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DATA 690 Introduction to NLP

Homework, Week 1

1. Which of the following is not an application of NLP?

- a. Image labeling
- b. Poetry generation
- c. Sentimental analysis
- d. E-mail classification

**Ans. Image labeling**

Poetry generation → Text generation → involves NLP

Sentiment Analysis → Text analysis → involves NLP

E-mail → Text analysis → involves NLP

2. Which of the following is not an NLP task?

- a. Tokenization
- b. Stop word removal
- c. Part-of-speech tagging
- d. Image segmentation

**Ans. Image Segmentation**

Tokenization, Stop word removal, Stemming/Lemmatization, POS tagging involves NLP

3. Which of the following is not a disadvantage of rule-based approaches for NLP?

- a. Not flexible
- b. Not scalable
- c. Requires huge dataset
- d. None of the above

**Ans. Requires Huge Data set**

Rule based approach of NLP requires set of predefined rules and does not require huge datasets

4. What are the two major types of NLP approaches?

**Ans.**

**1. Rule-based approach (Retrieval based):** This approach needs predefined rules that are made by developer.

**2. Machine-Learning based approach (AI based):** This approach requires algorithms, mathematical models, and statistical methods to make computers understand, interpret, predict and generate human language as output.

5. Use TextBlob to translate a sentence in English into French, Mandarin, and Hindi?

a. Import TextBlob

b. Languages are coded as 'fr', 'zh-CN', 'hi'

c. Translate the following sentence "Who knew translation could be fun" into French, Mandarin, and Hindi

**Ans.**

```
# Import Necessary libraries
from textblob import TextBlob
from googletrans import Translator

# Enter text to be translated
text = "Who knew translation could be fun"

# Initiate the Translator object
translator = Translator()

# Consider 3 languages of French, Hindi, Mandarin to get translated from english
for language in ['fr', 'hi', 'zh-CN']:
    # Translate using googletrans
    result = translator.translate(text, dest=language)
    translated_text = result.text

    # Now pass the translated text into TextBlob for further processing
    blob = TextBlob(translated_text)
    print(language, '-->', blob)
```

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fr --> Qui savait que la traduction pouvait être amusante
hi --> कौन जानता था कि अनुवाद मजेदार हो सकता है
zh-CN --> 谁知道翻译可能很有趣
```