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Professional Summary

• A B.Tech graduate from IIT Roorkee with strong analytical and problem-solving skills, proficient in Python, SQL, and machine learning. I am backed by experience in real-world projects, including adapting sales channels which led to a 10% increase in direct sales. I aim to transform complex data into actionable insights that support strategic decision-making and drive measurable business growth at your organization.

Education

Indian Institute of Technology, Roorkee

Nov 2020 - Jun. 2024

B. Tech Production and Industrial Engineering

Key Skills

Languages & Tools: Python, SQL, Power BI, Tableau, MS-Excel, PowerPoint.

Analytical Techniques: A/B Testing, Hypothesis Testing, KPI Definition, Behavioral Analytics, Collaborative Filtering Soft Skills: Problem-Solving, Critical Thinking, Stakeholder Communication, Leadership, Collaboration.

Work Experience

Business Analyst

Chhonkar Shoe Co. — Agra, India (May 2024 - Present)

- Analyzed sales and inventory data to identify strategic opportunities, leading to a 10% increase in direct sales to Cocoblu Retail Limited and a 10% reduction in raw material waste.
- Spearheaded a major improvement in on-time delivery by developing and implementing a manual system to categorize and prioritize orders based on promised delivery dates, resulting in more efficient production workflows.

Data Science Intern

Exposys Datalabs — India (May 2023 – Jul. 2023)

- Optimized data quality through preprocessing and feature engineering, reducing inconsistencies by 15% and enhancing model precision by 10%.
- Developed and tuned machine learning models (e.g., XGBoost, Neural Networks) for diabetes prediction, which improved model precision by 10% and achieved an AUC-ROC of 0.88, aiding in early and more accurate patient diagnosis.

Projects

Data Jobs Market Dashboard Using Power BI

GitHub

- Built an interactive Power BI dashboard using 2024 job postings data to analyze trends in job titles, salaries, and locations, enabling users to explore the data job market effectively.
- Performed ETL with Power Query and created DAX-based KPIs; implemented drill-through pages, map visuals, slicers, and bookmarks for seamless and insightful navigation.

Nashville Housing Data Cleaning in SQL

GitHub

- Cleaned and standardized a large real estate dataset in MS SQL Server, handling missing values, normalizing formats, and splitting address fields to improve data quality and analytical usability.
- Leveraged CTEs, window functions, and schema optimization to remove duplicates, streamline tables, and prepare an analysis-ready dataset for BI reporting and data science workflows.

COVID-19 Data Exploration in SQL

GitHub

- Performed exploratory data analysis on global COVID-19 datasets in MS SQL Server, using joins, aggregations, window functions, and CTEs to analyze infection trends, mortality rates, and vaccination progress across countries and continents.
- Created visualization-ready views and tables for BI dashboards by transforming raw data into actionable insights, enabling population-level comparisons and tracking of vaccination coverage over time.

Universal Translator GitHub

- Developed a cost-effective, privacy centric, locally-hosted solution for locally stored audio & video file & YouTube video transcription and translation, leveraging Whisper models and yt-dlp to eliminate API costs.
- Engineered a pipeline with automatic language detection (31 languages), translation capabilities, and intelligent duplicate content filtering for improved readability.

Positions of Responsibility

Steering Head, Team KNOx — Led a 25-member team to achieve AIR 15 at BAJA-SAE 2022. May 2023 - 2024

Co-Coordinator, Thomso 22 — Organized Tele Sporcle event in one of Asia's largest cultural fests. Oct. 2022