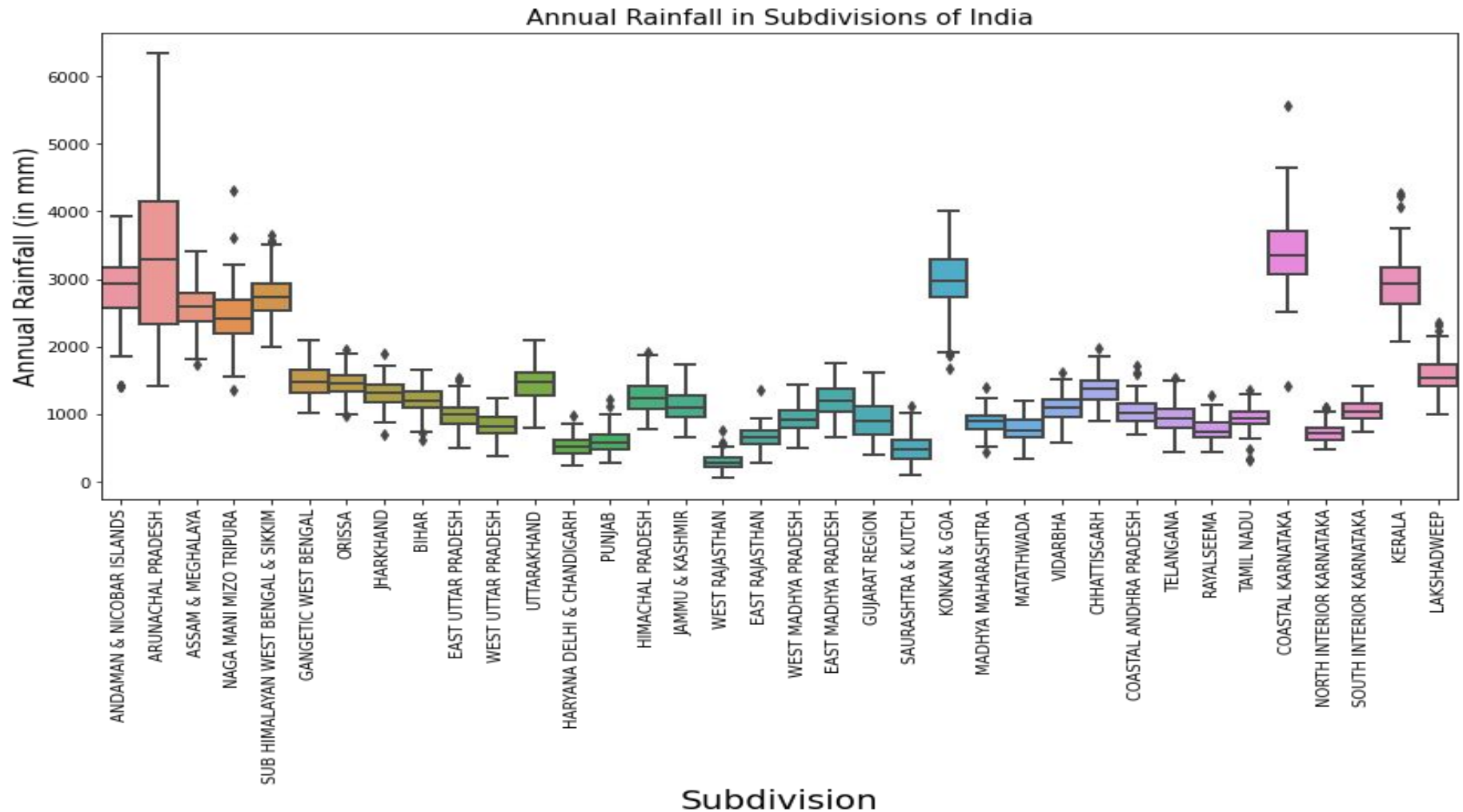
# Visualization :

## 3. Line Plot:



# Visualization :

## 4. Box Plot:





# Applying Machine Learning Techniques:

## Process:

**Step1:** Import the rainfall data set.csv file.

**Step2:** Fill the missing values with mean value of the data.

**Step 3:** The data is divided into training set (80%) and testing set (20%).

**Step 4:** Apply machine learning or deep learning algorithms and calculate the errors like Mean Absolute Error, Mean Squared Error.

**Step 5:** Choose the best Model among all models.

The models we used are: Elastic net, Lasso, Ridge, SVR, Random forest regression, Neural network model.

For prediction we formatted data in the way, given the rainfall in the last three months we try to predict the rainfall in the next consecutive month.

# Applying Machine Learning Techniques:

Model	Mean Absolute Error	Mean Squared Error
Elastic Net Regression	93.3734	142.5711
Ridge Regression	93.9519	141.8863
Lasso Regression	93.9520	141.8863
SVR	125.1810	202.5503
Random Forest Regressor	91.7085	145.7345
Neural Network	85.1830	135.8926

We Observe that all the linear models got almost same MAE and MSE.

Neural Network got less errors among all other methods , second better algorithm was Random Forest Regression.

So we want to proceed using neural network model for upcoming work.



# Applying Machine Learning Techniques:

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[10] subdivs
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array(['ANDAMAN & NICOBAR ISLANDS', 'ARUNACHAL PRADESH',  
      'ASSAM & MEGHALAYA', 'NAGA MANI MIZO TRIPURA',  
      'SUB HIMALAYAN WEST BENGAL & SIKKIM', 'GANGETIC WEST BENGAL',  
      'ORISSA', 'JHARKHAND', 'BIHAR', 'EAST UTTAR PRADESH',  
      'WEST UTTAR PRADESH', 'UTTARAKHAND', 'HARYANA DELHI & CHANDIGARH',  
      'PUNJAB', 'HIMACHAL PRADESH', 'JAMMU & KASHMIR', 'WEST RAJASTHAN',  
      'EAST RAJASTHAN', 'WEST MADHYA PRADESH', 'EAST MADHYA PRADESH',  
      'GUJARAT REGION', 'SAURASHTRA & KUTCH', 'KONKAN & GOA',  
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meanerror
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# Work done upto now/Future plan:

## Work done upto now:

- ❖ Importing data
- ❖ Applying missing value method
- ❖ Visualization (Exploratory Data Analysis)
- ❖ Predicted the best model using MAE, MSE.

## Future plan:

Based on the model we try to predict future values, by changing the data every time like appending the result at the end, as we are taking the data as an array.

Based on the future values we want to do an application

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**Thank you!**

**ANY QUESTIONS?**