

ONS-UNECE Machine Learning Group



2022 Themes

Imagery

IT Infrastructure

Modelling

Model retraining

Quality of Training
Data

Text classification

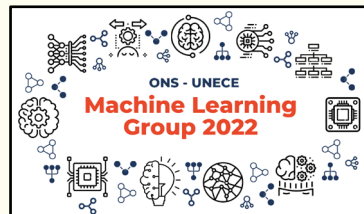
Web scraping data

Research
Collaboration

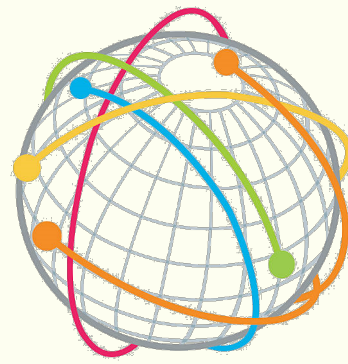
Knowledge
Sharing

Capacity Building

- Focus on understanding the added value of ML for official statistics and how to integrate into production
- 380+ members from statistical offices in 45 countries
- Enables statistical offices to learn from each other's experiences and conduct research together
- Regular presentations, discussions and research activities
- Studies and code shared on public website



DSC International event 12-14 July 2022



- Celebrating the fifth Anniversary of the Data Science Campus
- 50+ International Guests attending from 30 different National Statistics Offices and International Organisations
- The programme focuses on three areas:
 1. **Technical sprints and workshops:** ONS-UNECE ML Group; UN Regional Hubs; UN Task Team on Training, competencies and Capacity development; UNECE Blue Sky Thinking Network; ESSnet; UNECE Applying Data Science and Modern Methods
 2. **Strategy development:** Keynote speeches from Mike Keoghan, Ronald Jansen (Assistant Director UN Stats Division) and Sir Ian Diamond; Panel discussions; Keynote lecture from Arthur Turrell; International Accelerator Mentoring Graduation; UN CEBD Data Science leaders session
 3. **Sharing, connecting and networking:** opportunities to build connections between organisations and projects. Meetings with UK DSC Squads. Evening social programme showcasing South Wales.