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	Content	Hrs
01	Introduction to Soft Computing: Introduction, Fuzzy Computing, Neural Computing, Genetic Algorithms, Associative Memory, Adaptive Resonance Theory, Applications.	1-6
02	Fundamentals of Neural Network: Introduction, Model of Artificial Neuron, Architectures, Learning Methods, Taxonomy of NN Systems, Single-Layer NN System, Applications.	7-14
03	Back Propagation Network: Background, Back-Propagation Learning, Back-Propagation Algorithm.	15-20
04	Associative Memory : Description, Auto-associative Memory, Bi-directional Hetero-associative Memory.	21-24
05	Adaptive Resonance Theory: Recap - supervised, unsupervised, backprop algorithms; Competitive Learning; Stability-Plasticity Dilemma (SPD), ART Networks, Iterative Clustering, Unsupervised ART Clustering.	25-28
06	Fuzzy Set Theory: Introduction, Fuzzy set : Membership, Operations, Properties; Fuzzy Relations.	29-34
07	Fuzzy Systems : Introduction, Fuzzy Logic, Fuzzification, Fuzzy Inference, Fuzzy Rule Based System, Defuzzification	35-36
80	Fundamentals of Genetic Algorithms: Introduction, Encoding, Operators of Genetic Algorithm, Basic Genetic Algorithm.	37-40
09	Hybrid Systems: Integration of Neural Networks, Fuzzy Logic and Genetic Algorithms, GA Based Back Propagation Networks, Fuzzy Back Propagation Networks, Fuzzy Associative Memories, Simplified Fuzzy ARTMAP.	41-42