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### HIGHER DIPLOMA IN SCIENCE IN DATA ANALYTICS

## FINAL EXAMINATIONS

Module Code: **B8IT109** 

Module Description: Advanced Data Analytics

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### **INSTRUCTIONS TO CANDIDATES**

- This is an open book- material exam, students are allowed to use their own laptop, lecture notes, code, and websites to respond to the questions. Appropriate referencing must be used.
- Please select four questions out of five questions. Explicitly specify your selected questions on the top of the exam paper.
- R code and necessary outputs (i.e. graphs/plots/curves) need to be saved in word format and submit to Moodle.

#### **Question 1**

Use **mtcars** dataset and consider **disp** and **am** as the attributes of interest.

a) Use the appropriate probability models to quantify the uncertainty in **disp** and **am**.

(5 Marks)

- b) Estimate the parameters of your proposed models using the dataset. (5 Marks)
- c) Predict the future values of **disp** and **am** using (a) and (b).

(10 Marks)

d) Using (a), (b), find P(disp > 0.7).

(5 Marks)

(Total: 25 Marks)

### **Question 2**

Using the dataset available on,

http://data.princeton.edu/wws509/datasets/cuse.dat,

consider 'wantsMore' as the output variable.

a) Split the dataset into 80% as the train-set and 20% as the test-set.

(2.5 Marks)

- b) Apply Naïve Bayes (NB) algorithm to train the classifier using the train-set. (2.5 Marks)
- c) Predict the test-set using the trained model of classifier. Express the functional form of the optimal NB classifier. (5 Marks)
- d) Provide the confusion matrix and accuracy of predictions. (5 Marks)
- e) Redo parts (b)-(d) to apply logistic regression algorithm. (**Hint**: consider  $\alpha = 0.2$  and include **age**, **education**, and **notUsing** as input variables to implement the logistic classifier).

(10 Marks)

(Total: 25 Marks)

#### **Question 3**

Use the dataset 'quakes', and consider 'mag' as the output variable and select the set of input variables from the remaining columns. Split the dataset into 80% trainset and 20% as the testset.

- a) Perform linear regression (LR) analysis and derive the optimal predictive model based on the trainset. ( **Hint**: Use  $\alpha = 0.05$  for the attribute selection). Predict the values of testset using the predictive model. (7.5 Marks)
- b) Apply support vector regression (SVR) to predict the values of testset. (7.5 Marks)
- c) Use RMSE to evaluate the accuracy of two models in 1000 Monte Carlo runs. Which method does provide a better prediction?

(10 Marks)

(Total: 25 Marks)

#### **Question 4**

Use dataset available on <a href="http://www.stat.ufl.edu/~winner/data/clotthes\_expend.csv">http://www.stat.ufl.edu/~winner/data/clotthes\_expend.csv</a>, apply time series analysis, consider sales.b as your time series variable:

a) Validate the assumptions using graphical visualization.

(5 Marks)

- b) Fit the optimized model for **sales.b** and provide the coefficient estimates for the fitted model. (7.5 Marks)
- c) What is the estimated order for AR and MA?

(5 Marks)

d) Forecast h=10 step ahead prediction of **sales.b** on the plot of the original time series.

(7.5 Marks)

(Total: 25 Marks)

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#### **Question 5**

Use dataset available on

http://www.stat.ufl.edu/~winner/data/iran\_rock.csv,

a) Perform ANOVA and interpret the output. (10 Marks)

Load the dataset available on <a href="http://www.stat.ufl.edu/~winner/data/esp\_studies1.csv">http://www.stat.ufl.edu/~winner/data/esp\_studies1.csv</a>,

- b) Apply PCA, and identify the important principle components involving at least 80% of dataset variation. Explain your decision strategy. (7.5 Marks)
- c) Use LDA to classify the dataset into few classes so that at least 85% of information of dataset is explained through new classification. (7.5 Marks)

(Total: 25 Marks)

## **End of Examination**