







Visual representation of feature importances with respect to roughness of paper

Recommendations

- ▶ From the data it can be seen that the Sensors Basis weight and Moisture 2 have the most important effect on the roughness of the paper. It is expedient to monitor the important sensors. Taking a look at the data, with some of it being missen, it can be said that the sensor failed to capture data at that given point in time. Therefore the sensors should be re-caliberated. This can help to reduce variability and also maintain roughness within the desired specification.
- For the low important sensors with little or no signoficant impact, they should also be checked from time to time.
- There should also be scheduled maintenance, this will help to reduce any disruption in the production process

How to improve the model

- Try different algorithms to see if they would yield better results.
- For the regression tasks like predicting paper roughness you can experiment with linear regression, decision tree, random forest, sym and neural network.
- Ensure the data processing steps are appropriate.

