# 2- Adv EDA + Regression

# Objective:

To conduct a comprehensive Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA) and build a Linear Regression model to predict app ratings on the Google Play Store using two datasets:

googleplaystore.csv and googleplaystore\_user\_reviews.csv.

#### Datasets:

- googleplaystore.csv 1328.3KB
- googleplaystore\_user\_reviews.csv.zip 1678.4KB

# **Description:**

This project aims to give students hands-on experience with real-world data analysis and predictive modeling. Students will explore, visualize, clean, and preprocess the dataset, then apply Linear Regression to predict app ratings.

## **Data Description:**

- 1. **googleplaystore.csv**: Contains details of applications on Google Play Store. It includes 13 features that describe a given app.
- 2. **googleplaystore\_user\_reviews.csv:** Contains the first 'most relevant' 100 reviews for each app, with each review text/comment pre-processed and attributed with three new features Sentiment, Sentiment Polarity, and Sentiment Subjectivity.

# **Assignment Tasks:**

# Part 1: Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

- 1. Data Loading: Import the datasets into a suitable Python environment.
- 2. **Data Inspection:** Examine the datasets for dimensions, data types, and summary statistics.
- 3. Data Cleaning: Handle missing values, incorrect data types, and outliers.
- 4. **Data Visualization:** Create visualizations to understand distributions, relationships, and patterns in the data. Suggested plots include histograms, scatter plots, box plots, and heatmaps.

5. **Feature Engineering:** Generate new features if necessary, based on the insights gained from EDA.

# Part 2: Data Preprocessing

- 1. **Merge Datasets:** If relevant, merge the two datasets on a common key.
- 2. **Handling Categorical Data:** Use techniques like one-hot encoding or label encoding for categorical variables.
- 3. Data Splitting: Split the dataset into training and test sets.

# Part 3: Linear Regression Model

- 1. **Model Building:** Build a Linear Regression model to predict the rating of apps.
- 2. **Model Evaluation:** Evaluate the model using appropriate metrics such as R-squared, Mean Squared Error (MSE), or Mean Absolute Error (MAE).
- 3. **Interpretation:** Interpret the model coefficients to understand the impact of different features on app ratings.

#### Part 4: Conclusion and Recommendations

- 1. Insights: Summarize key insights from the EDA and the predictive model.
- 2. **Recommendations**: Provide recommendations to app developers based on your findings.