Due data: 2/1/2023, end of the day.

For question 1, please submit a PDF file via Canvas.

For question 2 (programming question), please submit an .ipynb file via Canvas.

Please answer the following questions related to Machine Learning concepts:

- 1. [18 points] Explain the key properties of the following concepts:
 - 1) supervised learning,
 - 2) unsupervised learning,
 - 3) online learning,
 - 4) batch learning,
 - 5) model-based learning,
 - 6) instance-based learning.

Programming Problem:

- 2. [42 *points*] In this problem, we write a program to estimate the parameters for an unknown polynomial using the polyfit() function of the numpy package.
 - 1) Please plot the noisy data and the polynomial you found (in the same figure). You can use any value of m selected from 2, 3, 4, 5, 6.
 - 2) Plot MSE versus order m, for m = 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8 respectively. Identify the best choice of m.
 - 3) Change variable *noise_scale* to 200, 300, 400, 600, 800, 1000 respectively, <u>re-run</u> the algorithm and <u>plot</u> the polynomials with the m found in 2). <u>Discuss</u> the impact of noise scale to the accuracy of the returned parameters. [You need to plot a figure like in 1) for EACH choice of noise_scale.]
 - 4) Change variable *number_of_samples* to 40, 30, 20, 10 respectively, <u>re-ran</u> the algorithm and <u>plot</u> the polynomials with the m found in 2). <u>Discuss</u> the impact of the number of samples to the accuracy of the returned parameters. [You need to plot a figure like in 1) for EACH choice of number_of_samples.]

Please use the following code at the beginning of your program to generate the data.

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Simulated data is given as follows in Python:

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

plt.style.use('seaborn-whitegrid')

import numpy as np

noise_scale = 100

number_of_samples = 50

x = 30*(np.random.rand(number_of_samples, 1) - 0.5)

y = 5 * x + 15 * x**2 + 2 * x**3 + noise_scale*np.random.randn(number_of_samples, 1)

plt.plot(x,y,'ro')
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