

Quantifying the Contributions of Teleconnections on Indian Summer Monsoon using Shapley Values

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Shapley Values

• Consider a game involving a set of N players, where the function $v(S): 2^{|N|} \mapsto \mathbb{R}$ defines the total payoff generated by any subset (coalition) $S \subseteq N$ of these players.

• Shapley values
$$\phi i(v) = \sum_{S \subset N \setminus i} ((|S|!(n-|S|-1)!)/n!)(v(S \cup i) - v(S))$$

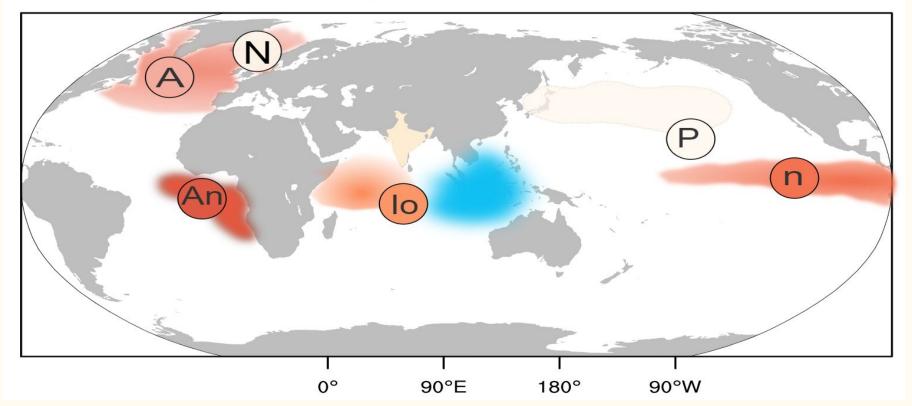
$$\sum_{i\in N} \phi i(v) = v(N).$$

The aim of Explainable Machine Learning is to assign importance scores to the features, through a simple linear function $f(x) = g(z) = b_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{N} b_i z_i$

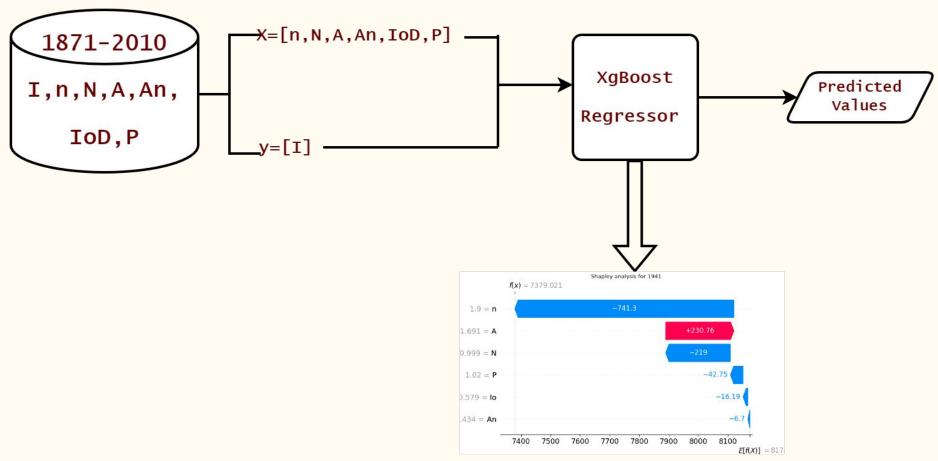
 b_i can be the Shapley value $\phi_i(f)$ and $b_0 = E_X(f(x))$. (Lundberg SM, & Lee SI (2017))

Probable Drivers





Methodology



Shapley Values to analyze contribution of each predictor

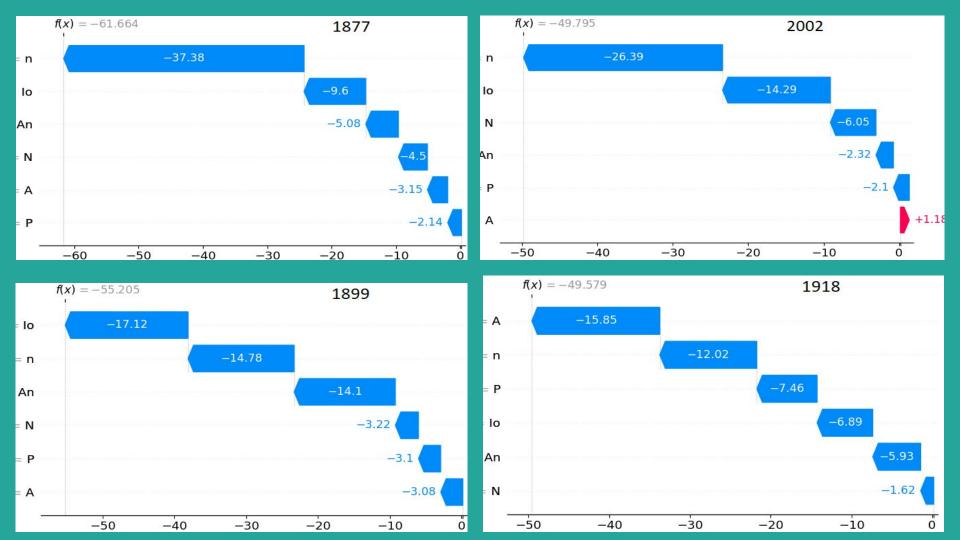
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• Waterfall plots of Shapley values for strongly Deficient Rainfall years.

• Waterfall plots of Shapley values for strongly excess ISMR years.

 Waterfall plots of Shapley values for normal ISMR years.







Thank you