

Exploration of Multiple Linear Regression with Ensembling Schemes for Roof Fall Assessment using Machine Learning

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Abstract: Roof fall of the building is the major threat to the society as it results in severe damages to the life of the people. Recently, engineers are focusing on the prediction of roof fall of the building in order to avoid the damage to the environment and people. Early prediction of Roof fall is the social responsibility of the engineers towards existence of health and wealth of the nation. This paper attempts to identify the essential attributes of the Roof fall dataset that are taken from the UCI Machine learning repository for predicting the existence of roof fall. In this paper, the important features are extracted from the various ensembling methods like Gradient Boosting Regressor, Random Forest Regressor, AdaBoost Regressor and Extra Trees Regressor. The extracted feature importance of each of the ensembling methods is then fitted with multiple linear regression to analyze the performance. The same extracted feature importance of each of the ensembling methods are subjected to feature scaling and then fitted with multiple linear regression to analyze the performance. The Performance analysis is done with the performance parameters such as Mean Squared Log Error (MSLE), Mean Absolute error (MAE), R2 Score, Mean Squared error (MSE) and Explained Variance Score (EVS). The execution is carried out using python code in Spyder Anaconda Navigator IP Console. Experimental results shows that before feature scaling, Extra Tree Regressor is found to be effective with the MSE of 0.06, MAE of 0.07, R2 Score of 87%, EVS of 0.89 and MSLE of 0.02 as compared to other ensembling methods. In the same way, after applying feature scaling, the feature importance extracted from the Extra Tree Regressor is found to be effective with the MSE of 0.04, MAE of 0.03, R2 Score of 96%, EVS of 0.9 and MSLE of 0.01 as compared to other ensembling methods.

Index Terms: Machine Learning, Regression, MSLE, MAE, MSE and EVS.

I. INTRODUCTION

In machine learning dimensionality reduction, the final prediction results are based on number of input components. In general many of the attributes in the dataset are correlated and they may be redundant. This attribute duplication enlarges the memory space and diminishes the execution time. The prediction of the target variable will be difficult when the number of attribute is large. As well, when the number of

attribute is more, it is tough to visualize the features to predict the dependent variable. This guarantees the requirement of dimensionality reduction algorithms.

The paper is organized in such a way that Section 2 deals with the related works. Section 3 discuss about dimensionality Reduction. Proposed work is discussed in Section 4 followed by the implementation and Performance Analysis in Section 5. The paper is concluded with Section 6.

II. RELATED WORK

A. Literature Review

Boundary layer wind tunnel dataset [1] is subjected to predict the mean, root mean square and peak pressure coefficient of low rise building patterns. It also predicts the magnitude and pressure distribution of roof in the building based on the free stream turbulent flow conditions. Automatic labeling of roof shape for the building [2] is done from the GIS data. The roof top detection is done by using ROC analysis [3] to estimate the cost of error from the aerial images of building. It also analyzes the performance of both training and testing image datasets. Roof fall accidents are predicted using binary logistic regression model [4]. Roof fall risk is identified using risk assessment classical methodology [5] with fuzzy based approach. It projects that the roof fall is due to various features like low resolution, fixed weighting, sharp class boundaries of the building.

The fuzzy approach prioritizes the features and analyzes the roof fall susceptibility. The estimation of combined building frame and roof frame bolting is done in [6] to predict the roof fall of the building region. The falling speed of the roof is tensile failure parallel to the heading direction and the prediction of unsupported instantaneous roof [7] is done by using the excavation features of the building. The roof fall of the large road is due to the horizontal tensile stress [8] and it is predicted by using the surface stress and fault slip of the surface. The roof fall detection fails due to the low quality of the digital surface model of the building [9].

A critical review on various feature selection, feature extraction methods, classification methods and the performances parameters are examined for predicting the wine quality [10]-[26].

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III. PROPOSED WORK

In our proposed work, machine learning algorithms are used to predict the disease of Roof Fall data set. Our contribution in this paper is folded in four ways.

- (i) Firstly, the important features are extorted from the Roof Fall dataset using various ensembling methods like Gradient Boosting Regressor, Random Forest Regressor, AdaBoost Regressor and Extra Trees Regressor.
- (ii) Secondly, the extracted feature importance of each of the ensembling methods is then fitted with multiple linear regression to analyze the performance.
- (iii) Thirdly, the same extracted feature importance of each of the ensembling methods are subjected to feature scaling and then fitted with multiple linear regression to analyze the performance.
- (iv) Fourth, the Performance analysis is done with the performance parameters such as Mean Squared Log Error (MSLE), Mean Absolute error (MAE), R2 Score, Mean Squared error (MSE) and Explained Variance Score (EVS).

A. System Architecture

The overall design of this paper work is shown in Fig. 1

IV. IMPLEMENTATION AND PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

A. Roof Fall Prediction for Feature Extraction

The Roof fall dataset from UCL ML Repository is used for implementation with 19 independent attribute and 1 roof fall rate dependent attribute. The attribute are shown below.

- 1) CMRR
- 2) BOLT_LENGTH_ft
- 3) BOLT_TENSION
- 4) BOLT_GROUT_COLUMN
- 5) BOLT_CAPACITY_Kips
- 6) BOLTS_PER_ROW
- 7) ROW_SPACING_ft
- 8) ENTRY_WIDTH_ft
- 9) PRSUP
- 10) INTERSECTION_DIAGONAL_ft
- 11) DEPTH_of_COVER_ft
- 12) MINING_HEIGHT_ft
- 13) DRIVAGE_10000_ft
- 14) No._of_3WAY
- 15) No._of_4Way
- 16) No._of_SEGMENTS
- 17) FALLS_3W
- 18) FALLS_4W
- 19) SEGMENT_FALLS
- 20) ROOF_FALL_RATE - Dependent Attribute

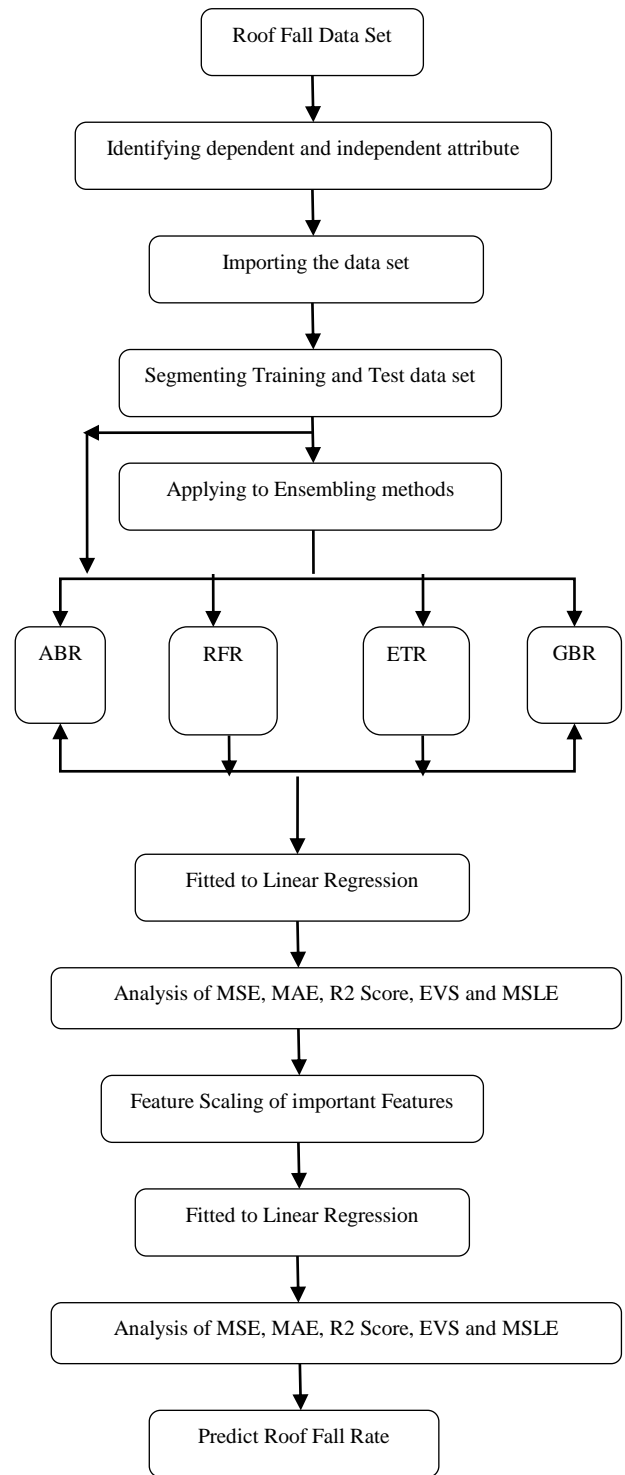


Fig. 1 System Architecture

B. Performance Analysis

The attribute and component relationship between the features of the dataset is shown in the fig 2.

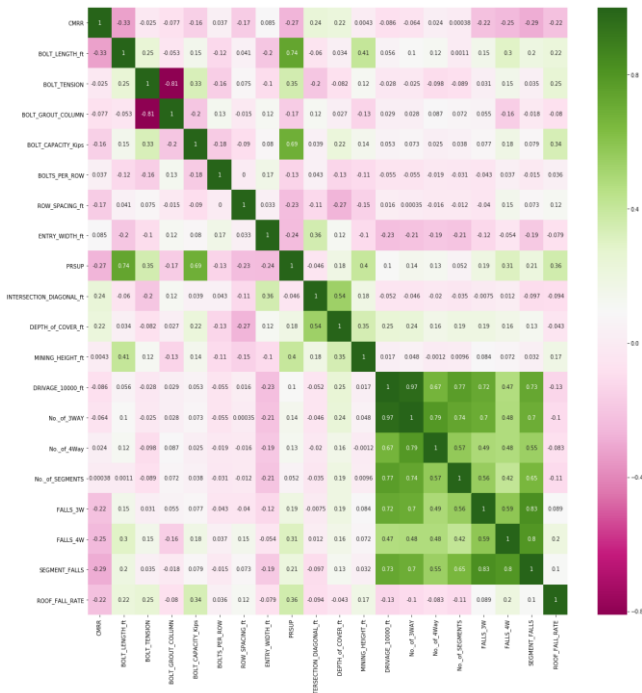


Fig. 2. Correlation Matrix of Roof Fall data set

The important features are extorted from the Roof fall dataset using AdaBoost Regressor and are shown in fig 3.

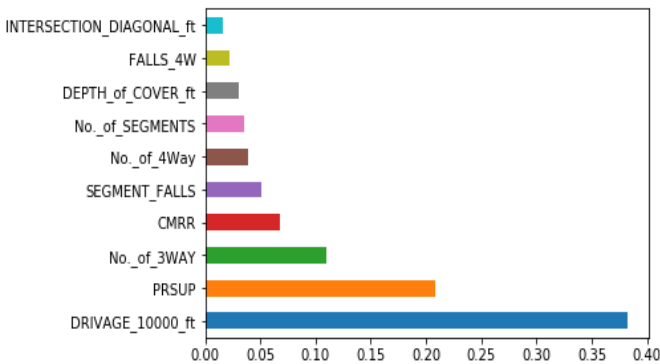


Fig. 3. Feature Importance of Ada Boost Regressor

The important features are extorted from the Roof fall dataset using Extra Trees Regressor and are shown in fig 4.

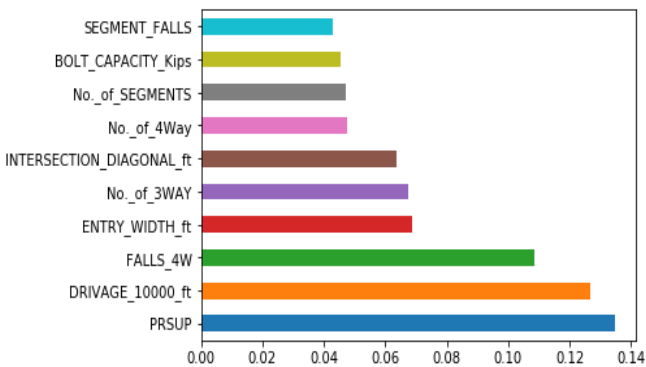


Fig. 3. Feature Importance of Extra Trees Regressor

The important features are extorted from the Roof Fall dataset using AdaBoost Regressor and Extra Trees Regressor and the features is shown in fig 5.

AdaBoost_featureimportances - Ser		ExtraTreesRegressor_feature_import	
Index	0	Index	0
CMRR	0.0677148	CMRR	0.0352946
BOLT_LENGTH_...	5.01728e-05	BOLT_LENGTH_...	0.0338032
BOLT_TENSION	0.00398322	BOLT_TENSION	0.0418976
BOLT_GROUT_C...	0.0039656	BOLT_GROUT_C...	0.0407216
BOLT_CAPACIT...	0.014507	BOLT_CAPACIT...	0.0455933
BOLTS_PER_ROW	0	BOLTS_PER_ROW	0.000609636
ROW_SPACING_...	0.0031865	ROW_SPACING_...	0.0132505
ENTRY_WIDTH_...	0.0100232	ENTRY_WIDTH_...	0.068827
PRSUP	0.207778	PRSUP	0.134995
INTERSECTION...	0.0157817	INTERSECTION...	0.0635128
DEPTH_of_COV...	0.0299875	DEPTH_of_COV...	0.0255971
MINING_HEIGH...	0.00103978	MINING_HEIGH...	0.0223091
DRIVAGE_1000...	0.383009	DRIVAGE_1000...	0.126841
No._of_3WAY	0.110334	No._of_3WAY	0.0675887
No._of_4Way	0.0383526	No._of_4Way	0.047647
No._of_SEGME...	0.035418	No._of_SEGME...	0.0473133
FALLS_3W	0.00114079	FALLS_3W	0.0324161
FALLS_4W	0.0223843	FALLS_4W	0.108641
SEGMENT_FALLS	0.0513437	SEGMENT_FALLS	0.0431423

Fig. 5. Feature Important Attributes of Ada Boost and Extra Trees Regressor

The important features are extorted from the Roof Fall dataset using Gradient Boosting Regressor and are shown in fig 6.

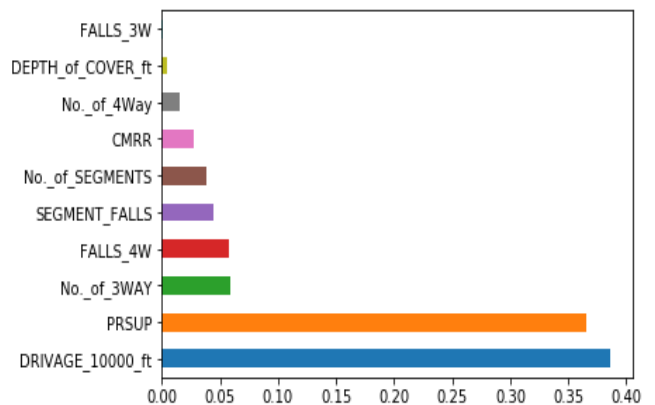


Fig. 6. Feature Importance of Gradient Boost Regressor

The important features are extorted from Roof Fall e dataset using Random Forest Regressor and are shown in fig 7.

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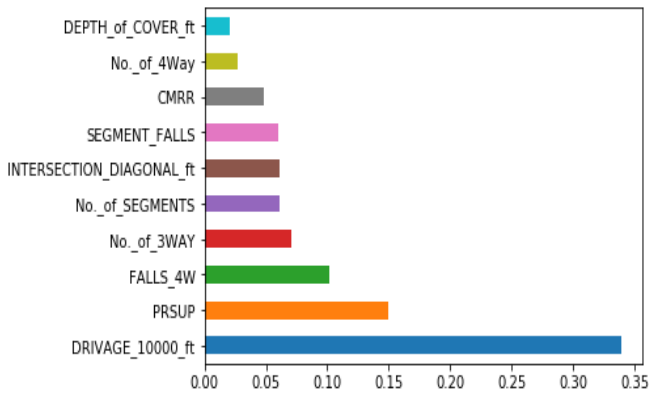


Fig. 8. Feature Importance of Random Forest Regressor

The important features are extorted from the Roof Fall dataset using Gradient Boosting Regressor and Random Forest Regressor and the features is shown in fig 9.

GradientBoostingRegressor_feature_		RandomForestRegressor_feature_im	
Index	0	Index	0
CMRR	0.02682	CMRR	0.0481929
BOLT_LENGTH_...	0.000191972	BOLT_LENGTH_...	0.0203409
BOLT_TENSION	6.2818e-06	BOLT_TENSION	0.00306567
BOLT_GROUT_C...	4.58003e-05	BOLT_GROUT_C...	0.00149554
BOLT_CAPACIT...	0.00016302	BOLT_CAPACIT...	0.00566665
BOLTS_PER_ROW	0	BOLTS_PER_ROW	6.2923e-05
ROW_SPACING_...	8.98356e-05	ROW_SPACING_...	0.00295404
ENTRY_WIDTH_...	0.000244573	ENTRY_WIDTH_...	0.00485986
PRSUP	0.366133	PRSUP	0.149914
INTERSECTION...	0.000422552	INTERSECTION...	0.0611932
DEPTH_of_COV...	0.00410466	DEPTH_of_COV...	0.0211308
MINING_HEIGH...	0.000101364	MINING_HEIGH...	0.01519
DRIVAGE_1000...	0.386569	DRIVAGE_1000...	0.339695
No._of_3WAY	0.0585611	No._of_3WAY	0.0702793
No._of_4Way	0.0153794	No._of_4Way	0.0266511
No._of_SEGME...	0.0384874	No._of_SEGME...	0.0616508
FALLS_3W	0.000878811	FALLS_3W	0.0054036
FALLS_4W	0.0573146	FALLS_4W	0.101987
SEGMENT_FALLS	0.044487	SEGMENT_FALLS	0.0602667

Fig. 9. Feature Important Attributes of Gradient Boost and Random Forest Regressor

The Performance analysis is done with the performance parameters such as Mean Squared Log Error (MSLE), Mean Absolute error (MAE), R2 Score, Mean Squared error (MSE) and Explained Variance Score (EVS).and is shown in the Table 1 -Table 5.

Table. 1 Analysis of MSE, MAE and R2 Score parameters

Ensembling Methods	Fitting to Linear Regression Before Feature Scaling		
	MSE	MAE	R2 Score
AdaBoost Regressor	0.14	0.13	0.82
Random Forest Regressor	0.12	0.12	0.81
Extra Trees Regressor	0.06	0.07	0.87
Gradient Boosting Regressor	0.09	0.11	0.78

Table. 2 Analysis of EVS and MSLE parameters

Ensembling Methods	Fitting to Linear Regression Before Feature Scaling	
	EVS	MSLE
AdaBoost Regressor	0.81	0.16
Random Forest Regressor	0.78	0.18
Extra Trees Regressor	0.89	0.02
Gradient Boosting Regressor	0.79	0.17

Table. 3 Analysis of MSE, MAE and R2 Score parameters after Feature Scaling

Ensembling Methods	Fitting to Linear Regression after Feature Scaling		
	MSE	MAE	R2 Score
AdaBoost Regressor	0.26	0.26	0.87
Random Forest Regressor	0.24	0.24	0.91
Extra Trees Regressor	0.04	0.03	0.96
Gradient Boosting Regressor	0.19	0.20	0.93

Table. 4 Analysis of EVS and MSLE parameters after Scaling

Ensembling Methods	Fitting to Linear Regression after Feature Scaling	
	EVS	MSLE
AdaBoost Regressor	0.84	0.06
Random Forest Regressor	0.83	0.05
Extra Trees Regressor	0.92	0.01
Gradient Boosting Regressor	0.82	0.04

Table. 5 Analysis of MSE, MAE, R2 Score EVS and MSLE Score for Multiple Linear Regression without Ensembling.

Metrics	Fitting To Linear Regression
MSE	0.18
MAE	0.14
R2 Score	0.79
EVS	0.89
MSLE	0.18

The analysis of the performance parameter without ensembling, with ensembling before and after applying feature scaling is shown in the Fig 10 – Fig 14.

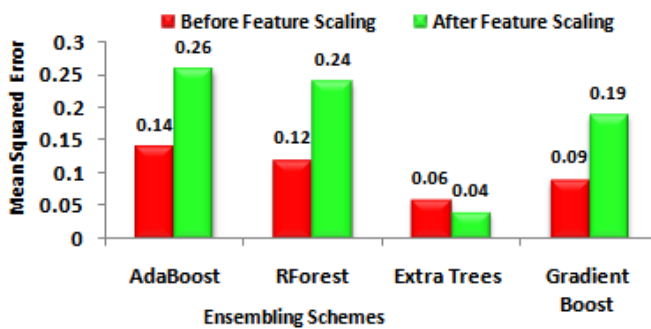


Fig.10. Analysis of MSE and Ensembling methods

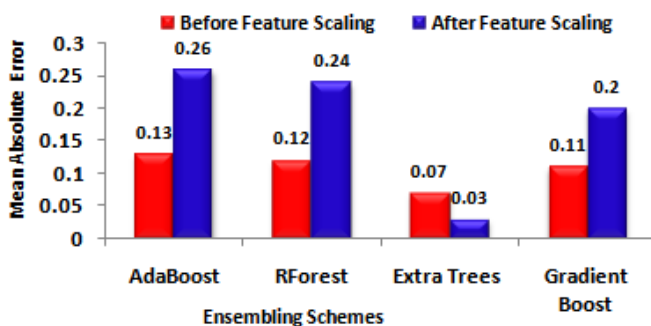


Fig.11. Analysis of MAE and Ensembling methods

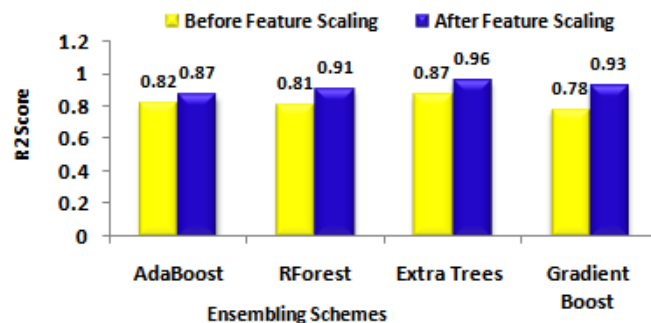


Fig.12. Analysis of R2Score and Ensembling methods

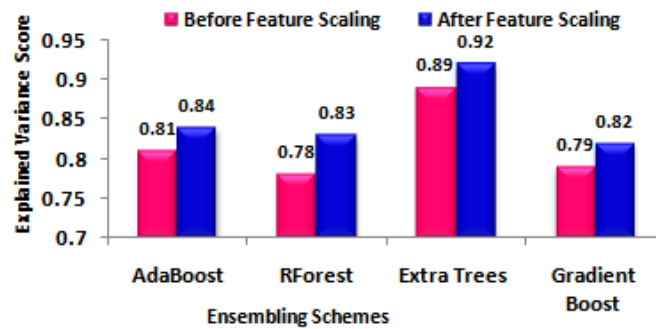


Fig.13. Analysis of EVS and Ensembling methods

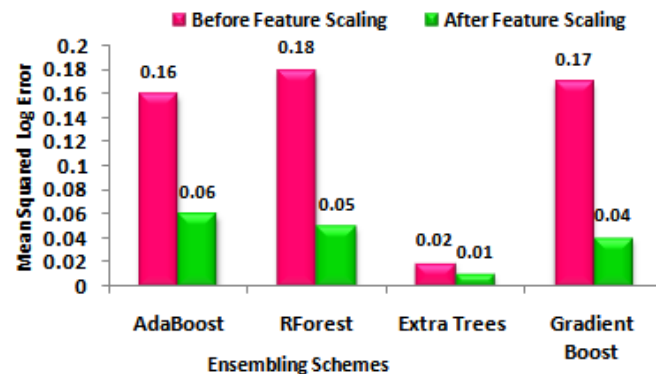


Fig.13. Analysis of MSLE and Ensembling methods

V. CONCLUSION

This paper analyzes the prediction of the existence of Roof Fall of the Roof Fall dataset through the ensembling methods before and after applying attribute scaling method. Experimental results shows that before feature scaling, Extra Tree Regressor is found to be effective with the MSE of 0.06, MAE of 0.07, R2 Score of 87%, EVS of 0.89 and MSLE of 0.02 as compared to other ensembling methods. In the same way, after applying feature scaling, the feature importance extracted from the Extra Tree Regressor is found to be effective with the MSE of 0.04, MAE of 0.03, R2 Score of 96%, EVS of 0.9 and MSLE of 0.01 as compared to other ensembling methods

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