AI IMPLEMENTATION IN FOOD PACKAGING

A SPECIAL CASE OF MOLDED FIBER PRODUCTS







GROWTH IN MFP

\$4.6 Bn

\$9.16 Bn

2027

2022

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14.78% CAGR



Asia Pacific to reign as the largest market

USED ACROSS INDUSTRIES







CHALLENGES

- Production Cost
- Quality Consistency
- Property Limitations
- Scaling of Production
- Sourcing Inconsistencies





AI: THE GAME CHANGER



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Drainage Improvement

Wet Strength Optimization

Stiffness Prediction

01

Reduce Cost

Improved Quality

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Optimize Resource Utilization

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Position Yourselfin the Market

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Implement Sustainable Practices

MANUAL TESTING

- Issues in Scalability
- Incomplete Coverage
- Limited Scope of Testing
- Incoherent Recipe Alteration
- User Subjectivity





CASE STUDY

The study was conducted at one of the leading wood pulp and agro-waste-based MFP manufacturers, producing molded products in the 400 GSM range, over a period of 30 days.





Targets:

- Reduce stiffness & quality variation Increase production rate • Optimize chemical consumption



THE HABER APPROACH

01

Mined 12 Months of Time-Series Data

02

Analyzed multidimensionality of relevant parameters

03

Designed Stiffness Prediction Algorithm

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Engineered Strength Additive Prediction Model

PREDICTION MODEL ACCURACY



Target Stiffness: 350 mN



LAB STIFFNESS VS PREDICTED STIFFNESS



Mean 371 Std. Dev. 10.20

Mean 354.3 Std. Dev. 7.782

RESULTS



Target Stiffness: 350 mN

- Refreshed Stiffness
 Predictions every 30 seconds
- Consistency observed in maintaining target stiffness and quality
- Increase in TPD production

RESULTS



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7.8% reduction in chemical consumption

CONCLUSION

- AI-based process control helped drive production rate and product quality
- Cleaner data due to real-time acquisition
- Optimized molded fiber production pricing
- Reduced chemical requirements
- Maintain quality control
- Provide an increased control over the process



THANK YOU!

