



Senior Design Project

Loan Defaulter Prediction System using Machine Learning

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Dear Sir,

With due respect, we are submitting a manuscript for consideration for publication in *Computers*. The manuscript is entitled "Loan Defaulter Prediction System using Machine Learning".

It has not been published elsewhere and that it has not been submitted simultaneously for publication elsewhere.

Predicting the bad loans is important to be known by the banks and financial companies. This kind of analysis can be easily carried out with the help of Machine Learning. Several input factors such as limit, duration, interest rate, annual income, loan code, Installment and Non-Performing Loan (NPL) are taken in consideration to and the output, which is the binary representation of a loan holder being defaulter or not, is predicted. For this to happen, classification techniques are very much useful. In the given paper, we have been using three different types of classification models, Logistic Regression, Support Vector Machine (SVM), Decision Tree and Random Forest. All these models will show us the impacts of different parameters in the rate of production. These four models can be used both as the fundamentals of predicting the production of any crop, and also can be used other classification model techniques.

Thank you very much for your consideration.

Yours Sincerely,

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APPROVAL

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DECLARATION

This is our truthful declaration that the “**Capstone Project Report**” we have prepared is not a copy of any “**Capstone Project Report**” previously made by any other team. We also express our honest confirmation in support of the fact that the said “**Capstone Project Report**” has neither been used before to fulfill any other course related purpose nor it will be submitted to any other team or authority in future.

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ABSTRACT

With the growth in banking sector lots of people and companies are applying for bank loans but the banks have their limited assets which they have to grant which will be a safer option for the banks is a difficult process. So, in this paper we try to reduce these risk factor/s of the banks to select a particular person or a company for providing loans. This is done by analyzing the data of the previous records of the people to whom the loan was granted before and on the basis of these records/experiences the system will be trained using the machine learning model which gives the most accurate result. The main objective of this project is to predict whether assigning the loan to particular person/company will be safe or not. This will be done by finding out the chances of a loan seeker being a defaulter or not. To achieve the maximum limit of the goal, applying classification models is the most efficient way. In this particular research, the three most popular and useful models; Logistic Regression, Random Forest, Decision Tree and Support Vector Machine are being implemented. Simultaneously, users who are also the bank personnel, can also have an access to a User Interface which is discussed in this paper as well. The UI will allow the users to input data for new loan seekers, so that the banks can predict the output for a loan seeker being defaulter or not in the form of binary output.