MANUFACTURING ANALYTICS

Manufacturing Quality: Objective

- > SandMan Corporation continuously looks to improve its manufacturing quality.
- SandMan monitors quality of input materials (physical and chemical properties) on a daily basis.
- > SandMan monitors quality of output material of every batch and output rejection rates are available on a daily basis.
- > SandMan wishes to develop a **early warning system(EWS)** to predict likely rejections for a new day, given the input quality for that day.
- This early warning is required since the rejections can be observed only after 4-5 days due to additional processing on the castings. If rejections are predicted to be large, the foundry can produce more castings to maintain supply to their customers.

Manufacturing Quality: Data

Total size : 388 x 13

Data file: sandman.csv

Variables Description

Predictor Variables (in order as in dataset)	<u>Description</u>
CLAY_COMPOSITION_I	Composition of clay in the sand mould in %
COMPRESS	Dimension of standard sample after compression (cm)
STRENGTH_I	Strength of standard sample, (N/m**2)
LAYER_ANALYSIS	Measure of distributed particle size, no - Higher = finer grains
CLAY_COMPOSITION_2	Composition of inert material, %
IGNITION	Measure of ash content, %
HUMIDITY	Composition of water content in the sand sample, %
ACIDITY	Measure of acidity, no unit

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PRESSURE	Measure of permeability and porosity of sand sample, no unit
STRENGTH_2	Strength of standard sand sample under shear, N/m**2
GASES_HOT	Composition of volatile matter and combustible content, %
STRENGTH_3	Strength of standard sand sample when heated and loaded, N/m**2
TOTAL_DEFECT_PERCENTAGE	Total rejected/total produced