



## Machine Learning in Sports: Practical Applications for Practitioners

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The practical applications of machine learning in sports are diverse and encompass multiple domains. Researchers can utilize these techniques to evaluate performance metrics, fine-tune training regimes, and identify areas for improvement. Furthermore, machine learning can assist in injury prevention, player scouting, talent identification, and optimization of game plans based on opponent analysis. Thus, this is a new trend from which athletes and coaches may gain new insights for performance improvement.

This Special Issue invites researchers, data scientists, and practitioners from a wide range of disciplines to contribute original research, reviews, and practical case studies that demonstrate the application of machine learning in sports. Both theoretical and practical submissions are welcome, with the objective of showcasing advances in the field and providing practical insights for those involved in the sporting industry.

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