



Agenda

- What is Big Data Analytics? (refresh)
- Case Study: Palm Oil Yield Prediction
- The Challenges in Yield Prediction
- Transformational & Technological Roadmap for Agriculture Industry



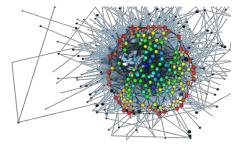
Big Data Analytics



Structured or Unstructured



Statistical Methods Machine Learning Artificial Intelligence...

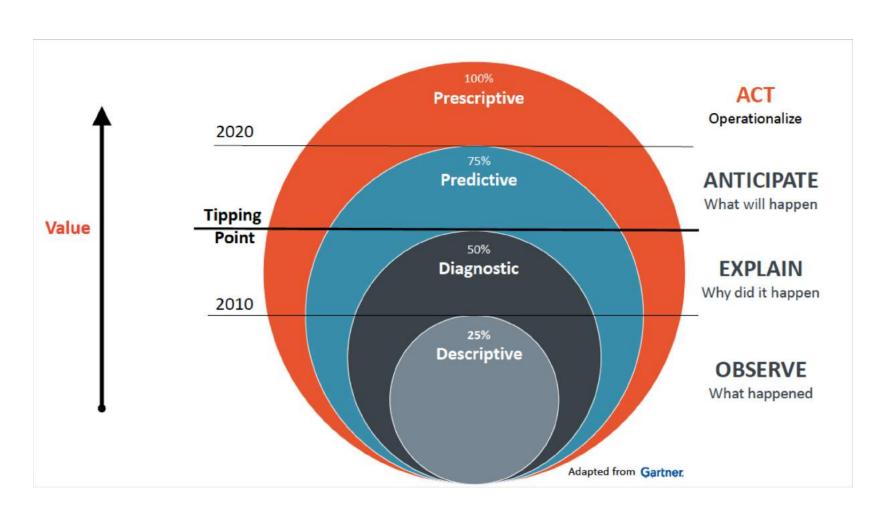


Identify Patterns
Predict & Forecast

Optimization
Decision Making



Predictive Analytics Transforms Insights into Action





Typical Use Cases











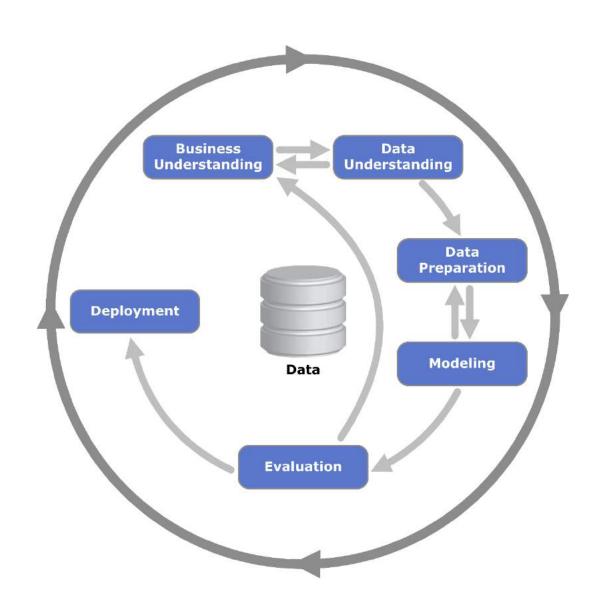












Case Study: Palm Oil Yield Prediction

Palm Oil Yield Prediction

By applying BDA, plantations can:

- Forecast production tonnage
- Identify important factors that affects crop yields







Plan Crop Sales







Data Sources

Location

Fertilizer

Tree Age

Soil Condition

Pruning Cost

Weather

Foliar Analysis Parameters

Manpower

Harvesting Method

Historical Yield

Planting Material

Data Understanding



- Data Acquisition
- Preliminary Data Exploration

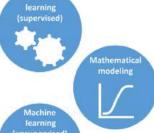
Data Preparation





- Data Cleansing
- Exploratory
 Data Analysis
- Feature Engineering
- Estate / Field / Plant Profiling

Modeling & Evaluation





- Model Training
- Model Evaluation

Deployment



- Result Analysis (Dashboard)
- Model Retraining

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Data Understanding

- Data Acquisition& Exploration
- Identify & verify potential factors impact on yields

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Modelling

- Neural Network (NN)
- Regression Analysis-Multiple Linear Regression (MLR)
- Time Series Analysis -Holt-Winters Filtering , ARIMA

Yield Prediction Dashboard

- Yield Prediction for upcoming months (Actual vs Predicted yield trend)
- Feature Importance Analysis
- Historical Yield Analysis based on location
- Crop Summary of each location (Determine next harvest date)
- Cost Breakdown of each location (for harvest, planting, manpower, and fertilizing)

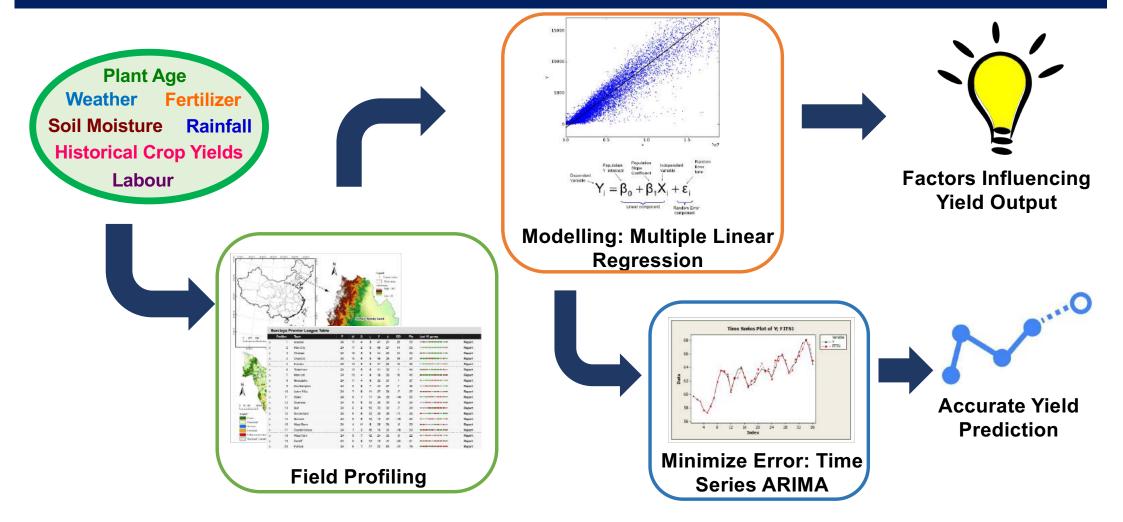
Evaluation

 Evaluate model performance by computing RMSE, R2, R

Deployment

- Retrain Model
- Result Analysis Yield Prediction Dashboard

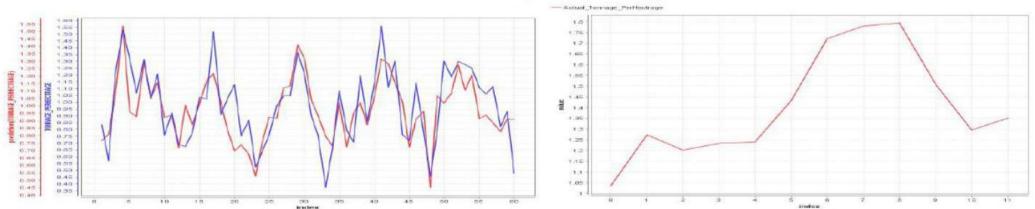
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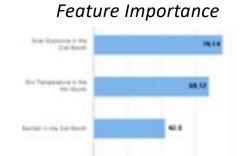
Yield Prediction / Optimization

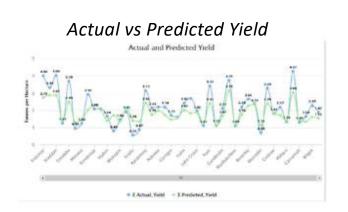
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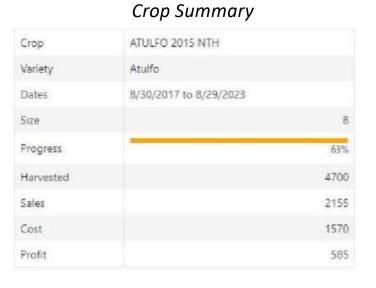


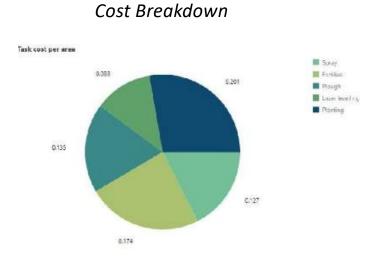


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Challenges

- The need to incorporate available data into **daily operations**, makes things difficult to move:
 - Impact to business
 - Availability of data
 - Quality of data
 - Methodology/technology for data management
 - Analytical skillsets
 - Etc.



Roadmap – Transform with BDA

Advocate

Acknowledge Big Data is a strategy to help on business problems

Assemble a steering committee from various depts. to identify business objective, e.g. increase revenue by xx%

Derive a mid/long-term digital transformation roadmap

Plan

Formulate a plan to focus on three core elements: Data, Technologies, and Analytical Output

Form a multidisciplinary analytics core team

Identify gaps: domain expertise, technology, data readiness, etc.

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Start with high impact analytical case studies on a small scale

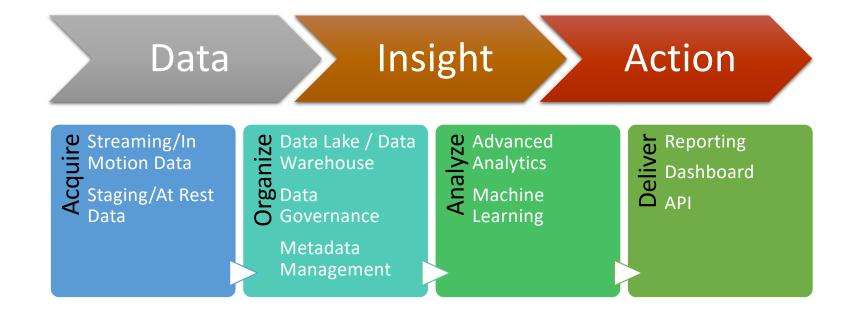
Fill the talent gaps

Conduct POCs on technological implementations

Conduct POCs on business cases



The Journey of Data Driven Insights



Domain Knowledge



Big Data | Advanced Analytics

