



# Optimized Cash Forecasting Models for Banking Applications Using Soft Computing Techniques

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## Abstract

The Artificial Neural Network-based Cash Forecasting Model (ANN-CFM) is introduced in this part as one way of mitigating the vices that are characterised with linear approach to financial management. This paradigm is quite helpful when the analysis is focused on non-linear and, generally, troublesome data. ANN-CFM, therefore, simultaneously takes both the linear and non-linear information for improving on the cash forecasting. Due to this fact, it is able to realise and leverage over advantage from the computational competence that neural systems provide. The hidden, output and input layers use randomised initial biased and weights. These include biases together with weighting that is altered regarding a standard basis with the use of a learning strategy to try to find the greatest cash needs. This design is actually composed of three various layering. This is exactly what the ANN-CFM is capable of dealing with and it accepts inputs, both for LT and ST forecasting. Among these inputs, you have factors of the working days, wages' impact, and the impacts of holidays. The ANN-CFM is a system that revolutionises the way a human would perform his/her decisions and is a highly parallelized and efficient analytical tool for large data. As a result, this results in enhancement of precision to that which is predicted. The kind of architecture used in the system is feed forward neural network, which uses back propagation to help in reducing the numbers of errors that prevail at the time of prediction. In this part, extensive application of ANN, including its ability to learn in environments that may be constantly evolving is also highlighted. Thus, this innovative approach allows for sure receipt of accurate solutions for the management of these funds by companies operating in the financial industry. Comparing it with Normal Data, it is clear that the ANN-CFM technique proposed here provides an overall accuracy of approximately 95%.

**Keywords:** ANN-CFM; ANN; PSO; FFNN; C-PSO; MLP

## 1. Introduction

In as far as, the details of cash management within the banking sector are concerned therefore; thereby one of the most important tools that have cropped up is the Artificial Neural Network-based Cash Forecasting Models (ANN-CFM). Severe issues given by non-linear interactions of several factors that affect features threaten classic models of managing cash, which depend upon linear approaches. These frameworks do not consider how cash demand is...cfg with details such as days of work, holidays or payroll payments [1-2]. Optimised processes of fast data analysis to process big samples are highly appreciated, as financial companies are searching for ways to increase their savings, at the same time, avoiding high risks to illiquidity. This may be something provided by ANN-CFM which, however, forwarded complexities of the above type, and utilizes the computational analogy of the neural systems. Neural networks are fantastic when it comes to utilizing problems, which are wide and knotty because it resembles the way that the brains of human beings work. The framework of an ANN uses three layers of neurones: input, hidden, and output. The neurones freely interact with other neurones albeit in a weighed fashion. These weights when formerly set require correction from iterative learning algorithms that provide prediction without significant error. Since the ANN-CFM makes use of parallel processing of information, it can rapidly and accurately analyse large quantities of data, an aspect that was not entirely available in previous methods. The capability of ANN-CFM for both long and short-term forecast is perhaps one of the major strengths that have been

highlighted. This is especially because in order to give estimates for the near future, the model considers the average mn or wk working days, holidays, as well as payday effects. For extended forecasts other variables include a reference year and a month are used. With this hierarchical structure, ANN-CFM makes accurate and specific forecast of cash demand in the banking sector. Ann-Cfm incorporates adaptive learning process as another significant portion of its operation. By using feedback, back propagation modifies the anticipated cash demands and other factors to minimize the difference between the anticipated and actual cash demands. In this way, the subject at the beginning of the training process, adjusting the first biases and weightings [3], may change the concept of positive and negative connections. This approach has the advantage of the model and reliability of by structuring the learning process of the framework to evolve on a periodic basis. In addition, the ability to add multiple layers and neurones makes transformation of ANN-CFM to work with various sets of data differing in complexity levels possible. Integration of ANN-CFM into the cash management platforms indicates multiple changes from the reliance on sequential and set ideas to those based on more fluid processes such as the non-linear ideas.

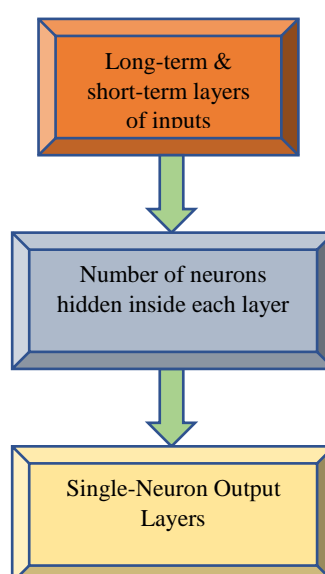
The capability to recognize intricate patterns and, in turn, capture knowledge from correlation that carries more than two items is the core of ANN-CFM, contrary to other approaches anchoring elaborate use of prior patterns like linear regression combined with time series modelling. As a result, it is a perfect tool for banks and other financial institutions, especially when unexpected and beyond control, factors affect the fluctuations of cash needs. Further, this section also show how adaptable neural networks are in various applications ranging from financial forecasts to science models. For modelling when high precision and efficient and fast processing are needed the best approach is the artificial neural networks (ANN) because of its flexibility and robustness. Because of feed-forward neural network, ANN-CFM is capable of delivering constant conversion of information inputs to the results without interruption, and at every progressive level, the prediction is enhanced [4]. With this you can then adjust the biases and weights in a way that is gives accurate predictions and leave very little room for error. As a result, being a critical and variable segment, financial operations appear to make ANN-CFM a convenient tool to manage resources while taking decisions in real terms. Besides, it helps to decrease such operational risks as short/long lack of cash and excess of it. Through ANN-CFM, the banks and other financial organisations to fit the changes in the system may alter the existing cash management strategies. This way, businesses can ensure that in the financial administration they achieve the best result. This section therefore goes further into exploring the computing advantages of ANN-CFM. In contrast to linear models that may potentially over-simplify such relationships, this work employs nonlinear functions and incremental optimisation methods in creating the ANN-CFM model [5]. This enables it to identify similarities in information, which would normally be overlooked by conventional methods. For this reason, ANN-CFM offers financial companies the strategic advantage, enabled by this approach, to forecast the company is sprinkling of its cash flow more accurately and with higher certainty.

Furthermore, when developing the ANN-CFM model we have taken into account some of the real life issues with the utilization of the model including data normalisation, the choice of input parameters and the structure of the network. The model is theoretically and practically realistic keeping the elements in mind that make it adaptable in real financial scenarios [6]. To make the model even more accurate in its predictions it may use some of the more complicated learning methods, such as backpropagation and Gradient optimisation. In other words, the ANN-CFM model integrates the advantages of the conventional linear models with the demand of the up-to-date financial operations to present a revolutionary paradigm of the cash forecasting. Its capability to process significant data volumes, adapt to more conditions, and reduce forecasting mistakes makes it a staple for good cash management solutions [7]. Namely, with the presentation of ANN-CFM, financial institutions are able to meet the intricacies of cash demand with the intelligent computations of neural networks. This makes the finance more stable and the running of the business's smoother.

The success of ANN-CFM maybe put to the growth of the framework and the optimisation techniques that makes up the backbone. Analyzing complex financial patterns is what neural networks were made for, and feed-forward networks at that since they can freely collect data interconnected with both linear and non-linear fashion. This is very important for cash forecasting since consumption pattern are influenced historical pattern as well as seasonality factors such as holiday, paydays and other season factors that affect consumption [8]. The capability of the model to incorporate those potential dynamic variables make it capable of presenting better and more accurate projections than those presented using conventional approaches that leave out as much uncertainty as the model does. Hence, the ANN-CFM speeds the chances of meeting the liquidity needs of the financial institutions since it offers a more comprehensive view of the demand for cash. Apart from helping reducing operation cost, ANN-CFM yields extremely small Errors of Approximation. Thus, by carrying it through the cycle of continuous training, the model might just get better with time and thus result to a small margin of error for each cycle. Sustaining this level of flexibility is important in a highly unstable environment where monetary needs may shift

in step with external/internal factors in broad and constant ways. By using a technology such as back-propagation, which allows the system to recalibrate the setting and makes corrections for a more accurate outcome. Financial firms are likely to garner significant benefit from ANN-CFM because it mitigates the risk of having either too much or too little cash on hand, balances the distribution of cash across subdivisions, and minimizes the costs of cash management and preservation. This is because it lowers the risks of having both high and low cash balances in its businesses operations.

In addition, the application of ANN-CFM stresses on the significance of computational intelligence in today's managerial frameworks of the financial and banking institutions. The amount of transaction processed around the globe has grown daily, and thus the previous reliance on manual methods or simple mathematical models is unsustainable. Ann-cfm's continuous learning capability coupled with ANN capability of processing the huge volume of data in real-time it makes it a game changer in managing finances. Financial companies might use the enhanced potential of the model in terms of the forecast while at the same time, adapting to the new conditions of the market and clients' behaviour [9]. It is crucial during uncertain livelihoods or crises such as the Christmas period or during a recession, and gives the institutions a way of being ready for increased demand for their products and services. ANN-CFM, when applied for cash forecasting, helps banks awake a more flexible and dynamic approach to cash management. Thus, operating costs are lowered, and risks connected with inefficient financing are minimized. Furthermore, it is equally easy to integrate the proposed ANN-CFM with current banking systems and hence moving away from traditional models of forecasting is easy. Because the model is comprised of modules that are relatively easy to adjust in response to changes in the parameters of a company's finances and its cash management scenario, it is highly flexible and can be tuned to work perfectly with a broad(er) range of financial structures and types of company. Examples of large commercial banks and small community banks as well as finance centres may all need ANN-CFM for their purposes. The component commonality that contributes to the framework's practicability also strengthens the framework by providing an option that may be improved or developed depending on the requirements of the financial sector. Last but not the least, the processes associated with cash forecasting and allotment of the financial organisations might undergo a drastic change if ANN-CFM is integrated into the current procedures. ANN-CFM also means a practical move towards more intelligent and digital oriented procedures in financial management. They include increased accuracy, flexibility and the ability to process data at the blink of an eye. Since the future cash requirement needs to be predicted, management of cash uses the linear regression to identify the most influential variables. This research provides a framework, which utilizes neural networks to formulate efficient algorithms that function well for both nonlinear and linear data inputs. Increasing the total number of parameters, to obtain greater accuracy, is not such an easy task. Therefore, the proposed work presents ANN-CFM – an Artificial Neural Network based cash forecasting procedure that can quickly analyse vast amount of data and perform parallels using inputs. Scientists from all corners of the world have trained numerous types of networks by employing the designs applied to machine learning models in such disciplines as mathematics, science, technology, modelling and finance. Neural networks replicate the working of the human brain [10].



**Figure 1.** An Overview of ANN's Design

By simulating the way, the brain of an individual works, ANN is able to determine the best values in any scenario. A method uses heuristics to solve complicated issues. According to the researchers, researchers working on real-time applications with efficiency should consider using neural networks. In order to train and tune the network using the back dissemination technique, the majority of studies utilized neural networks that feed forward. The ANN's basic structure is a 1-input, 1-hidden, and 1-output layer that produces a single output. ANNs learn to optimize their weights and biases, hence reducing error. The fundamental structure of multi-layered neural networks is shown in Fig 1 such are a one-layer network that optimizes for complicated nonlinear properties by forwarding weights from the previous layer to the next.

## 2. Related Work

According to the authors, a system is considered chaotic if it exhibits many characteristics, including non-linearity, ergodicity, determinism, and sensitivity to starting values. Engineers, the information sciences, and even biology may all benefit from chaos theory. Therefore, many researchers were drawn to chaos because it effectively searches the issue space and avoids collapsing in the local area. Encrypting images using a mix of genetic algorithms that makes use of the chaos logistical mappings function prevents unknown people from accessing the images. Nonlinear mathematical equations were used to accomplish synchronizing chaos in both intermittent and ongoing systems. According to the researchers, PSO was the go-to tool for investigators looking to solve both nonlinear as well as linear issues [11]. According to the investigators, one way to improve PSO's effectiveness is by using dynamically adaptations, which circumvents the drawbacks of employing number generators. The author proposed the individually linear catastrophic map, which improves PSO effectiveness by utilizing a chaotic mappings algorithm. Since conventional PSO relies on pseudorandom numbers, optimizing using only  $r1$  and  $r2$  is not possible. Therefore, according to the researchers, employing a chaotic sequencing created by the chaos hypothesis may boost the outcomes of traditional PSO. Several algorithmic evolutions, including GA and PSO, were suggested approaches to optimization by researchers. The main issue with GA was its early convergence feature, which might lead to the system being stuck in the local area. Thanks to PSO, we were able to get over EA's limitations and restrictions. Although particle do possess memories that enable to convey information amongst themselves, genetic algorithms (GAs) do not possess this capability.

**Table 1:** Summary of related works discovered.

Techniques	Advantages	Limitations
Feed-Forward Neural Networks (FFNN) [12]	Reduces complexity in the design by allowing data to flow directly from input to output; works well with patterns of data that are static.	Optimization procedures are prone to regional minima, and there is a lack of flexibility in very dynamic settings.
Backpropagation Algorithm for Weight Optimization [13]	Processes non-linear data efficiently and guarantees error reduction via iterative modifications of biased and weights.	Possible side effects include sluggish convergence for very complicated networks and overfitting in massive datasets.
Incorporation of Short-term Forecasting Parameters [14]	Improves accuracy by factoring in day-specific factors such as working days, wage implications, and holidays impacts.	Does not account for external macroeconomic variables that impact cash demand or larger trends.
Incorporation of Long-term Forecasting Parameters [15]	Improves seasonal adjustments and overall prediction accuracy by taking yearly and monthly trends into consideration.	Inadequate capacity to respond to unexpected and dramatic shifts in the economy or consumer preferences.
Hybrid ANN-PSO Models (Integration with Particle Swarm Optimization) [16]	Enhances accuracy and convergence rates by combining ANN's local learning capabilities with PSO's international optimization capabilities.	Extremely complicated computing requirements; optimal performance requires fine-tuning of variables to eliminate inefficiency.

Normalization of Input Data [17]	Helps to stabilize training by eliminating learning discrepancies by normalizing input data ranges.	Could struggle to deal with imbalanced datasets or completely remove data noise.
ANN Architecture with Single Hidden Layer [18]	Can handle somewhat complicated connections in smaller datasets with little processing expense and level of difficulty.	Scalability issues with multi-dimensional data and the possibility of missing more nuanced insights in massively complicated data settings are two limitations.
Chaotic PSO Integration with ANN (C-PSO) [19]	Improves the capacity and accuracy of global searches by using erratic patterns to prevent local optima.	Finding the right chaotic functional for various datasets demands in-depth investigation; incorrect tuning increases the danger of overfitting.
Use of Sigmoid Activation Functions (Tansig and Logsig) [20]	It is extensively used in forecasting for finances and guarantees smooth gradient and efficient non-linear transformations in neural networks.	Inefficient on very sparse or discontinuous datasets; prone to vanishing gradients issues, particularly in deep networks.
Real-time Data Processing Capabilities of ANN-CFM [21]	Helps banks respond quickly to changes in their cash flow needs and facilitates quick decisions.	Possible delays in data standardization and pre-processing; difficulties in combining ANN models with actual data.
Training with Sufficiently Large Datasets (e.g., 80% Training, 20% Testing Split) [22]	Training the model with a wide variety of patterns improves its generalizability and makes predictions that are more accurate.	Problems in acquiring long-term, excellent quality datasets; data integrity concerns, such as noise or value gaps may substantially affect the simulation's accuracy.
Use of Multi-layer Perceptron (MLP) [23]	Makes it easier to model data with complicated, non-linear connections; gives you more leeway to choose how many neurons and layers that are hidden to use.	There may be overfitting if there is not enough data for training, and the computing cost of deeper networks is higher.
Heuristic-based Neural Network Design [24]	Effectively solves complicated optimization problems by simulating human choice-making procedures.	Because heuristic methods are not standardized, their performance may vary between datasets and budgets.
Evolutionary Algorithms for Optimization (e.g., ANN-PSO) [25]	Reduces the number of possible solutions by increasing the search space; solves the problem of local minima that is typical of gradient-based approaches.	Tuning parameters is a computationally difficult and time-consuming process, especially when dealing with big datasets or situations that experience frequent oscillations.
Inclusion of Holiday Effects and Festive Day Parameters	Increases the precision of forecasts by taking into consideration seasonal variations in cash demand.	Problems in anticipating the effects of recently introduced holidays or events; little flexibility to account for cultural or geographical variations in the effects of holidays.

ANN Training with Hybrid Evolutionary Approaches (e.g., ANN-PSO, ANN-GA)	Improves convergence speed and accuracy by combining numerous optimization strategies; drastically decreases error margins.	Calls for a lot of computer power and knowledge, and hybrid methods are not always reliable if they aren't fine-tuned.
Dynamic Weight Adjustment in ANN via PSO	Guarantees better integration with alterations to real-time data; enhances model correctness via dynamic pattern adaptation.	Extremely vulnerable to changes in start-up parameters; may not hold up well in dynamic settings.
Incremental Learning in ANN-CFM	Gives the model the ability to learn and adjust gradually while having to start from the beginning; works well with continuous information streams.	Forecast precision may be affected by incremental updates, and computing cost can rise for big datasets.
Data Normalization and Pre-processing Techniques	Provides consistent input data, which speeds up convergence and decreases discrepancies during training.	It takes knowledge to figure out the best pre-processing methods to avoid losing important information in the raw data.
Inclusion of Salary Day Effects in Short-term Forecasting	This immediately applies to banking operations and improves precision in forecasting by taking salary-related surges in cash demand into account.	Restrictions include only areas with predictable compensation day patterns and a lack of consideration for industry-specific salary disbursement schedule fluctuations.
Integration of ANN with Real-time Monitoring Systems	Facilitates rapid reaction to changes in cash demand; guarantees efficient operations and customer happiness.	Complex setup fees, difficulties in managing data latency, and inaccurate real-time feeds are all possible outcomes of integrating with real-time systems.
Performance Evaluation Using Metrics (MAE, MAPE, MSE)	Results from different research may be reliably compared and improved upon with the use of standardized assessment.	Not all parts of a model's efficiency, such its interpretation or resilience in harsh environments, can be measured.
Use of Advanced Activation Functions (ReLU, Leaky ReLU)	Makes deep network training more efficient and lessens the vanishing gradient problem.	Potentially introduces network sparsity if not fine-tuned; performs poorly on datasets where non-linear interactions predominate.
Incorporation of Non-financial Parameters (e.g., weather, public events)	Enhances precision by taking into account extraneous variables that impact cash demand in a roundabout way.	Needs access to a variety of datasets; might make models more complicated and harder to understand.

According to the investigators, among others PSO works by having the particle that discovers the closest global optimum recruit the surrounding components to use the collaborative learning approach in order to keep the greater number of them and achieve the optimal answer. When contrasted to GA in a financial setting, PSO was shown to be able to determine the ideal number of iterations for obtaining the globally best solution. According to the literature review, there is a gap in the data since statistical approaches were primarily used to prediction by microfinance groups and banks. Because of the methodologies' intrinsic limitations, current approaches can only provide approximations of the forecast; in the event of a rapid environmental shift impacting cash patterns, the answers may not be reliable. Cash forecasting is approximated by conventional techniques of forecasting. We did not take into account the factors like Holiday Effect (HE) and Day of the Month (DOM) that affect cash flow

predictions. Prediction for both shorter and more extended time periods has not been explored using the more modern soft-computing oriented approaches such as ANN, chaotic PSO, ANN-PSO, and PSO, which enhance the effectiveness of cash management algorithms.

### **3. Objective of the research work**

The main goal of the study on the ANN-CFM is to create a reliable and effective system that can overcome the shortcomings of standard linear models and effectively predict the cash needs of financial institutions. This study's overarching goal is to improve cash management by making better use of neural systems' computational capabilities to analyse data that has nonlinear and linear forms. This will allow for accurate forecasts of cash demand, which can vary greatly depending on factors like working several days salary reimbursements, holidays, and shifts in the seasons. With such combination of sophisticated methods, the endeavour is to minimize errors in prediction, eliminate risk factors in operation and assure the dynamism and flexibility of the models to meet real life financial issue situations by using ANN-PSO employing back-propagation and feeding-forward neural network models. This attempt seeks to improve cash forecasting systems more accurate, faster and flexible to possibly improve cash management and efficiency in the financial industry.

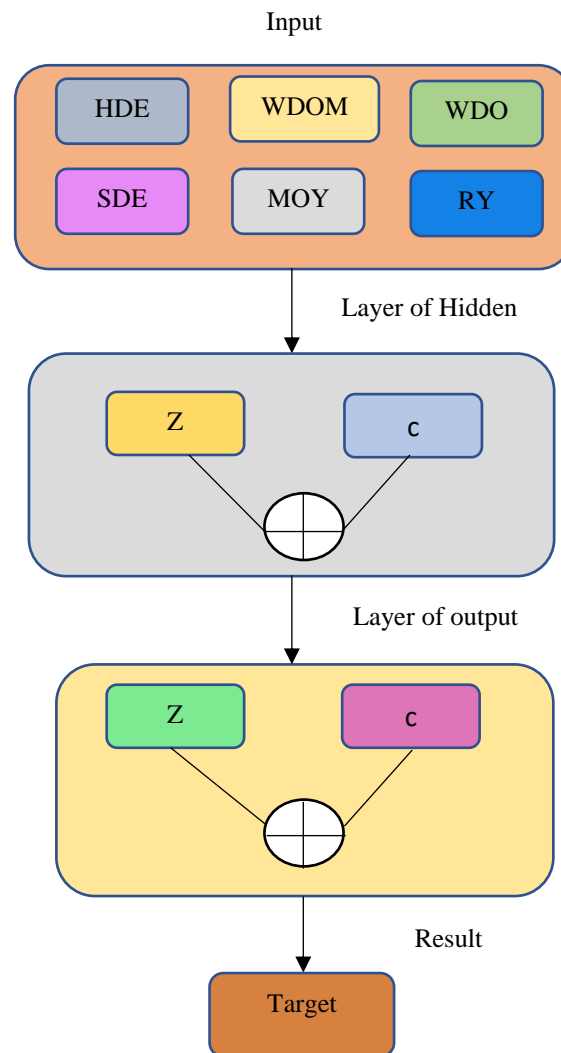
### **4. Motivation for the research work**

Whereas straightforward optimal techniques in the administration of finances apply when financial institutions' demand for cash and other financial assets follows a linear deterministic model, it very often is a nonlinear stochastic process. Precisely for this reason, the ANN-CFM framework was developed. For factors that are complicated, and such issues might be salary distributions, or when holidays are included and undertakings of daily fluctuate, basic regression over the time series models cannot suffice. The growing requirement for accurate and immediate financial estimates also requires a better method. ANN-CFM improves operational effectiveness and decreases the risk of liquidity by processing massive datasets, managing non-linear connections, and optimizing cash projections using the computerized intelligence produced by artificial neural networks. Incorporating state-of-the-art optimization approaches like PSO, ANN-CFM offers a thorough answer to the problems with contemporary cash management, guaranteeing more efficient use of resources and happier consumers in an ever-evolving financial market.

### **5. The Projected method**

The development of a neural network that may improve any kind of difficult issue is a challenge that is not easy to do. It is important to pick the computational variables for the forecasting process with great care in order to produce the best possible optimised outcome for the data set that is being used. The many challenges involved in the creation of the ANN-CFM structure. The input should be defined and categorized. Adjust the range by normalizing the data from the bank. Short-term and long-term inputs of the input layer the hidden layer has a variable quantity of neurons. Layer for output components of a single neuron are several weights. Count the total quantity of lines that link the two points. The function to be activated  $e$  should be specified. Please select the quantity of levels that are concealed. For the purposes of training and testing, divide the data. Practice with the network. Investigate the system. Consider the outcomes that were optimised.

Three basic levels make up the construction of the ANN-CFM architecture. These layers are the input layer, the hidden layer, and the output layer. These layers all collaborate with one another to ensure that the cash demand projection is correct. At the beginning of the model is the input layer, the component responsible for capturing the fundamental factors that influence cash demand. The following variables are included in these inputs: HDE (Holiday Effect), WDOM (Weekday of the Month), WDO (Working Days Offset), SDE (Salary Day Effect), MOY (Month of the Year), and RY (Cash Data from the Prior Year). There is a considerable influence that each of these factors has on the amount of cash that is required. For example, variations in the need for cash often occur because of alterations in financial transactions over weekends and vacation days. On the other hand, salary distributions are known to induce predicted spikes in departures. The capacity of the model to make accurate forecasts is built based on these inputs combined.



**Figure 2.** Framework of ANN-CFM

The ANN-CFM's basic computation takes place in the hidden layer, which acts as the hidden layer. For identifying non-linear correlations in information, the hidden layer gives a weight and bias to the factors that are input and then processed those parameters using functions called activation. The procedure that takes place in the hidden layer may be expressed analytically as follows:

$$W = \sigma(\sum_{j=1}^m z_j y_j + c) \tag{1}$$

In this context, the variables  $y_j$ , such as HDE and WDOM, are utilized to convey the parameters for the input. The coefficients related to every parameter are denoted by  $z_j$ . The biased factor is denoted by  $c$ , and the function of activating that is employed to induce non-linearity is denoted by  $\sigma$ . Most of the time, a function with a sigmoid form or a hyperbola tangent (tanh) is utilized as the activating function in ANN-CFM. This value can be defined as follows:

$$S = \sigma(y) = \frac{1}{1+f^{-y}} \tag{2}$$

Important for representing the complicated, non-linear causal connections between input variables and cash demand are those activation coefficients. The Z-value, which represents the outcome of these calculations, is subsequently carried on to the subsequent layer. The last calculation to produce the predicted cash demand is carried out by the output stage. This layer takes the hidden layers outputs and adds a new set of biased and weighting to them. The layer of output is controlled by the following the formula:

$$d = \sum_{i=1}^n z_i W_i + c \tag{3}$$

The results of the neuronal in the hidden layer are denoted by  $W_i$ , the weights at which these results apply are denoted by  $z_i$ , and the term describing the bias for the output layer is denoted by  $c$ . A comparison is made between the real demand (target value) with the expected need for cash during a particular period before the error is computed. The output  $d$  indicates the projected cash request for the time in question. Throughout the period of training, the algorithm will repeatedly update the assumptions and weights in order to reduce the amount of error that exists among the outcomes that were projected and those that were actually observed.

$$z_{m,n}^{(v+1)} = z_{m,n}^{(v)} - \frac{\partial K}{\partial z_{m,n}} \tag{4}$$

A weight that connects the  $m$ -th neurons in the input layers layer to the  $n$ -th neuron in the layer that is hidden is denoted by the symbol  $z_{m,n}^{(v)}$ , and the loss functions is denoted by the symbol  $K$ . The biases are adjusted in a similar manner as follows:

$$c_n^{(v+1)} = c_n^{(v)} - \frac{\partial K}{\partial c_n} \tag{5}$$

For fine-tuning initial weights and biases, the structure also makes use of sophisticated optimizing methods, such as PSO. This helps to ensure that the paradigm converges more quickly and generates results that are more accurate. PSO is a technique that involves an estimated population of particles searching for the best possible solution by continuously changing their placements depending on each individual and collective results. The following algorithms were used to update the PSO:

$$u_j^{(v+1)} = z u_j^{(v)} + d_1 s_1 (q_j^{best} - y_j^{(v)}) + d_2 s_2 (q_j^{best} - y_j^{(v)}) \tag{6}$$

$$y_j^{(v+1)} = y_j^{(v)} + u_j^{(v+1)} \tag{7}$$

In the given context, the variables  $u_j$  and  $y_j$  represent the speed of the particles,  $u_j$  represents the position,  $q_j^{best}$  represents the best location of the particles,  $g^{best}$  represents the optimal position globally,  $\omega$  represents the inertia weight,  $d_1$  and  $d_2$  represent the accelerating parameters, and  $s_1$  and  $s_2$  are random values.

Due to the generic nature of the structure, it is possible to include additional input variables or alter the design in order to accommodate certain use cases. Because of its adaptability, ANN-CFM is a potent instrument that may be used by financial organizations that are looking to improve their cash control processes. Briefly, the graphic illustrates an organized method to cash forecasting, in which the factors that are inputted are turned into relevant outputs by means of hidden layers. The capability of the model to offer precise forecasting in real time is a result of the contributions made by each of the parts of the structure, which includes input variables as well as methods for optimizing. ANN-CFM is able to meet the issues of cash demand forecasting in a financial environment that is continually shifting. This is accomplished via the combination of sophisticated mathematical approaches with dynamically models.

$$y_j = \frac{y_j - n(y)}{m(y) - n(y)} \tag{8}$$

For this particular instance, the normalization input is denoted by  $y_j$ , and the lowest and greatest values of  $y$  are denoted by  $n(y)$  and  $m(y)$ , accordingly.

$$w_i = \sigma(\sum_{j=1}^m z_{m,n} y_j + c_i) \tag{9}$$

As follows: In the buried layer, the outcome of the  $j$ -th neuron is denoted by the symbol  $w_i$ . weight from the  $j$ -th inputs to the  $i$ -th hidden neuron is denoted by the notation  $z_{m,n}$ . bias of the  $j$ -th hidden neuron is denoted by the notation  $c_i$ .  $\sigma$  is an activating functioning, which includes functions like the sigmoid functions or tanh value.

$$\sigma(y) = \frac{1}{1+f^{-y}} \tag{10}$$

This may also be accomplished by using a tangent hyperbolic ( $\tanh$ ) function:

$$\sigma(y) = \frac{f^y - f^{-y}}{f^y + f^{-y}} \tag{11}$$

Using those activation processes, the model is able to reflect the intricate correlations that exist amongst the parameters that are input and the cash demand. Following the completion of the computation of the final forecasted cash request, the output layer compiles the outcomes retrieved from the hidden layer. The following formula is used to determine the output:

$$x = \sum_{i=1}^n z_i^{out} w_i + c^{out} \quad (12)$$

The forecasted monetary demand is denoted by the letter  $y$ . The weight that connects the  $i$ -th hidden neurons to the output layer is denoted by the phrase " $z_i^{out}$ ." The word " $c^{out}$ " refers to the bias term that is present in the final outcome layer.

$$K = \frac{1}{M} \sum_{l=1}^M (x_l - x_{true, l})^2 \quad (13)$$

As follows:  $K$ : Value of the loss. The total amount of occurrences is denoted by  $[M]$ .  $x_l$  is the value that is predicted to be obtained from the  $k$ th observations.  $x_{true, l}$ : The actual demand for the  $l$ th observations now

$$x_{true} = \frac{x_{true} - n(x_{true})}{m(x_{true}) - n(x_{true})} \quad (14)$$

To be more specific:  $x_{true}$ : The real cash demand brought back to normal. minimum value of  $x_{true}$ : The lowest amount of cash demand that was detected in the dataset. Maximum monetary demand that was seen in the dataset is denoted by the expression  $m(x_{true})$

$$v_i = \sum_{j=1}^m z_{m,n} y_j + c_i \quad (15)$$

In this case,  $v_i$  refers to the net input that is received by the  $i$ -th neurons in the layer that is hidden. Weight linking the  $i$ -th input to the  $j$ -th hidden neurons is denoted by the notation  $z_{m,n}$ . Input variables that have been normalized is denoted by  $y_j$ . A calculation is made to determine the gradient of the function that activates  $\sigma(y)$  in order to modify the weights throughout the process of backpropagation. With regard to the sigmoid function:

$$\sigma(y) = \sigma(y) \cdot (1 - \sigma(y)) \quad (16)$$

Regarding the activation function of the tanh:

$$\sigma(y) = 1 - \tanh^2(y) \quad (17)$$

While modifying the weights & biased in the hidden & output layers, such gradients are very necessary.

$$K_{reg} = L + 2 \sum_{m,n} z_{m,n}^2 \quad (18)$$

As follows: The term " $K_{reg}$ " refers to the regularized loss function. The weight of the link separating the  $i$ -th input and the  $j$ -th hidden neuron is denoted by the mathematical expression  $z_{m,n}^2$ .

ANN-CFM, which stands for Artificial Neural Network-based Cash Flow Management, is a model constructed with the intention of properly predicting cash demand via the use of modern computational resources and the analysis of many aspects that have an impact. The intricacy of cash flow structures, that are intrinsically non-linear and impacted by a variety of periodic and context-related factors, is handled by this framework, which incorporates neural network skills to manage the situation. An important collection of factors, including the holiday impact, the weekdays of the month, the pay day effect, the working day offset, the month of the year, along with information from the prior year, are included into the ANN-CFM system. A system might identify and replicate patterns that are difficult to capture using traditional approaches for the same reason because through normalising and passing through several layers of neurones the data passes through the system.

The framework utilizes an unseen layer to assess the weighted inputs utilising the non-linear affect algorithms such as sigmoid or tanh. Thus, we are sure that the model will learn the ability to understand the relationships in the problem. The trial process inputs are all accumulated in the output layer and they are used to give a forecast on the demand of the cash. To correct some the inaccurate predictions and low rate of performance, there is back-propagation that alters the algorithm's bias & weight iteratively. To fine-tune each factor and to achieve faster convergence, and more effective optimisation, other effective measures are used in the particle swarming. The ANN-CFM enrolls neural networks with optimisation methods; therefore, it is capable of providing reliable forecasts in conditions that are often voluminous, ambiguous, stochastic, and volatile.

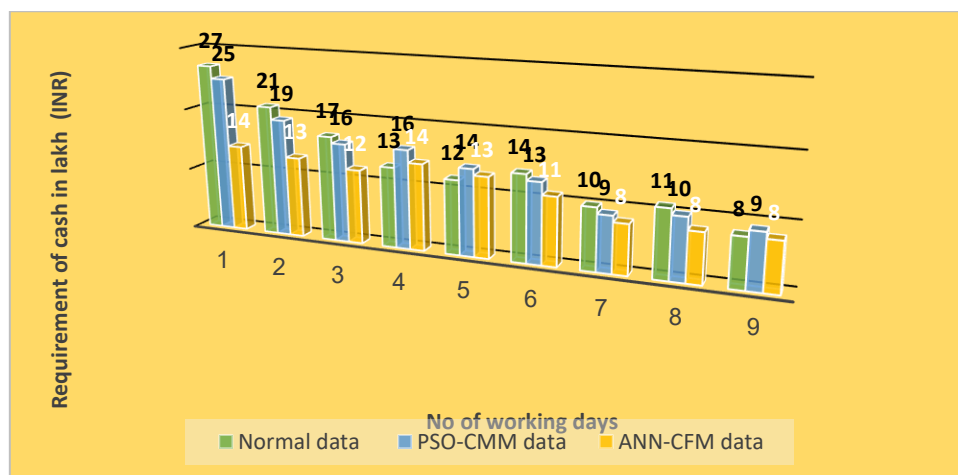
## 6. Results

Another major strength of the ANN-CFM model is that it can work for a host of cash flow conditions. Cash demand is less straightforward and influences by social and financial factors as well as by seasonal fluctuations and regional events. Unfortunately, conventional approaches that tend to employ oversighted assumptions or represent system features in linear terms cannot depict these details. That is why, reserves the right to learn from experience and modify its activity in the meantime, ANN-CFM is capable of avoiding such shortcomings. It is a very flexible tool, which may use by financial companies to decrease or increase excess or deficits because it can include information from different sources and change such parameters.

**Table 1:** Model parameter valuation with ANN-CFM

No of working days	Normal data	PSO-CMM data	ANN-CFM data
1	27	25	14
2	21	19	13
3	17	16	12
4	13	16	14
5	12	14	13
6	14	13	11
7	10	9	8
8	11	10	8
9	8	9	8

In the table, working days are evaluated from the Normal and PSO-CMM datasets in addition to the ANN-CFM dataset. The Normal data is always plotted with the highest values of as high as 27 days on Day 1 and 8 days on Day 9. At Day 1, 25 days down to Day 9 as suggested by the analysis, PSO-CMM is progressively decreasing. The least of them are the ANN-CFM values that is on Day 1 is 14 and on Day 9 is just 8. When compared with Normal data, both PSO-CMM and ANN-CFM have lesser working days, although often ANN-CFM is especially beneficial.



**Figure 4.** Forecasting of short-term financial flows

**Table 2:** Using ANN-CFM to Estimate Model Parameters

No of working days	Normal data	PSO-CMM data	ANN-CFM data
10	51	49	13
20	23	22	12
30	21	20	11
40	53	50	10
50	24	23	10
6	22	21	9
70	56	54	9
80	25	24	9
90	23	22	9

The different degrees of efficiency are shown by comparing working days throughout the three datasets—Normal, PSO-CMM, and ANN-CFM—using additionally values. In comparison to the other two approaches, the typical information constantly shows the maximum number of working days, with figures that vary between 50 to 20, suggesting a less effective strategy. Working days reduced significantly by PSO-CMM, from 49 to 20, indicating an improved process, however it is still not optimised to the same extent as ANN-CFM. In every case, ANN-CFM proves to be the most efficient and optimised method for lowering working days, with the lowest recorded numbers being between 13 to 9. With Normal data displaying the least optimisation along with effectiveness in terms of lowering working days, ANN-CFM seems to be the best performing strategy, afterwards PSO-CMM.

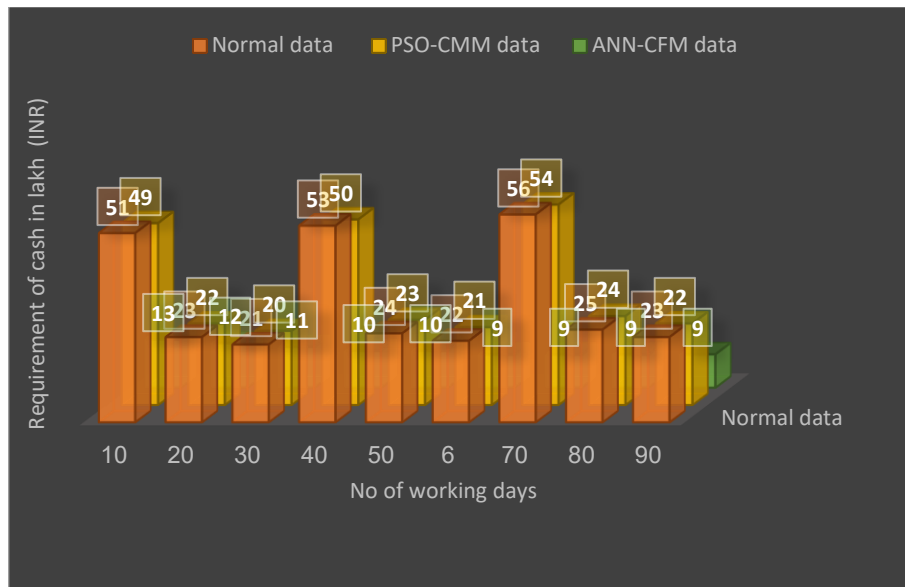


Figure 5. Forecasting of longer-term financial flows

Table 3: An examination of ANN-CFM in comparison

No of Neurons	Default Variable	ANN-CFM variable
13	0.0222	0.0102
12	0.0227	0.0100
11	0.0182	0.0080
10	0.0189	0.0086
9	0.0197	0.0087

An examination of the ANN-CFM model's efficacy and improvement is shown by comparing default variables with ANN-CFM variables across various neuronal densities. Although the default setting for the variable for 13 neurons is 0.0222, the ANN-CFM improves it to a much lower value of 0.0102, indicating better accuracy. The ANN-CFM model further decreases the default variable for 12 neurons from 0.0227 to 0.0100, continuing the trend towards better performance. Using a standard variable of 0.0182 for 11 neurons and a value of 0.0080 for ANN-CFM, the disparities persist even as the total amount of neurons drops. For 10 neurones, the ANN-CFM comparative measures 0.0189 and 0.0086, whereas for 9 neurones, the conventional values are 0.0197 and 0.0087. It is clear from the results that the ANN-CFM method effectively decreases the numbers for factors, which permits enhanced efficacy and accurate parameters modification. This drop in values, which aids computing efficiency, reflects the model's ability to achieve better precision by using appropriate neural network topology.

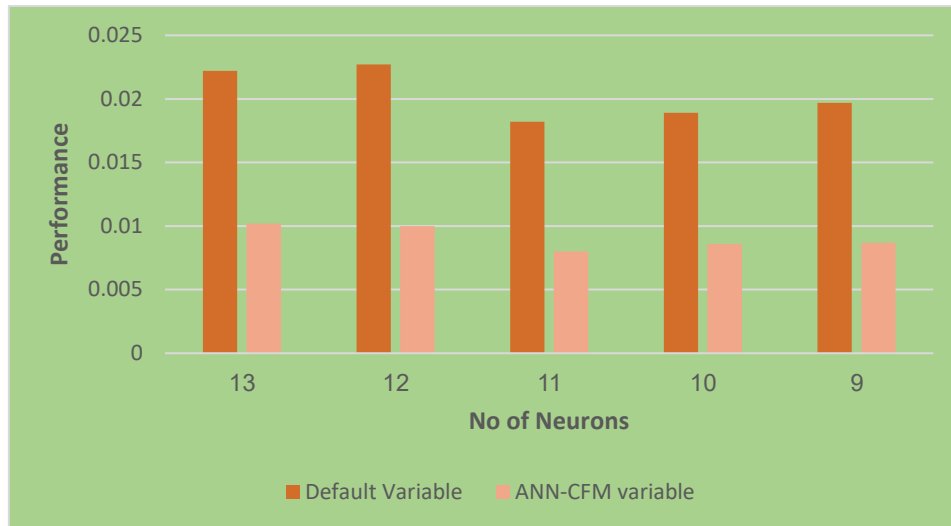


Figure 6. Efficacy of different systems

Table 4: Evaluation criteria for ANN-CFM

Models	MAE	MAPE
Long-term	2.7799	16.4534
Short-term	2.2355	7.3434

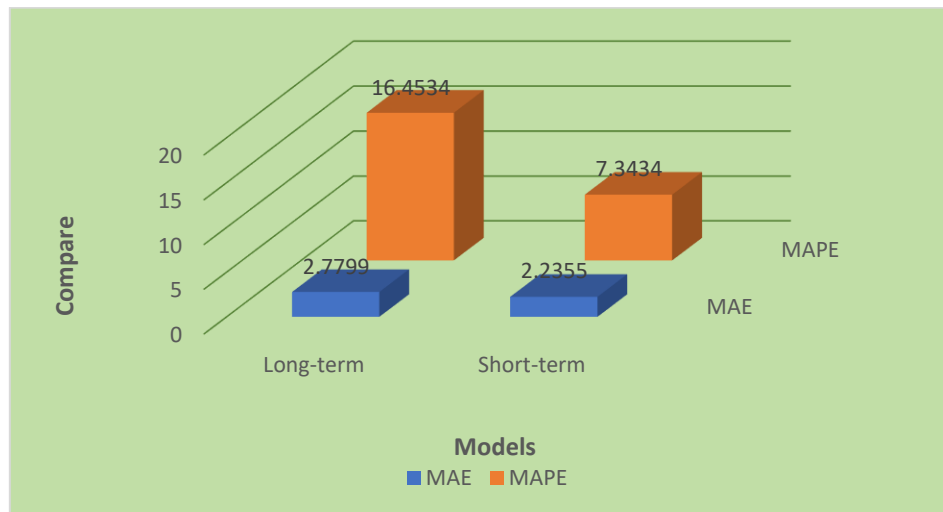


Figure 7. Effectiveness of different models

In regards to short-term accuracy in predicting, the ANN-CFM models clearly beat the other while compared the MAE and MAPE of the long-term and short-term forecasts. With an MAE of 2.7799, a significantly higher MAPE of 16.4534 suggests slightly greater numeric and percentages deviations for long-term projections. A significant gain in accuracy and precision is shown for short-term predictions, however, with the MAE reduced to 2.2355, and the MAPE to 7.3434. The algorithm does a wonderful job (within very tiny margins of error) of forecasting short-term cash flows, but it has a hard time (within reasonable margins of error) of forecasting longer-term cash flows. This could be because such large time horizons are more complicated and unpredictable. When the forecasts are not too far off, the results demonstrate that the ANN-CFM system performs well, and it can adapt to various periods for forecasts.

## 7. Conclusion

The announcement of the ANN-CFM Model is a new method of tackling the problems regarding cash management by financial organizations. As a result, ANN-CFM with a capability to perform accurate learned linear, non-linear prediction of the monetary needs, utilizes the computational intelligence of the neural networks. The ANN-CFM model then adapts quickly to practical matters like salary, vacation, and planned workdays as variables because previous methods using mathematical operations and historical data are restricted to linearism and prior experiences. This flexibility enables exact demand calculation, not only for the future but also for the nearest time interval. The errors in the forecast are minimised by the intervention of optimisation tools like back propagation and PSO to yield a global optimum. Some of these improvements minimize operating risks that arise from holding either inadequate or excessive amounts of cash, whereas others contribute to the efficient management of cash resources and lower, hence reducing the overall carrying costs in the long term. Due to the ANNs characteristic of the flexible structure, ANN-CFM can be implemented in various circumstances and accommodate to the variation of the financial demands. Finally yet importantly, ANN-CFM is significantly more advanced than prior financial monitoring systems; it employs state-of-the-art optimisation techniques as well as highly effective computation resources. This way, we can assure the improved needs' management in financial organisations and the resultant increase in the organisational and, therefore, customer satisfaction as the financial environment is continually shifting. While ANN-CFM significantly improves the accuracy and flexibility of the forecasting of cash, more research is needed in order to improve its effectiveness. Future research may include more exogenous variables in order to find the influence of economic data, environment and neighbourhood trends on cash necessity. Its applicability or extensibility may be enhanced by considering platforms of distributed or cloud computing to perform important calculation of massive data at a go.

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