



AI and IAGEN Application Use Case

Optimization of Equipment Maintenance in Vaca Muerta through Machine Learning

Classification of report deliverable 23: Maintenance Optimization

Teams in Vaca Muerta using Machine Learning:

Classification 1: By Main Resource

- Selected option: Oil and Gas (main).
- Justification:

The report is specifically focused on optimizing the Predictive maintenance of critical equipment used in the extraction, production, and transportation of hydrocarbons (oil and gas) in the Vaca Muerta region. Water is not a primary focus in this case, explicitly remaining outside the main classification of the document.

Classification 2: By Activity within Vaca Muerta

- Selected option: Optimization of Production Processes
- Justification:

The report specifically addresses maintenance optimization predictive equipment management using machine learning techniques. The central objective is to minimize unplanned downtime, improve operational efficiency, extend the life of critical equipment and reduce costs, all fundamental aspects to optimize production processes in the oil and gas industry.

Classification 3: Type of AI Technology Used

- Main selected option:

2 Machine Learning Algorithms, 6 AI

Platforms for Data Integration and Big Data, 5 AI Systems

Based on Intelligent Agents.

- Justification:

The report explicitly details the use of advanced algorithms supervised, unsupervised, and reinforcement machine learning (such as regression, time series with LSTM networks, decision trees, SVM, random forests and autoencoders). In addition, it emphasizes the relevance of platforms that integrate IoT sensors and Big Data to collect data in real-time, as well as intelligent agents that automate detection early detection of faults, alerts and maintenance recommendations.

Classification 4: By Strategic Impact on the Industry

- Selected option: AI for Production and Quality Optimization

Infrastructure

- Justification:

The key strategic impact described in the report is the optimization substantial improvement in predictive maintenance, which leads directly to the significant reduction in unplanned downtime, extension of the lifespan of critical equipment, increased operational safety, and significant reduction in overall operating costs. These advantages clearly optimize both production and key infrastructure in Dead Cow.