Step 1: At first, put the following files in one specific directory (Figure 1):

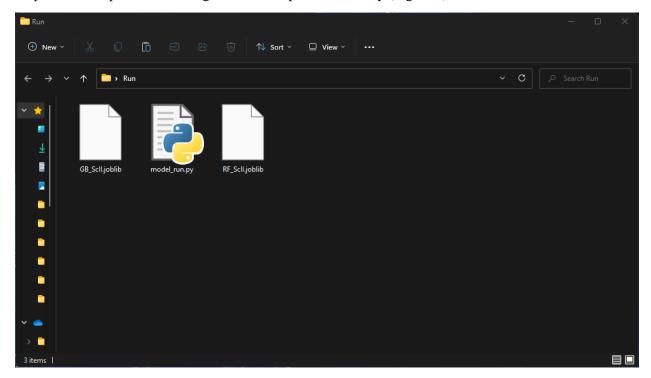


Figure 1: Step1

Step 2: Make sure that you have installed the following libraries in your environment<sup>1</sup>:

- 1. Numpy
- 2. Pandas
- 3. Sklearn

Step 3: Run the *model\_run.py* file; the following options will appear (Figure 2):

Figure 2: Step 2, predictive models

Step 4: Select one of the proposed models by writing the number of the model:

For example, write: 1 and then press *Enter* for running the Random Forest model:

[1] Random Forest

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> Required libraries can be installed with pip install method, click <u>here</u> for mopre information

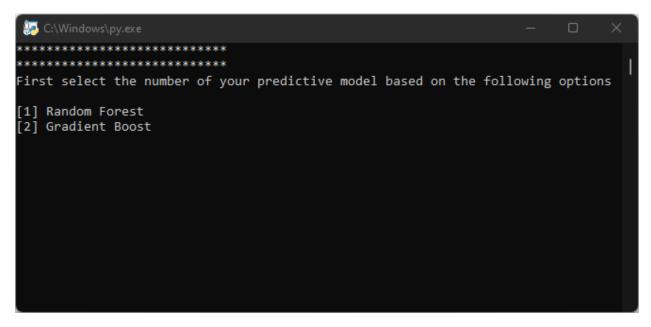


Figure 3. select your predictive model

Step 5: enter the required inputs in this order:  $X_l$ ,  $X_c$ ,  $R_j$ ,  $H_{colmn}/d$ ,  $L_{beam}/d$  and separate them with space according to Figure 4. For example, if you want to evaluate a BCJ with the following properties:

Cracking index= 1.58

Crushing index= 0.0

Joint aspect ratio = 0.73

 $H_{colmn}/d = 7.14$ 

 $L_{beam}/d = 9.2$ 

You must enter: 1.58 0.0 0.73 7.14 9.2

And then press the *Enter* bottom

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💹 C:\Windows\py.exe
*********
       *******
First select the number of your predictive model based on the following options
[1] Random Forest
[2] Gradient Boost
********
Enter elements of a list separated by space with this order:
[(X_1),(X_c),(Rj),(Hcolumn/d),(Lbeam/d)]
For example:
1.58
       0.0
              0.73
                     7.14
                            9.2
1.58
       0.0
                     7.14
                            9.2
              0.73
```

Figure 4. Enter the required inputs

The output of the model will be shown as depicted in Figure 5.

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C:\Windows\py.exe
For example:
1.58
       0.0
               0.73
                      7.14
                              9.2
1.58
                      7.14
       0.0
               0.73
                              9.2
list: ['1.58', '0.0', '0.73', '7.14', '9.2']
Predicted Drift Based On RandomForest Model in the second Scenario is:
drift= 1.78 %
***********
Press Enter bottom
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Figure 5. Output of the model