

Predictive Modeling for H1B Visa Approval Using Machine Learning

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Abstract

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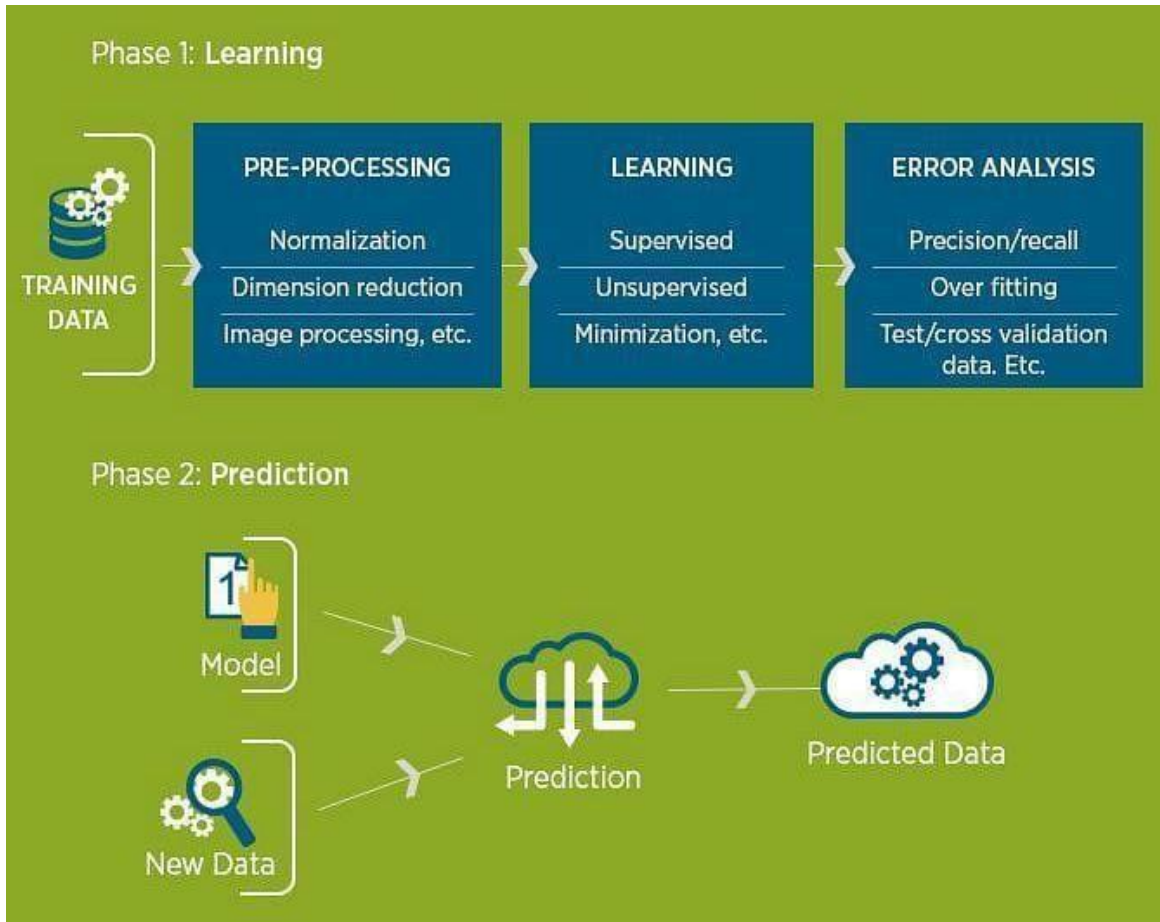


Fig.1 Machine Learning Process

2. Literature Review

The training data in unsupervised learning are unknown and unlabeled, indicating that no one has previously examined the data. The unsupervised term comes from the fact that the algorithm cannot be guided to the input without the aspect of known data. This data is used to train the model and fed into the Machine Learning algorithm. The trained model tries to find a pattern and respond in the right way. In this instance, it frequently appears as though the algorithm is attempting to crack code, much like the Enigma machine, but with a machine rather than a human brain. Here, we will use the Random Forest Classifier to construct a class model. A set of rules for supervised research is random forests. It is applicable to both class and regression. Additionally, it is the most adaptable and user-friendly set of regulations. A random wooded area is a meta estimator that uses averaging to improve predictive accuracy and control over-fitting by matching a number of selected tree classifiers to various dataset subsamples. Random forests get their prediction from each tree and vote to select the best solution, creating choice timber from randomly selected facts samples. The requirement is to provide you with novel features entirely based on the dataset's useful statistics. It is essential to remember to avoid correlated features in the not-yet-determined future of this manner. Only the data in the dataset must be decorated by each characteristic

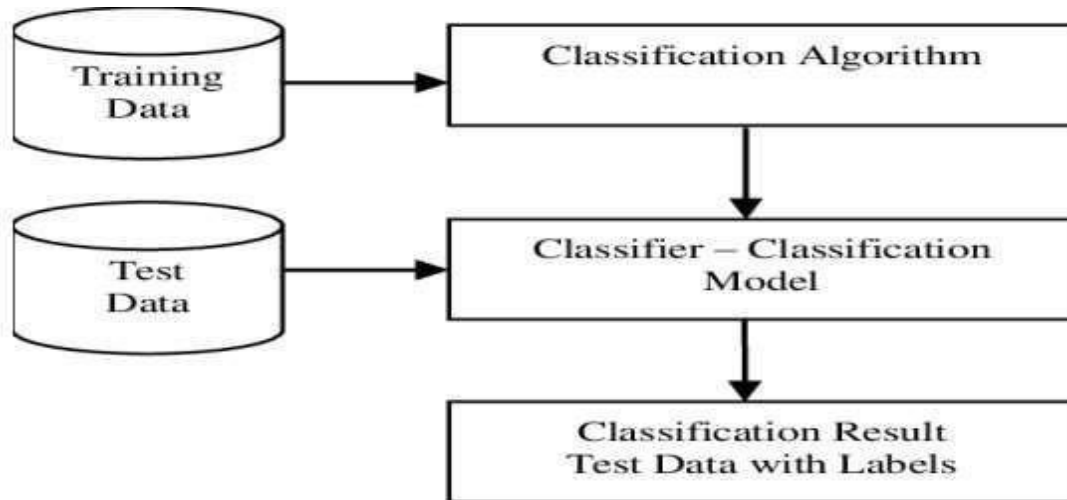


Fig.2 H1B visa approval system

3. Proposed System

Anaconda is a scientific computing distribution of the Python and R programming languages that aims to make package management and deployment simpler. Packages for data science that are suitable for Windows, Linux, and macOS are included in the distribution. Anaconda, Inc., which was established in 2012 by Peter Wang and Travis Oliphant, is responsible for its development and upkeep. It is also known as Anaconda Distribution or Anaconda Individual Edition because it is a product of Anaconda, Inc. Other products from the company include Anaconda Team Edition and Anaconda Enterprise Edition, neither of which are free.

The package management system conda is in charge of managing Anaconda's package versions. Because it proved to be useful on its own and for applications other than Python, this package manager was released as its own open-source package. Miniconda is a smaller, bootstrap version of Anaconda that only includes Python, conda, the packages that they depend on, and a few other packages.

In addition to the conda package and virtual environment manager and over 7,500 additional open-source packages that can be installed from PyPI, the Anaconda distribution comes pre-installed with over 250 packages. Anaconda Navigator, a graphical alternative to the command line interface (CLI), is included as well. Python 2.7 and Python 3 are included in the default installation of Anaconda2.

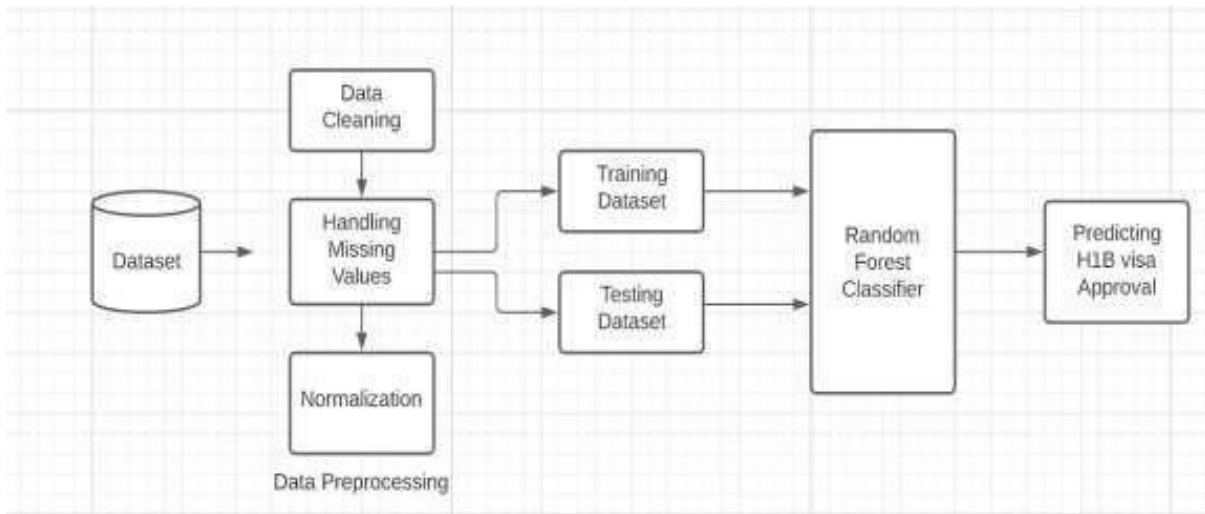


Fig.3 Proposed Architecture

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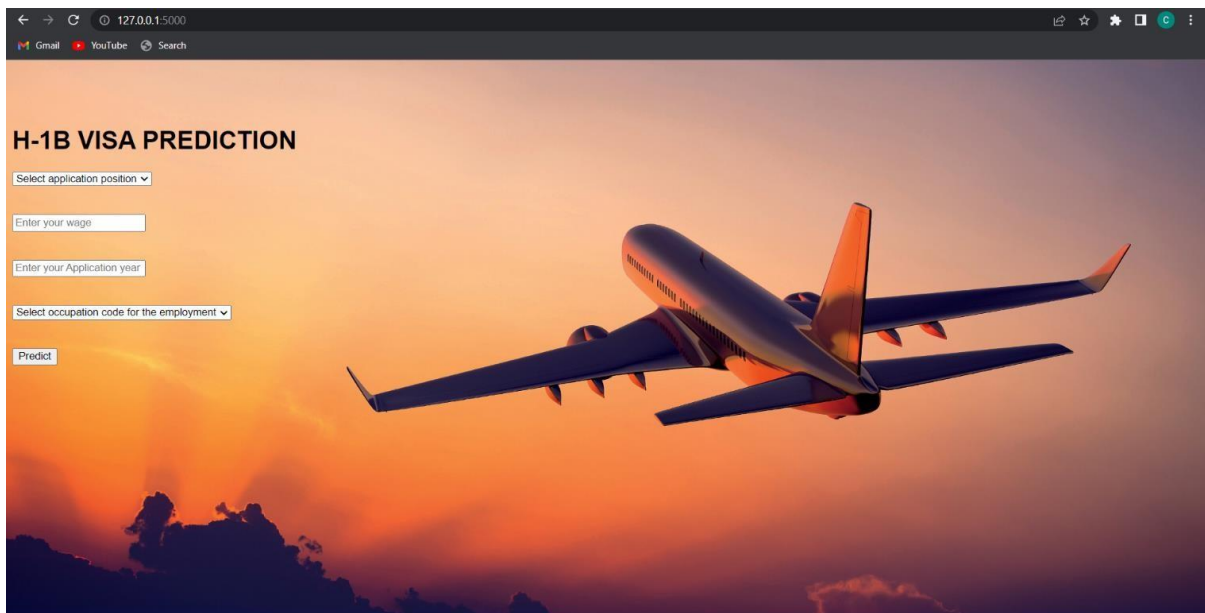


Fig.4 Output Of The Project

5. Conclusion

The scope of this challenge is to gather a tool for providing a desire to every character who is suffering for H1B visa magnificence method and predicting the recognition of software with the highest accuracy Supplemental information regarding the Standard Occupational. Since the selection for the H1B visa has increased annually over the past decade, The H-1B Visa

preference procedure allows for the accumulation and implementation of classification (SOC). The income feature of this data set can be correctly mounted to a variety of salaries using the income opinions and levels provided by SOC. These salaries can then be used to categorize visa petitions based solely on career roles in desire to region. In addition, great beauty algorithms other than discriminative models can be tested in this study, and their results can also be compared. The Random Forest classifier performs best right here, with the highest accuracy in comparison to all of the great algorithms that are suitable for performing the assessment operations. With the help of the Random Forest Algorithm, we were able to improve and inform the data with an accuracy of 86.88% in this case, and our results indicate that this set of recommendations is the best for predicting H1B visa approval. Due to the increasing number of H1B visa applicants, it is now mandatory to develop a tool for accurately requesting H1B visa approval. As a result, we are able to search for the H1B visa approval reputation with the helpful assistance of a number of device learning beauty algorithms. Employees from other countries who are traveling to the United States may greatly benefit from this.

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