# Final Notebook\_updated

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```
[]: import numpy as np
     import pandas as pd
     import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
     from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split, cross_val_score, KFold,_
      GridSearchCV
     from sklearn.preprocessing import LabelEncoder, StandardScaler
     from sklearn.impute import KNNImputer
     from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
     from sklearn.metrics import confusion matrix, ConfusionMatrixDisplay,
      ⇔classification report
     import tensorflow
     from tensorflow import keras as keras
     from keras.models import Sequential
     from keras.layers import Dense, Dropout, LSTM, Flatten
     from keras.utils import to_categorical
     from keras.callbacks import EarlyStopping
     from keras.optimizers import Adam
     from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
     from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier
     from sklearn.svm import SVC
     from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score
     from keras.models import Model
     from keras.layers import Input, GRU
     from tabulate import tabulate
```

#### 0.1 Load Data from CSV

Data from NOAA, National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, daily SST (Sea Surface Temperature) and storms.csv file from Kaggle.com.

Python program fill\_storms\_sst.ipynb file is used to combine data.

```
[]: # GitHub base URL for raw CSV files
base_url = "https://raw.githubusercontent.com/soojirhodes/DATA780_Final_Project/
→main/"

# List of CSV files to load from the GitHub repository
csv_files = [
```

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"storms_with_sst_1981-1990.csv",
         "storms_with_sst_1991-2000.csv",
         "storms_with_sst_2001-2010.csv",
         "storms_with_sst_2011-2021.csv"
     ]
     # Construct full URLs and read each CSV file into a DataFrame
     csv_urls = [base_url + file for file in csv_files]
     # Read each CSV file into a DataFrame and store them in a list
     dataframes = [pd.read_csv(url) for url in csv_urls]
     # Concatenate all DataFrames into a single DataFrame
     df_all = pd.concat(dataframes, ignore_index=True)
[]: df_all.head()
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[]: df_all.shape
```

# []: (17799, 15)

## 0.2 Data ETL (Extract, Transform, Load)

```
[]: # Select relevant columns and handle missing values

# Select relevant columns

df = df_all[['wind', 'pressure', 'sst', 'category']].copy() # Make a copy to

→ avoid warnings
```

Initialize the KNN imputer with a chosen number of neighbors (e.g., 5) for missing data.

## Filled missing category data with 0's (representing "not a hurricane").

```
[]: # KNN Imputer is used to fill in missing values based on the nearest neighbors, □ ⇒ providing more accurate estimates compared to mean/mode imputation.

imputer = KNNImputer(n_neighbors=5)
```

```
[]: # Apply KNN imputation only to the numerical columns
df.loc[:, ['wind', 'pressure', 'sst']] = imputer.fit_transform(df[['wind', \subseteq 'pressure', 'sst']])

# Replace missing values in the 'category' column with 0.0 (representing "not as the 'category')
df['category'] = df['category'].fillna(0.0)
```

#### Adding rolling averages to the DataFrame

```
[]:
       wind pressure
                               category sst_rolling_mean pressure_rolling_mean
                          sst
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    0
         30
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                                                                      1006.000000
    2
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    3
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                 1003 24.032
                                     0.0
                                                 23.423333
                                                                      1004.666667
                 1000 24.202
                                                 24.061333
                                                                      1002.666667
         40
                                     0.0
```

Get distinct values of the 'category' column

```
[]: # Split the data into features (X) and labels (y)
X = df[['pressure', 'sst', 'sst_rolling_mean', 'pressure_rolling_mean']].values
y = df['category'].values
```

#### Scale the features

```
[]: # Feature scaling ensures that all features contribute equally to the model, using proving convergence during training.

scaler = StandardScaler()

X = scaler.fit_transform(X)
```

# 1 Training

```
[]: # Split the data into training and testing sets
```

```
[]: # Splitting the data into training and testing sets to evaluate model

→performance on unseen data.

X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X, y, test_size=0.2,

→random_state=42)
```

#### 1.1 Logistic Regression

```
[]: # Convert one-hot encoded `y` to a 1D array of labels
y_labels = np.array(y)

# Splitting the data into training and testing sets
```

/usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages/sklearn/linear\_model/\_logistic.py:1247: FutureWarning: 'multi\_class' was deprecated in version 1.5 and will be removed in 1.7. From then on, it will always use 'multinomial'. Leave it to its default value to avoid this warning.

warnings.warn(

[]: LogisticRegression(max\_iter=1000, multi\_class='multinomial', random\_state=42)

#### 1.2 RandomForest Classifier

Fitting 5 folds for each of 27 candidates, totalling 135 fits

[]: RandomForestClassifier(min\_samples\_split=5, n\_estimators=200, random\_state=42)

#### 1.3 SVM Classifier

```
[]: # Performing grid search to optimize hyperparameters for SVM.
svm_param_grid = {
    'C': [0.1, 1, 10],
    'kernel': ['linear', 'rbf'],
    'gamma': ['scale', 'auto']
}
```

Fitting 5 folds for each of 12 candidates, totalling 60 fits

[]: SVC(C=10, probability=True, random\_state=42)

## 1.4 Gradient Boosting Classifier

```
[]: # Gradient Boosting is used for its ability to improve accuracy by combining weak learners in a sequential manner.

gb_model = GradientBoostingClassifier(n_estimators=100, learning_rate=0.1, wax_depth=3, random_state=42)

gb_model.fit(X_train, y_train)
```

[]: GradientBoostingClassifier(random\_state=42)

#### 1.5

#### 1.6 ANN Model

/usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages/keras/src/layers/core/dense.py:87: UserWarning: Do not pass an `input\_shape`/`input\_dim` argument to a layer. When using Sequential models, prefer using an `Input(shape)` object as the first layer in the model instead.

```
super().__init__(activity_regularizer=activity_regularizer, **kwargs)
```

Model: "sequential"

```
→Param #
     dense (Dense)
                                             (None, 128)
     640
     dropout (Dropout)
                                             (None, 128)
                                                                                      Ш
     → 0
                                             (None, 64)
     dense_1 (Dense)
                                                                                    Ш
     48,256
     dropout_1 (Dropout)
                                             (None, 64)
                                                                                      Ш
     → 0
     dense_2 (Dense)
                                             (None, 32)
     42,080
                                             (None, 6)
     dense_3 (Dense)
                                                                                      Ш
     →198
     Total params: 11,174 (43.65 KB)
     Trainable params: 11,174 (43.65 KB)
     Non-trainable params: 0 (0.00 B)
[]: # Compile the ANN model with a smaller learning rate
     # Compiling the model with Adam optimizer and a lower learning rate to achieve
     ⇔better convergence.
     model.compile(optimizer=Adam(learning_rate=0.0005),__
      ⇔loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy', metrics=['accuracy'])
[]: # Train the ANN model with early stopping to prevent overfitting
     # Early stopping is used to stop training when the validation loss stops_{\sqcup}
     →improving, helping to avoid overfitting.
     early_stopping = EarlyStopping(monitor='val_loss', patience=5,__
      →restore_best_weights=True)
     history = model.fit(X_train, y_train, validation_split=0.2, epochs=100,__
      ⇒batch_size=16, callbacks=[early_stopping],
                         verbose=1)
```

Output Shape

Layer (type)

```
Epoch 1/100
712/712
                   5s 5ms/step -
accuracy: 0.6657 - loss: 0.9182 - val_accuracy: 0.8708 - val_loss: 0.3056
Epoch 2/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8620 - loss: 0.3382 - val_accuracy: 0.8880 - val_loss: 0.2811
Epoch 3/100
712/712
                   2s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8725 - loss: 0.3107 - val_accuracy: 0.8827 - val_loss: 0.2753
Epoch 4/100
712/712
                   3s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8751 - loss: 0.3099 - val_accuracy: 0.8866 - val_loss: 0.2674
Epoch 5/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8800 - loss: 0.2904 - val_accuracy: 0.8873 - val_loss: 0.2630
Epoch 6/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8784 - loss: 0.2976 - val_accuracy: 0.8926 - val_loss: 0.2602
Epoch 7/100
712/712
                   4s 4ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8773 - loss: 0.2845 - val_accuracy: 0.8915 - val_loss: 0.2574
Epoch 8/100
712/712
                   4s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8794 - loss: 0.2874 - val_accuracy: 0.8936 - val_loss: 0.2554
Epoch 9/100
712/712
                   2s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8823 - loss: 0.2882 - val_accuracy: 0.9003 - val_loss: 0.2519
Epoch 10/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8827 - loss: 0.2784 - val_accuracy: 0.8848 - val_loss: 0.2591
Epoch 11/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8857 - loss: 0.2740 - val_accuracy: 0.8971 - val_loss: 0.2483
Epoch 12/100
712/712
                   3s 4ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8855 - loss: 0.2710 - val_accuracy: 0.8992 - val_loss: 0.2473
Epoch 13/100
712/712
                   4s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8892 - loss: 0.2654 - val_accuracy: 0.9024 - val_loss: 0.2448
Epoch 14/100
712/712
                   3s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8897 - loss: 0.2642 - val_accuracy: 0.8947 - val_loss: 0.2506
Epoch 15/100
                   2s 2ms/step -
712/712
accuracy: 0.8835 - loss: 0.2781 - val_accuracy: 0.8929 - val_loss: 0.2476
Epoch 16/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8856 - loss: 0.2700 - val accuracy: 0.9017 - val loss: 0.2469
```

```
Epoch 17/100
                   4s 4ms/step -
712/712
accuracy: 0.8930 - loss: 0.2587 - val_accuracy: 0.9052 - val_loss: 0.2409
Epoch 18/100
712/712
                   4s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8885 - loss: 0.2687 - val_accuracy: 0.9006 - val_loss: 0.2456
Epoch 19/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8911 - loss: 0.2645 - val_accuracy: 0.9003 - val_loss: 0.2422
Epoch 20/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8928 - loss: 0.2569 - val_accuracy: 0.8964 - val_loss: 0.2494
Epoch 21/100
712/712
                   3s 4ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8937 - loss: 0.2632 - val_accuracy: 0.9048 - val_loss: 0.2389
Epoch 22/100
712/712
                   4s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8943 - loss: 0.2467 - val_accuracy: 0.9020 - val_loss: 0.2393
Epoch 23/100
712/712
                   2s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8945 - loss: 0.2570 - val_accuracy: 0.9041 - val_loss: 0.2372
Epoch 24/100
712/712
                   3s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8909 - loss: 0.2594 - val_accuracy: 0.9059 - val_loss: 0.2378
Epoch 25/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8951 - loss: 0.2576 - val_accuracy: 0.8971 - val_loss: 0.2402
Epoch 26/100
712/712
                   4s 4ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8870 - loss: 0.2671 - val_accuracy: 0.9020 - val_loss: 0.2379
Epoch 27/100
712/712
                   4s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8944 - loss: 0.2538 - val_accuracy: 0.9006 - val_loss: 0.2377
Epoch 28/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8940 - loss: 0.2549 - val_accuracy: 0.9045 - val_loss: 0.2368
Epoch 29/100
712/712
                   2s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8969 - loss: 0.2495 - val_accuracy: 0.9031 - val_loss: 0.2404
Epoch 30/100
712/712
                   2s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8930 - loss: 0.2523 - val_accuracy: 0.9027 - val_loss: 0.2413
Epoch 31/100
                   3s 4ms/step -
712/712
accuracy: 0.9017 - loss: 0.2466 - val_accuracy: 0.9045 - val_loss: 0.2367
Epoch 32/100
712/712
                   3s 5ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9000 - loss: 0.2413 - val accuracy: 0.9048 - val loss: 0.2355
```

```
Epoch 33/100
                   2s 3ms/step -
712/712
accuracy: 0.8961 - loss: 0.2474 - val_accuracy: 0.9055 - val_loss: 0.2315
Epoch 34/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8958 - loss: 0.2515 - val_accuracy: 0.9010 - val_loss: 0.2357
Epoch 35/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8937 - loss: 0.2580 - val_accuracy: 0.9055 - val_loss: 0.2321
Epoch 36/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8907 - loss: 0.2521 - val_accuracy: 0.9048 - val_loss: 0.2333
Epoch 37/100
712/712
                   4s 4ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8979 - loss: 0.2438 - val_accuracy: 0.9070 - val_loss: 0.2330
Epoch 38/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8949 - loss: 0.2463 - val_accuracy: 0.9077 - val_loss: 0.2281
Epoch 39/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8954 - loss: 0.2437 - val_accuracy: 0.9045 - val_loss: 0.2292
Epoch 40/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9038 - loss: 0.2387 - val_accuracy: 0.8992 - val_loss: 0.2350
Epoch 41/100
712/712
                   2s 2ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8958 - loss: 0.2495 - val_accuracy: 0.9098 - val_loss: 0.2305
Epoch 42/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8951 - loss: 0.2467 - val_accuracy: 0.9084 - val_loss: 0.2289
Epoch 43/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9009 - loss: 0.2401 - val_accuracy: 0.9094 - val_loss: 0.2269
Epoch 44/100
712/712
                   3s 5ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8955 - loss: 0.2456 - val_accuracy: 0.9066 - val_loss: 0.2278
Epoch 45/100
712/712
                   4s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9008 - loss: 0.2372 - val_accuracy: 0.9115 - val_loss: 0.2267
Epoch 46/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9004 - loss: 0.2373 - val_accuracy: 0.9098 - val_loss: 0.2273
Epoch 47/100
                   3s 3ms/step -
712/712
accuracy: 0.8996 - loss: 0.2367 - val_accuracy: 0.9112 - val_loss: 0.2287
Epoch 48/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8968 - loss: 0.2516 - val accuracy: 0.9077 - val loss: 0.2279
```

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Epoch 49/100
712/712
                   4s 5ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8977 - loss: 0.2428 - val_accuracy: 0.9098 - val_loss: 0.2256
Epoch 50/100
712/712
                   4s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9005 - loss: 0.2460 - val_accuracy: 0.9119 - val_loss: 0.2286
Epoch 51/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9057 - loss: 0.2390 - val_accuracy: 0.9041 - val_loss: 0.2280
Epoch 52/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8972 - loss: 0.2413 - val_accuracy: 0.9101 - val_loss: 0.2244
Epoch 53/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9004 - loss: 0.2407 - val_accuracy: 0.9108 - val_loss: 0.2220
Epoch 54/100
712/712
                   4s 5ms/step -
accuracy: 0.8979 - loss: 0.2429 - val_accuracy: 0.9027 - val_loss: 0.2331
Epoch 55/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9020 - loss: 0.2348 - val_accuracy: 0.9108 - val_loss: 0.2253
Epoch 56/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9034 - loss: 0.2440 - val_accuracy: 0.9115 - val_loss: 0.2251
Epoch 57/100
712/712
                   2s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9002 - loss: 0.2452 - val_accuracy: 0.9087 - val_loss: 0.2285
Epoch 58/100
712/712
                   3s 3ms/step -
accuracy: 0.9026 - loss: 0.2432 - val_accuracy: 0.9073 - val_loss: 0.2254
```

#### 1.7 RNN Model LSTM-based

/usr/local/lib/python3.10/dist-packages/keras/src/layers/rnn/rnn.py:204: UserWarning: Do not pass an `input\_shape`/`input\_dim` argument to a layer. When using Sequential models, prefer using an `Input(shape)` object as the first

```
layer in the model instead.
      super().__init__(**kwargs)
[]: # Compile the LSTM model
    lstm_model.compile(optimizer='adam', loss='sparse_categorical_crossentropy',__
      →metrics=['accuracy'])
[]: # Train the LSTM model
     # lstm history = lstm model.fit(X reshaped, y, epochs=50, batch size=16, u
      →validation_split=0.2, callbacks=[early_stopping],
                                     verbose=1)
[]: # Train the LSTM model
    lstm_history = lstm_model.fit(X_reshaped, y_train, epochs=50, batch_size=16,__
      →validation_split=0.2, callbacks=[early_stopping],
                                   verbose=1)
    Epoch 1/50
    712/712
                        6s 5ms/step -
    accuracy: 0.7529 - loss: 0.8634 - val_accuracy: 0.8778 - val_loss: 0.2968
    Epoch 2/50
    712/712
                        3s 5ms/step -
    accuracy: 0.8721 - loss: 0.2932 - val_accuracy: 0.8810 - val_loss: 0.2769
    Epoch 3/50
    712/712
                        4s 4ms/step -
    accuracy: 0.8861 - loss: 0.2652 - val_accuracy: 0.8866 - val_loss: 0.2624
    Epoch 4/50
    712/712
                        3s 4ms/step -
    accuracy: 0.8916 - loss: 0.2621 - val_accuracy: 0.8859 - val_loss: 0.2588
    Epoch 5/50
    712/712
                        2s 3ms/step -
    accuracy: 0.8925 - loss: 0.2516 - val_accuracy: 0.8894 - val_loss: 0.2551
       Validation and Evaluation
    2.1 Accuracy
    Logistic Regression Accuracy
```

```
[]: # Evaluate Logistic Regression Classifier
lr_predicted_classes = logistic_model.predict(X_test_lr)
lr_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test_lr, lr_predicted_classes)
print(f"Logistic Regression Test Accuracy: {lr_accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
```

Logistic Regression Test Accuracy: 88.88%

## RandomForest Accuracy

```
[]: # Evaluate RandomForest Classifier
    rf_predicted_classes = rf_best_model.predict(X_test)
    rf_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, rf_predicted_classes)
    print(f"Random Forest Test Accuracy: {rf_accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
    Random Forest Test Accuracy: 96.12%
    Gradient Boosting Accuracy
[]: # Evaluate Gradient Boosting Classifier
    gb_predicted_classes = gb_model.predict(X_test)
    gb_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, gb_predicted_classes)
    print(f"Gradient Boosting Test Accuracy: {gb_accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
    Gradient Boosting Test Accuracy: 94.89%
    SVM Accuracy
[]: # Evaluate SVM Classifier
    svm_predicted_classes = svm_best_model.predict(X_test)
    svm_accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, svm_predicted_classes)
    print(f"SVM Test Accuracy: {svm_accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
    SVM Test Accuracy: 90.73%
    ANN Accuracy
[]: # Evaluate the ANN model on the test data
    loss, accuracy = model.evaluate(X_test, y_test)
    print(f"ANN Test Accuracy: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
    112/112
                        Os 1ms/step -
    accuracy: 0.9093 - loss: 0.2295
    ANN Test Accuracy: 91.07%
[]: # Make predictions with the ANN model
    ann_predictions = model.predict(X_test)
    ann predicted classes = ann predictions.argmax(axis=1)
    112/112
                        Os 2ms/step
    LSTM Accuracy
[]: X_reshaped = X_train.reshape((X_train.shape[0], 1, X_train.shape[1]))
```

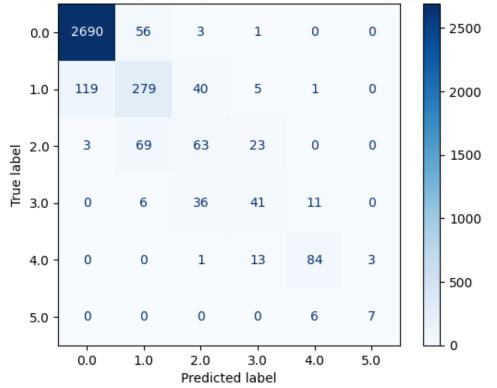
```
[]: X_reshaped = X_train.reshape((X_train.shape[0], 1, X_train.shape[1]))
    X_test_reshaped = X_test.reshape((X_test.shape[0], 1, X_test.shape[1]))
# Evaluate the LSTM model
loss, accuracy = lstm_model.evaluate(X_test_reshaped, y_test)
print(f"LSTM Model Accuracy: {accuracy * 100:.2f}%")
```

```
[]: # Make predictions with the LSTM model
lstm_predictions = lstm_model.predict(X_test_reshaped)
lstm_predicted_classes = lstm_predictions.argmax(axis=1)
```

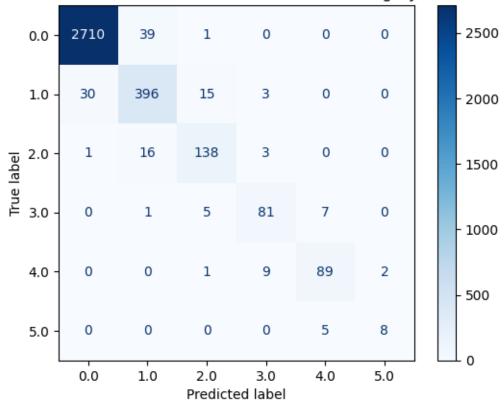
112/112 0s 2ms/step

## 2.2 Confusion Matrix

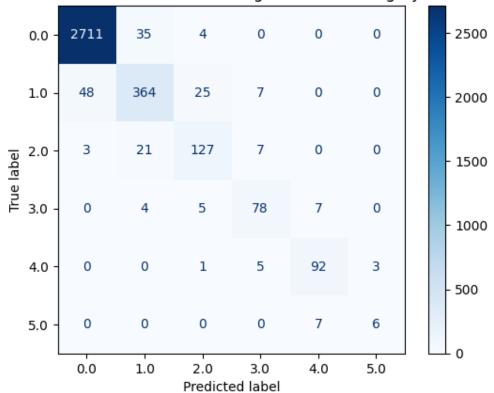
# Confusion Matrix for Logistic Regression Hurricane Category Prediction

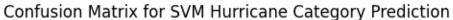


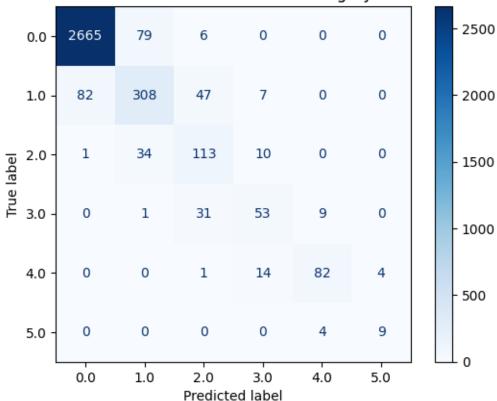
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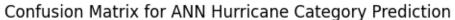


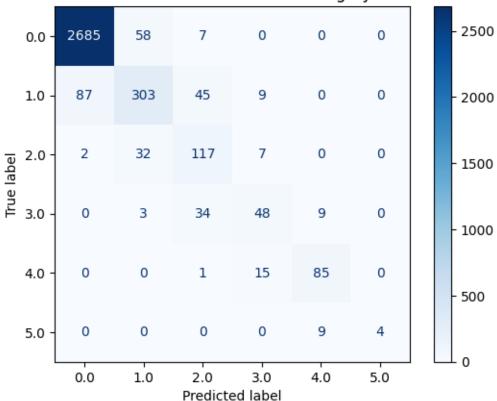


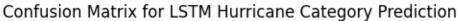


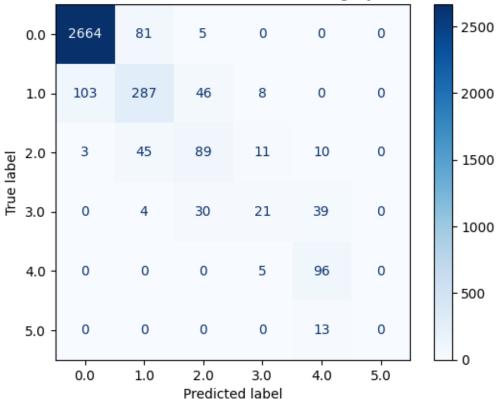












# 2.3 Classification Reports

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[]: # Classification Report for All Models

print("Classification Report for Logistic Regression:")

print(classification_report(y_test_lr, lr_predicted_classes, ustarget_names=label_encoder.classes_.astype(str)))
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Classification Report for Logistic Regression:

		precision	recall	f1-score	support
	0.0	0.96	0.98	0.97	2750
	1.0	0.68	0.63	0.65	444
	2.0	0.44	0.40	0.42	158
	3.0	0.49	0.44	0.46	94
	4.0	0.82	0.83	0.83	101
	5.0	0.70	0.54	0.61	13
accui	cacy			0.89	3560
macro	avg	0.68	0.64	0.66	3560
weighted	avg	0.88	0.89	0.89	3560

Classification Report for Random Forest:

precision	recall	f1-score	support
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0.99	0.99	0.99	2750
0.88	0.89	0.88	444
0.86	0.87	0.87	158
0.84	0.86	0.85	94
0.88	0.88	0.88	101
0.80	0.62	0.70	13
		0.96	3560
0.88	0.85	0.86	3560
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[]: print("Classification Report for Gradient Boosting:")
print(classification_report(y_test, gb_predicted_classes,

target_names=label_encoder.classes_.astype(str)))
```

Classification Report for Gradient Boosting:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0.0	0.98	0.99	0.98	2750
1.0	0.86	0.82	0.84	444
2.0	0.78	0.80	0.79	158
3.0	0.80	0.83	0.82	94
4.0	0.87	0.91	0.89	101
5.0	0.67	0.46	0.55	13
accuracy			0.95	3560
macro avg	0.83	0.80	0.81	3560
weighted avg	0.95	0.95	0.95	3560

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[]: print("Classification Report for SVM:")
print(classification_report(y_test, svm_predicted_classes,

→target_names=label_encoder.classes_.astype(str)))
```

Classification Report for SVM:

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precision recall f1-score support
0.0 0.97 0.97 0.97 2750
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1.0
                   0.73
                              0.69
                                        0.71
                                                    444
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         3.0
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         5.0
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                                        0.91
                                                   3560
    accuracy
                                        0.74
                                                   3560
   macro avg
                   0.74
                              0.74
weighted avg
                   0.91
                              0.91
                                        0.91
                                                   3560
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[]: print("Classification Report for ANN:")
print(classification_report(y_test, ann_predicted_classes,
target_names=label_encoder.classes_.astype(str)))
```

Classification Report for ANN:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0.0	0.97	0.98	0.97	2750
1.0	0.77	0.68	0.72	444
2.0	0.57	0.74	0.65	158
3.0	0.61	0.51	0.55	94
4.0	0.83	0.84	0.83	101
5.0	1.00	0.31	0.47	13
accurac	•		0.91	3560
macro av	0.79	0.68	0.70	3560
weighted ave	0.91	0.91	0.91	3560

Classification Report for LSTM:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0.0	0.96	0.97	0.97	2750
1.0	0.69	0.65	0.67	444
2.0	0.52	0.56	0.54	158
3.0	0.47	0.22	0.30	94
4.0	0.61	0.95	0.74	101
5.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	13
accuracy			0.89	3560
macro avg	0.54	0.56	0.54	3560
weighted avg	0.88	0.89	0.88	3560

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## 3 Conclusion

#### 3.0.1 Bottom Line: Which Model Performed Best?

Based on the accuracy results, the Random Forest and Gradient Boosting models performed well and provided stable accuracy. Here is a summary of their performance: - Logistic Regression: Logistic Regression showed stable performance across most classes, excelling in interpretability and serving well as a baseline model. However, it struggled slightly with imbalanced classes and complex, non-linear patterns. - Random Forest: Achieved competitive accuracy with strong cross-validation scores. It handled noisy data effectively. - Gradient Boosting: Slightly outperformed Random Forest due to its sequential learning, focusing on the more difficult samples. - SVM: Performed well but showed more variability in accuracy, indicating that it might not be as robust as the ensemble models. - ANN: Showed good results, effectively capturing non-linear relationships. However, it had a tendency to struggle with underrepresented classes. - LSTM: Demonstrated the ability to model temporal dependencies, but it was prone to overfitting with the available data.

Best Performing Model: Based on the accuracy and cross-validation scores, Gradient Boosting and Random Forest emerged as the best performers. Gradient Boosting had a slight edge in focusing on difficult-to-classify instances.

#### 3.0.2 Most Important Feature

From the feature importance analysis of Random Forest and Gradient Boosting, the **most important features** influencing the model were:

- 1. **Pressure**: The atmospheric pressure had the highest impact on the model's decision-making process.
- 2. **SST** (Sea Surface Temperature): SST was the second most influential, especially in distinguishing between hurricanes of different intensities.

The rolling averages of SST and pressure also contributed to the model's performance, although not as strongly as the direct pressure and SST values.

#### 3.0.3 Way Forward

- 1. **Data Augmentation**: Collect additional data to address underrepresented hurricane categories. This could include incorporating more detailed historical weather data or using synthetic data generation.
- 2. **Feature Engineering**: Explore more advanced feature engineering, such as deriving features that represent storm evolution over time.
- 3. **Hyperparameter Tuning**: Further optimize the hyperparameters of Gradient Boosting and Random Forest to potentially improve their performance.
- 4. **Ensemble Methods**: Consider an ensemble approach that combines Random Forest, Gradient Boosting, and ANN to leverage their strengths for improved overall prediction accuracy.
- 5. **Handling Imbalanced Data**: Use techniques like SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique) to address class imbalance, especially for higher hurricane categories.
- 6. **Sequential Modeling**: For LSTM, consider training on a larger dataset with more sequential information to reduce overfitting and better capture temporal dependencies.

The next steps should focus on addressing data imbalances and incorporating new features or data sources that can enhance the prediction capabilities of these models.