Stage 1: Data Preprocessing

In this stage, we preprocess the raw data to ensure it is in the appropriate format for analysis and modeling. The main tasks performed include:

1. **Loading the Data**: The data is loaded from an Excel file (niteroi.xlsx) and converted into a Pandas DataFrame.

2. Format Conversion:

- Replacing commas with periods in numeric columns.
- Converting columns to appropriate data types (e.g., numeric, datetime).

3. Data Cleaning:

- Removing unnecessary suffixes (e.g., "UTC" in the time column).
- · Creating derived variables, such as month and season.

4. Handling Missing Values:

• Identifying and treating missing values, including creating a binary variable to indicate precipitation occurrence.

5. Column Filtering:

· Selecting relevant columns for analysis and modeling.

```
In [1]: import pandas as pd
   import numpy as np
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
   import seaborn as sns

from imblearn.over_sampling import SMOTE
   from sklearn.preprocessing import OneHotEncoder

from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
   from sklearn.model_selection import GridSearchCV

from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
   from sklearn.ensemble import GradientBoostingClassifier

from sklearn.linear_model import LogisticRegression
   from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report
   from sklearn.metrics import classification_report, accuracy_score
```

```
In [2]: # Load the dataset
file_path = 'niteroi.xlsx'
df = pd.read_excel(file_path)
```

In [3]: df.info()

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<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 8784 entries, 0 to 8783
Data columns (total 19 columns):
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Dtype
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    Data
                                                            8784 non-null
datetime64[ns]
    Hora UTC
                                                            8784 non-null
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object
    PRECIPITAÇÃO TOTAL, HORÁRIO (mm)
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float64
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float64
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                                                            8483 non-null
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     PRESSÃO ATMOSFERICA MIN. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (mB)
                                                            8483 non-null
 5
float64
                                                            4635 non-null
 6
     RADIACAO GLOBAL (Kj/m²)
float64
    TEMPERATURA DO AR - BULBO SECO, HORARIA (°C)
                                                            8496 non-null
float64
    TEMPERATURA DO PONTO DE ORVALHO (°C)
                                                            8493 non-null
float64
 9
    TEMPERATURA MÁXIMA NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (°C)
                                                            8483 non-null
float64
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float64
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float64
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                                                            8474 non-null
float64
 14 UMIDADE REL. MIN. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (%)
                                                            8474 non-null
float64
 15 UMIDADE RELATIVA DO AR, HORARIA (%)
                                                            8493 non-null
float64
 16 VENTO, DIREÇÃO HORARIA (gr) (° (gr))
                                                            8495 non-null
float64
                                                            8482 non-null
17 VENTO, RAJADA MAXIMA (m/s)
float64
 18 VENTO, VELOCIDADE HORARIA (m/s)
                                                            8495 non-null
float64
dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), float64(17), object(1)
memory usage: 1.3+ MB
```

```
In [4]: # Conversion of Formats

cols_to_convert = df.columns[2:]

for col in cols_to_convert:
    # Replace commas with periods (for decimal numbers)
    df[col] = df[col].astype(str).str.replace(',', '.', regex=False)
    # Convert to numeric, coercing errors to NaN (e.g., invalid strings)
    df[col] = pd.to_numeric(df[col], errors='coerce')

# Cleaning the "Hora UTC" Column

# Remove 'UTC' and convert to time format
df['Hora UTC'] = df['Hora UTC'].str.replace(' UTC', '', regex=False) # Remove 'UTC' to datetime format (assuming the input is in 'HHMM' format)
df['Hora UTC'] = pd.to_datetime(df['Hora UTC'], format='%H%M').dt.strftime(
```

```
In [5]: # Summary of Column Names
        rename_dict = {
            'Data': 'DATE',
            'Hora UTC': 'TIME',
            'PRECIPITAÇÃO TOTAL, HORÁRIO (mm)': 'TOTAL_PRECIPITATION',
            'PRESSAO ATMOSFERICA AO NIVEL DA ESTACAO, HORARIA (MB)': 'ATMOSPHERIC_PF
            'PRESSÃO ATMOSFERICA MAX.NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (mB)': 'MAX ATMOSPHERIC PRE
            'PRESSÃO ATMOSFERICA MIN. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (mB)': 'MIN ATMOSPHERIC PR
            'RADIACAO GLOBAL (Kj/m²)': 'GLOBAL_RADIATION'
            'TEMPERATURA DO AR - BULBO SECO, HORARIA (°C)': 'AIR_TEMPERATURE',
            'TEMPERATURA DO PONTO DE ORVALHO (°C)': 'DEW_POINT_TEMPERATURE',
            'TEMPERATURA MÁXIMA NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (°C)': 'MAX_TEMPERATURE',
            'TEMPERATURA MÍNIMA NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (°C)': 'MIN_TEMPERATURE',
            'TEMPERATURA ORVALHO MAX. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (°C)': 'MAX DEW POINT TEMPE
            'TEMPERATURA ORVALHO MIN. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (°C)': 'MIN_DEW_POINT_TEMPE
            'UMIDADE REL. MAX. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (%)': 'MAX_HUMIDITY',
            'UMIDADE REL. MIN. NA HORA ANT. (AUT) (%)': 'MIN_HUMIDITY',
            'UMIDADE RELATIVA DO AR, HORARIA (%)': 'RELATIVE_HUMIDITY',
            'VENTO, DIREÇÃO HORARIA (gr) (° (gr))': 'WIND DIRECTION',
            'VENTO, RAJADA MAXIMA (m/s)': 'MAX_WIND_GUST',
            'VENTO, VELOCIDADE HORARIA (m/s)': 'WIND SPEED'
        }
        # Rename the columns in the DataFrame
        df.rename(columns=rename dict, inplace=True)
```

```
In [6]: # Create a "month" column
        df['MONTH'] = df['DATE'].dt.month
        # Create a "season" column based on the month
        def get_season(month):
            if month in [12, 1, 2]:
                return 'Summer'
            elif month in [3, 4, 5]:
                return 'Autumn'
            elif month in [6, 7, 8]:
                return 'Winter'
            else:
                return 'Spring'
        df['SEASON'] = df['MONTH'].apply(get_season)
        # Binary variable to indicate if there was precipitation (1 if > 0, 0 if ==
        df['RAIN'] = df['TOTAL_PRECIPITATION'].apply(lambda x: 1 if x > 0 else (0 if
        df['RAIN'] = pd.to_numeric(df['RAIN'])
```

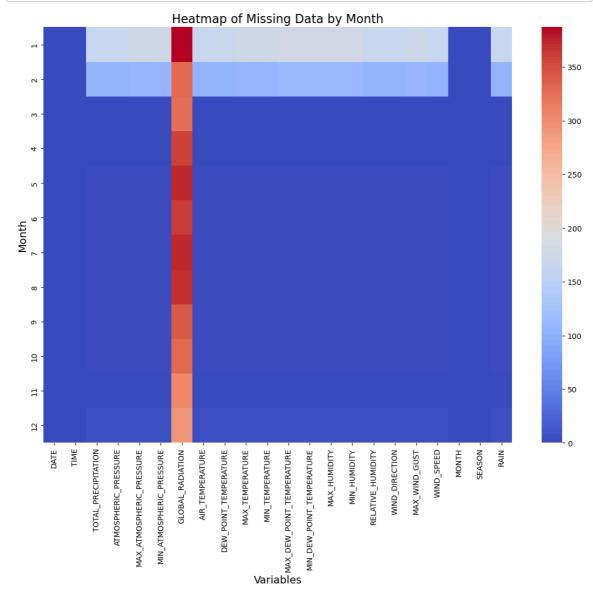
```
In [7]: # Heatmap of Missing Data by Month

# Set the figure size
plt.figure(figsize=(14, 10))

# Create a heatmap of missing data grouped by month
sns.heatmap(df.isnull().groupby(df['MONTH']).sum(), cmap='coolwarm', cbar=Ti

# Add title and Labels
plt.title('Heatmap of Missing Data by Month', fontsize=16)
plt.xlabel('Variables', fontsize=14)
plt.ylabel('Month', fontsize=14)

# Display the plot
plt.show()
```



```
In [8]: # Filtering the Desired Columns

# List of desired columns (using English column names)
desired_columns = [
    'DATE', 'TIME', 'TOTAL_PRECIPITATION', 'RAIN',
    'ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE', 'MAX_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE', 'MIN_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE', 'MIN_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE', 'WIND_DIRECTION', 'WIND_SPEED',
    'WIND_DIRECTION', 'WIND_SPEED',
    'MONTH', 'SEASON'
]

# Filter the DataFrame to include only the desired columns
df_filtered = df[desired_columns]
df_filtered.to_excel('df_filtered.xlsx', index=False)
```

Stage 2: Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

In this stage, we perform an in-depth exploration of the cleaned and preprocessed data to uncover patterns, trends, and relationships between variables. The goal of EDA is to gain insights into the data that will guide the modeling process and ensure that the features used are meaningful and relevant.

Key Steps in EDA:

- 1. **Distribution of Variables**: We analyze the distribution of numeric variables to understand their spread, skewness, and potential outliers. This helps identify whether transformations (e.g., log, normalization) are needed.
- 2. **Correlation Analysis**: We examine the correlation between variables to identify relationships and potential multicollinearity. This step is crucial for selecting features that contribute meaningfully to the target variable.
- 3. **Seasonal Patterns**: We explore how precipitation and other variables vary across seasons and months. This helps capture seasonal trends that may influence the target variable.
- 4. Class Imbalance Analysis: We assess the balance of the target variable (RAIN) and identify strategies to address class imbalance, such as oversampling or undersampling techniques.
- 5. **Feature Engineering**: Based on the insights from EDA, we create new features (e.g., seasonal indicators, rainy month flags) to improve the model's predictive power.

In [9]: df_filtered.info()

<class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
RangeIndex: 8784 entries, 0 to 8783
Data columns (total 14 columns):

#	Column	Non-Null Count	Dtype
0	DATE	8784 non-null	<pre>datetime64[ns]</pre>
1	TIME	8784 non-null	object
2	TOTAL_PRECIPITATION	8496 non-null	float64
3	RAIN	8496 non-null	float64
4	ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE	8496 non-null	float64
5	MAX_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE	8483 non-null	float64
6	MIN_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE	8483 non-null	float64
7	AIR_TEMPERATURE	8496 non-null	float64
8	DEW_POINT_TEMPERATURE	8493 non-null	float64
9	RELATIVE_HUMIDITY	8493 non-null	float64
10	WIND_DIRECTION	8495 non-null	float64
11	WIND_SPEED	8495 non-null	float64
12	MONTH	8784 non-null	int64
13	SEASON	8784 non-null	object
dtvn	es datetime64[ns](1) flo	at64(10) int64(1) object(2)

dtypes: datetime64[ns](1), float64(10), int64(1), object(2)

memory usage: 960.9+ KB

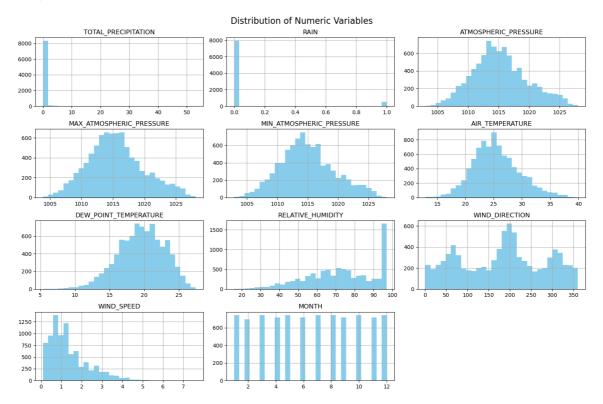
In [10]: df_filtered.describe()

Out[10]:

	TOTAL_PRECIPITATION	RAIN	ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE	MAX_ATMOSPHERIC_
count	8496.000000	8496.000000	8496.00000	3
mean	0.121210	0.063677	1015.21496	1
std	1.100579	0.244191	4.47169	
min	0.000000	0.000000	1003.00000	1
25%	0.000000	0.000000	1012.20000	1
50%	0.000000	0.000000	1014.80000	1
75%	0.000000	0.000000	1018.00000	1
max	53.000000	1.000000	1028.00000	1
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```
In [11]: # Distribution of Numeric Variables
    plt.figure(figsize=(15, 10))
    df_filtered.select_dtypes(include=['float64', 'int64']).hist(bins=30, figsize)
    plt.suptitle('Distribution of Numeric Variables', fontsize=16)
    plt.tight_layout()
    plt.show()
```

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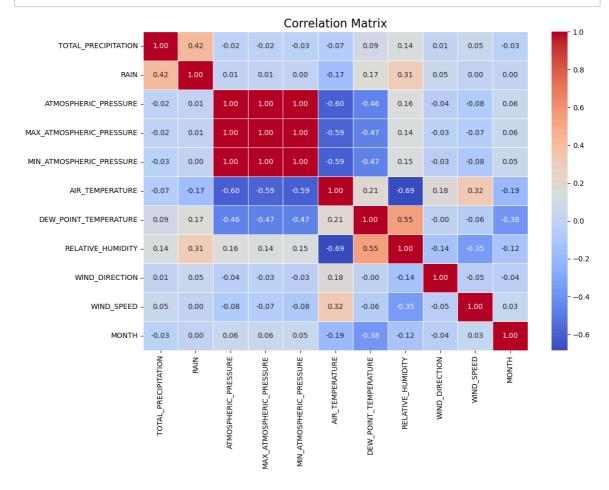
Distribution of Variables

- Most numeric variables have an approximately normal distribution, except for TOTAL_PRECIPITATION, RAIN, and WIND_SPEED, which are skewed.
- Variables such as ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE, AIR_TEMPERATURE, and RELATIVE_HUMIDITY have well-behaved distributions, making them easier to model.

Class Balance

- The target variable (**RAIN**) is highly imbalanced, with most values being 0.
- · Class balancing techniques should be considered during modeling.

In [12]: # Correlation Matrix plt.figure(figsize=(12, 8)) corr = df_filtered.select_dtypes(include=['float64', 'int64']).corr() sns.heatmap(corr, annot=True, cmap='coolwarm', fmt='.2f', linewidths=0.5) plt.title('Correlation Matrix', fontsize=16) plt.show()



Most Relevant Variables for Predicting Rain

- **RELATIVE_HUMIDITY**: Has the highest positive correlation with **RAIN** (0.31) and is the most important variable for predicting rain occurrence.
- **DEW_POINT_TEMPERATURE**: Has a weak positive correlation (0.17) and can also be useful.
- **AIR_TEMPERATURE**: Has a weak negative correlation (-0.17), suggesting that higher temperatures are associated with a lower chance of rain.

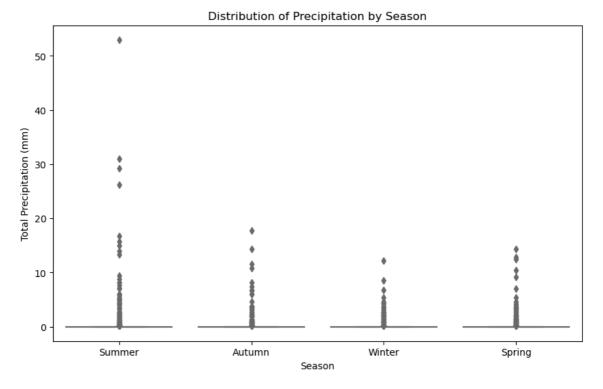
Variables with Multicollinearity

- ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE, MAX_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE, and MIN_ATMOSPHERIC_PRESSURE have perfect correlation with each other.
- Only one of them should be used in the model to avoid multicollinearity.

Variables with Little to No Correlation

- WIND_DIRECTION, WIND_SPEED, and MONTH have very weak or almost no correlation with TOTAL_PRECIPITATION and RAIN.
- These variables may not be useful for the model.

```
In [13]: # Precipitation Analysis by Season
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
sns.boxplot(x='SEASON', y='TOTAL_PRECIPITATION', data=df_filtered, palette=
plt.title('Distribution of Precipitation by Season')
plt.ylabel('Total Precipitation (mm)')
plt.xlabel('Season')
plt.show()
```



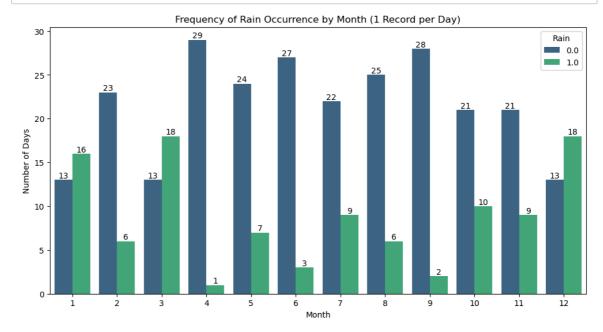
Seasonal Pattern

- There is a clear seasonal pattern in precipitation, with **summer** being the rainiest season and **winter** the driest.
- Spring and autumn are transitional seasons, with intermediate levels of precipitation.

Implications for the Model

- The season (**SEASON**) is an important feature for predicting rain, as it captures seasonal patterns.
- The model can benefit from including **SEASON** as a categorical variable.

```
# Create a dataframe with only one entry per day
In [14]:
         df_daily = df_filtered.groupby('DATE').agg({'RAIN': 'max', 'MONTH': 'first'
         # Create the count plot
         plt.figure(figsize=(12, 6))
         ax = sns.countplot(x='MONTH', hue='RAIN', data=df_daily, palette='viridis')
         # Add the number of occurrences on top of the bars
         for p in ax.patches:
             ax.annotate(f'{int(p.get_height())}',
                         (p.get_x() + p.get_width() / 2, p.get_height()),
                         ha='center', va='bottom', fontsize=10, color='black')
         plt.title('Frequency of Rain Occurrence by Month (1 Record per Day)')
         plt.xlabel('Month')
         plt.ylabel('Number of Days')
         plt.legend(title='Rain', loc='upper right')
         plt.show()
```



Class Imbalance

 The target variable (RAIN) is highly imbalanced across all months, with most days being rain-free. • Class balancing techniques (e.g., **SMOTE**, **oversampling**) should be applied to ensure the model is not biased toward the majority class (**rain-free**).

Seasonal Pattern

- The occurrence of rain varies across months, with some months being rainier than others.
- The month or season are important features for capturing this seasonal pattern.

Feature Engineering

Create derived features related to **season**:

 SEASON_INDICATOR: Encode the season (summer, autumn, winter, spring) as categorical variables.

Stage 3: Data Preparation for Modeling

In this stage, we prepare the dataset for machine learning modeling by addressing key issues such as missing values, class imbalance, and feature encoding. The goal is to create a clean, balanced, and well-structured dataset that can be used to train and evaluate predictive models effectively.

Key Steps in This Stage:

- 1. Handling Missing Values:
 - Remove rows with missing values in the target variable (RAIN).
 - Replace or remove missing values in the feature variables (X) to ensure the dataset is complete.
- 2. Encoding Categorical Variables:
 - Apply One-Hot Encoding to the categorical variable SEASON to convert it into a format suitable for machine learning algorithms.
- 3. Class Imbalance Treatment:
 - Use SMOTE (Synthetic Minority Oversampling Technique) to balance the target variable (RAIN), ensuring the model is not biased toward the majority class (rainfree days).
- 4. Final Dataset Preparation:
 - Combine the resampled features and target variable into a final balanced dataset.
 - Verify the distribution of the target variable after balancing.

Outcomes of This Stage:

- · A clean and balanced dataset ready for modeling.
- Features encoded in a format suitable for machine learning algorithms.
- A target variable with balanced classes, improving the model's ability to learn from both rain and rain-free days.

By the end of this stage, the dataset will be fully prepared for the next step: **Model Training** and Evaluation.

Next Steps:

- · Split the dataset into training and testing sets.
- Train machine learning models (e.g., logistic regression, random forest).
- Evaluate model performance using appropriate metrics (e.g., accuracy, precision, recall, F1-score).

```
In [15]: # Selection of necessary columns
    selected_columns = ['AIR_TEMPERATURE', 'DEW_POINT_TEMPERATURE', 'RELATIVE_HN

# Filter the dataframe to include only the selected columns
    df_model = df_filtered[selected_columns].copy()

# Apply One-Hot Encoding to the 'SEASON' variable
    encoder = OneHotEncoder(drop='first') # drop='first' to avoid multicollined
    seasons_encoded = encoder.fit_transform(df_model[['SEASON']])
    season_labels = encoder.get_feature_names_out(['SEASON'])

# Create a new DataFrame with the one-hot encoded columns
    df_seasons = pd.DataFrame(seasons_encoded.toarray(), columns=season_labels,

# Concatenate with the original dataframe (removing the old categorical coludf_model = pd.concat([df_model.drop(columns=['SEASON']), df_seasons], axis=:
```

In [16]: df_model.head()

Out[16]:

	AIR_TEMPERATURE	DEW_POINT_TEMPERATURE	RELATIVE_HUMIDITY	ATMOSPHERIC_PR
0	25.0	17.5	63.0	
1	24.9	14.8	53.0	
2	24.7	14.1	52.0	
3	24.5	13.1	49.0	
4	24.7	14.7	54.0	
4				>

```
In [17]:
         # Remove entries with NaN in the target variable 'RAIN'
         df_model = df_model.dropna(subset=['RAIN'])
         # Ensure 'RAIN' is of integer type
         df_model['RAIN'] = df_model['RAIN'].astype(int)
         X = df_model.drop(columns=['RAIN']).copy()
         y = df_model['RAIN'].copy()
         # Remove NaNs in the features (X)
         X = X.dropna()
         y = y.loc[X.index] # Ensure 'y' retains the same indices
         # Check if there are still NaNs before running SMOTE
         print(f"Total NaNs in X: {X.isna().sum().sum()}")
         print(f"Total NaNs in y: {y.isna().sum()}")
         # Balancing with SMOTE
         smote = SMOTE(random_state=42)
         X_resampled, y_resampled = smote.fit_resample(X, y)
         # Create a new DataFrame with the balanced data
         df_final = pd.concat([pd.DataFrame(X_resampled, columns=X.columns), pd.DataF
         # Display the new distribution of the target variable
         print("Distribution after balancing:")
         print(df_final['RAIN'].value_counts())
         Total NaNs in X: 0
         Total NaNs in y: 0
         Distribution after balancing:
              7952
              7952
         Name: RAIN, dtype: int64
In [18]: |df_final.info()
         <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
         RangeIndex: 15904 entries, 0 to 15903
         Data columns (total 8 columns):
              Column
                                    Non-Null Count Dtype
                                     -----
              AIR_TEMPERATURE
          0
                                    15904 non-null float64
              DEW_POINT_TEMPERATURE 15904 non-null float64
          1
                                    15904 non-null float64
          2
              RELATIVE HUMIDITY
              ATMOSPHERIC PRESSURE 15904 non-null float64
          3
              SEASON_Spring
                              15904 non-null float64
                                    15904 non-null float64
          5
              SEASON Summer
                                    15904 non-null float64
          6
              SEASON_Winter
              RAIN
                                    15904 non-null int32
         dtypes: float64(7), int32(1)
         memory usage: 932.0 KB
```

Stage 4: Modeling and Evaluation

In this stage, we train and evaluate machine learning models to predict the occurrence of rain (**RAIN**) based on the preprocessed and balanced dataset. The goal is to identify the best-performing model for this classification task.

Key Steps in This Stage:

1. Train-Test Split:

• Split the dataset into training (80%) and testing (20%) sets, ensuring the class distribution is preserved using stratified sampling.

2. Model Training:

- · Train three different models:
 - Random Forest: A robust ensemble method that builds multiple decision trees and aggregates their results.
 - Gradient Boosting: Another ensemble method that builds trees sequentially, correcting errors from previous trees.
 - Logistic Regression: A simple yet effective linear model for binary classification.

3. Model Evaluation:

- Evaluate each model using the **classification report**, which includes metrics such as precision, recall, F1-score, and accuracy.
- Compare the models based on their accuracy to determine the best-performing one.

4. Results Analysis:

- Analyze the performance of each model to understand its strengths and weaknesses.
- Identify the model that generalizes best to unseen data.

```
In [19]: # Split the data into training and testing sets (80% train, 20% test)
         X_train, X_test, y_train, y_test = train_test_split(X_resampled, y_resampled)
         # Model 1: Random Forest
         rf model = RandomForestClassifier(random state=42)
         rf_model.fit(X_train, y_train)
         y_pred_rf = rf_model.predict(X_test)
         # Model 2: Gradient Boosting
         gb = GradientBoostingClassifier(random state=42)
         gb.fit(X_train, y_train)
         y_pred_gb = gb.predict(X_test)
         # Model 3: Logistic Regression
         lr_model = LogisticRegression(max_iter=1000, random_state=42)
         lr_model.fit(X_train, y_train)
         y_pred_lr = lr_model.predict(X_test)
         # Model Evaluation
         print("Random Forest Metrics:")
         print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred_rf))
         print("Gradient Boosting Metrics:")
         print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred_gb))
         print("Logistic Regression Metrics:")
         print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred_lr))
         # Accuracy Comparison
         acc_rf = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_rf)
         acc_gb = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_gb)
         acc_lr = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_lr)
         print(f"Random Forest Accuracy: {acc_rf:.2%}")
         print(f"Gradient Boosting Accuracy: {acc gb:.2%}")
         print(f"Logistic Regression Accuracy: {acc lr:.2%}")
```

Random Forest	Metrics: precision	recall	f1-score	support
0 1	0.96 0.95	0.95 0.96	0.95 0.95	1591 1590
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.95 0.95	0.95 0.95	0.95 0.95 0.95	3181 3181 3181
Gradient Boos	ting Metrics precision	recall	f1-score	support
0 1	0.93 0.87	0.86 0.93	0.89 0.90	1591 1590
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.90 0.90	0.89 0.89	0.89 0.89 0.89	3181 3181 3181
Logistic Regr	ession Metri precision		f1-score	support
0 1	0.90 0.80	0.78 0.91	0.83 0.86	1591 1590
accuracy macro avg weighted avg	0.85 0.85	0.85 0.85	0.85 0.84 0.84	3181 3181 3181

Random Forest Accuracy: 95.28% Gradient Boosting Accuracy: 89.44% Logistic Regression Accuracy: 84.53%

Stage 5: Hyperparameter Tuning and Final Model Evaluation

In this stage, we optimize the **Random Forest** model using **GridSearchCV** to find the best hyperparameters and evaluate its performance on the test set. The goal is to improve the model's accuracy and generalization capability.

Key Steps in This Stage:

1. Hyperparameter Tuning:

- Define a parameter grid for key hyperparameters such as n_estimators,
 max_depth, min_samples_split, min_samples_leaf, and bootstrap.
- Use GridSearchCV with 5-fold cross-validation to find the best combination of hyperparameters.

2. Training the Best Model:

 Train the Random Forest model with the best hyperparameters identified by GridSearchCV.

3. Model Evaluation:

- Evaluate the tuned model on the test set using metrics such as **accuracy**, **classification report**, and **confusion matrix**.
- Analyze the results to understand the model's performance in terms of precision, recall, F1-score, and overall accuracy.

4. Results Analysis:

• Compare the performance of the tuned model with the baseline model to assess the impact of hyperparameter optimization.

```
In [20]:
         # Define the hyperparameters to be tested
         param grid = {
             'n estimators': [100, 200, 300], # Number of trees in the forest
             'max_depth': [None, 10, 20], # Maximum depth of the trees
             'min_samples_split': [2, 5, 10], # Minimum number of samples required t
             'min_samples_leaf': [1, 2, 4], # Minimum number of samples required at
             'bootstrap': [True, False] # Whether to use bootstrap sampling
         }
         # Create the model
         rf = RandomForestClassifier(random_state=42)
         # Configure GridSearchCV
         grid_search = GridSearchCV(estimator=rf, param_grid=param_grid,
                                    cv=5, n jobs=-1, verbose=2, scoring='accuracy')
         # Train the model with optimized hyperparameters
         grid_search.fit(X_train, y_train)
         # Best combination of hyperparameters found
         print("Best hyperparameters:", grid search.best params )
         # Evaluate on the test set
         best_rf = grid_search.best_estimator_
         y_pred_best_rf = best_rf.predict(X_test)
         # Print evaluation metrics
         from sklearn.metrics import classification report, accuracy score
         print("Tuned Random Forest Metrics:")
         print(classification_report(y_test, y_pred_best_rf))
         print(f"Tuned Random Forest Accuracy: {accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred_best_r-
         Fitting 5 folds for each of 162 candidates, totalling 810 fits
         Best hyperparameters: {'bootstrap': False, 'max depth': 20, 'min samples 1
         eaf': 1, 'min_samples_split': 2, 'n_estimators': 100}
         Tuned Random Forest Metrics:
                       precision recall f1-score
                                                        support
                    0
                            0.96
                                      0.94
                                                 0.95
                                                           1591
                                                 0.95
                            0.94
                                      0.96
                                                           1590
                                                 0.95
                                                           3181
             accuracy
            macro avg
                            0.95
                                      0.95
                                                 0.95
                                                           3181
                                      0.95
                                                0.95
                                                           3181
         weighted avg
                            0.95
```

Tuned Random Forest Accuracy: 95.00%

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In [21]: # Get the best model from GridSearchCV
best_rf_model = grid_search.best_estimator_

# Make predictions on the test set
y_pred = best_rf_model.predict(X_test)

# Evaluate the model's performance
from sklearn.metrics import accuracy_score, classification_report, confusion
accuracy = accuracy_score(y_test, y_pred)
report = classification_report(y_test, y_pred)
conf_matrix = confusion_matrix(y_test, y_pred)

# Display results
print(f"Tuned Random Forest Test Accuracy: {accuracy:.4%}")
print("\nClassification Report:\n", report)
print("\nConfusion Matrix:\n", conf_matrix)
```

Tuned Random Forest Test Accuracy: 95.0016%

Classification Report:

	precision	recall	f1-score	support
0	0.96	0.94	0.95	1591
1	0.94	0.96	0.95	1590
accuracy			0.95	3181
macro avg	0.95	0.95	0.95	3181
weighted avg	0.95	0.95	0.95	3181

Confusion Matrix: [[1499 92]

[67 1523]]

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In [22]: # Get feature importance
    importances = best_rf_model.feature_importances_
    feature_names = X_train.columns # Feature names

# Sort features by importance
    indices = np.argsort(importances)[::-1]

# Plot feature importance
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 6))
plt.title("Feature Importance - Random Forest")
plt.bar(range(len(importances)), importances[indices], align="center")
plt.xticks(range(len(importances)), [feature_names[i] for i in indices], rot plt.xlabel("Features")
plt.ylabel("Importance")
plt.show()
```

