**Diary Entry - Week 11** 

Date: 23-09-2024 to 27-09-2024

**Summary:** 

Week 11 was a dynamic exploration into various clustering algorithms, graph analysis, and

recurrent neural networks (RNNs), enhancing understanding and proficiency in machine

learning and deep learning methodologies.

**Clustering Algorithms:** 

Delved into the principles and applications of K-Means clustering, hierarchical clustering,

BIRCH, and DBSCAN algorithms.

Explored the underlying mechanisms of each algorithm and their suitability for different

types of datasets, gaining insights into the clustering process and its significance in

unsupervised learning.

**Introduction to Graph Analysis:** 

Received an introduction to graph analysis, understanding the representation of data in

graph structures and the application of graph algorithms in various domains.

Explored fundamental graph concepts such as nodes, edges, and properties, laying the

groundwork for deeper exploration into graph-based machine learning algorithms.

Recurrent Neural Networks (RNNs):

Introduced to recurrent neural networks (RNNs), a powerful class of artificial neural

networks capable of processing sequential data.

Explored the architecture and working principles of RNNs, understanding their

applications in natural language processing (NLP), time series analysis, and other

sequential data tasks.

## **Coding Challenge - Week 7:**

- Participated in the coding challenge focusing on K-Means clustering and hierarchical clustering algorithms.
- Applied theoretical knowledge to practical coding exercises, implementing clustering algorithms on sample datasets and evaluating their performance.