

CSC 2304 Intelligent Systems (Section 1)
Semester 2 2020/21
Group Assignment 4: Data Science and Power BI Essentials [40 MARKS]
Due : 13 JUNE 2021 (11.59 pm)

INSTRUCTIONS

This is a group assignment. Each group shall distribute the tasks among group members.
Submit your work in pdf format.

A. Data Science [20 MARKS]

Read the article and **watch the video** on Data Science uploaded in italeem. Prepare a summary based on the following questions from the video.

1. A summarized description of the **FOUR (4)** different viewpoints of Data Science.
(*Note: Please summarize your thoughts with your own words and not just cut & paste the statements). **[4 marks]**
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.

2. The **goals** of Data Science are to use data analytic thinking for the purpose of ____ **[3 marks]**
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

3. Data Science involves ____ **[5 marks]**
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.
 - d.
 - e.

4. The Data Science process includes the following activities : **[3 marks]**
 - a.
 - b.
 - c.

5. **Draw the diagram** that shows the Data Science process (*Note: Please manually draw using a tool or by hand and not just cut & paste). **[3 marks]**

6. In ONE (1) single paragraph, write a **short summary** of no more than 4 sentences on your own understanding about Data Science. **[2 marks]**

B. Power Business Intelligence (BI) [20 MARKS]

1. Download and install PowerBI on your laptop/desktop or signup at <https://app.powerbi.com>
2. Import ('Get Data') the **hurricane-Pacific_2013.xlsx** dataset which has been uploaded in italeem.
3. Play around and explore with Power BI using the lecture slides on "Data Visualization" as a guideline.
4. Answer the following questions:

Legend for Status:

- WV - Tropical Wave
- TD - Tropical Depression
- TS - Tropical Storm
- HU - Hurricane
- EX - Extratropical cyclone
- SD - Subtropical depression (winds <34 kt)
- SS - Subtropical storm (winds >34 kt)
- LO - A low pressure system not fitting any of above descriptions
- DB - non-tropical Disturbance not having a closed circulation

- a. Find the correlation between the following variables and **capture the screenshots** of your graph plots. Report on the type of relationship you observe and indicate outliers if any: **[4 marks]**
 - i. Maximum Wind vs Minimum Pressure
 - ii. Low Wind NE vs Moderate Win SE
 - iii. Minimum Pressure vs Time
 - iv. High Wind SE vs Low Wind NW
- b. Find the correlation between the 2 event conditions, Tropical Storm (TS) and Hurricane (HU) with Maximum Wind and Minimum Pressure. Print the screenshot of the display. When do Maximum Wind and Minimum Pressure reach the peak? **[4 marks]**
- c. Find the **correlation** between 3 types of storms: **BARBARA, GIL and HENRIETTE with Maximum Wind and Minimum Pressure**. Print the screenshot of the display. **[6 marks]**
- d. **Display the bar graph** showing day by day information of the dataset for all fields. **[4 marks]**

- i. On **which day of the month** is the Maximum Wind the lowest and in **which type of storm**?
 - ii. At **which time of the month** is the Minimum Pressure the highest and in **which type of storm**?
- e. You are the **Director of the National Hurricane Center**. As the main stakeholder, suggest **TWO (2)** kinds of insights related to **hurricane forecasts** that will be valuable and critical to your department in the long run based on the available data asset (hurricane-Pacific_2015.csv). **[2 marks]**