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Comparison of ANFIS and statistical modeling for estimation of chemical oxygen demand parameter in textile effluent

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ABSTRACT

The large volumes of wastewater generated at different stages of textile processing. The wastewater derived from the textile industry can caused serious environmental impact in the neighboring water bodies, because of the presence of toxic chemical residues and enhances the value of chemical oxygen demand (COD) of water. COD is one of the major parameter used to find the quality of wastewater. In this paper prediction of COD from textile effluent according to their physicochemical parameters such as pH, Total Suspended Solids (TSS), Sulphate (SO₄), Chloride(Cl₂) and Total Dissolved Solids (TDS) have been determined by Adaptive Neuro Fuzzy Inference System (ANFIS) modeling and Statistical modeling. The results compared by calculating Average percentage error, Chi-Squared test and Worst Case Error.

Key words: Textile Industry, environmental impact, COD.

INTRODUCTION

The rapid industrialization is accompanied by both direct and adverse effect on environment. The rate of contamination of natural water bodies increases with increased industrialization [1, 2]. The textile industry is one of the important industrial sectors of India based on earnings foreign exchange and labour employment. The chemical reagents used in textile industries are very diverse in chemical composition, ranging from in-organic compounds to polymers and organic products [3]. The most common textile-processing sector consists of de-sizing, scouring, bleaching, mercerizing and dyeing processes. The dyeing is the process of adding colours to fibers, which normally requires large volume of water not only in the dye path, but also during the rinsing sector. Depending on the dyeing process, many chemicals like metals, salts, surfactants, organic processing assistants, sulphide and formaldehyde may be added to improve dye absorption on the fibers. Waste water generated by different production steps of a textile mill have high pH, suspended and dissolved solids, dispersants, leveling agents, toxic and non biodegradable matter, colour and alkalinity. Wastewater from fabric and yarn printing and dyeing produces a serious environmental problem [4-7]. Because of these characteristics, wastewater from textile industry must be treated before discharged into natural water system [8-10]. Chemical oxygen demand parameter used to determine the quality of effluent. Many methods are available to predict the value of COD for effluent with five independent parameters such as pH, TSS, SO₄, Cl₂ and TDS. Statistical method like linear are multiple regression analysis are usual procedures adopted to calculate the COD with some determining parameters [11]. However, these methods fail to calculate the accurate value of COD. The literature survey showed that for water and waste water treatment process, most of the artificial intelligence (AI) based prediction model were introduce to estimate the value of

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COD. Among these AI- based prediction methods adaptive neuro fuzzy inference system (ANFIS) have recently become a popular universal approximator that represent high non linear function. ANFIS is an adaptive network, which permits the usage of neural network topology together with the fuzzy logic. In fuzzy section, only zero or first order Sugeno inference system or Tsukamoto inference system can be used [12,13]. Even if the targets are not given, ANFIS may reach their accurate result rapidly. Models performance evaluated by sufficiently fitted training and testing data. Moreover model performance evaluate error values such as Training Root Mean Square Error (Trn RMSE) which are in term minimized by back propagation and hybrid learning algorithm allowed by ANFIS. The main objective of the study is to compare the predictive ability of ANFIS modeling and statistic modeling for the estimation of COD in the textile effluent.

MATERIALS AND METHODS

Wastewater samples from textile industry collected with the help of clean plastic container for physico chemical analysis over a period of one year. The collected samples were brought to the laboratory and stored at 4° C temperature. Selected parameters such as pH, TSS, SO₄, Cl₂, TDS, BOD and COD in the wastewater analyzed as per standard procedure [14].

ANFIS modeling: ANFIS combines both neural network and fuzzy logic; it is capable of handling complex and non-linear problems. Operation of ANFIS looks like feed- forward back-propagation network. Consequent parameters calculated forward while premise parameters are backward. Even if the targets are not given, ANFIS may reach the optimum result rapidly. There are two learning methods in neural section of the system: Hybrid learning method and Back Propagation learning method. The architecture of ANFIS consists of five layers and the number of neurons in each layer equals the number of rules. In ANFIS interpretation, the Sugeno inference system be used [15, 16]. In addition there is no vagueness in ANFIS is opposed to neural network [17]. In this study, the program has written in command window performed with the help of Matlab version (5.3) [18]. Out of 40 data obtained from textile effluent, it has split in to 30 training sets and 10 checking sets. The training data sets presented in table.1. The training process has completed when the Training Root Mean Square Error (Trn RMSE), Check Root Mean Square Error (Chk RMSE) is minimum and the radius, epochs values assigned. The prediction of COD compared with the observed value by evaluating the Average Percentage Error (APE) using the relation,

$$APE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{|COD_{(obs)} - COD_{(Pred)}|}{COD_{(obs)}} \times 100\%$$

Where n is the number of data pairs, COD(obs) represents observed values of COD,COD(pred) represents predicted values of COD, and *i*=1,2,3,.....,n.

Statistical modeling: The data obtained from the textile industry subjected to statistical analysis. The present work determines the COD, using five independent parameters such as pH, TSS, SO₄, Cl₂ and TDS. The multiple regression analyses used to calculate the value of COD by statistical modeling, because it has more input. The multiple regression equation of the type is $y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x_1 + \beta_2 x_2 + \dots$ used. Where y is independent parameter, x_1, x_2 , are independent parameters and $\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2$ etc, are regression coefficients. The prediction of COD in the textile effluent by ANFIS and statistical modeling, compared with observed value using Chi-Squared value (χ^2). The formula for calculating Chi-Square value (χ^2) is

$$\chi^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{(O_i - E_i)^2}{E_i}$$

Where Oi is observed value of COD and Ei is the predicted value of COD. The statistical analyses are performed with the help of SPSS 13.0. The checked data are used in ANFIS, the COD are predicted by statistical modeling using the same data are represented in Table.2, and their corresponding APE(%), WE and Chi Square Value (χ^2) are given in table2.

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	pН	TSS	SO ₄	Cl ₂	TDS	COD
Sample No	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)
1	7.69	12	85	380	1424	109
2	8.59	152	168	1525	4244	140
3	8.2	128	120	1100	3252	139
4	7.4	200	114	1050	3060	140
5	6.52	60	347	285	1416	56
6	7.5	89	190	433	1800	130
7	7.11	160	299	1799	3776	137
8	6.92	100	145	890	2432	96
9	7.03	84	137	1924	3536	185
10	6.42	168	249	1799	4256	131
11	7.55	85	80	130	1650	145
12	6.77	98	120	1175	2196	140
13	8.83	92	224	1350	2324	56
14	6.77	68	240	120	1952	89
15	7.72	208	156	1749	4244	151
16	6.75	100	250	200	2700	108
17	7.1	76	276	835	1840	64
18	6.41	12	134	145	508	82
19	7.31	40	149	145	640	51
20	6.84	52	127	690	690 1624	
21	7.32	104	86	800	1972	152
22	7.18	48	108	565	1760	160
23	7.11	40	60	450	1184	152
24	6.84	48	127	690	1624	94
25	7.58	272	218	124	3196	86
26	7.18	16	154	739	1344	58
27	7.12	60	113	256	1620	104
28	7.14	40	223	916	1556	168
29	7.64	32	75	532	1364	108
30	6.82	70	329	550	1752	152

Table.1: Effluent characteristic parameters used as 'Training Data Set' in the present work:

Table 2: Effluent characteristic parameters used as 'Check Data', the observed and predicted values of COD:

						COD(mg/l)				
Sample	pH	TSS	SO ₄	Cl ₂	TDS		predicted			
No	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	(mg/l)	Observed	ANFIS	Statistical	Multiple regression	
				-	_		model	model	parameters & coefficients	
1	8.22	100	95	313	3958	156	155.6352	161.78	R ² =.535 P=.547 F- 920	
2	7.51	88	186	437	1802	131	130.1929	138.27		
3	7.52	82	72	140	1638	144	143.9770	123.47		
4	7.01	121	278	960	3545	141	140.1285	155.02	1720	
5	6.45	108	306	150	2222	101	101.296	122.49	$\beta_0 = -108.015$ $\beta_1 = 26.132$	
6	6.86	114	420	448	1920	164	163.8026	145.95		
7	7.34	106	82	895	3695	157	156.3159	146.05	$\beta_2 = 0.236$	
8	6.29	108	259	630	3510	136	135.0848	127.90	β ₃ =0.076	
9	6.85	50	349	520	3592	145	144.6686	134.55	$\beta_4 = 0.014$	
10	7.38	24	135	410	1382	102	101.8079	113.41	β ₅ =0.005	
					APE(%)	= 0	33 9.78		
					WE		= 0.9	9 21.5		
					Chi-Sqi	r =	0.0222	14.744		

RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

In this paper, adaptive neuro fuzzy inference system and statistical modeling for the estimation of chemical oxygen demand of textile effluents compared. From table.2, it can be evident that the predictive ability of COD by ANFIS modeling agreed well with observed value because Chi-Square value (χ^2) and Average Percentage Error (APE) value are low for ANFIS method. Fig.1 shows that the plot between observed values of COD and predicted values of COD from ANFIS modeling and statistical modeling. The fig.1 illustrates that predicted values from ANFIS is closer to the actual values than that from statistical modeling. It is believed that with more training data sets, best results could be achieved by ANFIS modeling.

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CONCLUSION

The overall results indicated that ANFIS provided higher accuracy for the prediction of COD than statistical modeling. ANFIS is a valuable method for the determination of COD. Because it combines the advantages of both neural network and fuzzy logic which offers good results.

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