MACHINE LEARNING

Hours/Week: 5 Credits:4

Course Outcomes

On successful completion of the course, the students will be able to

- 1. List out the fundamental issues and challenges of machine learning: data, model selection, model complexity, etc.
- 2. Define the underlying mathematical relationships within and across Machine Learning algorithms and the paradigms of supervised and un-supervised learning
- 3. Identify the strengths and weaknesses of renowned machine learning approaches.
- 4. Explain machine learning concepts and algorithms
- 5. Develop and implement various machine learning algorithms in a wide range of real-world applications
- 6. Examine the ways of Association Rule Learning and Reinforcement Learning

Unit – I: Introduction 11 hrs

Learning –Types of Machine Learning –Supervised Learning –The Brain and the Neuron – Design a Learning System –Perspectives and Issues in Machine Learning –Concept Learning Task –Concept Learning as Search –Finding a Maximally Specific Hypothesis –Version Spaces and the Candidate Elimination Algorithm –Linear Discriminants –Perceptron – Linear Separability –Linear Regression.

Unit – II : Linear Model 11 hrs

Multi-layer Perceptron –Going Forwards –Going Backwards: Back Propagation Error – Multi-layer Perceptron in Practice –Examples of using the MLP –Overview –Deriving Back-Propagation –Radial Basis Functions and Splines –Concepts –RBF Network –Curse of Dimensionality –Interpolations and Basis Functions –Support Vector Machines

Unit – III : Dimensionality Reduction And Evolutionary Models 11 hrs

Dimensionality Reduction – Linear Discriminant Analysis – Principal Component Analysis – Factor Analysis – Independent Component Analysis – Locally Linear Embedding – Isomap – Least Squares Optimization – Evolutionary Learning – Genetic algorithms – Genetic Offspring: - Genetic Operators – Using Genetic Algorithms – Reinforcement Learning – Overview – Getting Lost Example – Markov Decision Process

Unit – IV: Graphical Models

11 hrs

Markov Chain Monte Carlo Methods –Sampling –Proposal Distribution –Markov Chain Monte Carlo –Graphical Models –Bayesian Networks –Markov Random Fields –Hidden Markov Models –Tracking Methods

Unit – V : Machine Learning Applications across Industries 11 hrs

Healthcare – Retail - Financial Services – Manufacturing – Hospitality - Cloud Based ML Offerings

Text Book(s)

1. Stephen Marsland, "Machine Learning –An Algorithmic Perspective", Second Edition, Chapman and Hall/CRC Machine Learning and Pattern Recognition Series, 2015.

Books for Reference

- 1. Theodoridis, Sergios, "Machine Learning: A Bayesian and Optimization Perspective", Elsevier Science Publications, 2020.
- 2. Aboul Ella Hassanien, Ashraf Darwish, Roheet Bhatnagar,"Advanced Machine Learning Technologies and Applications", Springer Publication, 2020.