

**START OF QUIZ**

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## Question 1

Topic: Lecture 7

Source: Lecture 7

Imagine that we had a strange representation of the date: "Year 23 in the 21st century on the 3rd day of March, at 11 minutes past 17". Using `strptime`, what is the format that we would need to provide to recognize this time?" (1)

## Question 2

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Why is datetime functionality necessary? That is, why can't we just use the date and time separately? (1)

### Question 3

Topic: Lecture 6

Source: Lecture 6

Which of the following Tweets is most likely to be sarcastic? Give a brief explanation of why.

- A. That sounds like a really great idea! #Awesome!
- B. That sounds like a reeeeeeeally great idea!
- C. That sounds like a really great idea! ( \_ )
- D. That sounds like a really great idea! :+1: (2)

## Question 4

Topic: Lecture 5

Source: Lecture 5

When is ordinal classification more suitable for sentiment analysis than binary classification (2 factors)? (1)

## Question 5

Topic: Lecture 5

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SVM ranking takes advantage of the fact that an ordinal problem can be transformed into a binary "larger than" problem by simple subtraction of feature vectors. It's typically done with a linear SVM. Do you think we could apply a similar trick with a neural model? Why or why not? (2)

## Question 6

Topic: Lecture 8

Source: Lecture 8

In class, we discussed that internet speech may be emerging as its own language (or at least, as a dialect). What features of an emerging language does it demonstrate? Does it lack anything to make you consider it a language? Finally, do you think that separate social media sites could be considered different dialects? Briefly explain. (2)

## Question 7

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What is one similarity and one dissimilarity between emojis and emoticons? (1)



## Question 8

Topic: Lecture 6

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We saw that age and gender are relatively easy to predict from tweet history, but that personality traits are a lot harder. Why do you think that is? (1)

## Question 9

Topic: Long

Source: Lecture 5

A: Feature vector =  $(2,1)$ , rating = 2

B: Feature vector =  $(2,-1)$ , rating = 3

C: Feature vector =  $(-1,-1)$ , rating = 5

If we are doing SVM-based ranking, give at least one feature vector that can be used as a positive example for our binary SVM classifier, and one feature vector that can be used as a negative example.

Secondly, if the weight vector of our trained SVM classifier is  $(2,-2)$ , what is Kendall's Tau for the resulting ordinal classification of these 3 documents? (3)

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