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# Prediction Model Of Primary Solar Resource With The Use Of Machine Learning, Current Results

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- Design of photovoltaic systems based on solar radiation atlases.
- There is climate information that is not recognized as important in the long-term planning of photovoltaic systems.
- Due to the high variability of the primary resource, there are problems to ensure the long-term photovoltaic electricity supply.

## PROPOSED SOLUTION



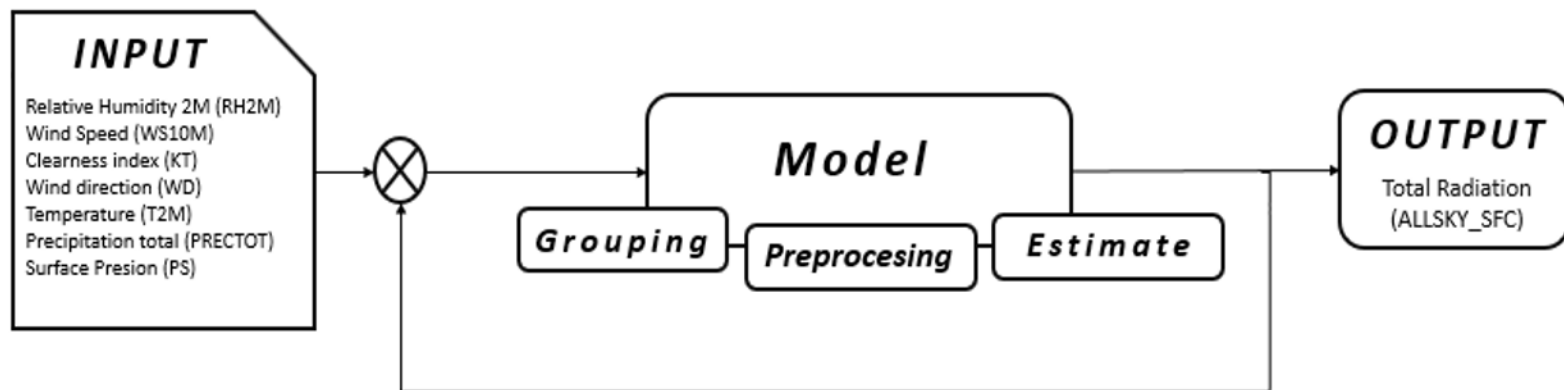
Prediction of primary resource with the use of techniques based on Machine Learning (ML).

**Table I.** Classification of unit predictors using established criteria.

Criteria					
Predictors	Treatment of no linearity	Behavior when using multiple inputs.	Error	Model flexibility	Horizon forecast
NN	█	█	█	█	Variable
SVM	█	█	█	█	Variable
Fuzzy	█	█	█	█	A day ahead
k-NN	█	█	█	█	A day ahead
(ARIMA)	█	█	█	█	Variable
Decision tree	█	█	█	█	Hour
k-means	█	█	█	█	Hour

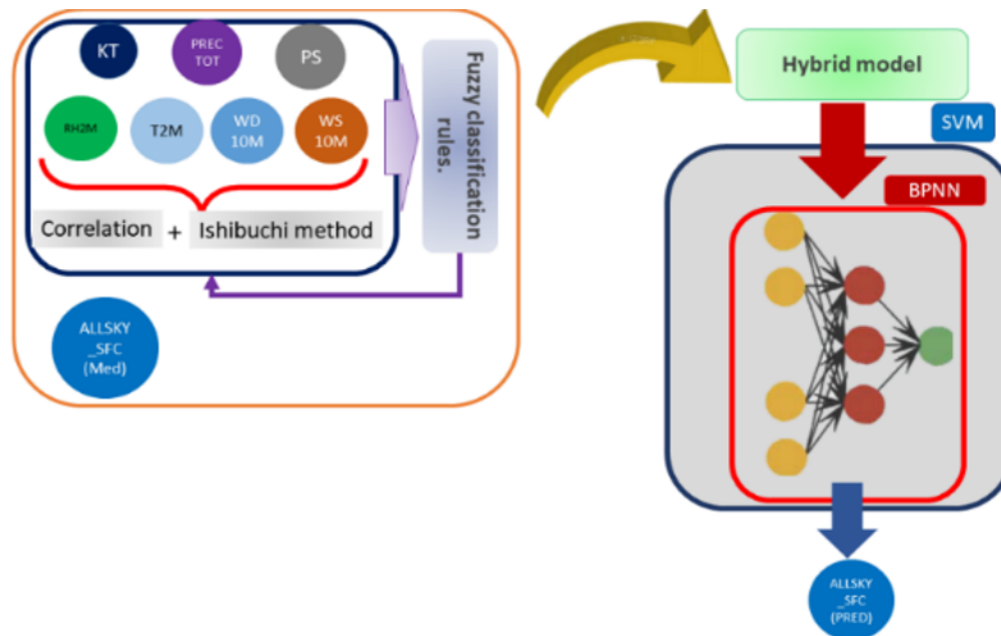
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**Fig. 1.** Hybrid predictor topology.



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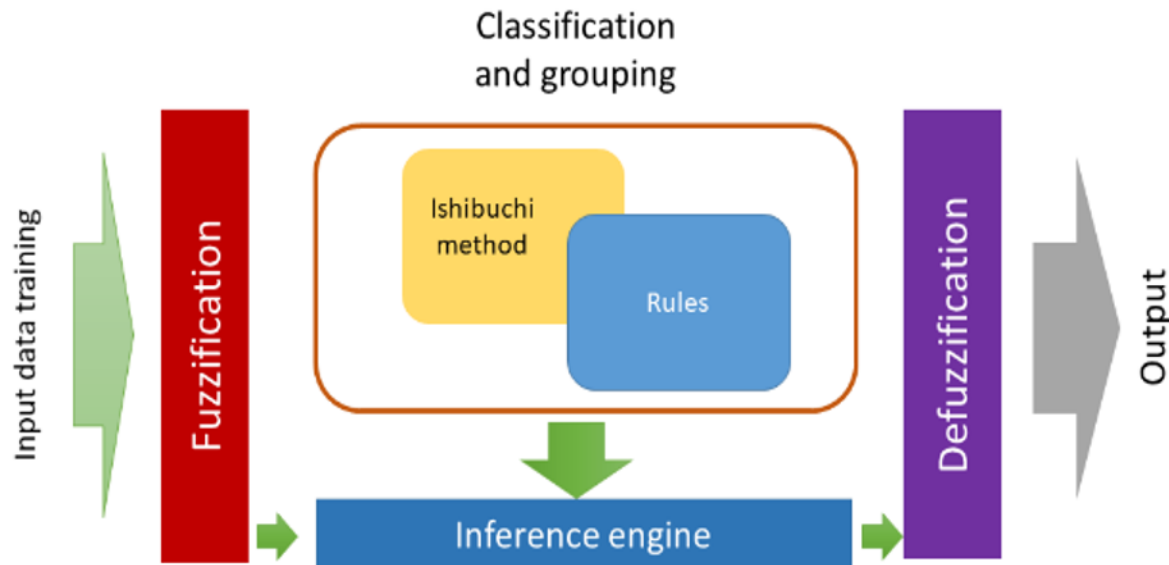
Fig. 2. Proposed ML model.



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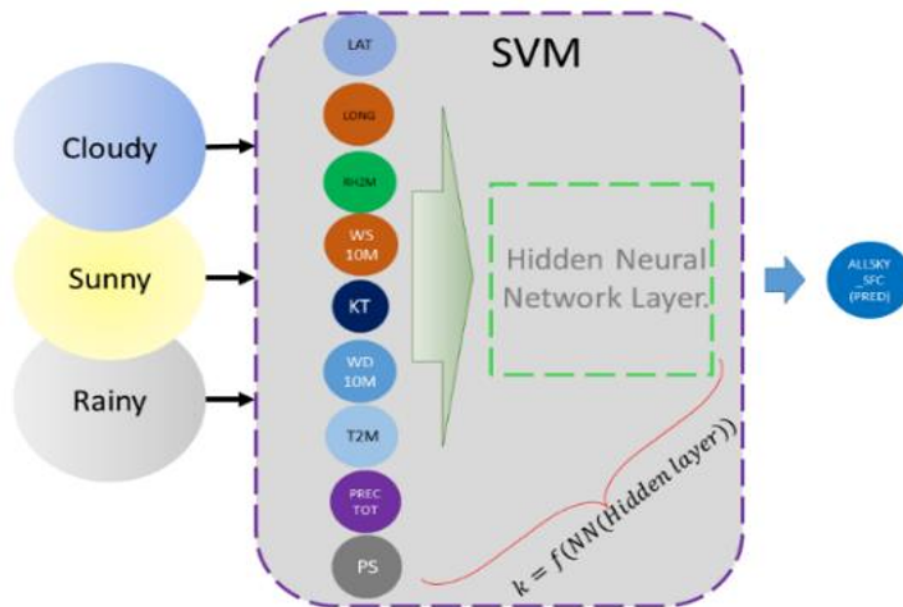
**Fig. 3.** Fuzzy logic classifier components.



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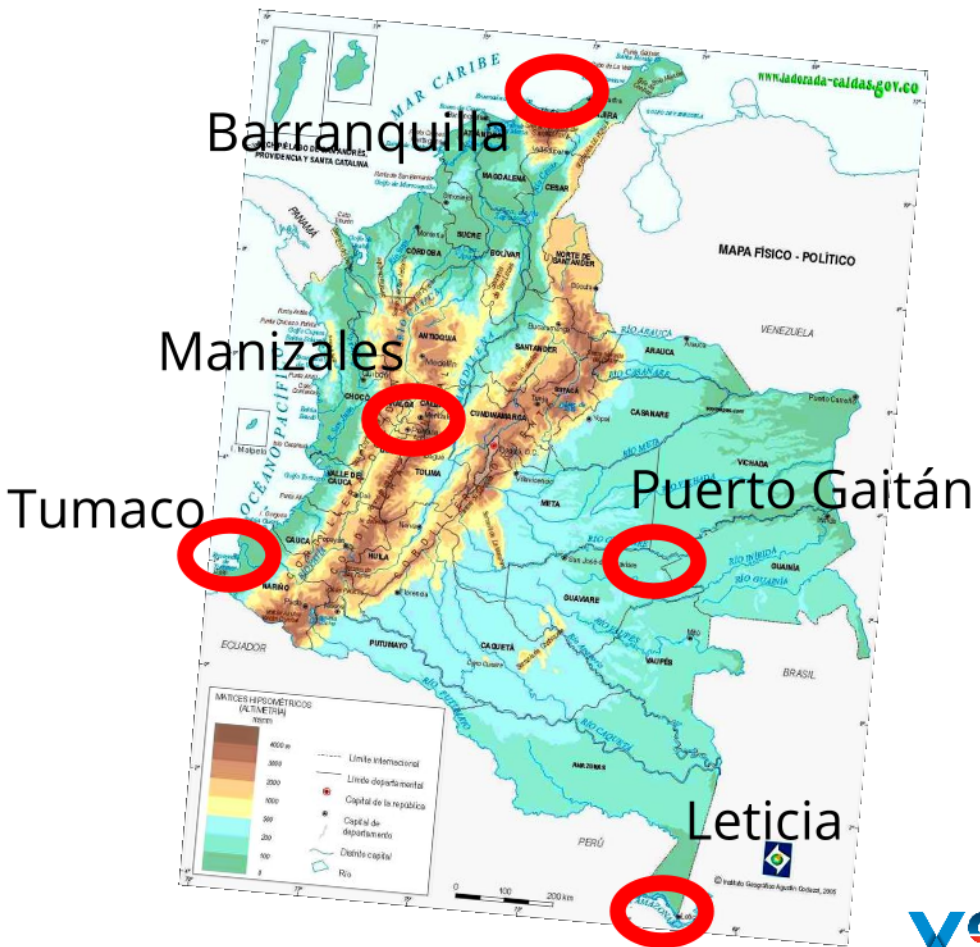
**Fig. 4.** Hybrid main predictor components.



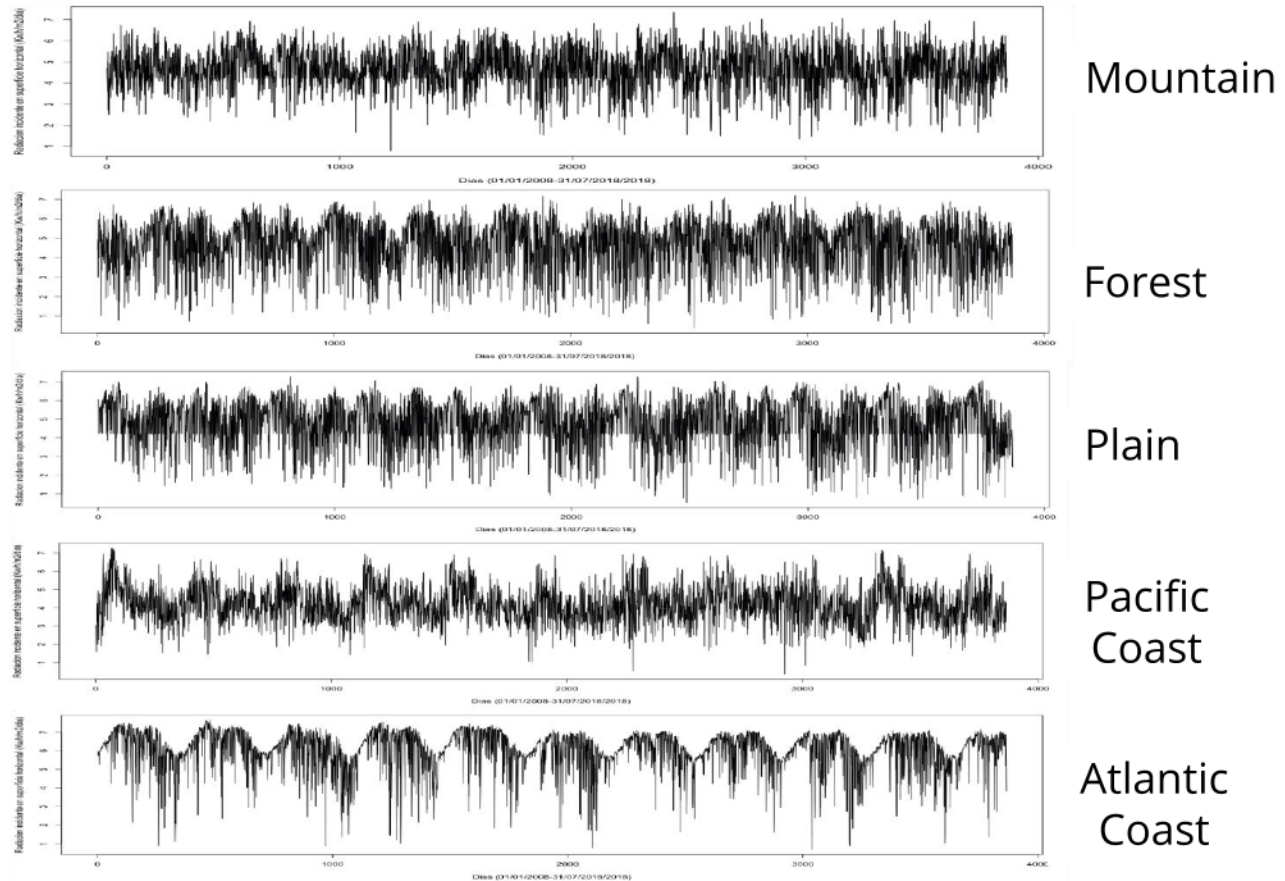
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Fig. 5. Study cities.

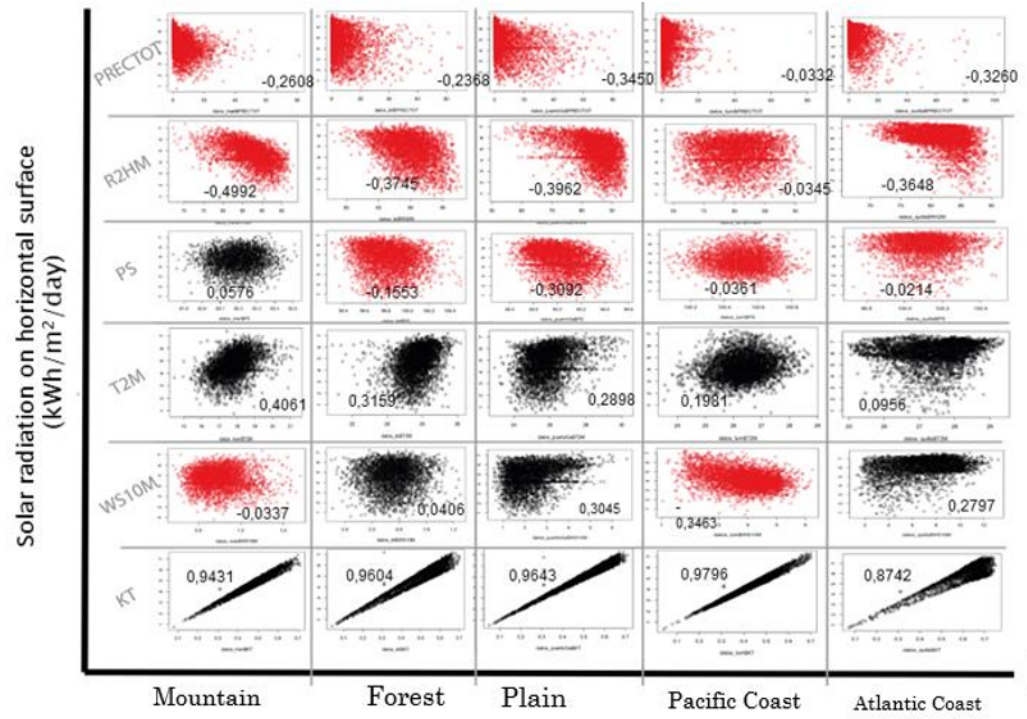


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**Fig. 6.** Solar radiation in Study cities.

**Fig. 7.** Daily radiation correlation graphs and climate data from 01/10/2009 to 07/31/2020



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**Table II.** Results of the SVM model in the cities evaluated.

Natural Regions	Parameter			
	$\epsilon$	Support vectors	Value objective function	Training Error
Mountain	0.3	1770	-367.481	0.1133
Plain	0.2	1439	-463.437	0.3014
Forest	0.17	1646	-233.756	0.0472
Pacific Coast	0.5	1553	-1005.49	10.61
Atlantic coast	0.21	2215	-743.441	0.2165

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**Table III.** Model metric values evaluated in cities.

Natural Region	$r$	$U^M$	$U^S$	$U^C$	$\sum U^M + U^S + U^C$	$RMSE$	$MSE$
Mountain	0.937	0.00781082	0.00677162	0.986269	1,00085235	0.0480485	0.0023086
Forest	0,958	0.00708421	0.00214435	0.991624	1,00085297	0.0446628	0.0019947
Plain	0.963	0,03978723	0.00260174	0.958436	1,00082497	0,0987763	0.0097567
Pacific Coast.	0.481	0,02433792	0.68385410	0.292646	1,00083812	0.7167485	0.5137284
Atlantic Coast	0.913	0.07505674	0,01250164	0.913236	1,00079450	0,0686814	0.0047171

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The model that is designed in this paper considers geographical conditions for the quantification-prediction of primary solar resource.

The model is a contribution to the development and visibility of computational techniques, which will be taken as tools to help in decision-making in the face of the reality of the growth of Distributed Generation with PV sources and data as resources that inform the way of working with energy.

# Thanks!

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# IV. Questions