

# LAB ASSIGNMENT-17

## Task-1:

### Prompt:

Create a Python script to clean an employee dataset: fill missing values (salary, department, joining\_date), convert joining\_date to datetime, standardize department names (e.g., 'HR', 'hr', 'Human Resources' → 'HR'), and encode categorical variables (department, job\_role).

### Code and Output:

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 import numpy as np
3
4 # -----
5 # Step 1: Generate a Sample Employee Dataset
6 # -----
7 data = {
8     'employee_id': [101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108],
9     'salary': [50000, np.nan, 75000, 60000, None, 80000, 55000, np.nan],
10    'department': ['HR', 'hr', 'Human Resources', 'IT', 'Finance', 'hr', 'Sales', None],
11    'joining_date': ['2020-05-10', None, '2019-07-22', '', '2021/03/15', '2022-11-30', '2020-08-01', '2021-12-12'],
12    'job_role': ['Manager', 'Analyst', 'Developer', 'Clerk', 'Manager', 'Analyst', 'Developer', 'Clerk']
13 }
14
15 # Create DataFrame with missing values and inconsistent department names
16 df = pd.DataFrame(data)
17
18 # -----
19 # Step 2: Data Cleaning and Preprocessing
20 # -----
21
22 # Handle missing values:
23 # For 'salary', fill missing values with the median salary calculated from non-missing entries
24 df['salary'] = df['salary'].fillna(df['salary'].median())
25
26 # For 'department', fill missing values with "Unknown"
27 df['department'] = df['department'].fillna("Unknown")
28
29 # For 'joining_date', fill missing or empty strings with a default date (e.g., '2000-01-01')
30 df['joining_date'] = df['joining_date'].replace('', None).fillna("2000-01-01")
31
32 # Convert 'joining_date' column to datetime format (errors='coerce' will convert invalid formats to NaT)
```

```
33 df['joining_date'] = pd.to_datetime(df['joining_date'], errors='coerce')
34
35 # Standardize department names:
36 # Map various forms of HR to a single standardized value "HR"
37 def standardize_department(dept):
38     dept_lower = str(dept).strip().lower()
39     if dept_lower in ['hr', 'human resources']:
40         return "HR"
41     return dept # Return the original if no standardization rule applies
42
43 df['department'] = df['department'].apply(standardize_department)
44
45 # Encode categorical variables:
46 # Using one-hot encoding for 'department' and 'job_role'
47 cleaned_df = pd.get_dummies(df, columns=['department', 'job_role'], drop_first=True)
48
49 # -----
50 # Step 3: Output the Cleaned DataFrame
51 # -----
52 print(cleaned_df.head())
```

```
>>> %Run -c $EDITOR_CONTENT
employee_id  salary  ...  job_role_Developer  job_role_Manager
0           101  50000.0  ...           False           True
1           102  60000.0  ...           False           False
2           103  75000.0  ...           True           False
3           104  60000.0  ...           False           False
4           105  60000.0  ...           False           True

[5 rows x 10 columns]
```

## Explanation:

The code performs the following key operations:

- **Data Generation:**  
Creates a sample employee dataset with various issues like missing values and inconsistent department names.
- **Missing Values Handling:**
  - Fills missing salaries with the median salary.
  - Replaces missing department entries with "Unknown".
  - Substitutes missing or empty `joining_date` values with a default date ("2000-01-01").
- **Data Type Conversion:**  
Converts the `joining_date` column into datetime objects to ensure consistent date formatting.
- **Department Standardization:**  
Uses a custom function to map different forms of "HR" (like "hr" or "Human Resources") to a single, standardized value ("HR").
- **Categorical Encoding:**  
Applies one-hot encoding to `department` and `job_role`, while dropping the first category to avoid multicollinearity.
- **Output:**  
Finally, prints the head of the cleaned DataFrame for a quick preview of the processed data.

## Task 2:

### Prompt:

Generate a Python script to preprocess a sales dataset: convert `transaction_date` to datetime, add Month-Year column, remove rows with non-positive `transaction_amount`, and apply Min-Max scaling to `transaction_amount`.

## Code and Output:

```
1 import pandas as pd
2
3 # -----
4 # Step 1: Generate a Sample Sales Transaction Dataset
5 # -----
6 data = {
7     'transaction_id': [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6],
8     'transaction_date': ['2025-01-15', '2025/02/20', '15-03-2025', '2025-04-05', '2025-05-10', '2025-06-25'],
9     'transaction_amount': [250.0, -50.0, 0.0, 500.0, 750.0, 300.0]
10 }
11
12 df = pd.DataFrame(data)
13 # Step 2: Preprocess the Dataset
14
15 # Convert 'transaction_date' column to datetime format (invalid dates become NaT)
16 df['transaction_date'] = pd.to_datetime(df['transaction_date'], errors='coerce')
17
18 # Create a new column 'Month-Year' extracted from the 'transaction_date'
19 df['Month-Year'] = df['transaction_date'].dt.strftime('%b-%Y')
20
21 # Remove rows with negative or zero transaction amounts
22 df = df[df['transaction_amount'] > 0]
23
24 # Normalize the 'transaction_amount' column using Min-Max scaling without sklearn
25 min_amount = df['transaction_amount'].min()
26 max_amount = df['transaction_amount'].max()
27 df['transaction_amount'] = (df['transaction_amount'] - min_amount) / (max_amount - min_amount)
28
29 # Step 3: Output the Preprocessed DataFrame
30 print(df)
```

```
>>> %Run -c $EDITOR_CONTENT
transaction_id transaction_date transaction_amount Month-Year
0             1      2025-01-15              0.0  Jan-2025
3             4      2025-04-05              0.5  Apr-2025
4             5      2025-05-10              1.0  May-2025
5             6      2025-06-25              0.1  Jun-2025
>>>
```

## Explanation:

### 1. Dataset Creation

- Creates a dictionary with three keys:
  - `transaction_id`: Unique IDs for each transaction.
  - `transaction_date`: Dates of transactions in various formats.
  - `transaction_amount`: Monetary values for each transaction.
- Converts this dictionary into a pandas DataFrame.

### 2. Data Preprocessing

- Convert Dates:**
  - Uses `pd.to_datetime` with `errors='coerce'` to convert the `transaction_date` column to datetime format.
  - Any invalid date strings are set to `NaT` (Not a Time).
- Extract Month-Year:**
  - Creates a new column `Month-Year` by extracting the month and year from the valid `transaction_date` values using the `dt.strftime('%b-%Y')` method.
- Filter Transactions:**
  - Removes rows where `transaction_amount` is less than or equal to zero, keeping only rows with a positive amount.
- Normalize Amounts:**
  - Applies Min-Max scaling to the `transaction_amount` column without using sklearn.
  - This is done by subtracting the minimum value and dividing by the range (`max - min`) so that all transaction amounts are scaled between 0 and 1.

### 3. Output

- Finally, the cleaned and preprocessed DataFrame is printed.

## Task 3:

### Prompt:

Write a Python script to clean healthcare patient data: fill missing numeric values with column mean, convert height from cm to meters, standardize gender labels (e.g., 'M', 'Male', 'male' → 'Male'), and drop the patient\_id column.

### Code and Output:

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 import numpy as np
3
4 # -----
5 # Generate a Sample Healthcare Patient Dataset
6 # -----
7 data = {
8     'patient_id': [1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8],
9     'blood_pressure': [120, 130, np.nan, 110, 140, np.nan, 125, 135],
10    'heart_rate': [80, np.nan, 70, 75, 90, 85, np.nan, 78],
11    'height': [170, 165, 180, np.nan, 160, 175, 168, 172], # Heights in cm
12    'gender': ['M', 'Male', 'male', 'F', 'Female', 'f', 'f', 'female'],
13    'age': [25, 35, 45, 55, np.nan, 65, 75, 85] # Additional numeric column
14 }
15
16 df = pd.DataFrame(data)
17
18 # -----
19 # Data Cleaning and Preprocessing
20 # -----
21
22 # 1. Fill missing values in numeric columns with the column mean
23 numeric_columns = ['blood_pressure', 'heart_rate', 'height', 'age']
24 for col in numeric_columns:
25     df[col].fillna(df[col].mean(), inplace=True)
26
27 # 2. Standardize units: Convert height from centimeters to meters
28 df['height'] = df['height'] / 100
29
30 # 3. Correct inconsistent categorical labels for 'gender'
31 def standardize_gender(g):
32     g_clean = str(g).strip().lower()
```

```
33     if g_clean in ['m', 'male']:
34         return 'Male'
35     elif g_clean in ['f', 'female']:
36         return 'Female'
37     return g # Return original if no rule applies
38
39 df['gender'] = df['gender'].apply(standardize_gender)
40
41 # 4. Drop irrelevant columns such as patient_id
42 df_cleaned = df.drop(columns=['patient_id'])
43
44 # -----
45 # Output the Cleaned Dataset
46 # -----
47 print("Cleaned Healthcare Patient Records:")
48 print(df_cleaned.head())
```

```
Cleaned Healthcare Patient Records:
   blood_pressure  heart_rate  height  gender  age
0      120.000000    80.000000    1.70    Male   25.0
1      130.000000    79.666667    1.65    Male   35.0
2      126.666667    70.000000    1.80    Male   45.0
3      110.000000    75.000000    1.70   Female   55.0
4      140.000000    90.000000    1.60   Female   55.0
```

```
>>>
```

## Explanation:

### 1. Import Libraries

The code starts by importing the necessary libraries:

- `pandas` for handling data in tabular form.
- `numpy` for handling numerical data and to use the `np.nan` value as missing data.

### 2. Generate a Sample Healthcare Dataset

A dictionary called `data` is defined which contains sample patient records. Each key in the dictionary represents a column (like `patient_id`, `blood_pressure`, etc.) and the values are lists representing the data entries. This data is then converted into a pandas DataFrame called `df`.

### 3. Fill Missing Values in Numeric Columns

- The code identifies numeric columns such as `blood_pressure`, `heart_rate`, `height`, and `age`.
- It loops over these columns and fills any missing values (denoted by `np.nan`) with the mean value of that column. This ensures that there are no empty values in these fields.

### 4. Standardize Units for Height

The `height` column is stored in centimeters. The code divides the values by 100 to convert them into meters, which might be the preferred unit for analysis or modeling.

### 5. Correct Inconsistent Categorical Labels for Gender

- A function called `standardize_gender` is defined. It takes a gender value, converts it to lowercase, and then maps it to either `"Male"` or `"Female"`.
- This function is applied to the `gender` column to standardize the labels, ensuring consistency in the data.

### 6. Drop the Irrelevant `patient_id` Column

After cleaning the records, the `patient_id` column is removed from the DataFrame since it is assumed not to be useful for further analysis (e.g., in a machine learning model).

### 7. Display the Cleaned Dataset

Finally, the cleaned DataFrame (`df_cleaned`) is printed to the console. This shows the first few rows of the cleaned data, which is now ready for further analysis or modeling.

## Task 4:

### Prompt:

Write a Python script to clean social media text data: remove special characters, URLs, and emojis; convert text to lowercase; tokenize and remove stopwords; and apply lemmatization to prepare for sentiment analysis.

# Code & Output:

```
1 import re
2 import pandas as pd
3
4 # Sample dataset: a list of social media text posts
5 data = {
6     "text": [
7         "Loving this new product! @ #amazing http://example.com",
8         "Worst service ever!! @@ Visit http://badservice.com for details!",
9         "Happy days! Enjoying life & sunshine @ https://weather.com",
10        "OMG! Can't believe it!!! #shocked @ http://trending.com",
11        "Feeling blessed & grateful. Life is beautiful @❤️"
12    ]
13 }
14
15 df = pd.DataFrame(data)
16 print("Original Dataset:")
17 print(df)
18
19 # Define a simple stopwords list (you can expand this list as needed)
20 stop_words = {
21     "the", "and", "is", "in", "it", "for", "to", "a",
22     "of", "this", "that", "with", "on", "at", "ever", "cant"
23 }
24
25 def clean_text(text):
26     # Remove URLs
27     text = re.sub(r'http\S+', '', text)
28     # Remove emojis using an approximate Unicode regex pattern
29     emoji_pattern = re.compile(
30         "[
31             \U0001F600-\U0001F64F    # Emoticons
32             \U0001F300-\U0001F5FF    # Symbols & pictographs
33             \U0001F680-\U0001F6FF    # Transport & map symbols
34             \U0001F1E0-\U0001F1FF    # Flags
35         ]+", flags=re.UNICODE)
36     text = emoji_pattern.sub(r'', text)
37     # Remove special characters (keep letters, numbers, and whitespace)
38     text = re.sub(r'[\W\s]', '', text)
39     # Convert to lowercase
40     text = text.lower()
41     return text
42
43 def simple_tokenize(text):
44     # A very basic tokenizer that splits on whitespace
45     return text.split()
46
47 def simple_lemmatize(word):
48     # A basic and naive lemmatization:
49     # Remove common suffixes: 'ing', 'ed', 'es' and trailing 's'
50     if word.endswith('ing') and len(word) > 4:
51         return word[:-3]
52     if word.endswith('ed') and len(word) > 3:
53         return word[:-2]
54     if word.endswith('es') and len(word) > 3:
55         return word[:-2]
56     if word.endswith('s') and len(word) > 2:
57         return word[:-1]
58     return word
59
60 def preprocess_text(text):
61     # Clean the text to remove URLs, emojis, special characters, and convert to lowercase
62     cleaned = clean_text(text)
63     # Tokenize the cleaned text
64     tokens = simple_tokenize(cleaned)
65
66     # Remove stopwords
67     filtered_tokens = [token for token in tokens if token not in stop_words]
68     # Apply simple lemmatization
69     lemmatized_tokens = [simple_lemmatize(token) for token in filtered_tokens]
70     # Return the processed text as a string
71     return ' '.join(lemmatized_tokens)
72
73 # Apply preprocessing to each text entry in the dataset
74 df['processed_text'] = df['text'].apply(preprocess_text)
75 print("\nProcessed Dataset:")
76 print(df[['processed_text']])
```

```
>>> %Run -c $EDITOR_CONTENT
Original Dataset:
      text
0  Loving this new product! @ #amazing http://exa...
1  Worst service ever!! @@ Visit http://badservic...
2  Happy days! Enjoying life & sunshine @ https://...
3  OMG! Can't believe it!!! #shocked @ http://tre...
4  Feeling blessed & grateful. Life is beautiful @❤️

Processed Dataset:
      processed_text
0  lov new product amaz
1  worst service visit detail
2  happy day enjoy life sunshine
3  omg believe shock
4  feel bless grateful life beautiful

>>>
```

## Explanation:

- **Importing libraries and data setup:**  
The script imports the required libraries:
  - `re` for working with regular expressions.
  - `pandas` for handling and manipulating the dataset.It then creates a sample dataset (a few social media posts) as a Python dictionary and converts it into a DataFrame. Finally, it prints the original dataset.
- **Defining stopwords:**  
A basic set of stopwords (common words that are typically removed) is defined. This helps to filter out words that may not be important for sentiment analysis.
- **Cleaning the text:**  
The `clean_text` function performs several cleaning steps:
  - **Remove URLs:** It uses a regex pattern to remove any web links.
  - **Remove emojis:** It applies a regex that targets emoji characters and removes them.
  - **Remove special characters:** It keeps only letters, numbers, and whitespace.
  - **Convert to lowercase:** It changes all characters to lowercase for uniformity.
- **Tokenization:**  
The `simple_tokenize` function splits the cleaned text into words by splitting on whitespace. This breaks the text into manageable tokens.
- **Simple lemmatization:**  
The `simple_lemmatize` function removes common suffixes like "ing", "ed", "es" and a trailing "s" from each word. This is a very basic method to reduce words to their base form (lemmatization).
- **Preprocessing text:**  
The `preprocess_text` function puts all these steps together:
  - It cleans the text using `clean_text`.
  - It tokenizes the text using `simple_tokenize`.
  - It filters out any stopwords from these tokens.
  - It applies the simple lemmatization to the remaining tokens.
  - Finally, it joins these tokens back into a single string which represents the cleaned text.
- **Applying preprocessing and printing:**  
The script applies the `preprocess_text` function on each entry in the original "text" column of the DataFrame, creating a new column called "processed\_text." It then prints this processed dataset, which is ready for further NLP sentiment analysis.

## Task 5:

### Prompt:

Write a Python script to preprocess a financial dataset: fill missing values in stock price and volume, create 7-day and 30-day moving averages, normalize continuous columns with StandardScaler, and encode categorical columns like sector and company\_name.

# Code & Output:

```
1 import pandas as pd
2 import numpy as np
3
4 # Generate a simulated financial dataset
5 np.random.seed(42)
6 num_days = 60
7 dates = pd.date_range(start='2025-01-01', periods=num_days, freq='D')
8 sectors = ['Technology', 'Finance', 'Healthcare']
9 companies = ['CompanyA', 'CompanyB', 'CompanyC']
10
11 data = {
12     'date': dates,
13     'stock_price': np.random.uniform(100, 200, size=num_days),
14     'volume': np.random.randint(1000, 10000, size=num_days),
15     'sector': np.random.choice(sectors, size=num_days),
16     'company_name': np.random.choice(companies, size=num_days)
17 }
18 df = pd.DataFrame(data)
19
20 # Introduce missing values randomly in stock_price and volume
21 for col in ['stock_price', 'volume']:
22     df.loc[df.sample(frac=0.1, random_state=42).index, col] = np.nan
23
24 # Handle missing values: use median imputation
25 for col in ['stock_price', 'volume']:
26     median_val = df[col].median()
27     df[col].fillna(median_val, inplace=True)
28
29 # Create new features: moving averages (7-day and 30-day) of stock_price.
30 df['MA_7'] = df['stock_price'].rolling(window=7, min_periods=1).mean()
31 df['MA_30'] = df['stock_price'].rolling(window=30, min_periods=1).mean()
32
33 # List of continuous columns to normalize
34 cont_cols = ['stock_price', 'volume', 'MA_7', 'MA_30']
35
36 # Normalize continuous variables using manual StandardScaler approach
37 for col in cont_cols:
38     mean_val = df[col].mean()
39     std_val = df[col].std()
40     df[col + '_norm'] = (df[col] - mean_val) / std_val
41
42 # Encode categorical columns using dummy variables
43 cat_cols = ['sector', 'company_name']
44 df_encoded = pd.get_dummies(df, columns=cat_cols, drop_first=True)
45
46 # Final feature engineered DataFrame
47 print("Feature engineered dataset:")
48 print(df_encoded.head())
49
50 # Optionally, save to CSV file for further ML tasks
51 df_encoded.to_csv("feature_engineered_financial_data.csv", index=False)
52 print("\nData saved to feature_engineered_financial_data.csv")
```

```
Feature engineered dataset:
   date  stock_price  ...  company_name_CompanyB  company_name_CompanyC
0 2025-01-01  147.562345  ...                True                False
1 2025-01-02  195.071431  ...                True                False
2 2025-01-03  173.199394  ...                False               True
3 2025-01-04  159.865848  ...                False                False
4 2025-01-05  115.601864  ...                False                False
```

[5 rows x 13 columns]

Data saved to feature\_engineered\_financial\_data.csv

>>>



# Explanation:

## 1. Import Modules

The code imports necessary packages:

- `pandas` for handling data as DataFrames
- `numpy` for numerical operations

## 2. Generate a Simulated Financial Dataset

- A date range of 60 days starting from January 1, 2025, is created.
- Random data is generated for stock prices and trading volume.
- Two categorical columns (`sector` and `company_name`) are generated from predefined lists.
- All these columns are combined into a DataFrame.

## 3. Introduce Missing Values

- The code randomly selects 10% of the rows for `stock_price` and `volume` columns, replacing those values with `NaN` (to simulate missing data).

## 4. Handle Missing Values

- The missing values in `stock_price` and `volume` are filled with the median value of each respective column.

## 5. Calculate Moving Averages

- Two new features are created:
  - `MA_7`: the 7-day moving average of the stock price.
  - `MA_30`: the 30-day moving average of the stock price.
- The rolling mean is computed using a window of 7 or 30 days.

## 6. Normalize Continuous Variables Without Sklearn

- For each continuous column (stock price, volume, and the moving averages), the script computes the mean and standard deviation.
- A new column is added for each feature (appending `_norm`) that represents the standardized value, calculated as:  
$$(\text{value} - \text{mean}) / \text{std}$$

## 7. Encode Categorical Columns

- The categorical columns (`sector` and `company_name`) are encoded using one-hot encoding (creating dummy variables).
- The `drop_first=True` option is used to avoid creating redundant columns.

## 8. Output the Final DataFrame

- The code prints the first few rows of the processed DataFrame, showing the new features and normalized columns.
- The final dataset is saved as a CSV file named "feature\_engineered\_financial\_data.csv" for later machine learning tasks.